THE ADVERTISER.

R. W. FURNAS, EDITOR.

THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 17, 1858.

Organization of New Territories.

On the first page will be found an excellent article on the subject of the organization of New Territories. It was written by a friend who possesses an observing mind, has had long experience on the frontier, and wields a ready pen. The article was originally written for a paper in the upper Nebraska, but appears in the Advertiser "revised and improved."

Territorial Auditor.

To-day we publish the Governor's Proclamation for the election of a Territorial Auditor. S. L. Campbell was elected, but failing to qualify, our worthy fellow citizen, Col. C. B. Smith, the former auditor, continued to serve until quite recently, when he resigned. Gov. Richardson appointed Capt. W. E. Moore to fill the vacancy until the coming election.

Wild Cats.

Look out for bills on the "Orleans Bank" of Cannelton, Ind., and the "Bank of Greensborough," Georgia. They are as worthless as that much brown paper. Of the latter, the agent made an effort to make arrangements for a deposit for circulation at this place. Our people are not hard enough up for that!

Bridge across the Nemaha.

Our neighbors at Nemaha City are making an effort for the immediate erection of a bridge across the Nemaha, near the mouth. Mr. Scoville, one of their regular go-ahead men, has charge of the matter, and if any one can put it through these hard times, he will do it. Our people are interested in the erection of that bridge, and we hope will lend a helping hand.

Stone Coal.

We noticed on Monday last a wagon load of excellent stone coal brought into this city, and sold to our blacksmiths, who are using and pronounce it very fine. It was obtained near St. George in this county. Recent discoveries of coal in various portions of Nemaha county are of the most satisfactory character. We understand that John Coate, Esq., who has been making examinations recently, near or at Glen Rock, is greatly encouraged.

Nebraska Republican.

The Republican, in commenting upon the preamble and resolutions adopted by the democratic meeting of this county, says:

"Mr. R. W. Furnas, a member of the committee which reported the above choice specimen of democratic gammon, was one of the identical committee who issued the call for a preliminary meeting to take measures for the organization of the democracy of Nebraska."

The Republican, in making the above assertion, is simply mistaken in the matter. All who have read our paper, or conversed with us upon the subject, know we have ever been opposed to party organizations in Nebraska at present. And further, we have always been opposed to, and voted against, what is termed "plastering resolutions." We are no man worshipper. But choose rather to support and advocate principles rather than bolster up men, be they who they may.

In the Territory.

Lieut. Danna, Assistant Quarter-Master General, has been ordered to Utah.

The sons of New England, residents of Otoe county, celebrate the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill, in the grove near Kearney City, to-day.

It is stated that Gen. J. B. Robertson has been removed from the office of Indian Agent for the Omahas. A man by the name of Wilson has received the appointment.

On Monday evening last, says the Omaha Times—a party of four ladies—wedded and unwedded—fancying they had some reason to suspect the constancy of their "lords" and "lovers," attired themselves in the habiliments of the sterner sex and visited a house of "undoubted" reputation in the upper part of town.—Their visit was attended with slight success—their disguise was seen through, and the reception they met was not encouraging to the further procecution of their enquiries.

The Platte river is higher than was ever before known. The banks in many places are overflowed, and crossing, even in a skiff is difficult, and attended with much danger.

The directors of the Platte Valley Bank, at Nebraska City, publish a card in the News, contradicting the report that the bank has changed hands, and asserting their ability to redeem every dollar of its issues.

It becomes our painful duty, says the Nebraska Republican, to record the death of one of our respectable citizens, Mr. Jabez L. Winship, who accidentally shot himself last evening. He had taken down his gun for the purpose of shooting rats, and placed it to his mouth to ascertain whether it was loaded, it went off, killing him instantly.

We learn from the Bellevue Gazette that men are now engaged in opening a coal bed at Fairview in that county, and from present indications it will prove one of the most valuable mines in the country.

Omaha Correspondence.

Omaha, June 11, 1858.

PARTY ORGANIZATION.

It appears to me that those grumblers and would-be leaders of the party who are on all occasions harping upon their partizan democracy, would do well to adhere more closely to the landmarks of the party as established at the Territorial Convention for our government, and endeavor to reconcile differences instead of rendering the breach more unmanageable.

The principles laid down in that platform are plain, practical, and democratic; and sufficiently comprehensive to admit of an adhesion and support by all those who have heretofore recognized the principles of the Cincinnati platform.

