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REPUBLICANS VERY MUCH WORRIED

Grave Doubts of the Legality of the Special Election July 18.

A special from Lincoln to the Omaha World-Herald says: Grave doubts of the legality of the special election called for July 18 have been expressed by attorneys, and the Lincoln republicans are worried about the matter.

The obliteration of the biennial law has brought about a discussion of the case. A meeting of the republican congressional committee will doubtless be called within a short time to discuss the matter. It is claimed that Governor Mickey exceeded his authority in issuing the proclamation. Several attorneys have expressed divergent views, and it has been stated that two conventions might have to be called to renominate candidates.

Richard L. Metcalfe, chairman of the democratic congressional committee, said: "I notice that the Lincoln Star says that Attorney General Brown and Governor Mickey carefully considered all aspects of the case before the proclamation was issued, and they declare that it is free from technical flaws."

"I take it for granted that Attorney General Brown would not plunge the people into an expenditure of \$15,000 without being sure of his ground. Mayor Brown's friends are ready for the contest on July 18. If an error has been made in issuing the proclamation for a special election it is not our error. If our friends have become alarmed and prefer that the fight take place later, the power is in their hands. At all events, we will meet them and do our best, whether it be July 18 or in November."

Funeral of S. P. Metz.

William Ossenkop and G. S. Metz of Waucombs, Oklahoma, were in the city today for the purpose of having an administrator appointed for the estate of his brother, S. P. Metz, who died very suddenly Wednesday morning. The funeral occurred yesterday, and was quite largely attended, and Mr. Metz was called here on account of his brother's death. He has lived in Oklahoma for about four years, and is well pleased with the country. Mr. Metz says the wheat has all been harvested and that corn looks fine. The deceased Mr. Metz was a partner of Mr. Ossenkop, and that gentleman has closed the business until an administrator is appointed, and Mr. Metz will not return home until matters are adjusted satisfactorily.

A Regular "Frost."

Speaking of the "opening meeting" of the congressional campaign last Saturday the Auburn Herald says: "The opening gun of the congressional campaign was fired in this city Saturday by a couple of 22 calibre orators. It was only a corporal's guard that assembled in the courthouse yard to hear Senator Burkett and E. M. Pollard discuss the issues, Saturday afternoon. There was no enthusiasm while Burkett or Pollard spoke. Half the crowd left while the latter was holding forth. If the postmasters of the county had remained at home the audience would have been very slim indeed."

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THE ELECTION LAW VOID!

Chief Justice Holcomb Hands Down the Opinion of the Judges.

CONFLICTS WITH FUNDAMENTAL LAW

This is Another Great Mistake the Republicans Will Have to Answer For.

WHAT ARE TO BE ELECTED THIS FALL.

The biennial election law has been declared void. Chief Justice Holcomb is the author of the opinion and it was unanimously approved by the other judges. The law, which seeks to do away with the old year elections, was declared unconstitutional because the judges thought it sought to extend the tenure of office of officials whose terms were fixed by the organic law.

The decision makes it necessary to hold election this fall for supreme judge, regents and county officials. Chief Justice Holcomb, in discussing the argument that the legislature has a right to interpret the constitution when it bears on subjects of a political nature and that the rule contended for seems reasonable, but that it cannot be given the weight urged because the provisions of the constitution will not bear a construction permitting the legislature to change the time of holding of elections for judicial office and extending their terms one year. The court says:

The conflict is so palpable that the legislature enactment must give way.

The action of the legislative branch of the government is entitled to and should receive from the judicial department the greatest of respect and deference. This has been freely accorded and ever kept in mind in the consideration and discussion of the case at bar. The court should and does approach a conclusion, resulting in a holding that the law is unconstitutional, with great caution and hesitancy. The wisdom, policy and expediency of the law have not been allowed, that we are conscious of, to in the slightest degree influence our decision. We have endeavored to keep within the legitimate sphere of action belonging to the judiciary. And insofar as human fallibility permits us to reach a conclusion from a strictly legal and judicial standpoint, the final and ultimate construction of the constitution is by that instrument entrusted to the court. We have endeavored to discharge the trust thus reposed in the tribunal over which we for a time give expression to its utterances and decrees, according to the meaning expressed or arising by implication. In doing we are unable to escape the conclusion that the legislative enactment in controversy conflicts with several of the provisions of the fundamental law, and that the former must give way and be declared without legal force imperative and void.

In regard to the provisions of the schedule, which the attorney contended were merely temporary and directory, Judge Holcomb says that they are in many instances as lasting as other portions of the constitution and were so intended. Much reliance had been placed on a Kansas decision upholding a similar statute, but Judge Holcomb points out that there is a marked difference between the constitution of the two states in that the Nebraska document designates specifically the time when terms of office shall begin and end.

