PORTER NAMES THE PARTY

Secretary of State Christens the Mid-Road Populist Ticket.

GRAND ISLAND CONVENTION WAS LEGAL

Objections of Boss Edmisten Overruled in Part and Ticket May Go on Ballot with the Secretary's Designation.

LINCOLN, Aug. 18.—(Special.)—As anticipated by nearly everybody who attended the hearing, Secretary of State Porter today made public his decision that the use of the single name "populist" as the designation of the middle-of-the-road populist party is in violation of the election laws and therefore can not be placed on the official ballot. He holds that the convention of the party met all the requirements of the law as to attendance, but after considering the various names generally applied to the people's independent party, finds that it would be unfair to use the name chosen at Grand Island without the prefix "mid-road." He announces in his opinion that if the name is so amended it may be placed on the ballot.

Another opinion handed down by the secretary of state today declares in substance that the silver republicans do not come under the law which provides that a portion of an old party name shall not be used as the designation of a new party. Secretary Porter claims that the law can be applied only to political parties organized after its adoption. In making this ruling Secretary Porter overrules the objection of Samuel T. Cochrane of this city to placing the name of the silver republican party on the official ballot. The grounds upon which the objection was based were practically similar to those urged in Chairman J. H. Edmisten's protest with the additional allegation that the party did not receive 1 per cent of the votes cast at the last general election.

Edmisten Doesn't Like It.

The two protests were argued before Secretary Porter Wednesday and Thursday and when the cases were submitted it was announced that an opinion would be handed down today. Secretary Porter at first contended that he could not decide the matter for at least a month, but when pressed agreed to announce his decision at the earlier date. This morning J. H. Edmisten held a long private consultation with Secretary Porter and at its conclusion the latter said something entirely unexpected had arisen that might delay his decision until next week. Chairman Edmisten was informed in advance what the decision would be and it is understood that it did not meet with his approval. He had hoped to have the name "populist" stricken off, but was unable to induce the secretary of state to observe his wishes.

Following are the decisions of Secretary Porter:

In the case of J. H. Edmisten, protestant, against allowing the names of certain candidates nominated at Grand Island July 20, 1900, by the so-called middle-of-the-roaders, I find:

Convention Was All Right.

First—That a convention consisting of 200 voters did assemble in the city of Grand Island on the 20th day of July, 1900; that they did then and there nominate candidates for the different state offices and presidential electors; that having apparently complied with the provision of the law which requires at least 200 delegates in the state to constitute a legal convention that they are entitled to have the names of their nominees placed upon the official ballot. That under the head of second objection, which refers to the party name and in which the protestant sets forth that the word "populist" would be misleading and in violation of law, it already belonging by application to a party now in existence, I am of the opinion that the objection is well founded and that the word "populist" without any qualifying word or words to designate wherein they differ from the original populist party would have a tendency to deceive many voters, and would be a direct violation of section 131, chapter xxvi, Session Laws of 1899; and, while this is true, we also recognize the fact that many of the participants in the Grand Island convention were what are known as "middle-of-the-road populists," and it seems to us to be fair that they should have such name applied to them and their candidates as will clearly designate their political affiliation. And, while the use of the word "populist" even with a qualifying word or words prefixed may deceive voters, that we are constrained to believe that the name "mid-road populist" more nearly applies to many of the electors who participated in the aforesaid convention than any other name which can be chosen. For this reason, believing that every elector should have the privilege of voting for candidates of his choice, I shall decide that the candidates nominated by the aforesaid convention at Grand Island may appear upon the official ballot under the designation of "mid-road populists."

Silver Republicans' Stand.

In the case of Samuel T. Cochran, protestant, against allowing the name "silver republican" to be used on the official ballot, after hearing the argument of the attorneys and carefully examining the law bearing on this case, viz., section 131, chapter xxvi, Session Laws of 1899, providing for the formation of new parties and the adoption of party names, I am clearly of the opinion that this section cannot apply to parties already in existence; that the silver republican party having already established its right to a place on the ballot and having proven by the records of this office that their candidates for office have received more than 1 per cent of the total vote cast at the last general election that they cannot be legally debarred from having a place upon the official ballot at this time. I therefore overrule the objection of the aforesaid Samuel T. Cochran and hold that the candidates of the aforesaid silver republican party may properly have a place upon the official ballot at the coming election.

