THE NEBRASKA INDEPENDENT

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light the whole city, it might have been | terfere."

awarded a section in which to demoncontracts had been awarded!

Not alone has the administration uti- | cerning him, and which had been colprisopers; and not infrequently the citizen. warrants. keepers of disreputable houses.

Lames of a select councilman, a police administration. scrgeant, and other officials and poli- In 1900 councils passed the Keystone ticiane said to be influential in protect- telephone ordinance, giving to a coring places of evil resort. Another se- poration composed of the mayor's lect councilman went ball for one of friends valuable privileges estimated the women arrested and requested that to be worth at least five million dollars, his name be suppressed, as he "went without compensation to the city and her bail as a matter of politics." Other office-holders have similarly more, the same society has shown that of the newspaper in question, on one fluential politicians. mea?

rate of thirty cents per lamp per night, the Law and Order society could not city at the rate of twenty cents per leaven of corruption has an opportunlamp per night. If there had been any ity to work only because the authoridoubt as to the company's ability to ties make no serious attempt to in-

Unquestionably the most flagrant strate its ability. Instead, however, abuse of the police power was the perthe director of public safety, who had sonal attempt of Director of Public been chief clerk under Ashbridge while Safety English to silence the "North he was coroner, took away from the American," a paper owned by John Independent company the territory it Wanamaker's son, Thomas B. Wanahad been lighting for years. One rea- maker, which was then and is now an protection of the government which he son assigned by Director English for unsparing critic of the administration. his action was that there had been Director English, with the chief of the complaint against the company in bureau of property (he of the 100 per question, although he admitted under [cent average), visited Mr. John Wanacross-examination that the complaints maker's private office, and told him had not been received until after the that unless the attacks of the North American ceased, information con-

lized the civil service and the con- lected during the preceding eight tracts for personal ends, but the police months by the police, would be given power as well. The "speak-easy" in to the public. Mr. Wanamaker treated Philadelphia is the unlicensed saloon. this effort to blackmail him in silence It is given police protection in ex- as it deserved, and at once gave to change for votes and political support. the public all the details of the inter-The Law and Order society has con- view, which he had had taken down victed and has had sentenced in the by his stenographer. The indignation courts nearly eighty "speak-easy" of the public was intense. A great keepers, and 196 are under indictment mass meeting was held, at which this and still untried. All of these cases high-handed abuse of the police power are the result of the private prosecu- was denounced. The director made no tion of the society. I doubt if the defense except that he was tired of police bureau can point to a single con- being denounced, and in this the mayor viction within the same time. On the backed him up and retained him in other hand, the police have deliberately office. I doubt if the annals of any city refused their assistance to the society's can furnish another equally glaring agents; they have time and again re- example of the use of public official fused to allow them the use of the power to throttle public newspaper patrol wagons for the conveyance of criticism and to blackmail a private

patrolmen have jeered the society's A goodly portion of this article could detectives and constables executing be devoted to election frauds and Furthermore, policemen crimes against the ballot box, and the have been found in speak-easies at interference of police in primary and the time of the raids, and in one case general elections. Not since the early a police lieutenant was found in one seventies has there been such fiagrant of the houses raided drinking beer with conduct on the part of the police. Last the proprietress. The same statements winter the Municipal league published apply to the society's efforts to sup- a little leaflet setting forth the details press the social evil and to show that of a number of typical instances of the the politicians in power protect the brutality of the police at the November election and the preceding September

The secretary of the society charged primaries. Not counting the men in in open court that such places were jail serving sentences for election protected by politicians and city offi- frauds and those who are fugitives cials. He was challenged to prove this from justice, there are nearly five huncharge. While he is still engaged in dred election officers under indictment this task, he has already procured an and awaiting trial. Indeed, a separate abundance of evidence to substantiate article could be devoted to the subject it. He has brought out under oath the of election frauds during the present

cesses must not tempt them to revoke their national and chartered rights as free men under a free government."

prove social or political conditions by erty he may have, and in three days who are delinquent to send in the in the face of the bid of a responsible exist for a day were Mayor Ashbridge the shedding of blood. Free govern- you couldn't find an anarchist on the company to light all or any part of the and his police to do their duty. The ments may be overthrown, but they face of the earth. Even the assassin of President Mccannot be reformed by those who violate the commandment, 'Thou shalt Kinley was fain to beg the protection not kill.' Under a government like of the officers of that same govern- few years ago, and the increased exours every wrong can be remedied by ment which he professed to want to

The World Cries "Shame!"

on the action says:

dom of speech or of the press?'

speech.

