

The McCook Tribune.

By F. M. KIMMELL.

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Republican National Ticket.

For President,—
WILLIAM MCKINLEY of Ohio.
For Vice-President,—
THEODORE ROOSEVELT, of New York.

Republican State Ticket.

For Governor—
C. H. DIETRICH of Adams.
For Lieutenant Governor—
E. A. SAVAGE of Custer.
For Secretary of State—
GEORGE W. MARSH of Richardson.
For Treasurer—
WILLIAM STUEFFER of Cuming.
For Auditor—
CHARLES WESTON of Sheridan.
For Attorney General—
FRANK N. PROUT of Gage.
For Land Commissioner—
GEORGE D. FULLMER of Nuckolls.
For Superintendent of Schools—
W. K. FOWLER of Washington.

Congressional Ticket.

For Congressman—
W. S. MORLAN of Red Willow.

Progress and Prosperity.

Farmer Morlan's candidacy for congress in the Fifth district is progressing very satisfactorily, albeit with little of the brass-band or fire-works element in it. In fact, the deacon is of such warp and woof, such fiber, as one of the plain, common people that Mr. Bryan used to dwell so lovingly upon, that any other sort of campaign would be out of harmony with the man and the people he will faithfully and efficiently and loyally represent in the next session of the national legislature. During the twenty or more years that Farmer Morlan has lived and labored in this district he has built up for himself among the people of all classes, (and he has come in practical touch with all), a fair fabric of sterling honesty of character and purpose, a splendid record for indefatigable labor, for doing things, which, at this time, backed and supported by the thoroughly American principles and platform upon which he squarely stands, are drawing to the support of his candidacy for congressman, from all parties, the elements and voters which cannot fail of insuring his successful election in November.

Mr. Morlan's acknowledged brain and brawn, his practical directness, his utter disregard of the shams and petty arts of the political demagoguery of the day, his deep sympathy with the real needs of the real people and his eminent ability to accomplish results along the line of the common good, make him an ideal candidate for the votes of the farmers, stockmen, businessmen and people generally who make up the hardy, sturdy, self-reliant population of the "Big Fifth" district.

And not only have the Republicans named a candidate who highly commends himself to the solid and dependable people of the district, but they have placed their nominee upon a platform which supports and encourages the splendid policy of President McKinley, who is a valiant and loyal and winning supporter of the dual idea of "prosperity at home and prestige abroad." A vote for Morlan is a vote for a continuance of progress and prosperity.

In the Fifth District.

Nebraska Populists will hardly contemplate with satisfaction the situation in the Fifth district, in which the present Populist congressman has been turned down for renomination in order to make place for a Democrat.

The policy of the Democratic branch of the Fusion alliance to monopolize so far as possible the places on the congressional delegation, in order to crowd the Populist party out of the field as a national organization, has been evidenced for some time. The first step in accomplishing this result was taken when Congressman Maxwell was squeezed out by a deal that substituted a Democrat on the ticket in his stead. When the time arrives for the absorption of the Populists by the Democrats the Bryanite insists upon having men in positions that can be depended upon to go the full length, rather than to stand by the guns of Populist principle or go back to the ranks of the Republican party.

A year ago a declaration was made in writing by the Democratic nominee for congress in the Sixth district, just after he had been persuaded by Mr. Bryan to retire in favor of a competitor with Populist name, but Democratic antecedents, that after the year 1900 there would be no more Fusion and that the leaders of the Democratic party would be in control when Fusion was ended. That the programme mapped out by the Democratic managers is being executed is plainly visible in the result in the Fifth district, where Congressman Sutherland has been humiliated in spite of his faithful adherence to the Bryan cause.

When the programme is completely carried out the Populist representatives in the national legislature will be a thing of the past, and that at no distant day.—Omaha Bee.

It cannot be denied that even W. J. Bryan has prospered during President McKinley's administration.

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Republican Senatorial Convention.

