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Best of Livery Rigs
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Gibson On Mellor's Mandamus.

ED NORTHWESTERN: After reading the editorial and statement regarding the Mellor Mandamus case in your columns last week. I just wondered if you would not like to finish the story and give the public the whole truth, instead of stopping at the place that is calculated to cause a small revolution on account of your telling half the story. Mr. Mellor's figures as you give them I guess are correct, but will you please tell the public, first: The state and county consolidated tax are all the same in the county, 27 mills. Second: That each Township and School District makes its own levy and here you have it in the districts you quote from, (part of them.)

Loup City Twp. levy: General fund, 2 mills; Road fund, 10mills; Irrigation fund, 10 mills; total, 22 mills. School District No. 1: General fund, 25 mills; Bond interest, 3 mills; total, 28 mills. Grand total, 50 mills.

Ashton Twp., comprising lands you quoted: General fund, 2 mills; Road fund, 2 mills; total, 4 mills. School District No. 16; none. Total, Township and School levy, 4 mills.

Difference in levy, 46 mills.
Will you please inform your readers that you have investigated and found this to be a fact and that if Mr. Conklin pays \$15 on a quarter section in Section 27, at Ashton, on a valuation of \$500, that the man who owns a farm in Loup City township and School District No. 1 would pay a tax of \$38.50 on the same valuation. School District No. 16 of Ashton township levies no tax and it comprises a large number of sections 15. The Supreme Court's decision was a righteous one, and I hope the time will speedily come when the people of Sherman county can have the facts laid plainly before them in their entirety and that subterfuge and half statements will not be resorted to for the purpose of prejudicing the people's minds. Dear Editor, please tell the public why you allow your columns to be used to befog them, when the whole facts are so easily obtained. Yours, etc.,
GEO. H. GIBSON.

Ignoring the coveted insult to the editor conveyed in the above in more than one sentence, (for the present at least) we will simply take up the Conklin allusion in a few words. The valuation of the Conklin quarter, se of 27, is \$430 while the valuation of Lawrence Smith's rough quarter, a mile east of Loup City is \$399 and the valuation of A. M. Robbins' 80, two miles northwest of this city is \$200. The Conklin quarter is said to be worth \$8,000 on the market and is as good lying land as the Robbins' 80, therefore if equalization is sought why is the Conklin 160 not valued at \$720 instead of only \$430? It lies right up against town, while the Robbins eighty lies two miles away. Is the Smith quarter only worth \$200 less than the Conklin quarter? It is valued at only \$40 less.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Let C. E. Mellor fix your pump.
Mrs. Chas. French is convalescing.
H62, Ashley Conger, the drayman. Get him.
Mrs Link Thompson is on the sick list.

Grand Island field fencing with barbed borders at P. O. Reed's.

Mrs. W. T. Owens has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Miss Beatrice Nightingale was on the sick list the early part of the week.

Don't forget the chicken-pie supper at the Opera House, Saturday, Dec 9th.

A few low down, stocky red Short-horn bulls for sale by Lawrence Smith.

Marshal Beuschoter has been doing some excellent work grading the streets of late.

Just received a shipment of short range loaded shells for quail shooting at P. O. Reed's.

Mrs. I. M. Polski of Ashton was visiting numerous friends in Loup City last Saturday and Sunday.

If you get an overcoat or jacket its new and not carried over, when you get it at Johnson & Lorentz.

Mr. John Cramer of Monte Vista, Col. was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Waite the first of the week.

We are selling Ladies, Misses and Children's jackets, new stock, no old stock carried over. Prices the lowest at Johnson & Lorentz.

THE NORTHWESTERN has the promise of a good correspondent at Ashton. We are not going to tell who he is, but he will prove a good one, no doubt.

Don't forget Draper Bros. manuf. f. core all their harness in Loup City and can show you the stock they are made of. See them for your harness goods.

Rev. Hampton visited the high school on Tuesday and conducted a few of the classes. He is an old and competent instructor and handled his subjects like a veteran.
Dr-per's still have some good values on their 10c counter with a new stock expected in a few days. Watch this if you want \$1.00 to go as far as \$2.00 elsewhere.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank OF LOUP CITY.

CHARTER NO. 737, INCORPORATED AT LOUP CITY IN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, NOVEMBER 9th, 1905.

RESOURCES
Loans and discounts \$123,894.47
Overdrafts secured and unsecured 3,307.26
U. S. bonds to secure circulation 7,000.00
Premiums on U. S. bonds 144.38
Bonds, securities, etc. 1,148.07
Banking house, furniture, fixtures 9,062.89
Due from approved reserve agents 16,065.72
Checks and other cash items 4,308.64
Notes of other National banks 355.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents 37.98
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie 8,617.65
Legal tender notes 1,000.00 9,617.65
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (6 per cent of circulation) 350.00
Total \$174,375.97

LIABILITIES
Capital stock paid in \$25,000.00
Surplus fund 1,300.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 3,938.55
National Bank notes outstanding 7,000.00
Due to State Banks and Bankers 426.65
Individual deposits subject to check 80,134.09
Demand certificates of deposit 33,508.96
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed 8,000.00
Liabilities other than those stated 6,071.02
Total \$174,375.97

State of Nebraska,)
County of Sherman,)
I, W. F. MASON, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. F. MASON, Cashier.
CORRECT-ATTEST:
M. L. CULLEY, Director.
C. A. MASON, Director.
R. J. NIGHTINGALE, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1905.
HENRY M. MATHEW,
Notary Public.
My commission expires May 15, 1906.

Notice To Bidders.

