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Political Announcements.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

To the Voters of Codington County:

Having been continually urged by my friends, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination or the office of Register of Deeds, subject to the will of the republican voters at the June primaries, and respectfully solicit your support.

W. A. SCHURMANN,
Waverly, S. D.

REGISTER OF DEEDS.

To the Voters of Codington County:

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the republican nomination for the office of Register of Deeds, subject to the will of the republican voters at the June primaries, and respectfully solicit your support.

E. C. CHAPMAN,
Watertown, S. D.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of register of deeds of Codington county subject to the will of the republican electors at the primaries to be held next June. I respectfully solicit your vote and support, assuring you that anything you can do for me in this direction will be highly appreciated.

ARTHUR M. POULSON.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of register of deeds of Codington county, subject to the will of the republican voters at the June primaries, and respectfully solicit your support.

CURT JOHNSON

FOR CLERK OF COURTS.

I desire thru this medium to announce my candidacy for the office of clerk of courts for Codington county, subject to the vote of the republican voters at their primaries to be held in June. Your vote and support will be highly appreciated. Thanking one and all for past favors and hoping that you can see your way clear to give me another term, I remain,

Yours most respectfully,

FRED M. BRONSON.

FOR CLERK OF COURTS.

To the voters of Codington County: I wish to hereby announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of clerk of courts, subject to the will of the republican electors as expressed at the primary election to be held on June 7th, 1910.

Thanking you for past favors and soliciting your support at the June primaries, I am,

Very Truly,

WILLIAM G. GESLEY.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT

To the Voters of Codington County:

I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination as superintendent of schools in Codington county, to be submitted to the voters at the June, 1910, primaries, and respectfully solicit your support.

J. W. CARROLL,
South Shore, S. D.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT

To the Codington County Voters.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the republican nomination for county superintendent subject to the decision of the electors at the primary election in June. Yours sincerely,

C. K. OVERHULSE,
Florence, S. D.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the Republican Electors of Codington County—I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination of superintendent of schools, subject to the will of the republican party as expressed at the primary to be held on the first Tuesday in June, 1910.

Your support is solicited and will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully yours,

O. A. Olson.

FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

I hereby formally announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for the office of superintendent of schools of Codington county, subject to the will of the republican electors at the primaries held in June, 1910. I have spent many years at educational work and feel that I am competent to fill this important office. I would highly appreciate your vote and support.

Yours Most Respectfully,

W. D. BURCALOW

Watertown, S. D.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Codington county subject to the will of the republican electors at the primaries in June. I will certainly appreciate your vote and support. Thanking you in advance for any favors shown me, I remain,

Yours Most Respectfully,

M. H. MAKEPEACE.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county sheriff, subject to the will of the democratic voters at the June primaries. I have served as deputy under Sheriff Wiesbeck for two terms, and feel that I am familiar with the duties of the office, and will appreciate your support.

Sincerely,

—L. R. SLAWSON

FOR SHERIFF.

To the Voters of Codington County:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination of sheriff of Codington county subject to the will of the republican electors at the primaries in June. I have resided in Codington county for about thirty years and never before have I asked for a county office. I would appreciate your vote and support at the republican primaries, and promise if nominated and elected to discharge the duties of the office in a manner which will be satisfactory to my party and the county. Hoping I will merit your support and good will, I remain,

Yours most respectfully,
ORIN O. JACOBS,
Watertown, S. D.

FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for the office of State's Attorney, subject to the will of the republican electors at the primaries to be held on June 7th, 1910. Your support and vote respectfully solicited.

ARTHUR L. SHERIN.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I am a candidate for re-election for the office of county commissioner before the republican primaries to be held in June. I am in a position to give the duties of the office an unlimited amount of time and would appreciate it if my friends would give me another term. Thanking you in advance for any favors shown me in the past or in the future, I remain,

Yours most respectfully,
M. W. WESTFALL,
Watertown, S. D.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county commissioner from the Kranzburg District subject to the will of the republican electors at the primaries to be held in June. If nominated and elected I will pledge myself to work for the best interests of Kranzburg township in particular and Codington county in general. If you can see your way clear to give me a vote I will certainly remember the favor.

Yours Respectfully,
NICK KAISER,
Kranzburg, S. D.

FOR COUNTY AUDITOR.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of county auditor subject to the will of the republican electors at the primaries to be held in June, 1910. I earnestly solicit your support and vote.

HERMAN F. MICHAELS.

FOR COUNTY AUDITOR.

On solicitation of friends, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the republican nomination for county auditor, subject to the will of the voters at the June primaries.

