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PRECINCT PRIMARIES.

Willow Grove, 1st Pre., 2d Ward.

The Republican voters of the 1st precinct of the 2d ward of Willow Grove precinct are hereby requested to meet at the court room of the county court house, on Wednesday, July 12th, at 8 o'clock, p. m., central standard time, for the purpose of electing eleven delegates to the county convention to be held at Indianola on the 19th day of July, 1911.

E. S. HOWELL, Committeeman

Willow Grove, 2d Pre., 1st Ward.

A caucus of Republicans of the 2d precinct, 1st ward, Willow Grove, will be held in McMillen's harness store, July 12th, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican county convention to be held in Indianola, July 19th, 1911, and for such other business as may properly come before such caucus.

A. B. WOOD, Committeeman.

Perry Precinct.

Republican caucus for Perry precinct will be held Wednesday evening, July 12th, at 7 o'clock, at C. H. Harman's residence, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Republican county convention to be held in Indianola, July 19th, and for such other business as may properly come before the caucus.

C. H. HARMAN, Committeeman.

The "funny man" is still with us: The Grand Island Democrat charges one Teddy Roosevelt with being responsible for the present dry conditions in the western part of Nebraska. By way of emphasizing his sense of the ridiculous, he attempts to prove his statements, too.

Hastings, Neb. — School boys in Greater New York are putting in a great deal of time studying aeroplane building and aeronautics generally, says Sunday Magazine of June 25 and this is probably accounted for by the fact that so many exhibitions have been given in the east. The engagement of the Glenn H. Curtiss aviators for an exhibition at Hastings by the Hastings Chamber of Commerce will give Central Western young America a chance to study the bi-plane first hand, as this exhibition will positively be pulled off in Hastings on July 18 and 19.

It has been announced that James J. Ward, the famous "Jimmy," who startled the world with his daring at different meets over the United States will be present and will fly during the Hastings, Nebraska, meeting.

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CLOTH FOR UNCLE SAM.

It Must Be Pretty Good Stuff to Pass the Government Tests.

The men of the United States army come nearer knowing to a certainty what they are buying in the way of cloth than do any other consumers in the country, says Mary Heaton Vorse in Success Magazine. When the government gives out a million dollar cloth contract it seems to it that it gets material according to specification. The specific contracts for various sorts of cloth are elaborate and go into the technical side of the matter—the number of threads to be used to the yard, the kind of wool to be used in the manufacture—for the United States soldier has to be well dressed in clothes that will stand the strain of weather and of work. On Governors Island, New York city, there is a testing laboratory for cloth. A specification of the weight per linear yard of each kind of cloth is mentioned. Each bolt of goods is weighed, and if it falls short of the proper weight it is thrown out. Next the question of wear and tear is considered, and again the specification is stated that each special kind of cloth will stand a strain of so many pounds to the inch work way and so many pounds to the inch "fling" way. So, after weighing, the next test is to cut a sample and try in a machine the strength of the cloth. If it won't stand this test the cloth is thrown out. After the cloth has been pronounced perfect for weight and strength the dye tests are made. It must stand two acid tests for perspiration, and the material must stand boiling for ten minutes in a certain soap solution, showing that it will stand washing with strong alkalis, and finally comes the weather test, the material being exposed thirty days on the roof without changing color appreciably. If the cloth has passed its examinations successfully each yard of each piece of cloth is inspected, being run over machines for the purpose, while inspectors watch for any imperfections in the weave. An eighth of a yard for each imperfection is charged to the manufacturer.

So when the cloth is finally sent to the contractor to be made into uniforms it is known to be of really good material. Each spool of thread, each button, each lining, each filling used in the clothes of soldiers has its own special test.

Figs For Melancholia.

