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in the banking business there ever since. He is a man of much public spirit, and two

years ago was nominated by acclamation to a place on the republican legislative

ticket. He was renominated this year with-

out opposition, and was easily re-elected. In politics he is a dycd-in-the-wool repub-

FAVORS FREIGHT REDUCTION.

L. H. Suter, member of the house of rep-resentatives from Antelope county, has al-

ready served one term, with credit to him-self. He was born in Somerset county,

ple's independent party he was a conserva-

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is inclined to follow the precepts of Bryan rather than those of Tobias Castor. HARLAN COUNTY LIKES HIM.

Obidiah Hull, who will represent Harlan county in the lower house, is a native of the Keystone state, being born in Mercer county, Pennsylvania, in 1849. When still a boy he moved with his parents to a farm near Oskaloosa, Ia. He received a common school education and afterward graduated at Oska-boras college. Cor als worse he followed the loosa college. For six years he followed the profession of school teaching, but in 1576 located on a farm is Lancaster county in this state. He took a prominent part in the organization of the farmers' alliance and in 1891 was elected to the position of state lecturer. He became a resident of Harlan county in 1892, and was so well received that he was easily elected to the legislature this year

STAUNCH, SOLID REPUBLICAN. E. M. Jenkins of Alexandria, Thayer county's representative in the lower house, commences the new session with the experi-ence of the term of two years ago behind him. He was born in Washborn county, Illinois, in 1848, and has been a resident of Nebraska fifteen years. He is a staunch, solid republican, a typical western man, fall of push and enterprise. He has for many years been engaged in the grain business, and owns one of the largest elevators in southern Nebraska at Alexandria. His previous experience as a legislator will make him a valuable member of the coming session.

SETS TYPE FOR LIVING. Richard H. Jenness of Douglas county, was born at Linuville, Ogle county, Illinois, in 1857, and when he was 2 years of age his father moved to Ottawa, Kan., where young Jenness resided until he reached the years of manhood. While in Ottawa he learned the printer's trade, which he follows at the present time, being one of the machine op-erators in the World-Herald office in Omaha, where he has been employed for nearly six years, or ever since he has resided in Omaha. During the session of 1878 and 1879 Mr. Jenness was doorkeeper in the Kansas legis lature, his father being a member at the same time. Although Mr. Jenness has always been a republican, he has hever been a politician, this being his first experience In entering the political arena.

NEW MAN IN OMAHA.

John W. Johnston, from Douglas county, was born in Ohio in 1854 and located in Adair county, Missouri, and engaged in the practice of law from 1882 to 1890. During that time he was city attorney of Kirksville, Mo., for two years and served as county attorney for two terms. He located in Omaha in 1899 and engaged in the practice of law.

ONE OF THE OLD TIMERS.

B. J. Johnston, or "Uncle Barney John-ton," as he was more familiarly known at the last session, of which he was a member, is one of the cidest members of the legislature. He was born in Jackson county, Mis-souri, April 12, 1829. His father was a simon pure democrat of the Andrew Jackson type and his son easily and naturally learned the good old democratic precepts by heart. In 1855 Mr. Johnston became a resident of Leavenworth county, Kansas, and in the days before the railroad invasion followed the business of a followed the before the railroad invasion followed the business of a freighter across the plains, in 1865 he moved to Nebraska and settled in Otoe county. He afterward moved into Nemaha county, where he still makes his home. Five years ago he forsook the politi-cal faith of his fathers and became an inde-pendent. He was one of the leading monital pendent. He was one of the leading populist members of the house at the session of 1893.

FOUGHT FOR HIS PRINCIPLES. One of Richardson county's representatives legislature this winter is a true and tried soldier of the union army, Captain T. P. Jones, who, during the siege of Vicks-burg, was under fire forty-seven days, and on account of the injuries he received was discharged August 15, 1863. Captain Jones was born at Ebensburg, Pa., September 3, 1823, of Welsh parents. He was raised on a farm and at the age of 22 learned the carpenter's trade, which he followed for fifteen years. Since that time he has always lived on a farm with the set of th lived on a farm until he moved to Falls City. Captain Jones was married in 1853 to Eiza-beth Williams, and they have five children beth Williams, and they have five children living. He was a member of the Thirteenth army corps and has a splendid war record. "Uncle Tom," as he is familiarly known, is now serving his fifth term on the County Beard of Supervisors. He has always been a faithful worker for the republican party and served on the county central committee as its chairmen.

