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CITY BREEZES.

Tom Penman has a nobby new sign.

C. Wiener has gone east after his new fall stock.

R. V. Shirey and wife were in Holyoke this week.

We guess the weather was trying to play a game of "freeze out" last Sunday.

A large number of our citizens were in Lincoln this week attending the state fair.

Red Cloud public schools have opened for the fall term with a good attendance.

The democratic party is for free whisky. The temperance party should remember that.

Joe Williams' baby which departed this life on Saturday, was taken to Bloomington for interment.

Mrs. Irene Humphrey has returned to Indianola after a few weeks visit to her father, R. K. Orchard.

Other dealers will give you coal creek coal, but R A Handy will give you genuine canon city coal.

The Fremont, Elkhorn and Missouri Valley R. R., has just finished its line to Hots Springs, Dakota.

Rev. Geo. W. Hummel united in marriage on the 4th instant, Mr. Chas. Amack to Miss Eva M. Wilson. The young couple have our best wishes

The watch factory is a sure go now if the other fellows come to time. Red Cloud should be happy over any enterprise that will make the city grow.

Luther Benson, the noted temperance lecturer, and one of the most brilliant orators the country has ever produced, will lecture in Red Cloud on the 16th.

Harvey Vincent, Jos. Fogle, F. N. Richardson, E. A. VanDyke and E. J. Peterson have added their names to the Great Family Weekly this week, for which the Big Injun is much pleased.

F. P. Shields formerly of the Alliance at this city, has purchased the Blue Hill Leader and with the backing of the Alliance people will run a paper in the interest of the alliance party.

Curtis N. D. Wolf, has received a handsome pension through the efforts of J. Porter Jr. of this city. Mr. Wolf has been in close circumstances and the $400 pension will be a boom to him.

We notice by the daily papers that "Our Ed Bohanan," now of Lincoln has sued the Omaha Bee for $20,000 damages for deformation of character with a good show of getting it.

R. D. Andrews, of Bladen, an old soldier and one of the staunch republicans of the county, was in the city this week, and avowed his intention of staying by Harlan and working for him. Good.

Hon. N. V. Harlan will speak in the following places on the dates be low mentioned: Franklin Sept. 15; Red Cloud Tuesday evening, Sept. 16; Guide Rock, afternoon Sept. 16; Superior Sept 17, Nelson Sept. 18; Geneva Sept. 19.

Artemus, oldest son of Thos. J. Ward and wife, departed this life Monday morning after a very painful illness of many weeks. Mr. Ward and wife have the sympathy of this community in their great bereavement. The funeral services were held at Cookie Wednesday.

The Alli-Demo-party is supposed to be a party where a candidate for congress can stand on two platforms—one for free whisky and the other for prohibition. The scheme was a deep laid one but McKeighan can not get there on a double shuffle of that kind.

It was said that where we got a fine system of water works that the insurance would be greatly lessened. The Chief would like to see it. We have a fine water system and a No. 1 fire department yet insurance is about the same old rate. The rate should be chopped down considerbly.

The enterprising little city of Blue Hill is coming proudly forth out of the ashes. Only a few weeks ago she was burned down, that is, a portion of her business houses, today nice and substantial brick buildings are taking the places of the old frame ones that were burned.

There is not a cleaner or better man in the state of Nebraska than N. V. Harlan of York, republican candidate for congress. He is a man of the people and if elected to congress will be in position to keep the farmers in their demands for laws that will alleviate their hardships. The alliance should stay by Harlan.

Rev. Dykes and Councilman A. Halter returned yesterday from their hunting trip to Red Cloud and Guide Rock. Mr. Halter reports that they had a most agreeable outing, but as there was a minister in the party he declined to indulge in any of the fictions current among Nimrods. He says, however, in a guarded way, that Rev. Dykes brought back a wolf scalp. —State Jonrsal.

The Webster county agricultural society have made all of the necessary arrangements to have and hold a good fair this month, Sept. 30 and Oct. 1, 2 and 3. The people of Webster county should not fail to appreciate this show of enterprise and all turn out. The program will be one of great interest to the people. Don't forget the dates. One of the big features will be a baloon ascension.

The Lincoln Call, one of the brightest and cleanest metropolitan journals in the west is making thousands of friends for itself in its manly way of handling all important questions of the day. It is one of the staunchest amendment papers in the state and will be the means of vigorously assisting the temperance cause to final success in Nebraska. It should be well patronized by the temperance people.

The Smith and Huckin's amendment meetings were very interesting and productive of much good. They are very nice gentlemen and discuss their subjects in a way that brings force with each assertion. Mr. Huckins is a very fine vocalist, and hundreds go to hear him sing, while Mr. Smith is an orator of no mean ability and has the happy faculty of interesting all who go to hear him discourse on the amendment question.

The amendment cause is growing stronger with each incoming week and we look for a big majority for it on the 4th of November. It goes without saying that every father and mother in Nebraska who have their children's best interests at heart will see to it that the greatest curse of the 19th century (whisky) will be swept from the land. It must go along with slavery and the other curses that have caused the world to shudder in other days.

