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THE JUDICIAL CAMPAIGN.

The nominating conventions have done their work and the judicial canvass may be said to have fairly opened. As barely more than a month will elapse before the election the campaign will be short, sharp and decisive.

Party politics, strictly so called, does not or ought not to enter into the question of who shall fill the seat on the supreme bench. Our State courts are not called upon to decide issues involving questions of party policy or upon which hinge questions affecting party supremacy.

The largest number of freshmen that Harvard has ever seen will be recorded this fall. People who thought the college would collapse after refusing to give Butler a degree will now see their mistake.

With another era of mud upon us, the wisdom of the city council in submitting the paving bond proposition to our voters at the approaching fall election will be generally appreciated by our citizens.

KANSAS claims a corn crop of nearly 207,000,000 bushels this year, or 5,000,000 larger than the yield of 1882. It will take a deal of frost-killed corn States like Michigan and Wisconsin to neutralize that gain.

Or the 109 teachers of the public schools of Lawrence, Mass., only seven got married last year. If the school board of Lawrence will communicate with the Omaha board of education they may hear something to their advantage.

BEN BUTLER shed frequent tears during his speech accepting the Democratic nomination in Massachusetts. The party that underestimates Butler's resources in time, money and cheek, is likely to get left when the votes are counted.

It is rumored that Secretary Folger proposes to abolish the office of supervising architect and administer its duties by a commission. There has been too much loose business in the office once occupied by the immaculate Mullett.

A PORTION of the Indian problem has been solved. Heretofore the greatest trouble the government agents had was to keep the red men from traveling at government expense to the capital to see the "great father." Now since two or three United States Senators have been out west making speeches to them the Indians have lost all desire to go to Washington. All they ask now is to be let alone.

THE first number of the Western Celt, which was issued in this city on Friday, lies upon our table. It is creditable that the Irish-Americans of Omaha have decided to support a paper which can devote more attention to voicing their views than the daily journals upon whose columns there is a constant pressure of conflicting interests.

and political organizations cannot secure it. The prospects of the colored race North and South will improve just as each colored man or woman takes himself or herself in hand and by the faithful performance of duty compels the respect and admiration of the world. The honest, industrious and capable workers in the colored race are many, but the proportion of unreliable idlers is still very large, and so long as they remain so numerous the whole race must suffer for their sins of omission and commission.

THE nomination of J. H. Brody, of Brownville, for Judge of the First District, is one that ought to commend itself to every voter in the counties in which Mrs. Colby's husband is running for office. Mr. Brody was nominated by the Anti-Monopoly convention without a dissenting voice and will be elected by an overwhelming majority.

To The Three-Cent Stamp. Good-bye, old stamp, thy natty luck That ends our friendship so. When others fail, you gamely stuck, But now you've got to go.

STATE JOTTINGS. A new depot is the crying want of Grand Island. A railroad through Phelps county from Kearney is talked of loudly.

Gov. SHELDON's report as to the condition of New Mexico gives an intelligent resume of the condition and prospects of a territory, three-fourths of whose people speak only the Spanish language and which is "largely plastered with grants of land, real and pretended, made by the Spanish and Mexican governments."

THE Falls City Journal asserts that no cadet appointed to the Military Academy from Nebraska has ever graduated from that institution. The editor of the Journal is mistaken. John E. Myers, now first lieutenant of the Third artillery, was appointed from this State in 1869 by the Hon. John Taffe and graduated in June, 1873, with high honors.

THE colored convention at Louisville have issued an address which is much more sound and sensible than many of the speeches of the orators at that gathering. Mr. Douglas was not wise in his attempt to teach the negro to seek office on account of his color, or in his assertion that political equality in office holding must precede social equality in business, on the street or in the house.

Case County Corn. Case county farmers now assure us that their corn crops are absolutely safe from damage by frost. They even say that a moderate frost at the present time would be very acceptable to them, as it would check the growth of leaves and suckers and have a tendency to hasten the process of maturity, which though well under way is not yet complete.

HOW WE GROW. The State in General and Columbus in Particular. Columbus Democrat. The First National bank has bought the Davis property on the corner of 11th street, and the next thing in order, on that corner will be the erection of a two-story building. Such enterprises are not only adding beauty and strength to our growing city, but will be permanent paying investments.

Similar surveys and maps of Albany and Delaware counties. They sold well, and I got \$5,000 out of their sale.

A CENTRE SHOT. When the Ford brothers attacked that notorious desperado, Jesse James, they fired straight into the back of his head, killing him instantly. It was a centre shot, and put an end to the career of one of the most blood-thirsty and heartless criminals that ever cursed a world.

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Obtaining money under false pretenses 3
Embezzlement 76
Indebtedness 80
Larceny 10
Arson 6
Disturbance of the peace 4
Making threats 28
Fornication 12
Prostitution 12
Violating vehicle ordinance 1
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Discharging firearms 4
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