

EX-SENATOR SPOONER.

He is Named to Lead the Wisconsin Republicans.

BURGLARS AT ASHLAND

Greatwood Girls Have Caused Serious Trouble at Ashland - A Gun Freely Used - The Prohibition Ticket.

SWITCHMEN'S STRIKE SPREADING.

The situation in the great railroad strike at Buffalo is not encouraging. The New York Central switchmen having joined the strike makes it much more formidable.

The state board of arbitration will make strenuous efforts with both parties for a settlement. Superintendent Voorhees of the New York Central, in an interview yesterday morning, said that there were 150 men out on that line.

Whitelaw Reid left New York at 10:30 on the Chicago limited for Springfield, Ill. He was accompanied by Congressman Burrows of Michigan, James F. Burke, president of the College League of Republican clubs, and C. W. Tyson, Reid's private secretary.

EXPECT STRONG OPPOSITION.

The coal miners' strike in Tennessee is still on. All sorts of rumors are prevalent as to the number of miners who are ready to attack. Some estimate the number of rioters as running up into the thousands, and the general opinion is that the woods are full of them.

AMID GREAT ENTHUSIASM.

MILWAUKEE, Neb., Aug. 18.—The republican state convention was called to order shortly after noon yesterday. Secretary Rusk's appearance was greeted with enthusiasm. Eugene S. Elliott of Milwaukee was chosen temporary chairman and C. W. Barron and H. P. Dyke temporary secretaries.

ODD FELLOWS... HOME. LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 19.—The dedication of the Odd Fellows' Orphanage home is taking place today. David A. Wood of Chicago is the orator of the day, and a large delegation of Odd Fellows from all over the state are present.

BENTLEY NOMINATED.

The state prohibition convention yesterday selected a state ticket at the convention held at Hastings. After the usual opening exercises the roll of counties was called for nominations for governor. R. F. Fellman of Adams nominated the present central committee chairman, Rev. E. C. Bentley, of Lincoln. No opposition was developed until Douglas was reached, when that county allowed Mrs. Belle G. Bigelow of Lancaster to speak.

USED HIS GUN FREELY.

ASHLAND, Neb., Aug. 19.—The country north of here is considerably excited over a shooting affair which occurred some five miles north of here. Henry Reed, a farmer, with a young man by the name of Hall, attended the Grand Army of the Republic reunion at Greenwood last week.

PRACTICAL COUNTRY ROAD-MAKING.

FREMONT, Neb., Aug. 19.—Elkhorn township, this county, which some time ago voted bonds for the purpose of road improvement, has just awarded the contract for the work to J. M. Morris & Co., of Grand Island.

BURGLARS AT ASHLAND.

ASHLAND, Neb., Aug. 19.—The residence of George Magree was entered by burglars. They ransacked the premises, but failed to receive anything of value. Two other houses were robbed. At one place a gold watch and chain and other valuables to the amount of \$100 were taken and at the other about \$50 worth of clothing was all that they got.

MONEY to loan on farms from 6 1-2 per cent up, on 1 to 10 years time to suit the borrower. Also loans on second mortgages. J. M. LEYDA Plattsmouth, Neb.

BATTLING IN TENNESSEE

The Miners Lose Their Judgment and Blood is Shed.

JOHN WALTHALL KILLED.

The sympathy of the Publics Sure to be Lost if the Miners Continue Under the Lead of the Anarchists.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 23.—The miners have yielded to anarchistic advice and have gone in to win by force as evidenced by the battle at Coal Creek.

In a decisive battle yesterday the miners who held Coal Creek were defeated and have surrendered unconditionally. The brunt of the fighting fell on the citizens who responded to the call of the sheriff and accompanied as a posse the state troops under General Carnes as far as Oifatts. That station was reached the evening before and there the posse left the cars, intending to march on and attack the miners on the flank, while General Carnes pushed on with the train and engaged the rebels from the front.

After leaving the train the posse marched rapidly across the country and hill to the top of Walden's ridge. On this mountain they were within three-fourths of a mile of Camp Anderson. They reached this point on the mountain about 10 p. m. Here they halted and lay on their arms. Many of them had had nothing to eat since breakfast Thursday and there was not a drop of water to be had, but with true courage they waited to go to Fort Anderson. About 3 o'clock in the morning a terrible rain storm came up which continued until noon.

When this rain began to fall the men were somewhat refreshed. They had no blankets nor the least shelter and they were largely men of means and unused to hard labor.

Just at the break of day the officers called their force into line. The militiamen under the command of Colonel Woolford took the lead and the squad of business men of Knoxville formed the rear and in the pouring rain they started to Camp Anderson by a circuitous route of two miles. This was done to avoid a large body of miners who occupied the little narrow pass between them and the camp, and the force had marched but a little way when they were halted by a disturbance in the rear. Through the fog and rain they saw from twenty-five to seventy-five miners. These fellows dodged behind trees and rocks and opened fire on the Knoxville citizens' squad.

Their fire was returned and hot shot was poured into the bushes. In the fight John Walthall, a clerk in the East Tennessee railroad office at Knoxville, was killed. He was shot through the head and died instantly. His home was formerly in Pulaski, Tenn. He was a prominent Knight of Pythias and expected to go to Kansas City today to the National conclave.

