

LINCOLN NEWS SEES THINGS

Makes a Bitter Attack on Omaha and the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben.

STORY TOO SILLY FOR CREDENCE

Four Returns for Effort of Knights to Boost State Fair, but Lincoln Not to Be Blamed for Antics of This Newspaper.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Aug. 27.—(Special)—A newspaper here whose editor counts his income by the number of Bryan stories he can sell, masquerading as a republican, came out last night with a bitter attack on everything in Omaha in its effort to line up the state against that city. The paper even accused King Ak-Sar-Ben of being a political institution which had entered the combination to throttle progressive republicanism. The story fails to tell just who all these allied interests in Omaha are lined up behind, but it is printed under the enlightening headline, "Omaha in League Against the State; Business Men, Brewers and Railroads Combine On State to Stop Agitation Against Abuse of Corporations."

The only reason attention is called to the story here is because the great majority of the people of Lincoln take no stock in such rot and are willing to do all they can to boost their own city without circulating false stories about Omaha. The great majority of the people of Lincoln know the paper, appreciate its unreliability and regret that it is thus.

It might be amusing to the people of Omaha to know that this sheet said Governor George L. Sheldon would be wiped off the political map by the vote in that city.

Omaha citizens who come to the state fair will receive a royal welcome from the good people of Lincoln, regardless of the way they are being advertised by the pinhead sheet, and those who stay away will miss a glorious good time.

In discussing the big fake story in the Lincoln News regarding Omaha being lined up against the state, S. R. Barton, republican candidate for auditor, who was severely taken to task in the article because A. Galusha and E. M. Searle are said to be for him, merely laughed when the article was shown to him.

"That paper has appointed my deputies for me without consulting me," he said, "and now it is abusing them. I believe that isn't right. The paper should stand for its own appointees." In regard to the endorsement given him by the Railway Employees' Protective association, Mr. Barton said:

"I know nothing of the association except what I have read in the papers. The association asked no promises from me, and I gave none."

Prevention of Tuberculosis. An organization has just been formed in Lincoln, as an auxiliary to the Nebraska Orthopedic hospital for the study and prevention of tuberculosis in children. This institution is to be called the "Eaton Lab-

oratory for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis in Children." It receives its name from Hon. H. M. Eaton, commissioner of public lands and buildings, who has been very much interested in the Or-thopedic hospital and devoted to its interests during the last four years.

The laboratory is intended to accomplish three principal things: First, to make a special study of the records and results at the Nebraska Orthopedic hospital, and of the care of tubercu-lous children in general.

Second, to locate children suffering from tuberculosis in Nebraska who are in need of special care. In co-operation with the attending physician, an attempt will be made to give helpful instruction, where it is required, as to the best methods of caring for these children in their homes. When advisable parents will be urged to have their children placed in the State Orthopedic hospital or in some other institution where suitable care can be had.

Third, to conduct a general campaign of education on all questions relating to the protection of healthy children and the care of those who are sick with tubercu-losis in any of its many forms. This will include the publication of a bulletin which will be issued regularly from the laboratory and sent to all who contribute to the laboratory or otherwise manifest an in-terest in its work.

The officers of the laboratory will be as follows:

Hon. H. M. Eaton, chairman of the Board of Public Lands and Buildings, president; Miss Lena Merrill, principal Saratoga school secretary, treasurer.

Directors: Miss Seba Dewell, principal Prescott school; Dr. H. E. Ward, dean of college of medicine, University of Nebraska; Dr. H. Winnett Orr, assistant superintendent Nebraska Orthopedic hos-pital.

An appeal is being made to the general public for contributions to establish the laboratory and to make a beginning at once of what it is hoped, to accomplish.

Features of Teachers' Meeting. At the meeting of the State Teachers' association November 4 & 5, (note the dates) two new sections will be represented, that of rural schools, Superintendent Purdie, chairman; and that of musical instruction of the public schools, Supervisor Miller, chairman. Admirable programs are ex-pected in both these sections. The pres-ident's annual address deals with rural school features. Rural teachers ought to attend the November meetings in large num-bers, and there is promise that they will.

