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THE WINNER NAMED

The Republicans of the Twenty-Ninth Senatorial District

NOMINATE ED. N. ALLEN OF ARAPAHOE

For State Senator Without Opposition—National Platform Adopted. Central Committee Selected. It Was Harmonious.

The Republican senatorial convention of the 29th district was held in this city, Monday evening, September 28th, and passed off harmoniously and expeditiously.

In the absence of Chairman T. A. Boyd or Secretary J. H. Christner of the central committee, C. F. Babcock, committeeman for Red Willow county, called the convention to order in the McCook Republican club rooms. He read the call, after which O. E. Reynolds of Hitchcock and A. Wilsey of Frontier were nominated for temporary chairman. On call of roll of counties, Reynolds received 35 votes and Wilsey 18 votes. L. W. Cox of Red Willow and W. B. Whitney of Furnas were nominated for temporary secretary. Cox was chosen by a vote of 28 to 25, on call of counties. On motion Whitney was made assistant without dissent.

A committee of three on credentials was named by the chairman on motion: H. R. Johnson of Gosper, J. W. Dolan of Red Willow, E. J. Harden of Hitchcock.

While the committee was preparing the credentials, J. J. Lamborn of Indianola addressed the convention on repeated calls. He believes in the principles of the Republican party. They are good for all sections and peoples of the country. Referred to the failure of Bryan's tariff doctrines and closed by saying that while Bryan did in 1892 press down a crown of thorns upon the brow of labor, that in 1896 he shall not crucify mankind upon a cross of silver. His remarks elicited much applause.

The committee on credentials reported that there were no contests or irregularities, and the list of delegates reported was unanimously adopted by the convention.

On motion the temporary organization was made permanent.

On motion of C. D. Fuller of Chase the platform of the national Republican convention was adopted as the platform and resolutions of the senatorial convention.

On motion of Fred Boehner of Furnas the convention proceeded to nominate a candidate for state senator by call of counties. D. S. Hasty of Furnas in a stirring speech placed the name of Ed. N. Allen of Arapahoe before the convention, which nomination was seconded by J. S. West of Dundy. There being no other nominations, J. C. Gammill of Frontier moved the nomination of Mr. Allen by acclamation, which carried with a hurrah, and he was so declared.

Mr. Allen spoke briefly, thanking the convention for their compliment and confidence, and promised faithful service if elected. With pride and satisfaction he stood on every plank of the national platform. After referring briefly to the silver question he closed, and the work of the convention continued.

On motion of C. D. Fuller of Chase the nominee was given the privilege of selecting his own chairman and secretary of the central committee.

The following central committeemen were announced by the different delegations:

Chase—C. A. Towell, Chase.
Dundy—J. F. Haskins, Benkelman.
Frontier—David Mayo, Cambridge.
Furnas—C. R. Draper, Edison.
Gosper—H. R. Johnson, Elwood.
Hayes—J. W. Gull, Hayes Center.
Hitchcock—E. J. Harden, Stratton.
Red Willow—J. W. Dolan, Indianola.
On motion, the convention adjourned.
After some consultation with members of the committee and others, Mr. Allen announced the choice of Fred Boehner of Arapahoe as chairman and F. M. Kimmel of McCook as secretary of the central committee.

The convention was harmonious and the feeling was prevalent that a winner had been named for state senator.

Epworth Rally.

Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock a special Epworth League consecration service will be held in the M. E. church, followed in the evening by an old time Epworth Rally. Indianola and Box Elder chapters are expected. Come expecting rousing meetings. The evening topic will be "The Friends of Christ".

McCormell's Balsam cures coughs.

You never heard of such bargains as Knipple is offering in queensware! Less than actual cost!

SECOND ANNIVERSARY RALLY.

Congregational Christian Endeavor Society Appropriately Celebrates.

Last Sunday marked the close of the second year of the history of the Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church of our city, and the commencement of the third year's work. The occasion was considered of sufficient moment to warrant a special service and program, so the regular evening hour of the church was dedicated for that purpose.

Quite an elaborate program of a musical, literary and devotional character was provided, and rendered in a manner that doubtless at the same time entertained and profited those present. The society is growing in membership and widening its sphere of usefulness. May its future be characterized by more earnest devotion and zeal for the glorious work before them, in laboring for "Christ and the church".

Buried in Calvary.

