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**S. W. Nebraska Educational Ass'n.**

The meeting of the Southwestern Nebraska Educational association in Alma, April 6, 7 and 8, promises to be one of the best in the history of the association. The meeting will mean much in the way of educational uplift and inspiration for all classes of teachers, and particularly for rural teachers.

The following is a copy of a letter from the state superintendent on this subject. It would be well if every school board in the county would give two days for each teacher to attend this meeting:

"State of Nebraska, Department of Public Instruction, Lincoln, March 2, 1910.

"To Superintendents and School Boards in Southwestern Nebraska:

"The annual meeting of the Southwestern Nebraska Educational association will be held this year at Alma, April 6, 7 and 8. In recognition of its value to the schools of Southwestern Nebraska, I am pleased to recommend that teachers who are willing to bear their part of the necessary expense be granted the privilege of attending this meeting without the loss of time or pay. Subjects of importance to all teachers and all schools will be discussed. All who attend will return to their schools with a greater enthusiasm for the work, with a fund of new ideas, and with the ability to render greater service. Very truly yours,

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**FRIDAY NIGHT'S CITY CAUCUS**

One of the Most Numerously Attended Caucuses of Recent Years--Ladies Present--School Board Main Interest.

Somewhat after the appointed hour last Friday evening, Chairman Lon Cone of the City Republican central committee called the caucus to order in the court room and read the call, which specifically invited the REPUBLICAN ELECTORS of McCook to meet in caucus.

J. F. Cordeal placed H. N. Rosebush in nomination for temporary chairman of the caucus; Mr. Rosebush declined, but his declination was not accepted and he took the chair.

A. P. Ely placed J. G. Schobel in nomination for temporary secretary; Sylvester Cordeal seconded the nomination, and he was chosen.

On motion of Lon Cone and second by J. F. Cordeal, the chair was empowered to name a committee of three on resolutions. He named Lon Cone, J. F. Cordeal and W. B. Mills—Albert Barnett having declined the honor.

On motion of Lon Cone and second by J. F. Cordeal, the temporary organization was made permanent.

On motion of J. E. Kelley, the caucus proceeded to the nomination of candidates for the various city offices according to the order of the call.

W. B. Mills placed E. P. Huber in nomination, "Dad" Smith seconded the same, and on motion of Sylvester Cordeal, the nomination was made by acclamation. Mr. Huber made a brief speech, accepting the honor and promising his best efforts to fill the office well and truly.

Louis Thorgrimson was named treasurer, and Chairman Rosebush thought the nomination so good that he put the motion thereupon and nominated Louis without further formality.

Dr. J. D. Hare named H. W. Conover, Sylvester Cordeal seconded the same, and "Herry" was nominated by acclamation for city clerk.

Charles W. Kelley suggested Norman J. Campbell for city engineer, and the nomination was made by acclamation.

R. J. McCar named P. S. Heaton for police judge and the operation was completed by acclamation.

On motion, the order of nominations was changed, and the caucus was opened to nominations for members of the board of education. Chas. Skalla, by request, offered the names of R. A. Green and C. J. Ryan.

Dr. C. L. Fahnestock named H. E. Culbertson and E. H. Doan.

R. J. Gunn, F. A. Fennell, Joseph Mokko were named as tellers, and the voting proceeded for members of the school board.

While the tellers were counting the ballots the work of the caucus went on.

J. F. Cordeal moved that the city committee be empowered to fill any vacancies on ticket or committee carried.

It was moved by Lon Cone and seconded by J. F. Cordeal that the caucus divide by wards and the same was done and the following nominations were made by the two wards:

In the first ward H. P. Waite was chairman and Mathew Lawritson the clerk, C. E. Emerson, J. W. Chase and J. S. Stansberry were named. The vote stood: Stansberry 41, Emerson 25, Chase 11; Stansberry being the nominee.

The second ward action: Dr. Z. L. Kay, chairman, Lon Cone, secretary. William Word received 51 votes, James McAdams 9, and there were a number of scattering votes. Word was declared the nominee, and responded with a brief speech.

