THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 1896.

AMP OPENS WITH A CONCERT REUNION OF REMARKABLE FAMILY. Many Descendants of William Neu

rand Army Veterans Will Have Religious Services at Camp Fairchild.

ECEPTION ARRANGEMENTS ARE COMPLETE

neola Local Committees Have Prepared All Things and Only Await the Old Soldlers' Coming.

LINCOLN, Aug. 22-(Special.)-It is now the eve of the Grand Army of the Republic reunion, and preliminary services of a religious nature will be held tomorrow at Camp Fairchild. At tomorrow afternoon's exercises J. H. Foxworthy and his choir of pld soldiers will sing "We Were Old Soldiers Together." At the close of the meeting the St. Mark's Lutheran choir will sing "Tenting Tonight on the Old Camp Ground." The following members of the reception committee will be at the auditorium at 3 o'clock to seat the congregation; Captain C. M. Branson; Ray S. Stewart, Frank H. Woods, C. A. Atkinson, J. J. Roberts, C. E. Tingley and R. C. Merrill.

The following committeemen have been named to attend the depots and other points to receive the old soldiers and direct them to Camp Fairchild: Tom Darnell, W. S. Browne, H. S. Bell, John Spahe, John Al-bers, D. S. Allen, J. J. Roberts, J. M. Per-kins, C. A. Atkinson, C. E. Tingley, M. Johnson, Ray C. Merrill, George Callaban, Elias Baker, J. E. Pierce, William McClay, J. M. Branson, H. D. Rhea, Matt Borchy, Robert C. Drusedoe, R. H. Rathburn, L. D. Clough, J. C. White, William Washington. Chairman L. C. Pace has appointed the following as officers: C. M. Branson, cap-tain; Ray S. Stewart, first lieutenant; F. H. Woods, second lieutenant. A second company will comprise the following: Wil-ham McBrien, captain; J. W. Hensen, first lieutenant; Charley Caldwell, Fred Woodward, George McArthur, J. G. Bullock, S. H. King, to receive the old soldiers and direct them Itam McBrien, captain; J. W. Hensen, first
Ilieutenant; Captain Hunier, second lieutenant; Charley Caldwell. Fred Woodward,
George McArthur, J. G. Bullock, S. H. King,
W. M. Parish, G. S. Chevront, R. S. Wheeler,
Leaders of bands will confer with Major J. B. Ferguson or Adjutant General Gage. Comrade J. L. Foxworthy will have charge of all vocal music

During the reunion company D. Nebraska National Guards will give an exhibition drill.

This afternoon a committee visited the camp grounds and located department headquarters

Several teams have arrived at Camp Fairchild overland from points in the state west of Howard county, and are now encamped on the grounds.

camped on the grounds. R. H. Townely, secretary of the State Banking board, has been summoned to Wymore to take charge of the Bank of Wymore, which has closed its doors. B. was president, and J. C. Burch, Burch

cashier. John Currie resumed work this morning on the block of marble presented by the state of Tennessee to Nebraska for the purpose of being formed into a statue of Abra-ham Lincoln. Currie was quite hostile and said he would "break any man's face" who presumed to interfere with him. He said he had collected money in different parts of the state with the understanding that he was to cut the statue, and that he had not yet been released from the responsibility He had Governor Holcomb's letter of recommendation and other endorsements from state officials, and until a mandamus was issued from the supreme court he should to continue to protect the marble, and work on it. The governor said he had nothing further to say concerning the matter today He cited the press representatives to his letter of July 3, a copy of which was sent to each of the commission named therein. There is, also, another letter on file, ad-dressed to Mayor Graham, transmitting the bill of lading to the commission.

Governor Holcomb invited Currie into his office this afternoon and asked him if some arrangements could not be made to have him relinquish his alleged rights to the Tennessee marble. Currie said that he did propose to do so unless he was fully

mann Meet at Fremont. FREMONT, Aug. 22 .- (Special.)-A family reunion of more than ordinary interest is being held at the Chautauqua grounds in this city. It is a reunion of the descendants of William G. Neumann, who was born in the Rhine province of Prussia in 1790, and

was for many years a commissioned officer In the Prussian army. He was married to Catherine Kehl of the same province in 1822. In 1857 Captain Neumann resigned his commission in the army and with his entire family came to the United States,

locating upon a farm in McHenry county, Illinois. He had become interested in the democratic and reform influences which a few years before had prevaded Germany and believed that his sons and daughters would attain a higher degree of success in a free country, where every man could have a voice in the government, than in Prussia. Of the twelve children who came to this country with him ten, nine sons and one daughter, are now living. The nine brothers are attending the reunion. The sister, Mrs. Sophia Poppy of Idaho Falls, Idaho, is pre-vented from being present by sickness. The descendants of William G. Neumann now number over 150 and of this large number subset over 150 and of this large number eighty-five are attending the reunion. The oldest of the family present is Hon. W. L. Neumann of Cambridge, III., who is 73 years of age.

