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THE REPUBLICANS OF CASS.

Proceedings of the Republican County Convention Held Saturday.

The republican county convention, called to select delegates to the state and district conventions, met in Weeping Water Saturday and was called to order by W. H. Newell, chairman of the county central committee, at 1 p. m. Every ward and precinct was represented, but several delegations only had one or two representatives present who cast the full vote of the ward. After reading of the call by Secretary Timblin, on motion, Frank Dickson of Louisville, was made temporary chairman, with W. H. Myers secretary and Dr. Wilmuth assistant secretary.

On motion of Dr. Butler, the secretary was instructed to read the list of delegates from credentials presented, and if no contests, the list as read should be the duly recognized members of the convention.

This was done and the temporary organization was quickly on motion made permanent.

Then came a flood of resolutions, which were read by the secretary.

A resolution endorsing the candidacy of W. J. McKinley for president and instructing the Cass county delegation to support McKinley men first, last and all the time was passed with a hurrah and without a dissenting vote.

A resolution instructing the delegates to district convention to support Hon. J. B. Strode for renomination also passed unanimously.

A resolution endorsing H. N. Dovey as delegate to St. Louis from the district convention was adopted with a vim, and not a vote was registered against it. Mr. Dovey was called upon and he came forward and pledged his best efforts if elected, to the support of McKinley. Mr. Dovey was loudly cheered, and full confidence was shown in his zeal as a republican and supporter of the Ohio statesman.

A resolution endorsing and pledging the county delegation to A. C. Wright was then offered, and owing to a misunderstanding between some of the delegates a little rush at arms sprung up, which was soon quieted, and the resolution was, after some pulling and hauling declared adopted.

Then came the selection of twenty-six delegates to the state convention. Bird Critchfield, chairman of the Wright delegation, moved that one delegate be selected by each precinct, and that Sam M. Chapman be selected as delegate at large. This was followed by a motion to amend by inserting the name of Ernest Pollard of Nehawka in place of chapman. The vote recurred on the amendment, a rising vote was called for and a count of delegates showed Mr. Chapman had been turned down by a good majority in favor of the young republican, and the chairman announced that the amendment had carried. Before the loud cheers which followed had died away the Wright leaders, who had tied up with Chapman, although there was no fight on Mr. Wright by Dovey or his representatives, they seemed to have that view of it and a call for vote by call of precints was made by Stove Creek. This was entirely out of order as the vote taken was a standing one, and the chair should have refused to entertain it, but he ordered the call, and in the turmoil which followed Mr. Chapman obtained a small majority over Pollard, the man who had been rightfully elected, and was declared the delegate.

The other delegates were then named without dissent. Critchfield of Stove creek then moved that delegates to the district convention with Al Dickson of Stove Creek as delegate at large be selected in a similar manner which was agreed to. It was decided not to change the central committee until the regular time for so doing and after a witty speech by J. Q. Adams, which brought down the convention, it adjourned.

The list of delegates is given below:

Delegates to State Convention.

The following delegates were chosen to the state convention: Clarence Mayfield, L. D. Sweitzer, Isaac Toland, M. N. Drake, Chas. Philpot, S. L. Furlong, A. C. Wright, Calvin Russell, Henry Eikenbary, J. H. Haldeman, W. A. White, F. M. Richey, M. M. Beal, I. N. Woodford, Geo. A. Buell, G. N. Larue, Robt. Case, Fred Crosser, T. T. Young, J. Q. Adams, W. E. Hand, M. M. Butler, F. F. Rexford, L. D. Bennettt, Wm. Ballance, S. M. Chapman.

District Convention.

Those selected for the district convention are: C. D. Quinton, Geo. R. Sayles, A. Christiansen, F. Dickson, W. D. Williams, Thos. Holmes, E. A. Stopher, J. W. Stucker, R. F. Dean, J. W. Bullis, G. W. Norton, Joe McKinnon, G. A. Rose, J. W. Edmunds, A. P. Sturm, Sam'l Long, R. Wilkenson, Jno Mefford, I. W. Teegarden, A. L. Timblin, J. Davies, S. H. Atwood, A. J. Graves, J. L. Root, W. G. Keefer, Al. Dickson.

Teachers' Examination.

There will be a special examination here in Plattsmouth, next Saturday, April 4th. Those who wish to complete the examination begun the 21st inst., will be privileged to furnish at this time. GEO. L. FARLEY, County Superintendent.

