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Republican National Ticket.

- For President, **HENRY HARRISON,**
- For Vice-President, **WHEELER BRID,**
- For Congressman 5th District, **W. B. ANDREWS.**
- State Ticket.
- For Governor, **LORENZO CROUNSE.**
- For Lieutenant Governor, **J. G. TATE.**
- For Secretary of State, **JOHN C. ALLEN.**
- For Auditor, **EUGENE MOORE.**
- For Treasurer, **J. S. BARTLEY.**
- For Attorney General, **GEORGE H. HASTINGS.**
- For Commissioner of Public Lands and Bids, **A. B. HUMPHREY.**
- For Superintendent of Public Instruction, **A. K. GOUDY.**
- For State Senator, **W. T. AUSTIN.**
- County Ticket.
- For Representative 4th District, **JOHN McCALLUM.**
- For County Attorney, **MARSHALL McNETT.**
- For Coroner, **Dr J. W. HOYT.**

McKeighan at Holdrege.

"I mean no disrespect to the
DEFENSELESS DEAD when I
say I am NO DEMOCRAT."
The above are the identical
words used by Mr. McKeighan
in his speech when nominated.

Harrison and Reid will get there
indeed.

What's the matter with Harrison?
He's all right?

It is certain that with the great
change that is taking place daily in
the people's party, that Weaver will
not carry a state in the Union.

The great cry of the calamityite.
Give us office or riches, and we don't
care which oh, ye gods, so we get
either one without much effort, and
we will praise thee oh, calamity, for-
ever.

The declaration made by Field, the
independent nominee for the vice-
presidency, that the third party will
destroy the grand army of the repub-
lic will not make votes for the calami-
ty party in the northwest.—Journal.

Every day McKeighan is losing
votes in this county. We have heard
of at least a hundred men in the last
few days who voted for McKeighan
last year that will vote the republican
ticket this year. The change is com-
ing fast and certain.

This paper has differed at times
widely with Editor Rosewater in many
things politically and otherwise, but
in his fight for a clean republican tick-
et he is pre-eminently in the right.
No man whose record is not above re-
proach should be foisted upon the
public for political honors.

What the people of country need
most is honesty of purpose, and in-
vestigation. Look at and study the
democratic and people's party and see
if it is possible for either one to do
as much for you as the republican
party has. If you find that they
have not and cannot, then vote for the
party that has helped, you and that is
the republican party.

It seems to us that the American
workingmen, who are better fed and
better paid than in any other country
on earth, would become tired of the
great calamity cry that they are all
paupers. It gives one a disposition to
take smuties to hear the fellows tell
how poverty stricken the boys are
in the face of the fact that men are
getting from \$2.50 to \$5 a day for
common labor, with perhaps a few ex-
ceptions. As a general rule, labor is
getting its just recompense where the
workman is qualified to do the work.

We were talking with an Indepen-
dent this week who was deploring the
low wages of the poor men who were
working for Carnegie. When told
that those men were getting \$1.80 to
\$20 a day, his eyes opened to the
fact that some one had made misstate-
ments. He had no idea that such
was the case, as the independent pa-
pers had been holding truth back, in
order to blind such as he until after
election. There is no excuse for a
man to be ignorant and uninformed
in America if he will read NEWS-
PAPERS, and not listen to calamity
wallings that are as false as old Nick
himself.

Our Independent friends are mak-
ing strenuous efforts to make the peo-
ple believe that the American work-
ingman, and the American farmer,
and the American mechanic, and so
on, are dreadfully misused, and it is
wonderful how readily people believe
all of those falsehoods, when upon in-
vestigation they can be made as thin
as air. The editor of this paper has
put in twenty-seven years as a labor-
ing man in the art of printing and we
have never known of a time in
that number of years but what a good
honest, sober man could get work at
good wages if he so desired. He has
never been idle a day for want of work.
There is plenty of work and wages
that are sufficient, and large enough
for any man to lay a foundation of a
fortune if properly saved. There is
no excuse for a man to cry calamity
except for his own stupidity in not
carefully taking care of his money.
The man who has been and is to-day
making extravagant uses of his mon-
ey, will sooner or later be fitted to be
a calamity howler. That's what
makes them. Money is plenty now,
wages are good, and the man that
does not improve his opportunities to
better his conditions should blame
himself and not some one else for his
misfortune.

