DO NOT RECOGNIZE FUSION

Official Populists Do Not Approve Any Friendship for Sewall.

WATSON MUST BE DULY RECOGNIZED

National Headquarters Opened in Washington—Chairman Faulkner Complains of the Lack of Funds for the Campaign.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The populist and silver party national executive committees today arranged to open their headquarters in Wormley's hotel, adjoining those of the democratic congressional committee and the branch headquarters of the national democratic committee. This will place all the silver headquarters under one roof and enable the respective managers to work in harmony. Vice Chairman Stevens of the silver party committee and Secretary Diddendorfer will be in charge of the silver headquarters. George Keeney will have charge of the organization of the silver clubs. The plan of organization and other details about the campaign will be made public tomorrow. Chairman Lane, it is understood, will devote his time almost entirely to the work of raising funds. It is expected that the silver committee will furnish the populist committee with a large amount of literature, as the latter committee, like the democratic committee, probably will be hampered a great deal for the want of funds.

Senator Faulkner, chairman of the democratic congressional committee, speaking of the lack of funds tonight, did not hesitate to say that the sources of revenue in past campaigns, principally in New York City, had not, and would not, respond, and that the committee would have to depend on small contributions from the people.

Chairman Butler of the populist committee was asked the following question tonight: "In view of your statement yesterday to the effect that the populists candidates are Bryan and Watson, and will be until the close of the campaign, and will be earnestly supported to the end, without discrimination for or against either, what will be the position of your committee with reference to those states where democrats and populists have fused by the latter taking the state ticket and the former all of the electoral ticket?"

KNOWS NOTHING OF IT.

"We have no official information," he replied, "that this has been done in any state, but if it has been done or is contemplated the national committee will not approve or recognize it. The highest law in any party is the action of its national conventions. No man or state organization can be disloyal to such supreme authority without arraying themselves in direct and hostile opposition to the national convention. Our national convention nominated Bryan and Watson by overwhelming majorities, and it is the bounden duty of every loyal populist to support both of these candidates earnestly and loyally, and, besides, Watson stands for what Bryan stands for, and, therefore, Bryan and Watson is the only ticket that represents the principles that the people's party believes in and have contended for from the beginning. The executive committee will see that the action of our national convention is maintained in every state, but if there should arise disaffection or disloyalty to either of our candidates, in any state, then we are sure that there are true populists in such states who will support a whole ticket, and such alone will be recognized by the national committee."

"Does this mean you will insist upon a straightout Bryan and Watson ticket in every state?"

"No, but it means that wherever populists and democrats join forces on the electoral ticket there must be a due and proper recognition of each party's candidate by a just and equitable division of electors supporting the candidates of the respective parties."

VOICES THE COMMITTTEE.

Senator Butler was asked what effect this announcement would have upon the fusion in Kansas, where the populists took the state ticket and the democrats the electoral ticket, but he declined to go into specific details, saying that his announcement related to the general policy of the committee. The statement of Mr. Butler was said to be by the unanimous expression of the committee.

The executive committee of the populists decided today to establish branch headquarters at Chicago, which will be in charge of George F. Washburn of Massachusetts.

The committee also selected a finance committee for the campaign consisting of H. W. Reed of Georgia, C. F. Taylor of Philadelphia and Treasurer Rankin of Indiana. Chairman Butler was given almost full control of the populist campaign and in addition he will be chairman of the populist congressional campaign committee.

Chairman Faulkner of the democratic congressional campaign committee says that the committee will not put any speakers in the field until after the 1st of September. He says that the committee is short of funds and cannot send many speakers out, but must rely largely upon literature to reach the people.

Chairman Stevens of the silver party said today that there would be branch headquarters of the silver committee at Chicago, which would look after the western states campaign and especially as to speakers. It is the intention of the committee to send from Washington a great deal of literature and give a great deal of attention to the organization of campaign clubs of silver republicans who will support Bryan.

Madison County Republicans Meet.

NEWMAN GROVE, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—The republican precinct caucus was held last evening. Much interest was manifested. A delegation was elected to the county convention to be held at Madison Saturday favoring A. C. Johnson of this precinct to succeed himself as county commissioner and for Ross Hammond of Fremont for member of congress.

Name Senator and Representative.

TECUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The Second senatorial and Fifth representative joint populist conventions met in Tecumseh this afternoon. The counties of Nemaha and Johnson are included in the district. John H. Dundas of Nemaha county was nominated for senator and David Snider of Johnson county for representative

ALL BUSY FORMING CLUBS.

Republicans Throughout the State Organizing for McKinley.

NEWMAN GROVE, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—Last night Hon. J. E. Frick of Fremont delivered an address to a large audience in the opera house under the auspices of the McKinley and Hobart club. The address was plain, pointed and convincing and was well received. Newman Grove and Shell Creek precinct, the banner republican precinct of Madison county, will give an increased republican majority at the polls in November.

OSMOND, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—A careful canvass of this town reveals the fact that there are four McKinley votes to one for Bryan.

NEBRASKA CITY, Aug. 19.—(Special.)—A large and enthusiastic meeting of the McKinley club was held last night at Standard hall, which was filled to overflowing. Addresses were made by several members of the club. The membership of the club is growing rapidly and has reached a point where, in comparison with the Bryan club, the latter pales into insignificance.

HAMPTON, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—A McKinley and Hobart club with 140 members has just been organized at this place. The enthusiasm for American honor, American interest, protection and prosperity is rapidly rising.

VALPARAISO, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—The crowd last evening that listened to the address of C. A. Atkinson was enthusiastic. The audience was large and very attentive.

PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—Monday next a big McKinley club will be organized in Murray and a great many Plattsmouth republicans are going to participate in the festivities. The republicans are awaiting with interest the coming county convention of the populists at Louisville Saturday, when two fusion candidates for state representatives will be nominated.

ARCADIA, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—A McKinley protection and sound money club was formed here last evening, with 124 names. Judge Aaron Wall and Senator Conger of Loup City addressed the meeting, a good crowd being in attendance, and all seemed interested.

OXFORD, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Congressman W. E. Andrews opened the campaign here tonight with a splendid address on the issues of the day. At the close of the meeting a McKinley and Hobart club was organized, with a membership of 111, with J. L. Lashbrook as president, F. J. Miller vice president, A. C. Rankin secretary, N. A. Pettygrove treasurer, and W. T. Pettygrove recording secretary. The free silverites organized Saturday, with seventeen members. Republicanism is growing.

IOWA SILVER MEN IN CONFERENCE.

Fusion Forces Think They Can Carry Several Congressional Districts.

DES MOINES, Aug. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The preliminary meeting of the democratic state central committee and the fusion candidates for state offices, together with a few prominent silver workers, was held here today, for the purpose of comparing the situation in different sections of the state and talking over the campaign. All the members of the central committee and all the candidates, except ex-Governor Boies, were present. C. A. Walsh, secretary of the national committee, attended the meeting, which was held behind closed doors. The reports generally were to the effect that the campaign is well under way, despite the fact that the state organization is not perfected. The local committees are sending speakers to all school houses. Every speaker claimed large recent accessions to the cause of free silver. Regarding the congressional contests, reports especially flattering to the silver men were received from the Sixth district, where Fred White will oppose Congressman Lacey; from the Eighth, where they believe Congressman Hepburn can be defeated, and from the Eleventh, where Judge Van Wagenen is opposing Congressman Perkins. The representatives from the Ninth and Tenth also claimed that the silverites had a chance for nominated to oppose Dolliver. Romans' of Denison, a republican, was yesterday nominated to oppose Dolliver. Romans' campaign will be opened at Fort Dodge at an early date by Congressman Towne of Minnesota.

National Committeeman Walsh, in an interview, declared that Iowa would go for Bryan and elect a fair proportion of silver congressmen. He stated that the strength of the silver cause is among the farmers.

ENTHUSIASTIC FOR SOUND MONEY.

Approaching Democratic Convention of Iowa Will Be Largely Attended.

DES MOINES, Aug. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Judge W. I. Babb, who was the democratic nominee for governor last year, will act as temporary chairman of the sound money democratic convention which will be held here next Wednesday. Present conditions point to one of the largest and most enthusiastic conventions of the year. A majority of the counties of the state will send delegations. County conventions are being held this week and they are well attended. The delegates chosen are men who are well known and of high standing in the party. Polk county, entitled by the call to thirty delegates, sends a delegation of sixty, each will have half a vote and other counties will send delegations larger than the number mentioned in the call.

