The Democrat.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1909.

THE CITY ELECTION IN NEW YORK.

Tammany, Hearst and the Republicans are having a cat and parrot time down in the big metropolis where the Hudson empties into the ocean. The Cannon-Tammany bargain has been further confirmed by the testimony of W. H. Whadhams, a man of sterling character appointed by Gov. Hughes to investigate charges against the New York state superintendent of elections.

Mr. Wadhams says that the Tammany congressmen voted for Cannon for speaker, in exchange for republican votes in the New York legislature favorable to Tammany.

The Tammany tiger ate up Hearst's party, or in other words, secured control of the organization, but that did not discourage William Randolph a particle. He can create new parties just as fast as any force can kill them off or side track them in any way. Tammany put his independence league out of the running, but Hearst appears at the next turn as a Citizen's candidate for mayor.

It matters little so far as real democrats are concerned, who wins or loses at the coming election in New York City. Tammany's support of Cannon was dastardly from a democratic standpoint, and if that act alienates enough democratic votes to defeat the organization there will be no occasion for crape on any real democrat's hat. Justice William J. Gaynor, the Tammany candidate for mayor, is one of the best men in the country, and he will probably be elected. But the election of the rest of the Tammany ticket is by no means assured.

Bannard the republican candidate for mayor would not have a ghost of a show were it not for Hearst's candidacy.

CUMMINS AND CANNON.

Cannon calls Senator Cummins a democrat. The Senator is not a democrat, neither is he a Joe Cannon republican. If there were no republicans in Iowa, except those who believe in the things which Cannon stands for, the republican party in this state would not rank in numbers with the socialists. This we think can be truthfully said to the credit of Senator Cummins: He supports a good many things which democrats have always favored, and favors very few, if any measures, which Cannon strives to promote.

To help their fruit growers the California Senators joined the Aldrich gang, and as their share of the tariff loot secured an increase in the duty on lemons. Then the railroads raised the freight on lemons, and, as a net result of the transaction, the railroads get the money, the fruit growers get about the same amount of healthful, out door exercise for the same pay as heretofore, and the consumer gets the lemon.

Taft bent the suppliant hinges of his knees to Rockerfeller's millions, and lowered himself in the estimation of a multitude of his countrymen, when he went out of his way to put a halo on the head of Aldrich, who is Rockefeller's kinsman and political representative. The halo was punk and the act was punkish.

Aldrich and Cannon do not represent a single human interest. In every struggle they stand for our modern feudal lords, and do their bidding as heartlessly as though there was not a drop of human blood in their veins.

Wheat was one of the grains raised in China when Emperor Chinnug instituted the annual sowing festival 2,900 years before the Christian era. And it is fairly well established that wheat was grown in Egypt 6,000 years ago.

It is stated that China is arming itself and expects to depend less on its legs hereafter.

A BEAUTIFUL TRIBUTE.

Among the many kind words published about the late Governor Johnson, of Minnesota, we have seen none more replete with thought and kindness and grandure than the following tribute written for the Boston Journal by Thomas W. Lawson:

I have ridden with him the hot day through in the dusty- nerve-racking railroad train and I've been with him when he listened to the fealty message of the leaders of his party which cooed about that crown and throne which is the dream of all red-blooded Americans; and I've brought him the taunt of his great rival, and yet in all I never once saw that childish, merry twinkle leave those wonderfully love-be-getting eyes, and I never heard a discord in that voice of trust and faith and charity and good will to all. Ah, but he was such a man, such a goodman.

John Johnson's vision was all outward. He had no mirror and had he one he would have held it to reflect the beauties and the goodness of his fellows.

The other evening Erman Ridgway, his good wife and myself were in the 'bus' with this great man on our way to hear him lecture. We'd had a jolly good dinner and he was snuggled into the corner muffled in his big fur coat, and we thought he wanted to be alone to tell over his great speech, when, as he neared the church where his lecture was to be delivered, he said, "I'm nervous tonight, Lawson, for I'm going to make my lecture the simple story of how I pardoned a boy and gave him back to his old mother and father. I want you to hear it, but I know I'll cry and make a country booby of myself, and then these eastern people will wonder what my great state was thinking of in electing such a governor."