Dr. William Balleyn, of the same family as the unfortunate Anne Boleyn, was a contemporary of Sydney, Raleigh, Drake, Hawkins, Grenville, Spenser and the rest of that famous galaxy that illuminated the Elizabethan era. The leading physician of his day, he took great interest in vegetable remedies, and his "Book of Simples" was an honored authority for generations. He recommends the free use of sage tea and of figs, saying: "Figs are good against melancholy and the falling evil (epilepsy) to be eaten. Figs, nuts and herbe grasse do make a sufficient medicine against poison or the pestilence. Figs make a good gargarism to cleanse the throat."—Charles Winslow Hall in National Magazine.

Not Loaded.

No other language under the sun is open to so many interpretations as the English language, as witness the conversation between two Sharon Hill girls the other evening: "Oh, May," said the first one, "Jim and Bill tried to fight a duel over me." "How romantic! What happened?" "It was terrible. I came into the room, and those foolish boys were pointing big pistols at each other." "Pistols? Heavens! Were they loaded?" "Not a bit. That is just what made it really very serious. They both were sober."—Philadelphia Times.

The Importance of the Beard.

The importance of the beard was fully recognized in the middle ages. Here is a passage (quoted by J. A. F. Orban in "Sixtine Rome") from a letter of the writer, Bartolomeo Catena: "It is well that those who have to lead and govern should have a long and fine beard. And I can assure you that the government of cities and provinces has been given to more than one prelate because he had a long and fine beard; otherwise he were not worthy that honor."

Educational.

"Do they teach domestic science at your college?" inquired the visitor of the freshman. "Only sewing," replied the freshman. "Good idea," said the visitor. "And what do you sew chiefly?" "Wild oats," replied the freshman.—Harper's Weekly.

Took It to Heart.

"Didn't you hear all of the professor's lecture?" "Why, no. He began by saying that sleep is the secret of right living, and then I came home and went to bed."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Terminological Inexactitude.

It is what might be called a "terminological inexactitude" to say that a man is "inclined to be bald." As a rule, to become bald is absolute; against a man's inclinations.

Home Training.

Mother—Robert, come here to me instantly. Robert—Aw, shut up! Mother—Robert, how dare you talk to me like that? Say, "Mamma, be quiet."—Puck.

They are slaves who dare not be in the right with two or three.—Lowell.

Terms of District Court 1911.

Chase county: April 24 and November 13.
Dundy County: March 6 and November 20.
Frontier county: March 20 and October 2.
Furnas county: February 20, May 20 and October 23.
Gosper county: January 30 and September 25.
Hayes county: March 13 and September 18.
Hitchcock county: May 1 and November 27.
Red Willow county: February 6, May 15 and October 9.
Robert C. Orr, district judge.

Hastings, Neb. — When Glenn H. Curtiss brings his world famed aviators to this city on July 18 and 19, the whole of Central Nebraska's population will be interested in giving them a rousing welcome, for this will be the first big aviation meet ever held in Central Nebraska and the biggest enterprise ever attempted by any commercial organization in the central west. This meeting is under the auspices of the Hastings Chamber of Commerce, which will insure all visitors a square deal in the matter of giving a full bonafide program of feats by these "bird men."

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE
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ASSETS.
First Mortgage Loans.....\$ 157,700 00
Stock loans..... 3,675 00
Cash..... 3,084 82
Delinquent interest..... 116 27
Expenses and taxes paid..... 630 97
Delinquent assessments..... 83 50
Total.....\$ 165,290 56

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock paid up.....\$ 157,449 62
Reserve fund..... 3,084 44
Undivided profits..... 4,603 50
Prepaid dues and interest..... 168 00
Total.....\$ 165,290 56

Receipts and expenditures for the year ending June 30, 1911.

