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Our Motto—"NO QUESTION IS EVER SETTLED UNTIL IT IS SETTLED RIGHT."—Hon. William J. Bryan.

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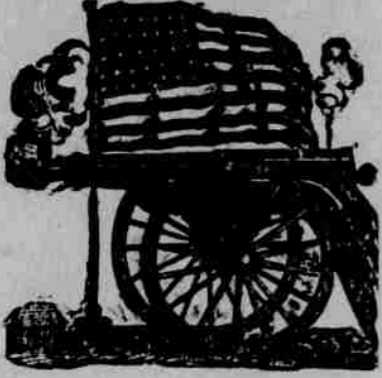
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The JOURNAL stands fairly and squarely on the Chicago platform, but will not hesitate to support and work for the election of candidates for the various offices to be voted for this fall no matter, whether they are Democrats, Populist or free silver Republicans, if endorsed by all the reform parties, conditional, however, that they advocate bi-metallism the income tax law, opposition to national banks of issue, are opposed to the retirement of the greenbacks and treasury notes, favor government control of railroads, telegraph and telephone lines and the establishment of postal savings banking system, and also are opposed to the issuing of national bonds in time of peace.

FUSION STATE TICKET.

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For Supt. Public Instruction: HON. W. R. JACKSON.
For Congress, 6th District: HON. W. H. GREEN.
For Senator 14th Senatorial District: HON. OTTO MUTZ.
For Representative, 23 District: HON. LEWIS GERLACH.

The Empress of Austria, was assassinated at Geneva Switzerland, on the 10th inst., by an Italian anarchist.

Li Hung Chang, the Chinese premier has been dismissed by the Emperor for having plaid into the hands of Russia.

The nearer election day rolls around the more the gold organs try to make the people believe free silver is dead but it don't work.

Arkansas went democratic as usual Sept. 6th. The populists lost heavily, only electing one representative, where in the last election, 1896 they elected 10 or 12.

The three silver parties of Colorado have decided to unite on a state ticket this fall. That means that the McKinleyites will be defeated at the polls without a doubt November 8th.

The subjects of the Ottoman empire, on the island of Crete have broken loose again, murdering 300 or 400 christians, subjects of Greece and burning the Spanish, German and English consulates. Martial law has been declared.

The Vermont state election which took place on Sept. 6th, shows democratic gains of about 10 per cent. The democrats made a gain of 22 representatives in the legislature over the 1896 election. Or in '96 they elected 11 representatives and this fall they succeeded in electing 33.

President McKinley and his cabinet decided the fate of the Philippine islands on the 18th inst. At the cabinet meeting it was decided to retain the Luzon island leaving Spain in possession of the rest conditioned however that a liberal government be given to the inhabitants. Besides Spain must sell the island to any foreign power without the consent of the United States government.

HON. LEWIS GERLACH, OF HARRISON WAS NOMINATED AT CRAWFORD LAST SATURDAY SEPT. 10th.

The nomination of Sioux county's candidate, Hon. Lewis Gerlach, by the Democratic and Populist representative conventions held at Crawford last Saturday the 10th inst, was an honor well bestowed. And in so doing the JOURNAL believes wise judgement was displayed, not because the candidate was a Sioux county man—though this county, of right was entitled to that place on the ticket—but because, Hon. Lewis Gerlach is a gentleman, who's reputation, either in politics or business is above reproach, and the JOURNAL respectfully defies any body to point to a single instance, where Mr. Gerlach has, knowingly or otherwise mistreated a friend or neighbor, and at all times respects and honors his political enemies with gentlemanly conduct. In fact he is an ideal gentleman in every way morally, socially, intellectually and we know he is politically; he is respected and esteemed by every body having the good fortune to make his acquaintance. It is safe to say that neighbor Gerlach has't an enemy, so far as we know in the wide world.

The JOURNAL believes now, as stated in these columns about six weeks ago, that there is no man in this district his peer and that no mistake could possibly be made as a result of his nomination. The closing of the polls November 8th, will verify the correctness our statement.

If Mr. Gerlach is elected—and there is not a shadow of a doubt but that he will—he will without doubt distinguish himself down at Lincoln this next winter on the floor of the house. In the nomination of Mr. Gerlach the three reform parties have a candidate to whom they can point with pride in his sterling worth and ability.

Soon as Mr. Gerlach's opponent has been nominated he will commence the campaign and, if his opponent wishes he will make a joint debate campaign.

The W. C. T. U. intends to have a grand celebration at Chicago on the 25th of this month it being the birthday of Francis Willard.

The population of the United States is 24 million more than Germany and 32 million more than England, not counting the colonial possessions of either.

The democrats demanded an "income tax" as a war revenue measure. The Republicans denied this to the people, but take everything used by the laboring man.

The republican administration must have nearly worn their finger nails off trying to dig the last penny out of the state treasury before they were forced to get out by an honest set of officials.

J. Pierpoint Morgan is now trying to form a coffin trust. He doubtless expects, after Nov. 8th, republican candidates will all be dead enough to bury, and he will be doing a rushing business then.

In the office of public lands and buildings for the last 18 months under republican rule was like this:

Receipts of the office (Repub) \$313,073.05

" " " (Demo-pop) 671,733.54

In favor of Reform Rule \$358,060.49

We noticed in the Sunday World-Herald an account of the representative convention held at Crawford last Saturday. The correspondent whoever he is says, victory in this district is an assured fact, and he estimates Hon. Lewis Gerlach's majority will be 800.

During the republican administration in Nebraska, state warrants were from 5 to 7 per cent, below par. During 18 months of reform administration, state warrants are at a premium of 1 1/2 per cent., thus making a saving to the state in 18 months of \$73,250 from the state treasurers office alone.

During the campaign of 1898 the republican party leaders were telling the voters of this state that the credit of Nebraska would be destroyed and that capital would cease to come in and what was here would be driven out. But, instead of driving capital out, P. D. Armour has put up a \$3,000,000 packing house in S. Omaha and besides there has been millions of dollars invested in Nebraska since then. The fact of the matter is that since '96, the republicans cannot point to a single instance where money or business institutions have been driven out as a result of Demo-pop state rule.

The increase in the state debt under republican rule for two years—'95-6—is \$1,275,134 36, and the actual decrease in the state debt under the demo-pop rule for 22 months is, \$771,200 53, hence the difference in favor of the reform state administration is \$3,046,934 89. If the above is true (and it must be as it is official), can it be possible that the people of this state would be willing to return that same party that increased their taxes over a million and a quarter of dollars besides stealing over half that much more?

The JOURNAL believes the people in Nebraska as a whole are like individuals and will not permit the republican party to have another opportunity to steal them blind the second time. If the reform administration has been able in so short space of time to wipe out three quarters of a million dollars in state debt without even raising the taxes of the people, then why should not the fusion state ticket be re-elected this fall? they are all clean, honest, upright men. Two years more of the reform administration in this state and its financial condition will be in the best shape since the state was admitted to the Union.

Some Republicans are like the Chicago editorial writer who was ordered by his chief to write an article against the silverites and brought out two or three columns of abuse and mad-slinging. The chief called him upon the carpet and proceeded to read him a lecture, and began by saying: "See, here, what we want is argument, not abuse," and the reply was: "D—n it, abuse is the only argument we've got."

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