### THE OMAHA DAILY BEE: SUNDAY, MARCH 20, 1904.

### BRYAN MEN ARE IN A CORNER sround before asking the legislature for

Beorganizers, Under Herdman's Lead, Making Al! Kinds of Trouble.

FRIENDS ADMIT SITUATION IS MIXED

Nebraska Guardsmen Said to Have Received Offers of Commissions in the Japanese Army at

Good Salary.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, March 19-(Special.)-While the reports from Omaha indicate that R. E. Lee Herdman, clerk of the supreme court, and his reorganizers are to have trouble in winning out against the Bryan faction, the indications here are that the Bryan faction will have trouble in scoring against the Herdman element. According to a statement made by a radical Bryan man today a committee on "deviltry" has been appointed to especially harass and worry Mr. Bryan and all of his triends from now until they are set upon in the state convention. This committee is said to include in its make up J. H. Harley, W. C. Wilson, A. J. Bawyer, W. B. Price and J. G. Maher, the latter working under Herdman's instructions and bringing about the organization. In order to gain sympathy for their cause

the Bryan men are just now telling it that Herdman has made a contract with the leaders of the republican party that he is to retain his place as clerk of the supreme court just as long as he will keep stirring up strife in the ranks of the democrats. and especially is this contract to be in effect until the first of the year. This, of course, is believed by a few democrats who are lukewarm in their support of Herdman and is being told for all it is worth.

So far, however, no republican has been found who is willing to cast any such resection on the republican members of the supreme court, and it is the general belief that the clerk will be named just as soon as the judges desire to name him, regardless of democratic dissensions. In the meantime should the clerk not be named before the state convention meets in May, a republican of this town has signified his intention to introduce a resolution to call are just as good and are the same color upon the supreme court to appoint a re- as the brick specified, and that owing to publican to the place. No great pressure the fact that the freight rate would be has been brought to bear on the case yet, less than from Minneapolis it would save for the reason that Lee Herdman's time is money. The money, however, would not be not out until April, and it is not improbable saved to the state for the reason that, althat as soon as that time is out the court though the contractor has signified his wilwill be getting together. The mention of lingness to use the Omaha brick, he is un-Harry Lindeay for the place has delayed willing to take a price less than that specimatters and the settlement of the controversy over the appointment of a United States district attorney has had something to do probably with the slowness with which the two republican judges of the court are getting together.

### Depend on Bryan Himself.

As for the democratic scrap out in the state, Herdman has perfected an organization that is worthy of the name, so it is believed, and it is not unlikely that Mr. Herdman is somewhat tickled with the retirement of Commissioner Duffie and the holding over of Commissioner Oldham. At this time the reports from out in the state indicate that Lee Herdman is the big boss Omaha. of the party and even the Bryan faction here, where it is stronger than anywhere, has to admit that Herdman has the upper hand. They apparently are not doing a thing to save the day, but they have a trump card to play at the last minute and they will play it strong. That is Mr. Bryan himself. They believe that this little scrap going on now and all the noise that is being made will amount to nothing when Mr. Bryan steps into the Omaha convention. They claim it will be a repetition of the Columbus convention, where the sentiment was so strong against Mr. an that it looked as though he would be kept clear out of the convention-until he reached Columbus, and then it was all Bryan. He said do this and do that and was done. It is Mr. Bryan that the hangs up the receiver the light flashes out. anti-Herdman men are depending upon to save the state to Bryan and they believe he will do it, though they are forced to admit that at this time Herdman is their DOBS The withdrawal of Richard Metcalfe as a candidate for delegate-at-large to the na- the receiver hangs. This causes the light tional convention is taken here to have been caused by the interference of Mr. Hitchcock. The Bryan democrats here say that Hitchcock wants to be able to land his paper in the right column no matter who wins out in the present fight, and it was for this reason that he made Metcalfe get out of the running so it would be easier for the paper to land. The other side say that Metcalfe saw the handwriting on the wall and was afraid of being thrown out. President Testers of the Board of Regents of the State university today gave out a atement to the press in which he said that it was not illegal for the regents to take the Rockefeller gift. As for the \$5,000 appropriated to buy the ground by the last egislature, which a morning paper persits in saying cost \$5,000, Mr. Teeters said the remaining \$3,000 was in the state treasury and would remain there until the regents concluded to buy more land. He said the regents secured an option on the