Republican Campaigners Pleased.

NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The republican campaigners, MacColl, Cady, Hoagland, Abbott, Hedlund and Dr. Collins of Pawnee have just returned from the southern part of Lincoln county, where they held two large picnics, one at McDermott's grove and the other at the head of Well canon in Buchanan precinct. There were large crowds at both places and the speakers report that the republican prospects are very bright. At McDermott's grove the principal speeches were made by Hon. A. E. Cady and Senator J. S. Hoagland. At Well Canon Dr. Collins and T. C. Patterson of North Platte made the leading addresses.

Favor Evans for Congress.

DES MOINES, Aug. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The free silver republicans of this, the Seventh district, held a conference here today and recommended to the democratic and populist conventions Rev. Frank Evans of Des Moines for congress.

Endorse Cleveland and Bryan.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Aug. 19.—The Cleveland democracy at a meeting tonight unanimously adopted resolutions endorsing the administration of President Cleveland, the nomination of Bryan and Sewall and the Chicago platform.

INVITE COCKRAN TO SPEAK

Will Come Under the Auspices of the Sound Money Democratic League.

LITTLE DOUBT OF HIS ACCEPTANCE

New Yorker Has Previously Indicated a Desire to Address the People of Mr. Bryan's Home State.

Hon. Bourke Cockran, the great democratic champion of sound money, will speak in Omaha; that is, he will speak in Omaha unless something intervenes to prevent the completion of the arrangements which are already under way. When he comes, the occasion will be made the political event among sound money democrats, not only in Nebraska, but also in the surrounding states, and the great New York orator will give the keynote for the work of the sound money democrats in this section of the country.

Mr. Cockran has already signified his desire to speak in Nebraska. A formal invitation is on the way to him from T. J. Mahoney, as president of the Nebraska Democratic Sound Money league, and leaves the time for the address dependent entirely upon Mr. Cockran's convenience. The local democrats who have taken upon themselves to arrange for this meeting, however, have no doubts that Mr. Cockran will be able to name a suitable day and are waiting only for that information to finish the other details.

There will be an important meeting of sound money democrats at the Millard hotel this evening, to discuss the situation in Nebraska. It has been called by Chairman Euclid Martin of the straight democratic state committee and invitations have been sent, not only to members of the state committee, but also to other prominent sound money democrats. As the meeting will probably decide upon the policy to be pursued by the organization, a full attendance is expected.

There are two principal questions before the Nebraska sound money democrats. The first is, What shall be their attitude to the Indianapolis convention and the third party movement? On this there is some difference of opinion, but the sentiment seems to be overwhelmingly opposed to sending a delegation to Indianapolis or participating in the work of nominating a third ticket. On the second question of putting a sound money democratic state ticket in the field, the sentiment is said to be pretty much the same. The sound money democrats are anxious only to defeat Bryan and free silver, and to contribute to that end, are ready to forego a separate ticket of their own.

The meeting at the Millard hotel will also, probably, have the matter of Bourke Cockran's visit brought before it, and will doubtless join in urging him to accept the invitation that has already been sent.

LIVELY NIGHT AT HEADQUARTERS.

Three Political Meetings in Session at the Same Time.

Affairs took a lively aspect at the republican headquarters in the New York Life building last night. There were not less than three McKinley clubs in session at one time, representing as many different nationalities. In the main auditorium the Scandinavian Republican club held forth with a large attendance. Theodore Johnson presided, with J. A. Karling as secretary. A committee composed of Gus Johnson and J. A. Karling submitted a new constitution and by-laws, which after considerable discussion was adopted by a unanimous vote. It was decided to elect an executive committee, composed of two members from each ward in the city, the men to be selected by the president. This plan was thought the most feasible in collecting together the Scandinavians of the city, whose residences are widely scattered. The club is in excellent condition and by the next meeting it is expected to present a roster of 200 members.

