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WAIL OF THE TRIBUNE AS TO THE TAX LIST CONTROVERSY.

A Few Affidavits Which Go to Show Why the County Board Concluded That Burton's Weekly Emancipator Could Not Be Considered a Legal Newspaper—Other News About Town.

Sammy Chapman, who has no business of his own to attend to, is very busy of late sticking his nose into the affairs of others. If he were guided by honest motives rather than his characteristic habit, to vilify and malign his superiors it would in the end be better for him. Not satisfied with trailing the judicial ermine of this district in the dirt until he was overthrown by a disgusted people, he now seeks to drag others to his own despicable level. In last night's Tribune this paragon of honesty(?) tries to criticize the board of county commissioners for having refused to let the Tribune print the delinquent tax list, and utters no end of rank falsehoods in his futile effort to mislead the public. The facts are as follows:

The county board advertised for bids to see who would print the tax list for the least money. Two bids were filed and considered. That of THE NEWS at a rate of 19 cents for farm descriptions and 9 cents for city. The Tribune's bid was 29-40 cents straight. It might be well to remark here that the law does not contemplate the letting of this work by bids and expressly states that the compensation is 20 and 10 cents, which is paid by the delinquent tax payer and does not come from the county, no matter how much lower the work may be done for.

The claim was set up that the Tribune was not a legal newspaper, that it is not printed and circulated 200 copies each week for one year and three affidavits by disinterested parties clearly proved that statement. Burton's own books also confirmed the affidavits so that the board could not have allowed the list to be printed in the Tribune, even had that office offered to do the work for nothing, as it would have invalidated every tax sale and would have been of no account whatever. After thorough investigation the board threw out all bids on the ground that the Tribune was not a legal newspaper under the statutes. THE NEWS, under its bid, was entitled to the printing, but the board threw out all bids. THE NEWS was on the next day designated as the paper to print the list at a rate of 15 and 9 cents, and there was no "letting of contract" about it. Mr. Chapman's labored effort to besmirch the board, therefore, falls flat and his lengthy argument about contracts with county officers does not apply to the case. The board consulted several of the leading attorneys at the bar, together with the presiding judge of the district court, before action was taken in the matter, and its action is fortified by the same. It is a very noticeable fact that only those who pay no taxes are making any criticism about the matter, and if Mr. Chapman will call again we will print a taxpaying exploit of his own that will show how capable a critic he is. The entire article is written in a spirit of malevolence by the self-styled republican organ in an effort to injure the board.

In the face of the following affidavits filed with the county clerk the board would have been incusably derelict in its duty to have given the printing the Tribune as it would surely have cost the county thousands of dollars. The Tribune bubble has been pricked and Mr. Burton need not have been humiliated by the publicity of the facts had he not been dominated over by the cadaverous "Cassius" who only seeks to display his own envious spirit. The affidavits submitted to the commissioners read as follows:

STATE OF NEBRASKA, 1896.
 I, HENRY KAUBLE, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is acquainted with G. F. Burton, publisher and proprietor of the Cass County Tribune, and was in his employ from the 15th day of June, 1896, to the 15th day of July, 1896; that during all of that time said Burton was employed by said Tribune in making up the list of the delinquent tax payers, and was familiar with the number of papers printed and circulated by said Burton and knows the number

