

A TIRELESS GUARDIAN

Rosewater, the Republican National Commitmen and His nefarious Scheme.

If there is a particle of gratitude in the make-up of the Nebraska Populist he must indeed be filled with kindly sentiment for the tireless genius who, as Republican national committeeman from this state, boils with indignation at the very thought of how the Populists are tricked and imposed upon by the wicked Democrats in the operation of the system whereby fusion is attempted.

It must be comforting indeed to the poor, defenseless Populists to know that one so filled with kindly solicitude for their political welfare is standing vigil over their political rights and privileges, and is not afraid to rush into court to sustain them whenever a plausible excuse for such action is presented.

There have been so many different kinds of actions at law begun in an effort to prevent fusion in this state that the latest does not seem apt to attract much attention or arouse much interest. The laws permitting fusion have been assailed from every possible angle, but thus far no court has been found ready to disqualify a man simply because he is endowed with a desire to vote the Populist ticket. It does not seem probable that any will be found ready to do it now, no matter upon what peculiar pretext it may be suggested, nor how harried with indignation and solicitude the person may be who suggests it.

It is inspiring to discover from the explanation offered of the filing of this suit that there is one individual in this state who is watchful of the political morals of the commonwealth and so easily aroused to the defense of the down-trodden and flim-flamed Populists of the state. Certainly every Populist in the state must feel his heart swell with gratitude to note that there is one tireless guardian of the popular rights studiously determined that they shall not be made victims of any shell games or take any bad money.

It will not escape the notice of the followers of that party that Mr. Rosewater is always able to easily get twice as mad about their wrongs as they are themselves, and is always ready to go to far greater extremes than are they to shield them from their hated enemies, the despicable and audacious conspiring Democrats. It is comforting to the Populists, no doubt, to know that the national committeeman of the Republican party can find time to devote so much energy to the protection of their rights and political interests.

Meantime it would certainly be a joke upon the fusion candidates if their endorsement by one of the parties, and the consequent resignation of their dual party allegiance could now be crowded off the official ballot, especially in view of the fact that some of them have offered to pay filing fees as representatives of both parties, only to have them rejected by the secretary of state, under the official opinion of the attorney general.

Why do these contumacious Populists insist on annoying Mr. Rosewater by "popping." Why can't they go way back and sit down?—Lincoln Star, Rep.

Damaged by Ha.

From Monday's Daily. Peter Meisinger and wife are spending today in the city, driving in from their home west of the city. They were among those who were unfortunate enough to be caught in the hail storm yesterday afternoon and they have suffered severe loss. The storm was most severe at their home and Mr. Meisinger states that he will not get any corn at all this year while his oats which had not been cut are also a total loss. He brought in several stalks of corn which show the terrific effect of the storm. They are literally stripped and cut to pieces and there is not a show for the corn to make up for this loss. He figures that his fields are gone for good. The oats were literally beaten into the ground and as near threshed as it is possible. The wind was very strong with the hail and this added largely in making the loss complete. As an illustration of the storm's violence, Mr. Meisinger states that he recently had his porch closed around with brand new wire screen. The hail cut this wire as if the work had been done with a knife, the edges being clean cut through. Window lights were also broken out and several parties who were driving in that neighborhood had very severe bruises given them when the hail struck them. There were also many chickens and small fowls killed by the force with which the hailstones struck them. The loss to Mr. Meisinger is a very severe one, and he has the entire sympathy of the people in this loss.

Serious Operation.
Jos. Koubek who has been having considerable trouble with his eyes for some time past was operated upon yesterday at Omaha, a large portion of the right eyeball being removed. This operation was determined upon by Dr. Gifford as the sole means of saving the sight of the left eye which had become affected by sympathy with the other. The operation was a delicate one and also quite painful but he went through it without flinching and came through in very good shape. The attending surgeons are sanguine that he will get through with his trouble in good shape now and think that his recovery is but a question of time. His son, A. H. Koubek and daughter, Miss Frances were with him at the hospital yesterday during the operation.

