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REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Secretary of State, W. M. McFARLAND. For Auditor of State, S. G. MCCARTHY.

CONGRESSIONAL TICKET.

J. A. T. HULL, of Polk.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Judges, W. F. CONRAD, W. A. SPURRIER, C. F. HOLMES, T. F. STEVENSON.

TOWNSHIP TICKET.

Des Moines, Justices of the Peace, EUGENE L. BLAKE, L. J. SILVANA.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

The republican comes again before the people of Iowa with every promise performed and every prophecy fulfilled.

mugwump senator but they can never elect him.

The passage of a bill to establish a home for aged Negroes in Washington from a part of the unclaimed funds due the estates of Negro soldiers has encouraged Representative Murray, of South Carolina, to propose that the balance of the fund shall be used to build schools for his race.

The Trades Assembly has passed some more resolutions and recommended to Postmaster Hunter the names of F. M. Hunter and W. W. Pattee for any place within his gift.

EMANCIPATION CELEBRATIONS.

The first day of August will long be remembered by the colored people of Muchakinoek, Evans, Fishville, Keokuk, Marshalltown, Newton, Iowa City, Knoxville, Grinnell, Pekay, Des Moines, Boone and other points in Iowa.

The Evans band discoursed sweet music, which had a tendency to inspire and enthrall the hearts all present.

The base ball game between Evans and Muchakinoek attracted considerable attention and was hotly contested throughout.

Following the entertainment came the grand ball and many there were who engaged in tripping the "light fantastic toe."

COLORED PEOPLE CELEBRATE.

The colored people of Des Moines county celebrated the emancipation of West India slaves with a big barbecue at Bon's Park.

Topeka, Kan., has two physicians of color, three newspapers, The State Ledger, Call and Blackman—all good papers.

IOWA'S OLD SOLDIERS

A SHORT SKETCH OF THEIR TRIALS AND TRIBULATIONS BEFORE AND AFTER DOING GENEROUS SERVICE FOR THE COUNTRY.

A Roster of the Names of a Few Polk County Veterans—The List to be Made Complete by Adding the Names of All Iowa Colored Soldiers.

The Negro soldier began with the history of the United States in its first war and his services has continued to adorn the pages of history.

The first fatal collision occurred March 3, 1770, between British soldiers and American patriots and was known as "the Boston Massacre."

The war of 1812 was of much shorter duration and Negro soldiers were in demand before its close.

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NORTHERN NEGRO VOTE

ITS IMPORTANCE IN THE NORTH—AS VIEWED BY A SOUTHERNER.

Republican States Should Pay More Attention to the Negro.

From the Charleston News and Courier. Many of the Northern States owe their Republican majorities to their Negro voters.

DEATH OF THOMAS S. WRIGHT.

A telegram last Friday announced the sudden and unexpected death of Thomas S. Wright in New York City.

Thos. S. Wright was born in Keosauqua, Van Buren county, Iowa, in 1845.

After returning from his bridal trip, Mr. Wright formed a law partnership with Mr. Thomas F. Withrow.

This partnership continued as the firm of Withrow & Wright until 1872.

After the death of Mr. Thos. S. Wright, general counsel, in 1893, he became general counsel for the Rock Island road.

WILLING TO WORK HARD.

From the Bondurant Times. While in Des Moines Wednesday morning we had the pleasure of grasping the hand of our friend Thad. Ruff.

The value of advertising. A wealthy man endeavored to show that fortune was made to those who advertise.

GLASS OF FASHION.

SUMMER COSTUMES FOR WOMAN'S WEAR.

White Pique Gown is in Town—A Novel Dinner Gown—A New English Walking Hat—General News of the Modes.

The White Pique Pelisse Again. Now is the period when the white pique pelisse flourishes once again.

A Novel Dinner Gown. Here is a dinner gown which is a dream of beauty. It is strictly new also, which lends it distinction.

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them at their hotel. During the visit the newly-married man, who, by the way, was a long time a bachelor, rang the bell to order some wine.

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Sell Their Hair.

"Do we have many girls come to sell their hair?" Well, I should say so; but we don't make a business of buying on account of the risks we would have to run.



belt is of black velvet and fastens a green moire tab and tinsel buckle. Bands of black velvet with the moire tabs and steel give a touch of novelty to the full sleeve.

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