

Nebraska

MARTIN SLOWLY RECOVERS

Attorney General Well Enough to Return to His Home.

ELLIOTT HAS YIELDED FIGHT

Arrives at Conclusion that Thomas Has Won Nomination for State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—Attorney General Martin, who three weeks ago was operated on at a local hospital for gall stones and appendicitis, today improved so much this morning that he was moved to his home. He is able to walk just a little, but has lost about sixty pounds in weight, tipping the beam now at only 138 pounds. It is probable that he will be able to get down to the state house in a couple of weeks.

Elliott Loses Out. Deputy State Superintendent Robert L. Elliott has about made up his mind that he will have to accept the place of "runner up" in the contest for the republican nomination for state superintendent, this morning concluding that A. O. Thomas had probably won as the counties now reporting show a steady increase for Dr. Thomas. Two counties, which were announced to be against Elliott, Custer, where he formerly taught school, and Dawson, the home of Superintendent DeWalt, gave Thomas good majorities.

Autos vs. Railroads. The rights of automobiles, as compared with what railroads may be expected to do in regard to crossings, will have a hearing in the supreme court, a case coming to that tribunal on an appeal from Buffalo county, where a man by the name of Orel A. Blear was killed while crossing the Union Pacific tracks near Kearney by passenger train No. 37. Suit was begun in the Buffalo county district court by John W. Patterson, administrator of the estate for \$10,000 damages, the claim being made that the railroad company should have kept a man at the crossing. The railway company showed otherwise and the jury returned no verdict for the plaintiff, who takes the case to the higher court.

REFERENDUM PAMPHLETS BEING MAILED TO VOTERS

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—The big job of sending out to the voters of the state the referendum pamphlets was begun today, a force of sixteen men and women being at work in the senate chamber. The contract for inserting the pamphlets in the envelopes which have already been addressed was let on contract by Secretary of State Wait to the Stryker & Brown system company of Lincoln, and calls for the stuffing of 10,000 envelopes each day, the work to be completed in twenty-five days.

The law requires that the work of mailing out the referendum pamphlets shall commence not later than fifty-five days before the election, but there is no time set as to how soon the work can begin. The pamphlet contains three propositions, on the "employer liability bill and workmen's compensation act," one the "municipal armory to be located at Nebraska city," and the other the "intercity location" proposition. Each proposition contains arguments both for and against, and covers fifty-two pages.

The work of getting out the envelopes will be conducted so as to make as little extra work for the postoffice employees as possible, the envelopes being placed in bundles for each postoffice and by counties. There are about 25,000 pamphlets.

HARMAN MAKES EFFORT TO SECURE BETTER CREAM

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Aug. 24.—(Special.)—In an effort to get a better price for producers of high-grade cream for their produce, on September 1st, the cream commission Harman called to his office a number of representatives of creameries and prevailed upon them to use a different method for gathering cream than has been practiced heretofore.

No attempt has been made in the past to grade cream as the time it is taken from the producer, all cream of whatever quality being dumped into the same can. Mr. Harman secured from the cream men a promise that they would make a trial of keeping the first-grade cream by itself.

The tendency will be to make it an inducement for producers of cream to produce as high a grade of cream as possible in order to get the increased price and will also discourage the production of second-grade cream.

SECRETARY SEYMOUR FIGURES STATE LEVIES

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—According to figures so far made by the secretary of the State Board of Equalization, the state aid bridge levy will raise \$100,000 for bridge building, and the university levy will raise \$75,000 for university purposes.

Notes from Chadron. CHADRON, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—Mr. George Stevens and Miss Bertha Huton were married in the First Methodist Episcopal church by Rev. J. C. Dillon. The groom is an engineer on the North-western and the bride one of the most popular teachers in the Chadron high school. After a month's trip in eastern states they will make their home here.

Class Pioneers Meet at Union. PLATTSBOROUGH, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—The twenty-sixth annual reunion of the old settlers of Cass county in Union Saturday was a grand success in every way, and about 5,000 people attended.

Buckley's Anion Salve. Prevents blood poisons in Mr. G. W. Lloyd of Plunk, Mo. This salve has cured a dangerous wound. See all druggists for this salve.

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Germans Report from Berlin More Successes in Alsace

BERLIN, (By Wireless to Associated Press from Nauen, Germany, to Sayville, Long Island), Aug. 24.—Official announcement was made here today that the German army commanded by Grand Duke Albrecht of Wurttemberg, has defeated a French army at Neufchateau.

