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DEMOCRATS MAY GET PAPER

Lincoln Star Said to Be Flirting with the Bourbon Element.

LA FOLLETTE BOOSTING IS PAST

Secretary Corrie of Taft League Prepares Petitions for Delegates and Others on Primary Ticket.

From a Staff Correspondent.

LINCOLN, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—A story has been current for some time among the political wise ones which may account for the excessive activity of certain of the La Follette boosters. It is that after the national conventions have been held the Lincoln Star is to come out as a straight Democratic paper.

Speaking of the story of the flop, a republican said today that he thought it was not an unkind blessing, for it would be less trouble to the party as a recognized opponent than an irritant within the ranks.

La Follette Methods.

Some light is thrown on the methods pursued by the La Follette men by a story which was printed here the latter part of last week. The story was that a republican editor at Callaway, Wiskey by name, had written to the county clerk for La Follette and that in a case he was nominated there would be scarcely enough Taft men in Custer county to select party committeemen from the story reads well from a La Follette standpoint, but the truth is that the aforesaid editor is not a republican, but at the last election was chosen to a local office on the populist ticket.

Petitions for Taft Ticket.

F. M. Currie, secretary of the Taft league, is preparing the petitions to place the Taft ticket on the primary ballot, and expects to send them out tomorrow. The only vacancy to be filled, so far as known, is that caused by the resignation of Thomas Auld as delegate from the Fifth district. The large number of signatures required, together with the provision for obtaining them in so many counties is going to require considerable work, but the petitions are expected to be all ready long before the time required. Mr. Currie has requests from McCook, Norfolk and Pierce for papers necessary to form Taft clubs in those places affiliated with the state club. They will be forwarded at once. This work is just being started and within a few days it is expected there will be a large number of clubs in process of organization.

Hartling Files for Senator.

H. H. Hartling filed today as republican candidate for state senator from Opeka and Cass counties. Hartling was noted in the last legislature as being the author of the Sunday base ball bill, which passed both houses and was vetoed by the governor, passed the senate over the veto, but failed by four votes in the house to override the veto. He also cast the deciding vote against the county option bill.

Baby's Voice

Every woman's heart responds to the charm and sweetness of a baby's voice, because nature intended her for motherhood. But even the loving nature of a mother shrinks from the ordeal because such a time is regarded as a period of suffering and danger. Women who use Mother's Friend are saved much discomfort and suffering, and their systems, being thoroughly prepared by this great remedy, are in a healthy condition to meet the time with the least possible suffering and danger. Mother's Friend is recommended only for the relief and comfort of expectant mothers; it is in no sense a remedy for various ills, but its many years of success, and the thousands of endorsements received from women who have used it are a guarantee of the benefit to be derived from its use. This remedy does not accomplish wonders but simply assists nature to perfect its work. Mother's Friend allays nausea, prevents caking of the breasts, and in every way contributes to a strong, healthy motherhood. Mother's Friend is sold at drug stores. Write for our free book for expectant mothers. BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Adams, Ga.

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NEWS NOTES OF ALLIANCE

Bishop Beecher of Kearney Honor Guest at Reception Given by Mayor Harris.

ALLIANCE, Neb., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—One of the most brilliant social events of the season was a reception given last night at the home of Mayor and Mrs. F. W. Harris, in honor of Bishop C. A. Beecher of the Kearney diocese of the Episcopal church.

A feature of the evening was a splendid musical program, which was well rendered and highly appreciated by all present. The participants in this home Mesdames G. J. Rousseau and C. E. Bennett and Misses Bernice Kridelbaugh, Alma Weldenhafer, Dorothy Hoag and Margaret Hawkins. Mrs. Edith Barker was accompanist.

D. W. Hughes, who has been superintendent of the Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church for over thirty-five years, was warmly surprised last evening when he was invited to a reception at the church, given in his honor, by the officers and pupils of the Sunday school. A musical program was rendered, after which Mr. Hughes was presented with a beautiful rocker by the school as a token of their esteem.

Sunday evening church convocations, 20, Klenzels Temples, attended services in the Methodist church in full regalia. A special sermon was preached by Rev. Olin Baker, his subject being "Atheism, Paganism, Deism and Christianity." His elaboration on the subject proved to be highly intellectual. Special music was rendered and a solo by Mrs. G. J. Rousseau. It is the intention of the Knights Templar to pay a series of visits to all the orthodox churches in the city.

Exceptionally fine weather prevails and any loss in stock which may have resulted from the protracted cold spell is being counterbalanced by the benefit the gradual melting of the snow at this time will prove to be to the surrounding country.

