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RIGHT VS. PARTY.

THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT

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WHY IT WAS WRONG.

MOTHER LAKE, May 25, 1897. -Editor VALENTINE DEMOCRAT:-

I wish to reply through the columns of THE DEMOCRAT to your article of May 13th in regard the court house bonds. You say "if a contest ensues, facts like the following will be brought out and the vote from each precinct named, will undoubtedly be cast out by the district court." In Mother Lake you say the board was sworn by C. S. Johnson as assessor, "but an assessor has no power to admister oaths only in regard to property." In regard to Mother Lake you have misrepresented succumbed to the "sublime argument?" the facts, either by error or purposely. According to your own statement C. S. Johnson was the proper person to, ate a split in the silver forces." It has swear in the board. He was one of the judges. If the bond carried legally become quite a fad among some people I will willingly pay my share of the

CONSISTENCY.

THE DEMOCRAT has been accusing heard what locality he expects to go to. THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT SAYS the democrats should carry every thing the "recount" commission of fraud and in the state a year from next fall and a few weeks ago indignantly denied have a "regular walkaway." It says that the election boards of Cherry that the republicans stole every thing county had made a mistake in count-Official Paper of Cherry Coun- in sight and that the "pops" used ing the constitional amendment baltraud in the amendment recount. lots. If no mistakes were made then Bro. Good evidently is not aware in was there any made at the bond elec-

\$1.00 Per Year in Advance his attempt to create a split in the sil- tion? If the errors were made at the ver forces, that the last legislature was bond election, is it not probable that the effort of the combined reform just as grave errors were made when forces in Nebraska, and were the first the amendment ballots were counted? T. Fowler for a few days last week. Miss Dora legislative body in this state that have At any rate, consistency doesn't lay not succumbed to the sublime argu- around THE DEMOCRAT office in

ment of corporate boodie for the past chunks .- Keya Paha Call. sixteen years and that criticism of the The Call man evidently doesn't know Hedland stripe will fall rather flat

the meaning of the word "consistent" upon the ears of the people at this or he would not have written that artime.-Atkinson Plain Dealer. ticle. It is this paper's consistency The above is good, very good, and that hurts its opponents. There is no coming from the source it does will be comparison between the bond election considered authentic and reliable. It

and the election last fall. There was almost deserves publication without no error in the count of the votes cast combining business with pleasure. He will comment. The last legislature was a at the special election. The only er-"fusion" body, and according to Bro.

rors made were in the certificates at-Eves was the only one which has no tached to the poll books. Five pre-"succumbed to the sublime argument cincts failed to make legal returns, and of corporate boodie for the past sixteen so far as the canvassing board was years." That shows the influence of concerned, these five precincts made no ty. democracy, which leavened the mass returns at all. Then where has this but we would not dare to say such paper shown any inconsistency in supthing in face of the fact that the legisporting the decision of the canvassing latures of 1891 and 1893 were com board and antagonizing the report of posed of populists. How can the Plain

the recount commission? The Call is Dealer accuse those bodies of having unfair in seeking to convey the impression that the two boards arrived One other thing: The Plain Dealer at a decision by the same means; they refers to this paper's "attempt to cre-

were entirely different. The canvassing board said that five election boards failed to make a proper return of the

votes cast in their precincts; the re-

count commission said that twenty six

election boards, and the county can-

the votes cast. Do you see the differ-

ence? If the Call man thinks the re-

Mewance.

Mrs. Cenner is on the sick list most of the ime this spring

George Tracewell has about 300 eattle in his nerd, and as fine a range as one could wish for. Mrs. Carrie Fowler came home last week from Mr. Hooper's where she had been work-

Matt Jelly seems to be a hustler, he having nearly completed putting in the crops on the Johnstone farms.

We did not suppose our efforts were missed, but thank those who welcomed us back in these | columns once more.

Myron Cogswell is seen in these parts quite often. Wonder if there is not some other a'traction beside low priced corn?

Rev. Hutchison intends moving south as soon as he can arrange his affairs. We have not

Dave Archer is dividing his time between corn tending and training a horse for the races, Hope his time will not be spent in vain in either direction.

