

COLTON FOR MAYOR OF YORK

Hundred and Sixty-Six Ballots Are Cast Before He Is Nominated.

DELEGATES HOLD TO INSTRUCTIONS

Republicans Expect to Elect Entire City Ticket, as the Hard Contest Leaves No Atmosphere-Conventions Elsewhere.

YORK, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—The republican city convention held Friday evening developed a most exciting contest for the nomination for mayor. The three candidates before the convention were William Colton, F. P. Van Winkle and William DeLocher. Each had his ward instructed for him and the third ward, having no candidate, scattered its votes among the three.

People's Ticket Is Popular. WEST POINT, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—The people's mass convention was held in the city hall on Thursday evening and organized by the election of J. C. Elliott as chairman and J. C. Finkler as secretary. The following ticket was nominated: Mayor, F. D. Hunker; clerk, C. C. Malchow; treasurer, H. H. Kerkow; engineer, G. A. Heller; police judge, J. D. Crellin; for members of the board of education, for the West Point school district, P. M. Moulden and A. E. Krause. The nominating committee is known as the Citizens' committee.

License Question at Lexington. LEXINGTON, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—The campaign for city officers for the coming year for this city is now on, the main issue being "three years experience" for licensing saloons. The "Business Men's Administration" ticket, which is for license, is as follows: For mayor, W. A. Stewart; for city clerk, George A. Roberts; for city treasurer, Peter Jensen, Jr.; for police judge, J. W. Benedict; for city engineer, H. O. Smith; for councilman first ward, H. P. Nielsen; for councilman second ward, W. H. Wladis; for councilman third ward, A. A. May. "Citizens' Ticket," against license, is as follows: For mayor, John M. Neff; for city clerk, Markpegg Holmes; for city treasurer, J. R. Thomas; for city engineer, H. O. Smith; for police judge, no nomination; for councilman first ward, David Young; for councilman second ward, A. E. Greenham; for councilman third ward, J. D. Hendershot.

Dickinson Renominated. SEWARD, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—At the republican caucus last night W. O. Dickinson was renominated for mayor, Joseph Rupp for city clerk, H. A. Graft for city treasurer, J. P. Green and L. E. Ost for school board, John Zimmerman and W. F. Schmidt, East ward councilmen; Samuel Pence, West ward councilman.

TEARNEY, Neb., March 16.—(Special Telegram.)—At a well attended caucus in this city, of which J. T. McDonald was chairman and C. O. Swan, secretary, the following ticket was placed in nomination for city officers: C. M. Hull, mayor; George Ford, city clerk; Gilbert E. Haase, treasurer; Alfred T. Anderson, member of school board.

COLUMBUS, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—Political parties are so united in Columbus as to hold their conventions on the same day at the same hall, and at the same hour, Thursday evening at Freeman's hall. The democrats held a mass convention without a speaker, the republicans held a mass convention with a speaker, and the progressives held a mass convention with a speaker.

POSTUM FOOD COFFEE and if your ails begin to disappear keep it up and get back to comfort and health again. "There's a Reason"

Rheumatism

Is one of the constitutional diseases. It manifests itself in local aches and pains—Inflamed joints and stiff muscles,—but it cannot be cured by local applications. It requires constitutional treatment, and the best is a course of the great blood-purifying and tonic medicine

Hood's Sarsaparilla

which neutralizes the acidity of the blood and builds up the whole system. In usual liquid form or in chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs, 100 doses \$1.

Hastings Democrats Nominated. HASTINGS, Neb., March 16.—(Special Telegram.)—Democrats of Hastings met in city convention tonight and put the following ticket in the field: For police judge, Benjamin F. Reynolds; councilman from first ward, S. J. Owens; second ward, Dr. J. T. Steele; third ward, S. S. Snyder; fourth ward, J. C. Corey; for members of school board, Chris Kohler, R. R. Damerall, David W. Bowers, N. H. Jones, the latter for the short term; and only thing that came up to mar perfect harmony was an effort to have the convention endorse republican nominees for school board. A resolution was endorsed placing the convention against any effort to dispose of the old East ward school grounds unless it is sanctioned by a vote of the people.

