

M. S. LINK TELLS OF PAYMENTS

Thought Money Given Him by Browne Was For Campaign.

PROMISED HIS VOTE TO LORIMER

Democratic Legislator Told Senator Personally He Would Vote for Him and Later Browne Paid Him Thousand—Stenographer Tells of White Paying Many Bills.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—State Representative Michael S. Link, who received \$1,000, he says, after voting for William Lorimer for senator, and \$900 from the so-called St. Louis "jackpot," told the senatorial investigating committee that when he received the money he thought it was for campaign expenses. Link, who is a large, round man, testified with occasional bursts of bluster and in a loud voice. He was asked if he was surprised when Lee O'Neil Browne asked him if he, a Democrat, could vote for Mr. Lorimer. "We'll pass that question," replied Link bluntly.

The senators of the committee looked at him in surprise and disapproval, upon noticing which Link modified his answer:

"I was neither surprised or not surprised; that is my answer."

He testified that when Browne asked him if he could vote for Mr. Lorimer, he (Link) laughed and replied:

"Lee, I've got it on you this time. I beat you to it. I've already promised Mr. Lorimer that I would vote for him."

Witness said that he had met Browne at St. Louis at the latter's request and Browne handed him a package, saying, "Here's a package for you."

"I opened it," continued Link, "and found \$1,000 in it."

"Did you ask what it was for?"

"No, I just took it."

"What did you think it was for?"

"For campaign expenses."

Similar testimony was given by Link regarding a package containing \$900 which he said was given him by State Representative Robert E. Wilson at St. Louis. He considered this as campaign money also.

White Pays His Debts.

Miss Mollie Vandever of East St. Louis, Ill., stenographer for Representative Charles A. White, was the first witness. She testified that about the middle of June White, who claims to have received \$1,000 for voting for Mr. Lorimer, returned to East St. Louis and paid a number of accounts. He exhibited a large roll of bills, she said, in denominations of \$50, \$20 and \$10. This was subsequent to the date when White says he received \$850 from Lee O'Neil Browne.

"Mr. White paid me \$50.50," said Miss Vandever. "He owed me \$65."

"Why were you not paid in full?"

"Well, Mr. White owed so much that I felt sorry for him and compromised for \$50.50. He owed so many people that I was afraid his money would not go around."

ALL GRAINS FINISH LOWER

Sentiment Is Mainly Bearish and Tired Holders Liquidate.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—There was a bear drive at grain prices in the last few minutes today and the market, which had been wavering for some time previous, closed weak at a net decline of 1/4c to 1/2c in wheat, 1/4c to 1/2c in corn and 1/4c to 1/2c in oats. The finish of provisions varied from 20c loss to 15c advance. Close:

Wheat—Sept., 93 1/2c; Dec., 94 1/2c. Corn—Sept., 49 1/2c; Dec., 48 1/2c. Oats—Sept., 31 1/2c; Dec., 32 1/2c. Pork—Sept., 117 1/2c; Jan., 117 1/2c. Lard—Sept., 12 1/2c; Jan., 12 1/2c. Ribs—Sept., 11 3/4c; Jan., 12 3/4c.

Omaha Cash Prices.

Omaha, Sept. 30.—Wheat—1/4c lower; No. 2 hard, 92 1/2c; No. 2 hard, 90 1/2c; No. 2 white, 46 1/2c; No. 3 white, 46 1/2c; No. 2 yellow, 46 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 46 1/2c. Oats—1/4c lower; No. 3 white, 29 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 28 1/2c.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Sept. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 900; slow and steady; native steers, \$4.50@7.50; cows and heifers, \$3.00@5.50; western steers, \$3.75@6.50; canners, \$2.75@3.40; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@6.00; calves, \$3.50@7.25; bulls and stags, \$3.00@5.00. Hogs—Receipts, 4,100; 5@15c higher; heavy, \$8.20@8.75; mixed, \$8.30@8.50; light, \$8.50@9.00; pigs, \$8.00@9.00; bulk of sales, \$8.25@8.50. Sheep—Receipts, 11,700; steady; yearlings, \$1.60@5.40; wethers, \$3.75@4.25; ewes, \$3.80@3.85; lambs, \$6.40@6.85.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500; steady; heaves, \$4.60@8.00; western steers, \$4.10@6.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.50@5.60; cows and heifers, \$2.20@6.30; calves, \$7.50@10.00. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; 5@10c higher; light, \$8.80@9.20; mixed, \$8.30@9.20; heavy, \$8.25@9.15; rough, \$8.25@8.45; pigs, \$8.20@9.05; bulk of sales, \$8.50@8.85. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; steady; natives, \$2.50@4.20; westerns, \$2.90@4.15; yearlings, \$4.40@5.50; lambs, \$4.75@7.10.

