

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Plattsmouth State Bank of Plattsmouth, Nebraska

Charter No. 786 Incorporated in the state of Nebraska, at the close of business, November 17, 1904.

RESOURCES: Loans and discounts, \$250,000.00; Overdrafts, \$100.00; Bonds, securities, judgments, claims, 1,800.00; Real estate, 1,800.00; Building, furniture and fixtures, 1,470.00; Other real estate, 4,240.00; Current expenses, taxes and interest, 19.50; Cash, 1,200.00; Due from national and state banks, 33,231.40; Checks and items of exchange, 117.25; Current deposits, 2,159.90; Gold, silver, 2,510.00; Silver, nickels and cents, 2,510.00; Total, \$313,967.00.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK At Plattsmouth, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business November 23, 1916.

RESOURCES: Loans and discounts (except those shown on bond), \$250,000.00; Overdrafts, secured, 100.00; U. S. bonds deposited to secure deposits, 50,000.00; Bonds other than U. S., 50,000.00; Real estate, 1,800.00; Current deposits, 2,159.90; U. S. bonds, 2,510.00; Cash, 1,200.00; Due from national and state banks, 33,231.40; Checks and items of exchange, 117.25; Current deposits, 2,159.90; Gold, silver, 2,510.00; Silver, nickels and cents, 2,510.00; Total, \$475,632.75.

State of Nebraska, ss. I, F. E. Schlatzer, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MR. E. H. BOECK VISITING WITH HIS UNCLE HERE

H. Boeck, of St. Louis, is in the city enjoying a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boeck, uncle and aunt of the young man. Mr. Boeck is a son of Adam Boeck, a former resident of this city and first saw the light of day in Plattsmouth where his parents resided for a number of years until their removal to St. Louis.

Money in Eggs. Eggs are not bankable but the money from their sale is. This money is yours for the effort. How do you treat the hen that lays the Golden Eggs? Dr. B. A. Thomas' Poultry Remedy will keep the poultry in good condition and increase the yield in eggs.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

Nebraska Fortunate, "With Horn of Plenty Pouring Riches At Our Feet."

A proclamation calling for the observance of Thanksgiving day, November 30, was issued by Governor Morehead on Thursday, in which he says: "To the people of the state of Nebraska, greeting: 'It is my pleasure as governor of the state to again call attention to the near approach of that season so dear to every American citizen, in the festivities of which there is no semblance of sectionalism, but in which all point in one accord to give thanks for the gifts which God in his providence hath bestowed.'

"The year draws to a close with the horn of plenty pouring its riches at our feet. We can be thankful for a great past, a happy present and a splendid outlook to the future. Nebraska is rounding into the fiftieth year of her admission into the union of states. Our citizens of all callings and professions have been and are taking a deep interest in the effort to place and keep in the front rank the state of their adoption and birth. Never in our history have there been higher standards of honor and manhood, of purity for womanhood and of training for children. For all of these blessings of harvest and heart, let us express our gratitude to the Giver of every good and perfect gift.

"JOHN H. MOREHEAD."

SUITS FILED IN CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT'S OFFICE

Two suits were filed yesterday in the district court in the office of James the district clerk in the office of James of which is entitled the Bank of Commerce of Louisville vs. W. H. Pankeon, in which the plaintiff states that the defendant on March 28, 1916, made and executed a promissory note for the sum of \$1,444.20 in favor of the plaintiff, and on April 15, 1916 executed a note for \$430 in favor of the bank, both notes being still unpaid and the plaintiff therefore prays for a judgment to cover both notes.

A divorce suit entitled Lena Larson vs. John Gust Larson has been filed in the court. In her petition the plaintiff states that they were married in Omaha May 19, 1911, and that two children were born to them. The first charge preferred is that of extreme cruelty, stating that on July 13, 1916, the defendant threatened and cursed the plaintiff and made it necessary to seek refuge at the home of the plaintiff's parents in Cass county. The second charge is that the defendant is addicted to the use of intoxicating liquor and is a habitual drunkard. The third charge is that of non-support. The plaintiff asks for a decree of absolute divorce and the custody of the two children. The defendant resides at Popular, Mont.

FILED FOR LAND.

From the Lincoln Journal we take the following: John N. Larsh, a farmer living near Union, Cass county, wanted a small strip of land, much less than an acre, to join two parcels of land he owned on the banks of the Missouri river. He found that the state made no claim to it though it was within a section which belonged to the state of Nebraska. Mr. Larsh promptly filed an application for the bit of land under the imber and stone act of 1878. He will get the strip and it will cost him about \$50 in fees to become its owner. The land is liable to be eaten up by the voracious Missouri river.

