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mission of new states; from 1888 to

1892, 700,000, and from 1892 to 1896,

1,900,000. This year the probab'e total

popular vote is estimated at 16,000,-

Mary Anderson-Navarro attended a

bazaar in England the other day in

told by the father rector that she

was a mother to them. "Our Mary" is,

rather startled her for a moment. In

the course of a short reply she good-

humoredly said that the reverend gen-

tleman might at least have called her

Explorer's Awful Suffering.

plorer, has added another chapter of

valuable information as the result of

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his recent explora-

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coming hardships

that it is hard to o

believe the human

body capable of

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the icy mountains

of the Altai Tag.

and crawling for

whole days at a

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erts of Thibet. Dr. Hedin defied death

in a thous ad forms that he might be

the first white man to set foot upon the

shores of Lake Lop Nor. There he

found the moultaring ruins of a mag-

nificent city-a city of beautiful mar-

bles and exquisite mosaics-a city of

grand terraces and intersected by

broad driveways-the tombstones of a

Lineage of Presidents.

the London Chronicle it was pointed

out that out of the twenty five presi-

dents of the United States, all but one

teen, headed by Washington, came of

English stock, Three, including James

Monroe, had Scotch ancestors. One,

Thomas Jefferson, inherited pure

Welsh blood, while five others traced

vale of Giamorgan, Wales, seems per-

most ancient Christian center in the

the name of Claudia, is said to have

founded a Christian church there

A Junk Gree.

The accompanying picture represents

a single pine tree in the shape of a

junk growing a few miles from Kyoto,

the western capital of Japan, in the

grounds attached to the golden pavil-

ion, which dates back to the fourteenth

century. This tree is a monument of

patient care and devotion. In the

Mikado's empire landscape gardening

JAPAN'S JUNK TREE.

has for generations been studied as a

fine art, and is thoroughly characteris-

calls are made for Senator Depew as

for any other orator and they come

from all parts of the country. The

republican campaign committee has

not yet arranged Mr. Depew's ap-

pearances, but he will deliver a great

many speeches between now and No-

Musical Pigeons of Pekin.

A picturesque feature of the life in

Pekin is the flight of the musical

thrifty Chinese, unwilling to lose their

flocks of pigeons, have invented small

whistles or sets of pipes, which they

fasten to the tail feathers of their

pigeons before liberating them for ex-

ercise. The air rushing through the

strain" of harmony.

tic of Japanese aestheticism.

about A. D. 63.

In a study of American politics

Sven Anders Hedin, the noted ex-

Remarkable Journey. Here is a picture of Mrs. Elizabeth Burns and the youngest of her six children, who have just completed probably the most remarkable journey ever made by any family, all of them having covered 700 miles on foot. The woman is a widow of Grand Rapids, Mich. The undertaking is one of the pluckiest ever attempted, and that it aid of a religious community and was

has succeeded without a mishap is declared marvelous.

Mrs. Burns' husband fell a victim to of course, no longer in the full blush consumption, leaving his family in of youthful beauty, but this remark destitute circumstances, and on May 5 last the mother sold her belongings and with a small hand-cart, containing necessities, she began the journey from Grand Rapids which she expected would end at Odin, Ill., where her father lived. It took six weeks of steady walking to reach Odin, but disappointment awaited her there and she was compelled to push on, her search not being rewarded until she reached Poplar Bluff, Mo., 700 miles



MRS. ELIZABETH BURNS. away from the starting point. The family is none the worse for the trip have been of British family origin. Fifand is now with kind relatives.

There is to be an exhibt n of anclent and modern examples of gel1smiths' art at Florence in connection with the celebration of the fourth centenary of Benvenuto Cellini's birth, Nov. 2. The first congress of Italian goldsmiths will be held in that city on the same occasion.

W. J. Bryan's Pastor. There is considerable trouble in the fashionable First Presbyterian church

of Lincoln, Neb. The pastor, the Rev. William N. Hindman, has been asked to resign. Mr. Bryan is a member of the church, but he has as yet taken no part in the affair which has agitated the other members, and it is announced

that he does not Rev. Hindman. intend to do so. At prayer service the other evening Mr. Hir man denounced one of his elders, r. T. M. Hodgman, a professor in the University of Nebraska, declaring that views expressed by him at the meeting were at variance with the Presbyterian creed and teaching. The discussion, although spirited, was as nothing compared with the set-to at the close of the services, when charges of considerable bitterness were flung back and forth.