With reference to the contention that the legislature had the power to postpone for a year the choice of the successor to the present incumbents Judge Holcomb says that it would leave the control of the offices exclusively in the legislature. He adds:

The provision of the constitution providing that an officer shall hold over until his successor is elected cannot be understood to confer on the legislature the power to unnecessarily postpone the election of a successor to the office and thereby create a condition authorizing the incumbent to hold over after the expiration of his term. The mischief which would result from this construction of the constitution and the recognition of his authority in the legislature are too evident to require discussion. By the adoption of measures of this character the legislative department would appropriate to itself an extensive and dangerous power and influence over a great number of offices and officers.

The "knocking out" of the law necessitates the election of the following county officials in November: One judge of the supreme court, two regents of the state university, sheriff, treasurer, county clerk, county judge, surveyor, coroner and county superintendent of schools, who would otherwise have held over to next year under the law passed by the last legislature.

Right You Are.

Plattsmouth stands a chance of getting the state national guard encampment to be held next August. The state military board is anxious to secure a location for the encampment where a satisfactory rifle range can be secured and as bluffs and hills are an almost necessary adjunct to a rifle range, the military experts are investigating the country around Plattsmouth, where there are more hills than anything else. However, the encampment could hardly be better located than near Plattsmouth.—Nebraska City Tribune.

INTERESTING LETTER FROM MILWAUKEE

Mrs. J. N. Wise Enjoying Herself Among Friends of Girlhood Days.

(To the Journal)

MILWAUKEE, Wis., June 21, 1905. Yesterday at 11 a. m. I said "good morning" to this beautiful city. The streets were washed clean and shining flags and banners, streamers and pennants, arches and devices of all kinds bearing the word "Welcome," were on every side. Of course, I appropriated this hospitable greeting at once, but when I saw the big parades and heard the numberless bands, I concluded I would be obliged to divide the honors with the Woodmen, for the city is simply swarming with them. However, if I could not appropriate the city's welcome, I could that of my friends. Some of them that have called on me I have not seen before for forty years. We have grown old, we have grown gray headed, some of us have had cares and sorrows heavy to bear, but in this re-union our hearts will be gladdened and we will be girls and boys together, and quite as giddy and frivolous as we were in the old days.

Our re-union, or the final ceremonies, will take place the twenty-ninth. Letters are coming in from all parts of the country of acceptance. I am, in intervals of talking and receiving calls, busily employed directing invitations, making badges and assisting generally my friend, Dr. Evelyn Hoehne, who is secretary and prime mover in the re-union.

Of course, all outside interest is centered in the Woodmen's camp; it is not altogether a session devoted to pleasure, as the prominence of amusements on the daily program would indicate. The business sessions give promise of sensations that threaten the old line insurance companies. It seems as if the home territory of the old line companies is to be invaded by the fraternal societies under the leadership of the Modern Woodman, but the coming contest is not one of supremacy in insurance competition; it includes a thorough investigation into the financial and business methods of every old line company of prominence in the country. A resolution, calling for a great fraternal conference in New York, has been introduced by A. O. Crozier, of Wilmington, Delaware, and it is expected it will receive favorable consideration of both the committee on resolutions and the head camp. It is considered in the light of a strategic movement to carry the fight to New York, if the Woodmen with a membership of 700,000 receive the co-operation of other fraternal societies with a membership of many millions and act unitedly it is a precursor of one of the most sensational disclosures ever made in the world. Delegate Crozier thinks this will be a movement of national importance and will result in insurance being placed on an economical basis never before known. The Woodmen are asked to bear the burden of organization, because they represent the strongest insurance association, numerically, in the world.

There is such a wealth of amusements offered by the city for the entertainment of visitors that it will be difficult to decide which to choose. I think the automobile and floral parade Friday morning and the carnival parade in the afternoon will be well worth seeing. If we have any Nebraska people here besides myself I have not yet seen them. Will send you a program of the Eighth Ward School re-union later.

Let me apologize for this fragmentary letter. I have been repeatedly interrupted by telephone and other calls and finally in despair of copying it or otherwise making it presentable, I send it hoping you may be able to make some use of it.

Mrs. J. N. Wise.

County Commissioners Meet.

Plattsmouth, Neb., June 19, 1905. Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present D. Hawksworth and E. F. Marshall, J. L. Barton, deputy county clerk. Minutes of the previous session read and approved, when the following business was transacted in regular form:

The bond of W. A. Farmer for overseer of Road Dist. No. 6, was approved. Frank Johnson was appointed overseer of Road Dist. No. 55.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

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D Hawksworth, salary	33 00
E F Marshall, salary	26 80
James Alloway, livery hire	5 00
J M Teegarden, salary for year 1905	700 00
M Fanger, mtdse to poor	10 00
J N Clements, printing, two claims	6 50
N Jones, watching river	\$4 00
S M Chapman, attorney's fees assigned to bank of Cass Co.	50 00
J W Parker, identifying prisoner	5 00
R N Fulton, use of blood hounds	51 85
P D Bates, repairs at jail	19 75
C L Graves, printing	1 50
F E Hill, inquest John Steel	38 25
N Slocum, tax refunded	1 85
Nebr. Light Co., gas	19 60

Board adjourned to meet July 3, 1905.

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