Japan After Gaard Officers. A number of officers of the National guand of the state have received letters from an agent of the Japanese government or some one interested in the success of Japan in its present war, to join the Japa-ENDORSES neso army. The offer is that the recipient will receive a rank higher by one grade than he at present holds and his salary will be \$1,200 a year. Company B at Stanton is the first to report the receipt of the offers. Adjutant General Culver believes it unlikely that any member of the guard will accept the proposition, as it is against the neutrality laws of this country and any who accept would be punished. Change in Telegraph Circles.

A. H. May, manager of the Western Union Telegraph company at this place. will leave the first of the week for Salt Lake City to become manager for the company at that place. Mr. May will be succeeded here by J. G. Lay, who will arrive from Denver tomorrow

Book Agents on Hand. The regular meeting of book agents was held at the office of the state superintendent today, the occasion being a meeting of the Reading Circle board, an organization of Nebraska school teachers, for the purpose of selecting a course of study for the year. The board is composed of Annie V. Day of Gage, A. L. Thomas of Kearney, M. R. Snodgrass of Wayne, Superintendent Fowler and J. W. Melgel. Representatives of seven publishing houses were present.

### Keeping Tab on Military Men.

Adjutant General Culver has sent a letter to the company commanders of the National guard, asking for the names of those who are eligible to command volunteers in case of need. This is done in accordance with a recent order of the War department and it is the desire that with the names be sent the record of the parties, whether they belong to the guard or not.

### **Omaha Men Want Chance**

The State Board of Education is being deluged with requests from Omaha to change the contract for the building of the Norfolk asylum so that brick manufactured in Omaha may be used instead of the Twin City brick, as specified. It is not likely that the board will make the change, however. It is claimed that the Omaha brick

fied in his contract. The board was to have met this afternoon to discuss the matter, but owing to the absence of Attorney General Prout no meeting was held. One member of the board said that it was not probable that the board would make the change, for it might necessitate the letting of another contract, and that the board wanted to avoid. Had

the Omaha brick been specified in the bids it is probable that an Omaha contractor who came very near being the lowest bidder would have secured the contract because he would not have to pay so much freight on the brick. For this reason it is not likely that the brick will be bought in

### No Ringing for Central.

Lincoln subscribers to the Nebraska tele phone took down their receivers and got "central" without ringing a bell. This was because the new switchboard has been installed and today noon was put in active operation. Instead of having to ring for central" by the workings of the new board it is only necessary to take the receiver from the hook and she is "got." This act upon the part of the subscriber lights a small electric globe in front of the central operator, who of course at once rings up the party wanted. As soon as the last party takes down the receiver another light flashes up, and as long as both parties keep down their receivers these lights remain. As soon as either and this is the signal for central to take down the connection. This will prevent the constant "through, waiting, through," so noticeable under the old system. To attract central while talking it is only necessary to manipulate the hook upon which to flash on and off.

HAMILTON OPPOSES MICKEY One County Instructs Delegates to Prevent

> Renomination. CONGRESSMAN HINSHAW

Delegates to State, Congressional and Senatorial Conventions Chosen-Results in Other Coun-

tles of State.

AURORA, Neb., March 19 .- The repub lican county convention met at the court house today and organized by electing T A. McKay chairman and J. Alden and J. Hedgecock secretaries. Delegates to the state, congressional and senatorial con ventions were elected. Congressman Hinshaw was endorsed for renomination, and the delegates to the state convention were instructed to use all honorable means to

prevent the renomination of J. H. Mickey for governor. Names of delegates to state convention: Dr. I. W. Haughey, J. N. Cassell, O. A. Harquist, W. S. Martin, Ed Huling, T. A. McKay, B. Foss, W. G. Jones, S. Stephenson, J. E. Reed, John Lyons, A. V. Cunningham, H. C. Culver, Charles Anderson, B. M. Madsen.

