

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

To Select Delegates to the State and Congressional Conventions.

The democratic county convention is hereby called to meet at the court house in Plattsmouth, ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1908, at 1 o'clock p. m., sharp, for the purpose of electing delegates to the state convention to meet at Omaha, on March 5, and also to elect delegates to the congressional convention.

Delegates from the various precincts and wards to the county convention shall be selected by primaries, duly called by the committee of each precinct and ward, the same to be held at the regular voting places in the various precincts and wards on Thursday, February 20th. The basis of representation shall be one vote for every ten votes, or major fraction thereof, cast for Hon. George L. Loomis for supreme judge in 1907. The various precincts and wards shall be entitled to representation as follows:

Table listing precincts and wards with their respective representation counts. Includes Avoca, Cooper, Eight Mile Grove, Elmwood, Greenwood, Liberty, Louisville, Mc Pleasant, Nehawka, Plattsmouth Precinct, Rock Bluffs (West), Rock Bluffs (East).

HENRY R. GERING, Chairman. W. C. RAMSEY, Secretary.

THE recent message of President Roosevelt has evidently "raised Cain" with the republican family. A contest similar to that in the democratic ranks over silver in 1896, is predicted.

THE collectorship is still puzzling the Nebraska delegation in congress. No agreement was reached Saturday, and adjournment of the "graft dispensers" was taken to Wednesday of this week. It is now believed that both Hammond and Rose will have to side-step for another man.

THE president's message should be commended by the toiling millions in the west from the fact that it contains many reiterations of the gentleman from Nebraska, who will be the democratic standard-bearer in the ensuing campaign, whose name is a household word throughout the entire land.

MR. BRYAN speaks for all democrats in demanding full publicity for contributions to campaign funds. Patriotic contributions made and used only for right and lawful purposes will honor those who make them. Money contributed and used to corrupt the ballot ought to have the full publicity on the jail records its contributions deserve.

FROM recent reports from Washington it appears that "graft dispensers" Burkett and Brown, will succeed in their efforts in having that grand old soldier, Captain Palmer, removed from the post-office at Omaha. No charges have been preferred against Captain Palmer, and the only reason why the two senators demand his removal is to give the place to one their pets.

CONGRESSMEN Henshaw and Norris will have the fight of their lives for re-ignomination, from reports from their respective districts, all because they favored and took the salary grab. What did Congressman Pollard do? We all know that he accepted the "tainted money," but did he favor "the grab"? The voters of the Third district will want to know all about this matter before they will consent to his return to congress again.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY JEROME's passionate abuse of Thaw in his closing speech has nothing to do with the merits of the case. Assuming that the defendant's guilt deserves the supreme penalty of the law, the habit many prosecuting attorneys have of abusing defendants with passionate intensity is merely a result of precedent, going back to England in the Middle Ages, when the attorneys for the crown abused defendants accused of treason with animosity fierce enough to show their own loyalty and win promotion at court. In acting on this long line of precedents, Jerome came close to the brutality of the Star Chamber prosecutors of such defendants

as Sir Walter Raleigh. It ought to be the last display of this kind. An American prosecuting attorney is paid to be passionate in denouncing criminals whose crimes show the results of passion.

DON'T fail to attend the democratic precinct primaries on Thursday, February 20.

CONGRESSMAN NORRIS has stirred up a good sized bunch of trouble in his district by that attempt of his to be funny the other day in congress. The resolution was not only a slap at Bryan but it was also a whack at Teddy's month, and the president's admirers are hot about it. It is dangerous to get funny, sometimes.

DESPITE the character his eulogists accord him as a man of action, Mr. Roosevelt is given a good deal more to think than to doing. And pretentious threats to do things may readily cause a trouble that would never come if action took the place of threat. Positive action gives a chance of defense to the party threatened, whereas for mere words there is oftentimes no defense.

IT appears from the records that the President's objections to stock gambling did not stop efforts to rush the Treasury surplus to Wall street when much of it might have been saved by the proposed closing of the Stock Exchange, to prevent which "disgrace" to Wall street millions were rushed to the floor by the same panic managers who were in touch with the Treasury and the White House.

THE results from the panic, so far, has not seriously disturbed the farmers. In fact, with the exception of fat hogs, the markets for all kinds of farm products have been exceptionally good, but the laboring man is the fellow that is "getting it in the neck" now. All over the east and in all industrial cities come the daily reports of reduction of employes and a reduction in wages and hours of those who are fortunate to find employment. What excuse can the republicans put up for this state of affairs during campaign? It looks as if they would have some pretty hard nuts to crack. But you need not fear, they will try to concoct some scheme to pull the wool over the eyes of the voter. These conditions have arrived just in time for the people to begin to do a little thinking themselves before casting their votes for the trust party candidate for president next fall.

