### THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1899.

# PORTER'S PLAN GOES AWRY Mittee by promptly directing silention of munication. ORLANDO TEFFT.

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Scheme to Put Fusion Names First on the Ticket is Interfered With.

REPUBLICAN LEADERS ISSUE INSTRUCTIONS

#### That Party Having Received Highest Vote at Previous Election is Entitled to Precedence on the Official Ballot.

LINCOLN, Oct. 24 .- (Special.)-A plan by the electors of the state of Nebraska. The train going west from Omaha and together supposed to have emanated from the popu- secretary of state's form of ballot is dis- with others were discussing the Philippine list state headquarters in this city has been played prominently and in such a way as to question. William Neville, the present canadopted by Secretary of State Porter, by lead people to believe that it was put there which it is hoped to have the ballots for as a guidance to the county clerks in ar- joined the crowd and took part in the conuse a the coming election printed in a ranging the form for the printed ballots. way intended to deceive innocent voters. The law provides that the party casting the highest number of votes for the head of the ticket at the last previous gene al election shall this year have its nominees appear on the printed ballots immediately below the name of the office for which the nominces are candidates for. Secretary Porter's plan is to have the fusion nominces' names appear before the republicans. Without any legal authority he has attached to certificates of examination sent to the county clerks a sample form of ballot with the names of fusion nominees first in order. Secretary Porter said this afternion that the form of ballot was placed on the certificate as a guide for the county clerks. He held that inasmuch as Poynter, the fusion nominee last year, got more votes than the head of the republican ticket the fusion nominees this year should be given record of the state house crowd. In connect, is detoting up of the agricultural and first place in the tight "It doesn't seem to me that it makes

much difference one way or the other." said Secretary Porter, "whether the repub- I

Intra the never ficted until alter ne was students. So they have dormitories and him for making the height through the section which requires the secretary of state may send a sample form to the clerks. It simply provides that the party poil for the time within which certificates of normination may be filed with him, secretary shall immediately upon the expiration of the time within which certificates of normination may be filed with him, secretary of the tweet of a candidates range during the thirds and then or tails and the a during that to taik to John. He tails mentioned on the certificate of normination so filed with the secretary of state. As to the arrangement of the billoft the secret and down here alout to be in the secret and the sec

the name of the office for which such candi-date was nominated, and further, that the party polling the second highest number of votes shall have the second place, and so on. which is the second place and so on.

Chairman Big Gain for Republicans. Following is a copy of the instructions City Clerk Thomas E. Pratt has returned

Following is a copy of the instructions sent out by Secretary of State Porter: October 23, 1859.—To County Clerks, State of Nebraska: Inclosed please find, the certificate of nomination for judge of the supreme court and regents of the State uni-versity. You will kindly notice that the certificate of nomination has name and ad-dress. This is to conform to sections 129 and 135 of chapter xxvi. Statutes of 1595. In Blacking the names on the ballot you will from a stay of two weeks in Custer county with the encouraging news of a big gain for the republicans. In one precinct in this county there are thirty-five voters, twentyeight of whom voted for Holcomb in 1896. Out of this number three will vote for Holcomb this year, three are doubtful and all clug the names on the ballot you will low schedule "A." which does not give from or business. Please acknowledge eipt. Very respectfully. of the balance have expressed their intention of voting the straight republican ticket. W. F. PORTER, Secretary of State. W. P. Miles of Sidney was in the city today and gave an account of an interesting On the certificate is a simple statement conversation which was held with William

to the effect that the persons named have Neville last July. been placed in nomination to be voted for Mr. Miles and Judge Post were on the didate for congress in the Sixth district, versation. One of the things he said was

