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For Congressman, 5th District, W. S. MOHLAN, Of Red Willow County.
- County Ticket.**  
For State Representative, CHAS. E. HICKS, For County Attorney, E. U. OVERMAN.

The Democratic party is the tail to the populist kite this year.

The McKinley and Roosevelt club was organized last Friday night.

The dietatorial attitude of Boss Bryan at Kansas City is very suggestive of imperialism.

The Republicans have no party peridy and dishonor to hamper them in their victorious campaign.

Hon. Adlai Stevenson was originally a greenbacker. Mix this with 16 to 1, and what will be the product?

Hon. Don M. Dickinson predicts that Bryan will not get within two million as many votes as he did in 1896.

L. S. Wilson, the fusion nominee for county attorney, was present at the meeting of the republican club last Friday night.

If farmer Bryan held his hoe in the wrong hand the farmers will soon get on to it when the moving pictures are on exhibition.

The campaign may not have been formally opened in this city as yet, but notwithstanding that there is plenty of politics on our streets.

Since Mr. Bryan began to tell the people four years ago that what they wanted was more money, they have ad-

ded at the rate of \$11,267,500 per month, or about \$433,965 for every working day.

Gov. Roosevelt will spend at least a week in Nebraska, and we sincerely hope that at least two hours of that week will be spent in Red Cloud.

Since the adoption of the gold standard in Japan the currency of that country has been freed from constant fluctuations in its exchange rates.

Every dollar circulating in the United States is what Mr. Bryan calls a 200-cent dollar. This is better than the 50-cent dollar that he wants to give the people.

The war with Spain served to demonstrate something more than the military and naval strength of the United States. It brought to light the vast resources and wealth of this country.

We heard one fellow make a remark this week that he would like to know "why those chumps at Grand Island wanted to put up another ticket?" The only reason we can see is that the fusion ticket is a little too democratic to suit the taste of a man who professes to be a populist.

Why is it that the demo-pops cuss Mark Hanna every time a drought of two or three weeks duration hits the country? One would think to hear some of them talk that the Hon. Marcus A. controls the elements and everything else and that the Creator accepted orders for rain, drought, good times and hard times from no one but him.

A London cable says that "Nobody in England ever speaks of McKinley as anything but an uncompromising champion of American ideas and policies." His renomination was received in England with enthusiasm and with quiet reserve. It was different when Grover Cleveland was nominated to head the democratic ticket.

**Wrinkles Come**

To many a face which should still be smooth and fair. Worry doesn't bring them. There are no cares and anxieties to furrow the face. They are the signs of physical suffering, graven by the hand of Pain. It is the saddest result of the diseases which affect the womanly organs that they write plainly the sad record of suffering on the face and form. The skin becomes sallow, the cheeks are sunken, the eyes look dull, the body falls away. No woman who values her health or good looks should neglect to use Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for female weakness. It cures irregularity, inflammation, ulceration and female weakness. It lights up the eye, brightens the complexion, and rounds out the sunken curves of the body.



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The middle-of-the-road populists put up a complete state ticket at their convention in Grand Island last week. It shows that some of the advocates of populism at least, have got tired of voting the chronic office seeker fusion ticket and come to the conclusion that it is better to vote their own principle even though they don't get a smell than to continually vote for a chronic office seeker's fusion conglomeration.

When a free silver republican votes this fall he will have to shut his eyes. The question is whether he is voting anti-imperialism and Clevelandism with a catch-vote free silver plank in the platform he is supposed to be supporting. In other words they may want to know whether they are still free silver republicans or just plain, common, every-day democrats.

When the present plans of the Navy Department are carried out, there will be about 4,000 marines in China to act in concert with the army forces. This will not only be the largest force of American marines ever on foreign soil at once, but will be the largest force of American marines ever assembled at any one place. The full authorized strength of the marine corps is 6,000 and special efforts are now being made to recruit up to the limit.

Americans, Japanese and Chinese fighting side by side against Europeans for the maintenance of the Chinese Empire is one of the possibilities of the near future in China," remarked a European member of the diplomatic corps. That is probably an extreme view, but it is certain that the European powers, whatever may be their profession, wish to divide up China amongst themselves, while the United States and Japan would prefer that the Chinese empire remain as it is.

**LESTER.**  
Rain is the order of the day.

C. L. Lewis and wife were at Red Cloud Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Kinser and daughter of Rosemont were visiting at G. W. Baker's Monday.

Mrs. McBride of Red Cloud visited her daughter Mrs. Frank Frisbie last week.

Several on the sick list.  
Farmers were hauling their wheat to Guide Rock. Best weight and prices there.

Mrs. Geo. Wilson of Guide Rock and Miss Alta Baker of this place were at Red Cloud Tuesday.

Joe Cars is expected home soon.  
Several of Chas. Rasser's family were on the sick list last week.

Jessie Cockrill is home from Blue Hill.

Milton Fairfield of Guide Rock was on our streets Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alford Saladen Saturday, July 21, a son.

Sylvester Frisbie was at Red Cloud Sunday.

Claire Cox was visiting at Cowles Sunday.

Joe Saladen is visiting his brothers J. W. and A. R. Saladen.

Mrs. John Holcomb and daughter are on the sick list.

C. H. Frisbie and family were at Red Cloud Sunday.

Mrs. I. Frisbie was at Guide Rock last week.