It adopts the popular sovereignty doctrine of Douglas and others, and at the same time gives the Administration a general endorsement for honesty of purpose in the usual manner. As we are contending for principles, not men, it is a matter of no importance to us particularly who is endorsed so we have the ground upon which we can all unitedly stand.—Should we undertake to follow the whims and caprices of individuals, we would soon find ourselves involved in an interminable difficulty, and contention and division would be the result, as is generally the case with political parties who undertake to elevate men above principles. Differences exist in every Congress between members of the democracy, and anxiety is created to learn the result, but seldom any fears for the disruption of the party organization; yet hard and bitter opposition ensues, threats are made, criminations uttered and apprehensions of bad effects are entertained; but some soother of troubles is introduced which quiets the angry strifes, and peace and good will is the result.

In order to avoid contentions and political differences, let the past take care of itself and let us make efforts to do right in the future, and show by our advocacy of the platform, that we are determined by principles, and not be led astray by showing our anxiety to effect the elevation, promotion, and endorsement of men, whether or not they adhere to the principles of the party.

RAIN.

On Tuesday last, the heaviest rain fell that has been known in this country for years, and continued all the afternoon.—The dry ravines appeared as respectable mill streams in a few minutes, and all creation appeared to be completely submerged.

PRISONERS.

The two persons who have been in jail for several months, awaiting their trial for murder, endeavored last night to make their escape by working a hole through the wall, and were only prevented by being overheard at work, during the night by the jailor's family. The thickness of the stone wall of the basement of the new court and jail is about three feet, and they had succeeded in getting a hole nearly through large enough to creep through.

UTAH AFFAIRS.

It appears by report of Col. Kane, government agent, who was sent to Utah to ascertain the state of affairs in that Territory, and who is now in Omaha on his return to Washington, that all is peace and quietness on the part of the Mormons.—Gov. Cumming had entered upon his official duties, having received all the books and papers from Brigham Young. Hundreds of Mormons were moving southward, but would not reveal their place of destination. They were solicited by the Governor to return, but strenuously refused, and moved forward, determined to find the long sought for promised land.—The Indian tribes were committing depredations by plundering the Mormons.

TAXES.

Experience has shown that it is very important to the tax-payers that a law should be passed by the next Legislature requiring all road, school, city, township, school-house, and all other taxes, to be sent to the county collectors before property can be offered for sale.

This country is yet in its infancy in many respects, and taxes are constantly being levied for some new purpose which does not trouble older settled regions of country. Taxes are levied and the property offered and sold before the owner is aware of the assessment being made. Besides, that there should be a sufficient time for redemption to enable the owner to get his rights. Witnessing the many tax sales of this season, together with my previous notions in this matter, has led to this suggestion.

In the States, where the improvements in the way of opening roads, erecting school-houses, grading streets, &c., have been made, it is only necessary to make occasional repairs, and therefore not the great necessity for looking to this matter of taxation as much as in this country, where all the improvements have to be made now. Further, no taxes should be collected by sale until a full description of the property should be published in a newspaper, so as to give persons some opportunity of learning when taxes are required to be paid.

SUPREME COURT.

On Tuesday the Supreme Court commenced its session in the Capitol, with a full bench, consisting of Judges Hall, Wakeley and Black.

This is the first session during the Territorial organization at which all three of the judges have been together, for the reason that one or more has been absent in consequence of resignation or business. Neither have any two of them been together more than one session until this one. The following Judges have been appointed for this Territory, and all made their appearance except Judge Underwood: Judges Ferguson, Harden, Bradley, Wakeley, Underwood, Black, and Hall. The present incumbents, together with Judge Ferguson, are the only ones who have deemed it proper to move into the Territory with their familes.

About thirty attorneys are in attendance from different portions of Nebraska and Iowa, of whom probably twenty were sworn and admitted as practitioners in this Court. There is much legal intelligence and practical experience connected with the Bar of this Terriiory. Among the number we may name Judge Kinney, formerly of the Supreme Bench of Iowa, and recently Chief Justice of Utah; Judges Harris and Pease, Ex-Lieut. Gov. O. D. Richardson, U. S. Dist. Att'y E. Estabrook, together with a large and respectable number of others well qualified, having all the fire and perseverance of middle aged, and looking for promotion and fame in their profession.

Col. B. P. Rankin is yet officiating as Territorial Marshal although Mr. West, the newly appointed Marshal, is daily expected.

HARGUS CASE.

This case is now undergoing investigation in the Supreme Court by McLennan and Mason for the prosecution or defendants in error, and Judge Kinney for Hargus, plaintiff in error.

Judge Kinney occupied the stand about six hours in delivering an able argument in favor of the reversal of the judgment below in the District Court of Otoe county, and in reply McLennan's argument occupied about two hours, and that of Mason an hour. Judge Kinney is now replying and will probably consume the remainder of the afternoon. A great amount of authority has been introduced on both sides, touching every possible question in connection with the case, and yet there are doubts over hanging the result in the decision of the Court. I will send you the decision when announced.

