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Republican Convention.

The Republicans of the state of Nebraska are The Republicans of the state of Nebraska are hereby called to meet in convention, at the Auditorium in the city of Lincoln, on Wednesday, June 18, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices, to be votesd for at the next general election, to be held in the state of Nebraska, November 4, 1902, viz: One governor, one lieutenant governor, one secretary of state, one auditor of public accounts, one treasurer, one superintendent of public instruction, one attorney general, one commissioner of public lands and buildings, and for the trans

action of such other business as may regularly come before the meeting.

The basis of representation of the several coun-ties in said convention shall be the vote cast for Hon. Samuel H. Sedgwick for judge of the su-preme court, at the regular election held on November 5, 1901, giving one delegate for each 100 votes or major fraction thereof so cast for the said Samuel H. Sedgwick, and one delegate at-large for each county. Said apportionment entitles the following counties to the following representation in said convention:

.12 Gosper... .11 Frontier. Redwillow... Hitchcock... 5 Hayes. 4 Chase.. It is recommended that no proxies be allowed in said convention, but that the delegates pres-ent thereat be authorized to cast the full vote of the county represented by them.

Notice is hereby given that each of the odd numbered senatorial districts in the state is to

select a member of the state committee to serve for the term of two years.

By order of the state committee.

H. C. Lindsay, Chairman. JOHN T. MALLALIEU Secretary.

Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of Redwillow county are hereby called to meet in convention in the city hereby called to meet in convention in the city of McCook on Saturday, the 24th day of May, 1902, at the hour of eleven o'clock a. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices to be voted for at the next general election, to be held in the state of Nebraska, on the 4th day of November, 1902, viz:

One county attorney, one county judge, one representative of the 65th legislative district, one commissioner, first district, eleven delegates to the Republican state convention, eleven delegates to the Republican congressional convention of the 5th congressional district of the vention of the 5th congressional district of the state of Nebraska, eleven delegates to the 29th senatorial district convention of the state of Nebraska, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before said

The basis of representation of the several precincts in said county shall be the vote cast for O. L. Thompson for county treasurer in the year 1901, allowing one delegate for each fifteen votes or fraction thereof cast for said O. L. Thompson, and two delegates at large for each voting precinct of said county. Said apportionment entitles the several voting precincts in said county to the following representation in said Beaver. Box Elder.

Bondville Coleman.. Lebanon Redwillow. Valley Grange.

East Valley. Gerver. Indianola... Missouri Ridge.. WILLOW GROVE

1st Ward, 1st Precinct .. 1st Ward, 2nd Precinct. 2nd Ward, 1st Precinct. 2nd Ward, 2nd Precinct Total..

It is recommended that no proxies be allowed in said convention, but that the delegates present thereat be authorized to cast the full vote of the precinct represented by them.

By order of committee.

C. E. Eldred, Chairman.

B. G. Gossard, Secretary.

Proclamation.

The 30th day of May in each succeeding year has been set apart by our laws tion that has gone have solidified into Huber. as a legal holiday for Memorial purposes. In order that the day may be better observed and the people have an opportunity to participate in this observance, I to evolve the problems of government do proclaim the 30th day of May, 1902, a from chaos. The solved them to their legal holiday, to be observed by the people of McCook, and request that they observe it by abstaining from all unnecessary labor between the hours of 12 noon and 6 p. m., and that during that book for the answers when we require time all places of business be closed and that the people repair to the place designated by the Grand Army of the Republic and assist them in Memorial services.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand this 23rd day of May, 1902. C. E. ELDRED, Mayor.

The result in Furnas county, while not a surprise, is most gratifying to Judge Norris, who secured the delegation in the interest of his candidacy for certain measure of success by pursuing congress without opposition. This assures the judge a solid delegation from the entire Fourteenth judicial district, and adds a most roseate tint to his prospects in the Fifth district.

THE Burlington management is wise and businesslike in its policy of persistently endeavoring by all reasonable means to improve the condition of the they built. We worship at the shrines country through which its lines are operating. Especial attention has been given by the officials to the development | were easier to follow in the trails they of Southwestern Nebraska, a difficult blazed than to go through the forest with country, which requires different meth- an ax marking a way for ourselves. ods than Eastern Nebraska or Iowa in Their minds, like fresh photographic its agricultural development. The plates, were impressionable, were capatheories of H. W. Campbell and his ble of receiving images. Our minds practical demonstrations have always were befogged before exposure to the been regarded as most valuable by the scenes it was intended should be re- and wife, this week. They are on their officials and they have recently given produced. The pictures taken by them way home from visiting relatives in Red additional proof of confidence in the are hanging upon our walls, but condiculture methods of Mr. Campbell by purchasing several thousand copies of were made. The trees which were then the 1902 issue of his "Soil Culture Man- mere saplings have grown to huge proual," for free distribution to all who portions. The roof of the house apply for a copy with an enclosure of a two-cent stamp. The book contains a large amount of practical (not theoretical) information of distinct value to the farmers of this section of Nebraska, and none of them should fail to secure a copy of this free manual. Write to J. Francis, Omaha, Neb.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a perfect laxative. Sold by A. McMillen.



