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LINCOLN, Oct. 9, 1890.

To all members of the independent people's committees, and to the voters of Nebraska:

It having become evident that Mr. Van Wyck has turned squarely against the independent movement, and is using his influence to defeat the independent candidates, we recommend that he be not invited to address independent meetings nor given an opportunity to use his unfriendly influence.

GEO. W. BLAKE,
Cnn. State Central Com.
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Sec. State Central Com.

TOM GOLDEN is a democrat first, and gallantly jumped into the breach of his party.

ELDER COPPOC was firmly dashed aside by the Hand of the Great Idol I-Am-That-I-Am.

NO PARTY can be successful long when it is owned and controlled by one man, even though he considers himself an idol.

IDOLS have been broken before now. In fact one was shattered a trifle last fall. Idolatry in America cannot become popular.

THE great Kem was in town the other day, but business continued right along just the same. The sun continued to shine and no rain fell.

IT is reported that independents will order Mullen's name printed on all tickets for several years to come—a standing order so to speak.

How an old soldier can enlist under the independent banner is beyond our comprehension. What excuse an old soldier can have for leaving the republican party is another conundrum we have never heard satisfactorily answered.

THE O'Neill republican club had a meeting Friday night, and the unanimous sentiment was that it would be business from now on. Young blood is bound to enthuse, and that is what composes the club. The boys are ready for the battle and are in shape to fight.

THE editor of this page feels that he has not done his full duty as an editor for some weeks, mainly owing to absence from the country. And as he will necessarily be away from home a good deal during the campaign he proposes to press his "Kid" partners into the work somewhat, so that if anything particularly good appears just give them the credit.

THE Iowa democrats no doubt over-estimate their strength. By electing Boies twice through the aid of anti-prohibition votes, they expect now to be able to carry their state for Cleveland, and have refused coalition with the third party. Republicans who sympathized with the famous Grant 306 will admire the pluck, if not the wisdom, of the Iowa democrats.

At the republican senatorial convention for the Thirteenth district W. D. Mathews of the O'Neill FRONTIER received the nomination for state senator on the first ballot. In response to calls Mr. Mathews took the platform and made a rousing speech which was loudly applauded. Mr. Mathews has a host of friends in the Elkhorn Valley whose only regret is that they are not in the district to cast their vote for him.—West Point Republican.

WHAT must Mullen think of the people? Is he so egotistical as to think the voters are all clumps and that he is the only Moses now in existence? It is really laughable to watch Mullen's political maneuvers. While he appears to be decidedly successful within his party it looked as though there was just a little too much unanimity the last time the alliance clans gathered. The sturdy joss tramped his worshippers into the mud, but there were murmurings of discontent distinguishable between the shouts of "Mullen, Mullen, great is Mullen!"

IN point of ability and integrity the republican nominees for representatives are head and shoulders above either the independents or democrats. We ask our readers to carefully consider Clark and Eisele, compare them with Henry and Smith or with VanVaulkenburg and Doud, and you must conclude that the interests of Holt county will be more carefully looked after by them. The independents have been tried in state legislation, and nothing was accomplished except the expenditure of more money than usual, and with less to show for it. The people of this new county cannot afford to experiment further.

THE New York World is raising a big campaign fund for the use of the democrats in the western states. It virtually says that the chances in New York are not worth fighting for, and in the west the party has no show except with the use of an enormous outlay of money, hence it is passing the hat. The opinion prevails at the national republican headquarters that the scheme is mainly to draw attention away from New York, where a democratic still hunt is to be made. There is a good chance however for the democrats to get experience and find out by trying it that the people of the west cannot be seduced into adopting free trade or wild cat currency.

THE State Journal says that Judge Crouse will conduct a clean campaign on square, honest issues. He will not appeal to the ignorant prejudices of the people, but to the reasoning intelligence. His election will mean not the sanction of all kinds of doubtful legislative experiments, but a continuation of the sound, conservative business policy which has fostered the growth of the state in the past, and built up here in a quarter of a century a commonwealth that is the wonder and admiration of the nation. The election of the leader of the party of calamity would set back ten years the hands on the dial of our progress as a state.

THE report of the U. S. senate committee, supposed to be impartial and free from political bias, based and founded entirely on facts, and showing that the McKinley tariff law works an advantage for the American laborer and wage earner, is causing a heated discussion among English free trade newspapers, who are asking each other in the light of the facts of the report, if it is not a mistake to assume that free trade would operate more to the advantage of American laborers and mechanics than the protective tariff they now have. No doubt it would be better for the English manufacturer, but even the English, some of them, are honest enough to acknowledge in the light of events that it would not be so well for Americans.