PROSPECTS FOR NEW CITY HALL

City Council to Try and Purchase Old Gas Plant.

The city council met last evening in regular session with all of the members present except Councilman Will. After the usual preliminary such as the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, considerable business was transacted, the meeting being an harmonious one and everything moving along smoothly.

The committee whose duty it was to check the books of the city clerk and treasurer reported that the books had been checked up and found to be O. K. On motion the report was placed on file.

The claims committee reported the claim of W. R. Egenberger for \$4.00 favorably and the same was allowed.

The committee on streets, alleys and bridges reported that the work on Chicago avenue would cost when completed somewhere in the neighborhood of \$1,500. This was considerably in excess of the original estimate but it means that the avenue will be made a permanent street which will be a credit to the city and which will afford a fine roadway from the country to the business center. The work has been done under the direction of Councilman Will and it is highly creditable so far as it is completed.

The ordinance creating a sinking fund to take up outstanding indebtedness of the city was reported and discussed and a motion to suspend the rules and pass the ordinance to its second and third reading and final passage prevailed. This was done.

The annual appropriation bill was reported to the council making an estimate of the amount of money needed to run the city for the coming fiscal year.

The ordinance making the levy for city taxes for the ensuing year was also reported it being in conformity with the annual appropriation bill, was reported and a motion to pass the ordinance to a second and third reading and final passage prevailed and the ordinance was passed.

There were a number of street repairs ordered done among them being the cleaning of the tiling on the west side of Fourth street in the First ward, some grading for a sidewalk in front of the James Hickson property in the Second ward, the repair of the sidewalk near the old Fairfield property on Fifteenth street in the Second ward, the putting in of some tiling or repairs to the same at Eighth street between Rock and Gold streets and the repair of a culvert on Lincoln avenue.

A committee was also appointed to make an examination of the title of the Nebraska Lighting company to the property at the corner of Sixth and Pearl streets with a view to purchasing the same for a city hall and city jail. This matter has been under consideration by the council for some time past and it probably will be purchased in the future if the title be found to be all right. The council feels that it will be a positive saving to the city to have a hall of its own and a jail and that the paying out of a large sum of money every year in rentals and jailer's fees can be avoided by the expenditure of a comparatively small sum now. This property it is understood, can be purchased for a small sum and with the expenditure of a comparatively small amount a building which will make offices for the city officials, including the police judge, chief of police, mayor, clerk and treasurer, as well as a commodious and well ventilated council chamber and an adequate city jail, will soon be worth much more than it will cost.

The finance committee reported the following bills which were allowed and warrants ordered drawn on the several funds for the different amounts:
Walter Scott, labor \$ 20.00
Phil Harrison, same 24.00
August Pein, same 22.00
McMacken & Son, crossings 252.47
John Hartkins, labor 2.00

C. Schermerhorn, same 3.80
James Rehal, same 24.00
Al. O'Neill, same 8.00
Ben Rainey, salary 28.00
Joe Libershal, police 4.00
J. Cummings, burying dog 25
J. H. Thrasher, insurance 15.00
W. H. Rishel, labor 42.00
Platts. Water Co., rent 877.50
Hans Rothman, labor 16.00
Turnverein, rent 12.00

THE BOX CAR ROBBER CONFESSES

Ed Williams, Who Was Arrested During the Carnival.

It has been learned that Ed Williams, the man whom Chief Rainey arrested here during the street fair on the suspicion that he was a burglar or thief, has confessed to Chief of Police Malone of Lincoln that he is a box car robber and that the two pairs of shoes which caused Chief Rainey to arrest him, were taken from a Burlington box car which Williams had broken into. The shoes, it will be recalled, were marked with the brand of the Kip Shoe company of Deadwood, S. D., and were a good shoe. After the arrest of Williams by Chief Rainey here, a telegram to the shoe company at Deadwood brought a letter from them denying that they had lost any shoes but asking that Williams be held. Williams put up a tale of having bought the shoes from an unknown man in Lincoln. He was sentenced to ten days in jail for vagrancy so as to hold him and while he was in jail, the theft of six pairs of shoes from a shipment to the Kip company was discovered. Special Agent Morris of the Burlington came down and secured Williams, taking him to Lincoln where he was sweated by the officers with the result that he has opened up to the robbery. The shrewdness of Chief Rainey in locating him and promptly arresting him, is to be commended and he has received much praise for his work. Williams will doubtless get a long term as he seems to be a genuine crook and not deserving of sympathy.