Of the nine sons four served in the army during the rebellion, Frederick and Valen-tine Neumann in the Forty-second Illinois Infantry, Charles Neumann in the Seventh Illinois cavalry and Jacob Neumann in the One Hundred and Forty-eighth Illinois in-fantry. The first three saw over four years of service and all have fine military records. There are members of the family present from Illinois, Ohio, Iowa, Missouri, Ne-braska, Colorado and Pennsylvania, the larger number coming from this state, five of the brothers residing in Nebraska. They of the brothers residing in Nebraska. They are occupying the hotel, cottages and four tents upon the grounds, but all eat at the hotel, the serving of meals being under the supervision of a committee. The en-tertainment program consists of addresses and musical and literary numbers each morning and evening at the auditorium, each uncorram one order with prayer. The test are had. The reunion commenced August 18 and

will close August 28 and the larger number present will remain through the ten days. A good many members of the family meet as strangers, but are not permitted to long remain so. All express themselves as hav-ing a good time. The older members and

the children especially. The following are the officers of the family ansociation: Hon, W. L. Neumann, Cambridge ill., president; Hugo Neumann Hub-bard, Iowa, vice president; Valentine Neubard, Iowa, vice president; Valentine Neu-mann, Oakland, Neb., secretary; Jacob Neu-mann, Hubbard, Ia., corresponding secre-tary; Julius Neumann, Wymore, Neb., chairman of the executive committee. Miss Grace Z. Neumann of Oakland, Neb., has charge of the musical program and Dr. Asa Stratton of Jerico Springs, Mo., holds the somewhat honorary position of physician in attendance. His services have not yet been called for for any serious disease at the grounds. This is the first reunion of the family.

family. Teachers' Convention Concluded. YORK, (Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special.)-The seventeenth annual teachers' institute of

York county closed here today, after a week's session. About 140 of the 163 in attendance will teach in the schools of this city and county. The last lecture before the teachers were dismissed yesterday was by Prof. Luckey of the State university. He discussed at some length the proper methods for the education of children and dwelt upon the importance of child study. At the close of the institute resolutions were passed by those in attendance com-mending the instructors for their efficient assistance and complimenting highly Superintendent G. H. Holderman for his skill-ful management of the institute.

Damage Suit Grows Out of a Fight. TECUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special.)-Ernest Young and Elmer Schultz, both well reimbursed for his time and trouble in getting the marble here. Currie also said that an attack had been made on his abil-ity to carve the statue of Lincoln, and that known young men of good parentage, got Schultz's left hand in his mouth and bit it. As a result Schultz was obliged to have the tortured member amputated. Now he comes out with a \$10,000 damage suit against J. L. Young, a wealthy farmer, and father of his aggressor, the junior Young

SOUND MONEY THEIR CRY

General Cowin Entertains a Crowd with Magnificent Speech.

MANY DEMONSTRATIONS OF PLEASURE

Several Prominent Nebraska Citizens Have Sents on the Stage of the Hall and Encourage the Speaker.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)---An intelligent and enthusiastic crowd assembled in Waterman's hall this evening to listen to the sterling political truths enunciated by General John C Cowin of Omaha, Upon the stage were such representative men as Judge S. M. Chapman, Judge Lee Estelle of Omaha, Hon. R. B. Windham, Hon. W. H. Newell, Hon. Isaac Wiles, National Delegate H. N. Dove; and several other prominent men. Dr. J H. Hall, chairman of the republican county central committee, presided and introduced the speaker. General Cowin launched right into a magnificent exposition of the finan

cial question and the position of the republican party. He took Bryan's Madison Square speech and clearly proved that the claims and statements made in regard to the financial question were entirely untrue. He gave a concise history of silver in this country since 1792. Remarkable indication of the drift of public opinion was evidenced by great applause when the eloquent speaker alluded to the tariff question. The immense audience was composed of many former adherents of the democratic party. Mr. Cowin declared himself to be a follower of Thomas Jefferson, who advocated bimetallism at a ratio of the market value of the two metals. He eulogized the states-manship of Abraham Lincoln, and concluded manship of Abraham Lincoln, and concluded with a flight of eloquence eulogistic of the next president of the United States. Wil-liam McKinley, and the enthusiastic audi-ence nearly raised the roof with cheers. During the evening the Plattsmouth quartet rendered some campaign songs to the delight of the audience.

