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Republican Judicial Convention.

The Republican electors of the 14th Judicial District of Nebraska are requested to send delegates from their respective counties to meet in convention in the city of McCook, Nebr., on Wednesday the 27th day of September, 1899, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the office of District Judge, and to transact such other business as may come before the convention.

The several counties comprising the district are entitled to representation as follows, the apportionment being based on the vote cast for Hon. M. L. Hayward for governor in 1898, giving each county one delegate at large and one for each 100 votes and major fraction thereof to-wit:

Chase	3	Groeser	4
Dundy	4	Hayes	4
Frontier	5	Hitchcock	5
Furnas	13	Red Willow	11

It is recommended that no proxies be admitted, but that delegates present be authorized to cast the entire vote of the delegation of the county which they represent.

C. E. HOPPING, Chairman.
F. N. MERWIN, Sec'y.

It may be said to the high credit of Ira Cole of the Era that he does not claim to be "modest." He does claim to be "hot." And there is no controversy over this point.

THE sudden and serious illness of United States Senator Hayward has naturally caused great uneasiness all over the commonwealth, and the later information will be welcomed that his case is not serious as was first reported, and that he is recovering as rapidly as can be expected under the circumstances.

THIS question of the transportation of the First Nebraska home can and should be settled by the railroads of the state. Either the Burlington or the Union Pacific, or both, should step in and take this burden off of the people of the state, and out of political and personal consideration, and bring the boys home. It would be an act that would be profitable to the railroads in more than one way. First, they would, as soon as the legislature meets, be well paid financially; and secondly, such a magnanimous act would have a reassuring effect on the people of the state, many of whom today do not entertain a high opinion of railroad corporations. Such an act would indicate that the great railroad corporations of the state are disposed to appreciate the patronage of a prosperous people and that the roads have confidence in the people to that extent, anyway. It will settle a question which bids fair to be annoying if not humiliating.

Band Concert Programme.

Below we give the concert programme for tomorrow evening:

PROGRAMME.

March
Overture—"Hungarian Lustspiel"
.....Keler-Bela Waltz—"Italian Nights"
American Fantasia—"Gems of Stephen Foster"
.....Tobani Hungarian National Dances—Nos. 1 and 2
.....arr. Meyrelles Selection—"Bohemian Girl"
Descriptive—"Down the Mississippi"
.....Puerner Cake Walk—"Shuffling Jasper"

Requests for numbers on programme for next week's concert should be handed in not later than by Tuesday of that week.

Frontier County Fair.

The thirteenth annual fair of the Frontier county agricultural society will be held at Stockville, September 26, 27, 28, 29th, and arrangements are being made to have a creditable meeting. The secretary announces that a force of men is now enlarging the barn and shed capacity and making other needed improvements on the grounds. The other meetings of the Southwestern Nebraska circuit are as follows—Bertrand, September 5-8; Orleans, September 12-15; Indianola, September 18-22; Elwood, October 3-6.

McCook Markets.

Corrected Friday morning.	
Corn\$.20
Wheat48
Oats25
Rye37
Barley30
Hogs 3.90
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DANBURY.

The dedication of a beautiful house to the service of God is a grand act. It reminds us most forcibly that the Church of God is not a losing but a gaining cause, not a sinking but a rising cause, not a retreating but a conquering cause.

The programme of the service was well carried out and much credit is due the pastor, Rev. E. C. Hayes, for his untiring efforts to make the exercises a success, as they were.

Saturday evening, Rev. G. W. Mitchell of Franklin, Neb., preached an inspiring sermon to the young people along educational lines. Rev. Hayes gave the address of welcome in the absence of Rev. Windle of the M. E. church. At 10:30, Sunday morning, the new church building was crowded full. Six ministers, in addition to the pastor, were present. After the customary devotional services, together with a fine anthem by the choir, Rev. F. F. Lewis of Holdrege, Neb., preached an excellent sermon. The audience gave him the best attention throughout and was well pleased with his practical, earnest sermon.

