

For County Surveyor Lewis C. Ayers

Born in Cairo, Ill., in 1869; a resident of Jackson County, Missouri, for forty years. Is a practical civil engineer of long and recognized experience. For over twelve years connected with the well-known engineering firm of Tuttle-Ayers- Woodward Company.

For County Assessor Burto Z. Palmer

Born on farm in Jackson County; as boy, served as clerk in general store; nine years in real estate business with Sloan-Morris Realty Co.; for ten years, an active officer in Kansas City banks. Mr. Palmer served as president of the Associate Member Banks of Kansas City Clearing House during 1923; is active director of South Side Savings and Loan Association.

For Public Administrator Fred W. Klaber

Born and raised in Kansas City. Educated in local public schools and graduated from Kansas City School of Law. During his service of 23 years as Clerk of Probate Court, he has handled over 20,000 estates, in an honest, courteous and capable manner. Mr. Klaber's training especially qualifies him for the office he seeks.

The Democratic County Committee Presents the Democratic Candidates on a Platform of  
Honesty Economy Efficiency and Progress in County - State and Nation

For Sheriff Charles D. Capelle

Born on farm near Oak Grove in 1882; attended Independence High School and later graduated from Central College at Fayette, Mo. Through his earnings as a newspaper reporter, he was enabled to work his way through college. After his admission to the bar, he served several years as assistant reporter of the Missouri Supreme Court, later on the State Board of Pardons. During the late World War, he served with the Red Cross in France. Served one term as mayor of Independence. Unmarried.

For Prosecuting Attorney Thomas W. Alton

Born in Indiana; parents came to Missouri when he was seven years of age; settled in Dallas County. After attending the public schools, he graduated from Morrisville College. Admitted to the bar in 1904. Answering the call of his church, he became a minister in the Methodist Church, which he served until 1912. Has served as Assistant Prosecuting Attorney of Jackson County for the past two years. Is a member of the Ivanhoe Park Congregational Church.

For Coroner Dr. Harry Czarlinsky

Born in Benton County, Mo., in 1878. Attended public school of Kansas City and graduated Central High School. Worked way through University Medical College, from which he graduated in 1900. Member of Fitzsimmons Post, American Legion; American Medical Association; Missouri State Medical Society; Jackson County Medical Society. Official physician to Kansas City newsboys, to whom he gives his services free. Was married to Miss Ida M. Storrs, granddaughter of John E. Wright, the pioneer harnessmaker of Independence, of Independence in 1900

For County Treasurer C. A. Winfrey

Born in 1867. Came to Jackson County in 1885 and worked his way through business college. Owing to scarcity of employment, he returned to farm labor at the completion of his business course. Through hard work and thrift, he has become one of the most successful farmers in Missouri. In addition to his farm interests, he devotes a portion of his time to the Farmers Bank of Buckner, of which he is president. Is a member of the Christian Church of Buckner.

THE Democratic Party, militant and united behind an inspiring and intrepid leadership, faces with confidence the Presidential election of 1924.

It believes that its record of constructive and progressive legislation, of economy, efficiency, honesty and square dealing in the administration of Government, both in time of peace and in the crucial years of the World War, entitles it to a vote of confidence in November, particularly when its record of faithful service to all the people is contrasted with the failure of the Harding-Coolidge administration under control of the worst reactionary and Tory element in the Republican Party. The major issues may thus be briefly summed up:

Downward revision of the tariff, to reduce the cost of living and end the orgy of profiteering.

Labor is not a commodity. It is human. We favor collective bargaining and laws regulating hours of labor and conditions under which labor is performed.

We favor generous appropriations, honest management and sympathetic care and assistance in the hospitalization, rehabilitation and compensation of the veterans of all wars and their dependents.

Congress should make no laws respecting the establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof, or abridging the freedom of speech or of the press, or the right of the people peaceably to assemble and to petition the Government.

For President John W. Davis

John W. Davis was born in a small town of the West Virginia mountains, assumed the first tasks of manhood as a country lawyer, went out into broader fields and became internationally renowned as a legislator, diplomat and statesman, and who went back to Clarksburg a little while ago to receive official notification of his nomination for the Presidency of the United States.

For Governor Arthur W. Nelson

Arthur W. Nelson lives on his farm, on which he was born and has always resided, seven miles from Bunceton in Cooper County. He is 46 years old and a graduate in medicine. He was a member of the Live Stock Committee which operated during the war to insure an adequate supply of meats for the armies. He is president of the Missouri Live Stock Association.

For Congress George H. Combs, Jr.

George H. Combs, Jr., lawyer, was born in Kansas City, Mo. After attending the Kansas City public schools, he was graduated from University of Missouri and Kansas City School of Law. Volunteered and served in the Navy during the World War. In 1922 was appointed assistant prosecuting attorney, from which position he resigned to undertake his Congressional campaign. Married, has one son and is a member of the Christian Church.

For State Senator Seventh District B. Haywood Hagerman

Born in Kansas City, November 24, 1888; attended local public schools and later graduated from Brown University. In 1919 became vice-president of Norman-Robertson Abstract Co., and in 1911, became associated with James B. Welsh Realty Co. as vice-president. Has served a term as president of the Automobile Club of Kansas City.

For Circuit Judge Independence Division Willard P. Hall

Judge Hall was born in St. Joseph, Mo., in 1851. After his graduation from Yale University, he served his native city as City Attorney and was later elected Prosecuting Attorney of Buchanan County. Appointed to the Kansas City Court of Appeals by Governor Crittenden. After moving to Kansas City, Governor Gardner appointed him Circuit Judge at Independence to succeed Judge Kimbrough Stone. In 1918 Judge Hall was returned to the position and is now candidate for reelection.

For Circuit Judge Division 5 Allen C. Southern

Allen C. Southern was born, raised and now resides in Independence. After being admitted to the bar in 1905, he served as City Counselor of Independence for five years. In 1916, Judge Southern was appointed to a short term to succeed the late Judge Slover and has since been returned to the bench by the voters of Jackson County. Among the ten circuit judges of Jackson County, he is the only one from the country district outside of Kansas City.

For County Judge Western District H. F. McElroy

Judge McElroy is a native of Kansas City; resided here thirty years. Has been associated with all progressive movements that have taken place in Jackson County during the past thirty years. In 1922 he was elected County Judge for the Western District by an overwhelming vote. Together with Judge Harry Truman, the present County Court has been administered upon a program of strict economy. Married and has two children. Real estate business. His business experience especially qualifies him for the place.