

BRING ROMONE TO LINCOLN

Sheriff of Scotts Bluff County Unwilling to Be Responsible.

MERCER FILES CAMPAIGN STATEMENT

Asks that the Renomination Cost Himself and Friends Only a Little Over Three Hundred Dollars.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special.)—Dr. Romine, the former Mitchell merchant, who is accused of having defrauded jobbers in Omaha and elsewhere out of some aggregating \$40,000, and who was apprehended in Massachusetts while living there under an assumed name and with his beard shaven off, was brought to Lincoln today and lodged in the county jail for safe keeping until the date of his trial, which is set for December 15. Since his return from Massachusetts he has been in jail in Scotts Bluff county. Sheriff R. C. Campbell of that county has also presented to the state authorities his bill for bringing Romine back, but owing to the fact that the \$15,000 appropriation made by the last session for payment of officers and the expense of bringing in fugitives from justice is exhausted, the bill was approved but not paid.

Mercer's Campaign Expenses.

David H. Mercer's certificate of expenses incurred in the campaign for the nomination for congress has been filed with the secretary of state, in which he ostensibly sets forth all sums of money contributed, disbursed and expended by him in endeavoring to secure and in securing his renomination. It shows that on the 18th of September he paid Charles A. Goss, chairman of the county committee, \$163; that September 17 to 19 he paid for printing cards and tickets for Omaha, South Omaha and country precincts, to various printers in the two cities, \$16; that from September 1 to 29 he paid to Rubens, Robertson, Collins and others for livery, and divers persons for hotel expenses, \$81; that he paid \$15 for rent of Washington hall. The total is \$335. Attached to this statement is the affidavit of Mercer that it is as true and full an account of each and all sums and other things of value directly or indirectly contributed, disbursed, expended or promised by him, and to the best of his knowledge and belief, by any and all others, with his procurement, in his behalf, or in any way in connection with his nomination to the office of place of representative in congress, and that of the date when the person or persons to whom and the purposes for which each such contribution, payment or expenditure was made, and the person or persons by whom made when not directly by himself, as can be made at this time.

Will Go to Omaha.

A big delegation of Lincoln people will go to Omaha tomorrow evening. The Burlington will run a special train, leaving here at 6:10 and returning about midnight. The Elkhorn will also run a special and the Missouri Pacific will attach an extra car to its regular night train from Omaha to Lincoln. The Ak-Sar-Ben parade is the attraction, and among the members of the Commercial club an effort is being made to show a good-sized testimonial of Lincoln people to the enterprise of the metropolis.

Strike is Settled.

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Mrs. Sheely Divorced.

Mrs. Carrie A. Sheely, wife of Charles G. Sheely, a prominent and wealthy bridge builder of this city, was divorced today from her husband on the ground of extreme cruelty.

Henry Buttgenbach, a well-to-do Centerville farmer, filed today a petition in which he told the court that he had only a few years to live and these he desired to pass in peace and happiness. He had tried time and again to please his wife, but the desire of one day was the aversion of the next and that after forty-three years trying to find out what she did want had to give it up. He says that for the past five years his wife has spoken to him only to scold and that their house is divided into hostile camps, with his daughter occupying the middle room, himself the south end and his wife the north end rooms.

Omaha People Wed.

U. S. Engle of Omaha was married Monday evening to Mrs. Leslie M. Hirsch at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Charles Robinson, 423 North Tenth street. Mr. Robinson is a railroad man.

N. J. C. Lund of Omaha was united in marriage last evening to Miss Jennie H. Nelson of Lincoln. The ceremony was performed at the Danish Lutheran church. The

groom is engaged in the commission business in Omaha.

State Committee Meeting.

Notice has been sent out by Chairman Lindsay for a meeting of the state committee to be held at the Lincoln hotel, Lincoln, Tuesday, October 7, at 8 p. m. The object of the meeting is to take a survey of the campaign up to date and to discuss future campaign work.

Notes from the Capital.

J. H. Blair also files a certificate of his expenses in connection with his race for the nomination for district judge. It shows that he spent \$24.50 for circulating the petition and filing lists of delegates, \$2 for printing of cards, \$10 for their circulation and \$5 toward the expenses of the Eighth Ward Republican club. He also shows that he still owes \$6 for the printing of sample ballots.

The Waco Telephone company has filed articles of incorporation for the construction and operation of telephone lines and exchange at Waco and York counties. Its authorized capital is \$25,000 and its incorporators are J. A. Gilbert and twenty-five others.

A certificate of the nomination of Thomas B. Fraser of Auburn as the proponent for candidate for congress in the First district was filed today with the secretary of state.

State Superintendent Fowler has gone to Dodge county to do some campaigning in company with Mr. McCarthy, candidate for congress in the Third district, and will be absent for several days.

