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SEDGWICK FOR JUDGE. Nebraska will try out its new pri mary system on Tuesday for the first time. The polls will be open from 9 a. m. until 9 p. m.

The most important nomination to be made is that for supreme judge Judge Sedgwick should be renominated by republicans from any logical viewpoint. He has made an excellent judge for six years. He is a man young enough to continue in vigorous execution of his duties for another term. There is no reason for turning the paper was taken over by the pres- around New York-his winter coal him out of office now and it would be ent management. Until four years ago and clothes, his telephone and new to the lasting shame of Nebraska republicanism if he were to be ousted for the sake of a few office-seeking poli. campaign of expansion was begun and - "The farmer was never in so healthy ticians who have stirred up a campaign a noon edition installed by means of a position as he is today-financially, against him in the hope that they may, by making another man judge, land appointments. The office of supreme judge in Nebraska is too important and news and news of this territory, many crease in the value of his real estate too sacred to be juggled about in the air by a few aspiring political vaudeville artists. Judge Sedgwick is a fair more than satisfactory. The growth greater assets than ever. Again, the man and he has been a fair judge. He has brought credit upon the republican party and for its own sake the repub- tions a day, reaches practically every ing stock, farm implements, household lican party should put him back on the home in Norfolk, nine out of ten of the goods and other merchandise." bench for another term. Judge Reese, the only opposing candidate for the nomination, is past eighty years old and his age, before he had finished the term, would be a serious handicap. Judge Sedgwick is in the prime of health and all in all an excellent chief justice.

THIRD TERM EFFORT.

It will probably be good news to President Roosevelt that the Lewiston, Idaho, commercial club has withdrawn its resolution demanding that the president reconsider his determination not to make the race again for the presidency. For, in the words of Henry Watterson, it is no compliment to the president for these third term boomers to continue doubting the president's word and thus attempting to make it appear that he was insincere when he announced, on the night of election, that under no circumstances would he be a candidate for

or would he accept a renomination. The Lewiston Commerical club the other day made a bid for notoriety by adopting resolutions demanding that the president run again. Now the same club has revoked those resolutions. It appears that the first set of resolutions were drawn up by a mintoors are recovering.

OUR NEW READERS.

braska, most of them in Madison and good wages. Pierce counties-all of them in territory tributary to this city as a com-

will be attained. reaching only Norfolk. At that time a ment rests upon his brow.

farm homes on five rural routes out of out through Madison county and the

ern South Dakota.

news "beats" in vitally important ionally busy fall. items. Among the telegraphic reports given to News readers twenty-four hours ahead of other papers, have been: The fall of Port Arthur, the Slocum horror, the death of the pope, the San Francisco earthquake, the death of Edward Rosewater, the Thaw trial disagreement, the Bancroft lynching, and many other equally and less important reports. This is mentioned merely for the sake of showing our new readers what we are going to do for them.

The News has tried to do its share sentiment as a general thing too this primary law seemed to forget toward developing this new northwest. strongly upholds them in their mob that the public at large could control It expects to continue. Through The News the northwest has gotten acquainted with itself much better than would have been possible through pa- of his entire family by Rash, the fiend so. For under the caucus plan pers far away, not interested directly who was acquitted on an insanity voter has a perfect right to atter in this territory. Every community, it plea and who was dismissed from the preliminary caucuses and to the The News hopes that its new readers

reatment is producing good results cook on and new furniture for every and most of the people sleeping out of room. He is going to be able to satisfy his every want and the merchant

in turn will enjoy a busy season. In order to manufacture the things that The News today reaches 504 new the farmer will want, the laboring regular subscribers in northern Ne- man will have all he can do-and at

It is no wonder that the bank deposits in Norfolk today are the highmercial center. The News trusts that est they have ever been in the city's these new readers may become perma- history. It is no wonder that the nent friends as time goes on. After flutterings of Wall street are having visiting them each day for some time, no effect upon the prosperity of the simply disgusted to the utmost. The News hopes that its service may country at large. For today the westbe so satisfactory that they will not do ern farmer owns his own land, free without it. And from past experience from debt. He has been loaning with other now warm friends, this end money to the east all of these years

