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Republican National Ticket.

For President, WM. MCKINLEY, of Ohio.

For Vice-President, GARRET HOBART, of New Jersey.

Republican State Ticket.

For Governor, J. H. M'COLL.

For Lieutenant Governor, ORLANDO TEFPT.

For Secretary of State, JOEL A. PIPER.

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For Commissioner, H. C. RUSSELL.

For Supreme Judges, ROBT. RYAN, M. P. KINLAID.

For Regent, W. G. WHITMORE.

Republican Ticket.

For Congress—5th District, W. E. ANDREWS of Hastings.

The honest money democrats have called a meeting of their ilk for the purpose of putting a square toed democrat in the field.

More than 125 political papers of the democratic stripe have turned their backs on the Chicago convention and wear by all that is yellow, that they will not support Billy Bryan.

STANDING UP for Nebraska doesn't mean voting the democratic ticket. If it did why not stand up for Nebraska and vote for Bentley, the prohibition candidate for president.

As far as we are aware there is not a word to be said against the Hon. William Jennings Bryan, as a man, but we do not believe that very many real republicans will follow him into the demagogic camp, even by the alluring free silver bait, which is being held out as an inducement.

Mon. Wm. McKinley represents the ideal republican doctrine of protection and honest money and few real republicans will desert the camp for some untried theory.

Now if the pops endorse Bryan at St. Louis, then the prediction of a few years ago, that the democratic party would swallow the populist party sooner or later, will have become a real fact.

We believe that the republicans who left the republican party for reform will object to being tacked into the democratic ranks soul and body.

The republican populists can now see the error of their way and return, as many of them have already.

Tough On Jake. The populists of Webster county are willing to tolerate a protest from a true blue poppa but like W. B. Householder, but when such a rantaneous blatherer as Jake Kindscher rises on his hind legs and declares that a job has been put up, without any provocation whatever, it is, to say the least, provoking.

Jake was probably hurt because he saw something in it himself, and concluded to raise a little stink. However, so long as the populists send such men to the conventions they must expect such eruptions.

Some good brother should have Jake write another letter to the Argus, declaring that henceforth he will not affiliate with any party, but when he does, it will be with the republican.—From this week's Nation.

For Sale. Who will be the lucky one? House and corner lot, lot 12, block 6. Twelve rooms in house, \$700. Lot 18, block 6 and barn \$300. Terms one-half cash, balance on time. For further particulars write to—L. Baum, 71 Potomac Ave., Chicago, Ills.

Populist Convention.

The populists of Webster county assembled in convention last Saturday, at the court house, where they proceeded to elect delegates, endorse Bryan, blow up the republicans, and discourse on free silver.

The committee on credentials presented the following list of delegates, and there being no contests, the same were seated:

DELEGATIONS. Batin—Jas Buckels, C H Rust, A H Hoffman, L Campbell, F Stroble, Wm Kudna.

Pleasant Hill—Ed Guilford, W H Harris, C Brubaker, A N Godwin, Henry Waller, Chas Zalman, Fred Bright.

Red Cloud Township—M L Finckenbinder, Jno Gilbert, T C Barber, Y Sorenson, Ed Parkes, Wm Crabbill.

Potadam—K W McKenzie, Wm James, John Sheets, Ed Durden, A Buschow, A F Kykelbalm, A D Ranney, J Mandelbaum, J F Grimes.

Elm Creek—Peter Hill, D R Carpenter, W H Howe, Chas Howe.

Glenwood—George May, Wm Hilton, Jos Grandstaff, John Duffy, W B Householder, P H Sailor, Chas Applay, Frank Cramer, Jas Mattock.

Walnut Creek—Wm Points, W E Reynolds, A H Vanderberg, Adolph Jensen.

Harmony—R C Best, A M Ray, James Eglington, C C Stout, Wm Patterson, Wash Reed, John Hamilton, Jeff Merat, Geo Hite.

Beaver Creek—Jacob Kindscher, J S Parsons, J H Hamilton, G H Payne, J D Crisman, E N Shoemaker.

Inavale—G M Cochrane, O R Pitney, R K Orchard, Wm Irons, J P Hale, H Michaels.

Stillwater—B F Hudson, W B Guthrie, M M Miller, Oscar Ferdinand, A H Spracher, Geo Weber, Chas Guthrie.

Oak Creek—G E Oatman, J O Riley, Ed Edwards, Ed Funk, A W Choate, W J Wright, P I Laird, Roy Choate.

Guide Rock—H F Cooper, M Detour, Geo Van Woert, B H Crow, Jno Schultz, Isaac Crow.

