

The Herald.

PLATTSMOUTH, OCT. 2, 1879.

Democratic County Convention.

The Cass County Democratic Convention will meet at Louisville, Saturday, Oct. 11th, 1879, to put in nomination one County Clerk, one Treasurer, County Judge, Sheriff, Clerk of Dist. Court, Supt. of Pub. Inst., Surveyor and Coroner, and to transact such other business as may come before it. The primaries are requested to be held on Saturday, Oct. 4th, at the usual times and places, and in Plattsmouth City at 7 o'clock. The apportionment of delegates is as follows:

Plattsmouth City, 1st ward, 5 delegates; 2d ward, 5; 3d ward, 4; 4th ward, 5. Plattsmouth precinct, 16; Rock Bluffs, 12; Liberty, 10; Avoca, 2; Mt. Pleasant, 3; Eight Mile Grove, 6; Louisville, 5; Center, 5; Weeping Water, 3; Stone Creek, 3; Elmwood, 5; South Bend, 6; Salt Creek, 5; Greenwood, 7; Tipton, 3.—Whole number of delegates, 104.

WM. WINTERSTEIN, Ch'm.

F. E. WHITE, Sec'y.

—We tried last week to get the Greenback ticket nominated at W. W. For some reason it was hard to get at. This week, however, from a friend we got the ticket just as nominated, and moreover the information that there is no solid fuse in the staunch old greenbackers in the county, no rest Plattsmouth G. B's. may say:

For Treasurer,
J. R. FREEMAN,
of Liberty.

For Clerk,
M. V. WOODS,
of Salt Creek.

For Sheriff,
OWEN MARSHALL,
of Greenwood.

For County Judge,
E. F. ALLAN,
of Elmwood.

For County Commissioner,
NOAH CLEMONS,
of Rock Bluffs.

For County Superintendent,
D. D. MARTINDALE,
of Louisville.

For Dist. Clerk,
WM. MASTIN,
of Greenwood.

Very excellent imitations of the Enfield rifle are manufactured in large numbers at Cass under the superintendence of some German armorers. They are quite as good as the English made ones, as far as their shooting powers go, their one fault being that they are occasionally liable to burst.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Cedar Creek Items.

CEDAR CREEK, Sept. 25, '79.

MR. EDITOR:—In one of the recent numbers of the HERALD, your correspondent from Eight Mile Grove attributed the death of Mr. Wm. Lohelder to too much beer. This we do not believe; and if the author of the article will come and take the same team Mr. Lohelder had, load his lumber in the same manner, the same fate may await him. We admit that our departed friend did occasionally take a glass of beer; but if a glass of beer taken at rare occasions will kill a man, the undertakers trade must be flourishing. We wish to leave the dead rest; and not publish to the world what does not concern it. We mourn the loss of our friend; dead, yet he lives fresh in the memory of those with whom he mingled, who will ever consider it a pleasure to say that he was their friend.
JOHN BAUR.

Our County Superintendent.

Having been an educator for eight years, I have long since been convinced of the error of the mode of electing our County Supt. of Pub. Inst. This office should be free from all party; often men are elected to control the interests of education in the county, who, if compelled to pass an examination, could not obtain a third grade certificate. We should vote for men for this office not because they are republicans or democrats, but because they are educators in the highest sense of the word. A man who has educated himself for a teacher, and has spent his time as such, in fine, a man whose business is that of an educator, is the man for the office of Pub. Inst. Such a man is our present County Superintendent, Prof. D. D. Martindale. He has been educated in one of the best Normal Schools in the Union. From what I have seen of him in institute work and in reviewing his past labors as Supt., we think he is the man for the office. I say this of my own accord, thinking it to be a duty I owe to the cause of education.

Let us look at this matter from an educational and not from a political standpoint.

W. K. LOOFBOURROW,
Elmwood, September 27, '79.

NOTE BY ED.]—Theoretically the nonpolitical plan of electing superintendents and judges is very fine, practically it is impossible except in a few instances. One party or the other or one body of men is bound to hold a convention or a meeting first and nominate. The other party or body of citizens are not suited and they meet and nominate another man, and no body of citizens nominate, knowingly, men opposed to their views of things.

Greenwood Locals.

Greenwood grows.
Greenwood grows greatly.
Greenwood has five residences in course of erection, and one business house being built on Main St. C. B. Mackney is on the sick list again. The frost of a few nights hence, have made material for fall poets. The rain fall of last Sunday laid the dust, and made pleasant promenading for our lads and lasses.

Our school is progressing finely. This is the first week of the last month of fall term. Boys and girls improve the time.

Mr. Martindale thinks Greenwood is too near Louisville to make much of a town. We think vice versa.

The demand for city lots is so great here that it keeps our friend Jeffers busy to make out contracts for them. Hurrah for us! There is a splendid opening here for a large grocery and dry goods establishment. Should this meet the eye of any person or persons contemplating starting such an enter-

prise, we would say come here by all means.

Our fellow citizen, Sam T. James, is as proud a man as ever, walked the streets of Greenwood. For the past week he has paid more for wheat than any other dealer. The reason for all this and sundry other peculiarities which have been noticed of him lately is—well, it's a girl, and weighs nine pounds and a half.

Prof. D. D. Martindale's smiling countenance illumined our streets last Friday. There are few men better qualified or adapted to the position he occupies than himself. He has proved himself an efficient teacher and superintendent.

ARGUS.

Greenwood, Neb., Sept. 29, '79.

Three Groves Items.

Since yesterday morning nearly two days rain has fallen. The dry and dusty roads that we were having last week has suddenly changed to mud. The hot sultry air has changed to fresh and cool breezes, such seems to be the climate of Nebraska, from dry to wet and from wet to dry. The corn crop has reached maturity and is now ready to be husked and put into cribs, seems to be dryer now than usual at the commencement of the husking season. Early corn will make a fair average, and ears large in size, late corn fields won't make more than a half a crop, however the fodder will make lots of feed for stock—Early potatoes are pretty plenty and fair in quality and size, pumpkins and squashes are plenty, but turnips scarce.

Considerable sickness prevails throughout the neighborhood, principally the ague and chills.

Miss J. C. Carrell has been quite ill for several weeks. Miss Cole, from Pennsylvania, a relative of Mrs. S. C. Patterson, is stopping here visiting, she will return in a short time. Misses Hattie and Laura Ellington, of Rock Bluffs were out in the county on a short visit last week.

Miss Joanna Young is attending school at Plattsmouth, will probably attend all fall and winter.

Mr. Elisha Carrell and lady has gone to Iowa to visit friends and relatives there.

Mr. James Wiley is building a new dwelling, so we are informed.

Jackey Oldham has had put up a brand new wind mill at his stock well, it is 40 feet high and is manufactured and put up by a Neb. City man.

James McMahon, herder from Weeping Water, has broke up his herd and has brought all the stock in that he has been herding from this vicinity, he reports the grass played out for herding and is all dried up.

Frank Moore is out in the Republican Valley looking after cattle to feed the coming winter.

Some of the HERALD correspondents was complaining last week through the HERALD that their wagon wheels were getting very dry, think they are set and swelled up tight enough now.

The following named gentleman are feeding or going to feed cattle in this immediate neighborhood this winter. Johnnie Allison, 45 head; J. Oldham, 104 head; the Moore boys, 36 or 40; S. C. Patterson has quite a number in his yard, but can't say how many. There will be more fed in smaller lots, but can't say how many at this writing.

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