'Twas a big audience, big in intelligence, big in sympathy with this latter day Abe Lincoln of the people and Governor Johnson told his story and the tears trickled down his cheeks and his gentle voice was gentler than its wont, but we, his audience, yes, all of us, men, woman and children, we cried, and at the close of the story I said to the big, strong mannish governor of New Jersey, who had sat with bowed head, as John Johnson, the man told the simple story of how Governor Johnson of the great state of Minnesota gave their boy back to the old father and mother, "Governor, I notice that you, too, forgot that Governor Johnson was of the enemy."

"Yes, yes, I forgot everything but the story and the man, who was telling it," and he tried to sneak away the trail the story had left on his cheek, "And if all democrats were like Governor Johnson, there'd be no enemy."

That night at Ridgway's home, after the family had retired, I sat in front of the open grate with this, the all-around best big man I had ever met, until the gray dawn was tapping at the panes and time and time again, as I listened to his clear analysis of times and things and humans and their goodness, I would break in and try to make him put on my smoked glasses and see the out-there black, but he met each attempt with his merry laugh. "Yes, yes, I'll agree that there is lots that might be made better, but, on the whole, Lawson, it's a good world and a good people. I can never bring myself to believe but the world and the people are getting better all the time." Ah, but he was such a man, such a good man

God was good to John Johnson. He endowed him with all those riches which made for happiness, here and hereafter. Birthed from the womb of the common people, cradled in that greatest of all world luxuries, poverty, he came to the starting line a moral Hercules, bursting with love of mother and adoration of wife bristling with affection for humanity and charity and forgiveness for his enemies and muscled with a superb honesty and veneration for God and nature. The starter's bell was to him a joyful "go". As he ran he saw no mire, no boulders, no ditches, only God's great blue; he felt only God's warming sun rays, and as he ran for them, not himself, 'tis no wonder that his track was fast and his feet winged.

Those who were blessed with the privilege of his presence is left the consolation that he was, and is yet. Let us rain our tears, but not for him. Let us weep for her whose sun is set and for the nation, which so sorely needs her valiant sons, and for humanity, whose champion has gone over yonder. For myself, my sadness is mellowed by the thought that I knew him and by the faith that his shadow will for ages be a dream-cradle for countless despairing souls.

THE MARKETS

Cash Grain Market.

Chicago, Oct. 11.

Winter wheat by sample: No. 2 red, $1.15@1.18½; No. 3 red, $1.10@1.16; No. 2 hard, $1.10@1.12; No. 3 hard, $1.04@1.09. Spring wheat by sample: No. 1 northern, $1.05@1.06; No. 2 northern, $1.04@1.04½; No. 3 spring, $1.02@1.04. Corn by sample: No. 2, 60¼@60½c; No. 2 white, 60¾@61c; No. 2 yellow, 60½c; No. 4, 59½@59¾c. Oats by sample: No. 2, 38½c; No. 2 white, 40¼c; No. 3, 38½c; No. 3 white, 39½@40c; No. 4 white, 38¼@39c; standard, 39¼@40¼c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Hogs—Receipts 21,000. Quotations ranged at $7.95@8.15 for choice heavy, $7.90@8.00 butchers, $7.40@7.65 light mixed, $7.70@7.85 choice light, $7.70@7.80 heavy packing, $6.25@7.25 good to choice pigs.

Cattle—Receipts 26,000. Quotations ranged at $8.25@8.80 for choice to prime steers, $7.40@8.20 good to choice steers, $4.25@5.25 good to choice beef cows, $4.50@6.00 good to choice heifers, $8.25@9.00 good to choice calves, $5.00@5.50 selected feeders, $4.00@4.40 good to choice stockers.

Sheep—Receipts 40,000. Quotations ranged at $6.75@7.15 for good to choice lambs, $6.00@6.75 fair to good lambs, $4.50@5.00 good to choice wethers, $5.15@5.50 good to choice yearling wethers, $4.25@4.75 good to choice ewes.