Attorneys Will Meet in Hastings.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The annual meeting of the Nebraska County Attorneys' association will be held in Hastings on August 28 and 29. A very interesting program has been arranged for the occasion as follows:

Tuesday, August 28—Address of welcome, J. Edgar Jones of Hastings; response, Hon. J. G. Thompson of Alma; "Irrigation Laws," B. F. Eberhart of Benkelman; discussion, query box, F. W. Sloan of Geneva.

Wednesday, August 29—"Township Organization," R. P. Anderson of Seward; discussion, "Criminal Laws," W. D. Oldham of Kearney; discussion, "Herd Laws," W. H. Miller of Bloomington; discussion, "Legislation," G. W. Shields of Omaha; discussion, quiz box, F. W. Sloan of Geneva, "Road Laws," N. V. Harlan of York, "Revenue Laws," T. C. Munger of Lincoln; general discussion, miscellaneous business, election of officers.

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ROBBERS TAP POSTOFFICE

Secure Almost a Hundred Dollars in Stamps, but Very Little Money.

OCTAVIA, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Robbers entered the hardware store and postoffice here last night and blew open the safe, securing about $87 worth of postage stamps and a few cents in money. The robbers used black powder to do the work. Pieces of the safe were blown through the ceiling. No clue.

WOODMEN FLOCK TO PLATTSMOUTH.

Keys of the City Are Delivered to Lodge Members.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—This has been a gala day for the Modern Woodmen of Cass county and their friends. All the morning trains coming in were crowded to their utmost capacity. The crowd was estimated at 15,000 people.

The grand street parade formed on Main street as follows: Plattsmouth B. & M. band, camps from Eagle, Alvo, Elmwood, Wabash and Avoca, Weeping Water band, camps from Weeping Water, Nehawka, Union, Murray, Havelock, Greenwood, South Bend, Cedar Creek, Louisville band, camps from Louisville, Manley, Murdock, Plattsmouth and other visiting Woodmen, and marched to the beautiful, shady park of C. C. Parmele. After invocation Mayor Tom E. Parmele, in a few well chosen words, cordially welcomed the Woodmen and in presenting them the key to the city he said: "The city is yours." After a selection by the B. & M. band County Attorney Jesse L. Root gave an address of welcome in behalf of the local camps, which was responded to by Dr. M. M. Butler of Weeping Water. After short responses by the venerable council from each camp Judge George M. Spurlock gave a short talk on "Modern Woodcraft." About one hour was then spent in getting outside of the contents of the well-filled baskets. The afternoon and evening was spent in having a good time and watching the various games, races, competitive drills, pole-vaulting, etc. The stars and stripes and flags bearing the emblems of the order floated everywhere.

In the tug-of-war the Wabash team won from Greenwood. The game of base ball between Louisville and Union was won by the former. In the seventy-five-yard foot race S. A. Morrison won first, E. W. Hurst second and John Klawens third. In the competitive drill of Uniformed Foresters Plattsmouth won $20, Greenwood second, $5. In a game of base ball the Plattsmouth High school club defeated the Omaha Modern Woodmen club—score, 9 to 0. In the band contest Weeping Water won first and Greenwood second at 8 o'clock this evening. The second annual log rolling has been a grand success in every way.

CONCERT BY THE SAENGERBUND.

Second Day of Gathering at Stanton is Grand Success.

STANTON, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The second day of the Nebraska Saengerbund has been a grand success. Today the weather has been unusually fine, the attendance large and everybody is having a good time. All the streets and business houses are in gala attire. The street parade this afternoon was a success.

The organization gave a fine concert tonight, which was attended by a very large and appreciative audience. Every number on the program was fine, but those of unusual merit were the soprano solo of Mrs. Wagner Thomas and the violin selections of Prof. Hans Albert of Omaha. The weather promises fair and a still larger attendance is anticipated at the picnic, which closes the festival, tomorrow.