Chairman Lindsay of the republican state central committee has just received intelligence from the national congressional committee that Hon. Leslie M. Shaw, secretary of the treasury, will speak at Wayne Saturday, October 25, and at Omaha on the Monday following.

Floyd Edwards, a lad of 17 years, has just been brought to the penitentiary for a sentence of thirteen months for horse theft in Grant county.

Lieutenant Governor Steels came up from Fairbury today to officiate as governor in the absence of Governor Savage. There was an application for a requisition needing executive attention, a meeting of the state board of purchase of supplies and an address to be delivered tomorrow at the opening of the new wing of St. Elizabeth hospital. The meeting of the state board of purchase and supplies will be in session for two days or more completing the contracting for the quarterly supplies at the state institutions.

E. C. Hill of Dorsey and H. A. Tolcott of Crete have been added to the list of delegates already announced by the governor to attend the farmers' national congress at Macon, Ga.

HAS TROUBLE OVER A DRAFT

Reason Assigned for the Suicide of John Muir of Milford.

SEWARD, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—The investigation at Milford last night as to the cause of the death of John Muir developed that Muir had recently bargained for a farm and drew a eight draft on the Beaver Crossing bank, where he claimed to have \$1,000 deposited, which seemed to have been an error. Just before shooting himself he called the cashier of the Beaver Crossing bank to the telephone and talked with him a few minutes, then went into the room in the printing office and wrote a note requesting that \$2,000 be given to Elmer, his 2-year-old son, and the balance of his property to his wife. He then placed four cartridges in a revolver, got down on the floor and shot himself four times in the right side. When Dr. Brandon arrived life was extinct. Mr. Muir was about 31 years old, and leaves a wife and one son.

WEAR DOWN THE POPULISTS

Democrats Insist on Naming Candidate and Finally Carry Point.

SEWARD, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—The fusion senatorial convention met here today at 1 o'clock and after three hours of quarrelling as to which party should have the office, the populists finally gave in and allowed the democrats to name their man. C. F. Kautzer of Bellwood, Butler county, finally won out and was nominated by both conventions.

GENEVA, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special.)—Two conventions were held here yesterday.

They met in separate tents but were of one mind. The populists nominated J. K. Waring, a free silver republican, for county attorney and Peter Egenberger, Jr., for representative. The democrats were not greedy and were contented with the nomination of I. N. Trask for representative.

Change in Pastors a Surprise.

SCHUYLER, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special.)—The change in pastors of the Methodist church was a great surprise to the membership, there having been scarcely a thought of anything but that Rev. J. P. Yost, who has been here two years, would be returned. He is strongly in favor in the congregation and among the citizens, and the work in his charge was in prime condition, the membership having increased and the church prospered financially under his incumbency.

More Rain at Schuyler.

SCHUYLER, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special.)—An inch of rain, in addition to the fall of an inch and half last week, leaves the ground in prime condition for all fall work. There is much hay out yet, one party having 400 acres still standing.

HAS THE FARMERS SHUT OUT

Ground Between Upper and Nether Millstones of Railroad and Elevator Combina.

MUST PAY TOLL TO MARKET HIS CROPS

Railroad Says to Him "Keep Right on Raising Grain, but Do Not Attempt to Build an Elevator to Handle It."

BENEDICT, Neb., Sept. 28.—To the Editor of The Bee: I will give you a little more light on the subject of the Farmers' elevator company at Benedict, Neb., and how they are being helped by the officials of the B. & M. railroad and the grain dealers in Nebraska. In June, 1902, 125 of the best farmers in the north part of York county organized an elevator company with a capital stock of \$10,000, to build and operate a grain elevator in the village of Benedict. We have since cash in the bank, but the B. & M. positively refused to grant us a location on any of its sidetracks and refuses to lay a spur.

Now, why is it it does not want to haul our freight, which it would surely do if we built an elevator? Can it be that the officials own and operate the elevators, or the majority of them, in Nebraska? Is it the B. & M. or the grain association that sets the price of grain in all the surrounding towns each and every day? Why is it the same price at all the points? Are all of the same mind at the same time? One dare not overbid the other without permission from the grain trust, but they will let us plow our ground, sow our seed, harvest our grain, allow us to stack and thresh it, but when we haul a load to town, they say "Halt! You can go no farther. We will take care of it. You have no right to sell where you can get a better price. We will give you what we please. Unload and get home for another load. We have the railroads on our side and you cannot help yourself."

Whose side should the railroads be on? The farmers came here before there were any towns and railroads. We were chosen for them to build the railroad. We turned the desert which the Indian and wild beast roamed over into fields of waving grain and lowing herds. The grain dealer comes in after we have made the country what it is and says, "You must give me from 6 to 8 cents per bushel out of your crop. You have no right to do your own business."

