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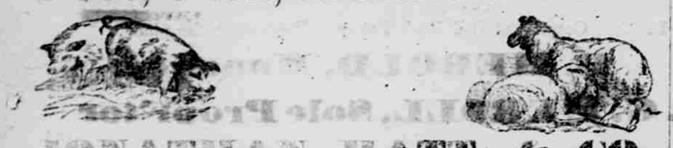

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Republican State Convention.

The Republican electors of the state of Nebraska are hereby called to send delegates from the several counties to meet in State Convention at Lincoln, Wednesday, September 26, A. D. 1883, at 5 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following named offices, to-wit:

One Judge of the Supreme Court.

Two Regents of the University.

One University Regent to fill vacancy.

The several counties are entitled to representation in the State Convention, as follows, based upon the vote cast for E. P. Roggen for Secretary of State, giving one delegate to each one hundred and fifty (150) votes and one delegate for the fraction of seventy-five (75) votes or over; also one delegate for each organized county.

Counties	Del.	Counties	Del.
Adams	7	Johnson	[illegible]
Antelope	5	Kearney	3
Boone	5	Keith	1
Buffalo	6	Knox	6
Butler	6	Lancaster	23
Burt	8	Lincoln	4
Brown	1	Loup	2
Cass	13	Madison	6
Cedar	4	Merrick	4
Cheyenne	3	Nance	2
Clay	8	Nemaha	9
Colfax	4	Nuckolls	4
Cuming	5	Otoe	11
Chase	1	Pawnee	6
Custer	3	Phelps	3
Cherry	1	Pierce	2
Dakota	4	Platte	5
Dawson	3	Polk	5
Dixon	4	Red Willow	4
Dodge	9	Richardson	12
Douglas	16	Saline	9
Dundy	1	Sarpy	4
Fillmore	6	Saunders	9
Franklin	4	Seward	[illegible]
Frontier	2	Sheeman	3
Furnas	5	Stanton	2
Gage	11	Sioux	1
Gosper	2	Thayer	5
Greeley	2	Valley	4
Hall	6	Washington	8
Hamilton	7	Wayne	3
Harlan	4	Webster	2
Hitchcock	2	Wolster	6
Holt	5	York	8
Howard	3		
Jefferson	9	Total	371

It is recommended that no proxies be admitted to the convention, except such as are held by persons residing in the counties from which the proxies are given.

GEO. W. E. DORSEY, Chairman.

S. B. COLSON, Secretary.

Is it not time for a meeting of the Central Committee of the Second Judicial District?

DEACON RICHARD SMITH, of the Cincinnati Commercial Gazette, says the campaign in Ohio is progressing favorably for Foraker, and that the Republican ticket will be elected.

SENATOR DAWES, of Massachusetts, gives it as his opinion that should Benjamin F. Butler be a second time chosen as Governor of Massachusetts, it would make him the Presidential candidate and nominee of the Democratic party for 1884.

IT is said that the Pennsylvania State Democratic Convention just held in that State was managed entirely to the satisfaction of the Hon. Samuel J. Randall; of this Doctor Miller Anti monopoly Morton and the Democratic opponents of Mr. Randall generally will take due notice.

MR GLADSTONE, and his Government party, together with Mr. De Lesseps have scored a substantial victory in the British commons on the Suez canal question, and the Premier is still Premier. This victory of Mr. Gladstone and the Government party in the commons, is considered as an indication of continued friendly relations between Great Britain and the French Republic.

IN canvassing the question of water works among the citizens of Plattsmouth, we feel the sentiment is almost universally in favor of such an enterprise. The necessity was made so apparent the other evening, that no one can furnish a reasonable argument against it; all the matter needs is for our business men to take hold of the matter; canvas it thoroughly; consider it in their Board of Trade; advise the city authorities, and thus all acting together, in concert and harmony, settle upon the best plan for the city to adopt, and then put it through. Let us have this matter attended to now, while we are all alive to its absolute necessity.

SINCE Governor Foster so expeditiously forwarded Judge Hoadly the letter of his Democratic friend, Mr Woodward, an ominous silence has fallen upon that gentleman, who was so anxious to be confronted with the man who said he (Hoadly) had admitted to spending money to secure his nomination.

"Show me the man," says Hoadly.

"Here he is," says Foster, and an ominous silence falls upon the scene. The high moral atmosphere which Judge Hoadly was making his Democratic followers believe he was wrapping himself in is suddenly dispelled, and they discover it was simply Democratic campaign fog, and that Hoadly, after all, has many symptoms of the contagious Democratic [illegible] *bar'l* [illegible] Fosdick [illegible] Democrats [illegible] "[illegible] boys" [illegible] the full Democratic vote of Ohio.

THE PLATTSMOUTH & SOUTHWESTERN

There need be little speculation as to the future of the Plattsmouth & Southwestern. The road was not projected for speculation but for business. The HERALD has interviewed several of the working force in the new road, and while it is not advisable that the work being done now should be made public the people along the line have a very short time to wait until they see the surveyors in the field, the grades established, and an opportunity given the different precincts to give aid to the road and the right of way which are steps that are preliminary to the building of the road. When men like John Fitzgerald take hold of a projected road it means business, and the field is too inviting for the Iowa trunk roads for anyone of them to hesitate in securing a Nebraska extension.

THE Daily State Democrat is out in a leader favoring Judge Savage for the position of Supreme Judge. The Democrat says:

"It has been intimated to us on pretty good authority that Judge Savage "would not decline to be a candidate "for the position in question if he were "convinced that he would receive the "general support of the elements not "irrevocably attached to the republican "machine."

