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For Clerk of District Court
H. J. STREIGHT,
For County Commissioner
GEORGE YOUNG.
For Surveyor
A. MADOLE.
For Coroner
HENRY BECK.

The Republican State Platform.

The republican party of Nebraska, while ever careful of property rights, and holding no sympathy with those who would with the communist divide, or with the anarchists destroy, reasserts its determination that the great railway corporations of this state which hold relations of closest interest to the people shall be the fairly paid servants of the state and not its masters. The work of legislative control in the state and nation shall continue until all cause of complaint of exorbitant rates and unjust discrimination in favor of individuals or localities shall cease to exist. Assuming the responsibility which fairly belongs to it of having originated all legislation looking to railroad control and the creation of those tribunals or commissions which have been enabled to grapple with corporate power, the republican party will see to it that by all needed enlargements of power these commissions, national and state, shall be armed for battle and for victory. While favoring such change in the constitution of this state as will permit the railroad commissioners to be elected by the people, it hereby voices its confidence in the existing board of transportation, and commends its efforts to obtain for Nebraska the same tariff of rates for freight and carriage of passengers as is accorded to neighboring states similarly circumstanced. It is grossly unjust and a grevious wrong that Nebraska should pay more for the transportation of her products and the carriage of her supplies than her neighbors, Iowa, Minnesota and Dakota, with its 3 000 miles of easily constructed and cheaply maintained lines of railroad and the republicans of this state will not cease their efforts until all wrongs be righted.

We reaffirm our adherance to the American system of tariff, under which, with its broad protection of American labor, our country has prospered beyond any other. As the business of the country now demands revision, the republican, alive to the demands of every material interest, will see to it that such revision shall be made at the earliest practical day. We condemn the action of the democratic majority in congress in that after repeated pledges of tariff reform, it has utterly failed, while having a large majority in the house of representatives, where tariff bills must originate, to bring about such reform, which must come from the party that has ever been the friend of the American laborer and producer.

The grateful thanks of the American people are due to those who defended the union in the late war and we are in favor of providing suitable pensions for soldiers and sailors who were disabled in its service or who have since, without their fault or vice, become objects of public or private charity and to the widows and orphans of those who fell in its defense.

We heartily sympathize with the ambition and efforts of the patriots of Ireland in their endeavors to obtain for their country the blessings of free institutions and local self-government. We recognize in Charles Stewart Parnell and the Rt. Hon. William E. Gladstone worthy champions of the fundamental principals of the Declaration of Independence.

We condemn the action of the president in his attempt to return the trophies won by bravery on the field of battle.

We condemn the narrow, intolerant and partisan action of the democratic party in excluding from the privileges of state citizenship the half million people of Dakota, solely on the unmanly and indefensible ground of a difference in political views. Not content with their efforts to exclude the negro from the elective franchise, they now seek to proscribe an intelligent, prosperous and patriotic people because of their political opinions.

We view with alarm the abuse of the veto power by the president of the United States. A power from the use of which England sovereigns have abstained for two centuries; a power used but six times during the first forty years of our national government, a power by the people intrusted to the president for the purpose of preventing hasty legislation, has by the present incumbent of that office been used to thwart the well ascertained will of the people and to resist their repeated demands. He has, in one-half of a single term of office, used the power more times than all the predecessors combined. He has sought by all the precedented use of extraordinary power, to constitute himself a co-ordinate branch of the national legislature. He has frequently exercised this "one man power" by the cowardly method of the "pocket veto" by which important measures have been defeated without any reason being given for withholding its approval.

THE New York banks last Saturday held $7,260,000 is excess of legal requirements.

Two more deaths occured Saturday on the steamship Alesia, in New York Harbor, which makes twenty-eight in all that have died from cholera.

JUDGE H. T. Elliott, who has made the address of welcome to the presidential party at Memphis Saturday morning was overcome by the heat and died before he could be removed from the stand.

WE do not object to our exchanges copying articles from the columns of the HERALD, even though they attach no credit, but we do object to articles from the HERALD being copied and credited to other papers.

ON our fourth page will be found the obituary notice of Mrs. Julia Cooley, wife of Griffeth S. Cooley, of Cedar Creek. She was well known in the county, having lived in the county, we believe, about twenty years.

THE *Journal* has information to the effect that Mr. Critchfield, the republican candidate is making much capital out of the fact that he is a friend of Van Wyck.—*Journal.*

We are sorry Mr. Critchfield is doing this, if he is doing so(?) because the *Journal* has a patent on that back-action, double somersault, now you see it and now you don't, sort of politics. We will see "Bird," Mr. *Journal*, and say to him, "under the hat" that he must not infringe on the *Journal* man's right.

