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### BLAINE DELEGATES.

Egan, Thurston, Heist and Norval Are the Brilliant Men Selected to Represent Nebraska.

### A Meeting of Harmony and Great Enthusiasm.

There were 671 delegates in the convention at Omaha last night from all parts of was had, and after some discussion and the different delegates were put in nomi-

Adams county led off by casting 4 votes for Thurston, 7 for Egan, 14 for Heist, 3 for Boggs, 14 for Norval and 14 for Palmer. Antelope and Arthur fell in by casting their entire vote for Thurston, Egan, Heist and Norval. Blaine county gave the first three named and Boggs its entire count. Cheyenne followed suit those who would with the communist except that Norval got the last 11 votes divide, or with the anarchist destroy, reinstead of Boggs. Douglas county cast 36 yotes for Thurston, 33 for Egan, 22 for Heist, & for Boggs, 34 for Norval, 3 for Palmer and 17 for Martman. Gage of the state and not its masters. The gave Thurston 18, Boggs 1, and Egan, Norval and Palmer 19 each. Hall cast 11 for Thurston, 11 for Egan, 11 for Heist, and 11 for Palmer. Lancaster gave Thurston 20, Egan 25, Heist 19, Boggs 6,

Norval 22, Palmer 5, and Hartman 2. At the conclusion of the vote the secretary of the convention asked for a little time to compile the figures, and while waiting Colonel W. P. Hepburn, of Iowa, made a speech in which he reviewed with alarm the course the democratic party was taking in regard to protection, railroad monopolies and trusts, and pointed state as will permit the railroad commiswith pride to the brilliant record the republican party had succeeded in piling up -a grand and glorious record. The republican party had increased the wealth | the same tariff of rates for freight and of the nation from \$14,000,000,000, in carriage of passengers as is accorded 1860 to \$43,000,000,000 in 1880. He severely criticised all reformers and said he did not believe in reforms any-

The secretary then announced the vote

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Amid tremendous cheering Mr. Thurston came on the platform and thanked the convention for the honor conferred upon him in electing him for the second time a delegate to the national convention. His heart beat in sympathy with the republicans of the state and nation, and his only hope was that the national convention would be deliberate in its action and would nommate James G. Blaine [great applause], who was honestly elected in 1884. With a promise to honestly represent the party in the convention, Mr. Thurston closed, and was followed by Mr. Egan, who promised to vote for a man whom the party would not be ashamed of.

Judge Norval made a short speech, in which he pledged his hearty support to

The chair asked that the convention excuse the non-appearance of Judge Heist, who was unable to attend, and then announced the report of the committee on resolutions. Mr. Irwin of Douglas then read

A PLATFORM OF PRINCIPLES AND PLEDGES ADOPTED ON WHICH WE STAND.

We, the representatives of the republican party of the state of Nebraska, in convention assemblyed, do hereby coademn and a raign the democratic party and its administration of public affairs for its failure to keep the promises it made in its platform and by its leaders of the campaign of 1884; for denying to the people of Dakota the rights of statehood; for its failure to reduce the surplus by reduction of taxes\_and proper and necessary expenditures of public improvements; for the effort it is now making to tear down the American system of protection, fostered and built up by the republican party around the farm and factories of America.

As the business of the country now demands revision the republican party, alive to the demands of every material int rest, will see to it that such revision 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. We denounce the Mills bill as an attempt to force free trade upon the farms and manufactories and workingmen of the north while giving protection to the from United States Consul Lewis, at sugar and cotton pianter of the south. Tangier, this morning, saying that all Under democratic administration great guestions of disagreement between Mocorporations have formed trusts, and no attempt has been made by the democracy in power to cheek their growth. We settled and that he had gained all the

he has made of the veto power and in ordering the return of the rebel flags. thereby disgracing an office that has been honored by Washington and sanctified by the blood of Linceln.

We pledge ourselves to place in con-trol of the nation men who will carry out the great mission of the republican party-a free ballot and a fair count.

Protection to each citizen everywhere, at home and abroad.

Protection to manufacturers and farthe state and a most enthusiastic meeting | mers, that this nation may keep her proper place as the grandest nation amidst the nations and the ages.

