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DEMOCRAT ANNOUNCES AUTOMOBILE CONTEST

POPULAR VOTING CONTEST STARTS NEXT WEEK. ALL MAY ENTER.

FORD TOURING CAR GIVEN FREE

New Automobile Goes to Lady Receiving the Most Votes. Diamond Ring and Other Prizes.

In this issue The Democrat announces a popular voting contest in which several valuable prizes will be given away to the ladies or girls having the largest number of votes. The main prize will be a new Ford Model T automobile such as is own by many in this vicinity. The contest is open to all. Anyone may enter and the prizes will be given away absolutely free to those having the greatest number of votes. An opportunity never before offered to the people of this vicinity is now at hand to get an auomobile free for a little work. The contest will last but a few weeks and some lady or girl will be the proud owner of the fine new automobile.

Newspapers in the larger cities have conducted subscription campaigns such as The Democrat is now entering upon, giving away an automobile for the head prize but publications in the smaller cities have usually given a piano as the head prize. There will be other valuable prizes given away in this contest. A ladies diamond ring will be one of the prizes and others will be announced later. The main prize however is the automobile and years of pleasure, comfort and convenience will be given to someone for a few weeks hustling. The automobile is the well known Ford make, 1912 model, bran new direct from the factory. It is a five passenger car, fully equipped, with top, wind shield, speedometer, etc. The lucky winner will have no equipment whatever to buy. She may step into the car and drive it off without a cent of expense

The Democrat guarantees absolute fairness in all particulars relating to the contest.

Three prominent business men will be appointed who will lock the ballot box and keep the keys in their possession until they open it at the end of the contest, count the ballots and announce the names of the winners. No person in any way connected with this paper will be allowed to enter the contest and no favor will be shown any of the contestants. No contestant will be given the slightest advantage over the others. The prizes will go to the ones who receive the greatest number of votes, according to the count of the judges.

The Democrat has employed an experienced contest manager who will have personal charge of the contest from the beginning to the close. He will give any information requested and explain the rules and method of voting to all who apply. Young lady you may as well win this automobile as anyone. Young man, you may know of a young lady you would like to see own this handsome prize. Write the name on the coupon in the advertisement on this page and mail it to the Contest Manager, care Democrat, Manchester, Iowa. A few short weeks and it will be over.

The automobile has been purchased of John M. Jones & Sons of this city who are agents for the Ford automobile in this territory. The new car will be at their garage this week and may be seen by anyone interested at any time.

The liberality of the prize offerings should stimulate general interest in the contestants. When the nominations are announced next week, pick out your favorite, and work for her. Encourage her to work and help her win the automobile.

PALMER—YOCKEY.

Friends of Miss Mae Palmer of Cedar Rapids have recevied invitations to her marriage to F. Milton Yockey of Carroll, Iowa. The wedding will take place Wednesday evening, June 5, 1912, at 8 o'clock in the home of her parents at Cedar Rapids.

Miss Palmer has been an instructor in the local high school during the past two years. She is an accomplished and amiable young lady and during her residence here made a wide circle of friends by whom she is held in highest esteem.

Those from here who will attend the wedding are Misses Florence Riddell, Margaret Stanger, Gene and Marjory Minkler.

AUTO CLUB TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Delaware County Auto Club will be held in this city tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at Pythian hall. The election of officers will take place and the greater part of the time will be devoted to discussions of road improvement problems in Delaware county.

—Mrs. J. C. Miller and daughter, Levena, of Elgin, Illinois, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Armistead.

MANCHESTER 8 — CENTRAL CITY 7.

Manchester defeated Central City in a closely contested game at the local ball park on Thursday afternoon by a score of 8 to 7. The following is a tabulated score of the game:

Manchester.

	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Barnd, 1b	2	1	0	10	0	1
Geo. Malven, lf	4	0	2	2	1	0
Drew, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Pentony, ss	3	1	0	1	2	0
D. Malven, p	3	1	2	0	3	0
Bowen, rf	4	0	0	2	0	0
C. Malven, c	4	0	1	3	1	1
Smith, 3b	2	2	1	1	1	1
Pinch, 2b	1	2	0	2	1	1
Ttotals	26	8	7	21	9	4

Central City.

