SEEKING TO SAVE THE FIRST

Bryan Will Make a Canvass of His Old Congressional District.

FUSIONISTS DO NOT RELY ON BERGE

Fight Against Burkett is Being Made a Feature of the Popocratic Campaign in Nebraska This Fall.

LINCOLN, Sept. 21.—(Special.)—W. J. Bryan started today on a two days' speaking tour that will extend over the rural districts of Cass, Otoe and Lancaster counties. Next Wednesday evening W. J. Bryan and Attorney General Smyth will speak at Nebraska City and from there Bryan will go to Papillion for an evening meeting. His next stop will be at Blair, and after his meeting in that city he will start on the South Dakota trip that has been arranged by the national committee. It is not expected that Bryan will return to Lincoln after next week until a few days before election.

This morning Mr. Bryan and Chairman Jones held a long consultation over the long-distance telephone. Mr. Bryan expressed a preference for an evening meeting at Madison Square Garden, New York, rather than an afternoon meeting. He also agreed to have Michigan and Connecticut added to his itinerary.

The fact that Mr. Bryan has devoted so much of his time to speaking in the First congressional district is believed to be an indication that the fusionists are not placing very much reliance in the ability of George W. Berge, the congressional nominee, as a campaigner. With the exception of one or two speeches Mr. Bryan has not arranged a single date outside of the First district.

Bryan Rides an Auto.

W. J. Bryan and an automobile attracted more attention in the streets here today than all the signboards, campaign banners and street orators in the city put together. It was his first ride on a "mobe" and at its conclusion he said it was not only exciting but exhilerating. The machine in which Bryan rode is the property of Joe Wittman and as it is the only one in the city it naturally attracts considerable attention, but with Bryan in it the people looked on in amazement. Bryan started from his home on D street, went down Seventeenth street at the rate of twelve miles per hour, then turned a sharp curve on O street and sped up through the business section of the city, passing street cars and other vehicles so rapidly that everybody thought the machine was running away. By the time the automobile arrived at the depot it was setting a pace for over a dozen wheelmen, who were following along to see what was going to happen next.

Private Secretary Jewell returned this morning from Beatrice, where he represented Governor Poynter in the transfer of the Institution for Feeble Minded Youth.

"Lang has not yet settled with the state so far as I know, but I presume that he has made an accounting with Dr. Dearing at Beatrice," said Mr. Jewell. "Before I left he said he was ready to settle and would have done so at that time had he not been detained in court in his trial for resisting an officer. And, by the way, it looks pretty blue for Lang in that trial."

The home of S. S. Wilson on Maple street was entered by burglars last night. Several pieces of silverware were stolen.

Gang Works the Farmers.

RUSHVILLE, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Yesterday the sale of school lands occurred in Rushville and much interest was taken in the proceedings. A gang of cappers and strong-armed men from Lincoln were on hand. At Valentine the day before they had extorted about $100 blood money from the farmers and ranchmen of Cherry county, the plan being to hold farmers up for $10 to $25 to keep them from bidding against them. However, the gang only caught, as far as ascertained, two for blood money, Dan Hill and H. A. Peters, each of these ranchmen contributing $10 apiece. About this time they ran against the Wood-Bresee sheep combination, which refused to be bled, and on the opening of the sale W. W. Wood got up and called the leader of the gang to account for having the cappers with him and allowing them to hold up the settlers before meetings at so much per head. At the end of Mr. Wood's speech C. Patterson, a prominent fusion attorney, took the floor and called them down even more severely than Mr. Wood had done and at the conclusion of Mr. Patterson's speech the applause from the several hundred people present was deafening and lasted from ten to fifteen minutes before sufficient order could be restored to go on with the sale.

BUSINESS AT NORFOLK CONFERENCE

Changes Are Made Among the Workers of the District.

