

The Canton Leader

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For President in 1904:
THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Republican State Ticket.

Presidential Electors
HENRY S. MORRIS Roberts county
H. H. GULSTINE Lake county
JOHN Q. ANDERSON Lyman county
G. R. EVANS Butte county

Congressmen
OHAS H. BURKE Hughes county
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SAMUEL H. ELROD Clark county

Lieutenant Governor
J. E. MCDUGALL Marshall county

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D. D. WIFF Hutchinson county

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C. B. COLLIN Brown county

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J. F. HALLIDAY Kingsbury county

Superintendent of Public Instruction
GEO. W. NASH Lincoln county

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C. J. BACH Turner county

Attorney General
PHILO HALL Brookings county

Railroad Commissioner
DR. W. G. SMITH Meade county

Circuit Judge
JOSEPH W. JONES Minnehaha county

Republican County Convention.

The Republican Convention for Lincoln County will be held at the Court House in Canton, S. D., at 9 o'clock p. m. on Saturday July 16, 1904, for the purpose of placing in nomination the following named officers:

One State Senator
Three Representatives
County Judge
Clerk of Courts
State Attorney
Sheriff
Treasurer
Auditor
Register of Deeds
Superintendent of Schools
Surveyor

and for the election of a County Central Committee, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before the said convention.

The basis of representation to the convention for each of the several precincts of the county shall be: One delegate at large and one for each twenty votes or major fraction thereof cast for the Hon. Charles N. Herrell, Republican candidate for Governor at the last general election. The several precincts will be entitled to representation as follows:

Canton City	7	Fairview	4
First Ward	6	Highland	6
Second Ward	6	Lincoln	4
Third Ward	6	Delaware	4
Fourth Ward	6	Canton township	5
Hudson	5	Lynn	5
Lennox	5	Grant	5
Working	3	Dayton	5
Fairview Village	3	LaValley	5
Harrisburg	3	Perry	5
Eden	3	Springdale	5
Norway	3	Delapere	3
Brookings	4	Total	114

The committee recommends that no proxies be allowed and that the delegates present cast the full vote.

The committee further recommends that caucuses be held in the various precincts Monday, July 11, 1904.

C. H. Cassell, Chairman.

Dated at Canton, S. D., May 31, 1904.

The veterans of the great war are with us this week. They are three welcome, and come to a town full of patriots and patriotism.

Lincoln county receives as its share of school money \$9,278. for the semi-annual apportionment, and the per capita will, it is expected, reach \$3.00 for the year. There are six counties in the state which report a greater number of school children than Lincoln. They are Brookings, Day, Hutchinson, Lawrence, Minnehaha and Turner. A reasonably good record for a small county like Lincoln.

Mitchell Bound to Win.

Fairview, S. D., June 30.

The sentiment in favor of Mitchell is growing stronger every day. Pierre was the first to scatter buttons broadcast and quite a few thought it was the popular thing to wear them. But today they are nearly a thing of the past, and every one (or nearly so) wears a Mitchell button. Many who were hollering for Pierre a month ago now wear the Mitchell button. Mitchell will be an easy winner this fall, and a great wrong will be made right.

A Lincoln Co. Tax Payer.

Norway Delegates.

At the republican caucus held in Norway township Tuesday evening to elect delegates to the county convention, the Norwegians determined that their candidate for register of deeds—John Sogn—should be accorded the privilege of naming the eight delegates to the county convention, and the following gentlemen were selected: C. T. Hegness, Bert Yetterness, Ben Stephenson, M. Gubrud, Haakon Thordsgaard, Paul Paulson, Alfred Tvedt and John Evanson.

South Dakota Mutuals.

A meeting of the Board of Underwriters of the South Dakota Mutual Insurance companies, was held in the office of President Rudolph of the State Mutual in this city, Monday. The following gentlemen were present: Chas. A. Howard, South Dakota Mutual, Aberdeen; H. P. Packard, Merchants, Redfield; J. O. Walrath and F. A. Christ, Commercial, Mitchell; L. S. Tyler, Retail Merchants, Sioux Falls; James Lewis, Canton, President Drug-gist Co., Lake Preston, and O. A. Rudolph of the State Mutual. The gentlemen named are active energetic business men, leading citizens of their respective localities, and have the welfare of their patrons at heart to the full limit of mutual success. The State Mutuals are doing a safe and growing business, because the people realize that they are doing a business that calls for protection and success on both sides.