THE many railroad horrors of the past year have had the effect of rousing the train conductors. The national association of railway conductors have prepared a bill providing for licensing conductors and engineers, somewhat after the manner of steamship pilots and engineers. They will try to have this passed by the next congress. The act requires that interstate railroads employ only licensed engineers and conductors; provides for a chief examiner and ten supervising examiners to see that the law is observed; the country to be divided into ten districts, in each of which districts there shall be two assistant examiners—one a conductor and one an engineer. The local examiners are to have the power of licensing, and are to pass on all the qualifications for candidates. The license is to run one year and is revokable for intemperate habits, unskillfulness, and like causes. If the number of disasters can be lessened by enactments, this is a step in the right direction. The main thing, however, would seem to be to create more conscientiousness in the consciences of the railroad corporations.—*Bee.*

HOME FOR THE FRIENDLESS.

A Complete Statement of the Year's Receipts of Money and Supplies.

Lincoln Journal

The following statement of the sources from which money was derived for the support of the home for the friendless during the past year is kindly furnished by Mrs. A. E. Doolittle, financial secretary of the state society:

Greenhouse	$ 280 85
Board	1,500 16
Contribution box	98 [illegible]
Misc'l. donations	354 2[illegible]
Lincoln donations	52 5[illegible]
Lincoln Aux	481 5[illegible]
Tecumseh Aux	18 7[illegible]
Gibbon Aux	8 00
Innavale Aux	2 7[illegible]
Fremont Aux	20 0[illegible]
Red Cloud Aux	10 5[illegible]
Helena Aux	26 2[illegible]
Table Rock Aux	21 [illegible]
Waverly Aux	15 50
Hebron Aux	30 5[illegible]
Valparaiso Aux	16 4[illegible]
Nebraska City Aux	15 [illegible]0
Crete Aux	15 [illegible]
Falls City Aux	6 00
Syracuse Aux	14 00
Rockford Aux	5 80
Beatrice Aux	17 00
Unadilla Aux	25 00
Humboldt Aux	2 00
Hastings Aux	5 00
Plattsmouth Aux	2 40
Central City Aux	45 22
Prairie Center Aux	2 00
Pawnee City Aux	12 00
Melroy Aux	45 71
Auburn Aux	2 75
Sterling Aux	30 00
Total	3,212 64

Clothing, bedding and provisions have been received from the following auxiliaries: Melroy, Beatrice, Syracuse, Waverly, Brock, Table Rock, Lincoln, Rising City, Rockford, Pawnee City, Central City, Unadilla, Sterling, Nebraska City, Hebron, Humboldt, Tecumseh, Helena, Gibbon, Seward, Plattsmouth, Falls City, Hastings, Fremont, Auburn, Crete, York.

From towns where are no auxiliary societies: Dover, Irvington, Burchard, Diller, Malcolm, Surprise, Liberty, Fairbury, Omaha, Sutton, David City, Palmyra, Kenesaw, Dorset, Vt., Bellefountain, O.

MRS. A. E. DOOLITTLE,
Financial Secretary.

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Druggist's Soaps

The largest line of 10c soaps in the city at Warrick's drug store try them.
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Sarpy County.

Sarpy county nominating conventions democratic and republican will be held at Papillion the 29th and 31st.

The Papillion *Times'* correspondent of La Platte announced a young lady as candidate for county superintendent of public instruction. She is a poet and story writer known as "Felis". She resides at La Platte. She is said to be a republican.

The Bellevue college nine and the Omaha high school nine played at the former place on the 15th with the result of 20 to 20. They will play again in two weeks. Sam Patterson of Plattsmouth is the college pitcher.

Hon. H. W. Grady.

The Statesman, Scholar and True American, set an example worthy of reflection for all True Americans. Healing wounds that no methods except those used by Heaps' Camphorated Arnica Salve which is sold on its merits for any use that a salve can be used. No cure, no pay. For sale by the following druggist. Price 25c per box.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Notes and Paragraphs of All Sorts Gleaned from the Newspapers.

The Spanish government is buying English horses.

Italians are engaged in making cheese out of tomato pulp at a Burlington (N. J.) canning house.

James S. Wethered, of San Francisco, owns a snuff box made of the first lot of gold found in California in 1848.

Boys between the ages of 10 and 18 who will neither work nor go to school are set to work breaking stone at Fulton, Kan.

The boom has started a factory at Owosso that turns out 1,000,000 backaches a day. It also makes 2,400 snow shovels a day.

A new railroad is to be built in equatorial Africa, crossing the continent from Loanda, Lower Guinea, to some Portuguese port in Mozambique.

Berlin Socialists employed the other day, for the first time, women to distribute their pamphlets, and over 80,000 were scattered around before the police found out what was going on.