NORFOLK, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The Methodist Episcopal conference continues in session in this city. At yesterday's session four young men, Revs. D. E. Baldwin, A. E. Fowler, G. W. Kliver and N. E. Wood were advanced from the studies of the first to the second year. Eight young men, E. C. Thorpe, A. J. Warne, G. W. Shick, C. W. Davidson, W. L. Elliott, O. P. Mueller, H. G. Kemp and E. E. Hunt were advanced to the studies of the fourth year. E. W. Wilcox was contued in the studies of the third year. H. L. Powers and D. W. McGregor were elected as conference evangelists. A temperance platform meeting was held last evening under the auspices of the Anti-Saloon league. Rev. J. B. Carns, state superintendent of the league, presided. Enthusiastic addresses were made by F. M. Sanderson, D. D., of Fremont, H. A. Hornaday of Omaha, and Rev. H. N. Speer.

The session was opened this morning with devotional services by H. L. Powers. The following ministers were continued in the superanumerary relation: D. C. Winship, J. P. Leedom, J. E. Moore, J. R. Gearheart, T. W. Matthews, E. R. Adriance and J. B. Maxfield were reported as deceased.

The following were changed from supernumerary to superanuated: J. P. Roe, I. S. Levitt, Samuel Cates, T. W. Owen, B. Blain. The relation of W. A. Wilson, J. H. Brooks, W. H. Underwood was changed from supernumerary to effective. The following were changed from effective to superanumerary: E. W. Wilcox, J. W. Shenk, D. Morquette. The following persons were continued in the superanuated relation: J. Adriance, T. D. Olcott, Charles Balson, C. H. Savidge, J. L. St. Clair, H. W. Conley was reported as deceased.

The following class of probationers in the studies of the second year were advanced in their studies and were admitted into full membership in the conference: E. B. King, Joseph S. Green, H. A. Chappell, John L. Phillips, J. G. Shick. The former three were elected to deacon's orders, as were also E. B. Koontz, under the local rule. J. B. Shick was elected to elder's orders under the local rule.

United Brethren in Session.

HASTINGS, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The annual conference of the United Brethren church is in session here. Bishop Mills of Denver is presiding and S. S. Epley of Hastings was elected secretary. There were over thirty ministers that answered to the first roll call and an equal number of lay delegates were present. There was quite a heated debate yesterday on "Boundary and Finance" and the lecture of Rev. Gamble on "The Sabbath Question" was very clear and logical. There is a little trouble of some kind among the elders and the re-election of these officers promises to stir things up a little in the meeting, and, as one of the members said, "It will be the most exciting event of the conference." The conference will be in session here until Monday noon.

Pay High for Their Clock.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The supreme court has handed down a decision compelling the commissioners of Cass county to pay the Seth Thomas Clock company for the clock which adorns the court house tower. The clock was purchased of the company through one Wickersham and County Clerk Frank Dixon issued a warrant to him for the payment, but instead of sending the money to the company he appropriated it to his own use. The original cost of the timepiece was $980, but after paying the company that amount again with interest and the costs of the suit the clock will have cost the county $3,000.

Missionary Society at Norfolk.

NORFOLK, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—A meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society this afternoon was presided over by Mrs. Ida J. Mae of Fremont. Addresses were made by Mrs. Mae and Mrs. P. M. Sisson of Norfolk on work of the society. This was followed by the annual conference missionary sermon, preached by Rev. Thomas Bithel of Wayne, after which a short business session of the Conference Missionary society was held. Rev. J. N. Bothwell of Schuyler was re-elected president and Rev. C. N. Dawson of Omaha re-elected secretary.

Escape from Flood.

FREMONT, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The only Fremont people or former residents of this city known to have been in Galveston, Tex., during the storm of week before last were James Clark and family, who recently removed to that city. Their friends here were unable to get any word from them and it was feared that the entire family were among the dead. This week a letter was received from Miss Annie Clark by a friend of the family stating that they all escaped uninjured after some very exciting experiences in the water and darkness.

Decide Against Railroad.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The supreme court has decided that the Missouri Pacific Railway company must pay W. K. Fox, administrator of the estate of Amos Thompson, the sum of $5,000 for killing Thompson near Union while employed as brakeman for the company. This is the third time the case has gone to the supreme court.

County Fair at Auburn.

