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THE POLITICAL PIVOT.

Around Which Circle Satellites of High and Low Degree.

The Traffickers in Offices Never So Prosperous as at Present.

The Population of Lincoln Palling for Position and a Fat Appropriation.

The Sweet Singer of Lancaster Warbling Galey in the Statesman's District.

While Dawes Demands That the Monops Stand and Deliver the Goods.

Saline County Trots Out Her Favorite for State Treasurer.

A Peculiar Political Document and the Endorsement of "Our Val."

Carns Receives Another Installment of Monopoly Money—State Politics Generally.

Correspondence of THE BEE. LINCOLN, August 18.—Every man and woman in Lincoln is a politician, and just now every man and woman in Lincoln is engrossed up to their chins in politics.

There is intense feeling and not a little kicking. The scramble for the legislature has been agreed on, there is intense feeling and not a little kicking.

That pink of wire-pullers Tom Kennard has retired from the field after a desperate effort to get on the ticket for the state senate.

But E. E. Brown has held his ground, and will head the legislative ticket from this county, with Whedon as a leader for the lower house.

Whedon started out as a candidate for congress, but has been mollified by the assurance of election to the house with strong backing for the county speaker.

This leaves the Lancaster delegation ahead for Galey, who is making an active canvass in other counties, and he will have a strong following.

There is great dissatisfaction here among the German republicans over the attempt to force prohibition, and a fight is expected all along the line among that nationality.

THE CENSUS FORGERS. My scrap book contains, among other things, the following interesting note out of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat:

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 23.—The secretary of state for Nebraska, S. J. Alexander, said to-night that if the republicans in his state did not have a hard fight, politically, this fall, they would make one.

The indications were that there would be several candidates in the field for governor. But it was a little too soon to know who the aspirants would be, although there would be many candidates for congress in two of the districts that have just been created.

Mr. Valentine would be returned from the First district without opposition. Colonel Tom M. Jore, he said, had to what was known as the "statesman's district," and that he embraced Omaha, Lincoln, and the county of Otoe, Senator Van Wyck's home, and that a lively contest was promised in that district.

What changes a few weeks do make, to be sure? As a political weather prophet, Alexander was not a great success, else he would have known that he was to be among the politically dead before the campaign had fairly begun.

That bogus census certificate was the last nail in his coffin. Judging from the newspapers in the North Platte country, Valentine is not destined to be returned without opposition, and Tom Majors, poor Tom, has gone with Alexander to the happy hunting grounds, a victim of too much confidence in Valentine's man Friday, Peter Schwencik. Alexander was eminently

CORRECT IN ONE THING. The indications are that there will be several candidates for governor, but the race is not always to the swift, nor the battle to the strong.

When the legislature was in session in 1881, the slate was made up for the governorship in the state house. It was agreed between Thurston, Nance, and the other schemers that Dawes was to be the coming man. Dawes had played it way down deep on Padlock.

HE HAD REGAINED to deliver Saline county to the man from the state of Nebraska, but he was all the time supporting him with a monopoly reservation to make Nance. On one memorable evening when Church Howe and Dawes and Thurston had arranged for the springing of the Nance boom

Dawes was seen sliding through the corridors of the Commercial, with a little ribbon in his button hole that was to signalize the break from Padlock, but the boom died a horrible, it was not as big as Fred Fye's fly speck, and poor Dawes went home with a very large black eye and a sore head. Van Wyck's election was the first bad break of the Dawes' slate, but the sorest top from Saline has by no means given up, as he still counts on Thurston and Nance to reward his treachery, and I am reliably informed that he counts on the backing of both corporations. There is, however,

A LION IN HIS PATH. Saline county is tired of having only one great man to monopolize all positions of honor and trust. She has done enough for Dawes and the indications are that she will present the name of Hon. C. Duras for the position of state treasurer. Mr. Duras

has been treasurer of Saline county during two terms and is a man in every way qualified for the position. He is a man of culture, thoroughly versed in business affairs and decidedly popular. He has been very reluctant about entering the field, but has been urged by numerous friends in various sections of the state and has finally consented to become a candidate. Mr. Duras is a Bohemian by birth, but has been in this country for many years and is thoroughly Americanized. No man in Saline is more popular and it is almost a foregone conclusion that he will have the backing of his county in spite of all that Dawes can do with his machine.