Sunday School Workers Meet.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Tecumseh is full of Sunday school workers, the occasion being the annual session of the Johnson county Sunday School association. Among the workers from abroad are State President W. R. Jackson and Field Secretary R. H. Pollock.

The session opened at 10 o'clock this morning, with a song and prayer service, led by Rev. W. W. Theobald. The report of the last meeting followed. "How to Get the Most Out of a Sunday School Convention" was the subject of a timely address by Mr. Pollock, and he was followed by a talk on "Normal Bible Lessons" made by Prof. Jackson.

Rev. E. I. Davies led a consecration service at the opening of the afternoon session and the reports of schools and school officers followed. Prof. Jackson spoke of "Sunday School Needs."

After song and praise service this evening Rev. A. L. Zink royally entertained his auditors in a splendid discussion of the "Methods of Bible Study." The session will continue over tomorrow.

Grand Island Plans Street Fair.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—L. W. Lyons has been appointed as general manager of the Grand Island street fair and a general program will be outlined early next week. A large number of free attractions have been secured and some choice concessions have been arranged for. The work of preparing for the decorations is well under way, a large arch being one of the features in this line of work. It will be decorated by the flags of the nation's new possessions and with 700 vari-colored electric lights. It is already plain that there will be crowds such as Grand Island has not had for years and that in the amusement line there will be sufficient to keep them engaged during the entire week. The women who have charge of the floral parade are making a special effort and there is no doubt but that they will make it the finest attraction of the kind ever seen in Nebraska. Over $200 will be given in various prizes.

Howe's Condition Improves.

LINCOLN, Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Martin D. Howe, who was seriously injured last night by a blow from a billiard cue in the hands of Charles Gant, a colored man, remained unconscious today, but it is believed that his condition is slightly improved. Gant is confined in the county jail and the police entertain some fear that an attempt will be made by citizens to inflict punishment without waiting for the process of the law. When arrested a crowd of people surrounded the officers and a lynching was threatened. As Howe has shown signs of improvement, it is not believed, however, that their threat will be carried into effect. The trouble arose from the attempt of Howe, acting as special policeman, on the reunion grounds, to keep Gant from interfering with a bicycle race. After being ordered off the track he returned and inflicted the blow with the butt end of a billiard cue.

Requisition Out for Hall.

LINCOLN, Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Requisition papers have been issued by Lieutenant Governor Gilbert for the return of Robert W. Hall of Omaha, now under arrest in California. The complaint charges Hall with embezzling $92.52 from the Nebraska Telephone company. Miles Mitchell of South Omaha has been deputized to bring the fugitive back to Omaha.

Hastings Ready for Encampment.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Everything is in readiness at the camp ground for the entertainment of the Nebraska Guard encampment, which will be here from next Monday morning until Saturday night. The encampment will be held at the fair grounds, one-half mile north of the city, where plenty of straw, wood and water are in waiting. The Kearney company starts tomorrow morning to walk to Hastings and is expected to arrive here the next morning.

CIRCUS SPIELER IS IN JAIL

One of the Great Syndicate Followers Locked Up at Blair on Serious Charge.

BLAIR, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Soon after the Great Syndicate circus pulled into Blair this morning Deputy Sheriffs Hugh Alexander and Thomas Benson arrived here in search of two men, "Doc" Baker and J. B. Richards, who so badly assaulted Alexander while he was acting as deputy sheriff when the show was in his town in northern Minnesota. They succeeded in spotting Richards on the streets, but Baker had received some warning and escaped the officers. A complaint was filed in the county court against Richards as a fugitive from justice and Sheriff Mencke of this county went after his man. Richards at first denied being the man wanted, but finally consented to go with the sheriff and was locked up in jail.

The sheriff in Minnesota was wired and will arrive here with requisition papers as soon as possible. Alexander carries a badly bruised head as the result of the men's attack on him. A search was made through the circus train for Baker, but he was not to be found. Richards expresses a fear of mob violence if taken back to Minnesota. Richards was "spieler" or outside talker at the circus tent.

