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## REPUBLICANS MEET.

The Republicans Meet and Complete Their Ticket

### A STRONG TICKET PRESENTED

Delegates to State Convention are Selected and Central Committee Organized.

#### Republican County Ticket.

Representative—S. B. McGarvey.  
Auditor—J. H. Hink.  
Clerk—E. F. Tucker.  
Recorder—Peter H. Martens.  
Treasurer—Geo. T. Gunn.  
Sheriff—A. D. Randall.  
County Attorney—P. J. Klinker.  
Surveyor—Morris McHenry.  
Superintendent—W. C. Van Ness.  
Coroner—F. A. Barrows.  
Supervisor—Gustav Buesing.  
Supervisor—Fred Gronau.  
Supervisor—Otto Huebner.  
Supervisor—Thos. Carey.

The republican county convention met at the opera house on Saturday, June 21, at 11 a. m. It was called to order by the county chairman, E. F. Tucker. He read the call and asked T. J. Huffman, of Vail, to take the chair. C. S. G. Kehr, of Manilla, was named temporary secretary. On motion of F. W. Meyers the temporary officers were made permanent.

Mr. Kuehnle moved that W. R. Grimes, of Manilla, be made the candidate for treasurer. Carried.

It was moved and carried that P. J. Martens, of West Side, be nominated for recorder.

The name of John L. Ainsworth and Prof. Van Ness were presented for the nomination for school superintendent. On roll call Van Ness received 88 and Ainsworth 93 and one-half votes. Van Ness declared nominated.

Otto Huebner, of Hanover, was nominated for supervisor for the term beginning January 1909, and T. Carey, of Iowa for term beginning in 1910.

Mr. Grimes requesting that his nomination be rescinded Mr. G. T. Gunn, of Jackson, was nominated for treasurer.

It was voted that the county chairman to be elected be chosen committeeman of the county on judicial, state or congressional committees.

On motion the roll was called and a committee of one from each township chosen to select delegate to the state convention of June 24. The committee was as follows:

A. Dunham, I. A. Mains, C. F. Kuehnle, F. W. Meyers, P. E. C. Lally, Tracy Chapman, W. C. McHenry, Wm. Oto, P. Carsten, G. T. Gunn, J. R. Brocklesy, Herman Schultz, H. Ingraham, John Bayles, Wm. Rule, Joe Johnson, Jurgen Schroeder, Eugene Wiggins, T. J. Huffman, E. L. Spottswood, P. J. Martens, F. Shirliff, James Tranter.

After deliberation the committee reported the following delegates: Hon. J. P. Conner, C. F. Kuehnle, Charles Tabor, John Bayles, W. S. Moore, Jas. Tranter, H. Logsdon, Dr. Waterhouse, Geo. T. Gunn, Ira Gillmor.

The central committee meeting immediately chose Alfred Wright as chairman and Chas. K. Meyers, secretary.

J. T. HUFFMAN, Chairman.

C. S. G. KEHR, Secretary.

Let us be honest about it. There was no unseemly scramble for the nominations not made by the primary. This was true of both parties but it is true that the republicans had more places to fill.

Our candidates were drafted. The republicans forced the men onto the ticket. With democracy the candidates forced themselves onto the ticket.

The republican candidates were selected because they had the greatest qualifications, the democrats were selected because they had the greatest appetites.

For Treasurer Geo. T. Gunn.

Mr. Gunn, who finally allowed his name to be used as a candidate for treasurer, is one of the substantial farmers of Jackson township. He is a whole-souled man, of excellent business judgment and experience. He is well known, has made a success of his life work and has earned the respect of his neighbors.

He tells us that he would appreciate the honor of an election and that he appreciates the honor of a nomination. He hopes at least to get all the votes of his republican friends. He has been faithful to republicanism all these years in one of the most solidly democratic townships in Iowa. He allows the use of his name in order to complete the party ticket and he

has a right to ask the support of every republican in the county. If, with the republican vote behind him he is then beaten he will make no complaints but he does request the republicans to be as faithful to him as he has always been to them.

For Recorder, Peter H. Martens.

One of the best known, best liked and most highly respected Germans of the eastern part of Crawford county is Peter H. Martens, now of West Side and formerly of Hays township. Mr. Martens is a stalwart, Bismarkian German. He is noted both for his generous heartedness and for his excellent business judgment. Like Mr. Gunn he was loath to appear as a candidate except at the call of his friends. It is a long time since the Germans of eastern Crawford have had representation on either ticket for any office other than that of supervisor and there is every reason to believe that Mr. Martens will get a splendid vote from those who know him best. He should get all the republican votes of the county. He is worthy and when the party presses men into the service the very least it can do is to stand back of them with its vote.