WAWKO.

Home Correspondence.

Plattsmouth, June 5, 1858.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

The Democracy of the Territory in Convention have completed their organization after an active day's work, and established a Platform upon which all can stand without distinction.

Much credit is due to the delegates for the compromising spirit shown on all sides, and the desire to establish the doctrines of the party in such a comprehensive manner as hereafter to require no test explanations by which the party should be governed.

They fully adopted the explanation of popular sovereignty as contended by the Douglasites, and gave an easy endorsement to Buchanan's administration.

You will probably have the entire proceedings before you receive this, as the Convention ordered their publication in all the democratic papers in the Territory.

That was rather an exciting day for Plattsmouth, for it was unusual to find so great an assemblage of intelligence, generosity and courtesy in their city at any one time. Nevertheless they endeavored to play their part to the best advantage, and therefore made the stay of their guests pleasant. Good humor appeared to be the order of the day on all hands, and some got so happy over the result of their labors as to be wearied by *active spirits*, and one so much so that he *laid himself down*, declaring himself happy in the thought that he was the *exponent* of the party.

In the morning after the Convention, the delegates North of the Platte, through the generosity of Capt. Parmele of the steam-ferry Emma, were taken aboard and conveyed beyond the mouth of Platte to what was formerly known as La Platte, from which they went on their way rejoicing; whilst some of those going South were not in so much of a hurry, but concluded to take the times easy and therefore tarried until the excitement was over.

Take all things into consideration the day and Convention passed off much more agreeably than was anticipated by the most sanguine.

DAILY MAIL TO PLATTSMOUTH.

Yesterday a meeting was called for the purpose of obtaining the capital and organizing a Stage Company to convey the mail from Plattsmouth to Fairfield.

It appears that a gentleman by the name of Smith has procured a star contract for carrying the mail across the State of Iowa daily, being the first and only daily mail reaching the Missouri river through Iowa.

This is a matter of much importance to the people of Plattsmouth, for the reason that news will be obtained more readily there than anywhere else in the Territory, and therefore increase the reading matter for that community. It will bring many of the passengers first to this city, and make this the central and assembling point for all those from the different portions South of the Platte who desire a speedy trip through the States easterly. It will become the concentrating point for western mail routes and roads, which will cause streams to be bridged and all highways made good and kept in repair for comfortable travelling. It will be an extensive advertisement of the country through which it passes, which will be of more importance than the puffings given through many other sources. Here the mail will be divided out and sent to different portions of the Territory, and will be a great inducement to establish a distributing office for this region of country; and indeed many advantages will result from the fulfillment of that contract, if performed, as they desire, in four-horse coaches.

POLITICAL PARTIES OF CASS COUNTY.

There appears to be a disposition on the part of the democracy of this county to flinch from the responsibility of raising the party issue, whilst the republicans are evidently waiting for orders from the headquarters of those who hold over them the reigns of political organization, and it is hinted around in circles that it may be necessary yet to raise the republican standard and put their fast nags on the track.

WAWKO.

A War with Paraguay.

The joint resolution authorizing the President to take such measures against Paraguay as he may deem necessary to compel that power to make suitable reparation for the offence of firing into the U. S. steamer Water Witch, has passed both houses of Congress, and only awaits the signature of the President to become a law. This is equivalent to a declaration of war; a course absolutely necessary, as the Government of Paraguay has steadily refused to pay any attention to our demands for satisfaction. The President will make a peremptory demand upon that government, backed up by a naval force sufficient to command attention—and we may reasonably expect immediate indemnification for the outrages committed, without any bombardment or bloodshed.

A merchant of New York has written a letter to Gen. Cass, suggesting a method by which, he thinks, a satisfactory arrangement could be made with Great Britain for inquiring into the nationality of suspicious vessels. He recommended that an American Lieutenant should be placed on board of every British cruiser, and that a British Lieutenant should be placed on board of every American cruiser, on the lookout for slavers, and that any suspected vessel should be visited and her papers examined by the officer whose national flag she might carry. In this way, he believes, all feelings of national honor and pride might be respected, and the ends of a visit attained without any possibility of national offence.

The Washington Union says it is currently reported that Lord Napier, the British Minister, has despatched orders to the British naval commander on the Halifax station to forward at once to Admiral Stewart, commanding her Majesty's Gulf squadron, instructions to discontinue the practice of search till specific instructions can be received from the home government.

Revolution in New Orleans.

New Orleans, June 3.

A revolution broke out last night, and a Vigilance Committee, in large numbers, took possession of the Arsenal in Jackson Square and the prisoners.