THE assassination of the King and Crown Prince of Portugal sends a shudder of horror around the civilized world and arouses genuine sympathy for the Queen-mother whose husband and elder son fell dying at her feet while the second of her offspring lay twice wounded. That she escaped the rain of bullets which almost wiped out the royal family seems miraculous. That she tried to sacrifice her own life to preserve her children is only another illustration of the divinity of true motherhood whether in palace or cottage. But apart from the human side of the tragedy students of the rise and fall of dynasties will read a lesson which again emphasizes the fact that the day of autocratic rule is past. By abruptly abolishing the parliament and establishing a dictatorship, King Carlos fanned the flames of a popular discontent and aggravated the opposition to such an intense degree that he was practically a prisoner in the hands of his loyal guards for fear that he would meet some such fate as befell him. Had he pursued less drastic measures in his attempt to govern his people there probably would have been no incentive to lead an inflamed mob to such a deplorable tragedy.

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NEIGHBORHOOD FAVORITE Mrs. E. D. Charles of Harbor, Me., speaking of Electric Bitters, says: "It is a neighborhood favorite here with us." It deserves to be a favorite everywhere. It gives quick relief in dyspepsia, liver complaint, kidney derangement, malnutrition, nervousness, weakness and general debility. Its action on the blood as a thorough purifier makes it especially useful as a spring medicine. This grand alternative tonic is sold under guarantee by F. C. Fricke & Co.

BANQUET FEBRUARY 8. According to the Nebraska City News, a banquet will be tendered Judges Travis and Jensen on Saturday evening, February 8. The attorneys of Nebraska City are giving the banquet, the same to take place at the Watson House.

DAILY PERSONAL NEWS

Short Items of Interest, From Monday Evening's Daily Journal

James Polen of near Rock Bluffs was a visitor in the city this morning.

George J. Meisinger of near Mynard was a business visitor in the city today.

B. B. Danaher of Murray was transacting business with our merchants this morning.

George Horn, was a visitor in the city this morning looking after some business matters.

T. W. Vallery was a visitor in the city this morning, looking after some business matters.

C. A. Spangler of Louisville was a visitor in the city this morning looking after some business.

George Ballance departed this morning for Lincoln, where he goes to look after some business matters.

J. J. Svoboda was a visitor in Omaha this morning, where he is looking after some business affairs.

C. F. Vallery of southwest of Mynard was a visitor in the city this morning looking after business matters.

Mrs. A. L. Anderson was a visitor in Omaha this morning where she will be the guest of her mother for a few days.

Miss Lillian Bookmeyer was a visitor in Omaha this afternoon, where she will be the guest of friends for the day.

Sam Smith and wife from Rock Bluffs were visiting in the city today and looking after some business matters as well.

St. Mary's Guild will meet with Mrs. George Dovey Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

Louis Roetter was a visitor in Omaha yesterday morning, looking after some business matters and visiting with friends.

Mrs. Sadie Hoyer a guest of Mrs. Alva Godwin, after visiting in the city for some time departed for her home this afternoon.

E. B. Leffert of the Burlington force at Lincoln was a visitor in the city this morning, looking after some business in the city.

Johnnie Schields visited in Omaha with his mother and the rest of the family over Sunday, returning home last evening.

C. A. Welsh and Hans Tams departed this morning for Gibson, where they are working in the carpenter gang for the company.

D. P. Ashburn and wife, of Gibbon, lecturers for the Farmers' Institute, which is to be held at this place, came in this morning.

Mrs. George Hall, Nellie White and Eva Richel were passengers to Omaha this morning, where they visited with friends for the day.

C. H. Rist from southwest of the city was a passenger to Glenwood this morning, where he is looking after some business matters.

C. W. Baylor after spending a few days with his family in the city departed for Columbus, where he takes up his work again on the road.

Byrl Ballard and family returned last evening from a visit to Crete, where they have been visiting with relatives and friends and some days past.

Alex Burger of Alamosa, Colorado, has been a visitor at the home of Louis Dose in the city for the past few days and departed today for his home in the west.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roesner after visiting in the city for some time with friends and relatives, departed this morning for their home in Stirling Colorado.

A. F. Dutton, wife and little son, departed for University Place, Sunday morning after visiting in the city with the parents of Mrs. Dutton for some days past.

Willie Weber, Fred Ohms and Otto Loucinsky, departed yesterday morning for their work at Havelock, after a few days visit with friends and relatives in the city.

Mrs. George Gradoville and children returned home this morning, after spending some two or three weeks visiting with relatives and friends at Brush Colorado.

The Plattsmouth Telephone company are unloading a car of cross arms, a car load of copper wire for long distance circuits, and a car load of galvanized iron wire for shorter circuit work.