For Superintendent, W. C. Van Ness.

The republicans achieved a splendid moral victory when they persuaded Prof. Van Ness, the widely known president of the Denison Normal and Business College, to become their candidate for county superintendent.

Two years ago strong pressure was brought to bear on Prof. Van Ness to allow the use of his name, but at that time he declined as he said he thought Mr. Hoffman was entitled to a second term. Now, however, Prof. Van Ness feels that Mr. Hoffman can make no just complaint if he is a candidate against him. Prof. Van Ness is known and respected in every nook and corner of Crawford county.

His work in Denison college has brought him in contact with hundreds of our young people; in every instance not only his work as a teacher but the example of his life and character have been helpful and uplifting.

We believe the old pupils of D. N. C. will rally to his support throughout the county and will do missionary work with their friends and relatives and that if any man on the republican ticket is elected next fall it will be W. C. Van Ness.

His work in Denison college has been splendid. There have been many times when the work has paid but poorly, when it has taken hard, close figuring to make both ends meet, but Prof. Van Ness has made many sacrifices that Denison and Crawford county boys and girls might have opportunity to gain an education at the lowest possible cost and under the best possible surroundings. The people of this county owe Prof. Van Ness a debt of gratitude which they can never repay. It would be no more than right that they reward him with this office for all that he has done for the youth of the county.

There is no question but that Prof. Van Ness is the leading educator of the county, the man best fitted by training and experience and education to make an ideal county superintendent. Prof. Van Ness would be pleased to be elected. He asks the support of all his republican friends and of all who would like to see him give his abilities to this office. There is no question as to his fairness, his honesty, his impartiality. His nomination is the strongest possible and he should be elected.

Strong Supervisors Named.

For supervisor to succeed Thos. Ahart, Otto Huebner, one of the cleanest, manliest of the many clean and many young German farmers of the county has been nominated.

His nomination was made at the request of republican friends from all of the western townships. There is no question but that he would be a distinct addition to the board. It is not for the interests of good government that the board should be solidly of any one party. It will be much better for the county if the board is divided politically.

Thos. Carey, who made such a brilliant run two years ago is again a candidate. Not because he wanted to be but because the many who were disappointed that he was not elected before were bound and determined that he should try it again. At the primary Mr. Carey received the largest number of votes of any for this office and it was the unanimous desire of the convention that he run again. The acquaintance which he made in all parts of the county two years ago will help him this time. He is honest, stalwart and true and there is every reason to hope that the good judgment of the voters will place him on the board this year.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL PROGRAM

County Convention Manilla Iowa June 28 1908.

10:30 a. m.—Devotional exercises, led by Rev. Cable.

10:45—Opening Remarks, by President VanNess.

11:00 a. m. Special music by choir of Methodist church.

11:10—Address, The Y. M. C. A. and the Sunday school, Harrie Curtis, Secretary of Y. M. C. A. at Council Bluffs.

11:35—Paper by Supt. Hoffman of Denison.

11:50—Appointment of committees.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

1:30 p. m.—Devotional exercises conducted by Rev. Lacey, pastor of Presbyterian church.

1:40—Reports of Department Secretaries and Superintendents present.

2:00—Report of county officers.

2:10—Report of Committees.

2:15—Round Table on Sunday School work, conducted by Prof. Hoffman, of Denison.

2:45—Paper, The Spiritual Mission of the Sunday School, E. W. Pierce, of Denison.

2:55 Music by choir Presbyterian church.

3:00—Address, Plans for the future, by Prof. Van Ness, County President.

3:20—Address, Temperance Talk with chemical experiments, Rev. J. J. DePree, of Denison.

4:00—Closing exercises and announcements.

EVENING SESSION.

7:30 p. m. Devotional exercises led Mr. Van Slyke.

7:50—Address: Subject, The Place of the Child in the Kingdom of Heaven, by Rev. DePree of Denison.

8:15—Statements as to finance and Collection.

Convention exercises held in M. E. church.

C. K. MEYERS, W. C. VANNESS, Secretary. President.

The new officers of the Shakespeare club are as follows:

President—Mrs. George A. Richardson

Vice-Pres.—Mrs. James Armstrong

Secretary—Mrs. John Woodruff.

Treasurer—Mrs. N. B. Seelye.