Entertain Dawson Citizens. LEXINGTON, Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special Telegram.)-Dawson county never before witnessed such an enthusiastic outpouring of people for a political meeting as occurred here tonight. At 8 o'clock a torchlight and fireworks parade occurred with 300 in line The opera house was filled to its greatest capacity. The court room was opened and was made to secure a third hall, but failed.

and as a consequence over 500 people wer-turned away. MacColl, Cady, Hoagland and Webster were the drawing cards. Mac-Coll made a short characteristic address and was received with great shouts and cheers. Cady addressed both meetings. briefly with a talk full of facts and eloaddress at the opera house, reviewing the financial question in a way that called for frequent outbursts of applause. Hoagland

made the principal address at the cour louse

Sees Many Votes for Mckinley. INAVALE, Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special.)-A picnic was given near here yesterday in onor of Hon. John Duss, the president and leader of the Economite society of Economy, Pa., Mr. Duss having been once a resident Pa., Mr. Duss having been once a residen' here. Interviewed by The Bee reporter on the political outlock Mr. Duss said: "Me-Kinley will be elected. My business as manager of the Economite society takes me into the states of Pennsylvania, Ohio and New York, and I am satisfied that those states will give McKinley large majorities although the free silver craze is larger among the farmers than I expected. The Economites will all vote for McKinley, al-Though heretofore having taken little or no though heretofore having taken little or no part in elections, as the past four years have been very disastrous ones to our im-

ense manufacturing interests on account of

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BLACK HILLS FOR SOUND MONEY. RECEIVERS' WORK IS ENDED WKINLEY VOTERS ENTHUSIASTIC. MORTON TO IOWA DEMOCRATS Republican Clubs Increasing Their Clear Resolutions in Convention. Membership in Nebraska. CLAY CENTER, Neb., Aug. 22.--(Special.) DEADWOOD, Aug. 22.-(Special Tele Writes a Letter of Encouragement to the gram.)-The republicans of Lawrence county Northern Pacific Will Econ Fass Into the -The Clay Center Republican club raised an Sound Money Wing. mmense flag pole last evening in front of met in convention today and placed in nom-Hands of New Company. ination the following ticket: W. S. O'Brien, the headquarters, and a beautiful flag floats sheriff; H. T. Cooper, treasurer; W. L. from the top of it. GANDY, Neb., Aug. 22.- (Special.)-Hons, LEADERS THINK IT QUITE SIGNIFICA T Zink, auditor; H. P. Lorey, register of deeds; FINAL ACT OF THE REORGANIZATION C. A. Coe, clerk of courts; G. G. Bennett, J. H. MacColl, A. E. Cady and J. S. Hoagcounty judge; R. C. Hayes, county attorney land addressed the people of Logan county Secretary of Agriculture Believed to J. W. Tollock, assessor; Neah H. Burniss, at the court house in Gandy last evening. superintendent of schools; S. O. Smith, cor-oner; W. G. Rice, state senator; H. O. Alex-Circular Issued by Frank G. Bigelow Be Inviting the Support of the at the could had greeted them was the larg-est that has gathered here in two years, except on the Fourth of July. This was at one time Hongland's home, and he will return later in the campaign and devote an and Edwin McHenry Announcing State for a Presidential They Will Step Down Midander, B. T. Walters, M. L. Rice, legislature. The convention adopted the following reso-Nomination. night Monday Week. lutions: Be it resolved by the republican party of Lawrence county in convention represented. That we endorse the republican national and state platforms and pledge the repub-lican party of this county to the advocacy and support of principles and polley therein enumerated; that we recognize in McKinley and Hobart two loyal and typical Ameri-cans who will fill these high offices with distinction and honor and restore to our country business activity and prosperity and who, standing upon the platform adopted by the republican national conven-tion, merit the support of all persons, re-gardless of former political affiliations who have the good faith, the honor and the lutions: return later in the campaign and devote an entire evening to politics and his old friends. Cady made the principal speech, and em-bellished it with many wholesome truths, his illustrations being so plain that any person might understand. The thinkers took something home with them, that will be of value. At the close of the meeting MacColl and Cady were introduced to many persons and shook hands with them, receiving as-surance of support. ST. PAUL, Aug. 22 .- The final act in the reorganization of the Northern Pacific is to be noted in the issuance by the receivers of the following: The undersigned receivers of the Northern Pacific Railroad company will at midnight of August 31, 1896, deliver to the Northern Pacific railroad all the property and fran-chise of the Northern Pacific company. All business of the receivers of the Northern Pacific company up to and including that for the month of August, 1895, and all re-ports covering same should be incounted. The manufacturing interests on account of and should made with the full president. Mr. Duss made a stirring address in which he spoke strongly against free silver. **Republican Love Feast at DeWitt**. **Republican Love Feast at DeWitt**. Mr. Morton was invited to attend the convention and address it. He has just replied with a letter to Colonel

separate bill would be made out for damages to his reputation as a sculptor. He said he had proceeded on the strength of the governor's letter and should remain at work on the state capitol grounds until ejected by due process of law. This closed the discussion, and the governor, for the time being, gave up trying to induce Currie to turn the marble over to the commission.

