

I. M. RICE, Prop.

Thursday, October 13, 1910.

A traveling man who claims to be from David City says he will bet a barrel of beer that he can prove that Aldrich, the republican nominee for governor, had drunk more booze and played more poker in thirty years than Jim Dahlman.—Neligh Register.

The Burkett press bureau is keeping the postmaster-editors well supplied with editorial reading matter on what a great (?) representative the Slippery Elmer has been in Congress. And the postmaster editors each week publish this beautiful sunshine because they are indebted to Senator Burkett for their jobs as P. M's.—Dakota City Eagle (rep.).

James Dahlman is not a saint, but he does not profess to be. But he is a fair, manly, generous man; and if God gives me life and strength I shall go to the polls to vote for him in November next. I very much misjudge the men of Nebraska if they do not bear him to the governor's chair by a majority that will make the ears of his pious detractors tingle with shame for their part in electing him by their pharisaic abuse.—Rev. John Williams in Omaha World-Herald.

According to the Columbus Telegram, edited by Edgar Howard, some democratic candidate at some time settled his debts for 20 cents on the dollar. We do not know to whom the charges refer but it makes no difference. Some of our best citizens have at times been financially embarrassed and that is no reflection upon them in any way. Even the estimable Mr. Howard, according to the records of our probate court, issued a note for \$5,000 which is valued at \$100 by the appraisers under the inheritance law and we believe it could be bought now for considerably less than 20 cents on the dollar.—The Palladium Times.

SOME QUESTIONS.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, Oct. 1.—To the Editor of the World-Herald: Permit me to ask you a question. Come to think it over, I may ask several. If you cannot answer it—or them—perhaps some of your readers or the readers of the Bee or News, can do so.

First—What states have now a county option law?

Second—In what states other than Nebraska is county option an issue this year?

Third—Would county option apply to other than the liquor question? For illustration, if a city wished to build a street car line or an electric light plant, would the question have to be submitted to a county vote for decision, and if so, would the county help pay the cost if the same carried?

Fourth—Has the Methodist Episcopal conference in any other state resolved to vote the republican ticket and in favor of county option?

Fifth—What action, if any, has the Methodist Episcopal conference in Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, South Dakota and Illinois taken on the county option question?

Sixth—Do you know any Methodist who votes the democratic ticket?

Seventh—I notice that in Iowa the saloons are open until 10 o'clock at night. In Minnesota until 11, in South Dakota until 11, while in Nebraska they close at 8 o'clock.

Either the Methodists in Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota and South Dakota "are not working at their trade," or the Nebraska Methodists are working overtime, or non-union.

Eighth—Why is there a Methodist Episcopal church, north, and a Methodist Episcopal church, south?

The writer is the man whom Vice President Sherman voted for at the New York state republican convention, viz.,—John Doe, in World-Herald.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER

(Special Correspondent)

President Taft has made it plain that he hopes and expects to secure a renomination for the presidency.

This means that he does not even yet see the point conveyed in the returns of the recent elections. It is evident to many that the president sees no significance in the fact that from Maine to California the candidates branded with his indorsement have been retired to private life by overwhelming majorities, while those having his opposition have everywhere been elevated by the people.

In view of the decisive repudiation of the Taft administration in the recent elections, it becomes interesting to know the identity of the men whose advice the president has followed to his political downfall. Here are some of the men in the Taft cabinet whose pedigrees make it plain why Mr. Taft's administration has failed to please the common people:

Attorney General Geo. C. Wickersham—Former attorney for the sugar trust; (it was he who induced President Taft to recommend in his annual message against a congressional investigation of the \$2,000,000 sugar trust underweight frauds); immediately upon taking office Wickersham dropped suits which had been started against the beef trust, taking the position that he did not believe members of the trust "meant" to violate the law and that nothing could be gained through prosecution for "past" offenses; Wickersham wrote legal opinion vindicating Ballenger and indicting Pinchot and Glavis.

Secretary of State Philander C. Knox—Former attorney for the steel trust; hand of J. P. Morgan is seen by many in his conduct of the state department; the Manchurian proposal, for Wall street's benefit, made America the subject of laughter in every civilized land, and, with the Crane scandal, practically ended our influence for the doctrine of "the open door."

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson—Does whatever his superior officers (Taft, Aldrich, Cannon et al) demand in order to hold his position; has shown himself to be an enemy of pure food laws by permitting manufacturers of food products to use benzoate of soda in any quantity desired; takes position retail merchants and not trusts nor tariff are responsible for increased prices. (This is official view of the Taft administration.)