This morning an Executive Committee calls for all the law and order people to join them, and announces their determination to carry their measures out.

Loaded cannons are posted about the Arsenal, and about 200 men are on guard.

The following appeared this morning:

"The citizens of New Orleans, after years of discord, outrage and unchecked assassination, unable and unwilling either to bow down in unresisting submission to a set of ruffians, or to abandon the city in which their business, their social sympathies, and their affections cluster, have at length risen in their might and have quietly taken possession of the Arsenal buildings, in Jackson Square, and have established the headquarters of a Vigilance committee, pledging each to the other to maintain the rights inviolable of every peaceable and law abiding citizen, restore public order, abate crime, and expel or punish, as they may determine, such notorious ruffians and assassins the arm of the law has, either from the infedility of its public servants, or the inefficiency of the laws themselves, left unwhipped of justice.

"For the present, the ordinary machinery of police justice is suspended, the Mayor and the Recorders, we understand, yielding the power they confess inability to exercise, for the preservation of the public peace and the preservation of property, and the Vigilance Committee will therefore provisionally act in their stead, administering to each and every malefactor the punishment due to his crimes, without heat, prejudice, or political bias. All citizens who have sympathies with this movement, and who think the time has come when New Orleans shall be preserved, like all other well ordered and civilized communities, will report themselves without delay at the principal office, where the character of this movement will be explained, and the determination of the people more fully made known.

Signed, VOX POPULI VOX DEI."

10 o'clock—Seven to eight hundred men are under arms, and several arrests have been made. It is reported that opposition will be made, in which case a severe battle is certain. Volunteers are still crowding up.

11 o'clock—Gen. Tracy's division of militia has been ordered out by the Mayor.

11 30—The Common Council is in secret session, and there is considerable confusion among them. The excitement on the street is very great. The Council have got possession of the First District Armory, with ten rounds of ammunition. A battle is expected this afternoon. More arrests have been made.

NEW ORLEANS, June 8.

Girard Smith, the Know-Nothing candidate for Mayor, is elected by 290 majority. Many of the principal names on the ticket are defeated. The city is quiet. The Vigilants broke up their camp last night and disbanded, but not disorganized. They say they are ready to carry out their principles at any moment. The city authorities are engaged in arresting all concerned in the Vigilance movement. Writs have been issued for the arrest of the leaders, on the charge of high treason.

NEW ORLEANS, June 2.

Gen. Walker's trial is concluded. The jury disagreed, ten being for acquittal and two for conviction. Judge Campbell's charge was extremely partial and stringent. A new trial was urged immediately by Walker. The District Attorney has entered a nolle prosequi in Walker's case.

Washington, June 3.

Attorney General Black, in answer to the Secretary of the Interior, says that it never has been doubted, as a general principle, that Virginia land warrants ought to be settled and adjusted according to the laws of Virginia, by such tribunals as she may see proper to charge with the duty. What each soldier is entitled to is a question of law, and the Secretary, therefore, cannot go behind the adjudication of the Governor and Council, which is in the nature of a judicial exposition of the law, and therefore binding.

It is understood that, however much the President desires to visit the West during the recess of Congress, which it has been reported has been his intention, the pressure of public business will prevent him from so doing.

Niblo, or "Niblo's" New York, is reported to be worth half a million of dollars. The Marshals of the "Broadway," have paid him in the last twenty years, the handsome sum of $360,000. Miss Cushman is worth $300,000, and in the course of a few months will retire to her villa in ancient Rome, and end her days artistically.

Over fifty thousand men have applied to the President to fill the two new regiments ordered for Utah.

The number of emigrants who arrived at the port of New York from January 1 to May 26 is 20,575, against 51,421 in the same time last year.

The American Navy has 140 guns in the Gulf of Mexico, and the British Navy 357 guns in the same vicinity.

Ex-President Pierce and wife are to leave Madeira June 1st, for a tour in Europe. Mrs. P's health is better, but she is still an invalid.

John C. Hunter, formerly a purser in the U. S. Navy, was buried at Savannah last week, with military honors.

Mrs. Gaines is in Washington actively urging her claims, it is stated, to a pension as the widow of Gen. Gaines.

The Naval appropriation bill gives $99,000 to the Washington navy-yard, and $300,000 to the one at Portsmouth, Virginia.

Miss Fanny Hale, of Cincinnati, has recovered $3,500 damages from B. Vandergriff and others, for confining her in an asylum as a lunatic.

The Washington *States* says:

Several ladies of fashion in Washington city are introducing *lager beer* into their houses, as a refreshing morning beverage to offer visitors.

Take Care of your Horses.

