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GOVERNOR HAS PLANS FOR THEIR EMPLOYMENT.

IS UP TO THE LEGISLATURE

State's Executive Would Like to See Every "Trusty" Doing Something for Benefit of State.

The proposition of "what shall we do with our convicts," which has been troubling the governor for some time, seems to have been partially solved during the last week, says a Lincoln correspondent of the Omaha Bee, when a deal was made with Secretary Mellor of the State Fair board for the employment of a few of them in making improvements at the fair grounds.

For some time Governor Aldrich has been trying to study out some plan which would keep the convicts at work and at the same time not come in contact with union labor. He is strongly opposed to any plan which will bring the convict into competition with the man who labors on the outside.

"In another year," said the governor, "I hope to have every convict who can be trusted employed in such a way that it will be better for the state, the community and the man himself. The state owns lots of land, and I propose to inaugurate a plan to put just as many men as possible to farming. I have two objects in view in doing this. First, it will be a source of revenue to the state, and second, it will give the convict a chance to learn a line of employment whereby, when he has served his term, he can go out on a farm away from the temptations of the cities, and find employment which will be beneficial to him and keep him out of mischief.

"I want to see a system effected, too, which will separate the first timers and the younger men from the old timers and the vicious. We ought to use every means possible to keep the young man who may have fallen under temptation in which there were extenuating circumstances from coming in contact while in charge of the state with anything or anybody which would tend to make him worse. We should have a system which would make men of our convicts and not criminals.

"This plan, I understand, has been in vogue in Florida, Colorado and Oregon with success, and I would like to see it put into effect in Nebraska. The success of this plan will depend a great deal upon the next legislature. A great work can be done by our convicts upon the roads of Nebraska, but it will depend a great deal upon what means the legislature will provide for putting them to work.

Condition of Treasury.

The following statement of the state treasury shows the receipts and disbursements for the month of May: Warrants to the amount of about \$60,000 have been paid since the report was completed. Cash on hand amounts to \$8,231.72, which, together with cash on deposit and general fund warrants on hand, aggregate \$740,900. Monthly receipts were \$466,668 and payments \$323,952.

Boosting Girl Scouts.

An organization of girl scouts, similar to the boy scouts, is to be organized in Lincoln. Miss Clara A. Lisator-Lane, newspaper woman of Des Moines, who founded the order in 1910, is in Lincoln to interest people in the movement.

New Well at Prison.

The Board of Public Lands and Buildings visited the penitentiary and decided to put down another well at that institution. The water pressure has become so weak that the third tier of wells is without its use and the sinking of another well is necessary, both as a precaution against fire and also for sanitary causes.

Will Not Be Inspected.

Distillate, gas oils and fuel oils, which are intended for power purposes, will not be inspected by State Oil Inspector Husenetter. He bases his announcement on a decision of Judge Leslie of Douglas county that such oils may be used for fuel. Kerosene and gasoline will still be inspected, as heretofore.

Demonstrate Apple Packing.

The board of directors of the State Horticultural society at their meeting at the Lindell hotel decided to give a demonstration in apple packing at the state fair this fall. An expert packer will be secured to give the demonstration.

A Complaint From Minden.

The town of Minden has asked the railway commission to enjoin the Burlington Railroad company from building an addition to the main line depot in that town. The commission has no authority to issue an injunction, but if it can compel a railroad to build a depot, the people of Minden believe it has power to prevent a railroad from building such a structure. The objection to the proposed improvement is that the people want a better depot, and do not care for an addition.

ENJOINED BY COURT.

Power Site Lease is Held Up by Injunction.

Judge A. M. Post and his associate attorneys for H. E. Babcock, sprung a surprise by appearing before the state board of irrigation with an injunction from the district court of Platte county restraining A. C. Koenig, his agents and attorney from prosecuting a contest against the Babcock claims for water from the Loup river for power purposes, or from assigning whatever rights may have accrued on account of claims filed by Koenig.

The injunction runs against Mr. Koenig, his attorneys, who are A. C. Ricketts and C. C. Flansburg, and also against W. E. Sharp, president of the Lincoln Traction company, A. W. Field, C. T. Boggs, and E. J. Heiner. It is understood that Mr. Sharp and his associates have bought a controlling interest in whatever rights Mr. Koenig has in a power site on the Loup.