East Buffalo Live Stock.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 11.

Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts 180 cars; market slow. Hogs—Receipts 80 cars; market steady; heavy, $8.25; Yorkers, $7.70@8.10; pigs, $7.25. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 90 cars; market slow; best lambs, $7.25; yearlings, $5.00@5.50; wethers, $5.00@5.25; ewes, $4.50@4.75. Calves—Best, $4.50@9.75.

Elgin Butter Market.

Creamery, extras, 29c; prints, 31½c; extra firsts, 28c; firsts, 26c; dairies, extras, 26c; firsts, 24c; packing stock, 22c.

The Weather.

Following is the official weather forecast:

Illinois—Cloudy today; fair tomorrow.

Indiana—Cloudy, with showers in north, today; fair tomorrow.

Lower Michigan and Wisconsin—Rain and snow flurries today; cloudy tomorrow.

Iowa—Fair today and tomorrow.

DISTRICT COURT.

The following is a list of the Grand jurors serving at the present term: J. F. Graham, foreman, E. N. Akers, Owen McMahon, G. O. White, Nels Johnson, August Luense, E. T. Main. Clarence G. Yoran is acting as clerk of the grand jury.

Estate of Caroline Matusch. Will admitted to probate.

Estate of William Schwager. Will admitted to probate on testimony of witness. Dittmer alone.

Estate of Mary Durey. Hearing of report fixed for October 18. Notice to be posted 5 days before hearing.

Guardianship of Elizabeth Merrill. Hearing of report fixed for October 18. Notice posted 5 days before hearing.

Guardianship of John, Margaret and Lewis Williams. Appointment of F. B. Blair as guardian, made in vacation, confrimed.

Guardianship of Elbert E. Howe, et al. Guardian authorized to enter into agreement in regard to payment of taxes as prayed.

Estate of John Robinson, deceased. Hearing of report fixed for October 18. Notice by posting in 3 public places 5 days before hearing.

Estate of Ellen Toogood. Leave granted to sell personal property as prayed at not less than appraised value.

Estate of Michael Beacom. Leave granted to sell Ryan Bank stock at private sale at not less than appraised value. John Dolphin, John Riley and Chas. Worley appointed appraisers.

BUILDS ADDITION TO RESIDENCE

George Hickox is building an addition to his residence on the corner of Butler and Tama streets. After the completion of the addition Mr. Hickox will install modern heating and lighting equipments making his residence one of the most modern in that part of the city.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Two marriage licenses were issued at the county clerk's office during the past week:

Frank F. Bradke, 32, and Miss Elizabeth Carson, 27.

Fred Clay Atwater, 57, and Mrs. Sarah Francisco Griffith, 46.

BASE BALL MEETING.

A meeting of the base ball fans is to be held next Friday evening for the purpose of deciding the manner in which to raise funds for a team for next season and what the fans want to do for the coming season.

ONE CHANCE IS LEFT TO MORSE

United States Supreme Court Is the Last Resort.

15 YEARS' SENTENCE AFFIRMED

Financier Found Guilty of Misapplying Funds of Bank He Controlled Is Returned to Cell in the Tombs Where He Was Imprisoned After His Conviction—Application For His Release on Bail During Forty Days' Stay Is to Be Made Today.

New York, Oct. 12.—Unless the United States supreme court grants a writ of certiorari to Charles W. Morse, the convicted banker must within forty days go to Atlanta to begin a term of fifteen years' imprisonment.

The circuit court of appeals has affirmed the conviction in the circuit court for misapplication of the funds of the National Bank of North America.

Morse in the morning surrendered himself to United States Marshal Henkel. He was accompanied by his wife and his two sons. The provisions of the $125,000 bail bond subscribed to by his friends and business associates provided that Morse was to surrender himself when the circuit court of appeals handed down its decision. It was evident that both Morse and his counsel were taken by surprise. The banker appeared the least affected by his plight.

In an electric cab he was driven to the Tombs and there placed in the same cell he occupied after his conviction last November. Today an application for bail pending the stay of forty days will be made.

