

The Promise--Now for Performance

TO THE REPUBLICANS OF NEBRASKA:—

The platform adopted by the Republican State Convention, held at Lincoln, August 22, makes the following distinct promises of state legislation in the interest of the people:

1. Laws to compel the railroads to pay their taxes at the same time and in the same manner as a private individual.
2. A direct primary law for the nomination of all state, county and district officers, including congressmen and United States Senators.
3. A law prohibiting free passes in all forms, except to bona fide railway employes and their immediate families and care-takers of live stock.
4. Laws fully empowering the new State Railway Commission to prohibit rebates, discriminations and special rates to corporations, persons or localities, and to see to it that any and all abuses are corrected and equitable freight and passenger rates obtained for the people.
5. In event of failure of the constitutional amendment or its being declared invalid, laws giving the people of this state the same advantages congress has already given the nation under the railroad rate bill in matters of interstate commerce.
6. A law along the same lines as adopted by congress touching the liability of employers to their employes, permitting recovery for injuries notwithstanding the negligence of a fellow servant.
7. Legislative appropriations to meet current expenses of state government only under the most rigid economy.
8. A law providing that railroad property in cities and villages shall be assessed and taxed the same as other property for city and village purposes.
9. A law insuring inspection and uniform tests of dairy products.

As the republican nominees for our respective legislative districts, we hereby pledge ourselves, if elected, to support and vote for measures that will carry out each of these promises.

<i>W. H. Wilson</i> First Senatorial District.	<i>R. M. Thomson</i> Sixteenth Senatorial District.	<i>W. A. Jones</i> First Representative District.	<i>A. H. Dudge</i> Tenth Representative District.	<i>J. J. Rohrer</i> Thirty-first Representative District.	<i>E. O. White</i> Forty-seventh Representative District.
<i>J. S. P. Howell</i> Second Senatorial District.	<i>E. L. King</i> Eighteenth Senatorial District.	<i>W. A. Stinson</i> Second Representative District.	<i>A. H. Harvey</i> Tenth Representative District.	<i>D. J. Killen</i> Thirty-second Representative District.	<i>A. L. Seudder</i> Forty-seventh Representative District.
<i>John L. Rook</i> Fourth Senatorial District.	<i>C. H. Sedwick</i> Nineteenth Senatorial District.	<i>W. B. Raper</i> Second Representative District.	<i>Michael Lee</i> Tenth Representative District.	<i>C. H. Cuddice</i> Thirty-third Representative District.	<i>J. H. Dorian</i> Forty-ninth Representative District.
<i>L. C. Eitzen</i> Sixth Senatorial District.	<i>H. C. Sackett</i> Twenty-first Senatorial District.	<i>C. B. Parker</i> Third Representative District.	<i>Edward Leach</i> Tenth Representative District.	<i>W. K. Line</i> Thirty-fourth Representative District.	<i>Samuel H. Green</i> Fiftieth Representative District.
<i>R. H. Thomas</i> Sixth Senatorial District.	<i>Dr. Porter F. Doren</i> Twenty-second Senatorial District.	<i>J. W. Whitman</i> Fourth Representative District.	<i>F. S. Tucker</i> Tenth Representative District.	<i>Thos. Schweis</i> Thirty-fifth Representative District.	<i>E. P. Springer</i> Fifty-fourth Representative District.
<i>Chas. H. Saunders</i> Sixth Senatorial District.	<i>Dr. J. H. Hiler</i> Twenty-third Senatorial District.	<i>J. M. Armstrong</i> Fifth Representative District.	<i>John Valala</i> Tenth Representative District.	<i>John P. Phicason</i> Thirty-sixth Representative District.	<i>Joseph A. Baird</i> Fifty-fifth Representative District.
<i>Geo. W. Wittae</i> Eighth Senatorial District.	<i>Louis Goodrich</i> Twenty-fourth Senatorial District.	<i>Frank J. Davis</i> Seventh Representative District.	<i>Mary D. Bryan</i> Twelfth Representative District.	<i>Samuel Logsdon</i> Thirty-seventh Representative District.	<i>F. C. Wilson</i> Fifty-sixth Representative District.
<i>E. D. Gould</i> Ninth Senatorial District.	<i>Clas. H. Epperson</i> Twenty-fifth Senatorial District.	<i>Char. E. Noyes</i> Seventh Representative District.	<i>J. H. Eller</i> Thirteenth Representative District.	<i>John Hart</i> Thirty-eighth Representative District.	<i>Geo. W. Barrett</i> Fifty-eighth Representative District.
<i>H. D. Halbank</i> Tenth Senatorial District.	<i>W. E. Thorne</i> Twenty-sixth Senatorial District.	<i>M. J. Harrison</i> Eighth Representative District.	<i>John H. Knowles</i> Fourteenth Representative District.	<i>John P. Buckley</i> Thirty-ninth Representative District.	<i>Thomas F. Kramer</i> Fifty-eighth Representative District.
<i>Chas. Randall</i> Eleventh Senatorial District.	<i>Albert Walsh</i> Twenty-ninth Senatorial District.	<i>J. M. Ward</i> Ninth Representative District.	<i>W. G. Fletcher</i> Twenty-first Representative District.	<i>E. Hansen</i> Fortieth Representative District.	<i>Frank Mastice</i> Sixty-fourth Representative District.
<i>J. W. Phillips</i> Thirteenth Senatorial District.	<i>Chas. A. Sibby</i> Thirtieth Senatorial District.	<i>L. C. Barnes</i> Tenth Representative District.	<i>Hubert Smith</i> Twenty-second Representative District.	<i>D. H. Nettleton</i> Forty-second Representative District.	<i>Philip Selinus</i> Sixty-fifth Representative District.
<i>David Hanna</i> Fourteenth Senatorial District.	<i>John Schubert</i> First Representative District.	<i>F. C. Best</i> Tenth Representative District.	<i>John P. Stief</i> Twenty-ninth Representative District.	<i>A. J. Jenison</i> Forty-second Representative District.	<i>L. D. Richardson</i> Sixty-sixth Representative District.
<i>H. B. Glover</i> Fifteenth Senatorial District.	<i>A. E. Stalder</i> First Representative District.	<i>Henry Clark Jr.</i> Tenth Representative District.	<i>D. F. A. Marsh</i> Twenty-ninth Representative District.	<i>Wm. F. Renkel</i> Forty-fourth Representative District.	<i>J. Hill</i> Fifty-seventh Representative District.

