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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

State.

For Supreme Judge,
M. B. REESE, of Lancaster County.

For Regents of the State University,
E. G. M'GILTON, of Douglas County,
DR. WILLIAM B. ELY, of Brown County.

Judicial.

For Judges of Sixth Judicial District,
A. R. OLSON, of Dodge.
W. T. THOMPSON, of Merrick.

County.

For County Treasurer,
JOHN EKMAN, of Walker Twp.

For County Clerk,
CAPT. CHARLES W. JENS, of Columbus.

For County Judge,
RALPH PUGSLEY, of Monroe.

For Supt. Public Instruction,
W. T. CRAIG, of Monroe.

For Clerk of the District Court,
GUS. G. BECHER, of Columbus.

For Surveyor,
W. J. McEATHRON, of Columbus.

For Sheriff,
O. E. STEINBAUGH, of Humphrey.

For Coroner,
DR. DEBERE, of Platte Center.

IT looks now as though there might be war between England and the Boers.

IT is estimated that there were a million and a half strangers in New York city Dewey Day.

THE republican party of Nebraska is fully up to its highest standard of effective party work in this year of grace, 1899.

THE Dingley tariff law has evidently been a good thing for the country at large, just as republican legislation has always been.

JESSE H. LACEY, an old citizen of Omaha, died Friday last. Funeral services at the house at 10:30 Monday, Dean Fair officiating.

MRS. BAKER, the custodian of Anne Hatheway's cottage, Stratford-on-Avon, England, has died. She has passed 87 summers at the cottage.

TUESDAY of last week a number of "bootleggers" were sentenced in the Federal court at Council Bluffs, for violating Uncle Sam's revenue laws.

ORSEMUS TRUE of Otoe county, has been named as chairman of the republican state committee, to succeed E. J. Hainer, who has found himself unable to serve.

FRED HOFFMAN was robbed and pushed off the Union Pacific bridge over the Missouri at Omaha Tuesday of last week, falling 70 feet into the water, but, strange to say, was not killed.

FORMER United States Senator James Harlan, the only survivor of Abraham Lincoln's cabinet is lying at the point of death at his home in Mount Pleasant, Iowa. He is suffering from asthma and kidney troubles.

IT is now thought that the exports of the calendar year 1899 are likely to be the largest in our history, notwithstanding the doleful predictions of our political opponents ever since the Dingley law went into force.

LAST Wednesday morning, fire destroyed the old Occidental hotel at Lincoln, a two-story and a half frame, built when the capital was removed to Lincoln. During the past few months it had been on fire five or six times.

MONDAY night of last week the log cabin studio of Mrs. E. W. Peattie, near South Haven, Mich., was burned to the ground, destroying more than fifty of her unpublished manuscripts, including two unfinished novels and twenty lectures.

THREE spans of horses were stolen last month near Stark and another team later near Centerville, in York county. Two of the teams have been found at O'Neill, where they had been sold, one for $190, the other for $200. The thieves got away.

DEMOCRATS, why not make M. B. Reese's election unanimous? There is no question of his integrity—none of his clear ability for the position. Holcomb is not satisfactory to you, and Reese is the choice already of many of your fellow democrats who know the two men personally and well.

GEORGE GANNON's attorney at Omaha tried to clear his client of burglary because he did not break open the door, it being unlocked and standing ajar. Judge Baker ruled that if the prisoner merely raised the door latch or turned the knob to enter for the purpose of robbery he was guilty of burglary.

THE Blair Pilot questions the honesty of W. J. Bryan allowing a correspondent who he carries with him to make such gross misrepresentations as he does in regard to the number of people in attendance at his speeches, &c. 4500 down to 1100 is the ratio fixed by the Pilot for the meeting at that place recently.

ONE of Mr. Holcomb's campaign arguments out in Nebraska is that he has saved the state much money. This probably means that he might have used more of the state's money for other purposes and charged it up for house rent than was actually the case. The point is worthy of consideration.—Sioux City Journal.

The republican party stands for honest money and the chance to earn it by honest toil.—William McKinley.

