

# SUGAR BEET TALK.

The Delegates to the Fremont Convention Make Their Reports.

IN FAVOR OF APPROPRIATION.

Resolutions Adopted Endorsing Congressman Mercer's \$200,000 Appropriation Bill for the Omaha Extension—Other Notes.

The board of trade meeting last evening was not very largely attended, but notwithstanding that fact, it was a very interesting one. After reading the minutes, Secretary Gering read a letter from Congressman Strode, gracefully acknowledging the receipt of the letter embracing the vote of thanks passed at the former meeting.

Hon. John A. Davies then addressed the board relating facts he had learned at the beet sugar convention held at Fremont, Feb. 6. No partial report of his speech would do it justice, but among the points he made was that it was clearly demonstrated that the soil of Cass county was well adapted to sugar beet culture, and that the business is sure to grow. He also alluded to the methods of culture and to the recent invention for making syrup and crude sugar by evaporation, and said he anticipated that this method of treating the beets solved the problem and would make it possible for farmers of Cass county to successfully raise beets and make a profitable crop out of the business.

President Windham followed Mr. Davies, and said he was only sorry that 500 or 600 of the farmers of Cass county were not at the convention to hear and learn, as the delegates had, respecting the whole business of the cultivation and raising of beets, and of the manufacture of beet sugar. With Mr. Davies, he believed the problem of profitable culture of sugar beets and the manufacture of beet sugar in Nebraska was solved by the success of the newly-invented process of evaporating the juice of the beet into syrup and crude sugar. This would make it possible to get the beets to market—that is to the refinery—at a cost for transportation so cheap as to make beet culture profitable in Cass and almost every county in the state. These crude manufacturers could be erected for \$30,000, while the cost of a large refinery was some \$750,000, and the building up of the crude factories would cheapen sugar making because it would enable the refiners to run through most of the year. He wanted the farmers of Cass county to go into sugar beet culture, and when they did it intelligently they would find that it would net them a profit of \$15 to \$25 an acre, and make a new use for the lands of the county.

He stated that the business was not likely to be overdone, because the facts were given which showed that it would take the product of more than 900 such factories as that at Norfolk and Grand Island to fill the demand for sugar in the United States.

Mr. Windham's talk was full of practical facts, and was listened to with interest.

Mr. Davies then offered the following resolution which was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It is proposed to hold an international exposition at Omaha in the year 1896, and, believing that such a movement is in the interest of the whole United States, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Plattsmouth Board of Trade heartily endorse the efforts of Congressman Mercer to secure an appropriation of \$200,000 from the national government to aid the enterprise.

**Teachers' Reading Circle.**

The following program has been arranged by County Superintendent Farley, to occur at 1:30 p. m. Feb. 22:

Origin and History of Arbor Day, Clara Walker  
 Choice of Trees, W. C. Nye  
 Suggestions for Planting, A. H. Bushnell  
 Literary Exercises, Grace Stoutenborough  
 Benefits of These Celebrations, Gerald Hayes  
 Ethics of Words, Cora Walker  
 Use of Dictionary in School Room, Lydia Andrew  
 Webster as a Standard, Alice Wilson  
 Origin and History of Words, J. W. Berge  
 Fictitious Persons and Places, Jennie Bailey  
 The Gazetteer, Grace Taylor  
 Abbreviations and Contractions, Bertha Kennedy  
 Pronunciation, Cora Schlegel

A very interesting series of special meetings is in progress at the M. E. church under the pastoral leadership of Rev. Kouffer. The song service is held from 7:30 till 8:00 o'clock, then a sermon follows and a prayer and experience service is held. Last evening the pastor preached on the "New Birth," and the Epworth League, under the leadership of C. S. Polk, took charge of the after-meeting.

J. W. Campbell of Glenwood, Ia., is agent for a new disc sharpener. Can be seen at Hendee's hardware store. Call and see it. Agents wanted for each township in Cass county.

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# PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

From Friday's Daily.

Hon. Jos. McKinnon of Elmwood precinct was a county seat visitor today.

J. M. Roberts, who has been visiting in this city for the past week, returned this afternoon to his home at Litchfield, Neb.

County Clerk Robertson and Deputy Clerk Coolidge commenced making out the assessor's books today for the ensuing year.

A. C. Spencer traded his 113 acre farm near Rock Bluffs to J. M. Roberts today for a 160 acre farm in Coster county and some cash.

Mrs. John Tighe of 715 Walnut street entertained some fifteen of her lady friends at a most delightful tea party yesterday afternoon.

Fredrick Wolf appeared at the district clerk's office today and renounced his allegiance to the emperor of Germany, and took out his first citizens' papers.

The parties who are buying walnut timber in this county are ready to make a shipment. It is believed that they do not offer half the price the walnut is worth.