For Roosevelt and Mickey. AUBURN, Neb., March 19 .- The repub lican county convention met here today Resolutions were passed endorsing the ad

ministration of President Roosevelt and Governor Mickey. The convention instructed the delegates for Prof. W. H Gardner for superintendent of public in struction. The delegates to the state convention

are: W. H. Gardner, Ira B. Dye, J. W Lash, Peter Berlett, J. H. Pohlman, Fred Keitchel, J. F. Ely, J. H. Stull, Frank Gerlow, T. J. Majors, Elmer Zook, John Lewis and G. N. Titus.

The following delegates were elected to the congressional convention; Dr. S. W McGrew, T. J. Majors, W. W. Mardis, W. 8. Yager, Dr. B. F. Torrance, C. E. Huston, J. M. Anderson, C. R. Hacker, H. R. Howe, H. J. Canlan, D. E. C. Long, D. H. Clark, E. S. Berlin, W. W. Sanders and Thomas Lewis.

Names Its Delegates. WEST POINT, Neb., March 19.-(Special. -The republican county central committee at their last meeting selected delegates to the state and congressional conventions as follows: State-E. J. Burke, S. Lant. A. J. West, J. K. Baker, T. C. Kirk, William Steufer, R. F. Kloke, D. C. Giffert, E. K. Valentine, William Graunke C. J. Weborg, A. M. Dantels and J. C. Elliott. Congressional-J. C. Elliott, F. C. Evans, F. J. Buck, George Nellor, Ira E. Williams, William Anfin, M. E. Kerl, I S. Hall, H. L. Keefe, F. C. Nellson, C. H. Sass and F. T. Nellor.

Roosevelt, Burkett, Mickey. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 19.-(Spe cial.)-The Cass county republican conver tion was called to order in Weeping Water this afternoon by A. L. Tidd, chairman. E.

M. Pollard was secretary. Resolutions were adopted endorsing President Roosevelt Burkett and Governor Mickey and the dele gates were instructed to use their influence for Burkett for congress and senator and Mickey for governor. The convention was

very harmonious and pleasant. The following delegates were selected to attend the state convention: Hon. R. B. Windham, W. L. Picket, J. L. Barton, Henry Eikenbary, J. P. Benedict, lease Toland, J. H. McKinn, J. G. Stark, H. P. Long, P. E. Hay, I. N. Woodford, L. J. Mayfield, Peter Everland, C. D. Quinton A. L. Tidd, M. L. Freidrich, V. P. Sheldon J. W. Gamble, James Brown, I. W. Tee garden, J. M. Teegarden, Emery Clisbe, M.

C. McMaken, Judge Newell, George L. Farley and Jesse L. Root.

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\$20 for LADIES' PANNE CHEVIOT SUITS, blouse, eton style, milltary capes, new full sleeves and platted

skirts \$30 for LADIES' ROXANNA CLOTH BUITB-Eton jackets, draped sleeves, platted skirts, trimmed in slik braid and buttons, lined with best quality of silk

\$45 for LADIES DRESS SUITS-In special scribed. French voile, made in the extreme new style, newest ideas in shape and trimmings ,silk lined throughout,

### **Dress Skirts**

NEW VOILE DRESS SKIRTS-In many new shapes and styles, trimmed with taffeta, strappings, in many of the newest an most popular designs extraordinary values, from .....\$10 \$30.00 down to.....

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\$7.50 for LADIES' THIBET CLOTH SKIRTS-Nine-gored, strapped seams, just the thing for street wear. Waists

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Many new and beautiful styles received the past week in slik, net and cotton waists, the advanced ideas that will be mostly favored this season. BLACK PEAU DE SOIE and TAF FETA SILK WAISTS, plaited fronts full sleeves, neatly tailored. 5.50 EXCELLENT VALUES IN WHITE LINEN AND LAWN WAISTS, all sizos, at \$4.00, \$3.50, 2,50 \$3.00 and .... NEW BULGARIAN EMBROIDERED SHIRT WAISTS, pleated fronts and plain tailored sleeves, 3.00 special..... SPECIAL-New waists of white and black Japanese silk, in several pretty styles, trimmed with fine lace insertion, pleats and medallions 3.00

