

THE ELECTORAL VOTE.

Cleveland 288, Harrison 144 and Weaver 24.

THE NEBRASKA COLLEGE.

Eight Votes Cast for Benjamin Harrison and Whitelaw Ried by The Nebraska Last Monday at Lincoln.

They Met Monday.

The presidential electors chosen at the election November 8 in every state in the union met last Monday in their respective capitals and cast their votes for president and vice-president. The result in each state will be certified to the secretary of state at Washington by the governor of each state, and when congress assembles the second Wednesday in February the two houses will meet in the hall of the house of representatives, count the votes, and officially declare the result.

Table showing electoral votes for various states: Alabama 11, Arkansas 8, California 12, Colorado 4, Connecticut 6, Delaware 3, Florida 6, Georgia 13, Idaho 3, Illinois 21, Indiana 15, Iowa 13, Kansas 10, Kentucky 13, Louisiana 8, Maine 4, Maryland 6, Massachusetts 15, Michigan 13, Minnesota 13, Mississippi 9, Missouri 17, Montana 4, Nebraska 4, Nevada 3, New Hampshire 4, New Jersey 13, New York 36, North Carolina 11, North Dakota 3, Ohio 22, Oregon 3, Pennsylvania 23, Rhode Island 4, South Carolina 9, South Dakota 4, Tennessee 12, Texas 15, Vermont 4, Virginia 12, Washington 4, West Virginia 6, Wisconsin 12, Wyoming 4.

Total number of votes. 288 144 24. Necessary for a choice 225. Cleveland's majority 128.

The total electoral vote as canvassed by congress February 13, 1889, was 401 votes, 201 constituting a majority, Harrison received 238 and Cleveland 168. Since that time Idaho has been admitted, to statehood with three electoral votes, Montana with three, North Dakota with three, South Dakota with four, Washington with four and Wyoming with three. The population in other states has increased sufficiently to bring the total number of electors up to 44, or forty-three more than there were selected in 1888.

THE NEBRASKA BALLOT.

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 9.—The Nebraska members of the electoral college met at 11 o'clock this morning in the reception room of the governor's suite at the capitol to formally cast their votes for president and vice president of the U. S. Col. E. P. Savage of South Omaha presided. A formal written ballot was taken and Benjamin Harrison received eight votes after which a similar ballot was taken for vice president, and Whitelaw Ried received the same number.

A ballot was taken for a messenger to carry the result to Washington and Hon. Daniel Nettleton of Clay county was declared to be the man. The only requirement being that he shall reach Washington and deliver in person to the president of the senate not later than the 8th day of next month. Three copies of the result were drawn up and signed by every one of the electors. One will be taken to the national capital by Mr. Nettleton, another will be sent by mail to the same destination, while the third will be transmitted to Hon. Elmer S. Dundy judge of the United States district court for the district of Nebraska.

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PEOPLE AND AFFAIRS.

It is time our city dads were waking up to the fact that this city must have a market place. For the past two weeks Main street has been blocked with loads of hay, wood and corn so that in many places teams could not pass.

Hogs are worth \$7 a hundred, eggs 25 cents a dozen, butter 30 cents a pound and yet at these figures there are not enough to supply the demand.

Joe McCaig went from Wabash Tuesday to see the legislature organize. On his return home he concluded to get off without bothering the crew by stopping and he got off while the train was running at a fast rate of speed. He landed up against a snow bank and was completely covered up. He finally extracted himself and found that no damage had been done.

Mrs. C. D. Clapp of Weeping Water is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Swearingen.

E. E. Hilton the B. & M. civil engineer arrived home from Wyoming where he has been surveying for the new extension all summer and fall. Work has closed down for the winter.

Marriage licenses were granted Monday to Chas. G. Goldsmith and Clara M. Rogers of Ashland and Frank Walters of Burlington, Iowa and Lizzie Ruple. The first couple were joined wedlock by Judge Ramsey and the second couple were married by Rev. H. B. Burgess at the residence of the brides parents on south Sixth street.

Daniel Andrews of Center precinct has sold 120 acres of his farming property to his son, Daniel, and another 120 acres to his son, Fred. The consideration in the former transfer was \$2,111, and in the latter \$2,400. Warranted deeds for both transfers were filed in the recorder's office last Monday.

Henry Stander purchased last week 240 acres of farming land of Henry Messner, near South Bend, paying for the same 10,000 averaging nearly \$42 per acre.

S. H. Atwood and J. M. Craig left last Monday for Deadwood, South Dakota to look after their mining interests.

Typhoid fever is reported as raging just south west of this city a number of persons are dangerously ill.

LAYING AT DEATH'S DOOR.

