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Primary Election Notice 1907

Notice is hereby given that on TUESDAY, the THIRD DAY OF SEPTEMBER NEXT, at the usual polling places in the various precincts of Sherman county, Nebraska, there will be held a Primary Election for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices:

Candidates' Cards.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS. I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination of County Superintendent of Public Instruction of Sherman county, subject to the decision of the republican party at the primary election to be held on September 3rd, 1907. M. H. MEAD.

COUNTY TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for nomination to the office of Treasurer of Sherman county, subject to the will of the People's Independent party at the primary election to be held on Tuesday, the 3rd day of September, 1907. R. M. HIDDLESON.

COUNTY JUDGE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination to the office of County Judge, subject to the will of the People's Independent party voters of Sherman county at the primary election to be held on the 3rd of September, 1907. J. A. ANGER.

A little rainfall almost nightly of late. Between a quarter and a half inch fall last night.

This week we publish the primary election notice issued by the county clerk. Also in another column may be found a synopsis of the primary election law, which it might be well for voters to peruse carefully, unless they have had access to the full text of the law.

Editor Brown has taken his son, Arthur, in business with him as foreman and assistant manager, and the young man has determined to make newspaper business his life work.

THE NEW PRIMARY LAW.

Some Provisions of the Law Essential That Electors Should Know.

There shall be a primary election held at the regular polling place in each precinct on the first Tuesday in September.

The names of no candidate shall be printed on the official primary ballot unless at least thirty days before said election he, or twenty-five qualified voters, shall have filed a written application, and no such application will be filed until the lawful fee shall be paid to the county treasurer which is as follows:

At least 25 days before the primary, the county clerk shall make public under the proper party designation, the title of each office, the names and addresses of all persons for whom nomination papers have been filed, the date of the primary, the hours which the polls open, and copies of same shall be posted in at least one public place in each precinct.

The voting at primaries shall be by ballot, and all ballots shall be provided the same as for election. There shall be a separate ballot for each political party, but there shall be no distinctive feature to designate any party ticket.

All primaries shall be presided over by the same judges and clerks of elections now provided by law, and shall receive the same compensation as for the November election.

The ballots cast at any primary election shall be counted and the results returned to the county clerk in manner and form provided by law relating to general elections.

Any qualified voter desiring to vote at any primary election shall be entitled to participate in such primary, but he shall not be entitled to receive a primary ballot until he shall have first stated to the judges of said primary election what political party he affiliates with.

If the right of any person to vote is challenged, the judges shall require him to answer the questions required of a voter at a general election, and in addition the following: What political party do you affiliate with?

Each party will be permitted to have one challenge at each polling place. The canvass of the votes cast shall be made on Friday following the primary, and shall be by the same officers and in the same manner as provided for election returns.

The person receiving the greatest number of votes at a primary shall be the candidate of that party for such office, and his name as such candidate shall be on the official ballot at the following election.

Vacancies occurring on any party ticket after the holding of the primary shall be filled by a majority vote of the party committee.

At two o'clock p. m. on the second Saturday succeeding the primary, the nominees of the respective parties for county offices in each county shall meet at the county central committee, composed of not less than one member for each election precinct in the county. Such committee shall serve until their successors are chosen in like manner.

Authority and jurisdiction are vested in the county central committee to determine primary election contests. Every elector is entitled to absent himself from any service or employment for a period of two hours, and his employer cannot make any reduction in his wages on account thereof.

A new party may be formed by a mass meeting with at least one hundred persons.

A party must poll at least one percent of the total vote to be entitled to a ticket at the primary election.

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Rockville Items.

Maud Gray is on the sick list. Mrs. Sparks returned home to St. Paul Tuesday. Peter Peterson is reported very sick with appendicitis. A very heavy rain visited this section last Monday night.

Ashton ball team were to play ball here last Sunday but did not come on account of the rain.

Miss Ruannah Branson received a lovely birthday present last week of a fine upright piano.

Mrs. C. G. Sorensen was not expected to live the latter part of last week but is better at this writing.

W. M. Smelser has purchased a large stock of dry goods, which with their post office and dairy work keeps him very busy.

Alfela Gray had one of his fingers almost cut off in a binder while cutting grain last Monday. Dr. Dickinson attended him.

John Vandegrift and niece, Miss Ethel Vanscoy, left Tuesday morning for Arkansas to visit relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hayes.

The quilting bee to be held at the homes of Mesdames Plant and Thomson last Tuesday was postponed till later on account of the illness of little Clara Plant.

Miss Sadie Wineater met with a bad accident on July 1st by stepping on a piece of glass cutting her right foot severely. Later inflammation set in and it was necessary to have it lanced last Sunday.

Supervisors' Proceedings. Loup City, Nebraska, July 8th, 1907. County Board met in regular session as per statute, all members present and clerk.

The minutes of the meetings of June 10th and 14th were read and after necessary corrections were made, were on motion approved.

H. Smelser appeared before the board and requested that the tax on his land in 36-15-13, for the year 1905, be refunded to him as the same had been assessed and sold for the taxes of that year before deed was issued, on proof being filed he was allowed the amount he had paid to redeem same, \$31.04.

The application of Frank Polski for reconsideration of his claim was postponed until the August meeting.

The Sowkoinos consent road in Oak Creek township and the Gunn consent road in Clay township were allowed as petitioned for.

The Bridge Committee filed a report recommending the following bridges be built new: Camp bridge No. 2 on Cole creek; a 40 foot underpass bridge across the Methodist draw, and an 80 foot bridge at Eastbrook's on Clear creek.

On motion the county board ordered the following piling furnished for township bridges:

8 piling 16 feet long for bridge between Sections 22-23-16-15. 8 12-foot piles for Graack bridge, Loup City township. 16 12-foot piles for White bridge, Logan township. 8 16-foot piles for Spotanski bridge, in Oak Creek township.

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