Maupin's Way of Thinking ...

Prepared Specialty for the Merald, By Will M. Mappin.

Holy Moses!

Moses P. (for Persistent) Kinkaid, Three times now the race you have made.

Your yearning for office is something immense, Your greed for official pie something in-

tense; But, Moses Kinkaid,

I'm truly afraid The people will beat you in sheer selfdefense.

Moses P. (for Perspiring) Kinkaid, Your'e going to be left in the shade. Your struggle for office this time won't avail;

From the very first, Mose, you were fated to fail. Though, Moses Kinkaid, Full stress you have laid On "Let well enough be" and the "full

dinner pail." Moses P. (for Perversion) Kinkaid, Against you sound sense is arrayed.

pelf, self.

But, Moses Kinkaid, As heretofore said. Your'e going to be laid on the very back shelf.

Elmer J. Burkett, republican candidate for congress in the First district, Instead, he talked nine minutes and is a very conceited gentlemen. The fifty seconds on "Character Building," other day he was talking to a democratic acquaintance and remarked;

lican majority in this district about all nificent flight of eloquence. He deyou democrats can do is to pray that I scribed a great educational monument may have more light,"

"I never pray for the impossible," retorted the democrat.

Omaha is a queer city. It invited a great religious organization there, promising to provide a handsome new auditorium for the meeting. Then Omaha failed to make the promise good. But the church decided to meet in Omaha anyhow, and now Omaha holds it up tor \$700 for rent of a ramshackle old building that has been an eyesore for ten years. We rather like Omaha, but we do wish that town would open up occasionally and do something without having the dollar mark stamped all over

A little knot of republican politicians stood in the lobby of the Lindell the other day, John H. Mickey standing in their midst. Some one mentioned the proposition that Mickey and Thompson should meet in joint debate. Mickey smiled a deprecating sort of smile and a friend remarked: "A joint debate between Thompson and Mickey would be something like voking the ox and the ass together, wouldn't it?"

"How dare you call Billy Thompson an ox?" demanded a democrat who had joined the crowd in time to hear the

In view of the enthusiastic support the self-righteous republicans gave to Deitrich it is decidedly refreshing to see them throwing fits because William H. Thompson is being supported by liquor dealers who happen to be democrats.

W. H. Weeks has started a democratic paper at Valentine. Any democratic newspaper that W. H. Weeks edits will be a democratic newspaper, and don't you forget it.

Republican organs are now claiming that Mr. Bryan demanded and received \$2,000 from the Missouri democratic committee before he would make any speeches in that state. When a republican editor can't think of anything else he writes a he about Bryan. This explains why there are so many lies about Bryan in the republican organs. Not only did Mr. Bryan not receive a penny from the Missouri democratic committee, but he paid his own expenses.

Merely as a matter of information and not because it is of any particular interest, allow me to remark that Mr. Bryan's new house did not cost \$50,000, nor one-half of \$50,000, nor one-third of \$50,000. The contract price was \$10,000. Changes and additions will increase this estimate about \$1,500. The house could have been built for considerably less if let by contract. But the house was built by day labor, and the men worked eight hours a day and received nine hours' pay.

not go to the polls next election day deserves to be gouged by the trusts, robbed by the railroads and ridden sadselfish interest in existence.

Mickey and Weston and Prout, These three did Baldwin pick out; Did you ever see Such a glorious three? Hypocrisy, Nothing, and Spout.

Governor Savage savs \$100,000 about what Nebraska should appropriate for the Lousiana Purchase exposition. This is the sort of thing that explains why Nebraska is \$2,000,000 in the hole.

Let every man who believes in organized labor bear in mind what the repub- house. lican governor of Nebraska said:

"ARBITRATION IS THE CRUTCH UPON WHICH ORGANIZED ANARCHY LEANS,"

How do union labor men like to have their labor union called "organized an-

One of the best addresses ever made to the students of the University of Nebraska was made a week ago last Monday by Hon, William H. Thompson, You stand for high taxes, for tariff for Chancellor Andrews has adopted the plan of having ten-minute speeches at And talk of the people but think of your- the morning convocation. Ten minutes is the limit. When the bell sounds the speech stops. Mr. Thompson was told that he could have ten minutes, and that he could talk on any subject he pleased. The chapel was crowded and everybody expected Mr. Thompson to talk politics-at least incidentally. and from his first word to the last he held the 2,000 students and visitors "In view of the overwhelming repub- spellbound. His peroration was a magbuilded of the states, each state's name engraved on the everlasting granite. From base to summit he read the names. Next to the top he saw the name of Iowa, but on the capsheaf of the great pile was engraved the name "Nebraska," and still above that was a glorious banner bearing the motto of Nebraska, 'Equality before the law." When the

> and the students gave it with a will-U-U-U-N-I, Var-Var-Sa-Ty, N-E-Brass-Ki, Oooooo My!

speaker closed the student body arose

That's as near as anybody can come to putting the University of Nebraska yell into cold type. But it would take something far better than cold type to express the vim put into that yell when William H. Thompson closed his magnificent address to the student body.

A man who can make a speech like that is just the kind of a man Nebraska needs in the executive chair.

Speaking of the University of Nebraska, what splendid good fortune befell this state when the regents secured the services of such a great educator and organizer as E. Benjamin Andrews! We remember how indignant all fairminded people were when the "captains of industry" forced Chancellor Andrews out of Brown University because he dared to teach contrary to their ideas of vested rights." Now we are glad those captains of industry" forced him to resign-as any self-respecting man would have done. It enabled Nebraska to secure his services.

If you name the three greatest State Universities in the republic you will have to speak the name of Nebraska.

