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REFORM ON ROBBERY—WHICH?

A RESOLUTION WHICH AFFECTS THE TAX-PAYERS OF LINCOLN COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF THE ERA COMPANY'S DEBT.

THE ERA COMPANY'S DEBT.

We, the undersigned, publishers respectively of the Tribune, Herald, Standard and Daily Press, Lincoln, Nebraska, hereby certify that the following bill for doing the county printing business in full, and the several amendments thereto, which shall be published in both of said papers as now provided by law, and that one-fourth of the legal rate to go to each publisher, the delinquent tax will be published in each of said papers at one-half the legal rate, each paper to receive five cents for every line of the description and 10 cents for lot delivery.

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THE HONORABLE ERA CO.

We will agree to publish all proceedings of the board of county commissioners, and all other notices ordered by the board or county clerk for publication on the terms specified by sec. 136, ch. 37, compiled statutes of Nebraska, 10 cents for each line of the description and 10 cents for lot delivery.

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THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Resolved, That the board of county commissioners of Lincoln county, Neb., in regular session, do hereby order that the Tribune, Herald, Standard and Daily Press, Lincoln, Neb., be and is hereby designated as the newspapers which shall be published, published and advertised the notice of sale of real estate upon which taxes are delinquent and remain unpaid, otherwise known as the delinquent tax list, as provided in law, together with the commissioners' proceedings of regular and special meetings, and each other printing, publishing and advertising as may be necessary for the county of Lincoln, state of Nebraska, for and during the year 1892.

THE INDEPENDENT.

Assuming that there will be as much publishing this year as there was last, and the assumption is not fair, the county will pay the Independent \$2,000.00.

But if the joint bid of the Tribune and Telegraph had been accepted the cost to the county would have been but \$1,275.00.

Thus saving for the tax-payers of the county the amount of \$725.00.

Will the people of Lincoln county endorse the action of Commissioners Murphy and Hill?

CARDINAL MANNING died in England on Thursday at the advanced age of eighty-four years. He was created a cardinal in 1875.

The initial number of the Goshen Star, a new paper with F. M. Springsteen as editor has reached this office. It is a neat, newsy sheet and will undoubtedly prosper.

The Duke of Clarence and Avondale, heir presumptive to the throne of England, died at the home of his parents, the prince and princess of Wales, on Thursday of last week. He was twenty-four years of age.

The meeting of the republican state central committee at Omaha Thursday last was well attended and much enthusiasm was displayed in the discussion of the work in the coming campaign.

KEARNEY has been selected as the place to call the Sixth congressional committee meeting. The contest was between North Platte and Kearney, and good work was done in behalf of our city, but Kearney walked off with the plum.

In conventions held in each of the five congressional districts of Philadelphia last week to select delegates to the republican national convention, delegates favorable to Blaine were elected at all of the conventions, and resolutions adopted at each instructing them to vote for Blaine.

SENATOR TELLER on Monday introduced a bill to admit Utah into the Union. The bill provides that the constitution of the state shall secure perfect toleration of religious sentiment and forbids the nomination of any person on account of mode of religious worship.

The alliance and the independent party may not be one and the same thing, but it looks that way, as \$1,200 of the alliance funds were appropriated for contest expenses in behalf of the independent state candidates. It is in place for the alliance to expunge that section of the declaration of purposes which says that the organization shall not be political.

The war fog which has settled down between this country and Chili has not cleared away and every day brings fresh evidence that it will be necessary to chastise the tiny little country. But even though the trouble does not result in a declaration of war, it has had the good effect of rejuvenating our somewhat debilitated navy and strengthening our weak coast defenses.

The dispatches announces that the Pennsylvania railroad company, which is probably the most powerful corporation in the country, has voluntarily raised the wages of its employees. In these days of corporatism greed, such an announcement falls pleasantly on the ears. A faithful employe of the Pennsylvania road is always in the line of promotion; Thos. Scott having risen from the position of brakeman to position of first vice-president.

