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For University Regent, W. G. WHITMORE of Douglas County.  
For Representative—65th District, R. P. HICH of Lebanon Precinct.  
For County Attorney, HARLOW W. KEYES of Indianola Precinct.  
For Commissioner—First District, ALEX. D. JOHNSTON of Valley Grange Prec.

**IN A FEW WORDS.**

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We are now having the free and unlimited coinage of gab on every street corner.

DR. DANA of the New York Sun should take the gold cure for his attack of literary jimjams.

The total assessed valuation of the state of Nebraska for 1896 is \$167,078,220; or \$4,390,000 less than last year.

The east seems to be abnormally perturbed about the devastating march of the ensanguined and embattled silver hosts of the occidant.

The Democerts of the Fifth congressional district have anticipated the Populists by calling their convention on August 13th. It will be held in McCook.

WHEN it is a matter of shooting Uncle Sam down the toboggan slide to the demitition bow-wows with "vertiginous rapidity", Grover is some pumpkins himself. It's no "birdic dreamlet" either.

PAUL VAN DER VOORT, the beefy oilroom magnate, claims that God always fights his battles. Paul must be suffering from a serious lapse of memory or be the most accomplished prevaricator of the age.

It cost Timotheus a great deal of fine playing to throw the soul of Alexander into a tumult of feeling, so it will take a deal of hard campaigning to head off the silver movement now under way in the west and south particularly.

The Populist senatorial convention for the 29th district will be held in McCook, on Tuesday, September 1st, 1896, at one o'clock. Chase county has 3 delegates, Dundy 4, Frontier 9, Furnas 11, Gosper 6, Hayes 3, Hitchcock 6, Red Willow 9.

The Rev. Dr. Watson—Ian McClaren to the literary world—author of the Bonnie Brier Bush etc., will come to America on a visit early in September, remaining until about Christmas. Having seen the civilization of Egypt and England—the ancient and the old—he desires to see the new.

**OUR ASSISTANT EDS.**

The Weekly Happenings of Neighboring Towns and Country.

**LOCAL ITEMS BRIEFLY PUT**

The Little Things of Town and Country Life in Cold Type—if Your Neighborhood Isn't Represented, Why Just Tell Us About It.

**INDIANOLA.**

Some good rains this week. Mr. Zint was down from the county seat, Friday. E. R. Banks was a county visitor on business, Saturday. Mrs. A. P. Day is visiting her son, Esben Day, near Lebanon. Colonel Mitchell was down from the seat of "stolen property", Tuesday. J. W. Dolan visited in eastern Nebraska, on business, first of the week. S. E. Hager and S. R. Smith made a business trip to the county seat, last Friday. J. S. Phillips spent for end of the week in Hayes Center on district court business. J. W. Dolan returned from a visit to eastern Nebraska and Iowa, Wednesday evening. H. W. Keyes, county attorney, was a county seat visitor, Wednesday. Also C. B. Hoag. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Fitzgerald of McCook visited Indianola relatives and friends, Sunday. Our old time blacksmith, Jas. McClung, is said to have the finest corn in Red Willow county. W. G. Black puts in some time at croquet. He is preparing to interest the land buyers this fall. We understand that S. R. Smith expects to move to McCook before school commences in September. Mr. and Mrs. William McCallum were visitors to McCook, Friday last, on business and pleasure combined. Hon. Jno. J. Lamborn went down to Wilcox Sunday evening. He is expected home the latter part of the week. About a hundred gentlemen have signed for a McKinley club. They will organize probably this Thursday evening. Patrick McKillip, the Populist nominee for county attorney, will speak here tomorrow on the political issues of the day. Hager and Dolan have dissolved partnership in the lumber and coal business, Mr. Hager retiring. It is understood that Mr. Dolan will continue the business. Jacob Lerch has been spending some time lately with the boys playing horse shoe. It is said that he intends going to California soon and start a horse shoe ranch. The Populists will likely organize a Bryan club on Saturday. We hear that Pat McKillip, candidate for county attorney, will make an address on the silver question. Mr. McKillip appears to be an admirer, follower and imitator of Mr. Bryan. Col. Barnes Mitchell meandered through our weedy streets one day this week. His countenance wore a sad, far-away, "might have been" look. When his wanderings are over he may return to poor, old Indianola, the place that gave himself and brother-in-law the first impression that they were of any consequence whatever.