KNOWS THE DRUG TRADE. Lucius P. Judd is a druggist and he halls from Boone county, from which he was elected to the lower house by a handsome

to Nebraika from Davenport, Ia., when less than 4 years of ags, and located in Richardson, representative-elect from the Twenty-third district, has lived in hat and adjoining counties, and a few years ago bought the G. W. Garrett farm, in Macon township, and a little later he purchased the quarter joining it on the south. He speaks the equal fluency, and will make his presence felt in the forthcoming legislature. ONE OF LINCOLN'S ATTORNEYS.
Thomas C. Munger, a member-elect from the county of Lancaster, writes his own biography in the terse style and manner following: Born in Ohio, 1861; removed from the county of Lancaster, writes his own biography in the terse style and manner following: Born in Ohio, 1861; removed from the Nebraska to Nebraska in 1879; was educated at Iowa college and at 1979; was educated at Iowa college and the law at Chicago. Began
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the practice of law in Nebraska. Was county attorney of Dundy county, Removed to Lin-coln in 1886. Am married." Mr, Munger is one of the leading members of the Lancaster county bar, and stands high in his profes-sion. He has never held a state office, but gives promise of being one of the active members of the coming assion

members of the coming session. A SCHOLARLY REPRESENTATIVE.

Brown and Rock counties will be repre-ented in the lower house this winter by E. L. Myers, who was born in Union City, Pa., January 18, 1862, where he received his education and graduated at a business college. On March 7, 1888, he emigrated to Rock county, this state, locating on a homestead south of Newport, where he engaged in farming and the stock business. In 1890 he intered into the lumber and coal business at Newport, which, together with his farming and stock interests, has secured for him a very comfortable competency. He is very popular among his friends and neighbors, being genial, accommodating and broad minded, and possissing a fund of information upon all subjects. He did not seek this of-fice, but the office sought him, and as he is honest and fearless, the republicans of the Fifty-first district could hardly have selected

a better man to represent them. SOMETHING OF AN ORATOR.

D. L. McBride, who is to represent the Sixty-sixth representative district at the comng session, is a farmer, an independent, and has a reputation as being one of the most forceful speakers in his part of the state. H₃ will represent Frontier and Gosper countles, and his postoffice address is Quick.

PIONEERED IN YORK COUNTY. William McFadden, representative-elect to Livingston county, Illinois, where he re-ceived a country school education, and at the age of 18, at the outbreak of the civil war, he enlisted in company C, Forty-fourth Illinois infantry, and served in the army for more than three years. He partici-pated in the battles of Nashville, Stone River, Chicamauga, Atlanta and others. At the close of the war he commenced the life of a discovery of the war he commenced the fife of a farmer. In 1869, wishing to better his con-dition, he loaded his wordly goods into an emigrant wagon and teamed it to Nebraska, where he took a homestead of 160 acres in contents. York accessing the second southern York county. He still lives on his original homestead, although he has added another quarter section to it, and has one of the finest grain and stock farms

in central Nebraska. the Forty-sixth district, comprising the coun-ties of Webster and Adams, was born in Sandusky, O., in 1866. He was one of the first graduates of the Red Cloyd High school, and subsequently received the benefit of a course in the Nebraska State university. He studied law at Lincoln and Red Cloud and was admitted to practice at the bar in 1891. He is now the junior member of the firm of Case & McNitt.

ONE OF THE NEW MEMBERS. W. J. McVicker, representative-elect from

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A NATIVE OF GERMANY.