M. Fanger of the department store, departed for Omaha this afternoon and from there will go to Kansas City, where he will endeavor to secure two trimmers for his millinery department.

James Wynn was visitor in Omaha yesterday.

A. S. Will was a business visitor in Omaha today.

John W. Crabill was a business visitor in Omaha today.

Wm. Earhart, of Manley, was a visitor in the city today.

John Macin was a visitor with friends in Omaha this afternoon.

John Albert of Cedar Creek was a visitor in the city this morning.

D. A. Young, from near Murray, was a visitor in the city this morning.

S. H. Atwood was a business visitor in the city this morning, from Lincoln.

Miss Fern McBride departed for Omaha today where she will attend school.

It pays to be up-to-date in farming. Attend the Farmers' Institute at the court house.

Dr. E. D. Cummins was a visitor in Omaha on professional business this afternoon.

Mathew Gering was a visitor in Lincoln this morning where he has some legal business.

Come the the court house Monday and Tuesday. Everybody invited, ladies in particular.

Oscar Larson was a passenger to Bellevue this afternoon, where he is attending school.

Roy Savage of the Alcazar was a visitor in Omaha yesterday, returning home last evening.

Edwin Jeary, of Lincoln, was a visitor in the city this morning, looking after some business matters.

Joseph Carrigan returned to his work at Havelock Sunday morning, after visiting in the city for a few days.

J. L. Root was a passenger to Lincoln this morning where he has some legal matters to look after.

C. Mockenhaupt, of near Manley, was a visitor in the city this morning, looking after some business matters.

Will Crisman of the Burlington surveying force of Omaha was a visitor in the city this morning on company business.

George B. Lehnhoff was a visitor in the city with his mother last evening returning to his home at Omaha this morning.

Dr. John Klauman of Omaha was a visitor in the city this morning the guest of his sons Conrad and Frank E. Schlater.

J. C. Spangler, of Louisville, was a visitor in the city this morning, looking after some business matters at the county seat.

A. H. Vallery and wife departed for Greenwood this afternoon, where they will visit with friends and relatives for a few days.

Miss Alta Barthold was a visitor in the city over Sunday, returning to her work at the Institute at Glenwood, Iowa, this morning.

Miss Clara Coleman returned this morning from an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. O. A. Brown and family, at Kansas City.

Sam Beverage was a visitor in the city last Saturday evening from Weeping Water, near where he is engaged working on a farm.

E. H. Elton was a visitor in South Omaha today where he is looking after some business for the Plattsmouth Telephone company.

Mrs. Anna Snell of Council Bluffs came in this morning and is visiting at the home of her old time friends, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boeck.

David White returned to his studies at the State university at Lincoln this morning after visiting in the city over Sunday with his parents.

Monte Straight was a brief visitor in the city this morning, returned to Omaha on the fast mail, where he takes his run out this evening.

Marriage license were issued today by County Judge A. J. Beeson to Ralph Raymond Standard, aged 24, of Louisville, and Miss Abbie Caroline Anderson, of Weeping Water, aged 22.

William Saponal of this place who went to Union to work for the Missouri Pacific about a month since, has concluded he would rather live in Plattsmouth and has returned taking up his residence here again.

Frans Ballance and Victor Sherwood, both of whom are employed at the Glenwood Institute, came over Sunday morning and visited with their respective families, returning to their work this morning.

Mrs. Theobold Rhin departed this morning for Omaha accompanying her son, Philip on his return to his school work in the metropolis, and visiting with her son, Frank Schellie and family at South Omaha for a short time.

PERUNA EDITORIAL NO. I.

Dr. Hartman is now offering Peruna to the public as a regular pharmaceutical product. It is just as ethical as any compound put up for the medical profession. No training of medical ethics can find any fault with it. THE PRINCIPAL ACTIVE INGREDIENTS are prominently incorporated in the label on the bottle, that the people may know that the claims made for Peruna have a true justification.

The only departure we shall make from medical ethics in the conduct of Peruna affairs in the future, is the fact that we shall continue to advertise and sell our product TO THE PEOPLE.

If we would agree to sell to doctors only, to advertise for doctors only, then the medical fraternity would be obliged to recognize Peruna as being entirely within their approval.

BUT WE SHALL NOT DO THIS. We shall continue to offer Peruna to the people. We shall continue to convey to the people our claims for Peruna as a household remedy. We shall continue to supply the people with free literature, teaching them how to use our medicine, teaching them how to avoid disease, teaching them many things of benefit to the home. We shall continue to do this, whether the medical profession like it or not.

We are proposing from this time on to take the public into our confidence. Notwithstanding that some imitators and substitutes will be attempting to put up something which they consider just as good as Peruna, we are going to draw aside the veil of secrecy and allow any one who chooses to know exactly OF WHAT PERUNA IS COMPOSED.

