

Republican National Ticket.
For President—WILLIAM MCKINLEY of Ohio.
For Vice-President—THEODORE ROOSEVELT, of New York.
Republican State Ticket.
For Governor—C. H. DITTRICH 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.

HON. W. C. AMOS of Colorado will open the Republican campaign in Red Willow county, next Thursday afternoon at three o'clock, in McCook.

AMIDST the busy buzz of general prosperity, it is difficult to hear the cry of calamity, notwithstanding the energetic efforts being directed to that end.

W. J. BRYAN gives warning: "If there is any one who believes the gold standard is a good thing, or that it must be maintained, I warn him not to cast his vote for me, because I promise him it will not be maintained in this country longer than I am able to get rid of it."

FARMER MORLAN's fame as a farmer and fruit-raiser has become so generally known over the Fifth district that even Banker Shallenberger has discovered himself to be a farmer. Some people don't know the difference between farming out county funds and deposits and tickling the soil.

THE Chattanooga News thought it gave a new turn to an old joke when it, as a Democratic paper, admitted that four months after the inauguration of Bryan every national bank in the country would close its doors. The next day it explained that it meant the national banks would close their doors on the 4th of July. The Bryan organ is as badly mixed on this as it is on some of its financial statements. To begin with national banks don't open their doors on the 4th of July, and had it followed the speeches of its presidential candidate it would have learned that the 4th of July is to be abolished.

I BELONG to neither party. I vote in local and national elections as my independent judgment dictates. Nebraska is prosperous. Four years ago the times were very hard. Our farmers burned their corn for fuel. Then it was that Mr. Bryan argued for free silver as the only remedy for those apparently hopeless conditions. The country did not take his remedy, and yet got well. What is the inference? Mr. Bryan's remedy was not as much of a remedy as he thought it. Mr. McKinley will be re-elected because of the prosperity now existing. A very large percentage of the citizens will pay no attention to free silver, imperialism or anything else than our great prosperity.—J. A. Smith, Humphrey, Neb.

THE demand for city and state warrants is one of the best signs of the times. When 4 per cent state warrants bring a premium, and when 7 per cent city warrants that run but a short time bring 2 per cent premium, thinking people conclude that money is more plentiful and that times are not to be compared to the gloomy period from which the country emerged shortly after the election of 1896. The organization of new savings banks and the seeking of small investments by wage earners indicate that the money power has for the time being relaxed its hold on the country's financial throat, and that it is possible to live and enjoy plenty while the country is administered by a wise and capable government.—Lincoln Journal.

THERE is one utterance of Lincoln's that Bryan is not likely to quote. It was made in 1863, when the Democratic leaders protested against sending Vallandigham across the federal lines to the confederacy, and is as follows: "He who dissuades one man from volunteering or induces one soldier to desert, weakens the cause as much as he who kills an American soldier in battle. Must I shoot a simple-minded soldier boy who deserts while I must not touch a hair of a wily agitator who induces him to desert?" This is none the less injurious when effected by getting father or mother or friend into a public meeting and there working upon his feelings till he is persuaded to write the soldier boy that he is fighting in a bad cause, for a wicked administration of a contemptible government. I think that, in such a case, to silence the agitator and save the boy is not only constitutional, but withal a great mercy.—N. Y. Tribune.

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"O! CONSISTENCY, THOU ART A JEWEL." It lends a touch of humor to this campaign to see the representatives from these states which have been disfranchising the negro engaged in a campaign whose war-cry is the enormity of governing subject-races without their consent. If imperialism means government without the consent of the governed, then imperialism exists in North Carolina, in South Carolina, in Mississippi, and in Louisiana. It would be absurd to claim that the colored races of the Philippines or of Porto Rico are any more fit to govern themselves than the negroes in these states. The proclaiming of the doctrines of human rights for distant islands by such men as these is little less than a farce, and it is hard to see how any man from any state can claim for the Philippines while silent on these southern outrages, and maintain a reputation for deep sincerity on the question.—N. Y. Advance, Sept. 6, 1900.

The above quotation from a religious paper is the more deserving of careful thought because it does not emanate from any party organ,—nor is it thrust upon the attention as capital for any political advantage. But when it is remembered that the states above mentioned are the states that are the strength and capital of the Democratic party, it may well cause every friend of justice and right to pause and ask himself, how can I identify myself with such a party, even though it have a Gabriel for its presidential candidate. The make-up of a party that has a 16-to-1 silver man for its vice-president is thus clearly fore-shown,—should its aims be realized and its nominees elected. The simple truth remains that the convention in Kansas City, last Independence day, was a perfect transcript of the cave of Adullam, (1st Samuel, XXII-2,) with this difference, that while the company convened in Kansas City had its original in Adullam, there was no David in that national convention to assume its captaincy. "I speak as to wise men; judge ye what I say."—FRANK.