AUBURN, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The county fair is being held in Auburn this week and so far it eclipses all former meetings. The trades display and flower parade that took place at 1 o'clock yesterday were simply immense and will be repeated at 1 tomorrow.

Electric Lights for Madison.

MADISON, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The electric light proposition was submitted to the voters of Madison yesterday and it was carried by a large majority. The plant which will be put in is for street lighting purposes only. A light vote was polled.

Lang is Found Guilty.

BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—In the case of Grimes vs. Lang, on trial for the last two days, the jury returned a verdict finding Lang guilty of resisting an officer and he was fined one dollar and costs by Judge Swiler.

Fusion Meeting at Greeley.

GREELEY, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The followers of fusion held their first meeting at the court house last night. Tom Doyle of Lincoln and Judge Munn, who is holding court here this week, were announced to speak.

Big Rally at Hoag.

BEATRICE, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—Colonel Edgar and others of the local candidates addressed a rousing meeting at Hoag tonight. Great enthusiasm was manifested and the turnout was large.

STERLING MORTON'S OCTOPUS

William Jennings Bryan Will Annihilate His Old Friend's Private Trust.

INTENDS TO BEARD IT IN ITS LAIR

Nebraska City People Will Be Told What a Terrible Thing the Argo Starch Company's Plant Really Is.

SYRACUSE, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—W. J. Bryan spoke to a fine audience here today. The meeting was opened by Mr. Oldham, who stated that he was the free show before the circus commenced. He spoke truly—he was a show. He insulted Roosevelt, said he was led into an ambush and had two negro regiments killed and was rescued by General Wheeler. Mr. Bryan was in good voice. The day was ideal. Republicans, democrats and populists were well represented.

The speaker announced that he would not talk on trusts now, but on account of local reasons he would speak next Wednesday night in Nebraska City on trusts. In fighting a disease he said he must go where the disease is. He advanced the usual arguments on imperialism, militarism and blmetalism. He said there was not the prosperity republicans think there is. There is not as much as there was and what there is they are not responsible for.

Mr. Bryan appealed to the spirit of disloyalty when he attacked the republican party on account of the Philippine question by saying that republicans wanted to trade in blood, asking the question: "How much are 2,000 dead bodies worth?" He pleaded for the Boers and accused republicans of lack of sympathy. One incident occurred that was laughable. When Mr. Bryan stopped on Main street one enthusiastic fusionist called for three cheers for Bryan, but after calling his three times three there was not even one cheer. We noticed houses today displaying the national colors that fail to do so on Independence day.

Mr. Bryan announced that in his speech at Nebraska City next Wednesday evening he would discuss the trust question because of the presence there of the starch combination. He said that the democrats believe as much in tariff reform as they had in 1892, as much in the free coinage of silver as they had in 1896, but neither of these was the issue of supreme importance now.

LARGE CROWD AT STREET FAIR.

Wayne is Taking a Holiday and Many People Visit the Carnival.

WAYNE, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—The day dawned beautiful for the street fair carnival here, beginning this morning. Never was any city of like size so beautifully decorated and the many booths are models of beauty. The business men here acquitted themselves splendidly. A large crowd has been in attendance and everything moved off in first-class order. The Wayne Cora Palace, Pender and Laurel bands furnished excellent music throughout the day and the speaking and splendid vaudeville performances were listened to and witnessed by hundreds of people.

Tonight the electric display is beautiful and would be a credit to a city many times larger than Wayne. There are many side attractions and, taken all in all, it is said by those who have attended other street fairs to be among the best, if not excelling anything, they have ever seen. There is amusement for all and thousands of people will be here tomorrow, the big day.

Hon. H. R. Catlin of Terre Haute, Ind., will deliver a republican address. An excursion will be run from Sioux City, accompanied by the Knights of Pythias band.

Wayne and Ponca played an interesting game of ball this afternoon, resulting in favor of Wayne. Score, 6 to 2.

NOMINATIONS ARE MADE AT LEIGH.

Republican County Convention Puts a Strong Ticket in the Field.

LEIGH, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—The republican county convention convened at Leigh at 1:30 p. m. D. M. Cameron, chairman of the county central committee, called the meeting to order and Donald McLeod was made chairman, Charles H. Stockdale, secretary, and W. T. Howard, assistant secretary.

