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FROM THE STATE CAPITOL.

The republicans of Nebraska have opened up campaign headquarters at the Lindell hotel in Lincoln and the various officers and committees under the guidance and leadership of State Chairman Schneider are all in their places and have settled down to earnest systematic work. While the committee is sanguine and harbors no doubts as to the final outcome of the great campaign now on, this assured confidence of a triumphant victory of republican principles at the polls next November, will in no measure lessen their eternal vigilance or zeal in the important work now before them. This patriotic interest will be shared by every loyal republican in the state, and the committee feels duly warranted by words of good cheer and signs of the time, in the expectation of perfect union and the most hearty co-operation by all true believers in republicanism, in the wielding of every honorable force and influence along every line of action for the upholding and carrying forward, high above all opposition, the proud standard of the party of patriotism, prosperity and progress. The republican party has no apologies to offer for nominating a state ticket this fall and establishing headquarters. Never before have we entered a state campaign under more favorable and more encouraging conditions. Each passing event since the return of the republican party to the control of our national government fulfills every prediction, carries out every pledge and eminently justifies the steadfast faith within us. Republican prosperity is seen and felt in every nook and corner among all classes, and in every industry or line of business throughout our great country, so manifestly that the most persistent and perverse pessimist is forced to a partial admission of the facts. This abundance of truth is so apparent and felt so intensely by the voters of Nebraska that they begin to manifest the strongest disposition to change the present regime, elect public officials and inaugurate a state government more in harmony with the spirit and progressiveness of the new industrial era.

The bright glad days of fusionists are gliding swiftly by and nobody is in closer touch with the stern reality than they. In speaking of fusionists, we refer more specifically to the party bosses and present state officials, whose deepest interest and concern in fusion politics lie in their re-election. These are the ones who "view with alarm" the present situation and enter the campaign with very little heart or hope for the future. They have numerous

headquarters and as a further convincing argument that they keenly appreciate the gravity of the occasion, have selected two chairmen of the state central committee. They are receiving wagon loads of literature franked through from Washington, D. C., and still with all this, there has gathered under the state house dome an ominous pall of gloom. Things are not as they once were before "Willie died." Fusion is no longer the perfect beauty of times passed and gone. A prominent democratic politician, whose ability to hold his present job at the state house depends wholly upon the result of the present election, hopes that fusion can be made effective just one more time, but expresses a sincere doubt upon the subject. He is certain the beginning of the end is here, and that the scheme of a triple alliance of confusion cannot possibly survive another year.

The main issue, if it may be so called upon which the present state officials will endeavor assiduously to persuade the voters to retain them in their comfortable positions another two years is the "great saving" the reform fusion administration has accomplished in the collection and disbursement of state money. Taking their figures for it, where they are pleased to begin and leave off, they have proved themselves the greatest money getters of modern times. This great cardinal untruth they will diligently try to force upon the people by juggling with figures adroit in its conception, truly marvelous in its execution. By a skillful manipulation of long rows of figures the allied forces of office holders expect to demonstrate clearly to the mind of the gullible voter during this campaign what enormous "savings" may be effected in several departments of our state government at one and the same time with a very small amount of money properly handled. Thus the secretary of state, auditor, and treasurer all credit themselves with the continued strain of collecting certain items of the very same identical money. Wonderful enterprise this! Economy will be pointed out with the finger of pride in this office and that where none at all exist. The secretary of state will show in conspicuous places how he has collected nearly \$30,000 of fees, against a little over \$1,677 placed to the credit of his republican predecessor corresponding to the same length of time, but of course he will carefully omit to tell about the new law increasing the fees in his office from a hundred to a thousand per cent. Neither will he explain that \$13,500 of that fine collection was the fee paid for filing the new articles of incorporation of the Union Pacific, which under the old law would have cost but a few dollars, and never went into Mr. Porter's hands a minute, and was paid directly into the treasury according to law. In the office of commissioner of public lands and buildings Mr. Wolfe is parading a great array of figures to prove an alleged enormous increase in the school fund by reason of the cancellation of school land leases. But revelations given by consulting the records back for a period of eight years thoroughly explode the fallacies contained in Mr. Wolfe's figures of self-glorification. It is true the collections of this fund for 1897 and 1898 are larger than they were for a like period during bad crops and demerocratic hard times. The records reveal the fact that they are no larger than they were for a like period back in republican prosperous times. Then in this connection he failed entirely to tell the voters of Nebraska that by means of school land lease cancellations the reform administration has lost to the dear school children of the state, over whom Mr. Wolfe and the like are wont to weep so copiously, the sum of \$400,000 every cent of which would have been paid in rent and taxes with the advent of good crops and prosperous McKinley times. The subject of our public schools is one that is dear to every heart and the unscrupulous fusion government in this state, as in the case of the poor sick soldier, take advantage of this sentiment and are using every means possible to manufacture political capital for the sole aggrandizement of fusion office-holders. The false figures and misrepresentation of facts are being carried into every school district in the state, that superintendent, pupil and patron alike may become appraised of, and gloriously impressed with, the unselfishness and magnanimity shown by the present administration toward our public schools.