MISSIONARIES AT TECUMSEH

Men and Women From Foreign Field Will Make Addresses.

Tecumseh, Neb., Oct. 1.—Tecumseh will be the scene of an important religious gathering on Oct. 6, 7, 8 and 9. At that time the twenty-seventh annual meeting of the Topeka branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held here. The district is a large one and it is expected that as many as 150 delegates will be in attendance.

The following missionaries will be here: Bishop W. F. O'Leary of Asia; Miss Cora Morgan of Madras, India; Miss Elizabeth Varney of Hing Hui, China; Miss Gertrude Driesback of Manilla, P. I.; Miss Rebecca Watson of Nagoya, Japan; Miss Agnes Saxe of Muttra, India, and Miss Susan Walker of Rosario, South Africa.

W. C. T. U. PLEDGES CASH

Decides to Take Hand in Coming Campaign.

Fairbury, Neb., Oct. 1.—The State Women's Christian Temperance union convention, which is in session at the Christian church in this city, pledged \$1,032 to be used during the coming campaign in their struggle against the liquor interests. Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Mrs. F. B. Heald of Osceola was re-elected as president; Mrs. S. K. Dalley of University Place, vice president; Mrs. C. M. Shepherd of Lincoln, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Olive Jackson of Fairbury, recording secretary; Mrs. Laura Taggart of Omaha, treasurer; Mrs. D. C. John of Omaha, delegate at large.

BANK OF LORTON, NEB., IS ROBBED

Two Finns Taken From Train in Omaha as Suspects.

Omaha, Oct. 1.—In response to a telephone message from Deputy Sheriff Flanagan of Otoe county, Police Captain Savage caused the arrest of two men on a Rock Island train as suspects in the bank robbery at Lorton, Neb. Flanagan communicated with Captain Savage shortly before noon, that two rough looking men had boarded the Rock Island train and purchased tickets to Omaha with gold money of the kind stolen from the bank. The deputy explained a lively man was also on the train following the suspects.

When Detectives Davis and Pattullo arrested the suspects at the Burlington station, the latter, in very broken English, gave their names as John and Gus Wanlo. The lively man, who was reported to be following them, was nowhere to be found.

At the local station Captain Savage questioned the prisoners and had them searched. They proved to be Finns, with very scant knowledge of English, and had no money in their possession. The detective captain declared it his belief that the men were in no way connected with the safe-blowing.

TRAIN STRIKES AUTOMOBILE

Two Persons Killed and Three Injured in Crossing Accident at Piqua, O.

Piqua, O., Oct. 1.—Two people were killed and three injured, one of them probably fatally, when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad train near here.

The dead are Miss Maria Anderson and Edward Piper of Sidney, O. Miss Grace Conover of Piqua is injured internally and is not expected to live. C. A. Richey of Columbus and Ray Piper of Sidney, O., are cut and bruised, but will recover.

CONDENSED NEWS

Nicholas Monarrat of Columbus, O., president of the Kanawha and Michigan railway, died in New York city.

The state of Missouri has a population of 3,293,353, according to the enumeration made during the thirtieth census.

Virginia Harned Sothorn, the actress, filed suit for divorce against Edward H. Sothorn, the prominent actor, in the district court at Reno, Nev.

Senator Robert M. LaFollette, who arrived in Rochester, Minn., to consult the Drs. Mayo, is not in a critical condition, and it is not thought he will undergo an operation at this time.

Jacob Bouffice, 101 years old, was a complainant before Magistrate Namer in Brooklyn against his four sons, all men of middle age. He asked that the court compel them to contribute to his support.

