

THE VALENTINE DEMOCRAT

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THE PEOPLE'S VICTORY.

Politicians Rebuked. Party Prejudices Laid Aside and Men Vote for Their Honest Convictions.

We are not celebrating a democratic victory, although Rosseter, the democratic candidate for sheriff, and Young, the democratic candidate for assessor, are surely elected and, as we go to press, the vote for commissioner is between Bowring, republican, and Mone, democrat. In this judicial district Judges Harrington and Westover have been re-elected by larger majorities than they ever received before. The vote in this county is very gratifying to THE DEMOCRAT and to the democratic committee. During the campaign we urged the voters to disregard party affiliations and vote their choice between man and man, and, as the votes were counted, it was evident that a great many had done this. Never before in the history of the county was there less regard for party ties.

The vote has come in so slowly that there has been no opportunity to analyze the vote, but it shows that the day of the political boss has passed. It shows that the people demand good service and when they come to vote they are going to exercise their judgment and support the man whom they know and the man they believe will give the best service.

Of our ticket there only two men known to be defeated. Dr. Compton has been defeated for coroner by Dr. Lewis, but Dr. Compton ran far ahead of his party vote in the village of Valentine and in the county at large, and he may well feel flattered by the vote he received. Had he really cared for the office and put his friends to work, he could easily have been elected.

M. F. Clynes has been defeated for county judge, but, like Dr. Compton, he ran far ahead of his party ticket in his own precinct, River, and also in Valentine. In his own precinct he received a vote of more than three to one, and in Valentine, the home of his opponent, he received a handsome majority. This vote proves what we said during the campaign to be true, viz: That where he was known the public was for him, but he lacked the acquaintance in the precincts on the south and west sides of the county and those precincts defeated him. However, he may well feel complimented on the splendid vote he received.

Perhaps the greatest victory the people scored was on district judge. Four years ago this county went against both Judge Harrington and Judge Westover. This year they have both carried it, although a bitter personal fight was made upon them. The returns show that the people of this county are awake to their own interests and they are not going to retire two able fearless judges for new untried men.

During the last days of the campaign the republican committee put out a letter saying that the letter published in THE DEMOCRAT last week and signed by twelve citizens of River precinct was the work of the chairman of the democratic committee. We had no time to answer this, and, as the campaign is closed, it is not now necessary to answer it, but we want to say for the benefit of any interested parties, that the republican committee was in error. That letter was not the work of the democratic committee, but the work of the men whose names were signed to it. It was not held back by THE DEMOCRAT or by the democratic committee, but it was published in the first issue of THE DEMOCRAT after it was received. The republican committee jumped at conclusions in issuing its letter and has since found that it was barking up the wrong tree.

But this is the time to return thanks and not to engage in recriminations, and we want to thank the public generally, and especially our republican friends, for the support they gave our ticket.

President Roosevelt has scolded Gov. Sheldon for not indorsing national control of corporations and railroads instead of our present state control and regulation. He also ordered the pilot of a river boat suspended for ninety days for passing his boat while sailing down the Mississippi, and has ordered a prosecution of the Appeal to Reason for unfavorable comment on his utterances in the Moyer-Haywood cases.

He has condemned this and that with the impetuosity of a child, and has taken part in ridiculous quarrels beneath the dignity of a great president of the United States, and he has been more than a servile tool of the corporations. He has coached them while ordering prosecutions. He has pardoned principal transgressors for giving information of transgressions, and, finally,

through his radical, spasmodical, dictatorial proclivities, is twice blamed for the loss of millions of dollars in the Wall Street stock exchange by shrinkage in values, almost reaching a panic, and, while sending Secretary of the U. S. Treasury Cortelyou with ten millions, and twenty-five millions of government money to deposit in the New York banks for assistance and to avoid a financial panic, declares that if his policies and course will bring on a panic in Wall Street, yet he will not change his ways.

Is it a dream? A wild, mad dream that Roosevelt is playing president and that he is testing the power vested in the chief executive? Let us awaken from our slumbers and begin now to controvert a calamity that will check our progress and fasten more securely about us the chains of servitude to corporations.

Let us organize now for the campaign of 1908 and elect W. J. Bryan for president of our republic.

RESULTS

With all the precincts in but Steene the vote in Cherry county is reported as follows:

Reese, rep., supreme judge.....	766
Loomis, dem " ".....	454
Anderson, rep., regent.....	753
Coupland " ".....	705
Millard dem ".....	448
Sundean " ".....	404
Douglas, rep., for district judge.....	631
Jenckes " ".....	564
Harrington, dem " ".....	668
Westover, " ".....	750
For Transfer of Territory.....	118
Against " ".....	1048
Ormesher, rep., assessor.....	660
Young, dem ".....	702
Layport, rep., judge.....	765
Clynes, dem ".....	600
Sherman, rep., sheriff.....	613
Rosseter, dem ".....	762
Lewis, rep., coroner.....	703
Compton, dem ".....	661
Bowring, rep., commissioner.....	681
Mone, dem ".....	687

Reese is elected supreme judge by 10,000 or more.

Westover and Harrington are re-elected by 200 to 400 over Douglas and Jenckes.

Steene precinct will not change above results materially, excepting possibly between Bowring and Mone. Telephone reports says the vote is close on that office and that Westover, Harrington, Young and Rosseter got big majorities.

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Junior League " " 2:30 p. m.
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Preaching " " 7:30 " "
REV. C. E. CONNELL, Pastor

U. S. Weather Bureau Report for week ending Nov. 6.

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