THE nomination of Hon. M. B. Reese, Dean of the State University Law School, for supreme judge by the republican convention is the very best that could have been made, and is a death blow to Silas A. Holcomb's chances for election to that high and honorable position. Judge Reese is well known by all parties to be an able, honorable and incorruptible jurist and a christian gentleman. His nomination by acclamation, while not an avowed candidate, adds great strength to the ticket. He did not seek the nomination, but the office sought him, and it was not known whether he would accept the nomination until he was consulted by telephone. By giving up his place as dean of the law school for a seat on the supreme bench he would give up a salary of $3,000 a year for one of $2,500. Judge Reese's nomination leaves no sore spots, and his election is not a question of doubt.—Seward Blade.

THE nomination of Judge Reese for the supreme bench was a wise selection and one that is bound to lead the party to victory this fall. This nomination is one that appeals most strongly to every citizen of the state, whether he belongs to the republican party or not. Judge Reese is a lawyer who is the peer of any man in Nebraska. He has held with great credit many minor positions leading up to the bench, upon which he sat with eminent distinction for six years. Since retiring from that place ten years ago he has been in the active practice of law and at the head of the law department of the state university. He is therefore up to date in the profession which he graces.—Madison Chronicle.

DURING the coming winter the Hon. Thomas B. Reed, ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives, will be a frequent contributor to The Saturday Evening Post of Philadelphia. Mr. Reed's papers will, in the main, deal with national affairs, and will form a most important and interesting contribution to the history of American politics. Mr. Reed's first article, unlike those to follow, crosses the Atlantic for its subject and tells how the procedure of French law courts, and especially those involved in the Dreyfus case, impresses an American lawyer. This paper, entitled Paris and French Justice, will appear in The Saturday Evening Post of October 7.

IF anything, Judge Holcomb six years ago promised better for the bench than ex-Governor Holcomb today. Six years ago he was serving as a district judge and had not yet made his damaging record of rank partisanship, flagrant favoritism and gross neglect of duty in the executive office. His career as governor instead of commending him as qualified to act the impartial judge affords proof positive that on the bench, as in the executive chair, he would be the pliant tool of the unacrupulous popocratic machine upon which the corporations have constantly pulled the strings.—Omaha Bee.

THE following from the Schuyler Sun, is a sample paragraph concerning the repubican candidate for supreme judge. They are all saying about the same thing in substance: "No better selection for supreme judge of the state could have been made by the republicans than when they named Hon. M. B. Reese. He is a life-long republican of anti-monopolist tendencies, is a judge of recognized ability and is a man of the highest honor and integrity. His candidacy will appeal to the conservative thinking vote of the state, regardless of party, and he will be elected by a rousing majority."

ON the edge of the Arkansas field, the rush for mineral lands in the South Missouri counties is especially noticeable. A little more than a year ago Ozark county had 109,000 acres of land subject to homestead or cash purchase at $1.25 an acre. This has been reduced to 78,540. In other counties the same activity has been shown. Homesteaders are hastening to prove up and get their patents. All kinds of land are in demand, and the squatter is hustling to make sure of his farm, and to be in a position to sell to the mineral prospector. So says the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

RALPH J. PUGSLEY was born in Peru, Illinois, came to Nebraska in 1885, graduated at High school at Genoa, finished his academical work at Gates college. Assisted his father on farm for two years, and took a business course at Fremont. Studied law in office for a time and then went to Lincoln law college, and while there the call for volunteers was made. He enlisted in Co. K, First Nebraska National Guards, was mustered into the U. S. service, took part in the capture of Manila and other engagements in the insurrection of the Filippinos.

THE islands which have recently come under control of the United States were annually importing more than a hundred million dollars' worth of goods, and of this large sum we were furnishing less than 18 per cent. We will secure hereafter the greater part of this trade, and by making good government and peace sure to them, their business ability will be strengthened and traffic largely increased.

WE are indebted to ex-Congressman Maxwell for a copy of the Memorial addresses on the life and character of Nelson Dingley, delivered in the house of representatives and senate, Feb. 11-March 1, 1899. He was one of our great country's honored citizens, leading a life of usefulness all his days, a model for the young men of this country to pattern after.

AN excellent recapitulation of the Dreyfus case is contributed to the Review of Reviews by Mr. W. T. Stead, in the form of a "chronicle." The Review also publishes a series of sketches made by Mr. Homer Davenport, the cartoonist, in the court room at Rennes, with Mr. Davenport's own resume of his impressions at the trial.