The remains of Mrs. John McCarthy of Eckley, Colorado, who died last Thursday, was shipped here, Saturday evening, for interment. The funeral services were held in St. Patrick's church, Sunday afternoon, Rev. J. W. Hickey officiating, interment following in Calvary cemetery. The deceased was the wife of the Burlington section foreman at that place. She leaves a large family.

THE PEOPLE.

J. E. KELLEY was a political pilgrim to Omaha, Monday night.

C. W. HODGKIN and W. F. Miller of Bartley were delegates to the convention, Monday.

C. D. FULLER, the well known Imperialite, was a delegate to the senatorial convention.

W. C. LATOURETTE arrived home, Sunday night, from his business tour in the east country.

MRS. N. L. CRONKHITE of Hastings was in the city, Monday, looking after her large interests here.

S. L. BURSON, the Maywood banker, was attracted to the city, Sunday night, by the senatorial convention.

L. MORSE, the Dundy county statesman, was a senatorial delegate, Monday. Also J. S. West of Benkelman.

F. M. RATHBUN, J. C. Gammill and other Frontier county politicians participated in the convention, Monday.

MRS. SKINNER and daughter of Trenton were the guests of her brother, County Judge Smith, latter part of last week.

J. W. DOLAN, J. J. Lamborn, E. A. Sexson, Willis Gossard, W. A. McCool and other Indianolaites were here, Monday, as delegates and visitors.

J. C. HARLAN of the Cambridge Kaleidoscope and M. J. Abbott of the Hayes Center Republican were among the delegates to the senatorial convention.

MRS. ALICE SHEPPARD and two boys who have been here from Mt. Airy, Iowa, for a week or two on a visit to her sister, Mrs. T. F. Rowell, left for her home on Tuesday morning.

A. J. VENNUM of Palisade, F. M. Flansburg of Trenton, E. J. Harden of Stratton, J. W. Cole and G. G. Eisenhart of Culbertson, were among the Hitchcock county statesmen with us, Monday.

FRED BOEHNER and D. S. Hasty of Arapahoe, Dr. L. M. Brady of Oxford, W. B. Whitney of Beaver City, A. C. Rankin of Cambridge, were up from Furnas county in Allen's behalf, Monday.

MISS FLO THOMPSON, Miss Maude McMillen, J. N. Purvis and C. T. Watson drove over to Oberlin, Tuesday, to hear ex-Senator J. J. Ingalls, speak. They report a big crowd and lots of enthusiasm,—for Kansas.

DR. PETER BOYLE and Miss Bertha departed, this morning, overland, for their new home in Denver. The Boyles have been among McCook's first settlers and highly esteemed citizens. Miss Bertha has stood high in local musical circles. THE TRIBUNE expresses the hearty sentiment of many warm friends in wishing them contentment and success in the city of the plains.

P. A. WELLS, this week, moved his headquarters to Hastings, from which point he will continue to close up the business of the Nebraska Loan and Banking Co. He expects to make regular office visits here every few weeks in the future. Miss Mary Watson, who has been stenographer in the office, accompanied him to the new headquarters. They will office with Tibbetts, Morey & Tibbetts, the firm of well known lawyers there.

WALKING FOR GOLD

The Epworth League Will Felicitously Combine Business and Pleasure.

REPUBLICAN VETERANS ORGANIZE

To Hear the Generals Speak at Hastings—Superintendent Carnahan Suggests a Holiday.

Last Friday, two female pedestrians, Mrs. H. Estby and daughter Clara, arrived in the city, on their way from Spokane to New York city, for a wager of \$10,000. They started May 5th and had covered about 2,250 miles upon their arrival here. They still have about 1,600 miles to cover between now and the latter part of November to win the money, which they have every confidence of being able to do. The longest distance they have walked in any one day is 37 miles, the daily average about 25 miles. To win they have figured it out that they must make a fraction over 22 miles a day between here and New York city. They started from Spokane with \$10, and are earning their way. The mother is about 40 years old, the daughter about 18 years. They claim not to have ridden a mile since starting on their journey.

Business and Pleasure.

Business meeting of Epworth League at M. E. church next Tuesday evening, October 6th, will convene at 7:30 and close at 8:15, after which the following program will be rendered, to which we invite all who wish to spend a pleasant hour with the Epworthians. No charge. Song..... League Instrumental Solo..... May Stangeland Reading..... Blanche Starr Vocal Solo..... Bert Beyer Paper..... L. E. Cann Reading..... Edna Dixon Duet..... Blanche and Ida McCarl Selection..... Mrs. A. P. Welles Vocal Solo..... Knud Stangeland Paper..... E. L. Rohlf Solo..... Mrs. Frank Brown

Veterans' Republican Club.

