Nebraska Advertiser

JOHN I. COLHAPP, EDITOR.

BROWNVILLE THURSDAY, OCT. 5 .1865.

Territorial Union Ticket.

FOR AUDITOR AND SCHOOL COMMISSIONER,

JOHN GILLISPIE,

Of Brownville.

FOR TERRITORIAL TREASURER,

AUGUSTUS KOUNTZ,

Of Omaha.

Territorial Union Platform.

WHEREAS, Since the last meeting of the Union Party of this Territory, a great party victory has been achieved in our Delegate Election, and a period has been put to the active military power of the Slave Holders' Rebellion; we therefore, reaffirm, that as lovers of the Constitution and Laws, and to preserve the Union, we formed this political organization, and for the maintenance and preservation of the same we invite and solicit the active co-operation of all loyal citizens; and

WHEREAS, The policy of our martyred President was indicated and developed by the necessities of the war as it progressd, we now attest the wisdom which caused him devotedly to work and patiently to wait; and

WHEREAS, The great and arduous work of reconstruction, in the hands of his successor and Congress, is as new and unprecedented in this nation as was the war which preceeded it; therefore

Resolved, That having unqualified confidence and fully endorsing the policy and patriotism of Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, we await the development of the reconstruction of the Union, confidently believeing that through his counsels and the legislative wisdom of the people justice will be done; the Laws vindicated, the Constitution and Union preserved.

Resolved, That all the benefits accruing from the sacrifice of life and expenditures of treasure can only be secured by elevating to office the devotedly loyal, and carefully excluding from office the disloyal.

Resolved, That we are proud of the soldiers of Nebraska, who by years of patriotic toil and sacrifice have aided in sustaining the nation's life and honor, and upholding the Constitution and Laws; and that they are entitled to the gratitude and assistance of all lovers of the Union, and to imperishable and undying honors.

Resolved, That in the election of Territorial and County officers we invite the earnest and hearty co-operation of all loyal men without regard to former party affiliations, and welcome them to our organization.

County Union Ticket.

For Representatives
WM. B. PHILLIPS,
WM. A. POLLOCK,
R. B. SMITH,
J. W. TAYLOR.

For Clerk and Recorder
WM. H. HOOVER,

For Treasurer
JONAS HACKER.

For Probate Judge
GEO. W. FAIRBROTHER.

For Sheriff
W. G. GLASGOW.

For County Commissioner
F. G. HOLMES.

For Prosecuting Attorney
S. M. RICH.

For County Surveyor
W. F. WRIGHT.

For Coroner
C. P. RICHARDSON.

COUNTY UNION PLATFORM.

Resolved, That the Delegation from Nemaha County, in the Nebraska Legislature, be requested to use their best endeavors to amend our Election Law so as to exclude from the elective franchise, in Nebraska, all those who have been disfranchised by Laws or Proclamations, National or State, for any participation—directly or indirectly—with the so-called Confederacy in the late rebellion against the National Government.

The position of the "Snakes" in this county and Territory is aptly illustrated by a snake we once read of which crawled into a house, and espying an egg on the matle, crawled up and swallowed it whole. Then he saw another, but between him and it was a jug, around which he could not make his way, so he crawled through the jug-handle and swallowed it whole; when, not being able to pass either way for the eggs in his body, he was caught and killed.

They first swallowed treason and condemned the war and the soldiers who faught it for the Union; when the South began to weaken, they "crawled through the jug-handle" by nominating soldier's on their ticket—last year they tried to "sweeten" on the soldier, but not being able to get one on their ticket, they run a Sutler—and now they have swallowed whole Andrew Johnson and his reconstruction policy. The first will prevent them crawling forward in the estimation of loyal men, while the last act is condemned by the first; and their low-lived instinct in trying to crawl, through a "Soldier's-Leech" onto the Union side will hold them fast till their "heads are mished by the Union stone," "in a few days, in a few days."

The antipathy of the head and front of the Cops., in this county is directed against Wm. H Hoover, the Union nominee for County Clerk. And why? because he beat their "head and front" for the same office some years ago! They cannot bring a single charge against his honesty or capability, the old "sore" is what hurts, and by their rancor you may know them. Many old school Democrats will vote for him because of his known integrity and ability, despite the "whipping-in" process which the chief will adopt—We should not wonder if some dirty work were attempted on the day of election! Let nothing deter you from voting the straight Union ticket, and you will do nothing to please the Cops.

The issue against the "disfranchised" renegades of other States settling here is plainly and unequivocally made by the Union party of this County. A Copperhead, as we understand it, is a person who sympathised with the South, was opposed to the war, and shows it now by giving his sympathy and assistance to traitors who served in the rebellion. Now what are those who oppose and try to break up the Union party, which has made this, issue to prevent this portion of our Territory being filled with the disfranchised of-scourings of regenerated States?

