FOR MICKEY AND BURKETT

Lancaster County Machine Willing to Endorse Governor and Congressman.

QUESTION OF PARTY POLITICS IS RAISED

Some Burkett Men Question the Expediency of Nominating a Candidate for United States Senator by Convention.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, March 15.—(Special Telegram.)—Indications tonight point to a red hot republican convention tomorrow afternoon, though before morning things may clear up and the local machine and the Burkett boomers may have easy sailing. While nearly all of the precincts have endorsed Burkett for the senate, there is much feeling that to follow the advice of the state central committee and nominate a senator in the state convention would be bad politics. One man who cares more for party success next fall than he does for the ambitions of any candidate, said today that he expected to fight the Burkett endorsement tomorrow or any move that tended to pledge the delegation to the state convention to assist in bringing about the endorsement of any one for the senate.

It is his intention, unless he finds that such a move will meet with disastrous instanter results, to fight any resolution that pledges the delegation to the support of Burkett for the senate. This man has been in politics for many years and during those years he was one of the men who put Burkett in the legislature and then in congress. He is still friendly to Burkett, but he is more friendly to the party.

Such a move will likely meet with defeat, but at the same time, should he make the fight, he hopes to open the eyes of a great many people to the seriousness of the situation. He has figured that a little money spent judiciously in the close districts of the state would easily give the democrats and populists a majority of the legislature, and with the fire centered on one man, and with senatorial aspirants whose ambitions have been nipped in the bud without a chance for a fight, lukewarm, it would not be a difficult task to send W. J. Bryan or some democrat to the senate.

Some Suspicion Extant.

Members of the local machine and friends of O'Neal, candidate for auditor, are looking suspiciously at each other today and either would enjoy nothing more than to slip a knife into the ambitions of the other. The machine though still claims to have the power to pitch the Lancaster man over the fence the minute he shows signs of getting tired of Mickey. O'Neal isn't saying anything. He is in a bad way, for the men who are for him the strongest are against Mickey and if the machine is in the majority, and it usually is down here, then he will have to be mighty good or get left at the post.

The machine today has been doing a lot of plugging against Fred Beckman, who wants to be the county commissioner for the South district and the members have announced that he must not be nominated under any circumstances. Beckman saws considerable wood down here though and he has a large following among the Germans that has to be reckoned with. One of the things that is being used against him is that he was turned down by Governor Mickey for oil inspector and is therefore a discredited politician, which talk is making Beckman's friends recall that little incident and is not helping Governor Mickey.

Dates for County Conventions.

Chairman Lindsay of the republican state committee was able to be out this afternoon and for a short time was at the committee headquarters. He has not yet fully recovered and it will be some days before he is himself. In the meantime reports of dates of various county conventions are being received at the headquaters. Those counties in which convention dates have been fixed are: Butler, March 21; Cass, March 19; Fillmore, March 21; Franklin, May 7; Gage, March 22; Greeley, May 11; Hamilton, March 19; Howard, April 30; Jefferson, March 19; Johnson, March 19; Knox, April 26; Lancaster, March 16; Logan, March 19; Nemaha, March 18; Otoe, March 18; Pawnee, May 14; Platte, May 14; Red Willow, April 2; Richardson, March 17; Saline, May 10; Saunders, March 18; Seward, May 13; Sherman, April 26; Stanton, April 16; Valley, May 11; Wheeler, May 7.

Congressional convention dates so far announced are as follows: First district, at Lincoln, March 22; Third district, at Columbus, May 17; Fourth district, at York, March 23; Sixth district, at Alliance, March 17.

Elevator Bill in Supreme Court.

The Ramsey elevator bill is to have a trial in the supreme court and Joseph Ramsey, the father of the bill, is the head of the company of farmers that are going to test it. At the instance of the Farmers' Co-Operative Grain and Shipping association, Senator Pemberton this morning filed a motion for a writ of mandamus to compel the Kansas City & Northwestern railroad to lay a side track from its main line to an elevator erected at Virginia and owned by the farmers. The court set April 5 as the date of the hearing. Before the Ramsey elevator bill was thought of, Mr. Ramsey organized the farmers into a grain association and the company purchased one of three elevators at Virginia. Shortly after the transfer of the property the elevator was burned. The railroad company then refused to allow the company to rebuild on its right-of-way and the company then built on a piece of ground about forty feet from the right-of-way. The Ramsey bill had its inception in the refusal of the railroad to allow the company to rebuild on its old site. Since the legislature, the stockholders of the company have had several disagreements, which have delayed the bringing of the suit.