	AB	R	H	P	A	E
M. Wrattislaw, ss	4	0	1	0	6	0
Moser, 3b	3	1	1	0	2	0
Cook, p-c	1	2	0	8	1	1
Gilchrist, 1b	4	0	3	7	0	1
Swartout, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Ford, lf	3	0	0	0	1	0
C. Wrattislaw, 2b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Altemeyer, cf-c	4	2	1	1	0	0
Davis, rf	4	1	2	1	0	0
McLe[illegible] n-cf	4	1	2	0	2	1
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12	[illegible]

Runs by innings:

Central City	0	4	0	0	1	2	0	—7
Manchester	0	0	0	0	5	2	1	—8

Summary.

Two base hits—Geo. Malven (2), Drew, D. Malven (2), C. Malven, Gilchrist, C. Wrattislaw.

Three base hits—McLeod, Davis.

Bases on balls—Off . Malven 3, off McLeod 6, off Cook 2.

Struck out—By D. Malven 3, by McLeod 8.

Hit by pitcher—Moser.

Stolen bases—C. Malven, Smith, McLeod.

Double play — Geo. Malven to Barnd.

Umpire—L. Matthews, jr.

McGEE—DUNHAM.

The marriage of Miss Bessie McGee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. A. McGee of northwest of this city, and Mr. G. Harold Dunham, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Dunham of this city, was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday morning, May 29, 1912. The ceremoney was performed by Rev. J. F. Moore, pastor of the Congregational church of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunham departed that morning on a three week's honeymoon, visiting at Waterloo and other cities in the western part of the state. On their return to Manchester they will go to housekeeping in the residence occupied by Harry Drew and family on East Main street.

The bride is an attractive young lady whose sweet personality has made her a favorite with the young people. She has made her home here since she graduated from St. Clara's Academy at Sinsinnawa Mound, Wisconsin, two years ago. For the past several years the groom has been associated with his father in the Delaware County Abstract Company. He is a graduate of Beloit College at Beloit, Wisconsin. He has a wide acquaintance here and is considered one of the substantial and coming young men of the county.

The Democrat joins with the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Dunham in wishing them much happiness in their married life.

CENTRAL PHARMACY MAKES IMPROVEMENTS.

During the past few days a wonderful change has been made in the interior of the A. C. Philipp drug store. An entire new set of fixtures has been installed including a beautiful new soda fountain. The fixtures are of golden oak with sliding glass doors throughout. At the rear end of the store a partition separates the office and prescription department from the main store. The upper part of the partition is of art glass and in the center below is a large plate glass mirror. The equipment was purchased of Williams & Hunting of Cedar Rapids. The soda fountain which matches the finish of the fixtures is one of the best equipped made. It is a Guarantee Iceless Sanitary fountain with porcelain receptacles with German silver exterior.

The interior of the store compares favorable with any drug store to be found in the larger cities. The enterprise of the genial proprietor, A. C. Philipp is to be highly commended.

KLING—HERMANN.

Miss Verna Kling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Kling of this city and Jos. Hermann, son of William Hermann of this city, were married this Tuesday, June 5, 1912, at high noon at Waterloo.

The bride is well known here. She is a graduate of the Manchester High school and has been an instructor in the North Manchester school the past two years. She is a young lady of sterling character and refinement and well qualified to assume the duties of a home maker and companion. The groom is an industrious and energetic young farmer and deserves the popularity and respect which he enjoys in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermann will make their home on the Hermann farm west of Manchester.

The Democrat joins with their friends in wishing them a long and happy married life.

KENYON WINS FOR SENATOR

DECISIVE MAJORITY GIVEN TO HIM OVER YOUNG IN THE STATE. GOVERNORSHIP STILL IN DOUBT. CLARK AND HOLDEN LEAD

LE ROY NOMINATED FOR REPRESENTATIVE

Clute Wins Over Robinson. Dunlap Nominated for Recorder. Newman Receives About One-Half Votes Cast in Field of Four Candidates. Dunn and Hamilton About Even in County.

