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Congressman Kinkaid gives it out straight that he is a candidate for re-election.

Louis James, the great tragedian, died suddenly the other day while touring the Pacific Coast states.

Hogs have passed the $10 mark and on Tuesday were quoted at $10 in Omaha, $10.25 in Chicago, $10.32½ in St. Louis, $10.45 in Cincinnati and $10.50 in Indianapolis.

Secretary Mellor has appointed C. C. Carlson of Loup City one of the vice presidents of the conservation conference to be held in Lincoln the 29th and 30th instants.

The recent seeming clash among Presbyterians of Nebraska over the proposed merger of the Bellevue and Hastings colleges has been settled quite satisfactorily to all concerned. Bellevue now becomes an independent Presbyterian college, co-operating with the Presbyterian college board, but acting in its independent relation, while Hastings is the acknowledged synodical child and so accorded by Bellevue in best of humor and consent. In this, there is distinct advantage to both institutions, as their plans for finance and control will not in the least interfere with each other, and there is good feeling all along. Bellevue will be financed by the independent aid of its friends over the state, independent of board control, and the synod as a body will only have one college to look after and to throw its strength to build up and keep alive. While there were two institutions to be apportioned for, it was with difficulty all matters could be adjusted to the entire satisfaction of all concerned, and we believe the present status of affairs will mean the betterment of both institutions.

To Rural Route Patrons

The following will be of interest and profit to rural route patrons:

Washington, D. C., Jan. 25, 1910.

The Postmaster:

Sir:—In view of the extent to which the practice of placing loose coins in boxes by rural patrons has grown, and the delay in the delivery and collection of mail and the hardship imposed on rural carriers incident thereto, you are informed that, commencing Feb. 15, proximo, rural carriers will not be required to collect loose coins from rural mail boxes.

Patrons should enclose coins in an envelope, wrap them securely in a piece of paper, or deposit them in a coin-holding recepticle, so they can be easily and quickly taken from the boxes, and carriers will be required to lift such coins, and, where accompanied by mail for dispatch, attach the requisite stamps.

This should be promptly announced to the rural patrons through whatever means you may employ, without expense to the department, and you are at liberty to give the information embodied herein to your local papers for publication, if they so desire.

P. V. DE GRAW,
Fourth Asst. Postmaster General.

We Mean You:

During the one week of March 21 to 28 The Lincoln Daily News will accept $2 from mail subscribers for a whole year to April 1, 1911. This is a cut of just one dollar from the regular price made just this one week by cutting out all sorts of canvassing and collecting and letting you do business by mail at a cost of a stamp. This is a year filled with big things, the nomination and election of a United States senator, a big row over the saloon question and then the coming legislature, to say nothing about the scrap aver Uncle Joe Cannon and a few smaller guns. You cannot afford to be without a live, independent, fearless newspaper. We let you in right by knocking off a dollar on the start. No booze or nasty medical ads, and free from bossism. It is human throughout and is always doing things it thinks will help Nebraskans. Remember, Lincoln is your town and here is where lots of your interests are. This is a paper you ought to take, and by sending in before March 28 you can save this dollar. Don't pay money to strangers for any paper, but send your order direct to the Lincoln Daily News or to your local agent.

Test Your Seed Corn

Never has the germinating power of seed corn been of more importance to the Nebraska farmer than it is at the present time. A resume of the instructions given by W. R. Mellor in his reading article to the Nebraska State Board of Agriculture Farmers' Clubs is as follows:

In order to test the quality of your seed corn make a germinating box, of any size you may find most convenient for your especial needs, from two to four inches deep, in which place about one inch of well packed sawdust on which lay a piece of good muslin or canton flannel marked into squares two inches in size, numbered from one up. Make a careful selection of the type of each ear of corn which seems to conform with your ideal of standard; lay and number the ears, beginning at one. Take ear No. 1 in your hand and with the point of a pocket knife remove a kernel from the ear at about one inch from the butt. Give the ear a quarter turn either to the right or left and remove the second kernel from the center of the ear. Make another quarter turn and remove the third kernel about 1½ inches from the tip of the ear. Holding the ear in the same position, remove kernel No. 4 about an inch from the butt of the ear. Make another quarter turn and take the fifth kernel from near the center of the ear, another quarter turn and take the sixth kernel from about 1½ inches from the tip of the ear.

The ear has now been turned around and two kernels taken from near the butt, two from near the center, and two from near the tip. If the work has been well done each set of two kernels has been removed from exactly opposite sides of the ear.

