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### A REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE.

The candidacy of Mr. M. L. Mayne of Emmetsburg for the republican congressional nomination, deserves and will command the serious consideration of the republicans of the district.

Personally Mr. Mayne is a man of very high character. For many years he has been before the people and has earned a reputation as a vigorous thinker, a forceful speaker and a clear and convincing writer. In short Mr. Mayne has many qualifications worth having as a man, even if they do not land him in the Congress of the United States.

Laying aside the question of his high personal qualifications, however, there still remains the question as to whether there is room for his candidacy at this time.

The present incumbent is serving his first term and with many that is a sufficient reason for a second term. The burden of proof that there should be a change, must under the circumstances, rest with Mr. Mayne and his supporters.

Mr. Mayne states that he is not an insurgent, that he is prepared to act with the President and not against him, that if elected he would stand ready to caucus with the republicans and to abide by the result of the caucus. In our opinion these are desirable qualities in a Republican Congressman. In fact it is our judgment that Congressman who is not willing to go on record in some such manner is not and cannot be a REPUBLICAN Congressman and by his own act "abandons his party" as the President well puts it, and absolves all republicans from allegiance to him on account of party ties.

The question therefore whether Mr. Mayne or anyone else, except the present incumbent, will be a considerable factor either at the primary or at the regular election, rests almost entirely with Mr. Woods. If he shall announce his willingness to work with his party hereafter and not against it, if he shall assert his willingness to be an aid to the President rather than a stumbling block, if he shall in good faith enter the caucuses of the party which elected him and abide by its decisions, then there will be no room for another candidacy despite any personal preferences or prejudices.

From the record as thus far made up we fear this is too much to expect of the representative from the 10th District and if this be the case perhaps it would be as well that there should be a counting of noses even in the insurgent Tenth. Those who have confidence in the President, who do not believe he is a "fat fraud" as the Odebolt Chronicle puts it, who do not believe that he and his policies are receiving fair treatment at the hands of the Insurgents, might as well stand up and be counted. It might be well to find out just how much they are in a minority in this district. It certainly would imply no more unfairness for National Republicans to vote for a man of their like in the Tenth than it is for the Insurgents to vote for a man of their color in the Ninth.

The National Republicans of the

District could find no better man than whom to unite than upon Mr. Mayne.

There is still time for Mr. Woods to acknowledge his error, to return to his party allegiance and to become a real supporter of the republican administration, should he do these things, the welfare of the party would suggest that there be no opposition, should he not, the party, as such, owes him nothing.

### FOR NON-PARTISAN ELECTIONS.

Now comes the Bulletin with its regular spring announcement in favor of a non-partisan city election. While the Review has in the past always opposed this program, preferring defeat to surrender, we have come to think that perhaps the Bulletin is right.

We have noticed that some city officials have regarded the party as effective only when they were themselves candidates, and that after their election they have been as non-partisan as the most ardent democrat could desire.

While party government is a necessity in the county as a whole it is perhaps correct that there is no need for partisanship in laying a cement crossing or in acting as a police magistrate.

What the Review cannot understand, however, is the broad distinction which the Bulletin seems to find between city and county affairs. We cannot perceive why there should be more of partisanship in putting in a county bridge than a city culvert? Our mental grasp is so limited that we fail to surround all the facts which make it desirable that a city council should be non-partisan and a board of supervisors should be solidly democratic?

It is true that the Bulletin is now setting a shining example of non-partisanship, in that during the absence of Mr. Caswell there is not a democrat on its staff of editors.

Having set this example and having urged non-partisanship in the approaching city election, we feel confident that the Bulletin will be ready to join us in our proposal for non-partisan county elections.

There is no more need that the county clerk should be a democrat than that the city clerk should be a republican. The Bulletin has advanced the hand of fellowship for a high-minded reform and the Review gladly accepts, providing the reform shall include the county elections also.

The republicans pay a large proportion of the taxes of the county, if it is true, as urged by democracy, that the Republicans is the "rich man's party," the republicans must pay at least half the taxes of the county, and yet they are not represented on the board of supervisors by a single man.

Here is the opportunity for the Bulletin to prove its sincerity and that broad-minded, non-partisan fairness which doubtless actuates its exalted stand in city affairs.

"Saucus car gossum, saucooris granderensis est."

The cause of high prices? It is because the average American has sufficient money so that he is bidding against his neighbor to secure the best of everything. He is paying a premium to have his auto finished first, to have his suit made ahead of the other fellows, to get fresher eggs than the next door family does and to have a juicier cut of steak than his neighbor.

How short is the memory of man! It seems wonderful to us that a man who lived through the Cleveland era of low prices can ever complain of high prices.