What then?

law, and the laws are in the hands destroy. Sometimes the surest way to cure a of the people themselves. Anarchy fool is to give him the opportunity to can be neither excused nor tolerated. The man who proposes to right a pub- test the effect of his own foolishness .lic wrong by taking the life of a hu- Hebron Champion. man being makes himself an outlaw, and cannot consistently appeal to the

Prayers to Order

Much has been said in the press durrepudiates. He invites a return to a ing the late few months upon the substate of barbarism, in which each one ject of praying. As far as this writer must, at his own risk, defend his own is concerned he has never had much rights and revenge his own wrongs." faith in the effacy of prayers made in

conformance with orders from governors and presidents. "Prayer is the soul's sincere desire, uttered or unex-

The action of the Virginia constitutional convention in striking from the pressed." A request from the ministers of the gospel for devout persons bill of rights "freedom of speech," is to assemble on a specified day to offer causing the finger of scorn to be prayers would be much more in conpointed at her both in this country and in England. Sharp criticisms can be formance with the eternal fitness of found even in some republican papers. things than orders issued by a gov-The New York World in commenting ernor, especially when that governor had no faith in prayer at all. Last

Sunday Rev. Mr. Marsh, one of Lin-'Virginia's constitutional convention coln's most distinguished clergymen, did a foolish and a dangerous thing preached a sermon on prayer from when it voted to amend the state's bill which the following extracts are made: of rights by omitting the guarantee of "It is the way of spiritual growth,' liberty of the press and freedom of said he, "and far more than we know

does it overpower and put out of the "What is the grand old state of way, for a time at least, the confusion Washington, Jefferson, Marshall, Patof passions and the complexities of rick Henry and Madison thinking duty and the pressing cares of affairs. about? Has she forgotten all her most

To leave these all for a time and with glorious traditions and is she going seriously quiet manner lift one's to prove unfaithful to the teachings thoughts and turn one's spirit to the of all her great sons who helped to unseen and the eternal is to bring life frame the constitution, in which even for a moment into the calmness and congress is expressly prohibited from serenity and serious good will of the making any law 'abridging the freedivine. To establish the habit of doing

this is well worth while in its influence "Let Virginia stop and reflect that upon personal and family life. To draw she once lived under a Governor Mapeople to unite in companies for this hone. Suppose another such man is a quickening, uplifting and unifyshould find himself in her governor's ing influence." chair under a constitution giving no

"I have little faith in the scientific guarantee of free speech or printing? theories of our townsman who thinks he can produce rain by bombarding the "It is perfectly possible for law or heavens with gunpowder, but I bepublic opinion to prevent and to punieve he is more in line with the cause ish the unpardonable lapses from liband conditions of rain-producing than erty to license in speech or in the they who would bombard the heavens press, and especially to inflict the with prayers, hoping to bring moisture severest penalties for incitement to to the ground. Experimenting with murder or anarchy. But the just exthe physical forces of the earth is more asperation of the people at these exlikely to reach the result than experimenting with the spiritual mysteries of the human soul and its psychic environments."

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He chases dem up on de ground.

En calls dis here Schley a he-ro;

Dey hunt up a guy to write hist'ry,

About dis scrap between Sampson en

But dey're tryin' ter poke Schley in

Soothing Syrup."

lately.

Schley;

der eye.

den,

view:

tower

Schley down

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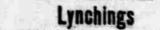
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Of the 101 victims of lynch law during the present year, 76 were colored. 23 white, one Indian and one Chinese. Murder was given as the cause for twenty-seven lynchings; attacks on women, 20; murderous assault, 6; race prejudice, 5; arson, 3; sheltering murlerer, 3; suspected of cattle stealing, 3; suspected killing cattle, 2; stealing horses, 4; train wrecking, 1; resisting arest, 1; robbery, 1; insulting white women, 2; assaulting white person, 1; by "white-caps," 1; mistaken identity, 1.