15 Minutes

sufficient to give you most delicious tea biscuit using Royal Baking Powder as directed. A pure, true leavener.

The Decadence of the Editorial.

Sometimes one hears regrets for the passing of the good old days of Horace Greeley and his paper, for the days when the New York Tribune was read throughout the land and was a factor in the realms of thought, for the days when the utterances of the great editor were pondered over and quoted and talked of and when they were reflected in the attitude of a large portion of the people. We are told by men of the older generation that the newspaper has degenerated, that the race of editors has become extinct, that whereas formerly the newsistence, a product of these wicked times, that is a school for sinners, an arm of the The trial has been set for June 2d. It

was once peculiarly the editor's corner case. The Pure Food and Dairy comof the paper, where affairs of moment missioner, Joseph H. Blackburn, will papa the other day that no gentleman were discussed by men in whom the employ the best legal talent he can public reposed confidence, whose views secure to represent the state's side of the public was willing to consider, if not the case. The laws of Ohio are very his neck. to adopt. It was the page to which the strict in protecting the people against serious man who was not satisfied with impure food. It is claimed that Arknowing merely facts, but who desired buckle's Coffee is impure because it is also to know the relation of effect to coated with a glazing that serves to cause, turned for instruction and guid-cover up defects and make the coffee ance. But the editorial page has lost look better than it really is, and that cast, has become a repository for the this glazing is cheaper than coffee. humorous paragraph. It is designed Every one who drinks coffee will be primarily for the amusement of the nterested in the outcome of this case. young and of the shallow. It is referred to for a few minutes if the news is exhausted before the suburban has reached

essayist, himself a newspaper man, has George Willetts, Matthew Lawritson, V. said that the public has come to reject the disquisitional editorial, declines to S. L. Green, W. S. Perry, C. I. Hall. look on the editorial page for light, de-

mental change in the portion of the public that reads the better class of papers is due to the fact that this land is now a country with a history. We have precedents to follow, and we do not inquire whether they are good or bad. One who questions them is branded as an dogmas that protect us like coats of mail from stray missiles of argument and reason. Our ancestors were compelled complete satisfaction and set the answers down in the back of the book. We have found it easier and more to our inclination to look in the back of the them for our own purposes than to work the problems out, than to toil to a determination for ourselves. We are willing to accept their conclusions without doubting their correctness. We believe that it is possible for us to do so with

Tradition is playing its part in affairs. We do as fathers did, not solely because they did well or because we believe they did well, but because they achieved a their peculiar course. We vote as they voted. We do not ask whether they were | yesterday, to see some boy friends graduright. We are educated, education ate in the public schools of that burg. meaning simply knowledge of what those who have gone before us did under simi- between the main repair-tracks to facililar circumstances. We have found the tate the handling of materials of the world, not as it is, but as it was, or as heavier sort. our ancestors conceived it to be, to our liking. We not only live in the houses they erected. We dwell in the temples of cant and superstition they reared. It tions have changed since the negatives

been added. We admit, as we must that the picture does not look right, but our dull vision cannot discern wherein it is faulty. We forget that each generation must seek truth for itself, that experience is prop erty peculiarly personal, a garment that fits only the one for whom it was made. We can no more profit by the store laid up for another than we can se out of a work glass eye. The reason for the decadence of the editorial, then, seems to be the intolerance of the reading public, that rejects interpretations different from its own. It cares not for the corroboration, for in its conceit it believes its opinions stand on as high a plane as another's. Or is it that we are devoid of conscience, and do what conserves our interests, regardless of right? Are we losing our inch of rain-fall, this week, so far. faculties for the want of exercise? Or have we become deficient in intellect,too preoccupied to think?

Desirable House For Sale. My house and two lots, with barn, hedge, fruit and shade trees, corner of Dakota and Manchester streets, occupied by H. F. Pade. Fine location. Also base-ball and obliged to lay off. Mrs. H. G. Dixon,

3-14-tf. Kennett Square, Pa. need screens. See us before buying. BULLARD & Co. Fraternal Insurance Order Cards.

