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THE WINNING TICKET.

For Governor—WILLIAM A. POYNTER of Boone. Lieutenant Governor—E. A. GILBERT of York. Secretary of State—WILLIAM F. PORTER of Morrill.

FOR CONGRESS, First District—James Manahan of Lincoln. Second District—Gilbert M. Hitchcock of Omaha.

LANCASTER COUNTY TICKET. District Judge (to fill vacancy)—Samuel J. Tuttle of Lincoln.

Republican rascality is not confined to Nebraska. New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, and many other states have suffered from the same curse.

If one is to judge from the immense delinquent tax lists that are just being printed in the weekly papers, "McKinley prosperity," has not enabled the people of Nebraska to pay up nearly as much of the "back taxes" as Judge Hayward says they have.

Huntington is playing the old Mark Hanna game over again in California. He has issued a circular threatening to reduce the wages of all the railroad employes if his man is not elected governor.

It is strictly true that no one but bond holders can get any of the surplus cash of the treasury for use without interest. All the real estate in a city put up as security would not get a dollar of it.

"What," said one Lincoln citizen to another, "do you think the fusion majority will be?" "Oh, anywhere from 20,000 to 40,000," was the reply.

A bond holder is one of the favored ones of all the earth. He seems to have been born under a lucky star. He doesn't have to collect his own interest. Uncle Sam does that and hands it over to him every quarter.

The goldbug New York papers declare that it will not do for the government to build the Nicaragua canal because the men in charge of the work will steal Uncle Sam's money while they are doing it.

NOTE ISSUING BANKS. In all the history of note issuing banks there is only one whose career the bankers ever refer to as an example of what a good thing a note issuing bank is. That lone exception is the state bank of Indiana.

GOT THE FLOP-A-DOODLES. Last Sunday old Tiddle-de-winks, after taking a glance at the head lines of the country weeklies on the subject of butterine, got one of its crazy spells.

Speaking about conundrums does any one know to this day why Judge Ben Baker was not given the compliment last year of acting as chairman of the republican state convention?

The plan to run Hayward ahead of the rest of the republican state ticket by posing him a high toned gentleman and republican reformer has received a severe jolt since the Ebricht exposing and the monopoly record as taken from the Omaha Bee and Kearney Hub.

AT IT AGAIN. In 1893, after the bankers had given us an "object lesson" by which they succeeded in pauperizing thousands of widows, orphans and business men, the country was filled with homeless wanderers going from place to place seeking work or begging their daily bread.

Old Tiddle-de-winks reminds one of a dispute between two English farmers. One said that the reason the raising of Indian corn did not exhaust the soil like other crops was that it was mainly an air plant and got its sustenance from the atmosphere like an orchid.

NATIONAL HONOR LIES. It appears that Sound Money, which is a journal published in the interest of national honor, that is, if the editors are ever to be believed, can do just as fearful lying as old Tiddle-de-winks.

The republicans all declare that they detest yellow journalism but that they have an undying affection for yellow money. Their ideas were always badly mixed.

THE NEW YORK DEMOCRACY. The New York Journal is supporting the Van Wyck ticket, but under a protest. After the convention that failed to endorse the Chicago ticket, Mr. Hearst published a signed editorial in which he made some very pointed remarks.

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KNOW THEIR FRIENDS. One source of gain to the populist state ticket this fall that has not been much figured on by the politicians is that from republican school teachers in the state.

AN ECONOMIC TRINITY. "There is no such thing as intrinsic value,"—Prof. Jevons. "That prices would rise and fall in price in proportion to the increase or diminution of money I assume as a fact that is incontrovertible."—Ricardo.

HIGH TREASON. The farmers who have held on to their wheat may have cause to congratulate themselves. It is now reported that the wheat crop in Russia has failed again and that there will not be enough for home consumption.

Is Mr. Burkett afraid of Manahan or afraid of the issues?

SOME SPIE WORK. Association with Mark Hanna and his committee seems to have a demoralizing effect upon almost every Washington correspondent.

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FAT RODDY'S PROMISE. A republican paper in Otoe county gives the following reason why the people of that county should vote for the republican candidate for the legislature.

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McKINLEY PROSPERITY. September 20, 1898, Judge M. L. Hayward, republican candidate for governor, made a speech in Lincoln in which he claimed that McKinley prosperity had enabled the people of Nebraska to pay up so much of their back taxes that large amounts had flowed into the state treasury and for that reason Meserve was able to pay off \$700,000.00 of the state debt.

HARDY'S COLUMN. Boggs Has Quit—Who Pays—Middle of the Road—Poor Criminals—Labor Troubles—Yellow Journals—City Ownership—Two Things to Consider. What is the matter with Boggs in the county treasurers office. Is there something crooked that Boggs cannot stand or is there something crooked that the treasurer cannot stand?

Now the trouble comes from laborers going from one state to another. They can come from Europe but as soon as they get here the Americans from the southern states must not come in and take their places. Kick as much as you choose, organize labor unions and strike as often as you please, if the gold standard is persisted in labor and everything else in this country, has got to come down to the European level.

Any newspaper that tells the truth is called a "yellow journal" by all goldbug republicans. Riddle and sarcasm is all they have in line of argument or reason to back up their republican rottenness. Why do not their candidates for congress in the First and Second meet their opponent in joint debate.

The three cities of the world that give the lowest rate of fare on street railroads, pay the highest wages to the men, require the shortest hours of work and give the best service are Glasgow, Leeds and Plymouth. These cities own and operate the street railroads and turn a large surplus every year into the city treasuries.

There are two things, or conditions, that every voter in Nebraska should consider and weigh before voting. Every body knows how state matters were managed by the republican party for thirty years. Everybody has known, just as well, how they have been managed the last two years.

Salt Rheum. Intense Suffering—Could Not Sleep—Cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. "I had salt rheum on my arms, which itched intensely and kept me from sleeping. The skin on my hands would crack open. My friends believed I was suffering from blood poisoning. I decided to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I did not see any improvement with the first bottle but continued with the medicine and after taking five bottles I was completely cured. My hands are now as smooth as I could wish." A. D. HAWY, Elroy, Pa. Hood's Sarsaparilla. Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Sold by all druggists. 25c; six for \$2. Hood's Pills are prompt, efficient and easy to take. 25c.