In August last A. S. Cushman of the committee of arrangements of William Logan Rodman post, Grand Army of the Republic. New Bedford, Mass., wrote to Governor Holcomb stating that on October 6 next the post would plant a Liberty tree, a small elm having been promised the post from the locality where George Washnigton passed his boyhood. Mr. Cushman solicited a small amount of Nebraska earth to put with a like quantity from every state in the union to be used in planting the Liberty tree. The Nebraska earth was transmitted and today a letter of thanks was received from Mr. Cushman acknowledging the same.

Sheriff W. H. Essex of Sheridan county was a visitor today at the capitol, as were also Mr. and Mrs. D. Clem Deaver of Omaha. The following claims for water right privileges were today allowed by Secretary Akers of the State Board of Irrigation John T. Hansberry, water from Big Cotton wood creek, Franklin county; James R Porter, Buffalo creek, Dundy county.

aha people in Lincoln: At the Lin-C. E. Giles, Merrick Lease. At the dell-C. Lincoln-R. R. Bittinger.

SHOOTING AFFRAY AT BEATRICE. Abuses the Wife and Takes Two Shots

at the Husband.

BEATRICE, Aug. 22.-(Special Telegram.) -West Beatrice had an exciting shooting affray this afternoon which did not result seriously. An old man named I. W. Boling had been using some abusive language regarding the wife of Walter N. Bassler. Bassler met Boling on the street and upon speaking to him about his conduct Boling ripped out a revolver and began shooting. shots were fired, carrying away each button from the cuffs of Bassler's shirt. Boling at once gave himself up and Bassler filed a complaint against him charging him with assault with intent to kill. Justice Male fixed the preliminary hearing for Monday and fixed the bond at \$500. Boling went back to jail.

Veterans' Reunion Closes.

TEKAMAH, Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special.)-The eighth annual reunion of the Burt County Veterans' association, which was being held in this city this week, closed today. There has been a large attendance throughout, and prominent speakers have entertained the crowd daily, while very interesting campfires have been held each evening.

Cambridge Chautaugun Closes

CAMBRIDGE, Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special.)-The Cambridge Chautauqua closed a success ful eight-day session here yesterday with political day. The speaker was Judge M. L. Hayward of Nebraska City for the repub-The crowd numbered over 1,000, and was orderly and attentive.

Modern Woodmen Pienic.

CLAY CENTER, Neb., Aug. 22 .- The Mod ern Woodmen of this county held their first picnic as a county organization at this place yesterday. A large attendance was present. G. Z. Zink of Grand Island de-livered the address of the day, which was highly appreciated.

Nebraska Wheels Are Popular KEARNEY, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special.)-

The Kearney Cycle Manufacturing company has just received an order from a Denver house for over 400 wheels and a Chicago house is negotiating for another large order This will keep the plant busy for some time and may result in the plant being enlarged

Lectures to Teachers.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Spe cial.)-Prof. J. C. Stapleton of Lexington. Neb., delivered an able lecture last night to the Lincoln county teachers on the sub-

being a minor. Hemp Crop Very Fine.

next April or May.

amount

COLUMBUS, Neb., Aug. 22,--(Special.)-M. Jerome, proprietor of the hemp mills here, is busily engaged in harvesting his enormous crop of hemp. Mr. Jerome says the season has been very good, excepting one bad hail storm. There are 675 acres of the crop, and it will yield a triffe over 1,000 tons of hemp. This is the best the company has done yet. This crop will give employpudiating ment to from twelve to twenty men until Louis convention.

Bonding the Norfolk & Yankton

PIERCE, Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special.)-A trust deed has been filed in the county clerk's office here, given by the Norfolk & Yankton Railway company to the railway and land syndicate of England and Ireland. The consideration of the deed is £300,900 and is for the purpose of enabling the Norfolk & Yankton to issue bonds to that From present indications it ap pears that the road will be built.

Ex-Pennsylvanians to Picule.

TEKAMAH, Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special.)-The former residents of Pennsylvania who are now citizens of Burt county will hold club was organized. a picnic near this city September 10, to

which Pennsylvanians of adjoining counties are invited. A picnic was held by them last which was a success in every partic ular, Judge Kinkaid of O'Neil, a former Pennsylvanian, will be the orator of the day this year. Nebraska Loses an Educator.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special.)-Prof. C. E. Barber, who has been at the head of the North Platte schools for the past four years, left this morning for Kearney, from which place he goes in a short time to Salina, Kan., to take charge of the department of mathematics in the St. John's Military school.

