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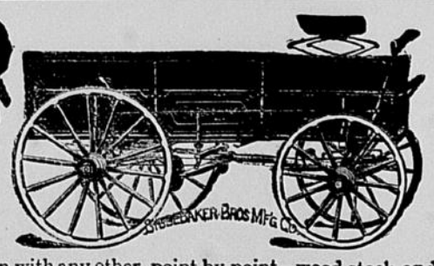

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REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

A delegate convention of the Republicans of Crawford County is hereby called to meet in the Opera house, Denison, Iowa on

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 10TH.

at 11 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following county offices towit:

County Auditor
County Clerk of District Court
County Recorder
County Attorney
County Supervisor to succeed John Holland

and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said convention; unless otherwise ordered by precinct committeemen it is recommended that caucuses be held on the evening preceeding the convention.

All precincts that have not selected their committeemen for the ensuing year should do so at this caucus. The basis for representation will be one delegate for each precinct and one delegate for each (15) votes or major fraction thereof cast for Hon. A. B. Cummins Governor in November 1903. Precincts are entitled to representation as follows:

Townships	Votes	No. of Delegates
Iowa	29	3
Nishnabotny	153	11
Washington	73	6
Union	130	10
Boyer	49	4
Hays	49	4
East Boyer	52	4
Denison	49	4
Denison 1st Ward	127	9
Denison 2nd Ward	112	8
Denison 3rd Ward	165	12
Paradise	75	6
Willow	49	4
West Side Precinct	62	5
Vail Precinct	90	7
Milford	77	6
Goodrich	46	4
Hanover	41	4
Charter Oak	150	11
Jackson	46	4
Stockholm	75	6
Kiron Precinct	60	5
Schleswig Precinct	45	4
Morgan	23	3
Soldier	30	3
Total		137

E. F. TUCKER, Secretary
W. M. MCLENNAN, County Chairman.

STATEMENT
Of the Condition of Crawford County State Bank.

Organized under the laws of Iowa, located at Denison, in the county of Crawford, at the close of business on the 4th day of Aug., A. D. 1904, made to the Auditor of State as required by law:

ASSETS

Amount of Bills, bonds and other evidences of debt discounted or purchased actually owned by the bank (carried out)		$458,505.65
Amount of cash on hand described as follows:		
Gold coin	$ 3,525.00	
Silver coin and bullion	651.91	
Legal tender and national bank notes and subsidiary coin	9,723.71	
Drafts and checks on other solvent banks and other cash items not dishonored, on hand and belonging to the bank	838.74	14,749.36
Amount subject to be drawn at sight on deposit with solvent banks or bankers (specifying names and locations of banks):		
Commercial National B'k, Chicago	17212.17	
Kountze Bros., New York	12830.92	
First National Bank, Co. Bluffs, Iowa	26211.37	
Co. Bluffs Savings Bank	3697.82	59,952.28
Overdrafts		21,507.09
Value of real property (owned by the bank)	10,000.00	
Value of personal property (owned by bank)	5,000.00	15,000.00
Total Assets		$569,714.38

LIABILITIES:

Amount of capital stock actually paid up in cash		$100,000.00
Total amount due depositors, as follows:		
Amount sight deposits	$196,977.74	
Amount time deposits	259,942.23	456,919.97
Indebtedness of every kind, due banks, bankers, or persons other than regular depositors		
Bills payable		None
Rediscounts		None
Due Clearing House		None
Amount of undivided profits, as follows:		
Surplus fund		
Other profits on hand (after deducting taxes and expenses)		12,794.41
Total Liabilities		$569,714.38
Amounts of all liabilities to the bank on part of its directors:		
As borrowers	none	
As endorsers	none	

STATE OF IOWA } SS
Crawford County }

We, George Naeve, vice-president, and M. E. Jones, Cashier of the bank above named, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement is full, true and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief, that the assets therein set forth are bona fide the property of said bank in its corporate capacity; and that no part of the same has been loaned or advanced to said bank for the purpose of being exhibited as a portion of its assets.