Charles Nagel, Secretary of Commerce and Labor—Former attorney for the Waters-Pierce (Standard) Oil company; he is at the head of the department in which is located the bureau of corporations.

Secretary of War Dickinson—Harriman and Illinois Central lawyer; showed his hand as a stool pigeon for the railroads by blocking an independent line of steamships to Panama.

Secretary of the Treasury McVeagh—His record is immaterial, as Aldrich is real head of currency and finance of country.

Ballinger—Exposed and discredited, but still in office.

Truth About Maine

Sufficient time has now passed to get the truth from Maine. Authentic reports show that the democratic victories there were not won principally upon state and local issues as the republican leaders have tried to represent. The most prominent issues were:

Failure of the republican party to fulfill its campaign pledge to revise the tariff downward, high cost of living, Cannonism, Haleism, questions pertaining to prohibition.

The democratic congressional candidates promised to investigate and expose the following:

The cost of living as affected by the tariff and the trusts.

Extravagance in government expenditures.

The part played by Mr. Wickersham in the sale of friar lands in the Philippines.

The amount of money Cortelyou

and other cabinet members squeezed out of plutocrats for campaign purposes when Roosevelt ran in 1904, and how much Hitchcock raised for Taft four years later.

The efforts of the trusts and syndicates to grab timber and mineral lands and water power sites and Ballinger's relation thereto.

The reasons why President Taft joins the Guggenheim's in denying to Alaska territorial government.

The influences behind the rubber schedule, cotton schedule and wool schedule of the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill.

The part played by national officers in promoting the plundering of the civilized Indians of Oklahoma by lawyers, claim agents and politicians.

Generosity of Aldrich

Republican candidates for congress boast of the generosity of Senator Aldrich in permitting a large number of articles to go on the free list in the new tariff law. And democratic candidates are telling what the free list really consists of. Some of the things that the generous Rhode Island statesman permitted on the free list were joss-sticks, bladders, dried blood and horse hair. Then there are bird's eggs, lemon juice, turtles and junk. Also acorns, bones, ashes, zaffer, catgut, fossils, Brazilian pebbles and oakum!

Expensive Horseshoeing

One hundred and forty dollars for street car tickets; \$237.66 for horseshoeing; \$429.55 for soap and brushes! These are a few of the small expenditures of the state department of the government in 1909. The horse-shoeing item is a gem as a sample of the "cut-to-the-quick" economy. The item of \$237.66 refers to the shoeing of four horses for one year.

Tariff Increases Prices

Prof. J. P. Norton, of Yale university, declares that the "increased proportionate output of gold" is not the principal cause of increased prices. Prices in this country, under protection, have advanced 50 per cent more than in England, under free trade, he says: In all countries under the gold standard, the output of gold must operate uniformly. Therefore, Prof. Norton concludes, there must be some special cause at work in this country. He suspects it is the Payne-Aldrich tariff law.

A Growing Army

In the last eight years 99,225 federal officeholders have been added to the pay rolls of the national government, at an annual increased expense to the people of more than seventy million dollars.

This is a Democratic year.

The September election in Maine has sounded the keynote of Republican success for forty years. This year the keynote from the Pine Tree state is a noise that sounds like "defeat for the G. O. P."

Why Hesitate?

An offer That Involves No Risk For Those Who Accept It

We are so positive our remedy will completely relieve constipation, no matter how chronic it may be, that we offer to furnish it free of all cost if it fails.

Constipation is caused by weakness of the nerves and muscles of the large intestines or descending colon. To expect a cure you must therefore tone up and strengthen these organs and restore them to healthier activity.

We want you to try Rexall Orderlies on our guarantee. They are eaten like candy, and are particularly ideal for children. They act directly on the nerves and muscles of the bowels. They have a neutral action on the other organs or glands. They do not purge or cause any incontinence whatever. They will positively overcome chronic or habitual constipation and the myriads of associate of dependent chronic ailments. Try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. Two sizes, 10c. and 25c. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store, Chapman Drug Co.

Another Big Cut.

The Lincoln State Journal has announced a fifty cent rate for its daily from now until January 1, 1911, or seventy-five cents including Sunday. If you want to know the real truth about all that's going on in the political mix up this fall in Nebraska, get this paper that is free from all sorts of strings—is not running for office, holds no office and doesn't want any. The Lincoln Daily State Journal is the state paper that is walking right to the front these days on account of its clean-cut, fearless stand on public questions. No matter what your beliefs, you do not want your news tampered with. News colored for selfish ends should be unbareable. The paper will be stopped when your time is up. Never pay strangers money but send to the publishers direct at Lincoln.