The result of the voting for school board members was then announced: Culbertson ..... 134  
Doan ..... 127  
Green ..... 78  
Ryan ..... 72

**A SECOND CITY CAUCUS ON SATURDAY NIGHT**

Rather Small in Numbers, With a Sprinkling of the Gentler Sex and the School Board the Main Interest.

The Democrats held their city caucus in the court room, last Saturday evening, with C. J. Ryan in the chair and Barney Hofer, secretary.

R. A. Green placed Frank Real in nomination for mayor, and his selection was made by acclamation.

Dr. Robert Gatewood was chosen for city clerk by acclamation. Dr. E. O. Vahue declining.

W. W. McMillen was made the choice of the caucus for city treasurer by acclamation.

For city engineer Norman J. Campbell was unanimously chosen.

P. S. Heaton and Joseph Sullivan were nominated for police judge and the ballot resulted in Sullivan receiving 17 votes, Heaton 11. Sullivan was declared the nominee.

For members of the board of education R. A. Green, C. J. Ryan and W. H. Dungan were named. The ballot resulted thus:

Green ..... 34  
Ryan ..... 29  
Dungan ..... 8

Green and Ryan were declared the nominees.

Samuel S. Garvey was made the unanimous choice of the caucus of the 1st ward for the office of councilman.

Dr. C. L. Fahnestock and H. N. Rosebush were made committeemen for the First ward and Lon Cone and E. F. Osborn for the Second ward.

The committee on resolutions then reported as follows:

**RESOLUTIONS.**  
We believe that partisan politics should not be inducted into municipal affairs, but that individual fitness, personal integrity, and a willingness to be guided by the expressed wishes of a majority of all the people, should characterize our public servants; and in the selection of city officials these should be considered in preference to their political affiliation; that the government of the city is purely a business matter, and should be directed solely in the interest of all the people, without concession to any special interests or individuals.

We recognize that McCook is a rapidly growing community, and the business of the municipality is steadily growing more difficult to manage, while the compensation for this service is wholly inadequate and the acceptance of city office entails some considerable sacrifice upon the part of the officers selected, yet we demand on the part of the city government an honest, efficient and economical administration, such as is consistent with the natural expansion of the community, and that the same consideration shall be shown to its most humble citizens as is extended to its most powerful business and financial interests.

We demand a strict accounting of the public funds, such as would be required in any business corporation, and that the people may know, we recommend that the accounts of the city, including those of the board of education, be examined by a competent auditing committee, and that frequent reports of the city's financial affairs be hereafter published for the information of the public.

We demand a strict enforcement of the eight o'clock closing law, and rigid regulation of all matters pertaining to the health and public safety.

Believing that public service corporations, operating under franchise granted by the people, are entitled only to such net profits on their investments as, after careful and thorough examination, may be shown to be just and reasonable, we demand that an inquiry be made into the matter of telephone rates charged by the Nebraska Telephone Co. in the city, with the view of securing a reduction of the scale should the conditions be shown to justify it.

The following resolution was presented to the committee, but they declined to report the same, and it was offered before the caucus as an amendment:

As a progressive people, desiring to be in the van of the best movements for better and more effective government, and believing that the people should have a more direct voice in the policies of the municipal government, we favor the adoption of the initiative and referendum which has been so efficient and popular in the many towns and cities where it has become operative.

On a vote before the caucus the amendment was lost by a small majority.

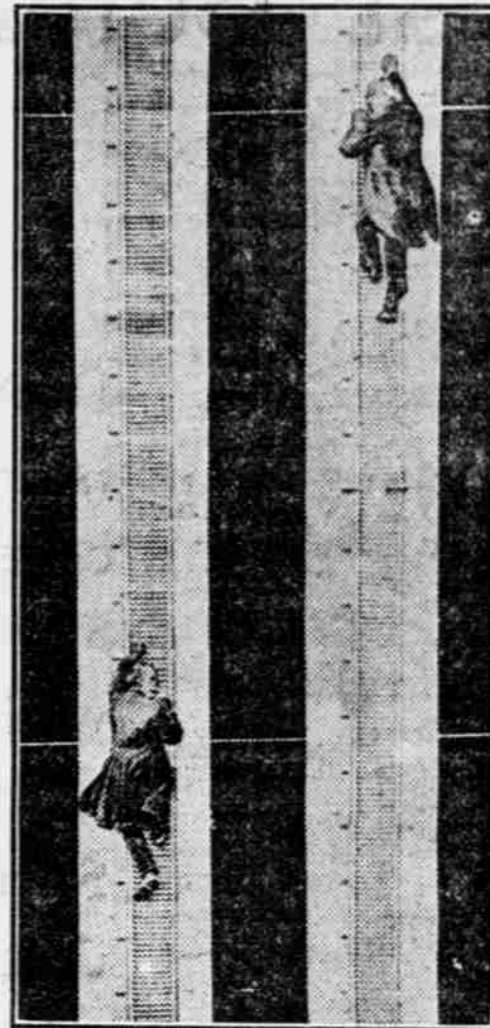
Adjourned.

