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JUDGE PARKER'S silence is a republican issue. The Judge will talk forcibly enough when his party calls.

The same old "Plattsmouth Ring" was in the saddle at the Weeping Water Convention last Saturday.

The question is, "Should a young man marry on \$1,000 a year, or less?" It all depends upon the young lady's answer.

SECRETARY SHAW says that the boy who sticks to the farm shows great sense. He quit the farm very early. Nonsense!

GENERAL BRISTOW has caused that tired feeling to invade the White House. And the House of Representatives is fatigued.

There is one good thing about the Post office scandal: It shows that Congressmen are still capable of blushing very loudly indeed.

CONGRESSMAN BENTON of Missouri, protesting against an appropriation of \$50,000 for a "palatial barn" for the President's horses, says the President is hard on horses anyhow. This is a new definition of "Rough Rider."

The democratic/Republican ticket is gaining in approval every day. People on the street, in the office and in the home are speaking of the commendable selections the party made and are predicting a clean sweep for the ticket.

The Republicans of the first congressional district met at Lincoln last Tuesday and went through the motion of renominating Blawie Burkett. It is just as well, as it would be impossible to find a republican in the district that can blow harder and do less for his constituency than Burkett.

JUDGE W. M. ROBERTSON, who three weeks ago announced for the republican nomination for governor, has withdrawn, but Harrison still remains to give Midget Mickey a tussle. The opposition are praying night and day that the incompetent governor will be renominated.

LAWYER CRITCHLOW of Utah, has the defects of a ready witness before the investigating committee. Explaining the defeat of Thatcher for the senate he said the apostles sent around word that "it is the will of the Lord that you vote the republican ticket this time." Then Senator Smoot's smile tapered off into a scowl.

In the case of members of the city council, members of the school board, and in fact for city officials generally, it will be a good idea to investigate their standing as taxpayers. Most certainly the citizen who owns property will take more interest in city and school matters than one who has no city property at all, except household effects.

W. J. CHANDALL of Lancaster county and Frank E. Helvey of the Nebraska City Tribune, were elected delegates to the Chicago convention by the republican congressional convention Tuesday. Charles H. Halstead of Johnson county and Jesse L. Root of this city were selected as alternates. Frank A. Barton of Pawnee county was named for presidential elector.

EVIDENTLY the republican party is not dwelling together in Nebraska in the best of harmony. As proof of this fact, take the statement of one J. J. Roberts before the recent republican convention in Lancaster county. He said: "The republicans are not certain of carrying the legislature. There is a nasty fight on over the governorship and the new revenue bill may make trouble before the campaign is over."

REPUBLICANS say that Henry Gering is the best man for mayor that the democrats could have put up. "He will be elected," said a prominent member of the opposition party, the next day after the convention, "and ought to be, for he is young and energetic, a live citizen, a good business man and just the person the city needs for mayor, irrespective of political matters." This is a worthy endorsement, coming, as it does, from one of Plattsmouth's most influential republican business men.

At the republican convention in Weeping Water last Saturday there materialized some opposition to pledging the Cass county delegates to support Mickey for renomination. At the close of the reading of a resolution to this effect, a motion to adopt, was opposed by Mr. Teft. The resolution however was finally adopted, but not unanimously, by any means. Most of the delegates perhaps thought it would be bad for Mickey's appointee in this county if they failed to pledge, when said office-holder was present. This incident indicates that Little Johnny is a "gone gosling," anyway.

We hope that the rose colored senatorial boom for Congressman Burkett, so successfully launched by the republican press is not to be prematurely frost-bitten, but the connection of Burkett's name with securing additional allowance for clerk hire at certain post-offices contrary to law and above the amounts they were entitled to, is not a pleasing phase of the question to be met at this inopportune time. The idea of dethroning one postoffice grafter for another would be a far-reaching recommendation, possibly, to the next state convention, but the people who have been ardent shouting for integrity and honesty are liable to have bad dreams.—Wahoo Democrat.

