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Thursday, Aug. 21, 1902.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

- State Ticket.**
 For Governor—**J. H. MICKEY**, of Polk.
 For Lieutenant-Governor—**E. O. MCGILTON**, of Douglas.
 For Secretary of State—**GEORGE W. MARSH**, of Richardson.
 For Treasurer—**PETER MORTENSEN**, of Valley.
 For Auditor—**CHARLES WESTON**, of Sheridan.
 For Attorney-General—**FRANK N. PROUT**, of Gage.
 For Commissioner Public Lands and Buildings—**GEORGE D. FOLLMER**, of Nemaha.
 For Commissioner Public Instruction—**WILLIAM K. FOWLER**, of Washington.
- Congressional Ticket.**
 For Congressman, Sixth District—**M. P. KINKAID**, of O'Neill.
- Representative Ticket.**
 For Representatives, 56th District—**A. H. COPSEY**, of Westerville.
S. C. WALDRON, of Over.
- County Ticket.**
 For County Attorney—**A. R. HUMPHREY**.
- Broken Bow Township Ticket.**
 For Supervisor, Third District—**G. H. THORPE**.
 For Township Treasurer—**A. D. BANGS**.
 For Township Clerk—**J. M. KIMBERLING**.
 For Overseer of District No. 1—**W. M. VANNICE**.
 For Overseer of District No. 2—**L. CUSHMAN**.
 For Overseer of District No. 3—**JOHN KENNOYER**.
 For Overseer of District No. 4—**L. MCCANDLESS**.
 For Overseer of District No. 5—**LEONARD HERSH**.
 For Overseer of District No. 6—**C. E. RECTOR**.
 For Overseer of District No. 7—**HENRY REEDER**.
 For Overseer of District No. 8—**J. N. WEST**.

Republican Senatorial Convention.

The Republicans of the Fifteenth Senatorial District of Nebraska are hereby called to meet in a convention in the city of Ord, in said District on Monday, September 1st, 1902 at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for State Senator and for the transaction of any other business which may properly come before said convention.

I. A. RINBAU,
 Chairman Senatorial Committee.

With wheat going forty-five bushels per acre, and selling at 52 cents per bushel as it comes from the machine, and everything else produced from the farm selling in proportion, what theory can you present that we need a change in the administration?—Loup Valley Queen.

Governor Savage is in trouble again. His appointments on the fire and police board of Omaha has brought upon him the wrath of the Omaha Bee and the Plumbers Union. Job of old knew what he was talking about when he said: "Man is born into trouble, as the sparks fly upwards."—Ansley Chronicle.

Two years ago the fusion press set up a wail that Deitrich was a saloon man and for that reason should be turned down. Today these same papers are harping right along the same old line only they now wail because Mickey is for temperance. Just as their tactics availed them when Deitrich was a candidate just so will they avail them know. J. H. Mickey has always been successful and he will continue to be as candidate for governor on the republican ticket this fall.—Ord Quiz.

Because J. J. Tooley ran a little ahead of his ticket when elected county superintendent, the fusionists are elated over his prospects of being elected to the

legislature. The fact of the matter is his success as superintendent is due mostly to his wife. And then by observation we have learned that nine out of ten school teachers are a complete fizzle at any business outside of the school business. This district cannot afford to send anyone to the next legislature but farmers and stockmen—Copsey and Waldron we mean.—Loup Valley Queen.

We are indeed sorry that we have been unable to please our worthy centemporary across the street, known by the misnomer, "The Beacon." Three weeks ago we gave out publicly that we had been mistaken and quoted W. H. Thompson for our authority that the democratic candidate for governor had never in all his life been employed by or received a cent from a railroad corporation and then we gave equally as good authority for the statement that we were mistaken and that we had been misinformed on the Harrington episode as there were two Harringtons instead of one. Our confession was severely criticised by the Beacon because we intimated that Thompson's confession, who is charged with riding on free rail road transportation did not show him to be as strong a man as we had credited him with being. Last week the Beacon seems to have forgotten that it ever criticised our admissions and chews the same old rag over again. Poor thing! It is too bad that it cannot find something to kick about.