McKeighan's chances for congress grow slimmer and slimmer as the time for the election approaches. The people have discovered that Mac represents the many varieties of politics to suit them, in fact he has belonged to nearly every side issue that has been afloat, and finally landed in the democratic party, where he is today a candidate for congress on a free whisky, free trade and a free for all "get there if you can" platform to congress. Mac held office two years in Webster county, and not having performed his work satisfactorily he was sumarially bounced at the next election, yet he went into the office with seventy majority in a county of 600 republican majority, and could have done so a second time had his record in office been what it should have been. Mac having been identified with numerous political parties is duly qualified to suit all persons, but people who have fixed principles can not bank on his support because they will not be able to tell what party he belongs to and will work for. He is now on two platforms, widely at variance with each other, the democratic party having decided that he must be a free whisky advocate to stay with them and the independents to the contrary, so "Attilla the hun" should be changed to read that Attilla would be a "hun" if he could tell which party Mac belonged to and how he would not trying to hold down two seats in congress. McKeighan may be all right, but a man that represents any district in congress should be a man of fixed idea. Give us good straight honest men for all offices. This "anything to get there man" are not the kind to make good wholesome laws for the people.

Sued for $1000 Damage.

Red Cloud is becoming famous as fast as possible with all of her numerous enterprises, such as watch factories, water works, railroads, street car lines, electric lights, &c., &c., she has not only furnished candidates for congress and state positions, but she has furnished a man to sue Superintendent Crabill of the street car company for $1000 for putting him off of the car and injuring him as alleged. This man's name is Lombard and the suit has been commenced in the district court. We have always maintained that Red Cloud would be metropolitan in some shape.

A Voice From Illinois.

It has been a good many years since the readers of the Sentinel, have seen the name above in print, and they will excuse the liberty now taken but as a matter of news to the older men in politics it may be remarked that "Bill" is again at it, politics and all out in Nebraska. He is running for congress out there, as an independent, all around candidate, and is stumping the district, doling out the same old political trash he used to in this county.

Bill left here about ten or eleven years ago and went to Red Cloud, Nebraska, entered some land on a school section and proceeded to farm about as he did here—riding about the county in a buggy. He was a few years ago elected county judge of his county by about 70 majority and when his term was concluded he ran against the same man he had defeated and this time was himself defeated by about 600 majority. He has failed to accumulate any property which will be regretted by a few people here who have some time indulged in a vain hope that he might get ahead enough to be able to liquidate some few back accounts.

It is not likely that Bill will ever represent his district in congress. The people of Nebraska are generally accredited an intelligent people and will make no such break as to give their franchises to W. A. McKeighan. If the people out there want any pointers on Bill's past record, let them send back here.—Pontiac (Ill) Sentinel.

A Little Politics.

The congressional fight in the second district is now on, and the people should choose which of the two men they would sooner have represent them in congress, Harlan or McKeighan. It is a vital question, and one that should be well thought over by the voters. Mr. Harlan is a man of ability, education and possessed of much legislative knowledge, these points coupled together with his reputation for being the poor man's friend, a pure and unadulerated anti-monopolist, should forever settle the question with the laboring classes as to who is the best man. Mr McKeighan on the other hand professes much but he will be unable to substantiate his claims on the people for their support, as he has been too long in the ranks of the democratic party to make the people believe that he is a truer friend to the farmer than Mr. Harlan. Republicans over the district will hardly support a man for congress that stands on two platforms that are widely different in their constructions and professions of faith. The democratic party engineered by some of its crafty leaders, succeeded in gaining control of the independent movement, and through loud professions of sympathy for the downtrodden farmers succeeded in getting McKeighan nominated by that party by a bare majority with an understanding between themselves that when they met at Superior, all they would have to do, would be to endorse him, and the humbug would be be perfect, and the wool would be completely drawn over the eyes of the republicans who have been desirous of working some changes in the state and national laws that would redound to their benefit, but the exposition of the scheme has opened the eyes of the republicans and they observe where they were tricked. They are coming back rapidly to the republican party, and will support a true and unswerving anti-monopolist in the person of Mr. Harlan. The Chief, while it is the friend of the laborer, the farmer, the laboring man, and the oppressed, is also a straight republican paper, and therefore could not support a democrat, when the republicans have as clean and as conscientious a friend of the people in Mr. Harlan as ever lived. The republican party has done much for the people, and if the voters stand by the party and demand in plain words necessary reforms, select none but the best of men, such as Mr. Harlan, their desires will be granted. A firm stand for the right will do more good, if done in your own party, than all the new parties can ever expect to do. Stay by your party, demand honest legislation and you will get it. Side issue, a breeding of discontent, and a restless, listless spirit will not accomplish much, they rather lead men into greater difficulties and into harder circumstances, a man who is never satisfied is certainly hard to please. Honest men and honest parties is what we need and fewer demagogues.

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