George Naeve, Vice President
M. E. JONES, Cashier.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence by George Naeve, vice president, and M. E. Jones, cashier, this 10th day of August, 1904.

[SEAL] ALBERT HELSLEY, Notary Public.

Attested By:
GEO. NAEVE,
J. P. CONNER,
CHAS. TABOR, } Directors

In the Gloaming.

"Oh, don't mind me," rejoined the bacillus of the kiss. "I am quite accustomed to moving in the dark, you know."

Glad Consent.

"Mother, may I be in the swim?"
"Yes, my darling daughter.
Your father's got ten millions, so
We positively oughter."
—Lippincott's Magazine.

The Kiron Chronicle

Esther Anderson has spent the past two weeks visiting at the Alf Selander home near Denison.

Bert McKim and Elmer Winans of Deloit are doing the foundation and mason work for the Burrows new residence.

Last week two farm transactions took place in our midst. Fred Quade purchased an eighty from Henry Girman for one hundred dollars per acre and Mrs. Christina Anderson sold her farm to Henry Girman for the same price. The deals were closed by E. E. Clausen.

Rev. N. Wicksell went to St. Joe, Mo last week to arrange for his moving here.

Mrs. M. E. Wahl visited the burg of Ricketts on Tuesday last week.

Miss Hattie Engquist returned to her home in Harcourt on Wednesday after an extended stay in this locality the guest of Rev. J. A. Benander and wife.

Rev. G. Nyquist and C. F. Clauson spent the forepart of the week at Galva, Iowa assisting Rev. Oberg in his tent meeting which he is conducting there.

Mrs. Mamie Johnson from Chicago is spending a week or more at her parental home. Her many friends are glad to greet her.

Mrs. Philip Conrade of Odebolt is spending this week among her relatives and friends in and near Kiron.

Rev. C. W. Petersen late of Centerville, Iowa, preached at the Mission church in the absence of Rev. N. Wicksell.

G. A. Norelius and wife and daughter Neva are enjoying a trip and sight seeing in North Dakota and Minnesota.

Fred Bugge of Denison visited relatives near Kiron a couple of days last week.

Threshing has commenced and the yield of grain threshed is very satisfactory.

Rudolph Nordell returned home to Kiron Friday from his summers stay at Redfield, S. D.

Several new houses will go up in Kiron before the year rolls out, built by parties who expect to move to town.

Among those who soon will be residents of our town we mention Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson, Mrs. S. A. Palm, Mrs. M. Berggren.

Mrs. Gust Schlottfeldt and baby visited at Schleswig last Sunday at her parental home.

John Mauritz returned Saturday from a business trip to Denison.

A Democratic caucus was announced to be held at the Bauman Kranz Lumber office on Saturday evening to select delegates to the county convention. Not a man turned out. Seemingly no interest is taken in the cause.

Our town will soon see some improvements in cements walks and tile crossings. Quite a number will have the cement walks put in.

From the last week's Schleswig Leader we glean the following item: Messrs. Stone and Lundberg of Kiron were in Schleswig Tuesday making arrangements for a big sale of Duroc Jersey Red and Jersey White boars. The sale will be held near the Schleswig stock yards under a tent Saturday Oct. 1, 1904.

Don't forget that on Wednesday next week the 24th is the Harvest excursion to Lake View. Special train to leave Kiron Wednesday morning at 8:50. The lake is a most pleasant and agreeable place to spend a day at and especially at this time of the year. A big crowd of our people are going who intend to take a day off from work and worry and enjoy a day of rest and pleasure. A brass band will accompany the party.

The Kiron Brass Band has been engaged to furnish the music at the Odebolt carnival which is to be held there next week.

Supervisor Schroeder spent a portion of Saturday near Kiron investigating the cut out of the road near C. J. Larson's southwest of town. Some land must be used belonging to Mr. Larson for the fill in and as the price of the land could not be agreed upon, Mr Seelander appointed Swan Mauritz, Fred Schurke and Chas. Schultz as appraisers of the land to be used.