The convention proceeded to nominations and W. H. Herman of Clarkson was nominated for state representative, F. J. Eveitt of Schuyler, county attorney, and John Stevens of Leigh for county commissioner, First district. All of these men are exceptionally strong candidates and the chances of their election are flattering. There was a full delegation from nearly every precinct in the county and the convention was a continual love feast.

Hon. Edward C. Fitch of Chicago was present and addressed the convention on the issues of the day. John R. Hays, candidate for congress, Third district, spoke at the opera house in the evening to a large and enthusiastic crowd.

Small Crowd to Hear Donata.

HOWELL, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—The first fusion speech of the campaign at Howell proved to be a dismal failure. A. Z. Donata of Omaha, formerly of this county, was billed to speak tonight to the Bohemians of Howell, but the crowd failed to materialize, much to the disappointment of the speaker. Donata was formerly a republican officeholder and seeker of Schuyler, but lately flopped. He has been sent out to convert the Bohemian citizens of this part of the state. He fears that the republican party is going to ruin the country, so he left it. The truth of the matter is he has several sore spots where the republican county convention of two years ago sat down upon him when he was a seeker for the county clerkship. Such men as Donata do a party no good and the Bohemians of Colfax county are too wise to be fooled by him.

Resignation Was Predicted.

LYONS, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The resigning of J. H. Emley of Wisner, the fusion nominee for state senator for Burt and Cuming counties, has been predicted by the republicans here for some time. It has also been a foregone conclusion that Mr. Latta, the banker of Tekamah, will be appointed by the senatorial committee to fill the vacancy. It has been recognized by both parties in Burt county that Mr. Latta would be the only man that the fusion party could put on the ticket that could possibly poll more than his party vote in this county. Unless Mr. Kloke, the republican nominee, could cut down the 600 fusion majority heretofore in Cuming county it will no doubt leave the election of senator extremely doubtful for either party.

Campaign Opens at Grant.

GRANT, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Hon. T. Mercier of Imperial, Neb., addressed the people of Grant and vicinity at the court house last night upon the issues of the campaign under the auspices of the Grant McKinley and Roosevelt club. This is the first speech of the campaign at Grant from either side. The weather was cold and threatening, almost a hurricane was blowing from the west, which kept the country people from coming in as they intended and many town people were afraid to venture out.

Rally at Weeping Water.

WEEPING WATER, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special Telegram.)—The democrats held a big rally here tonight. A special train of four coaches from Plattsmouth and intermediate points, bringing two bands and a large crowd, arrived early and at 8 o'clock in the City park the speaking commenced.

W. D. Oldham, candidate for attorney general, spoke for about half an hour and was followed by Mr. Bryan, who talked on the money question, tariff, trusts, imperialism and militarism and made a final appeal for himself, also the legislative and state ticket. He promised all kinds of reform if elected and endeavored to prove with extracts from Lincoln that the democratic party and Lincoln agreed in many particulars.

REASONS FOR CHANGING

Resident of Hamilton County Tells Why He is Not Satisfied with Populist Party.

AURORA, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The voters of Hamilton county are becoming interested in the political campaign and numerous changes in favor of the republicans are reported. Among these is Mr. B. O. Bergeson, an old resident of this county and a prosperous farmer, who gives his reasons for changing to McKinley, as follows:

I was a populist and an ardent supporter of Bryan in 1896 and was chairman of the county committee, but I shall vote and work for McKinley this year. My reasons for this are that times are better than I expected and are satisfactory in every way. I am disgusted at the way the fusion party interfered with the government in the operations in the Philippines. It looked to me a good deal like the copperheadism of 1861-5. I am for my country and when its interests or good name are attacked by enemies abroad or at home I am for the administration every time.

B. O. BERGESON.

Fusionists Fail to Fuse.

