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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. MC'COLL.

For Lieutenant Governor, ORLANDO TEFFT.

For Secretary of State, JOEL A. PIPER.

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For Treasurer, C. E. CASEY.

For Attorney General, A. S. CHURCHILL.

For Supt. of Public Instruction, H. R. CORBETT.

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.

HURRAH for Billie McKinley, the people candidate for president.

The St. Louis convention is in full force this week. They will probably endorse Bryan.

A McKinley and Hobart club is being organized in this city and will have about 200 members.

WM. J. BRYAN is the assistant general attorney for the Missouri Pacific railway, so the story goes.

REPUBLICANS should stand firmly together for protection and prosperity. It is that that will make times good again.

The democratic papers in the east are pulling out of the party on account of the money plank. Hundreds of democratic papers all over the country are doing likewise.

Mr. Bryan was nominated on Friday, occupied room 13 at his hotel and left Chicago on July 13th. He has also been a resident of Nebraska just thirteen years.—St. Joe Herald.

J. G. TATE has been elected supreme master workman of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, which places him at the head of one of the oldest fraternal organizations of this class in existence. And thus is Nebraska honored again. But she will wear her multiplied honors modestly.—Ex

The esteemed wife of Editor Spence of the Bladen Enterprise, passed away this week, after a severe illness. She was buried Wednesday, Rev. G. W. Hummel officiating. Mr. Spence has the deepest sympathy of the newspaper fraternity, as well as his numerous friends in Webster county.

R. B. WAHLQUIST, the talented editor of the Adams county Democrat of Hastings, was in Red Cloud one day last week visiting his father-in-law, Mr. Dille. While here he invaded our wigwam and indulged in a pleasant chat. Bro. Wahlquist is a red hot Bryan man, although he holds down one of Grover's jobs, i. e. the Hastings postoffice.

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Supervisors' Proceedings.

The County Board of Supervisors met in regular session at the court house in Red Cloud Tuesday, July 14, 1896. W. B. Roby chairman and L. H. Fort clerk. The following members of the board were present: Peters, Shirley, Kort, Pope, Hoffman and Eglinton.

The following was the order of business to wit:

The board first approved the following official bonds: Jos. W. Warren county coroner, J. G. Ornduff, town treasurer of Harmony township. Alf McCall, Walnut Creek. W. A. Maynard, Line. O. B. Harvey, clerk Inavale. J. L. Grandstaff, O. H. R. D. No. 8. J. Salden 2. Thos. Drescher 2. Jas. Hick 44. Edgar Cox 43. Len Wilmot 12.

In the matter of the application of H. B. Hunter to have the ne 1 ne 1 nw 1 ne 1 sw 1 ne 1 se 1 ne 1 of sec 15 town 2 range 9 being school land, asking the board to appoint a committee to appraise the same. The chair appointed the following members to view and appraise the same: E. Peters, S. H. Shirley and J. P. Eglinton.

An objection to the enormous assessment of Mrs. Lyra C. Garber on land in the nw 1 2-1-11 was referred to the committee on claims. The board then adjourned till Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Pursuant to adjournment the board reconvened at 9 o'clock, all present except Hoffman. Another adjournment was taken until 1 p. m., when the following business was transacted.

The committee to appraise school land reported as follows: ne 1 se 1 16-2-9 \$7 per acre. nw ne 16-2-9 \$7. sw ne 16-2-9 \$7. se ne 16-2-9 \$7. Peters, Shirley and Eglinton, appraisers.

On motion the board decided to take no action on erroneous assessment of Mrs. Garber.

The bridge on the bottom east of Inavale was reported dangerous, and referred the committee on roads and bridges.

The chair made Peters a committee of one, to arrange for the working of the roads between Nuckolls and Webster, and Eglinton was to perform a like service on the line dividing Franklin and Webster.

On motion E. N. Shomacher was appointed constable for Beaver Creek precinct, and his bond was approved. J. D. Chrissman was appointed justice of the peace for Beaver Creek precinct.

Jas. C. May was appointed constable for Harmony township and his bond approved.

The board refused to set upon a communication from Oak Creek precinct asking for a change of voting place.

The report of town clerk of Line precinct was received and placed on file.

On motion the county clerk was instructed to draw a warrant in favor of the county treasurer for \$5.79 being refunded on e 1 ne 1 34-1-11.

Supervisor Pope was authorized to repair the bridge across Dry Creek, 3 miles east of Red Cloud.

Board adjourned till Thursday morning July 16, when it again went into regular session with all members present except Hoffman.

Geo. Pope offered the following resolution: WHEREAS, A county levy of one mill for the road fund was made in the year of 1894, a considerable portion of said levy having been collected and the money therefore is now held by the county treasurer, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the county treasurer be instructed to apportion the said road fund to the several county supervisor districts, and that the said treasurer be authorized to pay the several county supervisors the amount of said money belonging to said district, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the said county supervisors be and are hereby authorized and directed to expend said funds on the highways in his district.

