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GOOD morning, Mayor Gering?

BILLY CLEMENT is evidently a race horse, when it comes to beating such a popular man as Dr. Cook. He is a record-breaker.

"GERING must be beat!"—Byron Clark. This edict went forth, but as the returns indicate, "the would-like-to-be boss's" will had but little effect.

THE license ticket was elected in Louisville Tuesday. Our friend, Lee Mayfield, of the Courier, was one of the "city dads" elected on this ticket.

TEDDY says with uplifted hand that he will personally investigate every department of the government, if he shall be elected. Why don't he do it now, when he has a chance?

SENATOR PLATT, of Connecticut, says that unless the Panama canal is built without reference to political influence, its progress will be marked by scandal. He knows his friends.

OUR friends down at Nebraska City elected their entire ticket with the exception of one solitary candidate—the treasurer. They did a little better than Plattsmouth. Shake ☞.

IN two years Teddy, the accidental president, has expended, besides his salary, more in extras than did Hayes, Garfield, Arthur, Cleveland, Harrison and McKinley all put together. Strenuosity comes high.

THE would-be republican national committeeman, has assumed the roll of a "boss" already, and gave out the order all along the line "that Gering must be beat!" This was enough, as Mr. Gering's majority signifies.

MR. BARTON may be, as the News terms it, "a cracker jack," but any man that the Plattsmouth Republican Ring has anything to do with, "gets it in the neck" every time they have anything to do with putting up a candidate.

UNDER Section 549 of the Postal Laws and Regulations, postmasters cannot furnish information concerning mail received or delivered. Furnishing information touching mail matter is also prohibited over telephone lines.

W. L. PICKETT is a good man, an excellent citizen, but should have known better than to have accepted a nomination at a convention in which the Plattsmouth Republican Ring manipulated the wires, through its chief fuglemen, Clark and Polk.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND forbade his postmasters from mixing in politics. He said they were appointed and paid to attend to the business of the public. Things are different now. Postmasters are expected to neglect their duties and go out and whoop it up for Teddy, the lion hunter.

THAT General Bristow be superseded, was fiercely demanded by 151 congressmen, until it was rumored that he had something else up his sleeve. And they do say Blowhard was among the number that wanted Bristow out out of the way. Wonder why?

SECRETARY HITCHCOCK has paid out $692,000 to lobbyists in connection with an Indian claim. Senator Platt says "this is one of the most notorious instances of lobbying that ever came to my notice." A discussion of it occupied several hours in the senate a few days since.

CONGRESSMAN HENSHAW has served but one term and is considered the most influential member of the Nebraska delegation at Washington. This is certainly pretty tough on Blowhard Burkett who has been trying to represent the first district for nearly six years.

HIS ACCIDENCY, Teddy Roosevelt, is fond of parade and gold lace. He has matured a plan to increase the number of handsome young officers in brilliant filagree at his receptions next winter, by having them detailed to make a special study of ordinance at the Washington gun factory.

THE state revenue board has decided that grain elevator men of Nebraska must pay taxes not only on the grain on hand when the assessor calls, but also on the average capital invested during the year. This will be hard to get at and the assessor will have to be a very careful figurer.

THE Smoot committee neglected its duty by not making Joseph Smith tell how he managed to get along with all his mothers-in-law. This secret should be divulged or Smoot convicted. And then it would be some consolation to those men who can't get along with one monther-in-law, to know the secret.

BURTON, the Kansas senator, convicted of bribery by the federal court at St. Louis, says if he had lived in Nebraska, he wouldn't have been convicted. No matter what a republican officeholder does in Nebraska, plenty of his friends will be found standing around with whitewash brushes in hand to douse him.

IF the democrats succeed in getting Judge Sullivan to accept the nomination for governor, we candidly believe that enough republicans, who have grown so sick and disgusted with Midget Mickey's monkey business, will help elect him. Then the people of Nebraska could boast of a chief executive whom all would delight in honoring.

THE BATTLE OF THE BALLOTS

Tuesday's Election Returns Very Satisfactory to Democrats.

HENRY R. GERING IS ELECTED MAYOR.

H. M. Soennichsen City Clerk, and Billy Clement Treasurer.

ALSO THREE OF THE FIVE COUNCILMEM.

Henry R. Gering, d.....Mayor
H. M. Soennichsen, d.....Clerk
R. W. Clement, d.....Treasurer
William Weber, r.....Police Judge.
F. G. Fricke, d....Mem. School Board
Geo. Dodge, d..... " " "

Notwithstanding it seems that a few of the opposition are surprised at the general results of the election on Tuesday, there should be nothing of the kind when the make-up of the two tickets is compared—the democratic ticket being an exceptionally good one.