Edward T. Rosenheimer, manufacturer, was indicted by the grand jury for murder in the first degree, charged with being responsible for the death of Miss Grace Hough, who was killed in an automobile collision in New York.

The jury in the case of T. V. Halsey, formerly an official of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph company, charged with offering a bribe to a member of the Schmitz board of supervisors, returned a verdict of not guilty.

DEPARTS FOR PARTS UNKNOWN

Rev. C. A. Burdick, Head of the County Option Organization in Cass County, Leaves for Greener Pastures.

Rev. C. A. Burdick, who has been preaching for the past two years in the U. B. church at this place, left with his wife for—we do not know where, last Saturday night. Rev. Burdick has a good deal of ability as a preacher, but has been unfortunate in several business ventures, caused largely by always looking upon the rosy side of things, and not allowing such a thing as settling day to bother him. Peace go with him.—Nebraska News.

Rev. Burdick was one of the leaders in the county option movement in Cass county, and the man who did not believe as he did was not, in his estimation, a good citizen. He was always advocating county option, and, according to all reports, would leave his other duties in the church, to tell how good a worker he was in the cause of temperance. He started a Sunday school paper, called the Religious Field Glass, to which he obtained quite a number of subscribers. It was issued mostly for three months, and was printed at this office. Then it suddenly collapsed, leaving the Journal in the hole for nearly one hundred dollars for printing the same and for other job work.

We gave him every opportunity in the world to get a start, and, being a preacher of the gospel, a young man of fair ability, we never dreamed of him decamping without settling at least a portion of his indebtedness to this office, as he had collected for all subscriptions and advertising previous to the paper's suspension.

Burdick may have been unfortunate in his undertaking, but this does not justify his action with those who were good enough to trust him, and his sudden departure for parts unknown, without even a word of regret that he could not liquidate his indebtedness to us, demonstrates to a dead moral certainty that all preachers are not honorable in "practicing what they preach," and that people cannot always trust, even some goody, goody people, whose bad traits are of the very worst.

PARENTS SHOULD BY ALL MEANS VISIT SCHOOLS

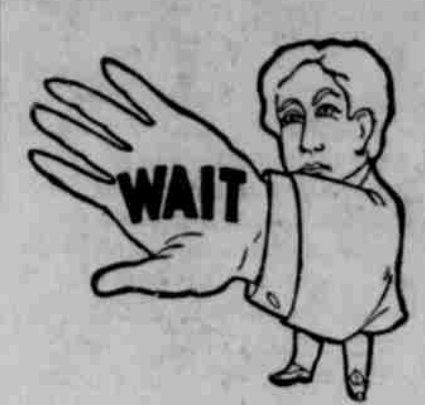
The following suggestions in reference to visiting the public schools are from the Louisville Courier: "How many of our school children's parents ever visited the schools or even know the teachers when they meet them on the street? How many know what their children are studying, or how they are progressing? Is there any of you who have a building to make or a fence to build; a dress to make; a house to paint, or whatever the job may be, that say to the one you have employed: 'Here are the tools and material, go ahead and do it to suit yourself, and it will suit me.' Is not that what many of you are doing with your children? You say by your actions: 'Here is my child, with its books, paper and pencil. I've furnished material and tools, educate him as you like.' Now we hear some of you say: 'The teacher knows better what they ought to study than I do.' While that may be in part true, the carpenter or dressmaker, or a painter, knows better how to do the work than you do, yet you do not leave it all to them. On the rising generation depends the welfare of this great nation. Patrons and parents, take more interest in our schools and visit them often, and by your presence give the teachers more encouragement; ask them how your children are doing. Perhaps a few minutes' talk with them will save trouble that years to come can never undo. Think about this and ask yourself if you are doing right."

Mabel Cullen Convalescing.

Mabel Cullen, the leading lady in the Grew Stock company, who inflicted a dangerous wound upon herself, with suicidal intent, Monday evening in this city, is improving very rapidly and the attending physicians say will be able to join the company next week. She has expressed sorrow that she made the rash attempt upon her life in a fit of despondency, and is anxious to regain her health, so as to again appear in her customary role.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Halmes were in the city today doing their week-end shopping, and again the name was remembered with a fine bouquet of fine flowers from our good friend, Mrs. Holmes, who never forgets the editor when the bowers are in bloom.