Judge Post appeared with E. C. Strode and Judge Jesse L. Root as attorneys for Babcock, who is said to be backed by Doherty, the gas magnate of New York City.

The injunction was presented by Judge Post and was read by A. C. Ricketts who insisted that the board contest of Koenig ought to be tried prior to the suit in equity, which was filed in the district court of Platte county several weeks ago. Mr. Flansburg contended that the board was not enjoined and might proceed with the matter of passing on Koenig's claim and the cancellation of the Babcock power claims on the ground that Babcock had not done the necessary amount of work required by law to hold his rights.

A Question of Assessment.

County Assessor O. E. Bernacker of Seward has put a question in taxation up to the state board of assessment and Henry Seymour. A lot in Beaver Crossing is assessed at \$1,000, but some one who is not acquainted with the assessed value or who has no faith in its correctness loaned the owner of the lot \$2,000 and took a mortgage on it. There is no agreement by either party as to who shall pay the tax on the mortgage. Under the law governing taxation of mortgages the mortgage can be assessed against the person who owns it and the owner of the lot assessed on his equity in the land. Has the owner of this lot any equity to assess?

Immense Peach Crop.

According to a Lincoln fruit jobber the prospect for an immense peach crop in southern Nebraska are flattering. This same jobber has contracted with a grower to ship him four carloads when the crop is ready for market. Several years ago there were some big peach orchards in the vicinity of Lincoln, the Russell orchards being notable for their productive capacity. Another big orchard was owned by Dr. B. L. Patton. These are no longer bear. Freezing weather late in the season sapped the vitality of the trees and they died.

Status of Abraham Lincoln.

The bronze statue of Abraham Lincoln to be erected on the state house grounds, has arrived in Lincoln. The commission having the work in charge has not yet decided when it will be placed on the pedestal. The contractor desires to put it in place at once and then veil it to shield it from public gaze until the formal unveiling ceremonies are held. This may be done, or the statue may be housed in the capitol until time for the ceremonies.

Requisition for Pratt.

Requisition papers for the return to North Carolina of Harold T. Pratt, charged with forgery in the amount of \$350, were granted by Governor Aldrich.

A "Know Omaha" Campaign is on.

In the state metropolis, during which goods manufactured in that city are on display in all prominent stores.

School of Superintendence.

The University of Nebraska school of superintendence will be held in Lincoln June 10-15. This institute is under the joint management of the state university and the state department of education.

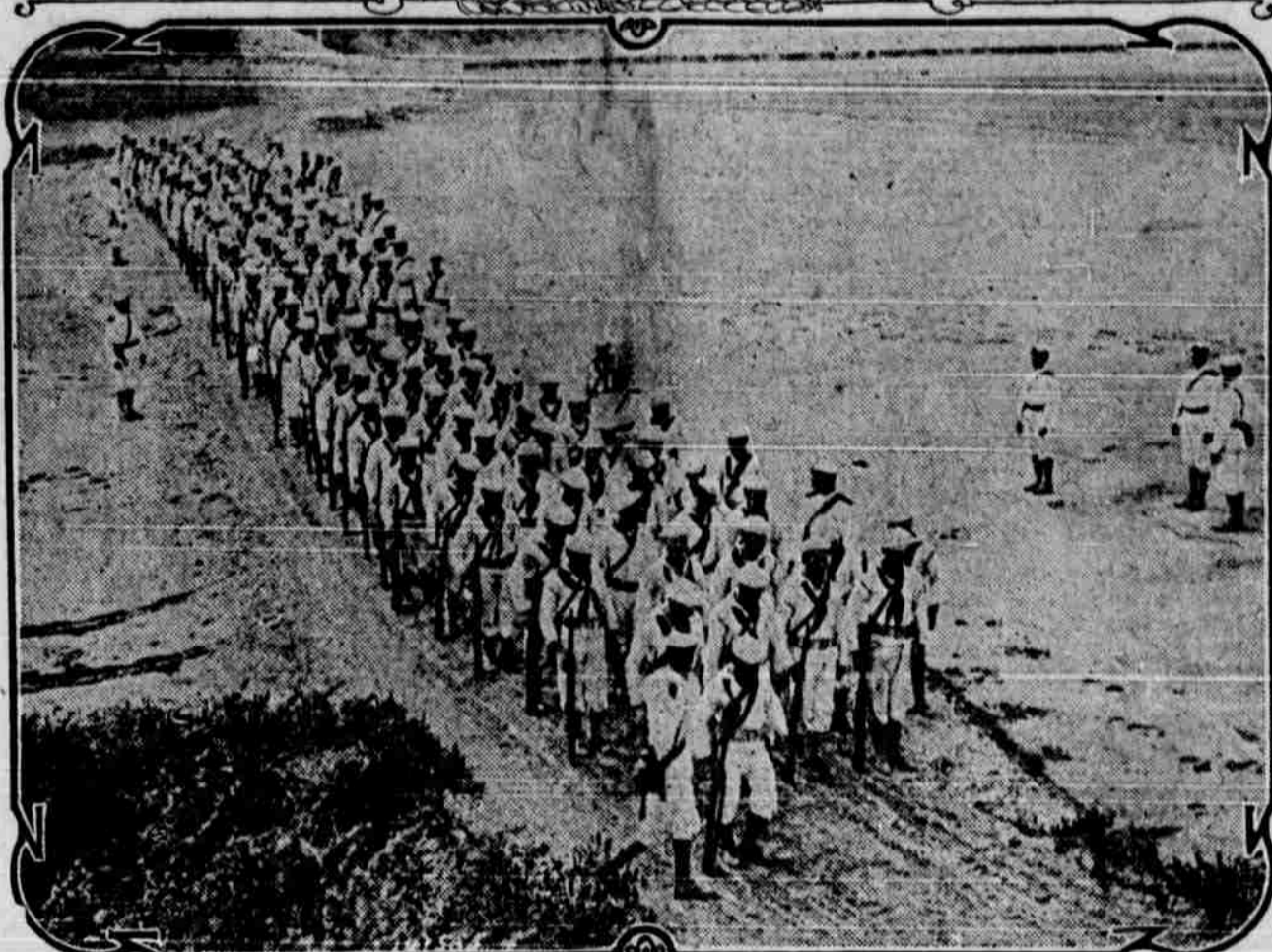
Holiness Camp Meeting.

