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NEW LIST SHOWS 5153 REGISTERED

1067 Names Added to Valley County Registration Since April 23rd Primary.

THREE NEW POLLING PLACES

Oswego No. 3, Nashua No. 2 and 8th Point No. 2, Added to List of Polling Places—Hinsdale Adds 111 Names.

At the close of registration for the August 24th primaries the books of the clerk and recorder of Valley county show a complete registration of 5153 registered voters, an increase of 1067 names since the primaries held on April 23rd. The heaviest increase is shown in the Hinsdale precinct which jumped from 289 in April to 410 at the close on July 10th. Many other precincts in the county show substantial gains, the three Glasgow precincts showing a gain of 124 in the three months.

Three new polling places have been added to the list by the county commissioners since the last election. Polling place No. 3 has been added to precinct No. 25, Oswego; polling place No. 2 has been added to Nashua precinct No. 27 and polling place No. 2 has been added to Eighth Point precinct No. 31.

Following is the list by precincts as shown at the close of registration July 10th:

Precinct	No.	Voters
Coal Creek	1	149
Richland	2	90
Opheim	3	342
Roanwood, P.P. No. 1	4	54
Roanwood, P.P. No. 2	4	57
Thoeny, P.P. No. 1	5	147
Thoeny, P.P. No. 2	5	36
Genevieve	6	101
Barr	7	45
Tobison	8	28
Gentana	9	230
Tande	10	77
West Fork	11	110
Ossette	12	44
Avondale	13	138
Baylor	14	127
Wendell	15	39
Hinsdale	16	410
Rock Creek	17	59
Cache Creek	18	62
Beaverton, P.P. 1	19	77
Beaverton, P.P. 2	19	45
Vandalia	20	33
Bugby Creek	21	55
Glasgow, North	22	471
Rose Hill	23	79
Grain	24	117
Oswego, p.p. 1	25	100
Oswego, p.p. 2	25	94
Oswego, p.p. 3	25	25
Frazier	26	62
Nashua, p.p. 1	27	318
Nashua, p.p. 2	27	38
Glasgow, East	28	345
Glasgow, West	29	323
Tampico	30	69
Eighth Point, p.p. 1	31	28
Eighth Point, p.p. 2	31	28
Ninth Point	32	27
Timber Creek	33	38
Wild Rose	34	72
Rosedale	35	27
Larslan	36	127
Shamrock	37	129

WOLKING FILES COUNTY AUDITOR

H. G. Wolkling has filed his declaration of becoming a candidate for the office of county auditor at the August primaries. Mr. Wolkling has held the office for the past two years and has made a splendid official. The records of his office are second to none in the state and Mr. Wolkling has proven himself amply qualified to fill the position which he seeks.

BRETZKE OUT FOR COUNTY CLERK

Lou E. Bretzke has announced his candidacy for the republican nomination for the office of county clerk and recorder at the August 24th primaries. Mr. Bretzke is a Valley county boy, having been born and raised here. He has served several terms as deputy in the office of clerk and recorder and is thoroughly qualified to fill the office. He has the support of a large number of friends over the county.

COUNTY THRESHERMEN HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Fix 1920 Threshing Prices and Add Several New Members to Association.

Saturday afternoon the Valley County Brotherhood of Threshermen held a business meeting in the court room at Glasgow.

President J. T. Rowe of Hinsdale called the meeting to order at 2 p. m. The treasurer's report was read and approved. There being several threshermen present who were not members, the chairman called on the county agent, Murray E. Stebbins, to explain the association in detail, after which several new members were received.

The subject of price setting was thoroughly discussed and after about an hour of careful figuring and comparing of rates the following were set for the 1920 season:

32 machine and over, \$15 per hour. 28 machine, \$12 per hour, 26 machine \$9 per hour, 24 machine, \$8 per hour. Stops over 15 minutes deducted. Wheat 12 cents per bushel; flax 25 cents per bushel; feed 9 cents per bushel, alfalfa \$1.50 per bushel. The price will be doubled when the crew is furnished by the thresher and 2 cents will be deducted where the farmer boards the thresher and furnishes the crew.

The chairman appointed Nels Cotton and F. L. Belzer to meet with County Agent Stebbins to draw resolutions asking for more protection for the threshermen of the state of Montana. The meeting was adjourned with a firm belief that the association was a move in the right direction and everyone present went home determined to get brother threshermen to join the association.

