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THE BEE ROASTS GERE.

And a Very Good Roast it is.

The following appears in the Bee of Monday under the heading "Should be Repudiated."

"The late ex-Governor David Butler presented to Charles H. Gere the original plan of the Nebraska State Journal. Its editor had neither the ability nor the money to own or build up a newspaper. From the day it was started until now it has subsisted upon the gratuities of corporations and politicians and the corruption incident to their manipulations. Without its extensive job department, supported chiefly from the funds of the people and the printing of the railroads, the newspaper could not exist. It is recognized in Lincoln as the organ of local corruptionists and ringsters and in the state it is regarded as the mouthpiece of the B. & M. railroad. It scarcely ever takes an honest, candid position upon any local or state topic, but is conducted solely for self and the benefit of the bistory and power presses in the Journal building. Its owners have been enriched at the expense of their manhood and the state has been regularly mulcted to make them arrogant.

The editor of the Journal has always been a supple tool of the capitol, penitentiary and other rings. He has licked the boots of every man who has ever been in a public position who would contribute business to the Journal company or aid his ambition. He has been consistent only in this particular: A more selfish, unblinking political parasite than Gere has never achieved prominence in Nebraska affairs. A man who will stoop lower to do the bidding of corporation masters than this same Gere has never been given a place in a state convention.

Charles H. Gere has long been the resident agent of the Nebraska university, and in this capacity he has been known chiefly as a trimmer who would sacrifice the dignity of his office and bring disgrace upon his associates by trickery in awarding contracts, by perfidiously abandoning his friends in the face of probable victory, and by a constant effort to secure job work for his printing establishment. There has never been an office with a salary attached which could be held without releasing his hold upon the printing press of the state which Gere was unwilling to take. As a member of both houses of the legislature he was always in the railroad and appropriation camps. As a secretary of the railroad commission he was not content with serving the railroads, but in a cowardly manner sought to strike down the benefactor and friend who gave him his position. When a better man was a candidate for postmaster it was this parasite that plucked the plum.

This contemptible traitor to all that is honorable in public life, this miserably voracious parasite who never earned an honest dollar by honest labor in his life, this pampered pet of the corporations, this creature who has fattened upon state contracts at the public expense, this utterly conscienceless political hypocrite has the infinite assurance to deny the Bee and its editor the right to advise the republican party of Nebraska as to its duties in the coming campaign. It is this tool of corporations and advocate of all the jobs ever perpetrated, or that have been attempted at Lincoln since the state was admitted to the union, who presumes, in the absence of Mr. Rosewater, to call in question his loyalty to the republican party. There is no danger of Charles H. Gere being again elected to a state office, but the people of Nebraska must be nauseated by the fellow's unblinking cheek."

Subscribe for THE ALLIANCE.

SPECIAL ATTENTION!!

We invite special attention to our proposition in this week's issue for a subscription to place THE ALLIANCE in the hands of Twenty Thousand republican and democratic voters of this state. We will do this for four thousand dollars; and this sum should be easily raised by friends of the reform movement. There should be four thousand men spring up at once and plant one dollar each for this purpose. But while we can hardly expect this, many will send much more. We have already received many orders for the paper on this principle.

All subscriptions under this proposition will be acknowledged weekly in THE ALLIANCE.

Remember our object is to reach those republicans and democrats who will not themselves take independent papers. There is more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner that repenteth than over ninety and nine who are already saved. There is no time to lose in this work. There are still thousands of republicans and democrats who are in utter darkness. Speed the fight!

A DIXON COUNTY PLANTER.

The following conversation between two republics was overheard by an independent at a railway station in Dixon county:

First Repub.—"Say, Bill, what are we going to do about our candidate for county treasurer? There are two aspirants, and neither one can be elected, because the independents have a walk-away. Now Bob is too good a man to be put up to be knocked down, and I think we had better nominate the other fellow."

Second Repub.—"All right."

The Gulf Railroad.

MINDEN, Neb., Sept. 23, 1891.