Many from the western counties have ex-pressed their determination to attend. The timely symposium on the high school problem Thursday morning, November 5, bids fair to be a rich feature. Dr. E. J. Goodwin, assistant commissioner of educa-tion, state of New York, will open, followed by Superintendent A. H. Waterhouse of Fremont; Assistant Superintendent George Platt Knox of the St. Louis schools and Principal A. D. Call of the Second North High school of Hartford, Conn.

No such discussion of high school matter has ever been held in Nebraska. Equus in-terest will attach to the second general session, Friday morning, when Supervisor Miller and Prof. R. G. Moulton will be heard.

It is gratifying to note that nearly all the principal school boards of the state will permit their teachers to attend the Novem-ber meetings.

PHILIPS REPUBLICANS IN SESSION

Through Organization of County in View—Holdrege, Neb., Aug. 27.—(Special.)

The republican county central committee of Phelps county met at the court house in this city yesterday afternoon, with a good attendance, and an enthusiasm pre-va-ling which indicates that nothing will be left undone for success at the polls.

A. G. Warren, candidate for state re-corder, and Frank Anderson, candidate for county attorney, were also present and participated in the meeting.

In the reports of the township com-mittees it developed that in a number of instances there were men who supported Bryan in his two previous campaigns, who openly declare they will not do so this time. They will not promise to support Taft, but declare against Bryan. On the other hand not an instance was reported of a republican who is not going to support the ticket.

A thorough organization of the county will at once be effected and the real earnest work will begin as soon as the pri-mar-ies are over. It is the intention to or-ganize Taft clubs at Bertrand, Loomis, Atlanta, Funk and Holdrege, all the towns being in Phelps county. Other work of preparing for an active campaign was gone into, and before adjourning, the commit-tee unanimously adopted the following resolution:

Whereas, It has come to the attention of the republican county central commit-tee of Phelps county that a number of its fellow citizens and efficient county clerk, C. L. Hedlund, has filed his petition and a candidate for the nomination of state railway commissioner for the state of Nebraska, and

Whereas, We, the committee, knowing him to be an intelligent, honest, fearless man and a zealous and upright citizen, and one whom we know to be wholly unopposed and controlled by corporations or combina-tions, and as a direct representative of the agricultural and live stock industry, constitute more than one-half of all the industries of the state, therefore be it re-solved, That we hereby endorse the candi-dacy for state railway commissioner and recommend him to the voters of Phelps county, and in the event of his success, re-gard his candidacy unequivocally, earnestly requesting the support of republicans at the coming election to be as follows:

GET JAG ABOARD IN JAIL

Sheriff of Butte County Returns to Find Men Drunk on Beer.

TEKAMAH, Neb., Aug. 27.—(Special.)—During the absence of both Sheriff Phipps and his deputy yesterday afternoon, Charles Winburn and John Harrison, who were serving time for bootlegging, each, picked the lock on the closet door in which was stored a barrel and a couple of cases of beer which had been confiscated by the sheriff election day. They drank eight bottles and had nine more in one of the cells. When the sheriff came home they both had a respectable jag on.

Winburn's sentence expires next week. He was arrested on three counts, but only sentenced on one, but since yesterday's affair he will be taken before the court for sentence on the other counts, and charges will be preferred against Harrison when his term expires.

Laterals Severed at Holdrege.

HOLDREGE, Neb., Aug. 27.—(Special.)—The city council has finally let the contract for the construction of the laterals in the first sewer district organized since the completion of the trunk line. Lang & Brown of University Place were the suc-cessful bidders, and were awarded the contract for the sum of \$18,785. There was a difference of about \$7,000 between their bid which was lowest, and the one which was the highest.

