

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The republican electors of the state of Nebraska are requested to send delegates from their several counties to meet in convention in the city of Kearney Wednesday April 27, 1892, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing four delegates at large to the republican national convention to be held in Minneapolis June 7, 1892.

THE APPOINTMENT. The several counties are entitled to representation as follows, being based upon the vote cast for Hon. George H. Hastings for attorney general in 1890, giving one delegate at large to each county and one for each 150 votes and the major fraction thereof:

Table with 3 columns: Counties, Del., Counties, Del. Lists counties like Adams, Antelope, Banner, Blaine, Boyd, Boone, Box Butte, Brown, Buffalo, Butler, Burr, Cass, Cedar, Chase, Cheyenne, Cherry, Clay, Colfax, Cuming, Custer, Dakota, Dawson, Deuel, Dixon, Dodge, Douglas, Dundy, Fillmore, Franklin, Frontier, Furnas, Gage, Garfield, Gosper, Grant, Greeley, Hamilton, Harlan, Hayes, Hitchcock, Howard, Hooker, Jeffersons.

It is recommended that no proxies be admitted to the convention, and that the delegates present be authorized to cast full votes of the delegation.

It is recommended that the republican electors of every county in this state be requested to select their county central committee at the first county convention held in their respective counties. Said committee to serve until the county convention of 1893 be held.

DR. S. D. MERCEK, Chairman. WALT M. SEELYE, Secretary.

FIRST DISTRICT CONVENTION. The republican electors of the First congressional district of the state of Nebraska are requested to send delegates from the several counties comprising said district to meet in convention in the city of Falls City, Wednesday, April 20, 1891, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing two delegates and two alternate delegates to the republican national convention to be held at Minneapolis June 7, 1892.

THE APPOINTMENT. The several counties are entitled to representation as follows, being based upon the vote cast for Hon. W. J. Connell for congress in 1890. One delegate for each 100 votes and major fraction thereof and one delegate at large from each county:

Table with 3 columns: Counties, Del., Counties, Del. Lists counties like Cass, Johnson, Lancaster, Nemaha.

It is recommended that no proxies be admitted to the convention, and that the delegates present from each county cast the full vote of the delegation. W. H. WOODWARD, Chairman. FRANK MCCARTNEY, Secretary.

JUST IN THAT WHICH IS LEAST.

Italy's King Acknowledges His Mistake in a Dispute with a Peasant.

The good nature of Italy's king is well illustrated by an anecdote from the days of the last royal hunts at Monza. King Humbert is accustomed to take his sport with the gun in pretty much the same clothes as other persons and without attendants, thereby distinguishing himself from his imperial German ally, who has insignia of his high office all over his hunting costume and is accompanied usually on the chase by noblemen and flunkies.

Shortly before the end of his last season the king's hound started a hare about two miles from Monza, and the king fired. At the same instant another shot was heard, and an Italian peasant with an old-fashioned gun and a mongrel dog hurried up from the opposite direction. The peasant mistook the simply yet elegantly clad sportsman who disputed his possession of the hare for a Roman duke, and caught up the royal arm stretched toward the dead game. There was a hot discussion, which ended in the triumph of the king's superior logic and his taking of the hare.

At the royal castle the king gave the hare to the servants that they might prepare it for his supper, and stood by as they dressed it for the pan. When the entrails were removed the bullet that caused the animal's death was found. It was of the old style for a gun of the pattern of fifty years ago. The king looked at it, and at once sent out a messenger to summon to the castle the peasant who had disputed the possession of the hare. When the old man was led into the king's presence the latter stretched to him both hands, and said: "My dear man, I have just discovered my mistake. The hare belongs to you. As it is already roasted, however, I can do no more than to ask you to help me eat it."

Rhinoceros Horns.

The horn of the rhinoceros is nothing more than a protuberance composed of agglutinated hair. Cut it in two, and examining its structure under the microscope, it will be found that it is made up entirely of little tubes resembling hair tubes. Of course, these are not themselves hair, but the structure is the same. The horns of the African rhinoceros sometimes grow to the length of four feet. From them the Dutch boers make ram-rods and other articles.

Too Old to Be Interested.

Not long ago, in a public school examination, an eccentric examiner demanded: "What views would King Alfred take of universal suffrage, the conscription and printed books if he were living now?" A pupil wrote in answer: "If King Alfred were still alive he would be too old to take any interest in anything."—London Figaro.