A friend has just asked us:

"Can there be such a thing as a Cophead holding office under Government?"

We answer, yes! Judas Iscariot was a disciple under Christ when he gave him the fatal kiss! And Booth assumed the character of a loyal man in order to facilitate the assassination of Lincon! And Benedict Arnold could not have betrayed the loyal cause had he not had the confidence of Washington!

Beware of such, they're the worst kind! Voting the straightout Union Ticket is the only safe plan.

"It is said, and that truly, that "politics makes strange bedfellows." Twelve months ago the Copperheads in this Territory were denouncing every soldier of the Union as a "Lincoln hireling," and such other abusive epithets as they could find in their vocabulary; at the same time one Lieut. Seaton, a member of the Nebraska First, was denouncing them and that with a good deal of "vim," as traitors, &c. At the Territorial Snake Show, held in this city on the 21st inst., these same Copperheads placed this same Lieut. Seaton in nomination for the office of Territorial Auditor. We could expect nothing else from the Cops., as their *only* chance for success is to "honey" the soldiers, whose utter contempt they have so well earned; but we are at a loss to understand what has wrought sufficient change in the views of Lieut. Seaton toward this party as to enable him to accept (which he has not yet done) a nomination at their hands."—*Plattsmouth Herald*, Sept. 27th.

This is "their style" everywhere. This Lieut. Seaton was not consulted in this nomination, but put on, without his consent, to catch Union votes. We have information, beside the above, which makes us almost certain that he will decline this nomination.

The same game is attempted to be played off, secretly, in this County. Candidates will come forth—urged by parties who dare not show their hand—not with the hope, on the part of the secret workers, for their election, but for the sake of distracting the Union party; to create confusion during which they will atempt to steal Union principles enough to disguise themselves, and cover their copperheads. How anyone, especially a soldier, can lend himself to such a scheme, surpasses our conception. All such should be spotted. The Union party is better off purged of this snaky element, so "let 'em rip" but spot 'em with indelible contempt.

On the 26th, while Gen. Grant was being conveyed, by special train, from Indianapolis to Cincinnati, his life was attempted by some infamous scoundrelly ex-rebel Copperhead, who broke the lock from the switch and turned the latter so as to throw the cars off the track. Fortunately no one was hurt, only the car was considerably damaged. This attempt on the life of Gen. Grant proves what we have all along contended for, and that is that the Copperheads of the North are more to be dreaded and detested than the whipped rebels of the South; and that it is suicidal to the best interests of any community to permit them to settle in it, and more so if they be permitted to gain political power.

Read the evidence given on the trial of Wirz, on our first page; then go and vote, if you can, for men brought forth by the party who sympathised with the power that permitted and sanctioned these acts. God have mercy upon any soldier foolish enough to permit this party to use him as a tool.

The Cops., denounce office-holders and at the same time make a sickening attempt at endorsing the power that appointed them! This is regular Copperhead consistency! If you endorse this style, vote to split up the Union party, if not, go the straight Union Ticket.

THE COPPERHEAD OF 61.

The following we clip from the Nebraska City *News* of Oct. 22d, 1864, as applicable in '65. As it claims it as original—although we know it be a gross plagiarism—we accept it as such, beleiving that, according to scripture "out of their own mouths do they condem themselves," even if they are forced—for want of brains—to steal it:

There is a snake that haunts the grass,
Despised by all men, white and red,
Trod 'neath the foot of ox and ass—
The glistening, venemous, copperhead.
Throughout three seasons of the year,
The rattlesnake himself hath fled.
But when the extra months appear
His neighbor is the copperhead—
Oh! the twisting, wriggling copperhead.
The glistening, venomous copperhead!
The man of sense can't fix the tense
In which to kill the copperhead.

Tis said that every creeping thing
Has got some useful task ahead;
But yet the bards have failed to sing
One virtue in the copperhead.
The ancient snake in Eden's bowers
From flowery paths our parents led
And from that age to this of ours
Man's been seduced by the copperhead;
Oh! the wallowing, sponging copperhead,
The hissing, spitting copperhead,
From Union hands it eats its bread,—
And bites, for thanks, the copperhead.

But, glory be to Israel's God!
The Union bird its wings has spread,
Whose peak and claws shall rid the sod,
Of every crawling copperhead.
The rattlesnake and copperhead
Shall no'er coil in fair freedom's bed;
The Union pole pokes every hole
That can contain a copperhead.
Oh! alas, alas, the copperhead—
The Union stone has smashed its head!
We'll stuff its skin for men to grin
At what was once a copperhead!

THE NEWS

The train of cars, from St. Louis to Cincinnati, on the 26th, on board of which was Gen. Sherman, run off the track. Many were considerably bruised but none killed. The accident was occasioned by running too fast over a rough road.