The charges against Mr. Hindman, so far as can be learned, are worldliness and lack of proper attention to pastoral duties, but no specifications are given.

Motor Cars for Africa. A French automobile company recantly dispatched forty-two motor cars to central Africa to serve in the regular transportaion of goods between Busaloba and Bumoka. Hitherto it required nearly a month to convey merchandise along this trade route, but the new motor wagons have accomplished the journey in the space of three or four days. Each wagon is about four tons in weight, and has from nine to ten horse power at its disposal as motive force.

Senator George F. Hoar of Massachusetts was 74 years old last week. In answer to a letter from a friend congratulating him on his excellent health, Mr. Hoar said: "I am thoroughly over that disease known as being 73 years old."

The Greatest Irishman. There is something of a controversy in England as to who was the greatest of three great Irishmen-the late Lord Chief Justice Russell, Lord Dufferin or Lord Roberts. At the 1898 away hawks, who would otherwise months, becoming acquainted with the banquet of the Ulster association in pounce upon the pigeons. The sound various tribes and methods adopted to London, Lord Dufferin referred to Lord of these "aeolian" pipes is said to be civilize them. Last year she traveled owned by his father, Reuben Collins, Russell as "the most distinguished extremely musical, a "sweet, Irishman of our generation"

Raised in Rank.

Crown Prince William of Germany, who has been promoted from the rank of second lieutenant to that of first lieutenant, is an officer of the First Regiment of Guards, in which he is very popular. William is the eldest son of the Emperor and inherits much of his father's love for the military. He and his brother have been officers in the army ever since they were mere the preceding contest. From 1864 to lads. The princes are hard students and as soldiers have shown every desire to be as rough and martial as the most brusque soldier in the ranks, all



PRINCE WILLIAM.

of which has been immensely pleasing to the men and officers with whom the imperial boys have served. Prince William is heir apparent to the throne of Germany and is 18 years old.

Woman University Professor. The board of regents of the University of Kansas broke away from precedent the other morning and elected Miss Eugenia Galloo to the chair of French, made vacant by the resignation of Prof. A. G. Canfield. Miss Galloo is the first woman to occupy a full professorship at the institution since preparatory work was abolished, Miss Alma D. Deland Leduc of Chicago university, a New Orleans girl, was

Epiphany, New York, said that one of tne most Christian acts a man can do which appeared in a recent number of "is to attend the primaries carrying a Christian conscience with you that w?i make clean the stream of politics at its source."

elected to succeed Miss Galloo as as-

Indian on the Stump.

Tall Beaver, chief of the Comanche Indians in Oklahoma, will take the stump. He says he has a contract with the National com-

their lineage to Scotch-Irish ancesmittee to make these speeches, but will not show it to E. W. Vaughn, the nonagenarian any one. Tall vicar of the church of Liantiert, in the Beaver will urge that people give fectly in keeping with his surroundthe red men a vote ings, as the church he preaches in is built on grounds which represent the and they will se the country right. He says there are British isles as a daughter of Caracupwards of 50,000 tacus, mentioned by St. Paul under Indian voters in the United States.

Tall Beaver is a graduate of Haskell Indian school. and has studied law. He will speak Kansas, Okla-

homa and Missou- Tall Beaver. ri. If he proves a success he may go

Among the awards in the fine art section of the Paris exhibition is one to King Carlos I. of Portugal. The jury was undecided at first whether to judge him as a king or an artist, but decided to judge his work entirely on its merits. He was awarded a silver medal in the second class for his pas-

Educating the Red Man. The best Federal appointment given to a woman by this administration was that of superintendent of Indian schools for the United States, an office of great opportunity and broad scope, For two years Miss Estelle Reel, of Wyoming, has administered it in a

manner which reflects credit on all womankind. Her work is of a most interesting nature, and the many innovations in methods of education About six times as many campaign instituted by her have already resulted in a marked improvement in the educational requirements of the Indians all over

the country. Miss

Reel has an enthu-Estelle Reel. siastic confidence in the ability of the red man to reach the heights in industrial art. Each year she travels from coast pigeons overhead the city. The to coast to study the different needs of the reservation school and to compare their results with the standards reached by the institutions that educate the children of the forest in class rooms far removed from the smoke of the tepee. During her first pipes makes enough noise to frighten year in office she traveled seven

DEATH IN QUICK SAND

Geo. Zimmerman, of Lexington, and Mr. Thomas, of Kearney Lose their Lives.