Morse, it is stated, has paid every cent he owes. Last week he was elected president of the Metropolitan Steamship company and the Hudson Navigation company.

TWO SOLDIERS KILLED BY DEFECTIVE RIFLE

Four Inch Gun Explodes at Fort Riley Army Reservation.

Junction City, Kan., Oct. 12.—Two men were killed and six injured on the Fort Riley military reservation by the explosion of a four inch gun during military tests.

Sergeant Smith and Private Daniels are dead. Lieutenant Ralph M. Pennell is hurt severely. Five privates were slightly injured.

The explosion, it is said, was due to a defect in the gun.

ALFONSO IS IN DANGER

Says King Will Be Doomed If Ferrer Is Put to Death.

Paris, Oct. 12.—"There are two men in Spain at the present moment," says a prominent Spanish politician, "whose lives are in danger—King Alfonso and Professor Ferrer.

"If Ferrer is executed the king will die within two months," this man declared. "Ferrer is a hero. The king is a demigod and is beloved by his subjects, but if he ratifies Ferrer's death sentence he will be a doomed man."

He Got the Chair.

On a very hot afternoon a number of around town chaps who didn't seem to have much to do were lounging in the chairs in front of a leading hotel. Several traveling men came out of the hotel and, finding all of the chairs occupied, looked and spoke things that wouldn't go well in polite society.

"Let's dump a few of them out," suggested one.

"Hold on a minute," replied another. "Watch me get a chair." With that he walked over to one of the loungers and in the most courteous way said, "Will you please tell me whether that is a drug store across the street?"

"No," replied the lounger; "that's a bank."

"Oh, is it? Well, say, what is that nice big building just down the street there, two corners away?"

"That's the postoffice," was the reply.

"You live in this charming city, then?" asked the drummer.

"I do," said the lounger.

"Well, then," replied the traveling man, "I'm a guest at this hotel and paying for accommodations. Suppose you get up and give me that chair."

He got the chair.—Kansas City Journal.

Varieties of Humor.

The Temple of Art, devoted to that peculiar form of entertainment yclept "polite vaudeville," was crowded to suffocation as Messrs. Biff and Bang, the refined sketch team and sidewalk conversationalists, stepped jauntily to the footlights. In response to the deafening applause Messrs. Biff and Bang bowed condescendingly, as though it hurt them.

Without further preliminary Mr. Biff hit his partner on the rear of his ample trousers with a stuffed club, remarking, "It's a wise man that knows his own mind."

And Mr. Bang, not to be outdone in this little exchange of pleasantries, promptly buried an ax in the skull of Mr. Biff, remarking the while, "It's a wise man that minds his own nose."

Whereupon the intelligent audience screamed with delight and voted Biff and Bang the best ever. "And yet they were a frost in the London halls," commented a man in the front row. "The English have no appreciation of real humor." — Philadelphia Ledger.

For Two Years.

"For two years after I was married I was ashamed to meet the preacher who united my wife and me in the holy bonds. You see, in my excited condition I made a blunder and gave him a five dollar bill instead of $20, which I intended to hand him. I suppose he thought I was a cheap skate, but I couldn't very well explain it without making myself ridiculous or causing him to suspect that I was lying about it."

"You say you felt that way for two years?"

"Yes. After that I began to be sorry I had given him anything!"—Philadelphia Record.

Private Hospital Guests.

"Hello, old man! Didn't know you were in New York? Where are you stopping?"

"Glad to see you. I'm at a private hospital uptown."

"Private hospital! Why, I'm sorry. What's the trouble?"

"No trouble at all myself. My sister went there for an operation, and I'm staying with her. There are plenty of patients there with relatives or friends. We pay high prices, of course, but the rooms are light, comfortable and clean, and we can order anything on earth we want for meals and get it. Things are served to us as though we were invalids, and there's no kick coming, I'll tell you that. And we can have as much company as we wish for meals at a dollar and a half a head."—New York Press.

His Air Tight Compartment.

The passenger who was crossing the Atlantic for the first time timidly approached the pompous purser.