On this page will be found a table showing the complete vote of Delaware county, by precincts, for United States Senator, Governor, Congressman and for all candidates on the county ticket where the nomination was contested.

There were 1703 Republican ballots cast in the county for the head of the ticket and 178 for the head of the Democratic ticket. This is practically the same total vote cast at the primary election two years ago by each party.

Senator Kenyon received a majority of 423 over Lafe Young.

Carke and Holden ran a close race for Governor, Clark receiving 758 and Holden 700. Proudfoot finished a poor third with 172 votes.

Congressman Pickett received a flattering endorsement by his party, receiving a majority of 697 over his opponent Sumner.

M. F. Le Roy was nominated for State Representative, receiving 316 votes. It will be remembered that those having Mr. Le Roy's nomination papers in charge failed to file them in time to have his name printed on the primary ballot as a candidate. His vote represents the number written in on the ballot and he received a number greatly in excess of that required to nominate him under any construction of the primary law. Of the 316 votes, 188 were cast in the city of Manchester. About one half as many more wrote his name in but neglected to place a cross in the square in front of it. Mr. Le Roy has reason to feel highly gratified by the manner in which his friends so heartily and unanimously gave him their support.

The contests on the county ticket excited keen interest. Newman won out for county treasurer, receiving about 48 per cent of the total vote cast for the four candidates for that office. He had three candidates against him in the race but his party gave him a strong endorsement by nominating him for a fourth term. Robinson and Clute ran a close race for supervisor, the latter winning by a majority of 109 votes.

On the Democratic ticket Dunn and Hamilton divided the votes about equally, the former receiving a majority of 24.

The primary vote decided all nominations, so that the convention of neither party will be called upon to make nominations.

In the state Senator Kenyon is nominated by a substantial majority over Lafe Young.

The result of the three cornered fight for Governor is still in doubt at this writing. The early returns point to the elimination of Proudfoot, leaving either Clarke or Holden the probable nominee.

The successful candidates of both parties in the county are as follows:

REPRESENTATIVE.

E. B. Porter, D.
M. F. Le Roy, R.

AUDITOR.

Will J. Davis, D.
C. H. Bunker, R.

TREASURER.

C. F. Edmunds, D.
Geo. A. Newman, R.

CLERK DISTRICT COURT.

J. W. Hartman, D.
R. D. Graham, R.

RECORDER.

U. T. Wheeless, D.
A. E. Dunlap, R.

ATTORNEY.

E. B. Stiles, R.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

Guy D. Ribble, D.
Earl F. Wisdom, R.

CORONER.

John A. May, D.
S. S. Douglass, R.

MEMBER BOARD, BEGINNING 1913.

F. W. Meyen, D.
W. F. Clute, R.

MEMBER BOARD, BEGINNING 1914.

W. F. Croskey, D.
F. A. Mead, R.

Republican Primary Vote.