### IT IS RANK SOCIALISM.

In relation to the high price of meats the Daily Capital of Des Moines has entered into an investigation as a result of which it claims that the high prices are chiefly due to the retail dealers. It is pointed out that there are a large number of shops, each paying rent, maintaining a delivery system and having other large expenses which must be met by the consumer. The Capital seriously urges the reduction of the number of retail meat shops and that a limit be put upon them, as is done with the saloons under the Moon law. The Des Moines News goes a step farther and urges municipal markets for the purpose of destroying the business of the present retailers.

If the contention of the Des Moines papers be true, that the multiplicity of shops increases the price, what becomes of our much vaunted theory, upon which the whole superstructure of our commercial law rests today—that competition is the life of trade?

The Capital would undoubtedly protest, loud and long, if it were accused of being a Socialist organ, but does not its advice border very closely upon the theories of that party?

If prices can be lowered by reducing the number of meat shops, why not lower the price of dry goods and groceries and advertising in the same manner?

Four daily papers purvey the news to the people of Des Moines when two at most could do the work. Think of the immense saving to the people for subscription and to the merchants for advertising if the number of papers should be reduced under the beneficent rule which the Capital prescribes for the butchers. If the "ultimate consumer" pays the newspaper bills, what a lowering of prices there would be if the Capital and the News were closed by law and the Register and Leader and the Tribune were given exclusive rights?

But—if this was done, if one paper was given the field, would it not raise its prices until there would be no saving to the people? If the number of meat markets should be reduced, would not the remaining markets raise the price just as much as the traffic would bear?

They certainly would unless the law stepped in to regulate prices. How far short of Socialism would that be? Is it not the logical outcome of the Capital's advice?

For our own part we have long agreed that competition was the death of honest trade. That it was wasteful, anti-Christian, and a relic of barbarism. We have held that it encouraged thievery and quackery and put a premium on dishonesty.

We have doubted if the world were ripe for the Socialism which is bound to be the future of civilization, but when such conservative papers as the Capital point the way it would appear that the reign of Socialism is never at hand than we had thought.

Speaking of boycotts would it not be next in order for the farmers to boycott the newspapers who are urging the wage earners to boycott the farmers in order to bring down the price of meat?

For years the western farmer has accepted the doctrine of Protection under the theory that it did not make any difference if he paid a little more for goods if he had a good market, kept labor employed at good wages and kept his money at home. Now the shoe is on the other foot and the laborers are paying a good price to the farmers for produce and the result is meat boycotts, inquiries as to high prices and a concerted effort to beat down the price of all the farmer has to sell. Tit for tat is still fair play and the people of the east make a mistake if they allow themselves to be made the tools of demagogues who are shouting "low prices."

Victor Hugo in his great novel "Les Miserables" gives one a splendid idea of underground Paris, that network of sewers, hidden rivers and mysterious passages many of which are unknown even to the prefect police of Paris. It is this underground city vividly described by Hugo which is playing havoc with the beautiful French capital today. The floods have filled the sewers and the underground rivers, bursts them all that confined them and undermined the foundations of the staliest building of the great city. The danger is hidden, no man knows that he is safe, at any minute the walls of home may topple to the street. No wonder a reign of terror exists in Paris.

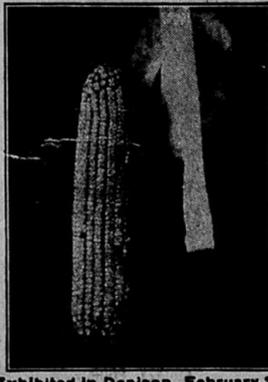
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### EAST BOYER ITEMS.

Miss Tillie Lochmiller returned to her home on Sunday, after a pleasant visit at the Martin Nehls' home.

Mrs. Henry Meyer visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Willie Mundt on last Thursday afternoon.

Miss Delia Nehls spent several days last week with her cousins, the Misses Anna and Tillie Lochmiller.

Mr. and Mrs. August Laurinat left last Tuesday for Arizona. Their stay is indefinite and it is hoped that the climate may be beneficial to Mrs. Laurinat's health.

Mr. Theo. Kuhl and daughter, Miss Viola, spent last Saturday at the parental home.

A number from this vicinity attended the party at Fritz Stickleburg's on Saturday evening.

Willie Heiden, wife and children were entertained at the Theo. Kuhl home on Friday evening.

John Andreen and family were guests of Herman Boeck and wife on Sunday last.

Miss Emma Lueth is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Willie Heiden.

Henry Meyer and wife accompanied by Mrs. Willie Mundt spent Sunday at the parental home.

Mr. Charley Barnes spent a few days last week with friends in Denison.

Mr. Willie Lochmiller was a guest of his sister, Mrs. Wm. Luney, on Sunday last.

(Too late for last week.)

Miss Hannah Stang spent several days last week visiting her friend, Mrs. John Neumann.

Willie Heiden, wife and family were guests of the former's parents, Wm. Lueth and wife, on Friday evening.

