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REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Majority of Old Members of City Administration Renominated.

The Republican city convention met Tuesday evening and placed in nomination the following ticket:

Mayor—E. W. Ross.
City Clerk—L. H. Fort.
City Treasurer—J. O. Butler.
Police Judge—Clarence Reed.
For Councilmen—First ward, William Wolfe; Second ward, G. J. Warren.

For Members School Board—Full term, W. A. Sherwood and J. O. Caldwell; for unexpired term, E. J. Overing.

The convention was called to meet at the court house at 8 p. m. Owing to the fact that repairs were being made in the court room an adjournment was taken to the firemen's hall.

City Chairman D. H. Kaley called the convention to order and read the call.

On motion C. F. Cather was made permanent chairman and George H. Overing secretary.

The credentials of the twelve delegates from the first ward and seventeen delegates from the second ward were presented and accepted, all being present.

On the informal ballot for mayor E. W. Ross received 12 votes, J. R. Mercer 7, J. O. Caldwell 5, W. N. Richardson 2 and L. A. Haskins, J. W. Kinzel and Dr. Creighton 1 each.

On the first formal ballot Ross received 14, Mercer 7, Caldwell 5, Richardson 2, Creighton 1.

Second formal ballot—Ross 16, Mercer 9, Caldwell 3, Creighton 1.

E. W. Ross was then declared the nominee of the convention for mayor.

L. H. Fort received 21 of the 27 votes cast on the informal ballot for city clerk, and on motion the rules were suspended and he was declared the unanimous choice of the convention for city clerk.

On the informal ballot for city treasurer J. O. Butler received 25 of the 28 votes cast and upon suspension of the rules was declared the unanimous choice of the convention.

Clarence Reed received the nomination for police judge on the second formal ballot.

E. U. Overman here introduced a resolution declaring that it was the sense of the convention that the next city council should either issue bonds to the amount of \$10,000 for the purpose of installing a municipal electric lighting plant within the next fiscal year, or grant a franchise for the same purpose to some private corporation.

J. S. Gilham offered an amendment calling for a mass meeting of citizens to be held within the next two months, in order to get the sentiment of the community in the matter. The amend-

ment was accepted by Mr. Overman and was adopted.

A recess was then taken to allow the delegates from each ward to name candidates for councilmen.

The first ward delegates nominated Wm. Wolfe to succeed A. A. Frame. George J. Warren was nominated to succeed himself in the second ward.

The convention then resolved itself into a mass meeting of the school district for the purpose of nominating candidates for members of the school board.

W. A. Sherwood and J. O. Caldwell were nominated to fill the vacancies caused by the expiration of the terms of T. C. Hacker and E. W. Ross. E. J. Overing was nominated to fill the unexpired term of T. E. Penman.

D. H. Kaley and George H. Overing were re-elected as chairman and secretary, respectively, of the city central committee, and the convention adjourned.

Real Estate Transfers.