Catherton—Jos Krall, F E Payne, A A Phillips, L G Genereaux, O C Burgman, R & Payne.

Garfield—F Ailes, I Amack, F Houchin, C F Hansen, J R Manly.

Red Cloud City—H Diederich, Jos Herburburger, H C Richmond, F N Richardson.

Second Ward—Dr Damerell, D J Myers, J H Walsh, Geo Newhouse, F E Goble.

Van Woert of Guide Rock wanted the convention to select delegates one way and some other fellow another. He was loudly applauded.

Quite a little discussion took place over the fact that some of the fellows wanted a pledged delegation for Southard for congress.

Michael Finkenbinder solemnly arose in his seat and, with extended index finger, announced, in a stentorian voice, to erase his name from the list.

The secretary did his duty. Business then proceeded, with about sixteen speeches on the subject, some pledging and some refusing.

At about this time, "Big Horse" Richmond wished to "elucidate," and moved that the delegation be instructed for Dr. Damerell as delegate to St. Louis. Thus was it done unto the doctor.

Jacob Kindscher held a position as delegate, having returned to the fold on probation.

Captain Houchin here arose and announced that he wouldn't vote for any one but a pop (unless some new party started that he hadn't joined).

Finally Capt. Houchin cast oil upon the troubled waters by moving that the convention select the various delegations, which was carried, and the following are the names of those who go to Holdrege and Grand Island:

STATE CONVENTION. Wm. Irons, Geo. Van Woert, A. B. Spracher, Robt. Damerell, W. Dickson, Jos. Grandstaff, A. W. McKinsey, R. C. Best, Capt. Houchin, D. R. Carpenter,

CONGRESSIONAL. O. R. Pitney, Wm. Patterson, R. B. Payne, W. R. C. Laird, H. C. Richmond, W. B. Householder, Jas. Scoles, Jake Kindscher, Wash Reed, M. M. Miller, A. D. Ranney, Capt. Houchin, Wm. Crabbill.

At the opening of the convention, Miss Bessie Carpenter, aged sixteen, of Cowies, addressed the convention in about the following words:

"The concentration of capital, which has been so rapidly wrought in this country by a contracted currency caused the downfall of the greatest nations of ancient and medieval times. And now, under very much the same conditions, our boasted civilization is rapidly waning. With a contracted currency, our wealth has been absorbed by a few, ever since 1878. We have been denied a sufficient amount of money to do business on, and, in order to buy money, have been paying twice and three times the value in produce and labor. We want more money, money of the people, for the people, and by the people. Remonetization of silver will be a long step toward the accomplishment of this object. The campaign that we are now fighting

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Blood Poison.

Contagious Blood Poison has been appropriately called the curse of mankind. It is the one disease that physicians cannot cure; their mercurial and potash remedies only bottle up the poison in the system, to surely break forth in a more virulent form, resulting in a total wreck of the system.

Mr. Frank B. Martin, a prominent jeweler at 926 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, D. C., says: I was for a long time under treatment of two of the best physicians of this city, for a severe case of blood poison, but my condition grew worse all the while, notwithstanding the fact that they charged me three hundred dollars. My mouth was filled with eating sores; my tongue was almost eaten away, so that for three months I was unable to taste any solid food. My hair was coming out rapidly, and I was in a horrible fix. I had tried various treatments, and was nearly discouraged, when a friend recommended S.S.S. After I had taken four bottles, I began to get better, and when I had finished eighteen bottles, I was cured and well, my skin was without a blemish, and I have had no return of the disease. S.S.S. saved me from a life of misery. S.S.S. (guaranteed purely vegetable) will cure any case of blood poison. Books on the disease and its treatment, mailed free by Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.



will be known in all future history as the "bankers' campaign," and the voices which now cry out against this great enemy of humanity will be heard by generations yet to come. No man, no individual who wishes to discharge his full duty as patriot and citizen can afford to be silent or inactive at such a time; every voice, no matter how feeble, should join in this "Great Battle Cry of Freedom," that all may enjoy the blessings of victory which are sure to follow.

At about this time D. R. Carpenter mounted the rostrum and wanted every man, woman and child to leave their seat and subscribe for the Nation, and a little bureau was opened over in one corner for that purpose. A few of the faithful shelled out.

At this point the following contingents were appointed to the Grand Island convention: Jno Duffy, H C Richmond, A D Ranney, Mr Hamilton, H L Hopkins.

