

**Republican County Convention.**

The Republican electors of Red Willow county are hereby called to meet in delegate convention in the city of Indianola on Wednesday, August 23rd, at one o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting twelve delegates to the state convention and of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices: One county treasurer, one county clerk, one county judge, one county sheriff, one county superintendent, one county coroner; one county surveyor, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

Representation to the convention will be based on the votes cast for the Hon. Norris Brown for attorney general at the 1904 election, allowing one delegate for each 10 votes or major fraction thereof together with one delegate at large from each voting precinct. On the above basis the several precincts will be entitled to representation as follows:

Alliance	4	Lebanon	11
Beaver	7	Missouri Ridge	2
Bonville	3	North Valley	3
Box Elder	4	Perry	3
Coleman	3	Red Willow	5
Danbury	3	Tyone	3
Driftwood	3	Valley Grove	5
East Valley	11	WILLOW GROVE:	
Fritch	3	1st Pre.	1st w.
Gerwer	4	2nd Pre.	1st w.
Grant	3	1st Pre.	2nd w.
Indianola	8	2nd Pre.	2nd w.
Total	144		

It is recommended that the primaries in the several precincts and wards be held on Saturday, August 19th, at the hour and place designated by the committee. It is recommended that no proxies be allowed and that the delegates present from each of the respective precincts be authorized to cast the full vote of their delegation. By order of Republican county central committee. **LOYD COX, Chairman.**  
**C. B. GRAY, Secretary.**

**State Fair News.**

How to take care of the swine exhibit at the Nebraska State fair is puzzling the State fair management. The 450 pens have been assigned to 86 exhibitors and applications are on file for 150 pens additional. As about 1,300 swine were exhibited in 1904, to provide for all applicants would mean an exhibit of 1,800 head. Truly Nebraska is in the front rank as a breeder of registered swine. To erect barns of 150 pens capacity would require an expenditure of more than \$2,000.00.

Since the purchase of the fair grounds all funds available have been used in the erection of new barns for horses, cattle, swine and sheep. This year all the funds available have been appropriated for necessary accommodations in other departments which have been patiently awaiting the time when their turn should come.

The management feels that if swine exhibitors would confine their entries to animals for competition only it would be possible to accommodate all such exhibitors. To this end notice is given that rule 17 1/2 will be rigidly enforced. This rule reads "In Class C not more than three (3) entries will be received from one exhibitor for competition for any one specified premium, and all such animals entered must be shown in competition." Under the circumstances if it is possible for those to whom pens have been assigned to use a less number it would be a favor to all concerned to relinquish all those not absolutely needed.

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**RURAL FREE DELIVERY NO. 1.**

They have a brand new baby at A. W. Wilson's.

A number of friends and neighbors indulged in a dance at Nelson Down's home, last Tuesday night.

Ernest Neuman has sold all but 80 acres of his farm, and will move to Lincoln or Collegeview to live.

The Pickens school house is nearly finished.

C. Roper did some carpenter work for Joe Downs, first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Neuman are just back from Lincoln, where they have been looking up a location.

Charlie Byfield's horse made a little stir with his buggy and harness the other evening, after coming in off route 1, and finally wound up at Gus Markward's for repairs.

**LEBANON.**

Mrs. J. B. Cumming has been quite sick.

Little Jennie Daffer is sick with typhoid fever.

James Horton and J. P. Kinne are in Ill. on a visit.

Fred Deal drove to Bartley, Thursday, after repairs for his threshing machine.

L. A. Thomas drove to Bartley after goods, Monday. George Newland went along for the ride.

George Ralsten was taken to Lincoln, last week, for medical treatment. Ed C. Clark and Dr. R. B. Campbell accompanied him.

H. E. Waugh was in Bartley, Friday, bringing Mark C. Hunt, Robert Campbell, Ed C. Clark and George Ralsten to meet the train.

Brixner Bros. were over to Bartley, first of the week, after their threshing outfit that was shipped to that place. Frank Springer and John Martin helped them over.