FOR SALE.

Sixteen head of pedigreed Duroc Jersey hogs, 4 head of May gilts, 10 head males, May farrow; 2 head of January males, all sired by Lieutenant Gano. This is new stock. Phone 3903.

MRS. TANNER OF SOUTH OMAHA BADLY BURNED

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 24.—As Mrs. J. M. Tanner, wife of "Doc" Tanner, editor of the South Omaha Democrat, stood at her telephone yesterday her dress caught fire from a gas stove nearby and she was seriously burned.

Mrs. Tanner rushed screaming into the yard, her clothing, a mass of flames. Neighbors went to her rescue but not until part of her clothing had succeeded in putting out the fire, been burned away and a large portion of her body badly burned. Mrs. Tanner is under the care of a physician at the family residence, and is being kept under opiates.

MRS. PATTERSON ENTERTAINS IN HONOR OF MISS MURTZ

Mrs. R. F. Patterson entertained very delightfully on Wednesday evening at a 7 o'clock turkey dinner in honor of Miss Margaret Murtz of Bay City, Mich., a friend, who is visiting in Omaha with friends for a few days. The rooms of the beautiful Patterson home were very tastefully decorated with a color scheme of yellow and white, the dining table being arranged with a large bouquet of the white and yellow chrysanthemums, that added very much to the charming scene. Following the dinner the ladies enjoyed a few hours at "hearts," the prize for the most skillful player being captured by Mrs. Earl R. Travis. Miss Marie Donnelly gave a few vocal selections during the evening, while Miss Marjorie Agnew added to the pleasure of the guests by a very delightful instrumental selection. Masters Edward and Herbert Patterson served punch and candy during the progress of the evening in a very pleasing manner, which proved a delightful feature of the evening. The invited guests were: Misses Gretchen and Marie Donnelly, Marjorie Agnew, Margaret Murtz, Edith Dovey, Mrs. E. R. Travis, Mrs. J. W. Falter, Mrs. T. P. Livingston.

L. D. HIATT AND WIFE OF MURRAY WERE IN THE CITY OVER SUNDAY VISITING AT THE HOME OF MRS. HIATT'S PARENTS, MR. AND MRS. FRED HEINRICH AND FAMILY.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years

MR. FARMER!

A half million dollars worth of perfectly good farm machinery is thrown in the scrap pile every year in Nebraska. Farm work is the hardest work there is on machinery.

Castings break, bearings wear out, shafts bend and break. Things get dull and pull hard, gears rattle, smash, bang and crash, paint gets dull. Many farmers throw away machinery and buy new, because they are not aware that we can in nearly every case re-make such machinery equal, and in many respects better than new.

We do not care how bad your machinery is smashed or worn, they all look alike to us; we remake them as good as new and save you money. A dollar saved is a dollar earned, keep your money at home and you may get it back again besides it helps us to employ home labor. Put your machinery troubles up to us, we have the best equipped machine shop in the country; if you don't believe it call and see us. Visitors are always welcome.

WESTERN MACHINE AND FOUNDRY. L. C. SHARP. Plattsmouth Nebraska

MR. LANGHORST IS NOW HAPPY

As Chairman, He Declares No Appointment Was Promised Anybody by Keith Neville.

Food commissioner is a nice but un-promised job, the democrats have a nice party; selling chickens and cheese at Elmwood is a nice pleasant occupation, and Keith Neville, governor-elect, has a mind of his own. Louis F. Langhorst, chairman of the democratic state central committee, who is credited with predicting in advance the democratic landslide in Nebraska this fall, expressed this view of the world's doings in Lincoln Friday.

"I never was a politician and I don't want to be. It was a big task to get the entire democracy of the state to pulling together. We did not lose many dry democrats. If the republicans had nominated Samuel R. McKelvie of Lincoln for governor instead of A. L. Sutton, there would have been a closer contest in this race. Sutton's record was against him."

Mrs. Sylvia Lawhead died at Edgemont, S. D., on Saturday, following an operation for the removal of a tumor. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. N. J. Russell, and some few months ago visited in Pacific Junction. Mrs. Lawhead was about 50 years of age and her girlhood days were spent near Pacific Junction, and later she lived several years at Plattsmouth. She leaves a husband, son and daughter to mourn her loss. Mrs. Russell and sons, Harry and Clarence, left Sunday for Edgemont to be in attendance at the funeral on Monday.

