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## REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

For Clerk of the District Court:
A. SALISBURY.

For Treasurer:
L. C. EICKHOFF.

For Sheriff:
GEO. EDSON.

For County Clerk:
FRANK DICKSON.

For County Judge:
CALVIN RUSSELL.

For County Superintendent:
J. E. LEYDA.

For Coroner:
J. I. UNRUH.

For Surveyor:
A. C. MAYES.

For Commissioner First District:
A. B. TODD.

## REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The republican electors of the state of Nebraska are requested to send delegates from their several counties, to meet in convention in the city of Lincoln, Thursday, September 24, 1891, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for one associate justice of the supreme court, and two members of the board of regents of the state university, and to transact such other business as maybe presented to the convention.

THE APPORTIONMENT

The several counties are entitled to representation as follows, being based upon the vote cast for Hon Geo. H. Hastings, for attorney-general in 1890, giving one delegate-at-large to each county, and one for each 150 votes and the major fraction thereof:

| COUNTIES. | DEL. | COUNTIES. | DEL. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Adams | 11 | Johnson | 7 |
| Arthur | 1 | Kearney | 6 |
| Antelope | 6 | Keya Paha | 3 |
| Banner | 3 | Keith | 2 |
| *Boyd | 1 | Kimball | 2 |
| Blaine | 2 | Knox | 5 |
| Boone | 5 | Lancaster | 26 |
| Box Butte | 6 | Lincoln | 6 |
| Brown | 4 | Logan | 2 |
| Buffalo | 10 | Loup | 2 |
| Butler | 7 | Madison | 6 |
| Burt | 8 | McPherson | 2 |
| Cass | 11 | Merrick | 5 |
| Cedar | 4 | Nance | 4 |
| Chase | 3 | Nemaha | 9 |
| Cheyenne | 5 | Nuckolls | 6 |
| Cherry | 5 | Otoe | 9 |
| Clay | 10 | Pawnee | 9 |
| Colfax | 4 | Perkins | 3 |
| Cuming | 7 | Pierce | 3 |
| Custer | 12 | Phelps | 4 |
| Dakota | 4 | Platte | 4 |
| Dawes | 7 | Polk | 5 |
| Dawson | 7 | Red Willow | 6 |
| Deuel | 3 | Richardson | 11 |
| Dixon | 6 | Rock | 3 |
| Dodge | 11 | Saline | 14 |
| Douglas | 68 | Sarpy | 4 |
| Dundy | 3 | Saunders | 8 |
| Fillmore | 9 | Scott's Bluff | 2 |
| Franklin | 5 | Seward | 10 |
| Frontier | 5 | Sheridan | 6 |
| Furnas | 5 | Sherman | 3 |
| Gage | 19 | Sioux | 2 |
| Garfield | 2 | Stanton | 3 |
| Gosper | 2 | Thayer | 8 |
| Grant | 2 | Thomas | 2 |
| Greely | 2 | Thurston | 4 |
| Hall | 8 | Valley | 4 |
| Hamilton | 8 | Washington | 7 |
| Harlan | 4 | Wayne | 4 |
| Hayes | 3 | Webster | 7 |
| Hitchcock | 4 | Wheeler | 2 |
| Holt | 8 | York | 12 |
| Howard | 4 | | |
| Hooker | 2 | Total | 545 |
| Jefferson | 9 | | |

*No vote returned.

It is recomended that no proxies be addmitted to the convention, and tint the delegates present be authorized to cast the full vote of the delegation.

It is further recomended that the state central committee select the temporary organization of the convention.

JOHN C. WATSON, Chairman.
WALT. M. SEELY, Secretary.

## THE COUNTY TICKET.

The republicans of Cass county enter the campaign this year with a greater degree of unity and enthusiasm and a more determined spirit than they have shown for years. They have nominated a ticket that inspires confidence and renders the contest one of men as well as party principle. Entering under these favorable circumstances it is only reasonable to conclude that the entire ticket will be triumphantly elected.

It is not often that a party goes into a fight with a stronger ticket than which the convention selected last Saturday—a ticket to which its supporters may refer with pride and satisfaction. For county clerk a better selection could not have been made than the nominee, Frank Dickson. With his experience as deputy clerk, his fine natural business qualifications his integrity and exhabits makes him, indeed, eminently fitted for the position.

