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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

County Ticket.
 For County Treasurer, WALTER GEORGE.
 For Sheriff, Capt. V. C. TALBOT.
 For County Clerk, JAMES CHITTICK.
 For Clerk of Dist. Court, Lieut. H. F. KENNEDY.
 For County Judge, J. A. ARMOUR.
 For County Superintendent, J. B. TAGGART.
 For County Surveyor, F. E. VASANTWERP.
 For County Coroner, Dr. H. F. DAVIES.
Township Ticket.
 W. W. COWLES.
 Treasurer, J. M. KIMBERLING.
 Justices of the Peace, J. J. SNYDER, L. McCANDLESS.
 Constables, P. M. TOWNSLEY, W. W. BARRITT.
 Road Overseers, Dist. No. 1, CHAS. DAVIS, Dist. No. 2, J. B. KENYON, Dist. No. 3, JOHN B. YOE, Dist. No. 4, J. N. PERISHALLA, Dist. No. 5, F. H. ARTHUR, Dist. No. 6, G. E. GAYWELL, Dist. No. 7, G. T. WRIGHT.

Supervisor District Conventions.
 DISTRICT NO. 2.
 The republican supervisor convention of district no. 2, Custer county, Nebraska, is hereby called to meet in Round Valley school house Sept. 20th at 1 o'clock p. m. to place in nomination a candidate for supervisor for said district and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the convention. The basis of representation is the same as for the county convention.
 J. O. TAYLOR, CHM. B.

The delegates of supervisor district no. 6 will meet in convention at Oconto, on Saturday, Sept. 2, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for supervisor of said district.
 J. L. CONYON.

The republican convention Saturday was one of the largest and most sanguine the party has had in Custer county for years. The ticket as a whole is a strong one. All did not get their preference, but a good ticket was nominated and it will not only get the support of the republicans, but several who favor the best men for office, who belong to other parties will give more than one of the republican nominees their unqualified support.

Will some good republican please rise and explain why, if as they say, Governor Poynter so grossly insulted the First Nebraska last winter, did the First Nebraska honor the governor by naming their camp on the presidio. "Camp Poynter?"—Callaway Independent. That is easy. They did not do. That was one of the World-Herald fakes, that was promptly denied by members of the First Nebraska as soon as their attention was called to the falsehood.

As a proof to the last resolution of the platform adopted by the republican convention last Saturday the REPUBLICAN submits herewith the prices of the various products which make up the wealth of the farm. The prices quoted are compared with the Chicago price of the farm production the same day three years ago and run as follows.

Aug. 18, 1896	Aug. 18, 1899
Wheat.....\$ 54	Wheat.....\$ 70 1/2
Corn..... 25 1/2	Corn..... 30 1/2
Oats..... 16 1/2	Oats..... 19 1/2
Pork..... 6 20	Pork..... 8 27
Lard..... 3 20	Lard..... 5 20
Cattle..... 3 15	Cattle..... 5 00
Hogs..... 3 15	Hogs..... 4 85

F. G. Hamer, of Kearney, was allowed to name the delegates to the republican judicial convention to be held at Lexington next Tuesday, by the Buffalo county convention. That Mr. Hamer is to be a candidate for the office of district judge again will be a fact highly pleasing to his many friends of the district. It was under his candidacy that the populist elected S. A. Holcomb. It was a year when the whole country had gone wild and the Alliance party was bound together with an oath of secrecy. Judge Hamer at that time was much stronger than his party and was only beaten in the district by 7 or 8 votes. If the district can be reclaimed this fall from the fusionists F. G. Hamer is the man that can do. We hope he may receive the nomination by acclamation.

Next Tuesday at Lexington the delegates now elected by the several counties in the Sixth congressional district will determine who shall be their next congressman if no mistakes are made. There has been an element in the republican party for years who have argued that

for a candidate to be successful he must be "one of the boys" a genial fellow well met." In other words one who was acceptable of the rougher element of society. But we are pleased to note that a majority of the party have been able to see their mistake in this particular, and only the best men are satisfactory. The republican party is very largely made up of a high class of citizens, morally, religiously and financially, as well as intellectually. A large per cent of them in the past have not and will not support for office a tough character knowingly. Because nominations of that class of men have some times been made, to satisfy a certain class, they have been forced either to vote for the candidate on the other ticket or not vote at all, and thus our strength has been weakened. The selection of the very best men the country affords for any place on the ticket will always pay and can be no mistake. This is true from the fact that such men command the support of all good men and have the respect of the rougher class. It matters not how low one may fall as long as he retains his reasons he abhors his own condition and thinks more of the man who will not follow him in the mire. There was formerly considerable opposition to Judge Kimball's candidacy for congress, simply because he is strictly a moral man and does not associate "with the boys" in immoral or questionable practices. As a judge he has proven efficient, fearless, yet conservative and has made his constituents, his warm supporters and admirers. As a proof of this, as we have before stated, his least majority for judge in his district, was four years ago, when populism was at its highest zenith. Then his majority was 1140 over his competitor, yet the district went populist by several hundred. It is because of his sterling qualities that we believe him to be the right man to nominate and with his nomination secured, his election will be assured.