Diamond Pool Room Case.

Omaha today advertised itself as a very wicked city in the supreme court in the case wherein I. J. Dunn and Lysle Abbott are trying to get the court to endorse the action of the lower court in granting a mandamus to close the Diamond pool room. W. J. Connell appeared for the mayor and the board.

The pool room was opened, the relators claim, in the spring of 1903 in the name of V. L. Chucovich of Denver, and since that time it has been in constant operation, closed only while the men in charge were securing bonds after having been arrested at the instance of Dunn and Abbott. In this case the two attorneys tried to get Governor Mickey to interfere and compel his police board to stop the running of the pool room and the governor refused, believing that Omaha was well able to take care of its own affairs. It was argued that the relators are not acting in good faith in asking for the mandamus.

Supreme Court Proceedings.

Proceedings in the supreme court March 15. The following cases were marked for submission:

State ex rel Gordon against Moores, McCormick against State, Gordon against Omaha, in reapplication of Tierney, Western Seed and Irrigation Company against McDonald, Mendel against Boyd, Johnson County against Carmon, Western Wheel Scraper Company against McMillen, Kearney County Bank against Zimmerman, Williams against Smith, Mattern against McCarty, Barker against Wheeler, Zweibel against Caldwell, South Omaha against Ruthjen, Millens against South Omaha, Campbell against Noyes, Norman & Co., Mueller against Parcel, McCarthy against Birmingham, Campbell against Tracy, Trayer against Setzer, Smiley against Sioux Beet Syrup Company, Moores against State rex rel Dunn, Lonergan against South Omaha, Parrotte against Dryden, Coleman against McGrew, McGuire against Wilson, Hackeney against Hargreaves Bros., Hackney against Raymond Bros., Clarke Company, United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company against Ettenheimer.

The following cases were continued by stipulation:

Clarke against Woodruff, Smullen against Wharten, Anderson against Kannow, State ex rel Dunn against Power, Aria Cattle Company against Burk, South Omaha against Sutliffe, Gavin against Reed, Eddy against Omaha, Kelley against Boyer, Nelson against Webster, State ex rel Holm against Ellsworth, Young against Figg.

The following miscellaneous orders were made:

Chaffee against Sehestedt, dismissed mandate instanter; Goken against Dallugge, continued to April 5; Lau against Wittman, submitted on motion; Jones against Danforth, submitted on motion; State ex rel Gadsden against Egerton, dismissed with prejudice; Andrews against Burhop, affirmed; T. C. P. C. against Omaha Auditorium Company., affirmed; Baker against Blair, continued; State Electro-Medical Institute against Platener, continued to April 5; order rehriefs; Davidson against Davison, continued.

Assessing Mining Stock.

The next important piece of business to be done by the State Board of Equalization is to decide how mining stock is to be assessed and taxed. The question was asked of Secretary Bennett today by County Attorney Humphrey of Custer county, the proposition having been brought to him by the county assessor. It was the opinion of one member of the board that mining stock issued by a company owning the mine in another state would be the same as a deed to land in another state, and would not be taxed in this state. This may not be the opinion of the board when a meeting is called.

George Reiter alleged that the Burlington railroad allowed him to work with a "jack" marked O. K. which was not O. K. in unloading a car of coal, and as a result the jack broke and allowed the 60,000 pounds of coal to fall on one of his hands, for which he thinks the company should pay him $30,000. Two fingers and a thumb were cut off and the remainder of the hand was so mangled that he said he would never be able to use it. The accident happened in December in the freight yards here.

Dawson County Delegates.

LEXINGTON, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—The Dawson county republican convention held its session in Darr's opera house this afternoon and was largely attended. Resolutions were unanimously adopted endorsing the administration of President Roosevelt, Governor Mickey, Congressman Kinkaid and State Senator Giffin. Resolutions instructing the delegations to the various conventions were voted down. J. H. MacColl presided over the deliberations of the convention, A. C. Maxwell and S. T. Krier acted as secretaries.