A Republican club of union veterans and sons of veterans was organized here, close of last week, with a membership of about sixty. J. M. Bell is president; B. F. Olcott, vice president; H. H. Berry, secretary; V. Franklin, treasurer. Regular meetings are held in the Republican club room, at two o'clock every Saturday afternoon. The organization was addressed by President Bell, last Saturday. On account of the speaking in the opera hall, tomorrow afternoon, by J. L. Caldwell, there will not be any address tomorrow.

To Hear the Generals.

Quite a large delegation of McCook people went down to Hastings, Tuesday, to hear the generals. They report a monstrosity demonstration and some splendid speaking. Among those who attended the rally from here were: J. A. Wilcox, B. F. Olcott, James Doye, Stephen Bolles, V. Franklin, J. A. Brinton, Henry Walker, Ed. Harris, J. S. Brittain, Samuel Rogers, W. F. Everist, Michael O'Leary, William Augustine, W. M. Irwin, T. J. Pate. Congressman Andrews also spoke and received an enthusiastic ovation.

To School Boards.

The Trustees of Red Willow county Agricultural Society have consented to admit to the Fair for ten cents, school children under 16 years of age, on Thursday and Friday, October 8th and 9th.

I will suggest that the schools be closed on Friday and the pupils be encouraged to attend our county fair.

L. A. CARNAHAN, Co. Supt.

A County Rally.

Preparations are now making for a Republican county rally at Indianola on next Thursday, October 8th. There will be speeches and a torchlight procession, in which the Republicans of McCook, Bartley and Indianola will unite. It will be one of the greatest rallies of the campaign.

F. P. Olmstead To Speak.

F. P. Olmstead of Hastings will speak in the city tonight. He will entertain and instruct all who may hear him with good Republican doctrine. There will be a torchlight procession. Come out and see a rousing demonstration.

S. M. Cochran carry in stock the German, Riverside, Antique and Royal Oak heating stoves—nothing better in the market. The prices are right.

THE TRIBUNE wants correspondence from every precinct and town in Red Willow county. Terms readily given on request.

McCormell's Balsam cures coughs.

ENGINEER McCHESNEY DEAD.

He Died With a Hemorrhage, Last Evening, in This City.

Mr. Joseph A. McChesney died at his home on Elmira street, about nine o'clock, Sunday evening, at the age of forty-six years.

He had been sick with lung trouble for some time, but was so much improved, Saturday, that he was down town. A relapse came and he was taken with severe hemorrhage, yesterday, and passed away, last evening.

The deceased leaves a wife and three children to mourn his demise; the entire community sympathize with them.

Mr. McChesney was a valued employee of the Lehigh Valley company, holding the important position of engineer on the Black Diamond express. He was recognized as one of the best runners on the road. He was a man of jovial spirits, and had a large circle of friends and associates, who will sincerely regret his death.

The funeral services were held at the Catholic church of this place, this morning at nine o'clock. Father Sandaal officiating.

It is very evident that Engineer McChesney was held in very high regard by the officials of the company. The funeral was well attended.—The Athens (Pa.) News, Wednesday, Sept. 23.

See W. O. Norval for nursery stock.

THE CHURCHES.

CATHOLIC—Mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass and sermon at 10:30, a. m., with choir. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. All are cordially welcome.

REV. J. W. HICKEY, Pastor.

BAPTIST—Regular services in McConnell's hall. Bible school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 7 p. m., concluded with a short sermon by the pastor.

G. P. FUSON, Pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL—Morning theme—"Opportunity and Improvement". Evening topic—"How to Overcome". Sunday school at ten o'clock. Endeavor society at seven o'clock, Lydia Brinton, leader. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at eight o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

HART L. PRESTON, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN—Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at three o'clock in the German Congregational church. We have no pastor at present, but the disciples will continue to break bread, each Lord's day after Sunday school. Endeavor society on Tuesday evening of each week at 8 o'clock. You are cordially invited to attend these services.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

COURT HOUSE NEWS ITEMS.

Matters of Interest Gleaned from the Several County Offices.

DISTRICT COURT.