K. O. T. M.-Regular meetings on second and fourth Tuesday evenings of each month in McConnell hall at 8. Visiting knights welcome. M. R. Gates, commander; J. H. Yarger, record-keeper; C. A. Leach, finance-keeper.

ROYAL HIGHLANDERS-McCook lodge No. 307 meets on second and fourth Monday evenings of each month at eight o'clock in McConnell hall J. R. McCarl, Illustrious Pro.; Rob't W. Devoe, Secretary.

Grocer Arrested For Selling Impure Food,

At Dayton, Ohio, a grocer named John L. Schuster, has been arrested for selling Arbuckle's Arosa Coffee. The Pure Food paper was a moulder of opinions, at least | department of Ohio claim that the glazing political, it has lost its power, that on Ariosa Coffee makes it unsalable in whereas formerly it was a leader it has that state. This interests other grocers, become a follower, that it is no longer an because similar actions are likely to be agency for good, for it is admitted that brought against them for selling Ara class of newspapers has come into ex- buckle's, or any other coffee which has ed flush on her face that was not entirebeen glazed or coated.

Devil, a force for evil that is appalling. is understood that the Arbuckles will The editorial page of the city daily send New York lawyers to defend the

Willow Grove's Delegates.

First ward, 1st precinct—Albert Barnett, chairman; F. M. Kimmell, J. E. In defense of this department a recent Kelley, W. P. Bross, E. J. Wilcox, look on the editorial page for light, dedemans the facts, from which it draws demans the facts, from which it draws its own conclusions or has grown too busy or too indolent to give heed to controversy.

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ton, W. R. Starr, C. G. Budig, Howe Smith, W. T. Coleman, R. B. Archibald, C. F. Babcock, W. S. Morlan, Emerson Hanson, Don Thompson. Second ward, 2nd precinct-S. Cordeal, C. A. Dixon, T. J.Smith, John Wentz, James Powell, J.D. Hare, T. J.

There are greater accomplishments than the ability to write "poetry." The courage, for instance, to refrain.

MOTWITHSTANDING the fact that the experts have passed against the proposed postal check system, it is not probable that the agitation in its favor will cease. doubtless be rectified, but the main idea will be firmly and persistently pushed.

ADDITIONAL RAILROAD NEWS.

B.C. Monpleasure is in the city, today. W. C. Bulger and wife came in from ElPaso, Texas, this morning on 2. Oscar Sampson went down to Oxford.

A narrow-gauge track is being laid

The floor space in the storehouse has been largely increased by laying a floor in the attic and building a stairway up to the second story thus created.

Will Meyer is on the relief with a mashed finger. Thursday afternoon he was setting an eccentric, which slipped, mashing the second finger of his right hand pretty severely.

Henry Sheeser and wife of Brush, Colorado, are visiting S. M. Cochran

Fireman H. E. MacKain sustained a severe loss, last Thursday night. After receiving his pay, he placed about \$80 der your real name."-New York Weekin his closet at the round-house and ly. has been raised and many wings have went out on a train. On his return he found that the money had been stolen

DANBURY.

Mrs. Charles Rogers is on the sick list. F. C. Headley and family move back to Cambridge, Monday.

Phillip Gliem has had his residence newly painted, Burnett Dolph doing the and gradually fill it up with sifted

D. A. Waterman was on our streets, Monday, also looking after the bridges in these parts.

Photographer Steele of Oberlin was here, Saturday, telling his patients to advice? "look pleasant, please." And still we have nice showers and

great growing weather; over one-half inch Alex Strain started, last Thursday, for Iowa to be gone about three weeks. While there he will attend a reunion of

his old Iowa regiment. Cook, where he has been working on the wants to be comfortable. — Atchison B. & M. rip-track. He was hit with a (Kan.) Globe.

11 and 12, block 12, First addi- Danbury public school commencement linger and Jesse Naden.

Grain Moved In Streams.

Nowhere in North America will you come on a more thrilling night scene than the fresh water cargo tank unloading at Buffalo, says Rollin Lynde Hartt in The Atlantic. Here she lies beneath the towering grain elevator, which thrusts a long pumping pipe (called the "leg") down through her hatchway. Mount the gangplank, dodging the spinning ropes that make your head reel, stumble about on the dark deck, look down, down, down through the open hatch, and, zounds, what a sight! The hold glows with electricity. It is misty with blown dust. It roars with mechanical activ-

An enormous steel "shovel," big as the inside of a house and manipulated by countless flying ropes, charges back and forth through the whole length of the ship, pitching the yellow grain before it and heaping it up where the leg can get hold of it to whisk it into the bin that is somewhere up in the sky. Leneath, in the hold, an army of blue clad men with wooden "scoops" barely dodge the deadly shovel as they swing the grain into its path.

