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Republican County Convention.

BROKEN BOW, Nebr., July 8th, 1899.

In compliance with an action of the county central committee, a delegate convention of the republicans of Custer county, Nebraska, is hereby called to convene at the North Side opera house, Broken Bow, Neb., at 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, August 19th, 1899, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following county offices:

One county judge,
One sheriff,
One clerk of the district court,
One county clerk,
One treasurer,
One superintendent of public instruction,
One coroner,
One surveyor,

Also to elect 16 delegates to the state convention, to be held at Omaha at 1 o'clock p. m., Sept. 21st, 1899, also delegates to the congressional and judicial conventions, time and place not yet fixed. Basis of representation, one delegate at large from each township, and one for each ten votes or major fraction thereof, cast for Hon. F. M. Currie for state senator in 1898. The several townships are entitled to representation as follows:

Arnold	10	Hayes	3
Ansley	13	Kilfoil	9
Algernon	8	Loup	7
Berwyn	5	Lillian	6
Broken Bow	29	Myrtle	5
Custer	7	Sargent	7
Cliff	6	Triumph	4
Douglas Grove	11	Victoria	7
Delight	10	Wood River	9
Elk Creek	4	Westerville	10
Elim	4	West Union	5
Grant	6	Wayne	7
Garfield	5	To	196

It is recommended that no proxies be admitted, and that the delegates present at the convention cast the full vote of their respective townships. It is also recommended that the township primaries be held Saturday, August 12th, 1899, at 2 p. m.

E. ROYSE, Chairman.

E. G. SCHWIND, Secretary.

Republican Primary of Loup Township

Notice is hereby given to the republican electors of Loup township, that a primary will be held at the Downey school house, August 12th, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the county convention, delegates to the supervisor convention, the nomination of township officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. J. F. BRYSON, Com.

The populist ring of Broken Bow will have things pretty much their own way next Monday in the county convention. It is now claimed that the combine will be able to secure the nomination of five and probably seven of their number for the several county offices. They will concede that two of the nominees, possibly three may be selected by the other fellows.

Judge Kincaid has received the republican nomination for congress in the Sixth district from the newspapers, and when the convention gets together it will indorse the sentiment of the editors. Judge Kincaid is a good clean man, and is also extremely popular, especially in the northern part of the district where he is best known. With Kincaid as their standard bearer the republicans in the Sixth district have substantial propects for success.—Central City Nonpareil.

The Chronicle desires to place in nomination for the office of district judge of the 12th judicial district, a young man of sterling integrity and ability, a soldier and a patriot, in the person of Simon Cameron, of Broken Bow. Nowhere in the 12th judical district could the republicans find a better man at this time, who could make a winning champion and convert a populist majorty into a republican one. Mr. Cameron is the brightest attorney before the Custer county bar. When war was declared, Mr. Cameron, so intensely patriotic, left a flourishing business and enlisted as a private in the United States cavalry. While waiting to obey the orders of his country to go to Cuba, the climate of the southern swamps so shattered his constitution that he has not yet fully recovered and probably never will. As a mark of high esteem for his valor and patriotism, which gold could not repay, the voters of the 12th judicial district would be proud of an opportunity to cast their vote for Simon Cameron, the soldier and patriot, and honor him with the judgeship of this judicial district.—Ansley Chronicle.

The republican county central committee meeting Saturday afternoon had twenty-one representative members of the party present from various townships, and all seemed sanguine of success at the polls this fall. The meeting was presided over by chairman Royse, Secretery G. Schwind being present to record the business transacted. The date fixed for the county convention is August 19th, 1899, in Broken Bow, at 10 a. m. The basis of representation is one delegate from each township and one for every ten votes or major fraction there of as cast for Senator Currie at the last general election. As the committeeman was not present from Custer precinct, on motion T. C. H. Bayerhoffer was invited to sit with the committee as a representative of Custer township. Mr. Bayerhoffer is one among the many intelligent men of Custer county, who have been populists that has become disgusted with the pretended reforms of the fusion crowd and has joined with the party that favors sound money, protection to America labor and supports the administration in its efforts to govern all its subjects.

The Beacon in its last week issue practically admits that Bryan's 16 to 1 theory was a schem of repudiation to an amount equal to fifty cents on the dollar. During the campaign of 1896, that theory was denied by Bryan and his advocate. But the camparison of the public sale of the equities in the building and loan association of Broken Bow with the 16 to 1 fad is a comparison without the remotest parallel. The free silver theory which was sought to depreciate the money standard fifty cents on the dollar could have done nothing less than brought a financial panic upon the whole country, worse than resulted from the free trade policy of Cleveland from '93 to '97. Every one would have suffered. There could have been no alternative. It was different with the stock holders of the building and loan association. The equities they held were sufficient to pay more than 100 cents on the dollar. It was a matter of option with them whether they would by them in and thus save themselves or let some one else have the equities for cash. As the equities were sold at auction to the highest bidder, there was nothing to hinder any one from bidding 100 cents on the dollar. In this case we understand several of the stock holders bid in property enough that more than repayed them for all the money they had invested. So the cash paid in by others for their own property furnished them a surplus, rather than a deficit as would have been the case had Bryan's fiat money scheme prevailed.