The Republican electors of the Twenty-Ninth Senatorial district are requested to send delegates from their respective counties to meet in convention in the city of McCook, Nebraska, Thursday, September 13, 1900, at 8 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the office of state senator and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The several counties are entitled to representation as follows:

Chase.....	4	Dundy.....	4
Frontier.....	10	Furnas.....	14
Gosper.....	5	Hayes.....	4
Hitchcock.....	5	Red Willow.....	11

The apportionment being based on the vote cast for Hon. M. B. Reese for supreme judge in 1899, giving each county one delegate at large and one delegate for each 100 votes and major fraction thereof.

It is recommended that no proxies be admitted to the convention, but that the delegates present be authorized to cast the full vote of the county they represent.

McCook, Nebraska, August 15th, 1900.

F. M. KIMMELL, Secretary.

LITTLE by little the mask is being drawn aside, and the Democratic purpose in Nebraska to absorb the Populist party in Nebraska is becoming more and more evident. One of the cleverest moves in this well-laid general plan was the capture of the Populist congressional nomination by the Democratic banker of Alma. But the capture of the Populist votes of the Fifth district will be another and more difficult proposition.

THE posters entitled "Uncle Sam's Balance Sheet" and "That Terrible Eclipse," published by The American Protective Tariff League, are perhaps the most striking illustrations of the difference in conditions between 1896 and 1900, which have been issued thus far in the campaign. These posters can be seen in the rooms of any local Republican committee, or will be sent to any address for eight cents. Ask for posters "G" and "H." Address, American Protective Tariff League, 135 West 23d street, New York.

"Home Visitors" Excursions.

Nebraskans can go east very cheaply, September 10th and 26th.

On these dates the Burlington Route will sell tickets to all points in Iowa, Wisconsin and Northern Peninsula of Michigan at rate of one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip.

Same low rate will apply to points in Southern Minnesota, Northern Missouri and Central and Western Illinois.

Tickets will be good to return any time within 30 days from date of issue.

For further information consult nearest ticket agent, or write to J. Francis, G. P. A., Omaha, Neb.—8-24-51s.

One Chance Yet

To realize something from your corn crop. Buy a Deering corn harvester and bind your corn fodder—good, clean, bound fodder will make you from \$3 to \$5 per acre. S. M. Cochran & Co., sell them.

ETHEL AND JESSIE POPE went down to Lincoln, Wednesday.

I. M. SMITH attended the log-rolling at Cambridge, Wednesday.

MR. J. J. CURRAN was a Denver visitor, last Thursday and Friday.

C. C. NORTHRUP returned home on Wednesday night from his trip east.

ED JORDAN went down to Grand Island, last night, to take in the street fair.

Tribune Clubbing List.

For convenience of readers of THE TRIBUNE, we have made arrangements with the following newspapers and periodicals whereby we can supply them in combination with THE TRIBUNE at the following very low prices:

PUBLICATION.	PRICE.	WITH TRIBUNE.
Detroit Free Press.....	\$1.00	\$1.50
Leslie's Weekly.....	400	3.00
Prairie Farmer.....	400	1.75
Chicago Inter-Ocean.....	100	1.35
Cincinnati Enquirer.....	100	1.50
New-York Tribune.....	100	1.25
Demorest's Magazine.....	100	1.75
Toledo Blade.....	100	1.25
Nebraska Farmer.....	100	1.50
Iowa Homestead.....	100	1.75
Lincoln Journal.....	100	1.25
Campbell's Soil-Culture.....	100	1.50
New-York World.....	100	1.65
Omaha Bee.....	100	1.50
Cosmopolitan Magazine.....	100	1.80
St. Louis Republic.....	100	1.75
Kansas City Star.....	25	1.15
Nebraska Dairyman and Up-to-Date Farmer.....	50	1.25
Kansas City Journal, weekly.....	25	1.15
Kansas City Journal, daily.....	400	4.20

We are prepared to fill orders for any other papers published, at reduced rates.

THE TRIBUNE, McCook, Neb.

Republican County Convention.

The Republican electors of Red Willow county, Nebraska, are hereby requested to send delegates from their respective precincts to meet in convention in the city of McCook, Nebraska, on Thursday, September 20th, 1900, at two o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for representative of the 65th district, county attorney and commissioner of the 2d district.

