

Call for Republican State Convention

The Republican electors of the State of Nebraska are hereby called to send Delegates to the several Counties to meet in State Convention at Columbus, O., on Wednesday, the 27th day of May, 1880, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing six delegates to the Republican National Convention to be held at Chicago, on the 30th day of June next, to nominate candidates for President and Vice President of the United States; and to transact such other business as may properly come before it.

Table listing delegates from various counties: Adams, Antelope, Boone, Buffalo, Burrill, Butler, Cass, Cedar, Cheyenne, Colfax, Cuming, DeWitt, Dixon, Dodge, Douglas, Fillmore, Franklin, Furnas, Gage, Gosport, Grant, Hamilton, Hancock, Harlan, Howard, Kearney, Keith, Kimball, Lancaster, Lincoln, Madison, Nemaha, Nuckolls, Otoe, Pawnee, Pierce, Platte, Polk, Rock, Saline, Saunders, Sherman, Stanton, Thayer, Valley, Washington, Wayne, Webster, York, Total.

It is recommended first, that no proxies be admitted to the Convention, except such as are held by persons residing in the Counties from which the proxies are given.

Second, That no Delegate shall represent an absent member of his delegation, unless he be clothed with authority from the County Convention, or is in possession of proxies from regularly elected delegates.

By order of the Republican State Central Committee.

JAMES W. DAWES, Chm., JAMES DONNELLY, Sec'y., Lincoln, Neb., April 8, 1880.

Nebraska State Fair for 1880. The State Fair will be held at Omaha September 20th to 25th, inclusive. The premium lists will be ready for delivery after April 1st.

FASHION won the Newmarket handicap. The liquor license at Plum Creek is \$500 a year.

YELLOW FEVER was reported last week at Vera Cruz. ONLY 250 prisoners in the State penitentiary at this time.

An Odd Fellows lodge was instituted last week at Niobrara. The U. P. runs regular passenger trains from Omaha to Lincoln.

FORTY vessels passed through the Straits of Mackinac the other day. From the northern counties of this state come reports of large immigration.

GOLD has been discovered in the Natchoochee valley, White county, Georgia. LANCASTER, O., had a big fire last week, destroying \$10,000 worth of property.

THE U. P. railroad company is laying out its land at Norfolk into town lots. NEARLY six thousand persons left Germany week before last for the United States.

PROF. AUGHEY was elected the other day president of the State Teacher's association. REPORTS from Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky show that the peach crop has been injured by frost.

AN enthusiastic colored woman of Alabama recently shouted herself to death at a revival meeting. THE house of representatives passed last week the Indian appropriation bill, calling for \$4,570,000.

JOHN CARBONAS, a well known citizen and attorney at law, died at his home in Blair, on the 13th. BELLE FOURCHE valley is still the scene for Indian depredations. Sixty horses were stolen last week.

DL. W. E. BLAND, who was shot in an election riot at Edgetfield, South Carolina, died on the 12th. THE fruit has been killed in the vicinity of Petersburg, Va., and vegetation generally seriously injured.

THE Giant powder works at West Berkeley, California, were reported blown up on the morning of the 16th. THE wind storm of last week was very severe south of the Platte, and did considerable damage in Lincoln.

FREMONT is bound to have a shady bower. Her citizens this spring are setting out a large number of shade trees. THERE was quite a snow storm at Montreal on the 11th. Travelers were dressed and muffled as in mid winter.

KATE STONEMAN was the first woman to vote under the new law for members of the school board at Albany, New York. THREE hundred dollars reward is offered for the capture of Green, Davenport and Griffin, who recently escaped from jail at Kearney.

COLUMBUS discovered America, but the republican State central committee has only just discovered Columbus.—Beatrice Express. A VERY severe earthquake shock occurred at San Francisco on the 14th. Buildings were rocked considerably and the Nevada block apparently swayed a foot out of perpendicular.

MARY FURST, of Chicago, died on the morning of the 15th, from the effect of a burn by lamp explosion.

The most authentic information recently received shows that the distress throughout Ireland is increasing.

AT Buffalo on the 17th, during a heavy gale, several vessels became involved in a jam and were badly used up.

DETROIT is agitated over an alleged elopement of a beautiful married woman with a winning and gay commercial traveler.

MISS MATTIE LYONS, an estimable young lady, was burned to death last week at Tuscola, Ill., by her clothes catching fire in the grate.

FOREST fires are raging in the Virginia wilderness. Several persons have been burned to death, and a great deal of property destroyed.

WM. CHAMBERS of New Jersey took a drink the other day from a bottle containing corrosive sublimate, and is now numbered among the dead.