of copies of the Cass County Weekly Tribune printed and circulated during all of said time. That the largest number of copies of said Cass County Weekly Tribune printed during the time above mentioned for any one week was 150 and the largest number circulated during said time was not to exceed 150.
 HENRY KAUBLE.
 Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 7th day of September, A. D. 1896.
 B. CECIL JACK,
 Notary Public.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, 1896.
 I, GEORGE H. MANN, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that he is acquainted with G. F. Burton, publisher and proprietor of the Cass County Tribune, and was in his employ from the 6th day of December, A. D. 1895, to the 6th day of June, 1896; that as general foreman he had the supervision of the printing of the papers and knows about how many copies were printed and circulated of said Cass County Tribune from the 6th day of December, 1895, to the 6th day of June, 1896; that at no time from the 6th day of December, 1895, to the 6th day of June, 1896, were there printed or issued more than 150 copies, excepting a special edition of one week, of said Cass County Weekly Tribune in any one week; that a large number of copies printed as aforesaid were never mailed out of the office to any one.
 Affiant further states that during the time he was familiar with the business of the said Cass County Weekly Tribune and states that said Burton had no subscription book and that the affiant was kept on slips of paper that the subscription list of the said Cass County Weekly Tribune as kept in said office and that the bona fide subscribers to the Cass County Weekly Tribune that at no time from the 6th day of December, 1895, to the 6th day of June, 1896, were there circulated more than 150 copies, except for one week as above stated.
 GEORGE H. MANN.
 Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 7th day of September, A. D. 1896.
 B. CECIL JACK,
 Notary Public.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, 1896.
 I, E. C. MANN, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that for six months previous to the 20th of June, 1896, he was continuously employed by Mr. F. S. Burton, proprietor and publisher of the Cass County Tribune, in the capacity of type setter and pressman, a part of his work during that time was the printing with a hand press the weekly edition of the said Cass County Tribune. Affiant avers that acting in the capacity of pressman he is familiar with and knows how many copies of the said weekly Tribune were printed and circulated each week and that at no time was there printed and issued from the said office, during any week within the time above mentioned more than 150 copies of said Cass County Weekly Tribune. Affiant further states that out of the highest number printed, viz: 150 copies, several were left over in the office and several copies were sent out as exchanges to the County Weekly Tribune. The circulation of the paper during this time was less than 150 copies per week.
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Dismissed the Case.
 The case of Orepolis Town company vs. Roberts affecting title to property north of the pumping station which has been in litigation for some time, was set for trial in district court yesterday. Beeson and Root appeared for plaintiff and A. N. Sullivan for defendant. The case, however, never reached the jury as Judge Stull promptly dismissed it on the legal propositions involved. A. B. Smith's ownership and theory of the case was therefore fully vindicated.

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CITY AND COUNTY.
WEDNESDAY
 Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Black were visitors in Omaha and Council Bluffs today.

The regular monthly pay car for the Burlington arrived in the city this morning and distributed wealth among the shop boys, thereby making them happy.
 Travel on the Burlington appears to be increasing, as all the trains westward bound, especially, are loaded. The first section of No. 5 this morning carried six coaches, all of which were filled.
 Arthur Jackson of the Burlington store house at Havelock has accepted the position of general foreman at the Salt Creek lumber yard under J. H. Waterman of the Lincoln store department Mr. Bridge, formerly in charge of the yards, will work under Mr. Jackson.—Lincoln News

Rev. S. C. Green of the Baptist church, delivered a very logical discourse last Sunday evening on the divine origin of the Bible. It is the first of a series of sermons on that subject which he has planned to deliver at the Sunday evening services.—Blair Pilot.
 Sammy Hoffman returned last evening from an "extensive" tour of southern Nebraska and northern Kansas. Sammy has some harrowing tales to relate of life on the "border" land. However, he is satisfied with the outside world and will remain in Plattsmouth in the future.

This afternoon while Bach's deliveryman was unloading a car of baler hay the wagon struck a rock and the load was overturned. A boy by the name of Durock who was riding on the load neglected to jump as the others did and went down with his hay. His head struck the wheel and a big gash was cut behind the ear, requiring several stitches.

