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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

- State. For Governor, JAMES W. DAWES, of Saline. For Lieutenant-Governor, A. W. AGEE, of Hamilton. For Secretary of State, E. P. ROGGEN, of Douglas. For Treasurer of State, LORAN CLARK, of Boone. For Attorney-General, ISAAC POWERS, of Dakota. For Auditor of Public Accounts, JOHN WALLICHS, of Hall. For Land Commissioner, A. G. KENDALL, of Howard. For State Superintendent, W. W. W. JONES, of Lancaster. For Regent (to fill vacancy), C. H. GERE, of Lancaster. Congressional. For Member of Congress District No. 3, M. K. TURNER, of Platte. Legislative. For Representatives—23d District, E. H. BARNES, of Platte, JOHN HAMMOND. Judicial. For District Attorney—4th District, THOMAS DARNALL, of Howard. County. For Commissioner District No. 2, NIELS OLSON. Platform.

We, the republicans of the Third congressional district, hereby affirm our loyalty to the cardinal principles of the republican party as enunciated through the national republican convention that nominated Garfield and Arthur;

Resolved, That the republican party has ever since its organization been foremost in adopting measures beneficial to the laboring and producing classes.

Resolved, That the question of transportation is one of the most important problems now before the people for solution, and that the republican party of Nebraska should voice the sentiments of the people therein no uncertain sound;

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It is reported at Key West, Fla., last week that a most brilliant comet has been visible to the naked eye ten days past.

Miss E. A. ORMEROD, who has given years to the study of insects injurious to agriculture, has been elected by the Royal Agricultural Society as consulting entomologist.

FRAUD and forged proxy certificates, it is alleged, were used in the republican convention of New York to accomplish certain unworthy ends.

JOHN STATTEN, residing near Meadow's Station, Ill., hung himself the other day because he had not disposed of his corn when prices were higher.

A PARTY of Creek Indians who are opposed to the results of the late election in their nation, are said to be killing and driving out the adherents of Governor Curtin.

It has been officially announced that Gen. Wolsley and Admiral Seymour will be raised to the peerage in acknowledgement of their recent distinguished services in Egypt.

Under a new law three women are to be appointed in each county of Ohio in conjunction with two men, as a board of visitors for the charity and correctional institutions. They are to serve without pay.

A LADY whose winter home is in Washington, and who is said to possess social distinction, employs her summers in her home in Central New York in preserving fruit. Her sales are said to reach \$20,000 a year.

It is thought the rebels in Egypt will not be executed but banished and their property confiscated. The European officers and residents in the service of the Khedive violently denounce Arabi Pasha. They say hanging is too good for him.

"Those people," said the pastor solemnly, after giving out his text, "who are either too poor or too stingy to afford fly screens at home, are perfectly welcome to sleep in this church every Sunday morning." And then he went on with his sermon.

The Cleveland family of six persons, residing at Nashville, were poisoned the other evening by an insane daughter putting strichnine in the coffee. Mr. Cleveland died and another daughter lies in a dangerous condition. The insane daughter cannot be found.

MISS MARY ORREN, a former student of Vassar College, is associate editor of the largest and most influential paper of St. Joseph, Mo. She writes over the signature of Julia Scott. She is the only lady editor in her state, and is of rare intellectual and literary ability.

MISS MARY BERGER of Portland, Oregon, on returning from a picnic, found the timbers of the Elk Creek bridge on fire. She disrobed, dipped her clothes into the creek, wrapped them about the burning timbers, and thus kept the fire in check until help arrived.

JAMES G. SANDS & Co., brokers of New York, who deal largely in mining stock, have left the city. It is reported that they have failed, with very large sums of money in individuals in their hands. The sheriff has seized what effects could be found.

The state election in Nebraska will be held on the 7th day of November, and foreign born citizens should remember that they cannot vote unless their first papers have been taken out at least thirty days before election. It will be necessary then to take out declaration papers by October 6th in order to gain the right to vote.

FRANCE is ahead of us in the public employment of women. The great French railway companies in many cases employ women as ticket and audit clerks; in several banks and public companies, they are largely employed in the clerical work; and the Corporation of the City of Paris offer three hundred situations for women as clerks.

Some lying correspondent of newspapers and others have asserted that M. K. Turner, now a candidate for congress, is a member of the Alliance, all at once, just now. Such men don't know what they are talking about. Only "operative farmers" are eligible to membership in the Alliance. A lie ought to have a handle of truth to carry well.

