

McKINLEY AND ROOSEVELT

President McKinley was unanimously renominated for president of the United States by the Republican national convention at 1:48 p. m., in Philadelphia, yesterday afternoon, and an hour and ten minutes later Gov. Theodore Roosevelt of New York was unanimously selected to stand beside him in the coming campaign.

The scenes attending the selections were tumultuous. Such unanimous demonstrations in honor of the nominees of a national convention have never been equalled, perhaps, in the history of politics in this country. It was a love feast, a jubilee, a ratification meeting.

'Tis an incomparable ticket.

OHIO'S Republican attorney-general is engaged in the prosecution of the trusts and New York city's Democratic officials are striving to shield them. Here is another illustration of the difference in methods.

"If the ship subsidy bill were passed," says Arthur Sewall, of Maine, who was nominated in Chicago in 1896 as Democracy's candidate for the vice-presidency, "the days of the early fisheries, when we were the leading maritime nation of the world, would be with us again."

WITH an available cash balance of almost three hundred million dollars (\$300,000,000) in the treasury at Washington, the nation's finances are in considerably better shape than they were when Grover Cleveland and Secretary Carlisle were hunting around to sell United States bonds in the London market at high rates of interest.

THE insincerity of the Democratic leaders on the trust question was demonstrated in the house of representatives when they declined to vote with the Republicans for a constitutional amendment which would have taken the evil in hand in an effective manner. The Democratic leaders don't want the trusts destroyed. They need them for campaign material.

A COPY of the proceedings of the twenty-eighth annual session of the Nebraska Press association is before us, coming from the press of Secretary Merwin of the Beaver City Tribune. THE TRIBUNE feels like tossing the secretary its prettiest bouquet. The report is complete and artistic, one of the handsomest ever issued by the association. It is highly creditable to the association and to the secretary.

In publicly advocating the passage of the ship subsidy bill, Hon. Arthur Sewall, four years ago the vice-presidential candidate of the Democratic party, says: "Every year the American nation pays foreigners \$200,000,000 for the cost of freight on our exports and imports." That money, if paid to American ship-owners, would annually employ more than 200,000 skilled workmen and support a million of our people.

RECENT developments in the Cuban postoffice troubles show that the retrenchments made by Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General Bristow were imperatively demanded by Postmaster-General Smith, some months ago, when he ordered that a system of reform should be immediately commenced in order that the expenses might then be reduced. President McKinley had ordered both the director-general of posts and the governor-general of Cuba to obtain the approval of the postmaster-general upon all requisitions which showed a deficiency in postal management there. While reports have been made monthly to the governor-general, not a single report ever reached Postmaster-General Smith, so in January last he began to investigate matters on his own account, finding that the expenditures were far in excess of the receipts. He then ordered retrenchment, but was not obeyed.

It is to be expected, of course, that Democratic congressmen and politicians should be loud in their denunciation of Hon. H. Clay Evans, President McKinley's commissioner of pensions, whom they assert is unfriendly to the old soldier, and the soldier's widow, for the reason that they are desirous of securing the veteran's votes. It may, however, be of interest to these self-constituted champions of the old soldier, as well as to the veterans themselves, to know that during the first three years of Commissioner Evans' administration of the pension bureau, he allowed nearly five thousand more widows' claims than were allowed during the corresponding three years of his Democratic predecessor. During the fiscal years 1894, 1895 and 1896, widows' allowances were \$2,958 against \$7,848 during 1897, 1898 and 1899. This, too, in spite of the fact that the decrease through death of widows of soldiers of the Civil war is rapidly increasing from year to year.

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BUSINESS evidently continues good in all the western, north-western, southern, south-western, and far western states, according to Bradstreet's returns of the bank clearings for May and for the first five months of this year. In New York the clearings for May were less than in the same month last year, owing to the dull condition of the stock market. But outside of New York the returns from all sections of the country show that the bank clearings for May were \$12,000,000 greater than a year ago.

ON July 1, 1896, under the last Democratic administration, the per capita of money in circulation in the United States was \$21.10. This year, on June 1, it was \$26.71 per capita, an increase of \$5.61 for every inhabitant in the country.