Alf. J. Clausen shipped two fine male pigs to South Dakota on Tuesday. They were of the Red Duroc type. Mr. C. is the most successful breeder and shipper of this breed and has improved his herd with the best strains so as to compete at the top with fine hogs.

Rev. J. M. Elmquist from Chicago will be in Kiron this week and will preach at the Mission church on Wednesday evening.

Reptiles.

Reptiles seek the light, but independently of heat. In winter they often leave comfortable and warm retreats to seek the sunlight.

What Toads Eat.

In one toad's stomach have been found 77 thousand leg worms, in another 37 tent caterpillars, in another's 65 gypsy moth caterpillars and in yet another's 65 army worms. Thirty large caterpillars have been fed to a toad in less than three hours.

Goodrich News.

L. F. Morris was a Denison visitor on Friday.

Messrs Cose and Johnson and their wives visited at Eddie Brogden's Sunday.

L. F. Morris and wife and Miss Lovicie Samuel Anderson and wife, S. D. Newton and wife and Miss Sadie, visited at A. D. Winey's on Sunday.

Mrs. Flint and Miss Elsie Beaman visited at Watt Winkinson's Sunday.

Anna Marquardt visited at Abbie Hollander's Sunday.

Chas. Schmidt and wife were visitors at her parents on Sunday.

Emma Bath visited with the Misses Marquardt Sunday.

The friends and relatives gathered at the Ullrich home Wednesday evening to celebrate the occasion of Mrs. Ullrich's fortieth birthday.

Henry Marquardt sold hogs to Henry Hansen of Schleswig Wednesday.

Mrs. Carl Winey was a Deloit shopper on Monday.

Mrs. Albert drove down to Denison on Friday.

Bettie Smith visited at her brother Henry's on Wednesday.

The L. A. S. will give a dinner at the home of Mrs. S. D. Newton Friday, Aug 26. Mrs. Newton will serve everybody. Come and bring your needle and thimble.

News About Deloit.

Mrs. Laura Walsh and her little niece, J. N. Turner's little daughter, were in Omaha last week, where the little girl was having her eye treated by a specialist.

G. S. Jordan and wife returned Saturday from a very pleasant trip west.

Mrs. A. L. Fink and little son went to Laurel, Neb., last Friday to visit relatives.

N. H. Brogden and wife visited at the C. J. Cose home on Friday.

Sam Lentz and wife and Mrs. John Lentz and Mrs. Ida Steele of Sac Co., visited with relatives at this place last week.

The Arion base ball nine played the Deloit boys Saturday. The game stood 5 to 24 in favor of the Deloit boys.

Mrs. E. A. McKim and her cousins, Daniel and Mary Smith, visited in Odebolt last week. Mrs. McKim returned home Saturday.

Mrs. J. B. Worley attended the Loom End Sale at the "Boys" Wednesday.

Al. Schuler and wife of S. McAlister, I. T., was in town Wednesday.

W. E. Campbell and wife were in Denison the most of the past ten days assisting in caring for his father, who was seriously ill. We learn that Mr Campbell passed away on last Friday afternoon. The family have our sincere sympathy in the sad bereavement.

Mrs. C. J. Hunt and sons went to Glidden Friday to visit a couple of weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. Duckett.

An ice cream social was held at the Huckstep home Friday evening, the proceeds to go on Rev. Morgan's salary. There was a large attendance present.

West Denison News

Mrs. T. Norris and son left Tuesday last for a visit with relatives and friends in Missouri.

We are pleased to learn that George Powell, who has been seriously ill, is now on the road to recovery.

Herman Boger and family spent last Friday afternoon in Denison.

Miss Eddy, who visited her friend, Mrs. Buesing a few days last week, returned to her home near Dow City.

Nellie Pollock visited at the Institute in Denison last Thursday.

