

The McCook Tribune.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Congressman, George W. Norris, McCook

STATE.

Governor, John H. Mickey

Lieutenant Governor, E. G. McGilton

Secretary of State, George W. Marsh

Treasurer, Peter Mortenson

Auditor, Charles Weston

Attorney General, Frank N. Front

Land Commissioner, George D. Folmer

Sup't Public Instruction, Wm. K. Fowler

COUNTY.

Representative, J. E. Hathorn

County Judge, S. L. Green

County Attorney, C. E. Eldred

Commissioner—First District, D. A. Waterman

Congressman Norris.

Election day draws on apace.

And, of the men named for the place

Of congressman, here in the west,

There's one that sounds to me the best.

It is Judge Norris.

He represents the party which

Make laws alike for poor and rich.

That brings about on every hand

Prosperity throughout the land;

Support Judge Norris.

Calamity has lost its charm,

And fusion views with much alarm

The record of the G. O. P.,

For things they said could never be.

Work for Judge Norris.

In every place where he's been tried,

He's filled the bill—'tis not denied—

And as our congressman will be

The very man for you and me.

Vote for Judge Norris.

He has a cultivated mind,

With character and force behind;

American, he is, clear through.

I'll vote for him and so ought you.

Elect Judge Norris.

Get on the winning side with him;

Give to the campaign lots of vim;

And after all the work is done,

We'll all rejoice because we won

Congressman Norris.

—Minden Gazette.

REMOVALS come to us that the friends of

A. Wiley over in Frontier county are

urging his candidacy for state senator

and are quite enthusiastic over his qual-

ifications. Mr. Wiley is described as a

successful grain buyer and a business

man of ability, an old soldier and a

patriotic man of affairs. THE TRIBUNE

lacks personal acquaintance with Mr.

Wiley but is favorably impressed with

the claims of his warm friends. He

may be heard from in the convention of

September 10th.

WHILE scoring Mickey, the Republican

nominee for governor, because he is

connected with a bank, the Minden

Courier should remember that Congress-

man Shallenbarger, who wants to be

elected on the fusion ticket, has been

for many years and is now a banker. If

it is a bad thing to be a banker and run

for office on the Republican ticket it is

a bad thing to be a banker and run for

office on the fusion ticket. However,

Richmond is not expected to be con-

sistent.—Hildreth Telescope.

DEMOCRACY announces its determina-

tion to go to the bottom on the obsolete

Kansas City platform, and the people of

prosperity will give them a boost in

November. Secretary Edwards of the

National Democratic Congressional com-

mittee makes the following authoritative

statement to that effect: "The Demo-

cratic Congressional committee is stand-

ing squarely on the Kansas City plat-

form. That is the only democracy we

know anything about, and it will be the

only democracy there is until another

national convention shall be held."

THE newspaper business, or to write

more precisely, the "country" newspaper

business, is the only reputable business

to the writer's knowledge, conducted out

of all reasonable relations and without

any apparent knowledge of or respect for

proper proportions. A casual glance at

the weekly newspapers of Nebraska will

disclose the humorous, humiliating fact

that so-called weeklies with a few paltry

hundred subscribers, a little folio it

may be, illy printed and indifferently

edited, charge and receive the same

subscription price and advertising rates

as newspapers of the thousand or more

subscribers class, done in workmanlike

manner and edited with some energy and

intellect. Subscription price and adver-

tising rates do not seem to be based upon

any business idea of value or worth, but

rather on what the traffic will bear. No

merchant can get as much for five

pounds of sugar or ten yards of calico

as another merchant gives double the

amount for, and it does not seem clear

why the newspaper business should be

an exception to the usual business rule.

Bondville Precinct Caucus.

The Republican voters of Bondville

precinct will meet on Monday, Septem-

ber 1st, at 2 o'clock p. m., sharp, at the

house known as the Sim Billings place,

for the purpose of placing in nomination

a precinct ticket and for the transaction

of such other business as may properly

come before the caucus.

CHARLES SKALLA, Committeeman.

Kodol

Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

This preparation contains all of the

digestants and digests all kinds of

food. It gives instant relief and never

fails to cure. It allows you to eat all

the food you want. The most sensitive

stomachs can take it. By its use many

thousands of dyspeptics have been

cured after everything else failed. It

prevents formation of gas on the stom-

ach, relieving all distress after eating.

It cannot help

but does you good

Prepared only by F. C. De Witt & Co., Chicago.

The \$1. bottle contains 2 1/2 times the 50c. size.

