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REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The republican electors of the state of Nebraska are requested to send delegates from their several counties to meet in convention in the city of Lincoln, Wednesday, July 23, 1890, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of making nomination candidates for the following state officers:

Governor.
Lieutenant Governor.
Secretary of State.
Auditor of Public Accounts.
State Treasurer.
Attorney General.
Commissioner of Public Lands and Buildings.
Superintendent of Public Instruction.

And the transaction of such other business as may come before the convention.

THE APPORTIONMENT.

The several counties are entitled to representation as follows, being based upon the vote cast for Hon. George H. Hastings, presidential elector in 1888, giving one delegate-at-large to each county, and one for each 150 votes and the major faction thereof.

COUNTIES.	DEL.	COUNTIES.	DEL.
Adams	14	Kearney	8
Arthur	1	Keya Paha	5
Antelope	10	Keith	3
Banner	3	Kimball	2
Blaine	2	Knox	8
Boone	9	Lancaster	39
Box Butte	6	Lincoln	9
Brown	5	Logan	2
Buffalo	16	Loup	2
Butler	11	Madison	10
Burt	12	McPherson	1
Cass	21	Merrick	9
Cedar	5	Nance	5
Chase	6	Nemaha	11
Cheyenne	6	Nuckolls	9
Cherry	6	Otoe	15
Clay	15	Pawnee	10
Colfax	7	Perkins	3
Cuming	8	Pierce	4
Custer	19	Phelps	9
Dakota	5	Platte	9
Dawes	9	Polk	7
Dawson	8	Red Willow	9
Deuel	3	Richardson	15
Dixon	7	Rock	5
Dodge	13	Saline	15
Douglas	69	Sarpy	3
Dundy	5	Saunders	15
Fillmore	14	Scott's Bluff	3
Franklin	7	Seward	13
Frontier	8	Sheridan	8
Furnas	10	Sherman	6
Gage	20	Sioux	2
Garfield	3	Stanton	4
Gosper	5	Thayer	10
Grant	2	Thomas	2
Greeley	4	Thurston	2
Hall	14	Valley	7
Hamilton	13	Washington	10
Harlan	8	Wayne	5
Hayes	4	Webster	10
Hitchcock	7	Wheeler	3
Holt	14	York	16
Howard	7	Unorganized Ter	1
Hooker	1		
Jefferson	13	Total	819
Johnson	9		

It is recommended that no proxies be admitted to the convention; that each county convention elect alternates, and that the delegates present be authorized to cast the full vote of the delegation.

L. D. RICHARDS, Chairman.
WALT M. SEELY, Secretary.

Republican County Convention.

A convention of the republicans of Sioux county is hereby called to meet at the court room in Harrison, on Saturday July 19, 1890, at 10 o'clock a. m., to elect 3 delegates to the state convention to be held at Lincoln on July 23, 1890, and delegates to the congressional convention of the 22 district; 3 delegates to the senatorial convention of the 30th district; 3 delegates to the representative convention of the 53d district, and to place in nomination a candidate for county commissioner from the first district and a candidate for county attorney, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention. The several precincts are entitled to representation as follows, being based on the vote cast for Hon. Geo. H. Hastings, for presidential elector in 1888:

Andrews	1
Antelope	2
Bowen	3
Bodarc	3
Cottonwood	4
Five Points	2
Hat Creek	2
Lower Running Water	2
Montrose	2
Running Water	3
Sheep Creek	1
Snake Creek	1
War Bonnet	3
White River	3
Total	32

It is recommended that no proxies be admitted, but that those delegates present from any precinct be empowered to cast the vote of the full delegation.

L. J. SIMMONS, Chairman.
S. H. JONES, Secretary.

To Govern Republican Primaries.

The republican county central committee of Sioux county, at their meeting at the court house in Harrison, on Saturday, June 21, 1890, adopted the following rules and regulations to govern the republican primaries as called in the various precincts of Sioux county:

Rule I.—At each primary election there shall be selected by the republican electors present at the time and place fixed for opening the polls, from their number one inspector and two clerks of election; said inspector and clerks shall take the oath or affirmation as prescribed by law for judges and clerks of election. In case there shall be no judge, justice of the peace or notary public present at the opening of the polls, the inspector may administer the oath or affirmation to the clerks and either of the clerks may administer the oath to the inspector, and the person administering the oath or affirmation shall make an entry thereof in the poll book and subscribe to the same, the said inspectors shall have power to administer oaths and affirmations to those offering to vote and in all questions of dispute the clerks shall decide with the inspector.