THE candidates of the people's party, with the exception of Honest Van Wyck are men famous for the amount of noise they can make without saying anything worth listening to, says the Fremont Tribune. Honest Jerome Shamp who was nominated at Nebraska City the other day, was a republican until about eighteen months ago, and never distinguished himself for anything but illiteracy until he became a "populite." Honest W. A. Poynter's sole claim to undying fame is the fact that he was hypnotized by Bill Paxton's cob pipe. Honest O. M. Kem is such a well known loo-loo among the loo-loos that nothing need be said of him. And Honest Bill Desch! The only thing to which he can be compared is the "fog horn on a rock bound coast" so feelingly alluded to by Longfellow. With so many honest blowhards at large in the state the heart of the oppressed farmer should experience a feeling of confidence in the future.

SECRETARY FOSTER made a statement a few days ago that shows how the government is the gainer by this process of bond retirement. It is a plain, simple, business proposition which cuts every foot of ground from under the "populists" charges. Mr. Foster shows that the premium paid amounts to a good deal less than the interest would if paid on until maturity of the obligations. Mr. Foster says: "As to the surplus which Mr. Cleveland left in the treasury, President Harrison has retired during his term \$259,000,000 of bonds at a cost of \$296,000,000. They would have cost \$351,000,000 at maturity and doing so he has saved the government \$55,000,000 besides reducing the interest charge \$11,000,000. Mr. Cleveland in his whole four years term purchased only \$338,000,000 bonds and paid the government only \$32,000,000 on the purchase. As to the \$54,000,000 fund for the redemption of national bank notes that money was lying idle here until congress gave us permission to put it in circulation where it was needed."

SHRADER, the independent nominee for lieutenant governor, the man who damned the constitution, and counseled defiance of the courts, was talking to three soldiers in Collaway recently and noticing a grand army button on one of them said: "My friend, don't you think you have worn that long enough? Don't you think you had better take it off and forget about the war? I fought for my country and used to wear one of those buttons too but I got ashamed of it and took it off." Now a gentleman up there curious to know how much of a record Mr. Shrader had, began an investigation and found that he enlisted in 1865 a few weeks before the war closed and never got farther south than Chicago. The gentleman who hunted up the record exonerates Shrader from all the blame for being ashamed to wear a grand army button and says he would likewise be ashamed to wear one on such a record as Shrader's, but he does blame him for insulting old soldiers who saw service, by telling them to cast away the insignia of patriotism which loyal men and women delight to honor.—State Journal.

THE democrats of Holt county are standing up to the rack this year, fodder or no fodder. The few fusionists in the party were so emphatically gagged in the county convention that they couldn't gurgle. The democrats two years ago turned in and endorsed the independent candidates for the legislature at the behest of a few leaders, and they had reason to expect the independents would return the compliment this year by endorsing their nominees. But the independents are not built that way. With them it is whole hog or none, and the democrats were not only not thanked but were shamefully abused and belittled. Their disregard of their democratic allies commenced immediately after election, and during the session of the legislature the Holt delegation was open in contempt for democracy, one of the members (who is for the third successive year before the people for office) going so far as to insult the democratic governor-elect by refusing to listen to his inaugural address. Under the circumstances it is not at all surprising that the situation is as it is. The democratic party has been in existence a good many years, so has the republican party, both have principles at stake, and they will be in existence long after this new party has been forgotten. We do not pretend to say that the old parties are without faults, but we do sincerely think that needed reforms can more easily be secured through these old parties than by following the leadership of a gang of men like Weaver, Field, VanWyck, Vandervort, Dech, et al., whose sole objects are political notoriety and office. If the writer did not honestly believe the republican party the best party in existence today he would leave it, but he would think a long time and change his opinions almost wholly before he would enlist under the banner carried by demagogues and political outcasts whose objects are so transparent that it seems to us as though a child could analyze them as not for the good of the people.

WHAT THE BOYS THINK.
Col. Doc Mathews, of O'Neill, was in the city yesterday and visited the Tribune office, leaving a poem entitled "The Patter of Machine Made Rain," which will not be published. The colonel is figuring on going to the state senate next winter and this department hopes that he will not be disappointed, as he is a bully fellow with a glass eye, but editors with political aspirations have been experiencing such a rocky journey along the Jericho road in Nebraska lately that he should be prepared for the worst. The news of triumph or defeat in the matter of a nomination will be broken to him on Saturday.—Fremont Tribune.

W. D. Mathews, of O'Neill, was nominated by the republicans of the Thirteenth district for state senator, last Saturday. The nomination of Doc Mathews just suits us, and we have no fears but that he will carry his district by a handsome majority, even though the independents do claim it.—Rushville Standard.

