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CALL FOR REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

Loup City, Neb., July 29, 1901.
The republican electors of Sherman county, Nebraska are hereby requested to send delegates from their respective townships to meet in convention at Loup City, Neb., on Wednesday, August 21st, 1901 at 2 P. M. for the purpose of electing six delegates to the Republican State convention to be held in the city of Lincoln on August 28, 1901, to elect a County central committee and to nominate a County ticket as follows:

Judge, Clerk, Treasurer, Sheriff, Superintendent and Coroner.
also to transact such other business as may properly come before said convention.
The several townships are entitled to representation as follows: the apportionment being based upon the vote cast at the last general election (1901) for Wm. McKinley, giving each township one delegate at large and one for every ten votes and fraction thereof:

Oak Creek.....	3	Loup City.....	15
Logan.....	5	Clay.....	4
Washington.....	5	Harrison.....	4
Elm.....	4	Scott.....	3
Webster.....	3	Hazard.....	6
Ashton.....	5	Bristol.....	4
Rockville.....	5		
Total.....			70

It is recommended that the primaries be held on Saturday, August 17, 1901, and it is further recommended that no proxies be allowed, but that the delegates present be allowed to cast the entire vote of the township at said convention.

By order of the county central committee.
GEO. E. BENSCHOTER, Chairman.
W. J. FISHER, Secretary.

Commissioner Watson reports 10, 000,000 acres of government land still open for entry in Nebraska.

Von Waldensee, the commander in chief of the allied forces in China, returned to Germany last Thursday. He was warmly welcomed by the Kaiser and richly decorated for his services in the orient.

A Reverend gentleman of Chicago, last Sunday, warned the male portion of his congregation that very few men were going to heaven, though the ladies would be quite numerous in the new Jerusalem. Another preacher gone wrong.

Kitchener has issued an order banishing all Boers from their country, who do not lay down their arms by Sept. 15. That's gaul for you, when he hasn't been able to even head them off. Kitchener had better return to Egypt, he had better success over there.

Governor Savage has issued an order to the effect that all state officials who ride on passes shall have the amount of their fare deducted from their mileage allowance. To effect this they are compelled to bring a receipt for cash paid from the agent issuing the ticket, or the mileage will be withheld. This seems to be nearer a common sense way of getting at the pass evil than to try to persuade men by "reform" twaddle. If a man receives no benefit from his pass, he is not likely to accept it as a bribe.

The South American republics, Colombia and Venezuela, are showing their teeth at one another with very fair prospects of a war. The trouble may bring Uncle Sam more or less into hostile demonstrations in that vicinity on account of a treaty obligation we have to keep the highway open across the isthmus to traffic at all times. We have a small cruiser on the Atlantic side and orders have been issued to the battleship Wisconsin, on the Pacific station to be in readiness to sail for Panama on short notice.

Uncle Sam is making an earnest appeal to the young men and boys of the country to enter the navy. A large poster in the post office enlightens the public upon the qualifications necessary and the compensation they will receive. The future of the boy who has the right kind of material in him is assured, if he enters the service at this time. The new navy is being rapidly built up and the present apprentices will be, in many instances, the men who tread the quarter deck in the near future. Our boys cannot find a more honorable position, nor one where they can rise so rapidly if they are determined to go to the top.

The recent rains at different times in various parts of Sherman county insure to our people at least a half corn crop, and there has been enough oats and other feed raised this year to supply home consumption, while the crop of hay and other roughness is generally good. Our people are feeling very good over the general result of their labor for the past season, and why not. The almost total failure of crops in the eastern part of the state and many eastern and southern states have not only placed them in a far better condition than their neighbors but they will be able to get high prices for everything in the shape of feed that they have to spare.

This Middle Loup country makes all people smile.
Where rains stop and visit us once in awhile, And comes just in time the long drouth to stop.
And insures her good people more than half of a crop.
Tis the place that many have left, (this is plain.)
But almost invariably, returned again.
And speak of the Loup as the best place to live.
Where they can get plenty and something to give
To the poor, when needy, their wants to allay.
And lay up a small store for a wet, rainy day.
Where the pastures are green and the cow fills the pail,
And cucumbers grow as long as a rail.
Where cattle graze on the hill side so thick,
And come trailing home as full as a tick.
Yes, this is the land where the hay crop is king.
And where you can raise most any old thing.
The roughness grows rank and so does alfalfa,
And so does old Speck and her big fatted calf.
Where fusionists leaders look rather forlorn,
Because the drouth only got a small portion of corn.
And because of this fact out here on the Loup,
The populist party is now in the soup.