Take the six kernels of corn extracted from ear No. 1 which has been laid down, germ side up, the side of the kernel containing the germ is toward the tip of the ear, and care must be taken not to injure the germ in handling; place them tip and germ side up in square No. 1, take the kernels from ear No. 2 and so on. Be careful that the ears are numbered and arranged so that you will know positively out of which ear each six kernels were taken.

After your squares are filled, take a piece of muslin or canton flannel about the size of the inside of your box and lay it carefully over the kernels, so as not to disturb their original position, thoroughly wet the sawdust and cloth, then over the top spread another piece of muslin or canton flannel, which should be much wider than the box so that when the balance of the box is filled with sawdust the edges of the upper cloth can be folded back over the sawdust which is thoroughly pressed down and saturated with water. If this is done, when you desire to examine the seed you can commence at one end and roll the upper cloth with sawdust so that same will not disturb the grains of corn under the second cloth.

If sawdust is not to be had easily, folded canton flannel thoroughly saturated with water above and below, and covered with a pane of glass will be found a good substitute.

Place the germinating box at a place where the temperature is from 65 to 85 degrees F. The temperature such as is found near the stove in an ordinary country home very nearly approaches these conditions. It is important that the temperature should not fall below 55 degrees so as not to affect the reliability of the test. The kernels should begin to germinate freely about the third or fourth day, but the counting should not be done before the 7th or 8th day, when the stems should be from one to one and one-half inches in length. This is the part of the testing in which your good judgment is required.

If the six kernels from one square in the germinating box shows six good, healthy sprouts, the ear from which they were taken should be taken for seed. If one of the six kernels fails to germinate, or gives even a weak root or stem, the ear which it represents will be more profitably used for feed than seed, as under the most favorable condition the stalk from same will be either barren or produce only a nubbin. Use only those ears for seed from which every kernel responds with a good, healthy sprout.

After the selection of ears showing perfect germination is made, carefully shell one inch from the butt and tip and use the balance of the corn from the ear for seed. It is desirable that the seed be shelled by hand, and screened if convenient, in order to secure more uniform results in planting.

Senator Thomas C. Platt of New York, better known as Roscoe Conkling's "Me, Too, Platt," died Sunday last, and Mae Woods, the Nebraska woman who claims she is his wife, is going after his estate.

SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale to me directed from the District Court of Sherman county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court on the 30th day of November, 1909, in an action wherein the County of Sherman, of the State of Nebraska, was plaintiff, and Stephen Nutter and —— Nutter, his wife, whose true and full name is unknown, Edwin G. Eastman, sole trustee of the estate of Hiram Barker, deceased, Clara Barker, Hiram H. Barker, —— Barker, his wife, first name unknown, Matthew Janulewicz, C. C. Outhouse and Frances Outhouse, wife of C. C. Outhouse, Robert P. Starr, Blanche Starr, wife of Robert P. Starr, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 in Block 2 Barker's First Addition to Loup City, Nebraska, Robert Young and Ethel Young, his wife, Henry Clay Young, Burch M. Young, sole heirs of John M. Young, deceased, and Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 in Block 7 in the Original Town of Loup City, Nebraska, were defendants. I have levied upon the following described tract of real estate, to wit:

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 in Block 2 n Barker's First Addition to Loup City, Nebraska, and I will on the 8th day of April, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the south door of the court house in Loup City, Sherman county, Nebraska, offer for sale and sell said tract at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy the amount of $289.90 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 30th day of November, 1909, and costs of action and accruing costs, which amount was adjudgen to be due the plaintiff above named and to be a lien upon the above described tract of real estate.

I have further levied upon the following described tract of real estate, to-wit:

Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 in Block 7 in the Original Town of Loup City, Nebraska, and I will on the 8th day of April, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the south door of the court house in Loup City, Sherman county, Nebraska, offer for sale and sell said tract at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy the amount of $382.50, with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 30th day of November, 1909, and costs of action and accruing costs, which amount was adjudged to be due the plaintiff above named and to be a lien upon the above latter described tract of real estate.

Dated at Loup City, Nebraska, this 10th day of March, 1910.

L. A. WILLIAMS,
Sheriff of Sherman county, Nebraska.
R. H. MATHEW, plaintiff's attorney.
[Last pub. april 7]

NOTICE TO LAND OWNERS

To all whom it may concern:

The commissioner appointed to locate a road "commencing at southeast corner of Section 25, on the Township line, Town 15, Range 14, Sherman county, Nebraska, and running thence one and one-half miles west between Sections 35-36 and 26 and 33, and terminating at intersection with Road No. 255 be established. Road to be 40 feet wide," has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objections thereto or claims for damages, must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 5th day of April, 1910, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

Dated this 3rd day of February, 1910.