**Dress Goods** You must see them to appreciate their charms. We never had so many to show,

nor did the exhibition in its entirety ever command such importance from the view point of excellence. Some of the foremost special features are herewith briefly de-

### French Voile, French Etamine Silk and Wool Crepe Batiste and Fancy Volle, pure wool, thin, sheer fabrics, in all the latest colors, for spring, including black; the most correct fabric for spring wear-ranging in price from 1.00 \$1.50 a yard, down Shirt Waist Sult materials-Light weight wool, such as Panama, Mohair, Sicilian, Momie cloth, Twine cloth and Roxanna cloth, aspecially used for shirt waist suits; in a full line of the latest colors for spring, including black, 50 inches wide-yard, 60c \$1.25, \$1.60, 75c and.... All Wool English and Scotch Sultings of the latest character, the swell fabric for street costumes. We offer an exceptionally good value, 1.00 50 inches wide, at yard ..... Black Voiles prove to be the fabric for the coming season. We have a large assortment of this popular fabric.

ranging in price from 85c up to \$2.25 a yard. We offer a good value 1.00 White and Cream Wool Fabrics are to

be very fashionable this season. We have a large assortment, including all new weaves. We mention a few of the most popular weaves and prices: Cream Mohair, washable, 40 50c inches wide, at yard ... Cream Panama, 50 Inche wide, at yard ..... Cream Sicilian, 45 inches

handsome ST. GALL BANDS AND GAL-LOONS. FRENCH NOVELTIES AND MEDALIONS, a choice assortment of patterns in Point Gaze, Teneriffe, Paraguay Teneriffe, Crochet, Liere and Oriental. The new button and seed effects in bands, galloons, edges and allover laces. All on sale at EXCEPTIONALLY LOW PRICES.

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VERY SPECIAL ECRU AND BUTTER VENETIAN CROCHET ALLOVER LACES-18 inches wide, just the thing for wists-worth \$1.60, a yard ECRU AND TWO-TONED HEAVY NOVELTY LACE INSERTIONS-for trimming the new wash fabrics-derful values, per yard, at. 25c, 15c, 125c and New Dress Trimmings and Buttons A large and careful selected assort-ment of high grade novelties, all at the extreme of popular prices.

# Latest Novelties in Veilings

New Horse Hair Meshes, fancy Tuxedo and Russian effects, new large clienille dots, etc., in the new cham-pagne, browns, violet and shades, at, per yard, \$1.00, 75c, 59c, 35c, 30c and New Chenille Dotled Border Yeils 115 yards long new meshes, n new shades, at, per yard \$1.00, 75c, 60c and 50c New Crush Leather Belts 50c **Choice Novelties in Fine Leather Hand** and Automobile Bags 

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wide, at yard	\$2.00 Trefousse & Co.s. Fremiere Suede
at yard 90c	
Vachting Berge, 50 inches 1.00	
Volles and Twine Cloth, 46 1.50	

# **Corner Farnam and Fifteenth Streets, Omaha.**

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Enthusiastic and Harmonious. TECUMSEH, Neb., March 19 .- (Special Telegram.)-Although the Johnson county republican convention held here today was for the purpose of selecting delegates to the congressional and state conventions,

the representation was large. The meet-

ident Roosevelt came in for high ap-

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Latest Novelties Spring Laces Ladies' Neckwear All the latest fancies that are to mark the greatest lace season ever know. Come GRADUATED LONG TAR ENDS together for a showing, the season's dain TURNOVER WASH STOCKS-rich est effects in beautiful NET TOP LACES fast color embroidery, novel effects, at, each, \$1.26, \$1.00. \$5c and . RICH PERSIAN AND BULGARIAN WASH STOCKS-In cut out lace effects, at, each-95c 50c and HEAVY MOUNT MILLICK EM-BROLDERED TURNOVER COLLAR

85c

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AND CUFF SETS-exclusive 50c designs, special, per set .... MOUNT MILLICK EMBROIDERED BUTCHER LINEN STOCKS - In white, Persian and Bulgarian colors 35c values-special. 20c each .....