NEBRASKA NEWS IN WASHINGTON

George Noe, Accused of the Murder of David Jones, Arraigned at Beatrice-Mrs. Mylor, of Custer County, Bitten by a Rattlesnake Other State News.

LEXINGTON, Neb., Sept. 12.-News reached here that George Zimmerer, manager of the Lexington telephone exchange, and a companion name! Thomas, of Kearney, were drowned on Ash creek at its junction with the Loup river. The team and buggy settled down in the quick sand until the team was clear out of sight and the buggy top was seen a little above the water. Some one found the buggy and in about three hours afterward the men were both found. Mr. Zimmerer leaves many friends in Lexington. His wife and parents are here. The young men were inspecting a route for a new telephone line.

September, the Month of Festival pt

Omaha, Neb. The "Musical Festival" at Omahs. to continue during the month, is an insured success, and the music lovers of Omaha are taking in all they can absorb of Bellstedt's Famous Band Music.

This is the band so popular at the exposition. Nebraskans should not miss the opportunity to again hear it. The Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railroad has anonunced low rates from points within 75 miles of Omaha.

The "Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben" Carnival during the last week in September-24th to 29th-will cap the climax. Impressive parades by day and night. A miniature "Midway" with its various forms of amusement going on all the time. The theaters have all booked spe-

cial attractions for Carnival week. The Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley railroad has announced low rates from points within 200 miles, for four days, during the Carnival week, limit October 1st.

Remember the month of September is Carnival and Festival month in Omaha.

Noe Accused of Murder. BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 12.-George Noe, accused of the murder of David Jones, was arraigned and pleaded not

Detective Leary states that when Christianity" in the Church of the Noe out and told him what was wanted. They went into the house and Noe said to his wife: "These fellows

have a warrant for my arrest." His wife asked: "Is it about that Dave Jones matter?" and their little daughter spoke up and said: "I know who told it."

When asked who it was that told it she refused to tell and would not make further reply to any questions

Nebraska News in Washington. WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.- The discontinuance of the postoffice at Simeon, Cherry county, which has brought for a large number of protests from patrons, will probably be annulled shortly and the office reinstated.

Rural free delivery is to be established at Arlington, Washington county, on the 15th inst. The service will embrace an area of sixty-nine square miles with a population of 1,325.

Bert R. Hedle on has been appointed postmaster at Boelus, Howard county, Neb., vice Wheelock, resigned; also A. S. Platts at Trent, Moody county, S. D.

Lightning Kills Cattle. FAIRMONT, Neb., Sept. 12 .- During the electrical storm that visited this section lightning killed three head of cattle owned by Shelley Stines, northwest of town. Lightning struck some stacks of oats belonging to Louis Neihaus, southeast of town, burning them to the ground. Mr. Neihaus had an insurance policy in the Union Insurince company of Lincoln which cov-

Woman Bitten by a Rattlesnake. CALLAWAY, Neb., Sept. 12.-Word has reached this place that Mrs. Joseph Mylor of Arnold, a small inland village, twenty-five miles northwest of here, was bitten by a rattlesnake while picking plums in the canyons. She was taken to town and restoratives applied, and at last reports it was thought her life would be saved.

Killed in Colorado YORK, Neb., Sept. 11.-Walter Marshall, a former York boy, was accidentally killed at Victor, Colo., the fore part of the week. He was tamping a charge of powder, which exploded prematurely, driving the tamping rod through his body, killing him instant-The remains arrived here and were buried in Greenwood cemetery.

After Duel County's Sheriff. CHAPPELL, Neb., Sept. 11.-The bondsmen of Sheriff Kenison of this county yesterday instituted impeachment proceedings against bim and the same will be tried next Saturday, September 15. They report him as being drunk and disorderly several times

Result of a Foot Race.

SYRACUSE, Neb., Sept. 11 .- James Creesman was terribly pounded up yesterday as a result of a disagreement over a foot race by a young man from Kansas. The assailant was finally lodged in the cooler to await the result of Mr. Creesman's injuries.

Horses Missing at North Bend. NORTH BEND, Neb., Sept. 10 .- John Collins, a farmer living one mile east of here, on going out to the barn, discovered that a valuable team of bays,

STOCKMEN ARE PROSPERING.

