

ALMA MAN HEADS JACK SLATE

Shallenberger Gets Endorsement of Hitchcock Dope Kakers.

VIM GETS ONE LARGE HARPOON

Five Dalmatians Are on the Jack Slate, but That is Because There Are Not Enough Jacks to Go Round.

Following the lead of their prophet, Congressman-Editor Hitchcock, the Jacks have come out in the open with their endorsement of Ashton C. Shallenberger of Alma for governor and reelection of Mayor Dalmatian of Omaha. Hitchcock having made clear to the Jacks that they need expect no support from him, the endorsement of a Jack slate was then proceeded with. The slate was made up Saturday and includes candidates for presidential electors, all the state and county offices, and for the Omaha Water board and the Board of Education. Several Jacks are on the slate, but this is because there were not enough Jacks to go around. But the Jacks endorsed by the Jacks are supposed not to be raised in their admiration of the mayor.

Several surprises are contained in the official slate of the Jacks. One of these is in the endorsement of E. E. Quackenbush of Auburn for attorney general, instead of Harry E. Fitch of South Omaha. The South Omaha man has all along believed he would have practically the undivided support of all democrats in both his home town and in Omaha, but the Jacks have given him the marble heart. This is because Mr. Fitch has been quite active in attending political meetings endorsed by the Jacks, the Jacks affirm.

Pat Hitch on the Back. Congressman Hitchcock, who refuses to support Mr. Dalmatian for mayor, is of course on the Jack slate. The congressman has risen steadily in the estimation of the Jacks of late and they chuckle with glee at the discovery of the Jacks, who failed to get the World-Herald. Mr. Hitchcock's paper, to support their chief in his campaign.

Edward E. Howell of terminal tax fame and Frank T. Ransom, both candidates for the state senate, seemed to have forgotten both the Jacks and the Jim, as they are on the slate of both organizations. Leading Jacks say that there was considerable opposition to Howell, who went to the Bryan notification meeting on the Jim special, but he was forced down their throat. Edward E. Howell, the third man on the Jack slate for the senate, while John E. Seagan and J. M. Tanner are supposed to divide honors for the third place on the Jim senatorial slate.

The Jacks split on the county coroner endorsement and the names of both John A. Gentleman and P. C. Healey appear on the slate. Fred H. Cosgrove is, of course, the Jack candidate for membership of the Omaha Water board.

Here is the slate. This is the official slate of the Jacks: Presidential Electors—At-Large—Henry R. Getting, O'Neill, Michael F. Harrington, Fitch; Presidential Elector, Second District—Stephen P. Noble; Governor—Ashton C. Shallenberger of Alma; Lieutenant Governor—James A. Grimsom of Schuyler; Secretary of State—Dr. A. T. Ostwald of Arapahoe; State Auditor—Edwin H. Ludkatt of Tilden; State Treasurer—Clarence Mackey of Anselmy; State Superintendent—N. C. Abbott of Tekamah; State Attorney—General E. B. Quackenbush of Auburn; State Land Commissioner—W. R. Eastman of Broken Bow; State Railway Commissioner—William H. Cowell of Holdrege; Congressmen—Second District—G. M. Hitchcock of Omaha.

County. Senate—Richard E. Horton, Frank T. Ransom, E. E. Howell; Representatives—W. V. Bennett, Peter G. H. Eiland, Elmer H. Farwell, H. H. Henson, H. W. S. Shoemaker, William F. Stocker, Walter P. Thomas, Andrew Wellman, O. M. Worthington; County Coroner—John A. Gentleman, P. C. Healey; County Attorney—James P. English; Water Board—Fred H. Cosgrove; Board of Education, Omaha—Eager C. Covert, Dr. H. M. Fitch, Robert P. Jensen, M. D., Alfred E. Landell, Dr. T. R. Miller.

"I don't want to say anything about the World-Herald not supporting me," said Mr. Dalmatian upon his return. Local democrats say that in the event Dalmatian is nominated the World-Herald will support him for election.

George Washington Berge is in Omaha looking after fences and Ashton C. Shallenberger is also here. Bodies Taken from Mine. HANNA, Wyo., Aug. 28.—(Special.)—Two additional bodies have been brought from No. 1 mine here, those of John Cookson and Sam McCormick. There remain in the mine twenty-six bodies, and as they are under water below the ninth entry it is improbable that they will ever be recovered. Thirty-three bodies have been taken from the mine.

AFFAIRS AT SOUTH OMAHA

Branch House of the Cudahy Packing Company Opened at Memphis, Tenn.