It captured many guns and prisoners, including several generals.

German armies under Rupprecht, Crown Prince Wilhelm and Grand Duke Al-

brecht are vigorously pursuing the French.

The army under Rupprecht captured 150 guns at Lunville, Blamont and Ciry, in the French department of Meurthe and Moselle.

The army commanded by the crown prince pursued the French beyond Longwy.

The Germans are west of the Meuse river and advancing against Maubeuge. They have defeated an English brigade of cavalry.

LATEST ELECTION FIGURES

Shotwell's Defeat by Hoagland is Further Confirmed

THOMAS IS LEADING ELLIOTT Tables Showing Result of Race for School Superintendent Nomination Indicate Result with Reasonable Accuracy.

Tabulation of latest figures on the recent primary indicate that Shotwell of Omaha has been defeated for the republican nomination for lieutenant governor by Hoagland of North Platte, who has a lead of more than 2,000.

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More Expense Accounts Filed With Secretary

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Aug. 24.—(Special.)—In his report of campaign expenses made to the secretary of state, Thomas W. Blackburn says that he gave \$100 to the Pontenelle club, \$15 to the Modulator, \$15.00 to the World-Herald, \$1 to the Omaha News, \$5 to the Pookok and \$5 to The Bee in an effort to secure the republican nomination to congress in the Second district, and he got it.

In addition to this he spent \$58.80 for other purposes, making \$358.30 used in the campaign.

Another man who wanted to go to congress was George C. Fitch, who chose the prohibition route in the Third district, and he got about as far as that much would take him.

Senator John H. Grossman, nonpartisan candidate for district judge in Douglas county, spent \$40.00.

J. A. Ollie, candidate for the democratic nomination for railway commissioner, spent \$182.

Pat Shea spent \$200.75 to secure the democratic nomination in the Fifth district for congress.

Peter Jansen spent "absolutely nothing" in his effort to secure the republican nomination for state regent.

Bayard W. Faine blew in \$65 in an effort to secure the democratic nomination for congress in the Fifth district, but to no avail.

Walter V. Hoagland of North Platte secured the republican nomination for lieutenant governor with an expenditure of \$119.90.

Dan V. Stephens did not seem to worry very much over the effort to decapitate him from the democratic nomination for congress in the Third district. He spent only \$48.

W. B. Eastman, democratic nominee for land commissioner, spent \$9.75.

W. H. Avery, who would have liked to have had the republican nomination for congress in the Third district, spent \$11.50.

BRANDEIS TALKS UP ADS

Omaha's Successful Merchant Gives Credit to Consistent Publicity.

QUOTED IN NEW YORK PAPER

He Will Try to Build Up the Big Stern Store There by the Same Methods that Were Followed Here.

How Omaha success is being held up as an example in New York is illustrated by an interview with A. D. Brandeis, printed in the New York Globe as one of a series of advertising talks by William C. Freeman, the ad expert. The article is as follows:

"Mr. Arthur D. Brandeis has come from Omaha to New York to increase his responsibilities. He built up a wonderful business in that thriving western city to which he still gives a lot of personal attention, but at the earnest solicitation of Mr. Louis Stern, he accepted the vice presidency of the Stern corporation and is in the saddle here in earnest.

"When I met Mr. Brandeis the other day I was glad to hear him say and he meant it, too—that he attributes the building of his successful enterprises in Omaha largely to a policy of consistent advertising—consistent not only in the regularity of its appearance, but in its statements also, which is more important even than regularity, because without it the confidence and support of the community cannot be secured.

"Often a man coming to New York from the outside is better able to grasp conditions than a man who has lived here all his life. The outsider is usually surprised to find that New Yorkers are not different from people in other sections of the country—that they respond to the same kind of appeal as people elsewhere.

"The name of Stern Bros. stands very high in the commercial world and Mr. Brandeis is greatly impressed with the possibilities of the business. He is first, last and all the time for a sane and constructive advertising policy. He said to me:

"Nobody recognizes more than I do the power of newspaper advertising. I applied it successfully in Omaha and it can be applied successfully here. If the messages that a store sends out to the public through the daily press are reliable they have a wonderful cumulative power and aid greatly in the building of a business—but they must be reliable. That is the basis of all good advertising. There is no form of publicity that can be employed more effectively or more economically.