Would not the farmers be justified in advising their friends in the east when they come west on a visit to come over some other road than the B. & M., if possible, or going east the same? Is there no law that will give us the same privilege as other patrons? If not, could we not have such a law passed in our next legislature. Is it not understood when they get their charter that they should not discriminate against their patrons?

If Missouri has a right to investigate a beef trust, has not Nebraska a right to investigate an elevator trust? If the B. & M. has a right to say how many elevators a town can have, has it not the same right to say how many stores it shall have; how many blacksmith shops or how many can buy tickets to go from one point to another? A. LANG.

NEW TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

FREMONT, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special.)—At the regular meeting of the city council last evening the Farmers Telephone company asked for a franchise permitting them to extend their line to a point in this city. The company has made a trade arrangement with the new telephone company, which has commenced putting in an exchange here, and intends to extend its line to the central office of the new concern. The petition was referred to the committee on public works, which has already extended their line to the city. The independent telephone company has its wire and material on hand and has already commenced work. It expects to have the poles set before the ground freezes, and everything in working order by January 1.

Opponents Get Chummy.

GRAND ISLAND, Oct. 1.—(Special.)—Hon. J. H. Mickey, the republican candidate, and Hon. W. H. Thompson, the democratic nominee for governor, arrived in the city last evening on the same train. Coming into Grand Island they occupied the same car, and had a pleasant chat at the club which Mr. Thompson invited Mr. Mickey to be his guest for the night. However, as Mr. Mickey was compelled to leave on a very early train the invitation was declined. Mr. Mickey shook hands with a number of republicans last evening at the hotel and expressed much satisfaction with the conditions as appearing at the present time.

Drops Dead in a Bank.

BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—H. Bates, a prominent resident of this city, expired suddenly in the First National bank, falling from a stool today. Medical assistance was summoned, but he was dead when the physicians arrived. The body was removed to an undertaking establishment, where a coroner's inquest was held. The verdict reached was that death was due to apoplexy. Deceased was 43 years of age and leaves a widow and one son. He had disposed of his dairy farm near Beatrice and was preparing to locate in Houston, Tex.

Domestic Relations Not Pleasant.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special.)—Neighbors of Mrs. Elias Young, the woman who attempted suicide here Sunday night, think they know the probable reason that the woman desired to end her existence. Two of Mr. Young's daughters by a former marriage, aged 14 and 16 years, live with the deceased family. It is said the quarrels between the family and the daughters are not pleasant. However, Mrs. Young says she gets along well with the family. The woman is doing nicely, and will be as well as ever in a few days.

Trustee for Grocery.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special.)—At the hearing yesterday in the bankruptcy proceedings of Carter & Vaught, the late grocery firm of this city, F. R. Butterfield was appointed trustee of the stock of goods, and Messrs. P. H. Jussen, M. H. Felt and L. H. Howe named as appraisers. The liabilities are said to be in the neighborhood of \$4,500, with assets of only a small per cent of this amount.

Dodge County Mortgage Record.

FREMONT, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special.)—The following is the mortgage record of Dodge county for the month of September: Chattel mortgages filed 77, amount \$29,737; released 20, amount \$6,963.10; farm mortgages recorded 12, amount \$27,400; released 15, amount \$23,050; town and city mortgages recorded 19, amount \$12,219.46; released 11, amount \$3,853.66.

Has Big Apple Crop.

YORK, Oct. 1.—(Special.)—Apples are so plentiful in York county that the local markets took a decided drop this week. Drops of bushels have been shipped west and car loads will be shipped this month to western points in this state. The quality is the very best, rivaling in size and taste apple of eastern states.

Name Judge Wall for Senator.

KEARNEY, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special Telegram.)—Telephone advices from Bellevue at 4 o'clock this afternoon were to the effect that the republican convention had nominated Judge Wall of Loup City by acclamation. Judge Wall had been called away on business and was not present when the nomination was made.

Chicken Hunters Start Out.

GRAND ISLAND, Oct. 1.—(Special.)—The chicken season opening today there has been a general exodus of hunters into the sand hills this morning. Quite a number arrived from eastern points last evening and got out on the early Ord and Loup City trains this morning.

Fasten Legislative Candidates.

FAIRBURY, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special.)—The fusion delegates from Jefferson and Thayer counties met here yesterday and

of Fillmore county to concede the nomination this year to York county, claiming that there is disaffection amongst leading old-time republicans of Fillmore county—the Sloan and the Younger factions—and for this reason a York county nominee would stand a much better chance of election. The fusionists of Fillmore county are not in favor of this and a number of them are urging the candidacy of John Christianity, and this week Mr. Christianity was over here in consultation with fusionists.

It is possible that at the next fusionist senatorial convention they will have a merry time. No nominee that they make here in York can carry York county, and Robert Sloan, the republican nominee of Geneva, cannot be beaten.

