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at 8 o'clock this morning. On board are all the fusion candidates for the state offices and such other Nebraskans as care to pay their pro rata of the cost of the train. Should the program mapped out for the day be strictly followed, Mr. Bryan will have delivered thirty speeches before he retires for the night at Wahoo.

EMERSON, Neb., Oct. 13.—Following the trail of Mr. Taft and Governor Hughes through Nebraska, William J. Bryan is endeavoring to undermine any good effects which their visits might have accomplished.

The route of travel is through a farming country and the democratic candidate is telling the farmers that he is anxious to secure a democratic house of representatives in order that remedial legislation may be secured. "My ambition to be president," he said at Pender, is not an ambition simply to hold that office, enjoy its honors or distribute the patronage connected with it. It is to assist in securing legislation that I think the country needs. It is to secure the remedies that I have been advocating for a long while."

DEMOCRATIC FUND SMALL ONE

Congressional Campaign Being Conducted from Chicago.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—While the official announcement will be made next Friday of the amount of the campaign fund of the democratic congressional committee, it was learned today that the fund is about $8,000, the smallest campaign fund that the democrats have ever had for use in a congressional election. The congressional committee decided to make their fund public in order to preclude the charge that contributions were being diverted from the democratic national committee to the congressional committee in order to conceal amounts contributed and their source. Only sums above $100 will be made public.

Congressman James Lloyd, chairman of the congressional committee, left early today for Missouri and will return here Wednesday. Mr. Lloyd declared that he was confident that the next house of representatives would be democratic and that even in the event of Mr. Bryan's defeat there were sufficient republican districts in Ohio and Indiana that would return democratic congressmen to make the house safe for democracy.

National Chairman Mack announced today that Mr. Bryan would make nine speeches in New York City on his visit there on October 26. Mr. Bryan will speak four times in Chicago on October 19.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Tammany hall will contribute $10,000 to the democratic national committee, according to an announcement made today by Charles F. Murphy, the Tammany leader. In addition, the local organization will pay all the expenses of the big mass meeting in Madison Square garden on October 26 at which Mr. Bryan is to speak. This will probably amount to $5,000 more.

TREAT WILL STUMP NEW YORK

Treasurer of United States Will Talk on Guaranee.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—After a conference with leaders at the republican national commitee headquarters, Charles H. Treat, treasurer of the United States, left here today for New York, where he will stump the Empire state for the next two weeks. Mr. Treat expressed his confidence in the election of Mr. Taft, but that the republican pluralities of Mr. McKinley and Mr. Roosevelt would be greatly reduced. Mr. Treat will attack the national banking guaranty plan in his speeches.

but the executive of Oklahoma declared that he had no connection with the matter, and said some other Haskell must have been meant.

Governor Haskell declined this morning to make public the names of his attorneys who are to bring the suit against Mr. Hearst, or to make any definite statement regarding the intended suit. He might be able late in the day to announce definitely just what the next step in the matter would be.

Governor Haskell said this afternoon, after a lengthy conference with his attorney, that he had given his counsel authority to bring suit against Mr. Hearst as soon as they could get service on the New York editor. This, he said, he believed, would be possible at some point between Kansas City and St. Paul, when Mr. Hearst makes his return trip to the east. Mr. Hearst is now on the Pacific coast and is booked to speak tonight.

HASKELL SAYS HE WILL SUE

Oklahoma Governor Visits Kansas City to Consult Lawyers.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 13.—Governor Charles N. Haskell of Oklahoma arrived here this morning from Guthrie to consult his attorneys with reference to a suit that he says he intends to bring against William Randolph Hearst, charging the New York editor with libel. The governor stated soon after he had registered at a hotel that he had already placed the matter in the hands of his attorneys and that the petition would be filed by them whenever they saw fit. The suit, he said probably would be brought in the circuit court, but just when he was unable to say. The case grows out of the publicity of the Standard Oil story, the controversy over which led to Governor Haskell resigning as treasurer of the democratic national committee.

