

THE A. P. A. BOARD WINS.

NEBRASKA'S SUPREME COURT DECIDES THE OMAHA CONTEST.

A BITTER FIGHT ENDED.

The Law Creating the New Commission Declared Constitutional in Every Particular—Governor Holcomb's Absence Held Not to Have Been Vital to Its Enactment—Telegraph News.

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 18.—The supreme court this morning filed its decision in the Omaha fire and police commission cases with the clerk of the court. It comprises several thousand words, covering all of the points raised by the attorneys, and quoting many authorities.

The decision in substance finds for the new board of fire and police commissioners and declares the act constitutional.

Upon the point raised by the attorneys for the old board that Governor Holcomb did not attend the meeting with Churchill and Russell at the time the new board was named, the court holds that the interests of a state or municipality are not to be jeopardized by the action of one person.

In conclusion the court finds that Broatch, Vandervoort and Foster are the lawfully constituted board of fire and police commissioners of Omaha. This is a decisive victory for the A. P. A. and is believed to assure the reorganization of the Omaha police force on the lines laid down by that religious-political organization.

Quick Changes on the Force.

OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 18.—The A. P. A. police commission took control as soon as the supreme court decision was known and discharged Chief of Police White and replaced him with ex-Sergeant Sigwart, who was discharged several months ago for alleged corrupt practices. Other men who were discharged for alleged incompetency were replaced on the force, notably ex-Chief Detective Haze, who was made sergeant.

ALL POOR SHOTS.

A Man and Two Women Fire Fruitlessly at a Missouri Deceiver.

CENTRALIA, Mo., Sept. 18.—When the way freight from the west stopped at the Wabash depot this morning Shannon Jarman of Sturgeon stepped out on the platform. Almost immediately two women and a man, each armed with a revolver, rushed from the car and began firing a fusillade at him, but he escaped without injury, after the three had been disarmed by the sheriff. They were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crawford and daughter, living near Sturgeon.

Miss Crawford charges that last March, while taking a buggy ride with Jarman, he ruined her. Jarman was arrested and placed under bonds, and to-day all went to Mexico, where the case comes up in the circuit court.

NO HEARING FOR FRAKER.

The Life Insurance Swindler Waives Examination.

RICHMOND, Mo., Sept. 18.—Dr. Fraker waived examination at the preliminary hearing to-day and was held to the grand jury in \$20,000 bond, which was not furnished.

Ex-Convict Killed by a Policeman.

QUINCY, Ill., Sept. 18.—Policeman Anderson Sidney, colored, shot and instantly killed Louis Dade last night. Dade was resisting arrest and made threats to kill the officer. Dade had served a term in the penitentiary for an assault to kill, and was a dangerous negro. At the coroner's inquest Sidney was exonerated from all blame.

A New Coxy Movement Promised.

POCATELLO, Idaho, Sept. 18.—"General" Kelly of Industrial army fame spoke here on the street last night for two hours. He reviewed the travels and hardships of Coxy's army last year and asserted that this movement was just in its infancy and as soon as the spring came there would be "marching on to Washington."

Indians Enter Protest.

HOLTON, Kan., Sept. 18.—About fifty Pottawatomie Indians came here yesterday for their reservation and held a council in the court house park, after which they returned to their homes. They will present to the government through Congressman Broderick a protest against the breaking up of their tribal relations.

The Mora Case Not Ended.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—Nathaniel Paige, one of the attorneys for Antonio Mora in the claim which has just been settled, has protested to the state department against the non-allowance of interest, but it is believed at the department that the protest will not amount to anything.

Big Suit Against a Mining Company.

DEADWOOD, S. D., Sept. 18.—The United States government has commenced suit in the United States court to recover \$700,000 damages from the Homestake Mining company, alleging that during the last seventeen years the Homestake company has cut 1,001,200 trees.

Mrs. Langtry's Divorce.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 18.—Mrs. Langtry filed the papers in a suit for divorce to-day at Lakeport. Desertion and failure to provide are the grounds upon which a separation is asked. It is not believed that Mrs. Langtry's husband will contest the suit.

ARMY OF THE TENNESSEE.

Survivors of the Gallant Body in Reunion Once More.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Sept. 18.—At last night's session of the Army of the Tennessee reunion Colonel Fred Grant outlined General Grant's plan of campaign for closing the war, and described the order in which General Grant would have narrated the story in the second volume of his memoirs had his life been spared. Upon being appointed lieutenant general and assuming command, General Grant had an interview with President Lincoln, who wanted someone to take the responsibility of action and call upon him for supplies, the president pledging the full powers of the government in rendering all assistance possible.

General Grant then planned movements for all of the armies to move at once. He regarded the army of the James as the left wing, the army of the Potomac as the center, and the troops operating under Sherman, of which the army of the Tennessee was a most important part, as the right wing, all other troops being co-operating columns. By continuously hammering against the confederate armies he proposed to destroy both them and their sources of supply.