The Ladies Aid society met with Mrs. Miller last Wednesday and there was a good attendance.

**STATE CREEK.**

We had another good rain in this part last Thursday. It has revived the crops wonderfully and some of the farmers are not looking down their noses and prophesying for a drought as they have done for two or three weeks.

C. Stevens sold twenty head of hogs for a consideration of \$237.50.

A new fence will be built around the Mt. Hope cemetery right away. The material is ready.

Fall plowing has already commenced for wheat. The crop in this part was rather good and ran from sixteen to thirty bushels per acre.

Rev. Con Hewitt of Walnut Creek delivered one of his fine sermons at Mt. Hope last Sunday evening.

Rev. Geo. Hummel of Red Cloud preaches at Mt. Hope every two weeks.

Considerable threshing has been done in this part by the Fruit Bros. Really they are doing about all on this creek this year with their new machine.

Len Wilmot, the popular road superintendent has done considerable work north of the state line on Mr. Stevens new road, starting from the flag pole.

The Logan township martial band is a success and parties who have rallies will do well to get them.

Jesse Sapp and little Leslie have gone to Onio to his former home. They went by way of an uncle's in Mitchell county, Kansas, then to Missouri and on east.

Does alfalfa pay? One man had two acres sown last year and has cut it the second time and got eight ton. It is good for four more.

P. S. Fair sold forty-nine fat hogs for \$670.

**CANCER Cannot be Cut Out or Removed with Plasters**

Surgical operations and flesh destroying plasters are useless, painful and dangerous, and besides, never cure Cancer. No matter how often a cancerous sore is removed, another comes at or near the same point, and always in a worse form. Does not this prove conclusively that Cancer is a blood disease, and that it is folly to attempt to cure this deep-seated, dangerous blood trouble by cutting or burning out the sore, which, after all, is only an outward sign of the disease—a place of exit for the poison?

Cancer runs in families through many generations, and those whose ancestors have been afflicted with it are liable at any time to be stricken with the deadly malady.

**Only Blood Diseases can be Transmitted from One Generation to Another**

—further proof that Cancer is a disease of the blood.  
To cure a blood disease like this you must cure the entire blood system—remove every trace of the poison. Nothing cures Cancer effectually and permanently but S. S. S.

S. S. S. enters the circulation, searches out and removes all taint, and stops the formation of cancerous cells. No mere tonic or ordinary blood medicine can do this. S. S. S. goes down to the very roots of the disease, and forces out the deadly poison, allowing the sore to heal naturally and permanently. S. S. S. at the same time purifies the blood and builds up the general health. A little pimple, a harmless looking wart or mole, a lump in the breast, a cut or bruise that refuses to heal under ordinary treatment, should all be looked upon with suspicion, as this is often the beginning of a bad form of cancer.

Mrs. Sarah M. Keesling, 941 Windsor Ave., Bristol, Tenn., writes: "I am 47 years old, and for three years had suffered with a severe form of Cancer on my jaw, which the doctors in this city said was incurable, and that I could not live more than six months. I accepted their statement as true, and had given up all hope of ever being well again, when my druggist, knowing of my condition, recommended S. S. S. After taking a few bottles the sore began to heal, much to the surprise of the physicians, and in a short time made a complete cure. I have gained in flesh, my appetite is splendid, sleep is refreshing—in fact, am enjoying perfect health."

Our medical department is in charge of physicians of long experience, who are especially skilled in treating Cancer and other blood diseases. Write for any advice or information wanted, we make no charge whatever for this service.

**SSS**

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.

**LINE.**  
Rain, rain, and more to follow.

The corn will make about fifteen bushels to the acre.

L. A. Haskins lost a cow by its getting in the alfalfa and cane. Mr. James also lost two cows.

The Aubushon Brothers will put out one hundred and fifty acres of wheat and rye this fall.

John Beauchamp is the owner of one of those Webster mowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Lewis are visiting their children at Denver, Colorado, this week.

Charles Isom and Poke Sutton started overland for Oklahoma last Sunday.

Amos Gust is the owner of a wind mill.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Aubushon attended the funeral of Mrs. Brechuhl Tuesday.

Len Wilmot is busy this week working the road near Will Kuehn's.

The Fruit Bros. had the misfortune to break the power of their threshing machine last week.

Will Aubushon has leased the Chas. Besse ranch on west Penny creek for the next year.

James Keagle has leased the quarter section east of L. Aubushon's.

Allan Carpenter bought Charles Isom's stock hogs.

Mrs. Sutherland of Bostwick was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley this week.

The Sunday school at Lower Penny Creek is getting along nicely with Mr. Van Patten as superintendent.

Frank Van Dyke and J. E. Fox were doing business in Gatlief this week.

Ernest Beauchamp and Roy Boyce went south in search of work this week.

**Inflammatory Rheumatism cured in 3 days.**  
Morton L. Hill of Lebanon, Indiana, 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 H. E. Grice, druggist, Red Cloud, Neb."

**Rheumatism Cured in a Day**  
Mystic Cure for rheumatism and neuralgia readily cures in from one to three 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. 75 cents. Sold by H. E. Grice, Red Cloud, Neb.

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50c. and \$1. All druggists.

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somewhere if you don't get good quality in your harness.

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