The story in question alleged that a man named Haskell, in connection with two others, had made overtures to Frank S. Monnett, then attorney general of Ohio, to stop a suit pending against a Standard Oil company, the trio agreeing, it was alleged, to furnish $50,000 in case proceedings were dropped. Mr. Hearst asserted that this Haskell was Governor Charles N. Haskell.

Taft Carries Straw Vote.

WAHOO, Neb., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—J. R. Kern of this city took a poll of the Chicago & Northwestern passenger train which came up from Lincoln this morning filled with excursionists to the land drawing at Dallas and found the following result: Taft, 109; Bryan, 71. Albert Isaacson, the telephone man, returned from Dallas, S. D., Sunday, and stated that polls of the trains were all being taken running up there and that Bryan had failed to get a majority on any train yet.

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HASKELL TALKS ABOUT OIL

Oklahoma Governor Claims Osage Lease Unfair to Indians.

WRITES LETTER TO PRESIDENT

Endeavors to Hold Him Responsible for Action that Made Standard Oil Company the Beneficiary.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 13.—Governor Charles N. Haskell of Oklahoma, who arrived here this morning from Guthrie, gave to the Associated Press a signed statement addressed to President Roosevelt, contributing another chapter in the controversy arising over the leasing of 680,000 acres of Osage Indian oil lands. "I shall," says the governor in the course of his statement, "insist upon the cancellation of this lease in the interest of the citizens of our state, or that congress take action to declare this improvident and unjust lease void, and secure for the Osage nation the just and reasonable compensation that other owners are receiving."

The letter in full follows:

Text of the Letter.

To Honorable Theodore Roosevelt, president, Washington, D. C.—Sir: I have just received a letter from Frank Pierce, acting secretary, Interior department, dated October 9, stating that my letter to you, asking for an explanation as to the oil lease on the Osage lands, had been referred to his department.

He attaches an explanation which is not at all satisfactory. It contains practically nothing in conflict with my complaint. I agree that in 1896 the democratic administration made a lease to E. B. Foster on the entire Osage nation for ten years at 10 per cent royalty. At that time the nearest known oil production was about 700 miles from the Osage nation, so that the Foster lease in 1896 was a rank wild-cat proposition and, of course, the usual pioneer royalty of 10 per cent was allowed. But during the ten years, the field was developed and found to be unusually rich, and ten years at this low royalty was an ample reward for those developing it.

By 1906, Foster had transferred his lease to the Indian Territory Illuminating Oil company a well known sub of the Standard Oil company.

Wide Territory Affected.

Development showed that oil covered 680,000 acres, being the east portion of the Osage nation, also extending north into Kansas, east into Indian territory, and south into Oklahoma, and the whole area is known as the richest oil country in existence at this date. The remainder of the Osage nation was barren.

Congress gave you the power to fix the consideration that the Osage people should receive, as their part of the oil value after the expiration of the ten-year lease. It was well known to you at that time what the sublessees were paying for small tracts in the Osage nation and adjoining lands in the Cherokee nation, as the Cherokee leases passed through the Interior department and their approval and the royalties and bonuses received by the land owners were a matter of record and approval in the Interior department records. It is scarcely possible that with these records before you, you failed to notice that $10 per acre cash bonus and one-sixth royalty was much below the average compensation to the land owner. Indeed, in many instances, cash bonuses of from $50 to even $100 per acre were received by the landowners.

Case of Lannon Family.

A few cases found in the Interior department records are as follows:

The Lannon family, 700 acres, Cherokee nation, immediately joining the Osage nation, Interior department lease, made in 1903, cash bonus $40,000; royalty one-eighth. We have eight or ten similar leases where general public information shows cash bonuses substantially as large as the above and royalties running at one-sixth, but your subordinate officers in charge of the Indian office at Muskogee, on orders from the Interior department, this morning refused to permit examination of the records to confirm same accurately, but they are subject to your investigation, and you will find, no doubt, that the Lannon lease was only an average lease.

And numerous other leases adjoining the Osage nation give you the opportunity to know that a bare one-eighth royalty, without any cash bonus to the Osages, was a gross outrage on that nation.