False Report Corrected.
The report having been circulated in this section that the large capital stock of the Columbia Fire Insurance Company of Omaha is but partially paid up, the following telegram was sent to the state auditor, Monday, to ascertain, officially, the fact. The inquiry made is as follows:

"McCook, Nebraska, June 11th, 1900.—To Auditor Public Accounts, Lincoln, Nebraska. Has Columbia Fire Insurance Company of Omaha two hundred thousand dollars capital paid up? Wire. FIRST NATIONAL BANK."

The following answer was promptly wired back by the state auditor:
"Lincoln, Nebraska, June 11th, 1900.—First National Bank: Columbia Fire chartered with two hundred thousand dollars paid-up capital.
JOHN F. CORNELL."

This should forever put at rest any doubt as to the fact that the Columbia Fire has the magnificent paid-up capital of two hundred thousand dollars, and that the company is destined to become one of the great, if not the greatest, Nebraska insurance companies.
ED BOHANNAN, State Agent.
J. E. KELLEY, Local Agent.

A Colorado Opportunity.
To Colorado at about half usual cost—June 21; July 7, 8, 9, 10 and 18; August 2; via the Burlington Route.

There's an announcement that will interest thousands.
It brings a trip to the cool retreats of the Rockies within everyone's reach.

It solves the question, Where shall I go this summer?
Tickets are good to return until October 31. See the local ticket agent of the B. & M. R. R. and get particulars.

Beautifully illustrated book about Colorado—72 pages, 56 pictures—sent for six cents in stamps.
J. FRANCIS, G. P. A.,
6-15-4ts. Omaha, Neb.

Democratic National Convention.

Only a few weeks to the big convention at Kansas City.
Time you decided about your route.
Time you found out—for yourself—how quickly and comfortably you can reach Kansas City if you take the Burlington.

The rate will be one fare for the round trip and tickets will be on sale July 2, 3 and 4.
See the local ticket agent of the B. & M. R. R.
J. FRANCIS,
6-8-4ts. General Passenger Agent.

McCook Markets.

Corrected Friday morning.

Corn	35
Wheat	55
Oats	25
Rye	35
Hogs	4.40
Eggs	.08
Butter	.13
New Potatoes	1.35
Butter fat—at Creamery	.16

Age of Musical Celebrities.

A French writer notes that though a few great musicians have died young—to wit, Mozart, at thirty-five; Schubert, at thirty-one; Bellini, at thirty-three; Mendelssohn, at thirty-eight, and Weber when he was but forty—a large number have lived to be very old men. Those who died between sixty and seventy years of age include Bach, Von Bulow and Rubinstein. Living beyond seventy came Gluck, Gounod, Handel, Liszt, Meyerbeer, Rossini, Spontini and Wagner, while the great age of eighty-nine was attained by Auber, and others. Dying at more than eighty were Cherubini, Cramer, Lachner, Palestrina, Rameau, Schutz and Taubert. The average age of musical celebrities is about sixty-seven years.

Growth of the Human Hair.

Authorities differ as to the rate of growth of the human hair, and it is said to be very dissimilar in different individuals. The most usually accepted calculation gives six and one-half inches per annum. A man's hair, allowed to grow to its extreme length, rarely exceeds twelve or fourteen inches, while that of a woman will grow, in rare instances, to seventy inches or seventy-five inches, though the average does not exceed twenty-five to thirty inches.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CATHOLIC—Mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass and sermon at 10:30, a. m., with choir. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. All are cordially welcome.
REV. J. W. HICKEY, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN—Bible-school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 and 8. Morning subject, "What Do Ye More Than Others?" Evening subject, "The Signs of His Coming." J. W. WALKER, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock, Morning Prayer and Litany. Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock, Evening Prayer. Sunday-school at 10:00 a. m. Friday evening lecture at 8:00 o'clock. Holy communion the first Sunday in each month. HOWARD STOV, Rector.

BAPTIST—Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 7. Preaching at 8 p. m. Prayer-meeting, Wednesday evening at 8. Rev. H. F. Tibbets of Omaha will preach both morning and evening. Everybody welcome. GEO. SCOTT, Pastor pro tem.

CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday-school at 10. Preaching at 11. N. P. S. C. E. at 7. Preaching at 8. Prayer-meeting, Wednesday evening at 8. Morning subject, "Burden Bearing." Evening subject, "Justification by Faith Reasonable." W. J. TURNER, Pastor.

METHODIST—Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11. Class at 12. Junior League at 2:30. Epworth League at 7. Preaching at 8. Prayer and Bible-study on Wednesday evening at 8. Morning subject, "The Gospel of Work." Lecture on "Christian Education" by Chas. Fordyce of University Place, Lincoln, at 8. All are welcome.
J. A. BADCON, Pastor.