As was predicted by the Banner last week, W. D. Mathews, of O'Neill, was unanimously nominated for state senator for this district by the republican senatorial convention, which met at O'Neill last Saturday evening. There was no opposition to Mr. Mathews' nomination, and there will be but little to his election. He's a sure winner and don't you forget it. There will, of course, be a few of the so-called "independent" sheets which will attempt to throw a little mud, but Mr. Mathews is too well acquainted throughout the district, and his generosity toward so many of the early settlers of Holt county, who are today scattered about all over the district, has made him warm friends who will promptly resent any attack the mud slingers may make upon him. This makes his election doubly certain, and his nomination was a most wise one.—Butte Banner.

At the republican senatorial convention at O'Neill last Saturday, W. D. Mathews, editor of the O'Neill FRONTIER was nominated on the first formal ballot. "Doc" is a rustler and a winner. A more extended notice is forthcoming.—Graphic.

"All things come to him who will but wait" is true in the case of Doc Mathews' continued candidacy for the state senate. Six years ago Doc turned his eyes in the direction of the gilded dome at Lincoln, but the time had not come when he could assume the duties of the dignified statesman and some other fellow was selected. This year he received the nomination without much effort. Mr. Mathews is one of the few men in Holt county who have done so much toward inducing strangers to come and dwell among us. Holt county to-day owes Doc Mathews all that he is asking of her people, for his valuable services so generously given in the past. If the voters of this county wish to show their grateful appreciation of the untiring efforts of one of their citizens, they will surely not withhold their support in the coming election.—Ewing Democrat.

W. D. Mathews, of O'Neill, was nominated on the first ballot for senator at the republican senatorial convention held at O'Neill last Saturday evening. Mr. Mathews is an old resident of Holt county, and is a tried and true republican, a man of extraordinary ability, integrity and honor, and just the man to properly represent the people of this district in the state senate.—Garfield Enterprise.

W. D. Mathews, editorial writer of THE FRONTIER, was nominated by the republican senatorial convention last Saturday. Mr. Mathews is too well known to need any introduction to the citizens of Holt county. He is one of our pioneer settlers, and has worked hard and incessantly in the interests of O'Neill and the county. Mr. Mathews is an able and experienced newspaper man, and while the Sun entertains the kindest personal admiration for Mr. Mathews, yet now that he is before the people as an office seeking politician, representing McKinley and the force bill, he should not feel chagrined or piqued from the attack of the opposition press. This the Sun will be compelled to do in a sense of fairness, believing that the interests of the people will be best subserved by the election of a legislature that will not return a United States senator in the place of Senator Paddock, whose term expires next March. The Sun will have more to say in regard to the election of a legislative ticket during the campaign, and as stated in the beginning of this article the Sun trusts that Mr. Mathews' experience as a newspaper man will not lead him to believe that anything which may be said against him shall be construed as personal. On the contrary, the Sun is, personally, a great admirer of Mr. Mathews, but politically it is "furninst" him.—O'Neill Sun.

W. D. Mathews, editor of the O'Neill FRONTIER, has received the nomination for state senator of the Thirteenth district. Doc Mathews will make a hustling member and his district will not in the least suffer from such representation.—Niobrara Pioneer.

The Advocate is glad to learn that W. D. Mathews was nominated for state senator by the republican senatorial convention of the Thirteenth district held at O'Neill on the 20th inst. We had the pleasure of voting for him for senator at the time Robbins was elected several years ago, but the Van Wyckers were then too numerous for us. Hope he will get there by a rousing majority.—Neligh Advocate.

The nomination of W. D. Mathews on the republican ticket for senator, gives very general satisfaction to the party and the country. He is thoroughly qualified for the position and having been intimately connected with public affairs of the country, and having identified himself with the material growth and prosperity of our institutions, will without a doubt serve his constituents with fidelity.—Chambers Bugle.

The senatorial convention which met at O'Neill on Saturday last placed in nomination W. D. Mathews of O'Neill for the state senate. Mr. Mathews is eminently qualified for the position. He is deserving in that as an able newspaper man—as able as there is in the state—he has done much for the republican ticket during his twelve year's residence in this county. His personal efforts and the influence of THE FRONTIER under his control did more than any other agency to develop and build up this county.—Stuart Ledger.

W. D. Mathews received the nomination for senator, to represent this district at the republican senatorial convention, held at O'Neill, Saturday last. While "Doc" is not of our faith in political matters, we compliment the convention upon their choice, and if our district is to be represented by a republican we know of no man in that party we should sooner see get there than W. D. Mathews. He is well qualified to represent his constituency in the legislature and we are satisfied that the interests of Boyd county would be well attended to at his hands.—Butte Gazette.

National Encampment of G. A. R. will be held at Washington, D. C., September 30, 1890. For this occasion the Pacific Short Line will sell excursion tickets at half fare. Tickets sale Sept. 12 to 18 inclusive, good to return until October 12. Don't fail to find out time of trains; get all particulars. Save time and money by the Pacific Short Line. J. W. FIREBAUGH, Agent.

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