The Gazette regrets to chronicle the very dangerous illness of Rev. Samuel Lewis, pastor of the M. E. church in South Bend. Dr. Friday of this place held a consultation with Dr. Hamilton of South Bend and Dr. Green of University Place and they express but little, if any, hope of the patients recovery. Typhoid fever and meningitis are the ailments with which he is afflicted, and at our last report he had lain unconscious for a number of hours. Mr. Lewis was taken ill on Christmas afternoon, after having addressed the children of the Sunday school at his church in the forenoon. His last sermon was preached in Ashland two weeks ago Thursday night. Rev. Lemon of this place was at his bedside Wednesday. Mr. Lewis has a large number of warm friends in this vicinity who are saddened to learn of his illness.

Miss Sue Matson was taken worse Monday and begged so hard to go home that her father made arrangements and left with her Tuesday evening for their home in Iowa. Her many friends will be sorry to learn that there is small hopes of her recovery.

A large amount of wood and Hay is being brought over the river from Iowa on the ice and shows our merchants what an advantage it would be to Plattsmouth to have a bridge across the Muddy.

The suit of R. J. Gilliland vs. Constable Kroehler and J. M. Craig, a squabble over the Voris corn crop and which resulted in favor of Gilliland in Judge Archer's court has been appealed to the district court.

Messrs. and Mesdames, H. C. McMaken, M. A. Dickson and August Tartsch and wife attended the silver anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Capt. Manchester, at Lincoln last Tuesday evening.

John Robbins, who has been doing carpenter work in the southern part of the state this summer, is at home visiting with his parents.

The county commissioners have reappointed J. W. Johnson as a member of the soldiers relief commission.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carruth, and daughter Louise, left Tuesday for their home at McCook Neb. after a two weeks visit in the city with friends and relatives.

Sialas Long, administrator of the estate of Agnes Cole, deceased, has filed his petition for final settlement of the estate in the county court. The settlement was set for Feb. 2nd 1893.

Roy Young, while coasting last week at the Rock Creek school house, was so badly hurt that he will have to be kept in the house for some time.

The ice Baron H. C. McMaken left Tuesday with his men and teams for Cedar Creek where he will cut ice for the B. & M. R. R.

Dr. Brendel of Murray was in the city Tuesday.

C. J. H. Johnson of the Murray Banner has accepted the position of local editor of the News in place of M. D. Peck who resigned the first of the year.

Officers Installed.

Star of Nebraska No. 4, Degree of Honor, of the A. O. U. W., installed the following officers January 5th: Past Chief Sister of Honor—Mrs. D. B. Smith.

Chief Sister of Honor—Mrs. Nanie Burkel.

Lady of Honor—Mrs. A. Adams. Sister of Ceremonies—Mrs. Frank Vermilyea.

Sister Recorder—Mrs. Frank Boyd. Sister Financier—Mrs. D. F. Foster. Brother Receiver—D. B. Ebersole.

Sister Usher—Miss Anna Adams. Sister I. W.—Miss Eva G. Smith.

Brother O. W.—Frank Vermilyea. Trustees—Mrs. D. B. Ebersole, Mrs. Robert C. Patton and Mrs. Frank E. Boyd.

Organist—Belle Vermilyea.

Legislators at War.

Amid the most intense excitement and the greatest uproar, two separate organizations were perfected in the house of Kansas, Tuesday. The two houses both organized at the same time and the same place and both held sessions in representative hall in the evening. The house is composed of 125 members. Of these sixty-three, or a majority of one, hold certificates of election and compose the republican house, claiming their organization is the only legal one. The populists number fifty-seven.

The governor refused to reconize either house. But the plan of the populists is to hold out till today by which time they think their organization will be recognized by Governor Lewelling and the senate. Then they will have the military at their backs, and will proceed, with the aid of the adjutant-general, to remove the republicans from the house. All the populist members on the floor are armed and at one time pistols were drawn between a republican leader and a populist deputy sergeant-at-arms.

Notice.

The Cass County Agricultural society will hold its regular adjourned December meeting on Saturday February 3, 1893 at 2 o'clock p. m. A full attendance of all the members and officers are requested as some important business is to be attended too, and also the election of officers for the ensuing year. The society would like to have every business man in the city present. R. B. WINDHAM, Pres. DAVE MINNER, Sec'y.

MURDOCK.

A. S. Bobbitt is working in the elevator of Evans & Hare.

Wolf & Tool sold a car load of coal last week within six hours after receiving.

Mrs. G. W. Meeker was visiting in Seward for a week past.

Mrs. John Cook left last Thursday for Plattsmouth and vicinity to visit with her folks and call on friends.

Mrs. Rush is very sick at present. Her folks summoned a doctor from Weeping Water last Thursday.

Mrs. F. Hass is also reported sick.

Mrs. H. McDonald started for the west the 9th of this month to bring his family here.

School commenced last Monday in the new school house in Murdock with Miss Wertz as teacher. This district has now as nice a schoolroom as there is anywhere in a town of the size of Murdock.

A Rikli is putting up large quantities of ice for home consumption these days.

Our only "Joe Carter" is a very handy person indeed. He runs the post office in the absence of A. Zabel and now runs the drug store until our druggist and family returns.

Mr. Wirth of Omaha is doing the painting in the state bank building for Mr. Geatine, the contractor.

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