The fortieth annual holiness camp meeting will be held at Epworth park June 14-24. At the camp meeting last year the state association invited the national holiness association to take charge of the meeting this year, and this invitation was accepted. The national association will furnish the workers and all the religious services will be under its supervision. Rev. Charles J. Fowler of Boston, president of the national association, will be present and preside. He will be assisted by Rev. E. A. Ferguson, Rev. C. H. Babcock and Rev. J. M. Strauss and wife.

Mitchell Bonds Refused.

The state auditor has refused to accept bonds of the town of Mitchell voted some time since for purpose of a sewerage system. The grounds for the action are based upon the fact that the bonds were voted by an act covering internal improvements, but does not include sewerage. The auditor claims that a special act provides for sewers, but provides that the bonds shall not exceed 5 per cent. The Mitchell bonds call for 6 per cent and on that provision the bonds were refused by the auditor.

AMERICAN MARINES ON GUARD IN CUBA



LANDING AT GUANTANAMO

AMERICAN property in Cuba is now being protected by American marines, who have been landed there in considerable numbers. Though President Gomez does not want intervention by the United States, he is glad to have the marines there, so that his troops can devote themselves entirely to pursuing the insurgents.

WAS GIVEN \$4,000

FRANKLIN TESTIFIES THAT DARROW PERSONALLY GAVE HIM THAT AMOUNT.

TO BE USED AS BRIBE FUND

Detective Finishes Story and Is Cross-Examined by Earl Rogers—Sleuth Admits Receiving Checks From Defendant in Legitimate Way.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 3.—The direct examination of Bert Franklin in the Darrow trial was completed Friday by Assistant District Attorney W. J. Ford, after a process of interrogations which developed surprise after surprise and brought the names of half a dozen well-known citizens into more or less intimate relationship with the main events of the alleged bribery plot.

Here are some of the allegations set forth in Franklin's testimony: That Darrow personally gave him the \$4,000 used in the Lockwood bribery after going into an adjoining room with Job Harrison, an associate counsel for the McNamaras, and coming back with the roll of bills.

That after his arrest Lecompte Davis tried to arrange that he should plead guilty and take a fine of \$5,000, to be paid by the McNamara defense, Franklin to receive \$3,000 and in return, to protect Darrow.

That Darrow at one conference insisted that if Franklin ever used Darrow's name he wanted him also to tell all he knew about Harrison's connection with the case—and that in the presence of Lecompte Davis.

