LOCAL SQUIES.

Senator Allen speaks at O'Neil on the 26th.

One and one-third fare is the rate on all railroads to the populist state convention on the 28th.

The remains of Mrs. G. R. Wolfe and child, who were killed in the Denver hotel horror, arrived here today and the funeral occurs Friday at 2 p. m.

The letter carriers are arranging for a picnic Labor Day at Lincoln park. As the boys are a household necessity in nearly every home, all will join in wishing them a happy time on this occasion.

Seventh warders are a little warm at the mayor for his treatment of Councilman Myers. They are ready to stand by their councilman for his work in the interest of his ward.

Officer Kinney who was on a "toot" not long since is reported to have remarked that the city administration could not get along without his services and it seems he called the turn since he is still on the force.

Prof. G. H. Walters, people's independent candidate for county clerk will speak before the "Farmers' Economic Club" of Mill precinct, on Saturday evening August 24th, at the Rock Creek school house. Subject, "Money."

The "knights of Ak-sar-ben," which if spelled backward will show who is meant, promise to have a grand time at Omaha during State Fair week. From the class of buildings already completed and the interest awakened Nebraska will have the greatest fair in the history of the state this year.

At a meeting of the populist county central committee Saturday J. M. Thompson was elected secretary. J. C. McNerney and H. F. Rose were placed upon the ticket as candidates for district judges along with A. S. Tibbetts.

The defaulting city clerk of Beatrice, J. T. Phillips, has been captured and now awaits trial in the Gage county jail. Bogus warrants are showing up in various quarters and several books have been mutilated beyond all use. It is likely he will get a good term at the pen.

Hayden Bros., the wide awake merchants of Omaha seem to have incurred the everlasting displeasure of the poor old Journal since they do not advertise with that concern. The Journal is jacking up that wide awake firm because they are able to supply the public with anything they desire in their line, from a toothpick to a railroad train.

Alexander Buckner, a prominent colored man, held on charge of bigamy for some time, has been released by one of the judges of the district court on the ground that he had been tried once on the alleged crime and acquitted. It's getting close on to a campaign and the colored vote must be looked after. Now if the Rock Island would cause the release of another colored man the country would doubtless be saved.

Hulda and Bertha Eck, mother and daughter, were convicted on the charge of vagrancy Saturday afternoon, and something over $38 each was taxed up against them. Being unable to pay, they were sent to the county jail to board it out. The taxpayers are getting a liberal dose of this liberal republican administration. But they will repudiate it at the polls this fall.

The appraisers report on the Dorgan contract proves interesting reading. For instance: One second hand, worn out 12-inch stiring plow $12; one two wheel dump cart $30; one three-fourth acre potato patch, just planted (prospect for drouth good) $25.50; brood sows Berkshire and Poland China, $500; 50 sewing machine needles, $5; five water buckets, $2; two span mules (hard times prices) $500; one second hand farm wagon, (wheels bandaged with wire) $42. Send for a copy of the report. It is interesting reading matter.

Fire at midnight last night destroyed two barns and a corn crib on the big farm of Dr. W. H. H. Dunn, a half mile belyond Havelock. Seven horses, harness, valuable machinery and considerable grain were also burned. Dr. Dunn places his loss at upwards of $7,000. The property was insured for about one-fifth of its value. It is said that the three buildings caught about the same time, and it is beleived that the destruction was the work of an incendiary.

Go to Scriba's for your drugs, 405 south 11th st.

There is a swarm of republica[illegible] stickers hanging about the state boa[illegible] in the hopes to secure a state [illegible] contract which the last republican [illegible] islature annulled. Gov. [illegible] should take a stand against th[illegible] system which will rob the state of $[illegible]000 in the next eighteen months.

M. Goldsberry, janitor at the [illegible] university, gave his 17-year old da[illegible] ter a severe chastising Tuesday [illegible] for persistently keeping compa[illegible] one Charles Trotter, a married m[illegible] about 35, against the parental [illegible] Goldsberry was arrested but as no [illegible] appeared to prosecute he was not [illegible]

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COXEY IN LINCOLN.