The surveyors who had some horses wintered in this neighborhood, have commenced work again, but had the bad luck to lose two head of horses. Strayed or stolen.

Mrs. Leola Grange and baby and sister Dora were down to visit their parents Mr. and Mrs. will come home to-stay when school in Harmony District is closed.

John Foster had a party at their place a few evenings since. It seems that every body and his best girl was invited, but some of the boys were bashful and did not go after their best girls so staid out of doors until refreshments were served. We were sorry for their girls. John Shelbourn has put in about 100 acres of small grain, and same acreage in corn. He has just finished sowing 20 acres of millet. This shows his renewed faith in Nebraska. He started Friday morning for a trip to Gordon.,

drive through. US.

Niebrara Falls. Crops are in fine condition.

J. A. Adamson has bought the Briggs proper-Notice is hereby given that Frank II, Zanyek, of Oakdale, Nebr., has filed notice of intention Mr. Marks is the proud father of a bouncing to make final proof before the Register or Recover at his office in Valentine, N-br., on Sat-urday the 26th day of June, 1857, on T C No, 7491 for the signets and nigsets Sec 13 Tp 31n R 29w, He names as witnesses: George Beer, of Val baby boy. We are looking forward to the picnic in Higgins' grove, It seems that 'U and I.' is either a bachelor or

an old maid. Richard and Henry Grooms returned from

Sparks last + riday. Perry King went to Valentine Sunday and has not returned at this writing.

It is evident the we were all asleep last week as there wasn't an item from any of us.

May 15th 1897. Notice is hereby given that Charley O, Good

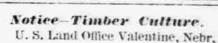
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June 25, 1897.

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to make final proof before the Register or Receiver at his office in Valentine, Neb., on Thesday the 6th day of July, 1897, on timber culture application No. 7614, for the clasw14 and w12seta See 35 Tp 34n R 35 w. He patients He names as witnesses: Andrew Steele, Osear C. Goodrich, James A. Denison and Com-fort P. Starr all of Cody, Nebr. also

U. S. Land Office Valentine, Nebr.



May 15, 1897.

Complaint having been entered at this office by John H. Tuli against Gilbert Maxwell for failure to comply with law as to Timber-Culture entry No, 8501 dated January 8th, 1801 upon the e¹/₂se¹/₄ sw¹/₄se¹/₄ and se¹/₄sw¹/₄ See 5 Tp 29 R 39 in Cherry county Nebraska with a view to the cancellation of said entry: contestant alleging that Gilbert Maxwell has failed to have broken five acres of said tract during the first year of entry or any of said land during the second year of entry, and has tailed to cultivate any of said tract at any time, and has failed to plant or cause to be planted any trees, tree-seeds, or cuttings, on said hand, and said hand is all grown up to grass and weeds the said parties are here-He names as witnesses: George Beer, of Val eatine, Nebr., Willard D. Morgareidge, William F. Morgareidge and William Carson of Simcon, failure.

Testimony of claimant will be taken before the Clerk of the District Court for Antelope Depositions of witnesses will be taken before the Clerk of the District Court for Antelope Robt Lacas a U. S. C. C. C. at his office in county, at his office in Neligh, Nebraska on Cooper, Neb., on the 30th day of June 1897, at 19 velock a. m. C. R. GLOVER, Register 17-22

C. R. GLOVER, Register.

Notice. U. S. Land Office, Valentine, Nebraska, I Complaint having been entered at this "office by W. P. Davis against William A. Davis for abandoning his homestead entry No. 10012, dated January 25, 1895, upon the seta Sec. 34, Tp. 35 R. 31 in Cherry county Nebraska with a view to the cancellation of said entry, said parties are hereby summoned to appear at Valentine Nebr., on the 1st day of September, 1897, at 2 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. C. R. GLOVER, Register.