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J. E. MASON

NEHAWKA.

(From the News.) Guy Kirkpatrick and wife, of St. Joseph, Mo., who have been visiting here for the past ten days, left Sunday morning for Hiawatha, Kansas, on their way home.

Mrs. J. E. Rough, who recently underwent an operation at one of the Lincoln hospitals, came home Saturday much improved in health. This will be gratifying news to her many friends.

J. M. Stone returned Tuesday from his summer's outing in Colorado. Mr. Stone looks as though the country out there had agreed with him and says the people from this place that live there are enjoying themselves and are prospering.

F. P. Sheldon, A. F. Sturm, D. D. Adams, R. C. Pollard and Mrs. Sheldon left early Thursday morning for the western part of the state. Mrs. Sheldon will stop off at York while the men folks are going on to Georgetown for a few days' hunting.

The many friends of Rev. J. W. Farr will be pleased to learn that he got the appointment at Trinity church, Kearney, Nebraska. This is quite a substantial advance over Nehawka and in addition to a better salary the Reverend gentleman will have a much larger opportunity for success. Our best wishes go with him.

Mr. Switzer, county commissioner, and the county surveyor, came in Tuesday to survey and lay out the road from a mile south of town into town and from that point to Union. This is the outcome of the quarrel that has been hanging fire for some time over the road from here to Avoca. We are not at liberty to give any of the particulars, but feel safe in predicting that the roads around Nehawka will be taken care of as never before.

Are You An Owl?

A larger list of charter members for this lodge has been secured than was expected, and it now runs up to one hundred, and ere the sun goes down tonight, it is expected that it will be increased to one hundred and twenty-five. Among the membership are some of the best citizens of Plattsmouth. If there is an order that has no membership in Plattsmouth we do not know what one it can possibly be. The Owls is an order that for sociability and friendship cannot be beat, and from present indications it is bound to be one of the most successful. If you want to be an Owl get in on the upper deck, and be one of the first. See the organizer at once, before it is everlastingly too late. Join the good fellows by being an Owl.

A Temporary Halt.

From Friday's Daily. Bert Pollock was called to Omaha on business this afternoon. Mr. Pollock has been in conversation with Mr. Hogenboom, of LaPlatte, who thinks he can interest South Omaha parties in the road to the bridge, to the extent that they will raise the money and buy the road way refused to be furnished by the county commissioners of Sarpy county. For the present nothing will be done by the promoters of the enterprise, as the bridge will cost so much more than was first anticipated, that the parties could not build it now unless the road on both sides of the river can be procured without cost to the bridge company.

Making Improvements.

The German Lutheran church, southwest of town, has installed a new pipe organ of the latest pattern, also a new bell and a heating plant. The German Lutheran congregation is one of the strongest religious bodies in this vicinity. Its membership is made up of a thrifty class of German farmers. Their church edifice is a beautiful brick structure costing \$7,000. Rev. Hartman is the pastor in charge.—Louisville Courier.

John Meisinger and wife, of Eight Mile Grove precinct, were Plattsmouth visitors today.

MISS LORENE EMERY TO BE MARRIED SOON

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Emery, of Lincoln, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lorene, to Dr. William Windle Davis, of Omaha.

Miss Emery is a highly accomplished young lady, a student of the University School of Music, and a member of the Alpha Omicron Pi sorority. Dr. Davis is a talented young physician, a graduate of Creighton Medical College and a member of the Phi Phi Sigma fraternity. The date of the wedding is not announced. Mr. and Mrs. Emery, parents of the young lady, were formerly residents of this city. Miss Emery is a granddaughter of W. R. Murray, of Mynard.

MEN AND WOMEN WANTED

The Government pays Railway Mail Clerks \$800 to \$1,200, and other employees up to \$2,500 annually.

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H. Dettman Files Petition.

Herman Dettman, of Elmwood, filed his petition for the nomination for the office of county commissioner for the third commissioner's district yesterday. The petition is headed with the names of the delegates to the Cass county convention which met at Union in July. There are over two hundred and fifty names on the petition, which makes the result somewhat mixed. Mr. Dettman is a popular German and no doubt will receive a large German vote in the county, which ordinarily would have gone to the regular nominee.