Great interest was manifested in the selection of delegates to the state convention. The county is entitled to thirteen, and twenty names were proposed. A call of precincts was necessary to make the selection. Delegates to the congressional and senatorial conventions were elected without opposition.

The following was the choice of the convention to the various conventions:

State—A. E. Grantham, J. S. Thomas, J. H. MacColl, G. R. Darr, W. C. May, H. C. Booker, E. G. West, J. S. Good, G. O. Brown, S. Atkinson, Lambert Johnson, O. Middlekauff, W. A. Crandall.

Congressional—T. A. Taylor, A. Harrison, C. E. Allen, W. M. Stebbins, E. J. Spaulding, H. L. Carlson, C. A. Morell, C. P. Horner, E. M. F. Leflang, F. L. Temple, S. T. Krier, W. L. Hargis, Wm. Halstead.

Senatorial—L. N. Johnson, N. M. Adams, E. G. West, W. M. Stebbins, W. C. May, A. C. Maxwell, S. T. Krier, H. A. Turton, H. P. Neilson, W. H. Andrews, O. Middlekauff, R. W. Johnson, F. H. Adams.

Funeral of a Veteran.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—The funeral of Dewitt C. Reese, a member of the Soldiers' home, occurred yesterday at the home chapel. This is the ninth death since the first of the month at the home, the membership being about 400.

An old soldier named Dickerson appeared at the Soldiers' home this week and has been taken care of. He appears to have lost all memory of himself, even his name, this being found on pension papers. He cannot recall the name of any friends.

FARMER BOY TURNS HORSETHIEF.

Kansas Lad Sells Stolen Team and Buggy and is Caught at It.

TECUMSEH, Neb., March 15.—(Special Telegram.)—A young man, giving as his name, Ray Matthews, sold a pair of driving horses, buggy and harness to Miller & Nelson, horse buyers of this city, last Saturday, receiving $150 in cash for the outfit. Today Charles Elen, who lives just over in Kansas, south of Steel City, Neb., and J. H. Reynolds, an implement dealer of Steel City, appeared in Tecumseh and claimed the outfit. The gentlemen came upon receipt of word from Sheriff W. H. Cummings of this county, that the rig was here.

It seems that the real name of the young man is Tesy Pelser and that he is a young farmer and lives near Mr. Elen. Friday night he stole the team from Mr. Elen and coming north to Steel City, he appropriated Mr. Reynolds' buggy and drove on to Tecumseh, where he converted the outfit into cash. Reward cards were offered for a clue to the thief, nor was it known that Pelser was the man until Sheriff Cummings made the discovery. Word was wired back to the home of Pelser and he is being held there pending examination. Rewards to the amount of $110 were offered and Sheriff Cummings will share in them. Miller and Nelson gave up the outfit and their owners took them home this afternoon. Now, unless a part of the money can be recovered from young Pelser, this horse buying firm will be left to suffer. Young Pelser is said to bear a good reputation in the neighborhood of his home and this act cannot be understood by his friends. He was to have been married to a popular young woman of his neighborhood today, but his arrest caused a change in the program.

Syracuse Republicans.

SYRACUSE, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—Syracuse republicans met in caucus last night and elected the following delegates to the Otoe county convention, which meets here next Friday: D. T. Hill, O. Horne, J. F. Diener, J. H. Arends, Addison Wait, M. H. Miles, E. S. Wood, Julius Reed, W. H. Carson, C. P. Schneider, William Dunn, A. E. Chaffee, Hans Larson, William Stanbro, J. W. Stong, W. E. Page, A. H. Warren, E. E. Hall, H. H. Reed, J. H. Pinkham, James Leach and F. J. Coddington. This delegation will go into the convention to support Addison Wait as candidate for secretary of state. Resolutions endorsing Governor Mickey, Lieutenant Governor McGilton and Treasurer Mortensen, and favoring the nomination of Congressman Burkett for the United States senate by the state convention will be presented before the Otoe county convention.

News from Bellevue.