Silas C. Waldron

The voters of Custer county should not forget that in S. C. Waldron they have a candidate for representative who is likely if elected to do his neighbors some good in the legislature. Mr. Waldron is one of our first settlers, and has struggled with adversity in common with other settlers, sticking to old Custer county through thick and thin until he sees the dawn of a better day. The leading characteristic of Mr. Waldron is his firmness of purpose. When he is satisfied he is right he goes ahead regardless of what anybody thinks. While not much of an orator, he has a way of expressing himself that is both plain and forcible and he has mixed enough with politicians and public men to know their ways and hold his own among them. As a legislator he would be inflexibly, honest and a hard fighter for the interests of the community represented by him.—Callaway Courier.

Prosperity Makes Teachers Scarce.

Superintendent Fowler says the scarcity of public school teachers through out the state is due almost entirely to the prosperity of the farmers and business men of the rural districts. "Take a ride of 100 miles through any part of the state and see the fields of good crops, and then tell me if you can why farmers daughters should teach school for \$25 or \$30 a month" said Mr. Fowler. "They don't have to do it any more and that is just why there are schools all over the state without teachers. "I was in McPearson county this week and found that there was not a teacher in the entire district," continued Mr. Fowler. "This, of course isn't a big county, that is, its population is not large, but they have eight schools there and all will have to remain closed unless they find teachers for them. And I see by the morning papers that Frontier county still needs forty teachers. There are numerous other counties in the state that have been unable to supply all of their schools and it looks as though many of them will not be opened this year.

"The salaries offered in the rural districts are not high, but they are just as high as they ever were. A few years ago a position carrying a salary of \$30 per month would have several ap-

licants. But now conditions are changed; the farmers are doing well and the business men have no complaints to offer. The result is they keep their daughters at home and the schools stay closed.—Omaha Bee.

2,000,000,000 in Cereal Crops.

It is estimated that the farmers of the United States will receive two billion dollars for the cereal crops of this season. It is believed that the crops of wheat, corn, oats, and rye will be the heaviest in the history of the farming states. A few districts have been thrown out of the markets for the year by the heavy rains and destructive floods, but in most of the states the conditions are favorable to the heaviest yield on record.

This is not the estimate of speculators or of the farmers themselves, but of the statisticians and of railroad managers who are preparing to move the crops. Last year the partial failure of the corn crop was a serious matter to the railways. This year the managers of all the railway lines traversing the wheat and corn districts are making preparations to meet the unusual demand for transportation to Chicago and the seaboard.

As usual, prosperous conditions for the farmers mean prosperous conditions for the people at large. A few years ago the question of money to move the crops was always serious one, but now the money is ready on demand, and will go into the hands of the farmers when they are ready to sell.

In this particular there has been a great change in the last few years. Hundreds of farmers are prepared to hold their crops now where one was twenty-five years ago. Then the producer was compelled by his own necessity or by circumstances to sell whether the price suited him or not. Now the knowledge that the farmer is not a victim of circumstances, is not compelled to sell, but is an alert observer, with his eye upon the markets, is always to be reckoned with, and the fact that the situation as to the farmers' condition has changed for the better exercises a wholesome influence through all the ramifications of the grain trade.

The money that is in New York or Chicago banks to move the crops has been placed there without embarrassment to other business interests. Its distribution to so many points will contribute greatly to permanent business activity.

The process which involves the transfer of great sums of money from the financial centers to the pockets of millions of farmers, that involves special preparations by railways and steamship lines for the transfer of wheat, corn, rye, and oats from millions of farms to elevators, storehouses and mills, and individual purchasers is one of the most interesting in our business system.

The effect of large or small crops is seen in every department of trade. The larger the crops the wider the distribution of money, and when, as in this year their farms have produced an amount of money equal to our national debt, there is no room in the land for the prophets of calamity. Inter Ocean.