Additional Local.

Anna Kupf went to Omaha Monday.

Jess Newman was in Lincoln Friday.

G. A. Schroeder was in Omaha Monday.

Burt Moore of Omaha, was in the city Sunday.

Prof. Hicks of Monroe was in town Saturday.

Miss Minnie Tannahill visited in Albion last week.

A. L. Armstrong visited Omaha and Lincoln last week.

Will Jay of the Lincoln Journal spent Sunday in the city.

Mrs. Burker of Cedar Rapids, spent Sunday in the city.

Editor McGaffin and wife of Bellwood, were in town Monday.

Mrs. O. L. Baker was in Omaha, returning home Monday.

Dr. Nauman was in Omaha last week, returning home Monday.

Charles Dack of Platte Center was a Sunday visitor in the city.

Miss Myrtle Crouch of St. Edward is visiting Mrs. I. H. Britell.

Lawrence McTaggert went to Omaha Friday morning on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Gerrard of Monroe, were in the city Monday.

Mrs. Will Hagel and Miss Eva Loshbaugh were in Omaha last week.

Mrs. A. Mark and daughter of Platte Center, were in the city Monday.

Mrs. G. B. Speice and Miss Katherine Speice were Omaha visitors last week.

Harry Beerbower of Omaha came up Monday to visit a few days with friends.

W. M. Cornelius spent last week in Kansas, going to Olathe on legal business.

Miss Hattie Baker returned Thursday from a two weeks' visit to Omaha and Seward.

Louis Schreiber, jr., went east Monday to resume his medical studies at Chicago.

C. J. Garlow returned Friday from a trip to Toronto, Buffalo and other eastern cities.

J. W. Witchey and wife left Monday for Illinois, where they will visit friends several weeks.

Editor Burruss of the Argus, went to Omaha Saturday and Mrs. Burruss went to Silver Creek.

Mrs. Henry Ragatz and Mrs. Paul Hagel and Miss Olga Hagel visited Omaha last week.

Ben. Brodfuehrer went down to Lincoln last week, where he has a position in a jewelry store.

Mrs. E. G. Brown and children of Humphrey, passed through Sunday on their way to Ames, Iowa.

Miss Minnie Meagher spent Sunday at home. She has a stand on the Exposition grounds at Omaha.

Lieut. Charles Frank of Ft. Crook, and his brother Dr. Frank of Monroe, visited Dr. Baker Monday.

Mrs. E. H. Jenkins went to Madison Friday, on a visit to her husband, who is working at his trade in Madison.

Morgan Flaherty of Nance county, passed through the city Friday, on his way home from a visit to the Exposition at Omaha.

Mrs. D. I. Clark of Creston, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Eugene Nichols, went with her to visit at Ed. Wescott's, Silver Creek.

W. T. McKean and daughters, Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Putnam went down to Omaha Wednesday. Mrs. Putnam went on to her home in Iowa.

Mrs. Conway and daughter Kate, returned Thursday from Omaha, where they had been several days visiting friends and the Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. George Streeter came up from Lincoln Thursday. Mrs. Streeter has been taking treatment at the Union College hospital the past six weeks.

Mrs. F. A. Matson and two children visited Mrs. Steinbaugh last week. Mr. Matson went through from Central City to Omaha to secure a residence and make arrangements for moving to Omaha, where they will make their home.

—O. E. Steinbaugh of Humphrey, is the republican candidate for sheriff. The republicans believe in honoring the worthy young men of the party, by placing them among the standard bearers, and thus making them responsible somewhat for the actions of the party. The republican party recognizes no office-holding class, recognizes no calling of citizens from whose number candidates for office must come. He is a good citizen and a republican is sufficient. He may be a mechanic, a farmer, a business man or a professional man, all the same, any man is just as good as another, if he behaves himself. Mr. Steinbaugh is a good mechanic, an excellent blacksmith, and a man who behaves himself as he ought. Give him your vote for sheriff, and you will not regret it. He is a plain, fair, honest young man, and will appreciate your help.