"Why, here in New York City and vicinity you have a population within the shadow of this store representing over 6,000,000 people. To reach these people every day, every week, every month in the year, telling them about merchandise that one feels is right as to quality and price, is sure to bring to any business its proportion of their trade.

"It is my purpose to aid in setting many more of these 6,000,000 people interested in Stern Bros. by educating them to a realization of the advantages offered by this store through its dependable merchandise, which, because of economical methods of merchandising, is always sold at moderate prices. I also hope that the addition to my experience and energy to this excellent organization will effect new policies that will broaden the attractions of the store and its advantages for this vast population that we are so well equipped to serve.

"I am a great believer in the methods that have been adopted by the leaders of this new advertising movement. They are doing a great work.

"The sooner the fact is established that only honest advertising pays, the sooner will all merchants advertise honestly."

BEATRICE MAN LOSES BOTH LEGS UNDER CAR FAIRBURY, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special Telegram.)—James McKern of Beatrice, 22 years of age, was thrown from a car at the Rock Island knapout, three miles northwest of the city, this evening and had both legs mangled and mashed so badly it was necessary to amputate them at the hospital.

The accident happened while Engineer N. Downes was switching the cars in the p.t. According to statements of witnesses, McKern was leaning on the side of the car when another car struck it and he was thrown under the wheels.

Constipation Poisons You. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate your bowels, prevent constipation and stimulate the liver to healthy action. See all druggists.—Advertisement.

MANY FAVOR THE BEE'S PLAN

Suggestion for Short Ballot Meets with Favor.

DIFFERENT PHASES DISCUSSED

Some Have Changes They Would Present, but All Say the Short Ballot Must Come Sooner or Later.

The Bee's suggestion for a constitutional amendment for a short ballot, setting forth a plan of making a number of important state offices appointive of the governor with the ratification of the senate, is causing some comment among those in the city who study such matters. "That's practically my bill," said Robert C. Dinesenow, member of the legislature and candidate for re-election. "I introduced a bill to that effect in the last session of the legislature, but it was found to be unconstitutional. Now, if the matter were approached in the shape of a constitutional amendment as The Bee suggests, it would be all right. I shall fight for that bill. Under a system like that suggested, the state superintendent, the auditor and a string of those officers mentioned could be appointed by the governor, and the governor would be directly responsible for them. It would be a great saving of time and money in conducting elections and would give better service."

Foster Favors It.

Dr. Harry A. Foster, member of the legislature, and candidate for re-election, says he is decidedly in favor of short ballot reform, and he approves the suggestion made by The Bee with a few exceptions. He believes that instead of letting the governor appoint the other officials it should be specified that the governor, lieutenant governor and the three railway commissioners, or, in other words, the elective officers, jointly agree upon the appointments and be collectively responsible for them. Another objection Dr. Foster makes is to the provision, which, he says, "precluded no district shall have more than one senator and one representative. He takes that to mean that counties like Douglas could be divided into twelve representative districts and five senatorial districts in order to give each district one representative and one state senator. "I believe in letting the representatives and senators represent the county at large," said Dr. Foster, "and I could see no reason for cutting the county up into many districts."

Short Ballot Bound to Come.

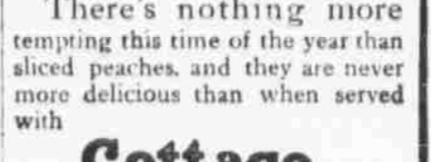
Henry C. Richmond, democratic candidate for the state legislature from Douglas county, says he is in favor of the short ballot plan, and he believes it is bound to come. "I am a great believer in the methods that have been adopted by the leaders of this new advertising movement. They are doing a great work."

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Peaches and Cream

There's nothing more tempting this time of the year than sliced peaches, and they are never more delicious than when served with



Cottage Milk

Sterilized Unsweetened

Cottage Milk is always ready for use—it is always fresh, pure and sweet—no danger of souring in any weather or temperature.

It is just the richest milk with most of the water taken out, perfectly sterilized—and with nothing added.

Cottage Milk is delivered direct from our condenseries to your grocer, insuring freshness at all times. Get a supply today and see how delicious, economical and convenient it is.