Congress no sooner gave you the authority to fix the amount of compensation than the Osages filed a written request with you for an opportunity to be heard and produce evidence, which they could easily have produced, showing you that a cash bonus of $7,000,000 and one-sixth royalty would be indeed a moderate compensation to them.

Claims Osages Not Heard.

You neglected to give the Osages any opportunity whatever to be heard. The fact that 680,000 acres of rich oil land was the stake that the Standard Oil company was playing for, and the land owners denied the right to be heard is something that will require a more lucid explanation than Mr. Pierce has seen fit to give.

Any practical business man is ready to recognize that 680,000 acres in one tract of land is of far greater proportionate value than the small tracts of a few hundred acres each, and, therefore, the greater surprise that you should have fixed a royalty (without any cash bonus) much lower than the individual land owners were securing on small tracts. There were no such improvident leases being made in that whole combined field.

Mr. Pierce suggests in his letter to me that as a matter of fact it was not known at the time that the Standard Oil company was the real party in interest. I submit to you that the very fact that Messrs. Guffey, Barnsdale and Senator Depew, well known Standard Oil representatives, with others of the same odor, making a personal appeal to you for this low royalty to the land owners should have been ample evidence that the Standard Oil company was the real beneficiary.

Will Ask for Cancellation.

It was the same Senator Depew who induced you to grant the Prairie Oil and Gas company franchise over the protest of Secretary Hitchcock less than one year before that time; and in this one transaction you gave the Standard Oil company a donation from the property of the Osage Indians of more than enough to pay the famous $29,000,000 fine.

I shall insist upon the cancellation of this lease in the interests of the citizens of our state, or congress take action to declare this improvident and unjust lease void, and secure for the Osage nation the just and reasonable compensation that other owners are receiving.

Marvelous as it may seem, the difference between the royalty you fixed for this new lease, and the average amount received in the balance of the oil field, by land owners controlling their own property, is fully equivalent to a net loss of $10,000 to each and every member of the Osage nation, and whether this gross injustice to our people was accomplished by your lack of consideration, or in any other way, the authorities of the state of Oklahoma will not rest until this lease has been cancelled and justice done our people. Respectfully,

C. N. HASKELL, Governor.

SCOTT'S GOOD WORD FOR POLLORD

Kansas Congressman Speaks in the First District.

PAWNEE, Neb., Oct. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—At the opera house Congressman Charles F. Scott of the Second Kansas district, addressed a large and appreciative audience this evening. Mr. Scott is chairman of the committee on agriculture in the national house of representatives. He said:

"It affords me a great deal of pleasure to speak in the presence of the constituents of Mr Pollard, to bear witness to his industry and ability and to his energy and fidelity to the best interest of the people of this district As chairman of the committee of agriculture, of which Mr. Pollard is one of the most valuable and executive members, I have perhaps had an unusual opportunity to measure his capacity and to become familiar with his legislative work, and I beg you to believe that I am speaking in all sincerity and not using the empty phrases of perfunctory compliment when I congratulate this district upon having so able and finished and courageous a representative. While Mr. Pollard's experience as a practical farmer fits him for especial usefulness as a member of the committee on agriculture, yet he participates freely in the discussion of all great measures that come before the house and his speeches always command attention and interest. I happen to know that it was through his personal efforts that experts from the Department of Agriculture have been sent into this district to carry on demonstrations in the matter of spraying orchard trees; to demonstrate the utility of the new virus recently discovered for the cure of hog cholera, and still others, to discuss with the local authorities the best methods of building and maintaining public roads He has also been instrumental in interesting a great many farmers throughout the district in breeding up better varieties of corn and other grains in co-operation with the Department of Agriculture, and in every possible way he has sought to promote the interests of his constituents, while at the same time advancing the welfare of farmers throughout the entire country."

Aside from his references to Congressman Pollard, Mr. Scott based his appeal to the voters upon the record of the last three republican administrations, arguing with a great deal of force that what they have done is exactly what the people wanted done; that the people have ruled through the republican party, and if they desire to continue to rule in the same satisfactory way for the next four years the only safe thing to do is to renew the contract with the republican party.