Blair Mutual Will Purchase New Building and Move at One. BLAIR, Neb., March 16.—(Special Telegram.)—At a regular meeting of the board of directors of the Blair Mutual Telephone company this afternoon the purchase was authorized of the two-story brick known as the Blair Mutual building in Kant-Be-Beat of the business portion of the city. As soon as the necessary changes in cables, switchboards and repairs of the building, which will be extensive, is completed, the company will move into the new quarters. A graduated scale of prices for telephones in business houses and for all kinds of electrical merchandise and grocery stores and doctors' offices, etc. will come under the higher rate, at \$2 per month, and from that down to \$1.50 for low offices, real estate, etc.

WILBER, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—At the most largely attended citizens' caucus ever held here, last night, with saloon-keeper and parson sitting cheek by jowl in the same seat, a nonpartisan ticket composed of E. Ballard, William Bohacek and Joseph Cerny was nominated for village trustees.

Levi Miller for Mayor. STANTON, Neb., March 16.—(Special Telegram.)—At a spirited but friendly meeting this evening Levi Miller was nominated for mayor and Pete Davidson was nominated for councilman for the first ward and C. C. Mayer for the second ward.

PAWNEE CITY, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the citizens of Pawnee city held Friday evening, the following nominations for city officers were made: Mayor, J. B. Sawyer; city clerk, George L. Lora; treasurer, A. S. Story (all renominations); engineer, J. C. Smuts; members of the school board, H. H. Bull, J. F. Wilson and A. J. Young. A. J. Young, first ward, L. W. Harrington; second ward, A. B. Ede.

CASS COUNTY RETAILERS TO MEET

Association to be Formed Wednesday Next at Plattsmouth. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—The Federation of Cass County Retailers is to be organized in this city next Wednesday, the association to be affiliated with the Federation of Nebraska Retailers. It is expected that at least 15 retail merchants from various towns in the county will attend. About seventy have already joined the association.

RAILROAD WORK IS RESUMED Burlington Gets Busy on New Grade at Pleasantdale. SEWARD, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—The Burlington has resumed work at Pleasantdale on the new grade. The road will be completed by fall. The Yankton gull line surveys have reached Seward. A number of work wagons are with the surveyors, who have gone into camp two and a half miles from town and the men will be away from the saloons. The depot here will be located near the Elkhorn railroads.

United Evangelicals in Conference.

ALMA, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—The tenth annual session of the Platte River Conference, United Evangelical church, was opened here Friday with Bishop W. F. Herd of Highland Park, Ill., in the chair. The presiding bishop, in delivering his opening address, made reference to the fact that, according to the statistics of 1906, of the 150 denominations in the United States, the Evangelical church stands twelfth in numerical strength, but grows and first in contributions per capita. The following persons were granted license to preach: J. A. Leming Murdoch; H. O. Parrish, Hastings; E. S. Whiticker, Kearney; Rev. F. E. Drum, Eddyville; Rev. Q. A. Deck, Omaha; Rev. H. C. Parley, Alma. were granted elders' orders. J. Lehman, G. H. Strohm and N. J. Kirkpatrick were received into the conference as local deacons and R. K. Pierce and B. F. Taylor as local elders.

Lincoln County Gets Tax Money.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—E. S. Davis, county treasurer, has received a draft for \$4,743.46, which covers the delinquent taxes and interest owed by the Union Pacific for the years 1904, 1905 and 1906, less \$165.07 tax on city water bonds for the year 1905, \$105.96 for 1906 and \$75.51 sewer maintenance tax for 1906. A receipt will be issued for the actual money received, the amounts excepted will be taken up later by city drafts for \$127.54 and also received from the Burlington, covering the tax balance due for the years 1904, 1905 and 1906.