"Is it true, sir," he said, "that this whole ship is divided into air tight compartments?"

"True as gospel," replied the purser in surprise.

"Then," remarked the passenger gloomily, "I guess I'll have to put up with the one I'm occupying if I can't better myself!"

Suspicious.

The seeing New York automobile was moving through the financial district. "This is Wall street," announced the man with the megaphone. "Keep your hand on your purse, Hiram!" hoarsely whispered a lady from the open country to her husband.

Premonition.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is the meaning of premonition?

Pa—Premonition, my son, is what ails people who are afflicted with the "I told you so" habit.—Chicago News.

A Sacrifice.

Fat Man—What! Are you going to let this small boy shave me? Barber—Let the boy have his fun for once. It is his birthday, sir.—Fliegende Blatter.

A scar nobly got is a good livery of honor.—Shakespeare.

Revolution in Santo Domingo.

Cape Haitien, Haiti, Oct. 12.—A revolution has broken out in Santo Domingo. The insurgents, headed by General Andre Navarro, attacked Dajabon, a town near the Haitien frontier, but were repulsed by the government troops.

A Pessimist.

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is a pessimist?

Pa—A pessimist, my son, is a man who derives most of his pleasure from his effort to spoil the pleasure of others.—Chicago News.

Salad Rolls.

Materials.—One dozen fresh Parker House rolls, one cupful of cold chicken, one cupful of chopped celery and enough mayonnaise to mix well.

Way of Preparing.—Open the rolls and scoop out a pocket in each. Brush with butter and run in the oven for a few minutes. Cool and fill with a mixture of the other ingredients. Place on a bread plate and garnish with fringed celery.—National Food Magazine.

Some Consolation.

A detective once said it was all wrong to suppose that the professional housebreaker works with coolness and calculation. On the contrary, he usually works in terror and haste, takes too much swag from one room and too little from another and sometimes overlooks the silver in carrying off the electro.—London Saturday Review.

Source of Supply Gone.

"Why don't you bring out an umbrella on a drenching day like this?" inquired a man of a neighbor's son.

"Since father gave up his club he's never brought home any more umbrellas," replied the lad.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Good Reason.

"Well, Johnny, do you wish you were a grownup man?"

"You bet I do."

"But why?"

"So people wouldn't ask me such fool questions."—Exchange.

Muddled.

She—Of course I'm not as old as you think I am.

He—I hope not—I mean you can't be—that is—how old are you?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Difficult Task.

The Man—Do you think you could learn to love me, darling? The Darling—I don't know; I might. I learned Greek when I was a girl.—Illustrated Bits.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION.

To E. D. Carl.

You are hereby notified that the following described real estate, situated in Delaware County, Iowa, to-wit: North 30 feet of lot 5 in the South East ¼ of the North West ¼ of Sesction 4 Township 90, North of Range Three (3) was sold for taxes of 1905 on the 3rd day of December 1906 to I. A. Moreland, that the certificate of sale thereof has been assigned, and is now owned by J. W. Platt and that the right of redemption will expire, and a Treasurer's Deed for said land will be made, unless redemption from such sale be made within ninety days from the date of completed service of this notice.

You will govern yourself accordingly.

Dated 12th day of October A. D. 1909.

Carr, Bronson & Carr,
Attorneys for J. W. Platt.

Fall Styles in Men's Shoes are now Ready for You.

Men's fine calf blucher shoes, made on a wide toe last, called Toefit, an excellent shoe for comfort, all sizes and widths at - - - - - - $4.00.

Men's calf shoes, made on a narrow toe, blucher patterns, sewed soles, at - - - $3.00.

Men's tan Russia calf blucher shoes, made on the Wizard last, medium wide toe, all widths, at $4.50.

Men's tan Russia calf button shoes, made on Nob last, narrower toe, at - - - - - $4.50.

Men's Wine shoes, made in blucher pattern, Nob last, at - - - - - - $4.50.

Men's wine shoes, made with cheaper stock, at - - - - - - - - - $3.00.

