

## States Attorney.



Frank Gladstone is the republican nominee for the office of states attorney of Griggs county and the party has every reason to expect his election. He is a young man of exceptionally bright legal attainments, is temperate in his habits and a worthy citizen in every respect. Here is a brief sketch of the gentleman: Frank Gladstone enlisted in the spring of 1898 in Company F. First New York Regiment of Volunteer Infantry which was assigned to the 8th Army Corps, the Manila division and served until mustered out in February 1899. The following fall he began his legal studies by entering the Albany Law School, a branch of Union University from which institution he was graduated three years later with the Degree of Bachelor of Law, and was at once admitted to the New York bar. Prior to his coming west he practiced law in New York and was employed on the editorial staff of Edward Thompson Co., publishers of American and English Encyclopedia of Law. Since coming to Cooperstown nearly two years ago he has won many friends all over the county and is popular with all who know him. He will make a first-class attorney and we ask the voters to place an X after his name election day.

## SUPT. OF SCHOOLS.



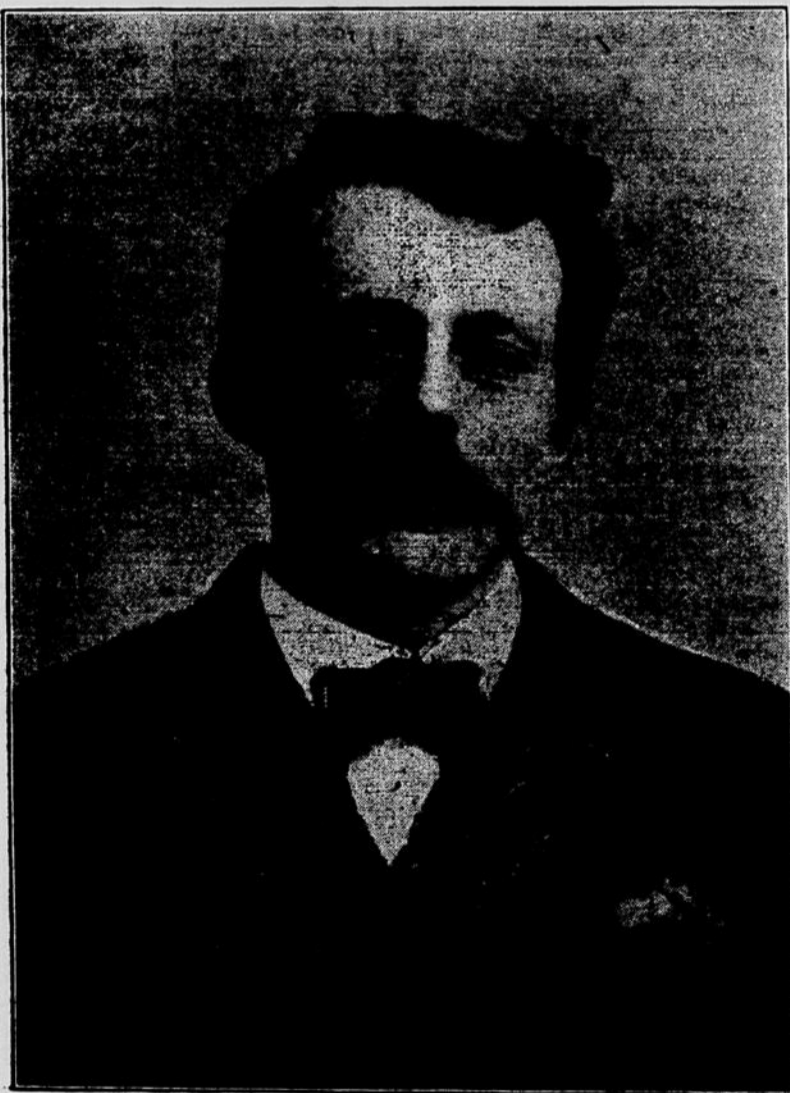
The present incumbent of this office, Miss Clara Feiring, has been renominated for a third term by the republicans of Griggs county and will be elect-

ed. For two terms she has made the county an excellent official and the people will no doubt endorse her work at the polls November 8th. Don't forget to place an X after her name November 8th.

The democratic managers claim the election of Mr. Parker and the republicans that of Mr. Roosevelt. You can take your choice, but in our opinion the republicans have somewhat the best of the deal.

The COURIER pleads guilty to being one of the "vote 'er straight" howlers and is glad this year to be placed in that class. With the best county ticket ever put up in this county there is no reason for doing otherwise unless we bolt the ticket for a price like some other republican newspapers are doing. We again say vote it straight.