He further testified that Franklin Fowler, an investigator, who gathers evidence for the Pacific Electric company, went to a prospective juror and asked him if he did not want to be a McNamara juror, at the same time laying four matches on a table and, as he pointed to each, said it represented a thousand dollars.

That he also offered bribes to three other men who indignantly refused the offer. They were Guy Yokin, a well-known cigar dealer; Frank Smith of Covins and John Underwood, a Los Angeles contractor.

PRESIDENT WINS SKIRMISH

Ohio State Republican Convention Favors Chief Executive in Preliminary Moves.

Columbus, O., June 5.—Republicans of the state of Ohio met in state convention here Monday for the purpose of electing six delegates-at-large to the Republican national convention and the first skirmish between the supporters of President Taft and Colonel Roosevelt resulted in a victory for the president. This may indicate the result of the balloting on the selection of the state's delegates. In the district caucuses President Taft won eleven of the twenty-one commitments. The president also has a majority of one on the credentials committee while the president controls the resolutions committee 12 to 9.

Seattle Judge is Attacked.

Washington, June 5.—Charging him to be personally and judicially unfit to serve on federal bench, Representative Victor Berger, Wisconsin Socialist, has started impeachment proceedings against Judge Howard of Seattle.

Crown Prince an Author.

Berlin, June 5.—The German crown prince is about to publish a book at Stuttgart. The publication of the book causes great interest in Germany as it shows that the crown prince is following in the footsteps of his father.

JOE DAWSON IS VICTOR

500 MILE AUTO RACE WON BY NATIONAL DRIVER IN 6:21:06.

Ralph De Palma, in Mercedes, Lost Out by Breakdown When Near Tape.

Indianapolis, June 1.—Driving a National car, Joe Dawson won the 500-mile race on the speedway here Thursday. His time was 6 hours, 21 minutes, 6 seconds, and he averaged 78.72 miles an hour. A world's record for the distance on any kind of road or track. The former speedway record was 74.5 miles.

Luck had something to do with the victory for Ralph de Palma in a Mercedes was ten miles ahead of Dawson in the 49th mile. De Palma had led the parade from the tenth mile and seemed sure of victory. In fact, he seemed not to have a chance to lose. But automobile racing is uncertain, and with the race almost in his grasp the Mercedes car developed trouble and limped at a small pace around the track.

Meanwhile Dawson saw his chance for glory and opulence, and drove fast but carefully. The victory meant a fortune for the boy as his winning brought him more than \$30,000, including the extras. Second place with its \$10,000 prize and some extra fell to Tetloff in a Fiat.

Third place was won by Hughes in a Mercer. Much glory and \$7,500 goes with this position.

G. O. P. CHIEFS AT CHICAGO

Four National Headquarters of Presidential Aspirants Are Opened in Illinois City.

Chicago, June 4.—Four national headquarters were opened on Monday in this city and Chicago, instead of Washington, will from now on until the close of the Republican national convention be the political center of the United States.

Taft headquarters are located in the Congress hotel with Representative McKinley in charge. Senator Dixon will preside over the Roosevelt headquarters, also in the Congress hotel, while those of Senator La Follette, located in the Grand Pacific hotel, will be in charge of Walter L. Houser. Senator Cummins' headquarters are in the Rector building, corner of Monroe and Clark streets.

DANIEL H. BURNHAM IS DEAD

Body is Cremated and Ashes Will Be Taken to America by His Wife and Son-in-Law.

Berlin, June 4.—Americans in Heidelberg were sadly surprised at the sudden death of Daniel Hudson Burnham, the famous architect, there on Saturday. Mr. Burnham arrived in Heidelberg a few days ago with his wife and son-in-law to take the cure, but he was exhausted by the trip and was unable to rally. He was taken to the Akademisches hospital on Friday and he died there. His illness was Bright's disease and arterial sclerosis. The body has been cremated and the ashes will be taken to America next week by Mrs. Burnham, her son and her son-in-law.

Rats Purlin Diamonds.

Neenah, Wis., June 5.—Seven years ago Mrs. Charles Delong lost trace of two diamond earrings valued at \$200. Carpenters in remodeling the house Monday found the jewels between partitions, where rats had a nest.

Drowns in Swill Barrel.

Jonestown, Wis., June 5.—The thirteen-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Erdman of Calwille was drowned Monday in a barrel of swill into which he fell while playing. The body was found by the father.