In the nominee for county treasurer, L. C. Eickhoff, we have a man to whom the financial affairs of the county may be entrusted with perfect safety. Mr. Eickhoff has for many years been one of our foremost farmers, a man whose integrity is above question and his popularity with all classes will make him an exceedingly strong candidate.

Geo. Edson, of Rock Bluffs, is also a practical farmer, a staunch republican and a thoroughly honest, competent and strong candidate.

Calvin Russel, of Weeping Water, nominee for county judge, is too well and favorably know to call for special comment at this time. He has already filled the office, to which his party desires to elect him, to the entire satisfaction of his constituents. His fitness for the position is above question and his popularity with all parties and sections will make him a strong candidate.

A. Salisbury, nominee for clerk of the district court, one of our most prominent dentists, has won an enviable reputation, not only professionally but personally, and with his fine business qualities, geniality and sterling integrity he will make a successful run and perform the exacting duties of the office to which he aspires faithfully and well

J. E. Leyda, of Weeping Water, nominee for superintendent of schools, though a young man, has been a live, progressive teacher for several years. This is truly a case in which the office sought the man, as Mr. Leyda hadno intimation that his friends would present his name until a few moments before the vote was taken. His friends had considered well his availability and concluded that a stronger man could not be found.

The nomination of J. I. Unruh, of Plattsmuoth, for corner, to succeed himself will give general satisfaction. During the year in which he has filled the position, he has proved himself a thoroughly competent ready officer and justly entitled to the position another term. Mr. Unruh will be a strong candidate.

A. C. Mayes, our present county surveyor, will be re-elected to the position that he has so ably filled in the past. A stronger candidate could not have been secured.

A. B. Todd named by the first commissioner district, for renomination to the office of county commissioner, is thoroughly known throughout the county as an efficient, upright and able officer. The election of Mr. Todd might as well have been made unanimous at once.

These are the names placed before the voters of Cass county, by the republican on the ticket is well known to our readers, hence we are not entering this campaign blindly.

But there is a work for every member of the party to do, in order to make its election, absolutely certain. Let us remember the admonition of our newly elected chairman of the central committee when he said "go home with a burden and a responsibility and work until the ticket is elected."

Will we do it?

BEFORE the democratic state convention convened at Grand Island, the democratic press, particularly our home organ, was loud in its denunciations of Boyd's veto of the Newberry freight bill, but since the bosses have been heard from and it has become a settled fact that the party will uphold Boyd's action, these papers have maintained a silence in the matter that is really surprising. Does it mean that these papers propose to surrender all independence in the matter, cease to advocate a course that they really believe would be to the interest of the people and even advocate directly the opposite view, regardless of their honest convictions, simply to satisfy party bosses? These party newspapers were directed doubtless, by declarations of party platforms in the past; but surely in the face of the usual neglect to fulfil party pledges, these papers, the editors of which are well acquainted with democratic methods, should be careful to advance no sentiment concerning a question of general concern, until the crowd has been heard from.

THE republican state convention meets at Lincoln next Thursday.

GOOD crops always indicate the success of the republican ticket.

KEEP in the mibdle of the road.

Some of the most startling, interesting discoveries of the life and customs of buried Egypt are now being made through extensive excavattions. These discoveries are exciting a great interest. Many discoveries are, however, being made in our country that are remarkable, among which we may mention that of Haller's Pain Paralyzer which effects entire relief, and in many cases a complete cure of that terrible disease rheumatism, and which also relieves pain of all kinds. For sale by all druggists.

### SPEAK NO ILL.

Nay, speak no ill, a kindly word
Can never leave a sting behind,
And oh! to breathe such, life we've heard
Is far beneath a noble mind.

Full oft a better seed is sown
By choosing thus a kinder plan.
For if but little need be known
Still let us speak the best we can.

Give me the heart that fain would hide
Would fain another's fault efface;
How can it pleasure human pride
To prove humanity but base?

No, let us reach a higher mood,
A nobler estimate of man;
Be earnest in the search for good,
And speak of all as best we can.