IN MEMORIAM.

In memory of Mrs. Richard Vivian, who died March 10 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Scott, 1710 K street, Lincoln, Nebraska:

Jesus was calling her away
To mansions of the blessed—
Disease was telling day by day
Her soul would soon find rest;
Sweet rest in Heaven above this world
Of sorrow, toil and pain.

A dear, fond mother gone
To sing the songs of Heavenly love;
Cheered with the happy angel throng
Wafting her soul above,
Sweet rest in Heaven her soul has found—
The great reward of trust.

God called her at his will,
Her work in life was purely done,
The time was set, and still,
Strong hope to live, as every one,
Cling strong to life until the last,
When rest, sweet rest is near.

A happy thought to know
That Heaven is ever sure and near
When the last moments come,
And friends who're ever near and dear
Can place our bodies kindly by,
To rest forevermore.

A mother's kind and gentle voice
Is hushed and still in death;
Her teachings live and hearts rejoice
At kind attentions given,
To soothe a gentle mother's woe
And smooth her path to Heaven.

Securely blessed is she—
Children will miss her more and more,
Her pleasant smile and free
Kind will remember o'er and o'er
As days and months and years
Glide on, she's resting now in Heaven.

—MRS. E. R. SCOTT.

Death of Mrs. S. C. Thompson.

Mrs. Minnie Thompson, wife of S. C. Thompson of this city, departed this life at 10 o'clock Saturday morning after an illness of several weeks. Mrs. Thompson was twenty-two years of age, having been married about four years, and leaves a husband and little girl two and one-half years old to mourn her demise. She was the daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Pitts, who resides in Mercertown, and a sister of Mrs. P. C. Petersen of this city, and was well and favorably known in church and lodge circles, being at the time of her death a member of the Christain church and also vice-grand of the Rebecca lodge.

The funeral took place at the Christian church Monday at 2 o'clock under the auspices of the Rebecca lodge. Rev. Youtzy conducted the funeral services.

Her First Voyage.

This afternoon at 1 o'clock Commodore Dabb's gasoline craft, "Sundown" left the wharf with a merry crowd of duck hunters on board, bound for the mouth of the Platte, where they will camp over Sunday and slay the festive duck. They took enough provisions along to feed Kelly's army—all except the meat—expecting to fill out that part of tha bill of fare with roast duck. This is the first voyage the new boat has made, and the crowd anticipate having an enjoyable time, the boat being equipped with comfortable sleeping apartments, cooking utensils, and everything in good shape for camping out. The party was composed of Charles Dabb, James Johns, William Benfer, Will Streight, Robert Hayes and Lou Reinhackle.

Geese With Harness on.

John Phelps, a farmer living on the north side of the river, killed a large goose Wednesday. He was surprised when he picked it up to find a neatly fitted leather harness on Mr. Goose, and from appearance it had been worn a long time. It was made from a wide strip of leather, one end being split to admit its head and the other end being split in two strips. These run back between its legs and fastened with straps into a ring over its back. It is probable that it has at some time been used as a decoy and broke loose but could not free itself from the closely fitted harness. John says he has killed all kinds and all sizes of geese, but this is the first one he ever captured with a harness on.—Louisville Courier.

How The Mighty Have Fallen.

Six months ago Sam Chapman posed as the political director in the county and selected a delegation himself to go to the judicial convention. Saturday he was fairly beaten by a boy from Nehawka for the position of delegate to the state convention.

His own ward turned him down, so he could not go from there, hence he must turn against Dovey and get A. W. Wrignt's forces so take him up in order to get a standing at all in the county convention. We understand the ex-dictator is talking about his endorsement very glibly away from home, but the least he says about it here the better.

Home Seekers' Excursion.

Missouri Pacific will sell homeseekers ticket at rate of one fare, plus $2 for round trip, with stop-over priviliges to points in Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, North and South Dakota, Arkansas, Indiana Territory, Oklahoma, Texas and Arizona. Dates of sale—March 10, April 7 and 21, and May 5. For further particulars call at Missouri Pacific depot.

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INFORMATION AND OPINION.

The Journal makes a very weak attempt to get after Judge Newell last evening, which can not possibly injure him with those familiar with his administration, which has been conceodd to be of the best the city ever had. Times have been hard and money scarce, yet city affairs have been so economically managed that there is right now over $3,000 in the general fund, while other towns' warrants are below par.