—Here is a splendid new plan of shocking corn. It comes with a new method of cutting it up: Cutting corn by hand is a hard job The machine will cut and bind and the bundles are easily handled and shocked. Instead of setting them up as a shock of wheat, from nine to twelve of them are laid across each other in the form of an X with the butts and heads alternating, and the rest of the shock is made by setting bundles in the corners caused by the angles made. It takes about ten bundles to the X and about twenty to fill out the corners. The corn is said to cure out well, as crossing the bundles makes air spaces.

—J. H. Johannes has purchased the Nebraska Bienne of Major Kilian.

Public Sale!

Having decided to rent my farm and quit farming, I will offer for sale, at public auction, on my farm, seven miles northeast of Columbus,

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1899,

beginning at 10 o'clock, sharp, all my cattle, horses, hogs, farm machinery, etc., including 10 milch cows, some coming fresh soon; 4 two-year-old heifers; 4 yearling heifers; 3 three-year-old steers; 5 two-year-old steers; 3 yearling steers; 8 spring calves; 1 thoroughbred Poland-China boar; 7 brood sows, some with litters of pigs ten days old; 50 shoats; 1 span driving horses 4 years old; 1 good work mare, 1200 pounds, 6 years old; 150 full-blooded Plymouth Rock chickens; 1 patent, zinc-lined 12-can milk tank, with cans, nearly new; corn planter, with 160 rods wire; cultivators; plows; hay rakes; fanning-mill; wagons, buggies, etc.

Terms:—$10 and under, cash. Above that sum, eight per cent interest on bankable paper, one year's time.

Free lunch on the ground.

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North Nebraska Conference.

The eighteenth annual conference of the Methodist church in North Nebraska convened at Hanscom Park church, Omaha, Wednesday last, Bishop Henry W. Warren, presiding.

Rev. D. K. Tindall, presiding elder of the Grand Island district, read his report. He said that the burning of church mortgages had become a fad in his district, and woe be to the man who placed another one on any Methodist property in that part of the state. He gave an enthusiastic account of successful work throughout the Grand Island jurisdiction.

Woman's Club.

The Woman's club will hold its first general meeting at the home of Mrs. J. P. Becker on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 7, at 3 o'clock. Program:

Roll call—Vacation Experiences.
Music,
Outline of work for coming year:
Literary department—Mrs. Geitzen.
Musical " Mrs. Voss.
Art " Miss Turner.
Domestic Science—Mrs. Baker.
Music.

Real Estate Transfers.

Becher, Jaggi & Co., real estate agents, report the following real estate transfers filed in the office of the county clerk for the week ending September 30, 1899.

The Nye & Schneider Co. to Pioneer Town Site Co., lot 1, blk 7, Lindsay, qcd	$ 1 00
Pioneer Town Site Co. to William Winkler, pt out lot B, Lindsay, wd	100 00
Samuel Connelly to Frank Connelly, s2 se4, nw4, ne4 se4 sw4 29-20-3w, qcd	1 00
James E North to Willis H VanAlstine, lot 3, blk 61, Columbus, wd	500 00
Charles S Stebbins to Mary Malec, s2 sw4 19-19-1w, wd	1120 00
Mary Malec to William Torcon, same, wd	2320 00
Six transfers, total	$ 3,042 00

Hard Coal.

The indications are that hard coal will advance in price September 1, '99. Before it goes any higher, order your winter's hard coal of W. A. Way & Co. The price now is $9.50 delivered. Telephone No. 34. tf

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby warned that shooting and hunting is prohibited on the land which I have leased near the Loup river wagon bridge, as I have cattle pastured there.

1t O. L. BAKER.

Some Special Rates via Union Pacific.

On October 2d to 9th inclusive the Union Pacific will sell one way tickets to Chicago at rate of $10.20; also low rates during these dates to all eastern points.

Omaha and return October 11th and 12th, $2.50. For further information, call at Union Pacific passenger depot.

2t W. H. BENHAM, Agent.

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For additional particulars, time tables, maps, etc., please call on or address F. A. Nash, General Agent, Omaha, Neb.

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Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 27-29, one and one-third fare round trip.

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 30 Nov. 3d, one and one-third fare for round trip.

North Bend, Bryan meeting Sept. 21, one and one-third fare round trip.

Omaha, Ar-Sar-Ben Festival, Sept. 26, 27, 28. $2.50 for round trip, good five days. W. H. BENHAM, Agent.

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IN RUSTIC WAYS.