NIOBRARA, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Chairman Jones and P. L. Hall of the democratic state committee and O. W. Hendee of the populist state committee met the democratic central committee of Knox and Boyd counties yesterday, who had assembled to persuade Hon. Charles Crockett to withdraw from the race for representative of the district. The populists at a meeting at Verdigris last Friday decided not to fuse, and when the democrats assembled they found no populists here to give them cheer, except Mr. Crockett, who would have nothing whatever to do with them. The democrats adjourned angry and will wage a bitter fight for J. K. Schmidt.

Republicans Strong at Ong.

ONG, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—One of the most enthusiastic political meetings ever held here was held last evening. The hall was full of voters and a large number of women. One of the best speeches ever given here was delivered by C. H. Deney of Fairbury, who put forth some very strong arguments. A McKinley and Roosevelt club of fifty-eight members was organized, which will be increased to 100 or more within ten days, out of a total vote of 225 in the township. We know of nine who voted for Bryan four years ago who say they will vote the republican ticket this year.

Welcome for Roosevelt.

NORFOLK, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Big preparations are being made for the Roosevelt meeting on October 4. All railroads centering here make rates for the occasion. People from all surrounding towns have expressed their intention of attending. It will be the most important political gathering of the campaign.

The McKinley and Roosevelt club was addressed last night by W. W. Young of Stanton, republican candidate for state senator. He spoke about two hours on the issues of the campaign and held the closest attention of his hearers.

Fitch Speaks to Veterans.

MADISON, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Edward Churchill Fitch of Chicago spoke at Grand Army of the Republic hall last night on the issues from a republican standpoint. The train on which Mr. Fitch came was an hour and a half late and it was 10 o'clock before the speaker reached the hall, and there was still a large audience in the room. Mr. Fitch is an eloquent speaker with an excellent flow of language and he hit democracy a stunning blow. He briefly took up the issues, but dwelt upon imperialism to a greater length than any other topic.

Speeches at Plattsmouth.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Ex-Grand Master Workman J. R. Sovereign discussed the political issues of the campaign in White's hall last evening to a good audience. Imperialism was the chief question discussed, although he touched on the money question, trusts and the dinner bucket.

During the same time Mrs. Marion Todd of Michigan, who is said to be one of the most talented women of America, spoke in Waterman's hall for the middle-of-the-roaders.

Shaw Speaks at Scribner.

SCRIBNER, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Governor Shaw of Iowa addressed about 1,500 people here this evening, the opera house being filled to overflowing with enthusiastic republicans. Hooper sent up a large delegation headed by the band of that place. It was a strikingly good meeting, and the able discussion of the money question and the Philippine situation by Governor Shaw awakened generous recognition and touched responsive chords in the hearts of his audience.

Democrats' Day at Fair.

OSCEOLA, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—Yesterday was the day at the Polk county fair for the democrats and everything had been done by the management to make it a big day of the fair and split everything wide open, but it did not pan out, for there was not more than half as many there as the day before. The speaker was Judge W. H. Thompson of Grand Island, who they call the wheelhorse of democracy in Hall county.

Republican Rally at Wausa.

WAUSA, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The republican campaign in Knox county was opened last night at this place. An audience that packed the hall to the doors greeted the speakers, Hon. John R. Hays, Captain Brown and R. H. Catlin.

Republicans of this section are confident of victory. A large number of former Bryanites have gotten into the band wagon of prosperity.

Campaign Opens at Belden.

BELDEN, Neb., Sept. 21.—(Special.)—The campaign here was opened last evening by a speech by Hon. Fremont Everett of Lyons. The hall was well filled and the remarks of the speaker were enthusiastically received.

The prospects in this precinct are very bright for the republicans. The majority here will be about double what it was four years ago.

Changes in the Annex.

The Treasury department has approved the changes in the plan of the postoffice annex suggested by the postmaster, with the approval of the custodian and the superintendent of construction. The proposed changes include the construction of a bath for the use of clerks and carriers, a lunch room for female clerks, the placing of the stairway leading from the work room to the carriers' swing room in the south end of the building, besides the use of two doors for the receipt and forwarding of mail and the placing of platform scales in the floor of the [illegible]

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JUDGE DEWITT C. NELLES

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JUDGE DEWITT C. NELLES, OF TOPEKA, KAS.

