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Democratic Ticket.



For President,
WM. J. BRYAN,
of Nebraska.
For Vice President,
ARTHUR SEWALL,
of Maine.

THE COMMON PEOPLE

are tired of the old, worn-out chestnut of "protection" and "free trade," having heard it harped upon all their lives. The only thing that will restore AMERICAN PROSPERITY IS THE FREE AND UNLIMITED coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1—And that's what we are going to have—and WITHOUT WAITING FOR THE CONSENT OF ANY OTHER NATION ON EARTH.

Ex-Gov. Robert E. Pattison, Pennsylvania's reform Governor, is the latest to publicly declare his support of Bryan and Sewall, and the money of the Constitution.—(W. Va.) Register.

Vice President Stevenson has come out for Bryan and Sewall and in support of the Chicago platform. It makes no difference how the election in November terminates, the gold bug democrats will never again cut as big a figure as the prohibition party does now.

Palmer, of Illinois, and Buckner, of Kentucky, were selected as standard bearers for the McKinley "democrats" at their convention on Sept. 3. The ticket was put up with the intention of helping McKinley but it is difficult to tell what effect it will have. The "democrats" who support Palmer would have voted for McKinley if the new ticket was not placed in the field.

BEREA.

L. A. Curtis is on Snake creek putting up hay.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fodness, a boy. All parties doing well.
Eda Mastrud will attend school in Hemingford this term.
Galena Curtis, Mary Eberly and Arta Johnson have gone to Alliance to attend school this fall.
Rev. Wornon preached to a well-filled house last Sunday, at Mr. Garrett's place.
Miss Edna Johnson is teaching the school in district No. 12 this term, and Miss Pearl Benedict has secured the school in district No. 13 which will commence later in the fall.
Bids will be received by Dist. No. 81, until Sept. 10, 1896, for building a sod school house 24x16 inside, walls to be 9ft high; all material to be furnished by the district. For further particulars apply to officers of the board.
MATT RASMUSSEN, Director.

Educational.

Office days of Co. Supt. are Mondays and Saturdays of each week. Teacher's examination the third Saturday of each month.

Any teacher who has not a State Course of Study should send to Co. Supt. at once for a copy and adopt it in his school this year.

The first meeting of our Co. Teachers' Association for this year will be held in Hemingford school building Sept. 26th at 1:30 p. m. The work and plans for the year will be decided upon. Every teacher in the county is expected to be present and those interested in the cause are cordially invited. Programme for Sept. 26, 1896.

Music.
Paper—"Methods of teaching U. S. History"—Miss Ida Linson.
Discussion of paper.

Paper—"Benefits of Reading Circles"—John Baumgardner.
Discussion of the same.

Music.
Organization of Reading Circle.
Committee on music, Judge Spacht.

By order of committee,
INA I. MARSHALL, Sec.

EDITOR HERALD:—The Bryan club has challenged the McKinley club in Box Butte precinct for a joint discussion on the money question but three of their leaders politely declined, saying that the money question is too deep for the farmers to talk on and that a farmer would only spoil their side and McKinley would be the loser.

Now Mr. Editor those republican howlers remind me of a story: Farmer Brown met Farmer McGinty. Brown bet McGinty one dollar to a pint that McG. couldn't swallow an egg without breaking the shell, but after McG. swallowed the egg a second sober thought struck him, saying if I jump about I'll break that egg and cut my stomach with the shell; if I keep quite the darn thing will hatch out and I'll have a shanghai rooster clawing my insides. Now Mr. Editor we want to say to those few rural gold bugs that whenever their stomachs are strong enough to endure sound argument on the money question from the farmers standpoint the Bryans will be glad to meet them any time in Box Butte precinct between now and election. WILLIAM MATZAR, Bryan club challenger.

NOTICE.

Taken up by the undersigned on my premises seven miles southwest of Hemingford, on May 15th, 1896. One black horse, 9 years old, weight about 900 lbs; no brands.

JOHN LEMON.

Taken up on Jan. 15, 1896, by the undersigned on my premises 7 miles southwest of Hemingford: One dark iron-grey horse colt two years old; one black colt, white face, 2 years old; one buckskin yearling colt. No brands.