The blackbirds whistle all day long
A rhythmic gladness in their song,
And night and morning down the lane
Drifts by the cowbells' rude refrain.

The flicker dips on golden wings,
And far across the meadow swings
The swallow skims in lines of grace
Like to the curves that painters trace.

Above, below and everywhere
A sense of living thrills the air.
Spring's message through the silent sent,
With earth and wood and sky is blent.

The hedgerow blossoms stain the sod,
The south winds make the grasses nod,
And woolly lambs in awkward play
Down the green hillside ambling stray.

Along the blue horizon rim
The lights and shadows sink or swim,
And pencled faintly on the skies
A ghostly half moon's crescent lies.

The blackbirds chant the whole day long
A rhythmic madness in their song,
And dusk and dawn along the lane
Echoes the cowbells' rude refrain.

—Ernest McGaffey in Woman's Home Companion.

ONE GLASS OF WINE.

A Belief That It Changed the History of This Country.

It is said that a single glass of wine probably wrecked the Democratic party in 1860. The story is worth telling. After the breaking up of the national Democratic convention at Charleston the party in Georgia held a state convention. Great excitement prevailed. The leaders of the party could not agree. It was a critical period.

The majority report indorsed the seceders or bolters at Charleston, while the minority report opposed their action. The leading champion of the minority was Herschel V. Johnson, and his followers were confident that his eloquence and logic would carry the day.

It is quite likely that such would have been the case but for an unfortunate mishap. Ex-Governor Johnson began his speech before the noon adjournment on the second day and concluded after dinner.

Old men who remember that speech say that it was a powerful argument, and the impression gained ground that after the noon recess the speaker would demolish his opponents with a few sledge hammer blows.

But the overconfident friends of the minority report were doomed to disappointment. Johnson felt the strain of the morning session so much that he was unable to eat anything, and he took a glass of wine upon an empty stomach to strengthen himself. This was a fatal mistake. That one glass of wine perhaps changed the destiny of the nation!

The great orator resumed his speech, but the wine had nauseated him. He was hazy, verbose and unintelligible at times. His style and argument lacked vigor, consistency and positiveness. His friends looked at one another in despair. The men on the other side were exultant. It was evident that the speaker had damaged his own cause.

Then Howell Cobb and Henry R. Jackson followed each other for the majority report. They spoke with an air of expectant triumph and captured the convention.

The majority report was adopted. It is unnecessary to follow the history of the next few weeks. The national Democracy was completely disrupted and put two tickets in the field. Lincoln was elected and the country was plunged into a civil war. Had Johnson succeeded in inducing the Georgia convention to adopt his conservative ideas, it is safe to say that other southern states would have fallen into line with our commonwealth, and the national Democratic party would have remained united.

This is the story of what a little glass of wine did. It ruined a great party, caused a disastrous war, and besides the loss of life cost the south over $4,000,000,000. Perhaps this is rather speculative, but there are many who believed it a generation ago.—Atlanta Constitution.

Didn't Irritate Him.

Here is a glimpse of the seamy side of life in Cornwall from The Cornish Magazine:

"I'm afraid, Jenny, you irritate your husband with your long tongue."

"Aw, no, my dear Miss Vivian, I'd never say nawthen to en. To'ther day I was 'ome waitin for'n to come 'ome to supper. Eight o'clock come, an no Jan; 9 o'clock come, an no Jan; 10 o'clock come, an no Jan. I put up me bonnet an shoal an went to every kiddly wink in town, thout Dyke Winsor'a. When I come there, there wor Jan. Says I, 'You ugly murderen vellan, theest killed thee fust wife an now theest want to kill me, too,' an he up an knacked me down."

An Easy Way Out.

At a school inspection some of the boys found a difficulty in the correct placing of the letters "i" and "e" in such words as "believe," "receive," etc.

When the inspector said blandly, "My boys, I will give you an infallible rule, one I invariably use myself," the pupils were all attention, and even the master pricked up his ears.

The inspector continued: "It is simply this: Write the 'i' and 'e' exactly alike and put the dot in the middle over them."—Liverpool Mercury.

Too Great a Risk.

"James, if anybody inquires for me today, tell them I am not in."

"Yes, sir."

"There might possibly be one who would not have a bill," muttered the young man, "but I'll not risk it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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