The S. C. Convention has adjourned after repealing the ordinance of secession; abolishing slavery; endorsing the Administration unanimously, and directing a committee to submit a code to the Legislature for the protection of the colored population.

The Alabama Convention, by a vote of 60 to 19, passed an ordinance repudiating all the debt of that State made by reason of the late war. This is more sensible than our Northern Copperheads, who, if they had the power, would saddle the rebel war debt on the General Government.

Wirz is said to be too sick to attend his trial. We hope he may get well enough to take the final leap.

The Fenian excitement increases in Ireland. Disaffection is spreading in the English army. Rumors are afloat in England that a body of American soldiers had been land in Ireland to assist the Fenians.

From the Upper Missouri we learn that the Indian Council is to take place at Fort Sully instead of Ft. Rice. Many of the repentant rebel prisoners, who took the oath and enlisted for the Plains, are deserting.

Information from Ft. Lawrence, to Sept. 26th, from Gen. Conner says he lost 600 horses and 200 mules, which were frozen to death in one night. On the 1st inst., he was attacked by a war party of Sioux, Cherokees and Arapahoes on Powder River.

They were repulsed with heavy loss, our loss being only four killed and two wounded. On the 3d the Inians appeared in force and were driven ten miles.—The next day the engagement was renewed and lasted until noon. The Indians were again defeated with great slaughter, their loss being from 200 to 600 killed and wounded.

The Indians fled in every direction; our troops was unable to pursue them on account of the poor condition of the stock. Our loss was one killed, and one officer and two men wounded. The Indians lost a large number of horses. The Indians again attacked our troops on the 8th, and after a short but spirited engagement, were totally routed and beautifully cleaned out. Their force is estimated at 3,000. They lost many of their principal chiefs.

Our total reported loss in the three engagement was seven killed; one officer and two men wounded. Another battle was expected on Powder River but the Indians suddenly disappeared.

Col. Cole will camp at Fort Conner until information is received from Gen. Conner.

"The so-called Democracy of this county, after due consideration and discussion, have hoisted the name of J. I. Earley as a candidate for Councilman, for the purpose of contesting the seat of Hon. J. W. Chapman. * * * Mr. Earley proclaimed, in a public speech at Nebraska City, last fall, that he looked upon Abraham Lincoln as a *tyrant* and usurper of power, and denounced the *Union soldiers as robbers, thieves and murderers.* He also said publicly that he had assisted in the notorious Baltimore mob, and that he would yet *assist in hanging Abraham Lincoln.*"—*Plattsmouth Herald*, Sept. 27th.

He is a fair "representative man" of that party. If you do not desire that men of his stripe of loyalty should rule this County and Territory, vote the straight out Union Ticket next Tuesday. Make no exception; leave not even the smallest crevice for a "snake" to crawl into, or it will attempt the same trick so successfully played on Adam and Eve in the garden of Eden by its wily namesake.

The editor of the Nebraska City *News* being afraid to show his hand plainly, as Ajax did before him, shows off his love for the disfranchised of other States who may settle here, by the following barefaced falsehood, which appears in the *News* of the 30th:

"If Radicals carry the Legislative Assembly they will disfranchise every man who ever lived in the State of Missouri or in any other Southern State."

Morton knows the above to be false, yet its a sneaking way he has of advertising his "Otoe County Assylum for Rebels."

If Copperheads carry the Legislative Assembly they will pass a memorial inviting disfranchised traitors of other States to come to Nebraska.

In the same paper he says:

"Their rancor against anybody and everybody who is of Southern birth is so overgrown that it controls them in everything."

Last week he denounced the Radicals as in favor of giving Southern negroes the right of suffrage.

"He wires in and wires out,
Still leaving all who see in doubt,
As to whether the snake that made the track,
Is going south or coming back."

And of such is the kingdom of Copperheads!

The Demo-Copperhead party and press try to be particularly severe on the "Office holders" of this Territory. The following, from the *Bellevue Times*, edited by Sturgis, a member of the Territorial Copperhead Convention, and the Mayor, J. Q. Goss, also a member of the same office-hating Convention:

"A stranger named Haines, being noisy and impudent at the Union Saloon. Delaet intertered, and in the affray Haines received a black eye, etc. Mayor Goss fined Delaet $5 *and costs*, and Haines $10 *and costs.*"

This is a fair specimen of Copperhead justice! If you want this kind of officers do all you can to split the Union party in this county; if not, vote the straightout Union Ticket.

This same "office-hating" Goss was for a time Regimental Commissary for the 2d Nebraska. After that regiment passed the Winnebago Reservation he was nick-named by the men "Guts Goss," as, it was alledged, he, or his subordinates, after killing beef, *did charge the Indians $1 for the entrals of each animal!*

No wonder this party hates officers, as the must loathe themselves, and judge others by their own inquitious hearts.