This republican hue and cry about the saloon keepers organizing against Mickey has some humorous features. The republican leaders are making the cry. Now, let's figure on some of the leaders who are so awfully angry at the very idea that saloon keepers should dare to take any part in defeating Mickey.

First and foremost, there is "Bud" Lindsey. Bud is a "good fellow" and one of the leading republicans of the state. He is a negro, was for years the biggest saloon keeper in Lincoln, and is today the patron saint of all the crapshooters, gin-guzzlers and pipe-hitters in Lincoln.

Then there is Elmer Stephenson. Elmer learned his first lessons in politics behind a saloon bar, and his political prominence is due to the fact that he controls a lot of nervous whiskey wrecks who can always be depended upon to vote as Elmer tells 'em to after they are properly braced up with whis-

key to enable them to get to the polls. Then there is "Cap" Billingsley. 'Cap's" chief ambition for years has been to annihilate the visible supply of corn juice alone and unaided, and he is The democrat or populist who does the legal advisor and legal standby of the liquor men of Lincoln.

Just imagine these three men throwing fits of horror because the liquor dealers of the state dare to express a dled and bridled by every adverse and preference without making that preference the oleaginous Mr. Mickey!

Potato digging is the order of the day, and they are worth only from fifteen to twenty cents per bushel.

cattle from B. C. Curtis' ranch in Sloux

Misses Pearl and Myrtle Broshar, who had been away on a visit for four or five months at points in Nebraska, Illinois and Indiana, returned Wednesday, looking well and hearty. Their many friends gladly greet them home

completion, will be ready for occupancy this week. Ben is a model workman in building a Nebraska brick

ized last Saturday night with a full house. The question chosen for debate was "Resolved: That the fences on government land should be taken

George E. Zimmerman was in Alliance a couple of days this week.

C. W. Lockwood, assistant postmaster at Canton, was in Hemingford

The heavy rain that fell Saturday was immense and of great benefit to and water. the fall rye and wheat.

tist church at Alliance, held religious services three nights in Canton this

While riding in from her school Monday Miss Mary Clayton's horse stepped into a hole, fell and caught her under itself and bruised her considerably, and in the fall the horse was injured to some extent.

were in Hemingford Monday for two oads of coal for their ranches.

During his spare time Bert Stewart s re-covering the house on Rev. G. C. Jeffers' claim in Sioux county.

L. E. Hood is clerking now for W. L. Nicholson on Whistle creek, Sioux

and gave the well known university yell,

Burke's Big Pavilion Uncle Tom's Cal in will give their entertainment in Alliance Saturday, October 18, Professor evening, on that day.



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Harry Pierce, one of Hemingford's staunch citizens, passed through this section of Liberty precinct Thursday with his big herd of Polled Angus

B. C. Curtis' new house is nearing

Emmett Johnson was on the Platte river this week and bought 125 head of yearling and two-year-old steers, for which he paid \$20 to \$30 per head.

The Canton literary society reorgan-

Rev. G. C. Jeffers, pastor of the Bap-

G. H. Clayton and A. S. Stewart

Bert Langford was in Marsland Mon-

Pilcher's Algerian band will give two open air concerts, one at noon, the other in the



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Lawn, Neb.

BOX BUTTE BOUNDERS.

Crowded out last week, Mr. Wilson and family attended the the dedication services of the M. E. church in Alliance Sunday, October 4.

The farmers are busy harvesting their potato erop. Some report sixty bushels to the acre.

Matt Brennan was a visitor at the Dilling ranch last Sunday.

A. S. Reed is distributing bills through the country advertising the sale of the W. E. Hall property, which

will be held in Alliance, October 17. Election Clerks and Judges.

County Clerk Smyser has made the following appointments for judges and clerks of election, upon the recommendation of Chairmen Mitchell and Reed,

Alliance, 1st ward-Judge, A. D. Rodgers; clerk, Martin Brennan. Alliance, 2nd ward-Judge, O. Neff:

clerk, L. A. Berry. Runningwater-Judges, W.A. Clark, W. J. Britton; clerk, Al Nelson.

Nonpareil-Judges, J. P. Jenson, J. T. McGrew; clerk, O. D. Rouse. Box Butte-Judges-Otto Vogel, G.

. Sutton; clerk, Fred Nason. Wright-Judges, P. S. Mailey, John

Keefe; clerk, J. W. Christy. Boyd-Judges, Fred Bauer, G. W. Erb: clerk, Matthew Brennan.

Dorsey-Judges, A. D. Millett, D. O'Keefe; clerk, Clark Olds. Lake-Judge, Art Grove; clerk, R

Liberty-Judges, Geo. Zimmerman, J. W. Broshar; clerk, Wm. Roth. Lawn-Judge, Jos. Planansky; clerk,

Wm. Roth. Snake Creek-Judge, Chas. Tiernan, clerk, W. A. Hood.

\$10 REWARD.

For the past 3 or 4 years during each term of school in District No. 2, the school house has been broken into two or three times and small things stolen and destroyed. Between last Friday night and Monday morning sômeone broke a pane of glass, opened a window and entered the school house and stole some books and other small things. The undersigned will give \$10 reward for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the S. L. HEIMES, School Bd. culprits,

E. BOYER.

A class of twenty-six new members was initiated at the meeting of the A O. U. W. held last Monday evening. The class is the result of the work done by Deputy Grand Master Workman F. G. Simmons, who has been here the past few weeks. He conducted the initiation ceremonies, the amplified form being used, which with the new paraphernalia made the service quite impressive. The screen work of the order was beautiful and effective and the evening was certainly beneficial to the growth of the order. Mr. Simmons has secured several more applications for membership and another class will be initiated at their next meeting.

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