Transfers for week ending Wednesday, Feb. 16, furnished by J. H. Bailey of Webster County Abstract company.	
L E Spence to Trustees of M E church of Bladen, lot 16, block 3, Bladen, wd.....	700
United States to H S Brooks nei 2-2-12, pat.....	700
W D Greenlee to Robert Fausch sei and e2 sw1 27-2-9 wd.....	7200
Chris Fassler to Phillip Fassler 1/2 n2 sw1 15-4-11, wd.....	3000
Phillip Fassler to Chris Fassler 1/2 n2 sw1 15-4-11, wd.....	3000
Libbie H Potts to C F Gund nw1 18-4-9, wd.....	3400
J G Brown to Lewis R Clapp lots 10, 14 and 15, block 25, Red Cloud, wd.....	850
L R Clapp to H C Erret lots 4, 5 and 6, block 2, S & M add to Red Cloud, wd.....	600
Chris Knehaus to F M Schroder s2 sei 13-3-9, wd.....	2300
Chris Bierhaus to Wm Stricker and John Jones, sei 15-4-12 wd	4300
John W Allen to August Brunke sei s2 nw4 22 and n2 nw1 27-4-9, wd.....	10000
Lewis Waterbury to Johann Pohl lots 1 to 4 block 1, Blue Hill, wd.....	900
Henry Fox Jr. to Wm A Voight w2 7-1-12, wd.....	4130
Verlinda Lutz to Henry A Fearn lots 4, 5 and 7 Patmor add to Red Cloud, wd.....	1000
Sarah J Taber to Henry H Lambrecht nei 2-2-12 wd.....	3000
Christian Christenson to Maggie E Hollister nei 6-2-12 wd.....	3100
Reuben Keagle to Mary E Creighton nei 20-1-11, wd.....	3800
A M Aultz to Wm H Taber, lots 13 and 14 block 10 S & M add to Red Cloud, wd.....	450
Emily E Davis to A C Hale sw1 32-2-10, wd.....	400
Edward H Funke to M W Hornberger, sei and w2 nei 4-3-9 wd	1000
Mary E Simpson to James F Buckles nei 24-3-11 wd.....	2000
Geo W Bayler to F W Harrington pt nei 20-2-11 wd.....	3300
Lincoln Land Co to E E Burr lots 5, 7 and 8 block 16 Vance add to Guide Rock wd.....	125
E Spence to John Bodell lots 16, 17 and 18, block 4 Spence add to Bladen wd.....	300
C B & Q to Louis Soderlin s2 sw1 29-1-11 wd.....	580
Andrew Soderlin to Louis Soderlin, same qd.....	1
E M Letner to L E Warner sei 11-1-12 wd.....	5600
S E Caldwell to Wilhelma Bierhaus e4 9-4-12.....	5600
Total.....	\$84,515

Y. M. C. A. Rally.

Sunday, March 26, promises to be a big day for the Christian forces in our city. The state Y. M. C. A. will hold meetings in the various churches in the morning and in the afternoon and evening at the opera house. The work will be under the supervision of State Secretary Bailey and he will be assisted by a delegation from Omaha and Hastings. There is no greater organization in the world today than the Young Men's Christian Association. No movement since Christ's time has met with greater success in unifying the forces for good. We are pleased to welcome this band of workers and trust that they will be accorded a generous hearing and help. Make preparations to attend all these meetings. Mr. Bailey is a strong speaker and his interest in young men is intense. Be sure to hear him.

Contract Let for M. E. Church Building

The contract for the completion of the new Methodist church building has been let to Mr. S. J. Chambers of Hastings, an uncle of Dr. E. A. Thomas of this city. The contract was practi-

cally closed Wednesday before Mr. Chambers returned to his home in Hastings to make arrangements to come to Red Cloud to take charge of the work. The new contract calls for an expenditure of \$6,500, to be paid in five monthly payments of \$1,000 each and the last payment of \$1,500 on completion and acceptance of the building. A part of the foundation laid last fall will be rebuilt and there will be a few minor changes from the original plans. Mr. Chambers is a builder of large experience and has superintended the construction of some of the best buildings in Hastings and vicinity. He will return to Red Cloud the first of next week and work will be immediately begun on the completion of the building.

Took Civil Service Examination.

Fifteen applicants for rural route carriers took the civil service examination at Red Cloud last Saturday. They were: Charles L. Fulwider and Samuel H. Buzzard of Blue Hill; Chas. P. Davis of Bladen, Albert Kindscher, Charles F. Scherbacher, William S. Jackson, Wendell S. Lambert, Geo. W. Fairfield, William P. Roand, Lloyd C. Farquhar, Geo. W. Crow, Henry G. Britton, William D. Hall, Chester C. Dunbar and E. H. W. Fowler all of Guide Rock and vicinity.

Big Transfers of Real Estate.

The real estate transfers for the week ending March 15 show a heavy increase over the preceding week, which J. H. Bailey said was the largest list he had ever transcribed in one week. Last week's total was a little over \$70,000. Twenty-eight transfers for this week show a total of \$84,515, which indicates that the real estate dealers are enjoying a season of unprecedented prosperity.

John Boom Killed.

The following brief dispatch in Wednesday's World-Herald tells of the accidental death of John Boom, at Blue Hill, no particulars of which have been received here:

BLUE HILL, Neb., March 14.—John Boom was killed here today. His team started to run away and threw him from the wagon. The wheel struck his head and killed him instantly.

Joe Nau Married.