VARIOUS SIZES, STYLES AND COLORS AND ALL CAN BE SUITED THE RED FRONT

A LARGE NEW INVOCE

THESE CORSETS COME IN

OF

FLEXIBONE CORSETS

AND CELEBRATED

JACKSON WAISTS

JUST RECEIVED

DIRECT FROM FACTORY

FINAL PROOF NOTICES. Claimants and witnesses in final proof cases notice of which appear in THE DEMOCRAT, will receive a marked copy of the paper. Should any errors in description of land or spelling of names be discovered, notice should be sent to the land

GENUINE

JACKSON FAVORITE

WAIST.

office and this office, so correction can be made. U. S. Land Office Valentine, Neb. (May 13, 1897,)

tax. But if carried by a fraudulent count, I for one say contest the election to a finish. I venture to say the poll books of the last election will tally up with any previous election as far as minded men. Those who make use of correctness is concerned. To my the expression to kill off opposition to knowledge the canvassing board never threw out any precincts before.

Yours Respectfully, L. L. MORRILL.

We very gladly publish the foregoing communication, and express the wish that our subscribers would avail themselves more readily of our columns when they think we are in error, or when they have a grievance of any kind.

Our correspondent takes us to task because we said C. S. Johnson, assessor. was not the proper person to administer the oath to the election board, but we maintain that our proposition was correct, notwithstanding the fact that C. S. Johnson was a judge on the election board. The depositions taken by him were signed by C.S. Johnson, Assessor, not C. S. Johnson, Judge of Election. Had he signed as a judge the depositions would have been legal. Suppose Geo. ElEott, county clerk, would take a deposition simply as Geo. Elliott, without adding the words portunity.

"County Clerk." Would it be legal? The law takes very few things for When congress passed the bill apgranted. For instance, it has been propriating \$50,000 for the aid of held that the signature John Doe, J. P., American citizens in Cuba, it ac does not necessarily mean John Doe, knowledged that they were in need of Justice of the Peace, although among assistance, and if they need assistance laymen the abbreviation will always

now it is surely because of some inpass. Does this make our meaning justice and the United States dare no clear? longer delay interference with Spain's

We believe that most of our people course in the "Queen of the Antilles." think with Mr. Morrill, that if the This is the first time this government count of the votes cast was fair, they has recognized the fact that American are willing to abide by the decision of citizens in Cuba needed aid, but havthe canyassing board; if not, they wish ing done so we fail to see how the adto contest, and we agree with them ministration can be content with diswhen they take this position. If THE tributing a few thousand dollars for DEMOCRAT thought for one minute that all was not right, it would be the front ranks of those who wish 3 contest, but under the circumstances money from the United States that reservation lands, "got smart," as the it seems to us that a contest would be they want. How can the government saying goes, and interfered with the sheer folly and a useless expenditure honorably do otherwise than to comof time, money and energy.