BELLEVUE, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—Residents of Bellevue were shocked to hear of the death at Villisca, Ia., on last Saturday, from typhoid fever, of Mr. Charles B. Alexander, a former student and graduate in 1902 of the college.

Mrs. William Martin has been called to her former home, Hamilton, O., by the death of her mother.

Mrs. Dr. Kerr accompanied her class in history of art to Omaha yesterday to visit the art gallery and beautiful home of Mr. George W. Lininger.

Dr. and Mrs. Kerr tendered a reception to the college faculty and the senior class this evening at Rankin hall. The residence was pretitly decorated, and the company, fifty in number, thoroughly enjoyed the evening.

Geneva Notes.

GENEVA, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—John Jensen, Miss Jessie and little grandson, arrived on Saturday for a visit among their friends in Geneva. The Jensens were among the first to build in Geneva and lived here many years, Mr. Jensen being an officer in the Citizens bank, but of late they have made their home in Oklahoma.

Superintendent C. W. Taylor is on the sick list, which at present is a long one.

Mr. Bert Laing, who so long represented part of the firm of the Spears Hardware company of Geneva, is going on the road as a traveling salesman.

Rev. Canon Talbot spent Sunday and Monday in Omaha visiting his daughter, Mrs. F. R. Gettr, who is ill.

Banker Returns to Railroad.

DAKOTA CITY, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—George W. Carter, who for six months past had been the cashier in the Bank of Dakota City of this place, has severed his connection with that institution and tomorrow will resume his old position as passenger conductor on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad between Sioux City and Omaha. Mr. Carter is the oldest conductor in point of service on this division of the road and is a most popular railroad man. His family will return to Omaha to reside. Mr. Carter's place in the bank is taken by Harry H. Adair, clerk of the district court.

Exhibition by Blind Pupils.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—Under the auspices of the high school, the members of the Institute for the Blind at Nebraska City last evening gave an excellent entertainment at the opera house. The house was crowded, a general interest being felt as to what was being accomplished at this institution, and great surprise and gratification was expressed at the progress and accomplishment demonstrated. While here the party and management were entertained at the Soldiers' home by Commandant and Mrs. Askwith and Adjutant and Mrs. Bowen.

District Court at Auburn.

AUBURN, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—District court of this county convened here today with Judge Babcock on the bench. There is quite a long docket but only a few jury cases of importance. The case of State against Brott, case of State against Isaacs and State against Neal are the principal ones.

Pipestem Through His Tongue.

NORFOLK, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—Joseph Morfield of Cornelia, Neb., is suffering from a seriously torn tongue. The stem of a cob pipe was driven through it in a fight with such force that it could not be drawn out except by means of a surgeon's knife, and the lacerated tongue required two big stitches afterward to pull it together. Morfield went to call on Joseph Dickey at the elevator in Cornelia. A quarrel arose between the two over a bunch of stock that was running at large, and a fistic encounter ensued. In the mixup Dickey landed a jab to the jaw and pounded the pipestem into his opponent's speaking organ.

Victim of Accident Buried.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—The funeral services over the remains of Clarence, the 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Jones, whose death was caused by a piano falling upon him Saturday evening, was held at the family residence this afternoon, Rev. H. B. Burgess conducting the same.

Mrs. George Howe, 40 years of age, died at her home in this city Sunday, after a lingering illness. The funeral services were held in the German Lutheran church this afternoon. Deceased leaves a husband and three children, the youngest being 3 years and the oldest 15 years of age.

New Industry at Grand Island.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—The Concrete company, an Iowa concern, has decided to locate here and engage in the manufacture of cement building blocks and walks, with the view later to engage in the manufacture of sand and cement brick. But little aid was asked of the Grand Island public and that was readily granted. The firm does not promise to engage a large number of men at first, but it is generally believed that such a business should develop in time to an industry of importance owing to the absence of artificial stone and the high price of other building material.

Bankers to Test Safes.

PONCA, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—The Northeastern Nebraska Bankers' association is planning a safe opening contest, for its annual meeting at Ponca, Neb., April 22. The prominent safe manufacturers are asked to enter one of their safes for competitive test, and one acceptance has already been received. This will undoubtedly be an attractive feature of the meeting, as several of the members intend to patronize the victorious safe maker.