New Conditions

The following from Theodore Rooserelt's speech on labor day is now attracting considerable attention:

'We shall find it necessary in the future to shackle cunning, as in the past we have shackled force. . The vast individual and corporate for tunes, the vast combinations of capi-

tal which have marked the development of our industrial system create new conditions and necessitates change from the old attitude of the

state and the nation toward property.

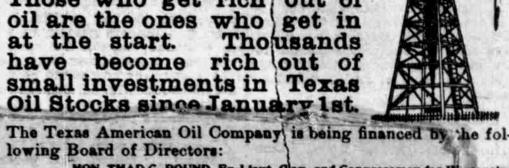
Unly a Souvenir Had I been Savage, good republican friends,

tell you what I would have done, I'd stood like a man To carry my plan That with Bartley I had begun. told the convention the bargain

I'd made, And had reason to think he'd keer good his word,

Our own, our treasurer Joe,





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arrests:

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other cases have been so recent that the mayor's friends for nothing. the grand jury has not as yet had time | Further comment of mine is unnecto act upon them.

a paper whose reliability and conser- before the voters of Philadelphia this vatism is beyond question: "Whether autumn for ratification or rejection. or not the wicked men and women who The republican ticket stands for Ashkeep disorderly houses pay cash con- bridge and his record. He dictated it; sideration for protection, it is clearly he used his power to nominate it, and evident that there is a direct connec- he proposes to use every resource at tion between such establishments and his disposal to elect it. He rejected the corrupt politics under which this those who, like District Attorney city is misgoverned. Many of the Rothermel, were not subservient to his houses exposed recently were recorded will and his wishes. He has replaced in the assessor's lists as the domiciles those unwilling to wear his collar by of mythical voters, and were in locall- those whose subserviency will stand ties where the political machine rolls the strong test to which he will subup its heaviest fraudulent majorities. ject it. In one of the precipits in the heart of The people of Philadelphia are thrives best in disreputable localities, trammeled vote. because the politicians can make use of the criminal element for these nefarious purposes. The habitues of evil houses naturally seek the protection of the dominant politicians, and in retern for such favors they are ready to dirty work that their political masters



with no restrictions, and without protection to the city's interests. The served as security for accused women. Trades league and the Municipal league struggles to wrest any of their special broken of your rest by a sick child and have shown the greatest solicitude protested against the ordinance to privileges from them. They command for their welfare and safety. Further- councils and to the mayor, pointing the services of the most skilled lawout its defects and the utter lack of yers in every part of the country and one of the papers which enjoys a large safeguards, but to no avail. The endless litigation is instituted to preshare of official advertising (and is of mayor left the chamber where he had vent the people from regaining their course a stanch supporter of the Ash- perfunctorily listened to arguments rights everywhere. At the special elecbridge administration) openly and flag- against the ordinance by prominent tion held in Denver August 28 the rantly advertised these places. The citizens, and retired to his private of- property-holders of that city by a vote last batch of cases was made up of the fice, where he almost immediately of 6,284 to 1,267, for the second time, women running places so advertised, signed the ordinance after he had con- approved a bond issue for the pur-Several months ago I was shown a copy sulted with several of the more in-

