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REPUBLICAN TICKET.
COUNTY.
REPRESENTATIVE—
Philip Ghem, Danbury.
COUNTY ATTORNEY—
C. E. Eldred, McCook.
COMMISSIONER—
James Hatfield, McCook.

The Republicans of Clay county courageously did what the Republicans of Red Willow county failed to perform, —endorsed Hon. W. E. Andrews' candidacy for the United States senatorship. He deserved better at the hands of Red Willow Republicans.

It is always easier to "stand pat" than it is to progress. The Republican is the party of progress. "Better still" beats "well enough." It takes courage to meet the demands of growth, advancement and changed conditions. The Republican party has always had courage to do what in wisdom (more than in expediency) seemed right.

The Republicans of Furnas county went out of their way in their late county convention to go on record as against "a state constitutional convention, which is desired in the main to create new offices and increase the salaries of those already in existence." It is a quite generally admitted fact that a constitutional convention is really needed. It is also notorious that Nebraska's state officers are insufficiently paid. A constitutional convention intelligently and patriotically conducted would be a boon to Nebraska. One controlled by the politicians and corporations might fall far short of a blessing. But the present constitution is inadequate and the voters of Nebraska have repeatedly shown themselves unable and incompetent to correct the matter at the polls.

Good Spirits.
Good spirits don't all come from Kentucky. Their main source is the liver—and all the fine spirits ever made in the Blue Grass State could not remedy a bad liver or the hundred and one ill effects it produces. You can't have good spirits and a bad liver at the same time. Your liver must be in fine condition if you would feel buoyant, happy and hopeful, bright of eye, light of step, vigorous and successful in your pursuits. You can put your liver in fine condition by using Green's August Flower—the greatest of all medicines for the liver and stomach and a certain cure for dyspepsia or indigestion. It has been a favorite household remedy for over thirty-five years. August Flower will make your liver healthy and active and thus insure you a liberal supply of "good spirits." Trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 75c. L. W. McConnell.

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PUBLIC FREE LIBRARY NOTES.

Although May is usually an "off" month among the magazines, the offerings for this month are not unattractive. In the Outlook, Mr. F. H. Spearman has a little sketch entitled "The Nerve of the Road," which, written in Mr. Spearman's characteristic forceful style, will interest many readers. The railroad holds an indescribable fascination for most people. Who, when he sees a long string of moving freight cars does not stop to count them? What is as splendid in its own peculiar way as a well equipped passenger train? So we always read with more rather than less absorption, of all that has to do with the life of the rails.

One of the most scholarly of recent contributions to western history is Frederick J. Turner's "The Diplomatic Contest for the Mississippi Valley," the first installment of which appears in the May Atlantic. The work contains a great deal that will not be found in the familiar accounts of the Louisiana purchase, the most important event in our national existence. The vast territory comprehended within the designation of Louisiana purchase, the most important event in our national existence. The vast territory comprehended within the designation of Louisiana purchase, the most important event in our national existence.

The Judge is a short story of some merit,—one that will appeal more strongly, perhaps, to the layman than to the lawyer. The incident recorded may have happened, though one doubts whether it did, and is inclined to brand it as romantic fiction.

The Common Lot is a Chicago story, written by a Chicago man, and should be read by every westerner, not only because it is a book of the west, but because it is worthy. Charles Elliot Norton is the editor of some Ruskin letters in this number, that make pleasant reading. Thomas Wentworth Higginson has an essay entitled "Part of a Man's Life: 'Intensely Human.'" The writer's name is of itself sufficient recommendation. Those who are familiar with the literary style of Samuel McChord Crothers, will instinctively turn first to his essay, An Hour with our Prejudices. Those who have not the advantage of his acquaintance can have no better introduction to him than through the medium of this article. No more delightful essayist is producing today. Of those who have written he takes rank with Charles Lamb.

In the Century, The Sea Wolf is pursuing its somewhat remarkable course. Not since Stevenson, has the reading world read the like of it. Jack London is no such artist as the older writer,—not yet, at least,—but Jack London is young, and will doubtless improve. A man's tastes change, though early impressions often remain. Perhaps a re-reading of Stevenson would disclose him in a different light to that in which he blazed forth to a boy. However that may be, Jack London's romances seem not quite to have attained the standard set by Stevenson, or even by Stephen Crane in some of his shorter stories.

A Startling Test.
To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt of No. Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes: "A patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for acute stomach and liver troubles so I prescribed them. The patient gained from the first, and has not had an attack in fourteen months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation and kidney troubles. Try them. Only 50 cents at L. W. McConnell's.

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THE TRIBUNE.