	U. S. Senator		Governor			Congressman		County Treasurer				County Recorder		County Supt.		County Supervisor	
	Young	Kenyon	Proudfoot	Clarke	Holden	Pickett	Sumner	Carrothers	Newman	Smith	Bowman	Dunlap	Latimer	Riley	Wisdom	Robinson	Clute
Colony	32	29	5	16	38	44	19	9	36	5	6	23	37	5	55	10	50
Br-men	9	7	1	8	7	12	1	4	3	4	3	9	5	5	6	1	12
Kik	28	82	14	57	43	67	41	14	47	22	45	44	78	77	41	20	110
Oneida Precinct	13	33	5	18	21	32	6	6	29	2	7	15	27	11	32	8	37
Delaware Precinct	22	35	11	28	14	25	29	7	39	5	6	32	22	20	28	10	47
Earlville Precinct	36	83	12	67	34	97	13	19	51	28	19	60	43	45	45	11	111
Richland	10	29	2	22	12	26	10	8	13	9	6	16	21	12	25	9	26
Edgewood Precinct	33	22	2	25	24	30	28	10	14	13	16	22	30	11	44	10	44
Thorpe Precinct	21	21	1	22	21	31	14	4	37	5	6	19	31	12	33	14	35
Coffin's Grove	32	42	7	32	39	56	17	22	48	12	2	21	59	33	43	32	32
Delaware Twp	34	39	6	34	65	48	22	8	53	7	6	41	33	16	56	29	46
Manchester 1st ward	26	72	12	53	29	59	27	26	58	18	12	55	58	26	72	72	45
Manchester 2nd ward	47	179	24	139	44	137	55	42	120	53	15	99	121	35	159	101	113
Manchester 3d ward	27	88	14	61	36	78	25	23	63	21	15	60	61	29	74	60	61
Milo	33	38	9	23	26	31	22	12	31	15	3	44	17	15	39	44	19
Prairie	24	32	3	29	24	49	9	31	25	1	0	29	27	19	30	48	8
Adams	32	54	10	0	56	56	26	73	34	1	5	97	14	34	51	124	4
Hazel Green	29	32	6	27	2	45	12	27	17	23	3	72	3	27	33	63	9
Delhi	64	36	19	43	31	65	26	13	42	30	23	70	32	54	45	62	44
Union	7	23	1	5	21	18	7	1	6	23	1	29	1	8	11	18	8
Hopkinton Precinct	57	82	3	31	104	113	14	10	58	54	19	129	14	54	73	72	67
Sand Spring Precinct	7	11	2	9	7	9	0	2	7	6	3	15	4	4	14	9	9
North Fork	18	4	3	9	10	15	4	3	4	4	14	24	2	13	10	3	22
Total	640	1063	172	758	700	1124	427	314	836	361	235	1028	735	564	1021	859	959
Majority		423				697			*48			293			457		109

per cent

—Ground was broken last week for the erection of the new residence on Franklin street to be biult by Harry Seeds this season.

—Mrs. J. B. Dunham, Mrs. Fay, Mrs Redding, Mrs. Dudley, Mrs. Seger, Mrs. Foster and daughter, Miss Mae Foster were Decoration Day visitors at Earlville.

—Miss Nettie Stewart, who has been an instructor in the public schools at Columbia Falls, Montana, arrived home last week to spend the summer vacation at the home of her mother.

—Mrs. Theo. Shelly returned home this (Tuesday) afternoon from a two weeks visit in Emington, Illinois. She was accompanied home by her husband's sister, Miss Jessie Shelly of Emington.

—Harry Davis, Thos. Wilson, Ned Seeds, Claude Andrews and Miss Willa Richardson, students at the Iowa State college at Ames, arrived home last week to spend the summer vacation.

—W. W. White, who has been a teacher of music, drawing and manual training in the schools of this city for the past two years, has accepted a similar position in the Independence schools at a much better salary. Their friends will regret their rmoval from this city.

—Mrs. Margaret Hahesy, Miss Minnie Hahesy and W. H. Hahesy attended the funeral of James Houlahan, who died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Johanna Behan at Ryan Saturday morning. The funeral services were held from the Catholic church in Ryan Monday morning at ten o'clock.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Donahue and family, who have been residents of this city for several months, left here on Monday to make their home in Dubuque. Mr. Donahue is railway mail clerk on the Illinois Central and Dubuque is a more convenient location for his family. Their many friends regret their removal from Manchester.

—Mrs. Frank Flint of Cedar Rapids, while alighting from a train in this city last Wednesday evening fell from the step and sprained the ligiments in her right limb. Mrs. Flint and her daughter, Mrs. Maud Morehouse, were on their return trip from Minneapolis, where they had been for several days. They are guests at the home of Mrs. Allen.