SEND CUBANS GUNS

TAFT ORDERS 5,000 RIFLES AND 1,000,000 ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION SHIPPED.

INTERVENTION IS NEXT STEP

Gomez Must Stop Trouble or Else United States Government Will Issue General Opinion—Blacks Destroy Town of 4,000 Near Santiago.

Washington, June 5.—According to dispatches received at the state department Monday from Arthur Reauro, the United States minister at Havana, the uprising of negroes in Cuba, is fast gaining the upper hand of the Cuban government.

The situation is so bad that Secretary of War Stimson, by direction of the president, has shipped to President Gomez, at his request, 5,000 high-powered Krag-Jorgenson rifles and 1,000,000 rounds of ammunition for the guns. The guns will be distributed by the Cuban government among recently organized rurales and volunteers. These guns are the same as were used by the United States in Cuba in 1898 in the war with Spain.

This shipment of rifles and ammunition will be all this government will send. The next step taken by the United States will be intervention. This is looked for by officials of both state, war and navy departments. Preparation for such an emergency are being rushed with all possible haste by both branches of the military arms of the government. One step looking to actual service by the United States hospital ship Solace was taken when that ship was ordered from Key West to Guantanamo.

Her commander, Medical Inspector Manley F. Gates, has been instructed to hold his ship in readiness for duty with landing parties.

Of the dispatches received from Cuba the state department makes known the following: "It is reported by the consul at Cienfuegos, Max J. Baehr, that in his district, although according to government reports the negro movement is entirely crushed, demoralization is extensive and that white families are taking refuge in the towns.

"A band of negroes under General Estenos on the night of June 1 attacked La Maya, a town of 4,000 inhabitants, near Santiago, which they completely destroyed by burning.

CLAUDE ALLEN IS GUILTY

Jury Advises Fifteen-Year Term in Penitentiary for Slayer in Virginia Courtroom Fight.

Wytheville, Va., June 4.—After deliberating two hours and a half the jury here Saturday found Claude Swanson Allen guilty of murder in the second degree for the killing of Judge Thornton L. Massie at Hillsville in March. The jury recommended his punishment be fixed at 15 years in the penitentiary. Sentence was suspended in order that he may testify in the other cases growing out of the shooting.

Driscoll Whips Poesy.

London, June 5.—Jem Driscoll knocked out Jean Poesy, the French claimant to the featherweight championship of the world, in the twelfth round at the National Sporting club here Monday.

Cross Sea in Motor Boat.

New York, June 5.—The latest project of Thomas Fleming Day, editor of the Rudder, and most venturesome of yachtsmen, is to attempt a voyage across the Atlantic ocean in a 35-foot motor boat.

DEATH CLAIMS CONGRESSMAN



E. H. HUBBARD.

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CONGRESSMAN DIES OF HEART TROUBLE IN THE HOUR OF VICTORY.

WAS ILL ONLY A FEW HOURS

Was Taken Ill Monday Evening at Home of John C. Kelly in Sioux City and Dies Tuesday Morning at 5:30 in Son's Arms.

Sioux City, Ia.—While the count of primary ballots was still on, which was to determine whether or not he was to be sent back to Washington after eight years of faithful service, Congressman Elbert Hamilton Hubbard died at 5:30 o'clock Tuesday morning in the arms of his son, Lyle Hubbard, at the home of his friend, John C. Kelly, 2803 Jackson street.

The congressman spent Monday meeting friends, and Monday night was prepared to receive the returns of the primary. He had waged an active contest for the nomination during the past few months with George C. Scott, of Sioux City.

Death in Son's Arms.

Early in the evening he was taken with an attack of indigestion. Later he was taken to the Kelly home. At about 9 o'clock Lyle Hubbard, his son, was summoned from down town. He found his father in a semi-conscious state. Dr. J. N. Warren gave the stricken man relief, and about 11 o'clock he was resting easily, and it was thought the attack had passed away.

It was a little before 5:30 o'clock this morning that he called for a glass of water, and Lyle, who had remained with him during the night, got it for him. The son placed his arm about his father and raised him up to drink, when the congressman's heart suddenly stopped beating, and he was dead.

Mrs. Hubbard at Capital.

Mrs. Hubbard is in Washington. Two daughters, Charlotte and Eleanor, and a second son, Elbert H. Hubbard, Jr., also are there. Mr. Hubbard came from Washington to Sioux City only a few days ago.