**TYRONE.**

Paul Egger will start a meat shop. Rev. C. A. Hale preached here, Sunday. C. G. Broman went again to Bartley.

Florance Moore arrived home from her visit in California, Tuesday. Crosly, Kimpton, Pearson and House expect to start to Arkansas, next week. Eight persons were storm-stayed at Charles Carmichael's, Sunday night, while en route to quarterly meeting. Some fire works were set off here, last Saturday evening, after hearing the news from the Populist convention.

**Over Seven Hundred**

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**NORTH COLEMAN.**

John Smith has cut his millet, which is a good crop. Mrs. Harry Kapke and children have been visiting in our midst. Charles and Alva Simmerman and John Stryker went fishing on the Willow, last Saturday, but caught no fish. Uncle James Kelly has his field dotted with shocks of wheat. And the hum of the thresher is heard in our land. O, thou critic! when thy grammar has lain on the shelf for 75 or 80 years thy items too may need grinding over. I. B. Stryker and son have been helping H. R. Bixler stack wheat. Hopes are entertained that a good job has been done. Latest fad, rabbit pie picnics. One convened at Joe Saunders, last Friday; another in vicinity as soon as a rabbit can be mustered in to complete the sandwich. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Church and Alva Brown have gone on a business and pleasure trip, overland, through the northern part of this state and thence into Wyoming. O, praise the Lord! the joyous rain has surely saved the growing grain; For we would be indeed forlorn, Without our lovely field of corn.

"All glory to the Lord of Hosts, From whom all glories are, And glories to our sovereign" corn, That bravely stood the war. Native hay not abundant. Flies and mosquitoes are just ten times as plentiful as usual in Nebraska. They remind me of the good old days in Illinois. "How dear to my heart are the scenes of my childhood". Native flowers are with us still. As one variety passes from its stage of beauty another takes its place and thus we are supplied with nature's blossoms. The corn has been passing through great tribulation, caused more from excessive heat than lack of moisture. There are spots in it that cannot be restored. The timely cooling of the atmosphere and the rain have given most of it another chance for its life. All through the conflict the surviving part could be seen holding up its stately head, flapping its lofty wings and singing its triumphant song, with a firm "I can" and an "I will!" it stood the conflict, while its less determined members were falling all around it.

**BOX ELDER.**

R. E. Moore started for Colorado, Wednesday. The Real brothers are threshing in this neighborhood. Frank King is very anxious to leave Oklahoma, where he went about a year ago. Art and Thurs. Doyle Ed. Duncan, Fred Larkin and Rial Anderson left for the Platte, last week. If, coupled to the weather conditions, is one of the most important words in the vocabulary of this locality. Matt. Brown, who went to Lawrenceburg, Tenn., three years ago, has concluded that it is no better there than in dry Nebraska. George Mohler, who has been assisting the mason on Dan Doyle's barn, expects to leave for the west unless he secures employment soon. There was an ice cream and croquet party at J. R. Kinghorn's on last Saturday evening. Threatening weather kept many away but those present report having an excellent time.

News? No, I have not heard any; have you? The hayseeds are making haystacks all around here. We have nothing new, important or startling to communicate, this week. George Harris arrived home, Wednesday, after a two years sojourn in the south. S. J. S., if I were you I would bridge that crossing; it is dangerous, especially when you cross it every day.

**NORTH DIVIDE NUBBINS.**

The warning politician is very much in evidence these days. And it will not be long till we have cooler weather and frosts. The results of a good rain about this time can scarcely be estimated. Several light showers during the week were properly appreciated. The Reals have been threshing here and there in the neighborhood. Martha Johnson has been engaged to teach the Box Elder school the coming term, which begins in September. M. Stetzer has finished cutting his wheat and oats and while the straw is very short still the heads are large and well filled. It seems we are now under the painful necessity of knocking down some very nice air castles that were built early in the season. Roasting ears are now quite plentiful and any one loses a great deal when he becomes too high toned to eat the corn from the ear. Emma Hanlein is now at Santa Monica, California, and has found the climate there very beneficial. She still has hopes of regaining her former robust health. Sound money is what every person desires, even the free silver and greenback men want to hear the sound of money, especially when it is jingling in their own pockets. Geo. Henderson's trip to the eastern part of the state was rather short as his horse became weary at the end of the first day's journey and he turned his hoof prints towards home. A. F. Reeves has completed a neat and substantial fence about his hen coops as a sort of protection against the numerous marauders in his vicinity, some of which are said to have only two feet. Mr. and Mrs. James Kinghorn of the Willow entertained a number of their numerous friends last Saturday evening. Ice cream and other dainty refreshments were served and all together the occasion was a charming and delightful affair.