FOUR HUNDRED Russian Jews arrived at the great manufacturing town of Fall River, Mass., last week, and an equal number is expected to arrive before the close of the month. They are without skill in any business and they are naturally regarded with suspicion by citizens of every class. The suspicion is that they have been shipped here to compete with native labor in the mining district, which will result disastrously to American laborers. The Tribune is of the opinion that the present congress can do this country no greater good than to pass a stringent law prohibiting certain classes of emigrants from landing on our shores. The problem is certainly one of the great issues of the day.

THE action of Commissioners Hill and Murphy in rejecting the joint bid of THE TRIBUNE and Telegraph for doing the county publishing in both papers at less than one-half the statutory rate and accepting the bid of the Era at nearly the full legal rate, is a high-handed proceeding which surely no tax payer, unless he is a member of Era company, will endorse. To come down to plain business it means that by rejecting the joint bid Hill and Murphy passed an opportunity to reimburse the county treasury to the extent of at least one thousand dollars, for by accepting THE TRIBUNE and Telegraph bid such a result would have ensued. But the action of the two commissioners, both of whom are stalwart independents, is easily explained. The Era has been badly off its feet financially ever since the day of its first issue, and it was necessary that it have the county publishing in order to keep afloat. These being the facts, the president of the Era company, and his lieutenants brought such a pressure to bear upon Murphy and Hill that they were forced to make the award to the Era, even though in present minds they were satisfied that in so doing they were cheating the county out of a large sum of money. The writer has been connected with newspaper work in North Platte for nearly a dozen years, and this is the first instance within that time that the county publishing has not been let to the lowest bidder. It is also the first time that two commissioners have proceeded to make Lincoln county an asylum or hospital for a newspaper. It is but justice to Mr. Oberst to state that he strongly favored accepting the lowest bid, but of course was outvoted by Murphy and Hill. Mr. Hammond, the new commissioner, also protested against making the award to the Era on its bid, but he, too, was powerless, and the award was duly made Saturday evening. The independent party claims to be an organization of reform, but if the actions of the members who hold down commissioners' chairs in Lincoln county are samples it should be designated as a party of robbery.

Ninety days ago ex-President Cleveland was the almost unanimous choice of his party for the presidency. Now Senator Hill would probably get the nomination from his party in relation by acclamation. The relative positions of the leading republican candidates has not changed much, though President Harrison is not as strong as he was three months ago, while Blaine is probably stronger. Wainmaker must skate for his chief if he wishes to save him.

The Sheffield speech of Howard Vincent would make an excellent republican document for use in the next campaign. The eminent Briton had "seen with his own eyes the enormous prosperity of the United States and had noticed an almost complete absence of the ill effects of underpaid workers which were to be seen on every side in other countries." He therefore made up his mind that the American people would not consent to any material reductions in their tariffs, and that England's cry for free trade was "like crying for the moon." Mr. Vincent is right. The American people are satisfied to let well enough alone. It may now be considered settled that changes in our tariff will hereafter be made on protective lines, with due attention to reciprocity, which is the hand maiden of protection.—Ex.

MUST UNITE ON A CANDIDATE. Perry S. Heath, of Washington correspondent of the Bee, writes as follows under date of January 14th: The telegraphic report that John Nesbitt of the land office at North Platte, Neb., had been adjudged insane will make it incumbent upon the Nebraska senatorial delegation to select at an early date a successor. Both senators are deluged with petitions and applications; they have evidenced a desire to have the people of North Platte unite on some one candidate out of the many from the county who are pressing their claims. If this is not done a selection will be made from the district outside the city of North Platte.

The Homeliest Man in North Platte. As well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on any druggist and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is selling entirely upon its merits and is guaranteed to relieve and cure all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Large Bottles 50 cents and \$1.00.

ARE TIRED OF IT. A year or so ago a number of people in Lincoln county were clamoring for a change from the commissioner system to the supervisor system, and to those who still favor such a change the following recent dispatch from Hastings is respectfully referred: The people of Adams county are clamoring for the overthrow of the present supervisor system. It has been a perfect farce since its introduction in this county, and they want to return to the old commissioner system. People over the county are disgusted with their management of county affairs by the present board. It costs the county \$100 for every day's session, besides the enormous expense entailed in examining roads and bridges. They think that to throw the responsibility of county affairs on the shoulders of three or five men the county treasury would be more carefully guarded and the expense would be materially reduced.