Postmaster Beyond Resigns.

BURWELL, Neb., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—No little surprise was created this week when it was learned that D. S. Beynon, who has been postmaster at Burwell for the past twelve years, on account of poor health, had sent his resignation to Washington. W. C. Johns, ex-county treasurer and state central committeeman from this district, is out with a petition for the appointment and as it is being generally signed and he is known to be a personal friend of Congressman Kinkaid, it is generally conceded he will land the position. D. S. Beynon has held the position for twelve years.

New Factory for Nebraska City.

NEBRASKA CITY, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Ralph A. Duff has completed and perfected his carburetor for gasoline engines and will manufacture them in this city. To do this he will build a large factory. The erection of the building is to be started as soon as material can be placed on the ground. The building is to be located at the corner of Fifth street and Central avenue, adjoining the M. E. Smith factory, which building he erected a year ago.

Man Killed by Train.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Jan. 22.—(Special Telegram.)—Chris Oelke, a well known young farmer, who has been making his city home this winter, concluded to visit his brother near Paul, this afternoon and walked down the Missouri Pacific track, not noticing the passenger train and being milled he was run down and instantly killed. He is survived by his father and four brothers.

CRESTON FARMER KILLED WHILE HUNTING RABBITS

CRESTON, Ia., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Frank Hoffman, a young farmer living eight miles south of this city, was instantly killed Friday afternoon when his gun was accidentally discharged while he was on a hunting trip. The charge entered his throat, nearly severing his head. Mr. Hoffman, in company with two companions, had started in a sleigh on a rabbit hunt, and in going over a curve, the sledge discharged the gun carried by Mr. Hoffman. He was 35 years of age and leaves a widow and six children.

KANSAS CITY FUGITIVE ARRESTED IN MEMPHIS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 22.—H. W. Richardson, formerly president of the defunct American Union Trust company, is under arrest in Memphis, Tenn., according to a telegram received by the chief of police of his city today. Richardson is charged with making false entries on the books of the trust company, which closed its doors here on December 20, last.

DEATH RECORD.

John Pfann. NEBRASKA CITY, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—John Pfann, an old resident of this city who died Saturday, was buried yesterday from the family residence, with Revs. Koer and Langherst conducting the services. He was born in Austria-Hungary on December 1, 1827, and was survived by thirteen children and a widow. All of the children were at his bedside at the time of his death save two, who were unable to reach here from the Pacific coast.

John B. Preston.

SPRINGFIELD, Neb., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—John B. Preston, one of the earliest settlers of this section, died at a hospital in Council Bluffs Friday night. The funeral was held here Sunday afternoon. Mr. Preston came to Spring county in February, 1850, and has lived here almost continuously ever since. He was 82 years of age. Rev. James Huff of South Omaha conducted the funeral. Interment in Springfield cemetery.

Mrs. Russell Thorpe.

CHRYSTENNE, Wyo., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Word was received here today of the death at Long Beach, Cal., of Mrs. Russell Thorpe, mother of Russell Thorpe, Jr., of Laue, Wyo. Mrs. Thorpe was the widow of one of the pioneer residents of Wyoming, who for many years operated the stage line between Cheyenne and the Black Hills, and conducted a road ranch at Rawlins, Wyo. The body will be brought home for burial.

J. H. Davis.

YANKTON, S. D., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—J. H. Davis, a Virginian and prominent confederate soldier in the civil war, dropped dead Saturday here in the yard of his son-in-law Secretary Albert H. Lee of Yankton college. Mr. Davis is survived by his widow and a son and daughter.

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VALUATION QUESTIONS UP

State Soon to Introduce Evidence in Northwestern Hearing.

ROAD WANTS NEW EQUIPMENT

Seeks Permission to Expand Big Sum for This Purpose, Placing Mortgage Upon Entire System into Do It.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Tomorrow the railroad commission will resume the hearing on the Northwestern road's physical condition. Up to the present, the state has not introduced any testimony except what it has been able to extract from witnesses summoned by the railroad, and when the hearing is resumed will take its issue. The railroad company has sought to show that Mr. Hurd, the state's engineer, has put too low a valuation on the reproduction value of the company's property and also laid much stress on the point that no matter how much some of its property was worn it was serving the purpose of new and therefore was worth as much as new. The state will try to controvert both of these positions.

The Union Pacific hearing is set for February 3 and it is expected the Northwestern case will be concluded in time to take that up. Secretary of State Watt and his force have been busy today returning to the vault the documents, which were removed to permit the erection of the new steel fixtures. Superintendent Booth of the Deaf and Dumb institution at Omaha was at the state house today conferring with members of the Board of Public Lands and Buildings regarding a better water supply for the institution.

