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IT'S TOO BAD!

But it must be done. Time does not stand still; seasons do not wait, and we must keep up with the procession at any cost, or

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To the Women of the United States.

"The first concern of all good government is the virtue and sobriety of the people and the purity of the home. The republican party cordially sympathizes with all wise and well directed efforts for the promotion of temperance and morality."—Republican Platform, 1888.

Responding heartily to these noble sentiments, and to other enunciations of political truth concerning social, economic and moral questions contained in the comprehensive declarations of the

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN PLATFORM,

adopted by the recent convention at Chicago, we send greeting to the women of the United States, and ask them to make utterance of their devotion to home and country by giving active support to the Republican party in the pending campaign. We who send you this call, do not claim pre-eminent devotion to home and country. We know that everywhere in our land are patriotic women; they love the flag; they waved it in holiday splendor under the blue sky of national prosperity; they revered it when its brightness was dimmed by the smoke of war. It is precious as the blood of kindred, sacred as the shroud of beloved dead. To all who believe that the flag is worth all it costs—to all loyal women this address comes.

The Republican party is not a sectional—it is a national party. In its counsels are wounded veterans of the Union army, and soldiers of the late confederacy, and enfranchised slaves; the party knows no east, no west, no north, no south. Eastern culture and western enterprise have nurtured a conservative-radicalism as contiguous and continuous as is the Continental railway system which the Republican policy of internal improvements made possible.

Across the "Bloody Chasm"—a part of our historic past—are the clasped hands of growing industries, sensitive and responsive with nerves of trade, steam and smoke and flame from furnace, factory and mill are the cloud by day and the fire by night, renewedly attesting republican principles, and guiding the country out from the wilderness of sectionalism into the promised land of a perfectly restored nationalism.

In the ranks of the Republican party are many citizens of foreign birth.

In America they are Americans: they do not forget the mother country nor the father land but here they are loyal to the stars and stripes: their loyalty was tested even to the shedding of blood in war; with whatever makes for good citizenship they are welcome in the party: their rights under the flag command respect.

The achievements of this great party have made luminous this century's history. Under God's blessing it rescued the imperilled nation, saved the government our fathers left us, and maintained the institutions which assure to American women the exalted position they now enjoy. The Republican party has always been the party of protection; protection to the citizen, protection to the negro, protection to the ballot box, protection to the wage-earner, protection to the wage-payer, and now in line with past professions and performances it declares for PROTECTION FOR THE "HOME." Can American women fail to respond?

This party is not a party of unskilled, untrained recruits, reckless to attempt, and helpless to secure political defense; it is not a troop of detached soldiery out on picket duty; it is THE REGULAR ARMY OF AMERICAN PROGRESS.

It was raised by the firesides of the people; its ranks are kept full by the farm, the shop, the school, the mill; it is sworn to champion at the command of the sovereign people—"Whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report," in government.

American women, this is the party to whose service we call you. What position will you take and hold during the month of the coming campaign? Do you realize the moral side, the heart-side of the economic questions which are being discussed in the campaign? Do you remember that when labor is degraded, woman is degraded? The shop girl, the factory operative, the sewing woman, indeed every working woman whether she toil in home, or shop, or school, is interested in the maintenance of the American standard of values in labor, and its return to the home. In November next, twelve millions of voters will go to the polls and determine who shall receive the highest honor in the gift of the American people. Is this anything to you? Does it make any difference to you who this man is, and for what set of principles he stands? Would not the choice of

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as chief executives of this great nation, tend to establish a popular standard of private morals and public service which any mother might present to the aspirations of her sons? Do not their lives illustrate that purity in personal character which is consonant with the highest worldly success? That the dealings in the heart of trade, the court of justice, the legislative chamber, or the camp of war need never blush in the home? Is it not vital to the nation's life that these truths be emphasized in the characters of the people's chief representatives?

Young women of the land have you no debt to pay to that established order of things which we call christian civilization? Do you realize that Republican institutions are the material organism through which this spirit of civilization breathes? Will you not in thankful appreciation of the inheritance into which you have entered, pledge humble fealty to the republican party, whose standard bearer wears the white flower of a blameless life? Beyond the immediate demands of the present campaign lies the broad field of political ethics; women are equally concerned with men in the seed sown and the harvest gathered there.

KEEPERS OF THE NATION'S HOMES,

Educators of the nation's children, sharers in its industries, and guardians of its shrines, will you not also give your best brain and heart to a study of the principles of government and their application in practical politics? This giving shall not impoverish, its withholding has not enriched the hearts and homes of American women.

The state is not less a divine institution than is the family where your throne is, the church where you and your children worship God and study His laws. Under our system of government, the state is that great temple which the people are forever building and re-building. If they build well, the structure shall endure and safely protect our sacred interests from vandals without and traitors within. If they build recklessly or wickedly, the structure shattered and destroyed, will fall upon our heads, and we, defenceless, shall vainly seek the foundations where our homes were, where our altars stood.

Let us, therefore, in this as in every relation of life, do what we can. Enlarged opportunities impose commensurate obligations. The united influence of Republican women will conserve moral power in society, utilize dormant political forces for the public good, and aid in

THE DOMINANCE OF REPUBLICAN PRINCIPLES.

We, therefore, offer for your approval the accompanying plans and suggestions for organized work.

We ask all persons, men and women, who approve these sentiments above expressed to communicate with us at the office of the

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August 15th, 1888.

Commissioners' Proceedings.

OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK,
INDIANOLA, Neb., Aug. 15, 1888.

Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present Stephen Bolles and Henry Crabtree, commissioners, and Geo W Roper, clerk.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Petition of G L Clark, H E Crosby, et al, read and considered. The board finds that all requirements of law have been complied with, on motion same is granted establishing a public road as follows, to wit: Commencing at a point 48 rods w of SE cor sec 22 and running thence in a n n easterly direction and gradually turning to the N E and thence E N E stopping at the NW cor SE¼ of SW¼ sec 23, all in town 3 range 28 w, and that the following road be vacated: Commencing at a point 48 rods W of SE cor sec 22, thence east to SE cor SW¼ of SW¼ sec 23, thence north to NE cor of SW qr of SW qr of sec 23 and stopping thereat, all in town 3 range 28 west.

On motion the following claims were audited and allowed and clerk ordered to draw warrants on county road fund levy 1888 being for damages on account of the establishment of above road:

J W Dolan, claim $200, allowed by appraisers	$110 70
G W Minkler, com'r to view road	5 00
E D Akers, chainman	2 00
John F Black, appraiser	2 00
Willis Gossard, "	2 00
Jesse Welborn, "	2 00
C B Hoag, team for appraisers	3 50

On motion the following claim was audited and allowed and clerk directed to draw warrant on county general fund levy 1888 as follows, to wit:

John Young, boarding pauper, T J Malone	22 50

On motion the following claim was audited and and allowed and clerk directed to draw warrant on county bridge fund levy 1888 as follows:

Walter Hamilton, grading Bartley bridge	20 00

On motion board adjourned to meet Aug. 16, 1888. STEPHEN BOLLES, Acting Chairman.
Attest:
G W ROPER, Clerk.

INDIANOLA, Neb., Aug. 16, 1888.

Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present Stephen Bolles and Henry Crabtree, commissioners, and G W Roper, clerk.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Commissioners Stephen Bolles and Henry Crabtree made their report that they had on the 16th day of August, 1888 appraised certain school lands on the application of Wm Doyle as follows to wit: NE qr NE qr NWqr, and NWqr NEqr NWqr, and SWqr NWqr NEqr and SWqr NEqr and S½ SEqr NEqr and NWqr SEqr NEqr and N½ NEqr SEqr sec 16 twp 4 range 29 west at $8.00 per acre.

On motion the following official bonds were approved, viz:

A. V. Olmstead, overseer district 14.
R S Cooley, justice of the peace Beaver precinct.

On motion annual settlement was made with Arthur Miller, overseer district No 32 for year ending January 1, 1888, and clerk directed to issue certificate for balance due 14 32

Petition of C S Quick, G W Burt, et al read and considered. On motion same was granted as follows, to wit: All of the bridge and approach thereto across the Republican river south of Indianola be taken from road district 11 and added to road district No 3.

On motion county treasurer was ordered to refund to Anton Probst $7 30 being amount of tax paid by said Probst on the undivided half of lot 5, block 28 McCook, erroneously.

On motion the following petitions were laid over to next meeting for further consideration, viz: Petition of Henry L Tallmadge William Hall et al, asking that road district No 1 be redivided. Petition of John Real, B F Olcott et al, asking that Willow Grove precinct be divided, and petition of Geo R Gragg, E F Quigley et al, asking that Indianola precinct be divided.

On motion the following claims were audited and allowed and clerk directed to draw warrant on county bridge fund levy 1888 as follows:

Frees & Hocknell, bridge material for district No 9	$ 37 16
Frees & Hocknell, bridge material for county	1292 20
J W Dolan & Co, hardware Indianola bridge	18 35
Howard Lumber Co, bridge material for Bartley	6 76
Frees & Hocknell, bridge material for district 1	15 30
LaTourette & Co, hardware, bridges	51 93
Geo Yungers, work on bridges	10 50

On motion the following claims were audited allowed and clerk directed to draw warrants on county general fund levy 1888 as follows to wit:

LaTourettee & Co, hardware for Co	3 75
S Teeter, washing for pauper, R H Criswell	2 35
E D Akers, care of pauper R H Criswell, claim $65, allowed	57 25
Leander Starbuck, jailer fees prisoner James Garrett	76 60
Lee Starbuck, bailiff D. C	6 00
J W Dolan, shot for pauper, R H Criswell	2 75
Geo Burns, keeping pauper, Dorotha Skow	3 50
J A Wilcox, groceries for pauper, Mrs Stafford	3 35
Chas F Woehner, medicines for pauper R H Crisswell, claim $26 55, allowed at	15 00
W O Russell, examining glandered horse	2 50
J W Dolan, 2 scrapers for road dist 16	15 00
Gazette-Journal Co. supplies for county	21 00
Howard Lumber Co, coal for jail	4 75
Omaha Republican Co, stationery for county	1 00
State Journal Co, publishing McCook bridge notice	5 00
Mrs M E Spain, board and care of pauper, R H Criswell	55 20
Wm Coleman, apportionment for agricultural society	297 75
Stephen Bolles, services as com'r	22 30
Henry Crabtree, " " "	18 00

Claim of J W Dolan & Co for mattress was referred to Mike Adams for payment.

Claim of G W Curfman, M D, medical attendance for pauper, R A Crisswell, was on motion laid over for further consideration.

On motion board adjourned to meet September 14, 1888. STEPHEN BOLLES, Acting Chairman.
Attest:
G W Roper, Clerk.

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Men's solid kip plow shoes, - -	1.00
Men's solid oil grain plow shoes, -	1.10
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