Accidents at Humboldt.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Todd Drake, a young man of this city, while working on the railroad gang, had his right foot badly mashed by a section of the track which had been jacked up and fell without warning. A number of the bones of the instep were crushed, but it is thought the member can be saved.

George Dubiee, a young man from White Cloud, had his heel mashed in the Dawson yards while attempting to steal a ride on a freight train. The member was dressed and the company furnished the wounded lad transportation to his home.

Woman Loses a Finger.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—Mrs. Bartram met with an accident today which caused her to have the middle finger of her left hand amputated. She had climbed on top of a chair to shut a transom, when the chair upset and her hand caught in the window. A heavy gold ring on the middle finger of the left hand was jammed into the flesh so that it scraped off all the flesh and caused the finger to be amputated from the first joint.

Arrested for Selling Liquor.

DOUGLAS, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Sheriff Bower of Nebraska City was called to Douglas yesterday and took in charge Ernest Rottmann on the charge of keeping and selling intoxicating liquors without a license. A search warrant brought to light two cases of bottled beer. This was taken in custody and Mr. Rottmann was taken to Nebraska City, where he gave bond for $500 to appear at the next term of district court, which meets in September.

Harvard Man Returns Home.

HARVARD, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Jerry Delaney, one of our leading grain dealers, who left Harvard some three months ago, accompanied by his wife and daughter, to visit his former home in Queens county, Ireland, after an absence of twenty-two years, returned to Harvard yesterday and reports having enjoyed a very pleasant trip, with many interesting incidents in reviewing events of childhood days.

Mortgage Records Show Prosperity.

WEST POINT, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The real estate mortgages filed for record in the office of the county clerk of this county during the week just closed amounted to $596, while those released aggregated the sum of $2,000. For many weeks this proportion has been maintained in this county, the records showing that farmers are not borrowing money, not needing to do so during the present conditions.

Accidents at Niobrara.

NIOBRARA, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—A boy named Peterson, living six miles from town, was attacked by a bull and had his collarbone broken. A young Bohemian working on the steamer Castalia was accidentally caught between a paddle of the wheel and the deck. He was severely injured in the back. A man named Peofe had five cattle and one mule struck by lightning.

Singers Leave for Stanton.

WEST POINT, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The West Point Liederkranz, a strong organization of German singers, left last evening for Stanton, to take part in the exercises of the state Saengerbund, which is now being held in that city. The local organization is exceedingly proficient in this line and confidently expects to win first prize in the singing contest.

Rev. Leonard Leaves Nebraska.

COZAD, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Rev. W. B. Leonard, who has for the past four years been pastor of the Presbyterian church here, left this morning for Chickasaw, I. T., where he has accepted a call to a pastorate. Mr. Leonard and his wife leave a host of friends here who regret their departure.

Loses Foot by Plow.

WILBER, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Grover, the 14-year-old son of Herman Riechers, lost his left foot by slipping in front of a disc plow yesterday afternoon. Amputation at the instep was found to be necessary.

Refuses to Aid Railroad.

ATKINSON, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The proposition for voting bonds in aid of the Dakota, Nebraska & Southern railroad was defeated here today, the vote being 121 for and 88 against the bonds.

WOOD TRAVELS ON HORSE

Governor General Makes Appropriation for Reconstruction of Roads in the Island.

VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS, Province of Santiago de Cuba, Aug. 18.—Governor General Wood and his party left Puerto Padre yesterday and arrived at Tunas last night in the saddle. He made an appropriation here today for the reconstruction of schools, charitable institutions and the hospital and roads to Manita City, which have been in complete ruin since 1897, when they were destroyed by the Cubans. The population was then 5,000. Now it is 800 as a result of the war. The populace showed General Wood great gratitude.

An officer of the Tenth cavalry has been placed in charge of the reconstruction. The country is absolutely peaceful and the bandits have been wiped out. The heavy cedar and lumber interests in the country will be likely to flourish again after the reconstruction of the roads.

Trial of Banker Hersfeld.