JOHN LEMON.

Senatorial Convention.

A delegate convention of the Peoples Independent party of the fourth senatorial district of Nebraska is hereby called to meet at Rushville Nebraska, on Sept. 15th, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination one candidate for Senator of said district, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The basis of representation shall be the same as that of the state convention, which is as follows:
Box Butte.....5 Brown.....3
Cherry.....6 Dawes.....9
Keya Paba.....3 Rock.....3
Sheridan.....9 Sioux.....2

It is recommended that no proxies be allowed but that the delegates present cast the full vote of their respective counties.

A. E. SHELDON,
Chairman.

Representative Convention.

A delegate convention of the Peoples Independent party of the third representative district of Nebraska is hereby called to meet at Rushville, Neb., on Tuesday, Sept. 15, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for representative for said district, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention.

The basis of representation shall be the same as that of the state convention, which is as follows, to-wit:
Box Butte.....5 Dawes.....9
Sheridan.....9 Sioux.....2

It is recommended that the delegates present cast the entire vote of their respective counties.

A. S. REED, Chairman.

Notice to Non-resident Defendant.

In the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska.

William B. Abbey, plaintiff

vs.

Annie L. Fanning, W. H. Fanning and W. J. Bowden, defendants.

The above named defendant W. J. Bowden, will take notice that on the 1st day of August last, William B. Abbey plaintiff herein filed his petition in the district court of Box Butte county against the above named defendants, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by the defendant Annie L. Fanning to the American Investment company upon the southeast quarter of section 23 in township 22 north, range 48 west of the sixth principal meridian in Box Butte county Nebraska, to secure the payment of one certain promissory note for the sum of \$400.00, dated March 25th 1887, and due and payable Dec. 1st last with interest thereon payable semi-annually and on which time of payment was afterwards extended five years from maturity thereof. Said note and mortgage contains the condition that if any interest on said note is not paid within twenty days after the same becomes due, then the principal shall immediately become due and payable at the option of the holder thereof. Said note and mortgage was before the same became due for a valuable consideration duly assigned to the plaintiff who is now the holder and owner thereof.

All of the interest which became due on said principal note on the first day of Dec. 1895, and since that time still remains unpaid and the plaintiff desires to foreclose the principal and interest thereon and to receive the same in full. There is now due the plaintiff on said note and mortgage the sum of \$400.00, with interest thereon from the 1st day of June 1896, at ten per cent per annum. Plaintiff prays for a decree that the defendants be required to pay the same or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 14th day of September 1896.

Dated August 5, 1896.

WILLIAM B. ABBEY, Plaintiff.

By D. K. SPACHT, his attorney. (p 8-7 lw.)

Notice of Dissolution.

MARSLAND, Neb., Aug. 10, 1896. The co-partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. Irion & Bro., in this day dissolved by mutual consent of both parties remaining in the business and collecting all accounts due the firm and settling all accounts, contracted by the firm.

EDWARD IRION.

Notice to Non-resident Defendant.

In the District Court of Box Butte county, Nebraska.

WILLIAM N. PEARSON,

vs.

MARY A. PEARSON.

Mary A. Pearson, defendant, will take notice that on the 28th day of September, 1896, plaintiff herein filed his petition in the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska, against said defendant for object and prayer of which is to procure a divorce from the bond of matrimony existing between the parties hereto, and any further relief which the court may deem equitable.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 14th day of October, 1896.

Dated Sept. 10, 1896.

WILLIAM N. PEARSON, Plaintiff.

By L. A. BERRY, his attorney.

Final-Proof-Notices

Hon. J. W. WEEN, Jr., Register.

Hon. F. M. BROOME, Receiver.

Parties having notices in this column are requested to read the same carefully and report to this office for correction any errors that may exist. This will prevent possible delay in making proof.