The Sandwich Enterprise Co. filed an attachment suit against A. V. Olmstead on the 30th.

Clerk of the District Court G. C. Boatman, S. R. Smith and A. W. Hoyt, as a board of insanity sat on the case of Joseph Lute, Wednesday, and found him insane and a fit subject for the asylum.

Henry Lenhart, a subject of Russia, Henry V. Vege, a German, John Beck, an Austrian, and John Brenning, formerly a subject of the Czar, have declared their intentions to become citizens of the United States.

COUNTY COURT.

License was issued to George E. Russell and Myrtle M. Doyle, both of Cherry county, to wed.

The replevin suit of C. B. King against Christian Woehrner, to recover a gun, was finally compromised and dismissed, King paying the costs.

J. S. Mahanna has commenced a suit against American Franklin Lightning Rod Co. and A. H. Williams, agent, to recover the sum of \$250. An attachment has been issued in this same case.

MANY WERE IN ATTENDANCE

At the Public Entertainment of the Star of Jupiter.

McCormell hall was fairly packed, Monday evening, by an eager audience, to hear the public entertainment arranged for by the committee of McCook lodge No. 1, Star of Jupiter. Although the program was shortened and somewhat weakened by the failure of a number of performers to be on hand and respond for various reasons, yet the entertainment was excellent and received merited approbation. The program was as follows: Lady Chorus—"Sweet Summer's Gone Away" Declaration..... Frank Colfer Banjo Duet..... J. F. Forbes, Louis Probst Duet..... Mrs. J. E. Robinson, E. E. McGee Recitation..... Minnie Rowell Declaration..... Ethel Barnett Organ Solo—"Last Kiss"..... Prof. George Leach Select Reading..... William Valentine Solo—"Little Mountain Lad"..... Stella Norval

A Rousing Republican Rally.

A. F. Moore addressed the Republican club rally, last night. Arrangements were perfected for the torchlight procession and speech tonight.

GLOBE TROTTERS

The Coming Entertainment by the Ladies of the Dorcas Society.

ENTERPRISE OUTFIT GOES TO LINCOLN

Hot Lead in His Eye—The Early Bird Gets the Worm—Another Straw Vote—And a Few School Items.

Baron Addo von Sack-Mitzlaff and Baron Friedrich von Levitzow, of Berlin, Germany, globe trotters, arrived in the city, Saturday morning, remaining at the Commercial house until Monday morning, when they continued their journey toward San Francisco. They claim to be traveling under permit from Emperor William, in whose army service they claim to be lieutenants.

"The Carnival of Days".

The ladies of the Dorcas society of the Congregational church will have their entertainment, "The Carnival of Days", November 12th and 13th. The ladies are working very energetically to make this affair a success, and hope the public will reserve a liberal patronage for them.

Election Day Dinner.

The lady trustees of Longview cemetery will give a dinner, election day, at some convenient point down in the business part of the city, for the benefit of the city, for the benefit of the cemetery fund.

A Straw Vote.

No. 2 was polled, Tuesday morning. McKinley got 243 votes, Bryan 25. Out of 60 soldier on the train 57 were for the apostle of protection and the advance agent of prosperity, while Bryan received but 3 old soldier votes.

Enterprise Outfit Goes to Lincoln.

Bion Cole, representing the Lincoln Newspaper Union, spent a few days in the city, this week, preparing the old Enterprise outfit for shipment to Lincoln, which was done, the latter part of the week.

Saturday, October 3d.

Mrs. M. E. Barger will have her patterns on display, October 3d, and will be pleased to show her new styles in millinery, both afternoon and evening. Ladies from adjoining towns especially invited.

Princess Bonnie.

Dr. E. H. Waters will be musical director and J. F. Forbes, stage manager of the "Princess Bonnie" opera to be given about the middle of November for the benefit of cemetery improvement fund.

At Everist School House.

H. H. Berry spoke in the Everist school house, Wednesday evening. Wm. Valentine and a male quartette from the city accompanied him. The professor spoke briefly.

The Palace Hotel.

The Palace hotel is the name selected by Robert Byers for his hotel, to be run in connection with the Burlington dining hall, and which will be ready for business soon.

Hot Lead in His Eye.

Scott Doan is carrying one of his eyes in a sling. Some hot lead flew into the injured optic. It is thought the eye will be all right in due time.

The Early Bird.