Where the Major Laughed.

The Washington correspondent of the N. Y. Advertiser has unearthed one shining exception in Congressional life to the rule that \$5,000 a year doesn't make both ends meet. This example is Maj Martin of Texas, who blew out the gas the first night of his arrival in Washington. The Major's living expenses in Texas had ranged from \$700 to \$800 per annum. He resolved, when thrust into Congress by his neighbors, that he would not permit the extravagances of fashionable life to dally with him to the extent of more than \$200 in excess of that sum. In short, society or no society, \$1,000 per annum was his limit. He stuck to this resolution through four years of his service. Upon the expiration of his term he walked right into the office of the Sergeant-at-Arms, threw down a huge roll of bills, and asked for exchange on New York. He stroked his goatee complacently and remarked to the cashier: "They say the old man blew out the gas. But I guess none of them fellows that wear patent-leather shoes and drink that fizzly kind of wine will tote home any wad like that." The "wad" contained \$17,500, saved in four years out of an aggregate salary of \$20,000 and mileage. This is where the Major has his laugh.

Brotherly Foresight.

Little Tom was involved in the difficulties of learning to dress himself and regarded the buttons which had to be fastened behind his back as so many devices to torment small boys. One morning he was informed of the arrival of a baby sister, and later in the day was allowed to steal into his mother's chamber to look at the baby as she lay asleep. Tom regarded the small creature with interest and the nurse, wishing to know what his thoughts were, asked him softly: "Well, how do you like her? Isn't she a darling?" "I don't think she looks much good," answered Tom, with uncompromising frankness. "How soon will she be big enough to fasten my back buttons?"—Youth's Companion.

A Question of Dinner Time.

A cardinal who commanded the troops of Pope Boniface IX. in the march of Ancona, finding himself on one occasion in a position where he must conquer or die, promised his soldiers that if they secured the victory those who felt should dine that very day with the angels. They marched to the combat with alacrity, but finding that the cardinal was careful not to expose himself, "How is it," said one of them, "that you show no anxiety for the celestial banquet to which you have invited us so warmly?" "Because it is not yet my dinner time and I am not hungry."—All the Year Round.

Calling The Dead.

In the office of Houghton, Mifflin & Co. on Park street hangs an epistolary curiosity which is sure to attract the attention of all who have occasion to visit the sanctum of this well-known publishing house. It is a letter written by the principal of a school in a Pennsylvania town to Nathaniel Hawthorne, and is dated October, 1887.

The teacher begins by trying to worm himself in Mr. Hawthorne's good graces by telling him how highly his works are considered by his neighbors, and he winds up by asking a donation of a book or two for the school library.

"It seems very strange," remarked a visitor to the office a few days ago, "that a school-teacher should not have heard of the novelist's death twenty-three years after his decease."

Overreached Himself.

A shoe manufacturer of New England, becoming dissatisfied with the efforts of his salesmen, started over the route of one of them (without his knowledge) to see what he could do in the way of selling goods. He didn't meet with any success, and at last, on learning from an old customer that he was too late, the order having been placed, he offered to take the order at 1 cent per pair less if the dealer would countermand the one he had given. This was agreed to, and the manufacturer returned, with the feeling that his journey had been an entire failure. But he discovered, on looking at his correspondence, that it was an order taken by his own salesman which he had bribed the dealer to repudiate. Then he soliloquized in language more emphatic than orthodox.—Shoe and Leather Reporter.

HOW TO KEEP WARM.

If You Haven't an Overcoat, Newspapers Will Serve.

"I never thoroughly understood the saying that necessity is the mother of invention until it was brought in, in a peculiar way, directly under my observation the other evening," said one of a gay party in a down-town saloon to a Buffalo Express man a day or two ago.

"It was just after this severe cold wave set in. As I was walking down Main street in the cold, snow-laden wind I met an old friend of mine who has suffered a good deal of misfortune lately. He was so poorly clad that he visibly shivered under each searching blast.

"My heavens, George," said I "where's your overcoat?" "Gone with the rest of 'em," said he with a mournful smile on his blue lips.

"I took him up home with me and offered him one of my old overcoats. To my astonishment (for he'd always been a slim fellow) when he tried it on it proved too small for him.