A word of introduction may not be more that he can loan if he desires. out of order. The Norfolk News has His harvest is a good one and what it been running as a daily paper for twen- lacks in quantity is more than made ty years. It was nineteen years ago up for in price, so that it matters little the first day of next December that to him how the wind may blow down The News was a purely local daily, machinery, are assured and content-

which The News might reach all of socially, politically, mentally and northern Nebraska and southern South spiritually," says the report in the Dakota with the world's telegraph American Agriculturalist. "The inhours ahead of any other papers. The has been prodigious. He owes less success of this experiment has been money than ever before. He has has been rapid and substantial ever farmer's wants are greater. He is in since. Today The News has three edi- the market for more and better breed-

This report of the farm's great Norfolk, and several thousand homes abundance this year only affirms that which was issued some weeks ago by rest of northern Nebraska and south- Lord & Thomas, advertising agents

of Chicago, who had made an exhaus-The News is always twenty-four tive investigation into crop conditions. hours ahead with daily market reports. And as a result of this prosperity for It is always ahead with news of this the farmer, all lines of business will territory. It scores many important unquestionably prepare for an except-

trial the chances are 100 to 1 against The facts are we have lost confi-

dence in juries. If you have the money be manifest in the primary ballot. On you can get any evidence for a criminal you want. If you do happen to the other hand, however, the city chap convict him a way of escape is made who has merely to step around the have no holes in them, for the reason corner to vote on his way home at or the supreme court.

There is not half the talk here over night, will take advantage of the bal- the day and thus run the risk of althe lynching that there is over the lot as a sort of novelty, and will ef- lowing outsiders to find out, in picking articles appearing in the Sioux City fectually silence the voice from out in up the accident victim, whether the Tribune, and there is good prospects of a libel suit. Those who happened cities have been given absolute con- not. to be around town Monday and read the Tribune Tuesday evening were trol of things political by the primary is borne out by the vote. Reports

It is conceded by all that The Bee gave the facts as near as could be given. There was no manufactured and this year he is going to have still ishing a single man for doing what our courts ought to have accomplished E. J. Burke. long ago. altogether, while the town's voting The state deplores a lynching, No strength is about 1,000. In Creighton doubt Bancroft people deplore it as only thirty-five votes were cast and in much as anybody else.

smaller towns five and six ballots But the state, if lynchings are to be only. avoided, must punish the criminals. That's all there is to it.

THE PRIMARY "A LEMON." created a "ring" rule by throwing the From all corners of northern Nebraska come reports of dissatisfaction nomination of state candidates into with the new statewide primary law, the cities. and demands for the law's repeal. The system has been tried and has been preposterous feature. It is ridiculous found wanting in many respects. The to presume that there can be no under-One of the prime objections to the barters that are complained of under statewide primary system as just tried the convention system.

And another unsatisfactory feature pense to the taxpayers. The cost to that has been brought out is demoneach county will be as much or more strated by the Bassett instance in election, and the taxpayers must pay ticket. By concerted voting in the the bill. The taxpayers are usually ranks of another party, a few voters willing to pay the cost on public improvements but if the straw shows could easily succeed in nominating a which way the wind blows, there is a weak candidate on the opposite side pretty well defined feeling that the for the purpose of insuring his defeat new system has not afforded the re- and the defeat of his party with him. A law that allows such trickery is or form that was assured.

the wrong track. The theory of the primary law was to take political nomination out of the

would be laid up in the hospital and

It is all well and good to seek out systems which will put the best men control of "ring" politicians. The ing, which took place Monday morning idea was that in a statewide primary in office and which will put down "ring" rule. But it might as well be it. nomination system, giving every voter fact that a good many more people an opportunity to cast his ballot for recognized that the primary is not and

approve the hanging because of past whom he might desire there would be will not be effective in eliminating laxity of the law in Nebraska, than dis- freer expression of the choice of the tricks to control politics, so long as approve it. Omaha papers and the public at large; that political trades politics has to deal with human na-

And these are but types of the re-

The idea that political trades are im-

possible under the primary, is another

ture. And in seeking to wrest party control from factions or "machines," it might as well be recognized first as last that the public at large had full

sway over the old caucus system, if it chose to exercise its rights, and withviolence for the reason that already the nominations just as simply and out the added burden of another elec-

farmer's busy season and it is not to when strangers ask him his name, rebe expected that the full farming plles that he is "Mrs. -'s husstrength will ever, at this time of year, | band."