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4 head of horses, 2 mares and 2 geldings.

1 Hereford bull.
30 acres of good corn, to be husked and delivered at Crookston, Neb.

20 tons of oats hay, mowed with grain in straw.
25 acres of spelts in shock or stack; 25 acres of wheat in shock.
The wheat and speltz is threshed.

1 lot 69 ft. front by 140 ft. deep, 3 doors north of bank of Crookston, Neb.

1 residence, 6 room house; first class well, wind mill, pump, supply tank, chicken house, coal house, cave, barn, room for 12 head of stock, 4 tons hay and 100 bushels grain.

New house, 3 rooms; good well and pump, chicken house, new barn with room for 8 head stock, 8 tons hay, bin room for 1000 bu. small grain.

Also 1 house and lot, 2 rooms, new. These houses are occupied by good tenants.

From 1 to 15 residence lots in Viertel's addition to Crookston.

Also 1 farm of 210 acres, situated 2 miles northeast of Crookston, Neb., 200 acres of which is under cultivation, almost level and first class farming land; good well 111 ft. deep, brick in bottom and stone and cement top; good cave for car load potatoes. All enclosed by two and three wire fence.
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Cleans, Scrubs Scours, Polishes

In the kitchen, dining room, sitting room and bed rooms, and does it quicker and better. The best thing for pots, kettles, pans, floors, in the dairy, etc. No caustic or acids. Hygienic. This ideal cleanser works mechanically—not chemically.



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Complete Scenic Production

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The Ozarks.

C. E. Meyers of Sparks returned Monday night from the Ozark country in Missouri, where he went to look at the country with a view to locating. He returned better satisfied with Cherry county and says the following, which is copied from a real estate dealer's pamphlet in Missouri, is a better description of the Ozark country than he could give:

We can give you no better description of this region than that of "Preachin' Bill," who runs the ferry in THE SHEPARD OF THE HILLS: "When God looked upon th' work of his hand an' called hit good, he war sure a-lookin' at this Ozark country. Rough? Law, yes! Hit war made that-a-way on purpose. Ain't nothin' to a flat country, nobow. A man just wears hisself plumb out a-walkin' on a level 'thout any down hill t' spell him. An' then look how much more thar is of it. Take forty acres o' flat now an' hits just a forty, but you take forty acres o' this here Ozark country, an' God 'mighty only knows how much 'twould be if hit war rolled out flat. 'Tain't no wonder 't all God rested when he made these here hills; he jest naturally had t' quit, fer he done his beateen an' war plumb gin out."

Loup Valley Hereford Ranch, C. H. FAULHABER & SONS, BROWNLEE, NEB. Herd headed by S. C. Columbus 17, No. 160050, and Climax 2, No. 289-822; also, Melvin, No. 327072, reg. Bulls for Sale at All Times.

U. S. Weather Bureau Report

WEEK ENDING OCT. 12, 1910.
Daily mean temperature 62°
Normal temperature 53°
Highest temperature 65°
Lowest temperature 32°
Range of temperature 33°
Average for week 60° of an inch.
Precipitation for week 0.28 of an inch.
Precipitation March 1st to date 14.42 inches.
Average for 22 years 19.11 of an inch.
JOHN J. McLEAN, Observer.

C. & N. W. New Time Table.

WEST BOUND:
No. 1, 7:17 p. m. New passenger train.
No. 3, 1:55 p. m. Old " " "
No. 119, 11:55 p. m. Through freight train.
No. 81, 2:00 p. m. Local freight train.
EAST BOUND:
No. 2, 10:12 p. m. New passenger train.
No. 6, 5:05 a. m. Old " " "
No. 118, 6:25 a. m. Through freight train.
No. 82, 11:00 a. m. Local freight train.

Get Your Trees Ready for Winter.

Stop cultivating deep. Let them bed their leaves and ripen up their wood by only keeping a dust on top of ground to retain moisture in ground, and on town lots where trees are watered gradually reduce amount of water. A tree needs moist ground during fall and winter. If town lot trees need water later water them at freezing up time for their winter use. We have all the varieties of Cherry, Plum, Apple and Forest and Shade Trees, Evergreens, Small Fruit Shrubs, Roses and other ornamentals. GET THE CHEAPEST for a long time usefulness. A TREE IS A PERMANENT INVESTMENT. Get trees grown nearest home. They are acclimated and grown under same conditions you want them to grow, and where they can be had the quickest. We have 25 acres in our nurseries and 40 acres in our bearing orchard. Write for catalogue or any information.

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