There was something noticed rolling down street Monday morning in a black cut-away coat and fly-away pants, with a small derby on its head and white shoes covering its cramped up feet. At first it was considered nameless, but upon second examination it was found to be the legitimate product of the sky-scraper collar. How it got so far north of the Platt was not discovered, but it is becoming very apparent that more care has got to be exercised to keep those pests from blowing around so permissuously or the country will be seeded down with them.

The Silver Republican party lived out its usefulness, deposited its history in the archives of the three ring circus, made its last will and testaments, took a congestive chill after reviewing its past and sensibly gave up the ghost at the tripartite committee meeting at Lincoln last week. It is not stated whether its suicide was the result of earnest urging by the two larger elements of "reform," or whether it became conscience stricken and committed the deed upon its own motion. Its last kick was made heaping blessings upon its father and patron saint, democracy, and as it sank beneath the waters of oblivion there came a last gurgle to preserve its records. Poor thing, it was a hybrid and its species are extinct.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, has offered his sympathy and the co-operation of his organizations to the Amalgamated steel men now on a strike. The anthracite coal men seem to be dissatisfied with their treatment by the coal barons and another great strike among them is threatened. Labor circles are completely stirred up and the end is not yet to be even contemplated. This strike probably involves more great principles of vital importance to the laboring classes than any particular one of its predecessors, and will settle the question, whether union labor and concentrated capital can live in the same house. The conflict was, or is inevitable and the result foreordained. Man in his primitive state could be controlled by chiefs, kings, queens and hereditary rulers. But the educational advantages of the nineteenth century has brought on a new regime and man has sprang from self to sovereign. Labor has become exalted and the most competent leaders come from its ranks. Labor holds the balance of power in this country and its captains are as shrewd as the Morgans or Harrisons, and while the thinking people will demand a bloodless conflict labor's triumph will be complete in the end.

Signor Crispi, the Gladstone of Italy died Sunday evening. Crispi was 82 years old and was a meteoric statesman. He became prominent in the affairs of Italy in '48 and has been its guiding hand for many years. He was once exiled for his liberal ideas both politically and theological and resided in Paris until the far reaching arm of the Vatican compelled him to go on. He then went to London where he was when Garibaldi started his movement for intellectual and political independence when Crispi cast his lot with that intrepid leader and furnished the major part of the brains that emancipated Italy. He furnished another exemplification of "mans inhumanity to man," but his rising star never deserted him even in exile and his ambition was crowned with success even to reaching the highest political eminence next the throne.

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Ways of Committing Suicide.

Some people shoot themselves or take carbolic acid this kind of weather. Others drink copiously of ice water while over-heated. There are various methods.—Kansas City Journal.

Cottonseed and Cotton.

American cottonseed is responsible for a tremendous increase in the production of cotton in Russia, middle Asia, Bokhara, and Khiva. The year 1900 shows an increase of 44 per cent over 1899 in the Asiatic lands, and the increase in the Russian district is 28 per cent. Most of the former cornfields were planted with cotton.

BIRDS AFRAID OF A MIRROR.

May Be Kept Away From the Fruit Trees.

"I learned a trick while in the Philippines in the matter of keeping birds out of fruit trees," volunteered a well known official of the postoffice department to a Star reporter, which may be of value to many just now, when so many cherries are being destroyed by birds. It is simple, inexpensive and, as far as I could observe, practical. It consists in hanging a small mirror on the top limbs of the tree. There should be at least six inches of string to the mirror, so that it can swing about as it is blown by the wind. The flash of the mirror, it appears, scares the birds away. One or two five-cent mirrors hung on a tree is sufficient, though, of course, three or four would be much better. I was told that this method had worked in the Philippines successfully for many years, and that the birds do not grow familiar with it as they do with a scarecrow. Since my return here I find that the mirror scare is not unknown here, and that it has been in use by Michigan fruit growers for many years. I have tried it myself in a small way, and it is amusing what a stir it creates among the birds."—Washington Star.

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