side of which were advertised the ordi- The mayor's conduct on this occanances of the city of Philadelphia, and sion, however, was cordial and public- \$39,000 a month, and the net profits on the other side, immediately backing spirited compared with his conduct in of the city, under the present schedule them up, were these iniquitous adver- connection with the recent street rail- of rates, are placed at \$13,000 a month, tisements. A fine commentary on way franchises. Readers of the Out- or \$156,000 a year, besides furnishing Philadelphia's chief magistrate's sense look will recall that the Focht and free water for fire hydrants. of decency and fitness; but what more Emery bills were introduced into the is to be expected of a man openly Pennsylvania legislature on May 29, is not sufficient against a great corcharged in the columns of a reputable and were approved by the governor on poration. The old vote was practically and responsible newspaper and by a June 7, without a public hearing of any the same, but the water company succlergyman of high standing of hav- kind at any stage of the proceedings. ceeded in putting a veto upon it, by aping made an obscene speech at a pub- The ordinances introduced under these peals to the courts and finally to Wall lic dinner largely attended by young bills were "jammed through" Phila- street to prevent the sale of the bonds. delphia councils even more rapidly. Since November 1, 1900, the Law and The mayor, whose private secretary industrial enterprise can be entered Order society has made the following had positively announced that the or-

53 June 13, on that day hastened back amount of capital. That gang of high-784 and in the face of John Wanamaker's Of this number \$7 have already been offer to pay the city \$2,500,000 for the

convicted and \$7 more indicted. The same privileges which were given to

essary. The record I have here briefly To quote the words of the Ledger, outlined speaks for itself. It will come

the slums the delegates elected at the aroused, and if an honest and untramrepublican primaries were almost with- meled vote were to be taken tomorrow, out exception men reputed to be the I am assued that it would be overkeepers of dives and speak-easies. The whelmingly against Ashbridge and his work of padding assessors' lists, of re- record. The task of the Municipal peating and personating at the polls, league and its allies in the present and of making out false returns, fight is to secure an honest and un-

Ministerial Anarchists

In the excitement of the last two weeks there have beeen none who have proved to be more unsafe advisers corrupt the elections or perform any than some of the preachers. They may be all right in the field of creeds command. The open and flagrant im- and theologies, but in government, if morality which has been exposed by their advice were followed, we would

> was as follows: "I wish that policemen in Buffalo | ted vastly more depredations than ever

The power of the corporations is so great that it takes almost super-human pose of buying the city water plant. The amount is \$2,000,000. The com-

Hard Srtuggles

pany's revenues amounted to about

A vote of five to one by the people It should be remembered that no great into in these days without the consent dinances' would not be approved on of Wall street if it requires any great and prevent the sale of bonds if it is

Schley goes down dere to Santeeago, sultation with a single bureau chief, prove whether it is possible for a He smashes dem Spaniards to pieces, railroad to be built anywhere in the United States against the wishes of Rockefeller and his gang of financial Den de people dey gits up en hollers, highwaymen.

Republican Government

The following is the way the g. o. p. governed the great city of Denver and is a fair record of the manner in which the same party runs the city of Oma-Vote 'er straight. ha. Fire and police board declaring that certain laws were not made to be enforced

Prostitutes permitted to solicit on Dey may do all dey kin ter t'row almost every street. School-girls enticed into wine rooms and drugged.

Policemen drinking over the bars in full uniform.

Music in saloons. Saloons open all night and on Sunday

Vicious characters given licenses to run joints.

Robberies assaults and murders almost every day and with no convictions following. Public spirit feeble and unorganized.

Policemen and detectives protecting law violators for a portion of the spoils.

Doors and windows of Market street houses wide open and women permitted to expose themselves in the windows and on the streets. Permission given to remain in the

city to 2,000 prostitutes, 1,600 pimps our opinion it is the non-enforcement (men supported by prostitutes), 35 of the law. Have you noticed how law soon be swamped in anarchy. The opium joints (2,000 victims of the advice of Rev. T. De Witt Talmage drug), 38 gambling places and an army of thieves and bunco men who commit-

who seized the pistol of the scoundrel came to the public's attention .-- (Facts who shot our adored president had gathered from police authorities.) taken the butt of the weapon and

And not to hurry me so mothers for their children while teeth-And I'd put some vim into the words ing. Are you disturbed at night and that I said. suffering and crying with pain of Cut-

I'd have told that republican crowd ting Teeth? If so send at once and That I was the governor just then, get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Sooth-And Bartley should have the benefit ing Syrup" for Children Teething. Its now value is incalculable. It will relieve Of sixty days out of the pen. the poor little sufferer immediately.