A Norfolk woman always cautions that they might break their legs during the country. This complaint that the family were holey stockings or did

Pierce Call: The Norfolk Daily News made a nice scoop on other from Omaha and Lincoln show that dailies Monday afternoon in reporting "a heavy vote was cast." Reports the lynching of Higgins at Bancroft. "stuff" to sell; its editorials have been from all smaller towns and country Owing to the train being late the News less radical, but we still oppose pun-precincts, on the contrary, show that did not get to Pierce until 3:30 in the "an exceedingly light vote was cast." afternoon, but even then the story was In Norfolk about 175 votes were cast read by Pierce people exactly sixteen hours before any other daily gave an account of the affair, as the Omaha and Lincoln dailies of the same afternoon do not arrive until the next morning at 7:40.

Do you remember what the first day ports which have come from all sec- of school used to be like? How you tions, proving that the primary has returned to a necktie and shoes and stockings after summer's vacation? How you got on deck early to be able to select the seat farthest from the teacher? How you eyed curiously the new teacher and laughed at the way she mispronounced most of the names? And how you half envied the few who brought their lunches in big square standing among communities which tin pails, with little cups on top, and will bring about the same political who remained at noon to eat cold pie and drink cold coffee on the doorstep? It's a great day, the first day of school. but it doesn't last long. The weeks will fly by and the months, and the first thing you know it's Thanksgiving, then Christmas, then Easter and then than the cost of a regular November which a well known democrat went to vacation time again. It's just the same the polls and voted the republican year after year, excepting that each succeeding year seems to whirl around a little bit faster.

ATCHISON GLOBE SIGHTS.

Even fishermen will not believe each other's fish stories.

Sweet, trusting dispositions are rarely found in married women.

If one man knows a thing, it doesn't take the other men long to hear about

A woman is enthusiastic over being married; not over the man she is married to.

Instead of going to hell when he dies, a man should be born again, and be a woman.

"It is as quiet in our neighborhood," said Ed. Baily today, "as a run-down clock."

A WORD FROM BANCROFT. The aftermath of the Bancroft lynch-

of the past week, has developed the

Lincoln Journal demanded that the

lynchers be hunted down and punish- that better men would be nominated

lynchers will never be punished. Public But back of it all, the framers of

ed for first degree murder. But those than under the old system of caucus.

primay has not, in practical operation, made good the promises of the framers who claimed for it a mighty reform. out in Nebraska is the burden of ex-

may become permanent members of ority of the club. When the others its northwest family. heard of it, there was a row.

So the resolutions were rescinded. And to those who passed them in the first place these words fresh from the typewritter of Henry Watterson might have been referred:

of 1904, nor any of the many reassertions he has made since then. It is monopoly on the world's oil supply sentiment of many classes. an insult because it assumes him a or thread supply, so long as the field and betrayal, and his own advantage, cause it assumes the president not one's shoulders. only to be a scoundrel but a fool. According to a preliminary report

TUBERCULAR CATTLE.

will be published in the next issue of Iowa's experience with tuberculosis the American Agriculturist, the Amer- hand might cause you to direct your and milk only tends to strengthen the ican farmer has earned this year editorials where they may easily do little or no attention to the make argument made and oft repeated in \$1, 000,000,000 more than last. And more good. these columns that Nebraska ought to we all thought he was doing pretty adopt an inspection system for the well last year. protection of its citizens from tuber-

cular milk. The News has before now are due not to an increase in crop the Omaha jail until he reached Ban- but which adds very considerab expressed the opinion that the Nor-production, for the crops are estimated croft, and had any resistance been folk city council could do no more at ten per cent less this year than last, lives lost for the sake of a brute with beneficial thing than to provide for but to the increased prices for every a criminal career. local inspection until the state gets commodity which the farmer has for ready to protect its citizens as it sale. should.