Rule II.—The chairman of the county central committee shall, prior to each primary election, furnish poll books, ballots, tally sheets and blanks prescribed by law, signed by the county clerk, to the inspectors and deliver them to the sheriff of the county who shall deliver them in the several precincts to the inspectors of the central committee who shall deliver the same to the persons designated at the primary election.

Rule III.—The clerks of the election shall set down in the poll books the name of each person voting in the manner and form prescribed by law in the case of a general election. There shall be attached to each poll book a certificate signed by the inspector and clerks, showing the list of names of the persons voting at said election. When the poll is closed the inspector and clerks shall immediately proceed to publicly canvass the vote and ascertain the result of the election, and in making such canvass the inspector and clerks shall be governed by the laws of Nebraska appertaining to the canvas at a general election and said inspector and clerks shall attach to the poll book a certificate signed by them, showing the number of votes received by each person voted for. After the canvas is completed and not later than the day next preceding the day of the county convention succeeding such primary election, the inspector shall deliver to the chairman of the county central committee the poll books, duly certified, with the ballots cast at said election, and the said chairman shall safely preserve said books and ballots for the period of one year and the same shall at all times be open to inspection by any republican elector.

Rule IV.—No person shall be entitled to vote at any republican primary election hereafter held in Sioux county, Nebraska, save republicans as hereinafter defined by the the fifth rule hereof, and who if challenged shall take the oath or affirmation hereinafter prescribed by the sixth rule hereof.

Rule V.—Republicans are hereby defined to be those legal voters, under the laws of Nebraska, who support and vote for, and who will at the general election next succeeding a republican primary election support and vote for the candidates of the republican party, whether said candidates shall have been or shall be nominated by a national, state, district or county convention, or by a precinct caucus.

Rule VI.—If any person offering to vote is challenged by one of the inspectors of election or by an elector as defined by these rules, the inspector shall tender him the following oath or affirmation: "You do solemnly swear (or affirm) that you are a citizen of the United States (or have declared your intention to become such) that you have been a resident of the the state of Nebraska for the past six months and of the county of Sioux for the last forty days, that you have attained the age of twenty-one years to the best of your knowledge and belief, or that you will possess the foregoing qualifications of an elector at or before the next general election, and that you have been a resident of this precinct for the last ten days, and that it is your purpose and intention to vote at the next general election next succeeding this primary, for the candidates of the republican party, who have already been or who may be nominated by a national, state, district or county convention or by a precinct caucus, and that at the last general election you voted for such nominees. So help you God." And it shall be the duty of the clerks of election to write in the poll books at the end of such person's name "sworn." If any person challenged shall refuse to take the oath or affirmation hereinbefore provided for, his vote shall be rejected.

S. H. JONES, Secretary. L. J. SIMMONS, Chairman.

The answers to the Turner letters regarding the publication of anti-prohibition matter in various newspapers of Nebraska is calling out a good deal of comment. Some of the fraternity who were caught in the trap appear to think they were imposed upon and the prohibitionists seem to think they did a "cute" thing. It looks to us as if it was about a stand-off. The prohibitionists stooped to misrepresentation and deception, and a number of the newspapers made offers to accept cold cash for the use of their columns in opposing the prohibition movement. Many of the papers had already expressed themselves as opposed to the amendment and the opportunity to get the kind of argument they wanted and at the same time get paid for it was just the kind of a chance they were looking for. It is on the same plan of advertising followed by a great many business men. It is noticed during state fair, county fair and exposition time that the papers have a great deal to say of certain men or firms and their exhibits while others are not mentioned at all and the majority of the readers wonder why John Smith is puffed in the paper and Jones and Jincks ignored when the latter are far more entitled to notice. If they were permitted to look over the books of the newspaper they would soon learn the reason. The editor has to be paid for advertising and Smith will put up while Jones and Jinks will not.

CHAMBERLAIN'S
Eye and Skin Ointment.

A certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Old Chronic Sores, Fever Sores, Eczema, Itch, Prairie Scratches, Sore Nipples and Piles. It is cooling and soothing. Hundreds of cases have been cured by it after all other treatment had failed. 25 and 50 cent boxes for sale by

C. H. Andrews, Druggist.

A report has been sent out to the effect that President Harrison has said he would not be a candidate for a second term. It is generally considered to be an unauthorized statement.

