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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

- National. For President—THEODORE ROOSEVELT, New York For Vice President—CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS, Indiana For Senator From Nebraska—E. BURKETT, Lincoln. For Presidential Electors—F. A. BARTON, Pawnee. A. C. SMITH, Douglas. A. C. ABBOTT, Dodge. T. L. NORVAL, Seward. W. P. HALL, Phelps. M. A. BROWN, Buffalo. H. H. WILSON, Lancaster. J. C. ROBINSON, Douglas. For Governor—J. H. MICKLEY, Osceola. For Lieutenant Governor—E. G. M'GILTON, Omaha. For Secretary of State—A. GALUSHA, Red Cloud. For Auditor—E. M. SEARLE, Jr., Ogallala. For Treasurer—PETER MORTENSEN, Ord. For Superintendent—J. L. M'BRIEN, Geneva. For Attorney General—MORRIS BROWN, Kearney. For Land Commissioner—E. M. EASTON, Fremont. Congressional. For Congressman Third District—J. J. McCARTHY, Ponca.

Seven weeks from today is when the battle of the ballots will be at its fiercest.

People are not devoting so much time to politics but that they are finding some time to stand up for Nebraska.

Let there be peace, says Mr. Bryan; then he proceeds to roll up his sleeve and declares war against President Roosevelt and anything republican.

The World-Herald has time in the heat of a national campaign to give some space to a base ball editorial. It's an exciting fight.

A good many democrats wish that it might be as easy to change candidates and platforms as it is to change the chairman of the national committee.

The democrats are not only hard up to find issues of their own but are finding it difficult to pick out flaws in the republican administration that will stick with the people.

When Jack Frost does visit Nebraska he will find all but the very late corn so hard and well matured that he cannot pinch the life and quality out of it. The crop is made.

The growing season in Nebraska has been wet, but just to vary the monotony it seems inclined to close with a dryness that is not unappreciated—it is what is required to ripen the crops properly.

There used to be a fight during the campaign now and then four and eight years ago, but the political arguments have not even reached a stage for a respectable sized quarrel this campaign.

The price of hogs is now taking a turn at following wheat up toward a dizzy height, and it is promised that there will be something doing that will make the feeders of stock as well as the growers of wheat happy.

As usual St. Petersburg is reporting the Japanese being driven back in the preliminaries to the Mukden engagement. The story will probably read all the other way when the engagement is actually on.

The last of the preliminaries to the campaign will have been cared for when the fusionists place in nomination their candidate for state senator, and soon the ballots will be printed and the fight in its greatest intensity.

If the Jap dog in war manages to fasten its fangs in Kuropatkin's flanks again it is to be expected that the Russian commander will be brought to the earth.

Improvements in town and country continue to be made in north Nebraska and the rate of development is likely to continue as long as there are good crops and fair prices.

Now that the New York republicans have succeeded in placing a state ticket in nomination, it is expected by their western brethren that they will roll up their sleeves and wade in to make a winning for it as well as for the republican electors.

Judge Parker's letter of acceptance is awaited with some impatience by the democrats who hope that he may succeed in arguing a reasonable case for their party. It may be depended upon that it will be as smooth as an experienced jurist can construct.

There is no need for the people of the world to starve to death as long as the Nebraska potato crop holds out. The ascendancy in the price of wheat may cause them to boost a little, but it is probable that they will continue

within reach of the common people, and they are good and healthy food.

While the weather men have been in convention at Peoria, the weather has been doing things to Iowa and Nebraska, and it is to be hoped that they will not long be off duty, if this is the way things are to be carried on when the man are taking a vacation.

They have the Russian guns worn out, the garrison depleted of ammunition and food, the forts punctured full of holes and the whole situation mad generally, yet the Russians continue to hold on at Port Arthur, and seem likely to hold out for some months to come.

Mr. Parker thinks the Cleveland administration with its growing deficits in the public treasury was a model, and yet the leaders of his party attempt to assume that this is the great fault of the republican administration. To be against deficits and vote for Parker will not be consistent action.

Chicago physicians and scientists have reasoned that a large number of the deaths reported to have taken place from alcoholism in that city, are cases of poison, through the use of "knock-out" drops and other poisons, and are urging that the matter be investigated.

The hunters who have been abiding by the game laws will soon have a chance to get after the birds in a legal manner. The open season will be on with the first of October. There are a number left by the poachers, but more would be found if the laws were strictly observed.