—County Clerk Graham issued the following marriage licenses during the past week: Gerald H. Schaller, aged 20, and Miss Frances Gould, aged 20; George E. Burr, aged 24, and Kittie M. Foster, aged 26; August M. Moehlenkamp, aged 35, and Josie Goldsworthy, aged 24; Chas. O. Meader, aged 22, and Grace E. Allen, aged 25, G. H. Dunham, aged 25, and Miss Bessie McGee, aged 22.

—A few members of the class of 1906 of Manchester High school enjoyed a class reunion at the home of Seth Brown last Thursday evening. The following members of the class were present: Howard Allyn, Melvin Richardson, Frank Sly, Misses Nelle Hatch and Bertha Ryan. Misses Amy Boggs, Maud Graham of this city and Bertha White of Chicago, who were members of the faculty during that year, were also present.

MEMORIAL DAY EXERCISES.

A large number attended the Memorial Day exercises last Thursday afternoon at the Central Opera house. The program was appropriate for the occasion and Congressman Chas. E. Pickett's address was an excellent one. The ideal weather allowed many to attend the services at the cemetery where an abundance of beautiful flowers bore tribute to the memory of the departed. The generous offering at the exercises allowed all expenses to be paid and the committee was able to turn a surplus of over $30.00 into the treasury of the G. A. R.

KILLEASE—HENNESSEY.

This (Wednesday) morning at seven o'clock at St. Mary's Catholic Church in this city will be solemnized the marriage of Miss Anna Killease, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Killease of this city, and Mr. Maurice Hennessey of Ryan. Miss Lorettto Killease, sister of the bride will act as bridesmaid and Mr. Dan Hennessey of Ryan, brother of the groom as groomsman.

The Democrat extends congratulations.

—W. F. Clute, the Republican aspirant for member of the board of supervisors, purchased a Ford automobile of John M. Jones & Sons this morning.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.

The regular meeting of the school board was held at Secretary M. J. Yoran's office Monday evening with Jones, Lindsay, Richardson and Smith present.

The following bills were allowed:

Myers & Spinl, exp	$5.00
A. D. Brown	6.00
A. H. Blake & Son	6.70
Del. Co. News	84.25
W. L. Drew	3.23
J. R. Inman	27.81
J. R. Inman	5 56
A. H. Blake & Son, sup	5.94
Thos. Charles Co.	1.25
W. B. Deck Co.	1.95
Anders & Philipp	52 25
R. W. Conger	40.00
W. W. White	8.25
B. F. Metz	5.00
Chas. E. Chapman, rep	6.25
Hutchinson & Atwater, rep	100.87

The superintendent's report of the receipts and disbursements of musical program of May 10th, 1912 was accepted and the balance on hand $51.50 was allowed to the teachers to expend for the grades.

Miss Hartzwell and Miss Grace Lowe of Cedar Rapids will be offered positions as teachers in the High school, to fill the vacancies caused by the resignation of O. M. Thompson and Miss Mae Palmer.

Miss Thompson was elected to teach the seventh grade and Miss Margaret Lindsay the third grades at the Central school.

ALLEN—MEADER.

This (Tuesday) at high noon occurred the marriage of Miss Grace E. Allen and Mr. Charles O. Meader. Rev. H. F. McDonald, pastor of the Baptist church of this city, officiated. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's mother in this city. The Democrat extends congratulations.

—E. Link is visiting with relatives in Freeport, Illinois.

—Mrs. M. F. LeRoy and daughter, Miss Dora are Dubuque visitors today.

—Miss Bertha Schroeder returned to her home in Guttenberg Saturday.

—Dr. N. D. Wilson went to Dyersville this (Tuesday) morning on a brief business trip.

—W. N. Wolcott, A. D. Holbrook and Harvey Hempstead autoed to Independence last Wednesday.

—The remain of Mrs. Nell Hodges, a niece of J. K. Pierce of this city, who died at her home in Minneapolis last week, were brought to Manchester and interment was made in Oakland cemetery.

—Miss Viola Nevermann, who has been employed in the millinery department in the D. F. Grove & Co. store, departed this afternoon for Iowa Falls, where she will be a guest in the home of relatives.