The resolution was adopted by a full vote.

The following committees were appointed by the chair: Committee on settlement with the county treasurer, Peters, Kort and Eglinton. Committee on settlement with clerk, Pope, Shirley and Roby.

The road petition as presented by Oliver McCall and others asking for a public road to be located through and across sw 1 7-1-11 was tabled till next meeting.

The board adjourned till Friday morning the 17th and again till 1 p. m., that day. All members were present when the board met, and the following business was transacted:

D. M. Hunter county superintendent reported a statement of the Webster county teachers' institute fund for the quarter ending March 31, 1896 as follows: To amount on hand reported for July 1, 1896, \$212.25. To 3 End tres red since last report \$3. To 5 Ren fees \$5. To 13 Ex \$13. To 8 Woodland echoes sold school district 1 @ 25 \$5. Total amount in fund April 1, '96 \$235.25.

Report was affirmed by committee on settlement.

The second quarterly report of the county superintendent was as follows:

Eczema All Her Life.

Mr. E. D. Jenkins, of Lithonia, Ga., says that his daughter, Ida, inherited a severe case of Eczema, which the usual mercury and potash remedies failed to relieve. Year by year she was treated with various medicines, external applications and internal remedies, without result. Her sufferings grew steadily worse, and her condition grew steadily worse. All the so-called blood remedies did not seem to reach the disease at all until S.S.S. was given, when an improvement was at once noticed. The medicine was continued with favorable results, and now she is cured sound and well, her skin is perfectly clear and pure and she has been saved from what threatened to blight her life forever.



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April 1, amount on hand \$235.25. To 43 Ex \$43. To 3 Rex \$3. June 18 appropriation by the board \$25. June 30 6 Ex fees \$6. Total \$312.25.

Expenditures, May 11 600 circulars \$6. June 28 telegram 41 cents. June 26 telegram 25 cents Total \$6.66. To balance on hand \$305.59. The report was approved.

Sheriff Runchev made report as follows: To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of Webster county. I hereby submit the following report for six months ending July 13, 1896. Amount of fees earned \$455.75. Amount collected \$417.60. Amount of fee expense \$502.31.

The committee on settlement reported the sheriff's statement correct, and the report was adopted.

L. H. Fort, county clerk, made his first and second quarterly report, as follows: Fees received for the first quarter ending March 31, 1896, \$194 95

For January, 124 90 For February, 124 90 For March, 131 25 By clerk's salary, 1st quarter, 375 00 By deputy " " " 175 00 Balance due clerk April 1, 1896, 98 90

For the quarter ending June 30, 1896, the statements of receipts are as follows: For April, \$136 60 For May, 101 45 For June, 77 45 To balance, 339 40 Balance due clerk March 31, '96, 98 90 Clerk's salary, 2d quarter, 375 00 Deputy " " " 175 00 Balance due clerk June 30, '96, 333 40

The committee on settlement with the clerk recommended the adoption of the report as correct, which was approved.

The petition praying for the construction of a bridge across Indian Creek between sections 5 and 8, town 2, range 11, was, on motion, laid over until next meeting.

The right to build bridge across Indian Creek between section 32-3-11 and 5-2-11 was granted.

A petition, numerously signed by residents in and near the northeast corner of section 17-4-11, asked that the public road be altered, commencing at a point about 19 rods south of the north east corner of section 11-4-10, thence running nearly northeast to a point about 23 rods east of said corner, connecting with the public road. The petition was granted, provided the land does not cost over \$30.

A. H. Hoffman moved that, in the expenditure of the 1894 road fund as apportioned by the board, the county supervisor shall not charge to exceed \$2 per day for the actual time employed. Motion carried.

On motion, J. P. Eglinton was authorized and instructed to remove the old bridge between sections 9 and 20-4-12 across the Blue, and to use the old lumber in repairing bridges in his district.

The question of printing the delinquent tax list consumed considerable time. The Blue Hill Leader offered to print the tax list at half the legal rate. The Belt also offered to publish the same for ten cents per description. The bids were referred to the committee on printing, consisting of Peters, Kort and Pope. Messrs. Peters and Kort recommended in a majority report that the printing of the tax list be given to all the papers in the county, and the proceeds be equally divided between them. Geo. F. Pope presented a minority report recommending that the printing of the tax list be let to the Red Cloud Nation at legal rates. Mr. Pope then moved the adoption of the report, which was

carried by the following vote: Ayes—Shirley, Pope, Hoffman, Eglinton; nays—Peters, Kort, Roby.

The following named gentlemen were selected, from which the jury for the September term of the district court is to be drawn: Glenwood—A. W. Cox, C. Paesler, Peter Duffy, Jas Reynolds, Batin—O. A. Knutson, Robt Harris.