The district covers a distance of about five miles and takes in the entire busi-ness section of the city and the congested resi-dence portion, including school houses, all public buildings. The contractors say they will begin work by September 19 and expect to complete it by December 31. At the price named it will cost the owner the neighborhood \$21 or \$22 for the 50-foot line. Warrants are to be issued for the work, which will be taken up and cashed by the First National bank, so that no bonds will be necessary, and under the ordinance creating the sewer district and providing for the payment for the con-struction of the laterals, it is contemplated that property owners will promptly pay the tax and save interest.

Phelps Crop Conditions.

HOLDREGE, Neb., Aug. 27.—(Special.)—Crop conditions in the northern portion of Phelps county could not be much better than they are this season. Corn is looking fine, and it is estimated that the yield will be from sixty to seventy-five bushels to the acre. Wheat that is threshed is going from twenty-five to forty-five bushels to the acre, and a few days ago one farmer threshed out 5,500 bushels of oats from 100 acres of ground. Some of them are cutting their third crop of alfalfa, and say that it will do better than the first one. There are places in the county where there will be scarcely anything, and other places where hailstorms destroyed the crops. Corn has suffered more than anything else, for lack of moisture in July. However, none of the farmers who have suffered from either hail or dry weather are anxious to sell out.

Taft Club at Fairbury.

FAIRBURY, Neb., Aug. 27.—(Special.)—The Fairbury Taft club was organized last evening with a membership of 510. Hon. C. H. Denney was elected president. O. N. Garnsey secretary and S. B. Mottl treas-urer. The membership of the club will be largely increased at the next meeting.

Nebraska News Notes.

PLATTSMOUTH—The Burlington, Wash mail ran over and killed, and a laborer on the "Q" pile driver.

BEATRICE—A light rain fell in this lo-cality yesterday, but the moisture was not needed, it will do no harm.

PLATTSMOUTH—Charles Boedeker has returned from Las Vegas, Nev., where he purchased a section of good land.

PLATTSMOUTH—A. C. Shallenger, candidate for governor on the democratic ticket, is announced to speak in this city Friday evening.

M'COOK—At a special session of the city council last night, a twenty-year franchise was granted the McCook Electric Light company. Rates run from 14 to 7 cents.

BEATRICE—The Odell Vinegar company will begin operation in September. The company was recently incorporated by a number of the leading business men of that place.

BEATRICE—Mrs. Sarah Pluckneit, an old resident of the De Witt neighborhood, underwent a serious operation at Fall's sanitarium this morning at the thought she will recover.

PLATTSMOUTH—Robert Mater, a highly respected and well-known resi-dent here about fifty years.

NEW TRADE FIELD FOR OMAHA

Empire Opened to Market Town by Burlington Extension.

JOBBERS WILL INVADE MONTANA

Rich Country of 30,000 Square Miles and 75,000 Population Subject to Commercial Conquest by Nebraska Merchants.

Omaha jobbers are preparing to invade the territory, comprising about 30,000 square miles and a population of about 75,000, which will be made tributary to Omaha within the next month. This vast area will be added by the opening to traffic of the new extension of the Burlington system from Billings to Great Falls, Mont. This new line will cut Omaha in direct touch with the vast territory traversed by the Great Northern, with which road the Bur-lington will then have direct connection.

The Burlington now has two through trains from Omaha to the Pacific north-west, both running direct from Omaha to Billings, and then west over the Northern Pacific. Although the Burlington officials say that no definite plans have been out-lined, it is now considered more than prob-able that the Burlington will run one train to the coast over the Northern Pacific and the other over the Great Northern, thus putting the entire country tributary to the Great Northern in direct touch with Omaha.

Competition Will Come. Since railroads first invaded Montana the people of the northern part of that state and along the line of the Great Northern have been at the mercy of the traders of the Twin Cities. This territory being recognized by all as exclusively Minne-sota and St. Paul territory because of the direct routes of the Great Northern. All this will soon change and the jobbers of Omaha will invade that territory, offering the merchants of the towns along the Great Northern better prices because of competition. That this competition will be welcomed goes without saying, and the Omaha jobbers will have easy sailing when they first enter, and are able to offer goods at less money than these merchants are accustomed to pay.