It has been demonstrated in Iowa that the crop is less but the earnings has been held for trial and received dairy portion of the state and like of the demagogues, every class of cit- country in a lew days. This wise the tubercular portion. Iowa izen in the United States is getting a will probably enact legislation at the slice of the melon of prosperity. And early '70's. When a boy my mother old caucus system a county wa next legislative session to make rapid in spite of the cries of alarm lest with- often told me about staying alone,

Over a year ago that society started the masses, are holding their own- der the people are rising up? out a specialist who has been lecturing and then some. all over the state on ways of preventstate and is now lecturing a second likewise prosperous. The farmer is ing the disease. The society now and for the farm in the present season, nounces that it is satisfied most of there is every prospect for a cor-

general business prosperity. There is little knowledge of how many people die in Nebraska every more this year than he earned last, year because the state takes no steps the American farmer is going to be to stamp out the tubercular cattle and able this winter to buy a piano for the protect the citizens,

parlor, an automobile for his own com-The most hopeful discovery made by fort, new carpets for the floor, new ing the last six years had to pay the of this primary law placed the primary penalty with their lives? Is it not a clouder day sight in the midst of the the Iowa society is that the fresh air clothes for the family, new stoves to

people believing Mrs. Lillie guilty of pose of making nominations. A the murder of her husband point to helping to send deligates pledg her pardon as an example of how mob this candidate or that, the pub THE FARMERS' GREAT EARNINGS. violence finally broke out. Who could doubt that the United The Lincoln Journal severely cen- was able to control the final n States is to continue in its present sured the lynching and demanded that ation just as effectively, if not

unequalled prosperity, in view of the the lynchers be punished. Rev. Byron so, than under this statewide prise The very suggestion is an insult to fact that the American farmer this Beall of that city answered the editor- The experience of Tuesday in Mr. Roosevelt. It is an insult, be- year has earned a thousand million ial and defended the lynching, in view raska has demonstrated that cause it assumes that he did not mean dollars more than he did a year ago? of present conditions in Nebraska. The who refuse to turn out at a cauc And who, indeed, would covet a fact is referred to as indicating the select delegates to a convention likewise refuse to turn out and

Of interest, too, because it comes at a primary election. It is har false and treacherous friend, who pur- for farming remains open to bestow from a Bancroft man in the midst of a state to force indifferent citize independence, health, happiness and things, is this letter written to the legislation to take a part in th not a square deal. It is an insult be- the respect of one's neighbors upon Omaha Bee, in reply to a Bee editor- mary political affairs of the com ity, if those citizens are not dis

Now that the excitement of the re- in the first place to exercise thi on the present season's crops, which cent lynching here has passed away, a vilege. few words from one who was innocent And so, instead of forcing the

I am fully convinced now that Higgins would have been lynched no matter what precaution was taken. He The increased earnings of the farm was shadowed from the time he left fords no material fundamental cl dened taxpayers.

And so it is apparent, from the fact man in recent years arrested in this betterment. Under the new pr that most of the tuberculosis comes greater than a year ago, that after all a sentence. That man was sent up for nominate a state candidate de system a county's power in helpi from tubercular herds of dairy cows. this general prosperity is being evenly six years. He served two, was paroled altogether upon how many of The northern half of that state is the distributed. Contrary to the outcry by Governor Mickey and skipped the county's voters turn out on pr country in a few days. This is anelection day and put their

tests and to stamp out tubercular in a few years three or four men will and for days seeing nothing but In-cattle. and for days seeing nothing but Inown us all, body and soul, these fig- never was there a time in the early being based upon the number of In Iowa there is a society for the ures indicate that after all the Amer- days when the law was so badly ig- votes that the county could must study and prevention of tuberculosis, lcan farmer, and with him the rest of nored as the present. Is it any won- election time. The new plan,

I stood on the depot platform, saw readily seen in the result of Tues the train slow down that carried the primary, has placed certain por When the farmer is prosperous, the lad with a criminal career on his last of the commonwealth under the ing the disease. He has covered the balance of the nation is bound to be life's journey, but returned to my of torial rule of certain other por fice before there were any signs of a

mob, and am thankful for what I did and has, instead of wiping out " time in the same places. The society the foundation of our prosperity and not see. I regret from the bottom of rule, really created a great big v has made excellent progress in fight- with this immensely increased earning my heart that this blot upon our fair machine in the larger cities which community was necessary, but now absolutely crush the rural commu that the deed is done we can not agree that the "lynchers be punished." Far the tuberculosis comes from milk of responding increase in the nation's from it. If I had seen a masked man the nomination of state officers is

and could positively identify him, I cerned. For the farming portio With a thousand million dollars would accept a jail sentence for conthe state did not Tuesday and wi tempt of court rather than testify a year from now, go to the polls against that man.