#### Abbott and His Letter.

"It is the duty of our government to con-The publication two weeks ago of the quer the Philippines and give the people of these islands a Christian civilization. letter written by George Abbott, a prominent fusionist in Falls City, in which the They should not be left to work out their writer spoke of the "rotten fusion record own salvation." the state house gang," was not halled He further said that himself and other

with very much enthusiasm by the populists fusionists had written to Mr. Bryan and over the state who have been upholding and were trying to get him to get on the right supporting the state administration, but the elde of this question. This incident is inreport that Mr. Abbott had denied the au- teresting, especially since Neville has dethorship of any such letter was received nied the authorship of the letter which he with delight. In the reported denial Mr. wrote to the Lincoln Independent last De-Abbott is said to have approved of the record cember. It shows that as late as July of of the sham reformers in all respects but this year he was publicly expressing the on the pass question. During the last winter same sentiment contained in the Independ-Mr. Abbott wrote letters similar to the one ont letter and was trying to bring Bryan published some time ago and it is difficult to the same state of mind. to understand why he has so suddenly The State University. changed his sentiments concerning the Chancellor Bessey of the State university record of the state house crowd. In connecis devoting much of his time and attention

this:

proval of the state house reformers the fol- industrial colleges of the institution. He has returned from a visit at the Ames Agrilowing letter may prove interesting: FALLS CITY, Neb., March 4, 1899-My Dear Mr. Tibbles: For forty years I have Sion a voter and I have never once voted cultural college of Iowa, where he was for FALLS CITY, Neb, March 4, 1899-My
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Fall S CITY, Ne fifteen years professor of botany, and will

good can come of it, and have thought some State against John C. Watson for forgery, of Yours truly. GEORGE A. ABBOTT. which charge the defendant has just been ac-

quitted by a jury. The prosecution claims that the first judge erred in the admission of depositions of M. D. Huckins and S. G. Hutchinson in behalf of the defendant and is proceeding in this manner in order to get the case before the supreme court, where this point of law may be passed upon.

#### Reception for Soldier.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Oct. 24 .-- (Special.)a mass meeting of citizens was held at the court house last evening to take action in the matter of providing a big reception for Lieutenant Arthur Kavanagh when he returns to his home here. Mr. Kavanagh was with Dewey in the Manila engagement.

being an ensign on board the Olympia. The meeting last evening was an enthusiastic one. Committees were appointed to see to the details of one of the biggest demonstrations possible for this city to give.

Yeger Sentenced for Killing Eggleton TEKAMAH, Neb., Oct. 24 .- (Special.)-In the district court today Oscar Yeger was sentenced to eight years' imprisonment in the penitentiary for manslaughter. The sentence was imposed for the killing of tracts and it is the duty of the Board of John Eggleton, a neighboring farmer, in a Public Works to grant extensions of tim dispute over the boundary lines of their when the weather endangers the quality o respective lands. the work. It is not impossible, therefore, W. A. Hilton was sentenced at the same that the Cuming street contract may be time to pay a fine of \$100 for disposing of carried over until spring.

mortgaged property. So far no other reason for the delay it beginning operations has appeared than the Judge Norris Convenes Court. statement of the representatives of the com-TRENTON, Neb., Oct. 24.-(Special.)pany that their attorney was looking up the The district court of this county opened validity of the preliminary proceedings and here this morning with Hon. G. W. Norris wished to eatisfy himself more thoroughly of Beaver City on the bench. There are on certain points before allowing the work 188 cases on the docket, consisting of foreto commence. Inasmuch as the attorney closures, equity cases and appeals. Besides the local county bar, there are numerous other attorneys from over the state in attendance.

#### News from Geneva.

GENEVA, Neb., Oct. 24.-(Special.)-County Attorney Frank Sloan is attending to business, after a severe attack of typhoid fever Stubbs and McCreary spoke in Shickley last night. A number of Geneva democrats department is told by Superintendent Drake were in attendance.

Woman's Hands Painfully Burned. HASTINGS, Neb., Oct. 24 .- (Special.)-Yesterday afternoon a gasoline stove exploded in B. F. Hill's house and the woodwork was ignited. Mrs. Hill's hands were pany, City Attorney Connell said yesterday badly burned in attempting to put out the fire.

### FORECAST OF THE WEATHER Fair in Western, with Showers and

Cooler in Eastern Portion of Nebraska Wednesday.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 .- Forecast for Wednesday and Thursday:

Wednesday; Thursday, fair, northerly winds. For South Dakota-Fair Wednesday and Thursday; northwesterly winds. For Kansas-Rain and cooler Wednesday; Thursday, fair, southerly, shifting to northerly, winds.