The organization is one of the first in the state and several other counties of the state are following the good example set by the Valley county organization. Such an organization is needed and Valley county men are to be complimented on starting the ball to rolling, and its chairman, J. T. Rowe, is sure the keynote to the whole organization. With good crops every farming county in the state will be following Valley county in this movement and it is a good one and badly needed and all threshermen of the county should fully support it. It means added protection for every thresher and farmer as well. For membership certificate write Nels Cotton, Glasgow, or J. T. Rowe, Hinsdale.

KNUDSVIG FILES FOR LEGISLATURE

K. H. Knudsvig of Larslan filed Tuesday as a candidate for the republican nomination for representative in the state legislature. Mr. Knudsvig is a prominent farmer residing near Larslan postoffice and has a host of supporters in his section of the county. He was formerly engaged in business at Reynolds, North Dakota, and has been a resident of Valley county since 1916.

The county commissioners are meeting this week as a board of equalization. They will remain in session until August 9th.

VALLEY COUNTY WILL HOLD FAIR

Commissioners Reconsider Action and Vote in Favor of Fair for This Fall.

DATES SEPT. 30-OCT. 1 AND 2

Exhibitors Urged to Prepare Exhibits Early—Entry Blanks Ore Now Available—Premium List Will Be Out Soon.

Due to the insistence of Valley county grain growers the board of county commissioners have reconsidered their action in regard to calling off the Valley county fair and have authorized a fair for the week of September 30th, the dates being September 30th and October 1st and 2nd.

The fair board as appointed for this year is composed of the following members: Otto M. Christinson, president; D. S. Hall of Glasgow, J. T. Rose of Hinsdale, W. M. Leonard, Glasgow; Fred Scott, L. E. Jones, secretary.

Exhibitors are urged to begin preparation of their exhibits now as various kinds of grasses and grain are ready to be put into sheaves for exhibition purposes.

Valley county will send an exhibit to the state fair this year as usual and the best of the exhibits will be returned for the county fair. The Montana state fair is set for September 13th to 19th. Exhibitors desiring to exhibit their products at the state fair should begin to plan at once. Write or see Secretary L. E. Jones, at Glasgow, for further information. We would suggest that you go over your fields and select those grains that you desire to exhibit. When County Agent Stebbins is in your territory, tell him what you expect to exhibit and he will furnish you any desired information.

The fair commission is in touch with some unique attractions and it is expected that some of the very best players will be secured at the fair this year. Boost for the Valley county fair, it is your fair, and you owe it to our county. The biggest and best county fair ever held in Valley county is set for September 30-October 1 and 2, 1920.

Below are some instructions which should be followed in the preparation of samples: Sheaf Grains.—Go into field a few days before grain is ready to cut with binder. Select samples, and with a knife cut them close to the ground, so as to get the full length of the straw. Be careful not to break the straw in handling. Spread samples on a board in the sun to bleach. See that samples never get wet after being cut. When green color is entirely gone and straw perfectly dry, strip the leaves from each individual stalk. Then bind in bundles from three to five inches in diameter below the head, and tie snugly in at least three places. Then hang in dry place with the head down until they are brought to the fair.

CROP CONDITIONS GOOD AT LARSLAN

The Courier reporter was in attendance at the big Farm Bureau picnic held at Larslan Monday of this week. The picnic was a success from every standpoint and was largely attended. Crop in the vicinity are far ahead of those in any other part of the county. Many fields of wheat will average from twenty to thirty bushels per acre and the other small grains will yield in proportion. The Larslan country is the garden spot of Valley county this season. 12 head.

FIRST DEGREE MURDER IS VERDICT OF JURY

First Jury Called in Garfield County Brings in Verdict Against Carmichael for Murder of His Neighbor

Herschel Carmichael, who in May fatally shot Amer Peterson, a neighbor, found guilty of murder in the first degree by a jury at the first session of court ever held in Garfield county. The trial lasted for a week and was held in the community hall in order to accommodate the spectators. Nearly everyone within a radius of 25 miles attended and at both day and night sessions the room was filled with an audience intent on hearing every word of the evidence and arguments. It was the first appearance of a district judge in the county. Judge C. F. Dousman presided at the trial.

FILINGS WILL CLOSE WEDNESDAY, AUG. 4

Completed Petitions Must Be In By That Time—Leaves 20 Days Before Election

Helena, July 27.—Filings of candidates for state offices will close on Aug. 4, according to Secretary of State C. T. Stewart who has given twenty days in which to check the signatures on the petitions of 150 odd candidates for offices from commissioner to district judge including every elective state office, prepare and certify the ballots and get them out to every county clerk and recorder in the state in time to allow printers to prepare the ballots.

With the mountain of work in sight Mr. Stewart has issued a request that all candidates who are in a position to do so, file their complete petitions as soon as possible in order to facilitate the work.