YOUR FIGHT ON VALENTINE reminds me of an incident that occurred last spring in Washington City when the president decided to supersede John J. Goeper as secretary of Arizona. He was induced to send in the name of Hiram M. Van Arman, who was recommended by several Pacific coast congressmen. Van Arman had lived in Nebraska some years ago and was generally known here as a bumper and dead beat of the lowest order. His nomination was referred to the committee on territories of which Senator Saunders is chairman.

A protest was filed against this bad man by several citizens of Nebraska who made a specific charge that Van Arman was a disreputable character. The president was about to withdraw Van Arman's name, but our Val promptly came to the front with

AN ENDORSEMENT for the vagabond which was procured at Omaha and reads as follows: OMAHA, Neb., March 12th, 1882.—We, the citizens of Omaha, Neb., hereby certify that we know Hiram M. Van Arman when he resided in this state, and he fully vouch for him as a gentleman of good repute and character.

"C. E. Yost, manager of the Omaha Republican; J. W. Minor, secretary of the Omaha Republican; Alf. Sorenson, city editor of the Omaha Republican; W. V. Brown, Nebraska City Nebraska Press; Paul Vandervoort, chief clerk, U. S. M. S.; S. J. Alexander, secretary of state; John Dunham; E. E. Brown, J. W. Pearson." WASHINGTON City, March 15th, 1882.—I am personally acquainted with each of the gentlemen who signed the foregoing, and can say that they would not sign such a name unless the contents of same were strictly true, and I therefore most cordially endorse the above.

J. K. VALENTINE. This is an exact copy of the document on file. "If you don't sign it," he is decidedly original and shows our Val to be up English grammar with the cow-boys.

GARNS CASHED IN. Now that I have looked through my scrap book, I would like to give you an interesting little document, which was picked up the other day by a citizen of Seward. It is a postal card, and reads as follows:

UNION PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY, CASHIER'S OFFICE, OMAHA, AUGUST 10, 1882. DEAR SIR:—On June 2nd I sent you a check for \$144.80 and drafts in payment of same. F. D. Brown, Cashier.

Query. What did Carns do for the U. P. to earn \$444.80? The legislature is not in session and Carns does not edit the Omaha Republican.

A GOOD DEAL OF INTEREST is felt here in Church Howe. Most of our business men are anxious to get a whack at that legislative blackmailer. They have been bled every year for capital appropriations, bills for public improvements, etc. They now want a chance to show Howe's finger.

According to the best information, however, Howe's boom has collapsed and the Lincoln merchants and property owners can never get their money back.

Massachusetts Greenbackers. BOSTON, Mass., August 18.—The Massachusetts state greenback convention assembled this morning, and after affecting an organization adjourned till afternoon.

In the afternoon the convention, after a rambling discussion as to the relative merits of the different gentlemen whose names were presented, proceeded to ballot with the following result: whole number of votes 156; necessary for choice, 74. B. F. Butler had 76, Judge Andrew 52, John M. Devine 31. There being no choice the name of Devine was withdrawn.

The second ballot taken resulted: Whole number of votes 136; necessary for choice, 69; B. F. Butler had 76, Judge Andrew 46, John M. Devine 13, Horace B. Sargent 11. Gen. Butler was declared nominated.

After the nomination of Butler, the following were nominated: Lieutenant governor, George Dutton; Speaker of the house, John Howe; treasurer, George Foster; Lynn; attorney general, E. A. Snow; Athol; auditor, Augustus F. Merchant; Loverett. Power was given the state central committee to fill vacancies that may occur on the state ticket. Resolutions were passed that the greenbackers in Maine should support Governor Plaisant.

The resolutions state that while the old political parties ridiculed greenback principles, they had been adopting them from time to time. Among the principles stated to have been thus adopted are the policy of destroying the greenback changed to re-issuing it; silver which was demonetized secretly has been publicly restored to its former place. Our declaration

is that the only weakness of the greenback was because of the exceptions placed upon its back by friends of dupes of the money power being protected by the action of John Sherman, secretary of the treasury, who upon his own authority removed the greatest of those exceptions and brought the greenback to a premium over gold and silver coin. Our position that the government should retain for itself the option of paying its bonded debt whenever it had money to do so, instead of funding into long time bonds, is rapidly becoming the position of the intelligent masses of our people.

