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## THE COURIER.

### Republican State Ticket.

For Congress—  
THOMAS F. MARSHALL,  
RURLEIGH F. SPALDING.  
For Governor—  
FRANK WHITE.  
For Lieutenant Governor—  
DAVID BARTLETT.  
For Supreme Court—  
JOHN M. COCHRANE.  
For Secretary of State—  
E. F. PORTER.  
For Auditor—  
D. H. HOLMES.  
For Treasurer—  
D. McMILLAN.  
For Commissioner of Insurance—  
FRED LEUTZ.  
For Attorney General—  
C. N. FRICK.  
For Superintendent of Public Instruction—  
W. L. STOCKWELL.  
For Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor—  
H. J. TURNER.  
For Railroad Commissioners—  
C. D. LOBID,  
J. F. SHEA,  
ANDREW SCHATZ.

Sharon is to have a newspaper in a short time. Mr. C. A. Crait, of this city, being the projector of the new enterprise. Sharon is a lively and growing little city and with a newspaper to boost it along with undoubted force right ahead.

The Grafton News and Times says: "Now if it should transpire that the democratic party should be instrumental in controlling the present demoralizing liquor traffic." The only way we could possibly figure the democratic party controlling the liquor business would be for it to throw everything wide open—but then, sister, there is no such calamity in sight.

The Foster County Tribune has had its name changed to the McHenry Tribune. The paper has been turned into a six column quarto and with its new heading, new type, etc., presents a very neat appearance. Editor Lowden is certainly giving the people of his town a first-class paper and the business men of the town seem to appreciate that fact as is evidenced by the liberal support the Tribune receives.

Riot and bloodshed has resulted from the big coal strike and there are indications that the break will come soon. The country is short on hard coal and is about time that heroic measures are taken to end the strike. The sympathy of a majority of the people are undoubtedly with the miners but it does not look as if they would win, in the meantime they are big losers up to date, while the operators have a chance to get back at the public by boosting up the price of coal.

Monday, Labor Day, was a legal holiday so far as the United States was concerned, but our county officers decided that it was not a legal holiday so far as they were concerned, consequently they were all doing business at the old stand. The reason for this conflict in opinion was because Gov. White was too busy to issue a proclamation making it a legal holiday in this state and the law being passed since the last session of the legislature it has not been incorporated in our code as a legal holiday. Probably it will be made a legal holiday by the next legislature then it wont matter if it does slip the governor's mind, see!

In referring to the nomination of E. W. Camp, formerly of Jamestown, for the legislature of this district, the Los Angeles, Cal. newspapers say it was a defeat for the "state house ring" and an unexpected turn in the convention. Mr. Camp's nomination was won on a close fight, he having just enough votes to nominate. The district has a normal republican majority of about 300 and casts a vote of about 5000. Mr. Camp naturally expects to be elected, and his many North Dakota friends hope that he will be. His experience in the state constitutional convention of North Dakota and his ability as a lawyer will make his services of special value to his constituents and should give him a state reputation as a man well qualified to do good service in the administration of the affairs of any state. It was a special compliment to the nominee that he was nominated in the home district of Gov. Gage, whose machine endeavored to secure the choice of another man.

L. D. McGahan, editor of the Bismarck Palladium, has been nominated for the legislature by the Independent-Democrats of Burleigh county. Mac is a republican and just how he worked the other fellows for a place on the ticket is a conundrum, but shows that he is a fine wire puller. It is too bad that he has been misled to go on the wrong ticket, but if he is elected, and his chances are good, there will be one live man and a hustler in the lower house of the legislature next winter.

President Roosevelt's trip through the New England States has made him many friends and he has been very warmly greeted everywhere. The president is not a gilded orator but he is a man of sterling integrity and firmness of purpose and his plain talks to the laboring people are winning him thousands of supporters from the laboring classes. He is opposed to trusts and doesn't hesitate to say so. His position does not suit the big corporations but his honesty of purpose and a desire to do the right thing does not deter Mr. Roosevelt from speaking out in meeting. He may not have the politicians on his side during the next campaign but it is certain that the common people will be with him.