Quite a number of valuable horses have been stolen recently in Nemaha and Richardson counties in this Territory. The scamps had better keep dark, for if caught they will be dealt with without the benefit of judge or jury.

Fourth of July Meeting.

In pursuance of a notice given in the Nebraska Advertiser, the citizens of Brownville met at Johnson's Hall, in the afternoon of the 12th, to take under consideration the celebrating of the 4th of July next. The following was transacted:

Meeting came to order by choosing L. Hoadley chairman, and U. C. Johnson, Secretary.

The following resolution was then unanimously adopted:

Whereas, We, the citizens of Brownville, holding the Fourth day of July in that sacred regard that it should obtain in the hearts of all true Americans, and being desirous in accordance with the time honored custom of our country to manifest in a public manner our appreciation of the day on its approaching anniversary; therefore

Resolved, That we will on Saturday, the 3d day of July next, unite in the celebration of the day at such place in Nemaha county as may hereafter be determined upon, and that to that end we will contribute our personal endeavors and our means to whatever extent the occasion may require.

The following motions were then passed:

1. That the chair appoint a committee of three who shall be empowered with authority to select such a place as they may deem proper to celebrate the day; they confering and acting jointly with like committees from other places in this county.

Committee appointed: M. F. Clark, Richard Brown and J. W. Coleman.

2. That the chair appoint a committee of eight, to solicit subscriptions from the citizens of the county for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses of the occasion.

Committee appointed: John L. Carson, D. H. McLaughlin, C. E. L. Holmes, R. W. Frame, Adrian Hoblitzell, S. W. Kennedy, John W. Hall, R. J. Whitney.

Adjourned to meet at same place on Saturday next at 2 o'clock.

L. HOADLY, chairman.

U. C. Johnson, Secretary.

Democratic Territorial Convention.

Pursuant to notice, the Democrats of Nebraska Territory assembled in convention at Plattsmouth, June 3rd, 1858.

The convention was called to order by L. L. Bowen, who moved that O. D. Richardson serve as temporary chairman, which motion was adopted.

On motion, T H Robertson was elected Secretary.

On motion, A F Harvey was appointed Assistant Secretary.

On motion, a committee consisting of Messrs. Gwyer, Turk, Downs, Bowen and Townsend were appointed to examine credentials.

Mr. Gibbs moved the appointment of a committee of one delegate from each county, to report permanent officers for the convention.

The committee on credentials reported the following delegates entitled to seats in the convention:

SARPY COUNTY.—L L Bowen, S A Strickland, Wm Smith, D J Boykin, Henry Lengsdorf, B F Rankin.

OTOE COUNTY—Calvin Torrey, I L Gibs, W W Dennisson, E A Deslonde, C F Holly, H P Downs, A F Harvey, Francis Bell.

CASS COUNTY—John Howard, Wm McCarty, W Mickelwait, Jacob Vallery, A H Townsend, Giles Doom, Jas E Porter.

DOUGLAS COUNTY—Jonas Seely, George Clayes, O D Richardson, Wm A Gwyer, T H Robertson, J A Steinberger, A B Malcolm, R W Steele, A J Hanscom, A J Poppleton, H D Johnson.

NEMAHA COUNTY—G H Wilcox, H W Hackney, W W Keeling, J D N Thompson.

RICHARDSON COUNTY—Chas McDonald.

DACOTAH COUNTY—John C Turk, George L Sites, J N H Patrick.

DIXON COUNTY—H C Crawford.

CEDAR COUNTY—E C Thurston.

L'EAU-QUI-COURT COUNTY—C Tufts.

On motion of Mr. Rankin, the report was received.

Mr. Turk asked to be admitted to represent also Cedar, L'eau-qui-court and Dixon counties.

Mr Seely offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That every organized county in this Territory, whether entitled to a representation in the Territorial Legislature under the last apportionment or not, shall be entitled to a representation in this convention if asked by the Democrats of said counties, and that the same ought to be granted.

Mr Holly offered the following as a substitute to Mr Seely's resolution:

Resolved, That no counties are entitled to be represented in this convention, except those that have been established by the convention of the 5th of January, at Omaha, and accordingly the gentleman from Dacotah is not entitled to represent the counties of Cedar, L'eau-qui-court and Dixon.

Mr Bowen moved to lay the resolution and substitute on the table.

Pending this motion, a motion was made to adjourn, which was lost.

The question recurring on laying the resolution and substitute on the table, was lost.

The question being on the adoption of Mr Holly's substitute, it was lost.

The resolution offered by Mr Seely was adopted.

Mr Sites moved to reconsider and to lay that motion on the table; carried, Yeas 17, Nays 10.

The question recurring on the adoption of the report on credentials, it was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Sites, O D Richardson was elected permanent President of the convention.