Tires of Domestic Infelicity.

NIOBRARA, Neb., Aug. 22 .-- (Special.)-Mrs. Julia Williams, in a fit of anger over family matters, took a dose of laudanum yesterday with suicidal intent, but it was an overdose and emetics soon revived her.

Haying Slightly Delayed.

FAIRBURY, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special.)-During last night rain fell to the amount of 0.98 of an inch, making a total of 2.84 inches this week. It is delaying haying some, but making an immense corn crop.

Old Glory Not Good Enough.

YORK, Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special.)-A large flag, with thirteen stars, has been flung to the breeze by the Bryan club. Considerable speculation is being indulged in as to the significance of such a flag.

Preparing for Butler County's Fair DAVID CITY, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special.)-The grounds and track of the Butler County Agricultural society are being put in fine hape for the approaching fair, September

s to 11.

Splendid Rain at Hebron. HEBRON, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special.)-Last night over two inches of water fell. The ground is in excellent condition for fall plowing and seeding.

Magnificent Corn Prospects.

NEBRASKA CITY, Aug. 22.-(Special.)-Rain fell heavily and steadily from 11 o'clock last night until 6 this morning. Corn in this section was never better.

Railway Brotherhoods Meet

TERRE HAUTE. Ind., Aug. 22 .- The pub ic meeting of the brotherhoods of all the railroad men will be held at Harrison Park Casino Sunday. The following chiefs will be in attendance at the meeting: Sargent of the Locomotive Firemen, Morrissey of the Trainmen, Arthur of the Locomotive En-gineers, Ciark of the Conductors, Powell of the Railway Telegraphers.

DEWITT, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special Tele gram.)-The largest political gathering seen in Dewitt during the present campaign assembled at the McKinley and Hobart headquarters this evening. There present to address the people Hon. H. M. Wells of Crete, Hon. A. B. Cherry of Day-

kin and Hon. Peter Jansen of Jansen. Fully 500 people were present, a large number of whom were Germans. The two first named gentleman addressed the Americans and were followed by Mr. Jansen in the man language. Enthusiasm was rampant especially at the close of the meeting, when W. L. Miller, an influential farmer near Dewitt and a populist for six years until a week ago, explained his reasons for rethe doings of the populist St

Logic of a Good Cause. BLAIR, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special Tele-

gram.)-Judge Clarkson of Omaha addressed the citizens of Blair and vicinity this evening at the McKinley and Hobart headquarhad in his audience many farmers and la boringmen. His talk was plain and con-cise, and all who heard it were well pleased. He had a large audience. Attorney General Churchill was present and made a short speech. It is the intention of the club to have speaking every Saturday afternoon by

prominent speakers. Rev. George Williams and Attorney General Churchill spoke at Kennard tonight, after which a McKinley

Antidote for Populism KEARNEY, Neb., Aug. 12.-(Special.)-For the past few years the populists of the norththem. ern part of this county and the southern part of Sherman county have been holding annual picnics in a grove on the Loup river and have had from 500 to 1,000 out at each gathering. This year, however, it is dif-ferent. The picnic was held Thursday, and although both Senator Allen and Judge Greene were billed to speak, there were only 250 present by actual count. Of this number one-half were women and children fully

and forty McKinley voters were found among the men. Good crops and populism among the men. Good crops an don't seem to flourish together. Confuses the Silverites.

ORLEANS, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-A republican rally was held here today. Many farmers were present and the opera house was crowded. The speakers were Hon. J. L. McPheeley of Minden and

Hon. W. P. McCreary of Hastings. Judge McCreary proved himself the ablest expoan Orleans audience. The siverites fired question after question at him, every one of which he answered in such a way as to convert many.

Frick Speaks at Broken Bow. BROKEN BOW, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-Last night Hon. Joseph Frick

of Fremont spoke here. A torchlight pro cession was an attractive feature of the The speaker was greeted with a evening large audience and his speech was well re ceived and frequently applauded.

Populist Outing at Louisville. LOUISVILLE, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-The populist county convention was held at this place today. G. W. Berge of Lincoln delivered an address on the financial questions in the afternoon and for two

hours in the evening Dunn of Omaha spoke Rally of Bryan Clubs. STROMSBURG, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Bryan clubs of Osceola and Stromsburg held a union rally here this evening. Speeches were made in the park by Hon. J. L. Makeever, Hon. E. C. Stanton and the local lights of the popocratic party.