Men's patent shoes, made in new patterns on the Nob last, a new narrow toe, a first class dress shoe, at $4.50, $4.00 and $3.00.

Men's button shoes are selling better this season than ever. They are right for full dress wear.

Men's patent shoes in blucher patterns, made on the Nob or Wizard lasts, at - - $4.00.

Men's patents, in new lasts at the very low price of - $3.00.

Save your coupons given with all cash purchases and get a premium free.

Shoe repairing done neatly and promptly.

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HORSES WANTED.

I will be at Novelty Stables on Friday, Oct. 15, to buy horses. I want good big horses, 1000 pounds or over. Must be sound and in good flesh.

41-1 wk. MAX JOSEPH.

FOR SALE.

Light driving mare, 4 years old. Enquire at this office.

NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL.

State of Iowa, Delaware County, ss.
To all Whom it May Concern:

You are hereby notified that the last will of Philippina Mlinch, deceased, has been filed, opened and read, and Monday, the 6th day of December A. D. 1909, fixed as the time, and the Court House in Manchester the place for hearing and proving the same.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court this 5th day of October, 1909.

James Bishop,
Clerk District Court.
41-3 Clerk District Court

LOW FARES TO MILWAUKEE VIA CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL RY.

For the National Dairy Show, October 14-24. One and one-half fare for the round trip to Milwaukee from stations on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. Minimum Excursion Fare, $3.00. Dates of sale, October 14, 15, 16, 18, 19 and 20. Return limit, to reach starting point on or before October 26. Additional information from nearest Ticket Agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, or fromF . A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago. 41-2

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction on the G. B. Davis farm, 2 miles southeast of Bailey's Ford and about 1 1-4 miles west of the Delaware County Poor Farm, on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20,

Sale to commence at 10:00 o'clock a. m., the following described property:

11 REGISTERED ABERDEEN ANGUS CATTLE, 5 cows,—1 yearling heifer, 1 bull coming 2 years old, 4 calves, (3 heifers and 1 bull calf.)

7 HORSES—1 sorrel mare 13 years old, 1 bay gelding 12 years old, 1 black gelding 4 years old, 2 black mares 3 years old, 1blackgelding 2 years old and 1 yearling colt.

MACHINERY—1 Clean Sweep hay-loader, 1 side delivery rake, 1 McCormick mower, 1 McCormick corn binder, 1 Osborne grain binder, 1 Hayes corn planter, 2 corn plows, 1 sulkey plow, 1 gang plow, 1 three section drag, 1 pulverizer, 1 Success manure spreader,1 power feed grinder (new), 1 sweep mill, 1 Olds gasoline engine nearly new, 1 DeLaval separator crankandpulley, 1 corn sheller, 1 new Chatham fanning mill, 1 pump jack, 1 woven wire fence machine, 1 lumber wagon—2 sets of side boards, 2 truck wagons, 1 hay rack, 1 new two seated surrey, 1 jump seat buggy, 2 sets of heavy harness, 1 set of buggy harness, 1 single harness, 2 pair of fly nets, horse blankets, 1twelve bbl. galvanized tank, 1 thrity gallon kettle, pitch forks, shovels, milk cans, pails and other articles.

38 BLACK POLL CATTLE—11 milk cows, 1 steer coming 2 years old, 5 calves coming 1 year old (2 steers and 3 heifers), 8 calves (4 steers and 2 heifers.)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—1 range, 2 heaters, 1 fireless cooker, 3 rockers dishes, 1 bed room suit, 3 beds, 2 rag carpets, granite ware, 1 washing machine, 1 kitchen cabinet, 1 refrigerator, 1 churn and 1 square extension table.

HAY AND GRAIN—About 60 tons of hay, 1 straw stack, about 150 bushels of oats, about 375 bushels of speltz and 30 acres of corn in the field.

HOGS—17 shoats.

CHICKENS AND GEESE.

TERMS—All sums under $10 cash, over that amount one year's time will be given on bankable notes bearing 7 per cent interest from date.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON.

E. J. Hopkins, Auctioneer.
F. Stimpson, Clerk.

G. B. DAVIS.