HELENA, Mont., Aug. 18.—The government has presented its case in the trial of L. H. Hersfeld, president of the Merchants' National bank of Helena, charged with making false reports of the bank's condition to the comptroller of the currency. The defense will decide on Monday whether it will put in any evidence. The indictment against L. P. Bowman, former assistant cashier of the bank, was dismissed. He testified for the government, identifying records and letters.

COUNTIES NAME CANDIDATES

Political Parties Hold Conventions in Various Parts of State.

MIDDLE-OF-ROADERS MEET AT FRANKLIN

Party is Fast Gaining Ground and is Conceded at Present Time to Hold the Balance of Power in Some Counties.

FRANKLIN, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The middle-of-the-roaders held their county convention at this place today and placed in nomination, for representative, William Sheehy; for county attorney, M. A. Humphrey, both of Franklin. The following are elected to the congressional convention: J. E. Wolfe, J. H. Davidson, B. Travis, L. Gilland, William Sheehy, E. Coburn, William Carl, C. Christ and P. Reams; to the senatorial, J. H. Davidson, B. Travis, William Sheehy, R. Jones, P. Reams, William Carl, A. M. Myers, J. E. Wolfe and L. B. Edwards.

The meeting was well attended and much interest taken and several good speeches were made. This party is fast gaining ground in this county and it is conceded by all that at the present time they hold the balance of power and will cut quite a figure at the coming election. Ninety per cent of the number voted straight for Bryan in 1896.

JOHNSON COUNTY HARMONY

Republicans Show Unity of Purpose and Zeal for Party at Their Convention.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The fact that the republicans of Johnson county are working in more perfect harmony this year than ever before and that they enter the campaign of 1900 with a strong determination in all things to work in the interest of the cause was clearly exemplified in the prevalence of marked harmony and good feeling in the county convention held here this afternoon. The assembly was called to order by W. A. Campbell, chairman of the county central committee, and organization was perfected with Hon. J. S. Dew in the chair and N. H. Libby and Frank Rothell as secretaries. There was but one candidate for county attorney and M. E. C. True of Tecumseh, the present incumbent, was unanimously made the nominee. Two names were offered for member of the house of representatives from the Fourth district—H. G. Crissey of Crab Orchard and C. C. Reed of Vesta. Mr. Crissey was successful upon the first ballot, which was very close, and at the suggestion of Mr. Reed the nomination was made unanimous.

A resolution was offered demanding that the members of the legislature be instructed against Hon. D. E. Thompson for United States senator and it was promptly tabled. Delegates to the Second district senatorial convention, which meets in Tecumseh next Saturday, were then chosen as follows: P. M. Fithian, William Ernst, John McKee, M. Shaughnessy, E. E. Young, D. P. Henry, J. W. Smith, Joseph Whitham, J. F. Eilers, John R. Campbell, Thomas McClure, Edgar Reynolds, P. J. Turner and F. M. Sharrett. A motion was carried showing that it was the sense of the convention that the delegates support Hon. Peter Berlett of Nemaha county for senator in that convention. Mr. Berlett has already received the endorsement of the republican convention of his own county and is considered excellent senatorial timber. The convention then adjourned. The delegates from Nemaha and Lincoln precincts, which constitute the Second commissioner district, then met in convention and unanimously named L. M. Davis for candidate for commissioner. Mr. Davis is at present serving in that capacity. In all the ticket is considered a good one and one that the fused strength of the opposition will have but little effect upon.

TAKE CROUNSE FOR SENATOR

Republicans of Dodge and Washington Name the ex-Governor on First Ballot.

FREMONT, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The republican county convention met here today. J. B. Foot of North Bend was chosen chairman and John Graham and J. C. Newson of North Bend secretaries. The committee on credentials reported all precincts but two represented, nearly all of them by full delegations. Dr. M. T. Zellers of Hooper, Dan Swanson of Fremont and John Ross of Pleasant Valley were placed in nomination for representatives. Shortly after the roll call was begun Mr. Ross moved that Messrs. Zellers and Swanson be declared the unanimous nominees of the convention, which motion was carried. R. J. Stinson of Fremont was nominated for county attorney and Dr. Boane of North Bend for coroner. Resolutions were adopted strongly approving of the action of the administration in the Chinese difficulty.

