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Republican State Convention.

The republican electors of the state of Nebraska are requested to send delegates from the several counties to meet in convention at the opera house in the city of Hastings, on Tuesday, October 9, 1889, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for one associate justice of the supreme court, and two members of the board of regents of the state university, and to transact such other business as may be presented to the convention.

The several counties are entitled to representation as follows, being based upon the vote cast for Hon. Geo. H. Hastings, presidential elector, in 1888, giving one delegate at large for each county, and one for each 10 votes or major fraction thereof. (This paper gives only those counties in court.)

Antelope	10	Keya Paha	5
Box Butte	6	Knox	5
Brown	5	Pierce	4
Cherry	5	Sheridan	4
Dawes	5	Sioux	4

It is recommended that no proxies be allowed to the convention except such as are held by persons residing in the counties from which proxies are given.

WALT M. SKELLY, Secretary.
L. D. RICHARDS, Chairman.

With this issue THE JOURNAL begins the second year of its existence. During the year past it has, as is the case with all newspapers in the west, had many obstacles to overcome and many unpleasant things to encounter. But these have been surmounted and the future appears bright. Within the past few months a large amount of new material has been put into the office and other improvements made; nor shall we stop at that, for it is the intention to make it one of the best newspapers in this part of the country.

We thank the people for their patronage in the past and hoping to merit a continuance of their support we shall always be found working for the advancement and prosperity of Harrison and Sioux county and for the interests of the home seekers who come to this locality to better their condition.

Respectfully,
THE PUBLISHERS.

Wm. Bailey has purchased the Whittier Champion and will conduct the paper in future.

Senator Sherman has returned to Ohio to assist in the re-election of Gov. Foraker. There is no sulking in his tent about Sherman. He is a true republican all the way through.

S. S. Cox of New York, died last week. He was sixty-five years old and had been sick but two weeks. His death will be sincerely mourned, for he had a great many friends and admirers all over the land.

Dun's trade review states that the condition of business all over the country is in excellent condition and the prospects for a good fall trade in all departments is bright. The general tone of business is strong and general prosperity prevails.

Sheridan county voters will decide at the coming election whether the commissioners shall issue \$10,000 bonds for the purpose of erecting a court house. It looks like a small amount to build a court house in a county like Sheridan.

A great railroad freight rate war is in progress between the lines from the sea board to Chicago, St. Paul and other points. This will be a good thing for the merchants who are just getting their fall stocks of goods from the east.

Two legislators in Georgia attempted fight a duel a few days ago. One of them appeared at the appointed place with his second ready to fight. After waiting thirty-six hours for his antagonist he left the field. Probably both were satisfied with the result.

John Hopkins University is in bad shape financially, in fact it is bankrupt. Its endowment consisted of Baltimore & Ohio railroad bonds and as the road is bankrupt, it drags the university down with it. It is to be hoped that the noted institution of learning will be yet rescued and made to prosper.

Three men were recently shot in a saloon located in a strip of territory between Omaha and South Omaha which belongs to neither of the cities and consequently is not under the jurisdiction of the municipal officers. Such strips of territory usually get to be a den of vice and ought to be made a part of the incorporated territory.

Breadstreet's London correspondent estimates that Europe will require 300,000,000 bushels of wheat this year, as against 180,000,000 last year. With short crops in Russia and India and Hungary, and large crops in the United States, this means higher prices, agricultural prosperity and good times for every industry.

Chauncey M. Depew has returned from Europe and in speaking of the great exposition in Paris, says that it was the grandest thing of the kind ever gotten up, but he adds that he was deeply mortified by the comparatively poor showing made by the United States. It is greatly to be regretted that this nation did not have a creditable exhibit.

The Lincoln Journal is still trying to bolster up the theory of Dr. Billings that inoculation is the way to prevent hog cholera. It may be able to make some people believe it, but those who lost hundreds of dollars worth of hogs for permitting the experiment to be tried in their herds will not be apt to agree with that paper.

The Dawes county fair begins at Chadron on Sept. 25th and will continue four days. A good deal of hard work has been done and the fair promises to be a good one. By the way, we notice that Dawes county captured a number of prizes at the state fair, which indicates that northwestern Nebraska is coming to the front.

A man by the name of George Davis was arrested in Dawes county a few days ago, charged with sending a threatening letter through the mail. U. S. Attorney Pritchett and Deputy Marshal Wheeler made the arrest. Davis had hearing before U. S. Court Commissioner Levi G. Sweet, who placed him under \$500 bonds to appear before the United States court at Omaha on November 15th.

On last Friday the Paddock opera house at Beatrice, recently erected by Senator A. S. Paddock, was formally opened. The event was one of the pleasing ones for the bright and growing city of Beatrice, and all the people feel very kindly towards Senator Paddock for the confidence he exhibited in the place by the investment of the amount of money necessary to build and equip such a structure as the hotel and opera house.

A meeting of the republican state league will be held at Hastings on Monday, Oct. 7th at 8 p. m. A full representation of the republican clubs of the state is desired. Each club is entitled to one vote for each fifty members or major fraction thereof. This organization did much good during the last campaign and it is to be hoped that it will be greatly augmented year by year. In organization there is strength and it is a good plan for the republicans to keep up as full an organization as possible.

