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THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1912

Soon the good old summer time will be here. Spring will be short in this country this year.

The interest taken in state presidential primaries has cut in heavily upon the usual interest at this time of year in the national game of base ball.

Another indication that the democratic nomination for president will go to Champ Clark is the training of the political campaign guns of the partisan republican press upon him. Here's guessing that Clark will be the next president of the United States if nominated.

If the bitterness displayed between opposing factions in both republican and democratic parties in Nebraska before the primary election results in greater independence in voting at the general election next November, it will result in some good. One of the most hopeful signs of the times in political matters is the breaking away from party domination, and the consequent increase in the number of really independent voters.

A good deal of fun has been poked at that man Ross of Lexington, Neb., who filed for the nomination for president before the Nebraska primary. He has been commonly looked upon as having wheels in his head and his candidacy as a joke, with everybody except himself; but in one county at least he ran ahead of one candidate of national reputation. Sioux county gave Judson Harmon only five votes, while Ross received ten votes on the democratic ticket and one republican in that county.

People generally pay little attention to the religious beliefs of candidates for public office, but often have a curiosity to know. President Taft is a Unitarian, Colonel Roosevelt is a member of the Dutch Reformed church, Woodrow Wilson is a Presbyterian, Champ Clark is a Disciple of Christ, Judson Harmon is a Methodist, and Congressman Underwood is a Baptist. We have not learned that Senator Lorimer is a member of any church, and no church seems to want to claim him since the investigation of his election by means of bribery.

In cases of accident or calamity it is often difficult to get exact facts, owing to excitement of parties hearing what is related and afterwards trying to repeat what they heard. In relating the story of the death of Chris Boness in the storm on Saturday, April 13, The Herald stated that he was found under his wagon on the prairie, and that his team had been unhitched and turned around and tied to the wagon. We have since been told that he was found lying near a fence and that the horses were standing by a fence, to which one of them was tied. We are also told that Mr. Boness had been drinking but very little while in town that day, so that it is thought that what he drank had nothing to do with his getting lost in the blizzard. Since writing the foregoing we have been told that he had the mark of a horse's hoof on his breast, indicating that he had been kicked by one of the horses which had been floundering in a snow drift.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Alliance, Neb., April 24, 1912.

The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, officers present, J. M. Wanek, chairman, S. C. Reck and C. L. Hashman.

The following proceedings were had and done to wit:

The following claims were examined and allowed and the clerk ordered to draw warrants on the general fund for the same:

J. W. Hashman, prairie dogs	\$26 10
J. W. Hashman, prairie dogs	7 00
Klopp & Bartlett, sup	34 00
Amanda Feldler, refund	3 85
Hammond & Stephens, sup	9 55
Klopp & Bartlett, sup	52 05
Mrs. Nancy Frazier, prim elec	5 00
University Pub. Co., sup	4 00
F. E. Holsten, repair	1 00
Schafer Elec. Co., lights	1 80
J. H. Vaughan & Son, Coal	49 13
G. E. Lambson, refund	3 00
Neb. Tele. Co., phones	8 50
T. M. Burrows, refund	5 50
W. F. Kientop, labor	3 75
F. M. Crook, typewriter	62 25
City of Alliance, lights	18 12
J. B. Hunsaker, pauper	5 00
Klopp & Bartlett, sp	100 08
City of Alliance, water	6 25
A. C. Hashman, prairie dogs	7 00
J. W. Hashman, prairie dogs	24 00
J. W. Hashman, prairie dogs	4 05
A. C. Hashman, prairie dogs	7 00
A. C. Hashman, labor	14 00
J. W. Hashman, prairie dogs	7 00
A. C. Hashman, labor	14 00
J. W. Hashman, labor	14 00
J. W. Hashman, prairie dogs	4 00
Peter Soderberg, prim elec	7 00
L. A. Berry, statistics	13 75
Alex Muirhead, statistics	3 50
W. G. Zediker, prim, elec	8 00
J. H. Vaughan & Son, coal	9 50
Della Reed, expense	14 75
John Cala, prim elec	11 25
Theo. Ross, prim elec	4 00
Jake Winten, prim elec	4 00
Chas. Moravek, prim elec	4 00
W. A. Hood, prim elec	4 00
School Dist. No. 33, prim elec	4 00
W. G. Zediker, prim elec	4 00
James Dickey, prim elec	4 00
E. P. Woods, prim elec	4 00
D. W. Hughes, prim elec	4 00
Fred Mollring, prim elec	4 00
Gregory Zurn, prim elec	4 50
Jas. Keeler, prim elec	4 00
K. J. Stern, prim elec	4 00
F. L. Potmesil, prim elec	4 00
Geo. F. Snyder, prim elec	4 00
Clyde T. Johnson, prim elec	4 00
J. W. Hashman, prim elec	4 00
John Wright, prim elec	9 00
Carl Hashman, prim elec	4 00
Ferry Malley, prim elec	4 00
P. Nikont, prim elec	4 00
John Herlein, prim elec	4 00
Arthur Bass, prim elec	12 60
Joseph Duhon, prim elec	12 60
C. E. Ball, prim elec	6 00
T. J. Beal, prim elec	6 00
E. Boyer, prim elec	6 00
F. G. Leavitt, prim elec	6 00
W. R. Harper, prim elec	6 00
F. K. Roberts, prim elec	6 00
F. Seidler, prim elec	4 00
M. G. Wambaugh, prim elec	9 00
N. M. Hays, prim elec	9 00
Chas. Bauer, prim elec	4 00
Jacob Jesse, prim elec	4 00
John Burns, prim elec	4 00
John Lenzen, prim elec	4 00
J. E. Ritter, prim elec	4 00
Gaines Chapman, prim elec	4 00
E. M. Banks, prim elec	4 00
Geo. Severson, prim elec	8 00
L. E. McCluskey, prim elec	4 00
C. T. Huss, prim elec	6 00
Wm. Spencer, prim elec	4 00
Clark Olds, prim elec	4 00
Alex Muirhead, prim elec	4 00
B. B. Hopkins, prim elec	4 00
Barney Halbur, prim elec	4 00
Chas. Prochaska, prim elec	4 00
T. L. Hopkins, prim elec	7 00
John Jelinek, prim elec	5 00
J. P. Jensen, prim elec	4 00
Walter Langford, prim elec	4 00
Fred Abley, prim elec	4 00
E. F. Abley, prim elec	4 00
A. H. Mablin, prim elec	8 00
W. H. Patterson, prim elec	4 00
O. A. Davig, prim elec	4 00
P. H. Zoble, prim elec	10 60
John O'Mara, prim elec	4 00
A. Baumgardner, prim elec	4 00
Marks Harness Co., prim elec	10 00
J. I. Case, Ma. Co. road graders	100 0
C. M. Cox, expense	3 95
C. M. Cox, expense	100 00
C. M. Cox, posting notices	25 00
C. M. Cox, posting notices	25 00
Floyd Trine, prairie dogs	5 50
Floyd Trine, prairie dogs	20 50
Floyd Trine, prairie dogs	3 70
Floyd Trine, prairie dogs	14 35
Floyd Trine, prairie dogs	5 25
Floyd Trine, prairie dogs	4 00
C. M. Cox, grand jury mileage	49 60
E. Barton, sal and rent	227 00
J. Barnstead, gr jury witness	6 80
Carl Folstrom, grand jury	6 50
J. C. Osborn, grand jury	6 10
I. E. Tash, prim elec	2 00
W. S. Ridgell, prim elec	2 00
G. Zurn, Justice peace	40 50
Herald Pub Co. printing	19 91
School Dist No. 25, prim elec	5 00
E. M. Martin, ex and sal	480 05
D. W. Keiman, refund	15 50
Christian church, refund	3 65
W. W. Wood, refund	15 50
Geo. Dillon, refund	2 50
Mrs. Rose Reardon, refund	8 29
M. S. Hargraves, expense	12 00
Simon Spry, refund	9 30
W. C. Mounts, auto hire	6 00
C. L. Hashman, inspect roads	25 40
S. C. Reck, inspect roads and service	41 10
Hammond Stephens Co, sup	14 50
C. L. Hashman, services	17 00
Wm. Miller, printing	4 50
Malley Gro. Co, pauper	6 55
J. R. Snyder, pauper	2 50
Horace Bogues, pauper	5 80
A. D. Rodgers, pauper	15 40
Geo. Duncan, pauper	30 20
Rowan & Wright, pauper	12 75
T. M. Burrows, pauper	4 25
A. D. Rodgers, pauper	3 45
Geo. Duncan, pauper	12 35
W. M. Wilson, pauper	15 40
The Famous, pauper	5 30
A. D. Rodgers, pauper	16 40
Con Sterkie, pauper	25 00
Hemingford Merc Co, pauper	8 80
St. Joseph hos., pauper	42 00
Famous Cloth. house, pauper	2 75

R. T. Watson, road	4 00
Geo. Duncan, road	16 00
Fred Rehder, road	10 00
John Liggett, road	10 00
R. T. Watson, road	7 50
Chas. Beadless Ass'n road	12 50
Chas. Younkin Ass'n road	9 00
W. B. Fleaharty, road	6 00
A. C. Hashman, road	4 00
J. W. Hashman, road	4 00
Vincet Sokot, road	10 00
Joseph Duhon, road	12 00
Tom Hovorka, road	10 00
John Duhon, road	4 00
Frank Duhon, road	2 50
Albert Roth, road	8 00
Henry Bruss, road	4 00
Joe Winten, road	16 00
Jake Winten, road	14 50
Ed Benjamin, road	14 50
H. A. Thornton ass'n road	10 00
Geo. Simpson, ass'n road	30 00
Geo. Schimler, road	9 00
Herman Seidler, road	9 00
P. Seidler, road	5 00
Wm. Seidler, road	9 00
B. Griffith, road	2 25
Frank Bauer, road	1 80
P. H. Zoble, road	54 00
Tom Dillon, road	27 30
Ed Dillon, road	9 00
Frank Dillon, road	10 00
L. M. Kennedy, road	46 25
M. Shepherd, road	15 00
E. A. Marsh, road	24 60
Geo. Simpson, road	33 60
Chas. Younkin ass'n, road	12 50
Louis Wanek, road	14 50
Chas. Turek, road	2 50
R. E. Thomas ass'n, road	4 00
J. M. Wanek, road	21 20