Will the editor of The Bee inform cities flock to the ballot boxes us what per cent of those who were thus swing the result. Whether by charged with murder in Nebraska dur- mallelous intent or not, the framers

fact that if Higgins had been given a election day right in the midst of the | There is one man in Norfolk who,

-	violence for the reason that already	the nominations just as simply and	out the added burden of another elec-	clock."
	too many brutal murders in Nebraska	easily under the caucus system as un	tion's expense thrust upon it every	
	have gone unpunished. The murder	der the primary; and perhaps more		After a man marries, he makes the startling discovery that his wife also
Ŀ.	of his entire family by Rash, the fiend	so. For under the caucus plan every	No state in the union has yet found	"loves" a cat.
y	who was acquitted on an insanity	in the second print creer,		
t	plea and who was dismissed from the	presente contraction of the		
	Norfolk hospital because he was not	in the state of th		
s	Terrestances and the second seco	The second secon		
f	insane, is but an instance. Many	I share the put		Broach.
	people believing Mrs. Lillie guilty of	pose of making nominations. And by	, pretty dearly for their experiment.	"Don't go to any trouble," people
	the murder of her husband point to	helping to send deligates pledged to		say, when they accept an invitation to
	her pardon as an example of how mob	this candidate or that, the public at	AROUND TOWN.	dine; but they expect you to.
5.	violence finally broke out.	large under the old caucus system		
đ		was able to control the final nomin-	Judge Welch was nominated by a	When a man climbs into a barber's
t	sured the lynching and demanded that	ation just as effectively, if not more	safe margin.	chair, and looks at himself in the
е	the lynchers he punished Boy Duran	ation just as effectively, if not more		glass, he thinks he's pretty sweet.
a.	Beall of that city answered the editor-	so, than under this statewide primary,	Tuesday was a dull day with Nor-	
~ 	for and defended the editor-	the second second second	folk saloons.	Every mother of several children is
	ial and defended the lynching, in view	people		pretty well qualified to serve on a
f	of present conditions in Nebraska. The	who refuse to turn out at a caucus to	Nebraska has had its primary lesson	grievance committee.
8	fact is referred to as indicating the	select delegates to a convention, will		
y	sentiment of many classes.	likewise refuse to turn out and vote		One trouble with independence is
đ		at a primary election. It is hard for	The new primary is not popular with	that some men think they must make
v	from a Bancroft man in the midst of	a state to force indifferent citizens by	those who have dry throats.	fools of themselves to show it.
1	things, is this letter written to the	legislation to take a part in the pri-		
	Omaha Bee in renly to a Dec office	registation to take a part in the pri-	It's goodbye to the straw hat, but	Every husband is convinced, as he
	ial:	mary political affairs of the commun-	oysters are once again on deck.	is convinced of nothing else on earth,
+		ity, if those citizens are not disposed		that he has always done his share.
	Now that the excitement of the re-	Free free to checkere the pri	The rasping of the ice-saw will soon	The evenes
	cent lynching here has passed away, a few words from one who was innocent		give way to the scraping of the coal	The average man is more likely to
r	of any knowledge of the act before-	And so, instead of forcing the great	shovel.	stay up late enough to see the comet
×	hand might cause you to direct your	masses of voters who formerly naid		than he is to get up early enough to
r	editorials where they may easily do	little or no attention to the making of		see it.
1	more good.	party tickets, to take a hand under the		While excessive rains may detract
	I am fully convinced now that Hig-	primary system, Nebraska has appar-		from the rich flavor of the cantaloupe,
	gins would have been lynched no mat-		That man has missed part of the	they seem to have very little effect on
d	ter what precaution was taken. He	ently been handed a lemon which af-	joy of life who has not helped carry	the price.
	was shadowed from the time he left the Omaha jail until he reached Ban-		the washing a mile from home once a	che price.
1	croft, and had any resistance been	and which which fely considerably to	wook	The ambition to wear a corset pos-
1	offered it would have meant more	the burden of the arready neavily bur-		sesses a girl at about the same age
