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REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET.

For Mayor—E. H. RIPPLE. For Treasurer—DANIEL WILLIAMS. For Controller—F. J. WIDMAYER.

Three years of Democratic mismanagement have increased the national debt an amount equal to \$25 for every adult male in the United States.

Well Worth Its Cost.

The case for the viaduct is not confined to the fact that its construction would benefit the 20,000 people of Hyde Park.

The case for the viaduct, however, reaches out over the broader ground that it would both directly and indirectly benefit the whole city.

It will establish central city business men to make quicker and safer deliveries of goods to West Side patrons.

It will bring a larger number of these patrons to their stores. In short, it would be a great new bond of union, tending to level prejudicial distinctions and operating to promote the spirit of municipal unity.

It has been argued that the viaduct project represents an excessive cost. This is not true.

It is worthy of notice that "Connellism," so-called, never provoked the wrath of any would-be party wrecker so long as he thought he might some day be able to make use of it.

A Duty Not to Be Ignored

While it is hoped that the benefit entertainments soon to be given in aid for the Home for the Friendless will receive an overwhelming patronage from the liberal-minded people of this community.

Perhaps if a large fund were subscribed by the people, the senators who now hold up legislation demanded by every consideration of national prudence and safety might be hired to forego their obstructive tactics long enough to enable the senate to pass the home revenue bill.

Pensions for All Veterans.

Major Pickler, of South Dakota, chairman of the house committee on invalid pensions, has expressed to the Washington Post some interesting opinions concerning the problem of recompensing the surviving saviors of the Union.

This while every dollar spent by friends of the Home in the purchase of tickets for these excellent entertainments is a dollar well spent, both as a business investment and as an aid to charity.

If we seem to dwell unduly upon this subject it is because it must be kept before the community until it is properly disposed of.

That was a clever comment which a New York business man is quoted as having made concerning the presidential prospects of Senator Allison.

From New York to Omaha and never found a note.

Trying to Wreck the Party. Such factional contests as characterized the preliminary campaign in this city for the nomination of a Republican municipal ticket are not rare wherever the Republican party is in a live and hopeful condition.

In the recent contest for municipal nominees it was assumed that each of the aspirants for place on the Republican ticket came before the masses of his party in all good faith, willing to submit to the popular decree at the primary election.

It is, however, a rare spectacle to see a Republican who has for years enjoyed, and is even now enjoying, the highest honors his party can confer, endeavoring by characteristic methods to assist the Democracy in an attempt to overthrow the Republican party and restore itself to full power.

Senator Wolcott yesterday opened a new chapter on the Venezuelan question. The senator is disposed to ridicule the importance of the Venezuelan affairs and seems to think that the civilized residents of that country would be better off under British protection than at present.

It is reported on so-called good authority that the peaceful letter sent to this country by the Prince of Wales when the Venezuelan war scare was at its height was dictated by Queen Victoria over the head of Lord Salisbury's protest.

From the Philadelphia Inquirer. The great powers of Europe pretend to be civilized every one of them, but there is not one of them that will stop and prevent the atrocities in Armenia.

It is the crime of the century—this heinous and pitiless act of the powers—when would they but take the broad and humanitarian view, the butcheries could be stopped.

It will be apparent to a child born on this day that a few of our citizens remark and predict the mean "wreck" of bacteriologists at the present rate ought to be able to soon detect eye straw in the breath of some our citizens.

At last accounts the "flying squadron" of the board of appeals had not disclosed the city assessors from their fortifications.

Individual Horoscopes. [Ajaechus has undertaken the task of giving advice to a few readers who have had samples of hair and date of birth.]

Strawberry, South Side.—The color of your hair indicates that you came very near being a strawberry blonde and a companion to the white horse.

It may be good statesmanship for congress to remain passive in the matter of strengthening the weak places in our coast fortifications, but not many people can believe so.

Republicans will hope it is true that Carlisle is to be Cleveland's political legatee. They couldn't wish for a sorter mark.

From the London Times. To the Editor of the Times, Sir—An Englishman who travels in the United States comes back with a very different opinion from my own experience, with two impressions, which are so strong that they overshadow all others.

One is the excessive kindness which is shown to individual Englishmen. The other is the bitter feeling which appears to exist both in the press and among the public against his own country.

Few Englishmen could be found now to contend that we were justified in those views of taxation which brought on the first American war, or in the question of searching neutral vessels, which was the main cause of the second.

We are now taking account of stock. It will take the whole month of January to go through our five floors and weed out the odds and ends that are left after a year's business.

We intend to close them out quick as possible to make room for new spring stock.

There will be some real bargains. If you are in need of anything in our line it will pay you to visit our store.

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