

The McCook Tribune.

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This is How it Stands.

In Red Willow county, Nebraska, according to the American Newspaper Directory for 1894, now in press, the McCook TRIBUNE has a larger regular issue than any other paper.

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THIS ought to be a year of clean things, and the Republican party should relegate all of the hangers on, that have played blood-sucker to the band wagon to the rear and put up men who are without blemish. Clean men and sound principles will insure victory.—Red Cloud Argus.

MERWIN of the Beaver City Tribune takes enough time from publishing one of the best local papers in this section of the state to observe that "somehow the congressional nomination is not chasing anybody but W. E. Andrews, a couple of papers in the vicinity of McCook and Indianola said it would."

THE campaign in favor of Prof. Andrews' renomination has succeeded beyond the expectation of his most sanguine friends. Nearly every Republican in the city signed the paper and not a voice has been raised against his candidacy. You may set it down that Adams county is solid for Mr. Andrews' renomination and almost so for his election.—Hastings Tribune.

WE suggest that Red Willow, Frontier and western counties form a cavalry company of delegates to the state convention and march through to the point where the convention will be held. Gosper and Furnas will probably join us on the march. Horses are cheap and railroad tickets dear, times hard and camping out healthy. Come on! What say you?—Stockville Faber.

THE forming of W. E. Andrews clubs in the various wards of Hastings for the purpose of advancing the candidacy of that gentleman for the position held by Congressman McKeighan, is already in progress. All the artifices of modern political warfare will be employed this year to enable Prof. Andrews to float his flag over the forts of his enemies.—Benkelman Bee. (Ind.)

WE hear much just now concerning the alleged weakness of our government. It seems to us, however, that the weakness alleged is not so much in our system or constitution as it is in our national and state lawmakers, who have noticeably fallen from the high plane of statesmanship, from seeking to promote the common good, to bending their energies to schemes of self-aggrandizement, political intrigue, and the advancement of private and corporate enterprises. This arraignment may be severe, but the facts seem to bear out the conclusion.

It has been given out that certain leading Democrats in the Fifth district have said if the Republicans nominate Andrews for congress they will again fuse with the Pops and support McKeighan. That's all right. The Republicans will make their nomination without asking either the Democrats or Pops who they may name, and if they should be defeated by the combination and McKeighan, can stand it just as well as the other fellow. Under such circumstances the Gazette is for Andrews first, last and all the time.—Minden Gazette.

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Two Great Storms.

In many respects the great storm of May 30 and 31, 1889, has been paralleled by the storm which has just passed. There was no South Fork dam to burst and destroy a Johnstown this year, but there has been the same floods all through Pennsylvania, caused by phenomenal rainfall over the great watersheds of the Allegheny region. The storm of May, 1889, formed in eastern Kansas and Nebraska on May 28, moving eastward to Illinois, Indiana and Michigan on the 29th and at the same time appearing in Kentucky and Tennessee. The whole area of four or five states experienced heavy and general rains, attended by much cold weather, with snow in Michigan and Northern Indiana.

There were severe frosts in the west and in New York, and finally snow fell at Chattanooga, Tenn., on the night of May 31. There were terrific gales on Lake Michigan the day before the floods broke over Pennsylvania, New York and Maryland.

The terrible disaster at Johnstown overshadowed all other events at that time, but there were unprecedented floods all through Pennsylvania and Maryland, and millions of property was destroyed along the Susquehanna, Allegheny and Delaware rivers and their tributaries. Bridges were washed away, canals ruined, cities flooded and lumber carried away by the million feet. The rainfall in the Allegheny region averaged more than six inches in twenty-four hours, which on the mountain sheds precipitated such volumes of water into the valleys that the streams could not carry it off.

The storm of May, 1889, was regarded as phenomenal. No such rainfall had been known in the state in all its history before. Scientists were unable to explain it, but now it seems to have been repeated. The storm which raged on Lake Michigan was an unprecedented one. The rainfall in Pennsylvania was again very great, and there have been frosts to follow in the west and snow in Kentucky. Much property has been destroyed by the floods and crops all over the best agricultural region have been severely injured by the frosts and cold rains. The weather bureau was unable to predict the coming of this great storm or account for it. But the repetition of the peculiarities of the great storm of 1886 ought to furnish many parallels which will enable the bureau to establish some basis for calculations that will be valuable.

THE Republican state convention will meet in Omaha this year. August 22d is the date fixed, and 10 a. m. is the hour. The representation is one delegate for each 100 votes or major fraction thereof, and one at large. There will be 958 delegates entitled to seats in the convention. The selection of Omaha is not considered favorable to Major's candidacy. Is it a Crounse or a MacColl move?

ANDREWS' congressional nomination boom is taking on such speed that the other fellows are working energetically to switch him off the main track onto the state superintendent side-track—and into the ditch.

REPUBLICAN clubs are becoming a decided fad. They are springing into being all over the state.

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Windmill Irrigation.

A Nebraska farmer describes in a late issue of the Irrigation Age a plant which he has constructed, largely by his own labor, for irrigating his orchard and garden. He has a windmill fourteen feet in diameter and a pump throwing 4,400 barrels of water per day in a medium wind. The water is stored in two reservoirs, 60x150 feet and 80x150 feet. With this plant he has irrigated from ten to fifteen acres very successfully, and could water even more by applying the water to the land during the winter season. He gives the following directions for building the reservoirs:

"To build reservoirs take from the inside of the dimensions that you wish to put into the reservoir the earth to make your banks with, by plowing and scraping it from your banks, and by so doing you spoil no land on the outside. Two men and a team can make a reservoir 100x100 in eight or ten days or less time. The pump that I am using can be used in an open well or with drive points.

To make your reservoir hold when you begin to pump water into it commence tramping with horses as fast as the water covers the bottom of the pond until you get it into a loblolly of mud two or three inches deep, and this will then work into the pores of the ground and stop very nearly all the seepage. Do not put manure or straw into the bottom of the pond if you ever expect to stock it with fish, as they will surely die.

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