The senatorial convention met after the county convention adjourned. E. W. Hooker of Maple was chairman and C. D. Marr of Fremont secretary. This year the nomination was conceded to Washington county, but unexpectedly that county had two candidates, T. B. Polling of Sheridan precinct and ex-Governor Crounse. An informal ballot resulted: Crounse, 23; Polling, 6. Dodge county voted solid for Crounse. W. J. Cook of Arlington was elected chairman of the senatorial committee. Supervisor district nominations in Dodge county resulted as follows: First district, W. H. Mead of Fremont; Third, Joseph Roberts of Elkhorn; Fifth, G. W. Walcott of Hooper; Seventh, C. M. Wormwood of Dodge. There was no contest for supervisors except in the Fifth district, where Andrew Linn was defeated for renomination, Wolcott winning on the third ballot.

FUSIONISTS GATHER SMALL CROWD.

No Enthusiasm is Shown at the North Platte Meeting.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—After ten days of advertising all over this and the surrounding counties, the fusion campaign was opened here this afternoon at a meeting which was attended by perhaps 125 persons. The star attractions were Senator Allen, G. M. Hitchcock and W. H. Thompson. Judge Neville, who was to have been one of the speakers, could not be present owing to the death of a brother at Omaha.

All of the speakers harangued the sparse audience on the subject of imperialism and made little reference to other subjects. Every effort to stir up enthusiasm was an absolute failure for the reason that a large portion of the crowd were republicans who had turned out to see if the fusion speakers really did have any arguments to make.

A Bryan club has been started here, but its roll is not increasing. The fact is that Lincoln county has grown tired of popocracy and people are satisfied with the prosperity which has visited this section during the republican administration. Of all county officers in this former stronghold of populism, only one at present is a fusionist.

Full Attendance at Fairbury.

FAIRBURY, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The republican county convention held this afternoon was fully attended, every precinct in the county being represented. R. A. Clapp was elected chairman and W. H. Adams secretary. Charles H. Denny of Fairbury was nominated for county attorney by acclamation. J. E. Mendenhall of Fairbury was nominated for representative, receiving 130 votes to 40 votes for Walter Nutter of Endicott. For county commissioner of the Third district Henry Deckmann received the unanimous vote of the convention. Hon. John D. Pape of Saline county, Judge C. B. Letton and Judge B. S. Baker of Omaha were present and made able addresses before the convention.

Shiverick Furniture Co.

Summer Sale Two weeks more of the "Special Low Prices." As we have had an exceedingly large business through the summer—much larger than we had expected—we can attribute the reason to the fact that our stock of all kinds and grades of Furniture is most complete and the prices on much of the stock is ridiculously cheap. We have purchased the goods in large quantities with big discounts for spot cash and are selling them out accordingly, in many instances the price seems ridiculously low. We quote a few of the prices taken at random and give our stock number on each piece—

We have a good strong Iron Bed—white enamel—best casters—any size—a bed generally sold for $2.50—during this sale **1.00**

No. 14 Book Case—five large shelves—very well finished—a regular $4.00 case for **2.00**

No. 420 Cane Seat Chair—brace arms—well finished, extra strong for a cheap chair—regular $1.25 chair, for, each **70c**

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COUCHES—If you intend to buy a good couch this fall, come and see our stock and get the sale price.

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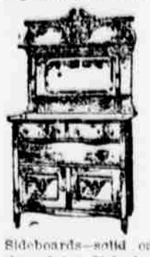
Pagamone Leather Couch—very handsome frame and stylish design of upholstering—extra wide and extra long—(see this) **20.00**



No. 307 Sideboards—solid oak—golden finish—size of top 22 inches deep, 42 inches long—beveled plate mirror—size 14x24—a regular $15 sideboard (see cut), special **9.00**