COMPENSATION CASE THROWN OUT ON MOTION OF STATE

Helena, July 26.—Sustaining the motion to quash and dismissing all mandamus proceedings the supreme court threw the proposed amendment to the workmen's compensation law out of court here today. A written opinion will follow. The court sustained the motion of Frank Woody, on behalf of Governor Stewart, and dismissed the proceedings against Secretary of State Stewart. The proceedings were brought in an attempt to compel the secretary of state to submit the measure to the voters. The proceedings were brought by Stephen Fly, president of the Montana Federation of Labor.

GLASGOW WINS FROM NORTH DAK. CHAMPIONS

Take Two Out of Three from Minot Club. Leave Soon for South—Billings Here Aug. 21-22-23.

Glasgow took two out of the three game series with Minot, the North Dakota champions, in a series played on the local ground last Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Friday's game was loosely played from start to finish the local showing some sensation ball winning by a score of 13-0. Saturday's game was the best of the series by far and went to an eleven inning two to two tie; the game being called at the end of the eleventh on account of darkness.

Sunday's game started out with a rush when the visitors piled up five runs in the first inning the locals coming back with three in their half. Before the end of the first half of the second inning heavy rain fell preventing the game from being resumed in the park and the balance of the game was played out on the north side park Glasgow winning in the fifth inning by a score of 6-5. The series which the club was to have played at the Minot Stampede has been called off and the boys will leave in a few days for the south for a series of games with Billings, Roundup, Grey Bull and other towns. Manager Hester has booked Billings to play a three game series here on August 21, 22 and 23.

BACK FROM FIRE CONVENTION

Eight popular business men of Glasgow returned Wednesday evening from a nine hundred mile auto trip through Jordan, Roundup, Lewistown, Geraldine and Fort Benton. While at Roundup they attended the state firemen's convention.

The party was made up of Chief D. S. Hall, C. H. Ackerman, Fred Alvord, Sam L. Rug, J. K. Mitchell, G. D. Peterson, Harry Hess and Otto M. Christinson. They report the roads in good condition, especially from Jordan around to Geraldine. While the local men tried their best to bring the 1921 firemen's convention to Glasgow, they were unsuccessful. The city of Havre was chosen. After the convention they took up their trip as a sight seeing affair and looked over the country en route through Lewistown, back to Geraldine and Fort Benton. The crops are in fine condition from Jordan to Fort Benton, and fair from Fort Benton to Glasgow.

COAL SITUATION ACUTE

Due to a shutdown of coal mines in Illinois and Indiana the country faces an appalling situation, says Governor Lowden of Illinois. Unless something is done immediately to correct the situation the entire country is likely to suffer.

WELFARE ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN CULBERTSON

Eastern Montana Masonic Bodies Will Gather Tomorrow for Third Quarterly Meeting.

The Masonic Welfare association of northeastern Montana will hold its third quarterly meeting at Culbertson on July 31st, at the invitation of Trowel lodge No. 67, A. F. A. M., Culbertson, and Kadnom lodge No. 79, Mondak, Montana.

The association embraces all the Masonic lodges from Malta to the the Dakota line and on the Scoley branch and provides opportunity for frequent gatherings in the territory for the discussion of matters of interest to the Masonic fraternity and for the greater development of fraternal relations.

A 6:30 banquet, with musical and vocal interpretations, toasts and responses will be followed by the executive session, closing with pertinent addresses from men prominent and constructive in Masonry.

HEALTHY GAIN IS SHOWN BY COUNTY

Assessor's Books Show Gain of \$2,000,000 During Past Year.

REMAINS IN FIFTH CLASS

Total Valuation for 1920 Exclusive of Railroads and Telephone Lines, \$27,660,166—County Will Still Have Auditor.

County Assessor H. O. Gamas has completed his tax books for the present year and the totals show a healthy gain in the county valuations since 1919, the total being \$27,660,166 exclusive of railroads and telephone lines. It was thought for some time that the class of the county would be reduced, which would eliminate the office of county auditor, but the total still places the county in the fifth class and the office of county auditor remains.

A strong gain is shown in the value of irrigated lands this year, due to the fact that all lands under the ditch have been assessed for the equity held by the resident upon the land.

The assessment list shows 2618 acres of irrigated agricultural land, valued at \$78,540, and 598,951 acres of non-irrigated land valued at \$10,991,636, with \$1,715,721 worth of improvements. The assessed value of equitable interest in lands under the irrigation project shows a total of \$445,290.

City and town lots show a total valuation of \$712,844, and a cash value of improvements on same \$1,714,459.