The Great Commonwealer Visits This City and Adcresses the People.

Gen. J. S. Coxey, the great commonwealer and friend to humanity, arrived in Lincoln Monday night over the Union Pacific at a very late hour, accompanied by his wife. It had been arranged to hold an informal reception at the Lindell at 8 o'clock but owing to a wash out on this road near Maryville, Kas., the train bearing Mr. and Mrs. Coxey did not arrive here until about 1 o'clock. The general was driven to the Lindell and Tuesday morning received a great many callers and friends. He left at 9 o'clock on the excursion train over the Union Pacific for Shelby where he addressed the people of Polk and adjoining counties at a great harvest picnic. Mr. Coxey has been traveling through Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas and other parts of the south and west speaking daily to immense throngs of people on the industrial and financial question and advocating the Coxey good road and non-interest bearing bonds scheme. Great interest is manifest, he says, in these questions wherever he has been and the people are ready for a change. He makes but one speech in the state at Shelby and after four speeches in Iowa—Council Bluffs, Creston, Ottumwa and DesMoines, he goes to Chicago and thence to his own state, Ohio, where he will make a vigorous canvass for the governship under the populist banner. Mr. Coxey says he has not been forbidden freedom of the press anywhere in this great free (?) nation save at the capital—the head centre of plutocracy, monarchy and chicanery.

THE SHELBY MEETING.

About thirty people left Lincoln on the U. P. at 9 a. m. Tuesday by special train to attend the great picnic. The meeting was held at Delaet's grove about five miles from Shelby and was attended by 15,000 to 20,000 people. The Osceola band was in attendance to add to the pleasures of the day and it seemed as if the whole country had turned out for a day of recreation.

Hon W. F. Porter of Clarks addressed the people in the forenoon and during the afternoon Gen. Coxey devoted a few hours to the discussion of his non-interest bearing bonds theory. A game of base ball between Shelby and Osceola added to the amusement features, resulting in a score of 3 to 1 in favor of Shelby. It was a great meeting and showed that populism and free silver were far from dead in that vicinity.

On the road to the park from Shelby, a distance of about five miles two young men indulged in a race. A Dayton hack driven by Oscar Blevins was pitted in the race and Mrs. Walters and Mr. Doaw and J. H. Borman of Lincoln City, were seriously injured. The other occupants of the hack were bruised but none so seriously as the parties mentioned. This was the only accident reported and is said to be chargeable to a drunken driver.

Lou Haskell, the barkeep of Emsburg was in attendance to hear Coxey and the speaker had him treed. It is suspected Lou was about to espouse the cause of populism and the people.

COXEY AT THE FUNKE

At 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon Deputy Sheriff Gentle received a telegram from Coxey announcing that he would be in Lincoln at 8:30 that evening. Accordingly the Funke opera house was secured, the meeting hastily advertised and by 8 o'clock the house was well filled with ladies and gentlemen of Lincoln anxious to see and hear the great commoner. The train not arriving until 8:30 o'clock the audience was entertained by speeches by Mr. Wolfe, J. V. Wolfe, Mr. Ewan, etc., until Mr. Coxey and party arrived. The general was tired and he could only stay a few hours to the delight of those who had come to hear him. He confined himself to the cause of the people, the money, and the ills in his way. He favored public improvements by the government issue of legal tender currency. It was the best financial and industrial address we have ever heard and contained a vast amount of information. The meeting adjourned at 10 o'clock and all were well pleased with the man and his plan.

We misquoted Coxey in its report of his speech in this city, when he is reported as wanting the government loan money on individual property at ninety cents on the dollar of valuation. He never stated any such thing. What he did say was that the government should loan money to states, counties and municipalities at one per cent interest.