A low but distinct howl is coming in from the north, from the populist brethren of Sargent apportionment of delegates to the pop convention, that convenes here next Monday. The brethren of the north have been true to the tenets of the Omaha platform. From the first they have rolled up mighty majorities for the "right, as they saw it." But when the pop central committee met to distribute delegates to the various townships, the true populist of the north got a black eye. It is a little odd that a populist committee, in the year 1899, should go back to the year 1897, and base its representation in the convention that convenes next Monday on the democratic vote cast by pops for J. J. Sullivan, democratic candidate for supreme judge. But this is what they did: Former pops, like Gov. Poynter, who were candidates last year, were not good enough to use as a basis for delegates from the different townships to a county convention. So the committee took the democrat, Sullivan. And there was method in their madness. West Union pops refused to vote for the democrat two years ago, but Wood River democracy felt at home, and piled up a big vote for the democratic candidate for supreme judge! The result is Wood River has one more delegate this year to the county convention than she ever had, and West Union is cut off three from her usual number. This is a new way of saying to the pops; now vote for the man your bosses name, or you will lose your voice in coonventions. And, as the pop representation is cut down from strong populist precincts, the power of democratic ones like Wood River is correspondingly increased. The question with the committee, is how hard they can push the button, and burn the brand "D" into West Union pops, who refused to vote for J. J. Sullivan two years ago. Just as well take your medicine boys! Bryan is in the saddle, riding you. He wrote the platform for Kentucy democracy, at their state convention last week, and your delegates will adopt the same platform, when you meet in state convention. The action of your county central committee is only the first peg to draw you up to the point where you are to be delivered soul and body to the democratic machine.

In a year there are killed on American trains one person out of every 2,927,474 passengers carried. A great many curious conclusions are reached by statisticians on this basis and upon what is known as the law of averages. The amount of it is that one is safer on a railroad train than he is in his own house. Less danger is incurred in going from Chicago to Denver, even on the fast schedules now used by the Burlington, than in going on a street car from one's home to the depot. The average man, travels 72,098,963 miles on trains, taking them as they come on all lines, before his time comes to get hurt. The Curtis (Neb.) Enterprise.

Nothing wasted" appears to be the order of the day in every branch of industry. The use of discarded locomotive flues for the manufacture of iron fence posts is the latest illustration of this fact. The idea was put in pratice some time ago by T. E. Calvert, General Superintendent of the Burlington lines at Lincoln, Neb. The advantages the Burlington finds in its new posts is that they will not burn nor decay like the old style posts of wood. The cause of failure of more than onehalf the wooden fence posts along the Burlington lines has been fire. The details of the new posts from old engine flues are so arranged that two workmen can turn out fifty posts per day. The Burlington will use a large number this year to replace wooden posts. Valuing the discarded engine flues at what they would bring for scrap iron and counting the cost of labor, the new iron fence posts are turned out for 15 cents apiece, about the same as a wooden fence post costs.

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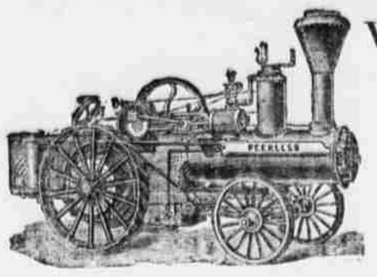

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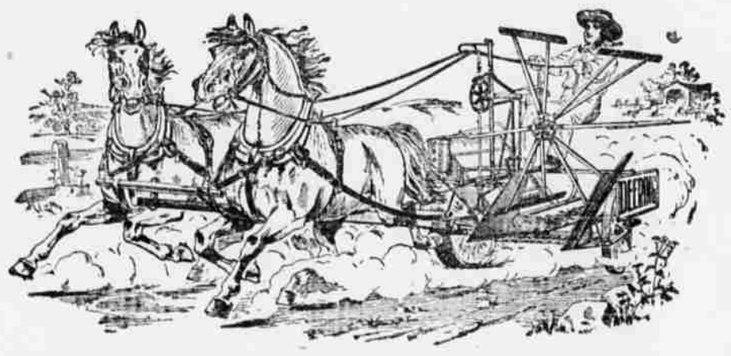

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