Red Cloud—Jos Garber, M. S. Martin, Frank Tennant, O. E. Ramey, A. Dillon, Beaver Creek—A. J. Bragg, S. A. Ruden.

Guide Rock—J. F. Watt, B. H. Crow, E. P. Fairfield, J. S. Largent, J. B. Potter. Harmony—John Hamilton, A. M. Ray, W. Reed, Elmer McCoy.

Inavale—P. M. Cochrane, J. P. Hale, John Copley. Catherton—F. E. Payne, O. Bergman.

Potsdam—Jacob Baner, Barney Kuehn, C. L. Pope, R. Pelz, P. H. Karr, Ed Hilton, Garfield—Geo Amack, J. A. Coon. Line—Jeff Beuchamp.

Walnut Creek—Frank Stokes, M. C. Fulton. Pleasant Hill—Bud Norris, John Emnich.

Stillwater—Geo Webber, W. B. Guthrie, Thos Fisher. Elm Creek—John Harpham, Fred Gerloch.

Oak Creek—Clark Phelps, Jas O. Tool, W. C. Laird.

Red Cloud, 1st ward—R. M. Cochrane, A. J. Carey, Jos Herburger, J. E. Miner, L. E. Tait.

Red Cloud, 2d ward—J. A. Baum, J. H. Bailey, M. R. Bentley, C. B. Croze, John Dickerson, John Foster.

The board then adjourned until Saturday morning, when the following business was done:

On motion by Kort, the clerk was instructed to draw a warrant on the general fund for \$30, in favor of J. I. Hoover, when the said Hoover shall deliver to the clerk a deed in favor of the county of Webster for the right of way for a road across the northeast corner of Sec 17-4-10, said road having been located by the board this session. The motion prevailed.

Moved by Hoffman, and seconded by Peters, that the county treasurer be instructed to collect the money due the county from the State Bank of Blue Hill, on or before January 1, 1897. Carried.

J. P. Hale represented to the board that he had made an error in the assessment of O. R. Pitney's personal property, and the correction was made.

The board, upon hearing the reading of an affidavit from H. C. Bowman, ordered a warrant drawn in his favor for \$3.42, on account of erroneous assessment.

The list of claims will appear next week.

"Wake up, Jacob, day is breaking!" so said DeWitt's Little Early Risers to the man who had taken them to arouse his sluggish liver. C. L. Cotting.

Resolutions. RED CLOUD, July 14, '96. WHEREAS: It has pleased almighty God, the great and beneficent author of existence in his infinite wisdom and mercy to enter the home and remove by death the child of our beloved brother A. Clark.

Resolved, By the members of Red Cloud Lodge, No. 60, A. O. U. W., that we extend to the bereaved family our heartfelt sympathy in this their sad hour of affliction.

Resolved, That as a token of respect, the charter be draped for a period of thirty days and that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the lodge and a copy be sent to the city papers for publication and a copy to the family of the deceased.

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The B. & M. Water Contract.

EDITOR CHIEF: The Belt of last week contained an attack upon my administration as mayor of the city. As to the motives that prompted the attack, and its character, I am not prepared to say. But the people of this city are interested in the truth, which seems to me to have been purposely disguised in the Belt article.

Sometime after my assumption of office, duplicate contracts for furnishing water to the railroad company were handed me for my signature.

The matter was laid before the council, which took no action upon them other than referring them either to myself or Mr. Gilham, for his advice.

The Belt says I did not vote on the question. There was no question for me to vote upon. I could only vote in case of a tie, and there was no tie on the part of the council—no action of any kind.

Upon investigation it was found that a previous council had agreed to furnish the railroad company with water at five cents per thousand gallons, until the company had received \$1100 worth of water, or thereabout in payment of an extension of the mains, which the company had furnished. The company had given the city credit for something like \$— for the preceding three years.

The original contracts were drawn for three years, and the three years had expired. The contracts handed me were continuations of the original contracts. Upon advising with Mr. Gilham, he told me the original contracts were illegal, and persuaded me not to sign the new ones, as I remember, so that nothing was ever done about the contracts.

The Belt says I ought to have known how much water was taken by the company. A word as to that: In the first place, if the city owed the company anything, it owed it something over six hundred dollars—which would take several years to pay—so that neither the council or myself saw any possible revenue from that source.

Again, on account of ignorance as to the details of the water business, it was thought best to continue in office the old water commissioner, Mr. Pond, he afterward resigning. M. B. McNitt was appointed, who served until he moved to Texas. I think it was Mr. McNitt who informed us that the water was all right, but the company was using but a small amount of water, which made the credit for water so little.

