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Republican County Ticket.

For County Clerk. JAMES A. TULLEYS. For County Treasurer. E. H. JONES. For Sheriff. H. G. BILL. For County Judge. ISAAC W. TULLEYS. For Probate Judge. ISAAC W. TULLEYS. For Sup't Public Instruction. J. S. GILLHAM. For Coroner. WM. J. FENNIMORE. For County Surveyor. W. E. THORNE. For Commissioner. J. H. HOBART.

Sutton still retains the county seat of Clay county, by a vote of 29 over two fifths of the whole number of votes cast.

President Grant was in Omaha last Friday, and the people of that place gave him a grand reception.

NEXT Tuesday is the day for the elections. The Chief has hitherto kept silence about the county politics and the county officers. Of course our political preferences are known. This paper is Republican and is desirous of the election of the Republican ticket.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

RED CLOUD, Sept. 24th, 1875. Having been placed in nomination as a candidate for Judge of the 5th Judicial District, I respectfully solicit the support of the same. Although the election of Judges seems to necessitate a nomination by some organization I can assure all citizens that in case of my election I shall to the best of my understanding perform the duties of the office impartially and without respect to parties, persons, sections or corporations, supporters or opponents; so that none need look for favors for their support nor for injustice because of their opposition. For my opponents I have no word nor feeling but of the highest respect, and shall not make the canvass with a particle of ill-feeling towards either of them; and hope that none of my friends will treat either of them with disparaging remarks. Respectfully, B. I. HINMAN.

ACCORDING to the notice published in the Chief the Democratic Convention and Mass meeting took place in the school house at Red Cloud, Oct. 5th.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Armsberger of Guide Rock. D. S. Helvern was chosen chairman and O. Downes, Secretary.

Mr. Harvey made a speech advocating a people's convention, attacking Red Cloud, opposing a democratic ticket and suggesting a mixed ticket. After some speeches had been heard, an further deliberation, the meeting was transformed into a People's Convention and convention thereupon proceeded to nominate a People's Ticket. A. L. Burton of Willow Creek was nominated for County Clerk. G. W. Knight, in a humorous speech declined the nomination of Treasurer; Oliver Downes of Walnut thereupon received the nomination. David Lutz declined the nomination for County Judge in a speech of such telling effect that he was thereupon nominated.

The following gentlemen were then nominated for the remaining offices: T. Lawler, Sup't. Public Instruction; Geo. Taylor for Sheriff; Oscar Ar. Old, Commissioner; D. McCallum, Surveyor; Dr. Smith, Coroner. A resolution was then adopted to the effect that B. I. Hinman was the choice of the party for District Judge.

Mr. Hinman then made a few remarks, relating the citizens of the Bloomington Guard, and congratulating them upon their success.

A Pro-Judging Judge.

"A Daniel come to judgment! O wise judge! How I honor thee! \* \* \* you are a worthy judge!" You know the law—your exposition hath been most sound! O wise and upright judge! How much more elder than thy look! —SHAKESPEARE. (Refers to the "Junior" of course)

It is a principle of law that all men are innocent until proved guilty. Listen to Wm. Gaslin's deliberate verdict of the women of the land and the men he now asks to vote for him:

"There is not a virtuous woman nor an honest man in the land."

Gaslin has made the above assertion time and again, and has repeated and re-iterated it. There is no other affirmation that he makes so frequently; unless it be his admiration of the 13 delegates that voted for him at the convention.

Wm. Gaslin says there is not a virtuous woman in the land! Will you by your vote endorse this infamous and outrageous declaration! Men with sisters you hold dear; with mothers whose memory is sacred to you,—

Will you vote for the man that thus brands you and them with nameless epithets of shame? We urge the consideration of this solitary fact upon the voters of this district. The matter is beyond a question; and if any man wants proof we will furnish it at once. We rather think the men who do the voting in the 5th judicial district are not yet quite ready to make the man judge who has thus judged all persons in advance and set them down as harlots and scoundrels. It is true that the most of us may not be fit to touch the hems of the garments of this very righteous euss who is so far above us all in morality and virtue; but we don't like to trust a judge who has already sentenced so many of his fellows and consigned them to ignominy and shame.

The above is clipped from the Republican Valley Sentinel. While we do not approve the sentiment that suggests the publication of personalities, still the saying attributed to Mr. Gaslin illustrates one feature in his character which in our opinion unqualifies him for a judge. We make no fight with Mr. Gaslin on account of his private morals or his legal attainments. In these respects he may be the peer of his competitors. His unfitness for the office lies in what charity might denominate lies extraordinary eccentricity. This eccentricity is so remarkable as to excite in his friends doubts as to his mental equilibrium and give foundation to the reports of his insanity by his enemies.