HOKE SMITH AT LINCOLN

Former Governor of Georgia Lauds Mr. Bryan.

LINCOLN, Neb., Oct. 13.—Governor Hoke Smith of Georgia today delivered an address before the students and members of the faculty of the state university. He reviewed the history of the democratic party and eulogized William J. Bryan, who he declared ranks far above William Howard Taft in executive ability.

"Since hearing Governor Hughes speak," he declared, "I am positive that we must elect Bryan."

Debs is Ill.

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 13.—Eugene V. Debs, the socialist candidate for president, who was taken ill while making a campaign tour on his "red special," was so ill this morning that he could not meet a delegation of socialists who called to express sympathy. His physician says he is suffering from a severe cold, but it is expected the train will leave here this afternoon.

Saved His Boy's Life.

"My 3-year-old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis. Sold by all druggists.

GRAIN MEN FILE COMPLAINT

Allege Union Pacific Discriminates Against Them in Elevation Allowances.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—(Special Telegram.)—The Interstate Commerce commission today served a complaint against the Union Pacific from the Merriam & Holmquist company, an Omaha firm engaged in buying, selling and shipping grain in, in which they allege unlawful discrimination against them by the defendant railroad company.

It appears that in July, 1906 the complainant was, and still is, the owner of certain grain elevators at Seventeenth and Nicholas streets, Omaha and another elevator located on Fifteenth and Manderson streets. The complainant alleges that during the period from July 1906 to date, it transferred for the Union Pacific at its elevators in Omaha and became entitled to receive from the defendant, an elevation allowance of 1,021 cars on which the elevation allowance would be $8,310. Complainant therefore puts in a claim for reparation in the sum of $8,310 and that the commission prescribe such rules and regulations in lieu of these heretofore existing over the defendant's line of railway as will in the future prevent the continuance of illegal and unreasonable preferences and advantages in favor of complainant's competitors in respect to transportation and elevation allowance.

UNION PACIFIC MEETING

Stockholders Authorize Increase of Refunding Bonds to Two Hundred Millions.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Oct. 13.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Pacific Railroad company held here today, 2,291,207 shares of stock were represented out of a total of 2,959,592. The representation was entirely by proxies, those in attendance being N. H. Loomis, general solicitor, who presided; Joseph Hellen, assistant secretary; P. L. Williams, general attorney for Utah; L. H. Cornell of the New York office, and C. B. Matthai of the law department of Omaha.

The fifteen directors were re-elected. They are Oliver Ames, William D. Cornish, A. J. Earling, Henry C. Frick, Robert W. Goelet, Edward H. Harriman, Marvin Hughitt, William Mahl, Robert S. Lovett, Charles A. Peabody, William G. Rockefeller, Henry H. Rogers, Joseph F. Smith, F. A. Vanderlip and P. A. Valentine.

By unanimous vote the directors were authorized to transfer to the Equitable Trust company of New York an indenture subjecting the railroads of the company, their franchises and holdings, which are now subject to the companies first mortgage, dated July 1, 1897, to the provisions of the first lien and refunding mortgage running to the Equitable Trust company as trustee. The meeting also authorized an increase of the first lien and refunding 4 per cent bonds to $200,000,000. Of this amount $100,000,000 will be set aside to meet the payment of the company's first mortgage and land grant 4 per cent bonds, which mature in 1947, and $50,000,000 will be reserved for issue from time to time in accordance with the first lien and refunding mortgage. The stockholders gave the directors authority to purchase the South Omaha & Western railroad, a Nebraska line.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—E. H. Harriman, H. McK. Twombley, Charles Steele and Norman H. Read were re-elected directors of the Erie railroad company at the annual meeting of the stockholders in this city today.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 13.—Frederick A. Delano was re-elected president of the Wabash railroad company at the annual meeting of the company held here today. The entire board of directors was also re-elected. More than 75 per cent of the stock and 95 per cent of the debenture bonds were voted.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 13.—Four new directors were elected at the Wisconsin Central Railway annual meeting, today as follows: Newman Erb, C. C. Dickinson, J. A. S. Graves, and George J. Gould.