•	lives lost for the sake of a brute with	dened taxpayers.	A good many people wonder why	that a boy begins to refer to the down
	a criminal career.	And in many ways the new system	such an unpleasant feature as the	on his face as a "beard."
1	The trouble is the costs to this coun-	has marked to the inform of the	drouth of Tuesday should go with the	ou mis race as a beard.
1	ty. It has ever been thus. Just one	maggag of poople instead of to that	primary.	A lot of fuss is made over the in-
:]	man in recent years arrested in this	betterment. Under the new primary		ventors and navigators of airships,
	locality, no matter what the charge,		Labor day, the day we labor.	considering the builder of air castles
. 1	has been held for trial and received	system a county's power in helping to		gets so little attention.
	six years. He served two was sent up for	nominate a state candidate depends	This is just like September weather.	
	by Governor Mickey and skipped the	altogether upon how many of that		When the foot of a woman's stock-
1	country in a few days. This is an-	county's voters turn out on primary	The five-year-old boy will get his	ing wears out, what a lot of good stock-
1	other reason for the lynching.	election day and put their pencil	first taste of the primary on Tuesday.	ing is thrown away! (Chart That
1	I was born in Cuming county in the	marks upon the ballots. Under the		long part above the foot.)
1	early 70's. When a how my mother	ald annual markens	10	
J.	often told me about staying alone.	titled to a certain voting power in the	If you envy the bankers in getting	The man who is always right causes
	and for days seeing nothing but In-	selection of candidates, that power		a lot of unnecessary disturbance in
1	dians going past on the warpath, but never was there a time in the early	being based upon the number of party	ernment decides to take a rest, just	this world. Why not acknowledge
1			bear in mind the fact that they get	your faults and the rights of others?
t	nored as the present. Is it any won-	votes that the county could muster at	twelve firsts of the months in a year	A man with
1	der the people are rising up?	election time. The new plan, as is	that are hummers.	A man without a very active imag-
L	I stood on the depot platform, saw	readily seen in the result of Tuesday's	Do you love your teacher?	ination can bring tears to his eyes any
I	the train slow down that carried the	primary, has placed certain portions		time by thinking of the great sorrow
1	life's journey but career on his last	of the commonwealth under the dicta-		that will overcast the wide land on
1.	life's journey, but returned to my of- fice before there were any signs of a	torial rule of certain other portions	all parts of town.	the day of his funeral.
	mob, and am thankful for what I did	and has, instead of wiping out "ring"		State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas
Þ	not see. I regret from the bottom of	rule, really created a great big voting	Couldn't you tell the difference when	COUNTS, SS.
P	my heart that this blot upon our fair	machine in the larger cities which can	We not over Inte Contemption	Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he
P	community was necessary, but now	absolutely crush the rural communities		is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the
Ľ	that the deed is done we can not agree		The "teacher's pet" can stand a lot	city of Toledo, county and state afore- said, and that said firm will pay the
U	that the "lynchers be punished." Far	of the state so far as their voice in	of guying. There are compensations.	sum of one hundred dollars for each
		the nomination of state officers is con-		and every case of catarrh that cannot
		cerned. For the farming portions of	the news subscription list is today	be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. Frank J. Cheney.
1	empt of court rather than tostify	the state did not Tuesday and will not	a pretty good directory of north and	Sworn to before me and subscribed
	against that man.	a year from now, go to the polls; the	Mehmaha	in my presence, this 6th day of Decem- ber, A. D. 1886. A. W. Gleason
Ľ		cities flock to the ballot boxes and	No candidate ought to have difficul-	ber, A. D. 1886. A. W. Gleason, (Seal) Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internal-

ty in carrying this primary; they say the vote is light. There is one man in Norfolk who,

ought to have difficul- 1y, and acts directly on the blood and