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Subscribed and sworn before this 1st day of May, 1900. STOCKTON HEATH, Notary Public.

In the language of the street, it is now up to the republican state convention.

Dewey captured Chicago all right, but Mayor Harrison took good care that the political machine was hid away where the admiral could not find it.

Colonel Bryan feels sure that he holds the Illinois delegation to the democratic national convention safely stowed away in his pocket.

Another public improvement which should be scheduled for the not distant future is the removal of the county jail from its conspicuous position on the court house square.

If Lincoln were only alive he would be sorely tempted to apply for an injunction to prevent the assistant democrats taking the name "Lincoln republicans" as an insult to his memory.

Nebraska republicans will be in line for McKinley by an unequivocal declaration endorsing his administration.

Omaha club women have been giving local poets a chance as if the advent of spring were not a sufficient stimulus for the muse.

The taxpayers want to have as many streets cleaned as possible for the least amount of money and if the council can devise some plan for making the same amount of money cover more ground there will be no cause for complaint.

It is to be hoped the pending difficulties between the carpenters and their employers may be brought to a speedy settlement.

The Nebraska silver republicans decline to follow the lead of Minnesota and adopt a new name.

The first of May brings the usual number of strikes and labor difficulties. One thing is noticeable, however.

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THE FIRST CONSIDERATION.

The first consideration that should guide the republicans of Nebraska in their state convention is the success of the party in the impending national campaign.

Only by keeping success in view as the first consideration can the rank and file of the party be mobilized and inspired with the enthusiasm and confidence that lead to victory.

The responsibility that rests upon the delegates assembled in state convention cannot be evaded.

There was considerable opposition in the convention of the National Association of Manufacturers to the pending reciprocity treaty with France.

What basis had the secretary of war for declaring that within a few years the American people will have to abandon the doctrine announced by President Monroe seventy-seven years ago or fight for it?

Our farmers are, in the main, republicans. They read, they think, they act as patriotic dictators, as prudent counsels; they know what the ascendancy of the republican party means to the American farmer.

The Missouri middle-of-the-road populist has been in Kansas City last week, and were much cheered by the party.

The plant which is being erected in Manila by the United States government for refrigerating and ice making is an enormous affair, with a capacity for cooling at one time no less than 5,000 beef carcasses.

It is said that the Chinese minister made a Chinese laundryman laugh by telling him that the report that the Philippines were to be annexed was a lie.

General Daniel Butterfield, who has been invalided for more than a year, is recovering his health slowly and expects to be able to attend the Grand Army encampment in September.

Senator Platt of New York has already taken possession of the seat occupied for so many years by Mr. Quay.

It is raining while the sun shines; The tears that dim your eyes Are like the shining raindrops That veil the sunny skies.

Look not your present sorrow; No misery was mine; To only ease and torture, The soil to which 'twas sent.

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PROMISE AND PERFORMANCE.

Practice is Different. Fairbury Enterprise (rep.) The idea of our senior senator appearing before our supreme court in behalf of the worst trust and monopoly in the country!

Words Nobly Spoken. Open Letter to the Public Signed by John M. Thurston, Dated Omaha, March 24, 1898. "I propose to deal fairly and justly with every interest in Nebraska, corporate or otherwise."

Value of Confidence. Since the passage of the new law over 600 national banks with small capital have been established, about half of which were formerly state banks.

Silence for Two Whole Months! Probably Mr. William Jennings Bryan never spoke a wiser word than he emitted at Lincoln, Neb., on April 28, when he told a New York correspondent that after May 7 he would not do any public speaking for the next two months.

No Quitters in the Crowd. It appears from a letter of an army paymaster that the soldiers in Panay and Negros are not getting any money.

Effect of Republican Administration on Farm Values. Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune. A country that can point to a prosperous and a contented people beyond cavil.

ON KOP AND VELEDT. Chicago Post: The English appear to be having trouble getting the Boers to stay where they can be readily whipped.

Buffalo Express: Consul Hay has transmitted six and a half tons of gifts to the prisoners.

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WINDSOR'S WEIRD WHOP.

A Canadian Town Wakes Up and Gets Real Mad. Cleveland Plain Dealer. Just across the noble channel from Detroit sleeps a little Canadian town called Windsor.

But this Rip-Van-Winkle hamlet is not as sleepy as it looks. Just now it is actually pulsating with anger.

Indiana Journal: "Well, Tommy, how do you like your big brother's wife?" "Aw, she's a great gal, but she's no other account; she can't make candy."

Brooklyn Life: Griggs-Gilman told me the other day that after ten years of married life he and his wife at last understood each other.

Chicago Post: "You say they are excellent neighbors?" "Well, that's somewhat indefinite. Do you mean that they borrow or that they are willing to lend?"

Pittsburg Chronicle: "All the world loves a lover," quoted Mr. Homeward. "There is one notable exception," objected Mr. Wilkinson.

Washington Star: "The men's wear is very loud this spring," said the salesman, smilingly.

Denver Post: An old maid's club of Massachusetts debated the question, "Are Bachelors Human?" and a unanimous verdict of the judges was that they were blind, unscrupulous brutes, whom it would be base flattery to designate as stupid jackasses.

New York Evening Star: "Ah, ye never saw her lift a finger in the way of wurruck, as the furm misters wud say."

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ECHOES OF OUR WAR.

In his speech at the opening of the emerald canal in New York City, the other day, former President Harrison referred to the liquor traffic with semi-civilized races in the tropics and declared that "feeble races victim before the breath of the more manly victor."

San Francisco Call: So successful have the Boers been in cutting Lord Roberts' communications that Oom Paul may soon have the privilege of acting as censor for the British dispatches.

Milwaukee Sentinel: If the Boer army is in such a demoralized condition as the London dispatches set forth, it is most remarkable that General Buller does not move to establish headquarters at Pretoria without such elaborate plans for delay.

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