The Swedish-American Republican club occupied one of the ante rooms of the headquarters and their business was confined entirely to the question of joining forces with the Swedish Republican Garfield club. John Steel, president of the club, acted as chairman with Edward Christy as secretary. The proposition at first met with opposition by many present. Short speeches were made by the president, P. E. Flodman, A. W. Ericson, Carl Johnson and others. The motion to join forces with the Garfield club was at length passed by a large majority, the combined clubs to bear the name of the Swedish Republican Garfield club of Omaha. Resolutions of thanks were passed to John Steel, the retiring president, for the efficient services rendered and also to P. E. Flodman, who formerly held the same office. Thanks were also extended to Mr. Flodman for the gratuitous use of his hall during past sessions of the club.

The Colored Central McKinley and Hobart club held a short meeting in another of the ante rooms. M. F. Singleton acted as chairman, with A. F. Plummer as secretary. Speeches were made by A. F. Judson of California, George H. Collins, N. B. Washington and others. The club now numbers over sixty members, and is in a flourishing condition.

Puts Colorado in the Silver Column.

Ex-Governor Grant of Colorado was in the city last evening. Concerning the political situation in that state he gave it as his opinion that 90 per cent of the people of Colorado were silver men and would vote that ticket this fall. The ex-governor did not think Senator Wolcott would be successful in holding any considerable number of former republicans in line for the party this fall. Mr. Grant is himself an ardent free coinage man and interested in the production of silver to a large extent.

They Want Carlisle's Speech.

Secretary Carlisle's speech on the money question seems to have the call according to the demand in Omaha. The republican county committee got in a small wagon load of copies of the document the other day, but the supply is already reduced to a few copies. A large share of this demand comes from democrats. Yesterday morning a member of the democratic county central committee dropped in and asked for twenty-five copies for use among his democratic friends.

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High Grade Novelties and Plain

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The Only Exclusive Dry Goods House in Omaha.

IF YOU CANNOT VISIT OUR STORE IN PERSON, SEND FOR SAMPLES.

THURSTON ACCEPTS THE DENIAL.

Bryan's Word is Enough for Him and He Will Tell the People So.

CHICAGO, Aug. 19.—"Mr. Bryan's word goes with me, and I shall be glad to so state to the people of this country," said Senator John M. Thurston today after reading the flat-footed denial on the part of W. J. Bryan that he was or had been in the employ of the silver mine owners.

"Mr. Bryan has denied the charge which was made by a democratic newspaper and I have no hesitation in declaring that I believe him," added Mr. Thurston.

Being asked if his expatriation of his fellow Nebraskan included in its scope Senator Stewart of Nevada, who had taken up the literary cudgels in behalf of the democratic nominee, Mr. Thurston said: "Senator Stewart has arrived at that stage of political second childhood which entitles him to great consideration and I don't think anything further need be said on that score," with which rejoinder and a repetition that he would give the same publicity to his acceptance of Bryan's denial as he had given to the newspaper charge, Mr. Thurston declined to discuss the matter further.

Senator Thurston tonight handed to the Associated press the following card over his signature with the request that it be disseminated:

To the Public: On July 11 the Chicago Chronicle charged W. J. Bryan with being a salaried employe of the silver bonanza interests. On July 31, at Madison, Wis., I read the editorial of the Chronicle and insisted that Mr. Bryan owed it as a duty to the American people to answer the charge. His explicit denial appears in the press this morning. I stated in Nebraska that Mr. Bryan's denial would be accepted by me and that I would so notify the country, which I take this immediate and public manner of doing.

JOHN M. THURSTON.

Senator Thurston is on his way east. He arrived in Chicago this morning. A reporter asked him for his views on the prospects for republican success this year.

"As far as I can judge," he said, "the conditions are altogether favorable for a republican victory. I have spoken in Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa and Kansas, and in all those states I have come in contact with all the leading republicans of each state, and they confidently expect to carry one and all of them. But I am free to say that a vigorous campaign must be kept up until election day to accomplish what we hope and confidently expect to achieve in each one of these states.

"Yes, we are going to carry Nebraska," said the senator in a most assuring tone of voice. "The farmers in Nebraska are not being carried away with the free silver idea. We have had populism out there for six years and the farmers who remained republicans during that time will be found to be republicans this year. Then, too, Mr. Bryan is not new to us. There is nothing in his candidacy to endanger republican success in Nebraska.

"I am now on my way to the east," added the senator. "I am scheduled for two speeches in Vermont and one in Maine."