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D. D. Remington, the second representa-

ive from Seward county, is, like his colleague

people's independent party. His postoffice

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John H. Pohlman, representative-elect from

Dodge county, was born in New York City and November 24, 1850. At the age of 13 years on November 24, 1850. At the age of 15 years he accompanied his parents to Nebraska and has made his home in the state ever since. He was educated in this state and has always been a democrat. He followed the plow in Dodge and Cuming counties until he was 28 years of age, and since that age River Transfer company of Omaha. He was married in Omaha, and afterwards he has been engaged in mercantile and other moved to Otoe county, which county he will pursuits. At present he is engaged in the real estate business. He has already served represent in the coming session. He is an extensive land owner in his own county, and one term as a representative, and his pre-vious experience will make of him a valuable is a director and shareholder in the Nebraska City Street Railway company. member. AN ENTHUSIASTIC FARMER. NEVER ASPIRED TO OFFICE George L. Rouse, another one of Hall Stephen W. Orton, float representative from ounty's republican representatives, is one Cass and Otoe countier, was born in Wash-ington county, New York, June 2, 1844. of the best known and successful farmers of that county, and also one of its oldest set-When he was 6 years old his father moved to Fulton county in the Pmpire state, where lers. He was born in Ottawa county, Ohio, June 17, 1846. His earlier education was re-Mr. Orton resided until the breaking out of the war of the rebellion. He enlisted elved during the winter months in the district schools, while in the summer he as tisted in the farm work. He attinded two terms later in the Berea, O., university, and in battery F. Thirteenth New York heavy artillery. and served to the close of the two terms at the Oberlin university. After teaching for some time he came west, and war, and received an honorable discharge. He located in Elmwood precinct, in Cass county, in 1867, and resided on a farm until located in Center township, in Hall county 1881, when he moved into the city of Weepwhere he still resides. He has served for many years on the Hall county republican ing Water, and formed a partnership in the drug business with Dr. J. W. Thomas. entral committee, and has always He never has aspired to office, and in his

lower house at the coming session of the gislature, is a young business man of De with and very popular among the citizens of the engaged in farming and school teaching until 1822, when he commenced the study of law in Chicago. He graduated at the creater of a continued in the practice of his protection county will be represented in the bas held the position of at the next legislature, by there is a next legislature by Henry Mohrman, a Germa of exceptional ability, and come in whom the republicans of Franklin county have unbounded confidence. He came to Nebraska from Davenport, Ia., when less than 4 years of ags, and located in Richardson county. For twenty-seven years he lived

Ohio to lowa and from lowa to Nebraika in 1879; was educated at lowa college and at Union College of Law at Chicago. Began the practice of law in Nebraska. Was county cation was the best to be had in the coun-

He commenced his medical studies under cir-cumstances that might have daunted a less determined man. His duties as janitor re-quired his time for the greater part of the day, but he managed to get in the hours necessary for study at odd times. Having obtained a start, he made rapid progress. As illustrative of his determination to graduate, it is related of him that he would arise at 4 o'clok in the morning and com-mence his work of caring for the offices in his charge, in order to gain time to pursue his studies. He graduated with high honors in 1881, and then opened an office for the

practice of medicine in this city. He has been successful, and has a wide acquaintance. He still pursues his studies and is a close student in his profession. Two years ago he was elected as a member of the house of representatives, and served in that position with honor to himself and to the county he represented

SELLS STAMPS AT JOY. John A. Robertson, representative-elect from Holt county, is a strong people's in-dependent man, and is for the first time elected to a place in the legislature. He is a native of Jackson county, Indiana, where he was born in 1861. He has been a resident of Nebraska since 1883, residing three years in Knox county, and ever since in Holt county. He always affiliated with the democratic party up to the formation of the people's independent party in this state.

from York county, was born on a farm in Fayette county, Pennsylvania, November 11, 1843. When 8 years old his parents moved he was never a candidate for any office until he was never a candidate for any office until at the recent election. He is at present Pennsylvania, forty-five years ago. During the time before the organization of the pcopostmaster at Joy, a small town ten miles from O'Neill.

YOUNGEST IN THE HOUSE.