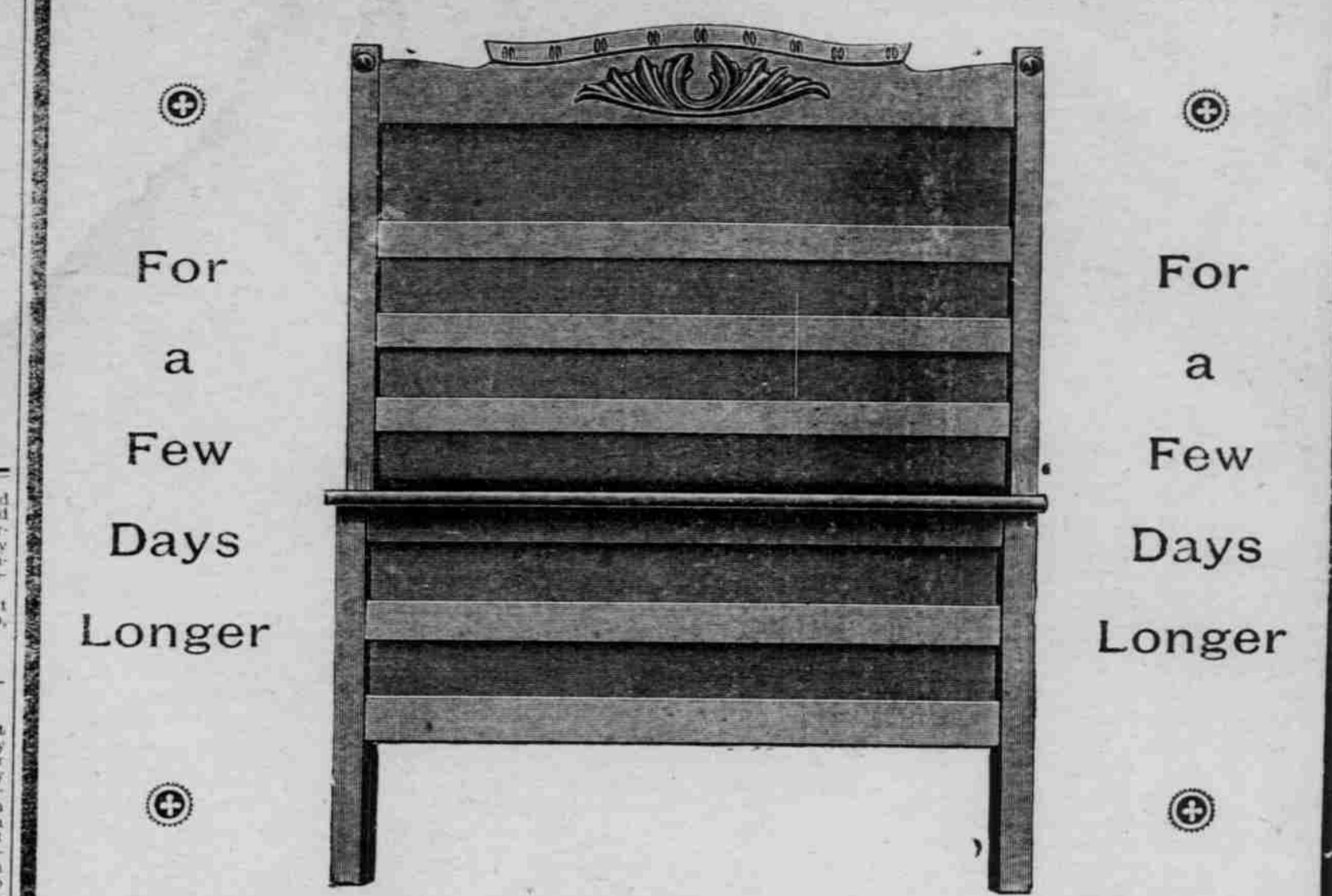
THURSDAY.
 Mrs. G. B. Kompter is in the city the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. T. B. Kompter and family.
 Sheriff Holloway and John Murray took Bill Gillespie and John Hansen to the penitentiary today.
 Jailer Holloway looks lonesome today, his boarders having nearly all left for a higher priced hotel at Lincoln.

Mrs. S. H. Atwood accompanied her son Calvin to Lincoln this morning to arrange for another year for him in this state university.
 Miss Collins and Miss Bates, the young ladies who take part in the concert at the Presbyterian church to-night, arrived in the city last evening and are being entertained by Miss Gerding and Mrs. Henry Herold.
 Mrs. Carl T. Seeley of Madison, Neb., is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. D. Miller, and other relatives.
 Mr. Seeley is preaching sound McKinley doctrine these days through the columns of his paper, the Chronicle.
 Supt. McHugh informs us that all the teachers elected have passed very creditable examinations so that the schools will start out next week without a jar, and with unusual bright promise for a successful year's work. The consolidation of grades in primary department has lessened the number of classes to be taught and thereby done away with the half sessions which were so unsatisfactory last year.