It's the early bird that gets the worm. And by the same token, it's the early hunter that gets the quail. Results after October 1st will be largely exercise.

Notwithstanding the hard times, S. M. Cochran & Co. are keeping a complete line of general hardware. See them before buying.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Charlie Travers of the 10th grade withdrew from school last Monday.

Thursday next will be holiday for the children to attend the county fair.

Erwin Hopt of the class of '96 is assisting Miss Dye with the 7th and 8th grades.

There was a very large attendance, last Friday evening, at the lantern class, the program rendered being excellent.

Owing to the great number of wasps that have congregated in the laboratory, that place was fumigated, Wednesday, to destroy the disagreeable creatures.

MISS MAUDE GRAY left for Chicago, yesterday morning, to take a position in a large store.

COUNTY TREASURER MESERVE, Populist nominee for state treasurer, came in home, last night, for a brief respite from the campaign work.

WM. HAWLEY SMITH'S LECTURE.

It Was Greatly Enjoyed by an Appreciative Audience.

Though but briefly advertised, a fair sized audience greeted William Hawley Smith in the Menard opera hall, last Saturday evening, to hear his popular lecture on "What to Read and How to Read it". The gentleman is a lecturer and reader who has few, if any, superiors in this country, and it is putting it mildly to say that he entertained, instructed and delighted all. He read for the most part from James Whitcomb Riley's writings, (which he regards as preeminently worth while), and gave his hearers a most felicitous taste of that prince of dialect writers. Mr. Smith is a thoughtful, forceful man and drops many gems of good, sensible advice, all along through his entertainment, which is also replete, brim-full and running over with humor that is not of an offensive sort, and has an admixture of wholesome philosophy as well.

A warm welcome awaits him should he ever come this way again. He is worth while, and then some.

Caldwell Speaks Tomorrow.

James L. Caldwell will speak in the opera house tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. If you want to hear the issues of the day discussed with ability from the Republican standpoint, go to hear him.

FOR A CENT.

Nebraska.

I love her vales when spring's unsandaled feet Trip o'er the sod, her apron full of flowers; Her breath with balmy odors, soft and sweet, Her bubbling laughter dropping down in showers.

I love her slopes with pickets clad in gold, Outdoors of her armies sheathed in green, Her fields of grain like silver billows rolled, Her roses wild, that fringe the lanes between.

I love her when she dons her gorgeous gown, It's amber satin folds with ruby lined; Her mantle with its overwork of brown— Some sweeter charm in ev'ry change I find. And, oh, when veiled in white like some fair bride Her jewels sparkling on her rounded breast No other land 'neath heaven's blue vault and wide Can vie with her—the glory of the west!

—Isabel Kichey.

McCormell's Balsam cures coughs.

A \$10 hanging lamp for \$5.50 at Knipple's.

County fair, next week, October 6, 7, 8 and 9. Don't miss it.

Lantern class tonight at eight o'clock. Pictures, music, reading.

New goods at The Famous. See their new advertisement, this week.

Attend Olmstead's financial school in the Republican club rooms, this evening.

Daily newspaper thieves are getting in their contentible work. Quite numerous complaints.

See change of advertisement by C. L. DeGroof & Co., this week. Special cloak sale, October 9th and 10th.

It is announced that W. S. Summers will deliver a Republican speech in our city on the 12th of the month.

C. Armstrong, Jr., has moved all his goods and furnishings from his late Workmen temple store room.

Notwithstanding the hard times, S. M. Cochran & Co. are keeping a complete line of general hardware. See them before buying.

The A. P. A. and W. A. P. A. held a joint meeting for members only, last Saturday night, as exclusively announced in their local organ.

The Epworth League will give a musical on October 13th. A splendid program will be rendered. Look for full announcement next week.

S. M. Cochran carry in stock the German, Riverside, Antique and Royal Oak heating stoves—nothing better in the market. The prices are right.

If you neglect to file the proper affidavit of the nomination of your precinct ticket, don't blame anybody but yourselves. It must be filed with the county clerk twenty days before election. See that it is filed in time.

The Chicago Festival Orchestra passed through McCook, Monday morning about eleven o'clock, bound for Denver, in a special train of one coach and one baggage car. The special was taken from here on through to Denver and the crew was composed of Conductor Solli-day, Brakemen Beyer and Sharp, Engineer Dulaney and Fireman Kingsbury. The orchestra is composed of Germans, and is one of the finest in America.