Hoke Smith Not Talking Politics.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—Secretary Smith returned today from Lincolnton, N. C., where he has been taking a much needed rest with his family for a fortnight. The secretary had no comment to make on politics and was noncommittal as to the report that he would stump Georgia for the democratic nominees between now and November. Senator Bacon of Georgia is in the city and had an interview with him this morning.

Pettigrew Entertains Populists.

PIERRE, S. D., Aug. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Senator Pettigrew spoke here tonight. The populists of the county came in a procession today and were addressed by him for a few moments on their arrival. He was given a reception at the rooms of the Silver club this afternoon.

JOB OF WYOMING POLITICIANS.

Making Arrangements to Create Another Judicial District.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—Politicians from the counties of Weston, Crook, Johnson and Sheridan, in this state, and lawyers throughout the entire state are at present greatly interested in the question as to whether or not an election shall be held in November of this year in the judicial district formed by the counties named for the office of district judge. The state conventions of both the democratic and republican parties, at which nominations for district judges are usually made, this year passed this question and no conventions for the nomination will be called until some time in September, if they are ever called. A plan has been adopted by both parties by which the question is to be submitted to the supreme court of the state in order to avoid the expense of a campaign should that body determine that an election should not be held this year.

The plan adopted is to have the secretary of state, when he issues his election proclamation in September, refuse to call an election for judge of the Fourth district and then have some person interested commence mandamus proceedings to compel him to call upon the people to choose a judge for this district. This, under the laws of the state of Wyoming, may be brought in the first instance in the supreme court and the whole question can be determined in a few days and in plenty of time to have an election called should the supreme court decide that it is legal to do so.

SILVER'S SUCCESS WILL KILL IT.

Iowa Capitalists Preparing for a Big Thing if Bryan is Defeated.

OTTUMWA, Ia., Aug. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—The reduction of the tariff duties on cutlery two years ago closed the cutlery works here and compelled the company to go into bankruptcy. Now a new institution for the manufacture of steel knives is to be decided by the outcome of the free silver agitation. An Ottumwa inventor has devised an ingenious automatic machine for the manufacture of this cutlery, which neither tariff nor competition can affect to any material degree. At a meeting of prominent capitalists it was decided to push the factory to employ 100 to 200 people, but they agreed that in case of Bryan's election they would not risk the venture and all stock will be subscribed on the condition of being void in case of a free silver victory.

Prints Only One Side.

BENNINGTON, Neb., Aug. 19.—(Special.)—A number of the World-Herald subscribers here are indignant over the action of that silver sheet in refusing to print the report of the republican rally held here last night. They are not at all backward about denouncing the paper as being unfair in its reports, as well as its editorials, as this is not the first time it has deliberately refused to publish items of news from this part of the county, if they were tinted in the least with republican doctrine, or gold-standard principles. While they do not expect the World-Herald to work in the interests of the gold-standard or republicanism, yet they think it should print fair, honest reports sent in by its regular correspondent.

California's Campaign Opened.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 19.—The democratic campaign in southern California was opened here last night by Senator Stephen M. White, who discussed the various phases of the financial question.

DIED.

COFFEE—T. S., at his residence, 840 South Seventeenth street, last evening. Funeral notice later.

ADVERTISING MEN IN EARNEST.

They Get After Fakirs of All Kinds and the State Fair Bulletin.

The Advertising Men's club met yesterday afternoon in special session. The meeting was a large one and several matters of importance to advertising men was disposed of. Attention was directed to the increasing number of fake advertising schemes, and the fact that if the merchants continue to patronize them the city will be flooded with fakirs to the detriment of all legitimate advertising. It is the aim of the club to protect merchants against fakes and with this end in view the club decided to send the following communication to advertisers in Omaha, South Omaha and Council Bluffs:

To the Business Men of Omaha, South Omaha and Council Bluffs: At the last regular monthly meeting of the Advertising Men's club a resolution was adopted instructing the undersigned officers to furnish you with a list of the names of members, their address and the publications they represent.

The object is to protect you against fraudulent advertising schemes and misrepresentations by itinerant and irresponsible hawkers of alleged advertising.

We would respectfully suggest that you refuse to contract for advertising in all fake mediums and that you confine your advertising to legitimate publications of acknowledged merit and standard circulation.

