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Political Announcement.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of State Representative from the Thirteenth District at the general election in November.

WALTER SANDQUIST,
 Walthill, Nebr.

It's a mighty cold and stormy day when the democrats can't find something to claim credit for. The latest is the attempt of Gov. Neville to claim credit for the re-operation of the serum plant at the State Agricultural farm. He issued a sort of proclamation last week that upon investigation he had decided that the plant ought to be operated and had so ordered, when the facts of the matter are that the regents of the University had the plant ordered in operation before the governor issued his order.

THE "ACID TEST"

Two years ago Dan V. Stephens was elected to congress in this district because "Wilson Kept Us Out of War." This year he expects to be elected because "Wilson has adjourned politics."

Mr. Stephens is running a three-column laudatory advertisement of himself in various papers in the district this week in which he claims credit, inferentially, for the present satisfactory status of the war and urges the dire necessity of re-electing every democrat to office to avoid creating an erroneous impression in Germany. He emphatically declares that "Winning the War" is the only issue and that politics has been adjourned by President Wilson. Winning the war may be the only issue aside from returning Stephens to congress, in the eyes of Mr. Stephens at the present time, but the Stephens war record is such that those familiar with it are led to believe that "winning the war" has not always been Stephens' slogan.

He consistently voted against this country preparing for war. At the second session of the 62nd congress he took occasion to vote on two separate occasions against the building of battleships. At the third session he again voted twice against the established naval program to build two battleships a year, and sixty days before the outbreak of the European war he again voted against building two battleships per year, and voted to build but one.

Six months after the beginning of the war he again voted against the building of two ships and for one ship. Almost two years after the beginning of the war he still opposed the building of two ships and voted to limit the construction to one.

At the 2nd session of the 62nd congress he voted in favor of abolishing five regiments of cavalry, and at a time that it was almost impossible to secure enlistments in the army he voted to change the term of enlistment from 3 years to 5 years, which would have made it still more difficult. He voted against the measure granting our soldiers in foreign service additional pay. He voted for the removal of Gen. Leander A. Wood as chief of staff. At a time when we had no aeroplanes whatever, and almost a year after the outbreak of the war, Mr. Stephens voted against an appropriation of \$700,000 for aeroplanes. Almost two years after the outbreak of the war Stephens voted against increasing our army from 90,000 to 220,000 men, and at a time when our entrance into the war was almost certain he again voted against increasing the army to 250,000. He voted against the McKenzie amendment providing for the production of nitrogen, a necessary ingredient of smokeless powder in the United States. After we were in the war he voted against the Anthony amendment authorizing Colonel Theodore Roosevelt to raise four divisions of infantry for service in France. He voted against increasing the pay of our soldiers to \$30 per month.

He voted against the tabling of the McLemore resolution. He voted to place an embargo on arms and ammunition consigned to a belligerent. President Wilson has declared that those who voted as Stephens did on these measures failed to meet the "acid test" of true loyalty and genuine Americanism.

To the Electors of the 13th Representative District:

As candidate on the democratic ticket for Thurston and Dakota Counties, "the 13th district," I ask for your support at the coming election. The leading issue before the people is "Win the War." That is my platform and if elected, I will support President Wilson and his policies at every opportunity. I am acquainted with the wants of this district, have lived in it for twenty-six years, and as a farmer, a public official and citizen, have stood for the highest ideals of American citizenship, and all it stands for. I was born in the United States, the greatest privilege I know of, and will at all times, support her aims and high purposes. If elected, I will represent you as I believe you would be represented.

HENRY D. RIXEN.

CORRESPONDENCE

HUBBARD

John Jessen and Mr. and Mrs. Kane were in the city one day the past week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Glen Harris were in the city on a shopping tour Saturday.
 John Heffernan returned Monday from his trip to Omaha.
 The John Green family and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Farrell visited in Bloomfield last week.
 School Supplies of all kinds, Geo. Timlin.
 The Red Cross chapter will elect officers October 23rd.
 Martin Hansen and Willie Reiss were in Dakota City last Friday.
 Free Pounds and children and Mrs. Joe Leedom autored to Pender the first of the week and spent the day in the Pounds home.
 Thos. Ashford of Homer, was here on business one day last week.
 Will Kuhl and Fr. Zepf motored to the city one day last week.
 Sine Brock spent a few days of the past week in Sioux City visiting with friends.

