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How Democrats Have Delivered The Goods

Record of Achievement in State and Nation. Some of the many good things the Common People now enjoy from Democratic Rule.

AT WASHINGTON IN FOUR YEARS

- Federal Reserve Bank Law
- Anti-Child Labor Law
- Farm Loan Law
- Eight-Hour Day Law
- Income Tax Law
- Inheritance Tax Law
- Workmen's Compensation Law
- Women's Welfare Law
- Tariff Revised Downward
- Agricultural Extension Law
- Non-partisan Tariff Commission
- Good Roads Law
- Merchant Marine Law
- Cruel Gambling Stopped
- Improved Parcel Post
- Anti-Injunction Labor Law
- Post Office Self-Supporting
- Children's Bureau Created
- Peace With Honor Maintained
- Alaskan Railroad Law
- Danish West Indies Purchased
- Adequate National Defense
- Maintained National Neutrality
- Banished Lobby from Washington
- Freedom for Filipinos
- Won Confidence of Latin-Americans
- Crushed Militarism
- Prosperity Restored

AT LINCOLN IN SIX YEARS

- Reduced State Taxes in Two Years the sum of \$1,018,330
- Put State Treasury on Cash Basis
- State Board of Control
- Bank Guaranty Law
- Employers' Liability Act
- Non-partisan Judiciary Law
- Eight o'Clock Closing Law
- Abolished Liquor on Trains
- Initiative and Referendum
- Albert Law to Abate Prostitution
- Anti-Buquet Shop Law
- Rural High Schools
- Farml School Consolidation
- Mother's Pensions
- Anti-Loan Shark Law
- Shorter Day for Working Women
- Blue Sky Law
- Anti-Bridge Trust Law
- Flat Rate Telegraph Law
- Code Insurance Law
- Voting by Mail
- Physical Valuation of Railroads
- Modern Irrigation Code
- Comprehensive Drainage Code
- Normal Training Law
- Purified State Institutions
- Economy in State Government

To approve this unprecedented record, vote for those who made it and those who stand pledged to continue it.

- Gilbert M. Hitchcock for Senator
- Keith Neville for Governor
- Edgar Howard for Lieutenant-Governor
- Charles W. Pool for Secretary of State
- William H. Smith for Auditor
- Willis E. Reed for Attorney-General
- George E. Hall for State Treasurer
- Victor E. Wilson for Railway Commissioner
- Grant L. Shumway, for Land Commissioner
- W. H. Clemmons for State Superintendent
- Dr. P. L. Hall, H. D. Landis for regents of the University, and democrats for Congress

Vote for WILSON, PEACE and PROSPERITY

AN EDUCATOR FOR AN EDUCATOR'S OFFICE



W.H. CLEMMONS

President of Fremont College

Candidate for

STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION



FRANK W. IRISH

Republican Nominee for COUNTY TREASURER

A man of integrity and ability. Your support is respectfully solicited.

D. H. GRISWOLD

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR THE STATE SENATE 28TH DISTRICT



D. H. Griswold has been a resident of this senatorial district for thirty-one years, most of the time in the banking business, for the last sixteen years being connected with the First National Bank of Gordon. He should know the needs of the district and if elected pledges himself to co-operate with other members of the legislature to advance the interests of Northwestern Nebraska in particular, and of the state in general. He solicits your support.



JUDGE JAMES R. DEAN

BROKEN BOW, NEBRASKA

Former Judge of Supreme Bench

Candidate for Supreme Judge

ON NON-PARTISAN BALLOT You Can Vote for 3 Candidates

Custer County Republican: "Judge Dean made a good record on the Supreme Bench." Mason City Transcript: "Judge Dean's primary vote ran evenly over the state. He proved a popular marf for Supreme Judge. In a field of ten candidates where six were nominated, Judge Dean crowded the high man closely for first place."

To the Voters of Box Butte County

The Alliance Times, in an attempt to defeat me for County Commissioner from the First District of Box Butte county, is making an attack on me for asking pay for land and damages for a new road which will go through my land. Their article, from The Times of Tuesday, October 24th, is as follows:

Anton Uhrig, democratic candidate for commissioner from the first district, has filed suit against Box Butte county for \$1,500 damages for the strip of his land used in making the new Hemingford road. The appraisers allowed Mr. Uhrig \$500 damage, and this amount is considerably more than others have asked.

The new road was the old highway between Alliance and Hemingford and it was generally recognized as the best road. It is shorter and affords automobile travel during the winter months. Mr. Uhrig was responsible for closing the road and made necessary the expenditure of a large amount of money in grading the present highway.

If Mr. Uhrig is elected commissioner he will then be in a position to pass on his own claim for \$1,500 damages on the present road. Can a man act in this capacity when he has filed suit against the county with intentions to collect?