William D. Robinson, the youngest member of the house, is barely 24 years old, and tive democrat, but he became a member of the poulist party four years ago, and has since been one of its leading members in is a native Nebraskan, having been born at Lincoln in August, 1870. He is the son Nebraska. He has been a resident of Ante-lope county since 1871, and is the owner of of Seth Robinson, the brilliant attorney gen-eral of Nebraska's earlier days. In 1874 one of the finest farms in the Eikhorn valley. He is a fine stock grower, making a he moved with his parents to San Fran-cisco, where he resided for five years. Being specialty of swine, with which he has been very successful. left an orphan at this time he resided for

some years with his mother's relatives in Illinois. At the age of 16 he entered SERVED TWO YEARS AGO. A. L. Sutton, re-elected from Douglas Whipple academy, a preparatory school to Illinois college at Jacksonville, from which county, was born in 1866, at Oregon, Wis., county, was born in his 28th year. He re-ceived his education in the common schools one of the Younger MEMBERS. Randolph McNitt, representative-elect from of his native state, and graduated with honors at Olivet (Mich.) college. Coming to Nebraska several years ago, he commenced the study of law in the Omaha Law school and was admitted to the Omaha bar in 1891. South Omaha' has always been his ONE OF ERIN'S SONS. home since coming to Nebraska, and in 1890,

Patrick Roddy, representative-elect from one year before his admission to practice, the Sixth district, was born in County West-meath, Ireland, July 12, 1842, where he lived was elected to the office of justice of the peace on the republican ticket in that strongly democratic stronghold. He filled that office creditably to himself and satisuntil he was 20 years of age. He then emigrated to America, first settling in Ontario, Canada, where he lived until 1863. tario, Canada, where he lived until 1863. He came to the United States and ploughed the Missouri river on a steamboat, working his way up from the deck to the position of captain of the "Kate C. Nutt." He was also connected with the Hannibal & St. Loseph Packet company and the Missouri constituents with his integrity and capafactorily to his constituents. Two years ago



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facilities to be reached in that neighbor-hood. At the age of 17, Mr. Spencer began hood. At the age of 17, Mr. Spencer began life as a teacher in the Illinois schools. In the spring of 1879, with the tide of immigration which brought thousands into Nebraska, Mr. Spencer came to the state and settled in Richardson county. He afterward moved to Lin-coln. Finding an excellent business opening at Firth, in Lancaster county, he located in that town, and has been engaged in the banking business there ever since Made especially for us-



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ority over his populist opponent in populist county. He was born in 1858 at Schuyler's lake, N. Y., and during his ear-lier years fitted himself for a business ca-reer by a liberal education. When he arrived at manhood he entered the drug business, and has followed it ever since. He lo-cated in Boone county in 1880, locating at Albion in the drug business and afterward removing to Cedar Rapids. He has always taken a leading place in republican councils sone county, and has twice been elected to the office of county treasurer. In the recent campaign he was the almost unanimous choice of his party as a candidate for representative, and he made a most spirited representative, and he made a most spirited campaign, being elected by a majority of eighty-one over his populist opponent in a county that is generally considered good for a populist majority of from 150 to 400.

A SUCCESSFUL MERCHANT.

William Kaup, who has been chosen by the republicans of Saline county to represent them in the lower house, was once before honored in a like manner. Mr. Kaup is a resident of Western and is engaged in the pump and windmill business. He is quite popular and was re-elected by a good round majority.

man. He received a plurality of nearly 1,000 votes, the highest ever given a legis-ONE OF THE SELF-MADE MEN. John Jay Lamborn, who is to represent he people of Red Willow county in the lower sp, is one of Nebraska's self-made mehe is proud of it. He is an Ohio man and his friends claim that if the fact had been generally known his majority would been much larger. He was born in Knox county, in the Buckeye state, March 21, 1853. His father's family moved to Mahaska county in 1858 and the year follo ing young Lamborn was left an orphan. His mother was left in the poorest circumstan with several children to support. As a boy Mr. Lamborn assisted his mother by work-ing on neighboring farms and obtained but a meager education. He has always been a hard student, however, and has more than made up for the schooling he lost in his younger days. In 1880 he moved to Red Willow county, in this state. Commencing his western life as a carpenter, he after-ward entered the Red Willow County bank on assistant cashier. In 1883 he because publicans of Fillmore county, and for sev years occupied a place on the county board of supervisors. the Fifth district, was born in Holstein, Ger-many, in 1839, and emigrated to this country in 1857. When the civil war broke out in assistant cashier. In 1883 he cashler, and this position he retained until two years ago, when ill health compelled him to relinquish it. Since that time he has 1861 he took up arms in the unlos cause and enlisted in the Forty-seventh Illinois volmanaged a large loan and land business built unteer infantry, and served until 1863. In 1867 he moved to this state, having taken up up by his bank. He has always been a strong republican, but has never held an official position higher than city councilman.