The enactment of such laws as will nation the vote was taken which was as destroy trusts and prevent corporations from controlling the commerce of this

The enforcement of the civil service

The enactment of such laws as will compel corporations to listen to the voice of labor and submit to arbitration any difference of opinion, to the end that labor, while ever careful of property rights, and holding no sympathy with asserts its determination that the great railway corporations of this state which hold relations of closest interests to the people shall be the fairly paid servants work of legislative control in the state and nation shall continue until all cause for 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 and 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 victory. While favoring such change in the constitution of this sioners 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 neighboring states similarly circumstanced. It is grossly unjust and a grievous wrong that Nebraska should pay more for the transportation of her products and the earriage of her supplies than her neighbors, Iowa, Minnesota and Dakota, and the republicans of this state. with its 3,000 miles of easily constructed will not cease their efforts until all wrongs be righted.

We renew our pledge made in the platform of the last state republican convention in the following words:

Sympathy for the wronged and op pressed of every land is avowed, and at this crisis in the affairs of the people of Ireland, hearty encouragement is expressed to them in their struggle for liberty and self government.

Liberal pensions to disabled and needy veterans of the union army are recommended to congress; but jobbery and favoritism, such as were exposed by President Cleveland's veto measures are emphatically condemned.

For the best interests of all the people of the United States, and their more harmonious comenting into a fraternal nation sectional issues and the keeping alive of the hatreds of the late civil war are reprehended and denounced.

A motion was then made by a delegate from Cass that Messrs. Palmer, Boggs. Hartman and Likes, the latter of Hayes county, be elected alternantes by acclamation, which was carried.

Delegate Gurley, of Douglas, arcse in his seat and kicked against the proceed ing and was supported by Judge Hascall, but both were promptly "squelched" by

After an announcement by the secretary to the effect that all desirous of attending the Chicago convention should meet at the Millard at 10:30 this morning to make arrangements, the convention adjourned sine die.

A better set of delegates could not be had anywhere and they go uninstructed but faver the Plumed Knights.

### Clerks from St. Leuis.

PALESTINE, Tex., May 15 .- Thirty clerks of the International and Great Northern headquarters force arrived here from St. Louis last night and are now engaged at their posts in the general office building. Some apprehension has been felt on the part of citizens that the shange of the road headquarters from St. Louis to Palestine was only a temporary move by Mr. Gould to effect some design of his own in connection with the settlement of the present differences shall be made at the earliest practical het ween bimself and other systems, but day. We condemn the action of the the belief is now pretty well settled that democratic majority in congress, that the change to be permanent. The change will add greatly to the financial status of Palestine, bringing, it is expected, a intege increase in the shop force as well barley sugar and chocolate are the ordinary, as in that of the general offices.

### The Tangler Trouble Settled.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 16 .- Acting Secretary Rives received a callegram rocco and the United States had been MIND THE BITE.

An Old Chap in Arkansas Who Wasn't Afraid of Hydrophobia.

A Georgia man, while standing in front of a blacksmith's shop, was bitten by a dog. "Gracious alive!" exclaimed the blacksmith. "run home and pray for the salvation of your soul, for your body is lost,"

"How sof" the old fellow asked as he rubbed the place where the dog had bitten

"Why, that dog is mad. Look how he foams at the mouth. That's the dog the neighbors have been looking for!"

A puil of smoke came from the bushes near by, the "bang" of a gun was heard and the dog fell dead in the road.

"Neighbors been lookin' fur him, eh!" said the old fellow who had been bitten. "Wall, lain't been lookin' fur him, but it 'pears sorter like he's been lookin' fur me." "Run to a doctor, man."

"No, I kain't afford it. I hired one last spring to cure the chills on my daughter Nan, an' I thought it would break me bodatiously up agin I got him paid. Nan, you know, married Abe Slater shortly afterward, an' I says to Abe, s'I, 'Abe, you oughter pay a part of that chill bill.' What chill bill? says he. 'W'y Nan's,' o'l says he, 'I didn't marry the chilis too. I only married Nan, an' I nachually expected the chills not ter cut no figger in the transaction. An', sir, Abe he never would pay a cent on that chill bill, but putty soon long come the yaller ager, creepin' down the big road. Wall, suh, it hopped a straddle uv ole Abe an' rid him putty nigh ter death."