Rev. Hayes made a financial statement giving cost of church \$1,703, and amount yet to be raised \$336.21. After a short but earnest appeal from Supt. Bross, over \$300 of the amount due was raised and all were pleased at the ready response of the citizens of Danbury and vicinity at this time. After singing, the morning services were concluded.

At 8:30, Sunday evening, the building was again filled. After the usual opening exercises Rev. Bross preached a most forceful and earnest dedicatory sermon to an attentive audience. Another offering was asked to liquidate the few dollars of debt left, and in a few minutes a little more than was needed was raised, clearing all up. It will please all to know that the Dorcas Work Circle contributed about \$124 to the building of the church in addition to their other benevolent work. Rev. Hayes presented a beautiful pulpit Bible, given to the church by Rev. Gilbert Chase of Concord, N. H. The Act of Dedication was then read responsively by pastor and people after which Rev. Hardcastle of Cambridge, Neb., offered the dedicatory prayer.

Much credit is due the choir for six anthems well rendered during the three services. Truly we can say, "Behold the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God."—* in Danbury News.

The question of license or no license is agitating the burg.

Mitchell Young was a visitor at the seat of customs across the divide, Wednesday.

There is some anxiety as to the whereabouts of Robert Barr. He started out on a cattle deal, about a week ago, and has not been heard from since. His horse has been found, but no trace of the rider.

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost \$5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure throat, chest and lung troubles." Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at McConnell & Berry's drug store.

INDIANOLA.

B. B. Duckworth had business in the county seat, Wednesday.

C. B. Hoag was in the west end town on business, Thursday.

"Bob" Thomas viewed Jasper's ruins of the new court house, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Everist of the county seat were Sunday visitors of friends here.

Fred Beardslee and Miss Lillian Welborn drove up to the county's metropolis, show-day.

The telephone office was opened up for business, Thursday. Jasper Phillips' life is saved.

A. C. Teel was a pilgrim to McCook, Tuesday, to see Jasper's ruins of the new court house.

John McClung went up to the west end city, yesterday, and fed the elephant a peanut or two on the sly.

Mrs. Adolph Mangless returned to her home in McCook, Sunday evening, after a short stay with friends and relatives here.

Commissioner Crabtree has spent part of the week in the county seat, holding up some of Jasper's ruins of the new court house.

Miss Jennie McClung went up to the west end metropolis, last Saturday evening, and has been spending the week with friends there.

Treasurer and Mrs. J. H. Berge and the children spent Sunday with relatives and friends here. Politics, of course, were tabooed.

J. W. Dolan was in Bartley, Tuesday, on business connected with the Nash building, recently damaged by storm and now undergoing repairs.

Miss Lou Beardslee visited friends in McCook, Saturday. Charlie spent Saturday night there and they and Fred from Denver came down on No. 12, Sunday morning.

S. R. Smith had legal business at the new house, Tuesday. It is not related that he stood outside and told his troubles to the policeman, who repeated his desires to the court house boys. It may be so, however.

When the telephone line is completed, it is thought that Jasper Phillips of the Reporter will return his transportation to the Burlington and henceforth conduct all his business with McCook per phone. He's so dreadfully "skeert" about that new court house falling down, dont you know.

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BARTLEY.

V. Sells and I. M. Beeson had business in McCook, Tuesday.

A. Barnett of McCook was looking up his interests here, Tuesday.

A few of the young people drank red lemonade in McCook, yesterday.

E. E. Smith shipped two cars of cattle and one of hogs to Denver, Monday.

The town is still without a marshal, Curlee, recently appointed, having refused to qualify.

Miss Nellie Stephens of Box Elder is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. P. Hodgkin, this week.

Misses Kittie Ransom and Carrie Scott visited Cambridge friends, close of last week.

Mesdames E. E. Smith and C. W. Hodgkin returned, Wednesday, from their visit to Denver.