THE Austrian government disapproves the expelling of the Italian author, by the local authorities of Trieste, and directs that the order be revoked.

THREE or four nights previous to the 13th there were heavy frosts in the vicinity of Augusta, Ga., which killed the fruit and vegetables in that section.

DANIEL SWYGART, a wealthy farmer of Indiana, starved himself to death last week under the hallucination that if he ate, his family would suffer.

A BOY at New Orleans, who was exercising in a gymnasium last week was accidentally strangled to death by getting his head in a swinging ring.

P. B. HUTCHINSON, of Huntington, Mass., was murdered in his house last week and the building set on fire to conceal the crime. The guilty party not found.

THE political disabilities of Roger A. Pryor, now practicing law in New York, formerly in the confederate service, have been removed by a law of Congress.

C. K. ALLEN, the express agent at Sidney, was released last week, having given the required bail, \$15,000, for his appearance at the October trial of the court.

A MAN at Warren, Va., was whipping his son, his wife interfered, when the infuriated husband threw her from a ladder, on which she was standing, and killed her.

JOHN ELK, a Winnebago Indian, is going to test the question in the courts of his right to vote in Nebraska under the amendments of the United States constitution.

PRESIDENT HAYES has affirmed the sentences of courts-martial dismissing two young lieutenants, one for getting drunk, and the other for cowardice in the field in Oregon.

O'LEARY has challenged any two men in England to make a six day go-as-you-please with Hart and Dobler for \$10,000 or \$20,000 a side, the contest to take place in New York.

A DISTRICT of dense pine forest and cedar swamp, fifty miles long and ten wide were burned over last week near Seagrif, N. Y. The smoke was so dense that the sun could not be seen for two days.

DAVID BITTERS of Lincoln, was called up at 1 o'clock last Friday morning by two men who were seeking his wife; resisting, he was shot dead. The supposed murderers have been arrested.

IT is stated that there were four hundred business failures in the United States during the first three months of the present year, against twenty-five hundred for a corresponding time last year.

NINE hundred and thirty-one emigrants were brought to New York the other day by the "Gallia" and "Ethiopia." Twelve hundred emigrants are at Castle Garden awaiting transportation to the west.

THE central committee of Polk county held a meeting on the 17th and fixed upon May 15th for holding their county convention. For president the committee stood six for Blaine and three for Grant.

A PACKAGE containing \$1,000 in cash, marked "income tax," was received the other day at the treasury department, and turned into the conscience fund. No suspicion attaches to any one in particular.

THE Chicago Times is authority for the statement that the gavel to be used at the Chicago convention will be made of a piece of wood taken from the house in Springfield, once occupied by Abraham Lincoln.

NICK HEIN, of Saunders county, recently lost by prairie fire 2,000 bushels of corn, six head of stock, a number of hogs and considerable farm machinery. In attempting to rescue stock, Mrs. Hein was badly burned.

IT is reported that a furious snow storm has been raging west of us, and that the Central Pacific railroad is blockaded between Emigrant gap and Cisco, and several trains have been derailed in endeavoring to force a passage.

SOME of the cotton mill strikers at Montreal resuming their riotous demonstrations last week were arrested and sent to jail. A large police force has been sworn in and any further order will be promptly met.

Shall the Weak give Strength?

There has been much discussion in certain quarters as to the injustice of the republicans of democratic states being allowed to make the republican nomination. The ground of objection is this: Iowa, for instance, will undoubtedly give her votes for the republican nominee, and thus help to elect him, while Kentucky and Missouri, being democratic states, will not help directly to elect the nominee, but their voices will be potent in the nominating convention. Where republicans are dominant the Blaine voices seem to have it; where republicans are weakest, the Grant voices are far more numerous. Why is this? Do these believe Grant a better republican, a stronger candidate (more certain of election), or do they think their liberties and their lives safer with Grant at the helm? There must be a reason, whether they are able to give it or not. The Lincoln Journal, in treating of this subject, makes some pertinent remarks. It strikes that paper "that the republicans of the solid south have a greater interest in the election of a republican President than the republicans of such states as Iowa, and Kansas, or Nebraska and Massachusetts. In those states, the failure to elect a republican President would have a trifling result compared to the result to the party in the South. They are perfectly able to take care of themselves and defend their rights of franchise and their equality before the law, no matter what democrat holds the executive chair at Washington. But what have the republicans of the South in store if the party is beaten next fall? If the success of the republican party is vital to anybody on this green earth, it is to the millions of republicans in the South, who would be completely cut off by a national defeat. What kind of a face must the republicans have, who expect these people to sit down and hold their tongues at this crisis in their affairs?"