Purchases of Land Being Made by Thom

OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 10 .- "The sale of railroad lands continues with an activity that suggests two things," said A. L. Lynch of the Union Pacific land department. "One is that the people who have been in the stock business LINCOLN PEOPLE WILL SATISFIED in the west for the last few years are now beginning to reap the benefits of their early labors and are enjoying | Will Ask the Legislature to Buy Land an unprecedented degree of prosperity. The other is that the cattle and sheep men realize the necssity of securing possession of the ranges required for feeding their cattle and sheep.'

Applications have just been received at headquarters in this city for two of sheepmen in Carbon county, Wyo., wish to get possession in order to have plenty of range for their sheep. J. A. Schoonpas, representing one of the syndicates, has made application for 7,480 acres of land and P. J. Quealy, representing another syndicate, is negotiating for the purchase of a tract of land | three weeks, in area 17,280 acres.

C. A. Forsling, traveling agent of the land department, came in from Kimball, Neb., accompanied by a couple of applicants for land. One of the men, L. C. Kinney, wants to get hold of 5,000 acres of land near Kimball to furnish pasturage for cattle owned by himself and others interested with him in the business. N. C. Searles of Wisner, Neb., has just taken about 10,000 sheep into the vicinity of Kimball, and ae, too, is making arrangements to purchase some land.

The State Fair.

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 10 .- The state fair closed with a small attendance at the grounds, almost all the visitors from outside Lincoln having left. The management declares that the fair was in every respect the most successful ever held in the history of the state. The large attendance has been especially gratifying.

It is believed that the total number of paid admissions, which will be announced soon, will be almost if not quite fully 40,000.

Financially the fair has been very successful, and all premiums will be paid in cash, in full, and at once. Payment will be begun today, when the management will commence mailing checks to successful exhibitors. The last payment, it is claimed, will be made by September 20.

Chautauqua a Success.

BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 10 .- W. W. Duncan, in his annual report of the doings of the Chautaugua association recites a few facts which are interesting. Among the items of receipts are the following: Sale of tickets, \$4,650 .-Rev. Dr. Dean Richmond Babbits, in he went to the Noe house to make | 50; rent of tents, \$596.50; concessions, sermon the other evening on "Social the arrest, about midnight, he called \$175; the other miscellaneous items making a total of \$5,855.80. The disbursements amounted to \$4,374.76. Of lower Kerrigan would have been this \$1,746 was paid for talent, \$880 for killed music, \$520.50 for labor. The ticket sales were \$418.20 greater than in 1899. and the various items of expense all show a reduction. After paying all debts the association has a cash balance of \$1,054.39.

Found Dead.

SARGENT, Neb., Sept. 10 .- George Lovejoy, a prominent young school teacher living near West Union, accidentally shot and killed himself while out hunting. He began teaching school near West Union Monday. Tuesday evening, after school was out, he came home to his brother's, where he was boarding, and hitching his horse to a wagon, took his gun and went down on the bottoms to hunt, where he was subsequently found dead.

Company B. to Muster Out.

LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 10.-Company B of the Second regiment, Nebraska National Guard, stationed at Ord, will be mustered out of the state's service and turn over the state's property. This action is taken by Adjutant General Barry on the report of Captain Carson, who said he couldn't get his men together for d.ill, and that they were not in condition to participate in the encampment.

Brakeman's Fatal Ship.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Sept. 10 .-Phillip Jones, a brakeman on freight No. 18, was riding on the front of the engine and as he was in the act of jumping off to turn a switch he slipped and the engine passed over both limbs, crushing them off about six inches above the knee. He was takento Ravenna at once to his home. He died from his wounds.

Geneva Wins Third Place.

GENEVA, Neb., Sept. 10.-The citizens of Geneva and Finmore county are justly proud of third place given them at the state fair. Credit for the display is due to a number, who worked hard to secure and place it, among them being Dr. Herriot, P. Youngers, George Finley, George Kenyon, A. Stevens, F. M. Flory and John Mills. Many premiums were taken by Mrs Emma Kelley.

Indian Dies From Wounds

LYONS, Neb., Sept. 10 .- Word has been received here that the Omaha Indian, Wood, who was disembowled with a knife in the hands of a white man last Saturday on the reservation, has since died and the man that did the cutting is still at large, with bur little hopes of ever being captured. The amount of money involved in the quarrel and which led up to the murder,

Bleedhounds Track a Boy, CAMBRIDGE, Neb., Sept. 10 .- A Cambridge lad was badly frightened by the city bloodhounds. He had been appropriating for his own use some watermelons that belonged to one of the suburban citizens. The owner of the melons started in pursuit of the young midnight marauder, but he escaped for a while. The bloodhounds were taken out and soon ran him

STATE FAIR RESULTS

Money Enough on Hand to Pay All Outstanding Accounts.

for a Permanent Site and Make the Show a Permanent Fixture There-Miscellancous Nebraska Notes.