Bids for State Bridges.

State Engineer Price has returned from Holt, Keza Paha and Boyd counties, where he went to confer with the county commissioners regarding plans for state aid bridges. The commissioners were inclined to favor reinforced concrete construction but will advertise for bids on both concrete and steel construction. Labor Commissioner Gye is convinced that it pays to advertise. The Bee announced that he had two jobs for men and their wives to work on farms and today his office has been overrun with applicants and what he wants now is more jobs. The city of McCook has asked the auditor to register \$20,000 of waterworks refunding bonds. The original issue was \$5,000 but \$20,000 worth of them could not be disposed of because they were in \$500 denominations. It is proposed to officially retire the old issue and substitute the same amount only the new bonds will be in denominations of \$20 each. The supreme court has taken a recess until February 5.

No Seed Appropriation.

Food Commissioner Hanson, when asked whether his department would take action on the seed question in this state said the bureau was charged under the law with such duty, but the failure of the legislature to make any appropriation for the work left the bureau helpless so far as doing anything regarding the low germinating power of the seed corn. He said that so far as the bureau could aid, incidental to its other work, it would do so, but with no money available for the specific purpose it could not do much.

Speed of Fast Trains.

Some papers in the state have criticized the railway commission and stated that but for a ruling of the commission agents such as the one which cost Sheriff Dunkel of Grand Island his life would not have occurred. So far as the alleged ruling regarding the side of the train on which passengers should alight and embark there was nothing in it as no such ruling had been made, but as a matter of fact the only logical thing to do was to use the side of the train away from the other track in case of double track roads. In reply to the charge that the fast trains were not compelled to stop at most of the stations the commissioners assert that an order to compel them to stop would not be upheld in their courts, but that on the other hand the statutes gave to the cities and villages ample power to compel the road to run their trains at a reasonable speed, while passing through incorporated places. They say if this is not done it is the fault of the local authorities and not of the commission.

Traction Company Earnings.

The Lincoln Traction company has filed its report with the railroad commission showing the total earnings for the year 1911 to be \$301,202.00 and the expenses \$441,236.66. December was the best month with gross receipts of \$3,096.12 and February, the poorest, with receipts of \$4,733.18. December was also the most expensive month, in which the company expended \$40,969.55 and June was its opposite, with expenditures of \$3,000.08. The company's valuation shows that it earned less than 4 per cent and the plea is made that straight 4 cent fares would make up the deficit below. J. C. Harding, assistant to the sanitary engineer of New York city, has arrived in Lincoln and today commenced an investigation with a view of telling the people of this city what is the matter with their water system. Rev. R. T. Russell, president of the central council of the Advent church, in his annual report to the conference showed a most encouraging condition. The college at College View shows an enrollment of 24 and 146 in the normal department. The publishing house has also had a prosperous year. The sales for the last six years are: 1906, \$18,541; 1907, \$20,957; 1908, \$28,872; 1909, \$27,920; 1910, \$23,648; 1911, \$28,320. Standing committees were appointed as follows: Committee on Plans—A. T. Robinson, James Cochran, Meade MacIntyre, George A. Williams, Frederick Griggs. Committee on Nominations—J. W. Christian, W. H. Starr, H. Osterloh, A. R. Ogden, J. S. Rouse, H. E. Loring, E. A. Curtis. Committee on Credentials and Licenses—W. F. Kennedy, C. E. Kline, Meade MacIntyre, F. M. Wilcox, N. T. Sutton. Committee on Finance—A. T. Robinson, A. E. Ogden, James Cochran, J. W. Christian.

Money to Be Paid Over Soon.

The retiring officers of the Union Fire Insurance company, who accepted cash for their resignations, did not pay any more money to Auditor Barton today, as had been anticipated, but late this afternoon the auditor was called up on the telephone and informed that the remainder would in all probability be turned over to him tomorrow. Northwestern Buys Equipment. The Chicago & Northwestern Railroad company has asked the State Railway commission for authority to enter into a \$2,000,000 equipment agreement. The purpose of the agreement, as indicated by the name, is the purchase on time of rolling stock and other equipment for the line, giving a note and mortgage on the equipment itself to secure payment. The permission already has been granted by the state of Wisconsin and probably the same action will be taken by Nebraska. Farmers Institute at Dunbar. DUNBAR, Neb., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—The Dunbar Farmers' institute will be held here this week on Wednesday and Thursday. This is one of the most progressive institutes of the kind in the state. The officers of the Dunbar institute are: Adolph Waller, president; Henry Griespenstahl, vice president; M. T. Harrison, secretary; James P. Baker, treasurer. A good program has been arranged, among whom appear V. E. Shirley, Central City, Neb.; F. W. Johnson, Hartland, Neb.; Dr. Carlson, Norfolk, Neb.; Matt Mack, Fremont, Neb., as well as other local talent of ability.

