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How can Rockefeller ever build the "temple" without that "hundred?"

Ernst and Bender didn't want the office any way. They only wanted to give the people a chance to "vindicate them."

To the mathematical editor of the Telegram: If it is a "far cry" from Kiernan and Goetz who voted for the resolution to Swanson who voted for the same resolution what kind of a "cry" is it from the "genuine Galley affidavit" which Galley made himself to the mutilated affidavit which Howard and Johannes made for him?

Grafters belong to no political party in particular. They are the tares that grow in the crop of the successful party and when they can not be grubbed out of the crop any other way, the American people are contracting the habit of changing crops occasionally.—Oscoda Record.

The father of Platte county democracy soliloquizes: "How sharper than a serpent's teeth it is to have to look after a thankless lot of kids who will elect the whole democratic ticket and give the old man's supervisors the marble heart. There is something in the La Follette-Folk-Jerome business after all, but I never dreamed of its hitting Platte county. Everybody thought that that was immune. I wish I had had them put it back on the start. What shall it profit a man if he gain the whole county and lose his own commissioners? Surely the loved are chastened!"—Madison County Reporter.

Did you notice the last Galley affidavit in the Telegram renouncing the Howard-Johannes mutilated affidavit and the apology from the Telegram editor for publishing a libel about the editor of this paper? We accept the apology and take off our hat to our contemporary whose noble southern blood always prompts him to do the just and chivalrous thing. Any "bum" printer has the courage to sit behind locked doors in his office and call his contemporary a liar, but there are "only a few of 'em left" who have the courage when they are in the wrong, publicly to acknowledge it as the editor of the Telegram has done. Blood tells.

CARROLL EVANS FOR SENATOR

Columbus will have a candidate for United States Senator if the friends of Col. Carroll D. Evans have their way. A close personal friend of Dr. Evans was interviewed by the editor of this paper a few days ago relative to Dr. Evans' candidacy, a subject concerning which the Doctor has refused to talk for publication up to the present time. This friend spoke in substance as follows:

"I have seen a number of letters written to Dr. Evans by men prominent in political and military life in Nebraska, urging him to announce his candidacy and pledging their support. Many of the Doctor's friends at home are also urging him to enter the race. During his twenty years of residence in Columbus his reputation as a surgeon has made him known throughout the state. But in spite of his busy professional life he has kept in close touch with public questions and his participation in local affairs has always been on the side of decency and good morals.

As a member of Governor Mickey's staff he enjoys a wide acquaintance among the political leaders, especially among the members of the National Guard to whom he has been a loyal friend. Taking everything into consideration, I see no reason why Dr. Evans should not be a strong candidate, however, I am not authorized to say at this time, that he will be a candidate."

The editor of the Telegram has made a discovery in Platte county without parallel in political history. He has discovered a "boss" in a political party which has never been in control of county affairs "since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary." The fertile imagination of this discoverer was never strained so hard before but once, and that was two years ago when he prophesied that "Boss" Hoare would never again come so near to electing a republican candidate, "not while the Telegram is on earth."

The Japs in the recent war made Japan a world power but they accomplished a far greater victory for the Russian people. They tied the hands of the Czar long enough to permit the largest white nation in the world to break their shackles and force from the Czar a written constitution guaranteeing personal liberty and freedom of speech. Never in the history of nations have the wheels of evolution turned forward farther in the space of a few short months. It will take a thousand years for the Russian people to catch up. But every man who wears a white skin should rejoice at this first step of Czar-ridden Russia toward material, social and political progress.

The new jury law, which promises to mix up legal procedure may be justly censured in other respects. It provides, for instance, that the board of canvassers of election returns shall constitute a commission for the selection of a list of 500 names from which to impanel jurors. These names are to be taken from the poll lists. Thus it will be seen that an inducement is offered for the voter to absent himself from the polls. It is almost universally regarded as a nuisance to have to serve on juries. The voter who stays away from the polls is certain to escape the draft. The general complaint is of a lack of appreciation of the privilege of franchise. How best to stimulate every man to the performance of his duty in this respect is a subject bothering the political and sociological thinkers. It is unwise to put a premium on non-participation in political matters, as the new jury law does.—Fremont Tribune.

Without parallel in the history of this republic, was Roosevelt's recent triumphal tour of the southern states. The spontaneous expressions of love and confidence with which the President was met from Richmond to New Orleans are significant of the breaking days of those lines which since slavery days have set apart a "solid south." If President Roosevelt should be a candidate for re-election tomorrow, he would carry every state south of the Mason and Dixon line.

