



Republican State Ticket.

Governor... M. L. HAYWARD, Nebraska City
Lieut. Governor... GEO. A. MURPHY, Beatrice
Secretary of State... C. DURAS, Wilbur
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Treasurer... PETER MORTENSEN, Ord
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Attorney General... N. D. JACKSON, Neligh
Land Com'r... A. F. WILLIAMS, Elk City

"THERE is nothing in this election that will be as satisfactory to Indianola people as the election of W. R. Starr, which now looks to be an accomplished fact," says the Reporter. It will be O. K. for us, colonel.

THE Indianola Reporter wants to know "what it has to do with the election of a United States senator where the candidate lives or who secured his nomination?" Absolutely nothing, Colonel Phillips. And all Republicans can and should unite on this proposition and vote for Hathorn.

THE splendid personality of M. L. Hayward, the Republican nominee for governor, stands out in most attractive and pleasing prominence in this campaign. Large in soul and heart as well as in physique, with a fair and manly record in the past, and great promise for the future, he would make a typical governor.

THE Bartley Inter-Ocean conservatively and modestly offers the following: "Dr. Hathorn is so well and favorably known in this part of the county as an upright, intelligent citizen, that he is likely to receive a large vote at the coming election; and if elected, he will be a faithful, working representative, who will carefully look after the interests of his constituents and state."

THERE are some people who are so small, contracted and hide-bound that they are afraid to expand; and there are some other people who are too mean and selfish to want to give others the chance and rights and liberties of American citizenship. Both are against the policy of President McKinley in the present emergency. But thank the Lord, the number is not alarmingly large.

A VOTE for Sutherland is a disapproval of what President McKinley has done and what he must do to settle the after-war questions. If elected, Sutherland would, as before, antagonize McKinley, and every measure which that great statesman sees will bring honor to the United States. Vote for Captain Adams and thus help vindicate the great American nation by sending a man to congress who is in harmony with the policy of the administration.—Curtis Courier.

THE Indianola Reporter feels free and frank to say that S. R. Smith "is no more an Indianola man than Starr. All his property interests are in and around McCook, and we expect to see him shake the dust off of his feet, one day, and make his home among the Philistines; and the chances are that he will be the most pronounced Philistine of the whole lot." So this removes the sole and only prop from under Samuel Randolph, and leaves the way open for a perfect landslide to Starr.

Advertisement for ROYAL BAKING POWDER. Text: "Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious." Includes an image of a tin of Royal Baking Powder.

VOTE FOR PROSPERITY.

No man of candor and honesty will deny that the United States is very much more prosperous now than it was two years ago. The evidence of this is overwhelming. It is furnished in the activity of nearly all industries, in the unprecedented proportions of domestic and foreign commerce, in the earnings of the railroads, in the increased deposits of savings banks, in the liquidation of debts and in the larger currency circulation. The statistics which prove these facts show that the American people as a whole were never so prosperous as now in all their history, and the outlook for the future, in the opinion of men whose judgment in such a matter is entitled to the highest consideration, is most favorable.

It is not necessary to discuss the causes of this fortunate condition. It is sufficient to know that it exists and to inquire as to what is essential to its continuance. The most essential thing is the maintenance of a sound currency, for which the election of a Republican congress will give the best assurance. It is hardly less important now than it was two years ago that the cause of sound money shall be sustained. If this is not done there is nothing more certain than that the effect will be damaging to nearly all interests and that consequently a check would be given to our progress toward greater prosperity. The election of a Democratic house of representatives would be so distinct a menace to the maintenance of a sound currency that it could not fail to weaken financial confidence. Capital would again become timid and distrustful—it would be disposed to wait for future developments—and prosperity is not attainable with capital in that condition.

A vote for a Republican congressional candidate is a vote for prosperity. The election of a Republican house will give assurance that the policies which have made prosperity will be maintained and if necessary strengthened. The election of a Democratic house will mean war on these policies with a more or less hurtful effect. Vote for prosperity.—Omaha Bee.

COLONELS RUNDUS and Mitchell are doing over-time in their efforts to outdo the copperhead sheets of the rebellion. The former deserves a court martial, if mentally responsible; and a change of wet nurses might improve the latter.

BUT one thing remains, and that is to get out the vote on election day. There is enough Republican sentiment and there are enough Republican votes in this county to win out a decisive victory, next Tuesday, if the voters take enough interest in the important matters involved in this election to go to the polls and cast their ballots. This is not only a duty but a great privilege and no American citizen should fail in the performance. The Republican platform is all right and the candidates are all right. The condition of the country would indicate that Providence, Prosperity and the Republican party have gone into a close corporation for the good of America, and the voters of the county should do their part in maintaining in office the Republican party, to which much of the splendid conditions are due.

A GRAND ISLAND comrade writes: "Hon. C. E. Adams, the Republican candidate for congress in this district, has labored in the interest of the old soldiers for the last thirty years, and the number he has assisted in securing their just rights is legion. When department commander of the state he issued a circular letter to all the posts in the department offering his services to all those who desired assistance in securing their pensions. This shows that go which way the election may in this district, the old soldiers are going to have a friend at court. It also shows that it is not necessary for a republican comrade to sacrifice his political principles fearing that his pension rights will not be looked after. Mr. Adams is one of us. He is touched with a feeling of our infirmities. He has drunk from the same canteen. Of course being all that, he might not take an active interest in the boys' claims. But his record as above stated is evidence that he will."