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POPULISTS GET LITTLE END

Small Consolation for Party in Division of Offices by Fusionists of Hastings.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The fusionists of this county held their county convention here today. After organization the first thing done was the appointment of conference committees to agree upon division of candidates. The committees reported that the democrats were to name the representative, the silver republicans to name the senator and populists the county attorney. On senator and county attorney the three conventions were harmonious. Upon representative the populists nominated Dorsey Warwick and the democrats nominated Max Redmond. Warwick's friends insisted on his being retained on the ticket and several of his friends warned the convention that if he was turned down there would be trouble in the camp. One reason for this is that Mr. Warwick has been a member of the reform party since the old farmers' alliance was a political factor here and his part of the county has never received recognition at the hands of the reform forces. Besides, new converts to reform have been recognized and given preference, while he has been left to labor without reward. A committee from the democratic convention reported that the democrats had given Redmond their unanimous endorsement. The populists took another vote and enough populists turned from Warwick to Redmond to give the latter a slight majority. Warwick's friends will stay away from church tomorrow to sharpen up their knives.

There was a scene in the populist convention that bodes no special good to Adams county fusionists. Bert Kernan, a prosperous farmer living in the north part of the county, was before the convention as a candidate for the legislature. The first vote taken was from his township, which gave him its unanimous vote. This gave him the right to rise and withdraw his name, which he did by saying that the court house officials, together with those at the asylum, had manipulated the conventions to suit themselves, and he withdrew from being a candidate and from the convention. He had washed his hands of fusion and will have many followers in his own and adjoining townships. In the general round-up the democrats get the representative, the silver republicans the senator and the prohibitionists the county attorney. Mr. Snider, the candidate for county attorney, has always affiliated with the prohibitionists of this county.

Republican Conventions Called.

TRENTON, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The republican electors of the Sixty-seventh representative district—Chase, Dundy, Hayes and Hitchcock counties—are called to meet in convention at Wauneta August 30, for placing in nomination a candidate for representative. Gull of Hayes Center seems to be the favorite.

The republican electors of the Twenty-ninth senatorial district—Chase, Dundy, Furnas, Frontier, Gosper, Hayes, Hitchcock and Red Willow counties—are called to meet in convention at McCook to place in nomination a candidate for state senator. Hitchcock county's convention is also to be held August 30 at Trenton.

Good reports are received from the southwestern part of the state that McKinley, Dietrich and Morlan are gaining much ground.

Republicans Convene at West Point.

WEST POINT, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The republican county convention met on adjournment this afternoon with a full attendance from all the precincts in the county. The utmost harmony and good feeling prevailed. Hon. E. K. Valentine presided and James C. Elliott acted as secretary. M. McLaughlin of West Point was nominated for county attorney by acclamation. The nomination of a representative from the Fifteenth legislative district was left to the county central committee for subsequent action. The nomination of Mr. McLaughlin is considered to be a very strong one, as he is an eminent lawyer and will draw largely from the democratic majority.

Will Open Campaign in Hastings.

HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The republican campaign will be opened in Adams county Friday evening, August 24, when John L. Webster and Charles H. Dietrich will speak in the court house. W. A. Moreland and other prominent speakers will also be present.

Nominations by Acclamation.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special Telegram.)—The republican representative convention of the Fifty-sixth district was held here today. Joseph Pigman of Georgetown and Charles E. Spafford of Gandy were nominated by acclamation. Pigman is a farmer and school teacher. He is a man of ability and a good public speaker. Spafford is a native of Nebraska, having been born in Douglas county twenty-eight years ago. He is at the present time sheriff of Logan county and very popular. Resolutions endorsing McKinley and the Philadelphia platform were adopted.

Republicans Organize for Campaign.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The republicans of Franklin precinct have organized for active campaign work and start out with a membership of twenty-five in their McKinley club. Henry Myers was chosen president and Dick Standerford secretary and treasurer. The club will meet once a month at the Franklin school house and some noted local speakers have been secured for the coming meetings.

Central Committee Called.

WEST POINT, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The democratic county central committee is called to meet August 23 for the purpose of placing in nomination its candidates for county attorney and the legislature.

Bryan Billed for Tecumseh.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—Bryan is billed to speak in Tecumseh next Wednesday at 11 o'clock.