The funeral of the late Claus Speck occurred at two o'clock this afternoon from the family residence, and was attended by a large number of sympathizing friends of the family.

Mrs. Andrew Scharman and son, of North Platte, are visiting in the city at the McMaken home. Mrs. Eva Reese, (nee McMaken) arrived today for a visit also, bringing her children.

Wm. M. Wiley and wife of Rock Bluff precinct, among the earliest settlers in Cass county were in town today. Mr. Wiley built and occupied the house in which he still resides over forty years ago, and he has reared a family of twelve children there.

The Tuxedo Mandolin club is rapidly gaining prominence as a musical organization. They departed on the Burlington last evening for Lincoln, where the Havelock lodge of Modern Woodmen gave a dance, for which they furnished the music, and tonight they will play for the K. of P. ball at Havelock.

Jack Mackey, for many years a resident of this city, departed this morning for Oxford, Neb., where he will make his home in the future. Jack and his brother own 160 acres of land in the vicinity of that city which they will farm the coming summer. Mr. Mackey has made a host of friends during his residence in this city who will regret his departure, while wishing him all possible good luck.

Wiley Black was a passenger for Omaha this afternoon.

McMaken & Son are putting up ice at the rate of 200 tons per day.

County Attorney C. S. Polk made a business trip to Lincoln this afternoon.

Jas. Lyck, the Vienna bakeryman, went up to the metropolis this afternoon.

Capt. Atkinson, the Cedar Creek gravel pit man, was in the city on business today.

Sheriff Holloway departed for Greenwood this afternoon on No. 7, and expects to return tonight.

Lawrence Dutton returned to Lincoln this afternoon, after attending the wedding of his sister, Mae, yesterday.

The suit on account of Dr. Humphrey vs. Thos. Bryan was being tried in county court today. The amount sued for is some \$40.

The suit of Mrs. Dinsmore vs. Belleville, on a charge of forcible entry and detainer, has been decided in favor of the plaintiff.

McCormack vs. Carey, a suit brought to revive a judgment of twenty years' standing, was up for a hearing in county court Monday.

Judge Ramsey, who has been confined to his home for some time with a severe attack of the grip, was able to be down in town today.

Secretary and Miss Morton entertained President Cleveland and cabinet with a swell reception, at their Washington mansion Tuesday.

Mrs. Con McCarty, formerly of this city but now of York, arrived in town last evening on business connected with the settling up of her late husband's estate.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kirkham arrived Monday morning from Denver to attend the funeral of the late Henry Kirkham, sr. They returned home yesterday afternoon.

Miss Hattie Fulmer, a lady well known in this city, is visiting with the family of her aunt, Mrs. R. R. Livingston. Miss Fulmer contemplates a trip to Europe in a short time.

The Spencer stock did not invoice quite as heavily as was expected, amounting, according to the invoice, to \$255.22. The stock will be sold at sheriff's sale in a few days.

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# Prosperity When Money is Plenty.

The earliest records of international commerce is to be found in the Hebrew prosperity. Where Abraham, for example, is weighing down four hundred shekels of silver—current at that time—for the field of Ephron, and where an abundance of gold and silver, gathered from distant parts, of which we read, resulting, in the greatest of Hebrew prosperity; and the abundance of silver which flooded Europe from the discovery of the South American mines created confidence, hence a rise of prices. The wages of labor would have followed in England if they had been left free, but they were kept down by law to three or four pence per day—equal to six and eight cents of our money. Californian and Australian miners filled the coffers of the banks of England and France, and this increased confidence gave additional impulse to commerce. There was a rise of prices and rise in wages of laborers.

John Law, who was admitted by France as a great financier in his day, said that national power and wealth consists in numbers of people and magazines of home and foreign goods. These depend on trade and that on money of which a greater quantity employs more people; but credit, if the credit have circulation, has all the beneficial effect of money; money is not the result, but the cause of wealth. To increase it, then, must be beneficial. Some think a high tariff is the only way for relief. For example, look at Russia, with her high protective tariff; her manufacturers find ten or twelve millions of paupers to sell to. Can you get blood from a turnip? There is only two ways by which a nation may become wealthy that does not have gold and silver mines: That is by commerce and conquest. America has the mines; let her use them to the fullest extent possible, and become the richest and most prosperous country on the face of the globe. Free and unlimited coinage at a ratio of 16 to 1 will do it, and nothing else will.