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35c

## Wash Goods

All styles and colors in new

122c Seersucker Ginghams, at yd ... Large assortment of 33-in. madras. worth 25c-on special sale 15c per yard ..... Tolle Laine, a beautiful light weight washable fabric for shirt 15c waist suits, yard All colors in 32-in, Manchester Chambrays, no fabrics better for 18c washing, yard .. ..... Printed Cotton Voile for shirt whist sults, all fast colors and will 25c Donegal Web, a high class novelty suiting in shot effects, 35c vard ...... ...... 36-Inch white Linen, 36-Inch colored linen and 27-inch linen etamine 50c New white and colored waistings at. yard, 50c, 46c, 35c, 30c 25c and New Swiss Mulls, Opera Batiste, Wash Chiffons for confirmation or graduating dresses, at, per yard. 50c Sic, 65c and

### THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL.

Fow People Know How Useful It is is Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charceal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charocal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gasss and im-purities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the

Charcoal sweetens the breath after mok ing, drinking or after eating onlone and other odorous vegetables.

Charcoal effectually clears and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe carthartic.

It absorbs the injurious games which colleot in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and threat from the poison of ontarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form of another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Absorbent Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form or, rather, in the form of large, pleasant tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these losenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is, that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but, on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician, in speaking of the of obarcoal, says: "I advise Stuart's Absorbent Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in the stomach and bewels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat; I also believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug stores, and although in some sense a patent prepara-tion, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Absorbent Losenge than it any of the ordinary charage by

The new board is of the same kind that is now being installed in Omaha.

Celebrate Fifty-Sixth Anniversary. HUMBOLDT, Neb., March 19.-(Special.)

Wednesday, all the children of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. A. Morris gathered at their were home in the east part of the city and celeof brated the fifty-sixth anniversary of the marriage of the pair. The children present were Dr. J. R., Arthur and Lloyd Morris this city, Mrs. Val Rauh of Burchard and Creighton Morris of Lincóln. The old people are both TR. tives of Ohio and come of hardy pioneer stock, the mother of Mr. Morris having been the first white child born in the block house at old Fort Harmer, near where Marietta now stands. Mr. Morris, who has been in quite feeble health for the past year, has attained the age of \$4 while his wife is spry and in good health, though but two years his junior. They came to Nebraska nearly thirty years ago and settled on a farm a short

distance north of the city, but for a few years have been living in town.

### Lawrence Weaver Wins Prine

BEATRICE, Neb., March 18.-(Special.)-The annual Crabtree-Cutter debate was held in the auditorium of the high school yesterday forenoon, Lawrence Weaver wir ning first prize, \$15. and Stuart Dobbs sec ond, \$10. There were four contestants and the question discussed was, "Resolved. That the United States is Justified in Its Action Toward the Panama Republic." The judges were Superintendent Fulmer, H. A. Sackett and Olney Smith. Special music was rendered for the occasion

Gets Damages from Railroad. PAPILLION, Neb., March 19.-(Special.)-Another damage case went against the Misouri Pacific Railroad company here in dis trict court this week. William Jones brought suit against the company for damages to his crops, resulting from an over flow of water caused by the grade of that road banking the water. The case was

tried before Judge Sutton, who rendered a decision giving Jones a verdict for \$375.

Andrews Gives Ilis Consent. HASTINGS. Neb., March 19.-(Special Telegram.)-Friends of W. E. Andrews, uditor of the United States treasury, state J. G. Wiese, W. H. Diller, F. Filley, W. H. conight that, with his consent, they announce him as a candidate for the United States senatorship. Mr. Andrews has long had his residence in this city and for one A. F. Smith, L. E. Shelley, W. F. Downey, gress.