Our acquaintance with Mr. Gaslin has not been sufficiently thorough and intimate to remove the impression that his mind is more or less unbalanced. We were surprised at the support he apparently has in Franklin and Harlan counties. It is difficult to believe it real and genuine. Much of it is attributed to his locality, and the rest to sympathy. His life has been one of bitter disappointments, and his mind has been more or less affected. He is a shattered wreck, a broken column. It is disagreeable to say such things of a candidate for public honors. It would be disastrous in the extreme for such men to become judges.

Nebraska State Fair.

(From the Omaha Daily Bee) The formal opening of the ninth annual Exhibition of the State Agricultural and Horticultural Societies of Nebraska occurred today in the presence of a large concourse of people, and the rich display of all the various products and industries from every section of the state, are highly flattering to the productive energies of her citizens. One great fact stands out in bold relief that the marvelous developments of that portion of our common country, "the Great American Desert," are of a character that can not fail to incite the honest pride of every citizen of this new, yet rapidly rising commonwealth.

But a few years ago this portion of our lovely country was a common wild, the home of the Indian, the buffalo, the deer, and the wolf, composing the vast hunting ground of the red man, and their rough wigwags dotted every hill and valley. There can hardly be realized by the many visitors present today, who are witnesses of the material gathered as the representative wealth of the great and powerful industries, the change which has occurred in such a brief period.

To-day, instead of the clash of tribes, the war-whoop, the council fires and the death-shout, we behold a land changed from rudeness to productive beauty, from nothingness to immediate greatness, from littleness to sterling magnificence, in the representing of elements and materials which exhibit the richness of the soil, the wealth of agriculture, the grandeur of physical labor, and the skillful welcome struck of the iron horse—one of our country's magical developers, almost annihilating time and space, is the active agent in gathering and concentrating that productive toil which secures and gives this day to "Beautiful Nebraska"—a distinguished name and position among the states that compose the great American Union.

The three Webster county delegates to the judicial convention went square back on Kaley though they were instructed for him.—Hastings Journal.

Rumors have reached our ears that there are reports circulated in this county similar in nature to the above. We take this opportunity of pronouncing the assertion a deliberate and unfounded falsehood. The Webster Co delegates went to the convention with the fixed purpose of supporting Mr. Kaley, which they would have done as long as he wished them to, but when the convention was called to order and Mr. Kaley saw how things had got mixed up, he would not allow his name to be brought before the convention, this being the case the Webster county delegates had no other alternative but to choose between the regularly organized convention, called to order by one of the State Central Committee, and the bolting faction under Gaslin, they feeling disposed to see an honorable man and a gentleman secure the nomination for this position as a matter of course voted for Gen. Dilworth, who is a man that even his worst enemies can say nothing against.

C. J. DILWORTH.

The Republican candidate for Judge of the District is a man unpledged to any one, and who in our opinion, if elected, will administer the law according to rules of Justice, and not according to the particular interest of counties or clients, unless those interests be honorable. He is and has been a warm friend of this section, and has and will work in all honorable ways for its development, and he is a man whose standing in the State makes his influence of great value.

We have known of his record in this State, and seen statements highly commending him from Illinois, his former home. He is most emphatically the choice of people at large in the State who know both the men, and we commend him to the votes of this county as a man modest in his ways, clear in his mind, and upright in his character.

THE RAILROAD JUDGE.

Hon. Wm. Gaslin Jr. has been here for the past few days fishing for votes for himself as judge. The staple argument of himself and his friends is "if you get me you will get a railroad, if you don't get me you won't." Why? Will Gaslin build a railroad, is he a whole legislature empowered to pass laws and erect corporations. Is he an incipient company from whose brain shall spring full fledged, a railroad so soon as he shall touch the bench? Is he in conspiracy with congress, and the general state government, whereby he can command in-stanter, subsidies with out end, and the patronage of the whole country? If he is all this he is far too modest, and his sphere is district judge would be too humble, he should advertise himself as a candidate for the vacancy as president of the United States, now about to occur, or should apply for several cabinet positions, or should go into partnership with Senator Dague in the anti-state ring business! But no, Mr. Gaslin unfortunately is none of these, and is simply a rump candidate for judge.

But yet he and his friends say to the voters, go for a man who, when your interests are involved in the matter of railroad will stand by you. This is their platform. Do these gentlemen comprehend what they are about. What does Gaslin ask you to do. To make him judge. What are the duties of the judge, to make laws and dabble in railroad schemes? No! his duty is to administer the laws? How? as he finds them on the statute books. By what rule does he construe them? The rule of interest or the rule of justice. Honor, which, thank Heaven still survives, and whose voice is louder than the tuning clamor of base self-interest answers for every honest man in this country.