Land Office at Alliance, Neb., Aug. 12, 1896. 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 the Register or Receiver at Alliance, Neb., on Sept. 21, 1896, viz:

ALOS CERMAK, of Dunlap, Neb., who made H. E. No. 2779 for the s e 1/4 sec 28, tp 29 n, r 47 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John Potemski, John Y. Potemski, Vayton Gladek, Vaylav Potemski, all of Dunlap, Neb. J. W. WEEN, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Alliance, Neb., Aug. 3, 1896. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before L. A. Dorington, U. S. G. C. Commissioner, at Crawford, Neb., on Sept. 15, 1896, viz:

EMMA METTLEN, of Bell, Neb., who made H. E. No. 1224 for the n 1/4 sec. 11, & n 1/4 sec 12, tp 28 n, r 54 w. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Ed Irion, Bell, Neb., Joe Moor, Marsland, Neb., Lee Dickinson, William F. Irion, of Bell, Neb. J. W. WEEN, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Alliance, Neb., Aug. 3, 1896. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at Alliance, Neb., on Sept. 15, 1896, viz:

CHARLES A. LOCKWOOD, of Canton, Neb., who made H. E. No. 2780 for the lots 2, 3, s e 1/4 n w 1/4 & n e s 1/4 sec 18, tp 26 n, r 52 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: S. I. Wright, G. H. Clayton, Nelson Bears, W. C. Phillips, all of Canton, Neb. J. W. WEEN, Jr., Register.

U. S. Land Office, Alliance, Neb., Aug. 27, 1896. Notice is hereby given that

ISAAC C. MILHOUS, of Vancluse, Iowa, has filed notice of intention to make final proof of his claim to land at Alliance, Neb., on the 5th day of October, 1896, on timber culture application No. 757 for the lots 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 s e 1/4 sec 2, tp 27 n, r 49 w. He names as witnesses: August Felder, Barney Halbur, John Armstrong, John Bahrek, all of Hemingford, Neb. J. W. WEEN, Jr., Register.

Land Office at Alliance, Neb., August 19, 1896. 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 Register and Receiver at Alliance, Neb., on Sept. 25, 1896, viz:

JOEL T. WIDMAN, of Petersburg, Neb., who made T. C. entry No. 025 for lot 4, s w 1/4 n w 1/4 & w 1/4 s w 1/4 sec 4, tp 26 n, r 49 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his claim to said land, viz: I. G. Griffith, W. W. Tyre, J. W. Tyre, B. H. Frasier, all of Hemingford, Neb. J. W. WEEN, Jr., Register.

All parties desiring to make final proof can have their papers made out at THE HERALD office, free of charge, and promptly transmitted to the land office.

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Japan's Public Debt.

It is intended that the existing national debt of Japan, including the foreign and home loans, war loans and the industrial loan shall be redeemed in thirty-eight years. The debt includes the fund raised for commuting the revenues of the feudal chiefs, for the building of railways, docks, lighthouses and public buildings as well as for establishing telegraphs and other industrial enterprises. The sum required for the service of the debt in 1901, when the debt reaches its highest figure, will, as near as can be estimated, equal 25 1/2 per cent of the revenue. In Great Britain 26 per cent is required, in France 37 per cent, in Italy 40 per cent and in the United States 6 per cent.—London News.

Who Was He?

In a university town in one of the southern states a reading club had been organized, each member of which was required to prepare a paper on some designated literary masterpiece. One member, an episcopal clergyman, was asked to take for his subject Sir Thomas Mallory's "Morte d'Arthur." Immediately after the meeting he sought the study of a literary friend. "What is this 'Morte d'Arthur' that they've given me?" he queried anxiously. "Of course I've always known that Mallory edits The Churchman but I never heard before that he'd written a book."—The Bookman.

Why She Stopped.

After they had parted she wept bitterly. Suddenly she ceased. It had occurred to her that perhaps her tears might fall on her new silk shirt waist and spot it irrevocably.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Double Pleasures.

The amateur always has a double pleasure in yachting—once when he starts and once when he gets home again.—San Francisco Call.

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TRYING TO KEEP UP.

False Pride and Living Beyond One's Means.