The several precincts of the county are entitled to the following representation, the apportionment being based upon the vote cast for the Hon. George W. Norris for judge of the district court in 1899, giving each precinct two delegates at large and one for each fifteen votes or fraction thereof, to-wit:

Alliance.....	5	Lebanon.....	8
Beaver.....	6	Missouri Ridge.....	4
Bondville.....	4	North Valley.....	4
Box Elder.....	5	Perry.....	4
Coleman.....	4	Red Willow.....	6
Danbury.....	5	Tyrone.....	4
Driftwood.....	5	Valley Grange.....	5
East Valley.....	5	Willow Grove.....	
Fritch.....	4	1st pre, 1st ward.....	12
Gerver.....	4	2d pre, 1st ward.....	9
Grant.....	4	1st pre, 2d ward.....	8
Indianola.....	9	2d pre, 2d ward.....	7

It is recommended that no proxies be admitted to the convention, and that primaries be held in the various precincts on Saturday, September 15th.

C. F. BARCOCK, Chairman.

Precinct Primaries.

REDWILLOW.

A meeting of the Republican electors of Redwillow precinct is hereby called at the Indianola school-house, Saturday, September 15th, at four o'clock, for the purpose of electing six delegates to the Republican county convention to be held in McCook, Thursday, September 20th, 1900.

WILL B. SEXTON, Committeeman.

VALLEY GRANGE.

A primary election for the Republicans of Valley Grange precinct will be held in the Pickens school-house on Wednesday afternoon, September 19th, at three o'clock, for the purpose of selecting five delegates to the county convention to be held in McCook on September 20th, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the caucus.

A. D. JOHNSTON, Committeeman.

GERVER PRECINCT.

A meeting of the Republican electors of Gerver precinct is hereby called at the Pleasant Prairie school-house, Saturday, September 15th, at seven o'clock, for the purpose of electing four delegates to the Republican county convention to be held in McCook, Thursday, September 20th, 1900.

N. J. JOHNSON, Acting Committeeman.

DRIFTWOOD PRECINCT.

A primary election for the Republicans of Driftwood precinct will be held in the Frederick school-house, Saturday, September 15th, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of selecting four delegates to the Republican county convention to be held in McCook, Thursday, September 20th, 1900.

C. T. ELLER, Committeeman.

Willow Grove Primaries.

FIRST PRECINCT—FIRST WARD.

Primary election for this voting precinct will be held in the Commercial hotel sample-room, Saturday evening, September 15th, 1900, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing twelve delegates to the county convention, September 20th.

A. BARNETT, Committeeman.

SECOND PRECINCT—FIRST WARD.

Primary election for this voting precinct will be held in C. F. Babcock's office, Saturday evening, September 15th, 1900, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing nine delegates to the county convention, September 20th.

C. B. GRAY, Committeeman.

FIRST PRECINCT—SECOND WARD.

Primary election for this voting precinct will be held in the city hall, Saturday evening, September 15th, 1900, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing eight delegates to the county convention, September 20th.

F. M. RATHBUN, Committeeman.

SECOND PRECINCT—SECOND WARD.

Primary election for this voting precinct will be held in H. H. Berry's office, Saturday evening, September 15th, 1900, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing seven delegates to the county convention, September 20th.

R. B. CARLTON, Committeeman.

McCook Markets.

Corrected Friday morning.

Corn.....	40
Wheat.....	50
Oats.....	40
Rye.....	32
Hogs.....	4.60
Eggs.....	10
Butter.....	15
New Potatoes.....	40
Butter fat—at Creamery.....	14

The "Little Hoosier" five-hole drill is the machine with which to put your fall wheat in the stalks—where it does the best. Cochran & Co., of course.

Too Much Bait For His Fish.