## REGISTER OF DEEDS.



The COURIER's candidate for register of deeds is Mr. Omund Westley, of Greenfield township and his name will be found on the republican ticket. He is an old settler also an upright, worthy citizen. He is well educated, a fine penman, and thoroughly equipped in every way to conduct the affairs of the office. Mr. Westley is getting acquainted with the people as fast as possible and hopes to be able to win enough to his side to elect him November 8th. He is deserving, competent and obliging, and there is no reason why he should not get about 250 majority on election day. Place an X after his name, also, and help elect a worthy citizen.

## O. D. PURINTON.

For the office of clerk of court the republicans have again nominated Oscar D. Purinton because they considered that he was in every way the best man for the position and on that point the COURIER heartily agrees. He has made the county a very able official and we believe that he not only should but will be re-elected by a handsome majority. There is no clerk of the court in this judicial district more capable than the present incumbent who holds that office in Griggs county. He is always at his post of duty, has served the public well and there is no good reason why he should be turned out to make room for somebody else, admitting that the other fellow might also make a good clerk of court. We know that Mr. Purinton is the right man for the place and we hope the voters will back up our judgment November 8th by re-electing him. Place an X after his name on election day.

The proper way to mark your ballot:

R. M. COWEN



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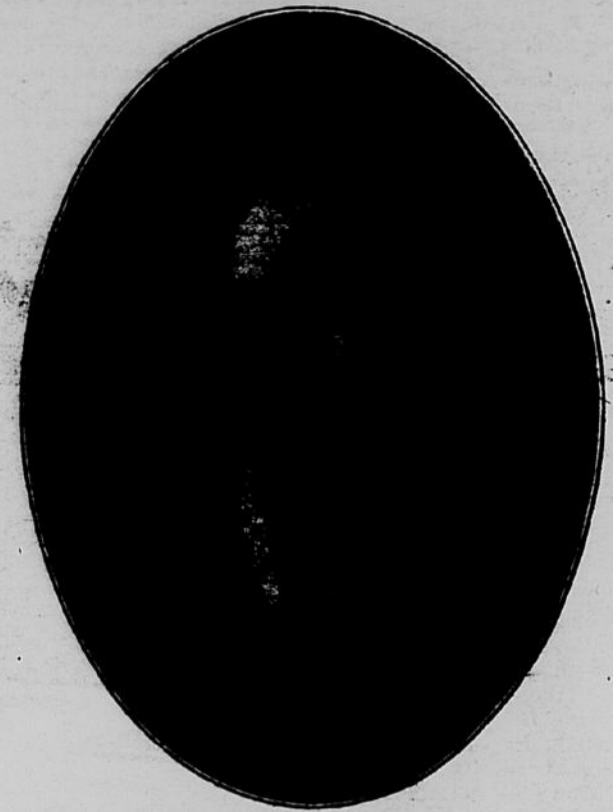
## JUDGE CARLETON.

No voter in Griggs county with the welfare of the public at heart will say for one minute that the present incumbent in the county judge's office is not the man for the office—not the best as far as the personal standing of the two men are concerned, because we think that Mr. Langford is a fine gentleman and a good citizen—but because Judge Carleton's legal training better fits him for the office of county judge. It requires a legal mind to properly conduct the affairs of this important office. There are a great many opportunities to make serious blunders coming up before the probate court at nearly every session and it is highly important that the right man is occupying that office. We believe that Mr. Carleton makes and has made a very careful county judge. His records are accurate and he has used good judgment in all matters coming before him in his official capacity. In his private life Will Carleton is a model citizen and if anyone has a grievance against him it is of his own seeking and not that of Mr. Carleton. We believe he will be re-elected. Place an X after his name one election day.

## ROBERT M. COWEN.

The COURIER wishes to present for the consideration of the voters of Griggs county, Robert M. Cowen, for the office of county auditor. Mr. Cowen came to Griggs county in 1888 as agent for the Northern Pacific railroad. He held this position for 16 years and resigned four or five years ago to go on his farm at Willow Lake. That he is competent to discharge the duties of his office goes without saying. An expert accountant, fine penman, good business qualifications, and better still, a thoroughly temperate man, the people of this county cannot do better than elect him county auditor. Bob has a host of friends in this county who have received many favors at his hands during the years he was at the depot and they will no doubt give him a boost this fall. He has never held a public office and has been a resident of the county twenty one years. Place an X after his name.