Youngster Gets to Wrong Town.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special.)—Pierre Olson, a young Swede who had recently landed from the old country, was stranded in this city Sunday through an error of the railroad officials in Boston who supplied his ticket. He was bound for Sertorp in Cheryene county for a visit with relatives, but by mistake his ticket read to Humboldt. He could not speak or understand a word of the English language and people were at a loss what to do until a Humboldt woman, who is a native of Sweden, made her appearance and untangled the skein. The Burlington officials were apprised of the situation and gave instructions to the younger, who was only 14 years of age, to get on the train at Sertorp. The traveler had plenty of money but knew nothing of his whereabouts and cried through fear of losing his baggage which had been checked through.

Keeps His Baby's Stocking.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Oct. 1.—(Special.)—Mrs. Kennedy of Omaha, a sister-in-law of T. W. Kennedy, the man who died very suddenly of heart failure last Saturday while working on the new Burlington bridge here, arrived in this city yesterday and identified the remains. The deceased died at Atlantic, Ia., and was notified, but was unable to get here in time for the funeral which occurred last evening. Rev. Father Carney officiated and interment was in the Catholic cemetery. The deceased has a wife and a 4-year-old son residing at Percival, Ia., but they have not lived together for several years. In one of his pockets was found a pair of baby stockings, which he doubtless prized higher than anything else he possessed.

Fair Weather for Parade.

Bright Skies and Cooler Atmosphere is Promised for Ak-Sar-Ben's Appearance.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Forecast: For Nebraska—Fair Thursday, except showers and warmer in southwest portion; cooler in east portion; Friday, fair and warmer. For Iowa and Missouri—Fair in east, showers in west portion Thursday; Friday, cloudy, probably showers. For Kansas—Showers and warmer in southwest portion; cooler in east portion; Friday, fair and warmer. For Illinois—Fair Thursday; increasing cloudiness Friday, probably showers; light to fresh northeast winds. For Colorado—Rain or snow in east portion Thursday, followed by fair and warmer; fair and warmer in west portion; Friday, fair and warmer. For Wyoming—Fair and warmer Thursday; Friday, fair and warmer in east portion. For Montana, North Dakota and South Dakota—Fair and warmer Thursday; Friday, fair.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Oct. 1.—Official record of temperature and precipitation compared with the corresponding day of the last three years:

Table with columns for Year (1902, 1901, 1900, 1899) and rows for Maximum temperature, Minimum temperature, Mean temperature, Total rainfall since March 1, Record of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for this day and since March 1, Normal temperature, Deficiency for the day, Total excess since March 1, Normal precipitation, Deficiency for the day, Total rainfall since March 1, Deficiency since March 1, Deficiency for cor. period 1901, Deficiency for cor. period 1900.

Reports from Stations at 7 P. M.

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Advertisement for Men Contemplating Treatment. Features a portrait of a man and the text 'You should consider thoroughly the factors of skill, experience, reliability, etc., of a Doctor of Specialist before entrusting him your health, the perfect and lasting recovery of which means so much to your future life and happiness. Every man who is afflicted owes it to himself and his posterity to get cured safely and positively, without leaving any light or weakness in his system. Go not until you are satisfied and satisfied for life trying to be cured. VARIOCOLE, STRICTURE and kindred troubles in a few days by surgical procedures. We make no misleading statements or unsubstantiated propositions to the afflicted in order to secure their patronage. The many years of our successful practice in Omaha prove that our methods of treatment are SAFE and CERTAIN. Our Combined Electro-Medical Treatment has many friends and few enemies. Its friends are those who have tested its merits and have been cured. Its enemies are those Doctors or Specialists who are envious of all other treatments that have proven more successful than their own. Call at our office or write, and if we find that you cannot be cured we will NOT accept your money UNDER ANY CONDITION; but if we accept your case for treatment we will guarantee a SAFE AND POSITIVE CURE. In the shortest possible time without intrusion, pain, or suffering. Our charges will be as low as possible for conscientious, skillful and successful treatment. Consult us before consenting to any surgical procedure upon important blood vessels and organs. DISEASES OF MEN. STRICTURE, VARIOCOLE, NERVO-SEXUAL DEBILITY, BLOOD POISON (Syphilis), RUPTURE AND KIDNEY DISEASES. Painful and Frequent Urinations. Our special home treatment will cure you. References—Best Banks and Leading Business Men of the city. Consultation at office or by letter free and strictly confidential. Office Hours, 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Sundays—10 a. m. to 1 p. m. STATE ELECTRO-MEDICAL INSTITUTE 1308 FARNAM ST., OMAHA, NEB. Longest established. Thoroughly reliable. Authorized by the laws of the state.'

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Advertisement for Ayer's Hair Vigor. Features a portrait of a woman and the text 'Always restores color to gray hair. Ayer's Hair Vigor Makes the hair grow. Checks falling. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.'