For Colorado-Fair in northern, cooler, with showers, followed by fair in couthern portion Wednesday; Thursday, fair, variable winds

For Iowa-Rain and cooler Wednesday; Thursday, fair, variable winds. For Missouri-Rain, cooler, Wednesday Thursday, fair in northwest, showers and cooler in southern portion; southeasterly

winds. Wyoming-Fair Wednesday and For Thursday; variable winds.

Local Record OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Oct. 24.—Omaha record of temper-ature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three works



#### STATE CAPITOL, MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA.

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All over the south as well as the north there is plenty of catarrh. Few people are that may invade any part of the body. Every organ of the body is subject to catarrh. Catarrh is as liable to be caused by hot weather as cold weather. Pe-ru-na goes straight to the mark and cures the disease by removing the cause. Pe-ru-na cleanses, strengthens and rejuvenates every mucous membrane of the body. Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, O., for free books



State of Alabama, Governor's Office, July appeared before the council and strenuously 26, 1899 .- "I join General Wheeler and Conurged the approval of the contract over the gressman Brewer in commending Pe-ru-na. mayor's veto, stating that there could be no JOS. J. JOHNSTON. possible doubt of the regularity of the pro-Department of State, Montgomery, Alabama .- I take pleasure in testifying to the virtues of Pe-ru-na and recommend its use entirely free from it. Catarrh is a disease to those who suffer from the need of a tonic, "ROBERT P. M'DAVID, "Secretary of State for Alabama." State of Alabama, Treasury Department, Montgomery, July 26, 1899.---'I have used

atarrh remedy

fully,

Pe-ru-na for catarrh and can cheerfully estify to its beneficial effects. Respect-

For Nebraska-Fair in western portion, other price, and if they have they will find howers and cooler in eastern portion some way to get out of the contract and

two weeks ago, what the legal status of the contract was, but they want to carry the work over until next season in the hope of making more money out of it. And they're trying to do the same thing with other contracts." Under a clause in the contract it is possible that if the special assessment were declared invalid in the courts, as it is charged

some of the property owners expect, the company would not get its money. The contract reads that a certain proportion of the cost is to be paid out of the intersection fund and the balance out of a special assessment fund, created by a levy on abutting property and other property benefited. It is ssible that this is the point at present

ceedings in any respect, his anxiety for the interests of the company after the approval of the contract arouses considerable curiosity. The public works department was informed last week that the company's attorney would decide in a day or two. Now the that it may by a week before the work is begun. Simply a Subterfuge, so Alleged. When asked what legal points he thought might be standing in the way of the com-"Well, considering the fact that the attorney advised the council there was no question about the matter, it is fair to suppose that he had looked into the matter thor-

oughly. To tell the truth, I think he could have told the superintendent within twentyfour hours whether to go ahead or not. It's just simply a subterfuge, in my opinion, to carry the work over until next spring. By that time the asphalt combination may have raised the price to \$2.50 cr \$3.00, or some have it relet at a higher figure. If on the other hand we should get some competition in here by that time and have the price re duced to \$1.50, as it ought to be, they will held the city to its \$2.09 contract. They could have known, and probably did know

#### Tefft Insists on Justice.

The following letter was sent to every county clerk in the state this afternoon by Chairman Tefft of the republican state central committee:

LINCOLN, Oct. 24 .- Dear Sir: It is of the LINCOLN, Oct. and the names of re-publicant candidates, state and local, appear in their proper places upon the sample and

publican candidates, state and local, appear in their proper places upon the sample and official ballots. Section 146, chapter xxvi, Compiled Statutes, provides that candidates of the party polling the highest number of votes at the last general election for the head of the state ticket shall be entitled to the first place on the ballot. At the general election in 1898 M. L. Hay-ward, republican, received 92,982 votes for the office of governor, or 2.21 less than the combined vote of the democratic, populist and silver republican parties, and the leg-islature of 1899, has clearly recognized the right of republican candidates to the first place on the ballot for this year. However, notwithstanding our unimpeach-able right to the first place on the ballot, W. F. Porter, populist secretary of state, with apparent intent to mislead and de-ceive, has issued over his official seal a certificate containing a form of ballot in which the names of fusion candidates for state officers are in direct violation of law and without any warrant of authority given precedence over the names of republican candidates. You are accordingly urged by all means



will send a trial package free by mail to all who will send their name and address (enough to convince the most skeptical of

tablets a cure for severe kidney trouble and hundreds of other run-down sick people have regained their health after many discourage-ments with other remedies. Write for free trial today; also book explaining why these tablets cannot fail to restore health and strength.