Republican Convention.

The Republicans of the 2nd Senatorial District, Nebraska, are hereby called to meet in convention, in the City of McCook, on Wednesday, September 10th, 1902, at 8:30 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for the office of state senator, to be voted for at the next general election, to be held in the state of Nebraska, November 4, 1902, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before the meeting.

The basis of representation of the several counties in said convention shall be the vote cast for Hon. Samuel H. Sedgwick for judge of the supreme court, at the regular election held on November 5th, 1901, giving one delegate for each 100 votes or major fraction thereof so cast, and one delegate at large for each county. Said apportionment entitles the counties to the following representation:

Furnas.....12 Gosper.....4
Red Willow.....11 Frontier.....4
Dundy.....5 Hayes.....4
Dodge.....4 Chase.....4

It is recommended that no proxies be allowed in said convention, but that the delegates present be authorized to cast the full vote of the county represented by them.

By order of the senatorial committee.
George Williams, Chairman.
G. G. EISENHART, Secretary.

COLONEL ROSEWATER stops the press long enough to inquire, "Can Mercer be elected?" Well, I don't know, colonel; that will depend upon whether or not David gets the Republican votes of the district, the Bee's among the others.

THE News considers it "poppycock" to designate a candidate for governor "Farmer" Mickey. It is on the same level of nonsense as it was when Bryan was photographed with overalls on and a pitchfork in his hands. They are both farmers, of course, the same as the writer is, and nearly every business man in town. But what does it signify if Mickey or Bryan is a farmer? A farmer is just as good as a lawyer, or a lawyer is just as good as a farmer, provided always that he is. A man's occupation doesn't make him honest or competent. There are honest men as well as dishonest men in every walk of life. We suppose the idea is that it will tickle the farmers that one of their number, has been named for a high office and they will vote for him regardless of anything else. This idea is necessarily accompanied by the further idea that farmers are all clumps and idiots. This effort to form classes, and to set one against the other, is most contemptible. This is the greatest sin Billy Bryan will have to answer for. He is continually harping about the "common people," as though they were a class of registered thoroughbreds who were different from the rest of us. Why not be sensible even in politics.—Albion News.

Call Republican Senatorial Convention.

The Republican senatorial central committee was in session in our city on Tuesday evening, with Chairman George Williams of Cambridge present and in the chair. C. C. Eisenhart of Culbertson, in the absence of the regular secretary, was pro tem. scribe. The politicians of the district were pretty well represented—but the attendance of committeemen was small. It was determined to hold the convention in McCook, Wednesday evening, September 10th, 1902, opening at 8:30 o'clock.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CATHOLIC—Order of services: Mass, 8 a. m. Mass and sermon, 10:30 a. m. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. Every Sunday.
J. J. LOUGHRAN, Pastor.

METHODIST—Sunday-school 10 a. m. Preaching 11. Devotional services of the league 7 p. m. Preaching 8. The pulpit will be filled both morning and evening by Mrs. Lake, state evangelist of the W. C. T. U.

THE YEAR'S WORK.

A condensed yearly report of the work of Rev. R. M. Hardman, of St. Alban's Protestant Episcopal church, McCook, and twelve contiguous missions:

Miles traveled.....10,500
Services held.....150
Visits made.....900
Confirmations.....35
Number baptised.....30
Funerals.....4
Weddings.....4
Attendance in congregations.....6,891
Sermons delivered.....160
Prayers.....3
Prayer services conducted.....125
Persons received Holy Communion.....377
Celebrated Holy Communion.....38
Sick calls made.....30
Received for Diocese and missions.....\$27.67
Domestic, general and Sunday-school.....34.04
Convocation fund.....32.75
Episcopal fund.....2.56
Infirmary clergy fund.....3.00
Clarkson hospital.....2.25
Debts paid.....89.00
Lay services, Mr. Barnes.....26

Rev. A. G. Axtell, of the Congregational church of Trenton, is in town, today.

Rev. William Hardestad and family of Cambridge visited friends between trains on their way to Denver, Wednesday night.

Rev. R. M. Hardman of St. Alban's Episcopal church will preach his farewell sermon, Sunday evening, 8 p. m. Mr. Barnes will conduct morning-prayer and sermon. Come.

The annual convocation, Laramie diocese, Episcopal church, will be held in Grand Island, August 30-31, September 1-2. Rev. and Mrs. R. M. Hardman will attend, Mrs. Hardman as a guild delegate.