Groceries which I recently Receiver at Valentine, Nebr., on June As this is only the second election trict No. 33, The state printing law, the passage 14th, 1897 viz No. of days taught 20, held in the county since we came here, opened at my old stand on An English woman recently dropped William C. Bell, of Pullman, Nebr., of which was secured by Hon. A. E. No. enrolled for the month 19. Main Street, I will hereafter it is impossible for us to know whether Average attendance 10. Hd 9304 for the slissia and slissia Sec 28 Tpa sovereign (\$5.00) into a church col-Sheldon, of Chadron, has been found Those who were not absent are Mary. Anna, Lydia and Henry Becker, Charley Fowler, Ehas the books at preceding elections were lection plate, thinking it was a shilling to be impracticable and the state 28 R 33 earry a stock of Notions---He names the following witnesses to prove his Nollette, Walter Shelbourn. continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, Laces, Ribbons, Needles and as full of errors as those sent in last (25 cents). When she discovered her who were not absent more than one day said land, viz: printing board has becided to ignore it Isaac Lomas, of Mullen, Nebr., Herbert are Gladys Fowler, Charley Shelbourn. Thread, Buttons, Neckties, month, but judging from the fact that mistake she sued the church wardens None were tardy during the month. Rogers, Joseph Culbertson and Samue McClean, entirely. Thus the only part of the Socks, Overalls, Underwear, of Pullman, Nebr. S. E. A, FOWLER, Teacher. the various canvassing boards have for \$4.75. The judge held that as C. R. GLOVER, Register, bill which is effective is the part which 14-19 ete---and I respectfully sonever thrown out the vote of any presoon as the money touched the plate it Mr. Sheldon was "surprised" to learn licit a share of your trade. cinct, we presume the books have been became an accepted offering to the T. B. Irwin, foreman of the Spade U. S. Land Office Valentine Nebr. was there. It's a pity some way can-April 21st 1897. (Notice is hereby given that John G. Bollong correct. If they were not, the can-Lord and no one had authority to re-Cattle company of Chadron, Neb., is J. M. CARPENTER not be devised to nullify the whole vasing boards failed to do their duty. turn it or any portion thereof. Here- law. of Fairhaven, washington has filed notice of in-tention to make final proof before the Register here, (Julesburg, Colo.,) with an outor Receiver at his office in Valentine, Nebrasha on Saturday the 29th day of May, 1897, on tim-Of one thing, though, we feel certain: after we will be very caretul when fit, consisting of about twenty men In the future more care will be taken ber culture application No 7785 for the nwis Sec. 13 Tp 27n R. 27 w. PACIFIC contributing our mite, and will closely Contracts. and 100 head of saddle horses, receiv-SHORT fie names as witnesses: John Harnau, waldo K. Grant, George Keller and Erans R. Vande-grift all of Brownlee, Nebr. in making out returns. Geo. Cyphers has the contract for examine the donation, if that is to be ing cattle that are coming in from building five wings to the quarters at Differences of opinion will exist be Texas and Montana. They have rethe rule. An editor dare not run any Fort Niobrara. Holsclaw Bros. have TIME TABLE. Testimony of claimant will be taken before tween men as long as the world lasts. ceived four train loads up to this time the clerk of the District court for whatcom risks. the contract for laying the foundacounty, at his office in whatcom, washington on May 22 1897. 13-18 C. R. GLOVER, Register. AT O'NEHLL, NEBRASKA. but we are sorry there should be so tions. Jas. Galloway will do the and are expecting two more this even--PASSENGER-Senator Mutz came up from Lincoln plastering and build the chimneys. D. ing. In all there will be 150 cars of much evident difference over the court LEAVES 15:30 A. M. ABRIVES 9:30 P. M. DAILY-EXCEPT SUNDAY. Monday to attend court, returning S. Ludwig will furnish the lumber, house question. We believe that if it cattle. From here they will drive delivery of same having commenced Wanted-An Idea of some simple thing to patent? Who can think were only a question of what is best Wednesday. The investigating comtheir cattle north to their range on the Through connections both ways with Black yesterday. The contracts for building Hills trains, by taking this line you can go to Sioux City and return the same day, connections made with all trains for the East and South mittee have given out nothing for the new school house have not yet Protect your ideas; they may bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & CO., Patent Attor-neys. Washington, D. C., for their \$1,800 prize offer and new list of one thousand inventions wanted. for the county at large, every man Niobrara river in Nebraska .- Omaha would favor the bonds. publication yet.-Keya Paha Call. been let. World-Heraid. I Dakota, Buy local tickets to O'Neill,

to use this expression whenever a per son or paper criticises the acts of pop ulists or democrats, and the practice ought to be discouraged by all libera fraud or use it as a "stop thief" cry to

count of the amendment votes was cover up rottenness in themselves or right and the local count was wrong, party, place a premium upon dishonwhy doesn't he say so? We have not esty, and though the ruse may succeed

seen a single paper which has taken for a time discovery is certain to come that position, and don't expect to. sooner or later. When it does come

those who have used the cry will be among the first to receive censure. There will be a scramble among This paper is democratic in principle holders of Dawes county mortgages

but it has an independent spirit which and a general rush to release those

will not allow it to meekly submit to that have been on file for years after wrongdoing or fraud simply because having been paid, should the new systhey have the sanction of party. This tem inaugurated by the county attorpaper is not engaged in an "attempt to ney be held good. Acting under the to for a few days' visit with his parents. create a split" in any movement. The direction of County Attorney Fisher incompetency of populists and dishonthe assessors of the various precincts esty of republican officials compels us began last week to add to the assessto say that democrats should have ment rolls of their precincts the a walkaway at the next state election amounts of the real and chattel mort-Whether they will or not is another gages and deficiency judgements requestion. Democrats have become aicorded against the property in each most confirmed in the habit of taking precinct. Heretofore these securities back seats in Nebraska and they may were supposed to have been given in be slow to take advantage of their op-

by the mortgagees to the assessor of the precinct in which the investor resides, but Mr. Fisher is of the opinion that there has been a good deal of tax shirking and proposes to get the taxes on the mortgages if it can be done. -Chadron Recorder.