We have some rare bargains in outing flannels. New goods for fall bought before the advance in prices, Geo. Timlin.
 Andrew Anderson visited relatives near Jackson last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Anderson and children, of Creighton, Neb., visited last week in the Carl Andersen and Hans Hansen homes. The trip was made by auto.
 Jack Duggan was in Pender last Thursday.
 Peter Jensen is suffering with a bad bruise on his arm, and is under the care of a doctor.
 Frank Forrest was here from Dakota City last week looking after telephone trouble.
 Miss Della Timlin, who came here from O'Neill last week to be at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Jas. Heehey, was taken sick shortly after her arrival here and was bedfast for several days. Her many friends will be pleased to know that she is able to be about again.

O. E. Beacom had a car of stock on the Sioux City market last week.
 Augusta Larsen was a visitor in the E. Christensen home Sunday.
 Len and Glen Harris motored to Sioux City Sunday.
 Woolen goods of all kinds are now very scarce. We are, however, supplied with our fall shipment of woolen underwear and would advise you to buy now while you can get what you need, Geo. Timlin.
 Elizabeth Rasmussen visited Sunday in the Christensen home.
 Christine Beck was shopping in Sioux City Saturday.
 Mrs. E. Christensen was in Sioux City Wednesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Dawkins motored to Sioux City Wednesday.
 Katherine Long was an over night visitor in Sioux City Saturday.
 Bennie Long came up from Creighton Sunday.
 Wm. Goertz and wife visited last week in the E. Christensen home.

The funeral services of Mrs. Jas. Heehey were held last Thursday at 10 o'clock from St. Mary's church, and although the weather and roads were bad, the church was filled with friends and mourners to pay a last tribute to the deceased.
 George Timlin was in Dakota City Monday.
 Jettie Long and Mrs. Jesse Graves were city passengers Wednesday last week.
 Maytag Multi-Motor Washer advanced in price \$10.00 Sept. 4th. We have a few bought on contract, and while they last will give you an opportunity to own one at the old price, Geo. Timlin.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Jessen and daughter Sine, visited Sunday in the Peter Johnson home.
 Mrs. Jensen spent a portion of last week in the Len Harris home.
 Clara Clausen was down from Sioux City Sunday.
 John and Mary Harty are numbered among the sick.
 Little Myrtle Jensen is quite ill.
 John Uffing is seriously ill with Spanish influenza.

Mrs. Joe Heffernan and children returned Saturday from an extended visit with relatives in Colorado.
 Mrs. George Johnson celebrated her birthday Sunday by entertaining several of her friends.
 Rev. Andersen will conduct services in the Lutheran church October 27th.
 Jas. Heehey and little son, Francis, Mary Heehey and Della Timlin went to O'Neill Monday evening.
 Len Harris and wife motored to Homer last Friday to see Mr. Harris' father, who is not very well.
 Mr. and Mrs. Tom Long returned Sunday from Peoria, Ill., where they had been to attend the funeral of Mr. Long's brother.

HOMER.

Herbert Harris is on the sick list and not getting along as well as his friends would like to see.
 George Madsen, of Salem, was a Homer visitor Tuesday.
 Mrs. Fred Rasmussen is quite sick with the Spanish flu.
 Miss Mabel Crippen is getting along nicely from an attack of the Spanish flu.
 Norval Church, of Alcatraz, Cal., is spending a short furlough with the home folks.
 John Church and family, Mrs. Chas. Rockwell and children and Mrs. Clyde Meyers and baby, of Emerson, are guests this week at the J. M. Church home.
 Miss Erma Clayton came home from Walthill Tuesday. The school where she teaches is closed because of the flu.
 Miss Marjorie McKinley visited several days this week at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. A. Mooroe, at South Sioux City.
 Miss Helen Bolster visited at the Chris Erickson home Sunday.
 Chas. Davis and family have moved to their new home recently purchased from Lewis Smith.
 Mr. Mounce and family have moved to the Mrs. Hagerman house vacated by Mr. Davis. Mr. Wright and family to the parsonage vacated by