Joe E. Nau, formerly editor of THE CHIEF, was married on March 1, at Minneapolis, Minn., to Miss Julia E. Bingham. The bride and groom are now residing at Lead, South Dakota, where Mr. Nau has accepted the city editorship of the Black Hills Daily Register.

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For Sale.

In Red Cloud, the property of Mrs. M. Gilroy, one house and barn on 3 lots in good condition; piano and household furniture, all fully insured; also one cow. To be sold at once. House must be sold before furniture.

Farmers' Institute.

The Webster County Farmers' Institute will hold a session on March 23. Mr. O. Hult of Alma will address the institute on "Soil Tillage." Other well-known speakers will also be and present and address the meeting.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

THE CHIEF and the Weekly State Journal one year for \$1, till March 1.

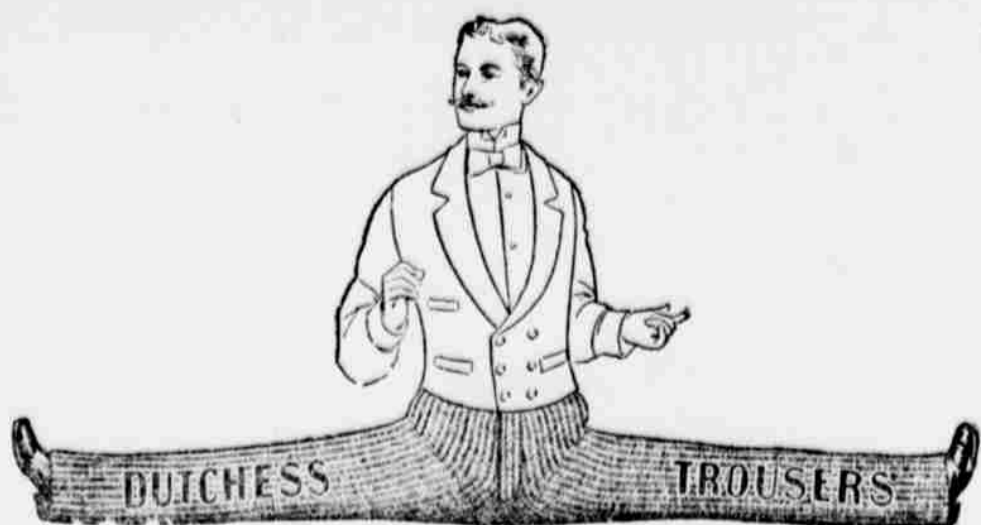
Charley McGuire, who is at Excelsior Springs, Mo., taking treatment for rheumatism, is reported to be greatly improved in health. His left hip had become so drawn out of position that an operation was necessary to replace it. Prior to the operation he had so far recovered as to be able to walk without the aid of crutches.

D. C. and B. Bell, Louis Shimp, H. T. Jones and I. C. Shannon of the Lebanon Rural Telephone company arrived Wednesday to complete the Lebanon phone line as far as the Burlington tracks. The line will be carried by the tracks to the Farmers' exchange by the latter company and the connection is expected to be completed this week.

Local Grain Market.

(Furnished by J. P. Delaney)
Thursday, March 16.

Wheat.....	86c
White shelled corn.....	35c
Mixed shelled Corn.....	35c
Yellow Corn.....	35c
Ear Corn.....	33c
Oats.....	25 1/2c
Rye.....	61c



\$1.50 to 5.00



\$3.00

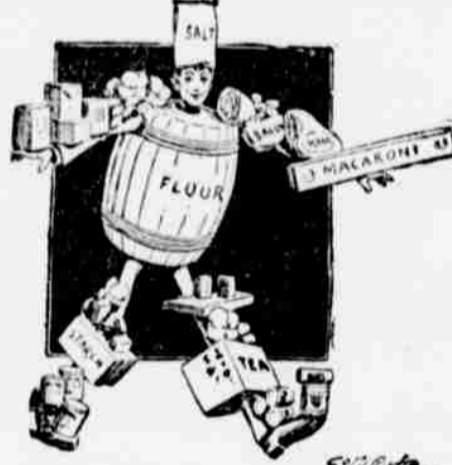


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Frank Abbott.

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