Trouble has been commenced at Pine Ridge. The Indians have not broken out again, and no fear of their doing so is anticipated in the least, but the Indian Agent, Maj. Clapp, has per police broken out and rounded up and pounded at the Agency about 750 head of range cattle that belong to parties other than members of the Sioux nation. It is reported to us that the relief of distress. If Americans what started this trouble was the fact in have been deprived of their rights or of certain white men who really had property it is justice from Spain, not no right to graze their stock upon the natives' cattle.-Rushville Standard.

Little Eda Adamson is expected home this She has been attending school in Valenweek. tine.

The storm of Wednesday night was very severe. Some of the Reece property was blown vassing board, did not correctly count down

Frank Reece moved his house last week. Frank is full of notions, for when the moor changes he moves his house. BAD BOY.

Sparks.

Crops look well, considering the cold weather. The frost Saturday night was rather hard on gardens.

Mrs. Sears has been quite ill with measles but

The grasshoppers have done some damage 'to wheat and oats Elder J. H. Beggle from the North Table visit ed old friends here the other day.

N J. Greens and Tom Hadson report having had poor luck on their fishing trip. I, N, Newland has returned from South Dako-

The ball game Saturday was fine. The Valentine boys played the Sparks nine and the score stood 67 to 12 in favor of Sparks.

Wm, Hughes and several others went to Valentine Monday to attend Decoration Day exercises and Tuesday went to the lakes on a fishing

UNCLE JOE,

Eli.

Weather is rather cool for the time of year, Chas. Roberts has sold his place to Rev. E. Hunt.

Bert Nichols went to Gordon Sunday to spend a day or two. James Dennison and family left last week for Minnesota to spend the summer.

I. B. Nichols bought the Hotchkiss place joining him on the west, of P. Sullivan, Henry Heckel's brother of Holt county was up and spent a couple of weeks with Henry returning home last week.

Geo, Monnier was arrested last Saturday for branding a Spade steer. At the trial before Squire Folsom at Merriman Tuesday he was bound over to the district court.

SANDY.

Kennedy.

Clarence Walcott was up from Red Deer Lake buying cattle, Alfred Merris, of Johnstown, is visiting his

Miss Laura Tillson, of Valentine, is visiting Miss Gertrude Grange at Kennedy. F. M. Marshall, of Maywood, Neb., is back

again and intends to make this place his future

School Report.

Andrew Steele, of Cody, Neb. H. E. 8752 for the eignels and closels. Sec. 35

Tp 31 R 35. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Oscar C. Goodrich, Charley O. Goodrich, John 5. Newell and Henry Heckel, all of Cody, Neb. C. R. GLOVER, Register. 17-22

U.S. Land Office Valentine Nebr. May 17 1897. (Notice is hereby given that Jason Garwood, c Pullman, Neb., has filed notice of intention to

make final proof before the Reigster and Receiver at their office in Valentine, Neb., on Mon day the 28th day of June, 1897 on timber culture application No 7936, for the nussely seasons and leiaswig Sec 22 Tp. 28n R 57w.

He names as witnesses: Joseph E. Cotton Charles Carner, Joseph A. Saults' and William

Puthaan all of Puthaau, Neb. Notice is also hereby given that Norman D. Stoner, of Puthaau, Nebr. has illed notice of infeation to make first proof on timber cultu

application No 7866, for the nel₄sw¹₄ sel₄nw³. He names as witnesses: Joseph E. Cotton In County Court, within and for Cherry county

loseph A. Saults, William Pullman, and Charle-Carner all of Pudman, Nebr. also

Jason Garwood, of Pullman, Nebr. H, E, No 10249 for the ni nel4 Sec 31 and ni

nw14 Sec 33 Tp. 200 R 36 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his ontinuous residence apon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Joseph E. Cotton, Norman D. Stoner, Joseph A, Saults and William Pullman all of Pullman. C. R. GLOVER, Register.