Now, for the facts in the case. I have, during past years, given the land for four roads around the section of land which I own, adjoining the town of Hemingford. I came to Box Butte county (at that time it was not Box Butte county) in the month of April, 1885, and have been a resident since that time. When the Burlington railroad was being put in through the county, I donated 160 acres of land as an inducement for the establishing of a station and town at Hemingford. I later bought back part of this land and now have it. The Times claims that this road was "the old highway between Alliance and Hemingford." This is incorrect, for this road was never laid out and has never been a public road. My land lies on both sides of the railroad. A portion of it is laid out in city lots and has been sold. The attempt to establish a road here is simply a political move, made in an endeavor to defeat me. I am paying more and higher taxes on this land than the owners of land similarly situated are.

In an endeavor to secure partial pay for the land which would be used and for the damage which would be caused me by the establishment of this road "catercorner" through the center of my private property I have asked the sum of \$1500 which would only be partial pay. There are now two excellent graded roads between Alliance and Hemingford, one coming into Hemingford from the south and one from the east. The county commissioners, a year ago, assured me that these roads were amply sufficient to care for all travel and that there are other roads in Box Butte county which certainly need attention worse than this new road which the would-be politicians are endeavoring to embarrass me with. At the time the petition for this road was filed a remonstrance was also filed with the clerk of Box Butte county.

As a citizen of the county I believe that I have been public spirited during my thirty-one years of residence. I am not seeking office because of personal interests or ambitions but because of the fact that I know that the roads of a large portion of the county are in a neglected state. To be sure, the road leading to the farm of my opponent, the present commissioner, is in good and well-graded condition. Naturally, but does that do the hundreds of other farmers who are unable to use this road any good?

THE VOTERS OF BOX BUTTE COUNTY WANT MEN IN OFFICE WHO WILL GIVE THEIR PERSONAL ATTENTION TO THE BUSINESS OF THE COUNTY. THEY WANT MEN WHO ARE WILLING TO ENTER THE RACE FOR POLITICAL OFFICE THROUGH THE PRIMARIES, AND WHO DO NOT FIND IT NECESSARY TO WAIT UNTIL AFTER THE PRIMARIES AND ENTER THE RACE BY PETITION, FEARING TO TRUST THEMSELVES TO THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE AT THE PRIMARIES. IN OTHER WORDS, I BELIEVE THAT THE PEOPLE OF BOX BUTTE COUNTY WANT A CHANGE.

Voters of Box Butte county, it is up to you to investigate before you vote for your next county commissioner. I court a full and complete investigation of my record as a public-spirited citizen of the county during the past thirty-one years. I ask you to consider the matter carefully before you go to the polls to vote on November 7th and I ask you to vote for

**EFFICIENCY
A BUSINESS-LIKE ADMINISTRATION
EXPERIENCE**

And remember that there are a number of others who have remonstrated against this road about which the Times is worrying itself in its ill-advised attempt to defeat me for election. I ask you to remember that mud-slinging does not change the facts. Your support at the election will be appreciated and if elected I will devote my best interests to the good of all the county, not a favored few.

ANTON UHRIG

October 26, 1916.

Hemingford, Nebraska



JUDGE ALBERT J.

CORNISH

Candidate for

Supreme Court Judge

Judge Cornish has served 21 years as District Judge at Lincoln. His ability, impartiality and fair-mindedness are proven by five elections to the district bench by his neighbors.

Judge Cornish is in the prime of life, alert, vigorous, human, a District Judge with an extraordinary record for decisions approved by the Supreme Court.

Three judges are to be elected. Judge Cornish's fitness for Supreme Judge can easily be learned. Ask the lawyers in your community.

GEORGE E. HALL
State Treasurer



MADE GOOD FOR SECOND TERM

Reasons Why:
He established the rule for County Treasurers to pay the State Treasurer monthly.

This—First: Paid State debt of \$800,000. Second: Saves State \$47,000 on warrant debt. Third: Makes \$30,000 more interest for State on Bank Deposits. Fourth: Put State's business on cash basis and left it there. Fifth: Saves State Officers, Employes and Creditors the loss of discount on their pay warrants. Sixth: Permitted \$500,000 of funds to be invested in 5 per cent bonds instead of 4 per cent warrants. Seventh: Made possible the largest school apportionment. Eighth: And made it possible for State Tax Levy to be reduced \$1,000,000.
It is to Your Interest to Vote for HALL

MARY A ROBERTSON

Republican Candidate for COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

A high school and normal graduate possessing a life certificate.

A resident and a taxpayer of Box Butte county where she has taught in the Alliance City Schools for the past six years.

The support of the voters is respectfully solicited.

SEND A YOUNG MAN TO CONGRESS

Edward B. McDermott

KEARNEY, NEB.

Democratic Candidate for

CONGRESS

Born and raised in Buffalo County. Four years county attorney Buffalo County.

Stands for all the policies of the Wilson administration and especially against the repeal of the Rural Credit law and the 8 hour day as suggested by Judge Hughes.

This is the first opportunity the voters of the big sixth have had to vote for a native son for congress.

Give President Wilson a Democratic Congress