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Grand Army Veterans Here

Nearly all the Prominent Grand Army Men of the State are Here this Week, and Canton Honors the Gray Haired Heroes.

Monday afternoon the advance guard of the Grand Army veterans—men who fought for country and flag from 1861 to 1865—began to arrive and were promptly received and cared for by the local committees. Among those who registered Monday were Hon. H. P. Packard and wife of Redfield; Department Commander Reed of Arlington; Gen. Sibley and wife of Mitchell; Warren Osborn and wife of Yankton; Major Pickler and wife, Faulkton; Gen. W. L. Palmer, Carthage; Jane A. Mason, President of the relief corps, Mead, Mason, secretary and Laura A. Brown, treasurer relief corps, all from Aberdeen. Col. Phil. Lawrence and wife of Huron, Gen. Wolgemuth Mitchell, and many other veterans who were scattered around town in private houses. Col. John Baker of Hermosa, and Col. Goddard, commandant of the soldiers home board held their annual meeting here.

Tuesday a goodly number of the veterans arrived and the boys were busy congratulating each other and renewing former relations. The field and staff officers were nearly as numerous as the privates but all barriers of rank seemed to fade away when records were compared.

Tuesday evening the opening camp fire was held in the Auditorium. Mayor Fitch welcomed the veterans to the city and extended its freedom to men who earned the right to march over the beautiful lawns in Washington if they wanted to. Department Commander Reed responded to the address of welcome. The Wendt Orchestra rendered several splendid selections during the evening. Comrade P. R. Bailey of Primghar, made a pleasant address and aroused considerable enthusiasm with his camp fire stories. Jane A. Mason of Aberdeen, President of the W. R. C. made a brief address.

The town was aroused Wednesday with the sharp clear sound of a cannon in command of Captain John Smith of Parker. There was no more sleep after Captain Smith and "Old Prohibition" began business. Many of the tired veterans would have preferred a six o'clock salute instead of 5 o'clock, but Captain Smith never sleeps on duty and as he couldn't get a bed he was up all night, hence a five o'clock salute was none too early.

The weather was fine and the brass buttoned gold braided heroes were around early. At 10 o'clock the Sioux Falls drum corps beat the long roll and how the boys did tumble into line and then the command marched to the Armory hall, when the election of officers followed. H. P. Packard of Aberdeen was elected department commander, Charles H. Barrett, of Sioux Falls, senior vice; H. C. Newmeyer, Alpena, junior vice; S. A. Boyles, Yankton, chaplain; V. T. Wilson, Hudson, surgeon in chief.

The W. R. C. elected the following officers: President, Ermina Carpenter, Watertown; Senior Vice, Jennie E. Nash, Canton; Junior Vice, Ella Roselle, Elk Point; Treasurer, Emma Humphrey, Watertown; Chaplain, Hattie M. Pay, Volga; Delegates to the National Encampment, Emma Sibley of Mitchell, Emma Thayer of Brookings, Lizzie Leavitt of Sisseton.

Mrs. General Logan and her niece, Miss Elizabeth Logan, arrived from the west Wednesday at 2 o'clock coming direct from Bigstone Lake. The veterans formed and marched to the depot in command of Gen. Wolgemuth of Mitchell and formed in open order to receive the distinguished lady, Dr. Swickard in behalf of the Assembly and a delegation of veterans met Mrs. Logan on the platform, and after receiving the congratulations of those interested in her reception, was escorted around the train where stood the veterans awaiting her arrival. Her reception was a magnificent testimonial of their love and esteem for her and the memory of her gallant husband. She shook hands with many as she passed through and talked to the "boys" as if she knew them all, in fact she was among men who claim her and love her as the living representative of one whom many present had served under in the bloody battles of the war. After passing through the ranks of the uncovered veterans. She was escorted to a carriage at the head of the line and driven to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Linn, where she and her charming and

beautiful niece, Miss Logan, remained during their stay in the city. In the afternoon Major Pickler came after Mrs. Logan and escorted her to Armory Hall where she was given a delightful reception by the W. R. C. and veterans. In the evening the gallant Pickler, an old friend of Mrs. Logan, called at the Linn home and again escorted Mrs. Logan to the Auditorium where a great big camp fire was burning brightly in the hearts of two thousand people assembled there to hear the orators and to meet and greet Mrs. Logan. At the conclusion of a magnificent patriotic address by Senator Gamble. Mrs. Logan was introduced by Major Pickler. She spoke briefly, tenderly and lovingly to the veterans, and their "God bless you" in response touched the heart of this noble woman as nothing had ever done before. At the conclusion of her address Major Pickler escorted her back to Mr. Linn's where she and Miss Logan enjoyed a much needed rest.