WILL the Nalgah Republican, or some republican voter of Antelope county, please tell us whether that county has suffered from railroad aggressiveness. The Pen and Plow says: "We are not yet suffering from railroad aggressiveness." It seems to us that there has been some "aggressiveness" in that region, and we would like to have Mac scratch his editorial memory a little, and give us the result.

W. A. McALLISTER, Esq., of Columbus, has been nominated by the anti-monopolists, for the legislature from the district composed of Platte and Colfax counties. Our first representatives heretofore have not been satisfactory to the people of the district, but the universal opinion concerning Mr. McAllister is that he is worthy all confidence. He will be elected, and, in our opinion, make a most excellent representative.

LAST week continuous rain fell for three days in the middle states producing from seven to fourteen inches of water in various localities, being the most remarkable rainfall in history, washing away bridges, houses, blocking railroads and flooding cellars and destroying several lives in various places. The places visited by the rain were Plainfield, N. J., New York City, Newburg, N. J., Bordentown, N. J., Port Jervis, N. J., Raleigh, N. C., Philadelphia, North Adams, Mass., and Jersey City, N. J., including many other places.

The secretary of the treasury, at Washington has issued a call for the redemption of bonds of the 5 per cent. funded loan of 1881, continued at 3 1/2 per cent. from August 12th, 1881. The call is for \$25,000,000, and the principal and interest will be paid at the treasury on the 23d of December next, and interest will cease on that date.

The Republican congressional committee have issued their first campaign document, consisting of the platform adopted by the regular convention which nominated Turner for congress, and the irregular convention which set up Valentine. Those who desire copies of the same can have them by calling upon or addressing M. Whitmoyer, Columbus, Neb.

A MISSISSIPPI river horror is reported from Vicksburg, Miss. On the morning of the 30th ult., the steamer Robert E. Lee, one of the most noted of the river boats, was burned to the water's edge, and twenty-one lives lost. She was loaded with 500 bales of cotton, which greatly aided in her hasty destruction. The steamer was valued at \$100,000 and insured for one-half the sum.

A FRIGHTFUL accident happened last week to the train which had on board Sill's circus, near Lancaster, Ky. Fifteen cars rolled down an embankment killing three persons and fatally injuring many others, and the coaches badly wrecked. The cage containing the tiger was burst open, and the fierce animal turned out, and after daylight the door was opened, and the tiger, which was crouched near by, crept into his prison, and was secured. (It is worth mentioning that the tiger was afraid to approach the dangerous animal.)

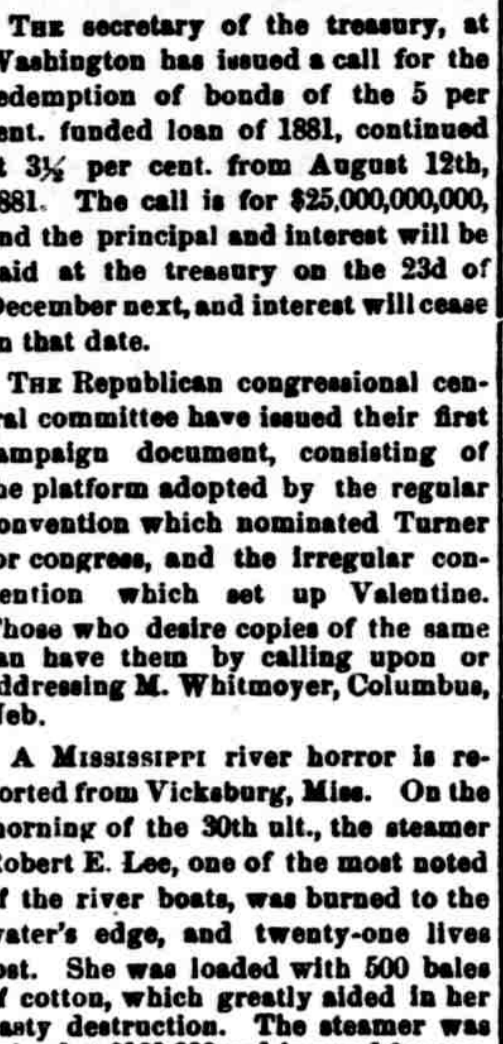
THE news from Alexandria last week says the Khedive has issued a manifesto declaring that England has great interests in Egypt, both in regard to finances and traffic through the Suez canal; that for the protection of these interests she was compelled to interfere, but that she has no intention of annexing the country. The Khedive announces that he has authorized Gen. Wolsley to represent him in restoring order and punishing rebels. All loyal Egyptians are allowed to read Wolsley every assistance, and any refusing will be treated as rebels.

