

Call for a Republican State Convention.

The Republican Electors of the State of Nebraska are hereby called to send delegates from the several counties, to meet in State Convention at Lincoln, on the 1st day of October, 1878, at 2 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following named offices, viz:

- One Judge of the Supreme Court.
One Member of Congress.
One Member of Congress, contingent.
Governor.
Lieutenant-Governor.
Secretary of State.
Auditor.
Treasurer.
Superintendent of Public Instruction.
Clergy-General.
Land Commissioner.
And to transact such other business as may properly come before the Convention.

The several counties are entitled to representation in the State Convention as follows, based upon the highest vote received, either by Silas Garber for Governor in 1876, or by A. H. Holcomb for Governor in 1877, except Seward, whose representation is based upon the vote of George R. Lake for Judge of the Supreme Court for 1877, giving one delegate to each 150 votes, and one for the fraction of 75 votes, also one delegate at large for each organized county.

Table with columns: County, Vote, Del., Counties, Votes, Del.
Includes rows for Adams, Antelope, Boone, Buffalo, Butler, Cass, Ceder, Cheyenne, Clay, Colfax, Cuming, Dakota, Dawson, Dixon, Dodge, Douglas, Fillmore, Franklin, Frontier, Furnas, Gage, Gosper, Greeley, Hall, Hamilton, Harlan, Hitchcock, Howard, Holt, Kearney, Keith, Kimball, Lancaster, Lincoln, Logan, Madison, Nemaha, Nelso, Otoe, Pawnee, Phelps, Pierce, Platte, Polk, Red Willow, Richardson, Saline, Saunders, Sherman, Stanton, Thayer, Valley, Washington, Wayne, Webster, York.

It is recommended, first, that no proxies be admitted to the Convention except such as are held by persons residing in the counties from which the proxies are given.

Second, that no delegate shall represent an absent member of his delegation, unless he be clothed with authority from the County Convention, or in the absence of such authority, from regularly elected delegates thereof.

By order of the Republican State Central Committee.
JAMES W. DAWES, Ch'n.
H. M. W. LLS, Secretary.
LINCOLN, July 24, 1878.

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 21, 1878, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following named offices, viz:

- One Representative for the 28th Representative District (Platte).
And to elect delegates as follows: To the State Convention to be held at Lincoln, Oct. 1st. To the Conventional of the 14th Senatorial District (Platte and Colfax); To the Convention of the 1st Representative District (Platte, Colfax and Butler); and to transact such other business as may properly come before the Convention.

The primaries for electing delegates to the County Convention will be held in each precinct at the usual place of holding election (except in the State House) on Saturday, Sept. 14, 1878, the polls to be open in the several precincts from 8 o'clock p. m. of said day.

The several precincts are entitled to the following number of delegates respectively, viz:

Table with columns: Precinct, Delegates.
Includes rows for Columbus, Kearney, Monroe, North Platte, Platte, Sherman, York.

It is recommended that no delegates be admitted to the County Convention unless they are duly accredited from the precincts they represent.

By order of the Republican County Central Committee.
M. K. TURNER, Ch'n.
P. B. BOKEMSTE, Sec'y.
COLUMBUS, August 10, 1878.

One hundred and twenty-nine new cases of yellow fever at Vicksburg on the 29th.

The oil cloth factory of Peters, at Newark, N. J., is burned on the 29th ult. Loss \$150,000.

From all parts of the country pecuniary aid is being sent forward to the yellow fever sufferers.

The last day of grace under bankrupt law brought forth in Chicago ninety-six petitions in bankruptcy.

The English consul at Adrianople reports that Bulgarians continue to plunder and outrage the Mussulmans.

About sixty clerks, mostly female, were discharged from the office of the land commissioner on the 3d.

The President has appointed Gen. Mosby consul at Hong Kong, China, which position is said to be agreeable and valuable.

So far as heard from in Douglas county the delegation to the State Convention will stand thus—Welch, 34; uncommitted, 3.

It is stated in recent Constantinople news that the Russian headquarters have been transferred from San Stefano to Rodosto.

PRESIDENT HAYES left Washington City on the 30th ult., on a western tour. Mr. points he will visit has not been indicated.

The French commissioners on the Franco American commercial treaty gave a banquet to the American delegates on the night of the 29th.

There is an Indian woman living near San Diego who is at least 124 years of age. Without question, she must be the oldest woman now living.

The experiment of ice water bath application to yellow fever patients appears to be not only a temporary relief but actually working a cure of the fatal disease.

The Germans have a proverb that laziness is the commencement of all crimes.

ONE hundred and eighteen new cases of yellow fever at Vicksburg on the 27th ult.

Mrs. CALLISON, the lady murdered in the Black Hills, was buried on the 27th ult. She was buried in the Black Hills.

MISS AGNES BRAKEY, while boating on a lake near Council Bluffs, on the 27th ult. fell overboard and was drowned.