"Uncle Pete" Hepburn, one of Iowa wheel horses in congress, tells the people of Washington that, in his judgment, the democrats propose to make the issue this fall, as far as it is possible, one of complaint and pessimism.

"The democrats will deny our present era of prosperity," he says: "I heard William J. Bryan talk a few days ago. He referred to the existing condition as that of 'seeming prosperity.' He was speaking in a county populated by 24,000 people. The banks of that county had within their coffers at that very time he was speaking, the total sum of \$2,752,000. That sum averaged about \$110 for every person in the county. This talk of 'seeming prosperity' in the face of that condition is not practical, in my judgment."

## DEMURRAGE.

Charges Will Be Instituted As Usual on the Rail-Roads this Fall.

Two Dollars will be Charged Per Car Held More Than Twenty-four Hours.

"The fall grain movements from the Dakotas and western Minnesota to the elevators and flour mills of the head of the lakes, will begin this week," said a prominent railroad man to a Call representative yesterday, "and the northern lines that handle much of this traffic have decided to put into effect Sept. 1 the system of demurrage charged, which it is their custom to enforce rigidly each year in order to expedite the loading and unloading of cars by shippers and consignees. "Beginning at that date and continuing till further notice, a charge of \$2 will be made on each car held more than twenty-four hours. The rule will apply to all stations not covered by a local car service association. The lines will place the distribution of cars among the various stations in the hands of the division superintendents as far as possible. Distribution to stations will be made in proportion to the daily average shipments of grain from such stations. Applications for cars will be filled in the order in which they are filed, one car to each applicant, afterwards, in proportion to the amount of grain offered and awaiting shipment by each shipper. Loading must be completed within twenty-four hours after the car is delivered. All unfilled orders for cars will expire 6 o'clock each Saturday night, when orders must be renewed. By these of other stringent rules the railroads hope to keep grain moving constantly, using the cars to the best advantage and doing away in a large measure, with the danger of a car shortage."—Call.

## Not Doomed For Life.

"I was treated for three years by good doctors," writes W. A. Greer, McConnellsville, O., "for piles, and fistula, but, when all failed, Bucken's Arnica Salve cured me in two weeks." Cures burns, bruises, cuts, corns sores, eruptions, sal rheum, piles or no pay. 25c at Bateman's drug store.

## Temperance Notes.

The state convention of N. D., W. C. T. U. will be held at Wahpeton Sept. 28-29 in the First Congregational Church. Miss Lillian Phelys, of St. Catharines, Ont., graduate of school of oratory, etc. And Miss Della Mae Connett, the popular Y. secretary of Ohio will be the convention speakers.

Delegates to the state convention will be elected by the local union this afternoon.

Prohibition of the liquor traffic is a live question throughout our country and in many states has become a live issue in politics. Minnesota prohibitionists have purchased the biggest automobile ever seen in the northwest and will conduct their campaign by its means. It will carry campaign speakers, a brass band and a male quartette. It will visit the most populous portions of the state with flying banners—visiting a half dozen towns daily. Proclaiming a political creed that places manhood above money. "The machine is a twelve passenger brake, of the latest and most attractive style, fitted with a 25 horse-power hydrocarbon motor which is power enough to run over any road. It has wide solid rubber traction tires, that will give the machine firm footing in sand, and traction power in mud and on grades. The weight of the machine, with no load is about 3700 pounds." It will carry twelve persons. It is expected to reach 250 towns by this means. Already applications for meetings are pouring in. A quarter of all the evening meetings possible have been engaged.

A feature of the Illinois prohibition convention was the subscribing by ten men of \$100 each, for the campaign fund. 1200 delegates and visitors were in attendance ending with an immense mass-meeting addressed by John G. Wooley and National Chairman Stewart. The convention parade preceding the evening rally was a brilliant "eye opener" to whisky-ridden Peoria. "It was several blocks long and was illuminated by candles, rockets and red fire."