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SENATOR FORAKER and Senator Dick have locked horns on the republican control of Ohio. The odds always favor the new broom and the rising sun.

"BUFFALO BILL" doesn't care for the press notices he is now receiving as the result of his petition for a divorce. From present appearances he'll not get the divorce, anyway.

The democrats of Plattsmouth have done the right thing for our citizens by offering them an aldermanic ticket that caused general comment for its strength and for its worthiness.

"We don't need any platform," says a prominent western democrat. "All we need is a good, safe man. Teddy Roosevelt's record furnishes democracy enough issues." This has been the Journal's proposition for a year or more.

At the republican congressional convention held at Lincoln Congressman Burkett was renominated by acclamation. It seems that the republicans do not care to improve upon the calibre of their candidates.—Nebraska City News. Why? Of course not. The less ability a congressman has the better the republican grafters get in their work.

The democrats of the city, in convention assembled, last Friday night evidently had the best interests of the public schools at heart when they unanimously endorsed Messrs. F. G. Fricke and George Dodge for reelection as members of the school board. Besides being gentlemen of long residence of the city of Plattsmouth, the people know their true worth in any position they may be placed. These gentlemen are now serving in that capacity, and so faithfully have they performed the duties reposed in them that all those who delight in the continued prosperity of our schools will support them at the polls. All the property they possess is here in Plattsmouth, and of course their interests are strictly identified with those who have the welfare of the city at heart.

Judges and Clerks of City Elections. The last session of the legislature, says the Nebraska City Tribune, repealed the law relative to the appointment of judges and clerks of city elections, which may create some annoyance unless the matter is attended to before election day. One section in the statutes provides for the selection of these officers on election day, by the qualified electors present, one judge and clerk to be appointed from the party receiving the largest number of votes at the last general state election, and one each from the party polling the next largest number of votes; and if there be no third party the party polling the majority is entitled to the additional judge. In order to save time, trouble and possibly some wrangling and delay on election day, some of the political leaders have proposed that the central committees of the two parties meet on some day before election and agree upon their selection, so that everything will run smoothly on election day. Not a bad proposition, is it?

The Turners' Festival. The various classes of the Plattsmouth Turnverein are very busy practicing for their festival Tuesday and Wednesday, April 5 and 6. The program will be out next week, and an invitation is extended to all parties interested in physical exercises, to see the work that is done by the classes of Turnverein. The idea of the committee is to make these evenings entertaining as well as instructive to the public in behalf of physical culture. Dancing will be the concluding feature each evening, and refreshments will be served in the dining room by the ladies. Admission 25 cents.

Wakeful Children. For a long time the two year old child of Mr. P. L. McPherson, 59 N. Tenth St., Harrisburg, Pa., would sleep but two or three hours in the early part of the night, which made it very hard for her parents. Her mother concluded that the child had stomach trouble, and gave her half of one of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which quieted her stomach and she slept the whole night through. Two boxes of these Tablets have effected a permanent cure and she is now well and strong. For sale by all druggists.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held in the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on April 5, 1904, for the purpose of choosing: One councilman for the First ward. One councilman for the Second ward. One councilman for the Third ward. One councilman for the Fourth ward. One councilman for the Fifth ward. Two members of the school board for three years. One mayor. One clerk. One treasurer. One police judge. Said election will be held at the following places: First ward—Perkins House. Second ward—Turner Hall. Third ward—Jones' Livery Barn. Fourth ward—Odd Fellows' building. Fifth ward—Sach's Store. The polls will be open at 9 o'clock a. m., and remain open until 7 o'clock p. m. on said day. By order of the mayor. FRANK J. MORGAN, Mayor. Attest: H. M. SOENNICHSEN, Clerk.

License Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has filed his petition as required by the statutes of the state of Nebraska, with the clerk of the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, requesting a license to sell malt, liquors and vinous liquors for the coming municipal year in the building located on the west half (W 1/2) of lot nine (9) in block twenty-nine (29) in the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska. W. M. BARLEY, Applicant. March 21, 1904.