RECEIPTS.
Balance on hand July 1, 1910.....\$ 3,895 67
Dues..... 30,865 59
Interest and fines..... 15,117 48
Loans repaid..... 26,825 00
Tax Sale Redemptions..... 457 65
Total.....\$ 77,104 00

EXPENDITURES.
Loans.....\$ 31,875 00
Expenses..... 729 81
Stock redeemed..... 40,384 54
Cash on hand..... 3,084 82
Int. on matured stock..... 625 08
Tax Sale Certificates..... 409 75
Total.....\$ 77,104 00

State of Nebraska, Red Willow County, ss.
I, F. A. PENNELL, secretary of the above named association, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of the condition of said Association is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
F. A. PENNELL, Secretary.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10th day of July, 1911.
C. H. BOYLE, Notary Public.
Approved: J. A. WILCOX,
F. M. KIMMELL,
W. B. MILLS,
Directors.

CALL FOR REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The republicans of Red Willow county are hereby called to meet in convention in the city of Indianola, on Wednesday, July 19th at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing eight (8) delegates to the republican state convention to be held at Lincoln on July 25th, 1911, and for the purpose of electing a county central committee, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said county convention.

The convention shall be made up of delegates chosen by the republicans of the respective precincts of the county on the basis of one delegate at large for each voting precinct of the county and one delegate for each 15 votes or fraction thereof cast for C. H. Aldrich, republican candidate for Governor, at the general election held November 8th, 1910, which basis of representation entitles the respective voting precincts to the following number of delegates:

Alliance.....	3
Box Elder.....	4
Driftwood.....	4
Gerver.....	3
Lebanon.....	5
Perry.....	3
Valley Grange.....	4
Beaver.....	5
Coleman.....	2
East Valley.....	7
Grant.....	2
Missouri Ridge.....	2
Red Willow.....	5
Bondville.....	2
Danbury.....	5
Fritsch.....	3
Indianola.....	7
North Valley.....	3
Tyrone.....	3
Willow Grove—	
1st Ward, 1st precinct.....	13
1st ward, 2nd precinct.....	9
2nd ward, 1st precinct.....	11
2nd ward, 2nd precinct.....	5

It is recommended that no proxies be allowed, but that the delegates present from each precinct be authorized to cast the full vote of such precinct.

It is ordered that precinct caucuses to elect delegates be held on Wednesday, July 12th, at such hour and place as the precinct committeemen shall designate, and that the several precinct committeemen shall at once call such caucuses and give notice thereof by posting or publication.

It is suggested that the precinct caucuses nominate precinct officers at these caucuses and that such business be included in the call for the caucus.

Dated this 26th day of June, 1911.
By order of the County Central Committee.
W. B. WHITTAKER, Ch'm.
W. A. REYNOLDS, Sec'y.

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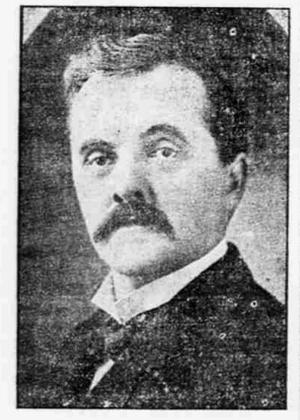
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George W. Norris, famous insurgent republican, was born in Sandusky county, O., July 11, 1861. The future baiter of czar-



GEORGE W. NORRIS, Representative 5th Neb. District.

like presiding officers worked on the farms of the neighborhood fo

his summer amusement and went to school in winter. In this way he worked through the grades and through several years in Baldwin university and the Normal school of northern Indiana.

He wanted to study law and taught school while he carried on his studies. In 1883 he was admitted to the bar, but continued his pedagogy to get together enough money for a law library.

A few years later he came to Nebraska and settled in the western part of the state. He was prosecuting attorney for Red Willow county for three terms, and became judge of the Fourteenth district in 1895. That office he held with dignity for seven years.

A year later a pronounced political tendency took him into the campaign for congress, and he was elected to represent the Fifth Nebraska district in the Fifty-eighth district. Since then for eight years he has been a congressman, and is now being mentioned prominently for the senate—Omaha Bee.

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