THE editors of the Knox county News profess to be readers of the COLUMBIAN JOURNAL judging from their free comments about its making-up, etc. Did they not read "that our statement as to who put Valentine in nomination at convention No. 2 at Fremont was based upon information. The editor of this paper was not in that convention." If they did read it before making their comments the readers of the News and Journal are left to make up their judgments as to who acted the part of fairness in their comments, the News or the JOURNAL; and who is the liar, if a lie has been told.

EVERY voter in the state should read the speech of Capt. J. H. Stickie delivered at Hastings Sept. 27th, and published in the Omaha Bee of the 30th. That part of it which relates to the paramount issue of the day, the method pursued by railroad kings to oppress the producing classes and make themselves lords of all they survey, will be especially interesting. He says "we are the most monotonously ridden people and will patiently submit to more humbug and more encroachment on our right than any other people on the face of the green earth. That we have a railroad monopoly, express monopoly, oil refining monopoly, associated press monopoly, barb wire monopoly, with a protective tariff which enables a few individuals to enrich themselves at the expense of the masses." Those of our readers who are interested in the campaign which is just about to open in Nebraska, should not fail to study at least the portion of Capt. Stickie's speech to which we have referred.

A Mistake and a Fact. Gere, of the Lincoln Journal, the word-artist of platform fame, almost splits his head over a blunder made in printing the Fremont congressional platform. He talks as though there were but few men who know the difference between maximum and minimum. Mr. Gere's lengthy article based upon this mistake evidences that while he assumes to have a maximum of knowledge he has a minimum of fairness. While he is quibbling about words, it will not be out of place to call the attention of the people of this state, whom he is trying to mislead, to some facts touching upon the same subject, as showing the animus of the editor of the Lincoln Journal. It will be remembered that Mr. Gere is a member of the State senate, and that there was before that body, at its regular session, a bill fixing the maximum of passenger rates on railroads in Nebraska at three cents a mile. On page 489 of the Senate Journal our readers will see just where Senator Gere placed his vote. On a motion made that the consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed Mr. Gere voted aye, and the vote being a tie, Lieutenant Governor Carns' vote (which was, of course, the same as Gere's) decided against the further consideration of the bill. It is a bare possibility that if Mr. Gere had voted for the maximum of three cents a mile at that time, the people of the state would now be thanking him, in part, for a reduction of rates, instead of berating him for his carping criticism upon a printer's blunder. That record, however, will not down at his bidding, because the people have learned to apply the scripture test that as a tree is to be known by its fruits, so also shall the Nebraska editor be known. In the great battle that is now going forward, and which will, soon or later, decide that the people in this country are the rulers, and not the railroad and other corporations, let it be known that Charles E. Gere, editor of the Lincoln Journal, has, as a legislator, tallied one for his masters—the railroad corporations.

VALENTINE and his henchmen will be surprised on the 7th day of November, when they meet the horrid anti's at the polls.—Kearney Nonpareil.



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"NOT HIGHLY IMPORTANT," OF COURSE. It has been the universal custom of the corporation politicians to smother discussion of principles at our state conventions, and the late gatherings of the two great political parties were no exception to the general rule. When men are earnestly contending for a policy of government to be pursued, when they mean that certain principles which they hold as essential to the general welfare shall be put into practice, they lay down such general principles carefully, yet fairly, plainly and honestly, and then, with the same earnestness and directness, select men who, as officials, they believe will do their best to carry those principles into practice.

Of course, such a method would not do for those who are merely hunters of spoils; those whose gospel is the leaves and fishes. The platform of principles, with such, is always secondary, and the man who can best deceive with words, who can seem to strike the public ear and yet really promise nothing, even in the way of an earnest endeavor to do what the people demand as their right, is selected as the word artist for the dreary performance, and the result of his agony of words without special meaning is left for deliverance to the confusion of the last moments of the convention. Brother Gere of the Lincoln Journal, the special champion of capitol appropriations, and state printing contractors, and railroad corporations, and culpable if not corrupt lieutenant-governor, and railroad politicians and favorites generally, comes to the rescue of the late convention in its non-action concerning certain resolutions that were offered, saying that, "as a matter of fact they do not seem to be highly important." We only wish, now, to again call the attention of our readers to the resolutions which were offered and not adopted by the same convention which went out of its way to read a lesson to the people of the third congressional district as to their political duty. The resolutions were "that congress should enact necessary laws requiring railroad corporations to procure patents for all lands to which they are entitled, so the same may be subject to local and state taxation, and that the people of the state of Nebraska unqualifiedly approve the act of President Arthur vetoing the river and harbor bill."

