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IOWA FIRST OUT FOR COOLIDGE. Hawkeye republicans have stepped out to head the procession for Cal Coolidge. The convention at Des Moines gave the president practically unanimous endorsement. A more significant thing was the failure to endorse Smith W. Brookhart, or to name him as one of the delegates at large to the Cleveland convention. Brookhart's supporters had announced they would tolerate no act that might appear to be a slight toward their man. When the time came they gave up the fight.

What of America? By EDWIN G. PINKHAM.

Hamilton's Conception of Nationality. State attachments and state importance have been the bane of this country. We cannot annihilate, but we may perhaps take out the teeth of the serpents.—Gouverneur Morris in the Constitutional Convention. By adopting this Constitution we shall become a nation; we are not one now. We shall form a national character; we are now too dependent on others.—James Wilson in the Constitutional Convention.

REGISTER, OR YOU CANNOT VOTE. A presidential primary election is impending in Nebraska. It is also the state primary, at which candidates for all state offices and for United States senator and congressmen in all six districts are to be named. Also, a city election is on the schedule, at which seven commissioners are to be chosen, and some amendments to the charter and other important matters are to be voted on.

Whatever your political predilections or prejudices may be, if you are a citizen of the United States, your duty is to vote. And if you live in Omaha and are not registered, you cannot vote. Commissioner McHugh says that 10,000 voters are not registered. If you are one of them, do not put off the business any longer. Go and get your name on the list.

VACATIONS IN MATRIMONY. "As the husband is the wife is," sang Tennyson in his most tuneful philosophy. Yet here and there we encounter the twin who are dismayed at the thought of becoming "one flesh."

CATS TOO SMART FOR LAWS. Some men, according to William Shakespeare, can not endure the purring of a harmless, necessary cat. In his day the cat might have been regarded as harmless, and no doubt was necessary. That was long before the market was flooded with patent rat traps or the scientists had commenced to dig into Tabby's record.

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Homespun Verse. —By Omaha's Own Poet— Robert Worthington Davis. DOWN ON THE FARM THEY CALL TO ME. Down on the farm they call to me— Bullfrogs and singing toads; Sweet lyrics of the Used-to-Be Waft up from winding roads.

WHAT THE RADIO BUGS LIKE BEST. While the information is not in itself either startling or amazing, it is good to be told by one who knows that jazz is not a first place favorite with those who take their music by radio.

ON JERKING THE CAR. Herman Adams is a motorman on a trolley line in St. Paul. He is wearing a medal that denotes unusual qualities, even in a motorman. For several years he piloted a one-man car over a suburban route. Last week he was transferred to another run. On the day the switch was made, his car was stopped by a group of patrons, who presented him with the medal.

Explosions of Ice. A scientist attached to one of the government bureaus, while gathering data on the upper Missouri river in South Dakota, reported a curious phenomenon that sometimes occurs in that region. It is in December. About noon one day there came to the scientist's ears a heavy report, audible for miles, that led him to remark that a blowout must have occurred on the river. On returning to the place where he had crossed in the morning he found an irregular hole, covering a space 100 feet square, in the solid ice, which averaged 26 inches in thickness.

Abbe Martin. But unlike as Hamilton and Madison were, there has been no happier alliance in our political history than was formed when they undertook to vindicate the work of the convention to the people of the states. The play of their minds was perfectly adjusted to their joint task; its execution stands a monument to the constructive uses of political controversy.

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Hamilton was more in his element in the constitutional convention than Madison was. Hamilton was a more successful president than Madison was. Madison's mind was a justifying type, but lacked the initiative and boldness essential to decisive action. As president his fame suffered. That of Hamilton has grown in the hands of posterity. His name was popularly called upon when he kicked into war. Hamilton always was ready to meet provocation a little more than half way. Madison shrank even from the harsh course of removing incompetent military commanders, believing every man's motives and actions to be as pure as his own.

But the convention rejected the answers of both Hamilton and Madison, and by a middle course arrived at what promised to be a balance between the two extremes. We have now to examine the plan by which Hamilton proposed to achieve for America that nationality which to his mind appeared the only refuge of the states from dissolution and anarchy. (Copyright, Kansas City Star.)

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Secretary Omaha Typographical Union. For Greater Omaha. Omaha.—To the Editor of The Omaha Bee: Permit me to congratulate you on your first editorial this morning. No institution, city or club can thrive and succeed without having the moral, financial and work support of its members.

What a difference it will make to Omaha and to everyone in Omaha if all work together. GEORGE H. LEE. Expansions of Ice. A scientist attached to one of the government bureaus, while gathering data on the upper Missouri river in South Dakota, reported a curious phenomenon that sometimes occurs in that region. It is in December. About noon one day there came to the scientist's ears a heavy report, audible for miles, that led him to remark that a blowout must have occurred on the river. On returning to the place where he had crossed in the morning he found an irregular hole, covering a space 100 feet square, in the solid ice, which averaged 26 inches in thickness.

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SUNNY SIDE UP. Take Comfort, nor forget That Sunrise never failed us yet. PA GETS A RADIO. Mother and me got worried like about our children's ways, 'round o' nights an' doze sleepin' days. Jazz an' bridge, an' movie shows, an' takin' auto rides, An' doin' lots o' curious things we didn't like besides.

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