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Political Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for county judge on the Republican ticket at the primaries August 17th. N. DWIGHT FORD.

I hereby announce to the Republicans of Custer County that I am a candidate for the nomination to the office of County Surveyor subject to the expressed will of the members of my party at the primary. I have served as Deputy County Surveyor for the past 3 years, and previous to the practical end acquired my education in the County schools of Custer County, in the Fremont Normal school and the Nebraska State University. I have always lived in Custer county and have always supported the Republican ticket. A. J. VANANTWERP.



Garland E. Lewis, Anselmo, Nebraska, Republican candidate for county superintendent.

I was born in Custer county in 1880. Have taught rural schools and village schools at Sumner and Merna. Have completed a full college course and hold a State certificate. This preparation, together with that gained from brother, J. G. W. Lewis, while in this office, fits me to do this work well. If elected I promise a fair, energetic and faithful administration. At primaries Aug. 17, 1909.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Following the precedent set by the candidates for supreme judge, I circulated a petition as candidate for county judge, under the non-partisan law, and I take this opportunity of thanking the voters who signed the same. This law has since been declared unconstitutional, and I now announce myself as a candidate for county judge on the Republican ticket, subject to the coming primary, and pledge myself to perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability. If elected, I have no connection with any other candidate for this office, or with any ring or faction whatever, but rely upon my former record as county judge, my consistent Republicanism, and the friendship built up in private life as a citizen of this county for the last twenty-eight years. Hoping that you will deem it for your best interest to give me your support at the primary election, I thank you in advance. Respectfully yours, J. A. ARMOUR.



Teacher in country schools seven terms, in summer normals in Boone and Howard counties three terms. Principal of town schools at Shelton, Petersburg and Valley and city superintendent at St. Paul, with 13 teachers and 700 school children. Attended as an active member National Educational Association at Chicago, Cincinnati and Asbury Park, N. J. Was a member of the Nebraska Schoolmasters' Club for nearly four years, and took part in teachers' meetings at Omaha, Lincoln, Aurora, David City and Albion. I have had a professional state certificate for 10 years, am a college graduate and have engaged in continuous teaching for fifteen years. I am 36 years of age. Have visited the city schools of Omaha, Chicago and Cincinnati, and have adopted every means known to me for familiarizing myself with what is required for making good schools. If nominated and elected to the office of county superintendent, my undivided time shall be devoted to the interests of the schools of the county.



To the Republican voters of Custer County: Perhaps a word of explanation why I have been silent during the campaign would not be out of place at this time. In the first place, I have been away from home so could not meet my friends over the county as candidates usually do. Then, I have not sought the nomination. Early in the spring when asked about the matter, I repeatedly said, "No, I will not be a candidate." But after several months, owing to the urgent requests of my friends and the fact that I felt much improved in health I decided to let my name come before the voters at the primary.

I believe I know something of the duty and responsibility of the county superintendent and I feel sure that those who know me best will say that I would not aspire to an office that I am not qualified to fill. Having been in school work the greater part of my life, I think I have a pretty thorough knowledge of the needs and conditions of the public schools. The cause of education has no greater friend than I, nor does any one believe any more strongly in the necessity of giving the child the best possible environment and keeping before him the very highest ideals and incentives.

Should I be successful, the interests of the schools of Custer county shall be my personal interest and I shall leave nothing undone, that will tend towards their betterment. I shall make a strong effort to visit all the schools in the county in order to learn their greatest needs and become better acquainted with teachers, pupils and patrons, for it is only by the cooperation of all that the greatest advancement is possible.

Thanking in advance all who see fit to lend me their support, I am, Most sincerely, A. P. VANNICE.

CANDIDATE'S NOTICE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of county treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the coming primary election. I have been a resident of Custer County since 1884 and respectfully solicit your support. JULIUS F. OTTUM.

I announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Register of Deeds, subject to the decision of the democratic and populist voters at the coming primary election, and respectfully solicit your support. F. A. AMBERLY.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.