Baptist Association Convention. FAIRBURY, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special.)-

The Blue River Baptist association and Sunday school convention has been in session here since Thursday evening and will continue over Sunday, with about 100 dele-gates in attendance. Rev. A. H. Laws of Wymore was elected moderator, L. W. El-dredge of Fairbury treasurer and H. E. Cleaton of Fairbury secretary.

chosen chairman, Alonzo Ray vice chairman, W. L. Davidson secretary, and R. P. James treasurer. Quite a number of the Imperial McKinley club was present and assisted in the organization. The club starts out in fine shape, and will soon have a large membership. The republicans of this county are becoming very enthusiastic and are car-rying the fight into all parts of the county.

DAVID CITY, Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special.)-The McKinley club has fitted up a club room Lox100 feet and decorated it with mottocs, cartoons, flags and maps and furnished the room with tables, desks and the usual accommodations for the public. Last evenbut the crowd was larger than could be accommodated, and the meeting was adjourned to the court house, where short speeches were made by several members of

the club. Near the close of the meeting the president stated that he had been requested to ask the women present to remain and sign the roll of the Ladies' McKinley club, which was being organized. A number com-plied with the request and notice was given of a meeting to be held Monday night to perfect their organization. GOTHENBURG, Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special.)

-The republican campaign in Dawson county was opened at this place last evening, and in numbers and enthusiasm it was equal to a Fourth of July celebration. By 8 o'clock a large number of farmers and citizens were present. The torchlight parade was formed in front of the city hall at the Republican club headquarters and marched to the deput to meet delegations from Cozad and Lexington. Mr. William Hamilton of

Lexington brought up the Hamilton cadets, and about fifty members of the republican clubs in Lexington and Cozad accompanied MacColl, Cady and others spoke REYNOLDS, Ncb., Aug. 22.—(Special.)— Hon. D. A. Scoville spoke here last evening to a large and enthusiastic audience, which listened attentively for two hours to the political issues of the day, which were fairly and forcibly discussed.

HEBRON, Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special.)-There was an enthusiastic and instructing republican rally at Hubbell, Thayer county last night Hon. Charles L. Richards was the principal speaker.

the principal speaker. COZAD, Neb., Aug. 22.—(Special Tele-gram.)—The republicans held a very enthu-abastic rally here this afternoon. Addresses were made by Hon. Jack MacColl, Hon. A. E. Cady and J. S. Hoagland. Cady spoke for nearly two hours. His address was for nearly two hours. His address was logical and free from abuse. He handled the money question fearlessly and touched up the other issues of the day fairly and ly. About 700 people, most of whom voters, attended the meeting and squarely. were much enthusiasm was manifested. The music was furnished by the Republican Male quartet and the Gothenburg brass band. A McKinley club was organized here several weeks ago with a considerable membership

Meetings are held every Tuesday evening. INAVALE, Neb., Apg. 22.-(Special.)-A McKinley club was organized here yesterday with a membership of forty-one. The offi-cers elected are: President, U. G. Knight, vice president, M. D. Kenyon; secretary L. Kengon; treasurer, Charles Hunter, Steps were taken to form a marching club.

Buffalo County Fusion Forces.

KEARNEY, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Buffalo county democratic convention was held in the city hall this afternoon. It was a fusion affair from beginning Captain E. L. Marsh (silver rep.) to end, and it is hard to tell whether it is the democratic or populist party that has gone out of business in Huffalo county. Fred

. Nye of Kearney was nominated for representative and a resolution was passed recommending the nomination of W. D. Oldham The offices of county attor for congress. ney and state senator were left to be filled by the populists. The adoption of the amendment to the constitution providing for an elective railway commission was recom-

Fusion Forces Rally at Valley. VALLEY, Neb., Aug. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-Between 200 and 300 silverites, populists and democrats held a flag-raising and rally on the public square here tonight. A banner was hung inscribed "Free Silver." John O. Yeiser of Omaha made a free silver speech, after which the crowd adjourned to the opera house and listened to more oratory from J. J. Points and P. D. Wade of Omaha.

ers of the party, construe into an announcement of willingness to receive the Iowa endorsement. There has been a move among the sound money democrats to this end, and in view of this, the letter he writes is regarded as equivalent to an announcement of his willingness to accept the nomination for president on the sound money ticket. The letter is as follows:

ARBOR LODGE, NEBRASKA CITY, Aug. 20.-1. M. Martin, esq., Marshalltown, Ia.: My Dear Sir-1 have your highly ap-preciated invitation on behalf of the provisional state committee of the sound money democrats of lowa to address the nal democratic state convention Des Moines Wednesday, August 26, regret exceedingly that, owing to circum-stances over which I have no control. I am not permitted to accept the same. Patriotism should prompt every good citi-zen of the United States to do all in his power to maintain the present gold stand-ard for our currency. It is a strange thing that any farmer or other citizen of the state of Iowa (which has neither silver mines nor gold buillion), who buy money with cercals and ments, should insist on being paid always only sixteen ounces of silver instead of one ounce of gold. When they collect their dues from those who have purchased their products why are regret exceedingly that, owing to circum

silver instead of one ounce of gold. When they collect their dues from those who have purchased their products why are they unwilling to accept thirty-two ounces of silver instead of sixteen for one ounce of gold? Dealers in bullion will give only one ounce of gold for thirty-one or thirty-two ounces of silver. Do the farmers and other citizens of the northwest know more about the real value of silver than those men who deal in the precious metals? But if legislation can create an artificial value in silver for mon-ctary purposes why can it not also create an artificial value in silver for the purpose of the arts? If after the free and unlimited coinage of silver has been adopted by the government of the United States a silver dollar containing only 52 cents worth of bullion can be made to float at a parity with a gold dollar, why cannot a silver watch be made by statute just as valuable as a gold watch costing twice as much? If you can put value into silver for mon-tary purposes you can put value fint silver for art purposes-for plate and for jewelry-with equal facility by a simple "be it en-acted" of congress. Hoping that the discredit, disgrace, dis-

for art purposes-for plate and for jewelry-with equal facility by a simple "be it en-acted" of congress. Hoping that the discredit, disgrace, dis-honor and dishonesty of going to a silver basis in the United States may be averied and predicting that if it is not those who may have brought this disaster upon the country will be the worst sufferers, the most denounced by their countrymen and the most despised by their own followers, I remain, very respectfully yours. J. STERLING MORTON.

Challenges Financial Students. WATERLOO, Ia., Aug. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-S. H. Bashor, who ran against Henderson for congress in the Third Iowa district two years ago, now editor of the Waterloo Democrat, a new free silver pa-per, today issued the following:

'A challenge is hereby extended to any advocate of the sound money theory in the state of Iowa to meet the undersigned in joint debate on the free coinage of silver 16 to 1 issue at such time and imes and places as may be agreed upon."

Pops and Dems Fuse.

DES MOINES, Aug. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-The democrats and populists held their Polk county conventions here today. Fusion was made on county supervisor, dis trict and township officers. The lected is as follows: Auditor, M. R. Saddier (pop.); attorney, Thomas Sellers (dem.); recorder, Mrs. Rachel Johnson (dem.); clerk,

Sound Money Democrats Act.

WATERLOO, Ia., Aug. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Blackhawk county sound money democracy met in mass convention today and selected fifteen delegates to the state convention at Des Moines next Wednesday. The sound money men have a county ticket in the field and are hopeful of polling more votes than the Bryanites.

Wants to Be a Good Fellow.

NEBRASKA CITY, Aug. 22.-(Special.)-Tom Kastner was arrested at the instance of his father and brother. They alleged that he came home today and without any ceremony began shooting with a revolver in such close proximity to them as to place their lives in jeopardy. Kastner erratic sort of an individual, but Kastner is an thought that he meant no harm to his rela-

for the month of August, 1895, and all re-ports covering same should be accounted for and sent and all moneys appertaining to same should be remitted to the Northern Pacific Hailroad company. As the under-signed will cense to operate said railroad at midnight of August 31, 1896, the employ-ment by them of all officers, agents and employes will then terminate. FRANK G. BIGELOW, EDWIN M'HENRY, EDWIN M'HENRY, credit of our common country at heart; that the nominations of the republicans of the republican convention at Aberdeen are all competent, honest and able men, whose private lives and political antecedent challenges the closest scrutiny; they occupy no equivocal position on the issues of the In o equivocal position on the issues of the day and we enter this campaign with no apology and no records to explain; that the county ticket this day nominated shall have our earnest and undivided support and we arge all voters to join us in our efforts to restore to the nation republican rule and as a result a return to the days of economy in the administration of na-tional affairs and prosperity and peace for all the people; that we hereby commit the republican party to some wise and judicious administration of county affairs, as has al-ways characterized its dealings with mat-ters of public concern in this county. The convention was one of the largest ever A circular similar to the above will be ssued at Seattle, Wash., over the signature

of A. F. Burleigh, receiver of the Northern Pacific Railway company at the western end. first executive order which announces that on and after September 1, 1896, the new company will be in full charge of its prop-erty, with principal offices at St. Paul, and

The convention was one of the largest ever held in the county, not a delegate being absent. It was enthusiastic and interesting. The ticket nominated is a strong one and will surely be elected.

Silver Men Buy a Paper.