The list of advertising men, members of this club, embraces those connected with daily, weekly and monthly publications of merit, and if you may be in doubt at any time, as to the merit of some scheme or even legitimate advertising medium not in this list, you will find it advantageous to consult some one of the members of this club before entering into a contract.

We trust you will file this communication for future reference.

President Hosier appointed a committee to prepare an address to the new directory of the Transmississippi and International Exposition, to be delivered when the new directory is elected.

The following resolutions were unanimously passed:

Whereas, The Advertising Men's club, composed of representatives of the press of Nebraska and western Iowa, believes that more effective advertising with much better results can be obtained for the Nebraska state fair with the same amount of money, or even less than now expended for advertising purposes in all its forms by the board of managers of the Nebraska state fair through the exclusive use of the press to the exclusion of all other so-called advertising mediums, including posters, lithographs, cards, as well as official papers, etc.; and

Whereas, The press of the state is the only medium through which people are attracted to the state fair; therefore be it

Resolved, That said board of managers be requested to use the press exclusively to advertise the next state fair; and be it further

Resolved, That we recommend that said board employ a thoroughly competent newspaper advertising man to take charge of placing such advertising in the future with a view to confining such expenditure of money as the board may in its judgment see fit to appropriate to the channels which reach the people—the press; and be it further

Resolved, That the secretary be and hereby is directed to furnish said board with a copy of these resolutions at once, and at the same time call the attention of the board to the fact that this is not done in the interest of any particular newspaper or papers, but with a view of popularizing the state fair and increasing the attendance and receipts.

This is a direct slap at the State Fair Bulletin, on "official organ" that has received many unfavorable comments heretofore by the newspapers throughout the state.

The king of pills is Beecham's—Beecham's

Pioneers to Picnic.

DAKOTA CITY, Aug. 19.—(Special.)—The Pioneers and Old Settlers' association of Dakota county will hold a reunion at Clinton park, September 3. A number of interesting speakers will be present.

Theories of cure may be duscussed at length by physicians, but the sufferers want quick relief; and One Minute Cough Cure will give it to them. A safe cure for children. It is "the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results."

The Burlington's Best Offerings

in the way of reduced rates:

Hot Springs, S. D.—Half rates—August 23.

Hot Springs, S. D.—Half rates, plus $2.00—August 24.

Colorado, Utah, Texas, etc.—Half rates, plus $2.00—August 18, September 1.

Denver—Half rates, plus $2.00, round trip—August 24.

All points in Nebraska—One fare for round trip—August 25.

Milwaukee, Wis.—$14.75 for round trip—August 23, 24.

Call at ticket office, 1502 Farnam street, and get full information. J. B. Reynolds, city passenger agent.

FORECAST OF TODAY'S WEATHER.

Showers Are Promised for the Morning in Nebraska—Warmer.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The forecast for Thursday is:

For Nebraska—Local showers, followed by fair weather; slightly warmer; southerly winds.

For South Dakota—Generally fair; warmer in the eastern portion; southerly winds.

For Colorado—Local rains; partly cloudy weather; warmer in the northern portion; northerly winds, shifting to westerly.

For Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Fair; southwesterly winds.

For Missouri and Iowa—Partly cloudy weather; probably local showers; slightly warmer; easterly to southerly winds.

For Kansas—Local thunder storms; partly cloudy weather; southeasterly winds; warmer in the eastern portion.

For Wyoming—Fair, preceded by local showers in the eastern portion; variable winds; warmer in the southern, cooler in the northern portions.

For Montana—Fair, preceded by local showers in the northern portion; westerly winds; cooler.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Aug. 19.—Omaha record of temperature and rainfall compared with the corresponding day of the past four years:

	1896.	1895.	1894.	1893.
Maximum temperature ..	74	77	90	81
Minimum temperature ...	60	61	69	60
Average temperature	67	69	80	70
Precipitation	T	T	T	.27

Condition of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for the day and since March 1, 1896:

Normal temperature	72
Deficiency for the day	5
Accumulated excess since March 1.....	127
Normal precipitation	.10 inch
Deficiency for the day	.10 inch
Total precipitation since Mch. 1..24.72 inches	
Excess since March 1. 1896..... 3.16 inches	
Deficiency for cor. period, 1895... 8.77 inches	
Deficiency for cor. period, 1894...12.17 inches	

Reports from Stations at 8 p. m.