Mr Seely moved that a committee of one from each county be appointed to report resolutions.

Pending which the convention adjourned until 2 o'clock P M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Upon resuming the chair, Gov Richardson expressed his thanks for the honor done him by the convention, and made some pertinent remarks upon the necessity of organization in the democratic party.

On motion of Mr Rankin Aug F Harvey was elected permanent Secretary.

Mr Holly moved that Mr Seely motion lay on the table, which was adopted.

Mr Holly renewed Mr Gibb's motion for a committee on permanent officers, which was adopted.

Messrs Gibbs, Strickland, Robertson, Patrick, Mickelwaite, McDonald and Hackney were appointed said committee.

Mr Seely's motion for committee on resolutions was taken from the table and passed.

Messrs Seely, Rankin, Townsend, Deslonde, Wilcox, McDonald and Turk were appointed a committee on resolutions.

Hereupon the convention took a recess of half an hour.

The chair called the convention to order after the expiration of the half hour.

On motion, O Harrington was added to the list as a delegate from Burt county.

The committee on permanent officers reported as follows:

VICE PRESIDENTS.

Chas McDonald, Richardson county	
H W Hackney, Nemaha	"
C Torrey, Otoe	"
J R Porter, Cass	"
W K Smith, Sarpy	"
George Clayes, Douglas	"
O Harrington, Burt	"
George L Sites, Dacotah	"

ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

John Howard, Cass county.

On motion of Mr Harvey, the rules of the last Territorial House of Representatives were adopted to govern the convention.

Mr Seely offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That each county represented in this convention shall be entitled to the number of votes fixed by the 8th of January convention, and that the delegates present be hereby empowered to cast the vote of said county in this convention.

Mr Seely, from committee on resolutions, reported the following, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That it is expedient to organize the democratic party in the Territory, and that the same is hereby organized.

Resolved, That we adopt the Cincinnati platform of 1856 as the platform of the Democratic party in this Territory;

Resolved, That we have full confidence in the patriotism, integrity and democracy of James Buchanan, President of the United States, and in the present Administration;

Resolved, That we adopt the doctrines of popular sovereignty, as enunciated in the Kansas-Nebraska act, to its fullest extent, and recognize it as a leading principle of the democratic creed.

Resolved, That, whatever differences of opinion may have heretofore existed between members of the democratic party upon mere matters of policy, none now exist, and we recognize all as democrats who unite upon the broad and democratic principles embodied in the Cincinnati platform of 1856;

Resolved, That the Democratic party of this Territory fully and unequivocally accept and endorse the provisions of the Kansas-Nebraska act, sustaining the rights of the people to elect and adopt their own institutions, and that in carrying out the provisions of the said Kansas-Nebraska act, any Constitution adopted by a convention of delegates, ought to be submitted to the people previous to its presentation to Congress;

Resolved, That the incorporation of Banks by the Legislature, whether under the present insecure system, or by another, is unwise, impolitic and anti-democratic.

Resolved, That we are in favor of securing the public lands to the actual settlers in preference to the speculators;

Resolved, That we are in favor of a Homestead exemption law.

Resolved, That we have entire confidence in the democracy, wisdom and patriotism of Hon W A Richardson, Governor of Nebraska;

Resolved, That a Territorial central committee be appointed, consisting of one member from each organized county in the Territory, which committee shall have and exercise the same powers and duties usually held and performed by such committees, including the determination of the ratio of representation in democratic conventions.

Mr Holly offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the platform of principles established by the National Democratic convention at Cincinnati is the only authoritative exposition of democratic doctrine and we recognize all men as democrats who stand by and uphold democratic principles, whatever may be their differences upon mere matters of policy as men.

The following central committee was appointed:

L. L. Bowen,	Sarpy county
John Howard,	Cass "
O D Richardson,	Douglass "
I L Gibbs,	Otoe "
J C Turk,	Dakotah "
J C Lincoln,	Richardson "
J S Stewart,	Washington "
H C Crawford,	Dixon "
C A Goshen,	Johnson "
John Rickley,	Platte "
O Harrington,	Burt "
J L Gregory,	L'eau-qui-court "
E C Thurston,	Cedar "
Jesse Cole,	Nemaha "
C Bobst,	Pawnee "
Wm Pike,	Gage "
G S Parks,	Dodge "

Mr Patrick moved that five members of the central committee constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Mr Patrick offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the proceedings of this convention be published in all the Democratic papers in the Territory, and in the Platte Valley Times.

Mr Holly offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That a vote of thanks be tendered to the President and Secretaries of this convention.

On motion, the convention adjourned *sine die*.

O. D. RICHARDSON, Pres.

AUG. F. HARVEY, Secretary.