F. M. Sands, of Alliance, Neb., addressed a mass-meeting of the citizens of Minden and Kearney county, Saturday, Sept. 20, ably setting forth the advantage of the proposed railroad from the Dakotas to the Gulf. His plan is for the states of Kansas, Nebraska and Texas to build a double track road to be owned and run in the interest of the wealth producers of these states. Mr. Sands handled his subject well and gave much valuable information on the transportation question, not generally to the credit of those who have been controlling our state in the past. He was followed by Mr. J. L. McNeely, our late county attorney, and he made a few well-chosen remarks favoring this road as a first step towards governmental ownership. Hon. Joel Hull, who has been from Dakota to Galveston in a buggy, along the proposed route (in the interest of a similar project) gave many interesting facts on the subject, and although his first project failed he seemed not a bit discouraged and stoutly affirms that this or a similar road will be built at no distant day. Mr. Sands will speak at Norman on Monday, and as the people there are already deeply interested we expect he will arouse their enthusiasm. If the rest of the people along the proposed route are as earnest as we are here this people's road to our natural market would soon be an accomplished fact, and when once the people build and own one road furnishing transportation at cost, governmental ownership of all public highways will soon be demanded in a voice which will brook no denial.

Mrs. J. T. KELLIE.

A Live County.

Few counties in the state can show any more or aggressive work in connection with the Alliance than Lancaster county. The meetings of the County Alliance are representative of the interest felt by the local organizations, being well attended and uniformly interesting and instructive. The next regular meeting will be held at the usual place in this city, on Friday, Oct. 3rd, and will be one of special importance. Every Alliance in the county should be represented by its full number of delegates, thus insuring success in all its undertakings.

The question of mutual insurance has been before the Alliance here for some time and arrangements have been completed for the organization of a company under the auspices and control of the County Alliance.

J. I. CASE THRESHING MACHINE COMPANY.

An ALLIANCE representative called at the establishment known as the J. I. Case headquarters, situated on X and Eleventh street. He found Mr. States, the genial proprietor, seated at his desk. When asked as to the number of machines on exhibition at the state fair, he gave the following: "We had three complete outfits and sold four complete outfits." This company has been located in our city for about twelve years, and their sales have continued to increase until last year they amounted in this state alone to 300 complete outfits, besides about 75 engines. They also transferred to other states 230 machines. This is certainly a good showing, and fully demonstrates that the public is well pleased with their manager, Mr. States, who appears to be a gentleman who has an eye to business and a rustic of the first water. That he has held his position so long with the company argues that he has given them entire satisfaction. And THE ALLIANCE is pleased to recommend him and the company to its readers as a reliable firm.

THE HUBER ENGINE AT THE FAIR

The Huber engines manufactured at Marion, Ohio, by the Huber Manufacturing Company attracted a great deal of attention at the state fair this year. They claim for this engine special advantages on account of its peculiar construction and guarantee it to do more work with less fuel, and be more easily operated than any other engine made. As a traction engine it is very powerful, and will haul larger loads through mud and across plowed fields than any on the market. Their threshing machinery is all first-class and worthy of investigation by every one interested. Mr. A. McMullin of Omaha, Neb., their general agent for Iowa and Nebraska, is a gentleman of large business experience and is building up a good trade throughout Nebraska for these popular goods. THE FARMERS' ALLIANCE welcomes all such companies to our state and wishes the Huber success.

Traffic-Labor.

From the Chicago Evening Post, Sept. 16:

The latest service rendered to the public by the Inter-Ocean, is by no means the least. It is thus described in the editorial columns of our enterprising contemporary, except for the italics, which are our own:

The Inter-Ocean of to-day (Sunday) prints the responses of a very large number of employers of labor to questions which it propounded to them concerning the effect of legislation upon the remuneration of labor.

It is possible that a few persons have not yet found time to peruse the ten columns in which these responses are set forth. For their benefit we reprint the following from the Inter-Ocean's editorial article, if only to show how eminently satisfactorily the inquiry provided:

But the Inter-Ocean rejoices in the overwhelming preponderance of testimony in favor of a protective policy which its questions have elicited. It rejoices in the vast amount of evidence which it is permitted to educe as to the prosperous condition of labor, the ever-improving quality and decreasing prices of American goods, the ever widening area of comfort and of intellectual development that lies before and around the wage-earner of the United States.