STATIONS AND STATE OF WEATHER.	Temperature at 8 p. m.	Max. Temperature for day.	Precipitation.
Omaha, cloudy	72	74	T
North Platte, part cloudy.....	72	74	.00
Salt Lake City, cloudy.....	78	88	T
Cheyenne, raining	62	82	.74
Rapid City, clear.....	86	88	.00
Huron, cloudy	74	78	T
Chicago, clear	64	64	.00
St. Louis, clear.....	74	78	.00
St. Paul, cloudy.....	72	76	.00
Davenport, part cloudy.....	70	74	.00
Kansas City, cloudy.....	68	74	.00
Helena, part cloudy.....	86	88	.00
Havre, cloudy	88	92	.00
Bismarck, clear	78	80	.84
Williston, clear	82	84	.00
Galveston, clear	86	90	.00

T indicates trace of precipitation.

L. A. WELSH, Observer.

PEN PICTURES PLEASANTLY AND POINTEDLY PARAGRAPHED

SOME CAN'T SEE—

Without the aid of glasses—often too close application to studies injures the eyesight—sometimes beyond repair—if not attended to at once—we are in the repair business—eye repair—have an expert who can detect any little defect in your child's eyes—and repair it at once—a thorough examination made free of charge—then we fit the glasses—an examination now may save the little one's eyesight.

Aloe & Penfold Co.

Sign of Big Lion in front. **1408 Farnam**

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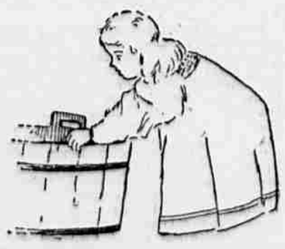
Those men's tan shoes—the kind we've been selling at $6.00 all summer—now $5.00—Hanan make—imported Russian tan—all the different styles—and colors—everybody knows they have no equal for service—and fit—price may look high—but they will outwear any two or three pair of other makes—they're big value at the old price—but all this week you'll have a chance at them for $5.00.

Drexel Shoe Co.

Send for our illustrated catalogue. **1419 Farnam**



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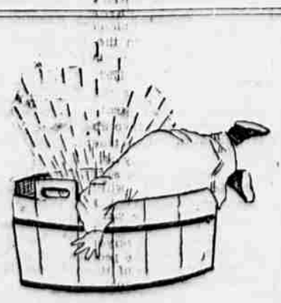

DON'T FALL—

Into the idea that we haven't any negligee shirts—look at our show window—did you ever see so many pretty patterns—and only 85c—been selling the same shirts all summer at $1.35—$1.50—and $2.00—they were bargains then—but now it's like giving them away—85c takes a shirt—any size you want—you ought to be able to make your selection from our window—it's stacked full of them.

Albert Cahn,

Mail orders filled always. **1322 Farnam**

ACCIDENTS HAPPEN—

Sometimes—but they will never happen to you—if you have one of "Balduff's Ice Cream Rolls in your pocket—can't melt—and won't for hours—perfectly safe in putting one in your pocket—will just fit it—too—we fill them with our own delicious ice cream—everybody knows what "Balduff's" ice cream is—our reputation is back of every roll—let us fit your pocket.

Balduff, Caterer,

1520 Farnam

WATER WON'T HURT—

Those new—elegant—linoleums—latest fall designs—we've got them twelve feet wide—largest you ever seen—fit any room—got other widths—too—we lay them on your floor—no trouble to you—not even in the selection—such a big assortment it's so easy—then the price—that's the easiest part of it—they sell themselves—our clerks will show you all the new designs.

Omaha Carpet Co.

Only exclusive Carpet House here **1515 Dodge**

GET A SPONGE—

From our big sponge sale—we're selling the 75c bath sponges for only 40c and 50c—the finest kind of a baby bath sponge for 35c to 50c—all the 10c sponges go at 5c—you never seen so many sponges at so little a price—we're still selling Menen's Talcum Powder for 15c—cutting the price everywhere—always doing a big business—everybody satisfied—low prices the winner.

Kuhn's Drug Store,

Really the only Cut Price Drug Store. **15th & Douglas**