Respectfully Yours,

JOE MILLER.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

I hereby announce my candidacy for renomination to the office of county treasurer of Codington county subject to the wishes of the republican electors at the primaries in June. Thanking all of my friends for past favors and hoping that they will see their way clear to give me a second term, I am,

Yours Very Truly,

L. J. OTOOLE.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT.

While it is generally known that I had consented to become a candidate for Circuit Judge of the Third Judicial Circuit, I take this occasion to formally announce that I will be a candidate for that office on the Republican ticket at the coming June primary. A fair consideration of my candidacy is respectfully asked and the support of my friends will be much appreciated.

O. K. SEWARD.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE.

To the voters of the Third Judicial Circuit: I hereby announce myself a candidate, subject to the will of the Republican voters at the primaries in June, for a second term as the Judge of the Circuit Court of the Third Judicial Circuit of South Dakota, and respectfully solicit your kind support.

GEORGE H. MARQUIS

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

To the voters of Codington County: I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for the office of Register of Deeds, subject to the will of the voters as expressed at the June Primaries. For the past two years have worked practically all the time at the Register's office and am thoroughly familiar with the records and work of that office.

I respectfully solicit your support.

R. G. WILLIAMS.

Watertown, S. D.

AL LEE WRITES A

FAREWELL POEM.

Al Lee, brother of the Lee Bros., blacksmiths and wagon manufacturers of this city, departed some time ago for the Pacific Coast where he will make his future home. Al, who, by the way, is one of the best mechanics that ever resided in the city, wrote the following poem and gave it to his friends just before he left.

BY THE SOO.

Just by a stream of water that the old folks called Big Soo I hammered rivets until my hands were nearly blue;

The ringing of the anvil was the music thru the day, I will let that hammer take a rest and hear pianos play.

Eight months we had cold weather and four months of summer time, To make a handsome fortune would be only in our mind;

A heap of farm machinery that is scattered here and there, Instead of being under cover they'd get some good fresh air.

Our town grew up with Paris style all colors could be seen, A lady without the latest thing to her all things were green;

Those great swell hats and Paris boots are very nice to see; The only thing with fashion is, it got too rich for me.

I loved the sight of the old Big Soo just thirty years ago, With hook and line the sport was fine and plenty of game you know;

Eggs got high and butter too, with meat clear out of sight, The old thing for a laboring man is simply take a flight.

A. B. LEE.

A TRIBUTE TO THE NOBLE DOG.

Wm. B. Stewart, manager of the Bishop & Babcock Co., wholesale dealers in carbonating supplies in St. Paul, and an intimate friend of Wes Dory and H. A. Wagner of this city, was a Watertown visit or this week. Mr. Stewart is the man to whom Mr. Dory made a present of his famous bull dog "Cash." Mr. Stewart has printed a neat little booklet with a beautiful half tone picture of "Cash" on the front page and Senator Vest's famous eulogy of the dog printed on the inside pages.

A Tribute to the Dog.

In a speech made by the late Senator Vest of Missouri, in the course of a trial of a man who had wantonly shot a dog belonging to a neighbor, Vest represented the plaintiff, who demanded \$200 damages. When Vest finished speaking, the jury, after two minutes deliberation, awarded the plaintiff \$500. The speech follows:

Gentlemen of the jury: The best friend a man has in this world may turn against him and become his enemy. His son or daughter that he has reared with loving care may prove ungrateful. Those who are nearest and dearest to us, those whom we trust with our happiness and our good name, may become traitors to their faith. The money that a man has, he may lose. It flies away from him, perhaps when he needs it the most. A man's reputation may be sacrificed in a moment of ill-considered action. The people who are prone to fall on their knees to do us honor when success is with us may be the first to throw the stone of malice when failure settles its cloud upon our heads. The one absolutely unselfish friend that man can have in this selfish world, the one that never deserts him and the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous, is his dog.

Gentlemen of the Jury, a man's dog stands by him in prosperity and in poverty, in health and in sickness. He will sleep on the cold ground where the wintry winds blow and the snow drives fiercely, if only he may be near his master's side. He will lick the hand that has no food to offer, he will lick the wounds and sores that come in encounters with the roughness of the world. He guards the sleep of his pauper master as if he were a prince. When all other friends desert, he remains. When riches take wings and reputation falls to pieces, he is a constant in his love as the sun in its journey thru the heavens. If fortune drives the master forth an outcast in the world, friendless and homeless, the faithful dog asks no higher privilege than that of accompanying him to guard against danger, to fight against his enemies, and when the last scene of all comes, and death takes the master in its embrace, and his body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, there by his grave side will the noble dog be found, his head between his paws, his eyes sad but open in alert watchfulness, faithful and true even to death.



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