WAS SOUGHT BY THE OFFICE. Henry Langhorst, one of the two repubican representatives in the lower house from Fillmore county, is a native of Germany, born March 30, 1845. His earlier education was obtained in the excellent schools of his native land. In 1866 he emigrated to free America and located in Cook county, Illinois, where he lived until 1870, when he removed to Fillmore county. He has followed farming as a profession, has been very successful and has enjoyed the confidence of his felcitizens to an unusual degree. He been an assessor in his home county for many years, and while always taking a close county for fail his people insisted upon his bring a fall his people insisted upon his candidate for the legislature, and he accepted he nomination, being elected by a handsome

najority. HIS FIRST TERM.

George Mattison of Ponca, representative-elect from the Eighteenth district, is one of the representative citizens of northeastern Nebraska. Although he has always been an ardent republican, he has never been an officeholder. This is his first term as a law-maker and he hopes to make a record that will be creditable alike to himself and to his party.

HE'S A SECOND TERMER.

H. J. Merrick of Adams county has for the second time been honored by the voters of the Forty-fifth district with the office of representative. Mr. Merrick was born in Pleasantville, Pa., November 18, 1846. In February, 1864 he enlisted in company D, One Hundred and Eleventh Pennsylvania infantry, served till the close of the war, when was mustered out at Pittsburg, Pa., Aug-t, 1865. He is a staunch republican, and an untiring worker in the cause whenever

IS IN BUSINESS.

1856. His earlier education was received from the district schools, and in the fall of W. Miles, who is to represent the float

participated in the political campaigns in his county, BORN IN AUSTRIA. Frank Ruthleutner, Cherry county's repre-

lative candidate in his district sentative in the lower house, was born in Bergstadt, Austria, in 1858, and remained BEGAN LIFE AS A MINER. James M. Perkins, one of Fillmore county's

subject of the Emperor Francis Joseph presentatives in the lower house, was born until he was 12 years of age. His earlier edin Bedford county, Pennsylvania, Until his ucation was received in the schools of Vi 20th year he attended the public schools of enna. He moved to Columbus, Neb., with that county, and worked in the mines and his parents in 1875, and commenced his around the smelters, these being the prin-cipal industries of that locality. He continwestern career as a clerk. He lived for a while in Holt county, and two years ago ued his life as a mining engineer until 1873, when he removed to Grundy county, Illinois, became a resident of Cherry county, where he is engaged in farming and stock raising and began life as a farmer. He was ver BORN IN GERMANY. successful in Illinois, and after living in that Henry Schlekedantz, member of the lower state nine years came to Nebraska, locating house from Howard county, was born in Hamburg, Germany, in 1860. He received a in Fillmore county, on the same farm he now owns. He has been one of the leading re-

college education in the old country, became a resident of America in 1881. His first residence in Nebraska was at Omaha, where he lived for one year. He resided

for a short time at Grand Island, and ther to St. Paul, where he has been enwent gaged in the grain and agricultural imple ment business. He enjoys a high place in the esteem of his fellow citizens, and has served four years as a member of the city council at St. Paul. He was elected as the republican candidate for the legislature in a strong populist county. He has been a a homestead the year before, and has been engaged in farming ever since. Mr. Pohlman has always been a staunch and hard working

SENDS HIS OWN BIOGRAPHY. J. Scott, the independent member from

A. J. Scott, the independent memory from Buffalo county, sends the following biograph-ical sketch to The Bee: "I was born in Virginia in the year 1849, and lived there until I was 21 years of age; then went to Illinois, where I farmed five years and bought grain two years for a firm in Chiago. In the spring of 1878 I moved to

sided over since. I have served three years as justice of the peace, two years as township surveyor, and two years ago I was elected to the twenty-third session born in Tompkins county, New York, April 16, 1856. His education, obtained first from lature at the last election." Mr. Scott was

NOT A POPULIST.

arriving at his majority he started west, and decided to make his home in Omaha. He taught in the schools of this city and then enlisted in the army, being assigned as post teacher at Jefferson barroks, near St. Louis. Being compelled to leave the army by reason of ill health, he returned to Omaha, and again engaged in teaching. He married a daughter of Preston Reeves, one of the old settlers of Douglas county. He served two terms as deputy city treasurer under John Rush, and afterward was a bookkceper in the in the legislature.