CLUB WOMEN MEET

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the strongest support of any possible candidate, has declined to accept the nomination. Mrs. O M. Stonebraker of Lincoln has also a strong following, but it is understood she, too, has declined the nomination. Mrs. A. O. Thomas of Kearney, vice president of the federation, is probably the next strongest candidate, though Mrs. Max Hostetter of Shelton is also talked of for the first office.

Mrs. Jean Sherwood Talks.

Under the auspices of the Society of the Fine Arts, Mrs. Jean Sherwood of Chicago, former chairman of the art committee of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, and who will be the chief speaker on art topics at the federation meeting, gave an illustrated talk Tuesday morning at the library on "Home Decoration." Mrs. Sherwood had provided samples of wall paper, draperies and other things that contribute to the decoration of the rooms, with which she illustrated the importance of harmony in color, proportion and detail.

"It is time," she said, "that women should know how to decorate their homes and what contributes to harmonious decoration. Men are simply at our mercy in these matters. They know the difference between harmonious and inharmonious surroundings, though, perhaps, they could not define it; however, they feel the difference."

She recommended the study of pictures as the best instructor in correct color combination.

"Don't depend upon books,' she said. "They are all right as guide posts, but the main things we must work out for ourselves by studying are in pictures and other things."

Mrs. Sherwood commended the Omaha stores for their fine assortment of real art work in what she termed the "smaller belongings of the house." She said the assortment and selection was not only good, but that things were wonderfully cheap.

OLD DRAY TICKETS INVALID

Eastern Railroads Have Problem in Connection with Bill of Lading.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Representatives of eastern railroads have refused the request of the shippers that they be allowed to use their old dray tickets or shipping receipts instead of the new uniform bill of lading and the shippers have appealed the question to the Interstate Commerce commission.

The protest of the shippers is embodied in a letter written yesterday by J. C. Lincoln, president of the National Industrial Traffic league, to Commissioner E. E. Clark, asking whether the commission intended to impose such restrictions on the shippers when it promulgated the uniform bill.

One of the principal objections of the shippers to the announcement that railroads would require the use of the new bill for all shipments after November 1, has been, not to the bill itself, but to the requirement made in the official classification rules that all freight must be shipped under the uniform unless 10 per cent is added to the regular rate for carriers liability, and that no dray ticket or shipping receipt will be accepted.

DANIEL COIT GILMAN DEAD

Former President of John Hopkins University Dies Suddenly in Baltimore.

NORWICH, Conn., Nov. 13.—The death of Daniel Colt Gilman of Baltimore, formerly president of Johns Hopkins university, occurred suddenly this evening. He had gone to his room to prepare for a drive, where he was found helpless on the floor. He arrived here yesterday for a visit with his sister. Dr. Gilman was born here July 6, 1831, and burial will take place here.

FIRE RECORD.

Loss at Bonner Springs.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 13.—Half the business portion of Bonner Springs, Kan., a watering resort twenty miles from Kansas City, was destroyed by fire early today, causing a loss estimated at $100,000. Business houses were destroyed. The principal losers: Kelley & Pettit, drugs; Swofford Bros., dry goods; Peerless Clothing company, Kamm Bros., confectionery; Hall & Fletcher, meat market; Mrs. Dunn, restaurant, and a livery barn.

Olive Hill Burns.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 13.—Olive Hill, in Carter county, a town of 1,000 people, on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad, east of here, is burning. The damage so far has not been estimated. Half of the town is already reported destroyed. Water is scarce because of the drouth.

Railway Notes.

B. H. Bullard, city ticket agent of the Union Pacific at Chicago, was in Omaha Tuesday.

Hal Buckingham, chief clerk in the general freight office of the Burlington, left Tuesday for Minneapolis.

W. R. McKeen, jr., who has been quite ill at his home for the last month, left Monday for French Lick in hope of benefiting his health.

Freak Eludes Police.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—That it is possible for a man, clad only in under garments and a thin pair of slippers, with a blanket thrown Indian fashion around his shoulder, to wander about St. Louis for twenty-four hours with 1,500 police looking for him was demonstrated by William Thaet, who leaped out of a window of the City hospital Monday and was caught in an alley near Compton avenue and Pine street today.