The Junior League will give an ice cream social on Mrs. C. B. Sawyer's lawn, Thursday evening, June 28th. Ice cream and cake 10 cents. The public is cordially invited.

The Christian Endeavor society will give a Good Time social in the City park, next Tuesday evening. All young people are invited.

Excursions to the Black Hills.

June 21; July 7, 8, 9, 10 and 18; and August 2. Make a mental memorandum of these dates.

On any of them you can buy tickets to Hot Springs, Custer (Sylvan Lake), Deadwood, Spearfish and Sheridan, Wyo., at rate of one fare plus \$2 for the round trip.

Tickets will be good to return until October 31—the longest return limit ever made for tickets sold at so low a rate.

Unless you have been there you have no idea of the attractions of the Black Hills resorts. At Hot Springs, for instance, you can bathe, ride, drive, bicycle and play golf all day and every day. The pure air and the wonderful healing waters will rejuvenate and strengthen you as nothing else can do.

Sylvan Lake, besides being the prettiest spot in the Black Hills, is one of the most popular. Go there if you would escape midsummer's heat. The railroad ride to Spearfish is one of the experiences of a lifetime. Thousands make the trip every year. Spearfish Canyon, through which the railroad runs, is worthy of comparison with the finest scenery in Colorado.

Information about trains, through cars, etc., can be had at all B. & M. R. R. ticket offices. J. FRANCIS, 6-15-4ts. G. R. A., Omaha, Neb.

Tribune Clubbing List.

For convenience of readers of THE TRIBUNE, we have made arrangements with the following newspapers and periodicals whereby we can supply them in combination with THE TRIBUNE at the following very low prices:

PUBLICATION.	PRICE.	WITH TRIBUNE.
Detroit Free Press	\$1 00	\$1 50
Lealle's Weekly	4 00	3 00
Prairie Farmer	1 00	1 75
Chicago Inter-Ocean	1 00	1 75
Cincinnati Enquirer	1 00	1 50
New-York Tribune	1 00	1 25
Demorest's Magazine	1 00	1 75
Toledo Blade	1 00	1 25
Nebraska Farmer	1 00	1 50
Iowa Homestead	1 00	1 25
Lincoln Journal	1 00	1 75
Campbell's Soil-Culture	1 00	1 50
New-York World	1 00	1 05
Omaha Bee	1 00	1 50
Cosmopolitan Magazine	1 00	1 80
St. Louis Republic	1 00	1 75
Kansas City Star	25	1 15
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Kansas City Journal, weekly	25	1 15
Kansas City Journal, daily	4 00	4 20

We are prepared to fill orders for any other papers published, at reduced rates.
THE TRIBUNE, McCook, Neb.

Summer Colds

are noted for hanging on. They weaken your throat and lungs, and lead to serious trouble. Don't trifle with them. Take Scott's Emulsion at once. It soothes, heals, and cures.
50c. and \$1. All druggists.

Death of W. E. Ketch.

The following account of the death of the late William E. Ketch is from the pen of his step-daughter, M. J. Bovell of Nowata, I. T. The deceased is well known to many readers of THE TRIBUNE.

"AT REST.
"After an illness of fifty-five months, William Edward Ketch passed from time to eternity on June 8th, 1900. For more than four years he was a great sufferer. The last twenty-six months of his life he was perfectly helpless and required a great deal of attention which he received from loving hands.

The deceased was born in England but moved with his parents to this country when a small boy. He was converted a few years later and, to the day of his death, lived a devoted Christian life. During his last illness he was very patient. His family and neighbors can all testify to his faithfulness. Even when in the most intense pain he was never known to complain against the hand so heavily laid upon him. I have been in the room when the pain would be so intense as to cause the joints to snap until it was audible to all in the room. Can anything but the grace of God prevent one from repining at such a lot?

"March 28, 1888, he was married to Mrs. Lee A. Turner of Red Willow county, Nebraska. Shortly afterward they moved to his farm in Frontier county, where they lived till 1895, when they moved to South-West Louisiana, where the last five years of his life were spent. He died June 8th, 1900, at his home near Gueydan, La., aged 40 years, 6 months and 6 days.

