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## SHAW BY SIXTY THOUSAND.

The Denison Statesman Re-elected by a Big Increased Plurality.

## REPUBLICAN GAINS IN CRAWFORD.

Democrats Elect All The County Officials.—Largest Republican Vote in The History of Crawford County.—Gives Renewed Courage For Next Year.



Iowa has again nobly responded to the call of patriotism. 60,000 is Governor Shaw's plurality, a magnificent endorsement of a magnificent administration. New York, Ohio, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, South Dakota are all in the republican column and even old Kentucky repudiates the corrupt methods upheld by Bryan by electing a republican governor. Mississippi, Nebraska and Crawford county have gone democratic. The result in Crawford is a glorious moral victory although every democratic candidate was elected. The lies and the liars by which a majority of 729 was rolled up against Shaw two years ago was reduced 430. The people have learned that Gov. Shaw is a great man, a broad-minded man and the tremendous majority of over 200 given him right here in Denison where he is best known indicate his popularity. Let no republican grieve over the results, the battle was fought nobly and the result is a republican gain in nearly every precinct. The truth is gaining ground, it takes time to overcome prejudices, but the time is coming, coming quickly when the right shall triumph even in old Crawford.

The democratic leaders have seen defeat staring them in the face, they have seen the handwriting on the wall and they know that the gains of this year are but a prelude of the victory of 1900. In another year the Philippine question will be settled, the bug bear of imperialism will be laid to rest and the issue of free silver will be fairly before the people, with such a battle there can be no doubt of a republican victory.

The gang may well say "Another such a victory and we are undone." Nearly everyone of the ring candidates ran behind his ticket, while every republican candidate received hearty endorsement from his home precincts.

What are the practical results? Crawford county is to have a change in the legislature for the next session. The chances for Denison to gain the location of a state normal are reduced fifty per cent. The board of supervisors will become a mere machine to carry out partisan plans, the county attorney's office will be an additional expense to the county. This is the price we are to pay for democratic ring rule. We made these prophecies. Mr. Blume will not succeed in getting any measure, other than a legalizing act through the legislature; he will not even get a bill reported favorably by a committee; Mr. O'Hare will be the most expensive county attorney the county ever had, the board of supervisors will be the most unsatisfactory the county ever

had. These are mere prophecies, but we firmly believe that a years time will prove their correctness.

We wish to congratulate the republicans and independent democrats of the county upon the aggressive fight made. Republicans held firm all along the line, and it takes real bravery to fight against such odds. The republican vote is nearly two hundred greater than ever before in the history of the county in a non-presidential election. Chairman Nicholson is also to be congratulated on the clean, manly and effective way in which he managed the campaign.

Bell and Myers having had but one term lead the democratic ticket, this cannot be considered as a personal defeat for their opponents as both received handsome endorsements from their home precincts and as neither made an active personal canvass throughout the county.

Dr. J. J. McWilliams and Gustav Rabe made magnificent runs. The fact that they were nearly 200 ahead of the ticket speaks for itself. No republican candidate need feel ashamed or aggrieved at the results.

The moral victory is with the republicans and courage only is needed for material victory next year.

### SHAW'S GREAT MEETING.

The campaign is over but the memory of the great Shaw meeting in Denison will live for many months to come. Every inch of space in the opera house was taken. The stage was crowded and still there was not room enough to hold the crowd. Gov. Shaw was introduced by Hon. P. E. C. Lally and his speech was listened to with the very closest attention. The Governor gave a clear cut review of the issues of the campaign, but his speech was greatly curtailed by the anxiety of all to be on time to meet the soldier boys.

The ovation Gov. Shaw received from the people of Denison was a great one, but it was only a forerunner of the greater ovation given him at the polls when two out of every three men in the city voted for him. Denison is proud of the governor and the governor has every reason to be proud of Denison and his loyal friends.

The campaign of slander carried on against Shaw two years ago has been rebuked.

Denison gave over 200 majority. Will the hardware editor of the Bulletin put that in his plug and chew it?

We are sorry to learn that our friend J. O. Bradley is very sick and is not recovering as rapidly as could be wished.

The Bulletin estimated the majority in Crawford county as 800 for White. Pretty good guess, wasn't it?

A report went over the wires this afternoon that Ohio had gone republican by 60,000 and Kentucky by 6,000. Whoop-er-up boys.

The people answered those questions at the polls. In every township where Denison English papers circulate to any extent there were large republican gains.