Interesting Fish Story.

An interesting fish story reaches the Journal from the vicinity of Cedar Creek. Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Will E. Meisinger from the neighborhood of Springfield, Sarpy county, started over to the home of George P. Meisinger, Mrs. Meisinger's father, at Cedar Creek to spend the day. They crossed the Platte river in a row boat and then started to walk, the remainder of the distance to the shore over a sandbar which had formed on this side of the river. Their little boy was with them and when part way across the bar they came to a shallow pool which had been left when the river fell after reaching high water. The little fellow noticed the pool and saw a fish in it some eight or ten inches in length. He called his father's attention to it and they caught it with the intention of taking it with them. Just before they left they discovered a large fish in the pool and Mr. Meisinger made arrangements at once to get this one. He succeeded in getting the fish out on the sand where it was dispatched with a board or club in Mr. Meisinger's hands. They took it with them to George P. Meisinger's where it was weighed and found to tip the scales at twenty-two pounds which is some fish. It was a fine yellow cat fish, one of the best to be had and they were much pleased with its capture. It made a fine meal for the family and helped to make the day a most delightful one. Mr. Meisinger is a son of Peter Meisinger and wife and is quite well known in this vicinity.

In District Court.

Two new cases have been filed in the office of Clerk of the District Court Robertson, one being filed by Attorney Clarence E. Tefft of Weeping Water. The title of this action is Bert Jameson vs. W. H. Lyon & Co., and the object is to quiet the title to the south half of the southwest quarter of section 14, and the northwest quarter of section 23, all in town 11, range 12. The petition sets forth that a mortgage for \$2,400 in favor of the defendants stands upon the record against the premises uncancelled. The defendants being non-residents service by publication is asked for.

The other case is a suit to foreclose a tax certificate by A. D. Welton against lot 61, village of Greenwood. The title of the case is State Tax Suit 1904 vs. Tract C. 5. A. L. Tidd appears for the plaintiff.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
Sealed proposals will be received by the city clerk of the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, until eight (8) o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 31st day of August, 1910, for furnishing material and constructing curbs and pavements for the city of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, in accordance with the plans and specifications on file in the office of the city clerk of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, and in the office of the engineers, Omaha, Nebraska. Approximate estimate quantities:

Paving.
(A) District—527 sq. yds.
(B) Intersection—1494 sq. yds.
Curbing.
(A) District—22 1/2 lin. ft.
(B) Intersection—439 lin. ft.

Classification.
Curbing.
Class A—Six (6) inches thick, twenty (20) inches deep; \$6.55 per lin. ft.
Class B—Six (6) inches thick, twenty-four (24) inches deep; \$6.60 per lin. ft.

Paving.
Class A—Vitrified brick block as specified. Base, concrete, depth four (4) inches, sand on concrete one and one-half (1 1/2) inches. Sand filled joints. \$2.10 per sq. yd.
Class B—Vitrified brick block as specified. Base, concrete, depth, five (5) inches, sand on concrete one and one-half inches (1 1/2) inches. Sand filled joints. \$2.25 per sq. yd.

Each bid to be accompanied by a certified check for five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

Any one desiring a set of plans and specifications for personal use may obtain the same by application to the engineers and a payment of five (\$5.00) dollars per set.

The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
J. P. Sattler, Mayor.
W. B. Elster, City Clerk.

The Consolidated Engineering company, engineers, No. 649 Bee building, Omaha, Nebraska.

LEGAL NOTICE.
NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES AND NON-RESIDENTS DEFENDANTS.