First National bak. He moved to Valley county a few years ago. Although always a republican in Douglas county, he joined the republican in Bougas county, he joined the independent movement four years ago, and has since been a leading member of the pop-ulist party. He served in the last session of the house, and was one of the recognized leaders on the populist side of the chamber. ability, and has always been very careful WANTS TO BE SPEAKER.

WAS EASILY RE-ELECTED.

onstituents with his integrity and capa bility. FOUGHT WITH FREMONT.

William Sutton, representative-elect from Pawnee county, was born near Galena, Ill. April 7, 1844, and lived and worked on farm until he arrived at the age of 17, receiving his education at the winter terms of the common schools. In 1861 he enlisted in the independent battallion known as Frethe mont's Rangers, and served in this organization about four months. General Fremont was then removed from the command in the west, and Mr. Sutton's company was attached to the Third Missouri cavalry, being engaged in scouting in Missouri and Arkansas until mustered out of service at close of the war. Mr. Sutton came to Nebraska in 1866, and was engaged in farming, dairying and stock raising until 1883, when he assumed the management of the Table Rock creamery, a position he still fills. He is an ardent republican, with conservative and business-like ideas.

SUCCEEDS FRED NEWBERRY. Alexander N. Thomas lives in Hamilton ounty, and is a republican, who is the suc-

essor to the Fred Newberry whose name become a fixture in Nebraska legislation by reason of its association with the maximum freight bill. Mr. Thomas is a farmer, and has always been an enthusiastic republican, and will serve in the legislature for the first time.

IS A VETERAN IN POLITICS. Herman Timme of Douglas county is one of the old timers in Douglas county politics. He was born in Hanover, Germany, in 1828; he came to America in 1854, and to Omaha He officiated in the first repub-1856. lican convention held in Omaha, and for twenty-two years has been a delegate in every republican convention held this He is engaged in the general mercounty

chandise business at Bennington ELECTED FOR A THIRD TERM.

John Van Housen of Schuyler is a veteran legislator, having already served one term in the house and one in the senate. He was born on a farm in Lexington, Green was born on a farm in Lexington, Green county, N. Y., February 28, 1844. He re-mained on the farm until 22 years of age, when he went into the lumber business, this work requiring his presence in Luzerne county, Pennsylvania, until he was 25. migrated to Nebraska in 1869, and served through all the hardships of western pioneer life. He today owns a section of improved land in Colfax county, and is counted one of

the prosperous farmers of that county. SERVED UNDER M'CLELLAND.

Addison Wait, elected to the lower hous represent the Sixth district, was born Woodstock, Champaigne county, O., May 1846. He enlisted in the army when stead in Clay county, Iowa, in 1870. He ra-moved to Nebraska in 1880, locating in Nance 18 years of age, and served with McClelland in the Army of the Potomac. After the close of the war he went back to Ohio and engaged in the hardware business. This business did not suit him, and he sold it at the end of wto years and went into the railway telegraph service with the Pan-handle route. His work took him to Indiana in 1869 and to Nebraska City the year fol-lowing. In 1877 he located at the sprightly little city of Syracuse, which he still makes his home. He is identified with a number he success of the party to which he belongs.

of business enterprises, is the proprietor of a large creamery and is counted one of the most efficient auctioneers in the southwest part of the state. His only experience official life has been as a member of the village board of Syracuse, a position he has held four years.

and engaged in farming near El Paso for twenty-two years, and by hard toil and good Chickamauga, Missionary Ri in Knox county, two miles east of Creigh-

WOUNDED THREE TIMES. L. C. Weber, representative-elect for Washington and Burt counties, was horn at Louisville, Ky. forty-bine years ago. He re-ceived a high school and common school Miles, who is to represent the float from the district schools, and in the fall of G. T. Smith. for the second time the popu-education. clerked in a dry goods store until son county in 1867. He has never held any July, 1862, when he enlisted in company H. office, except that of postmaster of Sterling.