—Miss Belle Armistead, who has been employed as instructor in the High school at Red Oak, arrived home thelatter part of last week to spend the summer vacation in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Armistead.

THE DEMOCRAT

Announces a Big

Automobile Contest

In This Issue

Read Carefully:

An automobile and several other costly prizes are offered to the young ladies of Delaware and adjacent counties, for eight weeks' effort

Read the following and you will be convinced that this is a REAL CONTEST. AN AUTOMOBILE FOR FIRST GRAND PRIZE.

START NOW by clipping the 50 Vote Ballot from this issue. They will help you win the Automobile.

.: THIS BALLOT EXPIRES JUNE 25, 1912. :.

The Democrat Automobile Voting Contest

50 Good For Fifty Votes 50

For Miss _____

Address _____

This ballot good for Fifty Votes when filled out and sent to The Democrat Office by mail or otherwise. No ballots will be altered in any way or transferred after being recevied by The Democrat.

Address Contest Manager, care The Democrat, Manchester, Iowa.

An unequalled popular voting contest in which many valuable prizes will be offered; decidedly this will be the greatest contest Delaware county has ever had, so far as prizes are concerned. The Big Contest starts this week and plans and full list of prizes will be announced in an early issue.

In addition to the Big Prize, an Automobile, there will be other splendid prizes, which in the aggregate will reach into big money values, and these will be awarded to the ladies of Delaware county and surrounding territory.

Everyone who works to the finish of the contest will be given a present for her earnest effort, therefore, it will pay you to consider well the conditions of the Big Contest. Read the nomination blank and act quickly. It costs nothing to become a candidate, and nothing extra to vote for you. The prizes will be awarded absolutely free. Here is the opportunity you have been waiting for; this is an opportunity of a lifetime and you cannot afford to miss taking advantage of it. Think of it! You can win a fine Automobile, Diamond Ring or other valuable prize in the next eight weeks, by devoting some of your spare time to pleasant efforts among your friends and acquaintances. Nothing could please your friends more than to help you win a fine prize. This is the accented time; right now is the minute to fill out the nomination blank and send it to the Contest Department.

This is bound to be the most sensational offer ever made in this section of the state. We did not decide to conduct a contest until we were convinced we had chosen prizes which would be worth the while of any ambitious lady. Other newspapers through the country have been conducting contests in which they awarded a piano as the capital prize. **We do not give prizes which are of so small value. We are offering an AUTOMOBILE.** Think of it, an Automobile absolutely free! Read carefully this contest announcement, fill out the nomination blank, send it to us and call up the Contest Manager at The Demorat Office and have the conditions fully explained.

Young Ladies- NOMINATE YOURSELF--Do It Today. In next week's issue of The Democrat we will publish the list of candidates whose nominations have been received up to time of going to press.

Don't fail to call the Contest Manager, **Phone 154,** and have full particulars explained to you. If possible call personally at **The Democrat Office** and interview the **Contest Manager** regarding the liberality and excellency of our big offer to young ladies residing in this and adjoining counties.

Send in the nomination blank for some lady friend today

Nomination Blank

The Democrat Automobile Voting Contest

I hereby nominate and cast 1,000 votes for

Miss _____

Town _____ State _____

As the most popular candidate in

The Great Popular Voting Contest

Signed _____

Address _____

NOTE:—When properly filled out and mailed and delivered to the Contest Manager, this nomination blank will count 1000 votes for the candidate nominated, except that but one nomination blank will be accepted for each candidate. Nominations written on ordinary sheet of paper will be acceptod. Names of people making nominations will not be divulged when so requested.

SPECIAL NOTE:—We do not want this big, generous offer misunderstood by anyone, and will say any lady residing in this or an adjoining county is eligible to enter the big contest and to receive the automobile free. Any lady, either married or single, may become a candidate, and may nominate herself. Send in the nomination blank for yourself today.

Address Contest Manager, Care of The Democrat Office, Manchester, Iowa.

CONTEST DEPARTMENT