

The Plattsmouth, Daily Herald

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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

- For Supreme Judge, SAMUEL MAXWELL. For University Regents, DR. B. E. DAVIS. DR. GEORGE ROBERTS. For Judges of Second Judicial District, HON. SAMUEL M. CHAPMAN. HON. ALLEN W. FIELD.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

- For Treasurer, D. A. CAMPBELL. For Clerk, BIRD CRITCHFIELD. For Recorder, WM. H. POOL. For Judge, CALVIN RUSSELL. For Superintendent of Public Instruction, MAYNARD SPINK. Sheriff, J. C. EKENBARY. For Clerk of District Court, H. J. STREIGHT. For County Commissioner, GEORGE YOUNG. For Surveyor, A. MADOLE. For Coroner, HENRY BOECK.

The Republican State Platform.

The republican party of Nebraska, while ever an ardent supporter of the right of holding no sympathy with those who would with the commonest divide, or with the anarchists destroy, rears its determination that the great railway corporations of the state shall be held to the fair and equal terms of the state and not its masters. The work of legislative control in the state and that shall continue until all cases of corporate control are removed and its administration in favor of individuals or localities shall cease to exist. Assuming the responsibility of the state clearly belongs to the people, and no legislation looking to the control of the state by the few, or to the creation of those tribunals or commissions which have been established to grapple with corporate power, the republican party will see to it that by a needed national and state, shall be secured, for battle and for victory. While favoring such a change in the constitution of this state as will permit the railroad commissioners to be elected by the people, it hereby voices its confidence in the existing board of transportation, and commends its efforts to obtain for Nebraska the same tariff of rates for freight and carriage of passengers as is accorded to neighboring states in similar circumstances. It is grossly unjust and a grievous wrong that Nebraska should pay more for her freight and carriage than her neighbors, Iowa, Minnesota and Dakota, with its advantages of being centrally located and closely maintained lines of railroad and the reputation of this state will not cease to be a source of pride until all wrongs be righted.

We affirm our adherence to the American system of tariff, under which, with its broad protection of American labor, our country has prospered beyond any other. As the business of the country now demands revision, the republican party will see to it that such revision shall be made on the basis of a practical day-to-day, while leaving a large majority in the hands of representatives, where tariff bills must originate, to bring about the passage of such legislation from the party that has ever been the friend of the American laborer and producer. The gates of the American market, which have been closed to those who defend the masses in the late war and we are in favor of providing suitable means for the relief of those who were disabled in its service or who have since, without their fault or vice, become objects of public or private charity and to the friends and relatives of those who fell in its defense. We heartily sympathize with the ambition and desire of the people of every nation to obtain for their country the blessings of free institutions and local self-government. We recognize the right of every citizen to express his views on the subjects of national and international affairs, and we will support every measure that will tend to the preservation of our national independence. We condemn the action of the president in his attempt to return the trophies won by bravery on the field of battle. We condemn the narrow, intolerant and partisan action of the democratic party in excluding from the privileges of state citizenship the half-million people of Dakota, solely on the ground of their religious faith, and in their political views, not content with their rights to exclude the negro from the elective franchise, they have sought to prevent their light, patriotic and patriotic people because of their political opinions. We view with alarm the abuse of the veto power by the president of the United States, a power from the use of which England's sovereigns have abstained for two centuries, and power used but six times during the first forty years of our national government, a power by the people intrusted to the president for the purpose of preventing hasty legislation, has by the present incumbent of that office been used to thwart the well-ascertained will of the people and to resist their repeated demands. He has, in one-half a single term of office, used the power more times than all the predecessors combined. He has sought by all the expedient use of extraordinary means, to concentrate in himself a co-ordinate branch of the executive legislature. He has frequently exercised the "pocket veto" by which many important measures have been defeated without any reason being given for withholding his approval.