Hon. James Gilham made a speech on free silver, and stated that, while there might be some difference in their political creeds, yet they could all stand for free silver. He did not take as much stock in the crime of '73, as it was called, as he did in the repeal of the Sherman bill; he thought that had done more damage than the crime of '73.

Dr. R. Damerell was called for and announced that he was for Bryan and fusion.

Editor Walsh here awakened from his dream of free silver long enough to announce to the convention that the talk about free silver was all right, but the pops couldn't run an election without the stuff was in sight. He said it had been arranged that every member present was to pay 25 cents per week from that date until election was over, for the good of the cause.

A motion was favored and carried, by which was appointed a board of directors to take charge of candidates so they would not put their foot in it during the campaign, as follows: Wm. Dickson, president. D. J. Myers, secretary and treasurer. Judge Duffy, generalissimo.

The following resolutions were offered and adopted: We, the populists of Webster county in convention assembled, renew our allegiance to the principles of the Omaha platform.

We are unalterably opposed to the republican platform adopted at St. Louis, believing it to be in sympathy with the policy of Grover Cleveland and other mercenary, through whose leadership the people of this republic have suffered more hardships than have ever been experienced in the nation's history.

We denounce the course of Congressman Andrews as deceptive to his constituents, and recommend the nomination, in our congressional convention at Holdrege, of some man, clean and able, who can best unite the bi-metallic forces of the district.

We heartily commend the efforts of his excellency Gov. Holcomb, in giving the state a clean administration, free from the stain of theft and corruption which obtained and has flourished under republican rule, and we further recommend his re-nomination to the office of governor.

We believe that the great battle to be fought in the present campaign is between concentrated capital in the form of banks, stocks, bonds and other guaranteed profits, and that the battle is to be fought on the silver question. We therefore invite the co-operation of all persons opposed to the single gold standard.

We also recommend the organization of silver clubs or leagues in every township of Webster county, and that this resolution be published and remain standing in the Red Cloud Nation.

We heartily endorse and congratulate Senator W. V. Allen upon the brave and relentless fight he has made against the encroachments of the British lion.

We take pleasure in commending the ability and intelligence of our official paper, the Red Cloud Nation, and urge every person favorable to the free coinage of silver to give it his support, and assist it to gain patronage.

WHEREAS, the democrats in national convention assembled in Chicago selected as their standard bearer, William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska, a man of recognized ability and integrity, whose wonderful energies have always been gratuitously exerted in the interest of the people forming the common masses, and

WHEREAS, the principles asserted in the platform adopted at said convention are directly in compliance with, and practically an endorsement of the reforms embodied in the Omaha platform of the people's party, and

WHEREAS, we believe a glorious victory in the impending campaign is assured and can be effected only through a complete and antientic union of all the bi-metallic forces, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the delegates from this convention to the state convention at Grand Island Wednesday, be instructed to vote only for men who will use their best efforts to secure for Mr. Bryan the nomination of the people's party in the national convention at St. Louis.

(HENRY L. RICHMOND, J. A. HAMILTON, D. R. CARPENTER, Committee.)

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured in 3 Days.

Morton L. Hill, of Lebanon, Ind., says: "My wife had Inflammatory Rheumatism in every muscle and joint, her suffering was terrible and her body and face were swollen almost beyond recognition; had been in bed for six weeks and had eight physicians but received no benefit until she tried the MYSTIC CURE FOR RHEUMATISM. It gave immediate relief and she was able to walk about in the few days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by H. E. Grieg druggist, Red Cloud.

Wash Day.

Taken from The Farmer. Monday morning not only brings most housewives something to think of but likewise something to do, and if the first day of the week is not properly observed or made good use of, the rest of the days are not productive of all that is desired. Blue Monday as it is sometimes called must have taken origin from the way in which it was misused or not used at all to a good advantage, for surely when one's labors are ended satisfactorily it creates a feeling of satisfaction rather than otherwise. This day is generally given to washing, and nothing could be more conducive to good health or more productive of good results than keeping everything pertaining to the wearing apparel and bedding purified by water and soap. The mere mention of Monday morning means wash day, but the ladies of today have it so arranged as to lessen the burden to a great extent and one would scarcely know it was washday, unless you actually visited the kitchen or washroom, (if you have one) the meals are as neatly spread and every room is just as neatly taken care of as on other days, the only drab back being the rising a little earlier in the morning means a great deal to the person or persons doing the washing. A general turning out of the entire family in the morning on wash day, and each do all they can to help push the good cause, means success and a good dinner at noon. The washing done makes happiness reign in the household and everybody in good spirits ready for Tuesday's trials. To make Monday a complete success as wash day one must get ready for it and not allow anything to come between and when it is landed safely and clean and sweet in the clothes hamper you can safely sing, "We Will Meet Again in the Morning." "SYLVANIA."