Holdrege Sells His Big Farm.
Plattsmouth, Neb., May 2.—(Special to Bee.)—T. E. Parmele of this city has purchased from G. W. Holdrege, general manager of the Burlington railroad, his large ranch near Louisville, in this county, consisting of 800 acres. The purchase price is understood to have been \$50,000. On the property is located the old "Boss" Stout house, or castle, which was built by him years ago for the purpose of housing the state convict laborers from the state penitentiary while they were working in the stone quarries along the Platte river, now owned by Newell & Atwood.

Mr. Parmele will dispose of the house and about five acres of land to the National Swedish Mission association for \$10,000, which will be used as a training school for clergymen. Louisville will donate the sum of \$2,000 to assist the association in getting a start.
Mr. Holdrege had the ranch improved regardless of expense by having enormous hog and cattle barns built, and everything done that was necessary to make it the best up-to-date ranch in Nebraska.

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Johnson, Helen L.
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CATHOLIC—Order of services: Mass, 8 a. m. Mass and sermon, 10:30 a. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Every Sunday.
J. J. LOUGHRAN, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Services in St. Alban's church as follows: Every Sunday in the month Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Morning prayer at 11 and evening prayer and sermon at 8. The third Sunday in the month Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. All are welcome.
E. R. EARLE, Rector.

CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday school 10 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m. Sermons at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Morning subject: "What to Preach." Evening subject: "Insurance." If not worshipping elsewhere, plan for both of these services. Good music. All welcome.
GEORGE A. CONRAD, Pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Sermons at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Junior society at 3 p. m. Y. P. U. at 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, 8 p. m. Morning subject: "God's Use of Little Things." Evening subject: "Seventh Commandment." "Thou shalt not commit adultery." Excellent music. All welcome.
C. R. BETTS, Pastor.

METHODIST—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Old time love feast at 10:15 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. E. B. Crippen will preach in the morning and administer the sacrament. Junior League at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 7 p. m. Rev. K. Jusak, a Japanese, will preach in the evening. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 8 p. m. Please note the change in the Sunday school hour.
M. B. CARMAN, Pastor.

Sunday, May 15th, there will be Holy Communion at St. Alban's chapel at 7:30 in the morning.

The Methodist brethren have formally closed the sale of their old church to the Adventist brethren, the papers passing Tuesday night.

The ladies of the Methodist church cleared \$50 at their dinner and supper, last Saturday. The threatening weather cut down the patronage some, too.

Rev. C. R. Betts of the Baptist church leaves on No. 6, Sunday evening, May 15th, for Cleveland, Ohio, to attend the National Anniversary of that denomination.

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In Medieval Cities.
There can be no doubt that one reason why cities did not grow so rapidly in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries as in the nineteenth is the excessively high death rate that prevailed during the earlier period. The flood of immigration, mighty as it was, did little more than make good the places of those citizens who fell victims to grievous sanitary conditions. From the facts that can be obtained it seems to have been universally true that almost up to the beginning of the nineteenth century the death rate of large cities exceeded the birth rate. This was not because the birth rate was abnormally low, but because the death rate was abnormally high. In the medieval city both birth rate and death rate were far higher than at present. Infant mortality must have mounted to a greivous height. The uncleanness and overcrowding of city dwellers, now largely relegated to the slums of our great cities, was the normal state of nearly all classes of society in the London and Paris of Louis and Elizabeth.—Professor Edwin O. Jordan in Popular Science Monthly.

Consul King David.
This amusing anecdote of Lamartine is related by the Baroness Bonde in her volume of letters: Shortly after the revolution of February he wrote on the blank leaves of his pocketbook the names of his proteges and sent the list to be provided with places immediately. Previously, however, it seems, he had scribbled "David" on the page, and the head of the cabinet appointed the said David consul at Bremen; the postulant, however, never came forward, and, though the poet did not like being disturbed, M. Hetzel was obliged to ask who was the David on his list.
"He who danced before the ark," was the answer.
"Oh, dear! I have gazzeted him to Bremen!"
"How very singular! I meant him for a subject for meditation, not for nomination. But you can cancel it!"
The minister registered the change, but few knew that the last consul appointed to Bremen was King David!

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In Earnest Then.
"I have noticed," said the offhand philosopher, "that a woman will get a golf dress when she has no intention to play golf."
"That's so," agreed the man with the incandescent whiskers.
"And," continued the offhand philosopher, "she will get a ball gown when she cares nothing about dancing and a tennis dress when she wouldn't play tennis for fear she will freckle and a bathing suit when she has no thought of going into the water and a riding habit when the very thought of climbing on a horse gives her the chills and!"
"Yes," interrupted the man with the incandescent whiskers, "but when she gets a wedding dress she means business. Ever notice that?"—Judge.

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