The house in which Payne attempted to murder Secretary Seward at the time of Lincoln's assassination is now offered for sale. It has long been used as the headquarters of the commissary general.

It has been decided by a California court that a real estate deed from husband to wife where "love and affection" are named as the consideration is not valid unless there was actually such consideration at the time of the transfer.

One of the most original specimens of German journalism is the weekly sheet about to appear in Lorrach, Baden, under the title of "The Mother-in-Law," every subscriber to which, male or female, may also be a contributor.

At Moscow, Russia, there arrived a few weeks ago a long train filled entirely with grapes. They came from Tiflis, south of the Caucasian mountains, and were packed in barrels with air tight covers. The grapes are picked when half ripe, and are long enough on the road to be well ripened on their arrival.

Finger bowls made of birch bark were one of the quaint conceits of a dinner party at Boston the other night. The guests could not discover why the pretty things did not leak, but that was a secret of the ingenious hostess, and she wouldn't tell.

A Bridgeport, (Conn.) man presented at a bank another's check for $24. The maker of the check had only $22.37 on deposit, and the bank refused to cash the check. Then the man with the check deposited 63 cents to the other man's credit, again presented the check, and got the money.

Russia is considering the advisability of enacting a law providing that children born in Russia of naturalized German parents shall be regarded as Russian subjects from birth, instead of from the time they attain their majority, as at present, thus making them liable to military service.

When, in 1865, the United States troops occupied Macon, Ga., they turned out to shift as they might many apparently worn out horses. Some of these war steeds recuperated fast, and were soon drawing the plows of the conquered Southrons, and one of them, at least, is living in vigorous old age in Monroe county.

The engineers of a heavy double header train saw a child on the track near the village of Rock Glen, N. Y. They whistled for brakes, and when the train was almost upon the child one of the engineers leaped from his locomotive, and, running ahead, caught the infant from the track. As a reward the mother has recorded the engineer's name in the family Bible.

There was an extraordinary drought in one part of China this year. On July 5, H. E. Sheuf, the Taotai Cheloo customs and Cheloo circuit, issued a proclamation prohibiting the killing of four footed beasts, and he, with some officials, went to the Tien Hou temple to pray the gods for rain. On the following day there was a gentle rain and on the 13th a heavy shower.

In tearing down an old farmhouse, five miles from Monticello, Ga., workmen found an old time slave whip between the weather boarding and the log walls. It is made of a leather strap two inches wide and about a foot and a half long, fastened in a polished hickory handle some two feet long, with a string in the end by which it might be attached to the wrist. It reminded one of old times.

Just in front of the spot where President Cleveland stood in the room of the board of commissioners in the city hall of Philadelphia when he received the public at the recent centennial, there is a threadbare spot in the carpet. It was formed by the people marching up to him, shaking hands and then turning toward the exit. Many thousand feet shuffling in that turn wore the carpets to threads in a few hours.

Spurious Archaeological Articles.

A regular gang of manufacturers of spurious archaeological articles has recently been convicted in the Canton of Neufchatel, whose scholars had long complained of the frauds practiced on hunters for relics of pile dwellings. One of the accused had invented the "horn age" for the benefit of an enthusiastic antiquarian, and dug out for him a number of skillfully prepared articles of horn. Another fraud consisted of forging the signature of the curator of the Archaeological Museum of Neufchatel, and testifying thereby to the genuineness of a shield. The forgers were sentenced to terms of imprisonment varying from two days to half a year.—Home Journal.

A Dress Made of Thread.

A young lady of Austin, who has much time to spare and who is very skillful with the needle and excels in all fancy crochet work, has made a unique dress. The material is common spool thread, white, and the entire dress is hand crocheted work, beautifully flowered and strongly made, and about 10,000 yards of thread were used in its construction. The sleeves are crocheted in the proper shape, and are fastened in by a lock crocheted stitch. It is a very beautiful dress, and the young lady tells us that it took her three months to complete it.—Austin (Nev.) Reveille.

A Strange Lake in Austria.

At Zirknitz in the Austrian Alps there is an intermittent lake that is a basin which at one season of the year is filled with water, at another is dried up and cultivated by the farmers of the neighborhood. The imperial farmer, William Putick, has just examined the construction of that basin and found in one part of it an immense cave called Karlovcy, which, when the surface of the water in the basin has reached a certain height, begins sucking up the water until the basin is empty.

This cave leads to a long series of underground lakes, all connected with one another by a continuous current. Putick navigated the first five of them. Immense fields of sand and gravel accumulate, and alternately stop the current or are carried off by it. The roof of the cave in which this system of waters is located at many places comes very low, almost touching the water, and in such places the moving gravel beds frequently close the passage and cause the waters to rise in the higher cave. Putick, with three companions, was in one of the lakes when the entrance was suddenly closed by a mass of rubbish tumbling down from the roof. For more than eight hours they worked as hard as they could until they succeeded in opening a passage by the side of the main entrance, which was happily still found dry, and they were enabled to reach the surface unharmed. But their boat and tools were left behind, and will be recovered again after the water shall have subsided.—Chicago News.