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George Thomas, colored, receive a letter from Kansas City dated March 24, that his son, Louis Thomas, had been murdered at that place. The letter was signed "J. M." The boy left here about two weeks ago and since that time nothing has been heard from him. Some of the family were out Saturday evening asking for assist- to enable one of them to go to Kansas City to look into the matter. The police do not seem to take much stock in the letter, and we might say, nor does any one else.—Nebraska City News.

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A new woman of Pierce went down to Norfolk the other day and got on a "high lonesome" all by herself. On returning home she flourished a revolver and was just on the point of killing a few people when disarmed by the valiant town marshal. The cadi before whom she was taken ordered her to appear at a subsequent date and show cause why she should not be fined for a breach of the peace, but she gathered her husband under her wing and made swift tracks out of town. It is as we feared it would be. When woman puts on manly ways somebody has got to move out or there is trouble.—Bixby.

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A CAREFUL study of the political situation in Nebraska, emboldens us to say that W. J. Bryan, with his silver tongue and vote-catching sophistries, is a dangerous candidate for the governorship if he gets the endorsement of the demo-pop combine. In that event the republicans must nominate for their standard bearer a man that is clever, honest and capable and one who stands close to the throbbing hearts of the masses. We have but one such candidate who fills the bill in every requisite, and that man is Eugene Moore. If the combine nominates Bryan, fearless, honest Gene Moore is the man of all others who can defeat him. No political hacks with a pull can do it, even though the republican endorsement in convention were freely given. Eugene Moore is the logical candidate of the party and his election would follow without serious difficulty.

Christian Science.

Services held at Christian Science reading room and dispensary, No 1006 Main street, near High school, as follows: Sunday school at 11 a. m., Sunday evening service, 7:30; bible lesson. Friday evening at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend, to listen or take part as they may feel inclined. Rooms also open daily from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. to those seeking health or truth. "Science and Health" and other works of Rev. M. B. Eddy, on sale.

A Real Rose Show.

The ladies of the Episcopal church have arranged a real rose show for the evening of April 15 at White's opera house. They are preparing an elaborate musical program in which some of the best talent in the state will participate. There will be refreshments also, and the twenty-five cents charged for admission will pay for all.

J. W. Pierce, Republic, Ia., says: "I have used One Minute Cough Cure in my family and for myself, with results so entirely satisfactory that I can hardly find words to express myself as to its merit. I will never fail to recommend it to others, on every occasion that presents itself. F. G. Fricke & Co.

Will Be a Success.

The ladies of Ivy lodge No. 13 are making elaborate preparatians for their paper cotillion, which is to be given at Waterman's hall April 6. This is something new in the entertaiment line for Plattsmouth and will no doubt prove very interesting. The success of the entertainment is now assured.

Try a can of Hopkins' Steamed Hominy. (Hulled Corn). It is delicious.

A Prize to Writers.

The Nebraska club desires to announce cash prizes for articles showthe resources of Nebraska and the advantages it offers to homeseekers as follows: For the best article, $15; for the second best, $10; for the third, $5. Two conditions only are imposed:

First—The articles not contain more than 1,000 words.

Second—The articles shall be accompanied by at least $1 for a subscription to one share of the stock of the club.

The articles shall become the property of the club. They will be submitted to the publication committee who will award the prizes, and they must be filed with the secretary on or before March 1, next.

For a copy of "Stand Up for Nebraska," an address of the president and executive committee, write secretary Nebraska club, Bee building, Omaha, Nebraska.

THERE IS NO NATIONAL HOLIDAY

Not Even the Labor Day Act Creates One, Say the Lawyers.

There would seem to be no such thing in this country as a national holiday. Lawyers assert that even Labor day, which was set apart by act of congress in 1894 in such manner as to lead the confiding layman to suppose it at least to be a national holiday, is not such outside of the District of Columbia unless by state enactment. The creation and regulation of holidays have been left entirely to the legislatures of the individual states.

The act of congress concerning Labor day was approved June 28, 1894. It provides "that the first Monday of September in each year, being the day celebrated and known as Labor day, is hereby made a legal holiday, to all intents and purposes, in the same manner as Christmas, Jan. 1, Feb. 22, May 30 and July 4 are now made by law public holidays."