A. Whipkey and wife were business visitors in Denison last Wednesday.

Clarence and Ethel Chamberlin of Denison spent last week visiting at the Owens' home.

Chas. Smith returned from Chicago last Thursday, having made a brief visit there.

Mr. McGrin of Denison visited with his son Tom one day last week.

Frank Gibson of Denison and Miss Inez Brooks visited at the home of F. Buesing last Sunday.

John and Henry Evers were guests at the Atzen home in Hanover township last Sunday.

Mrs. D. F. Bryan of Paradise township visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs Geo. Powell last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Buesing and family visited with friends in Schleswig last week.

Buck Grove Letter.

Mollie Grimm went to Dow City Saturday where she visited with her sister, Mrs. Willis Wiggins, returning home Sunday evening.

It is quite time there was a new roof on the Catholic church. When the ladies went to clean it Friday they were shocked to see the pews on the north side literally covered with mud. The severe rain last Monday night had beat in so hard that it carried all the dust and dirt it came in contact with down with it, and the interior of the church was a sight to look at let alone to clean it.

Andrew Miller, wife and daughter, Susie, came home from their Sioux City trip Monday. They were well pleased with their visit.

James Griffin, of Neola, visited friends and relatives here last Sunday, returning home Monday.

Salem Towne, after a week's visit in Wagner, S. D., returned Wednesday. He left for his home in Denison Thursday.

Miss Horten, of Dedham, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Fowler, for a few days.

The Methodists of this place held a Sunday School picnic in Washington Park last Thursday. The day was an ideal one and every one present enjoyed a good time, the old as well as the young folks.

Mr. W. V. Whaley, of Dow City, transacted business here Thursday and incidentally took in the picnic for awhile.

Mrs. J. P. Welch and Mrs. Bonney spent a very pleasant afternoon last Wednesday with Mr and Mrs. Howard Towne. Mr and Mrs. Williams are still there, but expect to leave for the south soon.

Miss Mollie Griffin has gone to Warsaw, Neb., to visit her sister Mrs Jess Bennett. She will be absent a couple of weeks.

Miss Julia Rusterhultz has recovered from her illness and is again at her post of duty in L. W. Hagan's store. Her many friends are glad to see her again.

Mrs. Minnie Gable and daughter Ruth, of Wagner, S. D., are visiting Howard Towne's family for a few days.

Dr. Bonney, after a two months trip, came home Wednesday. He left again on Monday and will not be back for a month. The doctor is looking and feeling quite well.

Martin Miller, with his sister Susie, drove to Denison Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Towne, and Mrs. Gable visited friends near Deloit Friday.

Saka Carpenter is attending institute in Denison. She spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. John Kepford of Ames, is visiting friends here. She was called to the bedside of her brother, Tel Tillett, who lies dangerously ill at his home southwest of here.

Mrs. Cal Carpenter and son, left Saturday for a month's visit with her parents at Krosovqua. Cal looks very lonely these days.

Jess Wiley of Dow City was in town on business Saturday. Jess likes to get back to Buck Grove every once in a while, as do all the old time residenters.

Dow City News.

Mr. Cummins of Arion was seen on our streets Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jo. Brewster of Washington township was in town Tuesday in company with their daughter Mabel, who was on her way to Denison to take in the graduating exercises.

Mr. Isaac Scott made a flying trip to Denison one day last week.

Mr. E. R. Pierce visited at the Dow City bank on Tuesday.

Leslie M. Poitevin, accompanied by his mother was transacting business at the county seat Wednesday.

W. C. Rolls had business at Denison on Tuesday.

Mr. J. N. Leslie was at the county seat Wednesday.

J. H. Woodruff of Denison was shaking hands with old friends in our town on Wednesday.

S. J. Woodruff of Denison was in town Tuesday looking after the interests of the butter factory at Denison.

William V. Butler went to Omaha on Tuesday to enter St. Joseph's hospital for a surgical operation. The operation was performed Thursday and we understand that he is getting along nicely.

