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"America First"  
 For President  
 Woodrow Wilson  
 For Vice President  
 Thomas Marshall

## How To Vote

Information Regarding The Primary Election

Helena, August 22.—There is some misapprehension on the part of voters in connection with balloting at the primary election, some having the impression that they cannot write in the name of a candidate on a ballot, and have it counted.

This is not a fact.

Each voter at the primary will be furnished with three ballots, democratic, republicans and socialist, on which appear the names of all the candidates. The voter will take the three into the booth with him along with his conscience. If he wants to vote the democratic ticket, he will mark that ballot and that alone, returning the republican and socialist ballots to the judges, folded up and also his own ballot folded. He must vote on only one ballot.

But if the voter is a republican and he desires to cast a ballot for a democratic candidate, he may do this by writing in the name of that democratic candidate on the republican ballot, and marking a cross before the name he has written in, just as he marks the cross before the printed name.

The judges in counting the votes will not count the votes thus written for the democratic candidate as democratic votes for him, but will list them as republican votes, and they will not be added to his total as a democratic candidate.

But if the name of Gov. Stewart, for instance, should be written in and a cross put before it on so many republican ballots that he would have a total of republican votes larger than that of any of the republican candidates for governor, and he should also get more votes than any democratic candidates for the same office on the democratic ballot, then

he would be the nominee of both parties. His name only would go on the official ballot for the November election, and as he would be the only candidate of the republicans and democrats he would have only the opposition of the socialists.

Only one marked ballot can be put in the ballot box and counted, if when the ballots are taken out, two are found together, neither will be counted. The reason for that is that the primary election is really a party convention wherein all parties hold their convention at the same time and place, but where the candidates are selected by the individual choice of the voters, instead of by the committeemen or delegates as at the old convention where representatives selected the candidates and the voters elected them to office afterward.

Where there is more than one candidate to be elected for any particular office, as for instance, for members of the lower house of the legislature, the voter may vote for less than the number his county is entitled to, and have his vote counted. But if he votes for more than the county is entitled to, then his vote will not be counted on that portion of the ticket.

The particular point is: Vote only one ballot, and if you desire to vote for a candidate on another ticket, write in the name and place a cross before it.

### A SACRED MOUNTAIN.

It is the Center of the Buddhist Religion in Chosen.

Korea's sacred mountain, Kongo San, or Diamond mountain as it is more commonly called, carries, it is claimed, 12,000 granite peaks, rugged and grotesque in form and almost impossible of being scaled. All these peaks are projections of a series of rocky ridges standing one behind the other.

From time immemorial the mountain has been considered sacred, being the center of Buddhism in Chosen. When this religion was at the height of its prosperity there stood on the mountain 108 monasteries altogether, all of which were built in the most gorgeous style of the time. As Buddhism declined in Chosen most of these temples fell into decay, and many were destroyed by fire, never to be rebuilt.

Still there remain between forty and fifty monasteries, and most of them, though showing signs of age, are in a well preserved condition, telling of the bygone days of glory. These are inhabited by monks and nuns, who lead the life of hermits, spending their days in meditation and worship and excluding themselves from the outside world.

The legends connected with the mountain and all that it holds are also nearly Buddhist, and some of them are fantastically imaginative. On account of its matchless scenic beauty and the superstitious belief that prevailed in the days when Buddhism was flourishing in Chosen, that those visiting its sacred precincts would never descend into hell after death, tens of thousands of people annually made the pilgrimage to the mountain from all parts of the peninsula and even from China. In more recent years, along with the decline of Buddhism, however, visitors to the mountain have steadily decreased.

During the reign of King Pophung, 513-539, when Buddhism was flourishing, the king, who was a great believer in it, showered favors on the monks on the mountain. He caused a number of monasteries to be erected, appointed officials to manage their affairs and gave to the monks liberal gifts in money and lands. By order of the king people living around the mountain were forced to carry food, clothing and other articles of daily necessity to the monks, so that even in years of famine they never suffered from want. Tens of thousands of monks thus lived in ease and idleness at the expense of the local people.—Exchange.