VOTE for Starr for county attorney, and thus help to place in office a thoroughly experienced and capable man.

ENDORSE the administration by voting for Adams, Allen and Hathorn. They are all worthy and able men and believe that President McKinley should be upheld in the present crisis.

DON'T neglect going to the polls on election day and putting an X after the name of E. N. Allen, candidate for state senator. See that your neighbor goes also. Every voter should show his colors, this year.

DR. J. E. HATHORN of Bartley, the Republican nominee for representative, is in the city, today, in the interest of his candidacy. The doctor is feeling confident of a favorable decision at the polls, next Tuesday. The strength of the doctor's claims to success and a comfortable majority are undeniable and admitted. All of his friends should be at the polls, Tuesday.

THIS county ought to give Captain Adams a majority on election day. If we are patriotic Adams county citizens we can afford to vote for our distinguished namesake. He is with the national administration. His name would appear high on the roll call and the man behind the name will fully merit any consideration. A man who has lived in this congressional district for a quarter of a century comes nearest knowing what the district best needs.—Hastings Record.

A VOTE for Hayward will be a vote for one of the strongest men in the state that ever aspired to the office of governor. He is a representative man, whose record is clean and whose acts have been high and honorable in every walk and situation of life. The Republicans of Nebraska made a big advance when they placed a man of his standing and ability at the head of their ticket, thus elevating that office above the petty things of political life and placing it upon high and dignified grounds.

DR. J. E. HATHORN of Bartley, the Republican nominee for representative for this county, on the grounds of merit and ability deserves a decisive majority of the people of this county. And then on the higher grounds of patriotism he should be elected to represent this county in the next legislature. In this way Red Willow county can express her sympathy for President McKinley by electing a man who will vote for a senator who will uphold the hands of the president in the settlement of the issues naturally growing out of the late war. Vote for Hathorn!

IT is a sad reflection on this day and generation when it becomes necessary for the success of so noble an enterprise as was the Omaha exposition to tack on such a rotten incubus as the "Midway." For rotten and vicious and corrupt it was to the core. Immoral and criminal it attracted many a weak and foolish man and woman and child to ruin and disaster. The entertainment and educational excuse for its existence but thinly covered a lustful, criminal depravity that was more damnable than elevating, educational or entertaining. With but few exceptions the whole atmosphere of the "Midway" was disgusting and degrading and a blot upon the fair name and fame of the Omaha exposition.

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Mrs. A. Dietsch is suffering from an attack of typhoid fever.

F. Huntwork and C. H. Liston each received a car of lumber, this week.

J. W. Stewart has again moved on to the Walsworth ranch, south of town.

The exposition is over and some are sorry they waited for a two-dollar rate.

J. E. Hathorn went in to Lincoln, the first of the week, on a short business visit.

Peter Krieger made a business trip to McCook, Tuesday afternoon, returning on No. 4.

W. W. Bush has moved west of the creek into the house formerly occupied by C. W. Keys.

J. C. Gammill of Stockville went to Denver, Tuesday, with a car of porkers for J. R. Sipe.

D. J. Fletcher and Horace Ivey made a flying trip to Indianola, Tuesday evening, returning on No. 4.

Since Monday night, Lem Hickman knows all about developing omelets with celerity and on short notice.

Guy Curlee has severed his connection with the Barnett Lumber Company and is resting up at home with the old folks.

Jas. A. Finnegan made a business trip to McCook, Tuesday. He was looking for employment in the B. & M. shops.

The elevators have stopped buying grain on account of the scarcity of cars. Heavy coal traffic is the cause ascribed.

Mrs. A. H. Milsap, who is visiting relatives and friends here, expects to leave in about ten days for her home, Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Reed of Stockville returned from their wedding tour, Monday, and completed the trip to their future home via the Sibbett stage line.

W. E. Rollings is expected home from Omaha soon with a carload of furniture and one of the mammoth buildings—Bee or New York Life—for use as an implement store.

A pile of slack coal at the lumber yard was discovered to be on fire, Monday morning, but prompt efforts by Manager Keys and Guy Curlee probably averted a disastrous fire.

Mrs. Wm. Smith's sister, Mrs. King, who has been making her short visit, will leave for her home, Cleveland, O., this (Friday) evening. Miss King will spend the winter here with her uncle and aunt.

The usual amount of business was transacted Halloween night. The city water works were drained to the last drop to satisfy the fancies of the mischievous spirits and numerous property transfers were recorded. The fact that the elite set was indulging in a tally-ho party aroused the green-eyed monster in the breasts of some of those who traveled on foot, and developed unseemly activity in the egg business. Some members of the tally-ho band were long on receipts, the goods being delivered in such a manner that they could not readily dispose of them, and they are still overstocked with the ancient production.

J. F. Helm is threshing, this week.

T. J. Ruggles has been having a spell of grip.

John Kummer lost a valuable horse, last week.

Mollie McKey has quit school to go and cook for her father while he digs his potatoes on the farm near McCook.

Charles Byfield visited at home, Saturday and Sunday. He had been too ill to teach the past week and still had his throat wrapped up.

The Christian church was well filled with enthusiastic Endeavorers, who held their annual meeting there, last Sunday. We did not learn the names of the newly elected district officers. A Christian Endeavor convention is generally interesting, and the convention held on the Willow lacked no interesting feature.

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