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EIGHT STATES JOIN HANDS

Effort Will Be Made to Stop Ratification of Classification.

HART CONFERS WITH CARROLL

Republican National Committeeman for Cummins First, But Believes Next Choice Should Be President Taft.

From a Staff Correspondent.

DES MOINES, Jan. 22.—(Special Telegram.)—Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Oklahoma and Missouri will join hands in a fight to prevent the ratification of the western classification committee's new classification of freight.

A meeting will be held Wednesday at Kansas City to outline plans for presenting a protest to these eight states to the Interstate Commerce commission. The Iowa commission received notice that the Interstate Commerce commission will hold an investigation of the new classification in Chicago January 29. At that time the eight states will enter their formal protest and present their arguments. There are 1,000 changes in the new classification, every one affecting Iowa. Hart for Cummins First. Senator A. B. Cummins should receive the united support of the Iowa delegation for the nomination for president at the national convention, according to Ernest R. Hart of Council Bluffs, member of the national republican committee from Iowa. Mr. Hart, who held a long conference with Governor B. F. Carroll, said he believes Iowa should give Senator Cummins its solid support so long as there is a chance of his winning, but the delegates should be for President Taft as a second choice and not turned to any other opponent of President Taft for the nomination other than Senator Cummins.

Union Car Men Meet.

Union street car men of Des Moines met to consider the proposition of a new wage scale. They declare that the rapid increase in the already high cost of living forces them to demand a substantial increase in wages. It is anticipated that the men will generally favor an advance of about 7 cents an hour for all the men in the operating service. Foote Confers with Carroll. Allen Ripley Foote of Columbus, O.,

president of the National Tax association, conferred with Governor B. F. Carroll today on the details of the arrangements for the annual convention of the association, which will be held in Des Moines next fall.

G. A. R. Encampment.

The department encampment of the Iowa Grand Army of the Republic will be held June 11, 12 and 14 at Mason City. Lot Abraham of Mount Pleasant, department commander, announced the dates for the reunion today.

District Court at Broken Bow.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—District court convenes this week with Judge Bruno Hostetler presiding. Outside of several criminal bonds to be approved by the judge the term will be devoted to civil cases. The docket is well

filled and it will probably take a week or more to work through it.

IDENTICAL TELEGRAMS TELL OF TWO DEATHS

CRESTON, Ia., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—A strange coincidence in two telegrams received by Dr. J. B. Harmon of this city yesterday was revealed in the messages they contained. Each read the same: "Lola's father died this morning." One was the announcement of the death of his own wife's father, Cash Williams, at Hastings, Neb.; the other told of the death of his brother's wife's father, J. C. Millard, at Montrose, Ia. The deaths of the two fathers occurred at about the same time on the same day, and in each instance the bereaved daughter's name was the same, Lola.

Weak Heart

Many people suffer from weak hearts. They may experience shortness of breath on exertion, pain over the heart, or dizzy feelings, oppressed breathing after meals or their eyes become blurred, their heart is not sufficiently strong to pump blood to the extremities, and they have cold hands and feet, or poor appetite because of weakened blood supply to the stomach. A heart tonic and alterative should be taken which has no bad after-effect. Such is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which contains no dangerous narcotics nor alcohol.

The ingredients, as stated under each, are Stone root (Collinsonia Canadensis), Bloodroot (Sanguinaria Canadensis), Golden Seal root (Hydrastis Canadensis), Queen's root (Squilla Syriaca), Black Cherry bark (Prunus Virginiana), Mandrake root (Podophyllum Peltatum), with triple refined glycerine, prepared in a scientific laboratory in a way that no druggist could imitate. This tonic contains no alcohol to shrink up the red blood corpuscles; but, on the other hand, it increases their number and they become round and healthy. It helps the human system in the constant manufacture of rich, red blood. It helps the stomach to assimilate or take up the proper elements from the food, thereby helping digestion and curing dyspepsia, heart-burn and many uncomfortable symptoms, stops excessive tissue waste in convalescence from fevers; for the run-down, anemic, thin-blooded people, the "Discovery" is refreshing and vitalizing. Sick to this safe and sane remedy, and refuse all "just as good" medicines offered by the druggist who is looking for a larger profit. Nothing but Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will do you half as much good.

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