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Republican State Ticket.

For Justice of the Supreme Court,
T. O. C. HARRISON, of Grand Island.

For Regents of the State University (full term),
H. D. ESTABROOK, of Omaha,
CHARLES WESTON, of Hay Springs.

For Regent of the State University (to fill vacancy),
C. W. KALKY, of Webster.

Citizens County Ticket.

For County Treasurer,
H. S. WOODRUFF, of Five Points.

For County Clerk,
M. J. BLEWETT, of Montrose.

For County Sheriff,
A. R. DEW, of Warbonnet.

For County Judge,
O. J. GOWEY, of Cook.

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction,
W. H. DAVIS, of Bowen.

For County Surveyor,
S. L. ELLIS, of Warbonnet.

For County Coroner,
J. E. PHINNEY, of Bowen.

Citizens District Ticket.

For Commissioner, 1st District,
FRANK TINKHAM, of Five Points.

To the Republicans of Sioux County.

In view of the fact that the republican party in convention assembled did not place any men before the people as the candidates of said party, we denounce any one attempting to run for any office in Sioux county, in the campaign of 1893, as republicans, as doing so without authority of the party and should not receive the support of republicans at the polls.

M. J. O'CONNELL,
Chairman Republican Co.
Central Committee.

The Citizens Ticket.

During the past week the petitions for the Citizens Ticket have been filed in the office of the county clerk. The names of the candidates were put on the petitions after having been discussed by twenty-seven men, representing eight precincts and the petitions as filed are signed by one hundred and twelve of the electors of Sioux county. That fact proves conclusively that they are not the candidates of any little ring or clique who desire to control them in their official capacity.

Every man on the ticket is well worthy the support of any man. Each one of them is fully qualified to perform the duties of the office for which he is a candidate. There is not a man among them whose record will not bear inspection by all. They are men who are supported the most earnestly by those who know them best.

At the head of the ticket appears the name of
H. S. WOODRUFF,
the nominee for county treasurer. He is a middle aged man, has a family and has resided in Five Points precinct for the past four years. He has resided in Nebraska for nine years and has been engaged in farming and stock raising. He is a man of good personal appearance and is thoroughly qualified for the position. He has never been a candidate for office before and consented to enter the race only at the solicitation of his friends. He is a quiet, unassuming man and those who have known him for years all vouch for him as a man of honor and integrity.

The next name on the ticket is
M. J. BLEWETT,
the candidate for county clerk. Mr. Blewett is quite well known to the people of Sioux county, having resided in Montrose precinct for the past seven years. He came here a poor boy and has had to work for all he has and his surplus earnings have been used to improve his land. His standing as a man and a citizen is equal to that of any resident of the county. He has the ability and education to amply fit him for the office of county clerk and the people may rest assured that if that important office is entrusted to his care every interest of the county will have proper care and attention. No one need hesitate to vote for him.

The third name on the ticket is that of
A. R. DEW,
the candidate for sheriff. To those who see frequent visitors at Harrison and to the people of Warbonnet precinct, which is his home, there is no need for us to say a word for they all know Bert Dew. He has resided in Sioux county for more than five years, and has had as much or more to contend with than the average of the householders. In addition to his family he supports an aged and crippled mother-in-law and three orphan nephews whom he has to provide for. He is a man of good personal appearance and is a man of good standing in his precinct. There was

excellent, both for honesty and ability. He is not a giant, but he has nerve enough to go wherever the duties of sheriff would call him and not "lose his head." He has had much business experience and is in every way qualified for the office of sheriff and there is no reason why he should not be earnestly supported at the polls.

On the ticket as candidate for county judge the name of
O. J. GOWEY,
of Cook precinct, appears. Mr. Govey's home is so far from the county seat that he seldom gets here. He and his sons have resided there for some years and are engaged in farming and stock-raising. He is a man of sterling integrity and good judgment and would perform the duties of the office of county judge in a fair, honest, and impartial manner. He was for years a resident of Seward county where he enjoyed the confidence and respect of all who knew him. He has never been an office-seeker and is well deserving of the support of all.

There is no more important position in the county than that of superintendent of public instruction and for that office
W. H. DAVIS,
of Bowen precinct is the nominee. Mr. Davis has almost grown up in Sioux county. He is highly qualified for the office, as he holds a first grade certificate and has had two years experience as principal of the schools of Harrison. He has been an active worker in the institutes of the county for years so that he is in touch with the school work of the county and will be able to handle the work of the office to the best interest of the taxpayers and the patrons of the schools, and the people of Sioux county will be advancing their own interests by electing W. H. Davis.

S. L. ELLIS,
of Warbonnet precinct, is the nominee for surveyor. He is a man of good education and natural ability who has resided in Sioux county for some years. He will fill the office as well as any man who is not a trained engineer and knows enough about the business to fill the office to the satisfaction of all. As a man his standing is good and any one who supports him will have no reason to regret it.