There is nothing so absolutely foolish and unremunerative as the false pride which attempts a style of living beyond the means of the individual, whose only incentive thereto is that others in her set do thus and so, and therefore it is incumbent upon her to do likewise, says the New York Tribune. To strive to keep up to a certain standard, without the means to do so comfortably or successfully, is of all things most wearing and dispiriting. Many a woman at the end of the season asks herself what it is all worth, and thinks how foolish she has been to waste time, energy and money to gain the favor of certain people who have so much that they count for nothing the efforts made to please them and consider they are conferring a favor by accepting invitations. Yet, despite her experience of the vanity and hollow sham of it all, the chances are ten to one that such a woman will begin her poor, pitiful worldly campaign the next season with renewed vigor, and that she will again sacrifice herself and family to this Moloch of modern society called public opinion. If only these poor, hard-working, weary denizens of vanity fair realized that such striving is not only fruitless, but degrading, that the very people whose acquaintance and friendship they are most anxious to secure would like and respect them far more if they were simple and honest and hospitable according to their means, it would save them no end of trouble and discouragement. "We dined at Mrs. A.'s the other evening," said the sensible wife of one of our multi-millionaires, "and enjoyed it so much. She lives in a tiny apartment and has only two maids, and she gives us the simplest little dinner, but so good, and such a relief after the elaborate affairs one generally has to sit through. Just soup, fish, a fillet of beef, an entree and a sweet, everything in such excellent taste, and only eight at table, but just the people one wanted to see. 'Do ask me again,' my husband said to her as we were leaving. 'I have not enjoyed myself so much this winter,' and he really meant it. We took dinner with some one else, who shall be nameless, a couple of evenings afterward. Such a tiresome experience as it was! The dinner was poor and yet very elaborate, and everything was on a scale too big for the house. 'What a mistake those people make,' I said as we were driving home, 'and how anxious and fagged Mrs. — looked.' 'I presume they are living beyond their means,' was my husband's manlike conclusion. '— came to me the other day to get me to go into some new enterprise in which he is interested, but I guess I'll keep out of it.' 'How tired and discontented Mrs. Clymer looks,' remarked one of her acquaintances, 'and yet she has made a success of it this winter, every one says.' "She has bought her victory too dear," answered some one who was present. "She has spent more than she can afford. She had offended her old friends, and what has she gained? Toleration only from the set she has set her heart upon belonging to. No wonder that she finds the apples of Sodom dust and ashes—yet she will continue to reach after them with the same eagerness next season."

CAMBRIAN ETYMOLOGY.

Localities in the British Isles That Retain Celtic Names.

Many localities retain the names originally bestowed upon them by the Celtic Britons, those, for example, which have the prefix cum, which is the Welsh word, a valley, says the Gentlemen's Magazine. Anderson, the local poet, enumerates them:

There's Cumwhitton, Cumwhinon, Cumranton, Cumrangan, Currew and Cumcatch. And many more cum in the county. But nin' w' mair cumvock can match.

Some of the above names, it will be observed have the Anglo-Saxon "ton" superadded to them.

The familiar Celtic prefixes, pen, a hilltop and caer, a fortress, appear in Penrith and Penrudeck (which both signify "red hill"). Cardunock and Carlisle or Caer-Leol. Durmuck may be the Gaelic dwr-mooc, "water hill" or else a proper name. Leol is merely a contraction of Luguvalium, the Roman name of Carlisle, and the Latinized form of some unpronounceable appellation by which the Britons designated the site of that city.

In Talkin we recognize the Celtic word, talcen, a brow, and in Castle Carrock we may trace the Gaelic carragh (which means a large stone set on end) or the Welsh carreg, a rock.

The river names of the county are for the most part of Celtic origin. Thus the Irthing, wandering over the alluvial plain, is believed to derive its name from the Welsh gwyrdy, to write or turn, and the Gelt, dashing over its bed of red sandstone, from the Celtic gael, a rock.

Of mountain names Helvellyn, the yellow mountain; Rivelyn, the red mountain, and Blencathra, the seat mountain (the ancient name of Saddleback), are Celtic. The Gaelic word cathair and Welsh caer mean a chair and Blaen is a Welsh term for a hilltop, occurring in other local names, such as Blencow and Blennerhasset.

A Skill That Vanishes.

She paused to watch the boys playing humbly peg. "Isn't it remarkable," he said, "how cleverly a boy can handle a knife?" "Yes," she answered, with a sigh; "and it's more remarkable to think how he loses it all when he grows up and ought to be able to carve."—Washington Star.