Mr. Mounce. Lewis Smith and wife to the house vacated by Mr. Wright, which they have bought.
 A son was born to Ed Beardshear and wife October 9, 1918.
 Kingo Jensen is very ill with the Spanish flu.
 Miss Sylvia Wilcox of Inman, is a guest this week at the John Church home.
 Will Jastram and wife, of Franklin, Neb., arrived Saturday for a visit of several weeks with relatives and friends.
 Miss Nadine Shepardson, who is teaching in Superior, is home this week, the schools of that place being closed on account of Spanish flu.
 Miss Mary Renz and sisters, Helen and Florence and brother Less, also Miss Johnson, motored to Wayne on Sunday to visit their brother Tom Renz and family.
 Mrs. Gertie Shepardson and daughter Nadine, were Sioux City shoppers Tuesday.
 James Harris and family were visitors at the Bob Jones home Sunday.
 T. D. Curtis and family were guests Sunday at the Ern Harris home.
 The schools are closed this week as a precaution, as there are several cases of Spanish influenza in town and country.

RED CROSS NOTES
 Dakota County Chapter

Notice of Election.
 There will be an election of officers for the Dakota County Chapter of Wednesday, October 23rd, at the Court House at 8:30 p.m. All members of the Red Cross in this precinct are urged to attend. Mrs. G. F. Broyhill, Secretary.

Information regarding Christmas parcels for men with American Expeditionary Forces abroad:
 In an effort to meet the eager desires of men in service abroad the War Department has decided that each man may receive from his family a Christmas package of standard size and approximately standard articles. To this end an arrangement has been completed between the War Department, Post Office department, and the American Red Cross, whereby the latter has undertaken to cooperate in the preparation and mailing of these Christmas parcels.
 To expedite the plan, a large number of specially manufactured cardboard cartons have been purchased which will be distributed through the chapters to the relatives and friends of men in service overseas.

General Description of the Plan:
 (1) To insure avoidance of duplication and erroneous addresses, Army authorities under General Pershing, are issuing a Christmas Parcel label to each man. This measure is required by shipping space limitations.
 (2) The men will be instructed to mail this label to home relatives, or friends who, upon receiving it, will present it to the nearest Chapter or Branch of the Red Cross. They will secure one carton, 3 inches by 4 inches by 9 inches in size.
 (3) The person receiving a carton may fill it with any combination of articles which will fit in it, and which are not barred by the Post Office Department. (See list of un-mailable articles below). When completely packed and ready for mailing the weight of the carton must not exceed three pounds.
 (4) Parcels ready for shipment will be brought unwrapped to the Red Cross Inspection Committee, who will examine the contents, in order to:
 (a) Exclude any articles barred by Post Office Department from Christmas parcels.
 (b) Remove any notes or messages found among the contents.
 (c) Wrap, tie, and weigh the parcel.
 (d) Place on the parcel the Christmas Parcel label received from abroad bearing the address of the man for whom it is intended. The person sending the parcel shall then, in the presence of the Red Cross representative, affix stamp sufficient to carry the parcel to Hoboken, N. J. The postage charges for Christmas packages shall be at the rate of fourth class or parcel post zone rate.
 (e) The Red Cross inspection label certifying as to the complete inspection of the parcel by the Red Cross shall then be placed on the parcel.
 (f) Parcels ready for mailing shall remain in the custody of the Red Cross until delivered by its representatives to the Post Office.

Articles Prohibited in the Mails:

1. All spirituous, vinous, malted, fermented or intoxicating liquors.
2. All kinds of poison and all articles containing poison.



CARL ANDERSEN
 Democratic Nominee for Treasurer of Dakota County.
 HUBBARD — NEBRASKA



BORN AND RAISED IN DAKOTA COUNTY

Walter E. Miller
 DAKOTA CITY, NEBRASKA
 Republican Candidate for County Treasurer of Dakota County, Nebraska
 Your Support is Solicited
 Election November 5, 1918

3. Explosives of all kinds.
4. Inflammable materials, including friction matches.
5. Internal machines and mechanical, chemical or other devices or compositions which may ignite or explode. Under this classification come cigarette lighters.
6. Liquids, fragile articles, and other admissible matter when not properly packed.
7. All articles which may kill, hurt, harm or injure another or damage property or mails.