Sunday's Storm.

The Omaha Republican of the 20th contains the details of the destructive hurricane. The town of Marshfield, Mo., is reported as blown down and a good portion of it burned. Hundreds of citizens lost their lives, and 200 wounded. Fifty deaths are reported on James river, south of Springfield, and a great number of persons missing.

A child was found at Marshfield lying in the crotch of a tree thirty feet above the ground, but slightly hurt. The force of the wind stripped the bark from trees and lifted others entirely out of the ground and telegraph poles and wires were carried hundreds of rods into the woods and tied and knotted among the limbs of trees like cotton strings.

It struck the town at 6 o'clock. Eye witnesses of the approaching storm say it was a frightful looking black cloud lined with fleecy white funnel shaped clouds moving in the manner of a screw propeller. It moved with wonderful velocity, literally destroying and blowing away everything in the path which was about a half mile wide at this point. Large sized trees were twisted off, telegraph wires snapped and the bark literally peeled from small trees. Houses were blown from their foundations, cattle, hogs, sheep, horses and poultry whirled into the air and carried a great distance. The noise of the storm, the crash of falling houses, and the cries and screams of the terrified people made a scene of horror that beggars description. What was a beautiful, peaceful, quiet town of 800 people twenty-four hours ago, is now a waste of desolation. Out of 200 dwelling houses, not more than a dozen are left standing, and but a few of those remaining are uninjured. Of the business houses around the public square all but three are utterly demolished and their contents blown away, burned or badly damaged.

Pawnee School.

We are informed that it is contemplated by the Department of the Interior to establish at the old Pawnee Reservation a school for the Pawnees. We hope this will be done, and there are several good reasons why it should be done. Among these are first. The Pawnees there own the old school buildings with some land attached, just as suitable as ever for occupancy by a school, and cultivation as a farm, and unless they can be used for this purpose, will probably never realize their just value to the tribe. The second reason is that it has been found by experiment that the young Indian in school makes much better progress with his studies, and much greater advancement in civilization, when under good management and separated from the immediate influence of his tribe. In conversation with those who used to have charge of the Pawnee school we were invariably told that those pupils who "boarded" with the tribe or spent their vacation among them did not advance as the others did. Only showing what, after all, everybody knows—that home influence dominates over every other. The young Indian who is allowed to spend a considerable portion of his time with his tribe, invariably lapses into their habits, customs, prejudices and vices. The Department, realizing this fact, are looking favorably upon schools separately conducted. Other reasons for establishing the Pawnee school at the old village might be sought for, in the location itself, in the midst of an intelligent community friendly to the old tribe, and at a place, delightful for health.

Mr. Valentine

Mr. VALENTINE did a good thing for his constituents by having his bill for the relief of settlers on public lands pass the house the other day. It provides that lands covered by relinquishment shall be immediately subject to entry, upon the filing of such relinquishment at the local land office. This bill, if it becomes a law, will do away with a great deal of routine business on the part of claimants holding an entry under the pre-emption, homestead or timber-culturer act, and enable claimants and purchasers of their improvements and interest in the land to settle at once and perfect their contract by an entry at the local land office at the moment the relinquishment is made.

A Man by the name of Smith

A MAN by the name of Smith, who represented himself as being very wealthy and expected in a short time to receive a few thousand from Leadville, etc., wood and won an Elkhorn City widow, and under pretense of buying her a lot of costly wedding fixings obtained from the widow \$500 in greenbacks; he promised to return next morning with a carriage and take her to get a suit worth \$150, a hat worth \$30, and a gold watch. Mr. Smith and the carriage did not return the next morning, and the widow by this time realizes the true situation, and doubtless would be pleased to have in hand her \$500 in greenbacks.

The corn crop

THE corn crop to the farmers of the west is one of great importance, not only for stock feeding, but, (as the past year has proved in some localities), for marketing. The corn crop of the farmers of Platte county in connection with stock is the key-stone of their success, and full well they know it, and need not to be told to plant corn in abundance and cultivate carefully and in proper season you will reap large profits, if properly disposed of to your stock. Don't be afraid of the corn crop.

The Sportsmen's Association

THE Sportsmen's Association of the State of Nebraska will hold its annual meeting in Nebraska City, May 11th-14th, 1880. Frank G. Hopkins, of St. Joseph, Mo., will have the management of a shooting tournament. Marksmen of this vicinity are cordially invited to attend the annual meeting, and should at once inform the president, J. S. Morton, and secretary, R. H. Miller, how many persons will attend from this city and vicinity.

