

A reporter who was present and listened to Croton's speech last evening at Omaha remarked that he was now satisfied that Croton acted wisely in not accepting Butler's challenge.

The Republican nominees in Sarpy county are: For Representatives, Jonathan Edwards, — Hahn; for County Commissioner, Wm. Robinson; for delegates to the Senatorial District Convention, Jas. Kennedy, Fred. Thering, J. N. White.

Is there a Republican in the State of Nebraska who is willing to believe Gov. Butler to be a rascal solely on the charges of French men as Gov. L. Miller and John H. Croton, who are either one known to have done more recently acts than they are able to prove against Butler.

It is not a little singular that the corpse of Wm. H. Taylor does not turn in its narrow coffin when Croton is at work obtaining abstracts of real estate for the alleged purpose of furtively out-rivaling? Beware, Croton, that the record of the deceased Taylor's estate does not appear upon the wall like the "handwriting" of old! The eyes of the widow and the fatherless gaze already ascended high above all earthly courts of record.

Croton was advertised to make a speech in Omaha last night. We doubt not he reiterated the Herald's slant about the "dishonesty and corruption," of the Republican administration, which he dares not give Gov. Butler a chance to reply to before the same audience where the charge is made. Does this look like Croton and his party were honest in making these charges? No! In the language of Mr. Croton himself, to Gov. Butler, this is Democratic "politics."

Croton, England, Miller, and the entire Democratic party of the State, have been valiantly at work for the past month hunting over all the records of the State and the records of every county in the vain hope that something might be found to give a color of truth to the base charges of "dishonesty and corruption" made against the Republican administration.

WHAT SHOULD REPUBLICANS DO?

We are now in the midst of a campaign for the election of State officers, and the opposition are making a campaign solely on a personal issue against Gov. Butler. They charge him with "dishonesty and corruption" and seem to depend solely upon the unsustained charges to defeat him. They know, as well as experienced men teach any party, that one of the great underlying principles of the Republican party is its strict regard for truth, and its determination to keep out of place and power all dishonest and corrupt men. Knowing, also, that their own party is in a hopeless minority in this State, they have decided to make one grand effort to break the Republican ranks; and knowing that the man who has transacted as much public business as Gov. Butler has must necessarily have made some slight mistakes which could be magnified into huge proportions, they decided to concentrate all their powers against him, and to leave no stone unturned, no matter how dirty to accomplish his defeat. They examined every record in the State to find something which would tell to the detriment of the Government. All they have found has been already enumerated in this paper, but no evidence have they been able to find to show that there was the least possible indication of an attempt on the part of the Governor, to wrong the State out of a single dollar. Now, we agree that if Governor Butler is a rascal, he should be defeated; but we ask Republicans to look carefully at this matter and see if they have sufficient evidence that Governor Butler is a rascal. Are they willing to take the bare assertion of such a paper as the Omaha Herald against a man who has accomplished such a vast work as we all know David Butler has accomplished for this State. It is certainly unbecoming in any Republican to credit these assertions without the proof is furnished, and David Butler should not lose a single vote in consequence of them. Every honest Republican should rally to his support and take pains to correct any erroneous impressions that may have been created in consequence of these charges.

Not the Way Out of It.

Our neighbor of the Herald is solicitous for the rescue of this young State from the disastrous consequences of the existing order of things. He wants to "drop politics, and save the State." It puts its ideas in the emphatic form of a double-headed leader, which reads well. But we cannot do this, for the people of the State that, if all the Herald's constantly says about the existing order of things be really true, the way out of the difficulty is not by the device of double-headed, and many woe-worn the Herald's double-headed party is not the one to be started at political corruption in any form; and even though our State government were as base as it asserts, the rescue is not to come from that quarter. The Herald's remedy is to drop politics, honesty, that his political enemies affirm—and we don't believe it—the REPUBLICAN PARTY—and not Democracy, with its inebriated record of fraud and treason, and a perpetual abuse of the great man who have saved this nation—will not redeem it, though it shall have to sacrifice its abject men. By the principles it stands upon, irrespective of personalities, this State is rescued from all wrong, all corruption, all misrule.

Let no deluded Democrat suppose that misconduct in any one or any half dozen Republicans, though their official position be the highest, is to give his party the rule of the State of Nebraska. It may put all the unassociated virtue of the State at the head of its ticket; it may shout corruption till it is hoarse; it may draw its face to never so great a length and utter the most extravagant prayers, it is all in vain. Republicans, with or without Governor Butler, will keep the rule of Nebraska, and still lead her forward in her career of honor and greatness. The amiable Mr. Croton—we always associate the name with so much goodness that we instinctively and reverently pause when we write it—need hope nothing from any temporary disaffection among Republicans. The people of the State will keep out of the hands of the State will take the matter in their own hands, and all the holy maxims that the Democracy can inscribe on their banners will not deceive them. Where there is need of rescue from corruption, Democracy has no place. A sick man does not go into a fetid charnel house to gain life and health.—Omaha Tribune.

