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SPLINTERS

Gathered Up by Chief Reporters in And About the City and County.

Look on last page for city news. Look at the fine display of box stationery at Cotting's.

Go to Cotting's for your ink, tablets, paper, pens, pencils, &c.

Senator Moon, proprietor of the Moon block will be in the city this week.

The finest line of guns in the valley just received a A. Morhart's, the popular hardware man, Red Cloud.

School commences next Monday and for the next nine months the school bell will be heard in the distance.

Jos. L. Grandstaff, one of Webster county's best farmers came in Saturday and added his name to the Great Family Weekly. Thanks.

Cane bottom chairs for 75c each at Haines' new furnishing emporium, west side of Webster street in Spokesfield old stand, Red Cloud.

Dickerson & Smith, the well known commission firm of the city have dissolved partnership. Mr. Smith withdrawing from the firm, and will probably locate in Beatrice. THE CHIEF will be sorry to lose him from our business circles.

What are the people going to do about the electric lights? It is a shame that any set of men should connive to keep the city in darkness. Let the lights be turned on. It is a matter of much importance and we would suggest that our people petition Judge Dundy for the use of the engine for that purpose.

M. W. Dickerson who is well known to our people as the rustler in the commission business has purchased his partner's interest and will run the business which has been continually increasing, until he finds it necessary to occupy larger quarters and consequently he has moved in to the north room in the Moon block. THE CHIEF wishes him success.

In our announcement column today we take pleasure in announcing our young friend, George W. Barker for county judge. Mr. Barker, though a young man, has lived in the county ten years, and is fully known to most of our readers as a young man of sterling worth, a competent attorney, and in every way capable of attending to the office of county judge in an able manner. While George was not a soldier, he was all the same, a soldier's son, which shows that his people were of loyal stock. He has also been a life long republican, and still wears the insignia of a good republican. He is certainly familiar with the duties of that office. He will receive strong support.

McNeny Endorsed.

Many warm personal friends in a quiet way name James B. McNeny as their first choice for a successor to James Laird to represent the second district in congress. Mr. McNeny is a profound lawyer. In all his labors at the bar and in the discharge of all obligations imposed by the various trusts confided to him, he has won the distinction of being a practical man. He is a close student and ranks in the profession that represents the advanced thought of the day on current issues and interests of state and society. He is a man whose inheritance was the genius of work, of more than average ability, his powers are thus multiplied by the activities and energies of an indefatigable industry. Mr. McNeny is also a typical western man, having received his drill at the Nebraska bar in Nebraska business circles and intimate associations with Nebraska people. He is schooled in those walks of western life where the rewards of culture are broad views, liberal ideas, a tireless energy and sterling integrity. As a representative of the people, he would be a servant, capable, and certain to offer practical and safe services. He is no radical to peril important interest by the dangers of reckless experiments, he is also no "sickly conservative" to accurse his friends with whose delays and protestations incident to that cowardice which refuses to be and do. He is closely identified with the central portion of the Second Congressional District, which section as a matter of fact, unifies in association all of the various interests of the Second District, which can not be said of the extreme east or west section. Webster county is, by location, the key to the great Republican valley, and a choice of one of her sons is an honor to that important section of Nebraska.

The Republican has no data to intimate that Mr. McNeny is in the race. If the office should hunt the man and Jas. B. McNeny should be that choice, the Second District will hold its prestige in the Nebraska delegation by the divine right of brains ability and energy.—Hasting Republican.

The conduct of certain drummers who come to this city is a decided outrage on our people. The idea of allowing such disreputable individuals to carry on in that manner without the mayor or city marshal interfering. THE CHIEF has become tired of such rowdiness as those young men have been guilty of in the past, and hereafter will insist that they be looked after just the same as a common man is when guilty of riotous conduct. It is absolutely a disgrace to the decency of a community to permit it. It is far better that such men, who are a disgrace to their fellow drummers, be run out of town, than allowed to carry on in such a manner. The city is better off without them or their money. If it occurs again we will be under the painful necessity of publishing their names for the benefit of the public.

About the Right Thing.

To THE EDITOR:—If in order would like to make a suggestion. For a long time our county has had no representation in the general distribution of state offices. The time now seem ripe for an effort on our part. We certainly have the material to make a congressman in either Mr. Gilham or Mr. McNeny. To make the effort with either of these two gentlemen would do more to unite the different factions in the Republican party in this county than anything else proposed. We would not go before the convention with unknown aspirants but with men whose standing throughout the district is good. Either by reason of their superior intelligence and education would ably represent the district aside from the local pride their candidacy would give our county.

REPUBLICAN ELECTORS.

The CHIEF takes great pleasure in endorsing the above communication and believes that now is the time to present our men for political favors. Either one of the gentlemen spoken of in the above communication would come nearer filling the congressional vacancy than any man so far mentioned. THE CHIEF hopes that the proper effort will be put forth at once in this regard.

Kindergarten.

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