MUNGER SHY ON PRACTICE

Reason Advanced by R. W. Treckenridge for Bar Association's Oppositon.

PROTESTORS NOT TO GO TO WASHINGTON.

Will Stop with Sending Written Objection to Munger and Names of Other Men They Prefer.

The Omaha attorneys who are working against the appointment of T. C. Munger of Lincoln to the new federal judgeship in Nebraska do not expect to go to Washington for a hearing before the Nebraska delegation. The request by telegram a few days ago for a hearing simply meant that the lawyers wanted time to get their written protests to Washington before the appointment was made. So explained President T. J. Mahoney of the Nebraska State Bar Association Tuesday.

It is understood the Nebraska delegation has been flooded with letters asking the appointment of another man than Mr. Munger. Among those mentioned in his stead are Frank M. Hall, Allen Field and Roscoe Pound of Lincoln, Judge Sedgwick of York, Mr. Rinsker of Beatrice and Congressman Norris of McCook.

A few days ago, after a conference with a number of Omaha lawyers, John L. Webster addressed a letter to Attorney General Bonaparte recommending Frank M. Hall, Allen Field, Roscoe Pound and Judge Sedgwick in the order named.

Ralph W. Breckenridge does not believe

EVENLY DIVIDED ON MUNGER

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that any one man has the first choice of the majority of the members of the Omaha bar, but perhaps Roscoe Pound and F. M. Hall have more friends than any. He believes Judge Sedgwick is second choice of the majority and first choice of many.

"I hope it will be thoroughly understood that there is no personal hostility to Mr. Munger among the Omaha lawyers," said Mr. Breckenridge. "Speaking for myself, I should prefer another man in the place because Mr. Munger has never been admitted to the circuit court of appeals and has had only five or six cases in the federal court. His experience has not been of the character that would fit him for the place."

"The appointment of a federal judge should not be given to one senator as his particular property, since it affects so extensively the interests of the state and the bar."

MINOR MATTERS AT CAPITAL

The Missouri river gets \$150,000 for work between Kansas City and Sioux City instead of \$120,000.

The conference report on the Rosebud bill has been agreed upon.

Representative Mundell's bill providing that the state of Wyoming may relinquish to the United States certain lands and take other lands in lieu thereof passed the house today.

George Hallman has been appointed postmaster at Bruning, Thayer county, Nebraska, vice F. E. Wallis, resigned.