MR. BRYAN says he wants a republic where the coach-owner and the coachman, the mistress and the maid, will have the same chance and share alike in the good things of this life, but unfortunately he neglects to explain how this blessed state is to be brought about. The question is suggested that, in order to be consistent with such views, he should arrange with Adlai in the event of their election to put their respective salaries into a pool and share alike.

BY actual count fifty-four of that "army of commercial travelers thrown out of employment by the trusts" attended a drummers' "mass meeting" in St. Louis. It afterwards turned out that seven of the whole number had lost their positions by the reorganization of companies. Not a bad showing for a city of a city of 600,000 people in which perhaps 1,000 drummers live.

MR. BRYAN should cede the sovereignty of his farm at Lincoln to Spain or France. The land was acquired by the United States without the "consent of the governed" by another Democrat, Thomas Jefferson. How Mr. Bryan can consent to live in Nebraska, when this circumstance is considered, is unexplainable.

THE pessimistic predictions of the prophet of calamity, so freely proclaimed in 1896, have been disproven by the experiences of the past two years. His foresight was bad. This year his prophecies appeal to history for confirmation, but the facts of history show that his hindsight is no better than his foresight.

THE charge of militarism made by the Democratic candidate for the presidency is an insult to every American soldier serving under the flag. All soldiers, whether regulars, volunteers or in the militia, are volunteers. They have entered the service of their own free will and accord. None were drafted.

S.-W. Baptist Association.
The South-West Baptist association will hold a three-days session in McCook, commencing on the 21st and closing on the 23d. A number of speakers and others are expected from abroad, and it is expected that the sessions will be interesting and valuable to all who may find time to attend them. A full programme has been prepared and will shortly be made public.

SCALE BOOKS—For sale at THE TRIBUNE office. Best in the market.

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 at-large 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	4	Perry	4
Coleman	4	Red Willow	6
Danbury	5	Tyrone	4
Driftwood	4	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	4	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. BABCOCK, 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. SEXSON, Committeeman.

VALLEY GRANGE.
A primary election for the Republicans of Valley Grange precinct will be held in the Picketts school-house on Wednesday afternoon, September 10th, 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.

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North-Western's Fast Run.
The Boone (Iowa) Daily News of recent date contains a full account of a remarkable run made by the North-Western with a Shriners' train, September 4th, from Omaha to Des Moines, a distance of 203 miles, which was covered in 204 minutes actual running time. The road foreman of engines makes the following report of the run: "Delayed at Missouri Valley 2 minutes for orders; at Logan 4 minutes for No. 1; at Carroll 4 minutes for water; at Boone 8 minutes for passengers; at Ames 7 minutes for water and to turn the 'Y.'" Made four railroad crossing stops. Had three different slow orders and slowed up six different times besides for bad track and curves. Deducting a loss of two minutes for each slow order, slow-up and railroad crossing stop, would make 26 minutes, together with the time lost standing at stations, 25 minutes, would make a total loss of 51 minutes, figuring nothing for the time lost in stopping and starting at places where station stops were made. This would make the actual running time from Omaha to Des Moines, a distance of 203.3 miles, in 204 minutes. Train consisted of one baggage car, three chair cars, one dining car and one private car. Total weight of train and engine, 380 tons."

A Delightful "At Home."
Mrs. C. H. Boyle, Mrs. W. D. Burnett and Mrs. T. B. Campbell were "at home" to a large and brilliant gathering of lady friends, Thursday afternoon, from three until half past six o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Boyle. In its details and particulars it was one of the most elaborate and felicitous social functions of the year.

Frappe was served, Lillie Burnett and Ruth Campbell presiding over the punch-bowl.

A three-course lunch was served in two separate dining-rooms, Mrs. J. A. Gunn and Mrs. Mabel Stranahan presiding in the east room and Mrs. Howard Stoy and Mrs. G. W. Conner in the north room. Red carnations were the dining-room decorations. The exhibit of fancy-work, linen, china and silver-ware was especially rich and tasteful.

During the function Miss Bertha Childre played on the guitar and sang most artistically.

The affair was a noticeably "dressy" one. Mrs. M. A. Northrup assisted.