James Spence, section foreman on the Illinois Central at Deloit, was in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Riddle came in on the two o'clock train from Denison Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Corwin passed through our town Saturday on their way from Dunlap to Dedham, Iowa.

Miss Ruth McHenry came home from Denison Friday, where she had been attending Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Leach started from Dow City Wednesday for Minneapolis, Minnesota, for a visit with a brother of Mrs. Leach.

Robert Bell got off the train here Friday returning from Denison.

Mr. John Ford died a few days ago a few miles south of town. He was a brother-in-law of Charles Justice, and had been an invalid for several months. The funeral services were held at the house and were conducted by Rev. Varley, of the M. E. church. Interment was made in the Dow City cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cross of Galland's Grove was transacting business in town Thursday.

Geo. S. Jordan and wife left the first of the week for Council Bluffs where they will start for an extended visit to Boston and perhaps the New England States.

G. W. Langley and wife had business in Dunlap Friday.

Carl Nickelson of Carroll arrived in town Saturday.

W. E. Dow started for Council Bluffs Saturday.

Mrs. Roger Paul arrived on the two o'clock train Thursday. She was accompanied by her two little daughters and also by a friend, Mrs. Jacob Saar. She had been visiting at Glidden.

Bert Stone and wife, of Tama City, arrived in town Saturday for a visit at the Frank Stone home in this city.

W. E. Fishel had special business at Denison once or twice this week.

Mrs. Henry Kent arrived home Friday after a visit with friends in Wisconsin.

Janet Rae started Saturday to spend some time in Glidden.

Mrs. Ross Poe of Woodbine came up Saturday to visit at the Brewster home in Pretty Prairie.

Next Friday is the day appointed for the great picnic at Dow City. The Odd Fellows will have a big time in the grove and we suppose everybody else will come and bring his best girl.

Arion News Letter

Too late for last issue.

Fred Eggers returned from Chicago where he spent a few days.

John Kepford was greeting Arion friends on Saturday.

Sears and Charlie McHenry took supper at the home of Dr Coon Wednesday.

The contract to build the new church was let on Saturday night to Mr. Trion of Manilla, he being the lowest bidder. Work will begin at once.

Arion is soon to have water works. The necessary surveys and levels have been made and work will be pushed. The reservoir will be placed on a high hill on the land of W. W. Coon adjoining the town sight, and the elevation is 153 feet above the streets in town, thus affording ample pressure for fire protection.

J. B. Johnson was in town on Wednesday looking up land buyers for Canada land.

Dr. Wright passed through town on Saturday returning from Dow City where he went to see Tell Tillett, who is very low and is not expected to recover.

Abe and Charley Hart, two of Charter Oak's prosperous farmers, were in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Hoke, for so long night operator at the tower, has resigned his position and will take a good day job on the Milwaukee. We are indeed sorry to have Mr. Hoke leave us as he is a very competent and trustworthy young man, and a general favorite with every one.

W. N. Schouten was an Arion visitor on Saturday.

Jake Michels returned from South Dakota on Saturday where he had been to look at the land he recently traded for. He reports drouth in parts of the state, and says many fields of wheat will not be harvested.

Dr. Coon was appointed a member of the town council on Friday night to fill the vacancy caused by the removal of Mr Barnard, who removed to Ute.

J. N. Lee is putting in cement walks around the Evans property where Rev. Bashford lives.

Dr. Coon was called to Charter Oak on professional business Monday.

Mesdames Matlack and Clark were Omaha visitors on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barsby were visitors at the Stilson home on Wednesday, returning to Dunlap on Thursday.

C. W. Underhill spent Sunday neath the parental roof.

THE CORN IS TASS'LING OUT.