Vote the republican ticket (Straight). Jerry Davis seems to be king in Georgia. Who will go on Sherman's head? Parties from Glenwood. Look out for that "sinister look" in C. Whopper Sherman's eye. Is Mr. Higgins will lead the county funds, does Sherman expect to borrow? The republican county ticket is a choice one and any scratching, whatever, will be an error. Would the funds of Cass county be safe in the hands of Mr. Higgins with Mr. Sherman as deputy? Every dollar of the county funds is safe and will be turned over to Mr. Higgins if elected and can file the bond. Mr. CAMPBELL'S bondsmen are not alarmed by anything the Journal may say, as its reputation for truth is naught. WHEN Mr. Sherman, or any other man, says David Campbell has loaned any of the county funds, he states what is absolutely false. The southern papers are now filled with references to "Ex-President Davis" and the incident at Macon, Ga., somehow recalls those rebel flags.

KEEP it before the people that W. C. Showalter has had eight years of office in this republican county of Cass and only wants four more.

The national campaign will begin next June, and, at the present time, it looks as if the brightest and best man in American politics would be the nominee of the republican party.

The Herald is very sorry to see so much talk about "coal robbers" and "tariff robbers" in its democratic contemporaries, after having had three years of uninterrupted democratic rule.

AFTER three years of democratic rule the people are in splendid condition to know what they want, and, in our opinion, the republican ticket of Cass county will be elected from top to bottom.

The Journal lies when it says Mr. Campbell offered it one hundred dollars to keep still. Mr. Campbell did not offer Mr. Sherman any money and has never authorized any of his friends to offer him money.

Mr. BIRD CRITCHFIELD, as the republican nominee for county clerk, is meeting the hearty approbation of every section of the county. He is a worthy republican and deserves the support of every member of the party in the county.

BIRD CRITCHFIELD, the next county clerk, was in the city yesterday interviewing his many friends. Mr. Critchfield is a young man, very popular with those who know him, and one that will fill the office of county clerk very acceptably to the people.

GRANDPA Higgins and Anti Van Wyck Robinson were seen early yesterday morning driving very rapidly towards Tipton precinct. It made us feel sad to see the two great extremes meet and melt into one common fusion of burben democracy.

It is refreshing to see the effect of recent boodle upon our evening contemporary. A week ago he was very cold; but a little meeting of democratic office seekers and a little interview with Mr. Sherman and a great change is brought about.

UNDER the law the board of county commissioners have control of the sinking fund. They alone could use it in any way. Why don't Sherman ask them to invest or loan the money? The Journal knows that the county treasurer cannot do otherwise than to hold this money subject to their order.

The rotten and corrupt methods of Senator Gorman were again successful in the Baltimore elections. The Herald would be pleased to see or hear of a city that has been under democratic rule for any length of time that was not rotten from stem to stern. Purify your politics and keep it pure by electing republicans to office.

Why so much croaking all at once about Mr. Higgins covering back this interest money into the county treasury by him if elected to that office. All this talk has been done by Mr. C. Whopper Sherman of the Journal; no one has ever heard Mr. Higgins say it, and no intelligent man would believe him if he did say it.

WHAT was the matter with loaning the county funds when John Cummings was treasurer, Mr. Sherman; and what was the matter with loaning the county funds when Mr. Patterson was treasurer? Although Mr. Patterson is head and shoulders above the majority of his party and made us a good county treasurer yet it is not denied but what he conducted the office just as Mr. Campbell has done.

The democratic party must indeed be in close straits to be again compelled to start their Plattsmouth smut mill. The Journal, although the local page is usually clean and decent, is generally devoted to some dirty personal warfare on somebody. It is generally understood that the personal abuse heaped upon Gen. Smith by the Journal elected him mayor; if the same mill keeps on grinding, D. A. Campbell will surely be next county treasurer.

The editor of the Journal has got down low enough, with probably the help of the devil, to conceive abominable lies concerning the present incumbent of the office of county treasurer, and is even so bold as to publish them. He intimates that Mr. Campbell offered him one hundred dollars to stop lying about him, and it was refused. For what? For a chance to borrow the county sinking fund? We know Mr. Sherman too well to believe he ever refused any such offer. What did he take fifty dollars for last fall? Mr. Sherman's abusive articles on Mr. Campbell are entirely uncalled for and are composed, unless he be bribed and prospective boodler, from an infamous desire to do evil. Mr. Campbell is a man of unquestionable character and his official duties have not lacked attention in the least, and any statements accusing Mr. Campbell of using the county's money

illegally in any manner whatever are baseless falsehoods.