> U.S. Land Office Valentine Neb.,) May 3 1807. v

Notice is hereby given that Frank C. Jackson of Pacific Junction, Iowa, has filed notice of his

intention to make final proof before the Register or Receiver at his office in Valentine, Neb., on Friday the 18th day of June, 1897, on timber cultare application No 7474 for the set₄ Sec 1 Tp 30 n R 28 w.

He names as witnesses John R. Ballard, Henry Ballard, William G. Ballard and John Cronin all of Wool Lake, Nebr. Testimony of claimant will be taken before the clerk of the District Court of Mills county, at his office in Glenwood, Iowa, on June 15, 1897. C. R. GLOVER, Register. 15-20

U. S. LAND OFFICE, Valentine, Neb., /

April, 30, 1897, 7 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and hat said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Valentine, Nebraska, on June 14th, 1897, VIZ:

John M. Clarkson, of Sparks Nebr., H. E. No 9421 for the nw1/2 Sec 9 Tp 34n R 25w. Re names the following witnesses to prove is continuous residence on and cultivation of, said land.viz: Frederick Smith, of Fort Niobrara, Nebraska, Richard Osburn, Newton J. Grooms, Perry Swearinger all of Sparks, Nebr, C. R. GLOVER. Register.

U. S. Land Office at Valentine, Neb.) April 24 1887. (Notice is hereby given that the following-nam-

ed settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his elaim, and that said proof will be made before Register

Application for Administrator.

in the County Court of Cherry county, Nebr., In the matter of the estate of Joseph Brown, deceased. Alfred Lewis having filed in my office a peti-lon praying for the appointment of himself as administrator of the estate of Joseph Brown eccased all persons interested in, said; estate will take notice I have fixed Saturday, June 19 1807 as the time and my office in Valentine therry county Nebraska as the place for hear-

ing of said petition at which time and place bit. persons interested in said estate may appear on show cause if any there by why such admintrator should not be appointed. Witness my hand and the seal of the County Court this 2nd day of June 1897.

SEAL W.R. TOWNE, 13-21 County Judge.

Notice to Creditors.

Nebraska, May 15, 1897 in the matter of the estate of Emely E. Holmes, decased. To the creditors of said estate:

You are hereby notified, That I will sit at the County Court Room in Valentine in said County on the 29 day of May 1897 to receive and examine all claims against said Estate, with a view to heir adjustment and allowance. The time mited for the presentation of claims against aid estate is Six months from the 2sth day of November A. D. 1895 and the time limit for paynent of debts is One Year from said 2sth day of vovember 1896

Witness my hand and the seal of the County Court this 13th day of May, 1897 SEAL. W.R. TOWNE 10.19 County Jude

Application for Administrator.

In the county court of Cherry county, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of Silas M. Waite,

William E. Waite having illed in my office a etition praying for the appointment of William Waite as administrator of the estate of Silas M, Waite deceased, all persons interested in said estate will take notice that I have fixed said estate will take house that I have fixed saturday fame 12, 1897, as the time and my office in Valentine, Cherry county, Nebraska, as the place for the hearing of said petition at which time and place all persons interested in said es-tate may appear to show cause if any there be why such administration should not be appoin-

Witness my hand and the seal of the County Court this 25th day of May, 1897. W, R. TOWNE, SEAL 18-20 County Judge,

Mill Prices for Feed.

Bran, bulk Shorts bulk	.50c per er	wt \$7.00ton wt \$9.00 ton
Screenings	. 300 4	\$6.00
Chop Feed	.70e "	\$13.00 "
Corn	.50e "	41.3.00
Oats	.80e	

TO THE PUBLIC

In addition to the line of mand Spain to change her tactics? The second monthly report of dis-

sister, Mrs. W, E, Waite.