Now, with all due deference to brother Gere, we must be allowed to say that these resolutions denounce injustice of the worst kind on one hand, and outrageous extravagance and corrupt use of public funds on the other. In our humble opinion, the people of Nebraska will never approve the action of Senator Saunders and Representative Valentine on the river and harbor bill, and that they will put the seal of their emphatic condemnation on the same, notwithstanding the fact that none of the corporation newspapers of the state seem anxious to have the subject referred to in any manner, even casually.

HON. M. K. TURNER, of the COLUMBIAN JOURNAL, received the nomination at the regular convention in Fremont for congressman from the 3d district, and Hon. E. K. Valentine was the choice of the voters of the district. The Valentine party that claim they have everything north of the Platte, were afraid to enter the convention called by the proper officers, but in order to get a unanimous nomination for Yale had one of the committeemen call a convention for their special benefit, and are now trying to make the people believe that Senator Turner is the bolters nominee. Mr. Turner's record as a member of the State Senate gives a better history of his character than could be conveyed in words. He is a man of the people—plain, practical and sensible. His character as a man, a citizen and a republican is beyond the possibility of a reproach. The majority of the Republican party of Howard county are farmers, and from them Mr. Turner's candidacy should meet especial consideration. Although the editor of an influential paper, he is also a practical farmer, and lives upon and conducts the affairs of an extensive farm. He is a man who thoroughly despises hypocrisy and would scorn to reap a benefit procured through unworthy means. We feel that he would be an honor to the State of Nebraska in Congress, and we can urge his nomination, feeling that we are advocating the cause of an honest, able and conscientious man.—St. Paul Free Press.

As Valentine is defeated he can thank his fool friends like Fred Nye for it. His using the columns of the Omaha Republican, to abuse and vilify Judge Crouse, simply because he exercised a freeman's right to be a candidate for office in opposition to the man who gave him a clerkship with the princely salary of \$6,000 a day, did more to cause the breach in the Third district than anything else. Before the convention met we warned him that his course would create such a bitter feeling that it would be impossible for the friends of Crouse to support Valentine. But his overbearing egotism would not permit him to listen to reason, and the consequences we foretold have come to pass. And now, instead of using reason and argument to convince the Turner men that it is their duty to support Valentine, the Republican continues to pour out its abuse upon Turner, Crouse, Van Wyck, Rosewater, et al, thus making the breach wider and wider. Valentine had better give Fred \$12,000 a day and send him away where he cannot do any harm.—Falls City Journal.

As a specimen of the unfair means taken to influence public opinion, the reports telegraphed from Fremont by the Union Pacific operator there, are worth noticing. The report sent out on the day of the convention and copied in many newspapers was that Valentine received 138 of the 146 votes in the convention. Such a statement is false in every particular. Only one ballot was taken and Valentine received but 91 votes of which 27 were from contested counties which sent contesting delegates. Mr. Valentine received only 64 votes in a district which had 146 delegates. A like proportion of votes at the polls would defeat him and elect Mr. Turner in November.—Nebraska Signal.

"The Valentine organs of this district make a shameful attack upon Turner. To read their columns a stranger would be led to believe that Turner was a man totally devoid of honor or ordinary intelligence. It is not our pleasure to interfere with any disgraceful republican imbrolio but we are inclined to think that many of the loud-mouthed asses, who are now making such a miserable discord, will respect Turner more when they see his strength at the coming election."—Columbus Democrat.

The Democratic state convention of Massachusetts, held in Boston last week, adopted the following resolution: "Equal rights, equal powers, equal burdens, equal privileges, and equal protection by law under the government for every citizen of the republic, without limitation of race or sex, or property qualification, whether it be by a tax on property or a poll-tax on persons." The debate over this resolution was vehement and excited, but it was carried by a strong vote.

True Republicanism. Every effort will be made to defeat Mr. Turner. Money poured out like water; lies concocted; Valentine represented as the Messiah of Nebraska republicans and Turner as their Judas Iscariot. But in the face of all this we believe the latter gentleman represents the sentiments of a majority of the voters of this district, and shall work, and fight, and pray for his success.—Custer Leader.