DR. J. E. PHINNEY,
of Bowen precinct, is the nominee for coroner and as there is no one against him his election is certain, and all will find him honest and capable.

The people of the first commissioner district composed of Antelope, Five Points, Hat Creek, Montrose and Warbonnet precincts have nominated
FRANK TINKHAM,
of Five Points precinct, as the Citizens candidate for county commissioner. It is needless to say a word about him to those who know him for he stands high with them. He is a man of honor and good business ability, who has a mind of his own and would be under the control of no one in his official acts. Any who do not know him need not hesitate to vote for him if they want the affairs of the county looked after in an honest and intelligent manner.

There you have the men who compose the Citizens ticket. All are good men. All are honest men. All are men qualified to fill the offices for which they have been nominated. Look the list over carefully. Investigate the men and their records and you will find that every one of them is worthy of the support of all honest men at the polls.

Ringmaster Verity's whip was long enough to control the convention and put up his ticket, but will it reach the voters on election day?

We have felt it in our bones all along that some dice calamity would overtake us before the campaign was over, and sure enough it has—H. Grammar Stewart is stumping the county. What have the people of Dawes county done that they should be made to suffer in this manner? Stewart may be laying the pipes for congress to succeed Kem, but even that is a poor and insufficient excuse—Chadron Citizen.

Ringmaster Verity, who is a very wise man, announced that Coffee was to run the meeting which decided who should be put on the Citizens ticket to oppose the ticket put up by Verity at his circus. As Coffee was not in town on the day the petitions were gotten up Mr. Verity put in his paper that Coffee's hired man was put on for clerk. Mr. Blewett informed us on Saturday that he had never worked for Coffee in his life. The nearest he came to doing so being when he worked for F. W. Bartlett when he was running the 7 box outfit in Wyoming, in which Coffee had an interest. Such a course is all that can be expected on the part of Ringmaster Verity. If the "little fool" who runs THE JOURNAL said any such thing Mr. Verity would call him a liar.

The pop editor who played the part of ringmaster at the convention of the party which he is running this year, appears to take it very much to heart because THE JOURNAL refers to E. G. Hough as a bolter because he insists on going before the people as a petition candidate for county treasurer under the title of republican, when that party made no nominations. The card of the chairman of the republican county central committee which appears elsewhere in this issue shows the position which he takes on the point. As Mr. Verity is a very smart man he would do nothing without a reason and perhaps by a little effort the cause of his position may be found and in order to do that a little history may help along. In the summer of 1889 E. G. Hough came to Sioux county and made a pre-emption filing and later in the season his family arrived. At the election of 1889 he ran for county judge and was defeated the worst of any man on the ticket. About a year after that he got himself appointed postmaster at Harrison. He proved up on his claim and before he had become a legal resident of the village he got himself appointed as one of the village trustees. In 1891 in order to have a finger in school matters he set up the pins and had his wife elected a member of the school board. In 1892 while he still was postmaster, he was a candidate for the legislature but failed to get the nomination. Mr. Verity, knowing Hough to be a chronic office-seeker laid his plans to use him. A little smooth work by Ringmaster Verity accomplished what he desired and Mr. Hough was a red-hot candidate for county treasurer before he was out of the postoffice. It was quite evident at the independent convention that Judge Barker's action did not suit Ringmaster Verity and he only allowed him to be nominated because he did not dare do otherwise after having gone as far as he had. It is well known that Verity and his ring have no use for Barker. That has been proven by the last three village elections and the ring does want some one it can handle and everything indicates that if Ringmaster Verity can get matters arranged properly the outfit will desert Barker and throw its strength to Hough. That is why the editor of the Independent is standing up for Mr. Hough and when the return come they will prove it.

Must be Taxed.

The following is the report of the opinion of the supreme court in the matter of the assessment of improvements on government land before final proof has been made. It will be remembered that the question came up at the meeting of the assessors in 1891 and the opinion of the county attorney was asked. He said that in his opinion improvements should be assessed, but the assessors by vote decided not to list them. County Attorney Conley then decided to take the question to the supreme court and have it settled and the following is what appeared in the Lincoln Journal of October 19th:

State ex rel Sioux County vs Tucker. Error from Sioux county. Reversed and remanded. Opinion by Commissioner Irvine.

Improvements on land held under the pre-emption, homestead and timber culture laws of the United States, on which final proof has not been made, are subject to taxation against the persons owning such improvements.

2. The leasehold interest of a tenant of school lands belonging to the state is subject to taxation.

3. School lands sold by the state but to which the equitable title of the purchaser has not been completed by full payment of the purchase money are subject to taxation to the extent of the purchaser's interest therein, such interest to be determined by the amount paid and invested in improvements on such lands.

