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THE CONTINENTAL CLOTHING CO. N. E. COR. 15TH AND DOUGLAS.

NO CONFIDENCE IN CANDIDATE

Local Fusionists Too Wise to Bet on Their Own Choice.

THINK HITCHCOCK ALREADY BEATEN

Twenty to One on Mercer Not Tempting Enough to Allure the Shouters into Risking Their Coin on a Slender Chance.

Shouters for the fusion candidate for congress are making considerable noise on the streets, but are conspicuously quiet when any suggestion is made to back their opinions with republican silver dollars which are as good as gold. A few days ago a bet was made in this city of \$20 to \$1 that Dave Mercer would be elected, but even at such odds little free and unlimited coinage money can be had. A republican made a proposition to bet a hat with the secretary of the fusion congressional committee that the latter's candidate would be defeated by 2,000 votes and the bet was accepted because there was nothing else for the secretary to do but accept or confess a lack of confidence in his own campaign. Charles Fanning is reported to have been present at the time the bet was made, and he declared even to wager the price of a hat on what would be a dead cinch for him if one-half the statements made by the fusionists were true.

But these are not the only straws which indicate the direction of the political wind in the congressional race. The managers of Mr. Mercer's campaign are receiving advice every day of the improvement in the condition of his campaign. Mr. Mercer has visited every precinct in Washington and Sarpy counties and all of the country precincts in Douglas county save one, which he will visit before the week is out. Everywhere he finds the same encouraging reports, not only from republicans, but from democrats. Many who admit they expect to vote the rest of the fusion ticket say they will vote for Mr. Mercer because of the good work he has done in congress, and for the further reason they do not believe the money question is especially an issue in the campaign this year.

Mr. Mercer has not only received these reports himself, but his managers have the same story to tell. Those who are engaged in distributing his campaign cards universally report a cordial good feeling among all classes of people toward the energetic congressman, with assurances that this feeling will be given effect by their votes on election day.

The republican county committee has secured the use of Creighton hall for three nights next week, and for the Monday night before the election. The democrats will have it but one night, and will be compelled to use the smaller halls around the city in the storming of the town which they will begin next week under the thundering of their big guns.

The two men complained against by the chairman of the democratic county committee for alleged illegal registering in the Third ward have not yet been arrested, and there is already some talk that the complaints were mere bluffs for intimidating purposes. The committee announces that it

has a lot more names of parties who have illegally registered, and that it is now engaged in preparing more complaints to be filed.

The candidates on the republican state ticket will again appear before the voters of Omaha at a meeting to be held in Creighton hall on Saturday night of next week.

AFTER THE MERCER DEMOCRATS.

Hitchcock Appeals to Jacksonians to Whip Them Into Line.

The popular candidate for congress is resorting to the tactics of the demagogue and of the political boss in conducting his fight for Dave Mercer's shoes. Although he was repudiated by the Jacksonian club in a series of resolutions which The Bee published and which were passed by an almost unanimous vote, he is now writing letters to members of that organization which indicate that he is not entirely ignorant of machine politics.

The following letter has been received by a large number of citizens of Douglas county who at one time or another have been members of the Jacksonian club. The friends of the republican nominee will discover from this communication what sort of efforts are being put forth to prevent the popular nominee from experiencing the avalanche he will be driven into line and that saying that he will be defeated, but the aspiring young gentleman hopes to cut down Mr. Mercer's majority to a figure which will encourage his ambition in some other campaign. It will be observed that Mercer democrats are being driven into line and that each Jacksonian is expected to turn out and use his personal influence among republicans.

OMAHA, Oct. 7.—My Dear Sir: I trust that in making my campaign against Mr. Mercer I can depend upon your active support. Of necessity I am forced to rely upon the advice and co-operation of those staunch party men, like yourself, who are interested in the success of the whole ticket. I think I have a right to expect more of you than your vote. There is some work you can do with but little inconvenience to yourself and which will be most effective in my behalf. The work I refer to is this: To aid in perfecting the party organization in your precinct; to look after the registration of our party friends; and to see that those who do register, vote upon election day. This work must be done by those living in the precincts, and I shall depend upon you to take care of your precinct. Another thing I would ask, and I deem it the most effective of all kinds of political work, is that you make a canvass among your republican friends in my behalf. I do not expect you to give all your time to this, but would suggest that if you would make a list of half a dozen or so of your republican friends and when you happen to meet them during the campaign, solicit their votes in my behalf. You would accomplish this work with but little inconvenience to yourself. I cannot urge the necessity of this work too strongly. It is the persistent personal canvass by party men that controls elections, and I doubt not that if you would make such a canvass as above indicated, you will win me a vote or two which would otherwise be cast against me.

Do you know of any Mercer democrats? If so, would you kindly report their names, address and occupation to my committee. Thanking you for favors shown, I remain, very truly yours,
G. M. HITCHCOCK.

A stubborn cough or tickling in the throat yields to One Minute Cough Cure. Harmless in effect, touches the right spot, reliable and just what is wanted. It acts at once.