WEST POINT Republican: "As for Mr. Turner he has always borne a reputation for honesty and integrity amongst those who know him." This is a great deal more than the above paper can say of the West Point statesman who has proven himself both dishonest and corrupt.—Fremont Tribune.

The State Anti-Monopolists. A large convention with representation from all parts of the state, met at Hastings, Sept. 27th, and placed in nomination a very strong ticket, which is published elsewhere in to-day's JOURNAL.

Committees of conference were appointed, and the greenback and anti-monopoly forces were virtually joined together.—T. T. Wilkinson of Boone represented the sentiment of central Nebraska on that committee.

We have not space for the names of all the delegates, but give the following for this and adjoining counties: Butler—Miller, Fenderson, Licher, Reynolds, Pickett, Lendon, Verity and Tybach.

Boone—Armstrong, Sabine, Riley, Kilbourn, Buckner, Wilkinson. Colfax—Courtright, Strong, Bednar, Sprecher, Moural, Lamhofer, Brown. Madison—Muffley, Hardy, Green, Barnes, Askwith, Smehr. Merrick—Dressler, Brown, Welton, Gregory, Cogal, Cox, Osterhout,



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The report was received and adopted, and on motion the temporary organization was made permanent. On motion each county was requested to appoint one man to act as congressional committee man, which resulted as follows: Antelope, N. Burns, Neigh; Boone, J. W. Riley, Albion; Buffalo, E. H. Andrews, Kearney; Lincoln, L. Stebbins; Colfax, J. P. Sprecher, Schuyler; Cedar, P. B. Boyd, St. Helens; Dixon, J. H. Pierce, Ionia; Dodge, J. J. Hawthorne, Fremont; Hall, J. H. Andrews, Aids; Madison, C. T. Muffley, Battle Creek; Platte, G. L. Brown, Humphrey; Merrick, J. M. Dressler, Beiber; Howard, W. E. Ellis, St. Platte; Lincoln, C. F. Goodwell, North Platte; Nance, J. W. Harkins, Glenwood; Wheeler, John Caldwell, Arden; Knox, Frank Padell, Virginia Valley.

On motion Hon. M. K. Turner was put in nomination for the 3d congressional district, and was made the nominee by a very large majority.

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FACTS CONCERNING RAILROADS. [Compiled from Poor's Manual for '82.] No. of miles in operation in the United States in 1880..... 23 Do in 1881..... 2,818 Do in 1882..... 104,913 The earnings on 94,686 miles of road operated in 1881, are reported as, gross, \$75,325,119 Net..... \$75,654,119 The capital stock of the railroads of Nebraska is..... \$68,731,500 The net earnings on..... \$11,719,921 In the whole United States..... \$3,196,438,136 The net earnings..... \$270,654,136 Bonds issued to Central Pacific, etc., interest payable by United States..... \$25,985,120 Do to Union Pacific..... \$27,236,512 On the latter the United States have paid interest amounting to \$29,506,564 and the company has repaid \$8,357,197, leaving a balance due of \$14,149,366.

The whole number of miles of railroad in the world in 1880 was 219,085. The number of persons employed in operating the railroads in the United States in 1881 were 1,200,000 in all. The number employed in construction totaled 400,000, increasing the total number of employees to 1,600,000, or about one thirty-second of our population.



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The report was received and adopted, and on motion the temporary organization was made permanent. On motion each county was requested to appoint one man to act as congressional committee man, which resulted as follows: Antelope, N. Burns, Neigh; Boone, J. W. Riley, Albion; Buffalo, E. H. Andrews, Kearney; Lincoln, L. Stebbins; Colfax, J. P. Sprecher, Schuyler; Cedar, P. B. Boyd, St. Helens; Dixon, J. H. Pierce, Ionia; Dodge, J. J. Hawthorne, Fremont; Hall, J. H. Andrews, Aids; Madison, C. T. Muffley, Battle Creek; Platte, G. L. Brown, Humphrey; Merrick, J. M. Dressler, Beiber; Howard, W. E. Ellis, St. Platte; Lincoln, C. F. Goodwell, North Platte; Nance, J. W. Harkins, Glenwood; Wheeler, John Caldwell, Arden; Knox, Frank Padell, Virginia Valley.