M. Bennett, was in [illegible] He says the free [illegible] from deceased in [illegible] locality.

The Seventh Ward prohibitionists who [illegible] Ewan are still misguided individuals. A meeting in that [illegible] gave Ewan a [illegible] resolutions [illegible] Councilman Myers. [illegible] change his luck [illegible] in his receptacle with the coon population.

PURE CUSSEDNESS.

Is the Policy of State Boad in the Management of the Penitetiary.

The T. White, the guard at the penitentiary who some time ago struck an unruly negro convict, and Ed Coleman who was compelled to use his Winchester to enforce his orders, have been removed from their positions—not exactly fired but the board of public lands and buildings refused to allow them anything for their services. White was night yard man and Coleman night turn key for the past two months, two very essential and important positions. The board did not stop their pay because of inefficiency or because their services were not required. They were two of most efficient men in the institution. Of course, White has no more sense than the law allows and is not altogether what his name would indicate, but he is an efficient officer and rendered good service to the state. But he hung J. Sirloin Mutton in effigy once and the demo reps cannot get over it. As to Coleman, the only complaint against him, he went over into Iowa during the last campaign and dug up Attorney General Churchill's record, wherein he is reported to have once been indicted for grand larceny or something of the kind. As we said before, both men were careful and efficient employes and stopping their pay is simply a little politics of the dirtiest kind, such as only Russell and Churchill are capable of dabbling in.

But there is no law wherby the board can assume any such authority. The law says the number of guards and keepers and their compensation shall be such as the board and the warden deem necessary and proper. Refusing to sign vouchers, for political ends, of any man who has rendered the state a service does not cancel the state's liability and some republican stinkers may find out one of these days.

There is another cause for all this dirty work. The new management of the penitentiary is better than it ever was. The populists are making a good record there which the republican bosses do not want. They cannot get in any more steals; there is no chance to divy any more spoils, and it hurts them. And there is a chance to show up some of their dirty records in the past and this another thing they do not want. It is the purpose of Commissioner Russell to cause all the annoyance he can to the populists, no matter how much the interests of the state suffer. He is endeavoring to so impair the discipline there as to create an insurrection, and it would be glorious fun for him. He is also endeavoring to farm out the institution again to a contractor in defiance of law in order that there may be some chance for a steal and a divy. In former years there was always a few thousands appropriated for improvements and repairs, which was always stolen, or a greater portion of it, as the warden's biennial reports will show. There is no such appropriation this year and they must have a chance to line their pockets. Churchill's past record shows that he is as unscrupulous, publicly and privately as the devil. If there ever was any man about him his long association with the republican ring in this corrupt state has taken it all from him.

Somebody is likely to take him by the nape of the neck and the seat of the breeches and let him out of a third story window one of these days. There is entirely too much skunk there for the society of decent people.

The fall race meeting at Lincoln park is bound to be a go now, $12,000 having already been subscribed for that purpose and more to hear from.

Mayor Graham has removed Detective Langdon from the city force. Doubtless the officer was too much inclined to show up some of the crookedness going on in the city under the new administration.

"Tip" Preseott, formerly engineer at the penitentiary, left Wednesday for Rockford, Ill., to visit relatives and accept a position there if everything suits him. "Tip" was employed at the pen six years and was all right.

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Resolutions of Respect.

LINCOLN, Neb. Aug. 20, 1895.

Editor INDEPENDENT. Dear Sir and Brother:

Herewith please find resolutions of condolence on the death of Capt. R. F. Trevellick, which were adopted by Local Assembly No. 1154 of Lincoln, on August 3, 1895, and ordered printed. Type written copies were furnished the principal papers of Lincoln and Omaha at the time, but for some reason political or otherwise, did not publish them. We believe that a man who has spent so many years of his noble life in the cause of human liberty should be remembered in death. Hence, now the regret, and further to draw the attention of the people of Nebraska, whom he served so well, to the noble deeds and efforts of a true Knight of Labor.