At the reunion in Superior, there
seems to have been some political
speeches in which our independent
friends took exceptions. A lady made
a republican speech and in it referred
to republican soldiers, when one of
our Red Cloud independent's rose up
and declared that there were as many
independent soldiers as republican
present, but the cries of no no!! no!!!
as they went up from hundreds of re-
publican throats fully demonstrated
that the old soldier remained loyal to
the republican party which has given
him the magnificent pension system.
A few soldiers have been led astray
but are generally returning to the old
party.

A few of the democratic papers in
the western counties of this district
are in favor of having McKeighan en-
dorsed by the democrats at Red Cloud
September 1. If a few of these edito-
rs would come to Webster and look
up Mac's prospects they would soon
consider him not "in it." The good
democrats of this county will cast
their ballot for a better man than he
—Blue Hill Wave (democratic.)

Judge Crouse, as well as the entire
republican ticket, is sure to be elected
this fall. No better man in this state
could have been selected for a leader of
the republican hosts. He is a man of
great ability, but what is better is a clean
honest citizen, and one that will do our
state honor.

VanWyck says the people need a
law to wring the water out of railway
bonds. Wonder if he would submit
those he holds to that process. Guess
not.

The name of Hon. Tom Majors has
been substituted on the republican tick-
et, in the place of that of J. G. Tate's
who was not qualified by law to hold the
place if elected. Mr. Majors has many
friends hereabouts.

Johnson, Huffman, and Byrne re-
ceived a car load of salt.

A Mouser has traded his farm for a
section in Chase county.

N. E. Ballou is attending the reu-
nion at Superior this week.

James Turnbaugh returned from
his trip to Minnesota last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Burden are at
Kansas City visiting his brother.

John McCallum addressed the re-
publican club, last Thursday evening.

The Bladen Republican club is do-
ing good work and new members join
at every meeting.

The addition and improvements to
V. S. Hall's residence is rapidly being
pushed to completion.

Robert Wallace had the misfortune
to lose his cow by falling into a water
tank and broke her neck.

Randolph McNett will address the
Republican club, Thursday evening
Sept. 1st. A cordial invitation is ex-
tended to all.

The A. O. U. W. of this place is
gradually increasing in membership,
they initiated two new members at
their last meeting.

John Stout, S. W. Fulton and A.
Mouser left Monday evening for
Chase county, this state, with the
view to purchasing land.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1899

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

WEBSTER COUNTY DEMOCRATS.
They Meet in Mass Convention, Nomi-
nate a Full County Ticket and
Select Delegates.

Pursuant to call the democrats of
Webster county assembled in mass
convention at the court house in Red
Cloud, Saturday, August 30th, 1899.

The convention was called to order
by Thos. J. Ward, chairman of the
county central committee, who in a
neat speech congratulated the assem-
bly on the general outlook and urged
the nomination of a full county ticket.

On motion C. L. Pope, of Potsdam,
was made temporary chairman and A.
S. Marsh, of Red Cloud, temporary
secretary.

On motion the temporary organiza-
tion was made permanent.

On motion a committee of three,
consisting of H. G. Kohler, F. P.
Shields and T. J. Ward, was appointed
on order of business.

Committee on order of business re-
ports, report accepted and committee
discharged.

On motion H. W. Hall, of Glenwood
township, was nominated as the candi-
date for representative, by acclamation.

On motion Bernard McNeny, of Red
Cloud, was nominated for county attor-
ney, by acclamation.

Next in order being the selection of
delegates to the state convention, the
names of T. J. Ward, of Red Cloud
and C. L. Pope, of Potsdam, were placed
in nomination. There being no
other names before the convention and
there being two to elect, on motion
they were elected by acclamation. A
resolution instructing the delegates to
use all the honorable means at their
command to secure the nomination of
Prof. J. R. Thornton, of Blue Hill,
for State Superintendent of Public In-
struction, was introduced and adopted.

A ballot taken to select five delegates
to the congressional convention result-
ed in the election of W. A. Garrison,
F. P. Shields, C. E. Arnold, Bernard
McNeny and A. C. Sanford.

F. W. Shea was elected chairman of
the delegation to the senatorial conven-
tion with power to fill the delegation as
soon as the call is made and the num-
ber of delegates to which the county is
entitled is ascertained.