Hon. Judge Dewitt C. Nelles, of Topeka, Kas., was for eight years District Attorney for the Northwestern quarter of Kansas, and is at present Judge of the District Court in the Seventeenth Judicial District. This prominent Kansas gentleman is a great believer in Peruna, the famous catarrh remedy, and writes the following letter concerning it.

Topeka, Kan.

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio:—

Gentlemen. "As I am particularly liable to catch cold, which at once settles in catarrh and seriously affects my hearing, I am indeed pleased with the help I have found since using Peruna. After a severe attack, a bottle never fails to restore me fully to health, and I find that by using it occasionally, it keeps me in good condition, and prevents me from catching cold. It is a fine tonic, and I accord it my hearty endorsement."

In systemic catarrh there is more or less catarrh of every organ in the body. The catarrh may have originated in the head or throat, but it has finally pervaded the whole system. It produces a wretched condition. The mucous membranes of the whole body refuse to do their work properly. Sight, hearing and taste are slightly affected. The lungs are weak, the voice husky. The tonsils are red and inflamed. The stomach does not digest food well. The liver acts sluggishly.

Peruna cures catarrh wherever located. As soon as Peruna removes systemic catarrh the digestion becomes good, appetite regular, nerves strong, and trouble vanishes. Peruna strengthens weak nerves, not by temporarily stimulating them, but by removing the cause of weak nerves—systemic catarrh. This is the only cure that lasts. Remove the cause; Nature will do the rest. Peruna removes the cause.

Mr. T. Sherman Bryan, writing to Dr. Hartman, says: "I have been using Peruna for some time past and wish to testify as to its great value in cases of catarrh. My whole system was permeated with catarrh for several years. After using Peruna I find that I am greatly improved and cannot speak too highly in praise of your great medicine. It has given me a new lease on life."

Mr. T. Sherman Bryan is a cousin of William Jennings Bryan, late candidate for President, and namesake of General William T. Sherman.

W. H. B. Williams, of Columbus, O., publisher of The Farmers' Industrial Union, says: "I have used Peruna as a family medicine for several years. I find it of especial use for myself. I have had several tedious spells with systemic catarrh and before using Peruna I had tried several other remedies with little or no success. But in Peruna I found a prompt and sure cure. I always keep the remedy, which promptly relieves any attack.

W. H. B. Williams.

"My wife also uses Peruna. We always keep it in the house as a family medicine. We think it an excellent remedy for the various ills to which children are subject."

Hon. A. M. Lea, United States District Attorney for the Southern District of Mississippi, received his appointment by President Harrison, and also by President McKinley. In a letter written from Vicksburg, Miss., he says: "I am more than pleased with the benefits derived from Peruna, and have recommended it to all my friends, both as a tonic and catarrh cure. If I had been lucky enough to have seen it years ago, Peruna would have saved me much inconvenience. I can never be too thankful to you for the benefits received from your valuable remedy."

Address The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O., for a free book on catarrh.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION MEETS

President Asa Taylor's Political Course is Upheld by a Decisive Vote.

By a vote of 27 to 10 the Central Labor union last night decided to place itself at the mercy of the political charlatans and to be again used as trading stock to advance the political ambitions of office seekers.

This decision was arrived at late in the evening after a long and acrimonious debate, in which personalities were indulged in to a measure seldom seen in the meeting of the central body.

W. H. Bell introduced a resolution, saying:

Resolved, by the Central Labor union that no member of the organization is empowered or has been empowered to speak for or represent the Central Labor union on political matters.

President Asa Taylor was on the floor at once protesting against its passage. He said that while he had not been guilty of the practices mentioned, yet the resolution was aimed at him. This brought up a discussion of Taylor's course in the late republican convention.

Ed Copenharve of South Omaha said that Taylor in endeavoring to have certain persons nominated by the convention was speaking for organized labor.

The president took exceptions to Copenharve's remarks and said that in the convention he never pretended to represent the organized labor of Omaha, but represented a political association and the Union Labor club, a political association of South Omaha, composed of union workingmen.