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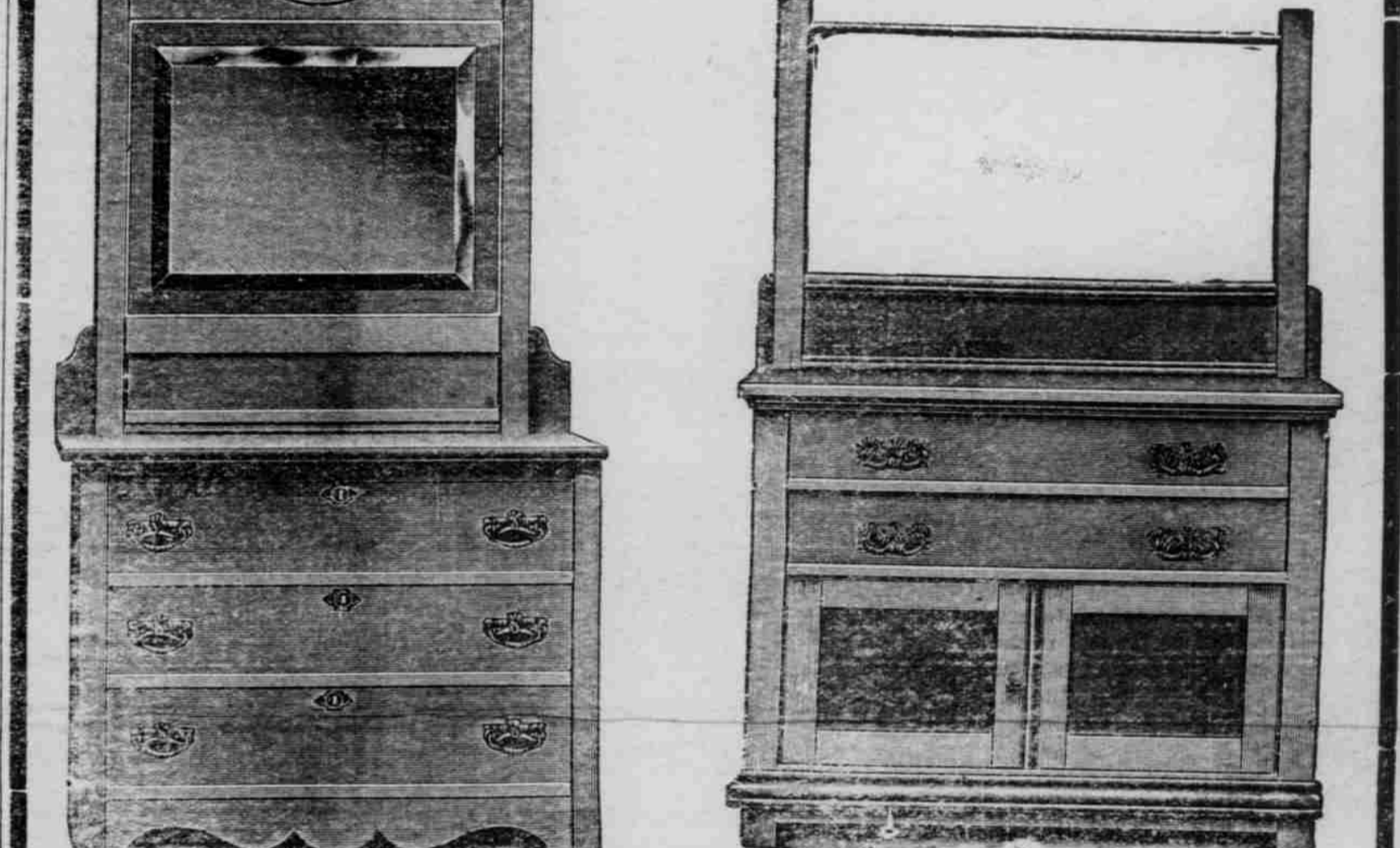
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Legal Notice.
 Notice by publication on petition for final settlement of final administration account. In the county court of Cass county, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of George W. Jenks, deceased. Emma A. Jenks, Katharine Jane Barry, Carrie Jenks Ward, John Jenks, Alexander Jenks, Lizzie Jenks, Edwin Jenks, Ed. L. Richards, the unknown heirs of Addie Jenks Richards, deceased, and all other persons interested in said matter, are hereby notified that on the 4th day of September, 1896, Mrs. Emma A. Jenks filed a petition in said county court praying that her final administration account filed herein be settled and allowed and that she be discharged from her trust as executor, and that if you fail to appear before said court on the first day of October, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m., and contest said petition, the court may grant the prayer of said petition and make such other and further orders, allowances and decrees as to this court may seem proper, to the end that all matters pertaining to said estate may be finally settled and determined.
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