LINCOLN, Sept. 11 .- Secretary Furtracts of land, of which two syndicates | nas of the state fair board expressed satisfaction over the success of the late state fair. The financial aspect of the situation was especially gratifying. Enough was remixed from all sources to pay all premiums and warrants will be drawn for all indebtedness of the association within two or

Including the \$3,000 subscribed by Lincoln citizens the total income from all sources was \$27,586.10. The subscription fund was exhausted for repairs, leaving a balance of \$24,568.10 in the treasury. The itemized statament of income from all sources was

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Lincoln citizens are so well satisfied with the result that they are already planning to have the state fair an annual adjunct to the city. A bill to that effect will be in introduced before the next legislature and a request made for an appropriation sufficient to purchase land for a permanent lo-

Serious Results of a Mad Dog Scare.

BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 11 .- A mad dog scare which occurred in the eastern part of the city came very nearly resulting fatally to a spectator, Char-ley Kerrigan. He was standing on the porch calmly watching the efforts of the police in attempting to kill the dog, when a ball from the revolver of Policeman Walt Ulson which falled to reach the mark struck hard ground and richocheted toward Kerrigan, striking him in the lower part of the jaw, where it was embedded in the flesh, inflicting a very painful wound. The bullet was extracted with considerable difficulty and the wound bled profusely. The attending physician said that had the ball struck an inch

Gering to Have a Railroad.

GERING, Neb., Sept. 11.-Articles of incorporation of the Gering & Southern Railroad company have been executed and filed with the secretary of state at Lincoln. The object of the company is construct a line of railroad from the Burlington, a distance of about three miles to the town of Gering, and ultimately perhaps farther. An election has been called by the county board in Gering precinct and another by the village board in the city to vote bonds in aid of the enterprise, which seems to have the public favor and will no doubt carry by a large majority.

Mother Wants Possession of Child. HASTINGS, Neb., Sept. 11 .- Sheriff

Simmering came back from Custer county, where he went to take charge of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker. About two years ago Mr. Baker brought suit in the district so soon as Captain Carson can collect | court for a divorce and it was granted. Since then both Mr. and Mrs. Baker have remarried and now the mother regrets having surrendered the child, so has begun habeas corpus proceedings for the recovery of the little girl. The time for hearing the case has been set for September 28.

Internecine Robberg.

SILVER CREEK, Neb., Sept. 11 .-About twenty tramps, who were beating their way on extra freight 775, got into trouble at this place. Five of the number held up the other fifteen and robbed them of their money and watches, amounting to about \$100. Will J. Leishman secured a shotgun, rounded up the bums and finally succeeded in jailing the gang after some of them had fired three shots at two of the brakemen.

Fifteen Cars Derailed. HARVARD, Neb., Sept. 11 .- A Burlington freight train was wrecked in the yards here, derailing fifteen care. A car of Hereford stock belonging to W. N. Rogers, McCook, enroute from the state fair, was badly shaken up and some of the cattle seriously injured. A man who had charge of the cattle was badly bruised and perhaps seriously injured internally. All trains were delayed fully ten hours pending the clearing of the track.

Nebraska Girl Burned to Death. CHAPPELL, Neb., Sept. 11 .- A frightful accident occurred to Angeline Lincoln, a daughter of Mrs. Augusta Essex, which cost her her life. She overturned a lighted lamp, setting her clothing on fire, and was so badly burned that she died in a few

Stamp Collectors' Officers LINCOLN, Sept. 11.-The eighta

annual meeting of the Nebraska Philatelic society adjourned after the election of the following officers: President, W. C. Estes, Omaha; vice president, F. A. Stanbro, Lincoln; secretary-treasurer, L. Broadstone, Superior, auction manager, J. Negre, Omaha; counterfeit detector, Rev. A. Whitmer, Tecumseh; librarian, J. Phillips, Lincoln: attorney, H. Whipple, Omaha; trustees, J. Parker, F. A. down. The boy confessed the theft and as allowed to go free after a mock Stanbro and J. Phillips, all of Lin-