Tinners from Cambridge are engaged in putting the new tin roof on the Nash building.

Mrs. H. A. Barnhart and the children from Orleans are visiting her father, Mr. Bantham, this week.

Mrs. Della Cook and daughter Edna are on the sick list. Dr. Brown is the attending physician.

C. W. Peters and E. R. Moon are constructing a \$100 hog house for Dr. Brown's premium Chester Whites.

Guy Curlee was down from McCook, over Sunday, on a mission filled with tenderness and all that sort of thing.

The dampness wasn't altogether confined to the outside, Sunday morning, as those who were in the tabernacle will witness.

A. L. Cochran has joined the procession and now drives the family out in a new survey with a high-geared trotter for motive power.

J. R. Sipe went down to Cambridge, Sunday, to look after his property, his wife and children being absent in eastern Kansas on a visit.

E. E. Smith used to think he was a medal-winning strong man, but he don't any more; he's laid up with a severely strained back now.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Vickrey and Glenn returned, Tuesday, from an extended visit with relatives at the old home, Iola, Illinois, and in St. Louis.

The natives pooled a few kopecks, Tuesday evening, to see an attaché of a wild west show ride a bucking mustang. "The Lord loveth a cheerful giver."

Henry McKean gazed with wonder and admiration on the new court house in the west end city, Thursday, and transacted a little business on the side.

Miss Ella King of the Inter-Ocean went up to McCook, Tuesday evening, and took No. 6 for Omaha, where the newspaper people had a day at the exposition.

Will Cowles returned on 12, last Saturday morning, from McCook. He expects soon to enter the employ of the company in the train service out of that point.

F. A. Hodgkin did some mason work on the school house, Monday. He is now engaged in putting on the hard finish at Dr. Hathorn's new residence.

Did you hear Ed Curlee's whistling solo at the League meeting, Friday evening? It requires a superabundance of wind to make a good whistler, but Ed is all right.

Mrs. Sarah Gillett and daughter, Miss Laura, mother and sister of Mrs. J. M. Brown, departed on Tuesday for Lewiston, Idaho, where they expect to make their future home.

Rev. A. A. Arthur will give a descriptive lecture of the Holy Land, illustrated with a stereopticon, at the Christian church, Saturday evening. No charge for admission.

C. W. Keys came up from Cambridge and spent Sunday with the folks on the farm. Mrs. Keys is in Omaha for medical treatment, leaving Charles temporarily a widower.

Samuel Bryan's ninety-day notice to vacate his quarters over the Star restaurant having expired, he has erected a temporary tabernacle on the lot adjacent to Beeson's livery barn.

While visiting relatives at Oberlin, Kansas, Geo. E. Moon was offered a position in a large furniture establishment. He has accepted and will return to that place about the first of the month.

Ed Curlee went up to McCook, Tuesday evening, and took No. 6 for the eastern part of the state, where he expects to buy a carload of apples for distribution in this section of the commonwealth.

J. W. Dolan of Indianola was in the burg, Tuesday, looking after the Nash building, which is undergoing repairs. When completed one of the rooms will be occupied by J. G. Ogg's grocery stock.

One of the business men chasing himself around town and vociferously demanding the identity and lifeblood of the son-of-a-gun who annexed his private flask was an occurrence a trifle out of the ordinary one day last week.

A. E. Crosby's horse and two-story buggy took a fall out of him, Tuesday morning, and bruised him up a little. The horse started suddenly as Mr. Crosby was getting in the vehicle and ran some distance before being captured.

S. C. Wolf's spasmodic efforts to eliminate the bibulous mob from his cafe—with "peach cider" fountain appurtenances—have at last been crowned with success. The sports say that if it wasn't for the merry-go-round in St. dome making him so loquacious, he would unquestionably get along with his patrons better.