Our neighbor Sherman, of the Journal, is prating through the columns of his paper about his honesty and incorruptibility, and uses his paper to attack men on the republican ticket who would need no defense were it not for the fact that perhaps all our people do not know the score from which it originates. The fertile brain of the editor of the Journal is ready at any and all time to invent and promulgate a falsehood. Witness: His bills to the city for public printing were presented to the city of Plattsmouth each month and sworn to by the editor of the Journal as being just and correct and wholly unpaid, and being presented to the finance committee of the council in that shape were paid right along until some member of the council investigated the facts and found that Mr. Sherman had sworn to accounts that were false and was through his slick dodge, over \$200 in the city's debt, and to-day the citizens and taxpayers of Plattsmouth have to their credit that amount of stock in the sheet that is trying by every slum and falsehood of which they are capable, to defame the characters of some of the best men of our fair city. Being caught at his little game of beating the city he argued with the finance committee that he would pay back (is not that a confession of guilt) to the city each month, he bringing his future bills to the legal price and the city to deduct 50 per cent of his claims until the deficiency was made good, the deficiency being the amount he had gained fraudulantly, swearing to false statements of accounts due him from the city. And this is the man that asks the citizens of Plattsmouth to believe that all men that will not cater to his depraved way of doing business, "are dishonest and unworthy of the confidence of the people."

Don Cameron's Opinion.

Keokuk Gate City: Don Cameron is credited with saying that unless there is a financial panic or something to make public discontent with and opposition to Mr. Cleveland, he will be re-elected. In saying that Mr. Cameron expresses a very common opinion, yet according to Prof. Thord Rogers, of England, it is not justified by the facts of political history. Prof. R. says that the people change parties and administrations in times of calm, and not when there is conflict. You can easily see the reason of it. In times of calm and prosperity men are different, but opposition and strife make them partisan and they fight for their side. Especially if their side is in power they then fight for it with the keen vigor of aroused patriotism. Mr. Arthur, who was an excellent president, had no strength because his administration was so good that it stagnated of its own calm and public indifference. But Lincoln, and Grant, and Jackson, and Jefferson had to fight a bitter opposition, and they were invincible. Mr. Cleveland is in danger because of the political calm.

New Departure.

We the undersigned druggists of Plattsmouth do hereby announce to our patrons and friends that we can heartily endorse and recommend the following remedies of the Quaker Medicine Company: Balyent's Fig Tonic, Dr. Watson's New Specific Cough Cure, and Heap's Arnica Salve, for the reasons that we know what they contain, and are the results of science applied practically. WILL J. WARRICK.

—THE FINEST AND BEST \$2.00 MEN'S BUTTON AND CONGRESS SHOES AT MERGES.

—Real estate and abstracts. J. W. S. WISE.

Danger in Flour Dust.

Be careful in handling naked lights around bolting chests. Not long ago a correspondent entered a mill and found the miller searching for his hair, eyebrows and beard. He was inspecting a bolting chest, using an unprotected light to illuminate the interior. No sooner was the light thrust into the chest than the miller was startled by a flash and a shock. When he picked himself up his head was as bald as a celluloid billiard ball and his flowing beard was floating around the mill in gaseous form, sensible only to the nose. Fortunately the fire did not spread and the accident was not reported.—Milling World.

Dangers of Foul Air.

If the condensed breath collected on the cool window panes of a room where a number of persons has been assembled be burned, a smell as of singed hair will show the presence of organic matter, and if the condensed breath be allowed to remain on the windows for a few days, it will be found on examination by the microscope that it is alive with animalcules. It is the inhalation of air containing such putrescent matter which causes half of the sick headaches, which might be avoided by a circulation of fresh air.—American Analyst.