H. A. Waterman from south of the Kansas line drove to Bartley, Tuesday, after sixteen hundred pounds of phones and fixtures to be used on the Decatur County, Kansas, line.

Four complete outfits crossed the river at once besides an extra engine and there are more yet to cross. They run the engines across on planks laid down in the water. The bridge not being strong enough to hold them up. These machines would have been unloaded at Willsonville if the trains had been running.

**Junior Normal Enrollment.**

Velona Allen	Hazel Beach
Rachel Berry	Ralph Bosworth
Jennie Brady	Mrs. Frank Brown
Helen Burns	Roxy Byfield
Gertrude Curry	Irene Cathcart
Gertrude Cortin	Mattie Dougherty
Bridget Doyle	Elsie Dukes
Nettie Endsley	Earl Enright
Bessie Ewert	Geneva Fitch
Francis Fleming	Nellie Glover
Anna Hannan	Anna Hannan
Lois Hileman	May Hileman
Bessie Joffrey	Bertha Jeffries
Loyd W. Jennings	John Jones, jr.
Eleanor LeHew	Susie LeHew
Ada McAninch	Florence Middleton
Edith Middleton	Mrs. W. B. Mills
Dora Oyster	Edwin Preimore
Erni Rathburn	Minnie Rowell
Bessie Rowell	Minta Rozell
Mrs. Ola Rush	Floyd Russell
Jessie Russell	Rodburn Simmons
Millicent Slaby	Hannah Stangland
Kerstin Stangland	Mrs. G. H. Thomas
Mabel Tuttle	Grace Wentz
Carl Wilkins	Mary Dutcher

Viva C. Burgess	Ida Donnelly
Edna Hatcher	Lillie Kennedy
Emma Lane	Jennie Loomis
Mamie Mann	Lydia McCool
Azubah McDonald	Anna McDonald
Rose McDonald	Grace Phillips
Don Porter	Edna Reynolds
Robert Sawyer	Jeanette Short
Anna Smith	Anna Vering
Katie Vering	Jocie Fox

Mattie Beeson	Lillie Barton
Ida Bush	Kathryn Dietsch
Mary Richman	Bessie Walkington

Cora Bymer	Mabel Conway
Grace Ford	Earl Glendon
Laura Glendon	Edie Spickmire
Alice Stewart	Lea Zastrow
Hazel Bymer	

Mabel Carmichael	John Chelsey
Dessie McCutcheon	Julia Nolan
Etta Nolan	Bertha Steuber
Mamie O'Conner	Kathryn Peyton
Lena Peyton	Ethel Rockwell
Ida Redford	

Dora Greenway	Mary Greenway
Pearle Hayes	Ruby Weyneth

Mary Backs	Alice Bradbury
Lacey Brown	J. A. Crowl
Nellie E. Dick	Anna Morris
Elsie Tallman	Pearl Clayburg

Leila Bryant	Alice Buchanan
Lulu Hildbrand	

Ethel Duckworth	Louise Duckworth
Amanda Grovert	Pleasant Hammond
Mande Holston	Frances Jones
Glady's Jones	Coclie Murtha
Madge Pember	

Ola Baker	Ada Besack
Delia Graham	Ruby Hall
Martha Horton	Ethel Sharp
May Sharp	Inez Walker
Jennie Wood	Mrs. Pearl Strayer
Evelyn Basack	

Myrtle Chevill	Auretta Daffer
Mattie Hiesekorn	Rosa Sluts
Bessie Sluts	Della Welborn