To the unknown heirs and devisees of Lewis Johnson, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of Margaret Johnson, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of Seth Johnson, deceased; the unknown heirs and devisees of John Q. Johnson, deceased; and to Solomon Borbee, Mrs. W. B. Leach, first name unknown, wife of W. B. Leach; Mrs. William Johnson, first name unknown, wife of William Johnson; Frank L. Eaton; William T. Eaton; Simon F. Eaton; G. R. Henry; Greensberry R. Henry; A. Laszby; Ambrose Laszby, and Mrs. Ambrose Laszby, first name unknown, wife of Ambrose Laszby, non-resident defendants:

You will take notice that on the 12th day of July, 1910, George M. Porter, plaintiff, filed his petition in the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, in which you with others were named as defendants.

The object and prayer of said petition is to quiet title in said plaintiff in and to lots ten (10) and eleven (11) in block thirty-eight (38) of the city of Plattsmouth, in Cass county, Nebraska, and to exclude the defendants from any interest therein.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of July, 1910.

George M. Porter,
By Burkett, Wilson & Brown, and E. F. Snavely,
His Attorneys.

LEGAL NOTICE.
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

In the matter of the guardianship of Donovan A. Walling, a minor. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Honorable Harvey D. Travis, judge of the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, made on the 26th day of June, 1910, for the sale of real estate herein after described, there will be sold at the south door of the court house in the city of Plattsmouth, in said county and state on the 28th day of July, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The undivided one-third (1/3) interest in fee simple title in and to lots 12, 13, 14, and 17, in West Greenwood, Cass county, Nebraska.

Dated this 25th day of June, 1910.
George W. Walling,
As guardian of Donovan A. Walling, a minor.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
State of Nebraska, ss.
Cass County.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ANN M. DAVIS, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased will meet the administratrix of said estate, before me, county judge of Cass county, Nebraska, at the county court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 30th day of July, A. D. 1910, and on the 1st day of February, 1911 at 9 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 administratrix to settle said estate, from the 30th day of July, A. D. 1910.

Witness my hand and seal of said county court, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 28th day of June, A. D. 1910.
(Seal) Allen J. Beeson,
Ramsay & Ramsey, County Judge.
Attorneys.

Returns From Portland, Ore.

Ed. Huffman has returned to the city from Portland, Ore., where he has been stopping for several months past. Mr. Huffman reports that conditions on the Pacific slope are excellent and that times there are good. He was over a good part of the North Pacific coast and found some very excellent land which can be had at low prices yet. The fruit crop in the northwest is a great one this year, apples being especially abundant. In fact, so great is this crop that the growers are picking them from the trees to keep the trees from breaking down under their weight. Peaches are also very abundant this year and strawberries are a large crop. In fact, Mr. Huffman finds that Oregon and Washington are two mighty fine states to be to.

The Sork's Visit.

There is a new chauffeur in town, one who arrived last Monday morning. This young man is named Thomas and he is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Thomas. The father of the young man is speedier than ever with his automobile now and promises to make the boy about as swift as the fastest when he grows up. Both Mrs. Thomas and the young man are getting along very nicely.

William Gilmore and wife drove up this morning from their home south of the city and were passengers on the morning train for Omaha where they will attend the aviation meet today.

LOUISVILLE.
(Courier).
Professor LeRoy Van Scoyoc has been engaged as principal of the Wash-bash schools for the coming school year.

Mrs. A. H. Peterson and three children returned Monday from a pleasant visit with relatives in Plattsmouth.

Mrs. M. Tritsch and four little daughters visited at Plattsmouth last week with relatives, returning home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wood returned Tuesday from a week's visit at Milford with Mr. Wood's sister, Mrs. Lewis Eddy.

Miss Hulda Ragoss has returned to Peru to resume her studies at the normal, after a short visit with the home folks in Louisville.