Hon. A. H. Connor, of Kearney, is being talked of by his friends as a candidate for governor, but he has not yet said he would attempt to get the nomination. If Gen. Connor desires to come before the convention let him get in line so that voters can look at him. This is not the year for dark horses in Nebraska politics.

The work of the prohibitionists is being met by active work on the part of the business men of the state who are organizing to oppose the measure. The indications are that the Turner letters will prove a boomerang for the amendment agitators for the masses see little difference between a newspaper being paid for publishing and an orator being paid for talking.

On Saturday, R. W. Windsor stated to the republican county central committee that the committee of which he was secretary was composed partly of democrats, and on Monday he went to Chadron to prepare to take a position in the Alliance land office. We wonder how he will explain to his superior officer how he is entitled to a position under a straight republican officer after the statement he made Saturday. Mr. Windsor may be competent to fill the position, but such appointments will not tend to strengthen the republican party in this locality.

The demand of the voters of Nebraska that good men be selected for state officials is demonstrating the fact that the state contains plenty of good men who are not at all afraid of having their record examined by those at whose hands they seek favors. Under the present existing circumstances no man whose record is not good will dare let his ambitions be known and the outlook for "dark horse" candidates is unusually gloomy. The rank and file of the republican party want to know who the men are in whose hands they are asked to place the affairs of state, and woe to the aspirant to office who dares deceive them.

There is a fight among the republicans of of Douglas county. One side is headed by Gen. Paul Vandervoort and the other by Hon. E. Rosewater. In order to have some objective point for concerted action the latter faction got up a request to Dr. S. D. Mercer to permit the use of his name as a candidate for governor and the request was granted. Dr. Mercer is one of the most highly respected and wealthy citizens of Omaha, and is reported to be clean and honorable and if he goes into the race he will carry considerable strength, unless the prediction of those who have been watching the matter comes true. That prediction is either a divided delegation or a double-header to the state convention. As Douglas county casts 69 votes in the state convention, a split would produce a peculiar state of affairs.

When the free silver coinage bill was before the senate, both the Nebraska senators voted for it, thereby acting in accordance with the desires of the majority of the people of their state. When the matter was before the house, Congressman Connell voted for it and Congressmen Laws and Dorsey voted against. The silver bill is not a party measure. It is a question between the debtors and creditors in the United States. To quite an extent the east represents the creditor class and the west the debtor class and every western man who opposes the free silver coinage opposes the prosperity of those who sent him there. It is hoped that the entire delegation from the west will exert every effort to secure free silver coinage as it will do more to assist the people of the west than any other measure which has been proposed. It is safe to predict that those who opposed the measure will be invited to stay at home after the expiration of their present term of office.

Congressional Figures.

Inter Ocean.

The apportionment of congressmen to population, as made by the act of March 1883, is one representative to every 151,912 people. The state of Oregon cast 54,266 votes for its single representative in the fiftieth congress, so that, as five women and minors generally are represented by one voter, the solitary congressman from Oregon is charged with the interests of about a quarter million of people. But, however this may be, the fact is that it took the action of 54,266 voters to secure the election of one republican congressman from Oregon. It took only 27,475 votes to secure the election of ten democrats from Georgia. In Georgia each congressman represents 2,747 votes. In Oregon one congressman represents 54,266.

This is not an exceptional condition. The aggregate vote cast for all the congressmen returned by the states of South Carolina, Mississippi, Georgia and Louisiana in 1888 was 250,811; the number of congressmen from these states is thirty. Every one of these was elected as a democrat. But in Indiana it took 461,987 votes to elect no more than thirteen congressmen, of whom nine were democrats. In Kansas it took 271,571 votes to elect seven congressmen. Thus Indiana cast nearly twice as many votes for the election of thirteen congressmen as the combined states of Louisiana, Georgia, Mississippi and South Carolina cast for the election of thirty; and Kansas cast more votes for the election of her seven members than the four chief states of the south cast for the election of their thirty. This does not look like government by a majority of the people. Something is wrong where less than a tenth of the persons entitled to vote are recorded as not voting for congressmen, and figures prove this to be the condition in Georgia. Either thousands of votes actually cast are not counted, or thousands of voters are intimidated from appearing at the polls, or the ignorance of the people is appalling. If nine men out of every ten qualified to vote for congressmen voluntarily abstain from voting one of two conditions may be predicted with certainty: either the right of speech is so trammeled as to prevent that discussion of affairs which inevitably leads to political excitement, or there is such general ignorance as discussion cannot enlighten. Either condition is disgraceful to the "Empire State of the South," and one of the conditions must exist. It is the former. Free speech does not exist in Georgia; therefore free voting cannot exist.