HENRY M. STANLEY has gone to Switzerland to recuperate after the long period of "hionizing" and feasting in London.

The Omaha Bee is making good the four months of time allowed in which to stir up the would-be candidates for state offices in Nebraska.

NINE buildings were destroyed by fire at Put-in-Bay on the 31st ult. The loss amounted to \$150,000 and was the work of an incendiary.

The ravages of the yellow fever at many localities are terrifying. The town of Canton, Miss., is turned into a hospital and grave yard.

It is stated that Senator Blaine will make two political speeches in John Woods district in Virginia; and three in Jesse Year's district in North Carolina.

MISS CLARA KELLOGG is still in Paris, but shortly expects to sail for New York. She is having a set of magnificent theatrical costumes made at Worth's.

The Odd Fellow's reunion, which was to have taken place on the second Tuesday in October at Chicago, has been postponed, owing to the yellow fever, to the first Tuesday in December.

From all parts of the country pecuniary and other means of relief for the sufferers from the yellow fever scourge are being sent forward to the several localities afflicted.

THOMAS and Louis A. Bigelow were arrested at Liverpool on the 27th ult., charged with robbing the Receiver General at Toronto, of \$50,000 in money and some Canadian bonds.

FIVE sisters of the Holy Cross, from St. Mary's, Indiana, have arrived at Deadwood, and will build a hospital for the care of the invalids in that portion of the Black Hills.

SECRETARY SHERMAN, on behalf of the Republicans, opened the political campaign in Ohio on the 26th ult. at Toledo. He mainly discussed the financial question in the presence of a large audience.

On the 28th ult., a serious accident happened to an excursion train near Lockwood, Michigan, on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, by the train jumping the track, and two coaches tumbling down an embankment, by which 35 persons were injured, several seriously, and three fatally.

From Berlin under date of Aug. 29th, it is stated that Russians and Bulgarians had a sanguinary fight at Samboli, because the Russians endeavored to stop maltreatment of Jews and Turks. Many Russians and Bulgarians were killed and wounded.

From St. Paul, Minn., under date of the 29th ult., we learn that the boilers of a steam thrasher exploded at New Lisbon, killing A. Schelling, Michael Winters, Geo. Lawrence, C. Schneider and Otto Fritz. One other person was mortally wounded.

Young Republicans take the lead in opening the political campaign in old Massachusetts. About 75 gentlemen at Boston on the 27th ult., were taking counsel together as to the best method of pushing aside the trading politicians of the state and supplying their places with better men.

PRESIDENT HAYES and family were cordially received by about one thousand of his former neighbors at the Fremont depot, Ohio, on the 31st ult. From there he will go to Chicago Monday on his western tour. The President and family had been invited to visit Yankton, D. T.

Quite a sensation was produced at Beatrice last week by a clique of land grabbers inducing the mayor of the city A. J. Hale to execute deeds for 300 city lots. The Mayor, rather than go through the process of a ducking offered him by the citizens, cancelled the deeds, and peace now reigns in the "State of Beatrice."

It is believed that Gen. Howard, at a recent meeting with the hostile Indians, has induced the chiefs to use their influence to bring to punishment the warriors who have been guilty of murder and other crimes. All the chiefs concur in the understanding to give up the animals, except chief stock, but all profess friendship, and a desire for peace.

The Bank of Concordia, Mo., was robbed of \$4,000 by two men. Two men stepped into the bank, one asked the cashier to change \$10, the other jumped over the counter and caught the cashier by the arm, placed one hand over his mouth, and pistols to his head, and compelled him to open the safe. The money secured by the robbers, mounted their horses and galloped off.

The Emperor of Austria extended a hearty welcome to Gen. Grant and Mrs. Grant on the 21st ult., and were entertained by the Emperor's family and dined with the Emperor in the evening. He was gratified with the marked attentions of the Emperor's household and the earnest endeavor shown to honor him as a citizen of the United States. The general expressed himself greatly pleased with Vienna; thinks it a charming city.

The Republicans of Douglas held their convention at Omaha last Saturday to appoint delegates to the State convention resulting in the selection of the following: Goodman, Ecker, Donge, Gunne, Roberts and Hascall. These delegates go to the state convention as we learn without any instructions, but it is understood that 14 out of the 17 delegates gave a banquet to the American delegates on the night of the 29th.

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It is stated that thieves are multiplying instead of diminishing in the Black Hills and on the surrounding plains. Reports of horses having been stolen come in from every quarter.