Edie Ditty	Mrs. Margaret West
Emma Forloff	

Letta Dyer	Daisy C. Dyer
Agnes McGooden	Grace Criven

Adell Mette	Freda Mette
Pearl Roberts	

Addie Wymore	Alta Wymore
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Edna Austin, Stevens; Alma Bennett, Earl; Mrs. Sarah Bolles, Box Elder; Stella Boon, Riverton; Edna Campbell, Ives; Anna Christenson, Curtis; Georgia Cramer, Quick; Stella Drake, Osburn; Susie Engels, Red Cloud; Mabel Hoff, Wauneta; Hazel Henderson, Havana; Nellie Kimberling, Champion; Kessie Long Best; Eva Myers, Hendley; Anna Novotny, Center Point; Ethel Redfern, Marion; Marie Renwald, White; Stella Robb, Lamont; Etta Rowley, White; Arza Shaffry, Oxford; Kathryn Stutzman, Daventport; Minnie Waggener, Pearl; Eska Wilson, Rain; Grace Richards, Arapahoe; Katie Hickman, Max.
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**BARTLEY.**

James Life shipped a car of hogs, this week.

Johnnie Cammack was quite sick on Monday.

E. E. Smith had two cars of cattle on the St. Jo market, this week.

Mrs. J. F. Utter and children, of McCook, visited with friends here, last week.

Mrs. Mary Hodgkin has been visiting for the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hodgkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Curlee of Holbrook were over Sunday with their many friends in Bartley.

Mrs. Nellie Rittenburg, visited in town with her friend, Miss Mary Theobald, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox of Cambridge moved into Bartley, Wednesday, and are occupying the Mrs. Olmstead property.

L. S. Lovitt of Topeka was here, this week, and sold a farm to J. W. Hoppe, and repaired some town property he owns in Bartley.

F. G. Stelgebauer, agent for the St. Paul Rail Insurance Co. paid out over \$3,000 this week to parties whose crops were damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair of Greenwood, Neb., came in on 5, Thursday evening. Mr. Blair has large land interests here, which he is looking after.

The first threshing of the season was done for Jay Life. The yield was over 25 bushels per acre, test 62 lbs. Sold to the Bartley mill for 85c per bushel.

Miss Mary Richmond returned from McCook, Saturday, where she had been attending the normal. She will teach the Drycreek school the coming school year.

G. W. Jones is moving into his new business building and has the nicest room in Bartley, where he will carry a first-class stock of hardware and furniture.

The maximum temperatures during the hot spell were 95, Saturday, and 92, Tuesday. These were the highest points reached by good thermometers properly located.

Mr. Barnes, who has been sojourning in our village for several weeks past, on Monday morning "took his grip and started for the train at the nearest railway station." "He had some biz that called him urgently to the capital of the nation."

Mrs. Sarah Gillet of Bartley visited with friends at her old home in Indianola, Wednesday. She had a pleasant visit and many of the old time happenings were talked over with Frank Fritch, Mrs. Martin Anderson, Mrs. J. B. Hillers and others.

The Southwestern District G. A. R. Reunion will be held at Cambridge, Aug. 14 to 19. Much has been done to make it the best reunion ever held in this district.

Jake Stenner and son from Plattsmouth are here visiting friends and relatives, and will go soon to Kansas to look after a ranch Mr. Stenner owns near Blakeman, Kansas.

Six or seven threshing outfits have been obliged to cross the river here this week through the water and quick sand and a large expense to them, because there was no bridge in the county strong enough to allow them to cross in safety. There should be two or three bridges in different parts of the county, built strongly enough to allow engines and threshers to cross.

**CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

**CATHOLIC**—Order of services: Mass, 8 a. m. Mass and sermon, 10:00 a. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Every Sunday.  
**J. J. LOUGHERAN, Pastor.**

**CHRISTIAN**—Sunday school at 10. Preaching at 11. Subject, "The Christian's example." Y. P. S. C. E. at 7:15. Sermon at 8:15. Subject "Human Infirmity." Bible study Wednesday evening at 8:00. L. F. SANFORD, Pastor

**FIRST BAPTIST**—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Junior society at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Evening subject, "Dreams and Destiny." All are cordially invited.  
**A. B. CARSON, Pastor.**