## The Candidates

Democratic	Republican
R. E. Morris	Edwin S. Booth
	J. A. Williams
	Ralph Keener
E. F. Lentz	F. C. Bunn
	Thos. J. Martin
M. E. Jones	George Boggs
	Henry Viles
Chas. Newman	Leon L. Wheeler
	Joseph Hodson
	P. C. Cornish
County Commissioner	
W. P. Akers	F. E. McFarland
Henry N. Sparks	T. F. Schofield
George Farwell	Carl Bondell
	Denn Howell
	W. L. Maxwell
	James Munn
	Frank Schreiber
County Treasurer	
E. H. Trandum	W. W. Palmer
R. B. Lowry	Geo. Houch
C. E. Hughes	Otto Emerson, Sr.
	Auditor
L. J. O'Grady	L. E. Rushton
J. C. Cary	Surveyor
	Superintendent Schools
Carrie Bachtie	Annette Leonard

### HE MADE BABYLON FAMOUS.

Its Enduring Memory Largely Due to Nabuchadnezzar.

Nabuchadnezzar is always associated in our minds with the splendor of his great city, Babylon. "Is not this great Babylon which I have built?" And, indeed, he deserves such an association, and if ever a man had cause for pride as he surveyed the work of his hands Nabuchadnezzar was that man as he looked abroad on Babylon. Great she had always been, revered as the mother city and the source of learning and law even by her Assyrian conquerors in the days of her humiliation. But Nabuchadnezzar and his father had found her as the Assyrians had left her—powerless, humiliated and sunk.

He raised her within a generation to far more than her ancient splendor—to a magnificence, indeed, which beggared description, so that even Rome, wonderful as its spell has been, has never been able to out-Babylon from the mind and imagination of the human race as the typical world city, the emblem of all that is magnificent and luxurious and central. Ancient historians can find no words to describe the grandeur of the palace, the temples, the hanging gardens of the great city by the Euphrates.

Great soldier as Nabuchadnezzar was, he was really by nature and instinct a man of peace, not of the merciless and unprofitable Assyrian type at all. "He was in truth a son of Babylon, not of Assyria; a man of peace not of war, a devotee of religion and culture, not of organization and administration," so says Goodspeed.

The same high authority remarks that "the picture of him in the book of Daniel is in not a few respects strikingly accurate. His inscriptions reveal a loftiness of religious sentiment unequalled in the royal literature of the oriental world." There can be no question of the dignity and reverence of some of the prayers used or sanctioned for use by the great king.—James B. Kie in Geographic Magazine.

### Republican Primary Ticket

FOR GOVERNOR

Albert J. Galen

(Farmers' Attorney-General)

TO THE FARMERS OF MONTANA: The agricultural sections of the state are entitled to a herd law, and I pledge my best efforts to have passed a law that will be satisfactory to the interests affected thereby.

The growers of grain entitled to the full value of their product less only a fair handling charge. To legislation to that end, I pledge my utmost efforts.

The farm loan law adopted by vote of the people in 1911, is, in my opinion, clearly constitutional. Its enforcement would soon save to Montana farmers enormous sums in interest charges. If I am elected, the law will be enforced in the best of faith.

The state should most liberally encourage better country schools to the end that farm boys and girls may receive an education best suited their peculiar needs. No effort will be spared in this behalf.

The men and women of Montana's farms are entitled to the best services and legislation the state can give. I pledge myself to consult them freely and to protect and promote their fair interests.