### Rock Island Officials Inspect. BEATRICE, Neb., March 19.-(Special.)-

A party of Rock Island officials, comprising Superintendent Wilson of the Nebraska division, Mechanical Superintendent Stubbs and Superintendent of Bridges and Buildings Stone, passed through the city yesterday enroute east on a tour of inspection of the company's lines

### Entertained at Arbor Lodge

NEBRASKA CITT. Neb., March 18-(Special.)-The forestry class of the State university was in the city today as guests of C. E. Dwyer at Arbor Lodge. The large work that has been done there during the last year embraces the planting of many varieties of foreign plants and trees.

ing was full of enthusiasm. The delegates to the congressional con ner was made chairman and S. W. Thurvention are: C. H. Smith of Plattsmouth. ber and Thomas Roberts secretaries. The E. M. Pollard, T. N. Babbett, John Elick official work of Congressman Burkett was son, E. C. Coleman, C. D. Clapp. S. M. approved and the delegation to the state Cox, John Campbell, Justin Ranney, A convention was instructed for him Jenks, J. M. Hoover, R. O. Hutchins, J. E. senator. This delegation was also in-Kraeger, J. H. Becker, Dan Lynn, George structed for Governor Mickey, for J. L. Lloyd, E. R. Todd, C. V. Hay, P. S. Barnes McBrien for state superintendent of inand George Stoner. struction and for C. H. Morrill as national H. A. Schneider was elected chairman committeeman in strong resolutions. Resof the county central committee and I. W. olutions on the death of Mark Hanna were Teegarden, secretary. Byron Clark of Plattsmouth was endorsed for national also adopted and the official record of Pres-

committeeman and Frank E. Helvey of Nebraska City for delegate to the national convention.

Delegates to congressional convention: A. B. Alten, S. P. Davidson, D. R. Bush Close Contest in Gage. E. E. Young, R. Hartwell, T. J. Cummings, BEATRICE, Neb., March 19. - (Spe J. R. Campbell, V. Zink, David Collins, cial Telegram.) - Republican primaries Moses Roberts, Ed Colton, L. H. Laffin, Ed held here today, after one the most campaigns Cook, Henry Wakeman. Delegates to state convention: Colonel J ever known in the county. The contest was S Dew. A. J. Wright, C. H. Halstead. lively and brought out a large vote. The Thomas McClure, John Robertson, W. C. chief contest was on delegate to the na Redfield, E. W. Elwell, W. L. Wilson, tional convention. R. J. Kilpatrick and C William Bucher, William Ernst, W. H. B. Dempster, both well known business Chapin, E. F. Bell, Joseph Whitham, men, being the candidates. Mr. Dempster won in Beatrice, carrying every ward in Palmer Blake. The county central committee was the city, his majority being about 300. Re ganized with Colonel J. S. Dew as chairturns from other towns and country precincts, show that Kilpatrick has carried some of them. All will have to be heard from before the result can be definitely NAME CITY AND VILLAGE TICKETS.

known, but it is thought Dempster will be successful. Adams County Convention Date. HASTINGS, Neb., March 19.-(Special.)-The Adams county central committee me yesterday afternoon and determined upon

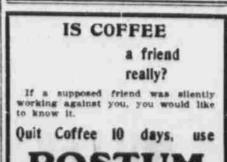
April 30 as the date of the republican ounty convention, to be held in Hastings. Endorsements for All Alike. FAIRBURY, Neb., March 19.-(Specia

Telegram.)-The Jefferson county repub lican convention was held this afternoor all precincts being represented. Resolu tions were adopted endorsing President Roosevelt's administration and favoring the nomination of Roosevelt for president and John L. Webster for vice president The action of the state committee in re gard to the nomination of United States senator was approved and Hon. E. J. Burkett endorsed for the nomination. Congressman E. H. Hinshaw received an enthusiastic endorsement and the delegates were instructed to use all honorable means

secure his renomination. A. L. Carnes of Fairbury was endorsed for state superintendent and the delegates instructed for him. The state administration was en dorsed and Governor Mickey recommended for a second term. The delegates to the state convention are: G. E. Jenkens, E. C. Hansen, C. H. Den-

ney, J. E. Mendenhall, H.-C. Dawson, H. F. Shearon, W. F. Ware, C. W. Knapp, Cawdry, H. Clapp. G. T. Haggard, S. Butier and E. P. Griffin.