Old friend John McNurlin of Plattsmouth has taken unto himself an automobile. John was a long time contracting the disease but it is said he has it good and plenty right now.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lohnes entertained a large number of relatives at their home on the evening of July 15, in honor of the 15th birthday of their son, Henry. Ice cream and cake was served in great abundance.

Tommy Bates of the Plattsmouth Journal and A. E. Quinn of the News were in town Wednesday on their way to Omaha. It was Mr. Bates' first visit to Louisville and he was much surprised at the many evidences of prosperity in Cass county's most enterprising town. He called at the Courier office for a short chat with the office bunch.

Prof. Scarborough and class in geology at the summer school session of the university of Nebraska, were visitors at the National Stone quarry east of town Monday. Superintendent Tommy Sullivan took them in charge and showed them through the quarry and made their visit so pleasant that they were unanimous in their expressions of thanks for the kindness that was shown them by the "handsome" superintendent.

Returns From Missouri.

Mrs. Henry C. Miller returned this morning from a trip of several days at Jamesport, Mo., where she was looking after the interests of their farm. She found that a great crop was in prospect, the best that section has ever been blessed with. There is a great crop of small grain and the outlook for corn is better in that locality than any she saw here. She was greatly pleased over the prospects and believes that that country is sure to be a winner. Mr. Miller's farm is within a few miles of Jamesport and close to the best section of the great state of Missouri and there is no reason this year to be bit ashamed of the prospects. Their many friends will be glad to know that the outlook is so good.

A Trip East.

Mrs. Frank McElroy was a passenger this morning for Omaha, where she will make a visit with her daughter, Miss Florence, who will depart this evening for an extended trip to the east. Miss McElroy will spend quite a time at the large cities and watering places of the east including Philadelphia, Washington, Baltimore, Atlantic City and other places. Her father will join her at Baltimore later and take a well earned vacation. Miss McElroy will likely leave Omaha on train No. 14 on the Burlington this evening and probably will not come through this city although there is a possibility she may change her plans and come through on train No. 2.

Train No. 6, due here at 7:52, was four hours and a half late this morning. No cause could be given by the local agent or the men about the depot but it is thought to have been caused by a washout or by a freight wreck which necessitated detouring the train.

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NEHAWKA.
(News).
Mrs. Floyd Mitchell and baby are here from Wildorado, Texas, on a visit to her sister, Mrs. F. P. Sheldon and other relatives. They will make quite an extended visit.

Mrs. John Reich of Plattsmouth who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. George Hansen and other relatives for several days left on the evening train Tuesday for her home.

A petition was being circulated on our streets the first of the week asking the supreme court to be more lenient with their injunction against the Plattsmouth Telephone company. It was very generally signed but not much hope expressed of it doing any good.

Mrs. C. A. Burdick left for Bertrice Monday where she expects to undergo an operation at the United Brethren hospital of that place. She was met at Elmwood by her husband, Rev. Burdick who will accompany her and remain with her a few days.

F. P. Sheldon and others have petitioned the board of commissioners to advertise for bids to grade what is known as the O street road from the point two miles southwest of town, east into Union. They have also asked for about five miles of grading, north through Nehawka.

A. L. Fries who has been carrying the mail on Route 2 has resigned and will quit about August 1. Mr. Fries has been studying electrical engineering for a year or more and will endeavor to secure a position along that line. An examination to fill the vacancy will be held Aug. 6. Miss Chloey Tanner left on the afternoon train Monday for Omaha, where she expects to undergo an operation at one of the hospitals there. Miss Tanner injured her spine about a year ago while visiting her sister and has suffered severely at times, since. Her many friends here hope she is successful in her quest for health and that she may return well.

A. H. Koubek and sister Frances were passengers this morning for Omaha where they will spend today with their father, Jos. Koubek. Mr. Koubek yesterday underwent an operation for his eyes which are in bad shape and his condition is not at all what his relatives and friends would desire. It is believed that another operation will be necessary and that event he may have considerable trouble in recovering his vision entirely.

D. A. Young, one of the prominent farmers from near Murray, was in the city Saturday and was a pleasant caller at the Journal office.

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