They were passing a good story at the courthouse yesterday afternoon concerning a young lawyer who was admitted to practice a short time ago and recently hung out his shingle. His office isn't a very pretentious affair, but he didn't think it necessary to apologize to his friends for his little eight by ten, with several feet partitioned off for the use of his "clerk." The other day lightning struck, and the door opened slowly, while a voice charged with a strong Irish accent asked if the lawyer was in.

"James," said the rising disciple of Blackstone, getting up from a couch at the time, "I wish you'd step around to the First National bank and tell them that the amount of that draft isn't quite right. It should be \$1,575, instead of \$1,525, and before you return drop into Mr. John's office and tell him I've collected that \$3,500 claim for him. While you're there, step across the hall and inform Mr. Fogoball that unless that note for \$10,000 is paid in the morning I shall begin foreclosure proceedings. Don't lose any time, as I've a great deal of work for you this morning."

"Be hivins!" gasped the client prospective, who had progressed as far as the doorway into the inner office. "this be's no place for me wid er two dollar fifty cent claim ter k'lect." And he departed.—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

Things They Did In 1700.

An advertisement in a facsimile issue of a Maryland paper in 1773 shows that the housewives of that day used cooking utensils of a kind that only a favored few can afford to use now. A coppersmith "from Lancaster" living "Baltimore-Town" advertised copper fish and wash kettles, copper and brass brewing kettles, saucepans, coffee and chocolate pots, stewpans and Dutch ovens.

There was plenty of help in the household then with the slaves. Several advertisements refer to them. In one a "Commission and Insurance Broker" "Gratefully acknowledges the favors of his friends, and hopes for a continuance of their correspondence."—He has now for sale, a Pocket of good HOPS, a 10 inch new CABLE—and wants to buy a NEGRO GIRL, about 12 years old.

Women were in certain kinds of business at that time, for a firm of "tailors" advertised their business as two doors from Mrs. Chilton's tavern.

People liked to hear a little gossip in those days also, as now, and what may be called a society note follows the notice of a wedding and informs the public that "By a late marriage in St. Mary's the Lady is become Sister-in-law to her own mother and the Gentleman Son-in-law to his Sister-in-law."

A Broken Shoestring.

"There goes a man who may wish before long that he had a good, sound shoestring in his shoe," remarked a man to a friend as a rather slipshod individual passed them on the street. The man referred to had a broken shoestring in one of his shoes, and the other had been spliced in several places.

"I am not talking from the point of view of neatness," went on the first man, "but on account of an accident that befell me recently. I was about to get off a street car when the shoestring in one of my shoes snapped. It had been tightly laced, and the break, occurring when it did, just as I had taken my hand from the rail, was enough to make me lose my balance. I felt myself falling to the street. There was a trailer on the car, and I was pretty badly scared, as I thought that I stood a good chance of getting a leg under the wheels. Luckily I made a final effort to straighten myself, and I got clear with nothing more than a painfully twisted ankle.

"A shoestring is a small thing, but after that scare I determined that I would always have a good one in my shoe."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

A Point of Resemblance.

They were dancing. The music was heavenly. The swish of her silken skirts was delightful. The fragrance of the roses upon her bosom was almost intoxicating.

"Ah," she said, looking up into his face and smiling sweetly, "you remind me of one of Whitman's poems!" A sudden dizziness seemed to seize him. It was as if he were floating along in a dream. When he could catch his breath to speak, he asked:

"Which one?"

"Oh, any one!" she replied. "The feet are all mixed up in all of them."—Chicago Times-Herald.

Tom Corwin's Mouth.

Tom Corwin had an enormous mouth. He once said he had been insulted by Deacon Smith. The good brother asked for further explanation.

"Well," said Corwin, "when I stood up in the lecture room to relate my experience and I opened my mouth, Deacon Smith rose up in front and said, 'Will some brother please close that window and keep it closed?'"—San Francisco Argonaut.

A Specimen of Cockney Humor.

It consists merely in ignoring the horrible or tragic side of a funny situation. Everybody knows the old story of the cockney laughing after a fire. "Jump, yer silly fool!" I says. 'Me an' my mite's got a blanket!' An 'e did jump, an there warn't no blanket, an 'e broke 'is bloomin' neck! Laugh? I 'aven't laughed so much!"—Blackwood.

