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THE LARGEST CIRCULATION of any Cass County Paper.

Table with 2 columns: Position and Name. Includes Republican Ticket, State, County, and Congressional representatives.

The democrats of Lancaster county are very chilly over a killing "Frost" that blighted their judicial hopes last week.

GEORGE YOUNG & Co. ought to be proud of the assistance they have rendered a democratic paper so as to enable it to malign republican candidates without stint.

Gov. HOLCOMB is smooth goods. He chaperoned Bryan to the White House with a tearful appeal for the soldier boys in Florida and Manila, but in reality he was simply trying to wedge in a plea for a furlough for Colonel Bryan, whose soul yearns for the political harvest home feasts of Illinois and the popocratic barbecues of Nebraska.—Omaha Bee.

The supreme court holds Mayor Moores ineligible, and according to the opinion handed down yesterday he will have to step down and out. This is a hard blow to Moores and his friends and if he has been the victim of personal spite in the trial below it is certainly a most unfortunate affair. If, on the other hand, he has retained fees and is really a defaulter, then the only regret is that the decision did not come sooner.

It is claimed, on apparent good authority, that Germany is furnishing Aguinaldo with money and munitions of war, so that he will soon be able to attack the American troops at Manila. The insurgent chief appears to have plenty of money and war material, but where it all comes from has been a mystery. There are enough patriotic German-Americans in this country to lick Germany to a finish, with several million natives who would enjoy giving the emperor a lesson, if it becomes necessary.

SENATOR PETTIGREW, who abhorred the republican party because it refused to make itself the tool of a score or more of wealthy silver-miners of the west, has been compelled to suspend the free silver campaign in South Dakota because nobody turned out to hear him. Senator Pettigrew says: "The campaign was begun too soon." On the heels of this comes the announcement that Senator Kyle of that state had abandoned populism and free silver and had declared himself a convert to the republican party, while H. C. Loucks, one of the founders of populism, and author of the "Omaha Platform"—a man of national reputation in politics—has repudiated fusion and declared himself out and out for the success of the republican ticket in that fall. For a young state South Dakota is doing quite well.

The latest scheme resorted to by the yellow journals to keep breath in the soul of the rapidly disintegrating clamor about the starved and neglected soldiers has been exploded by persons attached to the war department. Some of these enterprising journals have dressed up cripples, and tramps and poor degenerates in American uniforms and sent them out into the high-ways and by-ways to impersonate returning soldiers. There is no law to punish this kind of shams, or to prohibit persons from impersonating soldiers. Under the tutelage of their enterprising employers they are sent through railway trains and to private houses in the eastern cities, telling pitiful tales of cruel neglect and suffering, to bear out the heart-rending stories which appear in the papers, and we next behold these poor paralytics in dime museums exhibiting their sores in public in order to affect the result of the fall elections. Army officers who trace a number of these alleged heroes discovered that they were imposters in the pay of certain newspapers, and have so reported. But as there is no law to reach this class of shams, and they have no connection with the army to be dealt

with by court martial, they will continue to impose on the public until the police authorities see fit to run them in as vagabonds.—Ex.

AN INCIDENT OF PROTECTION.

It is reported that the former owners of the largest tin plate establishment in the world are about to remove from Swansea, Wales to Pittsburgh. They recently sold their extensive plant in Wales, which had for some time been idle, at a considerable sacrifice and will use the proceeds in erecting mills near Pittsburgh, believing that the United States is hereafter to be the foremost tin plate producing country of the world, as it is already the greatest market for tin plate.

This is an incident of the policy of protection and there is none more striking in the entire history of that policy. Before the passage of the McKinley act, the Philadelphia Press, this country imported annually from \$29,000,000 to \$30,000,000 worth of tin plate. Gradually the importations have declined until the last fiscal year they aggregated only \$3,809,148. "Not only has this great industry," says the paper, been thoroughly established by means of a protective tariff, but the price of tin plate has been greatly reduced.—Ex.

W. H. NEWELL.

The same Journal which has so much to say, now, against Judge Newell printed the following in its issue of April 2, 1898: "In 1895 Hon. W. H. Newell was mayor of Plattsmouth. He was an ideal business man, and had a standing equal to any man in the city for sagacity and good judgment. But his record as mayor developed that, with all his magnificent business faculties, he was a lamentable failure was not far from such. It laid in his inability to comprehend the needs of the people. He was a man of exceptional morals. He had every opportunity to find the desires of his own class of citizens, but he singularly overlooked the wants of the bulk of the population. The people of Plattsmouth are composed of laboring men. They work six days and on the seventh day are entitled to recreation. He was a moral public official, and his policy comprehended the closing of every form of amusement or recreation upon Sunday, and the result was a steady drain of money from this city to neighboring cities on that day. This was because other towns gave liberties Plattsmouth would not.