Delegate Willis of the Pressman's union stated that the South Omaha organization was composed of men not identified with organized labor, together with a few who held cards; that at the meetings not more than fifteen men were present and all but two of them were opposed to the party upon whom Taylor was trying to force candidates.

Taylor denounced all the reports circulated against him as lies and on a vote his position was sustained.

The law committee previous to this reported its action before the county commissioners in asking that the submission of the rural railway bond proposition be postponed until the Central Labor union should have time to investigate the matter. It also reported a resolution in opposition to the scheme, which, after much discussion, was adopted by a vote of 33 to 10. In the discussion the argument became so heated that for a time it looked as though several of the members would come to blows. The resolution as adopted was:

Whereas, the Central Labor union of Omaha is opposed to the voting of bonds to help private enterprise, we submit the following protest to the honorable board of county commissioners of Douglas county, Nebraska:

Resolved, We, the Central Labor union of Omaha hereby respectfully and earnestly protest against the submission at the coming election of any proposition to vote bonds of Douglas county to aid in building electric or other railways.

The secretary was instructed to present the resolutions to the commissioners this morning.

A personal discussion between Fred M. Youngs and M. T. White resulted in the disorganization of the arbitration committee, Mr. Youngs having to resign because of his nomination as republican candidate for the legislature and Mr. White resigning through pique. While resignations were falling in W. H. Bell resigned from the organization committee. The arbitration committee was temporarily reorganized by the appointment of Charles Robinson and L. A. Marsh to fill vacancies.

Troubles of the Meat Cutters' union were referred to the arbitration committee with power to act.

The union adjourned until the first Friday in October.

Wrote His Firm's Name.

R. J. McElhany, a young man employed as solicitor by George Heimbaugh & Co., the general book agents having offices in the Ware block, wanted to get rich quick and adopted a method which is occasionally successful. He forged the name of his employer to three checks Friday. One of $10 and another of $4 were successfully worked off at Pete Boysen's saloon, Sixteenth and Capitol avenue. The third, calling for $6, was found on his person when arrested by Detectives Savage and Dunn. He was held at the city jail for trial.

Building Permits.

The city building inspector has issued the following permits: John R. Ringwalt, 1217 South Sixteenth, frame porch, $100; Kirschbaum & Sons, 1211 Howard, repairs to storeroom, $400; John Emerick, 1516 North Twentieth, repairs, $100.

PRINTERS HOLD A SESSION

Delegates to the Omaha Typothetae Will Attend National Convention at Kansas City.

Samuel Rees, A. H. Comstock and Thomas Klopp have been chosen by the Omaha Typothetae as delegates to the national convention which will meet in Kansas City next Tuesday.

The coming convention will be one of the most important in the history of the society, which was primarily organized for the purpose of creating a more friendly feeling among competing master printers and to establish prices for work. At the present meeting the question of effecting closer organization will be considered, including the establishment of national headquarters with officers on a salary in charge. The Kansas City delegation will favor this plan, and they will also ask that a fund be created for use in case of strikes by journeymen employed by members of the association.

Kansas City is making great preparations for the entertainment of the visitors and a week's program has been arranged which will conclude with a banquet at the Baltimore hotel on which several thousand dollars will be expended. At the time the Typothetae is in session the convention of the National Electrotypers' association will assemble.

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.

NO EXCUSE FOR UNTIDINESS

Mayor Has Difficulty in Appreciating that Dirty Streets Are Unforeseen Act of Providence.

Mayor Moores has not yet signed the resolution passed by the council which provides for the cleaning of streets during the remainder of the year under the emergency clause of the city charter. In discussing the matter he said:

"I am not sure about this proposed plan for carrying on the street cleaning and have not decided whether it would be legal. It is quite a stretch of imagination to declare dirty streets an unforeseen act of Providence, and I do not wish to sanction any measure which is likely to get the city into trouble."

City Attorney Connell is also much in doubt as to the legality of certificates of indebtedness issued for street cleaning under the emergency clause. He believes, however, that certificates for cleaning during the carnival week could be defended as emergency work, because it would be dangerous to allow all additional refuse matter to remain in the streets.

Arranging for State Convention.