The democrats will meet in senatorial convention at Norfolk on September 28 to place a man in nomination whose endeavor will be to defeat Dr. J. J. Williams of Wayne. It is a serious undertaking, but the members of the party are becoming used to disappointments.

The delegates to the interparliamentary congress were impressed with the cornfields of Nebraska as among the most remarkable sights they had witnessed in this country, and will undoubtedly go about standing up for the state in a manner that will be of some benefit in the way of immigration.

President Roosevelt's run of crank visitors for the season seems to have commenced with the visit of the man who claims to have died six years ago and gone to heaven in an automobile. He wished to relate his experiences in a book and wanted the president to stand sponsor for the work. He was taken as a dangerous lunatic.

The leaders of the campaign are finding that the minds of the voters are very generally made up and therefore there is the lack of interest that is making the campaign work quiet. There have been no important announcement of changes to the democratic ticket, therefore it is to be presumed that the minds are all made up in one direction and that is to vote for the party that they know by experience is right, and run no risk of an experiment.

If that Portland inventor has really succeeded in perfecting a practical telephone attachment whereby the face of the person talking may be seen and it comes into general use, it will not be so easy to "sass" central—or some centrals. It is a hard proposition to scold pretty girls, and sometimes it cannot be told from their mere voices whether they are pretty of feature or not.

A man in New York picked up a dollar bill and inside of five minutes fifteen men laid claim to the property. The finder did not care to divide it up among the claimants nor get into legal complications, so he threw it among the hungry horde, and a newsboy who had made no claims of losing it captured the disputed property. In New York is where the chase after the almighty dollar has become a science.

The Japs want to hit the Russians again at Mukden and if then they do not succeed in getting the balance of Kuropatkin's army, they will be ready and willing to listen to proposals of peace by the Hague tribunal providing they are given certain considerations in the far east which they are supposed to have earned by their vigorous achievements in the zone of battle. Meanwhile they will make another try or two at laying Port Arthur low.

Mr. Bryan's declaration that he loves peace and the doctrine of peace better than he does either gold or silver should forever set aside the opinions that some democrats are entertaining that he will enter a fight after election to regain control of the party for free silver. A man who is as firmly wedded to peace as Mr. Bryan has declared himself to be will certainly not of his own volition inaugurate a war in his party that can only lead to strife and discord.

Judge Parker thinks the Cleveland administration was an admirable model. If he had been the candidate and said this eight years ago, he could have crowded the men who would have voted for him into his home in Esopus. In eight years there may have been enough with lapsing memories to change this result and add materially to his strength, but it is impossible to believe that the majority of the peo-

ple of the country will by their votes indicate that they agree with him.

It need not be expected that the aggressive Japs surrounding Port Arthur have laid there all this time that the siege has been on without attempting to accomplish something to the surprise and inconvenience of the defenders, and it would not be astonishing to learn that they will some of these fine days appear in the center of the city in force, having arrived there through a tunnel or some other manner of which the Russians had not been informed. They are quite capable of landing on the enemy from an unexpected quarter.

Mr. Bryan is to follow "Uncle Joe" Cannon in Norfolk and attempt to bring his old-time followers in line after they have been scattered by the speaker's hot shots. Many will attend just to hear what the famous Nebraskan can say for his ticket after alleging that the nominations were secured by "crooked and indefensible methods." If he is fair to his hearers he will employ a considerable portion of his time in showing an excuse or a reason why he should swallow his honest opinions and ask his friends to support the nominees of his party on the platform that cravenly avoids the money question.

DEMOCRATS HELPED.

When speaking of republican party achievements in its fifty years of experience some members of the party are inclined to take all credit to themselves, but on all important questions there has been democratic assistance and a beauty of the republican work is that after a democrat has acknowledged his allegiance to the republican party he seldom gravitates back to the party from which he sprung. Secretary of State John Hay spoke intelligently on this subject at Jackson, Mich., on July 6, when reviewing the half century of achievements of the republicans. He said:

"Our opponents sometimes say we have no right to claim the credit of the great deeds of the last half century—that we could not have accomplished them without the aid of democrats. Nothing truer was ever said; and it is one of the chief glories of our annals, and it forms the surest foundation of our hopes for the future. The principles upon which our party is built are so sound, they have so irresistible an attraction to patriotic and fair-minded men, that whenever a time of crisis comes, when the national welfare is clearly at stake, when votes must decide whether they shall follow their prejudices or their consciences, we draw from other parties their best men by thousands. Bright among the brightest of those who founded our party shine the names of democrats; and when the war came on, the picked men of that party rallied to the colors. Douglas, shortly before he died, declared his unflinching support of Lincoln. The sun would go down before I could name the democrats who fought like heroes for the country. Grant, Sherman, Sheridan, Dix, Sickles, Logan—in short, an innumerable host, democrats all, rushed into the field and thereafter fought and worked with the republicans while life lasted. And that vast majority of Lincoln's in 1864 would have been impossible had not myriads of Democrats, casting their life-long associates to the wind, listened to the inward monitor which said, "Choose you this day whom ye will serve." As it was then, so it has been in after years. When the attempt was made to repudiate, in whole or in part, the national debt; or to abolish the system of protection to American industries, founded by Washington and Hamilton, and approved by the experience of a hundred years; or to degrade our currency at the demand of mere ignorance and greed—in all these cases we saw the proof of the homely adage that you may lead a horse to the water, but may not make him drink. In spite of organizations and platforms, in spite of the frantic adjurations of gifted orators, hosts of patriotic democrats walked quietly to the polls and voted as their consciences dictated, in the interest of the public welfare rather than of a party. Even in so lofty and restricted an arena as our senate, we have seen the ablest and most ardent organizers of his party fall in the most energetic effort of his life to induce his party to reject a great national benefit because it was offered by republican hands. Half the democratic senators said this was no question for pettifogging politics, and voted for an American canal across the Isthmus.

"We are not claiming that we monopolize the virtue of the patriotism of the country. There are good men in all parties. I know far better men than I am who are democrats. But we are surely allowed, in a love-feast like this, to talk of what has been done by the family and at least to bring a little of the democrats who have helped us. We get their votes for one reason only—because we started right and in the main have kept right. We invite accessions from the ranks of our patriotic opponents, and we shall get them in the future, as we have in the past, whenever we deserve them. We shall get them this year because this year we do deserve them. We come before the country in a position which cannot be successfully attacked in front, or flank, or rear. What we have done, what we are doing, and what we intend to do—on all three we confidently challenge the verdict of the American people."

A Boston man has taken a census of the American bison which was once in full possession of the great American prairies, and finds that there are now but 1,233 in existence, the hunters of various generations, red and pale, having taken the balance. Of the remnant of the great herd, the largest number, 350 are now on the Flat Head Indian reservation in Montana. There was a time when millions of these beasts roamed the prairies and thundered over the sod in herds of thousands, and the few that have escaped were those that vacated the old haunts they frequented and made for the wilds where hunters were unknown.

The fifty years of the republican party offers some interesting comparisons this campaign, and figures are speaking emphatically for a continuance in power of the party and the maintenance of the policies under which the country has developed so greatly. One of the strongest showings is in the increase of the wealth of the country and the wealth of per capita population in that time. In 1860 the national wealth was \$16,000,000,000, while now it is \$100,000,000,000, an increase of \$84,000,000,000 in forty-four years. The money circulation then was \$15.85 per capita and is now \$31.16 per capita. This is a showing of growth in commercialism and finance that challenges the admiration of the world, and keeping pace with this growth is a corresponding advance in intelligence and religion and morality, although these phases of growth are not as readily reducible to figures.

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It would seem that a man cannot so far lose his mind that he is not attracted toward President Roosevelt.

Nebraska is going to stand up for Roosevelt and republicanism by giving the president a rousing majority and it will not qualify its vote by returning any but republicans to congress.

The democrats have not yet succeeded in choking off any portion of that teeming and maligned prosperity of the country that has been so fatal to their hopes of election and a soft seat in a fat office.

Those who have been over the third congressional district considerably are of the strong belief that Congressman McCarthy's majority will show a considerable increase over the vote he received two years ago. He is winning new friends each day, and particularly is his strength increasing where he speaks.

The opposition to the republican party is guessing some, that is evident. They have withdrawn one chairman and advanced another and hope to get in a few of the doubtful states, but are not absolutely certain of the states that have long been conceded as theirs. Four and eight years ago, under Mr. Bryan, the republicans were doing most of the guessing where now they seem to be about certain of the general result if not the results in all sections.