The Cudahy Packing company recently opened a branch house at Memphis, Tenn., which has proved an important department of their business. C. Ryan, formerly of South Omaha, is manager. Mr. Murphy said: "The house at Memphis is one of our largest distributing houses. While we do not kill any cattle, we now ship to that point from our other packing plants about sixty cars daily. This is all in the form of dressed meat, either by carcases or cut for the retail trade. From this house we supply the whole of our southern territory. The southern trade has been growing rapidly within the last five years. The people accept northern meats and products more favorably than the native stock. This is especially true of the corned beef and pork. It is the brand of northern beef that is really sold. All the retailers make a point of advertising their meats in this manner. It is a drawing card. The same is true of the Pacific coast states. There they advertise the meats of the east or of the plains. Eastern bacon and hams are sold for the native market. It goes to show that there is a peculiar quality in the meats of the states, such as Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Dakota and Wyoming, which cannot be excelled. The fine finish put on cattle and hogs in Nebraska and Iowa is bound to make these two states still more famous than at present. The reason for my belief is in the superior quality of corn in these states and in the careful and intelligent feeding which prevails throughout this section. Our new distributing house has been in operation for a short time and has already proved its worth to our business."

Organizing for Primaries. About seventy-five of the republicans of South Omaha met at a meeting last night and organized for the primary election. They met at the city hall in the council chamber. They were called to order by the chairman of the city central committee and discussed for about two hours the best means of getting out the primary vote. It is anticipated that as the first day of registration falls on this date it will bring out a larger vote at the primary. While it is not believed that the primary vote will be nearly as large as at the general election yet it is anticipated that possibly 1,500 votes will be polled.

Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium Program. Cris Williams, the physical director of the local Young Men's Christian association, has arranged his program for the coming year and anticipates a large enrollment for the gymnasium. Many of these will be boys of the South Omaha high school, but there is a business man's class which is given exercises suitable to men in need of the lighter gymnasium work. The schedule is as follows: Leader Class—Monday, 7:30 to 9:30 p. m.; Senior Class—Tuesday and Thursday, 8:30 to 10:30 p. m.; Business Men's Class—Monday and Thursday, 10 to 11 p. m.; Junior Class—Monday and Thursday, 4:30 to 6:30 p. m.; Saturday, 10 to 11 a. m.; High School Base Ball Practice—Tuesday and Friday, 1:30 to 3 p. m.

Among the more important roles aside from those of decorum are that the members of the classes must all wear a regulation gymnasium suit, which consists of white knee pants and sleeveless white shirt or jersey. White shoes will be worn. No one will be allowed on the floor without these suits. Baths will be furnished to all gymnasium workers, but the towels will be furnished the members at the rate of 1 cent each.

Sunday Services. Rev. H. H. Millard will take up his pulpit duties again Sunday morning after a vacation of several weeks. The topic Sunday morning is "Eternal Life." There will be the Epworth league service only in the evening.

Rev. Karl Hiller will preach at Lefler's Memorial church both morning and evening. The young people's service in the evening begins at 7:15 and the preaching service at 7:45.

The "Process of Testing" will be Rev. E. W. Livers' Sunday morning topic. There is no evening service.

Rev. Andrew Backwick, the retired pastor of the United Presbyterian church, will preach Sunday morning. In the evening Rev. R. A. McBride of Omaha will preach at the service attending the organization of elders.

Dr. B. L. Wheeler will conduct the regular service at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

Magie City Gossip. A. F. Stryker has returned from a trip to Salt Lake City.

Mrs. E. C. Wells and son, Kenneth, have given a visit to South Dakota.

The German-American Democratic club will meet at Riche's hall Sunday afternoon.

City Clerk E. J. Griffin and Mayor Frank Kautsky signed \$5,000 worth of bonds yesterday. The bonds will be forwarded to Henry Anderson company as soon as possible.

The death of Al Gauthreau, aged 35, occurred in Bellevue Thursday night. The mortal illness was in Evident today.

Prices advanced on all live stock yesterday. Hogs were noticeably higher. The receipts were only fair for Friday.

BRAVE DASH FOR BAD MAN

Averted the Death of a Sheriff and Became Sheriff.

MONTANA INCIDENT OF LATE DATE

An Eastern Story of a Western Tragedy and the Outcome—Shooting Talent of Other Days Not Wholly Lost.