"But that ain't got nothing to do with that mad dog. You'll be a dead man in less'n nine days."

"Wall, I'll wait an' see, an' ef whut you say comes true, w'y I'll own up. I ain't no han' ter dispute atter the facks have dun gone agin me. "Tain't thater way with Abe, though. He'll argy when he knows he ain't got no show I like ter see a man stick up fur what he believes, but then when a feller finds he's wrong, w'y he jest nachully ought ter cave. Wall, good mawnin'. I've got a hoss trade on han' over yander cross the branch an' I believe I'll fix it up befo' the feller gits outen the notion."-Arkansaw Traveler.

### Life in a Russian Prison.

A Russian army officer who was condemned to "kartoga" for an assault committed in a moment of excitement, and who was pardoned by the czar after several years' detention, describes the Onega prison, where he was confined, as follows:

"For smoking and minor offenses of that sort, a prisoner could be made to kneel for two hours on the bare, frozen flags. The next punishment for the same minor offense was the black hole-the 'karzer'-the warm one and the cold one, underground, with a temperature at freezing point. In both prisoners slept on the stones, and the term of and cheaply maintained lines of railroad, durance depended on the will of the director. Several were kept there for a fortnight, after which they were literally dragged out into daylight and then dismissed to the land where pain and suffering are not. During the four years of my confinement the average mortality in the prison was 30 per cent, per annum. It must not be thought that those on whom penalties of this kind were inflicted were hardened desperadoes. We incurred them if we saved a morsel of bread from dinner for the supper, or if a match was found on a prisoner. The 'desperate characters' were treated after another fashion. One, for instance, was kept for nine months in solitary confinement in one of the

dark cells, and come out blind and insane. "In the evening the director went his rounds, and usually began his favorite occupation-flogging. A very narrow beach was brought out, and soon the place resounded with shricks, while the director looked on and counted the lashes, smoking a eigar. The birch rods were of exceptional size, and when not in use they were kept immersed in water so as to make them more plant. After the tenth lash the shricking ceased, and nothing was heard but grouns. Flogging was usually applied in batches, to five, ten men, or more, and when the torture was over a great pool of blood would remain to mark the spot. After every such scene we had two or three days of comparative peace: the flogging had a soothing influence on the director's nerves. Soon, however, he would become himself again. When he was drunk and his lest mustache was drooping and limp, or when he went out shooting and came home with an empty bag, we knew that the same evening the rod would be set at work."-Michael Malkoff in Chicago

### Why Girls Eat Candy.

"American girls eat more candy than the girls of any other nation," said an observing traveler recently to a reporter. "They commence on New Year's day and then continue until New Year's eve. Always candy; sometimes because it is a birthday, sometimes because they meet a friend, sometimes because it was sent to them. They have as many excuses for eating candy as a man has far drinking whisky.

"Don't foreign girls eat candy?"

"Oh, yes; and they are learning very fast to follow the example of the fair sex on this side of the water. In this country the Yankee girls were the first to start the fashion. or habit, as it should be more properly called, and from the east it has spread all over the country. Now I think the western girls can hold their own against all comers. In Europe Germans, Italians and Spaniards are great eaters of pralines, chocolates a la creme, sugared almonds and crystallized fruits. French women eat fondants, and there a man, when he escorts a lady to the theatre, must carr with him a packet of donceurs. In England candy eating started with sucking caramels or nibbling premes Now the well to do Briton eats sweets with his wine after dinner. They are fond of fondants, nougat, candied mandarins or taugerines and other kinds. Butter Scotch, every day candies. Soldiers suck atmond rock while doing sentry duty, the policeman on his beat usually has a bull's eye or brandy ball in his mouth, and the British tar chews an American caramel instead of the quid of pigtail that used to distend his swarthy theer in the good old days of England's "wooden walls,"-New York Mail and Ex-

A French savant, M. de Bec, says that the nose is losing its function among civilized people. When the sense of smell vanishes the nose will have to go, too.

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