"The remains were taken to Crowley, La., for interment. The services were conducted in the Methodist church. Rev. Ross officiated, assisted by Rev. Campbell and Rev. George Frazier, D. D. "The floral decorations were beautiful. "A large crowd of sympathetic friends were there to show their last respects to our departed father.

"The deceased leaves a wife, two small children, two step-daughters, five brothers, father and mother to mourn his departure.

"He is well known to a large circle of friends in Red Willow and Frontier counties, Nebraska."

Half Rates to Lincoln.

June 27 and 28 all Burlington Route ticket agents in Nebraska will sell tickets to Lincoln and return at rate of one fare for the round trip.

This reduced rate is made on account of the meeting of the Nebraska Republican League, but every one who wishes can take advantage of it.
J. FRANCIS, G. P. A.

INDIANOLA.

Harry Whitmore was a visitor to McCook, Sunday.
J. W. Dolan of the State had business in Axtell, Wednesday.

A. C. Teel was a business pilgrim to the west side town, Tuesday.
S. R. Smith had business in the county's commercial metropolis, Monday.

Harlow W. Keyes had business in the big town on the west side, Tuesday.
Miss Lillian Welborn and Lena Hill were pilgrims to the county's metropolis, Saturday.

They say that Samuel Randolph hasn't taken a full breath since he heard that Jasper purposed returning to Indianola.

The crop conditions are much more encouraging in this section of the county; indeed, they are fairly flattering, just now.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Powell and children went down to Franklin, Wednesday morning, to attend the commencement exercises of the academy. From there they will go on to Hebron to spend about a month visiting in that place.

A Good Cough Medicine.
It speaks well for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy when druggists use it in their own families in preference to any other. "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the past five years with complete satisfaction to myself and customers," says Druggist J. Goldsmith, Van Etten, N. Y. "I have always used it in my own family both for ordinary coughs and colds and for the cough following la grippe, and find it very efficacious." For sale by McConnell & Berry, Druggists.

SOUTH SIDE.
Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pickens were visitors in the west end, last Saturday.

The glorious Fourth is drawing near, and how shall we South Siders celebrate? This locality was visited with quite a heavy shower, Tuesday evening of this week.

South Side is sure of quite a wheat crop and the corn is doing extra well at present.

There was a good turnout to the Children's-day exercises and all agree they were good.

Next Monday evening, at 8 p. m., will be the regular annual school meeting in district No. 8.

The washout on the Wasson hill is being filled up very rapidly at present, and those below will be soon favored with a supply of water again.

Frank and Linford Fitch attended the Children's-day exercises up in the Park, last Sunday, and report a large turnout and an extra good programme.

Mrs. W. S. Fitch accompanied by Geneva and Carol started for Goldfield on No. 3, last Thursday morning. They expect to be present at the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Nettleton, former residents of McCook.

If troubled with rheumatism, give Chamberlain's Pain-Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent if it does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It also cures sprains and bruises in one-third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, frostbites, quinsy, pains in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Every bottle warranted. Price, 25 and 50 cts. McConnell & Berry, Druggists.

COLEMAN.
Vina Divine is not so well, this week.
H. B. Wales sowed some cane, this week.
About one and one-half inches of rain fell in this vicinity, Wednesday morning.
Henry Oellerich, Eli Bair and Henry Miller were in McCook, Tuesday, with hogs.
Ira Divine, who has attended school at Franklin academy since last September, returned home on Wednesday of this week.
Michael Coyle had a hog killed by the bank caving in on it after the heavy rain of Wednesday morning. Another hog was covered up, partially, but it was rescued and recovered.

Another Shipment
"F. C." Summer Corsets
Have you been helped? What size, please? Anybody else?
It has just simply been a red hot sale of cool summer corsets and corset waists. Every size again in stock in the following styles.
Remember, these corsets are made of extra quality materials, are perfect fitting, strong and durable. We sell them with privilege of four weeks actual wear and MONEY BACK if then dissatisfied.



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50c. 50c.

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A fine new lot of Rugs and Carpets have just been added to the already large stock.

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An immense line of this seasonable article for Men, Women and Children.

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Our Shoe stock is large and the assortment good. See it for anything in Men's, Boys', Ladies', or Children's Shoes.

Parasols
Everything from a handsome and dainty sun-shade to a good, durable umbrella; and at prices that are winners.

Groceries
We keep our Groceries on the move and our stock is always fresh.

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HONEST JOHN
Farm produce as good as cash.