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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

The message of President Roosevelt was read to congress Tuesday. Following is a brief synopsis:

Pays a generous tribute to President McKinley and asserts that men who preach anarchy and sensationalism or demagogues who inflame the public mind cannot escape partial responsibility for the crime and that anarchy must be made odious.

Federal courts should have jurisdiction over assailants of presidents and their legal successors in office.

Points to proofs of prosperity.

Great combinations of capital have come to stay and present problem is one of regulation. Publicity regarding their operations and formation is necessary to intelligent control.

Recommend creation of Department of Commerce.

Favors Chinese exclusion.

Labor should be protected from competition of convicts. Problem of bettering condition of labor worthy of the best thought.

Present immigration laws are unsatisfactory.

Should establish reciprocity under a protective tariff.

Favors legislation for the rehabilitation of the merchant marine.

Gold standard to be maintained.

Revenues should be reduced to equal more nearly needs of government.

More power should be given Interstate Commerce commission.

Forest preservation and reforestation problem of vital importance.

Favors national control of irrigation and construction of reservoirs.

Home government in Cuba expected before congress adjourns.

Progress made in the Philippines, but trouble not yet ended.

Favors isthmian canal. Treaty with Great Britain removes stumbling block.

Stands by the Monroe doctrine.

Strong navy a necessity. Work commenced should be continued.

Present army is large enough. Officers and men should be brought and kept to the highest state of efficiency.

Militia organization should be brought into consonance with regular army.

Lands should be allotted Indians, tribal relations broken up and Indians made self-sustaining.

Rural free mail delivery a success and should be extended.

The depreciation in stocks on the London market since the beginning of the Boer war is of astonishing extent.

Taking 328 representative stocks traded in, including American rails, the English Bankers' Magazine finds that the depreciation in two years amounts to \$750,000,000.

But as there has been a very large advance in American securities listed on the London exchange, the depreciation in British securities must have been much greater than is represented.

Nor does the worst appear to have been passed.—Springfield Republican.

MASCULINE modesty respecting mortuary display receives a severe jolt by the action of a Virginian who bequeathed \$1 each to his wife and nine children and the rest of his cash assets, about \$10,000, for the erection of a water tight vault "commodious and beautiful," to enclose his remains.

THE Baltimore News in discussing the irrigation question says: "There is an empire in the west which for years to come will serve as a home for the seething overflow for the teeming population of the east, provided pains are taken to make available the natural resources of that empire. While Americans are talking reciprocity and seeking foreign trade, they should not overlook the fact that a market may be developed at home through the reclaiming of the arid west which would demand more manufactured goods probably than all of the foreigners with which we do business."

At a recent meeting in Omaha of the executive board of the retail grocers and general merchants association of Nebraska a resolution was adopted recommending that Nebraska merchants prefer Nebraska beet sugar and entreating the people of the state to ask for it when purchasing granulated. The board also adopts a resolution opposing the proposed reciprocity duty with Cuba by means of which Cuban raw sugar would be admitted free to our refineries, and Nebraska representatives in congress are requested to use any means in their power to prevent such national legislation.

BRADY NEWS. Mrs. Louise Anderson was a North Platte visitor Monday. F. P. Ledgerwood of North Platte transacted business in Brady Wednesday. The following persons went from here to Lexington to attend the fire case between the railroad company and Mr. Fickenschier: G. and Fritz Kratzenstein, U. Henry and John Fickenschier, Lewis Anderson, John Fosberg, Nate Brateen, Eddie and C. F. Prietauer, Frank Elder, C. D. Fowles, John Erickson, A. Gustafson, Geo. and Pearl Scott, Anna Johnson, Sam Norlander, S. L. Petit, Mary V. Anderson, Mrs. Huffman, G. L. and Johnson Ditto, Attorney Ellsworth, John Westland, and five other persons not known.

Mrs. W. J. Eavey is spending a few days this week with her parents north of town. T. C. Elder of Spannum was a passenger on train No. 101 to North Platte Monday. W. D. Lyle returned from North Platte Wednesday morning. Roy Parsons has returned home from the west where he had spent the summer and fall. He will probably go west again in the spring. Wednesday W. J. Eavey took thirty-eight head of cattle over across the river to W. D. Lyle's place where T. H. Brock will take care of them part of the winter. Post Office Inspector Smith examined the Brady postoffice Thursday. B. S. Holmes has been losing cattle with blackleg the past week. The Willing Workers met at Mrs. Rasmussen Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Arnold and children of Maxwell were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louine the fore part of this week.

