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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1896.

Republican National Ticket.

- For president, WILLIAM MCKINLEY. For vice-president, GARRETT A. HOBART. State Ticket. For Governor, J. H. MACCOLL. For Lieutenant-Governor, ORLANDO TIFFE. For Secretary of State, JOEL A. PIPER. For Auditor, P. O. HEDLUND. For Treasurer, C. E. CASEY. For Attorney-General, A. S. CHEWCHILL. For Supt of Public Instruction, H. R. CORBETT. For Commissioner Public Lands & Buildings, H. C. Russell. For Supreme Judges, ROBERT BYAN, M. P. KINKAID, For Regent of the State University, W. G. WHITMORE. For Presidential Electors, J. E. HOUTZ, F. J. SADILEK, A. J. BURNHAM, A. C. FOSTER, SOL DRAPER, G. A. DEBBY, J. L. MCPHEELEY, M. L. FRIESE. Congressional Ticket. For Member of Congress, 6th District, A. E. CADY. Legislative Ticket. For State Senator 16th District, W. B. ELY. For Representative, 33d District, SMITH P. TUTTLE.

Nebraska's Next Governor. Jack MacColl took a homestead adjoining what is now the city of Lexington, in 1870. His ancestors were Scotch, and his early manhood was spent on a Canadian farm. He left home in 1869 and immediately set out for the west. His first work was as a laborer for the Union Pacific R. R. Co., and the following year



took up the homestead where he now lives. From the first he succeeded, because he had learned business method as well as farm routine. The first county clerk of Dawson county was removed for cause, and MacColl was appointed in his place. He held the office thirteen years, although he took it in the beginning under protest. He has never been an office-seeker, nor a politician in the accepted sense. He served one term in the Nebraska legislature, and was a capable, conscientious member. In 1890 his friends in western Nebraska urged him to become a candidate for the republican nomination for governor, and he reluctantly consented. L. D. Richards was nominated. Four years later he was an active candidate, but the nomination fell to T. J. Majors. In 1895 his friends were as loyal and enthusiastic as ever, and they went into the state convention with many new recruits and nominated him July 1.

Jack MacColl is called the Nebraska "commoner." Such he is in fact. He is plain and easily approachable. He is sympathetic, cordial and warm-hearted. He is a friend of the laborer as well as the man of business and is loved by one and esteemed by the other. Personally he is close-mouthed and conservative, but all the time strictly business. He will make an ideal governor.

W. L. Greene the combination nominee of the populists and democrats for congress in this district went to Sidney last week to make a speech. He did not stop at that, but he is reported to have gotten on a "high lonesome" of several days' duration, and that he has cancelled many of his engagements. It will be necessary for the opposition to "sally to either pull Greene off the track or get a spirit proof muzzle for him to wear during the campaign.

Interests You. Offer of cheap reading matter you can't afford to miss. During the great campaign, people want newspapers and want them while they are fresh and new. The Semi-Weekly State Journal, Lincoln, Neb., supplies the demand, as it will be mailed twice a week from now until January 1, 1897, for 25 cents, or from now until January 1, 1898, for one dollar. The twenty-five-cent proposition takes you all through the campaign, gives you the election returns, and through the balance of this year. A dollar for the great twice-a-week paper from now until January 1, 1898, is the biggest offer ever made to readers. All through the campaign, all through the Nebraska legislature, the congress and the inauguration of a new president. Never since the war has so many incidents of vital interest to the masses been crowded into sixteen months, as there will be during this period. The Semi-Weekly Journal is almost as good as a daily. Send your order direct or give it to your postmaster.

Final Proof Notices. All persons having final proof notices in this paper will receive a marked copy of the paper and are requested to examine their notices and if any errors exist report the same to this office at once.

Timber Culture, Final Proof.—Notice for Publication. United States Land Office, Alliance, Neb., August 27, 1896. Notice is hereby given that Jacob Marking, of Monroe, Neb., has filed notice of intention to make final proof before M. J. Blawett, clerk of Dist. Court, at his office in Harrison, on the 10th day of October, 1896, on timber culture application No. 256, for the N. 1/4 of section No. 17, in township No. 33 N., range No. 54 W. He names as witnesses: Jackson Kriesler, of Bondare, Neb. Stephen Serres, " " " Joseph Hoffmann, " " " Jacob Wasserman, of Monroe, Neb. J. W. WAPP, JR., Register.

Timber Culture, Final Proof.—Notice for Publication. United States Land Office, Alliance, Neb., August 27, 1896. Notice is hereby given that David Anderson, of Ardmore, B. D., has filed notice of intention to make final proof before M. J. Blawett, clerk of Dist. Court, at his office in Harrison, on the 10th day of Oct., 1896, on timber culture application No. 78, for the N. 1/4 of section No. 17, in township No. 33 N., range No. 54 W. He names as witnesses: Joseph Ashton, August Meyers, Hiram Richardson, J. M. Frump, all of Ardmore, B. D. J. W. WAPP, JR., Register.