UNION RECONSIDERS MOTION

International Typographical Body Decides that it Will Not State Its Politics.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 18.—The International Typographical union today reconsidered the proposition of Delegate Bandlow of Cleveland bearing on politics which was adopted yesterday. The measure as reconsidered was killed, the vote being two-thirds against its adoption. The proposition called for unit action of the International Typographical union upon the political field and the severing by all members of their affiliation with all political parties of the exploiting class.

A resolution of interest to publishers throughout the country was introduced by Delegate Hays of Minneapolis and adopted as follows:

Resolved, That it is the sense of the International Typographical union that subordinate unions should adopt conciliatory measures at all times when changing their scale of prices and that before any change in scale of prices is adopted, it should be submitted to all publishers who are interested. Also that the International Typographical union, when requested, shall allow a representative of the American Newspaper Publishers' association to be heard on important changes in the laws affecting their interests.

The report of the committee on tripartite agreement was made a special order this afternoon, and after a long discussion of the report the matter was referred to the executive council. The international printing pressmen's and bookbinders' unions have already appointed committees. The committees will confer at a later date to agree to some plan to avoid friction in the issuance of the joint label and other matters affecting the allied trades.

The rest of the afternoon was taken up in passing various appropriations, making minor changes in the constitution, etc.

The convention adjourned sine die at 6 o'clock.

Mothers endorse it, children like it, old folks use it. We refer to One Minute Cough Cure. It will quickly cure all throat and lung troubles.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER

Unclouded Skies with Southerly Winds Are Prognosticated for State of Nebraska.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18.—Forecast for Sunday and Monday:

Nebraska—Generally fair Sunday and Monday; southerly winds.

Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Generally fair Sunday and Monday; southerly winds.

Arkansas—Local rains, thunderstorms and cooler Sunday; Monday, fair; variable winds.

Illinois—Generally fair Sunday and Monday; light southwesterly winds.

North and South Dakota—Generally fair Sunday and Monday; southerly winds.

Missouri—Generally fair Sunday and Monday; southeasterly winds.

Colorado—Generally fair Sunday; warmer in western portion; Monday, fair; southerly winds.

Wyoming—Fair and warmer Sunday; Monday, fair; southerly winds.

Montana—Generally fair Sunday and Monday; variable winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Aug. 18.—Omaha record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

	1900.	1899.	1898.	1897.
Maximum temperature	92	88	85	75
Minimum temperature	77	72	66	54
Average temperature	85	80	76	64
Precipitation	.00	.00	.00	.00

Record of precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, 1900:

Normal temperature for this day	74
Excess for the day	11
Total excess since March 1	157
Normal rainfall	.11 inch
Deficiency for the day	.11 inch
Total rainfall since March 1	19.31 inches
Deficiency since March 1	2.15 inches
Deficiency for cor. period, 1899	1.18 inches
Deficiency for cor. period, 1898	1.92 inches

L. A. WELSH,
Local Forecast Official.

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The contracts owned and controlled at the present time are represented by the large establishments of Omaha, which accumulates paper as well as from all of the large cities in the neighborhood of Omaha.

The location of this city is such as to make it an advantageous shipping point to the paper mills, which to a large extent are located in Wisconsin, where we have the benefit of a low freight rate. We are not entirely dependent upon eastern markets, but have at our west paper mills, situated in Colorado, which makes our market a cheaper point than any other source of supply.

The contracts of this concern cover a long period for the collection of the waste paper upon which this business is dependent for its supply.

The assorting of this stock has been made successful by the importing of experienced hands to teach those of inexperience, who make their homes in Omaha, and we are at no time in danger of shut-downs on account of labor, as a surplus amount of help has been employed upon whom we can call. In addition to this the labor is not of a technical nature and not difficult for inexperienced girls to learn.

The profits from this business have been such as to justify a guarantee of 10 per cent dividends upon the stock and with a continuation of the same amount of business that has been done to August 1, 1900, the dividends will considerably exceed the amount guaranteed.

The books of this concern are open for inspection and to anyone that is interested we solicit same. Owing to large increase of business it has become necessary for us to place some of the paid non-assessable capital stock upon the market.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Total Resources	$72,006
Subscription Stock	$50,000
Net Resources	$22,000
Net Liabilities	$1,400

Make application to J. Zeigle,

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