Miss Florence Gibbons spent a couple of days last week at the parental home.

Misses Anna Heiden and Alma Hein visited at the Willie Heiden home on Thursday evening.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the dance in Manila on Thursday evening.

Miss Ida Meyer spent a few days last week with Mrs. Sam Luney.

Miss Emma Kahl spent a couple of days last week visiting her friend, Mrs. Theo. Kuhl.

Mr. Henry Kolls returned home from Chicago on last Wednesday, where he went with stock.

The Misses Dolly and Mae Comstock accompanied by their brother, Dave, visited with Alma and Willie Hein on Saturday evening.

Mr. Rudolph Kolls from Bridgewater, S. D., came last week to visit his brother, Henry Kolls and family.

Theo. Kuhl and family were guests of Charley Heiden and wife on Tuesday evening.

Miss Alma Hein returned home after a couple of week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Theo. Kuhl.

Charley Heiden, wife and sons visited at the Willie Heiden home on Thursday evening.

Miss Kate Cavanaugh returned last Monday to finish her term of school, after an absence of four weeks. During her absence Miss Anna Heiden filled the vacancy.

On last Monday evening occurred to be one of the most pleasant events of the season at the Theo. Kuhl home, the occasion being Mrs. Kuhl's birthday, about eighty guests being there all of whom participated. The refreshments given later in the evening were highly observed, every one enjoyed themselves to the utmost and wishing Mrs. Kuhl many happy returns of the day.

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### WEST DENISON NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. O'Brien were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Houlihan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Lockmiller and Mr. and Mrs. John Duff visited with Mrs. Jerome Blackman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Powell visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clary at the home of Will Gibson Sunday.

Gene Owens and Joe Flaherty attended the dance in Denison Monday evening.

Mr. Jacob Mehmen and Bertha Suetz were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kruse.

Mr. and Mr. Geo. Atzen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Voss in Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rimer spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. F. Boger.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kahl and family were visitors at the F. J. Evers home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Duncan and family were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. H. Duncan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Evers spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. H. Schramm.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Powley are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. A. Pierson this week.

Gene Owens and Tom Brown were Sunday visitors with Mr. Oscar Fienhold.

Mrs. John Clary spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Granger.

Geo. Atzen traded farms with a man near Buck Grove last week.

Brien Houlihan and sister, Margaret, were Charter Oak visitors Friday.

By the marriage of Tim Flaherty and Margaret Owens, West Denison has lost two very popular young people. Margaret was born and raised a her home in this vicinity and has many dear friends who regret that Dakota has attracted her and Tim. About thirty of their young friends accompanied them to the train and gave them a genuine send off.

### HANOVER ITEMS.

Mr. John Pitman was a Charter Oak caller last Monday.

Miss Della Hannon has returned home again, after the wedding of her sister.

Mr. Johannsen visited at the home of Mr. August Maack's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. John Maack and family visited at the home of Mr. Emil Messenbrink Sunday evening.

Mr. August Pausch went to Denison on business Friday.

Mr. John Maack hauled corn to Charter Oak Friday.

Mr. Fred Dorale and wife and family visited at the home of Mr. August Maack Sunday evening.

Mr. Tony Koll of Dunlap visited at the Brummer home the latter part of the week and attended the fair which was held in Charter Oak.

Mr. August Maack and son, Henry, were business callers at Denison Thursday.

Mr. Andrew Sages visited at the home of his uncle, Mr. Matt Leitzen, last Sunday.

The Misses Mary and Adeline Brummer from Dunlap visited at the home of Mr. Herman Brummer a couple of days last week.

Mr. Fred Dorale was a Charter Oak caller last Friday.

Mr. John Pitman was a caller at Denison last Thursday.

The Misses Annie Brummer, Loretta Heffernan, Mary Brummer and Mr. Tony Koll visited at Mr. John Pitman's Sunday evening.

Mr. Emil Messenbrink was Charter Oak caller last Friday.

Mr. Barney Wiegell visited at the home of Mr. Fred Dorale Sunday.

The Misses Dora Messenbrink, Hulda Blunk and Mr. Willie Blunk visited at the home of Mr. Charley Blunk's Sunday.

Mr. Oscar Samuelson and daughter, Elsie, were callers at Charter Oak Saturday.

Miss Mary Maack was a caller at Charter Oak last Friday.

Miss Hannah Heffernan spent Sunday afternoon at the Samuelson home. A large crowd from this neighborhood attended the fair which was held at Charter Oak last week.

Mr. Gustave Topf was a Charter Oak caller last Saturday.

Quite a few from around this neighborhood attended the sale at Mr. Krohnke's Monday.

Miss Della Hannon visited in Charter Oak with friends Friday night.

Miss Loretta Heffernan visited at her home in Paradise township last Saturday.

Mr. William Flaherty visited at the home of Mr. Thom's Heffernan's one evening last week.

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