Entry Notice. Taken up by the undersigned on his premises in Sugar Loaf precinct, Sioux county, Neb., the following described animals: 1 cow, brown with black face, branded on left shoulder and right on right shoulder, about 7 years old; 1 bay horse, with black face and left hind foot, branded on left shoulder with first above described brand, about 7 years old.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

The following proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, as hereinafter set forth in full, are submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska, to be voted upon at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 3, A. D. 1896:

A joint resolution proposing to amend sections two (2), four (4), and five (5), of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to number of judges of the supreme court and their term of office.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section two (2) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended so as to read as follows: Section 2. The supreme court shall until otherwise provided by law consist of five (5) judges, a majority of whom shall be members of the state bar, and shall hold their office for a term of six (6) years, and shall be elected on the first Tuesday in August next following the expiration of their term of office. Section 3. The judges of the supreme court shall be elected by the electors of the State of Nebraska, and shall hold their office for a term of six (6) years, and shall be elected on the first Tuesday in August next following the expiration of their term of office.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section thirteen (13) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to compensation of supreme and district court judges.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section thirteen (13) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended so as to read as follows: Section 13. The judges of the supreme and district courts shall receive for their services a salary to be fixed by the electors of the State of Nebraska, and shall be paid quarterly. The salary shall be paid in advance, and shall not be subject to any vote of the members of either house of the legislature.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section twenty-four (24) of article five (5) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to compensation of the officers of the executive department.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section twenty-four (24) of article five (5) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended so as to read as follows: Section 24. The officers of the executive department of the same government shall receive a salary to be fixed by the electors of the State of Nebraska, and shall be paid quarterly. The salary shall be paid in advance, and shall not be subject to any vote of the members of either house of the legislature.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section one (1) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to judicial power.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section one (1) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended so as to read as follows: Section 1. The judicial power of this state shall be vested in a supreme court, district courts, county courts, justices of the peace, and magistrates, and in such other courts inferior to the supreme court as may be created by law in which two-thirds of the members elected to each house concur.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section eleven (11) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to increase in number of supreme and district court judges.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. The legislature, whenever two-thirds of the members elected to each house shall concur, may increase the number of supreme and district court judges, and the judicial power of the state, and such increase shall be subject to the approval of the electors of the State of Nebraska, and shall not be subject to any vote of the members of either house of the legislature.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section seven (7) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, prescribing the manner in which votes shall be cast.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section seven (7) of article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended so as to read as follows: Section 7. The government of any city of the metropolitan class and the government of the county in which it is located may be merged wholly or in part when a proposition to do so has been submitted by authority of law to the voters of such city and county and received the assent of a majority of the votes cast in such city and county and also a majority of the votes cast in such metropolitan city at such election.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section six (6) of article one (1) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to trial by jury.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section six (6) of article one (1) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended so as to read as follows: Section 6. All suits shall be by bill, or such other method as may be prescribed by law, provided the secrecy of voting be preserved.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section two (2) of article four (4) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relative to donations to works of internal improvement and manufactures.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section two (2) of article four (4) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended so as to read as follows: Section 2. No city, county, town, precinct, municipality, or other subdivision of the state, shall ever make donations to any work of internal improvement, or manufacture, unless a proposition to do so shall have been first submitted to the qualified voters and ratified by a two-thirds vote at an election by authority of law. Provided that such donations of a county with the donation of such subdivisions in the aggregate shall not exceed ten per cent of the assessed valuation of such county. Provided further, That any city or county may, by a three-fourths vote, increase such limitation as five per cent in addition to such ten per cent and no bonds or evidence of indebtedness so issued shall be valid unless the same shall have been passed through a vote first signed by the secretary of a auditor of state, showing that the same is issued pursuant to law.

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Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section one (1) of article five (5) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended so as to read as follows: Section 1. The executive department shall consist of a governor, lieutenant-governor, secretary of state, and auditor of state, and shall hold their office for a term of four (4) years, and shall be elected on the first Tuesday in August next following the expiration of their term of office.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section twenty-six (26) of article five (5) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, limiting the number of executive state officers.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section twenty-six (26) of article five (5) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended so as to read as follows: Section 26. No other executive state officer except those named in section one (1) of this article shall be created, except by an act of the legislature which shall be passed in a joint session of the members elected to each house thereof.

A joint resolution proposing to amend section nine (9) of article eight (8) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, providing for the investment of the permanent educational funds of the state.

Be it resolved and enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska: Section 1. That section nine (9) of article eight (8) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended so as to read as follows: Section 9. All funds belonging to the state for educational purposes shall be deposited in a trust fund, and shall be invested in such securities as shall be determined by the board created by section 1 of this article, and shall be sold from time to time as the securities belonging to the permanent school fund and investment proceeds arising therefrom in any of the securities enumerated in this section bearing a higher rate of interest than any other opportunity for better investment is presented.

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