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What has become of the old-fashioned politician who really was consistent?

It is referred to as the "steel trust." It should be "steel trust," under the wings of tariff protection.

It is almost time for father to make up his mind how he is going to make that overcoat do through another winter.

Governor Cole Blease of South Carolina says, "to hell with the constitution," although he has shown no other tendency to join the bull moose party.

Why shouldn't women have suffrage? We let men vote who can't talk the English language, and refuse the ballot to women who can talk enough for all of us!

Don't bite if some one asks you this question: "What is the plural of bull moose?" This is the answer: "There isn't any plural. There's only one—Teddy Roosevelt."

When Paul Clark comes into your neighborhood asking for votes don't forget to ask him why he deserted the regular republican party and spends so much of his time in abusing President Taft?

"It is a horse of another color" now. The coal man is having his inning now, while the ice man is gradually being shut out. But don't worry, there will be many days yet in which the housewife will have use for ice.

Speaker Clark is now demonstrating his loyalty to Wilson and Marshall by campaigning in his own state of Missouri. Champ is a great favorite of Missourians, and the great crowds that turn out to his meetings is sufficient evidence of this fact.

While everything political is on the quiet order in this immediate "neck of the woods," the democrats seem to be up and doing in other sections of the state. Maybe our fellows believe in "letting well enough alone."

Norris, bull moose candidate for United States senator, knew what was best for him when he refused to campaign with Paul Clark in the First district. George got wise to Paul's unpopularity at the last moment.

The assessor's office is one of the most important and responsible positions in the gift of the voters of Cass county. And it will be well for those interested to bear in mind that W. R. Bryan, the democratic candidate for assessor, has always lived on the farm and understands fully the duties of the office. He has never held office, but his neighbors recommend him very highly for this position.

Two years ago Aldrich promised the people so many reforms that evidently he has forgotten four-fifths of them, and probably more than that. He was then running his first race for governor and promised most anything to be elected. Many of these promises he never expected to fulfill. He is at the same trick again this year. He should remember what Honest Old Abe Lincoln said about fooling all the people all the time. The people of Nebraska are onto his flipflops in great shape.

Collier's is doing good work for Wilson and Marshall. That is a heap, thank you.

German day is the next important event to come off in Plattsmouth—Saturday, October 5.

The fellow who is empowered with a heap of conceit always thrives best in the limelight.

The world is filled with both men and women who do in private those things they denounce in public. That is what is termed hypocrisy.

The democrats of Nebraska City have organized a Wilson and Morehead club and they expect to boast of a large membership at the next meeting.

President Taft still figures out that he is going to be re-elected. There will have to be considerable changing of sentiment between now and the 5th day of November if he is.

Our friend, Hon. John Mattes, of Nebraska City, will be one of the orators at the German day celebration in this city. John is a good one, and our German friends made no mistake in securing him.

Governor Aldrich is opposed to Taft, and yet he is after Taft republicans to vote for him. How a friend of President Taft can even think of voting for the great flipflop we are unable to perceive.

Hon. D. R. Sutherland, democratic candidate for congress in the Fifth district, favors paying soldiers' pensions every month. A very good idea, and one which no doubt would meet with the approbation of all the old vets.

Taft's veto of the wool bill is enough to defeat him if nothing more. It was a democratic congress that worked to pass measures for the relief of the people, while the president used his veto in the interests of the trusts. See?

There is no comparison as to ability between ex-Governor Shallenberger and George W. Norris. The close friends of Norris acknowledge this fact. Another fact—Shallenberger is honest in what he does and Norris isn't. He

Saturday, October 5, will be a red-letter day for the democrats of Nebraska. Governor Wilson will speak in Omaha in the daytime and at Lincoln in the evening. Arrangements are being made for a large attendance at both places.

In voting for ex-Governor A. C. Shallenberger for United States senator the voters can rest assured they are supporting a gentleman and scholar who will serve the people of Nebraska faithfully. He made one of the best governors the state ever had and will prove the same kind of a representative in the United States senate.

lined up with the common fellows in congress, and now he is trying to carry water on both shoulders by catering to the bull moosers and regular republicans. But such politics will not work with the people. They want an honest man in the senate—one that can be depended upon—and they know they will have him in ex-Governor Shallenberger.

John L. Sullivan has declared for Roosevelt. Now let us hear from Jack Johnson.

A man who loses his political prestige by flipflop so much had better quit the game of office-seeking. The voters will not support a man for office who bears that sort of a record.

Two more republican papers—the Butte Gazette and the Dakota City Eagle—are both out for Wilson and Marshall. The Gazette at first supported Roosevelt, the same as the Eagle, but both editors think they can better serve the common people by supporting the democratic ticket.