The shrewdly in certain parts of the golden west, where by reason of the enormous productivity of the soil ever vast but under-populated areas it is difficult always to safeguard the overcast of wealth, comes to the citizen whose integrity is not only beyond chance of reproach, but whose physical courage and strength are one with his public spirit. The holder of the office of sheriff in these places not only must be a rock of life as the prevailing maxim is, it is his duty to suppress, but he must possess the confidence of the community he binds himself to protect and be prepared to sacrifice his own interests at all times for the public welfare. The duties of the office are arduous, but to hold it is an honor sought by good citizens.

Wherefore is it that John Brooke Herford, born in England forty-five years ago, son of the late Rev. Dr. Brooke Herford, the eminent Unitarian clergyman, brother of Beatrice Herford, the famous pianist, and of Oliver Herford, famous as poet, artist and well member of the Players' club of New York, and related to a part of the intellectual aristocracy of England, today leading resident property owner and lawyer of Billings, Mont., is holding the post of sheriff of Yellowstone county, a staunch democrat, while Yellowstone is a republican county, and the story of the exploit whereby he qualified as the best man for his job in either party is an exciting one.

Bad Man's Record. The original incident upon which Herford's appointment to the shrievalty was based may be said to date back some eight years, though the culminating event occurred in April. On the earlier occasion a well known western desperado named Harry Roche had made arrangements with a confederate to buy up a passenger Pacific train at Logan, in Montana. The confederate lost his nerve at the last moment and instead of putting his gun to the head of the conductor, Gallagher, at the proper moment when the train was starting was observed by Roche surreptitiously to peer from the front observation car with a view of jumping from the train, whereupon, being a good pistol shot, Roche put a bullet through the protruding head from the rear platform and disappeared.

News of the murder was promptly sent to Sheriff George T. Webb, a popular man and, with his deputy, Frank Heller, he started in pursuit of Roche. They found him at the station at Springdale just after dark the same evening, though neither of them was aware of it at the time. Roche was sitting in the waiting room when Young and Heller rode up to the station, and he knew that they were after him. The desperado went into the darkness of the platform and with drawn pistol watched the station door. As Young came through it with the light behind him Roche shot him through the heart and when he fell Heller was stooping to pick him up he sent a bullet into the deputy's lungs, from the effects of which he eventually recovered, however. Roche escaped into Wyoming and though the authorities of law land order in being made every effort to apprehend him he disappeared, glacially, and was supposed to have left the country. "Jack," as he is known east and west, Herford, by the way, was one of the men who participated in the hunt for Roche at that time, though that does not bear upon the story.

Patrol Carabineers. On April 26 of last, John T. Webb, then sheriff of Yellowstone county, traced a man who was wanted for grand larceny at Basin, in Big Horn county, to James Richardson's sheep ranch, fifty miles from Billings, and arrested him. The arrest was made early in the afternoon out on the ranch five miles from the house, whither Richardson had driven the sheriff in a buckboard, his horse being left in the stable. The prisoner had been working on the ranch for several weeks under the name of "Buck" Jones. When he was informed that he was under arrest he asked the sheriff if he might go into the covered sheep wagon, which contained such primitive toilet accessories as are in use on sheep ranches, and clean up a bit before being taken away, to which request Webb readily assented.

And here is where the tragedy of Logan and Springdale eight years ago bear upon this history. "Buck," a popular man and other than Harry Roche, who had become a farm laborer under an assumed name and so gone unwhipped of justice. He knew, however, that if he was taken into court he was certain to be recognized as the murderer of Sheriff Young and that his sheriff would be shot. There was a rifle in the sheep wagon, and a second after the presumed "Buck" Jones had climbed in, Webb, who was talking with Richardson, heard the stern command, "Throw up your hands," and turning saw his prisoner covering him with the rifle from the front of the wagon.

Now, while it is no disgrace for the ordinary citizen in the troubled parts of the west to put up his hands when another man has the drop on him, it is not considered etiquette in the case of a sheriff. Consequently Webb only reached for his revolver, whereupon Roche shot him through the heart, as he had shot Sheriff Young. Richardson had no weapon with him. He sprang down from the wagon and procured the dead man's revolver, and then got back into the vehicle with it and the Winchester.

The Death Hunt. Richardson drove back to his house at a gallop, expecting momentarily to get a bullet in his back until he was out of range from the sheep wagon, and telephoned information of the murder of Sheriff Webb to Deputy Sheriff Taylor at Billings. (It should be mentioned that Richardson was a very ill man that day. He died two weeks later, after an operation for appendicitis.) The news of the murder threw Billings into turmoil. Not only was Webb a great favorite in the town, a silent, kind hearted man, who neither drank nor smoked, but in the killing of the sheriff the law had been defied.