One of the great surprises to the Journal was the defeat of Judge Archer on the democratic ticket; another is the defeat of Dr. Cook (republican) for treasurer. However, there is some reason for the defeat of both. Judge Archer's actions in in the campaign last fall is attributable principally to his defeat—many democrats refusing to support him on this account. But the Journal was greatly in hopes that this feeling to a large extent had died out; but it seems as election drew near the smouldering embers from last fall's bitter feeling became rekindled to such an extent that it was impossible to suppress it. Judge Archer has served as police judge for a number of years, and in that capacity has given almost universal satisfaction, and the Journal only hopes that his successor will "fill the bill" as well. In the case of Dr. Cook, his opponent is a young man, possessing all the qualities of a true gentleman, and was exceedingly popular in the city. In the face of this fact, a number of voters had arrived at the conclusion that the present incumbent had "been there long enough." From the very start the race between Dr. Cook and Billy Clement promised to quite spirited, and from the returns it would seem that Billy was cut out for a race horse and out-winded the Dr. in the last heat. The office will be in proper hands, as Mr. Clement contains all the requirements to fill the position most satisfactorily.

The republicans only got two on their ticket—Weber for police judge, and Steimker for conncilman in the Third ward.

The new council will stand: Six democrats; three republicans and one (Neuman) independent.

Below is given the vote in the different wards:

FIRST WARD.
Mayor.
Henry R. Gering, d.....106
W. L. Pickett, r.....60
A. Carlson, soc.....4
Gering's majority.....42
City Clerk.
H. M. Soennichsen, d.....124
G. W. Thomas, r.....43
P. H. Madsen, soc.....4
Soennichsen's majority.....99
City Treasurer.
R. W. Clement, d.....103
E. W. Cook, r.....43
Jacob Jones, soc.....3
Clement's majority.....57
Police Judge.
M. Archer, d.....83
Wm. Weber, r.....78
H. C. McKay, soc.....6
Archer over Weber.....6
Councilman.
Fred Ebinger, d.....88
Linderman, r.....73
Dougherty, soc.....4
Ebinger's majority.....11

SECOND WARD.
Mayor.
Henry R. Gering, d.....178
W. L. Pickett.....69
Carlson, soc.....17
Gering's majority.....92
City Clerk.
H. M. Soennichsen, d.....193
G. W. Thomas, r.....59
P. P. Madsen, soc.....8
Soennichsen's majority.....126
City Treasurer.
R. W. Clement, d.....126
E. W. Cook, r.....124
P. H. Madsen, soc.....11
Clement over Cook.....2
Police Judge.
M. Archer, d.....101
Wm. Weber, r.....147
H. C. McKay, soc.....11
Weber's majority.....35
Councilman.
W. C. Tippens, d.....178
John Claus, rep.....86
Andy Kroehler, soc.....11
Tippens over Claus.....72

THIRD WARD.
Mayor.
Henry R. Gering.....114
W. L. Pickett.....78
A. Carlson, soc.....31
Gering over Pickett.....36
City Clerk.
H. M. Soennichsen, d.....151
G. W. Thomas, r.....62
P. H. Madsen, soc.....13
Soennichsen's majority.....58
City Treasurer.
R. W. Clement, d.....96
E. W. Cook, r.....120
Jacob Jones, soc.....9
Cook's majority.....14
Police Judge.
M. Archer, d.....90
Wm. Weber, r.....117
H. C. McKay, soc.....17
Weber's majority.....10
Councilman.
J. M. Roberts, d.....87
F. H. Steimker, r.....118
T. J. Isner, soc.....18
Steimker's majority.....13

FOURTH WARD.
Mayor.
Henry R. Gering d.....93
W. L. Pickett r.....57
A. Carlson soc.....18
Gering's majority.....18
City Clerk.
H. M. Soennichsen d.....115
G. W. Thomas r.....38
P. H. Madsen soc.....12
Soennichsen majority.....58
Treasurer.
R. W. Clement d.....81
E. W. Cook r.....77
Jacob Jones soc.....10
Clement over Cook.....4
Police Judge.
M. Archer d.....80
Wm. Weber r.....70
H. C. McKay soc.....11
Archer over Weber.....10
Councilman.
Pat Eagan d.....40
Robert Hayes r.....49
Henry Sanders soc.....16
Frank Neuman by pet.....57
Neuman over Hays.....8

For members of the school board Messrs. Fricke and Dodge carried every ward in the city, and their majority on the whole is somewhere between 200 and 300.

FIFTH WARD.
Mayor.
Henry R. Gering, d.....76
W. L. Pickett, r.....39
A. Carlson, soc.....16
Gering's majority.....21
City Clerk.
H. M. Soennichsen, d.....80
G. W. Thomas. r.....38
P. H. Madsen, soc.....8
Soennichsen's majority.....34
City Treasurer.
R. W. Clement, d.....52
E. W. Cook, r.....72
Jacob Jones, r.....7
Cook's majority.....13
Police Judge.
M. Archer, d.....76
Wm. Weber, r.....52
H. C. McKay, soc.....12
Archer's majority.....12
Councilman.
W. W. Slater, d.....67
George Hall, r.....51
Gibson, soc.....12
Slater over Hall.....16

Election Echoes.

"Gering must be beat"—Byron Clark.