Money and Peace.

It is as true that frightened money will seek peaceful countries as that water will seek its level. The Continent of Europe is in great part under the panic of war. Hence for the past few weeks money has been accumulating in London; the "mania of show keepers" being chiefly to keep out the stranger. The accumulation is so great in the English capital that the Bank of England yesterday reduced its discount rate to three per cent. It was seven per cent. a few days after Napoleon declared war. The movement is now extended to our own country, for the Canadian banks are giving Wall street all the gold it will take.—N. Y. Herald, Sept. 16.

Soldiers' Home Bill.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN.—Having received numerous inquiries respecting the Soldiers' Home bill granting 100 acres of land within the railroad limits, I hereby give the following reply. The purpose of this bill is not properly understood, but from a letter I have received it appears to me that any person having been a soldier in the U. S. army, or having served 90 days and been honorably discharged, and having been 80 acres of land, is entitled to an additional 80 acres within said limits. The bill is now in operation. This important measure was introduced by Mr. Thayer, who effectually secured its passage.

Meeting at the Court House.

At an early hour last night the Court House was densely crowded with citizens to listen to speeches from Gov. Butler, Hon. T. M. Marquette and others. Gov. Butler was called to the chair and after a few appropriate remarks, introduced Gov. Butler who addressed the audience in his usual happy style for an hour and a half, during which time he referred to the meeting under which has been invented up to date, and in such a manner as to convince the most skeptical. We have no time or space to attempt a report of his speech and can only say, we regret that every man in the State did not hear it. He was greeted with frequent applause and evidence of great satisfaction was visible in the crowd, throughout the address.

Perpetual Motion.

Henry Wickham, Jr., a young man of this city, has achieved, he thinks, the theory and practice of perpetual motion. Many will recollect the photograph of his machine, exposed at Andrew's dining table, and perhaps at other public places, last spring. It was given out that a half interest in the invention (a caveat only having been filed then) had been sold to Sen. Bechmaster for seventy-five thousand dollars, and that the affair would soon be exhibited to the public at large. Since that time a full patent has been received by Mr. Wickham, and his machine has been working steadily for months. The most essential portion of the machine consists of a hollow rock-lever, or beam, resembling the walking beam of a steamboat engine, except that it is bent at oblique angles in several places. Inside this are placed balls, partially filled with mercury. The latter once set in motion, roll down the interior of the hollow beam in a vain search after a permanent level, for no sooner do they reach the lower end than the mercury in the spokes of the main wheel overcomes their weight, the beam is forced up, and the balls are again impelled in their upward race, only to be caught by the valve that is forced open from without, and pushed into the upper arm of the beam or lever, ready to be hustled along their never ending route.

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A delicately adjusted weight and brake are attached to the machine, and serve to regulate its motion, but it is in the hollow spokes and beams, and the balls that do the work, and a mysterious power is said to lie.—Chicago Post.

A bright little boy was asked by a lady if he studied hard at school. He replied that he did not hurt himself much at it. Oh, said the lady, "You must study hard, or you will never be President of the United States." "Yes, ma'am, he replied, "but I don't expect for a time before they go to heaven."

Let the children have their way.

Let your children alone when they gather round the family table. It is a great pity to hamper them with unwholesome rules and regulations about this, that, and the other. As long as their conduct is harmless as to others, encourage them in their cheerfulness. If they do smother their lips, and their suppers of milk and other drinks can be heard across the street, it does not hurt the street; let them alone. What if they do take their soup with the wrong end of the fork, it is all the same to the fork; let them alone.

Suppose a child does not sit straight as a ramrod at the table, or a cup or tumbler slips through its little fingers and smashes against the floor below. It is "Milk" to do it." Did you ever let a glass slip through your fingers since you were grown? Instead of sending the child away from your table in anger, if not even with a threat, for this or that reason, be so generous as you would to an equal or superior guest, to whom you would say with a more or less obsequious smile: "It is of no possible consequence. That would be the true expression even to a stranger guest; and to your own child you remorselessly, and revengingly and angrily mete out a swift punishment, which for the time almost breaks his little heart, and belittles you amazingly.

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Given under my hand and the Seal of said County, Nebraska, this 10th day of September, A. D. 1870.

J. W. JOHNSON, Sheriff, Cass County, Nebraska.

MAXWELL & CHAPMAN, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Sept 10th

Legal Notice.

In the District Court, 2d Judicial District Court, within and for Cass County, Nebraska. Take notice that you are sued in the District Court, 2d Judicial District, within and for Cass County, Nebraska, on the 15th day of September, A. D. 1870, by Josiah H. Young, that the object and prayer of the petition filed in said case is to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony now existing between said parties, to-wit: Josiah H. Young, You are required to answer said petition on or before the 15th day of October, 1870.

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