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gaged in a number of battles, being wounded hree times in the leg at Bean Station, East Tenn., on December 14, 1863, but was not ischarged until the close of the war. In the fall of 1866 he was married at Evansville, Ind. In 1869 he moved to Washington county, Nebraska, where he settled on a in the northwest part of the county until 1881, when he was compelled through his wounds to abandon the farm. In that year he located at Arlington, where he has been ever since, engaged in the general merchandise business and drug trade. his residence in Washington county he has held the office of school director for sevencen years, was a member of the school board for several years and several times its chairman. For eight years he was supervisor of the township, and four years chair. man of the county board. He has alway been a staunch republican. Mr. Weber is has always member of Corrigan post No. 46, Grand Army of the Republic, which organization he joined in 1866, and is therefore one of the oldest members of the Grand Army of the Republic. He also belongs to the sonic fraternity, and has held several important offices in that order.

DEFENDED THE OLD FLAG.

T. G. Wilder, one of Webster county's epresentatives in the next house, was born in Jefferson county, New York, in 1839. He has lived in Illinois, Iowa and Kansas, and located in Webster county in 1881. Mr. Wilder bears an honorable record as a de-fender of the old flag. He enlisted in an illinois cavalry regiment at the outbreak of the rebellion, and served for three years with distinction, receiving an honorable dis-charge at the end of the enlistment period. He has been chairman of the Webster ounty Board of Supervisors for three years. CRADELED IN DEMOCRATIC FAITH. James W. Zink, Sherman county's repre-

sentative in the lower house, is a farmer, and a staunch people's independent man. He is a native Hoosier, being born in Sullivan county, Indiana, in 1846. He has been a farmer all his life, taking his first home-

county. He afterward removed to Sherman county, where he owns 560 acres of improved land. In politics he was cradled in the democratic faith, but became identified with he greenback movement, and naturally allied himself with the people's independent party when the latter sprang into existence this state in 1890. He has at all times been an active and aggressive worker for

FOUGHT IN MANY BATTLES. V. Zink, the republican representative from Johnson county, was born in Baden. Germany, in 1844, and came to this country His family first settled in Henry county, Ohlo., where they lived until the breaking out of the war, when he subject subject of this sketch shouldered a musket in de-H. M. Wart, one of the populist members the house, and elected from Knox county. as born in Oswego county. New York Younteers, in July, 1861, in which country volunteers, in July, 1851, in which company he served until the close of the war. He He MIL Stone River twenty-two years, and by hard on and point of an and point of Aatlanta, and Joneshorough, Ga. 1889 he began his Nebraska citizenship, and now owns and lives on one of the fine farms Missionary Ridge, the slege thence to Washington, D. C., and was in the grand review of General Sherman's army,

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a farmer, and was selected on the fusion ticket. He is a prominent member of the Buffalo county, Nebraska, where I have re-Henry F. Rhodes from Valley county, and e-elected to his second term, will be remembered as a former citizen of Omaha. He was the county schools, was supplemented by a a valuable member at the last session and full course at the Ithica High school. Upon his experience will be in demand at the

coming session John H. Shook, one of Richardson county's representatives in the lower house at the

coming session of the legislature, is a farmer but not a populist, as has been stated. He is one of the successful farmers of Richardson county, and has always taken an active interest in politics. This is his first term

RIGHT KIND OF OFFICIAL E. F. Sisson, who will represent the Thirteenth district for the second time, is a farmer, residing at Arizona. He is one of the oldest inhabitanis of Burt county, and for six years he has been a member of the Board of County Commissioners, in which office he has shown considerable executive

in the matter of making settlements with the county treasurer. He is a republican from head to foot, and will doubtless ably look after the interests of his constituents and the people of the state. C. L. Richards of Hebron, member of the lower house from Thayer county, and an as-pirant for the position of speaker, was born on a farm near Woodstock, Ill., March 21,