J. L. Greenlee was elected chairman
of the delegation to the float conven-
tion with power to fill the delegation
as soon as the call is made and the
number of delegates to which the county
is entitled is ascertained.

The following were selected to serve
as members of the county central com-
mittee for the ensuing year:

J. J. Martin, Chairman, Potsdam.
A. C. Sanford, Secretary, Walnut.
Ed. Hilton.....Potsdam.
H. W. Hall.....Glenwood
David Larriek.....Catherton.
C. E. Arnold.....Elm Creek
F. Weber.....Stillwater.
John DeLong.....Red Cloud township.
A. Conover.....Red Cloud, 1st ward.
Sam. Temple.....Red Cloud, 2nd ward.
Allen Ayers.....Inavale.
Thos. Blankenbaker.....Walnut.
Carl Kuehn.....Line.
R. S. Proudft.....Guide Rock.
J. D. Story.....Pleasant Hill.
Garfield, Beaver Creek and Oak
Creek have not yet named their com-
mitteemen.

On motion the committee was author-
ized to fill existing vacancies and any
others that may occur.

There being no further business, on
motion the convention adjourned.

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kidney and liver tonic. For sale by L.
H. Deyo.

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good and heavy mule teams. All
hauling promptly attended to your
orders solicited. JNO BARKLEY,
Proprietor.

"Late to bed and early to rise will
shorten the road to your home in the
skies." But early to bed and a "Little
Early Riser," the pill that makes life
longer and better and wiser. C. L.
Cotting.

Prairie Gem Items.

MR. EDITOR:—Perhaps it will be
of some interest to at least some of
THE CHIEF readers to see some items
from the north part of the county as
your paper has quite a circulation
among us.

The farmers are nearly all done
stacking and the whistle of the steam
thresher is heard every morning. Small
grain is turning out good, fall
wheat is making from 20 to 40 bush-
els per acre, and is testing 62 and 63
lbs. to the bushel. There will be a
large acreage of fall wheat sown this
fall, and mostly in corn, owing to the
dry weather delaying the farmers
from plowing and getting their ground
in shape for seeding.

There will be a Demerest silver
meddle contest held at Prairie Gem,
under the management of the I. O. G.
T. of that place.

We learn that Grandpa Nifer is
fast losing his mind, it will be re-
membered that Grandpa buried his
wife a short time ago and the aged
man is left alone, but has a host of
friends who sympathize with him and
trust he will be all right in a few days.

The Herman boys while moving
their Steam thresher at Mr. Booner's
Monday, ran onto a stump and knock-
ed the front trucks from under it and
disabled it so they were delayed for
sometime.

J. W. Keroheval made a flying trip
to Red Cloud Tuesday.

Last Thursday evening while some
of the Prairie Gem ladies were re-
turning from the concert at Blue Hill
were attacked by a dog that they
thought was mad and tried to get
them out of the buggy. No doubt
but the dog was mad for such is the
nature of the animal, but nevertheless
the girls were terrible excited and
came home making a terrible noise
calling for pa to bring the gun.

As news is scarce we will stop
and come again when we will have a bet-
ter crop.

A READER.

State Fair, Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 2
to 9. Tickets will be on sale Sept. 3d
to 9th inclusive. Return is limited
to Sept. 12th, for one fare for the
round trip plus 50 cents for admission
to fair grounds; also will have tickets
for one fare for the round trip plus
60 cents, which includes transporta-
tion between Lincoln and the grounds
and an admission to the fair.

On Thursday, Sept. 8th, there will
be a special train leave here at 4:45 a.
m. and arrive in Lincoln at 10:45 a.
m., returning, leave Lincoln 7 p. m.

A. CONOVER, Agt.

Matilda Fletcher is a young lady in
years, but she has already established a
national reputation. Her address is ear-
nest and pleasing, her voice is peculiarly
clear and distinct, but rich and full in
tone, and she reasons a case like a lawyer
who declines to stoop to claptrap or sen-
sationalism.—(Lincoln (Neb.) State Journal.

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a pure condition is
universally known,
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have perfectly pure
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breathe, the food
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the acidity and cures
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STOVES.

And will Discount Any Price in the Valley!
If you are building don't fail to call on him. FOR MONEY IS
WHAT YOU are TRYING TO SAVE.
Call in and get a Golden Gem.

LOST

McGinty to the bottom of the sea,
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ticket to the Webster County Fair with every
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