Pat Egan made a good race in the Fourth ward.

"Windy" Steimker will feel awful lonesome in the new city council.

Soennichsen as a runner in this city is a good one. He came very near leaving Thomas at the starting point.

The total vote polled for the head of the socialist ticket was eighty-six—the third ward polling thirty-one of these.

One of the unsuccessful candidates says a few more Don Despains would have made the election unanimously democratic.

Fricke and Dodge, for members of the school board, ran so fast that Polk's man Friday, was scarcely known in the race.

W. C. Tippens came out with colors flying in the Second, as did also Billy Slater in the Fourth and Fred Ebinger in the First.

Jack Denson was a great help to the democratic ticket. The next election that comes it would pay to hire Jack to stand around and abuse democratic candidates.

The edict that went forth from the would-be republican national committeeman "that Gering must be beat," worked just the opposite direction, as the returns denote.

After the smoke of battle clears away how natural it is for some newspaper editors to feed the successful candidates on "taffy." But all candidates understand such matters.

H. M. Soennichsen's tremendous majority in this city must be an eyesore to the gentleman the Plattsmouth republican ring has in training to pit against him next year for county clerk.

"The city is now in the hands of the Dutch," slurringly remarks a republican the day after the election. Well, they have equal rights with you, haven't they? They are Americans and better citizens, as a whole, than any of your class.

Henry R. Gering, the Journal prophesies, will make one of the best mayors the city ever boasted of. He will do his duty, without fear or favor, and has the ability and courage to carry out his determinations. The interests of the city at large will be his interests.

DON DESPAIN, one of Midget Mickey's young hirelings, came down from Lincoln Tuesday to assist his republican friends in "sweeping the platter." The fact is, if Mickey had sent down one or two more of Don's calibre, the democrats would have made a clean sweep of everything. Every man, woman and child in Plattsmouth knows what made Don a republican.

THE facts forcibly illustrate two points: One is that a man dare not launch his candidacy for a republican nomination in Nebraska unless he is backed by the B. & M., Union Pacific or Elk Horn railroad. And then he wants to be sure the managers of that particular road will not "throw him overboard" at a critical moment and thereby make his candidacy absolutely ridiculous.

Dr. Elster, Dentist,
Waterman Block.

THE Journal has never thought for a moment that the republicans of Nebraska would display such poor judgment as to elect a man like Burkett to the United States senate. They have two noncilities going through the motion of representing Nebraska at Washington now, and it would be a disgrace to the state to succeed either by such a man as Blowhard Burkett. Of course if the railroads simply want a "tool" Blowhard would serve them to perfection. Ability cuts no figure with the railroads, as, for instance, in the case of the present midget governor.

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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 11 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 village of Murray, Cass county, Nebraska, together with the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of James E. Fleming, defendant, to satisfy a judgement of said court recovered by Meyer & Raapke, plaintiff's against said defendant.
Plattsmouth, Nebraska, March 14th, A. D., 1904.
JOHN D. McBRIDE,
BYRON CLARK, Sheriff Cass Co. Nebraska.
Plaintiff's Attorney.

LICENSE NOTICES.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has filed his petition as required by the statutes of the State of Nebraska with the city clerk of the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, requesting a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for the coming municipal year in the building situated on block twenty-seven (27) lots eleven and twelve (11 & 12) in the city of Plattsmouth Nebraska.
O. P. MONROE,
April 7, 1904. Applicant.

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PETER GOOS,
March 31st, 1904. Applicant.

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HANS H. GOOS,
March 31st, 1904. Applicant.

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ED. EGENBERGER,
March 31st, 1904. Applicant.

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ED. DONAT,
March 31, 1904. Applicant.

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CLAUS SPECK,
March 31, 1904. Applicant.

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PHILLIP THIEROLF,
March 31, 1904. Applicant.

DRUGGIST'S PERMIT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT GERING & Co. have filed their petition as required by the statutes of the State of Nebraska with the city clerk of the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, requesting a permit to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for medicinal, mechanical and chemical purposes for the coming municipal year in the building situated on the west half (w½) of lot twelve (12) of block twenty-eight (28) in the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.
GERING & CO.,
March 31, 1904. Applicants.

DRUGGIST'S PERMIT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT George W. Gilman has filed his petition as required by the statutes of the State of Nebraska with the city clerk of the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, requesting a permit to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for medicinal, mechanical and chemical purposes for the coming municipal year in the building situated on the east half (e½) of lot eight (8) of block twenty-eight (28) in the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.
GEORGE W. GILMAN,
March 31, 1904. Applicant.

DRUGGIST'S PERMIT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT F. G. Fricke & Co. have filed their petition as required by the statutes of the State of Nebraska with the city clerk of the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, requesting a permit to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for medicinal, mechanical and chemical purposes for the coming municipal year in the building situated on lots one (1) and two (2) in block thirty-six (36) in the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.
F. G. FRICKE & CO.,
March 31, 1904. Applicant.

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March 24, 1904. W. M. BARCLAY,
Applicant.

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