I hereby announce to the Republicans of Custer County, that I am a candidate for the nomination to the office of County Surveyor, subject to the expressed will of the members of my party at the primaries. I finished a civil engineering course at the University of Michigan, and have had 20 years actual experience in all the different lines of engineering and more than ten of those years in land surveying. Have lived five years in Custer county. J. L. FERGUSON, Sargent, Nebr.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination as County Treasurer, subject to the Republican primaries August 17. I have been a resident of the county since 1881, with the exception of about five years and I nominated and elected will make every effort to conduct the office in the best interests of the tax payers. D. V. JOYNER.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination to the office of County Treasurer, subject to the will of the Republican voters expressed at the primary, Aug. 17, 1909. Am the present deputy under J. E. Cavance. Am a practical book keeper and have had years of actual experience in the work of the office. Believing myself well qualified for the position would respectfully solicit your support. W. B. POOK.

What difference does a man's age or training make so long as he tells the truth?

You must enjoy changes Emerson. Have heard that it is good for a fellow's health—how is it on his pocket book? Good for it too, probably, when you get the legals all the time?

Gus says the Chief is very near a Republican paper. How about it, Bro. Purcell, do you think the county is strong enough Republican now for you to be more sure of getting the legals if you come out as a Republican? Better be careful in taking the step. The county board is now controlled by the Fusionists and may be again next year. Better stay by the non-partisan doctrine for a little longer anyway.

How does it seem Emerson to be a Republican, then a Pop, then talk non-partisanship and then come out for a Republican candidate for county judge because you want the legals?

N. D. Ford is recognized by all who know him as a good clean man and he is making a clean campaign as a candidate for county judge. He is making friends all over the county and his chances as a candidate look very bright.

Emerson Purcell and Ross Moore have been conferring together considerably lately. How about it Emerson, is there a Gus Humphrey-Ross Moore-republican-non-partisan-populist-non-partisan-very nearly republican-anything to get the legals-Purcell combination?



A. J. Van Antwerp, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for county surveyor will, if nominated and elected, bring to the service of the county a knowledge of surveying which has been acquired through a college course in civil engineering and five years of active service in the county surveyor's office. The college course gave him the theoretical training and his five years in the surveyor's office have equipped him to put his knowledge into practical application. Vote for Van Antwerp and you vote for a man who will do accurate work as a county surveyor and who will save the county money.

ALL HONOR TO GRAY HAIRS. "The old man for counsel, the young man for war," is a maxim that is just as true today as it ever was. The young man of today should never forget in the rush of affairs to pay the respect that is due and give due consideration to age and the wisdom that goes with it. But this duty of deference and respect for age does not and should not bind the young man's hands and make him a bump on a log, a passive onlooker, merely because action on his part would mean the taking of steps to defeat the ends of a man that is older than himself.

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County Press Comments.

N. Dwight Ford, of Anselmo, who is a candidate for county judge on the Republican ticket was in the city yesterday. He is an able attorney and well qualified to sit at the county "pie counter" for a term of years—Anselmo Enterprise.

Every tax payer is interested in seeing that the affairs of the county are administered in the most efficient and economical manner. To this end we think the people of Custer county could not do better than to nominate W. B. Poor for the office of county treasurer. Vote for Poor on Aug. 17.—Anselmo Enterprise.

Garland E. Lewis and his brother, J. G. W., were in Comstock today. Garland Lewis is a candidate for county superintendent on the Republican ticket. The editor has known these fellows since they were small boys and knows them to be hard workers, successful in what they undertake and advocates of practical education. Garland Lewis is a college graduate and is well acquainted with the teachers and school interests of the county.—Comstock News.

As the time for our primary election draws near we should not overlook one of our most important offices—that of county judge and see to it that when the vote is cast that it be not only for the candidate that is known to be fully qualified for the office, but also for one that will bring Republican success at the election. The Republicans certainly have such a candidate in Judge Armour, who has been tried and not found wanting in any of these qualifications.—Callaway Courier-Tribune.

The Custer County Republican and Gus Humphrey cannot agree on ones fitness for office. We size it up that the Republican is a "progressive" and Gus is a "stand-pat" republican. We also size it up that either the democrats or progressive republicans are about to take the reigns of government in county, state and nation. Anyone who wishes an office must climb into the band wagon, P. D. Q.—Anselmo Argosy.