FRANK SCHMARDER WINS EASY MATCH

Those from this city who motored out to Louisville last evening to take in the wrestling match held there between Frank Schmarder, the fast Louisville boy, and "Red" Wernstall of Hamburg, Ia., report that there was little difficulty in Frank getting away with the match as he had the Iowa boy out-classed all the way through and it was impossible for "Red" to get away from the holds laid on him by the Louisville expert in the art that Joe Stecher has made famous. The first fall came in two minutes after the referee had called time, and the second fall in three minutes, when the shoulders of the Iowa man were resting on the mat. The attendance was very good and the crowd seemed decidedly enthusiastic over the outcome of the battle. Schmarder has for the past several years ranked as one of the fast wrestlers in this portion of the state and has taken part in some good fast matches. The Louisville people have given good support to this sport and at the matches held there a good attendance has been recorded. Those who were present from this city made the trip by automobile and owing to the shortness of the match were able to get back home early and without waiting for a late hour.

FOR SALE.

Metz roadster, in good condition, \$175. Buick, 1917 model, 5-passenger box, slightly used; bargain. T. H. Pollock.

Local News

From Friday's Daily. H. A. Shoemaker departed this afternoon for Louisville, where he goes to witness a wrestling match to be held there this evening.

B. W. Livingston was a visitor at the live stock market in South Omaha today, going to that city on the early Burlington train this morning. Attorney C. E. Tefft of Weeping Water was in the city today for a few hours looking after some matters in the district court in which he is interested.

W. J. Hicks from near Cullom was in the city this morning for a short time attending to some trading with the merchants and visiting with his friends. Russell Todd and wife were among those going to Omaha this morning to spend a few hours attending to some business matters and visiting with friends.

R. L. Propst departed this morning on the early Burlington train for Omaha, where he was called to spend a few hours looking after some matters of business. Mrs. J. H. Teegarden, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. C. H. Smith, departed this morning for her home at Brock, and was accompanied to Omaha by her mother.

John Rummell and John Wehrbein drove in this afternoon from their homes and departed for Omaha, where they will attend the Shriners' meeting in that city this evening. John Tams, who has been home for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Tams, while nursing an injured hand, departed this afternoon for Alliance, where he is employed by the Burlington.

William Starkjohn was among those going to the metropolis this morning to spend a few hours visiting with H. C. Miller at the Inman hospital and attending to a few matters of importance. Mrs. Gail Connors departed this afternoon for Magna, Utah, where she goes to join her husband and will make their permanent home there in the future. Mr. Connors is employed at Magna in the railroad department of the Utah Copper company, which has a large plant there and he has a very fine position in that place.

John Kreager drove up this morning from his farm home to spend a few hours looking after some trading and visiting with friends. Martin Steppatt and wife of Blair came in this afternoon to enjoy a short visit in this locality with their relatives and friends.

A. B. Fornoff of near Cullom was in the city for a few hours today looking after the week-end shopping and visiting with friends. J. E. Meisinger drove in this afternoon from his farm home to visit for a few hours looking after some business matters with the merchants.

George P. Meisinger of Cedar Creek was in the city today for a short time attending to some matters of business and calling on his relatives and friends. Miss Honor Seybert and brother, Jennings, came in this morning from their home near Cullom, and will enjoy the day here visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. H. E. Snyder and little daughter, who have been here visiting at the home of Mrs. Dora Moore and brother, George Oldham, returned last evening to their home at Fairfield, Iowa.

WEeping WATER REPUBLICAN.

B. L. Philpot left Monday morning for Hot Springs, Arkansas where he expects to take treatments at the sanatorium.

Amos Wright had the misfortune to get his hand mashed in the corn elevator at Peter Spangler's Tuesday night. The injury will lay him up for some time. Elwin Hunter who is going on his second week of typhoid fever is getting along nicely. His fever has not yet broken but he rests well most of the time and is withstanding the ordeal in good shape so far.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Miller are quarantined for scarlet fever this week. The patient is the four-months-old babe, who is recovering nicely according to a report this morning. The older child shows no signs of the malady as yet. A. S. Boyle went out after his cattle Sunday evening and found six of his two-year-old steers dead. Two more died Monday which made a heavy loss. The cattle were running in the pasture and stalk fields both, that is, they were not in the stalks exclusively.