Rev. R. M. Hardman, rector of St. Alban's Episcopal church, and Mrs. Hardman will leave McCook on 12, next Tuesday morning, for a short visit to friends in Holdrege, Minden and Hastings, leaving Hastings on Saturday for Grand Island to attend the sessions of the Convocation of the Jurisdiction of Laramie. From Grand Island they will go to Sheridan, Wyoming, where the rector has been transferred by Bishop Graves, LL.D., to take charge of St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal church of that city. The good-wishes of many friends here and up and down the Republican valley accompany them.

COURT NEWS.

COUNTY COURT.

Licenses issued since last report: Fred Chesmore and Mrs. Maggie White, both of Indiana; married by Rev. Norlin the 17th.

Frank Leu and Mabel Wray, both of Marengo, Hayes county; married by county judge on the 21st.

Suits filed this week: Farmers and Merchants Insurance vs. G. H. Simmerman; suit on note for \$45.85. Comes up on the 23rd.

Want Your Butter, Poultry and Eggs.

We are paying the highest market price in cash for butter, poultry and eggs. Bring them to the old Burgess implement office and get your money.

BURGESS & WALSH.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

MRS. LAWLER of Omaha is visiting McCook friends, this week.

MR. MOORE and wife from Adair county, Iowa, are here looking over the county.

MRS. J. W. CHAMBERS left, Wednesday, to join her husband in Loveland, Colorado.

MR. AND MRS. HOWE SMITH returned home, this morning, from their Colorado Clay visit.

M. E. Wells of Sheridan, Wyoming, who is around investigating the matter of engine boiler-washing, has been in the city a day or two this week, in that line of duty.

THEODORE EMERY of Parkston, S. D., purchaser of the Pickens and Bower farms, arrived in the city, Wednesday. His father from near St. Louis and a nephew are also here.

The Catholic ladies scored a neat financial and social success in their ice-cream social on Mrs. mullen's lawn, Wednesday evening. The vocal and instrumental music was an appreciated feature.

C. H. Jacobs left an assortment of fruit at this office, this week, grapes, plums etc., raised on the Stone farm over on the Driftwood which will be offered for sale on the 6th of September.

Lewis Caston's seven-year-old son fell out of an ice-wagon backward onto his head, Tuesday, and was unconscious for eighteen hours. He is now improving satisfactorily, though at first his life was despaired of.

A force of men from the McCook yard gathered up the wreckage of the Holdrege disaster, early part of the week, loading it onto cars which were hauled to this place for disposal. The wrecked engines were also brought here.

DR. C. L. FAHNESTOCK and bride from Lincoln, Wednesday, and are at present boarding at Mrs. Anna Colfer's, expecting soon to go to housekeeping soon in the dwelling just vacated by C. W. Barnes. Congratulations.

The A.W.O.'s indulged their gentlemen friends, last evening, in the delights of a picnic in the city park. There were two hayrack loads of them and an excursion over the city was a feature of the affair which was modified as to details by the weather.

Accidents on Railroads.

Statistics from the interstate commerce commission which cover the three months ending March 31st, show that railway accidents within the period cost the lives of 212 persons, and property loss of \$1,014,000.

The death list includes only fatalities to passengers, but with the added names of employees killed while at their usual work, it is increased to 813.

During the three months accidents to passengers numbered 2,111, and injuries to employees increased the total to 9,958. The list of both killed and injured are greater than for any similar period in several years, and the period covered in the report bids fair to become historic for the large number of important disasters it contained.

Tabulations of train accidents show that there were 1,220 collisions, of which 221 were of passenger trains and 938 derailments, of which 84 were of passenger trains. The eighty-four include forty-one disastrous wrecks, in which loss of life occurred. In these alone the list of injured passengers included 826 names.

In accidents not included under the heads of derailments and collisions, there were twelve deaths and 1,259 injured. No statistics are given to show the deaths and injuries among train hands in the latter class of accidents.

The damage figures are compiled from reports showing the value of the destroyed locomotives and rolling stock and injuries to cost of repairs to track and roadway.

Accident in Denver Yard.

The light engine of the first section of No. 1 and the second section of that train had a slight collision in the Denver yard, Sunday afternoon. Engineer Avery was backing his engine to the round-house, when the second section came steaming in. Fortunately both parties saw each other and made every effort to stop, consequently the impact was not heavy nor was the damage worthy mention. Avery and his fireman jumped and Avery was quite painfully injured by coming in contact with a switch-stand. Avery had reversed his engine, but had not shut off steam, and after the collision the engine hiked out for Denver at a lively rate. Avery being injured, his fireman made the sprint of his life and just managed to catch the runaway and shut off steam, thus avoiding further trouble, and concluding an accident of most fortunate particulars and results. Avery knew the sections were an hour and fifteen minutes apart at McCook, but the gap had been closed almost when they pulled into Denver. Engineer Donovan pulled the second section.