A Beautiful Invitation.

Of the invitations to a list various cities and states extended to the president, probably the most unique came from the people of Jacksonville, Fla. It is inclosed between lids of "curly pine," native to that state. The lids are held together by hinges with backs made of alligator skin, and are nine inches wide, fourteen in length, three-eighths of an inch thick. They are highly polished, and on the outside is painted a bunch of magnolias in full bloom. The inclosure is five pages of bristol board, upon which the invitation is written, as well as the signatures of the committee delegated to present it. The pages are also uniquely ornamented with India ink sketches of scenes and of the flora of the state. There are pictures of the Cherokee rose, a shrub native only to Florida, of sand hills surrounded with cabbage palmetto, with sea coast and sea gulls, white cranes, flamingos, gray Spanish moss, and skeletons from nature on the St. John's river, as well as on the shores of the beautiful and romantic lake St. George, all blending in harmonious and artistic arrangement. At the top of one of the pages there is a finely drawn scene or picture of a genuine Florida "Cracker" driving his team to market through the pines. He has the regular backwoods cart, drawn by a genuine Florida mule, which he bestrides, his long legs reaching nearly to the ground.—Philadelphia Press.

Phil Armour and the Pastor.

A clergyman, who is pastor of a small church somewhere in the outlying sections of the city, went to him one day asking for a contribution for a poor girl who, he said, was sick and suffering for the necessaries of life. She was so destitute that she had been unable to buy clothing for her new born babe, and was even unable to buy the medicine which a kind hearted doctor had prescribed. Mr. Armour gave him $[illegible] and sent him on his way rejoicing. He was much surprised a few hours later when the clergyman returned and laid the bills in his lap, saying that he had found, to his regret, that the child had been born out of wedlock, and the case was, therefore, unworthy of his charity. Mr. Armour was at first surprised, and then nearly lost his temper. He called one of his clerks and told him to see that the clergyman left his office and never returned. He then sent to his own house and provided there everything which a woman in this poor woman's condition needed should be sent her at once, and that the supply should be continued till she was able to look out for herself. My informant says that Mrs. Armour took the case in hand and looked after it until no further assistance was needed.—Chicago Mail.

American Crossing in a Castle.

Beaufort Castle, which was recently rented by Mr. William K. Vanderbilt for the shooting season, has been leased by him for a term of four years. The lease includes the adjoining moor and a salmon stream which runs through the property. The family expect to occupy the place during the fall and [illegible] of each year, and are within visiting distance of Bel Mucnan, the estate of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Martin, and not very far from the Winans estate.

The castle, which is 200 feet long and 80 feet wide, stands on a gentle eminence on the south bank of the river Dardle, and is built in the Scottish baronial style with turrets and gables, multiplied windows and many chimneys, and is of old red sandstone from the Fochburn quarry, which is near by. The house is beautifully furnished throughout with both modern and old furniture, and has extensive stables and greenhouses. The stables will accommodate 100 horses, and at present Mr. Vanderbilt has only a total of fifteen.

His steam yacht Alva is decked and will not be afloat again until after Christmas, when it will be gotten ready for the Mediterranean.—New York Journal.

A Novel "Rogues' Gallery."

Under the Bertillon system the identification of a prisoner is based on a knowledge of the following indications:

1. The length and width of the head.
2. The length of the late middle and little fingers.
3. The length of the left foot.
4. The length of the left forearm.
5. The length of the right ear.
6. The height of the figure.
7. The measurement of the outstretched arms.
8. The measurement of the trunk from the top of the head to the bench, when a person is seated.

To these measurements must be added the description of the scars and peculiar marks that almost every person exhibits; the notation of the color of the hair, beard and eyes; the shape and size of the nose, and profile and front view photographs of the face. A description embracing all these details is next to infallible.—New York Mail and Express.

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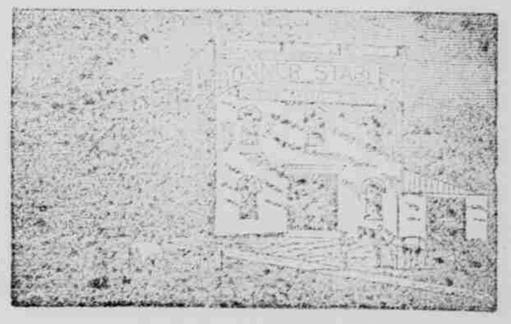

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