Hon. Sam Elrod followed Mrs. Logan and was accorded a magnificent reception. Governor to be—his just as good as elected—made a splendid impression. He is a fluent speaker and everybody enjoyed hearing him.

Comrade Bailey followed Governor Elrod, and Bailey is a first class camp fire enthusiast. He can tell stories, sing a song or lead in prayer. He was a gallant veteran and enjoys a camp fire. James Fatties sang a solo and the first part of the program passed. Major Pickler wanted the generals and colonels to tell the boys what battles they had fought in and all about their glorious deeds but there was a disposition to shrink this enjoyable part of the program which the real soldiers wanted. The real soldiers think they are entitled to as much consideration as the generals and colonels who were not in any battles. Major Pickler failed to bring out the war records and he kicked. An honest soldier is not afraid of his record, but when a fellow has no record he dislikes to say so. The camp fire concluded and the great audience scattered.

Tuesday morning the encampment held memorial service and then adjourned. It was one of the most successful and pleasant encampments ever held in the state. The next encampment will be held at Aberdeen.

NOTES.

K. O. Hammer, county treasurer of Charles Mix, came down with J. W. Hewitt to enjoy the encampment. Both are veterans and they found a hearty welcome among the boys.

Comrade James Madden of Worthing, was conspicuous among the veterans, and he is one of the veterans who has a record he is proud of. Comrades Madden, Gunderson, Parrshall and Voges called on Mrs. Logan Thursday morning and found her enjoying a good rest and had the pleasure of a most enjoyable chat with Miss Elizabeth Logan, and it's giving away no secret to say that every veteran fell in love with her. She is handsome, viva-

cious, tall and graceful and goes with Mrs. Logan everywhere.

H. D. Fitch of Hudson, was among the veterans enjoying the reunion with old comrades and having a good time in general, and Bro. Fitch knows how to make a comrade comfortable.

J. A. Fowles was another Hudson veteran who was a moving spirit in all the Grand Army.

Charles Barrett and Capt. Ludlow of Sioux Falls, were conspicuous among their comrades, and Bro. Barrett carried off the second position in the encampment election and was not a delegate.

Many were looking for Capt. Wheelock of Sioux Falls, but the big artilleryman didn't report.

H. J. Sanborn, Charlie Near and Walter Carr were among the veterans over from Hurley.

Bob Pierce, the big handsome justice of the peace was over from Bereford, and his brother Job, the most patient veteran in Lincoln county came along to help Robert hunt up his old comrades.

Charlie Voges of Lennox, came down to greet his comrades, and Charlie seemed the happiest and youngest of veterans.

Joe Warner was up from Hudson to help celebrate with his comrades, and he enjoyed the encampment.

We met many old friends during the encampment, but none more welcome than Byron E. Pay, whom we had not met since the famous legislative session of 1872, when he was Sergeant at Arms of the house of representatives, and was an active participant in the famous Pettigrew-McCook interview. Judge Gifford brought him into the office, but we couldn't place him or name until he said something about McCook, then we knew him. We told him how Martin Trygstad and the writer had discussed that famous session and we always wound up with the peace-loving disposition of Byron E. Pay.

The writer enjoyed a pleasant visit with Col. Goddard of the soldiers home this week. He brought as many messages from the veterans of the home which are appreciated. He reports Adjutant Smith serene and happy. Tom Tate fat and contented, Charlie Lake over in the hospital, John Harp, Jack Hughes, Orlando Wilsey, Chris Bickelheimer, Fritz Henroy, Capt. Wagner and Jim Knapp, as getting along nicely and always on hand for breakfast call.