Rural carriers appointed for South Dakota, routes: Alpena, route 1, Edgar S. Walsh, carrier; Roy S. Wales, substitute; Manchester, route 1, Frank E. Youdon, carrier; Frank Blood, substitute.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Charles F. Crowley Appointed Gas Inspector by the Mayor.

COUNCIL CONFIRMS THE NOMINATION

Councilman Brucker Introduces Ordinance Providing License for Drivers of Automobiles and Regulating Speed.

Mayor Dahlman's appointment of Charles F. Crowley as gas commissioner was last evening unanimously confirmed by the city council. It was expected from the first that Mr. Crowley would be selected for the newly created office. The office carries with it a salary of \$1,500 a year. Gas Commissioner Crowley, who has been city bacteriologist for several years, will enter on his new work in about thirty days, by which time it is believed the apparatus necessary for the work will have been received and placed in a room in the city hall. The commissioner's duties will be to test the heat units and illuminating power of gas as well as test the pressure and meters; also the quality of gas.

The mayor recommended that an assistant gas commissioner be appointed to assist the commissioner in such work as testing meters and removing them as provided by ordinance, the contention being the commissioner will not be able to attend to all of the work of his office. In line with the mayor's suggestion, Councilman Fankhouser offered a concurrent resolution declaring the necessity of an assistant gas commissioner, but that resolution was referred to the committee of the whole for deliberate consideration. Mr. Fankhouser's resolution stated that the salary of the assistant be \$1,500, \$500 to be taken from the gas commissioner's fund and \$400 from the plumbing inspector's fund, the assistant to act as assistant plumbing inspector in addition to his duties as assistant gas commissioner.

REGULATING AUTOMOBILE DRIVERS

Councilman Brucker introduced an ordinance affecting automobiles, and owners and drivers of such vehicles. This ordinance was referred in the usual manner for consideration. Mr. Brucker's measure provides that every driver of an automobile on the streets of Omaha must have a license, and before being granted such license by the license inspector shall file a statement signed by two responsible citizens, testifying that the applicant for license is "sober, industrious and honest." No one under 21 years of age is allowed to operate an auto under this ordinance, and machines used for general hire must be operated under a license costing \$5 a year. Drivers must pass an examination or give evidence of technical knowledge of automobiles, and police officers are given power to take in charge cars operated by persons in a state of intoxication or otherwise incapacitated. For third of such offense the mayor is authorized to revoke the license. A speed limit of seven miles per hour within the city limits is stipulated. Owners and drivers must furnish the city a bond of \$100 each before a license is granted. Other regulations of a minor character are embodied in the ordinance.

Councilman Bedford introduced, at the instance of the juvenile and police authorities, an ordinance regulating the conduct of

MOVE TO RENT MARKET HOUSE

Mayor Dahlman recommended that, in view of the council's inability to use the market house on Capitol avenue for the purpose for which it was built, the building be rented to one of several parties willing to pay the city a yearly rental of \$1,300 for the building, such a plan, the mayor believes, being better than allowing the building to fall to pieces on its foundation. Referred to committee on public buildings and property.

An ordinance to vote bonds to the extent of \$50,000 for intercession purposes was introduced and referred.

Parks Brothers, through E. W. Parks, were granted the privilege of building a boat on Douglas street near the river, this craft to be used for hauling garden truck to Omaha this summer.

The ordinance referring to signs and obstructions on and over sidewalks was recommended to the committee of the whole for further consideration, there being some uncertainty as to what regulation should be placed on showcases extending from the lot line, the opinion being that permanent showcases should be allowed, if not placed beyond three feet of the lot line. This will be considered next Monday afternoon.

A resolution to buy seventeen city directories for the various city offices and pay for same out of the general fund was lost, this matter to be left to the individual departments.

The city engineer was instructed by res-

OMAHA BOY IS PROMOTED

A. E. Randall Goes Up a Notch in Marine Service of Uncle Sam.

A. E. Randall, son of W. Randall of the auditing department of the Burlington, has been promoted in the marine service of the government. He was stationed at Olongapo, P. I., and now goes as second lieutenant on the warship Cincinnati, in charge of the marines on that ship.

Many qualify for Scholarships.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—An Ottawa (Ont.) special to the Times says that Dr. R. O. Parkin, administrator of the Rhodes scholarship here, announced last night the list of American candidates who have passed the examination of the University of Oxford held throughout the United States. Out of 216 candidates 128 passed, a larger proportion than ever before. Of the forty-eight states all produced candidates except three. Of the 128, forty-five will be chosen to go to Oxford in October next. The scholarships are worth \$1,500 per annum.