Depend upon it, mothers, there is no 'd be governor or quit the whole thing mistake about it. It cures diarrhoes, And not take orders from them, regulates the stomach and bowels, If I said I would do it cures wind colic, softens the gums, re-Then I'd stick to it, duces inflammation, and gives tone

And not send Bartley back to the pen. and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. There are some things that people Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for chilshould know: dren teething is pleasant to the taste

Have a governor Or only a souvenir Of the gang of six years ago? Old Stiffknee

Mode of Electing Senators.

The people of South Dekota, through their representatives in the legislature, have formally declared their sire for an amendment to the constitution providing for the election of LINCOLN, NEB. United States senators by direct vote of the electors. The joint resolution

to the effect has passed both houses and will be transmitted to congress by the secretary of state.

THE BRITISH DOCTORS

Are Doing a Noble Work at Their Office at the Corner of 11th and N Streets, Sheldon Block .- Numerous Remark. But Sampson en Long goes ter work able Cures are Being Reported Daily A staff of eminent physicians and To prove dat dey wuz de whole show. surgeons from the British Medical Institute have, at the urgent solicitation of a large number of patients under Ez it should be from deir point of their care in this country, established a permanent branch of the Institute in He proves Evans wuz locked in er this city in the Sheldon block, corner of 11th and N streets. En Schley looped de loop en den flew. These eminent gentlemen have decided to give their services entirely free for three months (medicine ex-Print deir books dat are nuttin' but cepted) to all invalids who call upon them for treatment between now and But you bet yer sweet life dat de people October 10. These services consist not Are wid de guy dat wuz on de spot. only for consultation, examination and

advice, but also of all minor surgical Dere's bin he-roes afore en a plenty. operations. The object in pursuing this course is Who've raked in de stakes from to become rapidly and personally ac-But you'll notice w'en readin' about quainted with the sick and afflicted. and under no conditions will any Dey wuz always right dere on de charge whatever be made for any services rendered for three months to all

who call before October 10. The doctors treat all forms of disease and deformities and guarantee a cure

in every case they undertake. At the Have you noticed the number of interview a thorough examination is murders, rape, and shootings have inmade, and, if incurable, you are frankcreased very rapidly of late and have ly and kindly told so; also advised you noticed that lynchings for these against spending your money for useoffences have also increased? What

less treatment. is the cause and what the remedy? In Male and female weakness, catarrh and catarrhal deafness, also rupture, goitre, cancer, all skin diseases and all is broken even here in Garfield county, diseases of the rectum, are positively shooting and hunting on Sunday, runcured by their new treatment. ning horses in the public highways, The Chief Associate Surgeon of the petty stealings, profanity and black-Institute is in personal charge. gardism in public streets and roads, Office hours, from 9 a. m. till 8 p. m.

drunkenness, fights, bastardy, adultery, No Sunday hours. and no one will make a

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sotice by sensible people "	in Buffalo I would anarchy we have heard suggested times	es in the past year has it been pro-	nome treatment.	د. اور	On the line of the Nash-
The only word	d of law and order County Clerk Birss. He suggests that perso	sons in this county, but it was pre-	WEAV MEN AND DOVE	EXCURSIONS EXTRAORDINARY.	of water, fuel, good lands can-
CATHARTIC Ister were uttered	d by Dr. C. C. Hall of the abrogation of all government and people said: To turn the as-	orcement of laws always has a bad	TURKISH LOST MANHOOD CAP-	The Missouri Pacific will run Home	able of growing over fifty dif-
popular fury wor	uld be to descend to restraint, whatever, our laws should well	uence on the young peopleBur-	sexual weakness, night losses, nervous- ness and all weaknesses caused by youthful indiscretions. We refund	iana—the first of the kind ever offered the traveling public—from this vicin- ity. Round trip home visitors tickets	healthy and agreeable. Lands M are now very low in price.
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CURE CONSTIPATION ment uttered by V	W. J. Bryan. He said: bled with them Authorize any net time	ne to its readers and patrons in	Sent in plain wrappers by mail.	St. Louis on Sept. 17th and 24th and J October 1st and Sth.	Travelling Passenger Agent, Merchants Exchange, St.
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