

BERGE HAS FIGHT ON HANDS

Lincoln Democrats Take Exception to His Formal Announcement... REFERENCE TO POPULISTS DISTASTEFUL

Hanks of Otes and Hill of Lancaster Talked of as Likely Candidates for the Democratic Nomination.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, May 26.—(Special.)—The statement issued to the public this morning by George W. Berge, announcing his candidacy for the democratic nomination...

On the other hand, democrats in Lincoln today are rubbing it in on Berge. They seem to think that he forever killed himself by his announcement.

Berge says he is a candidate before the people's independent party convention and the democratic convention. No populist convention has been called, and if it is called the populist nomination is a done deal.

Mrs. Everett Divorced. Mrs. Margaret C. Everett was given a divorce from Dr. Harry C. Everett this morning.

No Date for Greene Hearing. The State Board of Public Lands and Buildings has not yet set a date for the hearing to be held at Lincoln.

Wood River for Rouse. WOOD RIVER, Neb., May 26.—(Special Telegram.)—A demonstrative and enthusiastic caucus was held here this afternoon for the purpose of naming delegates to the Hall county convention.

Bayles Goes to Soldiers' Home. Stephen Bayles, of Red Cloud, was released from the Lincoln hospital this morning and taken to the Soldiers' Home at Milford.

Mortensen Will Not Accept. If the members of the State Normal board think they have selected a secretary who will stand the Lincoln hospital in the State Treasurer Peter Mortensen they are badly mistaken.

Figuring Out Railroad Valuation. Secretary Bennett of the State Board of Assessment is apportioning out the assessment of railroad property as made by the board to the various county clerks.

Rock County Man Pardoned. William Neiter, sentenced to the penitentiary from Rock county October 11,

1901, to serve three and a half years, was today pardoned by Governor Mickey upon the application of the brother of the convict. J. A. Douglas appeared for the prisoner and showed cause why he should be pardoned.

SAMPLE IS LEFT WITH TWO WIVES. Divorce Decree Is Set Aside After His Remarriage.

BEATRICE, Neb., May 26.—(Special Telegram.)—A rather sensational divorce suit was disposed of by Judge Kelliger in the district court last evening when he set aside the decree in the case of Thomas Sample against Susan O. Sample.

Big Ditch Nearly Done. TEKAMAH, Neb., May 26.—(Special.)—The combination ditch is very near completion and if nothing serious happens it will be ready to turn over to the county board next week.

Valley Schools Closed. VALLEY, Neb., May 26.—(Special.)—The Valley schools closed Friday afternoon, with appropriate exercises in the lower grades.

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PLATTSMOUTH—The recent showers were highly appreciated by the school children of the North Loup-The North Loup high school graduating exercises took place here this morning.

GENEVA—The Independent Order Odd Fellows will meet for the first time since the outbreak of the epidemic.

WEST POINT—Mr. and Mrs. James Conroy, old settlers of Cuming county, have returned to Idaho, where they will hereafter make their home.

PLATTSMOUTH—Lynn Kildow, aged 44 years, passed away at his home in this city Friday.

of Eagles, of which deceased was a member, will have charge of the services at the grave.

ADAMS—Adams chapter, Order Eastern Star, held an interesting meeting in their hall Tuesday night.

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FALLS CITY—The department store of E. Bode & Sons, 211-213 North First street, was opened Friday afternoon.

WEST POINT—Rev. F. W. Krueger, pastor of St. John's German Lutheran church of West Point, has returned from his tour of the west.

TABLE ROCK—Wilson G. Matthews, who was at work on the railroad, was killed by a train near Table Rock.

FRIENDS—Citizens of Friend have raised \$500 for a Fourth of July fund.

LOUISVILLE—Commencement exercises of the Louisville High School began Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

ADAMS—The Milling company Science class presented their instructor, Miss Pearl Loungers, with a beautiful gift.

Richard and Wilhelm Carpet Co. 414-16-18 South Sixteenth Street.

Lace Curtains at about half price, a fortunate purchase of real Arabian lace worth of real Arabian curtains for \$4,350, a little more than one-third off from regular importers' prices.

Window Shades We are headquarters for window shades, our stock is always complete and we show the best shades made at the lowest possible cost.

Hammocks See the new western hammock with curved stretcher at both ends, made from a genuine cord, fast color, at \$3.75.

Library and Living Room Furniture Table, like cut, made of the most choice grain quarter-sawn white oak, shaped top, 29x43 inches, with pretty pattern under-shelf.

Globe-Wernicke Bookcases We are sole agents for the Globe-Wernicke "Elastic" Bookcase, that grows with your library.

Refrigerators In buying a refrigerator you want the best. The one that will return every possible satisfaction, one that has a perfect dry cold air circulation, and one in which the food will not taint or mould.

BURKE ADMITS HIS DEFEAT South Dakota Congressman Concedes Control of Convention to Gamble.

NEITHER HE NOR MARTIN CANDIDATES Gamble Certain to Be Endorsed for Senator to Succeed Himself—Kittredge Saved by Time Limit.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—(Special Telegram.)—Congressman Burke has returned to Washington after an exciting campaign in South Dakota.

WASHO—The prohibitionists held their county convention at the court house this week and nominated the following ticket: Fox representatives, Dr. Pinkerton of Mead and Simon Brederberg of Malmo.

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Your Hotel WILL SERVE Grape-Nuts IF YOU ASK Order to the food served dry and with cream or poor over it.

Ingrain Carpets

An Ingrain Carpet does not cost as much as many other kinds, but notwithstanding this a good Ingrain Carpet will give the best possible service for the money invested.

Rugs Rugs

Monday will be Rug Day on our second floor. Almost an entire carload of small rugs recently received, consisting of Axminster and Velvet Rugs, all new patterns, some especially fine Oriental patterns.

Table with 2 columns: Rug type and Price. Includes items like 1-6x3 Axminster Rug, 2-3x4-5 Axminster Rug, etc.

FORECAST OF THE WEATHER Rain Today in Nebraska and South Dakota—Fair and Warmer Tomorrow.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Mo. Official records of temperature and precipitation compared with corresponding day of the last three years.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY. NOTICE—All Spanish-American or Union soldiers or their widows are entitled to 160 acres of land.

LOW PRICES —OR— Refrigerators We have not only the largest variety to show you—both in style and size—in zinc, white enamel, opal, glass and tiled-lined boxes, but the extremely low prices at which we sell these, appeal to every economical buyer.

Badger Peerless Bohn Syphon Glass-lined. \$7.00 up. \$13.75 up. \$20.00 up. \$50.00 up.

MILTON ROGERS & SONS CO. WE SELL QUICK MEAL GASOLINE STOVES. 14th and Farnam Sts.

My Hair is Scraggly Do you like it? Then why be contented with it? Have to be? Oh, no! Just put on Ayer's Hair Vigor and have long, thick hair; soft, even hair; beautiful hair, without a single gray line in it.