Critic—Miss E. T. Cochran.

Parliamentarian—Mrs. S. G. Wright.

WITH REGRET.

The correspondence from Arion, Deloit and additional from Manilla and Kiron came too late to put in type. We tried to send out of town to be set but it could not be done. Correspondents must send in letters by Monday night at the very latest. We regret the disappointment to our readers at the good letters being omitted.

## BRYAN TO SPEAK HERE

The Distinguished Nebraskan Appeals Without Fail, Everybody to Hear Him

Bryan is speaking here today, will speak again tomorrow and the next day and every day thereafter. This will be good news to all, for even Mr. Bryan's political opponents admit his great oratorical powers and are willing to go hungry to hear him speak.

His subjects are carefully chosen. They include political questions, such as the Trusts, the Railroads, the Labor Question, the Banking Laws, Swollen Fortunes, the Tariff, Imperialism, Election of Senators. He will also deliver his famous lyceum orations on "An Ideal Republic" and "Immortality."

The last named consists of extracts from his lecture on "The Prince of Peace." This is Mrs. Bryan's favorite of all her distinguished husband's addresses and one that the ladies always flock to hear.

The way that Bryan happened to speak here and everywhere else every day from now on is this: Bryan recently spoke selections from ten of his best speeches into Thomas A. Edison's wonderful phonograph. It was done in the library of his home at Lincoln, Nebraska, one of the Edison Recording experts making a trip there for the purpose.

The entire set of Mr. Bryan's speeches are being played every day in the phonograph department at the Racket store to enthusiastic audiences who seem to enjoy hearing them about as much as hearing the real Bryan.

Photographs at \$12.50 and \$25.00. No. 1 at \$1 a week.

## PYTHIAN MEMORIAL

Dodwall Lodge, Knights of Pythias Observe Day

### DR. J. GIBSON ORATOR OF DAY

The Graves of Eighteen Departed Members Decorated

The Order of Knights of Pythias has for over twenty years set apart a day each year to call to mind those of the membership who have passed to the great beyond, and to strew sweet flowers on their last earthly resting places. As the years have gone by, and one by one loved citizens and faithful members have been borne to the city on the hill, the Memorial Day has become important and full of interest to a widening circle of relatives and friends.

Sunday, June 21, was the date for this year, and Dowdall lodge at Denison did not fail to observe it well. Eighteen good and true Knights have dropped from the ranks since the founding of the order in Denison, and the survivors felt a glad duty to go to the cemetery and lay tributes of flowers on their graves, and listen to an address calling to mind their virtues. Accordingly Knights to the number of nearly forty gathered at the Castle hall on Sunday at three and took carriages bearing with them the most beautiful flowers the month of June can grow, arranged in artistic bouquets and garlands.

The exercises were under the direction of the present Chancellor Commander P. J. Klinker, who carried out his part well. At the grave of the first Knights A. D. James the full ceremony was given including the address by the Chancellor Commander, prayer by the chaplain, and singing by the quartette choir which for this occasion was composed of B. J. Sibbert and wife, Mrs. Maud McAhren and Dr. Gibson. After the special garland had been laid on the grave by Chancellor Klinker, each Knight went forward with his flowers. The company went from grave to grave halting at each for words showing respect to the departed one. It brought to the hearts of all, floods of recollections, of how the loved ones looked in health, and what they had done, as their graves were remembered. In many instances the wife, son, daughter, parents stood at the grave as the words were said and the flowers strewed. This was one of the added things of sadness connected with the occasion. But on the other hand how pleased were the near relatives to see respect paid to loved ones whose memory was one of the secrets of their hearts. The names of the departed Knights whose graves were decorated are as follows:

A. D. James  
Amos Runkle  
Orin McAhren  
Joseph Hird  
Lewis Marshall  
L. A. Sewell  
Wm. Cornwall  
Thomas Luney  
W. M. Bamford  
Alden McArthur.  
Charles Rumsey  
Cal Bowling  
Andrew Stewart  
Frank Marshall  
D. O. Johnson  
F. J. Young  
Edward Bond  
Henry Wilroth

At the conclusion of the ceremony of decorating, the Knights and friends moved to a shady place on the south side of the grounds and gave attention to the address of the day which was delivered by Dr. J. I. Gibson of Des Moines, who still holds his membership in the Denison lodge.