Married.

At Omaha, on the 6th inst, by Rev Father Augustine, Mr CHARLES W. HAMILTON and Miss FANNIE MURPHY.

ST. GEORGE TOWN COMPANY.

There will be a meeting of the St. George Town Company at the Advertiser Office on Saturday June 19, at 4 o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

R. W. FURNAS, Treas'r and Sec'y.

Circular.

The officers of the Second Brigade will meet at the Bank Hall in Nebraska City, at 2 o'clock on the 4th of July, 1858, to elect a Colonel, Lieut. Colonel, Major and Adjutant for the 2d Brigade.

By order of Brig'r Gen'l, H. P. DOWNS,
O. P. MASON, Adj't Gen'l 2d Brigade.

I. O. O. F.

The Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Nebraska Territory, will convene at Omaha on the Second Tuesday in June next.

R. W. FURNAS, Grand Sec'y.

☞Papers in the Territory friendly will please copy

ADJOURNMENT OF COURT.

Nebraska City, N. T.,
June 3d, 1858.

Ordered that the District court of the Second Judicial District in and for the county of Nemaha, Nebraska Territory, be adjourned till the fourth Tuesday, being the 22d day of June A D 1858, at which time parties, jurors and witnesses are requared to be in attendance.

By order of the Hon. SAMUEL W. BLACK, Judge of said court

MARTIN W RIDER, Clerk.

The Markets.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

BROWNVILLE, June 17, 1858.

FLOUR, ⅌ sack	$250@4,00
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, ⅌ SACK	2,00
CORN MEAL, ⅌ bushel	75
CORN, ⅌ bushel	50
OATS, ⅌ bushel,	40
Sugar, ⅌ lb	12½c
COFFEE,	15@16½
TEA,	100
CHICKENS, ⅌ doz.,	2,00
EGGS, do,	10
FRESH BEEF, ⅌ lb	6@8
" PORK, per 10 lbs.	$5,50@6
POTATOES, ⅌ bushel,	50
SALT,	1@1,10
LUMBER, Cottonwood, per 100 ft.,	$2@2,50
Yellow Pine,	5,00
BUTTER,	25
CHEESE, ⅌ lb,	25c
LARD,	10c
NAILS, per keg,	5,00
WHEAT, none in market	
WHISKY, per gallon,	30@40c
SALT, ⅌ sack,	2,00
MOLASSES,	75
BEANS, ⅌ bush,	2,50
DRY HIDES, ⅌ lb,	8

ST. JOSEPH, June 14, 1858.

WHEAT, ⅌ bush,	$1,00
CORN, ⅌ bush,	25c
FLOUR, ⅌ cwt,	$3,25@3,375
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, ⅌ cwt,	3,50@4,50
FRESH PORK, ⅌ lb,	4½@4½c
POTATOES, ⅌ bush,	25@30c
WHITE BEANS, ⅌ bush,	1,50
BUTTER, ⅌ lb,	15@25c
EGGS, ⅌ doz	8c
CHICKENS, ⅌ doz,	$2,00@2,50
DRY HIDES ⅌ lb,	9@10c
COFFEE, ⅌ lb,	13@14c
SUGAR, ⅌ lb,	8½c
TEA, ⅌ lb,	50@60c
RICE,	10c
DRIED APPLES ⅌ bushel,	4,00
GREEN, do.	4,0

Proclamation.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Nebraska Territory.

Whereas a vacancy has occurred in the office of Auditor of this Territory, and whereas it is provided by law that an election shall be ordered by the Governor of the Territory, now therefore

I, William A. Richardson, Governor of the Territory of Nebraska, issue this my proclamation ordering an election to be held to fill said vacancy on the first Monday in August next, being the 2d of said month, that being the day fixed by law for the election of members of the General Assembly. The county commissioners in the several counties are requested to issue notice of this election at the time above fixed and in the manner described by law in other elections.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the Territory to be affixed at Omaha city, N. T., this 7th day of June, 1858.

W. A. RICHARDSON,
Governor Nebraska Territory.

GEORGE EDWARDS,
ARCHITECT.
OFFICE—Main St, East of Kinney & Holly's office,
Nebraska City, N. T.

Persons who contemplate building can be furnished with Designs, Plans, Specifications, &c., for buildings of any class or variety of style, and the erection of the same superintended if desired. Prompt attention paid to business from a distance. 621f

Strayed or Stolen.

From the subscriber, on the 24th of May, a brown horse, small blaze in forehead, tail bobbed, slightly sway-backed, about 8 years old. A liberal reward will be paid for his return or intelligence that will lead to his recovery.

S H CLAYTON,
June 17, 52-2t 2 miles north of Brownville.