There are not less than twenty congressional districts of northern states in every one of which a larger vote was cast for the election of a single congressman than was polled for the election of ten "representatives" from Georgia, not one of whom does represent the people of his district, but only the oligarchs who had tricked or frightened nine-tenths of the voters out of the right of suffrage. Figures such as these prove a national election law to be a national necessity.

The action of the Interior department withdrawing practically all the unoccupied territory of the United States, for a little time created a good deal of anxiety. It includes twenty counties of Nebraska. The western senators have the matter in hand and it is likely that relief will be provided in a very short time. As the order now stands it will prevent any enteries being made and also invalidate all enteries made since August 2, 1888. No fears need be entertained as the rights of the settlers will be protected, and the action of the department of the interior was evidently for the purpose of calling the matter up.

The following item, clipped from the Ft. Madison, Iowa, *Democrat*, contains information well worth remembering: "Mr. John Roth of this city, who met with an accident a few days ago spraining and bruising his leg and arm quite severely, was cured by one 50 cent bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm." This remedy is without an equal for sprains and bruises and should have a place in every household. For sale by C. H. Andrews.

Highest Price
Paid for
County Warrants
at the
BANK OF HARRISON.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATE OFFICERS:

John M. Thayer.....Governor, Lincoln, Neb.
Geo. D. Meiklejohn.....Lieutenant Governor
B. R. Cowdery.....Secretary of State
T. H. Benton.....Auditor
John E. Hill.....Treasurer
William Leese.....Attorney General
John Steen.....Land Commissioner
Geo. B. Lane.....Supt. Public Instruction
D. Hopkins.....Warden of Penitentiary
W. M. Knapp.....Supt. Hospital for Insane

CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION:

A. S. Paddock.....U. S. Senator, Beatrice
C. F. Manderson.....U. S. Senator, Omaha
W. J. Connell, Congressman 1st Dist., Omaha
G. L. Laws, " 2d " McCook
Geo. W. E. Dorsey, " 3d " Fremont

JUDICIARY:

Amasa Cobb.....Chief Justice, Lincoln
S. Maxwell.....Associate Judge, Fremont
T. L. Norval.....Associate Judge, Seward
W. A. Leese.....Clerk and Reporter, Seward

TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

M. P. Kinkaid.....Judge, O'Neill
Conrad Lindeman.....Clerk, Harrison

COUNTY OFFICERS:

S. Barker.....County Judge
Conrad Lindeman.....Clerk
M. J. Gayhart.....Treasurer
A. Southworth.....Supt. Public Instruction
Thos. Reidy.....Sheriff
Geo. J. Shafer.....Coroner
A. R. Dew.....Surveyor
Conrad Lindeman.....Clerk of District Court
Geo. Walker.....County Attorney

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS:

Don M. Weir, (chairman).....1st District
Chas. U. Grove.....2d "
J. A. Green.....3d "

LEGISLATIVE:

A. Bartow...Senator, District No. 14, Chadron
G. W. Simonson....Rep., Dist. No. 53, Alliance

PRECINCT.

S. L. R. Maine.....Justice of the Peace
H. Merrifield..... " "
R. K. Post.....Constable

VILLAGE OFFICERS:

W. R. Smith (chairman).....Trustee
J. F. Pfost..... "
J. C. Northrop..... "
E. D. Satterlee..... "
R. W. Windsor..... "
A. J. Babcock.....Clerk
D. P. Davis.....Treasurer

SCHOOL OFFICERS:

S. L. R. Maine.....Director
W. R. Smith.....Moderator
D. H. Griswold.....Treasurer

TERMS OF COURT:

District Court,—At Harrison, commences April 15th and September 23d, 1890.
County Court,—At Harrison, commences first Monday of each month.

Grant Guthrie,

—DEALER IN—

Lumber,
Lime,
Grain
—AND—
Coal.

—ALSO—

AGENT FOR WIND MILLS AND PUMPS.

B. E. BREWSTER, President. C. F. COFFEE, Vice Pres.

CHAS. C. JAMESON, Cashier.

Commercial Bank.

[INCORPORATED.]