Adam Smith

ADAM SMITH died at Chicago last Thursday week. His death, doubtless, will be a surprise to a large number of acquaintances in Nebraska. He was largely interested in real estate in Boone county, this State, in his own right and as agent for owners, and his enterprises in that county showed him to be a public-spirited man.

Mr. Jones

MR. JONES, a large cattle dealer from Colorado, was assaulted by four men at Sedalia, Mo., on the 14th and robbed him of over \$3,000. In his haste they overlooked \$2,500 in money and about \$15,000 worth of checks in his inside vest pocket. He was on his way to Kentucky to purchase stock.

A Fire in Omaha

A FIRE in Omaha on the 15th burned several buildings and other property on Douglas street, and but for the hard work of the fire companies it would have spread to other buildings and made a big blaze. The original cost of the property burned would not exceed \$7,000.

Three new cases of small-pox

THREE new cases of small-pox were reported in Chicago on the 16th. Among the first reported was a girl who was surreptitiously removed to Bowmanville by her friends to prevent her from being sent to the hospital; she has since died.

U. S. Weaver

U. S. WEAVER, who committed suicide by shooting himself at Montreal on the 15th, turns out to be the defaulting cashier of the Citizens National Bank of Urbana, Ohio, and while in that position used \$85,000 of the bank's money. He left Ohio two years ago, taking up his residence at Montreal.

Appropriate memorial services

APPROPRIATE memorial services were held at the Lincoln monument, in Springfield, on the 15th inst., being the 15th anniversary of president Lincoln's death. Some letters and speeches of the dead patriot were read, and Gov. Culom made a speech.

Godfrey Smalley

GODFREY SMALLY, residing near Marietta, O., was arrested last week charged with the murder of Jacob Boughman, a little child, 1863. There seems to be little doubt of his guilt, as since his confinement in jail he has made partial confession.

Capt. Wm. Graham

CAPT. WM. GRAHAM, a government employe at Sailor's Snug Harbor, Conn., dropped dead the other night just as he finished ringing his last bell. He had rung the bell every night for thirty-six years, his age being eighty.

Mortgagee's Sale

WHEREAS, on the 9th day of February, 1880, Jackson Boggs, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note for the sum of \$600 with interest at ten per cent. per annum, given by him to Petersen & Robinson, executed a chattel mortgage to the said Petersen & Robinson upon the following described property, to wit: Two round bottomed chairs, one sofa, eight bedsteads, four wool mattresses, four bunk mattresses, sixteen sheets, sixteen pairs pillows, sixteen pairs of pillow cases, thirty-two comforters, sixteen pairs blankets, two extension dining tables, one cooking stove, two round stoves, which mortgage was duly filed in the office of the County Clerk of Platte county, Nebraska, on the 10th day of February, 1880, and whereas, the said mortgage contains a power of sale thereof in said property and provides that if the mortgagee shall deem themselves unsafe or insecure they shall have the right to declare the said note due and take immediate possession of and sell the said property, and the said mortgagee deeming themselves unsafe and insecure have declared the said note due, and the time of the first publication of this notice, there is due upon said note the sum of \$608.

Now, therefore, the undersigned, will expose for sale and sell for cash at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the office of the "Columbian Independent," in the city of Columbus, Platte county, Nebraska, on the 22nd day of April, 1880, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the said day, the aforesaid mortgaged property for the payment of said note and costs of sale, and the time of the first publication of this notice, there is due upon said note the sum of \$608.

Dated Columbus, Nebraska, March 20th, 1880. PETERSEN & ROBINSON, Mortgagees, GEO. G. BOWMAN, AU'Y. 514-4

Legal Notice

IN THE District Court in and for Platte county, Nebraska, in the matter of the estate of John Williams, of Platte county, Nebraska, deceased.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of said court, by the petition of Ann Williams, Administratrix of the said estate of said John Williams deceased, that there is not sufficient personal estate in the hands of said Ann Williams to pay the debts outstanding against said deceased, and the expense of administration, and that it is necessary to sell the real estate of said deceased, to wit: The west half of the southwest one-fourth of Section No. thirty, in Township No. 19 north, Range 4 west, and the east half of the southeast one-fourth of Section No. twenty-five, in Township No. 19 north, Range 4 west, three west, in Platte county, Nebraska.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said real estate appear, before the undersigned, Judge of said court, at the court house in the city of York, in York county, Nebraska, on the 15th day of May, 1880, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to show cause, if any they have, why license should not be granted to the said Ann Williams, Administratrix aforesaid, and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the daily issue of some newspaper printed in said Platte county, for at least four successive weeks previous to the hearing of the said application, the last day of which shall be at least fourteen days before the day of said hearing.