Hans Nelson who has been working in the vicinity for three or four years prior to going to Washington state last winter has started on a trip back to Denmark for a visit. He stopped off between trains Monday to say hello to friends here as he was enroute from Washington to New York from where he will sail within a few days. He expects to return in April.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marshall a son, Thursday, November 16. To Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Towle at the home of Mrs. Towle's mother, Mrs. Jennie Welch, a daughter, Saturday, November 18th. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson at the Peter Miller farm west of town, a son, Monday, November 27th.

Guy Ripley, of San Francisco, Cal., arrived Sunday evening from St. Louis where he had been for some time. After a few days' visit with relatives here he and his mother, who had been here since last week started for their California home. They will make several stops in Nebraska with relatives. Guy grew to manhood in Weeping Water but had not been here for over twenty years. Naturally he sees many strange faces and notes changes in the town. His sister, Fairy lives at Lyons, Neb., his sister, Fay, lives near Los Angeles, Calif., while his brothers, S. W. and Jasper live at Scottsbluff.

Mrs. Henry Schoeman came up from Plattsmouth Friday to visit over Sunday with relatives and friends in this vicinity. We are sorry to report the serious illness of Forest Brunson who has been suffering from a bad attack of blood poisoning. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Zaar, of South Bend, drove down Monday to spend a few hours with Louisville merchants, and to visit Mrs. Zaar's relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Tanzeman, son Cort and daughter, Lenora and Miss Gretna Hughes, drove over from Gretna Sunday to spend the day with W. F. Diers and family. Mrs. Charles Postel and daughter, Mrs. Clara Camp, of Omaha, and Mrs. John Inhelder, of Stanton, visited their mother, Mrs. Mary A. Tennant and other relatives over Sunday.

Amos Keiser and his son-in-law, Arthur Jones were at Omaha Thursday, where Mr. Keiser goes to receive treatment for throat trouble for which he has suffered for the past six months. Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald went to Schuyler to visit her daughter, Mrs. Chauncy Abbott, jr., her granddaughter, Miss Ruth Fitzgerald, who is also visiting in Schuyler and will accompany her home next week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Givens, of Millard, were here Monday, visiting the former's mother, who is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. N. Taylor. Mrs. Givens has been a great sufferer for several months and there is no hope for her recovery.

ELMWOOD Leader-Echo

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan McCrory on Monday, November 20, 1916. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

Chas. Earle had one of his hands badly hurt by having it caught in a tumbling rod. He is doing nicely under the doctor's care. Mrs. Chas. E. Peck was called by a telegram to her former home in Texas on account of the serious illness of her son at that place. She left on Monday to be at his bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Slothower came down from Lincoln Saturday to visit at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wallinger. Earl is now driving a new Chevrolet car which he purchased of the Gash Auto company of this place. Mrs. Sidney Moore of Red Oak, Ia., arrived last Thursday on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Langhorst. Mr. Moore arrived Saturday evening and they both returned to their home at Red Oak Sunday evening.

We were in error last week when we stated that Miss Willa Minford went to Boone county on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stone. In some way when this piece of news was given to us by a certain party, it was understood that that was the case. Si Mairs, who about three weeks ago fell from the hay loft at the Ed Earnst farm and broke several ribs, is improving rapidly. He is now staying with his daughter, Mrs. Hopkins, in town, but will soon go back to work again.

Mrs. Robert Brunkow of Ipswich, S. D., arrived last Thursday on a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and other relatives here. She is well known here, having lived here a long time previous to going to Ipswich. Frank C. Thompson of Cloquet, Minn., a pioneer of Elmwood, passed away at St. Luke's hospital, Duluth, November 15, of envelope sarcoma of the diaphragm, aged 63 years. He left Elmwood in 1886 and is known to many old settlers of this community.

Buyers from Kansas City were here this week looking at the hay of the farmers in this section. One buyer purchased about fifteen carloads. Another buyer has also purchased a great deal. The hay in this section this year is exceptionally good.

Doing the Work.

W. T. Nanney, Noel, Mo., writes, "Your B. A. Thomas' Hog Powder is doing the work down in this part of the world. It proved to be what we needed to prevent and cure hog cholera and expel worms." H. M. Soennichsen, Puls & Gansemer.

Poultry Wanted

A car load of live poultry to be delivered near the Burlington freight depot, Plattsmouth, Neb., on Friday, December 1st, for which we will pay in cash: Hens 13 1-2c, Springs 13 1-2c, Old Cox 8c, Turkeys 20c, Ducks 12c, Geese 11c, Guinea, per dozen \$3.00, Beef Hides, per lb. 18c, Large Horse Hides, each \$6.50. We will be on hand rain or shine and take care of all poultry offered.

W. E. KEENEY