Doctor Breaks Two Ribs.

STROMSBURG, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—Dr. Flippin had two of his ribs broken Saturday evening, while making a professional call. He had a team which was being driven by C. E. Burritt. It was quite dark and they ran into a team of Ed Stevens, who was coming to town, and smashed things up generally. The tongue of the livery rig was broken and Dr. Flippin and Burritt were both thrown out of the buggy.

Nail Strikes Workman's Eye.

BEATRICE, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—Ernest Spilker, a young farmer living near Clatonia, met with an accident yesterday, which may result in the loss of the sight of one eye and possibly both. He was engaged in driving a nail into a board when it flew out, striking the left eye ball and cutting it open. He was brought here for treatment and at present the oculist in attendance is unable to state what the outcome will be.

Gets a Broken Leg.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—Charles Yelick, who is employed in the Burlington lumber yard, had the misfortune to have the bone in his left leg fractured today. The accident occurred while he was riding on a handcar with some lumber, with his foot resting on the brakestaff. A sudden jar caused him to lose his foothold, and in falling, his foot was caught between the brakestaff and the lumber.

Mrs. Stoutenborough Lectures.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—"The Life of Christ in Story and Song" was the theme around which Mrs. Belle M. Stoutenborough wove an interesting talk in the Presbyterian church Sunday evening. The choir gave several numbers in demonstration of the speaker's subject, and Miss Bates sang "Abide with Me" delightfully, and Miss Marshall sang "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth."

New School Superintendent.

OSCEOLA, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Osceola High school, just held, Prof. W. M. Finnegan of Shelby, was unanimously elected principal for the ensuing year, Mrs. E. A. Walrath, one of the members of the board by appointment, to take the place of Mrs. Heald, deceased, and it was resolved to take a vacation for one week to give the pupils a chance for rest.

Shooting Match at Broken Bow.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—A shooting tournament will be held at the fair grounds east of this city on March 22 and 23. It is looked forward to by the shooting fraternity as quite an event. Good purses are offered and it is expected that much interest will be taken in this meet.

Glee Clubs Entertain.

FRANKLIN, Neb., March 15.—(Special.)—The Glee clubs of Franklin academy gave the fifth number of the academy high school lecture course last night to a large audience. On a program of twelve numbers the young people were compelled to respond to ten encores.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds filed for record March 15, as furnished by the Midland Guarantee and Trust company, bonded abstracter, 1614 Farnam street, for The Bee:

Tukey Land Company to Dora Hathaway, lot 23, block 3, Grammercy Park	$1,500
Lulu Patton to Ernest R. Simon, lot 1 and part of lot 2, block "U," Lowe's add	1,075
Zetta A. Matthews to Frances J. Baker, lot 15, replat block 6, Bemis Park	700
Alfred Hodgetts and wife to Mrs. Mary Utmen, lot 6, block 1, Anderson Place add	140
Julia Dohle to Omaha & Southwestern Railroad company, 440 square feet in sw corner of block "H," city	1,000
Edward D. Jones and wife to Ella Smith, lots 7 and 8, block 2, Halcyon Heights	455
Clementine Brown et al to W. H. Clark, lot 11, block 10, Kountze Place	875
Same to same	875
Mary Brenningham et al to Albert W. Jefferies and Francis S. Howell, part of tax lot 25, section 15-15-13	40
Sheriff to Edith Gifford, lot 4 and part of lot 3, block 6, Wilcox's add	369
Daniel S. Hunegan to Anton E. Anderson, lot 14, block 7, replat of Bemis Park	500
American Loan and Trust company to Emma Magner, lot 1, Himebaugh Place	1
Rumsey Salling to John A. Einfelt, lots 5 and 6, block 2, Saling's add to Elkhorn	80
E. C. and E. Johnston to Gust Eckborn, lot 16, block 3, Spring Lake Park	400
Joseph D. M. Hugh and wife to estate of Abraham J. Friedlander, lot 4, block 81, South Omaha	100
Victor P. Musselman to Frederick C. Jorgensen, lot 6, block 3, Clarendon add	350
Edward V. Lewis and wife to Isabella Emma Robinson, ne¼ section 20-15-13	3,500
George Halcke and wife to Wilhelm Ralm, ne¼ sw¼ and part of se¼ sw¼ section 15-15-13	5,300

THIN DIET.