The list shows a total of 156 full blood stallions at an average value of \$259, totalling \$40,450; 14,537 range and unbroken horses at an average value of \$50, totalling \$726,850; 10,656 ranch, work, draft and heavy horses at an average value of \$100, totalling \$1,067,315; with a total value of all horses and mules of \$1,834,615.

There are only 46 purebred cattle, at an average value of \$114, totalling \$5,250; 6,297 coming yearlings at an average value of \$30, totalling \$194,332; 3,773 2-year-olds at an average value of \$47, totalling \$178,605; 1068 steers at an average value of \$78, totalling \$83,992; 10,447 stock cows at an average value of \$65, totalling \$689,805, and 1414 dairy cows at an average value of \$85, totalling \$121,010. Total value of all cattle, \$1,271,994.

The total valuation of all sheep and goats is \$627,715 and that of swine is \$15,171. The total valuation of all livestock in the county is \$3,749,495.

The total cash value of all automobiles and trucks in the county is shown at \$286,700; total cash value of all personal property \$3,878,161. All real estate and improvements \$20,032,510, making the total valuation of the county, exclusive of railroads and telephone and telegraph lines \$27,660,166.

A. B. ROTERING FILES FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR

A. B. Rotering, of Glasgow, has filed as a candidate for the republican nomination for the office of county assessor, at the primaries to be held August 24.

Mr. Rotering is well known throughout Valley county, having resided here for a number of years. For about six years he was an employee of the Great Northern at Hinsdale, and proved up on a homestead near Tampico. He has filled the position of deputy assessor and is acquainted with the work of the office.

FAIR COMMISSION WILL MEET TONIGHT

The Valley County Fair Commission will meet in the rooms of the Glasgow Chamber of Commerce this evening for the purpose of arranging for attractions and appointing superintendents of the various divisions for the big Valley County fair to be held September 30, October 1-2. Efforts will be made to secure some of the best attractions obtainable and the commission promises the fair patrons this year the biggest and best fair ever attempted by the county.

HEALTH INSPECTOR IS VISITOR IN GLASGOW

Representatives From State Board of Health Inspects Hotels, Restaurants and Meat Markets of The City.

L. C. Humphrey, representing the Montana State Board of Health was a business visitor in Glasgow yesterday inspecting local restaurants, hotels and meat markets. Mr. Humphrey reports that several of the hotels in Glasgow are operating without a license and called attention to the state law which provides that all lodging houses and hotels having more than five rooms are obliged to procure a license from the State Board of Health.

He stated that the general sanitary condition of the city was good and urged all citizens to use every possible means to combat the fly pest during the coming month, which is the worst of the season. He especially emphasized the need for covered garbage receptacles as an aid in reducing the fly nuisance.

He called the attention of local merchants to the fact that during the fly season all foodstuffs offered for sale must be kept under a cover and free from flies.

GALPIN BUREAU HELD ELECTION

West Galpin farm bureau community held its annual election last Saturday evening at the West Galpin school house. The following officers were elected: Chairman, A. C. Thill; secretary and treasurer, K. V. Dorr; chairman of the women's work, Mrs. H. H. Ebersole. The meeting was called to order at 7 p. m. by Chairman Thill and the first thing on the program was a splendid lap supper served by the farm bureau women.

Following the business session, County Agent Murray E. Stebbins gave an illustrated lecture on corn, sunflowers and pit silos and Chairman Thill made a short talk. The meeting was full of life and enthusiasm for farm bureau work. Several new members were secured and all old members renewed. This speaks well for the West Galpin farm bureau community and its efficient officers.

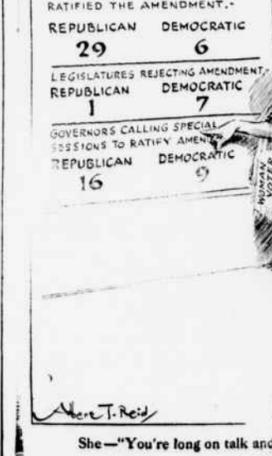
They all feel fine after the trip, are somewhat more brown from the sun and wind, and are in fine working trim. Some of them would jump at the chance to do the trip over again this week.

WHAT MAKES THE SUFF RAGE

STATE LEGISLATURES THAT HAVE RATIFIED THE AMENDMENT: REPUBLICAN 29 DEMOCRATIC 6

LEGISLATURES REJECTING AMENDMENT: REPUBLICAN 1 DEMOCRATIC 7

GOVERNORS CALLING SPECIAL SESSIONS TO RATIFY AMENDMENT: REPUBLICAN 16 DEMOCRATIC 9



The Republican Standard Bearer's photograph of Senator Harding and Coolidge first time in the garden of Senator Harding's Washington home.