Finest on the Earth.

From Hastings to the Colorado line, a section of country comprising in all about fifty of the western counties in Nebraska, can this year show up in grade, quality and yield per acre, the greatest wheat crop in the world.

The greatest crop experts in the country have no hesitancy in declaring that in no other wheat producing section on any of the continents will one find so big a crop of wheat as the farmers in the western counties in Nebraska have to their credit this year.

As one by one the reports come in from the threshing machines shows the yield seldom running

below thirty bushels to the acre and in scores of instances the threshers have registered a yield of fifty and as high as 54 bushels per acre. There are no end of fields that have yielded thirty-five, thirty-eight, forty and 45 bushels per acre.

It is indeed a source of great pride and general satisfaction to the people at large in this state to know that the western counties of Nebraska have the greatest crops of wheat, oats, rye, barley, alfalfa, sugar cane, potatoes and other vegetables of any spot on the face of the globe.

Western Nebraska presents an agricultural picture the like of which can not be excelled in the most favored climes.—Hastings Republican.

This includes Custer county.

BIG ARENIC EVENT.

Ringling Brothers' Famous Circus to Exhibit Here Shortly.

Here is good news. Ringling Brothers World's Greatest Shows will exhibit in Broken Bow again Tuesday, September 9. Readers of this paper do not need to be reminded of the magnitude and high character of this great show for its reputation as the largest, most complete and best conducted circus, menagerie and hippodrome in the world is universal. Its thousands of admirers in this vicinity will, however, be interested in learning that the management has not only kept up the former high standard of the show, but has also organized for the present season the largest and most comprehensive traveling exhibition ever known. The great show has been entirely reconstructed, while the list of performers, in every department has been so completely changed as to make this year's program new in every essential particular. There are new acts, new artists and spectacular displays, and every civilized land the world over has been placed under tribute to secure the latest and most novel arenic features. The exhibition opens with the most gorgeous and unique display of horsemanship ever seen in America. Perhaps the most fitting way to describe this beautiful act is to call it a military horse ballet. It is given under the immediate direction of John O'Brien, the greatest of all great horse trainers. A splendid triple-ring circus performance follows. Among the artists are many who have never before been seen in this country, but whose names and achievements are known throughout the world. In the list of famous acrobats are the Nelson family of 10 unequalled artists, the Roberts Family, the Dibolian Brothers, the Leon Sisters and the great contortionists, Genero and Theol, and Ethardo. The aerialists are led by the latest novelty, especially imported by the Ringling Bros., for this season, the wonderful Dunbar Trio, direct from Australia, the Holloway Trio, high-wire acrobats, the Banvards, the Tybell Sisters, Nettie Carroll and the Mikado's Own Troupe of Japanese equilibrists from Jeddo. The riding surpasses anything in the equestrian line every before attempted. Among the great riders are the Hobsons, the Schadels, John and Michael Rooney, Albert and Madame Davenport, Reno McCree, May

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BROKEN BOW, TUESDAY, SEPT. 9.

Reserved Numbered Seats and Admissions show day at the Post Office News Stand. Unlike other shows, prices at down town office are exactly the same as charged at regular ticket wagon on show grounds.

Davenport, Julia Lowande and Albert Crandall. The trained animal section of the show presents Capt. Webb's juggling seals, Prof. Wood's dog and pony circus and Pearl Sonder's famous comedy elephants. Forty funny clowns contribute a wealth of comedy to the performance. The menagerie presents the only living giraffe and hundreds of other interesting and curious animals, including 30 elephants. The hippodrome races skillfully reproduce the exciting scenes of the old Roman amphitheatre, on a scale of magnitude not surpassed even in the days of Nero. The show will be given here in its entirety, and that means the biggest, best and most convincing circus performance ever seen in this city.

It's cool in Colorado all summer long, and there are hundreds of resorts in the Rockies where one may escape from the heat of the plains and spend an altogether delightful vacation.

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