As a son of one of the pioneer citizens of Sioux City, Judge A. W. Hubbard, who was the first man to represent this district in congress, Congressman Hubbard himself was one of northwest Iowa's pioneer settlers. He was a graduate of the Sioux City high school.

Jesse W. Hubbard, attorney at law, is a brother, and Miss Kate Hubbard and Miss Ella Hubbard, both teachers in the public schools, are sisters.

Governor Names Successor.

Congressman Hubbard's successor will be named by Gov. Carroll, pending the holding of a special primary.

Mr. Hubbard was nominated for congress eight years ago, succeeding Lot Thomas, of Storm Lake. During his service at Washington, he has made an exceptionally fine record. He was regarded as one of the orators of the house, and he had a national reputation as a progressive leader.

Mr. Hubbard's Career.

Elbert Hamilton Hubbard was born at Rushville, Ind., Aug. 19, 1849, the son of Hon. Asahel W. Hubbard, who was a member of congress from the Fourth district of Iowa, 1862-1869; graduated from Yale college in the class of 1872, and is a lawyer; married Eleanor Hermance Cobb June 6, 1882, and has four children, E. H., Charlotte, Lyle and Eleanor; served as a member of the house of representatives, 19th general assembly of Iowa, and of the senate in the 27th and 28th general assemblies; was elected to the 59th, 60th and 61st congresses, and re-elected to the 62d congress.

HUBBARD'S MAJORITY 2,500

Congressman Easily Defeats Scott for Nomination—Carries 10 of 13 Counties.

Sioux City.—The late Congressman Hubbard easily was a victor over George C. Scott for the Republican nomination for congress, belated returns from Monday's primary show. Mr. Hubbard's majority in the 13 counties of the district was more than 2,500.

Carries Ten Counties.

The victory was sweeping. Ten of the 13 counties were carried by the congressman. Monona, Clay and Buena Vista returned majorities for Mr. Scott, but with the exception of Buena Vista, Mr. Hubbard ran a close race. The total vote in the district, with the exception of a few precincts unheard from in Cherokee and Sioux counties, was Hubbard, 10,935; Scott, 8,480.

Woodbury county returned a majority of 654 for Mr. Hubbard. The vote, with every precinct heard from, was Hubbard, 2,561; Scott, 1,807.

Mr. Scott failed to carry the ward in which he lives, the Second. The vote there was Hubbard, 263; Scott, 156. Mr. Hubbard carried both precincts of his home ward, the Third, where the vote was, Hubbard, 508; Scott, 116.

Eleventh District Result.

The Eleventh district result in the congressional race follows:

Counties.	Hubbard.	Scott.
Ida	564	244
Monona	338	440
Plymouth	712	677
Clay	649	754
Sac	859	599
Lyon	696	245
Woodbury	2,561	1,807
Osceola	380	201
Dickinson	699	652
O'Brien	890	599
*Sioux	1,104	714
*Cherokee	916	632
Buena Vista	667	916
Totals	10,935	8,480

*Figures are incomplete.

Hubbard's majority, 2,455.

Senator Kenyon carried Woodbury county by the majority of 1,209 votes over Lafayette Young. The vote was: Kenyon, 2,879; Young, 1,670.

In Woodbury county George W. Clarke, Republican aspirant for the nomination for governor, polled 2,343 votes, as compared with 1,269 by Percy G. Holden, his nearest competitor.

Harding Easy Victor.

W. L. Harding overwhelmed C. H. Van Law in the race in the county for the Republican lieutenant governorship nomination. Mr. Harding obtained 2,531 votes to Mr. Van Law's 931, a majority of 1,600.

"Old Nick" Busy.

A reverend Scotchman was going to hold forth to an open-air meeting. He sat down on a bank in which there was an ant's nest; the insects soon found their way into his "Oh, no, no, no, never mention 'em's," and he said: "Brethren, though I hope I have the word of God in my mouth, I think the devil has got into my breeks."—Exchange.

Relief From Earache.

Make a small teaspoonful of glycerine quite warm by holding in a spoon over a candle, pour gently into the ear, lay a pad of heated cotton-wool all over the ear and fasten on with a flannel bandage. This requires care; mind the glycerine must be warm, not hot.

If you know the name of everything that bites you in the woods you're called an entomologist.—Galveston News