Delegates to congressional convention: term represented the Fifth district in con- G. W. Hansen, H. W. Schere, H. Diekman,



IT MAY PROVE SOMETHING TO TOU.

Nebraska Towns Get Ready for Their Regular Spring Cleaning. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 19 .- (Spe cial.)-The republicans held their city convention in Waterman's hall last evening and nominated the following ticket: Mayor W. L. Picket; clerk, George Thomas; treasurer, Dr. E. W. Cook; police judge, William Webber; members Board of Education, J. L. Barton and Charles Dodge; councilman. First ward, J. C. Lindeman; Second, John Clause; Third, F. M. Stamker; Fourth, R. W. Hayes, and Fifth, Ed Barker. At the same time the democrats nomi nated this city ticket: Treasurer, Will W. Clements; clerk, H. M. Soennichsen; police

judge, M. Aroher, the present incumbent; School Board, F. G. Fricke and Charles Dodge; councilman, First ward, Ed Fitz-M. Roberts; Fourth, W. C. Tippens; Fifth, William Schlater. The socialists nominated this ticket during the evening: Mayor, Anton Carlsen;

treasurer, Jacob Jones; clerk, P. H. Madsen; police judge. Homer McKay; School Board, Herman Streitweiser and Mike Bajek; Aldermen, William Daugherty, Andy Krochler, T. J. Izner, H. Sander and Dallas Gibson. Bernard McCaffrey of Omaha, a member of the national commit tee, gave a little talk for the good of the party

WAYNE, Neb., March 18 .- (Special Telegram.)-The citizens' caucus held at the court house last night was largely attended and the following nominations were made: For mayor, James Britton; city treasurer, H. S. Ringland; city clerk, A. T. Witter; police judge, B. F. Ferther; members of School Board, E. Hunter and S. R. Theobold; councilmen, First ward, W. S. Goldie; Second ward, J. C. Harmer; Third ward, Dr. J. J. Williams.

SYRACUSE, Neb., March 19.-(Special.) After one of the most interesting and enthusiastic contests ever held in this place the citizens' caucus last night nominated

the following members of the village council: G. G. Williamson, A. H. Warren and J. M. Ruth. The fight was enlivened by personal animosities. Seven candidates en-

tered the race. FREMONT, Neb., March 19.-(Special.)-The republicans and democrats both held Ed Latta. These two latter names were their conventions last evening. The re- the nominees of the Law and Order caucus, publicans met at the city hall and nominsted I. P. Gage and Frank McGiverin by bers of the school board were nominated-

cclamation. The democrats held forth at the district court room and unanimously agree upon Frank McGiverin, democrat, and I. P. Gage, republican. There will, inerefore, be no contest on the school election. The democrats have completed their ward lickets by nominating J. A. Welton for councilman in the First ward and A. E. Evans in the Third.

HASTINGS. Neb., March 19.-(Special Telegram.)-The convertion of the Law and league which was to have been held Irder tonight to nominate a candidate for mayor in case the democrats and republicans failed to nominate a man the league would endorse has been called off, after a conference of ministers this afternoon. It is understood that the league indicated previous to last night's democratic convent'on that the nomination of Mr. Trimble would be acceptable.

citizens' caucus last evening the following were nominated for the ensuing year: Mayor, M. J. McDermott; councilmen, First ward, P. H. Schwab; Second ward, Jake Beck; clerk, W. E. Thompson; treasurer, A. W. Clark; school board, Fred Hanke, gerald; Second, P. E. Ruffner; Third, J. H. H. Schultz. It is understood to be a high license board and an endorsement of

the rigid aconomy of the present administration of the present mayor, Mr. McDermott.

BEATRICE, Neb., March 19 .- (Special Telegram.)-At a citizen's convention held here tonight, the following city ticket was placed in nomination: Councilmen, First ward, J. S. Rutherford; Second ward, J. R. Spicer, Third ward, Frank Little; Fourth ward, J B. Parker; school board. Sam Eccles, Mrs. E. G. Drake, Dr. R. S. Albright,

### BANK THIEVES SCARE THEMSELVES

Run Away Without Booty After Wrecking Building and Vault. BEATRICE, Neb., March 19 .- (Special be captured the robbers fied in great haste without securing any booty.