After Almost Forty Years.

Thirty-nine years ago, down in Tennessee, some Union soldiers on a forced march "shanghaied" a horse belonging to A. W. Campbell, now of Boxelder, this county. The horse was valued at \$100. For sometime Mr. Campbell has been endeavoring to secure remuneration for the horse. He informs us that he has just received payment. As the government does not pay interest except under contract, no interest was received, as he had no contract.

Death Ends Her Suffering.

Death came, last Saturday afternoon, to end the terrible suffering of Mrs. California O'Connor, who has been long ailing with cancer. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. George L. White in the Baptist church, Sunday afternoon at four o'clock, burial following in the Riverview cemetery.

Advised Letters.

The following letters were advertised by the McCook postoffice, Aug. 18, 1902: Howard Crane Henry Campbell Wm. W. Geary Abr. Horel Miss Agnes Makadsky R. Simon (2) Mrs. Carrie Walsh

When calling for these letters, please say they were advertised.

F. M. KIMMELL, Postmaster.

Lost, Strayed or Stolen.

A fine-bitten, gray mare, 11 years old; weighed about 900 pounds. Collar gold on left shoulder. Suitable reward will be paid for her recovery.

L. M. CLAY, Danbury, Neb.

CULBERTSON.

J. T. Tillman is invoicing, this week.

M. O. Reynolds drove to McCook, Tuesday.

Mrs. F. D. Brown was a McCook visitor, Saturday.

Miss Ruth Davenport is visiting friends in Stratton.

Dame Rumor announced a wedding, Sunday—disappointed.

Prof. Will Williams of Palisade visited the home folks over Sunday.

S. A. Chambers of Anderson, Iowa, is visiting friends in this city.

D. L. Shumaker and John McNeice drove to the city east, Friday.

Miss Ethyl Fellows is confined to her bed with muscular rheumatism.

A. L. Taylor of Trenton was looking up Era interest in town, Wednesday.

Mrs. Henry Lehman and sons Harry and Asa drove to McCook, Thursday.

Wm. Hutchison of Anderson, Iowa, is the guest of E. W. Newlin, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Fitzgerald of Stratton visited friends over Sunday in town.

Ben I. Miller of Cape Girardeau, Mo., is the guests of his brother, Dr. A. H. Miller.

Henry Cushing of the firm of Cushing & Gaudreau of Hastings was a business visitor, Monday.

Rev. T. A. Smith left for Central City, Colo., Monday night, to attend M. E. conference.

Miss Maud Penn of Denver came down, Thursday, to visit her cousins, J. M. Williams and family.

Mrs. A. D. King left for Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, Friday evening, to visit A. D. for a short time.

Mrs. Ed Williams and children returned home, Friday night, after a week's visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Troendle of McCook were the guests of E. D. Thomas and family, Sunday.

H. C. Benedict, who returned from Denver, last week, is engaged as clerk for A. E. Reynolds of Trenton.

Brother Parrish is having his barber-shop beautified with a coat of paint. James Fleming is doing the work.

Mrs. H. G. Phelps of Highland went down to McCook, Monday evening, to make arrangements to locate there.

Messdames M. C. Reynolds and J. H. Hunter left for Missouri, Tuesday morning, for a brief visit with friends.

Mrs. George G. Eisenhart and children left for Osceola, Iowa, Sunday night, where they expect to visit a few weeks.

John McNeice left for Kansas City, Wednesday night, to resume his work after a short visit with relatives and friends.

Rufus King, Elmer Reynolds, Henry Kleven, Arvne Eisenhart, Harry Lehman witnessed the ball game in McCook, Wednesday.

Hugh Wilson, who has been helping his grandfather H. W. Davenport put up hay, returned to his home in Stratton, Sunday night.

Postmaster Christner and Robert Orr of Hayes Center were in town, Tuesday, on business connected with the star route from Culbertson.

Revival meetings began, Tuesday night, in the Baptist church, conducted by George White and wife and George Snyder and wife of McCook.

A Mr. Penn, representing the P. O. department, was in town, Wednesday and Thursday, figuring with prospective bidders for the new star route to be established, September 9th, between