Mrs. W. A. Apperson of Tekamah, president of the Nebraska Federation of Woman's clubs, is in the city, arranging the program of the state convention, which will be held next week in Lincoln. The convention will be the largest and most interesting of any convention of the federation, there now being ninety-three allied clubs. Among the distinguished guests to be present are Octave Thanet, Mrs. Sarah S. Platt-Decker of Denver and Mrs. Low of Atlanta, Ga., president of the national federation.

FIRES WILL BE IN ORDER

Washington Prognosticator Predicts Colder Weather for Sunday with Westerly Winds.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 21.—Forecast for Saturday and Sunday:

For Nebraska, North and South Dakota—Fair, Saturday; cooler Sunday; westerly winds.

For Illinois—Fair, Saturday and Sunday; warmer in northern portion, Saturday; variable winds.

For Western Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Indian Territory and Arkansas—Showers, Saturday and Sunday; east to southeast winds.

For Iowa—Fair, Saturday and Sunday; southerly winds.

For Missouri—Fair, in northern part showers; fair in southern portion.

For Colorado, Wyoming and Montana—Fair, Saturday and Sunday; westerly winds.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Sept. 21.—Official record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

	1900.	1899.	1898.	1897.
Maximum temperature	78	81	83	84
Minimum temperature	48	59	46	50
Average temperature	63	66	74	67
Precipitation	.00	.00	.00	.00

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

Normal temperature for the day	65
Deficiency for the day	5
Normal precipitation	.10 inch
Deficiency for the day	.10 inch
Total rainfall since March 1	1.83 inches
Deficiency since March 1	22.83 inches
Deficiency for cor. period 1899	4.04 inches
Deficiency for cor. period 1898	2.36 inches

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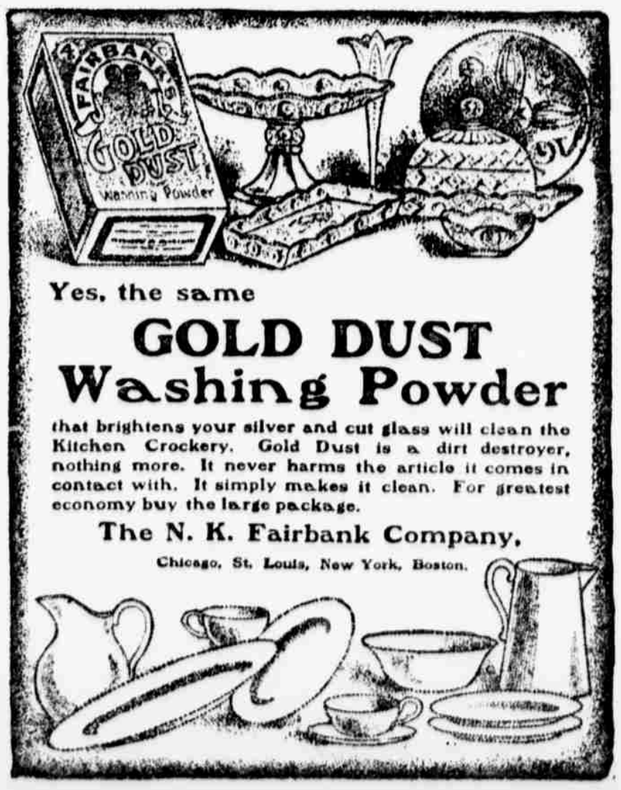
2. Waltz—"Forest Charms" ..... Vollstedt
3. Polpourrie—"Creme de la Creme" ..... Laurandeau
4. "Mosquito Parade" ..... Whitney

Twenty Minutes' Intermission.

5. Overture—"Light Cavalry" ..... Suppe
6. Cornet Duet—"Jack and Jill" ..... Bohlmann
   Messrs. Bellstedt and Jones.
7. "Happy Humming Hottentots" ..... Barnard
8. "American Fantasie" ..... Herbert

Admission, afternoon to any seat in pavilion, 25 cents; Children, 10 cents. Evening concert, admission 35 cents. Reserved seats, 10 cents extra. Concert begins at 8 o'clock sharp.



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