—A—

General Banking Business

—TRANSACTED.—

HARRISON, - - - NEBRASKA.

Fourth of July Excursion.

Excursion tickets will be sold July 3d and 4th, good returning to July 5th, to any point within 200 miles, for one fare for the round trip.

J. C. NORTHROP.

Home Seekers Excursion.

Excursion tickets will be sold from points east of the Missouri river to stations on this line, on May 20th, Sept. 9th and 23rd, and Oct. 14th. Tickets will be good for return, thirty days from date of sale. Stop over priveleges will be allowed in either direction during life of ticket.

E. J. WILCOX

Owns the following brand on right hip or left side. W X

Range on Monroe creek. P. O. Harrison, Neb'r.

FINAL PROOF NOTICES.

All persons having final proof notices in this paper will receive a marked copy of the paper and are requested to examine their notice and if any errors exist report the same to this office at once.

Consolidated Notice for Publication.
Land Office at Chadron, Nebraska, May 9, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Conrad Lindeman, clerk of the district court, at Harrison, Nebraska, on July 8, 1890, viz:

Count R. Wadsworth, of Harrison, Neb., who made D. S. No. 2185, for the w½ se¼ and e½ sw¼ sec 9, tp 31, r 56.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Richard Simler, John Corbin, Robert Wilson, Kellum P. Lindsey, all of Harrison, Neb. Also

Louisa P. Wadsworth, of Harrison, Neb. who made D. S. No. 2448 for the s½ se¼ sec 8, and n½ ne¼ sec 17, tp 31, r 56.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Richard Simler, John Corbin, Robert Wilson, Kellum P. Lindsey, all of Harrison, Neb.

[27-42] W. H. MCCANN, Register.

Consolidated Notice For Publication.
Land Office at Chadron, Neb., June 2, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Conrad Lindeman the clerk of the district court at Harrison, Neb., on July 14, 1890, viz:

Peter Scheitel, of Montrose, Nebr., who made D. S. No. 1849, for the se¼ sec 22, tp 34, r 56.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Jacob Dometshauser, John Weber, Jacob Henry, all of Montrose, Nebr., and Wilhelm Schultz of Harrison, Nebr. Also

Jacob Dometshauser, of Harrison, Neb., who made D. S. No. 2000 for the e½ nw¼ n½ sw¼ sec 2, tp 33, r 56.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Hans Denker, Ferdinand Podoll, Chas. Saulier, Peter Scheitel, all of Harrison, Nebr. Also

Rachael J. Walker, of Collins Neb., who made D. S. No. 2149 for the se¼ sec 3, tp 34, r 56.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: T. Snyder, of Harrison, Nebr., George Todd, William Pollard, R. A. Walker, all of Collins, Nebr.

[28-43] W. H. MCCANN, Register.

Road Notice to Land Owners.

To all whom it may concern:

It appearing to the Board of County Commissioners that the public good requires the following section lines to be opened as public roads, to-wit: Commencing at nw corner of sec. 11, twp. 31, r 56, thence south 1 mile, thence east 1 mile, thence south 1 mile, thence east 1 mile, thence south on twp. line 6 miles. Also from sw corner sec. 13, twp. 31, r 56 thence due south three miles. Also commencing at nw corner sec. 5, twp. 32, r 56 thence east to se corner sec. 33, twp. 33 r 56, it is therefore ordered that all objections thereto or claims for damges must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 15th day of August, 1890 or roads will be established without reference thereto.

[27-40] CONRAD LINDEMAN, County Clerk.

THE
IMPORTED PERCHERON
STALLION,

BARBARIN

10256. 10135.

Will make the season of 1890 at my place on Warbonnet creek, 3 miles west of C. F. Coffee's, except Fridays and Saturdays when he will stand at Montrose.

Description and Pedigree. Barbarin is a black-gray; star in forehead; foaled March 27, 1886; imported 1888; weight 1,800 lbs. Bred by M. Dorchene, Commune of Coulognes les Sablons, Department of Orne. Got by Rouillard 10133, he by Favori, belonging to M. Champeon.

TERMS—$15 to insure with foal.

Due and payable when the mare is known to be with foal or upon her removal from the county or change of ownership.

Care will be taken to prevent accidents but I will be responsible for none.

A. W. MOHR, Owner.

L. E. BELDEN & SON,

Wagon and Carriage Makers.

Repairing done on short notice.

Good work and reasonable charges.

Shop south of livery barn.

HARRISON, - - - NEB.