## COUNTY TREASURER.



Mr. Seval Friswold has been nominated for the office of county treasurer and the COURIER hopes will be favored with an election. In our judgment he is the best qualified for that position and if elected will give the office his personal attention. Mr. Friswold has many qualifications to recommend him for the office. He has no other business to attend to, therefore all his time will be given to the office; he is a good business man, an expert accountant and a fine penman. All the attainments necessary for the conduct of the county treasurer's office. The people demand a business administration and if they elect Mr. Friswold they will surely get it. An X after his name will be the proper thing November 8th.

## DR. M. D. WESTLEY.



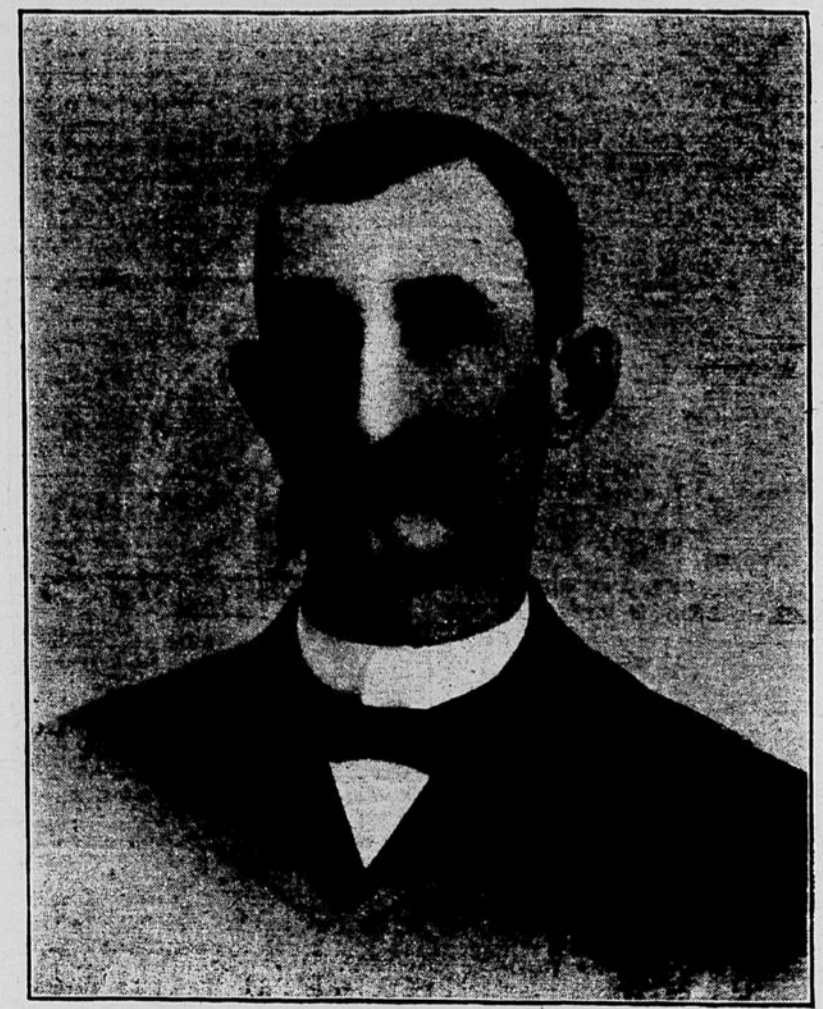
The Republicans of Griggs county have nominated for the office of coroner of this county Dr. M. D. Westley and we are of the opinion that he will be elected by a handsome majority. If the voters favor the doctor with a majority vote we feel sure that

the office will be taken care of carefully and wisely. Place an X after his name on election day.

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Two good men have been nominated for county commissioners this year by the republican party, Mr. Wm. Hadlock, of Helena township, and Mr. T. A. Huso, of Lenora township. They are both good men, who, if elected, will use their best endeavors at all times to further the interests of the county. We hope to see them both elected.

## For Sheriff.



The republicans have selected for this important office one of the pioneer settlers of Griggs county, Mr. John L. Houghton and in doing so the party could not have made a better selection. During his twenty-one years residence in this county he has proven himself to be a worthy citizen, a man of integrity and a gentleman who tries to live up to the golden rule to the best of his ability. Mr. Houghton is not a good story teller, but is a strictly business man who will give the county good service if elected and will at all times conscientiously do his duty to the best of his ability. He is entitled to your vote November 8. Give it to him.