Colonel Grant compared the movement of the Army of the Potomac to that of Napoleon in the Russian campaign, while the plan in reference to the whole army resembled that adopted by their allies in the campaign against France in 1813-14. He outlined how the Confederates had concentrated their troops east of the Mississippi into the armies of Lee and Johnston, how General Grant placed himself with the Army of the Potomac, where the greatest opposition was expected, sent Sherman against Johnston and Sheridan through the Shenandoah valley. On May 4 the Army of the Potomac moved, and on May 6 all were moving. By May 11 the Southern troops were forced to act entirely on the defensive, and the Union lines had been considerably advanced. It was at the end of the first week of this campaign that General Grant wrote: "I propose to fight it out on this line if it takes all summer."

The second phase of the plan was to keep the enemy within the besieged cities—Richmond, Petersburg and Atlanta—and actively engage the outside troops to drive all the smaller commands to the south, to devastate the country from which supplies were drawn and to destroy those who gathered these supplies.

FATAL WEDDING FEAST.

John and Simon Hancock Mortally Wounded at a Bridal Reception.

COLUMBIA, Ky., Sept. 18.—John and Simon Hancock, brothers, both of whom have been desperate men, were shot and mortally wounded last night at the residence of Lane Hatfield, in Green county. Jacob Hatfield, who is a brother of Lane, had just been married and was giving a reception. After the table was set the two Hancock boys entered the house and got on the table and kicked the refreshments all over the room, whereupon the Hatfields, both of whom were armed, drew their pistols and fired. Simon was shot four times and John was both shot and stabbed. They are not expected to live.

HORNBLOWER WILL GET IT

To Be Appointed to the Supreme Bench and Will Not Oppose Him.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—Doubt no longer exists here of the correctness of the information that Mr. Hornblower is to get a seat upon the supreme bench. It is settled that Senator Hill will not oppose his confirmation, and in all probability there will be no opposition from any other source. Senator Hill has modified his views of Mr. Hornblower's fitness for the supreme bench since Mr. Hornblower supported Hill for governor last fall, it is said.

Traffic in Mexican Cattle.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Sept. 18.—An immense traffic in Mexican cattle is being built up under the present favorable conditions for their importation into this country. Twelve thousand head of stock cattle were purchased in the state of Coahuila, Mexico, last week and brought into Texas, and the Dolores ranch, in Kinney county, was stocked with them. Arrangements are being made with English capitalists to purchase several hundred thousand head of Mexican cattle and bring them to Texas, where they will be fattened on cottonseed meal and shipped alive to England.

Quinlans Want Damages.

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—An echo of the recent investigation by the police in this city for evidence against H. H. Holmes was heard yesterday, when the papers in two suits, each for \$20,000 damages, were filed against Chief of Police Badenach and Inspector Fitzpatrick. The complainants are Patrick Quinlan and his wife, who for nearly a month were held by the police on suspicion of having guilty knowledge of the manner in which some of the alleged victims of Holmes disappeared.

Tarney on Missouri Politics.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 18.—In an interview Congressman John C. Tarsney of this district, strongly upholds President Cleveland's financial policy, predicts that the silver men will capture the next Democratic state convention; that the delegates to nominate a presidential candidate will be instructed to vote against any man of the sound money faction, and that the state will be carried by the Republicans.

Governor Stone Unable to Attend.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 18.—Governor Stone, on account of a press of business matters on his desk in the executive office, will not go to Chattanooga to attend the ceremonies attendant upon the opening of the national park on the famous battlefield, Missouri, will be represented by the commissioners, Colonel H. Bledsoe and Captain Grubb and Adjutant General Wickham.

THE LAST CHANCE.

MRS. JOHNSON HAD ONLY ONE CHANCE TO SAVE HER LIFE.

Now Does the Work of Three Average Women.

[From the Ledger, Mexico, Mo.] Mrs. Lucinda Johnson lives in Mexico, Mo. The Ledger has just succeeded in obtaining an interview with her. This is the substance of her story:— In the winter of '92 and '93 Mrs. Johnson was like many of her friends, attacked with la grippe. Yes, we've made of us had it, and know its wreaking powers, when it gets in its work on a good constitution. Well, Mrs. Johnson, along about Christmas, was prostrated. All the medical aid here in the city only "brought her around," as an "herbs and roots" female sympathizer expressed it, and she was left in a debilitated and exhausted condition and experienced a constant pain in her left side. She was wholly unfit for her domestic duties and was unable to do any work about the house, even after the la grippe fever and its characteristic sickness had left her. She is a consistent member of the church, and one Sunday, between the Sunday school and church services, being barely able to convey there, she heard of a miracle that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People had performed and she resolved to try them. It was like the drowning man grabbing at the last straw. It was her last and only chance to save her life. She procured one box of these pills from the south side druggists, French & Garrett, in this city, and by the time she had used half the box she and her watchful friends noticed a marked improvement in her condition. Taking the rest of the box of pills and one more box she recovered remarkably in an exceedingly short time. Before she had used the first box she resumed her household duties and has been steadily at work for the last eighteen months. It took only a few boxes, perhaps five or six, to entirely cure her. Since then she was attacked by rheumatism, caused from careless exposure, but by once taking the Pink Pills for Pale People, she drove the painful and dreadful malady away. She told the reporter that whenever she felt that she was going to be ill, she took one or two of the pills and she never got sick. Mrs. Johnson is perfectly healthy now and promises to live to a ripe old age. Her friends have never ceased to talk about her almost miraculous recovery and are loud in their praise of the Pink Pills for Pale People, and all who have tried them say they would not be without them under any conditions.

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