ALBERT J. GALEN.  
 Authorized and paid for Albert J. Galen

## Republican Candidate for Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial District



To the Voters of the Counties of Custer, Fallon and Prairie: I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial District of the state of Montana, at the primaries to be held on August 29, 1916. I was born on a farm near the town of Mapleton, North Dakota, and my father and mother are natives of Scotland, having immigrated to this country in the early 80's. I received my preliminary education in the public schools at said place and the Agricultural College at Fargo, North Dakota, and also graduated from the University of North Dakota. I was associated with one of the leading attorneys at Grand Forks, North Dakota, in the practice of law for two years, and then located in Miles City, in the year 1909, and have been engaged continuously in the practice of law ever since. I have been deputy County Attorney of Custer County, and at the present time, I am City Attorney of Miles City, and have served in such capacity for approximately four years. I am married and have one child. Owing to the fact that I am alone in the practice of law, I have been unable to meet as many voters as I would like to, and I take this method to advise the voters regarding myself and my qualifications for the office. I assure you that any support that is given me will be greatly appreciated.

S. D. MCKINNON, Miles City, Montana.  
 Authorized and Paid for by S. D. McKinnon.

For Sale or Trade—One six cylinder Pierce-Arrow 60-66 h. p. 8 passenger car, thoroughly overhauled and in first class running condition, also one Ford 5 passenger touring car in good condition. Will sell for cash or trade for cattle. These are bargain. Reason for selling; too busy to ride them.—Jnne G. Olsen, Ekalaka Drug Co.

### "SCHOOL WORK IS A WOMAN'S WORK"

The above is the slogan under which Miss Terresa C. O'Donnell, principal of the Harrison school in Butte, is making her campaign for the democratic nomination for State Superintendent of Public Instruction. In support of her stand, Miss O'Donnell points out that not only is every county superintendent in Montana a woman, but also that out of six states in which women could vote at the last general election, four selected a woman for state superintendent. Miss O'Donnell has had an unusually brilliant experience in school work, and promises to endeavor to give to rural districts as good educational advantages as are possessed by city schools.—Advertisement.

### Do You Take The Eagle?

## Republican Primary Ticket FOR SECRETARY OF STATE

CHARLES T. STEWART

If I am elected, I will turn into the State Treasury the excess over cost on automobile number tags, amounting to about ten thousand dollars per year.

As a member of the State Land Board will assist in making effective the farm loan law adopted by the people in 1914. This law provides for loans on farm property at 6 per cent per annum. Will faithfully observe the law in all respects.

Authorized and paid for by Charles T. Stewart.

## HUGH R. WELLS OF MILES CITY, MONTANA

Democratic Candidate For Railroad and Public Service Commissioner

Honest Rates and Decent Service, A Square Deal for Public and Corporation

If I am nominated and elected I will, during my term of office, use my best effort and judgment at all times in an honest and conscientious endeavor to procure the best possible service for the people from Railroad and Public Service Commission.

Reasonable regulations of rates and service conditions, judicial determination of all questions, fair and careful consideration of every phase of the work of the commission and a square deal to the public and the corporation will be my guide as a member of this Commission.

Authorized and paid for by Hugh R. Wells

## Political Notices

**Commissioner**  
 I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the unexpired term as county commissioner, that of two years, on the democratic ticket. If you believe that my services during the past two years entitles me to remain as your servant until the end of the term on January 1, 1919, your vote will be appreciated.  
 George Farwell, Sykes.

**Commissioner**  
 I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the six year term of County Commissioner on the Republican ticket subject to the will of the voters at the primary election August 29th, 1916.  
 W. J. Maxwell.

**Treasurer**  
 To the voters of Fallon County: Ladies and Gentlemen—I am a candidate for the nomination of County Treasurer on the Democratic ticket, in the Primary to be held August 29th, 1916. I believe you want economy, efficiency and responsibility in the office of these. I believe most of you know how the play came up at the last election when my inspiration were formed. Since Fallon County was organized, I as a Deputy in the different offices have given you the best service possible, and I ask your support upon merits of the work performed by myself as you see them.  
 Yours truly,  
 R. B. Lowry.