Observations by Mildred.

Scene: Tramcar. Dramatis personæ: Four-year-old girl, mother and several passengers.

Child (in high, shrill treble)-Mamma,

did you get papa's birthday present? "Yes, dearest." "What did you get, mamma?"

"Cigars, lovey." "The cheap ones that Aunt Millie told

Silence from mamma, but a heightenly the reflection from "dearest lovey's" red velvet hat.

"Mamma, that man over there has on a dreadfully dirty necktie. You told

would wear a soiled necktie." Man glares and pulls his coat about

"Mildred, stop talking."

Mildred was silent for a little while. "Mamma, that lady over there forgot to polish her shoes this morning."-London Spare Moments.

All Cheese Is Densely Populated. Professor Adametz, who devoted considerable time to the study of the fragrant subject, said that the population of an ordinary cheese when a few weeks old is greater than the number of persons upon the earth.

Professor Adametz made some interesting researches dealing with the minute organisms found in cheese. From a microscopic examination of a soft F.E. Palmer, John Krieger, W.A. Brown, grains of cheese, when perfectly fresh, Second ward, 1st precinct—H. P. Sut- from 90,000 to 140,000 microbes were found, and when the cheese was seventy days old the population had increased to 800,000 in each fifteen grains. An examination of a denser cheese at twenty-five days old proved it to contain 1,200,000 in each gram iconoclast. The opinions of the genera- Devitt, Vance McManigal, William (about fifteen grains) and when fortyfive days old 2,000,000 in the same small particle.

Spiders Are Industrious.

No small insect ever escapes from the web of a spider, a fact which is not to be wondered at when it is considered that an ordinary sized snare may contain as many as 120,000 viscid No public measure in recent years has globules. The spinner is constantly received a more widespread and spon-engaged in repairing injuries to the taneous endorsement. If any real and web inflicted by wind, stray leaves or valid objections are discovered they will captured insects. Once a day the whole snare is subjected to rigorous examination, and any broken or loosened threads are adjusted.—Cornhill Maga-

Thunder.

Winter thunder is considered throughout Europe to be of very ill omen, but April thunder is considered to be very beneficial. In Devonshire and other cider counties of England there is a saying that "when it thunders in April you must clean up the barrels"-in readiness, that is, for a plentiful crop of apples.

The French consider April thunder to be indicative of a good yield from their vineyards and cornfields.

Chance For Vengeance.

Simson (angrily)-I have sent the editor of The Hightone Magazine fortytwo of my poems, and he has returned every one of them.

Friend-Don't send him any more. He might get mad.

"Suppose he should. What could he "He might publish one of them un-

Abandoned Cisterns.

An abandoned cistern is often a dan-

gerous thing and should be filled, as stagnant water which may remain in it is a common source of disease. If this cannot be done at once, it is a good plan to throw in proper disinfectants coal ashes.

The Real Bitterness.

Mamma-But, darling, why should you object to taking the good doctor's Bobby-It isn't his advice, mamma.

It's his horrid old medicine that I hate to take.-Chicago News.

Why He Never Attains Her Ideal. A man who is earning the living for a family doesn't have time to live up to his wife's ideals, and by the time he Ed Eno returned, Tuesday, from Mc- has made his money he is too old and

tion to McCook, fronting park. Apply exercises passed off quite successfully, ter should be taken at the first bubble. last Friday evening. The whole class doing the act with satisfaction to all restor to part with its gases and beconcerned. There were four scholarships water to part with its gases and be you need anything in the vehicle line it Flies will soon be here and you will awarded, one to each of the following: come flat. This is the cause of much Rollo DeMay, Loyal Parker, Nettie Ob- bad tea and coffee.-Ladies' Home Jour-

nal.

Dozens of People Have Had "Fits"

Out of that lot of shoes which HON-EST JOHN has been

SELLING AT COST

And there are a few of that assortment left in Men's, Women's and Children's sizes. They must all go. Call and look them over.

ANOTHER DROP

In the price of those silk-striped Grenadines, Merserized Zephyrs and Silk Linons All 6oc Grenadines 48c All 6oc Merserized Zephyrs.....48c All 6oc Silk Linons......48c All 30c Merserized Zephyrs 25c

TOO AND

All 15c Batiste Lawns......121c

We have a few of those beautiful satin-striped Wool Challies which sell regularly for \$1 and 85c per yard, all of which we now offer at \$2.25 and \$1.75 for waist patterns of 21 yards. We subtract from prices to multiply on sales. Conclusion: You profit. For anything in Dry Goods, Carpets, . Shoes and Groceries ring up telephone No. 16 or call on

JOHNH. GRANNIS McCOOK, NEBR.

