

A COUNTY REPUBLICAN CLUB.

Organization Perfect and Officers Elected at Last Night's Meeting.

AN ENCOURAGING MEMBERSHIP ROLL.

Fifth Ward Citizens Organize an English Branch of the Personal Rights League of Nebraska.

Garfield hall was crowded with republicans last night when Frank Hanson mounted the platform and stated the object of the meeting was for the purpose of forming a Douglas county republican club.

As the chairman walked to the front, he said, "I am, gentlemen, first, last and all the time, a republican. I desire to do all in my power to further the interests of the republican party, and God helping me, I will."

For temporary secretary James P. Hayes of South Omaha was elected.

Mr. O'Brien moved that a committee of seven be appointed on permanent organization.

W. F. Bechtel moved an amendment that the committee consist of eleven members, to be appointed by the chair, one from each ward of the city, one from South Omaha and one from the country precincts.

Mr. Bechtel's amendment was carried and the chair appointed the following committee: First Ward—L. S. Hassall.

Second Ward—Dan O'Keefe. Third Ward—Thomas J. McArthur.

Fourth Ward—W. F. Bechtel. Fifth Ward—J. M. Phillips.

Sixth Ward—E. C. Cooper. Seventh Ward—Mike Lee.

Eighth Ward—Simon Kahn. Ninth Ward—F. T. Hanson.

South Omaha—J. B. Friel. County Precincts—Pat McArdle of McArdle precinct.

The committee then retired, and while it was carrying on its deliberations Hon. John L. Webster was called for, and for ten minutes made an enthusiastic campaign speech, during the delivery of which he was frequently interrupted by applause.

He complimented Harrison and Speaker Reed, and poured hot steel into the prohibition party. He made glowing tributes to Richards, and urged all republicans to stand by the nominees of the Lincoln convention.

The committee on permanent organization reported as follows: For chairman, Thomas Swobe; for first vice president, Dr. Glasgow of South Omaha; for second vice president, M. L. Kluge; for secretary, M. L. Hodier; for treasurer, Mike Lee.

Mr. Swobe upon assuming the chairmanship of the club, thanked the members for the honor conferred, and asked to be excused from making a speech.

Miss O'Brien moved that an executive committee consisting of one member from each ward, two from South Omaha and two from the country precincts, be appointed.

A recess of fifteen minutes was taken in order to secure the signatures of those present.

Upon recovering the list of signatures, showing that more than one hundred had signed, was presented to the chairman.

The president asked for time in which to select the executive committee, and the request was granted.

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The Strange Disappearance of S. D. White, an Omaha Plumber.

S. D. White, the plumber, has disappeared as effectively as though the ground had opened and swallowed him. Knowing his comports habits and businesslike ways, his friends feel considerably alarmed and are using every effort to discover his whereabouts.

White was last seen one week ago Wednesday night. At that time he left his shirt, went over to his room in the Cremer flats on North Fourteenth street, changed his clothes, arraying himself in his best apparel, and then proceeded to the Winsor stables, on Davenport street, where he ordered his horse hitched up, after which he got into his buggy and drove away.

Nothing was thought of the matter at the time.

The next morning his plumbers, six in number, reported at the shop and waited around all day for him to return and assign them to their work, but he did not come. The next morning they hunted other employers and went to work.

The day after White's disappearance he was awarded a \$2,500 contract by the Mead investment company, but as he did not return to comply with the conditions of his contract, by way of entering into bonds for the faithful performance of the work, the contract was cancelled and left to another plumber.

White's shop was left unoccupied and a large amount of material was on hand at the time he left the city, all of which he had been paid for and manufactured ready for use.

Another strange feature of the case is that his trunk, containing a large quantity of clothing, was left in his room, as well as all his private correspondence. The day before he left the city he visited his employees and most of the houses with which he had been in the habit of doing business, and without giving any reasons, settled most of his bills, at the same time exhibiting a large roll of money.

White's most intimate friends are of the opinion that Wednesday evening he drove out into the country, as was his usual custom, and that in some lonely spot, where he was robbed and murdered. They argue that he had built up a business "that was netting him for \$100,000 a year," and that he would not voluntarily have left the city.

"STAG" POLICEMEN. About Twenty-Five of Them Enjoy a Picnic at Sappy Mills.

The "stag" picnic, given at Sappy Mills yesterday by the policemen who stayed at home while the big picnic was being held at Arlington on July 25, was the event of the season, and was indulged in by twenty-five officers and a number of invited friends.

The men went and came via carriages and a tally-ho coach. The Ancient Order of Hibernians had accompanied the party and furnished music at intervals during the day.

The first event was a game of base ball in which Captain Davis pitted his Western Cyclones against Captain Ellis' Buffalo Bills. The Cyclones won by a score of 10 to 0.

After this the events of the day were as follows: A hundred yard foot race by members of the band, won by Douglas; slow man's race, Graham won, with Fleiss a close second; amateur race, won by Bolan; special race between Graham and Bloom, won by the former.

In the special race for a purse of \$40, Dave Mahoney carried off the money and the honor.

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The East Omaha Land Company's Guards Put to Flight.

A LIVELY BATTLE AT CUT-OFF LAKE.

The Staking Out of the Grounds Along the River Bank Forcefully Resisted by the Settlers.