The future of Nebraska, Wyoming and Colorado, says an exchange, is closely bound together. The prosperity of one will be promoted by the prosperity of all. As the resources of the mountain states will be developed by the influx of capital and population, the necessities of life will be drawn from agricultural and commercial Nebraska, while in turn the people of this state will be supplied with coal and petroleum from Wyoming and with lead and iron from Colorado.

A terrible storm struck the Atlantic coast on the 10th inst. A large number of wrecks were caused. It is reported as the most severe storm that has been experienced for fifty years. At New York a good deal of damage was done, and at other points along the coast the reports of damages are heavy. This year seems to be likely to prove an exceptional one in the way of disasters and crime. It is to be hoped that this will be the last one for the year. The record of violent deaths occurring during the year 1889 will in all probability exceed that of any previous year.

A party of fifty workmen were sent some time ago to investigate the condition of the laboring classes in the countries of Europe, by the Scripps league. The party arrived in New York last week and they report that the laboring classes of America are in far better condition than in any place they visited; that the workmen are better paid and that the machinery used on the other side of the ocean is not to be compared with that in this country. In some districts in England women, some of them sixty years old, work as blacksmiths at the forge. While in some instances the laboring classes in this country may have something of which to complain, still, taken as a whole, the condition of the working classes of America are far superior to that of the corresponding class in Europe.

The great powers of Europe are still following the tactics of making a great outward showing of good feeling and at the same time making preparations for war. What the result will be is hard to tell, but at the present it looks as if the war cloud must burst in the near future. The present condition is straining the finances of these countries so that they will soon be on the verge of bankruptcy. With the short crops in Europe and the probability of war within the next year, the prospects are good for excellent prices for produce for the farmers of the United States. But with the improved implements of war now in the hands of the armies of the world it is not likely that a war could last long, for even in the crowded cities of Europe men enough could not be gathered to keep up hostilities for a long period.

A. E. Touzalin, one of the best known railroad men of Nebraska, died at his temporary residence at Bennington, Vt., on last Thursday night. In the early days of Nebraska's settlement Mr. Touzalin did much to attract people from the east to come to Nebraska, and many of the people living in the eastern part of the state, especially along the lines of the B. & M., with which the deceased was connected, would say that they were first attracted to Nebraska by the advertisements to which were attached the name of A. E. Touzalin, land commissioner of the B. & M. He had many warm personal friends in this state who will deeply regret his death.

It is reported as a settled fact that Judge Groff, of Omaha, will be appointed commissioner of the general land office. This, like almost all of the appointments made by the present administration, is a good one. Judge Groff is recognized as one of the ablest jurists in the west and his great legal knowledge will greatly assist him in performing the duties devolving upon him as commissioner of the land office. The appointment cannot but give entire satisfaction to the people of the west, and especially to the residents of Nebraska.

LATER:—Since the above was put in type the news of the appointment of Judge Groff as commissioner of the general land office has been received. Senator Paddock has worked hard for this appointment and feels justly elated over the result.

The work of trying to get a jury in the Cronin murder case is still dragging along in Chicago. So far not one man has been found who was satisfactory to the attorneys on both sides. More than one hundred and fifty men have been called, examined and dismissed. It begins to look as if the same tactics will have to be resorted to get a jury as Mark Twain tells about in the "Gilded Age." In that case it was necessary to select men to try his character Laura, on the charge of murder, who knew nothing at all in order to be certain that they knew nothing about the case to be tried. The fact of the Clan-na-gael being in question in the Cronin case, and the calling in question of religious belief and practices causes the lawyers to question every candidate for juror very closely as to his religious belief and relations with the church. It may drag along until all the "suspects" die of old age.

James Tanner has resigned his position of commissioner pensions. He gives as his reason that such differences existed between himself and Secretary Noble relative to the conduct of the pension department that the general good of the administration seemed to demand his resignation. In many respects Corporal Tanner made a good pension commissioner, but it seems to be the general idea that he had said some things which placed him in an embarrassing position. It is possible that the duties devolving upon the commissioner of pensions were greater than Tanner could bear. It is not always the case that he who has been faithful over a few things is fit to be made ruler over many and it frequently happens that a person who can run a small business successfully attempts to manage a larger concern and gets into water that is too deep for him, and consequently he makes a signal failure of the undertaking. This may have been the case with Tanner, but of one thing there is no doubt. He was a friend of the veterans of the war and believed it his duty to do all in his power to assist them. He still has many friends throughout the country. It is not yet known who his successor will be.

Little Cottonwood.

Too cold for watermelons. The tie business is still humming. Abraham Abrams went to Chadron, on Monday, the 16th, to make final proof upon his claim. Jake Groves and George Brown were his witnesses.

Whew! what big claims some of 'em put in, and we fellows down here on Cottonwood have to help pay 'em too.

These cold days make some of us think of what we have done with our summer wages.

The farmers of Cottonwood have nearly all done their threshing and the yield per acre of wheat is from 5 to 15 bushels, and oats from 15 to 20.

The boys at the sawmill have been taking advantage of the moonlight nights, and also of several of the melon patches in the vicinity—or rather of their owners. One night last week they got a dose of—well, I don't know what, but, at any rate, it came near turning their stomachs wrong side out. That Dutchman's melon patch has not been molested since.

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Land Office at Chadron, Nebraska, August 31, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before C. C. Jameson, clerk of the district court, at Harrison, Neb., on October 22, 1889, viz:

Solomon B. Stary, of Grantmeier, Neb., who made H. E. entry No. 117 for the sec 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988,