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WASHINGTON NOTES.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 13. Gen. Miles and Gen. Shafter are not only in Washington, but they have met, and chatted together as friendly as any two old comrades might be expected to do. This must be very surprising to those who believed, that when the two men met there would be drawn swords and a contest of the regular "Three Guardsmen" order. If the men are really as unfriendly towards each other as one might infer from reading recent newspaper publications, they are both past-masters in the art of concealing their feelings. There was certainly no sign of enmity when they met in the office of General Miles, in the war department, that could be detected. Gen. Miles will talk every time he gets an opportunity about the necessity of enlarging the regular army and the recommendation he intends making to congress on that subject, but he says the statement he gave out as soon as he landed in New York, contained all he has to say at present concerning the campaigns in Cuba and Porto Rico. It is believed that the president will take no notice officially of what Gen. Miles said reflecting on the war department, unless circumstances compel him to do so, if Miles doesn't do any more of the same sort of talking. He has met Miles twice since his return to Washington, but nothing was said by either about those newspaper publications.

The president has decided to have an investigation of the entire conduct of the war made by a commission of the most prominent men he can get to assume the task—men whose names will cause anything they say to be accepted by everybody without question—for the purpose of trying to put an end to the charges and counter charges now being printed in the newspapers. While the Alger-Miles wrangle is said to have nothing to do with the idea of having this investigation, which was ostensibly asked for by Secretary Alger it may have much to do with it, as Gen. Miles is not a witness that is likely to be overlooked by the commission. That he is anxious for an investigation all the world knows. The heads of the departments of the army are most directly concerned in the investigation—the commissary-general, the quartermaster-general and the surgeon-general—all say that they will welcome the most rigid investigation into the acts of their several departments, and Gen. Shafter assured the president personally, that the more thorough the investigation of everything connected with the campaign against Santiago was made, the better it would please him, because he was certain it would add to the credit of the men who took part in that remarkable campaign, and in making the people more clearly understand the nature of the difficulties that were so successfully surmounted.

No president for a long time has been on such good terms with congress as Mr. McKinley has been and is likely to continue, as long as he sticks to present methods. He never does anything important without conferring with members of both branches of congress, not only of his own party, but of all parties. He asks them to freely express their views, and frequently accepts them as better or more expedient than his own. Nothing could more distinctly accentuate the president's policy of keeping in touch with congress than the personnel of the American end of the peace commission which is to meet at Paris, October 1st, to negotiate a treaty of peace between the United States and Spain, that shall determine the future government of the Philippines. Three out of the five commissioners are senators—Davis, Frye and Gray—and all of them are members of the senate committee on foreign relations, which will necessarily be an important factor in determining whether the senate will ratify the treaty after it is made. The first two are republicans and the last a democrat. The president is doubtless correct in assuming that any treaty approved by these three senators, is likely to be approved by the necessary two thirds of the senate. The other two commissioners are Secretary Day and Whitelaw Reid. They will come to Washington this week for their instructions, and will sail from New York on the 17th.

If what comes from the isthmus of Panama can be believed, and this government constructs the Nicaragua canal, there are likely to be two canals between the Atlantic and the Pacific. A gentleman from Panama, now in Washington, who has no reason to exaggerate, said: "Although there is not much talk about it in the newspapers, the construction work now in progress on the Panama canal is on a scale of magnitude which will bring the enterprise to a successful issue. There are now over four thousand men employed on the canal, and the work is being done in a thorough and scientific manner. Had the first company proceeded as carefully as the present one, the canal would have been in operation long ere this, but the first company squandered millions; hardly leaving a thing to show for the money that was spent like water."

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Republican Senatorial Convention. Notice is hereby given that a delegate convention will be held in the city of Superior, county of Nuckolls, on the 20th day of September, 1898, at 1 p. m. for the purpose of nominating one candidate for state senator and transacting all other business that may come before the convention. The several counties comprising the senatorial district are entitled to representation as follows: Nuckolls, 10 delegates; Webster, 10 delegates, and Franklin 9 delegates.

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