Tekamah City Campaign.

The citizens' ticket nominated Friday night is: For mayor, A. M. Anderson, to succeed himself; alderman First ward, Chris Jeep;

H. K. Ott, to succeed himself, and M. D. following ticket: For mayor, V. G. Ly-SUTTON, Neb., March 12.-(Special.)-At Wilbert, to succeed Judge Sears. The ford; for clerk Dr. E. E. Mathers; tor voters will be afforded the opportunity to treasurer, Jake Schlable; for councilman vote yes or no on saloons, and the officers. First ward. Samuel Lichty, for councilman f elected, agree to carry out the result. Second ward, L. C. Mauger; for counci-Wednesday night a caucus of the law and man Third ward. Henry Bofer: members order party nominated J. R. Force for of school board, Ben Foster, S. H. Hoffmayor, W. R. Beam for councilman of Sec- nell and D. C. Kirkpatrick (short term). ond ward and Henry Roberts for council- W. H. Maddox and T. J. Whitaker were man of First ward, with the balance of the selected as a committee to fill vacancies ticket the same as the citizens.

Sarpy Wants a New Building. PAPILLION, Neb., March 19 .-- (Special)-

The question that is troubling the taxpaybuild a new one. The building as it now the county made efforts to have the county den. N. Y.

seat moved from Papillion, and it is now stated that Greina, a very enterprising town, knowing that a new building is a necessity, will put in an oar and exert that place.

Teachers to Meet at Columbus. COLUMBUS, Neb., March 19 -- (Special Telegram.)-The North Nebraska Teachers'

addressed by several members. The grade section will meet on Thursday, as will also the high school and county superintend-

ents section. On Friday the grammar school and primary sections will meet. alderman Second ward. George Wixer, to dresses will be made by Frank R. Roberson, Miss Carrie L. Grout, Miss Edith Cogswell of Chicago and J. L. McBrien.

### Anti-Saloon Ticket.

FALLS CITY, Neb., March 19.-(Special.) -The Anti-Saloon league has named the time.

### Celebrate Sixtleth Anniversary, WAYNE, Neb., March 18.-(Special.)-Next Sunday is the sixtieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Cutler, who ers of Sarpy county is whether to enlarge have resided in Wayne for twenty years,

and remodel the present court house or to and are aged, respectively, 82 and 50 years, Both enjoy good health and appear as stands is insufficient to accommodate the though they might live to see many more new offices, which are bunched up two in anniversaries of their welding day. They a room. The present court house, in the have one daughter and two sons, Helen M. opinion of many, is a disgrace to the Sewell of Wayne, Herbert M. Cutler of county. Some years ago other towns in Newton Ia., and Monroe Cutler of Cam-

### Church Holds Dollar Dinner.

PETERSBURG, Neb., March 19.-(Special.)-The tenth anniversary of the Conevery effort to have the capital changed to gregational church was celebrated Tuesday ovening. The main feature of the entertainment was a dollar per plate banquet. Rev. J. M. Kokjer presided as toastmaster. Those who responded to toasts were: Editor C. L. Mayes of the Rushville Standassociation will meet here March 30 to ard, "A Starter"; O. M. Needham of Al-April 1. The program opens with a gen-bion. Prof. J. E. Taylor of Neligh, Rev. eral session on Wednesday, which will be John Roberts of Elgin and Rev. H. Bross of Lincols

### Postpone Bond Election.

HUMBOLDT, Neb., March 19 .- (Special.) When those interested came to investigate matters in connection with the proposed voting of bonds for the crection of a new city hall, they found the time was too short to allow the necessary advertis-

ing before the municipal election and the project was abandoned until after that !

TEKAMAH, Neb., March 19.-(Special.)

succeed himself; police judge, J. C. Shaw; city clerk, J. M. Crowell; city treasurer, which met Wednesday night. Two mem

Telegram.)-The bank at Firth, Neb., was entered by burglars this morning, who succeeded in wrecking the building and

vault, but failed to force the safe open. The report of the explosion alarmed the citizens of the town. Fearing they would