Bear these facts in mind when packing your Christmas parcels:
 Nothing should go in a Christmas parcel which will not keep fresh from time of packing until Christmas.

Dried fruits and other products should be packed in small tin or wooden boxes, one quarter to one half pound size.
 Hard candy including chocolate would probably be safe in tin foil or heavy card board but no soft chocolates nor anything that could possibly be crushed should be used, as the remaining contents of the package might be spoiled thereby.
 Several candies packed in oblong tin boxes each holding a quarter of a pound will provide a better variety for a packet that a larger quantity of a single confection.
 No articles packed in glass should be placed in the package.
 For wrapping gifts use a khaki-colored handkerchief, twenty-seven inches square.
 Contents of parcels must be firmly packed, but there should be no bulge in the container.
 The filled carton, unwrapped, must not weigh more than 2 lbs. 15 oz.
 The local chapter will have cartons ready for distribution by the first of October and these may be obtained from the following members of the inspection committee: Mrs. H. H. Adair, Mrs. Fannie Crozier, Mrs. G. F. Broyhill, Mary Maxwell. All parcels must be returned to this committee by November 15th.
 The H. H. S. C. Club gave \$6.00 to the General Fund during the past week.
 The following quotas have been received so far during October: 75 bath robes, 135 sweaters, 2000 8x4 compresses, 200 oakum pads.

Jackson Branch
 Annual statement of the American Red Cross, Jackson Branch, at the close of business September 23, 1918.

RECEIPTS	
Annual members	\$ 587.00
Magazine members	66.00
Sustaining members	4.00
Donations	3675.47
Sociables and dances	528.25
Total	\$4860.72
DISBURSEMENTS	
Remittance to Chapter	\$ 822.76
American Red Cross Central Division	37.80
Telephone, express, postage, etc.	486.74
Second War Fund	2000.00
Cash on hand	1513.42
Total	\$4860.72
	Michael R. Boler, Treas.

FARM BUREAU NOTES
 C. R. Young, County Agent

An unusually large amount of first class seed corn has been selected and cared for on Dakota county farms this year. While it is possible that fairly good seed corn can be selected from the crib next spring, never the less, it will not have the vigor that well cared for seed has.
 There is no place on the farm that manure pays better than on permanent pasture land. These coverings should be light and applied every few years.
 The spread of hog cholera over the county appears to be suppressed. A few years ago, with the start that was made early in the fall, thousands of hogs would have died. Now with the use of serum, an outbreak is quickly checked.

We are in communication with farmers who will sell alfalfa seed direct to growers. Those desiring seed should let us know.
 We have listed many calls for alfalfa hay. Those having it for sale should state price, quality, cutting, etc., and on what road it would be shipped.
 A letter from Wyoming says that stock pigs and sows can be secured from Powell at 18 cents. The freight to Sioux City is 65 1/2 per cent. Another from Superior Neb., offers them at 17 cents.
FOR SALE
 Early hatched R. C. Rhode Island Red pullets.
 L. B. PALMER,
 Route 1, Hubbard, Neb.
 The Herald—1 year, \$1.25.

I Will Appreciate Your Support and Vote

Frank M. Church
 HOMER, NEBR.
 Democratic
 Candidate for County Clerk
 DAKOTA COUNTY, NEBR.
 Born in Nebraska and a resident of Dakota County for 21 Years

300

Head of Cattle

At Auction

Having sold my ranch in Brown county, I will sell at public auction in Homer, Nebraska, on

Saturday, Oct. 19

The Following Described Property:

300 head of good young cattle, 290 head of two and three year old steers, 10 yearling heifers. This is a fine bunch of red cattle nearly all White Faced, natives of Central Nebraska.

Sale Begins at Two O'Clock Sharp

TERMS OF SALE: Six months time will be given on bankable paper at 10 per cent interest.

J. M. KING

OWNER

Kelly & Rasdal, Auctioneers.
 C. J. O'Connor, Clerk.

Dead Stock Re-moved Promptly

Conserve for the Governm't

Telephone 786, Sioux City, Iowa.
 After 6 p.m., Phone 148.

Sioux City Rendering Co.