There is music in the breezes
As they rustle through the corn,
There is grandeur in the sunrise
As it dries the dew each morn;
There is gladness 'mongst the people
And the farmers fairly shout—
There is always joy in Iowa,
When the corn is tass'ling out!
There is singing in the hayfield
And along the dusty roads,
Where the farm boys drive the wagons
With their fresh and fragrant loads;
The housewives sing so gayly
As their tasks they go about—
There is heaps of joy in Iowa,
When the corn is tass'ling out!
Over yonder in the stack yard
Rise the swelling yellow cones,
And the stackers toil and listen
For the dinner bell's sweet tones.
While they laugh and greet each other
With a lusty ringing shout—
There's a pile of joy in Iowa,
When the corn is tass'ling out!
And the waving, nodding tassels
Tell a story short, but true,
Of the happy times a-coming,
Of the debts a-coming due;
How we'll meet 'em all and pay 'em,
Every one without a doubt—
There's prosperity in Iowa
When the corn is tass'ling out.
—John Dalton, Manson Democrat.

In Spite of Virtue.

It was a pious carpenter,
His name was Jonas Price;
Although he was so virtuous,
He had at least one vice.
—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

From the Heart.

"What are your most expensive habits?"

"Those my wife wears?"—Detroit Free Press.

Ambitious.

What different ways men's paths pursue!
Though all were born to work,
Some men are proud of what they do
And some of what they shirk.
—Washington Star.

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This falling of your hair! Stop it, or you will soon be bald. Give your hair some Ayer's Hair Vigor. The falling will stop, the hair will

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ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD CO.

Notice to Stockholders.

Public notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company will be held at the Company's office in Chicago, Illinois, on Wednesday, October 19, 1904, at twelve o'clock noon.

To permit personal attendance at said meeting there will be issued to each holder of one or more shares of the capital stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, as registered on the books of the company at the close of business on Tuesday, September 27, 1904, who is of full age, a ticket enabling him, or her, to travel free over the Company's lines from the station on the Illinois Central Railroad nearest to his or her registered address to Chicago and return, such ticket to be good for the journey to Chicago only during the four days immediately preceding and the day of the meeting, and for the return journey from Chicago only on the day of the meeting and the four days immediately following, when properly countersigned and stamped during business hours—that is to say, between 9:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m.—in the office of the Assistant Secretary, Mr. W. G. Bruen, in Chicago. Such ticket may be obtained by any holder of stock, registered as above, on application, in writing, to the President of the Company in Chicago. Each application must state the full name and address of the Stockholder exactly as given in his or her Certificate of Stock, together with the number and date of such certificate. No more than one person will be carried free in respect to any one holding of stock as registered on the books of the Company.

A. G. HACKSTAFF, Secretary.

It's Easy to Think.

The poor man thinks had he the wealth
Of others who abuse it
He'd never make that sad mistake,
For he'd know how to use it.
—Philadelphia Press.

Babylonian Bricks.

Some of the bricks found in Babylon indicate by the stamps upon their surface an age of at least 5,000 years. The art of brickmaking was well developed at that time, for no bricks are better made than these.

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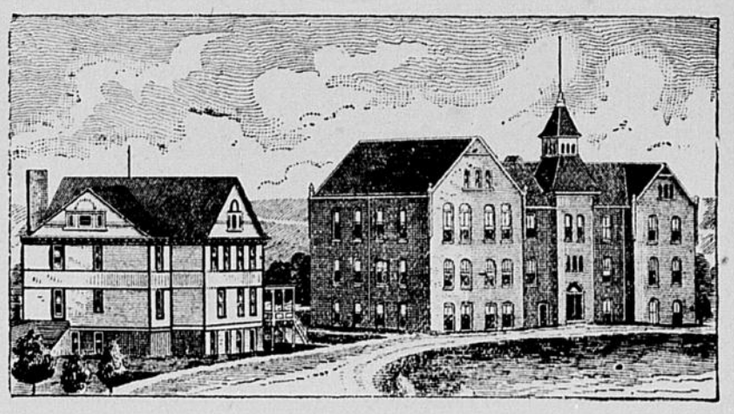

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