Pawnee City as Horse Market.

PAWNEE CITY, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—Pawnee city is achieving a reputation as a horse market, one of the best country markets anywhere. On Friday 28 head were sold at auction by Colonel Groves of St. Louis. Horses from all over the country were present and were highly pleased at the offerings made. The sale aggregated about \$20,000. A roan gelding, bought by Walker brothers of Fairbury topped the sale at \$2600. A black gelding out of St. Joe, a slightly driven, brought \$250. Another sale will be held in the near future.

Kerosene Takes Place of Gasoline. ALBURN, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—A discovery that may develop to some importance was made by an Alburn man this week. Henry Wagner has solved a problem whereby the poorer grade of kerosene can be used as successfully substituted for gasoline. Mr. Wagner is the miller at Taylor's mill, which is run

turney general said he was advised the Burlington was following the same policy between Table Rock and McCook, where the road runs partly in Kansas. Attorney General Thompson said he had precedent for his ruling in a Pennsylvania case.

RECORD PRICES PAID FOR SWINE

Sale of Duroc-Jerseys at College View Sets New Mark. COLLEGE VIEW, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—Three new high records were established in the Duroc-Jersey swine breeding world at the sale of the Kant-Be-Beat Stock company, comprised of George Briggs and Son of Clay Center, Neb., Hopkins Brothers of Atlanta, Neb., and William Sandstead of Holdrege, Neb. The contending bidders were Smith Brown of Waterloo, Neb., Mr. Biehnigh of York and the Kant-Be-Beat of Waterloo. The show sow, Alex II, went to George C. Biesing of Homer, Neb., the ownership for which was contested by J. A. Ollis, Jr., of Ord, Neb., Arthur Vall of Hume, Mo., and Smith Brown of Waterloo. For thirty-three head and including one that came in Kant-Be-Beat they received \$11,590. This sale closes one of the most successful sale seasons ever known. Colonel Callahan, who conducted the sale, has in five different sales this season broken all previous records known to the breed.

TELEPHONE COMPANY BUYS HOME

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ORPHANS FROM EAST FIND HOMES

Ten Boys and Girls from New York Are Placed with Albion People. ALBION, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—J. W. Swan of University Park, Neb., brought ten orphans children to Albion yesterday from New York. He had advertised a few weeks in advance that he would bring a party of children to this city with the view of finding them homes. The people seemed to take a great interest in the homeless little ones and about thirty applications were filed with the committee offering homes for the boys and girls. After careful consideration the committee placed them in the homes they thought best and today finds them comfortably located in good, healthy Nebraska homes.

SONS OF HERMANN CASE REOPENED

New Witness Confirms Statement Money Was Accepted Conditionally. BLOOMINGTON, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—Judge A. A. Welch today granted a new hearing in the case of Christine Soehner against the grand lodge, Sons of Hermann, which case was last week decided by the jury in favor of the plaintiff in the district court of Cedar county. The motion for a rehearing was based upon the appearance of a new witness who positively affirms the statement of the former secretary of the lodge that the money was received conditionally. The case will again come up for hearing at the November term of court.

Examination for Life Certificates.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 16.—(Special.)—A special examination for life certificates will be held in connection with the various spring district teachers' associations. The examination will be held in the high school buildings at each place. The schedule of dates is as follows: Norfolk, April 4 and 5; Fremont, April 4 and 5; York, April 4 and 5; Beatrice, April 4 and 5; Oxford, March 29 and 30; Lincoln, April 4 and 5.

News of Nebraska.