**Commissioner**  
 I wish to hereby announce myself as candidate for County Commissioner of Fallon County, subject to the will of the people of the August primaries. If nominated and elected I will hold my platform of "Economy" and "Equity" toward all and "Economy" as far as it is possible without making it a fault. I am a farmer and Wilson Democrat. Hoping to get your favorable decision.  
 Resp. W. Ed Akers.

**Sheriff**  
 To the voters of Fallon County:—I am seeking the nomination for sheriff on the republican ticket and I hope to find it under a big pile of votes about the last of August. I am opposed for that office in the republican ranks by our former deputy sheriff of Ekalaka (George Boggs) who is a gentleman in every respect, but I haven't time to boast for him, being busy lecturing him for \$1.13. I believe you conscientiously believe that I will make the tallest and best in the office of candidate are kindly required to vote for him at the August primaries.  
 Respectfully submitted,  
 Henry Viles.

**Commissioner**  
 I hereby respectfully ask favorable consideration by the voters of the county, of my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner for the Six Year Term. Being currently located in Miles City, I believe I can give you a conservative, efficient and economical administration. I favor a consistent change in our road method. I do not believe in and will not advocate, frantic financing or excessive taxation.  
 I have a large and favorable acquaintance throughout the county, and I can cheerfully refer to any of whom I can. Trusting that you will find me worthy and well qualified, I am,  
 Yours very respectfully,  
 T. F. SCHOFIELD.

**County Assessor**  
 I hereby announce myself as candidate for the office of County Assessor of Fallon County, on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the people at the August primaries.  
 Otto Emerson, Sr.

**Sheriff**  
 I hereby announce myself as Candidate for the office of sheriff on the republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the coming Primaries. Having had some previous experience in this work, I believe I can perform the duties imposed upon a sheriff. Your support will be appreciated.  
 Geo. Boggs.

**Representative**  
 To the Voters of Fallon County: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination to the office of Representative on the Democratic ticket in the Primary election on the 29th of August, 1916.  
 In the twelve years that I have been a resident here this is the first time I have ever sought a political office. If nominated and elected I will, during my term of office, diligently endeavor to faithfully work for the best interests of Fallon County.  
 R. E. MORRIS

**Treasurer**  
 To the Voters of Fallon County: I am a candidate for the office of Treasurer on the Democratic ticket in the Primary election August 29th, 1916.  
 I am serving as Deputy Treasurer under present Treasurer E. F. Lowry, and I beg to assure the voters on my record, knowing that I am competent and fully capable of conducting the business of the office, and if elected, I will maintain the highest standard of service to the people of Fallon County.  
 Sincerely yours,  
 E. H. TRANDUM

**County Superintendent**  
 To the voters of Fallon County: I submit my name as a candidate for the nomination of County Superintendent of Schools on the Democratic ticket at the August Primaries.  
 I have had charge of the Baker Public Schools for four years during which time the Baker School has grown from a three-room school to a Four year Accredited High School employing a corps of eight teachers. Before coming to Baker I had experience in the public schools of Minnesota, Iowa and Washington. Through my normal training in the State Normal, Minnesota, and by teaching in rural schools of my native state, as well as by active interest in all educational matters, I feel especially qualified to handle the rural school problem. Begging a careful consideration of my claims to the support of the Democratic Party.  
 Yours for better Schools,  
 MISS CARIE A. BACHTIE

**County Attorney**  
 To the Voters of Fallon County: I am desirous of securing the Republican nomination as candidate for County Attorney, and respectfully solicit your support at the primaries to be held on Tuesday, the 29th day of August, 1916.  
 Very respectfully,  
 Leon L. Wheeler

**Commissioner**  
 I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner on the Republican ticket subject to the will of the voters at the primary election. My filing will be for the two year term. My experience as a contractor gives special qualifications for the position I am seeking and hope for your favorable consideration at the polls.  
 Frank Schreiber, Wills Creek

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