Corn that was planted on new or comparatively new ground is standing the dry weather very well, but that put in upon old ground, no matter how well cared for or the method of planting, is greatly in need of moisture. Pastures are beginning to show the effects of the long, dry spell, which in this locality has extended over a period of more than four weeks. Many persons who would not think of going anywhere with a bandaged head or a disagreeable cold, carry a gloomy face, a fit of the blues, on a visit or to a party, without thinking there is no use at all for their being a skeleton at the feast. This social duty of giving one's brightest and best, of making an effort to be interesting, and being cheerful when it is not possible to be brilliant, is often selfishly neglected.

**PLEASANT RIDGE.**

News? No, I have not heard any; have you? The hayseeds are making haystacks all around here. We have nothing new, important or startling to communicate, this week. George Harris arrived home, Wednesday, after a two years sojourn in the south. S. J. S., if I were you I would bridge that crossing; it is dangerous, especially when you cross it every day. Demo-republico-populo is a name that would fit some of our politicians at present. They are halting between three opinions. The dry weather ravens from all countries are earnestly solicited to come to Nebraska. This is the place for them to find all kinds of things for them to croak about. Some heartless wretch left a broken heart hanging on a gatepost west of here, Sunday evening. It was a candy heart and we suppose it signified broken sweetness. There is too much petty thieving going on in this country. The chicken, lumber, wire, iron and provision thieves ought to be turned over to Uncle Sam for about ten years. Someone asked Uncle Billy Coleman, Saturday, what made him look so melancholy; he said, because he got so many poundings in THE TRIBUNE. We think you ought to let him alone, even if his wife did have to chop the weeds.

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Kind friend, you are mistaken; for we assure you it is no trouble to make poetry, single or double.

The little showers of rain that come occasionally appear to be doing more harm than good and the corn is going fast.

Citizens ought to be allowed to travel the public highways in their business avocations without being insulted by abusive language.

It does not seem at all strange that people do not like to have their faults mentioned in a newspaper. That is making public what everyone would like to keep secret.

The farmers can all hitch up and leave, as far as we are concerned. What is a farmer worth after his crop is gone? And they can take the bugs of all descriptions along.

Your correspondent visited on the upper Driftwood, first of the week, and from McCook to the Stone ranch the best piece of corn we saw was that on James McAdams' place, farmed by Dow Hovey.

We had the pleasure of a delightful ride, one day this week. Whether it was the scenery along the road, the mode of transportation or the company we had, we decline to state.

Yes, there was a howling desert. Where the clouds come night and day. And the farmers smiled a little. For they thought they had come to stay; But the clouds rolled by without any rain. And the farmers were silent and gloomy again.

The thunder roared last Saturday night. And the lightning flashed—one blaze of light; But the rain went—we don't know where—Only we are sure it didn't stop here; We have waited until the clouds rolled by, waited with hope and fear, and now like other croakers we are going away from here.—But not today or tomorrow, because we have to stay here long enough to hear what the other croakers have to say.

**COURT HOUSE NEWS ITEMS.**

Matters of Interest Gleaned from the Several County Offices.

**DISTRICT COURT.**

The following cases have been filed in the district court since last Friday:

Injunction—Franc J. Chandler, administratrix of Ira J. Chandler, vs. The Nebraska Loan and Banking Co. and P. A. Wells, July 28th.

Injunction—George W. Marquardt vs. P. A. Wells and The Nebraska Loan and Banking Co., July 27th.

Orders of sale were ordered issued in the following cases:

Herbert E. Nail vs. Oliver S. VanDoren; John J. Lamborn vs. Julia A. Kanouse; Charles Nash vs. James O. Rorke; John J. Lamborn vs. Lewis F. Fauss; William O. Southwick vs. George W. Wirt; Margaret Baxter vs. William H. Horner.

**COUNTY COURT.**

The following marriage licenses have been issued since last Friday by the county judge:

DeWitt Spencer aged 30 and May L. Spry aged 22. Milton E. Horner aged 53 and Orpha I. Thomas aged 39.

A temporary injunction was granted on Monday evening by the county judge restraining P. A. Wells from performing the duties of manager and treasurer of The Nebraska Loan and Banking Co. Case will come up on next Tuesday.

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