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HAS CAUGHT ON. A recent dispatch from Topeka, Kas., says: Alexander Terrel, a farmer of Harper county and a people's party leader, started the new year by formulating a circular to the old soldiers of Kansas asking their co-operation in forming an old soldiers political union. Terrel was a delegate to the Ocala convention and again to the Cincinnati convention, and claims that while at these gatherings he discovered absolute proof that the farmers' movement was simply an attempt on the part of southern leaders to break the republican strength in the northwest, and that the aim is to defeat the pension system. He will begin by trying to organize old soldiers into political clubs which will act separately from the Grand Army posts. Soldiers in the democratic party have been asked to join the old soldiers' union.

PADDOCK'S PURE FOOD BILL. The committee on agriculture, of which Senator Paddock is chairman met a few days ago and took up the various bills before it. By a unanimous vote the chairman was instructed to report favorably Senate bill No. 1, the Paddock pure food bill, providing against the adulterating of food and drugs. Two minor amendments were added to the bill, one of which cuts off the increase in the salary of the chief chemist of the government who, by the terms of the bill, is to be made the head of the division in the agriculture department; the other amendment being a verbal one in the clause which provides for the division of samples of food products selected by agents of the government for inspection. The pure food bill now goes to the senate calendar, occupying a very favorable position for prompt discussion and passage.

WANT THE MORTGAGE FORECLOSED. At the meeting of the state alliance at Lincoln last week, a resolution was passed demanding the government to institute proceedings to foreclose the lien of the United States on the Union Pacific and Central Pacific railroads and operate the same for the people. General VanWyeck spoke quite earnestly on the resolution. He said that the Union Pacific was able to pay its debt to the government, and that it would pay it if it were compelled to do so. He said that the road was worth twice the amount of its indebtedness and he believed that rather than allow the road to pass into the hands of the government the great railroad corporations which to-day control the country would raise the money and buy it themselves. The railroads of the country would never allow so formidable a competitor as the government to enter the business.

Do You Know It? A common Cough is the most dangerous thing in the world. A slight hacking Cough is also very dangerous, as it always leads to Bronchitis and Consumption. Don't neglect them. In selecting a remedy for Coughs, Colds and Bronchitis, be sure and get one that is not full of Opium and one that will not produce Constipation. Ballard's Horehound Syrup does not constipate, remember this. It is perfectly harmless for children, and it's the most soothing and healing. Throat and Lung medicine in the world. It cures Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Sore Lungs, tickling in the throat and generally strengthens the Lungs after Pneumonia. Sold by A. F. Streit.

It has been discovered by three or four editors that if Governor Boyd is reinstated, he will be nominated for congress next fall, and if elected he will be a candidate before the legislature for the senate next fall. This is given out as a "straight tip," but one hardly knows what to believe, for several other knowing journalists are each sure that Boyd will be up as the democratic nominee for governor again. There are also some papers booming Boyd as a vice presidential candidate, but as the constitution bars out most of foreign birth on that speculation will necessarily be confined to the other offices named.

Remarkable Rescue. Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plattefield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her that she was a helpless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from the first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was.—Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at A. F. Streit's Drug Store, large bottles 50c. and \$1.00.

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The inevitable result of devoting any great portion of the country entirely to one crop for a series of years, is now to be seen in the cotton growing states of the South. The planters of the south have been devoting their every energy to the raising of cotton, not even making provision for the breadstuffs necessary for the subsistence of themselves and families, and many of them not raising the grain necessary for their horses and other live stock. There has, in consequence, been an over-production of cotton. More has been raised than the world requires. The inevitable consequence has followed—cotton is cheaper than it ever was before, and is not a profitable crop. The same is in a great measure true of the farmers of the great west—they have given their attention almost entirely to corn, to the neglect of other crops.

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