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For County Treasurer.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Webster County subject to the wishes of Democratic voters at the August primaries.

ALBERT V. DUCKER

For County Treasurer.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Webster County, subject to the approval of the Republican voters at the primary election in August.

FRANK STARR

Candidate for County Judge

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Judge, at the primary election to be held Aug. 20th, 1918, subject to the will of the electors of Webster County.

A. D. RANNEY

For County Treasurer

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Webster County subject to the wishes of the Democratic voters at the August primaries.

O. A. ARNOLD

For County Clerk

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Webster County subject to the wishes of the Democratic voters at the August primaries.

B. F. PERRY

For County Assessor

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Assessor of Webster County subject to the approval of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held in August.

C. A. HERRICK

For Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Webster County, subject to the approval of the Democratic voters at the August primaries.

Decoration Day

May thirtieth nineteen hundred eighteen.

Today!

Standing aloof 'mid civil holidays, without parallel or pattern before or after, May 30th, always a memorable occasion is today perhaps more so than any preceding or to follow.

Today people assemble and listen to eulogy of heroes gone on the long absence; recall tender memories of loved ones who are beyond the borders of the sky; cast flowers upon the graves of men who fought and died for the freedom of a race; and the while, in a far off land—a land black with smoke, red with blood—a new set of heroes battle for the freedom of the world.

Today a mere handful of gray-haired veterans are with us to tell of Civil War days—to tell of the thousands who answered Lincoln's call and fought under Scott, under McClellan, under Grant, from Sumpter to Appomattox. On a happy tomorrow a vast number fresh from the flaming forge of life will tell us of the world's war where opposing forces were numbered in millions:

Honor to those who are gone!

Honor to those who may go!

Today, assembled under command of a third great war president—Wilson—we commemorate the past and pray for the future. Pray that when again this sacred duty brings us together the wounds of a warring world may have healed 'neath the soothing ministry of Peace and the light of Liberty shine o'er earth unclouded for evermore.

The table value of common potatoes is vastly underestimated. They contain food elements that keep you fit. They are cheap and thereby save your pocketbook. They give the human furnace fuel for hard work. They contain salts that keep your body in order. Plenty of potatoes and exercise

make for the best of health. Eat potatoes and be ready for anything!

"Full steam ahead" is the administration order. There can be no pause of intermission now, and Congress will be on the job all summer. There will be no summer vacation in the great struggle across the water. Nor should there be any here.

When Napoleon, under pressure of dire necessity, sold to the United States the great territory of which Nebraska is a part and gave up hope of French colonial possessions in America, he uttered these prophetic words: "Perhaps, in future, Americans will be found too powerful for Europe." After more than a century, and under conditions now extant his thought is peculiarly significant.

There is at last a legitimate "con" game conservation. So long as the war lasts the food question must steadily grow more serious. There is no curative remedy—pallatives are all that can be applied. Ease the condition as much as possible. Make supplies last to the extreme limit. Saying an ounce per meal runs into an aggregate of thousands of tons daily. Plant every foot of ground possible. See that no bit of food goes to waste. Imperative requirements may be summed up in four words:—Produce much; waste nothing!

Some people incline to the idea that Hoover and the food administration are in the nature of obstacles. We ask that the older inhabitants recall and relate price-experiences as they existed during the civil war without the check of governmental control. Or take as an example the present prices in Holland. Pork \$1.10 per pound; beef \$2 per pound; sugar 30 cents per pound; coffee \$1.80 per pound; tea \$3 per pound, butter \$1.75 per pound; cheese 90 cents per pound; soft coal, \$24 per ton. Every week the people of Holland must secure food tickets. They are allowed one-half pound of bread and one-half pound of potatoes per day, one-half pound of sugar per week, and one ounce of coffee or one-half ounce tea weekly. Comparison proves that America is, under present war conditions, in very comfortable circumstances.

Nebraska's Corn Figures

The corn receipts of the Omaha Grain Exchange since January 1, 1918, are 20,000,000 bushels, or more than the entire receipts of the twelve months in 1917. Omaha is running a very close second to Chicago, and far in the lead of any other market, in fact Omaha's receipts are almost as much as the next three markets combined. Since the first of the year Omaha has jumped from sixth to fourth place in wheat receipts and from fifth to fourth place in oat receipts. These figures are indicative of the great wealth of Nebraska and Omaha's trade territory.

Hoover Appeals!

Federal Food Administrator, Herbert Hoover, and Gordon W. Wattles acting in the same capacity for Nebraska, sent out an appeal for conservation in meat and meat products that the same may be more equitably divided between the Allies and ourselves. They request that the consumption of all meats, including poultry, be as nearly as possible reduced to 2 pounds per person per week. Also that sugar be used economically to permit release of quantities required for canning purposes. Mr. Hoover says, further:

"But the situation with regard to wheat is the most serious in the food supply of the allied world. If we are to satisfy the minimum wheat requirements of our armies and the allies and the suffering millions in the allied countries our consumption of wheat in the United States, until the next harvest, must be reduced to approximately one-third of normal. It is inconceivable that we should fail in this crisis. For each of us who can personally contribute to the relief of human suffering it is a privilege not a sacrifice. All elements of our population cannot bear this burden equally, those engaged in physical labor need a larger bread ration than those in sedentary occupations. Because of the constant daily employment of women and the lack of home baking facilities many households in large urban centers require a food ration already prepared, such as the bakers' standard victory bread loaf. Furthermore we must constantly safeguard the special requirements of children and invalids.

"To meet the situation abroad and to prevent suffering at home it is imperative that all those whose circumstances permit shall abstain from wheat and wheat products in any form until the next harvest. It is realized and deeply appreciated that many organizations and some communities have already agreed to follow this plan."

Snow and freezing weather in Wyoming the past few days. Also in a portion of Canada. Nebraska is pretty good, after all.

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