I, Geo. H. Gibson, County Clerk of Sherman county, Nebraska, estimate that the following books, blanks and stationery will be required for the use of the county officers for the coming year:

LOT ONE.—Three gross lead pencils, best grade; one gross penholders; twelve quart Arnold's writing fluid; twelve gross steel pens; five hundred blotters; twenty-four gross assorted rubber bands; two dozen sponge-top muellage; two reams Crane's Japanese line legal cap; two reams Columbia legal cap; one gross indelible election pencils; three dozen election ink cones; eight-quire record books, (four plain and four primed forms) patent flex-ible back; flap opening, best linen paper; 3,000 triplicate tax receipts, blocked; 3,500 tax receipts in triplicate, bound and perforated, 200 in book for county treasurer, to fold for use with carbon paper; thirteen sets of poll books and envelopes; six chattel mortgage files, 200 in the file; one gross, one inch by ten inches, Globe Congress tie envelopes.

LOT TWO.—1,000 1/2 sheet blanks; 5,000 1/4 sheet blanks; 5,000 1/2 sheet blanks; 1,000 full sheet blanks; all blanks to be of good heavy paper; 3,000 note heads; 6,000 letter heads; note and letter heads to be of good heavy paper; 4,000 6 1/2 inch xxx envelopes; 2,000 10-inch xxx envelopes.

LOT THREE.—Court dockets, one case to page, indexed, with rules of court, list of jurors, court officers and resident attorneys, on flat cappaper, in lots of forty; 6,000 election ballots.

Sealed bids for each or any of the above three lots of supplies must be filed with the county clerk at his office in Loup City, Nebraska, on or before the first day of January, 1906.

Sealed bids will also be received and must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before January 1st, 1906, for the following: Publishing delinquent tax list; publishing county treasurer's financial statement; publishing road and bridge notices, and other notices required by the county.

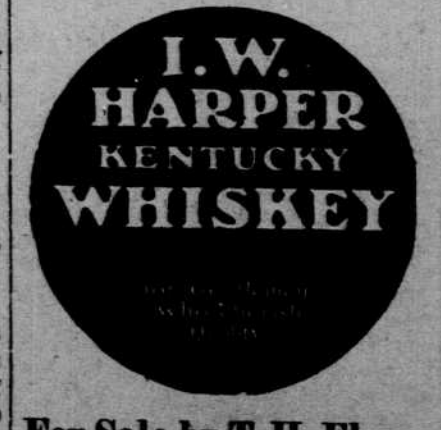
The county board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Dated at Loup City, Nebraska, this 23rd day of November, 1905.
Geo. H. GIBSON,
County Clerk.

(Last pub. Dec. 14.)

Notice to Non-Resident Defendant.

In the District Court of Sherman County, Nebraska:
The Litchfield State Bank,
vs.
J. J. Haller and John Haller,
Defendants.

The State of Nebraska:
To John Haller, non-resident defendant:
You will take notice that on October 23rd, 1905, the Litchfield State Bank, plaintiff herein filed its petition in the District Court of Sherman county, Nebraska, against John Haller, impleaded with J. J. Haller, the object and prayer of which are to recover the sum of \$340.00 now due and payable upon two promissory notes made and delivered by defendants to plaintiff, one for the sum of \$313.54 dated Oct 11th, 1901, and one for \$26.46 dated June 12th, 1902 together with interest at ten per cent per annum on \$93.55 from May 10th, 1905, and on \$246.45 from July 10th, 1902; and that an order of attachment has been duly issued in said action and levied by the sheriff of said county upon the northwest quarter of section twenty-eight in township fourteen, north of range fifteen, west of sixth p. m. in Sherman county, Nebraska, as the property of said John Haller, defendant.
You are required to answer said petition on or before the eleventh day of December, 1905. Dated this 27th day of October, 1905.
THE LITCHFIELD STATE BANK, Plaintiff.
By R. J. NIGHTINGALE, its attorney.
(Last pub. Nov. 3.)



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Extra Choice Dried Apricots, per lb 13c

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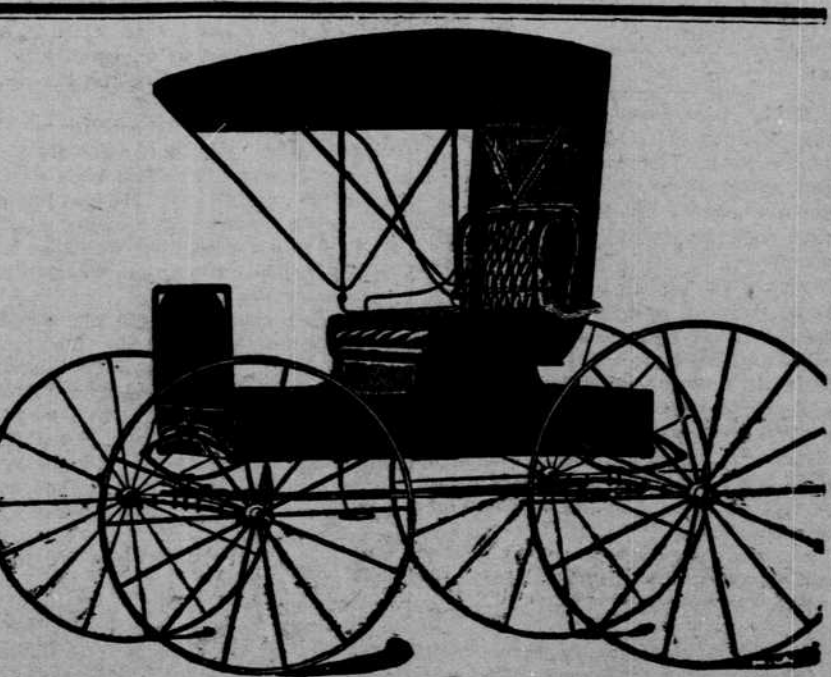
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