The opponents of the republican party have succeeded for quite a while in evading the hurrying of personalities at the republican candidates, but the developments of the past few weeks indicate that it is intended to close the campaign with a strong dose of this sort of politics. They have not made winnings of this kind of campaigning in the past and it is no more popular with the voting public now than it has ever been, but if they wish to try it on they will have the full permission of the republicans who are accustomed to that sort of abuse and grow fat in votes through and by it.

The democrats are not promising that there will be more jobs or better wages for the working men, they are not promising higher prices for farm produce, they have nothing in their platform to guarantee that the country and the people will be any better off, they do not guarantee that the morality of Americans will be better, in fact they are promising no advantages whatever through the success of their ticket. They are contenting themselves with finding fault with the president and the republican party without a promise of improvement, while the voters are inclined to the belief that they cannot improve existing conditions if they tried and are averse to running any risk from a change.

The returns from Maine show a republican majority of 27,120, something more than a thousand less than the majority of McKinley over Bryan in 1900. The argument of the democratic reorganizers that the party would be stronger in the east under the new arrangement is borne out in part, but if there is not a large proportionate showing throughout the east there is not a grand prospect that Parker will sweep the east and win a great victory for Parker. With Parker showing but a thousand gain over the Bryan strength in Maine, and the losses in the west to offset the result, there can not be a large amount of gratification for the reorganizers in the returns.

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their standards of measurements; the ad writer deals almost exclusively in inches and columns width; the reporter deals in words and the editor in lines and columns and words; the machine man goes by lines and slugs and thousands of ems. Formerly sticks or pans, and nonpareils, brevier and picas were much in use in several departments, but the inauguration of the point system and the machine have retired these in great part. A jeweler was smart enough to perfect a practical machine for the setting of matter; perhaps some other foreign trade might furnish a system of measurements that would be practical in all departments.

There were a large number of republicans in the state who were dissatisfied with Governor Mickey previous to the holding of the convention, but since it has been held they fail to see any good reason why they should bolt the ticket. It was expected that the democrats would place in nomination a man more to the popular liking, but when it comes to a choice between Mr. Berge and Mr. Mickey the average republican will take his ticket straight, without hesitation. The fusionists had a splendid chance in the estimation of a large number of republicans to make a winning in the gubernatorial fight, but they failed to recognize what the popular will was in the matter and it is believed that Mickey will not run far behind his ticket when the returns are all in. Holcomb, Sullivan, Thompson, Allen, or even Poynter, would have given Mickey a hard race, but Berge will not be able to cut alarming holes in the republican vote.

It is hard luck to have the republicans of Nebraska accused of extravagance because they are burdened with the debt that the fusionists have left as their inheritance and because they have determined to rebuild the institutions that were destroyed by fire. The republicans may be depended upon to get the state from under this burden just as quickly as any fusion administration that may be elected, and the new revenue law is a step in the right direction. It is to be expected that this debt will now rapidly melt away, and the fusionists are keen to get into office long enough to take the honors that are to accrue to the administration under which this reduction will take place. There is no evidence yet that they will be successful, but they will cut into the state and legislative tickets if permitted to do so by those who have been thrown off their guard by their places of reform that they so lamentably failed to carry out when, they were given the opportunity that they now seek. The republicans in the state as well as the nation are capable of doing quite as good work as the men of any other party and a mistake is usually made when the voters come to a different conclusion.

In his speech of acceptance Judge Parker exclaims with commendable pride, patriotism and enthusiasm, "Ours is a world power!" then he proceeds to outline the scheme of his party for clipping the wings of the eagle and preventing it from soaring ahead of any other world power in the spread of civilization and christianity. The men who controlled under the Cleveland administration are again seeking power, and it will be remembered that they went on record then for hauling down the American flag in Hawaii. Since then the country has increased enormously as a world power, and if the same program is inaugurated it may be expected that the flag will not only come down in Hawaii, but in Porto Rico, the Philippines and other places where this government has established a foothold. Two many Americans are like Judge Parker when he speaks in patriotic pride of "our world power" to permit him to follow his plan of paring off the edges of the developing power that shall be of advantage to all the world.

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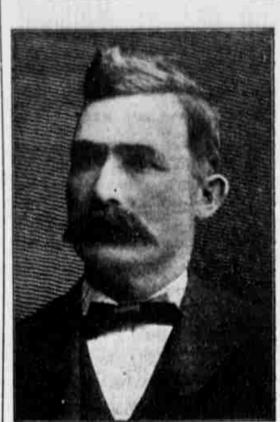
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