Then speak no ill, but lenient be
To other's failings as your own.
If you're the first a fault to see,
Be not the first to make it known.

For life is but a passing day;
No lips may tell how short its span.
Then, oh! the little time we stay,
Let's speak of all the best we can.

—Once a Week.

### Ants and Their Uses.

During twelve months spent in the Australian colonies in the years 1870-1 I had more opportunities than were pleasant of studying the habits of ants. These insects, as is well known, are not only a nuisance, but an absolute pest in hot countries. They march in myriads and destroy everything in their road. In justice to the ants, I am bound, however, to admit that I have found them useful in more ways than one. For instance, I bought an opossum skin rug from a native. I soon became painfully aware of the fact that it literally swarmed with fleas and other vermin. In vain did I exhaust my stock of pepper. Even turpentine seemed to have no effect beyond increasing the reckless activity of these irritating settlers.

At last in despair I threw my rug down on an ant hill. In less than half an hour every flea and objectionable parasite was eaten, but the rug was full of ants. I therefore hung it on a mimosa bush, and as soon as the ants found they were suspended they hastened to leave the rug and descended by the bush as best they could.

Again, I had killed a snake in Tasmania and wished to clean and bleach the skeleton, which I intended to have mounted as a necklace. I left the body near an ants' nest. In a few hours there was not a vestige of flesh on the bones. The sun soon did the rest.—Gentleman's Magazine.

### Girls in Vermont's Celebration.

The most beautiful feature of Vermont's centennial celebration at Bennington was the triumphal arch, a massive structure, at least thirty-five feet high. In its lofty turret was a throne of gold and national colors, occupied by Miss Lillie Adams, of Bennington, robed as the Goddess of Liberty. Just below on the top of the arch, were 125 girls, selected from the public schools, clad in pure white and with flowing hair, who sang patriotic songs accompanied by a cornet, as the parade passed beneath the archway. Below these the arm arches were filled with maidens, bearing in their hands banners emblazoned in gold and colors with the various coats of arms of the states. At the banquet many notable ladies were present, and the tables were served in part by 300 young women in white.—Boston Woman's Journal.

### Neighbors and Social Relations.

While it is pleasant to have neighbors with whom we are on familiar social relations, the fact that we are neighbors merely is no reason why such relations should exist. Certainly no one has any reason to be offended if a neighbor chooses to live in retirement, or does not return obsequious calls. Too many of the calls on new neighbors, which are considered a social duty in many districts of the country, are simply prying errands to see if the parlor carpet is genuine Brussels or rag, or whether the new neighbor keeps her hair in curl papers at calling hours, or is a good manager or a hopeless slattern, or something else, which is no possible concern of the caller.—New York Tribune.

### Coins Show That the Umbrella Is Old.

On coins in the rock carvings of the ancients the umbrella often shows its familiar form. This goes to prove that Jonas Hanway did not invent the umbrella, but he saw the value of the eastern sunshade, and soon it became the fashion to carry this useful article. There must be great difference between the umbrella of the eighteenth century and the modern steel ribbed, silk covered, slender article which is regarded as a misfortune to get wet.—Irish Times.

### He Knew.

A young woman was trading in a stationer's shop and the elderly proprietor suddenly asked:

"And when does the wedding take place?"

"The wedding? Why, you don't think"—the fair customer blushed and hesitated.

"Ah, miss, when young ladies buy a hundred sheets of paper and only twenty-five envelopes, I know there is something in the wind."—Exchange.

It is a great deal easier to see alleviations and to apply philosophical consolations in the case of a friend's trouble than in our own. The one and only form of consolation which is universally true and applicable is that "it might be worse." There is no conceivable case so bad that this may not truly be said of it.

Aluminium has been suggested as a material for coins, but there are objections to it. It has always a greasy feel, due to the presence of a slight but unavoidable film of oxide of aluminium over its surface.

A remedy for creaking hinges is mutton tallow rubbed on the joint. A great many locks that refuse to do their work are simply rusted and will be all right if carefully oiled.

Large English walnut shells are frequently mounted with hinges and used as ornamental cases for rings, jewels and miniature articles for presents.