Senator Gore makes a suggestion, which if adopted, would soon determine whether the tariff is or is not a cause of the high cost of living. Let every article, he said, be tagged with its price plus the tariff, and also with its flat price without the tariff additional. Everybody could then make his purchase according to his political convictions.

If the election of president should be thrown into the house, as there is a possibility it might, it is up to the voters of the First congressional district, and especially President Taft's friends, to know, if Paul Clark is elected, whether he will vote for Roosevelt or Taft? Put the question right to him. This deceit in politics is as bad as deceit in religion.

There are many republicans in Cass county who intend to vote for John A. Maguire because they believe him to be a square man, and he has given his constituents a square deal, impartially administered to republicans and democrats alike. In that respect he has proved one of the fairest congressmen that ever represented the people of the First district, and should be returned by an increased majority. He is far ahead of Paul Clark in ability, and never did try to deceive the people in order to be elected to the position he has so honorably filled. The people know right where to find John Maguire, and that is the kind of a man they like.

Words of praise for Hon. John H. Morehead come from every section of the state. And in many instances they come direct from republicans who voted for Aldrich two years ago, but will vote for Mr. Morehead this time. A former republican farmer, who removed to the western part of the state several years ago, and who is a subscriber to the Journal, writes as follows: "I see by the Journal you are a great admirer of John H. Morehead, democratic candidate for governor. I had the pleasure of meeting him last week, and I want to tell you that I admire him to the extent that I am going to vote for him. As you know, I am a republican, but I prefer to vote for a man like Mr. Morehead than a straddler like Aldrich, who I voted for two years ago."

To date John H. Morehead has conducted his campaign on a high plane. He has taken the voters into his confidence and told them plainly what he stands for. Billingsgate, obscene abuse and profane ejaculations he has left entirely to his opponent. The editor of this newspaper has had the pleasure of knowing every Nebraska governor since John M. Thayer. He has heard more profanity, obscenity and billingsgate during the last eighteen months of the present regime than he heard during all the years of Thayer, Holcomb, Crouse, Sheldon, Poynter and Shallenberger. And if he remembers rightly none of the above named gentlemen posed as moral preceptors and exemplars of the righteous life.—Will Waupin's Weekly.



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There is no question about Perkins of the Harvester trust financing Roosevelt's campaign. Does anyone believe Perkins is doing this for his health?

Woodrow Wilson is a candidate without cant. He does not merely preach the ten commandments; he practices them, and also that other commandment, "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." He is battling not only for the Lord, but also for his fellowmen. All commandments are equally important to him, the tenth as well as the eighth. "Thou shalt not covet" as well as "Thou shalt not steal." Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's office. Our candidate is not tainted by the personal cant which makes a man proclaim himself the only righteous creature in a sinful world and the only hope of an otherwise lost and desolated nation. Governor Wilson is a straightforward American facing the future without apologizing for the past, justifying his faith by his words, not by phrases, free to serve the people and the whole people.

#### MANY THANKS.

For the past week or so the Plattsmouth Journal has been running editorial paragraphs like the following, clipped from a recent issue: "Paul Clark has not declared yet which side of the fence he is on. Will he support Roosevelt or will he support Taft? Out with it, Paul. There are a great many regular republicans who want to know and they propose to know before they will consent to vote for you on the 5th day of November." This paragraph is referred to merely to point out that that kind of campaigning by the newspapers, country and city alike, is almost a back number. The editor of the Plattsmouth paper can scarcely be ignorant of what, it may be safe to say, half of the people in the district know, that Clark declared for Roosevelt before the Chicago convention was at an end, and has been hard put to it to secure enough adjectives to express his opinion of Barnes and Penrose. If the editor does not know this he is a blind leader of the blind. The chances are that he does know it, and living in the dark ages of politics, thinks mis-

representation of a political opponent is all right and proper.—Lincoln News.

While the editor of the Journal may be a back number, it will be seen he has been shrewd enough to make the annex of the Old State Journal print for once an acknowledgement that we have never before seen in print in that repeater of the morning news of the State Journal. We do remember how Clark raved and tore around and abused President Taft after his nomination at Chicago. We also remember that Clark used vile epithets in denouncing the president and announcing the fact that he was for Roosevelt and would not support Taft under any circumstances. But we wanted to see the Journal or News acknowledge the corn, for fear the Taft followers might forget the incident. We feel greatly relieved at accomplishing just what we were after—an acknowledgement from the State Journal or its afternoon annex that Paul Clark is yet for Roosevelt. Many thanks!

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