Not only will the jobbers of Omaha be able to sell to this rich country, but Omaha the Market Town, will offer a splendid additional market for the products of the fields and forests of this country. Omaha is already doing an immense vol-ume of business with the country around Billings, and it will be but a short journey to extend into the new territory. It is said that no county in the new line has more sheep than any county in the United States and all the world knows that Omaha has a fine sheep market and will be the leading wool market of the world.

Bismuthous Coal Field. The new line taps a bituminous coal field that is said to be second to none except the Pennsylvania fields. For 20 miles the new line runs through a country which will yield as good wheat as any country on earth. A few small fields of wheat have proven this, although vast stretches have not as yet been touched by the plow, but will be as soon as the new road goes to bringing in settlers. Because of the build-ing of the Burlington extension, which is in reality being built by the Great Northern, and by the Milwaukee extension to the coast, which crosses this line, land values have increased within the last two years from \$10 an acre to \$75 an acre in some localities.

The Burlington has will have through trains before the Milwaukee, and the Bur-lington will run its trains direct from Omaha, thus giving the Omaha jobbers a first crack at the new business. Cattle graze on a thousand hills in Montana, and these will soon have a more direct route

John C. F. McKesson for auditor.—ADV. NEBRASKA FROM DAY TO DAY

Quaint and Curious Features of Life in a Rapidly Growing State.

Rivalry—A young man who resides in Wynand and his sister who was seen in this vicinity a week ago last Sunday taking the young widows and married women for a ride. Now, Tucker, you had better look out—Blue Grass Valley Correspond-ent, Winside Tribune.

A Peculiar Cornfield—Moses Saad, a Syrian farmer living in Platt precinct, has a 100-acre field of corn that has not an ear in it. The corn is tall, of good color and looks well, but it is said the stalks are so weak that a stiff breeze is said to have blasted the tassels at a critical time, killing the pollen and thus preventing fertilization and consequently the formation and growth of ears. The area covered by the barren embraces a tract of country about three miles square. Such conditions are rare, but can be prevented, it is said, by planting every tenth row of corn about ten days later than the bal-ance of the field, thus insuring the nec-essary fertilization of the first row, and first or last planting.—Lexington Pioneer.

Fly Poison—Various people use various means to do away with flies. Some use poison fly paper. The wiser ones use "Tanglefoot," others exterminate the pests with "spherules." The nature fakors allow the insects to contract that dreadful dis-ease, the gout, by giving them full pos-session of the kitchen. Roscoe Mulford's plan is entirely different and entirely new. He uses a .22-caliber rifle to shoot the tormentors. Perhaps his scheme may work, but it would be well for him to practice target shooting for a time. Last week he took a shot at a big fly on the toe of his boot. He scared himself and the fly almost to death and put a bullet through its thorax. The charge was 100 feet or so. Mulford considerable trouble and anxiety caring for the injured phlange. We hear that Doc's favorite remedy is bringing the fole in the toe to a close, like closing a rusty jackknife, and Babe will soon be well.—Archer Notes, Central City Record.

MARRIED ELOPERS ARE HELD

Man and Woman Controverted by Wife and Husband Are Bound Over for Trial.

J. H. Blackburn and Mrs. Nora Mullen, who eloped from Des Moines August 23, were captured in Omaha the following day on information furnished the police by the woman's husband, who had followed the couple, and were arraigned in police court Thursday morning on the charge of elopement. They have been bound over to the district court under \$500 bonds each.

Mr. Mullen, the aggrieved husband, and Mrs. Blackburn, the deserted wife, were both in police court, the latter testifying that she was lawfully married to Blackburn.

Since the couple's arrest in Omaha it has been ascertained that Blackburn had sold a farm near Des Moines, it having been the intention of Mrs. Mullen and himself to move to the west, when inter-cepted here.

MANY CALLED, FEW CHOSEN

About One-Fourth of the Applicants for Army Service in Omaha Pass Muster.

"Many are called, but few are chosen," applies with vivid force to the application and reception of young men for army service at the recruiting station in Omaha thus far this month 100 young men have applied for the privilege of defending their country and just twenty-five have been selected.