From the fact that our neighbor confined his inquiries exclusively to the "employers of labor" we take the liberty to infer that it contemplates a further investigation in which responses will be sought from employes to the same questions which were propounded to the employers. If the Inter-Ocean is not weary of well doing and find itself equal to such an inquiry, it cannot be more profitably than by taking up a report rendered to the Trade and Labor Assembly by a committee who had been appointed to investigate the "sweaters" shops in Chicago. We append a partial summary of the report, taken from an obscure corner in this morning's Inter-Ocean:

The condition of the places visited was terrible. Over-crowding, long hours and low pay was the rule. Girls of ten years of age were found to be working ten and twelve hours a day for 80 cents per week. Two girls were found, none being over ten years of age, that worked ten hours a day for 75 cents to \$1.20 a week. In a DeKoven street den were found a half dozen men working eighteen hours a day for from \$4 to \$9 per week. At 108 Maxwell street were found ten and twelve hours a day for 80 cents per week. In the same place were six girls working from twelve to fourteen hours a day, whose weekly pay was \$3. One child was found in the house that worked for 75 cents per week. At 455 South Canal street a girl was found who declined to work that received 75 cents a week, and was discharged, and discharge meant starvation. At 63 Judd street the wages of the men were found to be from \$5 to \$9 per week, and one child there received \$1 per week. The women worked fourteen hours a day.

And much more to the same purpose. We forbear to quote at greater length lest we should dull the edge of the Inter-Ocean's zest in explaining anew "the ever widening area of comfort and of intellectual development that lies before and around the wage-earner of the United States of America."

We Predict More Rain Next Year.

Members of the Alliance are flocking to the republican clubs of Kansas. It was nothing but a shower, after all.—Minneapolis Tribune.

The Bible story relates that for some time after the rains fell and the waters rose the deluded people consoled themselves with the reflection that it "was nothing but a shower, after all." The republican managers are the deluded people this time, if they imagine that the "shower," as they are pleased to term the great western defection, is over. The issues this year are not so great, vital or absorbing as they were last year. No congressmen are to be elected and in Nebraska or Kansas no gubernatorial nor legislative fight is on. There is not much to call out an independent movement. It is not an easy matter to arouse interest in such minor struggles as we have on hand this year in the western states, but when the next year rolls around the Minneapolis Tribune and all other organs of republicanism in the west will discover that the "shower," as they term it, is not over by a good deal.—World-Herald.

An Outside Democratic View.

Nebraska furnishes the best means of measuring the force and vitality of this movement because there it has been wholly free from complications with either of the two old parties. At the outset it took the shape of an independent state organization for political reform. And in Nebraska to-day the numbers and aggressiveness of these independents are causing the republican politicians serious concern. They are in dead earnest and will doubtless be heard from in great numbers at the polls.

From Antelope County.

The following extract is taken from a private letter to the editor: "S. C. Fairchild county organizer spoke to a large audience at Elgin on the 19th inst. The people gave good attention for two hours and still they wanted to hear more.

Praise God the people are awake at last and the two old twin parties can't mesmerize them any more, they have lost their grip. Now Bro. Editor pour in the grape and canister; they are on the dead run and their little fellows are crying "dictator," "anarchist." But heed them not nor lower your guns till they cry out from the very depth of their souls, 'O God! let the rocks and the hills hide us from the face of the poor widows and orphans that we, by our national banking system, railroad and class legislation, have robbed, beggared and pauperized.' Never let up till the two old twin plutoeratic parties are under such an avalanche of liberty loving, free American votes that they will all their Wall street brooders will never be able to dig out. Yours till every true American citizen shall be freed from the financial chains that bind us, E. A. SHAIN.

State Agency Business.

State Agent Hartley quotes some very low prices this week in another column. A slight mistake is made in the price of flour. Snow Flake is quoted at \$2.00, should be \$2.60 per cwt., this is full patent and first class.

Look over the list and send a trial order. J. W. HARTLEY, Lincoln, Neb.

STATE FAIR NOTES.

THE SWINE EXHIBIT.

The swine exhibit was much the largest ever seen in this state. Additional pens had to be erected and then a number had to use sheep pens. Our limited space will only admit of the briefest mention. The following Nebraska breeders of Poland China were on the ground.