**NOVEL BULLETIN BOARD.**

Large Sums Spent by English Newspapers in Recent Elections.

Great Britain's recent election created as much excitement and interest as we see here in America during a presidential year, and never before in the history of that country has so much money been spent by the newspapers to keep the public posted as to results. In this respect there was the keenest rivalry.

Of the many unique bulletin boards erected by the publishers for this pur-



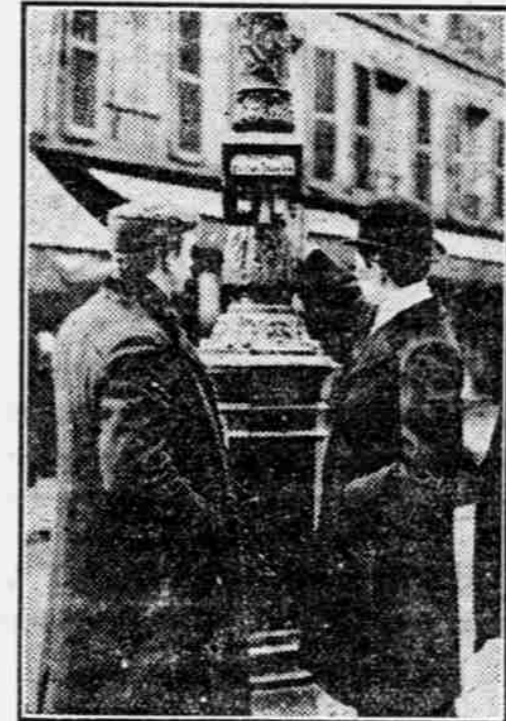
UNIQUE ENGLISH BULLETIN BOARD.

pose probably the one shown here attracted the most attention, it being surrounded day and night toward the end of the fight by thousands of people anxious to know the latest election figures. By manipulating the figures attached to the board the public could at all times be kept informed of the progress of the fight.

**SEATS FOR ALL.**

Paris Has a New Plan to Prevent Crowding in Street Cars.

Paris is far ahead of most cities in looking out for the comfort of her citizens. Take the strap hanging and crowding in our street cars, for instance. In Paris street cars and stages are not permitted to carry more



PARIS TRAFFIC REGULATOR.

passengers than there are seats. In order to prevent the rush of people trying to board the cars at the stopping places small metal boxes have been affixed to lampposts.

These boxes contain small metal checks with running numbers, and everybody who wants to board a stage or car takes one of those checks. The passengers enter the cars according to their numbers, and all crowding is in this way avoided.

**CHANGS ARE BUSY.**

New Ambassador and Family Learning Our Customs and Languages. The family of the new Chinese ambassador, Chang Yin Tang, have attracted much attention in Washington



MME. CHANG YIN TANG.

since their arrival. While they have gone but little into society as yet, they are said to be captivated by Americans and their ways and planning to entertain lavishly before long.

**RED WILLOW.**

To the readers of the Christian Herald, the death of Dr. Klopsch seems to come as a personal bereavement. Truly a good and great man has been called home.

Mr. Stewart still suffers with acute stomach trouble.

Mrs. Ruggles stopped to see Mrs. John Longnecker on Friday afternoon.

Work is progressing on Will Randel's house since favorable weather set in.

People come and people go. Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Clark are expected back from California, this month. Mr. and Mrs. Shumaker have returned to Indianapolis from Washington, finding Red Willow a good place to live.

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