J. W. Hewitt, once a leading and prominent citizen of Canton, came down from Charles Mix Tuesday to enjoy a visit with his old soldier comrades and visit his Canton friends. He walked into the LEADER office with a smile on a handsomely tanned face and said "ho-w" in Sioux. Mr. Hewitt is looking like a Cattle King and feels as happy as a Cattle Queen. He found a royal welcome in Canton.

A. J. Parrshall of Mitchell is in Canton enjoying a visit with his comrades. He was the first soldier to come to Dakota Territory to hunt up a home for a soldier and sailors colony. He came at a period when the country was new and settlers were few. Nothing on the Jim valley then above where Scotland is now. He is looking fine and feels happy.

Col. Jolley and Harvey Gunderson of Vermillion were among the distinguished arrivals Wednesday, and they are two of the noblest men we know—fair, just, honorable and patriots.

Senator Gamble and Hon. Sam Elrod, republican nominee for governor, met with a magnificent reception from soldiers and citizens.

Albert Stratton, former manager of the St. Croix lumber Co., now of Windom, Minn., came down to Canton to join the veterans in their annual celebration. Mr. Stratton is well and happy.

John R. Petrie of Chamberlain, was among the jolliest of the veterans at the encampment.

Most of the old soldiers left for their various homes Thursday.

Advertised Letters.

The following letters remained un-called for in the Canton postoffice on Saturday, June 25, 1904:

Emswiler, A. B.
Gulwick, Jennie

In calling for the above list please say advertised.

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From the regular price on above dates on 200 yards silk waistings. 50 patterns to select from.

<p>Regular 43c yard, for this sale will cost you only..... 35c.</p> <p>200 yards Black Taffeta Silk, 36 inches wide, regular price \$1.25 per yard. For this sale price will be 98c.</p> <p>100 yards White, Creme White and Black China Silks, regular price 60c a yard. For this sale..... 48c.</p> <p>These are very desirable for summer waists and dresses.</p> <p>200 yards best quality black Taffeta silks,</p>	<p>36 in. wide, for this sale prices will be \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 per yard.</p> <p>Best grade 19 in. black Taffeta, yd. 85c</p> <p>Best grade 22 in. black Taffeta, yd. \$1.00</p> <p>200 yards Peau De Soie and Peau De Cygne Silks. These are the best grade that money can buy; they are bought direct from the mills and our prices are right. For this sale prices range from..... \$1.15 \$1.60</p> <p>You will pay 40 per cent. more in the large cities for these silks.</p>
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H. E. Thayer, Prop.

CORRESPONDENCE

Harrisburg.

June 29 1904.

Newel Stoneback returned Thursday from Vermillion where he has been working.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hanna took the train here Monday for Mitchell.

Rev. Shurtlett is in Ben Clair assisting the local pastor in his meetings.

Miss Gertrude Redding, Mr. John Cogan and Miss Stella Beck are among those who are attending institute in Canton this week.

Ed. Wardwell and daughter Pearl left Thursday for a visit with relatives in Lodi, Wisconsin.

Mae Moody returned Friday from Sioux Falls where she has been visiting her aunt Mrs. H. B. Mills.

Geo. Sabin was in Canton Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. Shurtlett went to Canton to the Assembly this week.

Ole and Hep Swartz were in Sioux Falls between trains Saturday.

Mrs. Haywood who has been very sick, is improving at this time.

Prof. M. A. O'Connor was in Canton Tuesday.

The cistern by the windmill was finished Tuesday and new a force pump put in.

W. J. Byrnes and wife were in Sioux Falls Tuesday.

Dan Cheney was a Sioux Falls visitor Monday.

The Harrisburg ball team went to Shindlar Saturday and were defeated 10-11. The game was a good one after the first inning in which Shindlar scored 7 runs. Batteries Harrisburg: Campbell and Robinson; Shindlar: Lu-becker and Anderson.

A mistake was made in last weeks correspondence in regard to change in church services. There will be services every other Sunday morning at 10 o'clock instead of every Sunday morning as stated in last weeks correspondence.

The aid society met Thursday with Mrs. E. J. Darling.

School of Dressmaking.

I will instruct classes in the new perfection system of waist cutting, skirt cutting by the "infallible" skirt rule, jacket and coat cutting by the "New Century" jacket method, embodying the latest ideas in ladies tailoring. These systems are up-to-date and easily learned. Pupils join any time.

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