John Jenkins, ex-county commissioner of Douglas county, has just returned from San Salvador, where he is now located as United States consul. He has entirely recovered from his recent illness and looks very well. Mr. Jenkins was warmly received by the city and county officials and his other friends here yesterday. He will be in Omaha several weeks.

To Be Content and Happy Use "Garland" Stoves and Ranges.

SELLING THE SCHOOL BONDS

Concession to the Silverites May Interfere Somewhat in the End.

GOLD PAYMENTS WOULD HAVE HELPED

Larger Premium Would Have Been Certain and Its Moral Effect in the East Would Have Been Excellent for Nebraska.

While the members of the Board of Education do not anticipate that they will find much difficulty in disposing of the school bonds, if they carry at the coming election, yet several of them are inclined to think that the recent change in the proposition which permits the payment of the bonds in any old kind of coin of the realm may operate against the board securing as big a premium as it otherwise would have been able to get. Regarding this matter one of the members of the board said:

"I would have liked to have seen the proposition stand as it was originally formed, providing for payment in gold coin. We not only would have been able to secure a far better premium, but it would also have been a good thing for Omaha, as it would have overthrown a somewhat prevalent belief in the east that we out here in Nebraska transact business through the medium of silver, beaver skins and other such commodities. The contention made by free silverites, City Attorney Council in the number that the gold clause would have rendered the bonds illegal, is proved groundless by the fact that not only were the Kansas City school bonds, with gold clause attached, quickly snapped up, but they also brought a splendid premium. This alone invalidates this objection grounded on the yellow metal provision, as bond buyers are extremely zealous in their examination of the quality of bonds and will not purchase a batch upon which the slightest doubt is cast.

"This same inequity of bond buyers is what will interfere with the board's as readily and advantageously disposing of the bonds as it might otherwise have done. When the bonds are placed on the market they will be accompanied with a statement of the entire proceedings that lead to the presentation of the proposition to the people. If this record was absolutely clear, if there had not been the slightest hitch, they would be sold much easier than now, since the proposition had to be amended, after considerable discussion. Yet, as I have said, the bonds will find a buyer."

Mortality Statistics.

The following births and deaths were reported to the health commissioner during the twenty-four hours ending at noon yesterday:

Births—Louis Flesher, 1818 Corby, girl; L. I. Spitzbar, 2501 Corby, boy; Lucas Blazek, boy; August Granecwski, girl.
Deaths—Fred Rapp, Chalco, 58 years; Ester Alexander, 143 South Fourteenth, 28 years; W. B. Grimley, Mead, Neb., St. Joseph's hospital, Company I, Second Nebraska volunteers, 29 years, typhoid fever.

Appointment of Park Commissioners.

An ordinance was introduced at the last meeting of the council which provides for the appointment of the Board of Park Commissioners by the mayor, subject to confirmation by the council, and defines their duties. The object of this proposed new law is to put the appointment of the members of this body, as of the Fire and Police board, in the hands of the mayor and city council, in accordance with the decision in the Fire and Police board case. The ordinance will undoubtedly be passed.

According to the provisions of the new

law, the board will be composed of five members as at present. The term of one will expire on May 2, 1899, and of the others on the same date in the first, second, third and fourth years thereafter. In the future the mayor must appoint the successor of the member whose term expires in April of each year. The duties and power of the board will be substantially as at present.

Mayor Moore, upon the passage of the ordinance, will reappoint the present members of the board for the terms they are now serving.

Proposes to Force Registrars.

Members of registration boards may find themselves in jail and subject to punishment if they fail to show up for duty on the registration day in the future. On the first registration day of this year several members of the boards failed to serve, and yesterday it was reported that one of the registrars in the Sixth district of the Ninth ward had failed to put in an appearance. City Clerk Higby declares that in the next case of the kind the law will be visited upon the delinquent registrar.

It may not be generally known that the statutes provide punishment for the failure of a registrar to serve after he has been appointed and qualified. According to the law any appointee who is not excused for good and sufficient reasons after appointment, must serve whether he likes it or not. In case of failure he is guilty of a misdemeanor and if convicted is liable to be fined not less than \$50 nor more than \$200 and shall be committed to jail until the fine and costs of the case are paid.

"This law will be enforced if another case of failure to serve occurs," declares City Clerk Higby.

OVER THE ATTORNEY'S FEES

Occasion of the Attachment on the Streets of All Nations by Montgomery & Hall.

Acting under instructions from the county court, Deputy Sheriff Stryker has released the attachment that he served the other day on the Streets of All Nations as the result of a suit for attorney's fees brought by C. S. Montgomery. According to the statement of Gaston Akoun, proprietor of the concession, the legal squabble with the Streets of Cairo that occurred during the summer has been a very prolific source of income for the attorneys interested. In speaking of the suit Mr. Akoun declared that it was an unequalled outrage, as he had already paid Mr. Montgomery \$2,500 in cash for services that were guaranteed not to cost over \$1,000.

Mr. Akoun says that when his contract with the exposition management was drawn up he submitted it to Mr. Montgomery with the statement that he did not want to sign it if it would involve him in a legal controversy. Mr. Montgomery assured him that there could be no trouble and that he would be protected by the exposition management. On that assurance he invested \$16,000 in the concession and soon after it was closed up by the injunction issued by Judge Scott.