- J. M. Robinson, Kenesaw, who is known to all our readers, had fifteen head. A. B. Johnson, Albion, 20 head. L. H. Suter, Neligh, 14 head. Bronson & Bubb, Waverly, 17 head. J. V. Wolfe, Lincoln, 28 head. Geo. Cox, Lincoln, 13 head. Mrs. A. M. Edwards, Fremont, 38 head. A. F. Bishop, Lincoln, 50 head. Fred N. Mulertz, Ashland, 20 head. G. W. Jenkins, Dewesse, 16 head. J. L. Borton, Greenwood, 35 head. J. F. Marshall, Murray, 31 head. P. J. Gosard, Friend, 15 head. S. M. McKeive, Fairfield, 7 head. John O'Connell, Malcolm, 15 head. Arnold Bros., Verdon, 26 head. W. A. Ward, Pawnee City, 14 head. Ira M. Swihart, Stella, 26 head. Clothar & Leonard, Pawnee City, 14 head.

- Dawson Bros., Endicot, 45 head. The following breeders of Poland Chinas were here from other states: Black Bros., Knoxville, Iowa, 45 head. W. C. Williams, Knightstown, Ind., 28 head. E. H. Wade, Missouri Valley, Iowa, 15 head. C. N. Gilpin, Earlham, Iowa, 40 head. A. J. Lytle, Oskaloosa, Iowa, 36 head. E. E. Elliott, Knightstown, Ind., 48 head. S. D. Reeves, Knightstown, Ind., 16 head. John G. Lytle, Rose Hill, Iowa, 16 head. B. F. Dorsey & Sons, Perry, Ill., 18 head. Tilford Rice, Larchland, Ill., 29 head. Geo. W. Falk, Richmond, Mo., 21 head. Marsh Farm Herd, Jessup, Iowa, 40 head. Vivian & Alexander, Fulton, Mo., 28 head. M. Shivers, Knoxville, Iowa, 25 head. This makes a grand total of nearly 800 head of this popular breed on exhibition.

BERKSHIRES.

- S. T. Jones, Greenwood, Neb., had 15 head of English Berkshires on exhibition and won several good prizes. W. E. Spicer, Harvard, Neb., 29 head, including some prize winners. O. Wilson, Burwell, Neb., 8 head. Frank L. Hathaway, Lincoln, Neb., 37 head. John B. Thompson, Plattburg, Mo., 13 head. B. F. Drake, Santa Fe, Mo., 6 head. F. T. Dorsey & Son, Perry, Ill., 17 head, winning several prizes. N. H. Gentry, Sedalia, Mo., winning two firsts and one sweepstakes premium.

DUROC JERSEYS.

- H. A. Stoll, Beatrice, Neb., 20 head. C. H. Chandler & Sons, South Omaha, 28 head. C. H. Searle, Edgar, Neb., 45 head. Tilford Rice, Larchland, Ill., 15 head.

ESSEX.

- H. C. Stoll, 8 head. L. H. Mahan, Malcolm, Neb., 28 head, winning a number of premiums and a silver medal. Geo. T. Davis & Son, Dyer, Ind., had the only herd of Victorias on exhibition and won all premiums. Had 32 head.

YORKSHIRES.

- H. C. Stoll, 7 head, winning several premiums. L. H. Suter, Neligh, Neb., 6 head, won first on 2-year-old boar, second on 1-year-old; first and second on boar pig three months old, first on sow six months old, and first on best five pigs by one boar.

CHESTER WHITES.

About thirty Chester Whites were shown but we failed to get the names of all exhibitors. H. C. Stoll had six head winning several first prizes. Some dissatisfaction was expressed over the scoring in this department, but the exhibit was so large that the judges must have been considerably hurried.

SHEEP.

The exhibit of sheep was not large in numbers, but some very good animals were shown. W. Wilson, Creston, Iowa, showed a very extra fine Oxford and Hampshire Down. He won a number of first prizes, winning on all given; on Oxfords, and all but two on Hampshire Downs.

Sherman Van Antwerp, Syracuse, Neb., showed Merinos and Shropshires and won a number of premiums, and a silver medal. H. C. Cleverger, Malcolm, Neb., showed Shropshires, having ten very nice ones.