The following dispatch has appeared in various daily papers recently:

"La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 13.—A meeting of approximately 100 sheriffs of Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa and Illinois, will be held at La Crosse during the present month, for the purpose of settling upon some concerted action for the apprehension of horse-thieves whose depredations have continued despite all efforts of officials. (The capitals are ours). Sheriff Barber of this city is active in the matter. He said today that the rewards now out for horse thieves aggregate nearly \$2,000. Two more thefts occurred yesterday. \* \* The thieves are united and do their work in systematic manner. And officials despair of accomplishing anything by individual endeavor."

The New Voice makes the following deductions upon this official dispatch made with "startling display heads." in the papers:

"Upon the supposition \* \* that the editorial utterances of our daily papers have always been conscientious expressions of mature opinions, we may expect straight way a vigorous demand for the repeal of the laws prohibiting horse stealing and for the enactment of high license and local option legislation for the regulation of that 'industry.' We submit, that from the statements made in that dispatch, if they are truthful—and they have behind them the same high authorities from which the public receives most of its information regarding numerous public questions—the following points are distinctly proved:

1. The prohibition of horse stealing is a failure.
2. Public sentiment does not support the law.
3. The administration of the law is a "farce."
4. This "damnable prohibitory statute" makes "criminals and hypocrites" of a great body of men who, if the law were repealed and a "reasonable license law enacted," would be respectable citizens.
5. Any man who continues to favor the retention of the law prohibiting horse stealing is a bigot and a moss back. And we further submit that these conclusions are just as sound and valid and worthy of acceptance as the conclusions arrived at by the "students" of the "liquor problem" who have of late been instructing the public with regard to the failure of laws prohibiting the sale of intoxicating drinks, and the consequent necessity for their repeal."

# THE BIG STORE.

## NEW FALL GOODS.

Not a dab of this and that, but a great conglomeration of the best, newest and most down-to-date merchandise.

**Dry Goods.** Never before did we have such an enormous stock of dress goods. The choicest merchandise of the New York and Chicago markets awaits your inspection.

**Dress Trimmings.** Marvelous beauty is here gathered together in the form of laces, medallions, and galleons. The perplexing question—"How to trim your dress," is easily solved with such a variety of adornment to select from.

**Waist Patterns, put up in 3 yds length.** Only one of a kind. Better get one now, they are so pretty and reasonable in price, that they are sure to be sold quick

**Flannel Shirt Waists, a large assortment, black, red, blue, green, and other shades, all sizes, made so as to fit, good long sleeves, long waist, and the most pleasing thing about them is the very reasonable price.**

Winding up the summer shirt waist business, with a price that sounds too small to be true, but it's so all right, you never found a statement in our ads. that you couldn't bank on. Your choice of any left over waists for **50c**

Wrappers. Your own hands couldn't make one prettier or cheaper than we are selling them ready made. That people knows a good thing, they see it, is evident by the number of wrappers, we have sold in the last few days **\$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50**

WHEN THEY ASK YOU WHERE TO GET IT, TELL THEM

## JOHN SYVERSON.

No one would advocate a law for licensing the stealing of horses. Yet there are people in North Dakota who are demanding a law to license the stealing of manhood and the wrecking of homes by means of the liquor traffic. It is strange indeed, that even some well meaning, people have thus lost sight of the "jewel" of "consistency." PRESS SUPT.

## Notice.

Notice Is Hereby Given, That one T. E. McAllister, formerly of Flandreau, S. D., never has been associated with us as a co-partner;

That his services have been dispensed with and no credit should be given to his statements contrary hereto.

That we never were, and will not hereafter, be held responsible for misrepresentations and acts committed by him. WIFE & LA VALLEY, Dazey, N. D.

## Notice.

Threshing Rigs insured at WARNER & SPICERS', Office in State Bank Bldg., Cooperstown, N. D.

## A Boy's Wild Ride For Life.

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, coughs and colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma, but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures for consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis, coughs, colds and grip prove its matchless merit for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1. Trial bottles free at Bateman's drug store.

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## A Radiant Home Stove

is the most successful burner of lignite coal, they have fire back and front like cut.

WATCHES repaired at our place are warranted for one year.

JEWELRY bought of us is always as represented.

## Everson & Allen.