Missionary Methods. HASTINGS, Neb., Oct. 24 .- (Special Telegram.)-The twenty-third annual meeting of

demanding his discharge and so we told him not to resign, but stay and gather proof and if the infernal scoundrels who seemisi bent on disgrating the populist party by their hunger for railroad passes should succeed in forcing out of the state house the only real reformer in it then we would not wait for our shortcomings to be un-covered by the republicans in the future, but we would make an effort to purge our-selves before it was everlastingly too late. Now I am astonished beyond words to ex-press that so many of our reformers should Now I am ascontant for our reformers should act just like republicans when some one of their crowd kicks on the corruption in their ranks—jump onto the exposer instead of the exposed. We have a report of delegates to the general as-sembly, which was followed by a report of the delegate to the Northwestern board by

the delegate to the Northwestern board by Mrs. Thomas Marsland of Lincoln. A most interesting paper on "The Joy of Service,"

by Mrs. A. M. Hendee of Hansen, was well received. Mrs. D. B. Wells of Chicago conducted the workers' conference. Tonight the church was crowded with dele-

big force of the graders now busy there

will be moved to this side of the river and

the grade will rapidly advance toward Sid-

ney. It is hoped to have trains running

next season to transport range cattle from

Mortgages on Mythical Cattle.

found. A combined effort will be made to

run Fitzsimmons down, as well as to secure

Busy Night for Burglars.

NORFOLK, Neb., Oct. 24 .- (Special Tele-

gram.)-Burglars made a raid on Norfolk

last night. At the Kiesau Drug company's

store entrance was gained by cutting out a

Heavy Rain at West Point.

The ground is thoroughly

some of the cattle.

gates and visitors. The evening's session opened with music, followed by scripture reading and prayer? Field Secretary Mrs. D. B. Wells delivered an eloquent address, as did also Dr. C. E. Brandt of Wichita. Kan.

> SHORT LINE TO CATTLE RANGES. Right-of-Way Secured for New Railroad to Colorado Line. SIDNEY, Neb., Oct. 24 .- (Special.)-The right-of-way for the new railroad has been Galveston, partly cloudy secured between Alliance, Neb., and the lolorado state line. The last condemnations of territory have been made. The railroad bridge at Bridgeport across the North Platte is almost finished and grading on this side of the river is under way. As soon as the heavy cut at the head of Indian creek, on the Hartville line, is completed, a

Simpson a Disgrace.

Why, Mr. Tibbles, that man Simpson

 The last seneral election for the head of the state floket shall be entitled to the head of the state floket shall be entitled to the head of the state floket shall be entitled to the head of the state floket shall be entitled to the head of the state floket shall be entitled to the head of the state floket shall be entitled to the head of the state floket shall be entitled to the head of the state floket shall be entitled to the head of the state floket shall be entitled to the head of the head of the state state of the state of th to markets. has secured money on cattle supposed to be in his possession from bankers of several nearby towns. Fitzsimmons has disappeared and up to the present time no trace of the cattle he bought and mortgaged can be