Notice to Creditors.

State of Nebraska, ss. In County Court, Cass County. In the matter of the estate of Stephen Benton, deceased. NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of said estate, before me, County Judge of Cass County, Nebraska, at the county court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1904, and on the 17th day of October, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment, and allowance. Six months are allowed for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims, and one year for the administrator to settle said estate, from the 15th day of April, A. D. 1904. Witness my hand and seal of said county court, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 22nd day of March, A. D. 1904. HARVEY D. TRAVIS, County Judge.

Notice.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF CASS COUNTY, Nebraska. In the matter of the guardianship of Stephen Benton, insane. To the heirs at law and all other persons interested in said matter: You are hereby notified that James H. Lattom, as guardian of said Benton, has filed in the office of the County Court a report of his acts as such guardian to the 25th day of January, 1904, showing receipts in the sum of \$67.23 and disbursements in the sum of \$52.30, and a residue of that time of \$14.93, from which costs and attorney's fees are to be paid, and therewith presented his petition for final settlement and discharge as such guardian. You are notified that a hearing will be had upon said petition and report and the prayer thereof on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the county court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and if you fail to appear at said time and object to the proceedings the court may settle said account and discharge said guardian. Witness my hand and seal of said court at Plattsmouth this 21st day of March, A. D. 1904. HARVEY D. TRAVIS, County Judge.

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. In County Court, Cass County. In the matter of the estate of Goettlieb Frichtler, deceased. NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased will meet the Administrator of said estate, before me, County Judge of Cass County, Nebraska, at the county court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 3rd day of June, A. D. 1904, and on the 3rd day of September, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment, and allowance. Six months are allowed for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims, and one year for the administrator to settle said estate, from the 3rd day of March, 1904. Witness my hand and seal of said county court, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 3rd day of March, 1904. HARVEY D. TRAVIS, County Judge.

Notice of Final Settlement.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. In County Court, Cass County. In the matter of the estate of Frederick P. Stohmann, deceased. George J. Stohmann, William J. Stohmann, Frederick P. Stohmann, Louis Kupske, Andrew Stohmann, Amelia Stohmann, August A. Stohmann, and Henry C. Stohmann, are hereby notified that upon the 25th day of February, 1904, Frederick P. Stohmann, administrator of said estate filed in said court his final report and petition for final settlement of said estate, and a decree of assignment of the residue of said estate real and personal in equal proportions to Louis Kupske, August A. Stohmann, and Henry C. Stohmann, subject to the statutory rights of the widow, on the 25th day of March, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and if you fail to appear at said time and object to the proceedings the court may settle said report and assign said property as prayed and discharge the administrator. Witness my hand and official seal at Plattsmouth, this 25th day of February, A. D. 1904. HARVEY D. TRAVIS, County Judge.

Notice to Creditors.

State of Nebraska, ss. In County Court, Cass County. In the matter of the estate of Stephen M. Davis, deceased. NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased will meet the Administrator of said estate, before me, County Judge of Cass County, Nebraska, at the county court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 10th day of May, 1904, and on the 10th day of October, 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment, and allowance. Six months are allowed for the creditors of said deceased to present their claims, and one year for the administrator to settle said estate, from the 9th day of April, 1904. Witness my hand and seal of said county court, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 23rd day of March, 1904. HARVEY D. TRAVIS, County Judge.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued by James Robertson, clerk of the district court, within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 20th day of April, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day at the south door of the court house in the city of Plattsmouth, in said county, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate to-wit: Lots six and seven (6 and 7) in block three (3) in the 11th ward, Cass county, Nebraska, together with the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of James E. Fleming, defendant, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by Meyer & Haaspeke, plaintiff, against said defendant, Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on the 11th day of February, 1904. JOHN D. WHELAN, Sheriff Cass Co. Nebraska, Plaintiff's Attorney.

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