STERLING—Two more cases of smallpox are reported six miles east of here. MILFORD—Rediger Bros have sold their stock of dry goods to L. F. Holmes of Wahoo. YORK—The winter term of York college closes March 16. The enrollment is in advance of all previous records. HEATRICE—Mrs. Elizabeth Mudge, a resident of Highland Park, Ill., died here in this city yesterday, aged 92 years. RED CLOUD—Elder R. A. Thompson of Platteville, Mo., begins a series of revival meetings at the Christian church this evening. PERU—Superintendent F. W. Gail was re-elected superintendent of the Exeter schools at the last meeting of the Board of Education.

STERLING—This week about \$50 was raised for the famine sufferers in China. This amount \$23.90 was contributed by the schools.

OAKLAND—John Moseman has bought the heavy elevator at this place. He is tearing it down and will use the lumber for other purposes.

GENEVA—Captain Charles W. Cagle of the National Guard, who is in Geneva, Nebraska, to inspect Company G, Nebraska National Guard.

YORK—The Business Men's club of the Young Men's Christian association is making a special effort to secure 100 members for the association.

BEATRICE—In the declaratory contest held at Wyome last evening Miss Fern Jeffrey, one of the boys' twins, was declared the winner.

BEEMER—A. A. Reed, state high school principal visited all the schools in Beemer public schools and found the school ready for accreditation.

RED CLOUD—The Burlington tendered County Treasurer Frahm on Monday a check for \$2,483.28 delinquent taxes and interest on the same.

RED CLOUD—The people's party nominated a ticket for city officers in convention at the city hall last night. The republican convention yesterday.

NEBRASKA CITY—J. Fred Schomaker, a prospectively rich country line, died recently of a sudden heart trouble.

SCHUYLER—Chief of Police Palmer arrested two Indians of the Genoa Indian school and kept them here till an officer of Genoa came and took them back.

WEST POINT—A forty-hour adoration will commence Sunday morning in St. Mary's church. A number of visiting sisters will assist in the ceremonies.

GENEVA—Mrs. Acker has put in a new stock of millinery in the building on Center Street, one of the new ones.

SCHUYLER—County Treasurer Higgins received a check from the Union Pacific for the amount of \$11,559.94 for the back taxes of 1904-5, \$1,134.73 of this being interest.

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NEW SPRING GOODS WE ARE NOW SHOWING new Spring lines in all departments. Special preparations were made to have this season's display far exceed previous efforts. Rattan Rocker, Heavy roll seat and arms, made of best German reeds, a much better rocker than those of similar design usually sold near this price, large size, each \$2.95. Brass Bed, Like cut. Heavy continuous 2-inch post, best lacquer, in bright or satin finish, heavy filling, best construction, each \$37. Mahogany Rocker, Like cut. Pretty Colonial design. Genuine hair-cloth seat. An excellent value at \$16.50. Hoosier, Kitchen Cabinets, Magazine Rack.

Lace Curtains RUGS New rugs for Spring, larger line of exclusive designs, high qualities at prices by no means prohibitive. A few of the good ones: \$16.50 for our special 9x12 Brussels rug. \$10.50 for our 9x12 Dekan Brussels rug. \$25.00 for a 9x12 Velvet rug. \$35.00 for our 9x12 Royal Wilton rug. GAS RANGES Insurance Gasoline Stoves

by one of the largest gasoline engines made, and his experiment has proved such a success that Mr. Taylor has purchased a carload of the lowest grade of Kansas kerosene and filled his storage tanks with it. The oil has given as much satisfaction and power as the highest grade gasoline. RAILROAD WORK IS RESUMED Burlington Gets Busy on New Grade at Pleasantdale. Examination for Life Certificates. News of Nebraska. OAKLAND—Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Watson Parrish at Pasadena, Cal., on February 27. The Parrishs were among the first settlers of Oakland, Mr. Parrish starting the first bank in Oakland in 1878 and Mrs. Parrish acting as cashier. They moved from here to California in 1884, where they have since resided.

For Easter wear A Prince Albert Made the Molony style its the style Molony Tailor 320 So 16th Street makes roomy suits