#### Reform Should Be Reform.

Well, my friend, for I hope I may so call out. I must bring this long letter to a close, pane of glass in the rear window. The cash (enough to convince the most skeptical of their great merit).
Send at once and be well and happy again. Tell your friends and neighbors about this most liberal offer.
Most cases of lame back, rheumatism, lung affections, poor circulation of blood, instrung nerves, kidney and b'adder troubles. paralysis, heart palpitation and many other diseases had their origin in the grippe and Dr. Dix's Tonic Tablets will cure. They cured Hardy Morehead, Onawa, Iowa, of paralysis. Frank Barbeau, 1908 South 10th street, Omaha, Neb, was entirely cured of extreme nervousness after several doctors had failed. C. M. Boyd, ex-sherif of Tuskege, Ala., was cured of nervous detaragements. Wm. Simpson found in these tablets a cure for severe kidney trouble and hundreds of other run-down sick people have register was broken open, but no cash secured. About \$10 worth of razors were taken and a set of silverware offered as a premium by a magazine. Karo Bros.' meat market was also entered through the cellar and \$3.40 taken from the cash register; nothing else was missing. Hardy's coal office was also entered, where 35 cents' worth of chewing tobacco was all they got. WEST POINT, Neb., Oct. 24 .- (Special.)-This section was visited last night and this morning with a heavy rain, which still continues. soaked to a depth of some inches and the almost intolerable visitations of wind, dust and sand are abated, to the great relief

corresponding day of th

1899:Normal for the day ..... Reports from stations at S p. m.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.

Omaha, raining North Platte, raining Salt Lake City, clear . Cheyenne, raining heyenne, raining tapid City, cloudy furon, cloudy ..... Villiston, clear

hicago, clear ..... St. Louis, clear ..... St. Paul, raining ..... Javenport, clear ............... Kansas City, partly cloudy.... Havre, cloudy Bismarck, clear 40 50 44 50 76 80

T indicates trace of precipitation. LUCIUS A. WELSH, Local Forecast Official.

All Serene in Passenger Circles. The city passenger agents of Omaha and Council Bluffs held a meeting yesterday The principal matter of business which came

up for attention was the report regarding the stability of the local passenger situation Secretary Munn submitted his report showing that a special operative or detective who had examined the situation carefully both among the brokers and the ticket offices, found everything moving along smoothly with no indications of a disturbance of pas-K

senger rates. une. A West Indian Hurrieane

Recently traveled up and down the coast at will, upset all calculations and acted in an entirely different manner from any other storm. Sometimes dyspepsia acts in the same way. It refuses to yield to treatment which has cured similar cases. Then Hostetter's Stomach Bitters should be tettn. I will affect a cure speedily and naturally. It has cured stomach troubles for half a century. Try it.

#### No Trace of Bandits.

No Trace of Bandits. ATCHISON. Oct. 24.—The two bandits who escaped from an island in the Missouri river near here Sunday night while being searched for by 500 armed men are still at large, with no tangible clue to work on. The search for them continues, squads of armed men hunting in every direction. Governor Stanley has offered \$500 reward for the capture of the men. This brings the total reward up to \$1,000.

VERY woman suffering from any female trouble can be L helped by Mrs. Pinkham. This statement is based on sound reasoning and an unrivalled record. Multitudes of America's women to-day bless Mrs. Pinkham for competent and common-sense advice. Write to her if you are ill. Her

address is Lynn, Mass. Absolutely no charge is made for advice. "I suffered seven years and would surely have died but for your help," writes MRS. GEO. BAINBRIDGE, Morea, Pa., to Mrs. Pinkham. "It is with pleasure I now write to inform you that I am now a healthy woman, thanks to your kind advice and wonderful medicine. I can never praise it enough. I was a constant sufferer from womb trouble, and

leucorrhœa, had a continual pain in abdomen. Sometimes I could not walk across the floor for three or four weeks at a time. Since using your medicine, I now have no more bear-

ing-down pains, or tired feelings, and am well and hearty. I shall recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all my suffering friends as the greatest remedy for all female weakness.' MRS. SUSIE J. WEAVER,

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had inflammation of the womb and painful menstruation, and by your advice I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Have taken four bottles and used one package of Sanative woman. I thank you so much for what your medi-

MRS. M. BAUMANN, 771 W. 21st St., Chicago, Ill., writes: "After two months' trial of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I can not say enough in praise for it. I was a very sick woman with womb trouble when I began its use, but now I am well."

engagin the attorney for the company,

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#### SAFE the territory between Denver and Alliance COUNSEL GENOA, Neb., Oct. 24 .- (Special.)-Par-FOR SICK culars concerning a miniature reproduction of the famous Gillette cattle deal in Kansas which has had for its headquarters this WOMEN place, are slowly coming to light. A very smooth young man named Fitzsimmons has been engaged in the cattle business here and