**A Vermont Curiosity.**

The Rutland division of the Central Vermont railroad crosses the mountains at Mount Holly, Summit Station being 1,440 feet above sea level. Near that station, when the railroad was building, the tracks of a large American elephant were dug up. These are considered the greatest curiosities ever found in Vermont and are today, or were very recently, preserved in the state capital building. In the same collection of wonders may be seen the skeleton of an immense prehistoric whale which was found in the town of Charlotte in 1879 while some excavations were being made. The skeleton is that of a whale at least 150 feet in length. The place where it was found is exactly 150 feet above the present level of the sea.—Exchange.

**Found Fault With Hamlet.**

There is an old, very old, tale told of a venerable lady, who, after seeing the play of "Hamlet" for the first time, said, "It is a very good play, as plays go, but it is made up of quotations." This good dame, although she was probably unaware of it, was acknowledging, in a roundabout way perhaps, the indebtedness of our language to our national bard; phrases, sentences and sometimes whole lines from his writings have been crystallized, as it were, into colloquial English, and there are probably more quotations drawn from the works of Shakespeare than from those of any other author, ancient or modern.—Chambers' Journal.

**Wasted Figures.**

He—Then everything is fixed, and we can be married in May, can't we?  
 She—There is only one thing I have not spoken of, and mamma insisted that I must.

He—Certainly, my angel. What is it?  
 Bid me go through any trial for your dear sake, and I'll do it. Ask for the golden fleece, and if such a thing is in existence I'll get it. Aye, even though I must swim the seas, climb the loftiest peaks, or search in the fuming craters of mighty volcanoes, I'll do it.

She—It isn't much, my dear. Mamma said I must ask you how much you intended to allow me a week for pin money.

He—Um—er—how much are pins a paper now?—New York Weekly.

**Good Listeners.**

In conversing with one's friends nothing is so chilling as an apparent lack of attention and sympathy. It might be added that nothing is more vulgar, were not the listener's indifference common to the majority of our most cultured people. If, when one is addressed, she will remember to incline the body slightly forward, an attitude of rapt attention will soon be unconsciously assumed, and, whether really worthy of it or not, new recruits gained for the always popular, as rare, class known as "good listeners."—New York Times.

In the fourteenth century the slaughter of women and children after a town or castle had been taken by storm was one of the most common occurrences of war.

The chemical properties of coffee beans are caffeine, fat, caffeic acid, gum, saccharine, leucogum and cellulose.

**Similar.**

Cynics—My wife would like you to send around a quart of pauperized milk.  
 Milk Dealer—I guess you mean pasteurized milk.  
 Cynics—Very well, but I presume there isn't much difference.

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**List of Letters**

Remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, February 20, 1896.

Moore, Bishop Miller, Carrie  
 Snow, Belle Wolf, Henry Jr.  
 Wolfsonberg, Mrs. (cabinet maker's wife)

Persons calling for any of the above letters or parcels will please say "advertised." W. K. Fox, P. M.

Fairbury's restaurant men are engaged in a war and square meals are sold for 10 cents.

A Norfolk architect was given the contract for furnishing plans for Hartington's new school house against twelve competitors from Sioux City, Council Bluffs and Omaha.

Conductors Palmer and Castello and Engineer Hall have been laid off at Grand Island pending an investigation into the recent wreck in the railroad yards at that place.

WANTED—A girl for general household work. Apply to Mrs. Dr. C. A. Marshall. 5-tf.

**Notice to Creditors.**

State of Nebraska, ss.  
 Cass County, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Ludwig Degendorfer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the claims and demands of all persons against Ludwig Degendorfer, deceased, late of said county and state, will be received, examined and adjusted by the county court at the court house in Plattsmouth, on the 22nd day of August, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and that six months from and after the 20th day of February, A. D. 1896, is the time limited for creditors of said deceased to present their claims for examination and allowance.

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 No. 4, daily, 10:24 a. m.  
 No. 10, from Schuyler except Sunday, 11:55 a. m.  
 No. 12, daily, 8:25 p. m.  
 No. 36, daily except Sunday, 12:25 p. m.  
 No. 30, freight from Louisville, 2:50 p. m.

**WEST BOUND.**

No. 3, daily, 3:45 p. m.  
 No. 5, daily, 7:27 a. m.  
 No. 7, fast mail, daily, 9:12 p. m.  
 No. 9, to Schuyler, except Sunday, 4:00 p. m.  
 No. 11, daily, 4:50 p. m.  
 No. 29, freight to Louisville, 8:00 a. m.

**M. P. R. R.**

**GOING NORTH:**

Passenger, No. 1, 4:50 a. m.  
 No. 193, 5:05 p. m.

**GOING SOUTH:**

Passenger, No. 2, 10:43 p. m.  
 No. 194, 11:52 a. m.

Freight, No. 126 (daily except Sunday) 9:25 a. m.  
 Union and Lincoln accommodation, No. 363, arrives 12:55; departs, No. 364, 4:00 p. m.

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