C. H. Ballinger, Lexington, Neb., showed 35 Shropshires, 9 Cotswolds and 1 Hampshire Down, winning first and sweepstakes on Hampshire ram. He also won a number of other premiums, and a silver medal.

Geo. Richardson, Benedict, Neb., showed seventeen head of Leicesters, winning several prizes. D. C. & L. C. Graham, Cameron, Ill., 25 head Leicesters, Lincolns and South-downs. They won twelve premiums and three sweepstakes.

Samuel Jewett & Son, Lawrence, Kansas, had twenty-two Merinos that were very fine.

M. Shivers, Knoxville, Iowa, Shropshires, Geo. T. Davis, Dyer, Ind., eleven head of Cotswolds. All prize winners.

Good Meetings Reported.

Assistant Lecturer Pratt reports a very interesting and successful series of meetings in the west and northwest counties. Beginning at Lexington on September 7th, he visited the counties on the U. P. main line, addressing good meetings in every county. In Cheyenne county on the 12th, he was joined by Prest. Powers and a very good meeting was held there. Bro. Pratt will visit the northwest counties closing this trip at Gandy, Logan county, on Oct. 5th.

President Powers will spend a week or ten days in Wayne and Stanton counties about Oct. 1st. He speaks at Waterloo, Saunders Co., on the 24th, and at St. Helena, Custer Co., on the 26th.

State Lecturer Hull has just closed a series of meetings in the northeast part of the state that have done great good to the order by arousing increased interest and activity in the Alliance work this week he has been at work nearer home. Will meet with the Merrick Co. Alliance at Central City on Oct. 19.

A Cowardly Government.

On the train from Baltimore to Washington, on our recent eastern trip, we had an interesting experience. We spent our days in Washington, and our evenings and nights the guest of the amiable and cultivated family of Dr. Edw. Dunn, Mt. Washington, a Baltimore suburb.

The second morning, on the train to Washington we began conversing with a young man scarcely past his majority, and found that he was an employe in the Census department, one of those recently dropped from the rolls. His father was an Alliance man in Ohio.

"Do you think you were dropped from the rolls on account of your father's relations to the new party?"

"Oh no, they know nothing about that—my work was on farm mortgages and was finished four weeks ago; and I have been employed in other department work for three weeks."

"And paid from the mortgage fund of \$1,000,000?"

"Yes."

"Did you know that was against the law?"

"No—but what does the department care about that?"

"May I quote this, from shorthand?"

"I don't care."

"Well, why don't Porter publish the farm mortgage returns?"

"GAD! HE DON'T DARE TO—he has his instructions from the cabinet. They have held consultations 'over it.'"

"How do you know?"

"Never mind, I do know."

"How near were you to Porter?"

"Near enough to know. Do you suppose that great record will ever see the light? No sir. It is the most appalling record ever disclosed on earth. Never will it be published as it came in."

"Will it be published at all?"

"Yes, of course, in time. They are now getting new reports from all over the country, and new clerks are handling them."

"Do you really mean that the honest farm mortgage reports would damn our financial system?"

"IT WOULD DAMN ANY FINANCIAL SYSTEM."

There was more talk upon the matter, but this was sufficient. The fact is that the government at Washington is a nest of corruption-breeding cowards.—Great West.

We clip the above from that able and fearless paper, The Great West. There has long been evidences of juggling with this mortgage business. The Omaha Board of Trade secured the appointment of E. F. Test, of that city, as census examiner to obtain information as to the mortgage indebtedness of this state; and it was heralded abroad that as soon as an investigation could be made the calamity howlers would be put down. Well, Gen. Test has made his examination. Why does he not report? If the mortgage indebtedness of this state was placed too high let us know it. We know that Gen. Test made an investigation in Gage county. If the result was favorable to the shysters they would make no delay in giving the information.

Porter's Weather Forecast.