A girl should never throw away her old slippers. They will come in handy at her wedding—and much handier in after years.—Chicago News.

The secret of success in life is for a man to be ready for his opportunity when it comes.



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Commissioners' Proceedings.

McCook, Nebraska, August 28, 1900.

Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Henry Crabtree, Stephen Bolles and D. A. Waterman, county commissioners, W. R. Starr, county attorney, and R. A. Green, county clerk. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

The following claims were audited and allowed, and on motion clerk was instructed to draw warrants on the county general fund, levy of 1900, in payment thereof as follows:

C. L. DeGroff & Co., mds for paupers.....	\$16 85
Albert Guy, same.....	12 55
Joseph Junker, same.....	4 50
A. McMillen, same.....	1 00
R. B. Campbell, medical attendance for paupers.....	12 00
Water on and material for county jail.....	11 90
Wm. B. Sexton, refunded tax paid under protest.....	2 25
O. L. Thomson, office expense.....	25 00
And on county bridge fund, levy of 1900, as follows:	
George W. Cramer, bridge work.....	\$ 5 00
George Younger, same.....	3 00
R. H. Thomas, same.....	12 00
Eli D. Akers, same.....	7 00
Joseph Junker, same.....	4 50
George C. Hill, lumber.....	69 05
Hupp & Schluts, same.....	24 94
And on county road fund, levy of 1900, as follows:	
T. C. Jones, road tax refunded.....	\$ 8 00
Henry Kisker.....	1 25
Frank Fritsch, same.....	13 75
James Modrell, road work.....	13 75
Ed McDonald, blacksmithing.....	2 75
Ed Crabtree, serving road papers.....	2 25

In the matter of the personal tax of G. W. Godfrey, which was paid under protest, the board after due investigation finds that said Godfrey is entitled to a refund of said tax, and the county treasurer is hereby ordered to refund said taxes in full to the said G. W. Godfrey.

In the matter of the bids for doing the grading across the Republican river south of Bartley, the bid of R. F. Sibbett and Ed Noel, being the lowest and best, was on motion accepted.

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Cured of Chronic Diarrhoea After Thirty Years of Suffering.

"I suffered for thirty years with diarrhoea and I thought I was past being cured," says John S. Hallway, of French Camp, Miss. "I had spent so much time and money and suffered so much that I had given up all hope of recovery. I was so feeble from the effects of the diarrhoea that I could do no kind of labor, could not even travel, but by accident I was permitted to find a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and after taking several bottles I am entirely cured of that trouble. I am so pleased with the result that I am anxious that it be in reach of all who suffer as I have." For sale by McConnell & Berry.

New York's latest midsummer style of mysterious murder possesses all of the police-baffling frills of its predecessors.

Corn-buskers' sprained wrists, barbed wire cuts and sprains, or cuts from any other cause are quickly healed when Ballard's Snow Ointment is promptly applied. Price 25 and 50 cents. A. McMillen.

Referring to the shirt-waist men, they broil not when they go out to take a spin, and Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these.

After many intricate experiments, scientists have discovered methods for obtaining all the natural digestants. These have been combined in the proportion found in the human body and united with substances that build up the digestive organs, making a compound called Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and allows all dyspeptics to eat plenty of nourishing food while the stomach troubles are being radically cured by the medicinal agents it contains. It is pleasant to take and will give quick relief. D. W. Loar.

The formation of a sausage-skin trust and the resultant rise in prices may compel many of us to take our ground goods undressed.

The Bravery of Women

was shown by Mrs. John Dowling of Butler, Pa., in a three years struggle with malignant stomach trouble that caused distressing attacks of nausea and indigestion. All remedies failed to relieve her until she tried Electric Bitters. After taking it two months, she wrote: "I am now wholly cured and can eat anything. It is truly a grand tonic for the whole system as I gained in weight, and feel much stronger since using it." It aids digestion, cures dyspepsia, improves appetite, gives new life. Only 50c. Guaranteed, at McConnell & Berry's drug store.

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