Our friend, Hon. Lorin Clark, of Albion, Boone county, has been spoken of as a candidate before the Republican State Convention, for the office of Treasurer. His friends throughout the State are not only numerous but ardent, and his nomination may be very confidently predicted. It has not been our custom to electioneer for nominations, but as we consider Mr. Clark as good as nominated, we may as well tell the readers of the JOURNAL what manner of man our next State Treasurer is. To say that his character is a happy combination of the three Jeffersonian requisites—faithfulness, honesty and capability—is but giving expression to the sentiment of all who know him. That he will be faithful and honest in receiving, caring for and disbursing the funds of the State, no one can doubt, and that he has the ability to comprehend the duties of his office, in all their bearings, can not for a moment be questioned. Besides being honest, faithful and capable, Mr. Clark possesses that other quality that the people in these days expect in their public servants, viz: a desire to please; a just and equal bearing as between sovereign serving, and sovereign served; a consciousness that there is a true interest to be sought to be sacredly fulfilled. If only such men as Mr. Clark were placed in office there would not be that clamor against officials, which is now almost universal.

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RESOLUTIONS. Unanimously Approved by the Teachers' Institute of Platte County.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Institute are due Supt. Barrett, State Supt. Thompson and Prof. Rakestraw, for their able instructions in the practical methods and details of school management; to Dr. Little, for his thorough and valuable assistance in developing the subject of physiology; to Dr. Higgins, Major Burgess, Mr. A. W. Crites and Prof. W. H. Scott, for their instructive lectures; and to all of them for the interest they have shown in our work, and the assistance they have afforded us in our studies; and that we hereby tender them our warmest thanks.

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Resolved, That in view of the benefits we have derived from this Institute, we commend them to the favorable consideration of those needing teachers as distinguished from others who are not sufficient pride and interest in their profession to avail themselves of its benefits.

Resolved, That whereas, Prof. Rakestraw has started the Central Normal School at Genoa, Neb., thereby providing for a much-needed want of the teachers of the State, and that we have personally acquainted with, and have full confidence in the ability of Prof. Rakestraw, we as an Institute, recommend the said institution to the people of the State for their co-operation and support, wishing it the success of which the entire cause is worthy.

Resolved, That copies of these resolutions be submitted to the local press for publication.

The following are the names of the teachers in attendance: Mary Clark, L. J. Cramer, Annie Gilbert, Eva Coffey, C. A. Brindley, Eva Dresser, R. A. Bixby, Jennie Daugherty, G. B. Darr, Ada Bingham, Lewis A. Hoopes, Julia Lee, Tina Ransdell, George Camp, Edna M. Johnson, J. M. Johnson, Libbie Crites, A. H. Burdick, Annie Bremer, R. S. Clark, Rose G. Rieckly, J. J. Mangham, Mary Hooper, E. M. Newman, Mary E. Hunt, Udell N. Clark, Bell Lisco, W. C. VanGilder, Elizabeth Taylor, Joshua Charles, Sarah Fitzpatrick, P. W. Henrich, Amy Stewart, J. B. Maguire, Mary Wiley, T. C. Fagen, Maria Jamison, T. R. Dickson, Nellie Mathews, J. H. Lynch, Lizzie Sewell, Jas. P. Sheaff, Jennie Field, Chas. P. Hoyt, Helen Bell, D. R. Robinson, Mrs. J. C. Thompson, Frank Hardy, Mrs. A. L. Langhain.

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Is it possible that the untried Democracy of this State are not going to follow our advice and make some show of resistance in the coming campaign? Even if they should be, in the contest, as those who work without any hope of immediate reward, it will be all the better for them to do something, as it will show to the Democracy to decide into believing that the cold, cold corpse once attached as a very live and lively body to the spirit of Jeffersonian democracy, is yet animated with some faint and perceptible portion of the self-same life.

Last week, when we called upon the Dem. Cen. Com. of this county to let the public know what had been done at their meeting on the 17th of August, we were not aware of what had been done at all, and were surprised to learn that some, at least one, unusual thing took place at that meeting, viz: that the Committee took it upon themselves to name the delegates to the State Convention, when there was plenty of time to call a county convention for that purpose. Who the "delegates" so selected, were, we do not know; doubtless they are very good men, but there are several or more members of the Democratic party of Platte county who are of the opinion that it is undemocratic, impolitic and unwise for a county central committee to select delegates to a State convention,—at least this year.

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they would be men of a different kind from themselves? It looks like it. In this connection our Democratic cotemporary tells us: "Bro. Turner is informed that his friend, A. W. Crites, constitutes just one-fifth of the Democratic committee, every member of which has as much to say as Mr. C. about how things shall be run. All well enough, so far as it goes, but pray tell us, does Mr. Crites' being one-fifth of a committee make him any less a man? How many of the fifteen committee men were present at that meeting on the 17th of last month? Which committee man made the proposition that their body select delegates to the State convention? What member of the committee, if any, opposed the proposition? Besides being given to the bull-dozing of democrats in Nebraska is different from bull-dozing black republicans in Louisiana.

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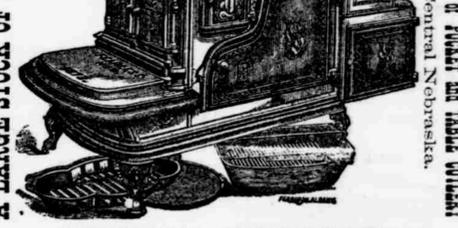
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