Kaffir Corn.

Taken from The Farmer. There are five different varieties of the kaffir corn. The first is the white, the second the red, third the green, fourth the rice, fifth the milo maize. Each of these are divided into two distinct families, the large and dwarf. It was introduced onto the American continent from Africa about ten years ago and was planted first as a curiosity. It was found to grow readily in all localities and under all conditions.

Experiments developed the fact that it would mature a crop in the driest of seasons on the western prairies. It will thrive and do well on all kinds of soil with the minimum of care and cultivation, and planted here in Oklahoma any time between the 1st of April and the middle of July. It does the best on soil is a natural enemy to weeds and will be clean with two cultivations as Indian corn will be with four. It is very slow in germinating and getting a start in growth, but is correspondingly sure, not requiring rains to sprout it. The stalk at first resembles the sugar cane when coming through the ground.

The grain forms in a head at the extreme point of the stalk, where the tassel is on ordinary corn. The grain is almost round, a little larger than a grain of wheat, and yields from 35 to 75 bushels to the acre. It is good feed for all kinds of stock, better for horses than corn or oats. Horses and cattle like the fodder, eating it better than the common corn fodder, cows give richer and more milk than when fed on bran or hay. It is a splendid hog feed, producing better flesh, giving them a glossier coat than Indian corn. Poultrymen have found it an excellent egg producer. It will pop like the common pop corn and cooked like rice it is excellent with cream and sugar.

It is a first class substitute for hominy the miller has found it makes splendid meal and flour, in short it is the poor homesteader's and all other western men's stand-by, being a sure crop in dry or drouthy times. It should be cultivated as the Indian corn is cultivated. It does the best planted with a planter, for shallow planting is the best.

Garber, O. T. W. D. CHAMBER.

Beggs' Diarrheu Balsam

positively has no equal in diarrhea, dysentery and inflammation of the bowels. It relieves quickly, and being purely vegetable, no bad results follow. You cannot afford to be without it at this season of the year. Sold by C. L. Cottin.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Obituary.

Died, at her home, July 7th, Mrs. Armitty C. Gurney, Mrs. Gurney was born in Monroe, Iowa, July 16, 1856. She came with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hicks, to Johnson county, Nebraska, in 1873. She was married to Chas. Gurney April 2, 1874. She and her husband moved on the north east quarter of section 26, town 2, range 11, in Webster county in the spring of '74, where she remained until her death. She was the mother of fourteen children, of which eight are living and six are dead. She leaves a kind husband and eight children to mourn her loss—six boys and two girls. Mrs. Gurney was a good wife and mother, kind and affectionate. As a citizen and neighbor she was loved and appreciated by all who knew her, she was a member of the Baptist church. Her spirit has gone to God who gave it. Her body is slumbering in the grave; her so many good deeds cannot be obliterated, time cannot erase them, but more strongly impress one that while living her example was to be an affectionate wife, a christian mother and a good neighbor.

RESOLVED, that these resolutions be published in the official organ of the order, The Golden Rod Workman, also in our local papers, be spread on the records of this lodge, a copy sent our brother, and the charter of our lodge be draped for thirty days.

KATE POND, EDNA SHELLEK, MARTHA SHELLEK, Com.

Sclerotic Rheumatism Cured.

L. Wagner, Wholesale Druggist, Richmond, Va., says: "I had a fearful attack of Sclerotic Rheumatism, was laid up almost two months, was fortunate enough to get MYSTIC CURE FOR RHEUMATISM. This cured me after doctor's prescriptions had failed to have any effect. Sold by H. E. Grieg druggist, Red Cloud.

Degree of Honor Resolutions.

WHEREAS, Our Heavenly Father in His wise providence, has called from her home on earth to the heavenly mansion above, our sister Armitty C. Gurney, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that Red Cloud lodge No. 33 D. of H., extend to our brother and his motherless child, our sympathy in this their greatest affliction and sorrow, while we mourn the loss of one of our best and most faithful members. Be it further,

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For Sale.

50 cords of dry stove wood.—Chas. H. Kaley, Red Cloud.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

"MYSTIC CURE" for Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 25 cents. Sold by H. E. Grieg druggist, Red Cloud.

Report of the Condition of the People's Bank of Red Cloud.

At Red Cloud, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business, June 30, 1896.