"It won't do," said I in despair. "Oh! yes it will," he exclaimed, and at once began to draw out newspaper after newspaper which had been folded beneath his threadbare coat. In a moment he had divested himself of several pound of paper, and the coat fitted easily.

"Newspapers are pretty warm when properly used in cold weather," said he, looking at the stack he had taken from his jacket, "but on the whole I prefer wool."

An Unromantic Conclusion.

"When I was a young man," said the irrepressible Bodkins, "I was employed in a large house in the city, and as usual with persons of my age, I fell in love with a young lady and in due course of time was engaged. About two months before our marriage was to take place I was suddenly sent to Australia on very important business occasioned by the death of one of the firm in that country. I took a hasty and affectionate leave of my intended, with the promise to write to each other often. I was detained somewhat longer than I expected, but just before I sailed for home I bought a handsome and valuable ring, intending it as a 'coming-home' present for my sweetheart.

"As I was nearing the shore and reading the paper which the pilot had brought on board, curiously enough my eye fell on the 'marriages,' and there I saw an announcement of her marriage with another, a fellow I knew very well, too, which so enraged me that in my passion I threw the ring overboard.

"A few days afterward I was dining at this very hotel; fish was served up, and in eating it I bit on something hard, and what do you suppose it was?"

"The diamond ring?" exclaimed several. "No," said the merry Bodkins, preserving the same gravity. "It was a fishbone."—Waverley Magazine.

No Respect for Musty Traditions.

"A reminiscence comes to my mind," writes Justin McCarty in a volume of "Recollections of Parliament," about American visitors to the House of Commons. "The American girl has no respect for musty traditions. Some years ago we used to be permitted to take ladies into the library, but the rule was strict that they must not be allowed to sit down there. I was once escorting a young American married woman through the various rooms of the library, and I mentioned to her, as a matter of more or less interesting fact, that it was against the rules for a woman to sit down there.

"Is that really a law of the place?" she asked with wide opened and innocent eyes.

"The very law," I answered. "Then," said she calmly, "just see me break it!" and she drew a chair and resolutely sat down at the table."

Taken Up.

Taken up at my farm 2 1/2 miles south of Plattsmouth, Wednesday February 3rd, one yearling heifer calf and one yearling steer calf, both red marked with tip of left ear cut off and "V" cut on under side. Party may have same by paying for advertisement and proving ownership. BEN F. HORNING.

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Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Castle, Wis was troubled with neuralgia and rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him. Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven bottles Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by F. G. Fricke & Co.

A Fatal Mistake.

Physicians make no more fatal mistake than when they inform patients that nervous heart troubles come from the stomach and are of little consequence. Dr. Franklin Miles, the noted Indiana specialist, has proven the contrary in his new book on "Heart Disease" which may be had free of F. G. Fricke & Co., who guarantee and recommend Dr. Miles' unequalled new Heart Cure, which has the largest sale of any heart remedy in the world. It cures nervous and organic heart disease, short breath, fluttering, pain or tenderness in the side, arm or shoulder, irregular pulse, fainting, smothering, dropsy, etc. His Restorative Nerve Cures headache, fits, etc.

ALittle Girls Experience in a Light House.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trescott are keepers of the Gov. Lighthouse at Sand Beach Mich, and are blessed with a daughter, four years. Last April she taken down with Measles, followed with dreadful Cough and turned into a fever. Doctors at home and at Detroit treated, but in vain, she grew worse rapidly, until she was a mere "handful of bones." Then she tried Dr. King's New Discovery and after the use of two and a half bottles, was completely cured. They say Dr. King's New Discovery is worth its weight in gold, yet you may get a trial; bottle free at F. G. Fricke Drugstore.

A Mystery Explained.

The papers contain frequent notices of rich, pretty and educated girls eloping with negroes, tramps and coachmen. The well-known specialist, Dr. Franklin Miles, says all such girls are more or less hysterical, nervous, very impulsive, unbalanced; usually subject to headache, neuralgia, sleeplessness, moderate crying or laughing. These show a weak, nervous system for which there is no remedy equal to Restorative Nerve. Trial bottles and a fine book, containing many marvelous cures, free at F. G. Fricke & Co's., who also sell and guarantee Dr. Miles' celebrated New Heart Cure, the finest of heart tonics. Cures fluttering, short breath, etc.

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Startling Facts.

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