ESTRAY.

Was taken up by the subscriber, on the 1st inst, a bay colt, supposed to be 3 years old, with 3 white feet and white face. Also a grey colt 1 year old. The owner can have them by calling, proving property and paying charges

H G WORKMAN,
June 17, 51-3t Little Nemaha River

CLAIM NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern. You are hereby notified that I will appear at the Land Office in Brownville, Nebraska, on the 29th day of June, 1858, at 10 o'clock A M, to prove up my claim of pre-emption to the north-east quarter of section thirty, in township two, range number sixteen east.

June 17 51-2t E L GOLBERT.

ELECTION NOTICE.

Territory of Nebraska } ss
Nemaha County }

To the qualified voters of said county. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an act of the Legislative Assembly of said Territory, entitled "Elections," approved January 26, 1856, there will be an election held in the several precincts in said county on the first Monday in August A D 1858, for the election of one Councilman (jointly with Johnson county) to the Council of the Territorial Assembly, three members (jointly with Johnson county) to the House of Representatives of the territorial assembly, one county superintendent of common school, one county commissioner for the third commissioner's district, two justices of the peace and two constables in Shroud's precinct, two justices of the peace and two constables in Long's precinct, two justices of the peace and two constables in St. Frederick precinct, one constable in Brownville precinct, one constable in Nemaha city precinct, one constable in Mt. Vernon precinct.

Said county is divided into six precincts, and respectively include the following described Territory, to wit:

No. 1. *Nemaha City Precinct*—Contain Township 4, Range 15, and T 5 R 16, and Sections 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, in T 5 R 15, and secs 31, 32 in T 5, R 16.

The place of voting will be at Nemaha city. John Barnes, J. L. Sharpe and Daniel Whitinger, Judges of election.

No. 2, *Brownville Precinct*—contains T 5 R 15 and 16 except sections 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36 in T 5 R 15 and sections 31 and 32 in T 5 R 16.

The place of voting will be at Brownville. Judges of election Homer Johnson, G. W. Bratton and Adrian Hoblitzell.

No. 3, *Mt. Vernon Precinct*—contains east half T 6 R 14 and T 6 R 15 and fractional T 6 R 16.

The place of voting will be at Mt. Vernon, Judges of election wm. Tate, A Dodd, and R w Frame.

No 4, *Shroud's Precinct*—contains east half T 6 R 12, and T 6 R 13, and west half T 6 R 14.

The place of voting will be at G w Shroud's house. Judges of election, Lawrence Kennison, Phillip Starr and Ephraim Reed.

No 5, *Longs Precinct*—contains T 4 and 5 R 14.

The place of voting will be John Long's house. Judges of election, Joseph Council, William Hughs, and Joseph Conrad.

No. 6, *St Frederick Precinct*—contains T 4 and 5 R 13 and east half of T 4 and 5 R 12.

The place of voting will be at St. Frederick. Judges of election, C A Freyberg, C Topwahn and wm Engelke.

By order of the Board of commissioners of said county.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said county at my office in Brownville, this 8th day of June A D 1858.

[L S] ERASTUS E. PARKER, county clerk.

CITY LIVERY STABLE.

WM. ROSSELL,
BROWNVILLE, N. T.

Announces to the public that he is prepared to accommodate those wishing with Carriages and Buggies; together with good safe horses, for comfort and ease in travelling. He will also board horses by the day, week or month.

☞TERMS FAVORABLE☜

June 10, '58. 50tf

City Boarding House.

BROWNVILLE, NEBRASKA,

The undersigned desires the public to know that he is still at his old stand in the City of Brownville, and prepared to entertain regular boarders and travellers in a style he feels confident will give the utmost satisfaction. His table shall at all times contain the best the country affords.

WM. ROSSELL.

June 10, '58 50tf

REMOVAL.

C. Deuser has removed his Tin Shop from Front street to Main street, nearly opposite the new Hotel, where he has opened up the largest stock of ware in his line to be found in the upper country. He solicits a continuance of patronage. June 10, '58.

STRAYED.

From the subscriber, about the 15th of April, two HORSES, one a light sorrel horse, long mane and tail, with a large scar about the eye on the left side of his face, no other marks remembered. The other a large dark bay mare, a little inclined to be jew necked, black mane and tail, mane worn by the collar, when she left home had a sore back. No other marks are remembered. It is thought, unless separated per force, the two are together. The sorrel is well known through Kansas and Southern Nebraska, as the horse rode by Col. Dickey during the Kansas war. Any information leading to their recovery will be thankfully received and a liberal reward paid therefor. Address,

BURBANKS & BRO.,
49-3w Falls City, Richardson county, N. T.