The laws must be construed by the rule of justice and by none other, and out upon the men or set of men who seek to commend to the intelligent people; a man whose virtue is that he promises, in direct terms, or by fair implication, by the expression of his friends in his presence, and his consenting silence, to administer the laws in reference to railroads, so as to answer to the interests of the country. Mark the words and remember the men, and the position to which he aspires. He proposes to so act as Judge as to conserve the interests of the country. Not the honorable and just interests, but the interests. Has it come to this—that Honor is only an empty name—and interest independent of honor is the only reality. Can it be possible that a man makes a specious bribe of this kind, the stepping stone to judicial power? Is it true, that corruption and not purity, bias and not impartiality, pledges and not stern adherence to laws and facts—fit men for high judicial positions, and command them to their fellow men?

Let the consciences of honest men of this county answer, and let that answer reveal the fact that the people of this section of the Republican Valley want no dealings with a candidate for Judge of their district who so far forgets his own dignity as to come shodding into this county with his pocket full of votes for himself; who is so far lost to honor and decency as to discuss constantly against the purity of woman and the integrity of man; who is so far oblivious to rectitude as to pledge or suffer pledges to be made. That if made Judge he will administer the laws according to the interest of any section—without saying a word as to whether those interests should be honorable or not.

"BLESSED are those who weep for they shall be comforted." The story means that Judge Gaslin was around weeping with the independent voters of this county on Thursday. He was probably shedding tears of repentance over his accused life platform. "That every woman is a Harlot and every man a rascal and a liar."

That a man is what he believes eth er to be, is the general rule, for the reason that we know others well only from an accurate knowledge of ourselves. What study of himself has made it possible for the gentleman named to learn such a damnable hereby upon the human race, and what criminal indifference to common decency has made it possible for him to ride such an infamous hobby throughout the years of his life, we know not. We leave the answer of this interrogatory to the candor of each of our readers;—submitting however this solution—The man that publicly proclaims women in general to be harlots and strumpets, and men to be liars and villains, is either one of two things, a monomaniac or an utterly debauched and degraded being.

We hear of several campaign statements put about by some of the few Gaslin men in this community, that are intended to injure Mr. Dilworth. They are to the effect that Mr. Dilworth and Mr. Laird came over to the convention in this county and attempted to put on delegates favorable to Mr. Dilworth for Judge and opposed to Mr. Kaley. This statement with others of like character are utterly untrue, so far as we know, and we profess to be informed as to the action and desires of those gentlemen. They simply asked that a delegation be put on that should be for Mr. Dilworth after they, the delegates, thought there was no show for Kaley. This they asked alone—and so far as we know the people, and certainly the delegates in the convention, were favorable to such a proceeding.

Let no one be deceived by this cheap clamor, and let no one so unfortunate as to be affected with the Hastings Journal be misled by the contemptible attempts of the sore-headed editor of that sheet, to put into the judgeship of the old political partner (Gaslin) of its pet fool Mundy—by charging the above named gentlemen with doing what he himself is trying to do. That unreliable refugee had better return to Iowa, and go into the graveyard business again and stay there until the fools get the majority here.

A careful count of the votes of the counties of this district, show Dilworth to be some two to three hundred ahead of the two competing candidates. If he receives the Republican vote of this county as he will with few exceptions, he will be elected without doubt.

THE DISTRICT JUDGESHIP.

The Bloomington Guard, in the interest of Mr. Gaslin, after I had left the town of Bloomington, (Oct. 5th) came out with some charges against me which I should not notice were they not entirely untrue, and issued under cowardly circumstances; having been kept entirely secret until I had left and it was supposed that it would be impossible for me to refute them.

It charges 1st that I am in the employ of the U. P. R. Co., and working in its interest.

2d. That said company are expending money for my election.

3d. That if elected I will be subject to their wishes.

4th. That said company are working for my election.

5th. That I am in combination with Mr. Dilworth for the defeat of Mr. Gaslin.

The five charges are consecutively and collectively unwarranted and unfounded falsehoods. I am not in the employ of the U. P. R. Co. nor working in its interest. Said company never used a dollar nor used their influence for my election.

If elected I will not be subject to the control or influence of any corporation person or section, but will do justice to all impartially and to the best of my understanding.

I have not been directly nor indirectly in combination with Mr. Dilworth for the defeat of Mr. Gaslin.

I have not said nor caused to be published one word against either of the opposing candidates, and believe that I am incapable of attempting such a cowardly stab in the back as has been attempted by the Bloomington Guard, the reputed organ of Mr. Gaslin, when it was presumed by the concoctors of the same that it would be too late for me to resist it.

It will appear that the regular issue of the Guard was the 2d, and that three-quarters of a column was taken out and these charges inserted on the night of the 4th, when Mr. Gaslin and myself were in town, and Mr. Gaslin caused the above to be sent out all over the district.

Respectfully,  
ST. A. D. BALCOMBE,  
Manager "Republican"

Mr. Chas. Morton, representing the Vigilant of Cassopolis, Michigan, one of the members of the editorial excursion who visited our State last week came on to Kearney from Grand Island Friday night and spent Saturday in our place. He seems well pleased with Nebraska, and thinks our State far preferable to Michigan as a farming country.—Kearney Times.

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