No Nourishment in It.

It's not so easy to keep up when coffee has so ruined the stomach that food won't digest.

A Missouri woman says: "I had been an invalid for two years from stomach trouble, caused by coffee; got so bad I couldn't digest food, and for quite a while I lived on milk and lime water—nothing but that—a glass of milk and lime water six times a day. In this way I managed to live, but, of course, did not gain.

"It was about five months ago I began using Postum Food Coffee; I did not need the milk and lime water after that, for I gained rapidly, and I can now eat a good meal and drink from one to three cups of Postum each meal and feel fine.

"I would not go back to coffee for any reasonable pay. I like Postum better than coffee now and make Postum by directions on box, and it is just fine; never found a better way to make it than on box. Now, this is all true and you can easily prove it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum is a brew from field grains with all the nourishment left in. It makes red blood and rebuilds particularly well where coffee has done damage, as it does to nearly all who drink it.

A ten days' trial of Postum in place of coffee works wonders. There's a reason.

Get the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each package.

VOTE BELIEVED FAVORABLE

Coal Miners Ballot Upon Proposition Submitted by Operators.

RESULT WILL BE KNOWN THURSDAY

Reports Received from About Fifty Points Indicate that Workingmen Have Voted Against a Strike.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 15.—One hundred and ninety thousand coal miners of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Wisconsin, Central Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Iowa, Kentucky and Maryland dropped their picks at noon to cast their ballots on the proposition to accept or refuse the offer of the mine owners for a two years' scale at a reduction of 5½ per cent from the present scale of wages. The voting was done by ballot, the polls being open from 1 o'clock to 6 o'clock this afternoon.

The secretaries will forward the result to the national headquarters here and they will be counted Thursday. The national tellers to count votes here will be Nat Charlton of Streeter, Ill., William Fitzgerald of Dunmore, Pa., and James Pritchard of Hemlock, O.

Reports have been received here from about fifty points. In practically all of them, including towns in Indiana, Ohio, Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia, the vote is heavily in favor of accepting the scale.

President Mitchell and Secretary Wilson remained at headquarters tonight to receive telegraphic returns, although they said they had arranged for none in advance. Both were confident that the miners had voted in favor of the scale.

PITTSBURG, March 15.—Today the members of the United Mine Workers of America voted on the question of accepting the reduction offered by the operators or for calling a general strike, and it is estimated that 21,000 of the 23,000 miners in No. 5 district, which included Pittsburg and vicinity, voted in favor of accepting the reduction.

BAY CITY, Mich., March 15.—A report that is being generally accepted here as coming from a reliable source is to the effect that today's vote of the miners of the Saginaw valley on the proposition submitted by the operators at the Indianapolis convention was 2 to 1 in favor of acceptance. The vote will not be given out until it is counted at national headquarters.

La Grippe Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

The great danger from la grippe is of its resulting in pneumonia. This can be avoided by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Among the tens of thousands who used this remedy during the epidemic of la grippe of recent years no case has ever been known to result in pneumonia which shows exclusively that it is a certain preventive of that dangerous disease. Price 25 cents; large size, 50 cents.

Result of Beatrice Primaries.

BEATRICE, Neb., March 15.—(Special Telegram.)—At the republican city primary held here this afternoon the following ticket was placed in the field. For councilmen—First ward, H. J. Chase; Second, E. E. Clancy; Third, Harry Ford; Fourth, J. B. Parker. For members of the School board—Mrs. S. E. Gould, Mrs. Helen M. Drake, Dr. R. Salbright.

No Venom in 'Em.

No poisonous purgatives enter into Dr. King's New Life Pills. Easy, but prompt, they cure or no pay. Only 25c. For sale by Kuhn & Co.

Coal Company in Trouble.

CHICAGO, March 15.—Upon petition of creditors a receiver was today appointed for the Inland Coal & Coke company. The company has large coal yards and docks on the Chicago river.

Mme. Yale's Almond Blossom Complexion Cream

GREATEST TOILET LUXURY MADE.