Wolves Among Cattle.

Three prospectors in Texas came upon a herd of 300 cattle the other day just as eight big gray wolves cut out a cow and calf and pitched upon them. The cow bellowed, and at once with a rush the herd gathered and drove away the wolves. The latter soon discovered another cow and calf, and made a rush for them, and, in spite of the frantic efforts of the herder, got the calf down, but again the herd came to the rescue, and this time chased the wolves until they gave up the contest and disappeared.—New York Sun.



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Population about 9,000 and rapidly increasing. Has one of the finest systems of Water Works in the State. Streets are well lighted by gas. A street railway in operation. Grades of the streets established, and bonds voted for the purpose of constructing sewerage and paving of Main Street, work to commence thereon in the spring of 1888.

Has a fine four story high school building and six ward school houses. Aside from business houses over 100 residences have been constructed during the year 1887.

An Opera House costing \$50,000. Nebraska Preserve and Canning factory, capital \$13,000, capacity 300,000 cans per year and employs 40 hands.

Brick and Terra Works, capital - 50,000, capacity 10,000 bricks per day, employs thirty hands. Plattsmouth Canning Factory, capital \$30,000, capacity 1,500,000 cans per year and employs 125 hands, turns over in one year's business about \$100,000.

Two daily papers; one Republican and one Democratic. Schnellbacher buggy and wagon factory. Pepperberg's cigar manufactory, employs fifteen hands, and largely supplies the trade of southwestern Nebraska.

Dufur & Co's. new Packing House. The great C. B. & Q. Railroad machine shops, round houses, storehouses, &c., are maintained at this point for the use of its system west of the Missouri River, employing many hundreds of hands, and disbursing to employes monthly about \$30,000.

One of the finest railroad bridges in the United States spans the Missouri River at the Southern limit of the city. Over 2,000 miles of railroad conveys its freight traffic into and through our city.

Ten passenger trains leave Plattsmouth daily for north, south, east and west over the C. B. & Q.; K. C., St. Joe & C. B. and the B. M. R. R. in Nebraska.

The cheapness of the land around Plattsmouth and its nearness to Omaha markets together with good railroad facilities, make it not only a pleasant place to reside, but a desirable place for the establishment of manufactories.

To healthy, legitimate manufacturing enterprises, the citizens of Plattsmouth would doubtless make reasonable inducements to secure their location, and correspondence is solicited.

While real estate values are growing firmer each day, yet there is nothing speculative or fictitious about them, and good residence lots can be bought at from \$150 to \$350; land near the city can be purchased at from \$200 to \$100 per acre. Within the next twelve months our city expects to welcome the Missouri Pacific and the Omaha and Southern Railways into its corporate limits.

The above facts are given without exaggeration and the prospects for the future prosperity of our city, more than above indicated. Parties seeking investments in realty are earnestly requested to come and make personal investigation. While here you will be given a free ride to South Park, the most beautiful and desirable residence locality in the city, where lots may be purchased at from \$150 to \$200, each. This picturesque addition is accessible by either Chicago or Lincoln Avenues or by South 9th Street and may be reached in a few minutes walk from the business center. South Park is more rapidly building up than any other part of the city. Correspondence solicited.

Robt. B. Windham.

Information to Capital Seeking Investment.

POINTERS ABOUT PLATTSMOUTH.

It is the gateway to the great South Platte country. It is situated on the Missouri River at the mouth of the Platte, at a point about half way between Chicago and Denver, only two hours by rail from Lincoln the capital, and forty minutes from Omaha, the metropolis of the State.

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A MOST INTERESTING STUDY.

A Physician Talks About the Philosophy of Walkers and Walking.

"There is no better way to tell the habits, characteristics and occupations of people than by the way they walk," said a homeopathic physician of Brooklyn. "It is a most interesting study. Let us walk along Myrtle Avenue, the most cosmopolitan thoroughfare in Brooklyn, and I'll try and point out a few different types for you. This comes a society butterfly—a pretty miss with mincing step. She looks best in a poem, for you will observe that the upper part of her body bends over at an angle of nearly forty-five degrees, and that her high heels lift her forward till she feels she is going to fall flat on her face. The instinct of self preservation makes her unconsciously stretch out her open hands so as to save herself when she falls. I should say it was very laborious work for her to hobble along and keep her bustle bobbing up and down and from right to left with such clocklike regularity.