T. D. Carty, a prominent lawyer of this city, who was in the squad, received a painful wound in the shoulder. He continued on his feet and in the fight. Bush Givens, a constable of Knoxville, was also killed instantly. He was about fifty years of age. Walthall was about twenty-five. Both were members of the citizens' squad.

The state force charged and the miners were driven from their position. The troops and citizens continued

their charge and drove them from the mountain. Four miners are known to have been killed and a number wounded. They got off with their dead, however. The state forces captured nearly all the guns of the miners.

CAMP SHAW IN SHAPE.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 23.—Major General James R. Carnahan of the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, arrived in this city at 10:30 yesterday morning, accompanied by several members of his staff. The party includes the following prominent officers of the Uniform Rank: Colonel S. M. Miller, Colonel C. S. Sweis, Colonel J. H. Runyon, Captain J. R. Forbes, all of Indiana, and General J. M. Cain of San Antonio, Tex. General Carnahan immediately rode out to Camp Shaw and took possession of his headquarters, which he found in readiness for occupation.

Colonel A. D. Roper, acting quartermaster general on General Barclay's staff of Illinois Knights, had the honor to be the representative of the first brigade to report at headquarters. He comes to make all arrangements for the headquarters of the Illinois brigade, which will mess in the camp. Colonel Roper was accompanied by Aid-de-camp Fitch C. Cook, who is also grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of Illinois. These gentlemen report that Illinois is going to send at least 1,000 members of the uniform rank to Kansas City.

Indiana and Tennessee also reported at headquarters and the headquarters of all the state brigades are expected to report now in quick succession. The Knights are all requested to have their mail addressed "Camp Shaw, Kansas City, Mo.," to avoid delay and trouble in delivery.

'THE HERALD' IN EVENING DRESS

Some of the Kind Words Said by Brother Editors About the New Departure.

IMPROVEMENT PREDICTED.

Mr. Peterson, who has been an able assistant on the editorial staff of The Plattsmouth Journal, has accepted the position of editor-in-chief of THE PLATTSMOUTH HERALD. Mr. Peterson is a pleasant gentleman and an able writer, and we predict that, as a result of this alliance, THE HERALD will be greatly improved.—Nehawka Register.

WHAT HE'S HERE FOR.

THE PLATTSMOUTH DAILY HERALD has been enlarged to a seven-column folio sheet and otherwise greatly improved. The new editor Osmon M. Peterson, evidently understands what he is there for.—Lincoln Call.

MAKE-UP—GENERAL APPEARANCE.

THE PLATTSMOUTH HERALD has been enlarged to a seven-column folio, strong additions have been made to the editorial staff and with its new dress, its make-up and general appearance have been greatly improved.—Beatrice Times.

SURE TO WIN.

THE PLATTSMOUTH HERALD has added another column to its daily paper. It expects to win in the race this fall by blowing its horn on McKinleyism will do it. It is a mistake that Mac was not nominated for president instead of Ben; he seems to be the biggest man in the party.—Weeping Water Eagle.

IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

THE PLATTSMOUTH DAILY HERALD comes to hand enlarged and improved in its every department.—Kearney Hub.

GRIN DETERMINATION.

The Journal is pleased to note the fact that its contemporary, THE HERALD, is enlarged to a seven-column-to-the-page paper, and is otherwise improved. That indicates a determination to be up with the times.—Plattsmouth Journal.

SURPRISES OLD FRIENDS.

The new editor of THE PLATTSMOUTH HERALD is a daisy. The paper has been so improved that old-time friends scarcely recognize it.—Fremont Tribune.

Fall to do Our Duty.

Everybody has at times failed to do their duty towards themselves. Hundreds of lady readers suffer from sick headache, nervousness, sleeplessness and female troubles. Let them follow the example of Mrs. Herbert, Stevens Point, Wis., who for five years suffered greatly from nervous prostration and sleeplessness, tried physicians and different medicines without success. But one bottle of Dr. Miles' Nerve Tonic caused sound sleep every night and she is like a new person. Mrs. Elizabeth Wheeler, Laramie City, Wyoming, who tried all other remedies, declares that after three weeks' use of the Nerve Tonic for headache, nervous prostration, etc., she was entirely relieved. Sold by F. G. Frick & Co. Trial bottle free. 1.

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DON'T YOU THINK That Old Carpet

of yours has been turned for the last time, it will hardly stand another such beating as you gave it last spring besides we know you are too tender hearted to give it such another lashing. It will be a useless task as you cannot lash back its respectability. Better discard it altogether and let us sell you one of these elegant new patterns that we have just received.

Spring House Cleaning.

Will soon be upon us and you will want new carpets, curtains, linens, etc. We are head quarters for anything in this line, we can sell you hemp carpets as low as ten cents a yard, Ingrains as low as twenty-five cents and Brussels from fifty cents upward. This is a

NEW : DEPARTMENT

with us. We have handled them with samples but finding that we could sell them much cheaper by having them in stock we have discarded the former method and are now able to sell them at a very low price, will duplicate Omaha prices every time, kind and quality taken into consideration. Being all new goods we have no old designs in the line, We have just received an excellent assortment of

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We can sell lace curtains for 50 cents a pair upward, Irish Point curtains, Tambour muslin curtains, Swiss curtains, curtain screen in plain and fancy, table silks for draperies, Chenille Portieres. Also a fine line of window shades at the lowest prices.

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