At 8 o'clock last evening war was declared on the grounds surrounding Cut-Off lake on the river side. The East Omaha land company, who claim the right to the property against all squatters, residents, householders, fence-erectors, etc., have been staking out the grounds for some days past. They also had a posse of men to see that these stakes were not removed. Last night at the hour mentioned some of the settlers thought it about time for outsiders, as they called them, to quit encroachments, and they commenced firing upon the stakes. Then the war began, and the guards of the East Omaha land company were compelled to beat a hasty retreat. One of them, Charles S. Ellis, was very manly handled; his revolver was taken from him, his clothes torn and in several ways he was made a martyr to a cause not settled in the courts. It was rumored that several arrests were made, but at the hour of going to press none of the rioters have been placed in duress. Today will probably witness some of the Cut-Off lake citizens looking for bondsmen.

Caused Popular Rejoicing. PARIS, August 7.—A dispatch from Buenos Ayres says: "The election of Pellegrini to the presidency has caused popular rejoicing. A decree just promulgated raises the state of siege and declares for the liberty of the press."

Killed the Proprietor and an Engineer. LAFAYETTE, IND., August 7.—This morning at Mulberry a boiler in the saw mill of John Jacquet exploded, killing Engineer Schoenmuller and the proprietor, John Jacquet. Three others were seriously injured.

Communication With Tucson Cut Off. TUCSON, ARIZ., August 7.—Tucson is cut off from the daily mail routes. The mails have been not in for five days. The damage to the Southern Pacific company is estimated at over \$150,000.

National Dental Association. EXETER, N.H., August 7.—The National Dental Association this evening elected Dr. A. W. Harlan of Chicago president.

A St. Louis Failure. ST. LOUIS, Mo., August 7.—The Eagle glass and metal company has assigned for the benefit of creditors. Assets, \$30,000; liabilities, \$20,000.

Marriage Licenses. Judge Shields issued the following marriage licenses yesterday: Name and address. Age. William S. Collett, Mead, Neb. 34. Hally J. Lind, Mead, Neb. 31. Alois Vogel, Omaha 32. Alois Fischer, Omaha 32.

Assaulted a Constable. Albert Deifron was arrested yesterday for assaulting Constable Casey when he attempted to serve a warrant on her. The defendants, Kinney, Hasford and Mrs. Hasford, were charged with assaulting the ex-police man with intent to kill and with intent to do great bodily injury. These were all state offenses, and were tried at the instance of County Attorney Mahoney, who stated that he was satisfied that there was nothing in them. The misdemeanor cases against Kinney and Hasford are pending, and will be tried at some future date.

The Morrissey Assault Cases. The Morrissey assault cases were called before Judge Healy yesterday afternoon. The defendants, Kinney, Hasford and Mrs. Hasford, were charged with assaulting the ex-police man with intent to kill and with intent to do great bodily injury. These were all state offenses, and were tried at the instance of County Attorney Mahoney, who stated that he was satisfied that there was nothing in them. The misdemeanor cases against Kinney and Hasford are pending, and will be tried at some future date.

An Old Woman's Story. Hattie Topping is the name given by a woman nearly sixty years of age, who appeared at the police station last evening for lodging. She said she came to Omaha in search of work and found a place at the Derby hotel. According to her story she worked half day, but when night came she was turned out without her pay. She had nowhere to go and no means with which to secure lodging and was forced to apply at police headquarters for shelter.

He Also Adopted the Client and Escaped a Big Verdict. "How did you come to marry?" The question was asked by an acquaintance of a prosperous-looking man of about forty years of age, who sat near a window in the sitting room at the Girard, says the Philadelphia Press. "Well," he replied, after a little hesitation, "I'll tell you. At the age of twenty-five my father died. Being his sole heir, my mother having died previously, I found upon my hands a rolling mill in the state of Ohio. I took full charge of the works, but hadn't run them six months when a little orphan boy employed there was seriously injured, in fact crippled for life. He was under the legal age, and besides the accident was the result of a gross piece of negligence on the part of my superintendent.

"The child soon obtained friends to help him. They brought suit and obtained a verdict of \$10,000, which I obtained the best counsel that I could find, but it availed nothing. Of course we appealed; but the supreme court put their seal of approval upon the finding of the lower tribunal. One of the particularly interesting features of the case was that the child was represented by a female lawyer, comparatively young and very attractive and entertaining.

"Now the entire plant, mortgaged as it was, was worth only about \$30,000, so when the verdict had been satisfied, and other costs and charges had been paid, I found myself in very tight circumstances.

"Now comes the curious part of the story. My former boss, who shortly after the case had been finally settled, adopted the boy. Sharp trick, eh? Well, mine was sharper. Six months after I met the lady at a reception. I must confess that her charms completely captured me, and I was not long in discovering that I was in love. Certain circumstances, which I need not mention, led me to at least hope that my feelings were reciprocated. I lost no time in proposing, and to my infinite delight I found that the lady was ready to accept eighteen months after the trial and you can rest assured that from the very first I was very much attached to our little adopted son." And he looked into the faces of his auditors and smiled knowingly.

An Independent Editor. The item proposes to be an independent paper as to politics, says the Cape Cod Mirror. If a miserable, pig-permitting politician shows his head this paper reserves the right to chuck some leaded type at him, whether he be republican or democrat, as it is against my principles to bow down to any man nominated for office simply because he is a republican. I can take this stand because I do not want any office. The alms-house would be preferable if unable to work.

Mr. Boldboy (sounding killingly)—The waves are using you rudely. Will you permit me to suggest that you should be Waterly—Never mind, thank you. The waves may be rude, but they are not fresh.

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