As it happened, one of the first men Deputy Sheriff Taylor met when he ran out of his office to spread the news was Herford, who had just come into town from Bear Creek in his touring car. Only waiting long enough to go into his house for his Winchester and revolver, and talking Taylor into his car, Herford put on all speed for Richardson's ranch, five miles away, which was reached in little more than an hour.

The departure of the two men had been telephoned to Richardson, who had horses waiting, and getting directions as to the spot where the murder had occurred, they galloped out over the ranch with ready weapons. They knew perfectly that their man would not surrender, though they were not aware of his identity as Roche.

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THE approach of fall, brings before every music lover once again the delights to be secured in renewed study and practice. Perhaps you are one of those who put aside during the "heated term" all thoughts of the purchase of a piano. Decided to defer this until the approach of cooler weather.

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Mental Peculiarities Prove Salvation of Oscar Aubert.

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Friends Rush from Pittsburg to His Aid When He is Arrested for Burglary and Get Him Free.

Mental peculiarities and the desire of his family to have him return to his home in Denmark will save Oscar Aubert a term in the penitentiary.

Aubert pleaded guilty to breaking into Courtney & Co.'s store and was ready to take a sentence when his erratic talk attracted the attention of County Attorney English, who asked that sentence be deferred. The man's friend, a friend of the family appeared and asked to be allowed to send him back to his Denmark home and the county attorney consented. He will be sent to New York Sunday in charge of Deputy Sheriff Osborne and will sail from there in his old home.

Aubert comes from a wealthy family in Denmark and his story is a peculiar one. He came to this country as a kind of ward of a woman in Pittsburg who had been a governess in his father's family in Denmark. Her husband secured a job for him with the North-western railroad and he went first to Chicago and then came to Omaha.

A few weeks ago he was found by the night watchman at Courtney's in the provision department with two or three hams and some canned sausage piled up around him, his pockets full of pretzels and peanuts, which he was munching. When the watchman appeared he went on calmly eating and when told to get out of the store replied without any show of alarm that it was lunch time and he had come there to eat. He was arrested and a burglary charge placed against him.

When he was arraigned before Judge Sears he pleaded guilty. Judge Sears then asked him if he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed upon him.

"What?" he inquired.

"Have you anything to say as to how long your sentence should be or why you shouldn't be sentenced at all?" explained the judge.

"Oh, you want me to be the judge, do you?" Aubert asked with a cynical smile. He actions led County Attorney English to believe that he was not right mentally, so he asked that the sentence be deferred. In the meantime his Pittsburg friends started of his predicament and came to Omaha. They asked to take him back to Denmark and County Attorney English consented and dismissed the burglary charge.

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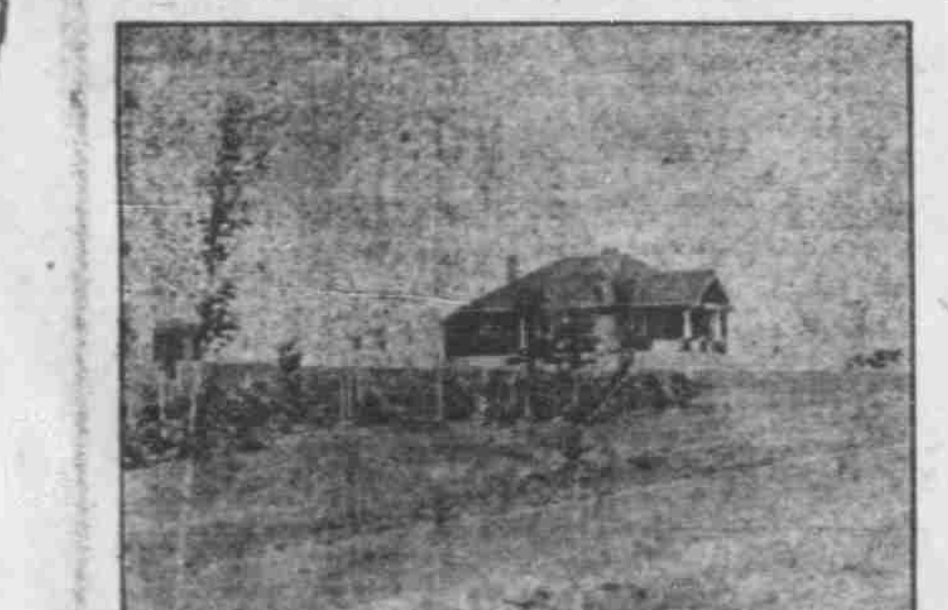
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