The Milk Without the Cooked Taste

In Two Sizes—5 and 10c At All Good Dealers

Or Phone Gulesa Brokerage Company Douglas 4419

215 Brandeis Building, Omaha, Neb. American Milk Company Chicago

Nemaha Pioneer Dies in California

FAIRBURY, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—Word last just reached here by wire of the death of John H. Shook at the home of his son, Arthur, in California. Mr. Shook was 75 years of age and was a veteran of the war of the rebellion. He served three and a half years and was with Sherman and marched from Atlanta to the sea. Mr. Shook settled in this county in 1854 and took a prominent part in its development. For twelve years he was county commissioner. He is survived by a widow and four sons, Dr. William H. Shook of Sibley, Arthur, Charles and John all of California. Arthur and Charles are civil engineers, and John a rancher.

JEFFERSON REPUBLICANS STRAIGHTEN OUT TANGLE

FAIRBURY, Neb., Aug. 24.—(Special.)—The attention of the Jefferson county republican committee was occupied Saturday with the contest between two candidates for the nomination for register of deeds. O. H. Rooney, formerly register of deeds, resigned the latter part of July when it was too late for any other candidate to file. The county commissioners appointed James L. Hutchinson to fill out the unexpired term and he became a candidate for election. H. O. Nellis, division storekeeper for the Rock Island, also announced his candidacy. The candidates could only get their names on the ballot by having the voters write same. When the votes were counted it was discovered that O. H. Rooney had 28, H. O. Nellis 312 and J. L. Hutchinson 372.

Since O. H. Rooney had resigned and left the state, it was necessary for the central committee to name the candidate. After a great deal of debate it was decided to nominate H. O. Nellis, the highest man.

Cornhusk-Michigan Game. The base ball game scheduled for last Saturday between the alumni of the University of Michigan and the alumni of the University of Nebraska has been postponed again. The date now set is September 1 at the Happy Hollow club. Jesse Palmer, manager of the Michigan team, couldn't get his men together as several are on vacations.

Brandeis Stores New Silk and Dress Goods

Thousands of yards of the very newest weaves now here for your fall needs. Complete varieties and superior qualities, as well as styles that are refined and out of the ordinary are the distinguishing characteristics of these displays.

Fashionable Silk Bedford Cords

Particularly adapted for tailored suits. Shown in navy, Copenhagen, smoke, tobae, wistaria, French blue, leather, seal brown, 42 inches wide. Regular \$2.50 qual- \$1.50

2.50 Crepe De Luxe, \$1.79 Dress Goods, 79c and 98c

This is a soft, very lustrous crepe fabric so much in demand in making up the new style dresses for afternoon and evening wear. 42 inches wide, 36 shades. Worth \$2.50, now special at \$1.79

Women's Washable Suits 69c

Worth up to \$3.50, Choice 69c

A special lot of women's Norfolk suits in various washable materials in tan, blue and white. Sizes 14 to 46. These were formerly priced up to \$3.50. On sale in the basement Tuesday at 69c.

Any Woman's Wool Suit \$2.50

Any Woman's Coat Any Woman's Wool Dress in the Basement for . . . 2

Sale of Waists Tuesday for 35c

Pretty white waists of voiles and lawns in several different styles. Formerly sold at 75c to \$1. Your choice Tuesday in the Basement, at . . . 35c

Norfolk Suits 78c

Children's Coats 79c

Made in several different styles for misses and women. Tan or white materials. Formerly priced up to \$3.50. To be closed out at, each, 78c.

Only a small lot of children's coats in a variety of styles. Good, serviceable materials for fall wear. Ages 2 to 6 and 6 to 14. Worth to \$3.98 regularly. Choice, 79c.

Sale of Dressing Sacques, 29c

Women's dressing sacques of crepes, percales and gingham in light and dark patterns. Sizes from 34 to 44. Several styles worth up to 75c, Tuesday in the Basement at 29c.

Special Values in Domestic

Figured Crepe A light, summery weave in neat stripes. Fast colors. Regular 15c quality, yard . . . 10c

Underwear Crepe Beautiful sheer quality, pebble weave, perfectly white. Regular 15c quality, yard . . . 10 1/2c

Challis, Very Special Yard wide comfort and dress challis. Beautiful French designs. 15c quality, yard . . . 8 1/2c

Dress Crepe Beautiful white dress crepe in jacquard and figured effects. 25c quality, yard . . . 12 1/2c

Muslin 36-inch unbleached muslin. Fine soft finish. Easily bleached. 7c quality, yard . . . 4 1/2c