But President Roosevelt's triumph in the south has a special significance in the addition to that of the bursting of party lines. It means that he will have his way in the matter of railroad legislation in the approaching session of congress. If the republican senators of the north, influenced by the railroads' millions, refuse to acquiesce in the president's program, he has secured enough friends among the democratic senators of the south to carry it over their heads. Thus, a courageous man with an honest heart in the course of a few speeches has overturned the results of months of systematic work performed by the railroad attorneys of the country at the cost of millions.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK,

No. 519,
 At Columbus, in the State of Nebraska,
 at the close of business,
 Nov. 9, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$215,075.48
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	8,869.85
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	20,000.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	600.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	722.25
Banking house furniture and fixtures	9,500.00
Other real estate owned	2,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve assets)	17,462.72
Due from approved reserve agents	29,278.21
Checks and other cash items	230.25
Notes of other National Banks	1,200.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	112.22
Legal Money Reserve in bank, viz:	
3 Specie	\$12,952.75
1 Legal-tender notes	2,700.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,500.00
Total	\$401,927.32

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	8,869.85
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	5,700.00
National Bank notes outstanding	20,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check	\$85,821.52
Demand certificates of deposit	19,241.23
Time certificates of deposit	206,065.91
Total	\$401,927.32

STATE OF NEBRASKA: ss: I, Daniel Schram, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DANIEL SCHRAM, Cashier.
 J. H. DEARBORN, J. W. WELCH, S. C. GRAY, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of Nov, 1905.
 W. M. CORNELIUS, Notary Public.
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NOTICE

Treasurer's Office,
 Platte Co., Nebr., Nov. 14, 1905.
 Notice is hereby given that the tax for the year 1905 became due on November 1, 1905. Personal taxes will become delinquent on December 1, and will draw 10 per cent interest from that date. All unpaid personal taxes will be collected by distress warrant after February 1, 1906. Real estate taxes will become delinquent after May 1, and will draw 10 per cent interest after that date.
 D. A. BECHER,
 County Treasurer.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANT.

Frank A. Lawrence, and Mrs. Frank A. Lawrence, first or Christian name unknown, will take notice that on the 1st day of November, 1905, Wm. O'Brien, a justice of the peace of Columbus, Platte county, Nebraska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of \$12.18, in an action pending before him, wherein Edward D. Fitzpatrick is plaintiff, and Frank A. Lawrence, and Mrs. Frank A. Lawrence, first or Christian name unknown, defendants, that the property of the defendants, consisting of one Singer sewing machine, and one hard coal burner stove, have been attached under said order. Said case was continued to the 15th day of December, 1905, at 9 o'clock a. m.
 EDWARD D. FITZPATRICK, Plaintiff.
 By C. N. McElfish, his Attorney,
 Columbus, Nebr., November 9th, 1905.

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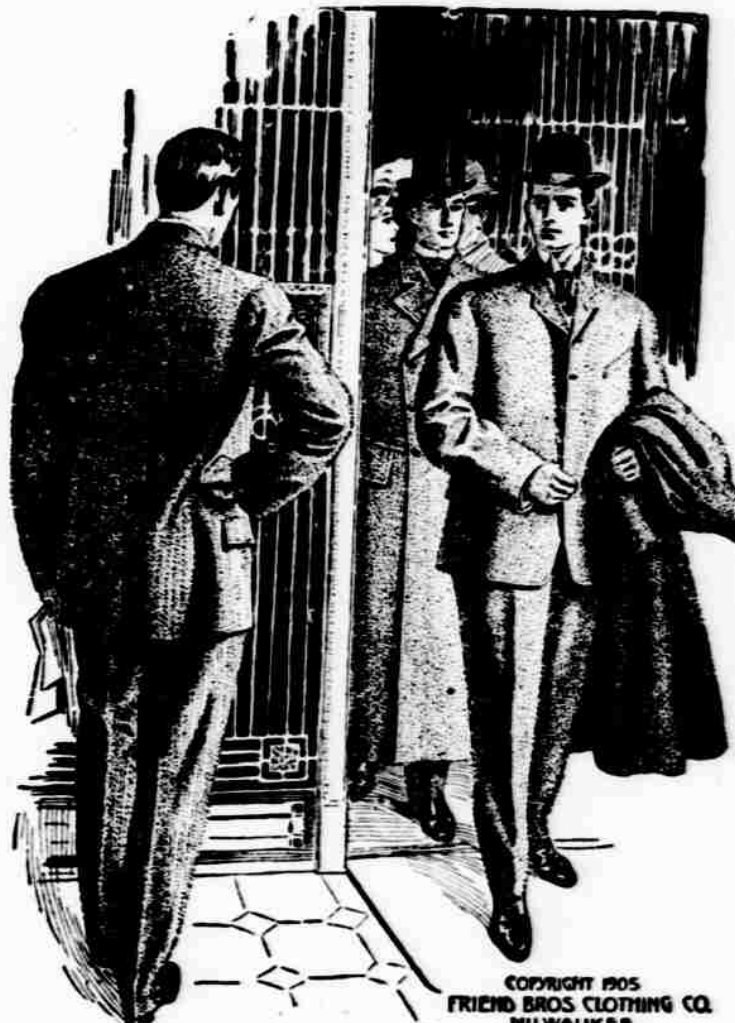
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