A pathetic spectacle indeed was that witnessed on our streets, last Sunday afternoon. If the sight of a half-grown boy, just entering his teens, lying on the sidewalk in a state of beastly intoxication is not calculated to touch the heart and at the same time arouse one's indignation against those responsible, then those things can't be done.

George Chadd, who had an implied engagement to go to Omaha, has returned. Aside from that anxious-for-a-holiday appearance he is the same congenial chap, but he sends Judd Bush into the peach cider cafe to buy his bread now, not being in good standing with the main squeeze. And besides George says there is nothing very fascinating about the interior of that sandwich foundry, anyway.

A couple of couples started for Indianola to attend camp-meeting, one evening last week, but found the delights of the drive altogether irresistible and passed the meeting up, continuing their pilgrimage far into the night. In the course of their wanderings they met a fence post which took advantage of the darkness and broke the tongue of the surrey, and then everything was not so serene. The girls were scared sick while the boys figured on ways and means out of the predicament till huge chunks of perspiration moistened their fevered brows. They finally got home and all pledged the utmost secrecy about the affair, but of course each one confided to a friend or two. Further information on application to Tim Merchant or Ed Curlee.

While Nebraska stands second to no other state in point of educational advancement, there occasionally crops out an instance of ignorance so dense that one might consistently believe we are living in a settlement of Georgia crackers. As witness: The members of the M. E. Sunday-school were, last Sunday, edified(?) by the long-winded argument of a man who insisted that the earth was flat with square corners, and that the sun and moon and stars do all the rushing around necessary to transform day into night and night into day. He no doubt firmly believes that a man can literally "fall off the earth" by crawling to the edge and letting go. And the "spieler" wasn't like the man from Missouri who wanted to be shown, but Arkansas-like, announced that he wouldn't believe it after he had seen.

NORTH COLEMAN.

There is a young granger at B. F. Wilson's. He arrived, Saturday a week.

There was much comment on the youngster at Bert Wales'; but it wasn't that at all—but a present to Uncle William from his daughter.

Threshing was the absorbing work, last week, but the rain of Sunday stopped it all, and gave the farmers an opportunity to go to town, Monday, and the same was generally improved.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from rectal fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest pile cure on earth, and the best salve in the world. 25 cents a box. Sold by McConnell & Berry, druggists.

REDWILLOW.

Clyde Lutes amputated the end of a finger with a mowing machine while cutting alfalfa, Tuesday.

Wm. Byfield sold his cattle to F. S. Wilcox and they take them to Denver. It is the first shipment from Redwillow.

The new elevator is about completed, the stock yards built and various stock buyers are contemplating locating at Redwillow. The right of way has been opened up so that travelers may enter the town from the west. Road petitions are in circulation, and it is to be hoped that no difficulty will lay in the way of making the town accessible from any point of the compass.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters have cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved,—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by McConnell & Berry. Guaranteed.

BOX ELDER.

J. H. Stephens, who has been out canvassing for the Crete nurseries, returned home, Saturday evening.

Mrs. William Johnson and Miss Eliza are visiting in Alma, enjoying a short vacation and rest from the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Campbell of the county seat visited their sister, Mrs. Matt Stewart, last Saturday, returning home between showers, Sunday.

The best pieces of wheat are only averaging about ten bushels per acre; rye from ten to fifteen. Potatoes are hard to beat, both in size and yield, and corn is doing fine.

Reuben Branscom was kicked by a horse, one day last week, and had three ribs broken. It is quite a serious mishap for one of his age, but he is getting along as well as could be expected.

There was a party at Dick Brower's, last Saturday evening. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake. Dick evidently believes in the old saw, "When the cat's away the mice will play."

Wm. Walter will give another of his grand social parties at James Oakley's, next Saturday evening. Through this column he cordially invites all his friends and neighbors at the Willow, Box Elder, Center Point and Spring Creek. Come, young and old; bring your best girl and a cake and he will do the rest. Remember the evening, Saturday, August 26th.

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