In determining the fitness of a man for army service not only the physical, but the moral qualifications are taken into con-sideration and the discipline in both these has been more rigid than ever of late.

With the more rigid exactions has also come an increase of pay and emoluments, and this is what has attracted a larger number of applicants of late. Uncle Sam does not propose to give these larger re-wards indiscriminately, though. He's going to get his money's worth.

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Change of Venue Denied.

JACKSON, Ky., Aug. 27.—Judge Adams today refused the motion made by the prosecution for a change of venue in the murder of Harry Campbell, charged with the murder of his father, Judge James H. Harsh and the case will be tried in Breathitt county.

COL. WILLIAM F. VILAS DEAD

Former Cabinet Member Under Cleve-land Passes Away at Mad-ison, Wis.

Successor for Komura.

TOKIO, Aug. 27.—It is believed that the successor to Count Komura as Japanese ambassador at London will be Baron Makino Nobuaki, former minister of educa-tion.

A Viper in the Stomach is dyspepsia complicated with liver and kidney troubles. Electric Bitters help all such cases or no pay. Dr. Beaton Drug Co.

SHERMAN SPEAKS AT UTICA

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partise active to carry out certain govern-mental policies and principles, but whether we are republicans or democrats we are first, last, and always American—proud of our country, proud of our position among nations, proud of our progress, of our exalted standards and splendid accom-plishments. Although partisans, we all sincerely desire the greatest good for the greatest number. It is not in opinion of the ulti-mate goal desired to be reached in which we differ but rather in the safe and sure way to attain that goal.

We are today in a condition of profound peace with the world. Would that that condition might continue without end; but the most sanguine can hardly have ex-pectation. It is appropriate and natural that in time of peace we give thought to industrial problems. We do give thought mainly to commercial progress, and yet a glance at our annual appropriation bills shows that year after year we are plac-ing our army and our navy on a firmer founda-tion, for we are constantly preparing for the war which we hope will never come. We believe that our surest guaranty of peace is found in perfect preparation for the Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco, in 1897.

"We will pursue the path of peace. We are not a warlike nation. All our efforts, all our history, is in the lines of peace. Only intolerable aggression, only the per-ils of our institutions, or the flag can thor-oughly arouse us. With capability for war in the world, we are smitten with the love of peace. We would promote the peace of the world by placing some large sum about the Golden Gate, simply for saluting purposes, and yet they should be of the best modern type.

Army Guarantee of Protection. And so let me, gentlemen, give expres-sion to my thoughts in words uttered on a far more solemn occasion than I can at times maintain such an army and such a navy as would be the sure guarantee of protection of American citizens and Ameri-can rights every where and beat the same time as an omen of peace; that we should at every exposed point be so fully protected that no power on earth would wish to molest us.

Let the uppermost thought of the day be of peace rather than of war. Let us glory in the commercial progress of our country and the happiness of our people. Let us encourage strife for good government and good citizenship. Let us stimulate the effort of our institutions, that we should at home, but to give example of good govern-ment and good citizenship to the people of all the earth. Let us continue to elevate mankind in general by raising still higher our own standards.

I believe we have today the best govern-ment on earth. I believe that its greatest virtue is that it is a government of the people. Aye even more, a government of Lincoln said "of, by and for the people" and, because of the result of the civil war, because of your achievements, gentlemen of the Grand Army of the Republic, it shall perpetuate from the earth. We must and will keep a government of the people and interests of all.

Nothing shall persuade us to give to one American citizen advantage over another because of race or religion.

You are, gentlemen, a part of that mighty host which preserved the nation as its founders intended it to be. You have done your full share. I am sure that the lofty attributes which prompted the sacrifices you made, will continue to be your incentive to carry your full share of our country's burdens so long as life is yours.

I beg you, gentlemen, to accept my re-newed assurances of friendship, of regard, of esteem and of grateful apprecia-tion of the courteous invitation which per-mitted me to speak to you this afternoon.

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