RESOURCES. Loans and discounts, \$31333.39. Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 95.67. County warrants, 53.38. Banking house, furniture and fixtures, 944.36. Current expenses and taxes paid, 824.72. Checks and other cash items, 11.45. Due from national and state banks, 25972.49. Special deposits, 13809.75. Fractional paper currency, 17.21. Nickel's and cents, 708.93. Legal tender notes, 30569.45. Total cash on hand and in banks, \$63643.39.

LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in, \$15000.00. Undivided profits, 6234.46. Individual deposit, subject to check, 32579.54. Demand certificates of deposit, 6319.22. 42068.93. Time certificates of deposit, 2910.91. Total, \$63643.39.

State of Nebraska, County of Webster, ss: I, W. T. Auld, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. T. AULD, Cashier. Attest—W. T. Auld, director. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1896. C. W. KALEY, Notary Public.

Lost.

A buff colored satchel, brown spot on one side.—R. B. LEGGITT.

The Little Giants Are Here

and come to stay. C. L. Cotting, your popular druggist, has just received a new supply. They are the only guaranteed pill on the market. Be sure you get Beggs' Little Giants. Ask for sample.

Batin.

Coody Wilson is working for Mr. Bergman.

Peter Nelson has returned from Kearney county where he has been visiting for some time.

Cloud Duval and family were visiting at Mr. Gilroy's Sunday.

Wade Kozmiz shipped his fat cattle one day last week to Kansas City.

Frank Sadilek bought twelve head of fat cattle last week of A. N. Wilson.

Some of the farmers have commenced to stack their small grain.

Peter O'Berg and J. C. Brooks sold several head of cattle to parties living in Campbell last Friday.

Beggs' Tropical Oil.

The only liniment on the market today that has a positive guarantee to do all the label calls for. Its great strength and wonderful curative powers are particularly noticeable in deep seated diseases, such as Rheumatism, Neuralgia, etc. J. L. Cotting keeps it.

When we consider that the intestines are about five times as long as the body we can realize the intense suffering experienced when they become inflamed. DeWitt's Colic and Cholera Cure subdues inflammation at once and completely removes the difficulty. C. L. Cotting.

A Wonderful Medicine

BEECHAM'S PILLS

For Bilious and Nervous Disorders such as Wind and Pains in the Stomach, Sick Headache, Giddiness, Fullness and Swelling after meals, Dizziness and Drowsiness, Cold Chills, Flushing of the Face, Loss of Appetite, Shortness of Breath, Costiveness, Blisters on the Skin, Disturbed Sleep, Frightful Dreams, and all Nervous and Trembling Sensations, etc. When these symptoms are caused by constipation, they will give relief in TWENTY MINUTES. This is no fiction. Every sufferer is earnestly invited to try one box of these Pills, and they will be acknowledged to be

A WONDERFUL MEDICINE.

BEECHAM'S PILLS, taken as directed, will quickly restore females to complete health. They promptly remove obstructions or irregularities of the system. For a WEAK STOMACH, IMPAIRED DIGESTION, DISORDERED LIVER they act like magic—a few doses will work wonders upon the Vital Organs; strengthening the muscular system, restoring the long-lost complexion, bringing back the keen edge of appetite, and arousing with the Blooded of Health the whole physical system, and one of the best guarantees to the Nervous and Debilitated in all classes of men's Pills have the Largest Sale of any Patent Medicine in the World.

WITHOUT A RIVAL. Annual Sales over 6,000,000 Boxes. Sold at Drug Stores, or will be sent by U. S. Agents, B. F. ALLEN CO., 368 Canal St., New York, post paid, upon receipt of price. Book free upon application.

Report of the Condition of the State Bank of Red Cloud.

At Red Cloud, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business June 30, 1896.

RESOURCES. Loans and discounts, \$32270.07. Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 72.90. Current expenses and taxes paid, 1373.08. Due from National, State and Private Banks and Bankers, 36230.07. Bills of other banks, 2968.00. Fractional Paper Cy., nickels and cents, 23.56. Gold Coin, 3275.00. Silver Coin, 512.45. Total cash on hand, 6389.91.

LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in, \$15000.00. Surplus fund, 6500.00. Undivided profits, 2585.30. Deposits subject to check, 4849.27. Deposits demand certificates, 2464.55. Deposits time certificates, 3035.00. Total Deposits, 52329.82.

Total, \$70335.12. State of Nebraska, County of Webster, ss: I, W. T. Auld, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. T. AULD, Cashier. Attest—W. T. Auld, director. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of July, 1896. C. W. KALEY, Notary Public.

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