WHEREAS, The Supreme Workman has called brother Richard F. Trevellick to a seat in the general assembly of the just, we feel bound, on account of the special merits of the departed, to take elaborate cognizance of his discease, which occurred at Detroit, Mich., on Sunday, the 15th day of February, A. D. 1895, in the 64th year of his age;

WHEREAS, In Brother Travellick was found the best attributes of two proud and progressive peoples, the American and English, which he displayed in the most faithful and remarkable way, by devoting forty years of his noble life to the cause of the poor, the ignorant, the oppressed of the race;

WHEREAS, Brother Trevellick was a prudent and practical worker, he taught the people that the wrongs of a free country are the crimes of its voters; bad laws are the deeds of the criminals hired by the people to rob and enslave them; bribed legislators are like the priests of Jeroboam, taken from the dregs of the masses to keep the people for base and selfish purposes, from the temple of justice and truth;

WHEREAS, He saw that ignorance, thoughtlessness and corruption in the use of the ballot, are at the foundation of many of the ills of the masses, he earnestly taught the lesson of a pure and intelligent use of the suffrage;

WHEREAS, He saw that all the forces of the wronged were needed to overcome the oppressor; he showed the necessity of a brotherly love that should not stop at race or creed lines; therefore he did not turn from the black man on account of the color of his skin; he was not swayed by the vulgar and inhuman disregard of the Jew, presumably, because his ancestors were accused of something that happened two thousand years ago; nor could he absorb the virus that, because a brother was a Roman catholic, the ancient penal statutes of his native land, England should be reinacted on American soil;

WHEREAS, He considered organized irreligious hatred the greatest foe of organized labor, he fought the former;

WHEREAS, He knew that money, land, liberty and a free and protected ballot are the base and preservation of free institutions, he unceasingly worked for the retention of the land in the hands of the people; for a sufficient sound and elastic money medium, controlled by the people; he opposed all personal restraints on personal liberty not required by the public good; he advocated the Australian ballot system.

WHEREAS, He saw the deplorable effect of drunkenness on the bodies, souls, pockets and families of the wage earner, he advocated, honestly no man will deny, the severest measures for the exterpation of a branch of trade which is, alas, only too frequently abused;

WHEREAS, He knew that knowledge is power, he was a devoted student of all economic questions, and became a learned, devoted and eloquent advocate of the toiling masses, being their tireless and incurruptible friend, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That in the death of Brother Travellick the oppressed have lost a friend of the purest and sincerest character, the Knights of Labor a wise and virtuous leader, the cause of brotherly love a shining pattern, irreligeous hatred an unpurchasable foe, economy a learned and eloquent exponent, money, land and liberty a pure and protected ballot, a strong defender; America one of the bravest and best of citizens that she ever received from England. And that we always cherish the memory and imitate the example of our noble brother, Richard F. Travellick.

LAURENCE SHERIDAN GILLISK,
Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 20, 1895.

L. G. Todd, of Union, Cass county, one of the pioneer populists of the state, at one time candidate for governor on the greenback ticket, gave us a pleasant call today. Mr. Todd is all riget. He is selling the celebrated Factoryville flour.

H. J. Chase, a grocer of Beatrice came to Lincoln Tuesday and found his wife registered at the Windsor with W. T. Ashleigh, a Union Pacific employe, as man and wife. They changed lodging to the city bastile Tuesday night and Wednesday Chase and his wife kissed and made up while Ashleigh paid all the costs.

Goodrich's grove near Cotner university was the scene of a very pleasant picnic Tuesday, one of the old fashioned kind. It was the annual picnic of the East Lincoln Christian church, and the new pastor, Rev. Hilton embraced the opportunity to get acquainted with his people.

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The republicans of Lancaster county can get up a little enthusiasm when they hold a raffle to raffle off the chances for a few good paying offices, but when the raffle is over the enthusiasm is all gone. Verily I say unto you, the boys did all eat and drink for a few days and were filled and full, but the day of free meal tickets, and free drinks is past for awhile and the men that knew all the boys a few days ago will know them no more, until they need their votes.

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