After McNitt's removal, Mr. Auliz was appointed. The only knowledge which either the council or myself could have obtained from the water commissioner. He is the responsible officer. I have no desire to reflect on either of these gentlemen. I know that Mr. McNitt meant to do his duty faithfully, but it requires some experience for a water commissioner to perfect himself in all matters connected with the system. The only man in the city of previous experience, Mr. Pond, had refused to serve.

New let me say in conclusion that the city has lost nothing and can lose nothing by the circumstance; because the city, if it furnishes water at all to the company, must do it under the old contract, and by the terms of that contract the city is still in debt to the company. Had the amount furnished been large the council might have taken action in accordance with our attorney's advice, but the amount seemed too small to justify a quarrel with the company and engender any ill-feeling. The members of the council will verify the foregoing statements. I have also asked Mr. Gilham to write what he knows of the matter and enclose his statement.

Very respectfully, M. R. BENTLEY, Red Cloud, July 20, 1896.

EDITOR CHIEF—Dear Sir: The contracts which the B. & M. company desired signed by the city last year were before the council once or twice and they were brought to my office. I advised that they be not signed. Subsequently, as I recall it, Mr. Bentley brought me a letter from Mr. Calvert, general superintendent, and asked me to answer it. I wrote Mr. Calvert that the mayor and council, acting on my advice, would not sign the contracts or recognize their validity. I also wrote that there was no disposition to cease furnishing water at present, but nothing would be done to recognize any legal liability under the contract.

Very truly, J. S. GILHAM.

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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 three days. I am sure it saved her life." Sold by E. E. Grice druggist, Red Cloud.

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Red Cloud, Neb., May 12, 1896.—To the Public—This is to certify that I have used the celebrated Julia A. Knox's Hog and Chicken Cholera Remedy with good success. I had as bad a case as could be found and it done the work effectually. I think it a perfect cure.—P. N. Richardson.

Service of Summons by Publication. In the district court of Webster county, Nebraska. John H. Davis, Plaintiff.

Robert S. Downer, Defendant. The above named defendant, Robert S. Downer, will take notice that on the 7th day of July 1896, John H. Davis, plaintiff, filed his petition in the district court of Webster county, Nebraska, against said defendant, the object and prayer of said petition is to recover a judgment against the defendant in the sum of \$24.50. The following property has been attached as the property of said defendant: Lots numbered 2 and 3 of a certain quarter of section 27, town 2, range 12, west of the 6th principal meridian, in Richardson's addition to the town of Red Cloud, Nebraska. Plaintiff prays for judgment against defendant, Robert S. Downer, for said sum of \$24.50, together with all costs of said suit. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 15th day of August, 1896.

By ROBT. T. POTTER, his attorney. J. H. DAVIS.

Chattel mortgage sale. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the terms of a chattel mortgage dated September 10, 1895, filed for record in Webster county, Nebraska, made by Isaac Greenwell, mortgagor, to T. N. Brown, mortgagee, on which there is due the sum of \$41.90, and default having been made in the conditions thereof, and proceedings having been instituted at law to recover the same, the undersigned, who sell the property therein described, to wit: One hay water, complete, manufactured by the Kansas City Lightening Hay Press Co., and one public auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the city livery stable in the city of Red Cloud, Neb., at one o'clock p. m. on Saturday, August 8th, 1896.

Dated, July 14, 1896. T. N. BROWN, Mortgagee.

Service by Publication. Equitable Securities Company. John P. Van Wie, Catherine A. Van Wie, Isaac W. Pardon, et al.

The above-named defendants, John P. Van Wie and Catherine A. Van Wie, will take notice that on the 29th day of June, 1896, the Equitable Securities Company, plaintiff herein, filed its petition in the district court of Webster county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by the defendants to the plaintiff, upon the southwest quarter of section 27, town 2, range 12, west of the 6th principal meridian, Webster county, Nebraska, to secure the payment of certain promissory notes, dated December 1, 1888, one for the sum of \$75.00, and two interest coupons thereon, each for the sum of seven years from the date of August 1, 1895, the said notes being due and payable in full on the 1st day of August, 1896, and there is now due upon said notes and mortgage the sum of \$77.50, with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the date of June 1, 1895, to which sum, with interest from said date, plaintiffs pray for a decree that defendants be required to pay the same, or that said premises be sold to satisfy the amount found due to this plaintiff.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 17th day of August, 1896. Dated July 8, 1896. EQUITABLE SECURITIES CO., By Robt. T. Potter, Their Attorney.

Notice to Creditors. State of Nebraska, Webster county, ss. In the county court. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against Harvey Palmer late of Webster county, deceased, that the time fixed for filing claims against said estate is six months from the date of August 1896. All such persons are required to present their claims with the vouchers to the county judge of said county at his office therein on or before the 15th day of February, 1897, and all claims so filed will be heard before the said judge on the 15th day of February, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m. JAMES DUFFY, County Judge.