Mr. Bert J. Rogers, who is a candidate for the nomination of sheriff on the Republican ticket of our county, is in every way qualified to fill the office and would make a most efficient officer. His training both in Kansas and Oklahoma, as well as his occupation during his long residence in Custer county, have been such as would eminently fit him to perform the duties of the office and serve our county in a most efficient manner.

He is an active young man of push and energy, of good character and sterling qualities and has a host of friends in this quarter of the county, where he is best known, all of whom wish him success. The Star, as well as the community in general, hope his claims will be recognized, both on account of his qualifications, and for the further reason that this section of the county has not had a candidate for office for many years and we believe we are entitled to one representative at the county seat.—Mason City Star.

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DEATHS. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Woods died Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Pinckney conducted the funeral services at the house Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Thursday morning the remains were taken to Lee Park, near Westerville, for interment.

Mrs. S. C. JOHNSON. Last Friday Rev. W. H. Xanders was called to Mason City to conduct the funeral service of Mrs. S. C. Johnson, who died quite suddenly at St. Joseph's hospital, Omaha, Aug. 3, from an operation for appendicitis. Anna Holm was born in Lynn county, Mo., in 1875. At nine years of age she moved to Custer county where she grew to womanhood. April 3, 1901, she was married to S. C. Johnson. The funeral services were held in the Baptist church. The seating capacity of the church was taxed to the utmost to accommodate the people who came to pay their last tribute of respect to the dead. Mrs. Johnson leaves a husband and daughter, mother and grandmother to mourn her sudden and untimely departure.

DUTCHMAN VALLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Sloggett visited at Roessler's Sunday. It seems that folks are so busy on the Dutchman that things don't have time to happen. The boys can hardly find time to go calling in the evening, that is, only some of the most devoted ones, such as—well perhaps it would be better not to mention names, but his mother is going to board the school-ma'am.

Most of the Dutchmanites were at the old Settlers picnic Wednesday.

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NOTICE OF SCHOOL DISTRICT BOND ELECTION. Notice is hereby given that a special election is hereby called in and for the school district of Broken Bow, in the County of Custer and State of Nebraska, to be held on Saturday, the 28th day of August, 1909, and there will be submitted to the legal voters of said school district at said special election the question of voting school bonds in the sum of \$25,000.00 for the purpose of erecting a new school building and for furnishing the necessary apparatus and furniture therefor, said school building to be located within the corporate limits of the City of Broken Bow, and to provide for the annual levy of a tax to pay interest on said bonds as it becomes due in January and July of each year and to further provide for a sinking fund to be levied by the board of education, beginning A. D. 1910 and ending A. D. 1920, until said bonds are matured, for an amount sufficient to pay said bonds at their maturity, said bonds to be due and payable A. D. 1929, and to draw interest at the rate of 4 1/2 per cent interest, payable semi-annually, principal and interest payable at Kountze Brothers, the Fiscal Agency of the State of Nebraska, in the City of New York. Said bonds to be drawn in the sum of \$1,000.00 each and to be signed, sealed and delivered as provided by law and in accordance with the provisions of Sub-division 14, of Chapter 79, Wheeler's compiled Statute for 1909. Said election shall be held between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 7 o'clock p. m., at the city hall on the south side and at the old college building on the north side of said school district. The tickets at said special election shall have printed on them: "For the issuing of bonds." "Against the issuing of bonds." Dated August 2nd, 1909. A. R. HUMPHREY, President. L. H. JEWETT, Secretary.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANTS.

To Frank Payton and Nancy Payton, non-resident defendants: You and each of you are hereby notified that on the 17th day of July, 1909, Charles Gowler filed in the district court of Custer county, Nebraska, his petition against you, the object and prayer of which was to obtain a decree against you quieting and confirming in himself the title and possession to the west half (36 1/2) of the southeast quarter (36 1/2) of section 5 (5), township sixteen (16) north of range eighteen (18) west of the 6th P. M. in Custer county, Nebraska, decreeing that you have no estate or interest in said premises, enjoining you from claiming any interest therein adverse to the plaintiff and from interfering with his quiet enjoyment thereof and for general equitable relief with costs of suit. You and each of you are required to answer said petition on or before the 20th day of September, 1909. Dated this 11th day of August, 1909. J. H. SULLIVAN & SQUIRES, Plaintiffs. BY SULLIVAN & SQUIRES, HIS ATTORNEYS.

Notice.

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