"Here comes an office clerk. He has been at the desk nearly all his life, for there is nothing human left about his figure. His right shoulder is three inches higher than his left, his back is bent and his elbows stand out. From leaning continually over a low desk with his legs crossed his pelvis has been thrown out of place and the right toe turns in so that he walks with a hoppy jump. "That hard featured man across the street has been a convict. He has the regular lock-step, and his right arm is unconsciously stretched out in search of something to lean on as he bends forward. It wouldn't surprise me if he sometimes rested it on some one in front of him.

"The man just ahead of us, although respectfully dressed, was no doubt a tramp the greater part of his life. Notice how he shuffles along, scraping his feet on the sidewalk instead of lifting them up. He learned that habit from walking long distances in shoes without any fastenings.

"The fat woman over there can hardly be said to walk. She propels herself along by moving first one side and then the other. A woman came to me the other day who was so fat that she couldn't put her two heels together to save her life. She offered me \$100 to this her down. I told her if I could do that my fortune would be made.

"Few people walk correctly because they never have been taught. It is impossible to stand erect when the backs of the hands are turned outward and the thumbs lie next the person. Soldiers are drilled to stand with the little fingers touching the stripes down their trousers. If you walk with the elbows close to the sides, and you can see the palms of your hands as you swing them back and forth, the shoulders can't help being thrown back."

The doctor himself was almost as round shouldered as the reporter.—New York Evening Sun.

What is Fame?

"Der ain't no use tryin' a square shake in disser country," said a tough looking young man.

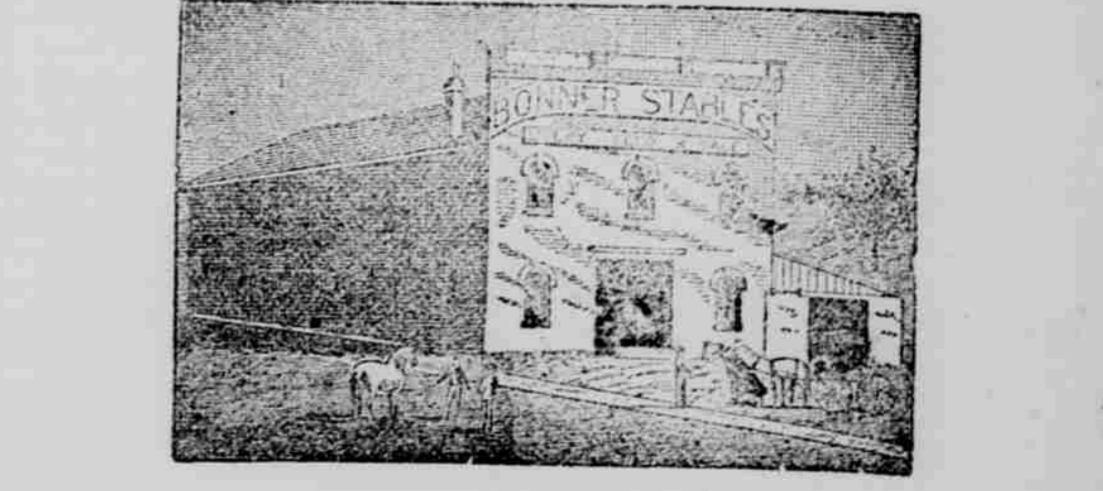
"What's de matter, please onto you again?"

"Naw. But I undstan Jimmy de Bruiner's got twice 's big a phortygraph in de pogue's gallery as I have. Anybody knows I stand higher in de profession dan he does."—Washington Critic.

Nothing announces rank, education and good breeding in women, more than the evenness of their disposition and the desire to please.—Napoleon.

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