SHAMELESS PARTISANSHIP.

The record of the late war makes one of the brightest pages in American history, says the Times-Herald. The war was fought and won in four months. The American arms did not meet with a single defeat on land or sea, and every battle was fought on foreign soil or in foreign waters. The entire world looks with admiration upon this magnificent achievement, and is eulogistic in its praise.

In this hour of the nation's glory, when every loyal American's heart should swell with pride, the brilliant record of the war is made the target of a political mud battery fired by the Connecticut state democratic convention.

The following declarations defamatory of the nation and its executive were adopted as a part of its platform: "We call attention to the fact that, while a successful war is the cause of a common humanity has brought new honor to the American people and fresh glory to their flag, the management of the various war departments has debased our exultation and brought home to us a sense of shame.

"The American sailor and soldier have done their fair duty, but the administration of President McKinley has been utterly incompetent to discharge the obligation which the management of the war imposed. Incompetency and venality in places of high trust have brought disgrace upon the administration and aroused the ire of an indignant people.

"If the administration of President McKinley has been utterly incompetent to discharge the obligations which the management of the war imposed," how could it wage a "successful war" and bring "new honor to the American people and fresh glory to the flag?"

And if it has brought "new honor to the American people and fresh glory to the flag," by what process of reasoning do such achievements bring "disgrace upon the administration and arouse the ire of an indignant people?"

Spain certainly does not think that President McKinley was incompetent to conduct a war. Dewey was competent enough to annihilate Spain's Asiatic squadron. Sampson and Schley were competent enough to destroy Cervera's magnificent ships. Merritt was competent enough to take Manila. Shafter and Wheeler were competent enough to win the battles of Santiago and El Caney. Miles was competent enough to inspire and direct their work and to dictate the terms of the peace protocol.

In order to accomplish all this an army of 300,000 men was mobilized. It was necessary to select a large number of staff officers from civil life. It would have been miraculous if none of them had made a mistake and all had been competent. It has been alleged blunders were made in the quartermaster, commissary and medical departments which caused some unnecessary hardship and resulted in an increased percentage of illness among the troops. These allegations have been made—not proved. They concern matters of army detail. They are being investigated by an expert commission appointed by the President. There is no attempt to conceal any fact or to shield any officer who may be proved derelict. The entire truth will be known and made public, and whatever the truth may be it

significance will be military not political.

To make the charge of mismanagement in matters of army detail the basis for a slander upon the nation in its hour of victory and upon the President, who has had to bear the double burdens imposed by the conduct of the war and the demands of diplomacy, is a monstrous act. The only sense of shame the American will feel in connection with the war is that a body of men calling themselves Americans could be guilty of assaulting the nation's honor and defaming the chief executive with the hope of making political capital.

INFORMATION AND OPINION.

Lincoln Frost, one of Lincoln's squarrest and best young lawyers, was nominated by the republicans in that district to fill Judge Halls place. The nomination is one of the best that could have been made.

The Journal states that Judge Newell recommended that wages be reduced from \$1.25 to \$1.10 and that the records show it. The records of the city do not show any such thing. The city has never paid less than \$1.50 per day for a number of years, but this is as near the truth as the Journal can tell when they are opposed to anyone politically.

The long and the short man who have been committing all sorts of robberies would soon have been captured anyway, as Lee Herdman's hold-up crowd have to go. The Omaha police force will now be taken charge of by the council and thieves and house-breakers will now have their picnic ended.

The Plattsmouth Post is the only paper in the country dishonest enough to say a good word for the Cass County fair. But then they probably were given the job of printing the premium lists, and a little patronage goes a long way with a new venture like the Post.—Louisville Courier.

Political Pointers.

The last fusion legislature raised the salary of the governor's private secretary from \$1,600 per year to \$2,000. This is the way the economic demopop reformers reform. The state house ring saves money by purchasing bogus butter for the insane and feeble minded and then gives the savings to its clerks and hangers on.

The Minnesota lawyer who imagines he is running for congress in this district is not making a very enthusiastic canvass. He ought to get Judge Broady to make a few speeches for him.

Judge Hayward was in the city Sunday morning on his way home from the western part of the state. He finds the outlook for republican success very encouraging.

The republican float representative district central committee will meet in this city on the 28th.

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