**EPISCOPAL**—Services in St. Alban's church as follows: Every Sunday in the month, Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Morning prayer at 11 a. m. and evening prayer and sermon at 8. The third Sunday in the month Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. All are welcome.  
**E. R. EARLE, Rector.**

**CONGREGATIONAL**—No preaching service, morning or evening, next Sunday. Sunday school at ten o'clock. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. The new pastor Rev. George B. Hawkes will occupy the pulpit, Sunday morning and evening, July 30th.  
**PULPIT SUPPLY COM.**

**METHODIST**—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Junior League at 3. Epworth League at 7. Preaching at 8:00 p. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8. Rev. Erastus Smith will fill the pulpit both morning and evening. Good music at all services. All are invited.  
**M. B. CARMAN, Pastor.**

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**TREASURER'S REPORT.**

Receiptation, showing the amount on hand January 7th, 1905, the collections since made, warrants redeemed, and amount remaining on hand at the close of the thirtieth day of June, 1905, in each and all of the several funds and accounts of Ben G. Gossard, Treasurer of Red Willow County, Nebraska, together with the total amounts of the several items stated.

KIND OF FUND	Amount on hand last Settlement	Amount since Collected	TOTAL	Warrants Redeemed	Amount now Hand
State general	\$ 1,224 80	4,258 30	5,483 10	4,275 26	1,207 84
State sinking	1 78	1 21	2 99	2 51	48
State school	160 38	478 13	638 51	563 13	135 38
State University	305 15	940 92	1,246 07	980 32	265 75
Institute People Minded	63	1 16	64	72	4
State relief	54	20	74	71	3
State capital	1 26	1 26	2 52		1 26
State Reform School	47	33	80	80	
State live stock industries	1,287 00	1,380 00	2,667 00	1,584 00	1,083 00
School land principal	91 77	808 33	1,028 20	703 28	324 92
School land interest	242 58	885 62	1,128 20	1,009 38	118 82
County general	1,076 06	6,849 72	7,925 72	8,147 42	(221 70) *
County bridge, overdrawn	(74 01)	1,900 36	1,826 35	2,265 21	(438 86) *
County road	572 25	800 83	1,373 08	259 50	1,113 58
Soldiers Relief	109 11	51 57	160 68	159 13	1 55
District road	2,105 71	3,369 52	5,475 23	3,677 32	1,797 92
District school	12,059 60	19,997 86	32,057 46	21,681 81	10,375 65
District school bond	24,039 06	2,463 16	26,502 22	1,369 10	25,133 12
County school	25 00	25 00	50 00	25 00	25 00
Advertising	38 70	38 70	77 40	38 70	38 70
Interest	453 14	453 14	906 28	453 14	453 14
East Valley precinct	270 95	4 81	275 76	3,482 61	3,482 61
Willow Grove precinct	10,018 76	695 66	10,714 42	651 86	10,062 56
McCook city bond	4,266 57	552 29	4,818 86	2,488 56	2,330 30
Bartley village bond	1,490 40	180 57	1,670 97	80 20	1,590 77
McCook city	1,976 24	4,123 30	6,099 54	5,915 00	184 54
Bartley village	242 70	419 07	661 77	325 00	336 77
Indianola city	467 24	219 30	686 54	642 24	44 30
Danbury village	125 58	236 91	362 49	131 50	230 99
Bank interest	384 33	384 33	768 66	384 33	384 33
Redemption tax sale	802 21	2,620 87	3,423 11	3,692 51	(269 40)
Miscellaneous fees	144 25	144 25	288 50	144 25	144 25
Total, less overdrafts	\$ 65,742 02	\$ 54,415 11	\$ 120,157 13	\$ 60,678 06	\$ 59,479 07
Less overdrafts, general and bridge					690 56
Balance now on hand					\$ 58,788 51
Less fees and commissions					1,681 76
Balance now on hand					\$ 57,106 75

\* Overdrawn † Transferred to district school. ‡ Transferred to county general.

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All \$3.75 4.00 skirts for 3.25  
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