The congressional situation is growing more interesting in the light of new developments. The populist and democratic conventions held at Lexington last Friday was a great disappointment to both elements. The democrats nominated M. C. Harrington and the populists Neville of North Platte. All efforts to harmonize were fruitless and both stand as candidates of their respective parties. Before the conventions convened the democratic delegates proposed to the populist leaders that they would go into joint convention with the populists and submit to the result not with standing the populist had nearly twice as many delegates as the democrats. The populist refused to accede to the proposition. The democrats lay claim the right to the nomination, as under their fusion deals heretofore the populists had always named the candidate. Because of their rights being refused them they would not agree to a compromise which gave the populists the nominee. It was reported in the World-Herald the next day that Harrington had withdrawn, but W. E. Eastham received a message Sunday morning from Mr. Harrington that he would stand as a candidate. While this makes the chances for the election of the populist candidate less certain it will put the democrats in better shape to command a following in the future. There are a great many voters who honor those who have the manhood to stay by their convictions even should they meet with adversity in so doing. The same class feel a disgust for those who have so little regard for principle as to sacrifice it for office or a few paltry dollars. And if the democrats maintain their present attitude they will gain the respect of all honest men, and their course can not fail to increase their ranks. There are a great many men in the populist ranks who formerly affiliated with the democratic party that are becoming thoroughly convinced of the insincerity of the leaders of the populist party and when the death knell of that party is sounded they will flock back to their former ship like drowning rats. The democrats can and will hasten the day by letting the pretended reformers by giving them all the rope they want.

Our Candidates

The republican party is the only one who nominated two of Co. M's heroes for county office, Capt. V. C. Talbot who left here as 1st Lieut. received the nomination for sheriff and Lieut. H. F. Kennedy who left here as commissary sergeant was nominated for clerk of the district court. Both Talbot and Kennedy made excellent records while in the Philippines and received their promotions as a reward of merit. Lieut. Kennedy was seriously wounded by a mauler ball piercing his body, passing through one lung, in the same battle in which Col. Stotsenburg fell mortally wounded. Capt. Talbot served as captain of Company M. several months, before Captain Wilson reached Manila. During that time he won the high esteem of the entire company and one returned soldier says he will be supported by every member of Co. M, and their friends, who respect their wishes. His promotion to captain of Co. G, while it removed him from his company did not remove the strong attachment his comrades had for him. The nomination for county judge is one of the strong nominees. Judge Armour has for the past two years served the public and his great popularity when he had entered the office has not been lessened, but rather increased in proportion to his increased acquaintance. His fair and impartial treatment of all who do business with him and his extensive knowledge of law ranks him with the public, as the most efficient and popular judges the county has ever had. He is just such a man as the public has been wanting on the bench and if we do not misjudge the desire of the people he will be there for a number of years to come.

Another most highly satisfactory nomination was that of Walt George for county treasurer. He is one of the citizens of Custer county who has been tried and not found wanting. For some time he served as a member of the county board while there he proved his splendid executive ability and business qualifications. It is not unfrequent that his political opponents are heard to remark that he was the best member of the board the county ever had. He is a man of pleasing address, well qualified, a successful farmer and stock raiser, generous to the needy and very popular with his neighbors and where ever known. He will succeed the present, efficient incumbent H. Lomax and will be able to fill his place most admirably. The candidate for county clerk is not so generally known as the above mentioned, but comes highly recommended by these of the southwest part of the county who know his worth. He is one of the prosperous farmers of Wayne township and is well qualified for the position. The candidate for county superintendent has engaged in teaching in the county for the past six years at Westerville and Sargent. He was employed by Supt. H. Hiatt as one of the instructors in the Summer school one year and he held a Summer school at Westerville one or two years to prepare students to teach. He is the son of a union soldier and a native of Ohio.

F. E. VanAntwerp, the candidate for surveyor served the county in that position years ago and is no stranger to the public. He is a practical civil engineer and should be elected is prepared to do the public faithful service. He is one of the successful farmers in Wood River township where he owns a fine farm and is one of the pioneers of that part of the county.

The candidate for coroner, Dr. H. F. Davies of Callaway is a man competent to fill the position with credit to himself and the county. By Callaway now having telephone and telegraph connections he can be notified in short notice when he is needed and if elected, the delay and anxiety experienced recently in securing the services of the coroner would not be repeated.

Upon the whole it is one of the best tickets ever put up by any party in the county and every republican whether it was his choice or not should and doubtless will use his best efforts to see that the ticket is elected.

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