The following claims were examined and rejected:

G. E. Leidy, pauper	8 00
J. H. Vaughan & Con, withdrawn	
E. J. Parlow, withdrawn	

The official bond of James Hollinrake, road overseer Dist. No. 2, was examined and approved.

Whereupon the board adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Alliance, Neb., April 25, 1912.

The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, the same officers present as yesterday, when the following proceedings were had and done to wit:

The contract between Box Butte county and Conrad Sterkie was extended to March 31, 1913.

The petition of Ira Tash, et al to the board of county commissioners to make appropriate allowance to purchase metal markers for graves of 38 soldiers buried in cemetery near Alliance as per No. 12112 statute of Nebraska, was approved; also petition of K. L. Pierce et al for metal markers for graves of 18 soldiers buried in the Hemingford cemetery, approved. A. L. Wiker and S. P. Tuttle were instructed to purchase same and file the bill with the county.

The petition of D. W. Butler and others to have work done on road south from Hemingford approved.

The road petition of Ferdinand Siedler et al was approved as to that part starting at the southwest corner of section 35 and running thence north 1/2 mile between sections 24 and 35 all in township 25, range 47 and the clerk is ordered to advertise the same.

A list of sixty names was submitted to the clerk from which to draw petit jurors for the June, 1912, term of the district court. The same was duly filed.

It is the order of the board that the clerk extend on the tax list forthwith the expense of killing prairie dogs and filling wells on the several pieces of land as certified by J. W. Hashman and Floyd Trine.

Whereupon the board adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Alliance, Neb., April 26, 1912.

The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, the same officers present as yesterday.

The day was spent in viewing the roads in Lake precinct and examining conditions at the poor farm. Whereupon the board adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Alliance, Neb., April 27, 1912.

The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, the same officers present as yesterday. The day was spent in testing the new steam grader recently purchased by Box Butte county, to use on county roads.

There being nothing further to come before the board at this time, they adjourned until May 15, 1912.

LITTLE BOY INJURED

A. P. Lee received a letter yesterday from A. T. Hemingway conveying the unpleasant news that Mr. Hemingway's son, Franklin, had been severely injured while at play on the school grounds, Monday of this week. He was struck on the head by an eight pound shot thrown by one of the other boys, causing concussion of the brain. The doctor says there is hope of his recovery. Mr. Hemingway is the general manager of the Forest Lumber Company, his headquarters being at Kansas City. He was to have paid Alliance friends a visit but owing to his son's injury, could not stop. Mr. Hemingway was formerly manager of the Forest Lumber Company of this city. His many friends in this city will hope for his little son's speedy recovery.

STOCKMEN'S CONVENTION

There will be a meeting at 7 tonight at the city hall to make arrangements for the stockmen's convention, to be held in Alliance in June. Charley Irwin of Cheyenne is here and will present a proposition to put on some wild west attractions. A large attendance is desired at the meeting tonight.

THE OUTLET

PERPETRATED BY WALT MCDUGALL

YES, THE PROPOSED PRE-MATRIMONIAL TESTS MAY WORK IN TIME!

FIRST TEST: THE PARENTAL BOARD.
SECOND TEST: THE FINANCIAL BOARD.
THIRD TEST: THE HEALTH BOARD.
FOURTH TEST: THE SANITARY BOARD.
FIFTH TEST: THE TEMPERAMENT BOARD.
LAST TEST: OVER 30ARD!

GREAT OPENING SATURDAY, MAY 4

Every lady is invited. We have secured the best location in the city—one door north of the First National Bank. Our business has increased so we were compelled to move as we needed the room. An excellent orchestra will furnish the music in the evening. A beautiful picture will be given away free.

HOW TO GET A PICTURE
Bring this card to the store with you any time during the day or evening of Saturday, May 4th. After you have made a purchase of any amount (\$1.00 or above) hand this card to the clerk and she will give you a beautiful picture in exchange. Don't forget the card. If your neighbor did not get a card tell her to come in and we will give her a card in the store.

TO BEARER
A PICTURE WITH A PURCHASE OF \$1.00 OR ABOVE to the store
Harper's Ladies' Toggery

Old Location: Opposite Post Office New Location: Store Room Occupied by Co-Operative Store

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