Clearly the proper construction of this statute can be arrived at only by reference to the provisions bearing upon the other holidays named. The act making holidays of Jan. 1, July 4, Christmas and "any day appointed or recommended by the president of the United States as a day of public fast or thanksgiving" was passed in June, 1870, and was restricted in its effect to the District of Columbia. These days are holidays in the various states only as they are made so by the various state legislatures.

The act of Jan. 31, 1879, makes Feb. 22 a legal holiday, and the act of Aug. 31, 1888, does the same for May 30, and both are restricted in their application to the District of Columbia. The act referring to Labor day says nothing about the District of Columbia, but it does say that the first Monday of September shall be a legal holiday, "to all intents and purposes, in the same manner as Christmas, Jan. 1, Feb. 22, May 30 and July 4 are now made by law public holidays."

The intents and purposes for which and the manner in which those days are made holidays are expressly limited to the District of Columbia, and so, by necessary inference, is the act referring to Labor day.

The misleading language of the Labor day act has led to a prevalent statement that the first Monday of September is a holiday throughout the United States by congressional enactment.—New York Tribune.

PRANKS OF SCOTTISH FAIRIES.

A Firm Belief In the "Fair Folk" Still Lingers.

There still lingers a widespread belief in the north of Scotland that the "fair folk," or "gweed neebors," as the fairies are called, still live in the hills, and during the first days of convalescence a mother must be zealously guarded lest one of the "wee people" come and rob the child of its nourishment. Sometimes they succeed in carrying off the mother. Here is one of the superstitions legends:

A north country fisher had a fine child. One evening a beggar woman entered the hut and went up to the cradle to gaze into the eyes of the babe. From that time good health left it, and a strange look came into its face, and the mother was troubled. An old man begging for food passed that way. When he caught sight of the child, he cried:

"That's nae a bairn. It's an image, and the gweed folk has stoun his speerit."

Thereupon he set to work to recall the fisher's bairn. A peat fire was heaped high on the hearth and a black hen held over it at such a distance that it was singed and not killed. After some struggling the hen escaped up the lum. A few moments elapsed, and then the parents were gladdened by the sight of a happy expression once more on the child's face. It throve from that day forward.—Scottish Review.

A Dog Purse Snatcher.

Pointer dogs can always be trained to steal. Many of them are natural thieves without training, and any of the species can be taught. There is a dog of this kind in northwest Washington. He will pick up anything he can find around a yard or outside of a store, but his specialty is ladies' pocketbooks and handbags. When he sees one of these, he grabs it and runs, always succeeding in getting out of sight before he can be captured or followed. No owner has ever been seen, hence no complaints have been made at police headquarters, but there is but little doubt, if it were possible to follow the animal, that it would be found that he has been carefully trained as a purse snatcher and that he takes his booty home to his master. He seems to be aware that he is doing wrong, jumping fences and dodging around houses when running away. --Washington Star.

An Old Colonial Blockhouse.

Among the attractions of the town of Bourne, Mass., are two historic cellars. One was dug by the Plymouth colony and the other by the Dutch traders. These cellars lie side by side, and the structures built over them were filled with goods so necessary for the comfort of the early pilgrims as well as the Dutch. The pilgrims needed manufactured goods such as the Hollander had for sale and the Dutch required products such as the colony could supply. Governor Bradford, in his diary, states that this block house was built as early as 1627, only seven years after the landing of the Mayflower.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

About Girls.

"Girls," remarked the small boy in his composition upon the subject, "is of several thousand kinds, and sometimes one girl can behave like several thousand girls. Some kinds of girls is better than some other kinds, but they ain't any of them up to boys. This is all I know about girls, and father says the less I know about 'em the better."—New York Advertiser.

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Legal Notice.

In the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, in the matter of the estate of William J. Agnew, deceased.

This cause coming on for hearing upon the petition of Stephen A. Davis, administrator of the estate of Wm. J. Agnew, deceased, praying for license to sell the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section one, township thirteen, north range eight, and the southwest quarter of section eleven, township eighteen, range eight, east of the 6th principal meridi n, or a sufficient amount of the same to bring the sum of $450 for the payment of debts allowed against said estate and the costs of administration, there not being sufficient personal property to pay the debts and expenses; it is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at the office of the clerk of the district court at Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, on the 2d day of May, 1896, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., to show cause why a license should not be granted to said administrator to sell so much of the above described real estate of said deceased as shall be necessary to pay said debts and expenses.

Dated this 17th day of March, 1896.

B. S. RAMSEY, Judge of the District Court.

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