MYRTLE NEWS. Martin Witzkie lost three head of cattle Sunday from the stalk disease. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Menzie are visiting friends at Graton. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Moore of Maxwell, were renewing acquaintances in this part of the globe the last of the week. Ed Wright has fifty head of cattle to winter for Mr. Coolidge. Max McGrew is entertaining a brother from the southeastern part of the state. Members of the Myrtle Sunshine Society that are willing to help in any way in the Christmas festivities are requested to meet at A. E. Moore's on Wednesday evening, Dec. 11.



Every woman loves to think of the time when a soft little body, all her own, will nestle in her bosom, fully satisfying the yearning which lies in the heart of every good woman. But yet there is a black cloud hovering about the pretty picture in her mind which fills her with terror. The dread of childbirth takes away much of the joy of motherhood. And yet it need not be so. For sometime there has been upon the market, well-known and recommended by physicians, a liniment called

MOTHER'S FRIEND which makes childbirth as simple and easy as nature intended it. It is a strengthening, penetrating liniment, which the skin readily absorbs. It gives the muscles elasticity and vigor, prevents sore breasts, morning sickness and the loss of the girlish figure. An intelligent mother in Butler, Pa., says: "Went to nurse Mother's Friend again, I would obtain 9 bottles if I had to pay \$8 per bottle for it." Get Mother's Friend at the drug stores. \$1 per bottle.



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NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA. Nov. 27, 1901. Bids will be received for stationery and supplies for Lincoln county, Nebraska, for the year 1902 as provided by law, as follows: CLASS A—BOOKS. 2 dozen Library Paste. Records 8 quire medium plain, each. Records 8 quire medium, printed heads each. Records 8 quire medium, printed pages, each. All records to be full bound, extra ends, bands and fronts, and to be made of 36 lb medium linen paper. 5,000 Tax Receipts in duplicate to order. Poll Books, per set, including envelopes.

CLASS B Letter heads, printed 12 and 24 lb Franklin paper, per m. Envelopes, printed, XXX 611, size No. 6 1/2, per m. Envelopes, printed XXX 612, size No. 10, per m. Or stock equal to above brand.

CLASS C Legal blanks, full sheets, per 100 Legal blanks, 1/2 sheets, per 100. Legal blanks, 1/4 sheets, per 100. Legal blanks, 1/8 sheets, per 100. Court wrappers, per 100. Samples of paper to be submitted with bid on all blanks.

CLASS D Sanfords, Carter's or Arnold's writing fluid per quart. Spencerian, Glucium or Tadelia pens, per gross. Vanadium pens, per gross. A. W. Faber or Perfection pencils, per gross. Rubber End penholders, per dozen. Rubber bands, assorted sizes per box.

Rubber bands, No. 16 per box. Type writer paper, per ream. Legal cap. numbered lines, per ream. All work and material to be first-class, successful bidder to enter into contract with approved bond. The County Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

W. M. HOLTRY, County Clerk.

Dr. Humphreys'

Specifies cure by acting directly upon the disease, without exciting disorder in any other part of the system.

Advertisement for Dr. Humphreys' medicine, listing various ailments and symptoms treated, such as Fevers, Congestions, Inflammations, Worms, Teething, Colic, Crying, Wakefulness, Diarrhea, Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Neuralgia, Toothache, Faceache, Headache, Stomachache, Vertigo, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weak stomach, Suppressed or Painful Periods, Whites, Too Profuse Periods, Dropsy, Leucorrhoea, Hoarseness, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Eruptions, Rheumatism, Rheumatic Pains, Malaria, Chills, Fever and Ague, Catarrh, Influenza, Cold in the Head, Whooping-Cough, Kidney Diseases, Nervous Debility, Urinary Weakness, Wetting Bed, Grip, Hay Fever.

Closing-Out Sacrifice Sale of Clothing.

The entire stock of Men's, Youth's, Boy's and Children's Suits, Overcoats, Furnishing Goods, Etc., in the room formerly occupied by The Leader, first door south of the Postoffice, is now in charge of C. M. Newton, as salesman, who has marked down the goods and the entire stock will be closed out at

Less Than Wholesale Prices.

This stock must be closed out in sixty days. The goods are all new, having been bought ninety days ago. Parties wishing to purchase good clothing at less than wholesale prices should attend this sale. Such opportunities seldom come and it will pay you to lay in a supply of this desirable merchandise. The owner of this stock has too much other business on hand to give it his attention and the stock must be sold. This is no fake sale. Seeing is believing. Come early before sizes are broken.

The Bargain Clothing Store, C. M. NEWTON, Salesman, First Door South of Postoffice.