Father Kills Sons and Self.

MACON, Mo., Oct. 13.—A telephone message from Goldsberry says D. O. Seaman, a farmer, went to the district school near there today, called out his two sons, aged 10 and 12 years, respectively, shot one of them dead, mortally wounded the other, and then shot and killed himself. The cause of the tragedy is not known.

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JONES' MEMORY IS FAILING

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file from the treasurer of the democratic state committee. The treasurer of the republican committee did not reside in the county.

Mr. Jones was sure this morning and yesterday that he was treasurer of the democratic state committee in 1900. The law required him to file a statement showing the expenditures and receipts of the 1900 campaign. That was the year Mr. Bryan ran for president. The only document on file from the democrats is a statement setting out that Mr. Jones was treasurer of the 1900 Lancaster county fusion committee. The document does not bear the signature of Mr. Jones. It does carry the notarial seal of Tom Allen, together with his certification that Mr. Jones signed the statement and swore to it in his presence. Mr. Jones did not, for the good and sufficient reason that it does not bear his signature. Mr. Jones was not sure that he had filed a report which did not contain his signature, but he would not examine it to see whether someone had filed a different statement without his knowledge.

REBUFF TO CHARTER TINKERS

Commercial Club in Disgust at City Council Dismisses Its Committee.

The Commercial club of Omaha is not in accord with the city council charter revision committee, which has proposed to raise the salaries of city officers, including the mayor, as about the first important thing to be done when the legislature meets, and has dismissed its committee which has been attempting to assist in deciding what should be done to the charter to make Omaha a better governed and cleaner city.

The executive committee of the Commercial club appointed a committee a week ago consisting of H. W. Yates, F. L. Haller and E. E. Bruce to examine into what the joint committee of the city council, Commercial club and Real Estate exchange proposed to do with the charter if opportunity presented. It was discovered that some 100 changes were contemplated, and, among others, salaries were to be boosted as the "paramount issue."

This did not look good to the 800 men composing the Commercial club, and, by the following resolutions, withdrew from any participation in the affairs of the joint charter revision committee. The action was taken at noon Tuesday:

Resolved, That in view of the report made to this committee by the special committee, appointed to represent the Commercial club on the Charter Revision Commision, it is deemed advisable to discharge the special committee from further service on said commission. Our reasons for this action are as follows:

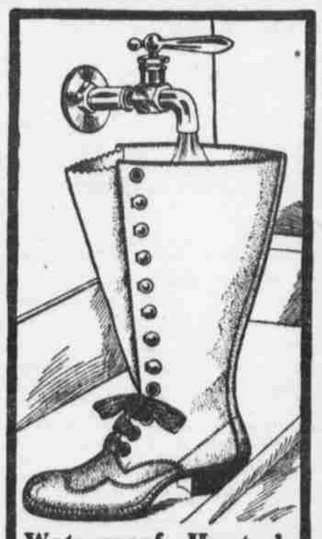
First, the commission was not constituted as stated in the invitation given us by mayor and council. This, of itself, may not be of much importance, but the proceedings of the commission show clearly, that while its members have been giving close and commendable attention to the work they have undertaken, yet neither this or any similarly constituted commission is able to perfect and present such a charter, as the growing needs of the city of Omaha demand.

What may be recommended by this commission can only be makeshift remedies, to which it must be admitted is only at best a makeshift charter.

Second, The city of Omaha needs a carefully digested and prepared charter, fully up to the modern demands of a metropolitan city, and, which once adopted, will not be subject to constant tinkering at every session of the legislature.

Third, We believe the city council should appropriate a reasonable sum, to provide for a commission and that the members of the commission should be selected from the various walks of life, but should be men who, by study, habit or training, have some familiarity with municipal work and municipal constitutions.

The commission should meet from day to day, until its work is complete, and a charter submitted which will be generally satisfactory to the people of Omaha and thereby obtain prompt adoption by the legislature.



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