Independent County Convention.

The People's Independent electors of Redwillow county are hereby called to meet in con-cention in the city of Indianola on Saturday lune the 7th, 1902, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination can didates for the following offices to be voted for at the next general election, to be held in the state of Nebraska, in November, 1962, viz: One county attorney, one county judge, or representative of the 65th district, one commi ioner first district and delegates to the People's adependent state convention, and delegates to the People's Independent congressional conven-tion of the 5th congressional district of the state of Nebraska, and delegates to the 29th sena torial district convention of the state of Ne

The basis of representation of the several precincts in said county shall be the vote cast for J. W. Dutcher for sheriff in the year 1901, allowing one delegate for each 15 votes or fraction thereof cast for said J. W. Dutcher and one delegate at large for each voting precinct of delegate at large for each voting precinct of will receive a copy of this book, free of said county, said apportionment entitles the several voting precincts in said county to the esentation in said convention:
4 Beaver......3 Bondville. ollowing represe 3 Coleman. . . . 3 Danbury 3 East Valley 4 Fritsch. .3 Danbury ... Driftwood.

3 Grant ... 2 Indianola 3 Mo. Ridge ... 4 NorthValley... ebanon It is recommended that no proxies be allowed n said convention, but that the delegates presnt thereat be authorized to cast the full vote It is further recommended that the precinct

G. C. BOATMAN, Secretary. Caution.

This is not a gentle word-but when you think how liable you are not to purchase for 75c the only remedy universally known and a remedy that has had the largest sale of any medicine in the world since 1866 for the cure and treatment of consumption and threat lung troubles without losing its great popularity all these years, you will be thankful we called your attention to Boschee's German Syrup. There are so many ordinary cough remdies made by druggists and others that are cheap and good for light colds perhaps, but for evere coughs, bronchitis, croup—and especially or consumption, where there is difficult expectoration and coughing during the nights and mornings, there is nothing like German Syrup. Sold by all druggists in the civilized work. G. G. GREEN, Woodbury, N. J.

BANKSVILLE.

Herndon, Kansas, Sunday.

Guy Hartman was on the sick list E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c. with grip, Tuesday. J. H. Relph was on business at Cedar

Bluffs, Kansas, Wednesday. Everybody jubilant over the amount one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents, of rain fall and crops are looming up. Josh Rowland and wife arrived at Sold by A. McMillen Banksville, Saturday, and made a trip to

W. E. Knobbs visited at Banksville, this week, and went to Hitchcock county to visit his parents, Thursday.

McCook Market Ouotations. Eggs....

I am closing out what buggies I have will pay to call at once.

W. T. COLEMAN, Base-ball goods at Cones'.

Of Interest to Campers-Out.

Many of our readers occasionally go nto camp-on a hunting or fishing trip, or prospecting or ranching. On such a trip the question of what to eat is most important, for a turn of indigestion spoils all the pleasure and sickness away from home defeats the purpose of the trip, With a little attention to outfitting one thing may be made sure-that the food will be all right. Bread, biscuits and flapjacks are the principal things with fresh meat and fish when they can be braska and for the transaction of such other obtained. How to handle these, and business as may regularly come before said many other estable things in the many other eatable things, in the best way at the camp fire, is the subject of a Co., New York. Any TRIBUNE reader will receive a copy of this book, free of charge, by writing to the Royal Baking Powder Co., New York. A postal will do.

Walks Without Crutches.

"I was much afflicted with sciatica," writes Ed C. Nud, Iowaville, Sedgwick county, Kansas, "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which relieved me. I used three 50c bottles. It is the greatest liniment I ever used; have recommended it to a number of persons. all express themselves as being benefitted by it. rimaries be held on Wednesday, June 4th, in ach precinct. R. A. Green, Chairman. I now walk without crutches and am able to perform a great deal of light labor on the force. perform a great deal of light labor on the farm," 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at A. McMillen's,

Advertised Letters.

The following letters were advertised by the McCook postoffice, May 21, 1902: James Scheneck John H. Smith Mr. Ereely Emalt Mr. Amer Caster Miss Annie Parsons (2) O. F. Rowhell E. H. Peck When calling for these letters, please say they were advertised.

A Nearly Fatal Runaway Started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Illinois, which defied doctors and all remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Just as good for boils, burns, bruises, cuts, corns, scalds, skin eruptions and piles. 25c at McConnell & Berry's

F. M. KIMMELL, Postmaster.

To Cure a Cold in One Day W. H. Benjamin is busy assessing Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

> Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin aids digestion 50 YEARS'



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