PIERRE, S. D., Aug. 22 .- (Special Telegram.)-The Daily Journal of this city was today sold to a company, which will run it as a free silver paper, supporting the national democratic and state populist ticket. It will be managed by W. J. Colvin, formerly of the Daily Capitol and Don M. Johnson formerly of the Pierre Fairplay.

PARTIAL ECLIPSE OF THE MOON

Conditions Unusually Favorable for Viewing the Sight.

People who chanced to be out last night about midnight, if they were observing, noticed one of the most beautiful eclipses of the moon that has ever been seen in this latitude, or any other for that matter. The air was remarkably clear, and while there were some few clouds floating in the sky one of them interfered in the least with the view of the eclipse. The moon first entered the penumbra at 10:37, the shadow at 10:55 and the greatest obscurity was at

1:28. At that time about four-fifths of the moon's surface was obscured. The moon left the shadow at 3 o'clock, and at 4:18 the fair orb had resumed its wonted appearance.

From the fact very few observers were no ticed in this city, it was evident that the event was not generally known. The ma-

fority who were on the streets either no-ticed it by chance or had their attention called to it by a me one who had a cidentally observed the strange appearance, but the view was so entrancing that those who were fortunate enough to have observed it put in the hours watching the shadow grad ually grow and then decrease. The condi could not have been more perfect for

observation by scientists. Lightning Destroys a Cottage.

n the country.

the late corn.

LA PORTE, Ind., Aug. 22.-During a terrific rain storm this morning the summer cottage of William Niles on Point Judith.

cottage of William Niles on Point Judith. Pine luke, near this city, was struck by lightning and entirely destroyed, together with its contents. The cottage was origi-nally the Norwegian building at the World's fair and after passing through the fire in which the Manufactures build-ing was destroyed was purchased by Mr. Niles, removed to the above place, set up as originally constructed and used as a summer residence. Mr. Niles' family and guests escaped in their night clothes, having a close call for their lives. Mrs. Bodley, a guest from Cincinnati, losi \$1,600 worth of jewelry. The loss on the building and other contents is \$2,000. No insurance.

Big Electric Ballway Consolidation. JOPLIN, Mo., Aug. 22-The consolida-ion of all the electric rallways in Jasper ounty, Missouri, and Cherokee county, county, Missouri, and Cherokee county, Kansas, went into effect today, the South-west Missouri Electric Railway company having purchased the property of the Jop-lin & Galena Electric Railway company. The combined systems have a mileage of thirty-two miles and take in the towns of Carihage, Carterville, Webb City and Joplin. Mo., and Galena, Kan. It is one of the longest interurban electric railways in the country.

Call on or write Having Some Fine Rains. IMPERIAL, Neb., Aug. 22.-(Special.)-This county has been having some fine rains this week, which is doing considerable good

with rupture and the inconvenience of wear-ing atruss for years without strangulation, but it is a risk every one runs who is afflicted with rupture and does not get a cure. When strangulation does occur the knife is the only remedy, in aggravated cases, which will free the bowel, and the patient's life in such cases is placed in jeopardy when delay has rendered the knife a necessity. The wise are governed by reason and the proper course for persons afflicted with hernis is to avail themselves of a certain cure before any symptoms of strangulation present. A number of doctor have submitted to the Fidelity method and are today themselves advocates of this system. Thousands of cases have been cured and those who desire have every chance to be convinced. There is no risk, no loss of time from business and no fee is asked until a perfectly satisfactory cure is made.

Receivers.

Paul:

President Edwin Winter has issued his

gives the list of the officers chosen by the board of directors, the office of vice pres-

ident being left vacant and others as follows: Edwin Winter, president, St. Paul; Charles S. Coaney, sec-

retary, New York; George H. Earl, assist-

ant secretary, St. Paul; Albert E. Little, treasurer, New York; Charles A. Clark, as-

sistant treasurer, St. Paul; John Scott, comp-

troller, St. Paul; J. W. Hendrick, general manager, St. Paul; J. M. Hannaford, general

traffic manager, St. Paul; Francis Lynes Stetson, general counsel, New York; Charles

W. Bunn, general counsel St. Paul: William

Thomas Cooper, assistant land commissioner,

Facoma; G. S. Fernald, tax commissioner,

General Manager Kendrick has appointed

his full list of subordinates, who are the same as before the receivership. Chief En-

gineer McHenry also announces his division

chiefs, while General Counsel Bunn reap-

points division counsel, except at Tacoma,

where Crowley & Grosscup become division counsel for the Pacific coast. W. G. Pearce,

for some time assistant general manager in

this city, is appointed assistant general su-

perintendent with entire jurisdiction over

all lines west of Billings, Mont. Various

other circulars already issued, or soon to be

issued, continue in office the present subordi-

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