SR. JOSEPH, Sept. 26.—A remarkable period of great storms will occur during the first half of October that will be surpassed only by those that will occur in March, 1892. There will be three storm waves during this storm period which will cross the continent from west to east along the usual storm center routes. The first of these storm waves will be most severe in the Mississippi valley and the last one on the Atlantic coast. The first of these storm waves will be due to leave the Pacific coast about Sept. 30, cross the Rocky-Allegheny valley from Oct. 1 to 3, and reach the Atlantic coast about the 4th. On the 2d this storm wave will be crossing the Mississippi river not far from St. Louis, and will then be of very considerable force in Illinois and Missouri. Accompanying this storm wave may be expected tornadoes, cloudbursts, hail and severe gales and within one or two days following it killing frosts will visit most localities north of latitude 36, with a strong probability of frosts much further south. Hurricanes will develop great force on the North Atlantic at this time, but I cannot give their exact location, but they will probably be not far east of the West Indies. These hurricanes will become very fierce along the Atlantic coast from 1st to 18th of October. These October storms will indicate what the coming winter will be. I expect very great storms from the 1st of October to the last of March, and if this period of storms covering the first half of October proves to be of more than usual force it will indicate that I have not miscalculated the weather, and we may expect a winter of a very cold, severe and stormy winter, setting in quite early. Saturn will pass its equinox the last of October, and to that influence I attribute the great increase of storms since the middle of last May.

Bro. Leonard in the Field.

AT HOME, Sept. 21, 1891.

EDITOR ALLIANCE: Dear Sir and Brother—Please announce in your paper that I will answer calls from the Subordinate Alliances of Lancaster county during this fall and winter to speak words of encouragement to our brethren in the interest of a better day that is surely coming. Respectfully, I. N. LEONARD.

Address Box 291, Lincoln.

The Fall Festivities at Kansas City.

The Kansas City Inter-State Fair has chosen the nine days from Oct. 3d to 11th inclusive as the time for holding their annual fair, exposition and races. A large fund has been raised by the citizens and \$30,000 cash set apart for premiums alone. A genuine old-fashioned fair will be held on the grounds of the Exposition Driving Park, with ample provision for stabling all the live stock exhibited.

The exposition building is one of the finest in the western world worth a visit. The Priests of Pallas sagaciously on Wednesday of the fair week, and the half rates on all railroads will draw an immense throng.

Trotting, running and pacing races each day at the Kansas City Inter-State Fair, Oct. 3 to 11.

The dates for Kansas City's Great Inter-State Fair this fall are October 3 to 11.

The people of Kansas City will rejoice in this fall the old-fashioned fair which was such a success last year. Half rates have been granted on all railroads, and as an added attraction the grand pageant of the Priests of Pallas has been appointed for the same week, with the fair, exposition, races, German day celebration and the immense labor demonstration. The nine days from October 3d to 11th will prove memorable in the history of Kansas City as well as a season of pleasure and profit to visitors.

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FOR FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS

The publishers of "The Alliance" will send the paper to 20,000 Republican and Democratic voters in this State for three months.

Wherever this paper is read it converts men to the Independent principles.

The true aim of proselyting work should be to reach men who do not belong to our party and who will not themselves pay for our paper.

This can be done Only in the Way we Propose.

The paper will be sent under this offer to lists of names furnished by donors, or if names are not so furnished, to lists obtained from State and County committeemen, but only to voters who are not independents.

Donations from fifty cents and upward will be received.

The names of all subscribers to this fund with amount of donation will be published weekly in "The Alliance."

This is giving a 56 column 8 page paper 3 months for 20 cents. We do not make a farthing by this deal, but do it solely for the good of the cause.

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Grocery Department.

- Stove Lid Lifter.....03 Curry comb.....03 Fire Shovel.....04 Rolling Pin.....05 Stove Polish, Rising Sun.....05 Large strainer.....05 Boy's knife.....05 Wood-rim sieve.....10

Drug Department.

- Bottle Castor oil.....05 Machine oil.....05 Vaseline.....05 Glycerine Soap.....05 Ammonia, pt. bottles.....08 Porous plasters.....10 Box pills.....10 Hoyt's cologne.....26

Hardware Department.

- Harness snaps.....01 Hole mouse trap.....01 Nutmeg grater.....01 Tacks per box.....01

Shoe Department.

Everything in this department at bed rock prices.

If you come to the city drop in and see us, we