Mr. Editor: Please announce the name of SAMUEL W. CAMPBELL for the office of County Clerk.

Mr. Campbell enlisted in the service of his country as a private, has been engaged in active service for the past four years. He has been exposed to the hardships of war—fighting for his country—while Mr Hoover, his opponent, has been at home reaping the benefits of fat office that he has held ever since he came into the Territory.

Mr. Campbell is fully qualified to discharge the duties of said Office.

Citizens of Nemha County.

Mr. Editor: A few days ago a leading Copperhead of your City, warmly solicited me to run on the Copperhead ticket for an office—either Sheriff or Treasurer; I peremptorily declined, and expressed the desire to the gentleman that he would never breath my name again in that connection. But, as that gentleman with others of his stripe—who have more impudence than discretion or honor—may still use my name to further their contemptible schemes in their efforts to defeat and overthrow Union principles in this County, I take this method of denouncing them, and requesting my friends not to vote for me for any office at the ensuing election, for the whole thing is a *weak* calculation on the part of the Cops to defeat the Union candidates—or some of them. I detest the principles which he advocates and loves; he and I are as far apart, politically, as the antipodes, and he *knows* it; then why should he *sneak* up to *me* with the mean, low-lived proposition to seek office through his, or their, instrumentality. His excuse was, that there was dissatisfaction among Republicans in regard to the Union nominations recently made! O, the generous hearted *little* soul! how deep is *its* interest in the welfare of Union principles! Let the snake wiggle—his fangs are extracted. One more thing I wish to tell the people: the cats-paw of the monkey aforesaid recently *offered money* to a certain man in this County if he would run, and succeed in being elected over the Union nominee. I am prepared to give *particulars* when necessary. JOHN STRAIN.

Beware of tricks next Tuesday! The only safe plan is to vote the straightout Union Ticket at the head of our paper.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining in the Post Office at Brownvile October 4th 1865.

These letters, if not called for, will be kept in the office for 5 weeks, and then sent to the Dead Letter Office at Washington. Two cents will be charged on all advertised Letters.

Breeze, Lewis	Bayler, Mary
Dye, J R	Bull, D M [3]
Mitchell, Eliza	Mulen, Barney
Ray, S D	Rush, M P
Vowell, Anderson	Harris, William [2]

Persons calling for the above letters will please say they are Advertised. A. D. MARSH, P. M.

Beware of electioneering circulars on the morning of the election. The Copperhead opposition will not hesitate at any little dirty trick.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Henry Weers, Johnson Weers, Conard Weers, Herod Weers, Elizabeth Weers, and Cortrenda Weers, will take notice that Gerd Weers, Administrator of the Estate of Gerard Weers deceased, late of Nemaha County, under and by virtue of an order of the Probate Court in and for said County of Nemaha, Territory of Nebraska, made on the 26 day of September, 1865, will offer at public Sale on the 66th day of October, A. D. 1865, at one o'clock P. M. at the door of the Probate court in the city of Brownville Nemaha County, the following described Real Estate to-wit: The East half of the South East quarter, of Section five, in Township four, in Range thirteen, situated in Nemaha County Nebraska Territory, containing 80 acres, and being the lands of which the said Gerd Weers died seized. Terms of sale cash in hand.

Brownville September, 26th 1865.

GERARD WEERS,
Administrator of Gerd Weers deceased.
10 3 2,00

ESTRAY HORSES.

Taken up by the undersigned living four miles North of Brownville near the Missouri River, and within his inclosed premises, on the 24th day of August, 1865, one gray horse about nine years old 16 1-2 hands high with collar marks spavined in both hind legs, and also at the same time and place one dark brown mare about nine years old, about 16 1-2 hands high, with collar marks, left hind leg white to near the knee, when taken up had on a small bell.

Brownville, Sept. 6 1865.
10-3 p'd THOMAS HEADY.

Territory of Nebraska, County of Johnson.

To any Constable in Johnson County, whereas Daniel Keeland has filed with me the affidavit necessary to enable him to a writ of attachment against James Comstock, for the sum of seventy-eight dollars claimed to be due, Keeland, from the said James Comstock, you are therefore commanded to attach the goods, chattles, credits, money and effects of said James Comstock in your County, to be kept and disposed of according to Law and make legal return theirof, and you are also to notify the defendant therein of and summons him to appear before me, at my office on the 4th day of November, 1865, at 10 o'clock P. M. to answer the petition of the plaintiff in which is claimed above named sum

Dated this the 18th day of September 1865.

J. W. BENEDICT, Esq.

Daniel Keeland
vs.
James Comstock

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