Cleanses, softens, purifies, whitens and beautifies the skin. Soap and water only cleanses superficially. Mme. Yale says: A little Almond Blossom Complexion Cream should be applied every time the face and hands are washed. It removes the dust, soot, grime, smut, and smudge from the interstices of the skin and makes the surface smooth as velvet. A daily necessity at home and abroad; a treasure when traveling by land or water, or when on an outing of any kind, and particularly prized at a seaside or mountain resort. Protects the skin from cutting winds, burning rays of the sun and every injurious effect of the elements. Prevents and cures abnormal redness of the nose or any part of the face, and that purplish hue due to exposure to cold, also chapping, chafing, cold sores, fever blisters and all irritation of the skin. It is the greatest known specific for burns; takes the fire out more quickly than anything else, soothes, heals and prevents scars and suppuration. Indispensable for use of infants and every member of the household. An exquisite natural beautifier. A grateful application after shaving. Excellent for massage purposes. Now in two sizes; Mme. Yale's Almond Blossom Complexion Cream is sold by

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Col. C. E. Updegraff of Reading, Pa., Was Cured of Chronic Stomach Trouble, and His Son of Bronchitis, by

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The colonel and his son are well known and respected business men of Pennsylvania, men whose word carries weight wherever they are known.

COL. C. E. UPDEGRAFF.

C. E. UPDEGRAFF, JR.

Both Heartily Recommend Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, Which Brought Them Health After Years of Suffering.

The Colonel's Letter.

"It gives me great pleasure to state that I have just recovered from a severe attack of chronic Gastritis. Nothing could be retained on my stomach during my illness. Not even milk. I was reduced from 185 lbs. to 145 in 7 weeks. Nothing did me any good. My son insisted that I should try Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, which had cured him. It stayed on my stomach, and I was able to take a little milk with it. It acted like magic, and in a few weeks I was able to take solid food without distress. I soon regained my weight, my stomach is sound, my general health was never better. And I owe my cure to Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey." C. E. UPDEGRAFF, 39 S. 4th St., Nov. 19, 1903.

From the Son.

Mr. C. E. Updegraff, jr., is of the firm of Updegraff & Brownell, proprietors and managers of the New Bijou theater at Reading, and of numerous other enterprises. He says of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey:

"For years I suffered from a bronchial affection. Nothing the doctors gave me seemed to do any good, and it kept getting worse. Finally one of the doctors advised me to try Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, which he had used for years in his practice. My throat commenced to heal at once, my cough grew better, and today I am completely cured, a picture of robust, rugged health. I cheerfully recommend Duffy's to all of my friends."

THEIR ONLY MEDICINE

No medicine in the world can show a larger list of actual cures than Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey—over 4,000,000 complete cures in 50 years. Lots of so-called "cures" make you feel better for a while, but the effect soon passes off. Duffy's actually and positively cures you. 7,000 doctors prescribe it and 2,000 hospitals use it exclusively.

Duffy's alone will cure you and keep you well.

It is scientifically distilled from carefully selected malt, and is guaranteed absolutely free from fusel oil, so generally found in other whiskies.

It begins by killing the disease germs and drives them out of the system. Then allays all inflammation, replaces the diseased tissues, enriches and purifies the blood and strengthens the circulation. It tones up the heart's action, quiets the nerves and brings to the cheek the glow of perfect health.

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It carries this waste matter into the blood, when there are not enough Alkaline elements (like salt or soda) to neutralize the Uric Acid, and to free the debris before it reaches the kidneys.

As the blood circulates through the system, it then deposits small particles of this waste matter in the joints and muscles.

These particles are like granulated sugar, or sand, and they grind between the joints and muscles at every movement.

This grinding causes intense pain and inflammation, frequently. If the disease be not checked, the inflammation will cause the Uric particles to be coated with a fleshy cushion, which in time grows to the joints as well. Then "bony joints" and crooked limbs ensue.

The only way to cure Rheumatism is to convert the Acid condition of the blood into an Alkaline. Then to dissolve and carry away the deposits in joints and muscles.

Then to get the digestive organs into a normal condition so they will secrete, without further help, less Acid and more Alkalines. Upon this condition depends cure and the permanence of cure. But—it is useless to kill Rheumatism if we also kill the stomach in doing so.

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