This ought to disarm all honest criticism. We expect, however, that criticism will continue. On some pretext or other these who are envious of the success of Peruna will continue to find fault. But we are determined to give such people no just complaint. PERUNA IS A GREAT MEDICINE.

It has become a household word in millions of homes. Our faith in the remedy is stronger than ever. Every year we expect to establish new plants in foreign lands until the people of all the world are supplied with this valuable household remedy.

WE CLAIM PERUNA TO BE A CATARRH REMEDY. Buy a bottle and try it. If it helps you, be honest and acknowledge that it has helped you. If you wish us to we will publish your statement exactly as you furnish it to us. We will add no words, take away no words. If you wish us to we will publish your portrait in connection with it. We will not do this without your written request, without your entire consent.

Peruna has cured thousands of people of chronic catarrh, in many phases and locations. At least, that is what the people say to us, through unsolicited testimonials. Peruna will cure many thousand more, in spite of fabricated slanders to the contrary.

WE GUARANTEE EVERY BOTTLE OF PERUNA TO CONTAIN THE INGREDIENTS PRINTED ON THE LABEL. We guarantee that every testimonial we use is absolutely true—in the exact language of the testifier.

We guarantee that every photograph published is the photograph of the person whose name it bears, that every word of every testimonial was authorized by the hand that signed it.

We are determined to beat our opponents by being fairer than they are, by dealing squarer than they dare to. We are determined to meet falsehood with truth, duplicity with candor, insincerity with sincerity.

We know that the users of Peruna will appreciate our stand. We believe that the dealers in Peruna will applaud our course. We expect even our opponents will be obliged to acknowledge finally that Peruna is not only an honest and useful remedy, but one of the GREATEST HOUSEHOLD MEDICINES ON THE CONTINENT.

Roy Barcus is reported on the sick list with the gripe.

W. P. Speck was a passenger to Lincoln yesterday morning.

Splendid reports in book form will be given away at the Farmers' Institute Monday and Tuesday.

James H. Johnson was a visitor with friends in Omaha yesterday morning, returning home last evening.

Albert Schuldice and wife were visiting in Omaha yesterday with friends returning home last evening.

C. Miller returned from Columbus, where he has been visiting with relatives and friends for the past week.

Fred Hesse departed for Havelock Sunday morning after a visit in the city for a few days with his parents and friends.

H. C. Sparks was a passenger to Omaha this morning, where he will visit for a week or so with friends and relatives.

Mrs. N. H. Isabel was a visitor in Omaha this morning, looking after some business and visiting with friends for the day.

Miss Josephine Clifford was a visitor in the city over Sunday, a guest with her mother, returning to her home in Omaha this morning.

Rev. L. M. Hall, of Lincoln, city missionary of the Christian church, was an over Sunday visitor in the city, preaching both morning and evening at the Christian church.

Our old friend, L. L. vanHouten, was a visitor in the city last Saturday, coming with a train and staying over Sunday, visiting with his many friends in the city, returning to Lincoln yesterday.

Miss Ina Randall returned to her studies at Omaha this morning after visiting over Sunday with her parents, and was accompanied by her father, the Rev. Randall, who is looking after some business.

E. E. Francis, of Omaha, representing the Underwood Typewriter company, was a visitor in the city today, looking after the interest of their machine and remained to interview the school board at its meeting this evening.

Mr. Kempster is promoted to division storekeeper for the whole western division with headquarters at McCook at an increased salary. C. W. Britt the late storekeeper at McCook will be his chief clerk. Mr. Kempster still has jurisdiction over the Denver store.

Frank Duxbury was a visitor in Omaha yesterday, where he was the guest of his wife, who is at the hospital at that place. Frank reports that his wife is not making that progress which he has hoped she would, but that she is gaining slowly and every day shows some improvement.

After a month's vacation from his duties at Holdrege, where he is engaged as a tinner with the Ulig Hardware company, George Hall departed for the west yesterday morning where he will again take up his work. Mrs. Hall and the little boy will not go until about two weeks.

Taken Up. Two yearling heifers, one black and one red, both with white face. Owner may have same by calling at my place and paying damages, and the cost of this advertisement. Call at my farm 4 1/2 miles southwest of Mynard.

GEO. J. MEISINGER.

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion. Text: 'A Boston schoolboy was tall, weak and sickly. His arms were soft and flabby. He didn't have a strong muscle in his entire body. The physician who had attended the family for thirty years prescribed Scott's Emulsion. NOW: To feel that boy's arm you would think he was apprenticed to a blacksmith. ALL DRUGGISTS: 50c. AND \$1.00.'