The resolutions further demand that a check be put upon the power of wealth; that the national debt be paid as rapidly as the revenues allow, and

THE COMING BATTLE.

Her Majesty's Civilizing Machinery Preparing to Reform the Natives.

Great Secrecy Observed in the Movements and Intentions of the British.

A Desperate Struggle Expected The Size of Arabi's Army.

All Preparations for the Turkish Expedition Countermanded.

RUSSIA'S DESIGNS. LONDON, August 18.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says it is believed at Erzerum, Armenia, that Russia is about to occupy the whole of Asia Minor to the Bosphorus. Owing to the undefined state of that part of Turkey the Russians could easily do this without much bloodshed.

It is no secret that Russia is concentrating a formidable army in the Caucasus. The army, it is estimated, will number 78,000 men.

AN OFFICIAL DENIAL. ST. PETERSBURG, August 18.—The government officials deny the reports relative to the concentration of troops in Caucasia.

PARLIAMENT ADJOURNS. LONDON, August 18.—The lords and commons both adjourned to the 24th of October.

MODIFYING THE CONVENTION. CONSTANTINOPLE, August 18.—Lord Dufferin, British ambassador, in an interview to-day, said he understood he was authorized to make concessions, if necessary, in regard to some of the terms of the military convention, without altering the leading principles of the agreement.

Troops have been ordered to pursue the Arab sheikh, Obeidallah, who, it is ascertained, has fled into Kurdistan.

APPEALS IN FRONT. ALEXANDRIA, August 18.—There is reason to believe that the censorship of press telegrams will be changed for the German system, making correspondents personally responsible, and allowing them to send what they wish.

The enemy seems content with his entrenchments, doing little or nothing to improve them. Rebel officials re-turta state their forces number 36,000 regular, 38,000 militia, and 59,000 armed Bedouins. They claim to have 25,000 men at Kaf-el-Dwar. These numbers are, of course, greatly exaggerated, but show the tone of confidence adopted by the national party.

The transports Orient, Cappella, Palmyra and Iberia left the harbor to-day; also another steamer with railway weapons, rails and engines for Lannai. Men and stores were landed to-day from the Orient.

ON TO ABOURKH. ALEXANDRIA, Aug. 18.—The Abourkhi division will consist of about 6,000 men. A case of necessity it will be reinforced by 2,000 from the national brigade. Major General Sir Edward Halway's division is 7,000 strong. The weather is oppressively warm.

The marines have gone on board the transports. The men of the Inconstant took two six and one-half ton guns, Arabi Pasha's weapons, from Fort Adah to Ramleh to-day. A train ran to-day for the first time from Rosetta. It conveyed a part of the German highlanders to the right flank.

It is reported from Cairo that Arabi Pasha warned European residents that he will not be responsible for their safety, having called all soldiers and police to the front.

THE TURKISH EXPEDITION. LONDON, August 18.—The Post understands the ports have countermanded the military preparations for the expedition to Egypt, and declines to accept the British conditions for a military convention.

GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS. VIENNA, Aug. 18.—A dispatch from Trieste says: The Lloyd steamer that arrived to-day from Venice had on board a box which was opened by the police and found to contain bombs and putrid; also documents proving that the torchlight procession last night in celebration of the emperor's birthday was intended to be made an occasion for further outrages. Previous to the opening of the box, the conspirators were arrested.

THE CHILIAN WAR. BUENOS AYRES, July 24.—Advices from Chili state that several skirmishes have occurred between the Chileans and Peruvians, in all of which the former were victorious, except in one instance, where the Chileans were attacked by two hundred Peruvians, and refusing to surrender were massacred.

A Ravisher Lynched. ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., August 18.—A special from Socorro says a well known monte gambler named Juan Elverado was arrested this forenoon charged with violating the person of a girl eight years old. He cut her hair to her room, locked the door, smothered her cries, and accomplished his desires. The crime was committed on Sunday afternoon. It was not known until the child's condition attracted the attention of her mother. A medical examination revealed the fact that the child was in a pitiable condition, being bruised and lacerated to a fearful extent. The prisoner was sent to jail in default of \$500 bond. To-night about 10 o'clock a mob of some 200 strong quietly collected and went to the jail, overpowered the jailer and took the keys from him. The fiend was then led out, and being taken before the little girl, was

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