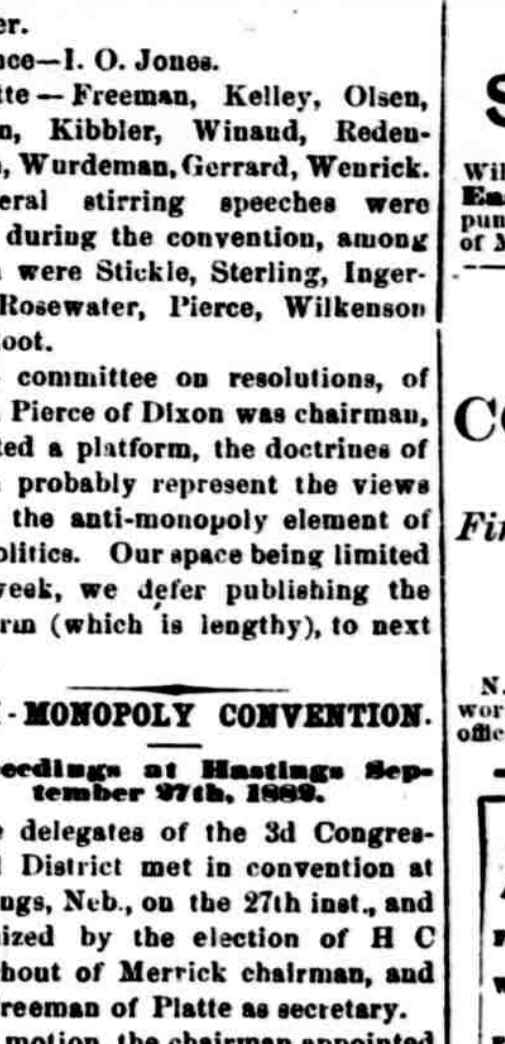
On motion Hon. M. K. Turner was put in nomination for the 3d congressional district, and was made the nominee by a very large majority.

ANTI-MONOPOLY TICKET. STATE. For Governor—E. F. Ingersoll. Lieutenant-Governor—D. P. Reynolds. Secretary of State—Thos. J. Kirtley. State Treasurer—P. D. Sturdevant. Auditor—John Batte. Land Commissioner—C. H. Madely. CONGRESSIONAL. For Congress, 3d Dist.—M. K. Turner. LEGISLATIVE. Representatives 23d Dist.—John Hammond, J. S. Freeman. 71st, 25th Dist.—W. A. McAllister. COUNTY. Commissioner—Niels Olson.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET. STATE. For Governor—J. Sterling Morton. Lieutenant-Governor—J. F. Warner. Secretary of State—Chas. J. Boywith. State Treasurer—Peter D. Sturdevant. Attorney-General—J. C. Crawford. Auditor—Charles Leach. Land Commissioner—Henry Grebe. Sup't Public Instruction—Charles A. Speake. Regent of the University—J. M. Burks. CONGRESSIONAL. For Congress, 3d Dist.—W. H. Munger. LEGISLATIVE. Representatives, 23d District—Charles Schroeder, Frank North. COUNTY. Commissioner—Robert Moran.

FACTS CONCERNING RAILROADS. [Compiled from Poor's Manual for '82.] No. of miles in operation in the United States in 1880..... 23 Do in 1881..... 2,818 Do in 1882..... 104,913 The earnings on 94,686 miles of road operated in 1881, are reported as, gross, \$75,325,119 Net..... \$75,654,119 The capital stock of the railroads of Nebraska is..... \$68,731,500 The net earnings on..... \$11,719,921 In the whole United States..... \$3,196,438,136 The net earnings..... \$270,654,136 Bonds issued to Central Pacific, etc., interest payable by United States..... \$25,985,120 Do to Union Pacific..... \$27,236,512 On the latter the United States have paid interest amounting to \$29,506,564 and the company has repaid \$8,357,197, leaving a balance due of \$14,149,366.

The whole number of miles of railroad in the world in 1880 was 219,085. The number of persons employed in operating the railroads in the United States in 1881 were 1,200,000 in all. The number employed in construction totaled 400,000, increasing the total number of employees to 1,600,000, or about one thirty-second of our population.



M. K. TURNER. Republican and Anti-Monopoly Nominee for Congress, Third District.

Wilder. Nance—I. O. Jones. Platte—Freeman, Kelley, Olsen, Brown, Kibbler, Winsand, Redenbaugh, Wurdeman, Gerrard, Wenrick. Several stirring speeches were made during the convention, among which were Stickle, Sterling, Ingersoll, Rosewater, Pierce, Wilkenson and Root.

The committee on resolutions, of which Pierce of Dixon was chairman, reported a platform, the doctrines of which probably