Mr. Verity attempts to make out that the "little fool" who runs THE JOURNAL slandered Judge Barker in stating that he was a republican, and tries to mix up business and politics. The treatment accorded Judge Barker during the time the editor of this paper has resided in Sioux county has been fully as consistent and honorable as has that given him by Mr. Verity, and Barker has never used money matters to influence the policy of this paper. For months the editor of THE JOURNAL advocated that Barker be nominated by the republicans and he was almost as much surprised as was Ringmaster Verity when he came before the independent convention and said he was in full sympathy with the principles of that party. It is simply an attempt by Verity to make stuff.

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 notices and if any errors exist report the same to this office at once.

Notice for Publication.
Land Office at Chadron, Neb., Oct. 16, 1893.

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, Neb., on November 27th, 1893, viz:

Edwin B. Campbell, of Adels, Neb., who made H. E. entry No. 284 for the north east 1/4, sec. 22, tp. 33 n., r. 54 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Michael J. O'Connell, Frank Q. Meyer, Robert Harrison, Herbert S. Woodruff, all of Adels, Neb.

W. H. McCANN, Register.

Notice for Publication.
Land Office at Chadron, Neb., Oct. 16, 1893.

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 October 25, 1893, viz:

Edward P. Maine, of Harrison, Neb., who made H. E. entry No. 284 for the north east 1/4, sec. 22, tp. 33 n., r. 54 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Dwight H. Griswold, Grant Guthrie, John E. Marsteller, Eggert Konwer, all of Harrison, Neb.

Edward P. Maine, of Harrison, Neb., who made T. C. E. No. 198 for the lot 1, sec. 4, T. 31 N., R. 56 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Dwight H. Griswold, Eggert Konwer, John E. Marsteller, Grant Guthrie, all of Harrison, Neb.

W. H. McCANN, Register.

Sheriff Sale.

By virtue of an Alias order of sale directed to me from the clerk of the district court in and for the county of Sioux, Nebraska, on judgment obtained in said court on the third day of August, 1892, in favor of Sarah C. P. Bassett as plaintiff and against Frank Simmons, Mary Simmons, Sarah E. Davis and D. F. Davis as defendants, for the sum of \$407.50 and costs, taxed at \$1.00 and accruing costs, I have levied on the following real estate as the property of defendants to satisfy said order of sale, to-wit: Lot number sixteen (16) in Block number Six (6) in the village of Harrison, Sioux County, Nebraska, and will offer the same for sale to the highest bidder for cash in hand on the twenty-eighth day of October, 1893, at two o'clock, P. M., of said day at the front door of the Court House of Sioux County, Nebraska, that being the building in which the last term of the District Court was held, at which time and place due attendance will be given by the undersigned.

THOS. REIDY,
Sheriff of said County.

Legal Notice.

To John Gangebaugh and Mrs. Gangebaugh, his wife, christian name unknown, non-resident defendants.

You are hereby notified that on the 28th day of May, 1893, Ernest E. Urepin, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the district court of Sioux county, Nebraska, against John Gangebaugh, Mrs. Gangebaugh, his wife christian name unknown, John Ashton and Mrs. Ashton, his wife, christian name unknown, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by said John Gangebaugh to the Western Farm Mortgage Company upon the N. E. 1/4 of section 22, township 33, N., range 54 west, in Sioux county, Nebraska, given to secure a promissory note for \$250.00 of even date therewith, due 2 years from date, with interest at 7 per cent per annum and ten per cent after maturity. The plaintiff is now the owner and holder of said note and mortgage and default has been made in the payment thereof and in the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and there is now due thereon the sum of \$324.25 cents with interest at 10 per cent from the first day of May, 1893.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 27th day of November, 1893.

ERNEST E. UREPIN,
By W. W. Wood, his Attorney.
1st publication Oct. 19, 1893. [57]

Order of Hearing on Petition for Appointment of Administrator.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, 1893.
SIOUX COUNTY.

At a session of the County Court, held at the County Court room, in and for said county, October 12, A. D. 1893.

Present, S. Barker, County Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Rosetta M. Mason, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of James T. Mason, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to him as administrator.

ORDERED, That November 13, A. D. 1893, at 11 o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the SIOUX COUNTY JOURNAL, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for four successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.

[REAL] [A True copy.]
[6-5] S. BARKER, County Judge.

Notice—Timber Culture.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
ALLIANCE, NEB., Oct. 11, 1893.

Complaint 586 having been filed at this office by Ansel L. Nicholson against Burgess W. McClure for failure to comply with law as to timber culture, entry No. 5664, dated Oct. 23, 1890, upon the lot 24 and 25, sec. 36, nr. 3 section 2, township 27, range 54, in Sioux county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that said land has had no trees growing thereon since Oct. 23, 1891, and that claimant has not caused to be cultivated or planted 40 trees, seed or cuttings any part thereof since Oct. 23, 1891, and said defects still exist; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 11 day of Dec., 1893, at 10 o'clock, a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

Testimony of witnesses will be taken before John A. Green, a notary public, at his office at Rotville, Neb., Dec. 4, 1893, at 10 a. m.

JAS. H. DANFELS,
Receiver.

SULLIVAN & CONLEY, Lawyers.

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