We suppose this means that Judge Savage is a candidate for Supreme Judge—a democratic candidate—provided he can rely upon the democratic machine putting him through, while the republican machine is to stand aside and assent to the job. Judge Savage has relied for office just once too often on this combination; when he allowed the present mayor of Omaha to beat him on an even race, on reputation and *shape*, he was done for. Now permit us to suggest that some good republican, some sound jurist of that school of politics, be selected and our democratic neighbors release those elements not irrevocably attached to the democratic machine; this would fix the matter and not disturb the equilibrium of politidal affairs in the state.

We know Judge Savage is a fine gentleman, a sound lawyer, and an honest man; but we have plenty of just as sound lawyers, as fine gentlemen and as honest men in the party, known as the republican party, who might just as well be selected upon this theory of selecting judges. Justice Lake, for instance, whose time is not yet out, would be we think an improvement on the democrat's candidate; the Hon. N. K. Griggs is another gentleman of just as much learning industry, force and integrity as Judge Savage; the Hon. M. B. Reese, another prominent gentleman whose name we hear mentioned, would favorably compare with Judge Savage, and anyone of these gentlemen could be supported by the elements not "irrevocably attached to the republican machine" without doing violence to any of these anti-monopoly sentiments, either democratic or republican which the Democrat has in its mind's eye

We now are prepared to think perhaps Mr. Silvers was in earnest in that bid he made before the board of public lands and buildings. Our sympathy we confess is with Mr. Silvers, and the state—to the extent of $40,000 and upwards. We hav'nt much sympathy with the letting of a contract to the highest bidder by the custodians of the state's interests—and then charging up the wrong of so doing to the legislature. It is not a very safe nor a very wise plan to follow literally the instructions of a Nebraska legislature—when the so doing leads to the commission of a palpable wrong upon the state. The HERALD has been holding its breath to see whether Mr. Silvers made that bid in earnest.

We knew if there was $41,000 in sight, and it was an honest bid, the contractor would assert his rights, and his seeming delay in so doing causes one to suspect the bid was not a square transaction. An alternative writ has been issued by the Supreme Court of the State commanding the "Board of Public Lands and buildings" to appear and show cause 4th day of August—tomorrow—why the State Capital Contract should not be let to Robt. D. Silver instead of W. H. B Stout, at which time the facts in the case will bd made plain to the public.

WE acknowledge the receipt at the hands of Senator Manderson of valuable Counsular Reports. Thanks.

CAPT. WEBB has met the fate which he invited, as Sam Patch did before him in a similar reckless venture. The only inducement which he can have had to swim the Niagara at the whirlpool has the general belief that any man who attempted that feat would be drowned. There were plenty of other ways open to him in which to show his strength and skill as a swimmer, and his selection of his particular feat, on account of its danger, was a mere piece of foolhardiness. I certainly am [illegible] than the [illegible] law against the [illegible] within [illegible] law should be amended [illegible] law was to blame the law was not enforced.

HERALD CLIPPINGS.

Mr. John Holland, who, it is claimed celebrated his 102d birthday the 15th of June last, has just made the journey from Bentonsport, Ia., to Nashua, N. H. intending to spend the remaining years of his life in the latter place with a married daughter He stood the fatigue well, and on the evening of his arrival joined in a merry dance with his grandchildren and friends.

The longevity of members of the French institute has often attracted attention. Now, seven of them are more than eighty years old The eldest is M. Chevreul, the chemist, who is ninety-eight, and is still able to lecture regularly. M. Dumas, the chemist and M Milne-Edwards, the biologist, have each lived eighty-four years. M. Mignet, the historian, is eighty seven, and one of the hardest and most constant workers in the Institute.

"I knew the Blair family well," says an old Postoffice Department attache quoted in The Washington Star, "and used to go fishing with Frank and Jim. they were bad boys, as boys are, but Montgomery was always good. The neighbors sometimes used to go to old Mr Blair and complain about something that Frank or Jim had done. The old gentleman would say rather testily. Go to Mrs, Blair. They are her children, not mine."

Mr. Stephen, Director General of the German Imperial Postal and Telegraphic department, heartily enjoys a joke even at his own expense. Recently on a tour of inspection he entered the telegraph office at Dirchau, just in time to catch the operator receiving an official dispatch from Berlin, reading: "Be on your guard. Stephan is on the rampage. He puts his nose into everybody's pie." The Director General laughed heartily and then ordered the operator to telegraph back to Berlin. "Too late. Nose already in my pie."

If Judge Hoadly is going to deny the charges made of corruption in the canvass for the Democratic nomination in Ohio, he will find his hands pretty full. Among the worst stories told of the shameful transactions in the convention is the revelation of Mr. Kohlo, of Toledo. His statement of the way in which delegates were bought and sold has never been denied. The charges were distinct, and the price demanded and offer'd was named. Mr. Kahlo is a responsible man. The Democrats have elected him to the General Assembly and would probaly have done so again had he not refused to run. If such charges are allowed to pass unnoticed Judge Hoadly cannot expect to remain unsmirched.

THE American display in the London Fisheries Exhibition is bringing this country no end of free puffs. Columns upon colums of reading matter in the London papers have commended its size and comprehensiveness, and the magazine writers are now taking their turn. An article in McMillan's says that "in the excellence and finish of their apparatus and implements, in the size of the vessels employed, in the extent of the water fished over and in the value of the fish taken, our kindred on the other side of the Atlatic already stand at the head of this industry." The compliment is well deserved. And it ought to be highly appreciated by our fishermen, in view of the fact that their industry has been created by skill, enterprise and ingenuity, without special or artificial assistance of any kind for a good many years.

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