"At that time," continued Mr. Akoun, "I went to Mr. Montgomery and told him that as he was familiar with my contract and as I was not acquainted with any other lawyer, I wanted him to look after my interests. I said that I would not go into the fight unless the entire expense could be kept inside of \$1,000. If it was to cost more than that I would add more economical to compromise. Mr. Montgomery told me he would not charge me over \$1,000, and that in all probability it would not cost me over \$300. So I told him to go ahead. I paid him \$200 and \$300 and \$400 at various times until I had paid him \$1,500 altogether. Then he demanded \$1,200 additional. I reminded him that he had promised to protect me for \$1,000, but he declared that if I knew what was good for me I would pay him \$1,200 and at once. I asked

him if that would pay the entire bill and he said that it would pay him for his services to date and if there was any more litigation a new arrangement must be made. I could not pay the amount in cash at once, but I paid him \$800 more at various times and then Monday he called on me at my office and told me I must pay him the other \$400 at once or he would close me up. I told him that I would pay him if he would give me a receipt for the entire \$3,000. He refused to do this, saying that a receipt for \$400 in full would answer just as well. I then told him he could not bluff me, as I was not making any money anyway, and refused to pay him the \$400. The next day the deputy sheriff came out with a writ of attachment and seized the theater, the contents of a number of the booths and the various other features of the concession. I still refused to pay unless Montgomery gave me a receipt for the entire \$3,000 and told him that if this outrage was continued I would make the facts public to every one. A day or two after the officer was instructed by telephone to release the attachment and he did so."

Mr. Montgomery declares that his firm is in a position to prove that the amount demanded as an attorney fee balance is not in excess of the amount stipulated to be paid for the firm's services. He said that the concession refused to pay the balance, and therefore an attachment was issued and served. No levy, however, has been made, according to Mr. Montgomery, because during the two days that the deputy of the court has been hanging about the streets he has been unable to find anything of sufficient value to satisfy the attachment. Everything has been transferred.

Bear This in Mind.

There is no ointment or other harmful substance in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger in giving it to children. It is pleasant to take, too, and what is more, has an established reputation of twenty-five years as the most successful medicine in use for coughs, colds, croup and whooping coughs. It always cures. Try it.

Wonderful Calculating Machine.

Prof. Henry Goldman is exhibiting a computing machine which is a marvel in several ways. It is remarkable in the first place on account of the small compass into which it has been reduced, being so small that it can easily be covered up with the palm of the hand. The most wonderful thing about it, however, is the range of work which can be done on it—addition, subtraction, multiplication and division—and the process is so simple that a child can operate it. Doing the work in the time it would take to write the figures, to say nothing of the time required for computation by the old method. The great drawback to most if not all other machines is the limitations upon the kinds of calculation they are capable of and the complex system of operating them. There is no mathematical calculation in which numerals are used that can be reasoned out that cannot be performed on this little machine and it is so simple the liability to error is reduced to almost a minus quantity.

A Minister Happily Surprised.

Rev. J. T. Bays, pastor of the Christian church at Neodesha, Kan., has a little boy who was afflicted with rheumatism in the knee. Rev. Bays says: "It was so bad at times that my son was unable to put his foot to the floor. We tried in vain everything we could hear of, but we thought would help him. We almost gave up in despair, when some one advised us to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. We did so and the first bottle gave so much relief that we got a second one, and, to our surprise, it cured him sound and well."

Four Overcoats Stolen.

W. H. Moore lost an overcoat at the Delmonico hotel Thursday. Frank Hewitt lost one stolen from his home at 1417 North Eighteenth street; J. A. Tully of Junction City, Kan., also had one stolen from his room at the State hotel, and C. E. Davis had one stolen from the hall tree at his house, 109 South Nineteenth street.

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Dr. G. A. FOOTE, of Warrenton, N. C., ex-President State Medical Society, formerly Member of the State Board of Medical Examiners, and also of the State Board of Health.

"I had, in January, 1893, a violent attack of 'grip,' which was soon followed by the complications of ascites, cardiac trouble, etc., and rapidly developed into severe nephritis or Bright's. My physicians, Drs. King and Jerman, upon examination of my urine, found by volume fifty-five per cent. albumen, which test was frequently corroborated by subsequent examinations, showing also casts and low specific gravity. My nephritic trouble gradually grew worse, and I declined in weight from one hundred and twenty-five to one hundred and thirty-five pounds. In this condition, with little if any hope of relief from any remedy, I visited the BUFFALO LITHIA SPRINGS of Virginia, making free use of the Waters for some eight weeks. Analysis of the urine soon after reaching the Springs, by Dr. E. C. Laird, resident physician, confirmed the examinations previously made. Other analyses, however, by Dr. Laird, from time to time showed a gradual diminution, and finally a total disappearance, of both albumen and casts, and the urine in a normal condition. Leaving the Springs, I continued the use of the Waters several months at home. At the expiration of some two years there has been no return of any unpleasant symptom, and I am now as well as I ever was in my life, and of BUFFALO LITHIA WATER a living monument to the virtues of BUFFALO LITHIA WATER."

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