THE OVERLAND FAST TRAINS ARE VIA THE UNION PACIFIC. THE OVERLAND LIMITED to Salt Lake City, San Francisco, Portland, Butte, Los Angeles, and other principal points west. THE CALIFORNIA EXPRESS to Denver, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, Los Angeles and other principal points west. THE PACIFIC EXPRESS to Denver, Salt Lake City, San Francisco, Portland, Butte, Los Angeles and other principal points west.

HANS GERLE, The Tailor. Has just opened a new tailoring establishment and has new samples for suits also does repair work. Call on him with new or old work and you will receive prompt attention. Dewey st. up in Morsch building.

The Tribune and Weekly Inter Ocean one year \$1.00.

REVIVO RESTORES VITALITY. Made a Well Man of Me. THE GREAT FRENCH REMEDY produces the above results in 30 days. It acts powerfully and quickly. Cures when all others fail. Young men will regain their lost manhood, and old men will recover their youthful vigor by using REVIVO. It quickly and surely restores nervousness, lost vitality, impotency, slightly emissions, lost power, falling memory, wasting disease, and all effects of self-abuse or excess and indiscretion, which unfit one for study, business or marriage. It not only cures by starting at the seat of disease, but is a great nerve tonic and blood builder, bringing back the pink glow to pale cheeks and restoring the fire of youth. 3 words of faculty and consumption. Insist on having REVIVO, no other. It can be carried in your pocket. By mail \$1.00 per package, or six for \$5.00, with a postage written guarantee to cure or refund the money. Boys and adults free. Address: ROYAL MEDICINE CO., 10-21 PLYMOUTH ST., CHICAGO, ILL. For Sale by A. F. Strelitz.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

H. E. McCAW, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office over Huffman's Millinery Store North Platte, Nebraska. C. V. BEDELL, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Office: North Platte National Bank Building, North Platte, Neb. F. DENNIS, M. D., HOMOEOPATHIST, 1001 First National Bank, NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA. J. S. HOAGLAND, M. D., V. HOAGLAND, Hoagland & Hoagland, ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS. Office over Mrs. Huffman's Millinery Store, NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA. WILCOX & HALLIGAN, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA. Office over North Platte National Bank. H. S. RIDGELY, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office McDonald Block, Dewey street, NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA. DR. G. B. DENT, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Office over Post Office, Telephone 115. North Platte, Nebraska. A. H. DAVIS, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA. Grady Block Rooms 1 & 2. T. C. PATTERSON, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Office over Yellow Front Shoe Store NORTH PLATTE, NEB. L. E. ROCHE, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, HINMAN BLOCK, DEWEY STREET, NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., November 15th, 1901. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before register and receiver of the U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., on December 26, 1901. LOUIS HUBLITZ who made homestead Entry No. 18,711 for the north half of southeast quarter the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter, and northeast quarter of southwest quarter of section 11, town 9, north range 32 west 6 p. m. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Leopold Polack and Lee Smith of Dickens, Neb., Wiley Mathews and B. P. Baker of North Platte, Neb.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by section 2455, Revised Statutes of the U. S., as amended by the act of congress approved February 28th, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the 6th day of January next, at this office the following tract of land, namely: Lot 2, Section 18, Town 9 north, of Range 28 West of 6th P. M. All persons claiming adversely the above described land are advised to file their claim in this office on or before the day designated for the commencement of said sale, otherwise their rights will be forfeited. Listed at the United States Land Office, North Platte, Nebraska, this 19th day of November, 1901. FRANK BACON, Receiver.

ORDER OF HEARING.

State of Nebraska, Lincoln county, ss. December 8, 1901. In the matter of the estate of August Anderson, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Louise Anderson praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her as administratrix. Ordered, that December 21, 1901, at 9 o'clock, a. m. is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted.

LEGAL NOTICE. The defendant, Don DeLos Thomas, will take notice that Edie May Thomas filed her petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, on the 9th day of November, 1901, praying for a decree of divorce from said defendant on the grounds of desertion and non-support, said defendant is required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 27th day of January, 1902.

By H. S. Ridgely, her Attorney.

For Bargains in LANDS. Call on I. A. FORT, Over McDonalds Bank. U. P. R. LAND AGENT. Prices from \$1.25 to \$8 per acre. 200,000 acres for sale.

Wm. Gaunt, Blacksmith and Wagonmaker. Horse Shoeing a Specialty. Horse Shoeing \$4 per Team. Also reductions in the price of all other work. Work guaranteed or money refunded. Give us a call. Locust street south of Vost's harness store.

STEBBINS' STABLE. Livery, Feed, Boarding and Sale. NEW RIGS, Accommodations Good. Feed per team to hay, 35 cents a night; noon feed 15 cents. L. C. Stebbins, Phone 101, North Platte, Nebraska.

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