I. E. Trout in the City.

I. E. Trout, chief of police of North Platte, was in the city last evening and visited his brother, Henry Trout, over night. Mr. Trout went to Omaha as a witness against two counterfeiters, whom he captured passing counterfeit money at North Platte. An indictment was found before the federal grand jury, now in session at Omaha. Mr. Trout took advantage of the occasion and made his brother Henry a short visit.

In the District Court.

A new case filed in the district court is entitled George H. Dennis against John James, S. E. James, Dora N. James, George Sheldon and his son, seeks to foreclose a mechanic's lien filed by Mr. Dennis for work done on the center third of lot 8 in block 64, in the city of Weeping Water. The amount in controversy is \$146.54, labor and material. Attorney C. E. Teft of Weeping Water, appears for the plaintiff.

John Heisel returned from Omaha this morning and will visit the home folks for a few days.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

State of Nebraska | ss. In County Court.

Cass County | ss. In County Court.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ANNETTE SHERA, DECEASED.

To all persons interested:

You are hereby notified that there has been filed in this court a petition for administration of said estate.

You are further notified that there will be a hearing upon said petition before this court in the county court room at Plattsmouth in said county, on the 4th day of October, 1910, at 9 o'clock a. m., and that all objections, if any there be, must be filed on or before said day and hour of hearing.

Witness my hand and the seal of the county court of said county this 12th day of September, A. D. 1910.

Allen J. Beeson, County Judge.

(Seal.)

Notice to Creditors.

State of Nebraska | ss. In County Court.

Cass County | ss. In County Court.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ALBERT EUGENE LEWIS, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased must meet the executor of said estate before me, county judge of Cass county, Nebraska, at the county court room in Plattsmouth, in said county, on the 12th day of October, 1910, and on the 14th day of April, 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 executor to settle said estate, from the 11th day of October, 1910.

Witness my hand and seal of said county court at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this 12th day of September, 1910.

Allen J. Beeson, County Judge.

(Seal.)

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

The following proposed amendment to the constitution of the State of Nebraska, as hereinafter set forth in full, is submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska, to be voted upon at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 8th, A. D. 1910.

"A JOINT RESOLUTION to amend Section one (1) of Article seven (7) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska."

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska:

Section 1. (Amendment constitution proposed.) That section one (1) of article seven (7) of the constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended, by striking, be so amended as to read as follows:

Section 1. (Who are electors.) Every male citizen of the United States, of the age of twenty-one years, who shall have been a resident of this state six months next preceding the election and of the county, precinct or ward, for the term provided by law be an elector; provided, That persons of foreign birth who shall have declared their intention to become citizens conformably to the laws of the United States and are voting at the taking effect of this amendment, may continue to exercise the right of suffrage until such time as they may have resided in the United States five years after which they shall take out full citizenship papers to be entitled to vote at any succeeding election.

Section 2. (Ballots.) That at the general election next preceding the year 1910 there shall be submitted to the electors of the state for their approval or rejection the foregoing proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage. At such election, on the ballot of each elector voting for or against said proposed amendment, shall be written or printed the words: "For proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage," and "Against said proposed amendment to the constitution relating to the right of suffrage."

Section 3. (Adoption.) If such an amendment be approved by a majority of all electors voting at such election, said amendment shall constitute section one (1) of article seven (7) of the constitution of the State of Nebraska.

Approved April 1, 1909.

I, George C. Junkin, Secretary of State, of the State of Nebraska do hereby certify that the foregoing proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Nebraska is a true and correct copy of the original enrolled and engrossed bill, as passed by the thirty-first session of the legislature of the State of Nebraska, as appears from said original bill on file in this office, and that said proposed amendment is submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Nebraska for their adoption or rejection at the general election to be held on Tuesday, the 8th day of November, A. D. 1910.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the great seal of the State of Nebraska, Done at Lincoln this 23rd day of July, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ten, and of the Independence of the United States the One Hundred and Thirty-fifth, and of this State the Forty-fourth.

GEORGE C. JUNKIN, Secretary of State.

(Seal.)