The Doctor is one of the old time members, and his heart was deeply touched with the memories which came sweeping over him as he spoke. He gave utterance to a thought which was upper most in the minds of each member present—"It may be that I will not be among the living when the boys come out next year." He called attention to the many virtues of the departed ones in touching and beautiful language, and ended with the hope that he might like them find resting place in Oakland, so slightly and beautiful and where his loved fellow Knights might yearly visit and call to mind his life work. Dr. Gibson certainly did well and was given many words of appreciation. The day while warm was breezy and therefore comfortable. The memories of it will long remain.

## WOODMEN MEMORIAL.

The Woodmen of the World will hold memorial services and unveiling ceremonies at Oakland cemetery on the afternoon of Sunday, June 29th. F. W. Meyers will deliver the address.

For Sale—Two short horn full blood bulls for sale. Call on J. H. Mueller, Boyer, Iowa, R. F. D. No. 1 24-4tpd.

## A NOVEL CELEBRATION

Dow City Will Have Wrestling Match as a Feature

The Omaha World has this to say of the Fourth of July as Dow City is to celebrate:

"They are going to have a regular old fashioned gala day over at Dow City, Ia. on July 4. O. J. Judd, the well known railroad man, with a corps of hustling assistants, is at the head of the sporting portion of the festivities, and they are preparing a card of mixed athletics.

As the premier event they have matched Young Jack Kinney, one of the physical culture professors of the Keystone Athletic club, this city, and Herbert Johnson, of Council Bluffs from a catch-as-catch-can grappling bout. The men are welterweights, and without an exception two of the most promising young westlers in America. Kinney is the welter champion of Omaha, and Johnson holds a like title in Council Bluffs. Both men are clean, fast and clever, and will make a well balanced match, and the man that wins will know that he has been in a wrestling bout when it is all over. The Dow City management are to be congratulated, as two better drawing athletes are not to be found in this section of the county. The management has invited the sporting editor of the World-Herald to make the trip and referee the Kinney-Johnson bout, and in an addendum is the cheering authority "name your own price." Which all goes to say that there is some ripe, red blood pulsating through the sporty veins of my Dow City friends. The wrestling battle, which will follow a number of classy preliminaries, will be held under a big pavilion on the fair grounds during the afternoon, and the chances are good for a big attendance.

The state delegates chosen were as follows:

Charles Smith O. M. Criswell  
Chas. Bullock Hans Arff  
M. J. Keane John Hagge  
N. Vollertson John Hamer  
Ted Abbott G. A. Norelius  
Phil. Schlumberger L. Jons  
Wm. Schweitzer.

News comes that Mrs. James T. Newcom, of Deloit, has died at the home of her son, C. J. Newcom, at Jackson, Minn.

"Wanted, capable men with some money to work with us in North-eastern Iowa. Good profits in this enterprise." Address J. B. Smith, care Review Office. 26 tf.

The 22nd was Mrs. Jensen's wedding anniversary and a very pleasant surprise was given her by the presentation of a fork. Mrs. Romans made one of the felicitous little addresses for which she is famous and Mrs. Jensen also made a charming response. Miss Hazel Laub played and a social visit followed.

Mr. C. F. Kuehnle entertained the K. of P. lodge Monday night as an attention to Dr. Gibson, of Des Moines. A dutch lunch was enjoyed, served by Mesdames Ainsworth and Perkins and Lydia Belle Kuehnle. At the conclusion of the supper an informal toasting and love feast followed. Mr. Kuehnle acting as toastmaster. Dr. Gibson's standing in the lodge is very high and he has been greatly missed.

Miss Ethel Miller, of Denison, a warm friend of the bride and groom, was one of the wedding guests.

Mr. Maurice Schofield and Miss Amy Owens Married June 17th

We presume there was consummated in the marriage of Mr. Maurice Schofield and Miss Amy Owens on Tuesday, June 17, a love affair which has lasted for many years. It was fully twelve years ago since the now bride and groom met in this county while attending the Normal school. Mr. Schofield later went to California expecting to take further educational work in the university there. He must earn the money to do so. The chosen work was hard and he was taken sick and had to abandon the hope of a life career as an educator. Then there was a long wait for him to be well and strong again. The great discouragements did not effect the faithfulness of the girl in Iowa; she remained constant to her lover, and now they are happily wed. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's mother in Soldier township at 2:30 p. m. June 17, Rev. J. R. Tumbleton, of Danbury, officiating. The wedding was informal, only relatives and a few dear friends being present. The groom is a splendid young man, and the bride a young lady of enviable womanly attainments. May happiness be theirs. They will have their future home near Pasadena, California.

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