Theodore McCraner and wife, of Missouri, are visiting relatives in Denison this week. They are old residents of Crawford county, and have numerous friends who are pleased to meet them.

Mrs. L. Cornwell is said to be quite sick.

Mrs. C. F. Kuehne has been suffering from an attack of tonsillitis this week.

Mrs. Wm. Shives returned last week from a visit with her sister in St. Louis. She also visited her old home in Montgomery county, Illinois, during her absence, and enjoyed a hearty greeting from her friends.

## Unofficial Returns Crawford County Election, Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1899.

OFFICERS VOTED FOR,	TOWNSHIP	Union	Washington	Nashborough	Boyer	Hays	East Boyer	Denison	Denison—1st Ward	Denison—2d Ward	Denison—3d Ward	Paradise	Willow	West Side Precinct	Vail Precinct	Goodrich	Hancock	Cherokee	Jackson	Stockholm	Other Creek	Morgan	Soldier	Total	Plurality
<b>For Governor of State:</b>																									
Leslie M. Shaw, R.	37	193	84	159	66	33	62	91	157	102	155	83	57	68	87	84	41	153	85	85	43	28	17	1963	289
F. E. White, D.	125	133	87	149	70	39	70	80	154	98	136	84	60	66	109	111	109	158	85	86	43	32	18	2252	
M. W. Atwood																									
Charles A. Lloyd																									
M. J. Kremer																									
C. C. Hancock																									
<b>For Lieutenant Governor of State:</b>																									
I. C. Millman																									
M. L. Bevis																									
George Pugsley																									
S. M. Harvey																									
Michael Bronner																									
J. F. R. Leonard																									
<b>For Judge of Supreme Court:</b>																									
John C. Sherwin																									
A. Van Wagenen																									
H. F. Johns																									
C. H. Lindley																									
F. W. Darner																									
<b>For Supt. Public Instruction:</b>																									
Richard C. Barrett																									
B. P. Holst																									
C. Wirth																									
Mrs. E. Pardee Travis																									
W. C. Pidgeon																									
<b>For Railroad Commissioner:</b>																									
Edward A. Dawson																									
W. H. Calhoun																									
A. B. Wray																									
Robert L. Dunning																									
N. Heisel																									
C. Z. Lindley																									
<b>For Representative:</b>																									
Dr. J. J. McWilliams	38	198	85	154	70	39	70	80	154	98	136	84	60	68	87	92	46	177	33	91	42	28	25	2919	125
Theo. Blume	130	121	94	145	45	94	61	86	44	88	101	84	35	32	59	116	110	108	135	78	51	91	108	77	2144
E. T. Bidlack																									
<b>For Treasurer:</b>																									
C. E. Price	32	108	82	146	65	39	61	89	151	95	142	79	54	68	130	96	43	39	149	33	95	41	28	18	1873
Theo. Kuhl	127	214	94	150	50	86	68	86	48	94	100	88	40	61	77	110	113	111	163	80	49	92	112	84	2233
L. M. Bohart																									
<b>For Sheriff:</b>																									
A. C. Beers	45	222	80	115	60	32	54	81	133	78	123	68	52	65	83	79	40	33	147	30	85	40	28	19	1823
Henry Bell	110	100	88	185	35	94	74	85	65	109	116	99	42	65	83	129	115	115	171	84	56	91	112	82	2382
George Theobald																									
<b>For Supt. of Schools:</b>																									
E. S. Blimpson	31	176	80	143	63	30	58	80	134	89	128	75	50	62	80	75	41	37	146	29	85	49	28	19	1798
A. G. Myers	127	140	94	157	56	95	71	87	64	97	116	92	38	66	109	134	112	112	166	84	57	91	112	83	2296
Miss Maria Carson																									
<b>For Attorney (to fill vacancy):</b>																									
Cyrus Beard	180	86	145	148	63	30	57	61	146	100	141	77	53	67	88	83	43	40	155	25	90	48	28	20	1887
S. V. O'Hare	127	157	95	148	50	35	73	85	51	85	96	87	39	68	108	119	111	109	136	81	52	91	112	82	2155
Mrs. P. W. Harding																									
<b>For Surveyor:</b>																									
Morris McHenry	34	187	89	144	65	32	66	80	140	102	140	81	59	65	89	92	48	44	153	29	102	44	30	18	1950
H. Huntington	124	128	90	160	52	92	61	86	52	84	98	87	39	65	112	115	108	103	156	82	41	91	110	83	2214
Harry Johnson																									
<b>For Coroner:</b>																									
W. B. Evans	32	176	89	163	64																				