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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

State. For Judge of the Supreme Court - S. H. BROWN...

Republican County Convention.

The republican electors of Madison county, Nebraska, are requested to send delegates...

The several precincts are entitled to representation as follows: the appointment being based on the vote cast for William McKinley...

Anarchy will undoubtedly soon be stamped out so far as the teaching is represented by Czolgosz.

Nebraska has had quite enough rain for the time being and altogether too much frost. Stand up for Nebraska.

It is another crop that was apparently slandered. There seems to be all kinds of cheap...

Boers and populists had an opportunity at their fusion state annual the democrats...

It is a pity that the Czolgosz case, even though they put up the show of a fight and the people will not consider them poor practitioners if they lose.

If any jury would clear Czolgosz it would in turn be heartily and effectually condemned by the public, which is evidence that public opinion is, after all, a very fair court of justice when the case is fully understood.

Czolgosz, who acknowledges such a supreme disregard and abhorrence of law, displayed his inconsistency early in the proceedings when he appealed to the protection of the law from the fury of the outraged people at Buffalo.

Some of the papers that have published the most questionable forms of cartoons are among the first to condemn them since their eyes have been opened by the occurrences of the past few weeks.

Edgar Howard of Columbus had some difficulty in getting the democratic state convention to endorse his views on the railroad pass question in respect to office-holders.

The people of this country may not carry their patriotism on their sleeves at all times, but there are many persons in different parts of the country who can testify that at times it is an exceedingly precarious experiment to question or insult that loyalty.

CZAR REVIEWS TROOPS

Witnesses Final Operations of French Army Maneuvers.

RIDES INTO THICK OF FIGHT.

France Entertains Russia's Ruler With an Exhibition of Drilling and Fort Storming at Compiègne—Follows the Movements on Horseback.

Compiègne, Sept. 20.—Emperor Nicholas passed a day full of interest. The morning was spent in witnessing the final operations of the grand western maneuvers, at which the czar for the first time came into contact with the French army operating under war conditions and not merely in parade uniforms.

The troops were camped on the plain around Fort Vitry in the early morning. Operations began at 10, on the arrival of the czar, who, surrounded by French and Russian staff officers, followed most movements on horseback.

The skirmishing army early developed an attack on the minor fort, Fort Fresno. The czar and czarina, with M. Loubet and others, mounted the earthworks inside and watched a whole army corps advance to the assault. The enemy approached in heavy lines under cover of the shells of their artillery, to which the fort responded.

BOERS ARE STILL ACTIVE.

Capture 200 British Soldiers and Three Guns at Scheepers Nek.

London, Sept. 20.—The Boers have captured 200 British troops and three guns at Scheepers Nek. A dispatch from Lord Kitchener, from Pretoria, dated Sept. 18, announced that the Boers, Sept. 17, ambushed three companies of mounted infantry, with three guns, commanded by Major Gough, in the vicinity of Scheepers Nek.

General French reports that Commandant Smuts, in order to break through a cordon, rushed on a squadron of the Seventeenth lancers at Elands river poort, killing three officers and 20 men and wounding one officer and 20 men.

Ridgley to Succeed Dawes.

Chicago, Sept. 20.—A special to the Tribune from Canton says: President Roosevelt, in conformity with his policy to carry out as far as possible the plans of President McKinley, announced the appointment of W. B. Ridgley of Springfield, Ill., as comptroller of the currency.

Must Answer for Assault.

Clay Center, Kan., Sept. 20.—Ex-Representative William Bradbury was arrested yesterday on a charge of assault and battery. It is charged that he horsewhipped Corporal S. P. Burnett in a pasture adjoining his farm south of Broughton and that while Mrs. Burnett was herding cattle in the same pasture Bradbury struck her over the head and body with a horse whip, severely wounding her head.

Wellington Denies Interview.

Washington, Sept. 20.—Dr. W. A. Croffut of this city has received a letter from Senator Wellington of Maryland, in which the senator says he gave no interview to the newspapers expressing indifference to the shooting of President McKinley, but refused again and again to say anything for publication.

Ferris Wheel Collapsed.

Flint, Mich., Sept. 20.—Seven people were hurt, one probably fatally, by the collapse of a Ferris wheel at the fair grounds here yesterday. The wheel was loaded with 16 people when it crashed to the ground.

CAPITAL TEN PERCENTERS.

Government Clerks Who Lend to Their Fellow Workers.

"I reckon I'll sell my salary this month," remarked the young census clerk.

"To whom?" asked his friend. "Why, to one of the ten percenters, of course," was the reply. Dialogues such as this are of frequent occurrence between government clerks in Washington toward the end of the month.

The ten percenter is said to exist under one name or another in all of the great federal department buildings in Washington. He is invariably a shrewd government clerk who has a bit of money of his own or has saved his salary until its accumulation represents a tidy little sum.

In a majority of the Washington offices the laws against usurers are so rigorously enforced that the ten percenter is unable to transact business in safety as an individual; he exists nevertheless under the protecting title of a beneficial society.

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He Didn't Complain.

Young Wife—This talk about men being so impatient when a woman is getting ready to go anywhere is all nonsense.

Friend—Doesn't your husband complain at all?

Young Wife—No, indeed! Why, last evening I couldn't find my gloves and had a long hunt for half a dozen other things, and yet when I was finally dressed and went down stairs to my husband there he was by the fire reading and smoking as calmly as if I wasn't half an hour late.

Friend—Well, I declare! Where were you going?

Young Wife—to prayer meeting.—New York Weekly.

The Kongo is one of the widest waterways on the globe, if not the finest. In some parts it is so wide that vessels may pass one another and yet be out of sight.

Short-Horn Sale.

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