Quite a Scare.
On their way home from attending the fair at Indianola, yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Bates stopped at the Willow to enjoy a lunch, tying the horses meanwhile. A dog frightened the animals and they broke loose, running all the way to McCook, where they arrived at the home livery barn very much exhausted. Fearful that Mr. Bates and family had been injured, A. A. Bates and the liveryman started out after them, missing them, however, as they were brought to town by another road by a Mr. King, living near the Red Willow school-house.

Why Think
Of sending away for a sewing machine, when S. M. Cochran & Co. do and will meet any competition on earth, quality considered. See their machines and get their prices and terms first, and you will buy of reliable home business men. They are here, too, to make good their guaranty.

A Big Snowfall.
The heaviest fall of snow that ever took place in England occurred in 1615. The snow commenced falling on the 16th of January, 1615, and continued every day until the 12th of March following. It covered the earth to such a depth that passengers, both horse and foot, passed over gates, hedges and walls, which had been obliterated by the white sheet. On the 12th of March it began to decrease and so by little and little consumed and wasted away till the 28th of May, for then all the heaps and drifts had disappeared except one upon Kinder scout, which lay until Whitsun week.

A heavy fall occurred in Scotland in 1620, the snow falling 13 days and nights with little or no intermission. One of the heaviest falls on a single day occurred on the 21st of February, 1762, the snow in some places being from 10 to 12 feet deep.

Court and Witness Agree.
An amusing incident occurred in one of the common pleas courts the other day. The lawyer for the defense was making a very lengthy cross examination of an old lady when he was interrupted by the judge with the remark, "I think you have exhausted this witness."

"Yes, judge," she exclaimed, "I do feel very much exhausted."—Philadelphia Call.

The Wheelman's View.
Mrs. Sprocket—George, what in the world happened to the pipe organ in church this morning while you were singing that solo?
Mr. Sprocket (who always talks bicycle)—Why, the organist was coasting on easy grade with her feet off the pedals when she ran into some sharp notes, and the old thing punctured.—Ohio State Journal.

Nothing is so indicative of deepest culture as a tender consideration of the ignorant.

Chinese coinage in the shape of a knife has been traced back as far as 2240 B. C.



GRASSHOPPERS

Goods Sold at "Grasshopper Prices" for the Next Few Weeks.

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HONEST JOHN

Council Proceedings.
The councilmen were in regular session, Monday night, all being present. Bills as follows were allowed:
McCook Electric Light Co. \$86 75
Sawyer & McClain 52 50
F. K. Miller 3 25
F. D. Burgess 7 65
C. B. Gray 60 00
E. R. Banks 50 00
Paul Perrenaud 40 00
Bid of John Schlagel to build sidewalks for the city at 29 cents per lineal foot was accepted.
Resolution was adopted renewing contract with the McCook Electric Light Co. for a period of three years from September 29th, 1900, for five arc lights and fifty-seven incandescent lights at the rate of \$85.00 per month.
Resolution was adopted as follows: "That the names of all those persons engaged in business in the city of McCook, who have not paid occupation tax by October 1st, 1900, be furnished by the city treasurer to the city attorney, who shall at that time proceed to take such steps as shall be necessary to collect same." Adjourned till next regular meeting on Sept. 24th, 1900.

Desirable House for Sale.
I will offer for sale at a low price my residence property, corner Marshall and Dearborn streets. Terms, time on part, or will name an attractive price for spot cash.—5-4-tf. W. C. LA TOURETTE, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. C. F. BABCOCK, Local Agent.

A Lunch Stand.
The ladies of the Dorcas society of the Congregational church will conduct a lunch stand on Roosevelt day, October 1st. Particulars and prices will be given later.

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:

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To prevent consumption quickly cure throat and lung troubles with One Minute Cough Cure. McConnell & Berry.

The tailor who is running for office in Illinois should be able to number the men whom he has given long credit and good fits among his con-stitch-ueny.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers are prompt, palatable, pleasant, powerful, purifying little pills. McConnell & Berry.

Poisonous toadstools resembling mushrooms have caused frequent deaths, this year. Be sure to use only the genuine. Observe the same care when you ask for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. There are poisonous counterfeits. DeWitt's is the only original Witch Hazel Salve. It is a safe and certain cure for piles and all skin diseases. McConnell & Berry.

This thing of endeavoring to mix earthly chain prayer with politics in the campaign has a sacrilegious look, but perhaps we have no right to kick if the Lord doesn't.

Corn-huskers' 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 25c and 50c. A. McMillen.

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A New York paper seems inclined to give the dudes representation in its columns. It has established a department headed, "Men, Women and Things."

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