MARCH 18th, 1880. S. S. McALLISTER, AU'Y. 515-5

Mortgage Sale

WHEREAS, on the 20th day of July, 1879, S. S. Reynolds executed to Charles McIntire his chattel mortgage, to secure the payment of the sum of ten dollars each, respectively August 1st, 1879, September 1st, 1879, October 1st, 1879, November 1st, 1879, December 1st, 1879, January 1st, 1880, February 1st, 1880, March 1st, 1880, April 1st, 1880, and May 1st, 1880, and whereas, the said day of August, 1879, said mortgage was duly filed in the office of the County Clerk of Platte county, Nebraska, and whereas, on the 4th day of August, 1879, said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Charles McIntire to Hatz & Ragatz, and whereas, default has been made in the payment of the last six of the aforesaid notes and there is now due on the same the sum of sixty dollars, with interest at ten per cent. from date.

Now therefore, we, the assignees of said mortgage, by virtue of the aforesaid assignment, do hereby sell the aforesaid property, and will offer the same for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House, in Columbus, Platte county, Nebraska, on Wednesday, the 21st day of April, 1880, at 10 o'clock p. m. Terms of sale, cash.

Dated at Columbus, Nebraska, March 20th, 1880. HATZ & RAGATZ, Assignees of Mortgage. By BENJ. SPIELMAN, Sheriff, Platte Co., Neb. 516-4

Notice of Attachment

JACKSON BOGGS will take notice that on the 15th day of March, 1880, Byron Millett, a Justice of the Peace of Columbus precinct, in Platte county, Nebraska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of \$400 in an action pending before him wherein J. E. North & Co. are plaintiffs and Jackson Boggs is defendant. That property consisting of 8 woolen mattresses, 6 bunk mattresses, 2 bedsteads, 24 wooden chairs, 6 patent bottom chairs, 1 rocking chair, 7 wash stands, 1 center table, 1 sofa, 1 chest case, 1 cook stove and furniture, 2 heating stoves, drums and pipes, 140 yards of carpet, 4 mirrors, 1 lot of queensware, 3 sett knives and forks, 2 extension dining tables, 15 sheets, 15 pillows, 17 bed comforters, 24 pillow cases, 7 woolen blankets, 2 bed spreads, 3 table spreads, 23 spoons and lot coat hooks, 3 wash tubs and pitchers, 2 lamps, 2 chandeliers, 2 table castors, 1 hat rack (not mortgaged), 2 wash tubs, 10 window shades, 2 smoothing irons, 1 lot tinware, 1 wooden bowl, chopping knife and coffee mill, 8 sett bed springs, 1 map, 2 tin wash dishes and buckets, 1 mop stick and broom, have been attached under said order. Said cause was continued to the 20th day of May, 1880, at nine o'clock, a. m.

E. NORTH & Co., Plaintiffs.

Homestead Notice

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., April 7th, 1880. COMPLAINT having been entered at this office by Frank F. English of Platte Co., Neb., against Ole Holler, for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 4023, dated May 2d, 1873, upon the northeast 1/4, Section 6, Township 29 north, Range 4 west, in Platte county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 20th day of May, 1880, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. Depositions before Henry G. Carey, on the 15th day of May, 1880, 10 a. m., at his office in Columbus, Neb.

M. B. HOXIE, Register. 518-4 Wm. ANYAN, Receiver.

Final Proof

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., April 21st, 1880. NOTICE is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof, before the Clerk of the Court of Platte county, Nebraska, at the county seat, on Friday, the 21st day of May, 1880, viz: Otto Kallweit, Homestead No. 6041, for the E. 1/2, S. E. 1/4, Section 20, Township 19 north, Range 4 east, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Nick Gentlemen, William Gentlemen, and Franz English, of Grand Prairie, Platte Co., Neb., and George Rollins, Columbus, Platte Co., Neb.

M. B. HOXIE, Register. 518-5

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M. B. HOXIE, Register. 518-5

Final Proof

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 24th, 1880. NOTICE is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof, before the Clerk of the Court of Platte county, Nebraska, at the county seat, on Thursday, the 6th day of May, 1880, viz: Nils Peterson, Homestead No. 4782, for the S. E. 1/4, Section 11, Township 19 north, Range 4 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Charles Stone, John Anderson, Peter Nilsson, and Peter Swenson, all of Looking-glass P. O., Platte Co., Neb.

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M. B. HOXIE, Register. 518-5

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