W. C. DIETERICHS, County Clerk.
(Last pub. March 10)

Notice to Non-Resident Defendants.

State of Nebraska, } ss.
Sherman County, }

Leander Lowry, Annie Lowry, Mary E. Welch, Sidney Welch and Annie S. Nave, an incompetent person, non-resident defendants, will take notice that on the 28th day of February, 1910, James M. Lowry and Hattie A. Lowry, plaintiffs herein, filed their petition in the District Court of Sherman County, Nebraska, against said defendants, impleaded with George W. Lowry, Susie M. Lowry, widow of Henry Lewis Lowry, deceased, Earl Lowry and Mae Lowry, minor heirs of Henry Lewis Lowry, deceased, Susie M. Lowry, guardian of the estates of said Earl Lowry and Mae Lowry, minors, and Hattie A. Lowry, guardian of the estate of the said Annie S. Nave, incompetent, the object and prayer of which petition are to obtain the judgment of said court, confirming the shares of said parties in the following described lands, to-wit: The west half of the northwest quarter, and the west half of the southwest quarter, of section eight in township fifteen north of range sixteen west of 6th P. M., situate in Sherman county, Nebraska, and also the south half of the southeast quarter of section one and the north half of the northeast quarter of section twelve, all in township fifteen north of range seventeen west of 6th P. M., situate in Custer county, Nebraska, and adjudging that the said James M. Lowry, George W. Lowry, Annie S. Nave, Mary E. Welch and Leander Lowry have each an undivided one-sixth share or part in said lands, and that the said Susie M. Lowry, Earl Lowry, minor, and Mae Lowry, minor, have each an undivided one-eighteenth share or part in said lands, and that partition be made of said real estate according to the respective rights of said parties, or if the same cannot be equitably divided, that said premises may be sold and the proceeds thereof be divided among said parties according to their respective rights, and for such other relief as equity may require.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the eleventh day of April, 1910.

Dated this first day of March, 1910.

JAMES M. LOWRY and HATTIE A. LOWRY,
By R. J. NIGHTINGALE, Plaintiffs.
Their Attorney.
(Last pub. March 24)

Notice to Non-Resident Defendants.

In the District Conrt in and for Sherman County, Nebraska.

State of Nebraska, } ss.
Sherman County, }

John Cornford,
Plaintiff,
vs.
James L. Pitot,
—— Pitot, his wife, first and true mame unknown,
Defendants.

The above-named defendants, and each of them, will take notice that the above-named plaintiff filed his petition against them in the District Court in and for Sherman county, Nebraska, on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1910.

The object and prayer of which said petition are to remove and dispel the cloud upon the title and possession of the plaintiff in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: All that portion or part of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter (SW¼ of NW¼) section twenty-seven (27) in township fourteen (14) north, range sixteen (16) west of the 6th P. M. not platted into Fairview Park, addition to Litchfield, Nebraska, caused by a certain pretended Tax Deed, and the record thereof in the office of the County Clerk of Sherman county, Nebraska, in book No. 15, at page 280, of the deed records of said county, dated December 12th, 1893, and executed by D. A. Jackson, the then County Treasurer of Sherman county, Nebraska, to James L. Pitot, and to forever repose, quiet and confirm the title and possession of plaintiff, his heirs and assigns, in and to said premises, against the claim and demands of said defendants, their heirs, administrators, executors and assigns, and that said defendants, and each of them, and all persons, claiming by, through, or under them, or either of them, be perpetually enjoined and forbidden from ever having or claiming any title, interest, estate or demand in and to said premises, or any part thereof, adverse to the title and possession of the plaintiff, his heirs and assigns, and for such other, further and different relief as to the court may seem just and equitable.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 11th day of April, A. D. 1910, or the allegations thereof will be taken as true and decree rendered in accordance with the prayer thereof.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1910.

JOHN CORNFORD, Plaintiff.
By ROBERT P. STARR, his Attorney.
(Last pub. March 24)

BRIDGE NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received at the office of the County Clerk of Sherman county, Nebraska, on or before noon of the 19th day of April, 1910, for the letting of a yearly contract for the building of wood and steel bridges, as per plans and specifications adopted by the County Board of Supervisors of Sherman county, Nebraska, on the 9th day of March, 1909, as the same are on file in the office of the county clerk. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check of $1000.00. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Witness my hand and the seal of said county hereto affixed this 8th day of March, 1910.

[SEAL] W. C. DIETERICHS,
County Clerk.
[Last pub. March 31]

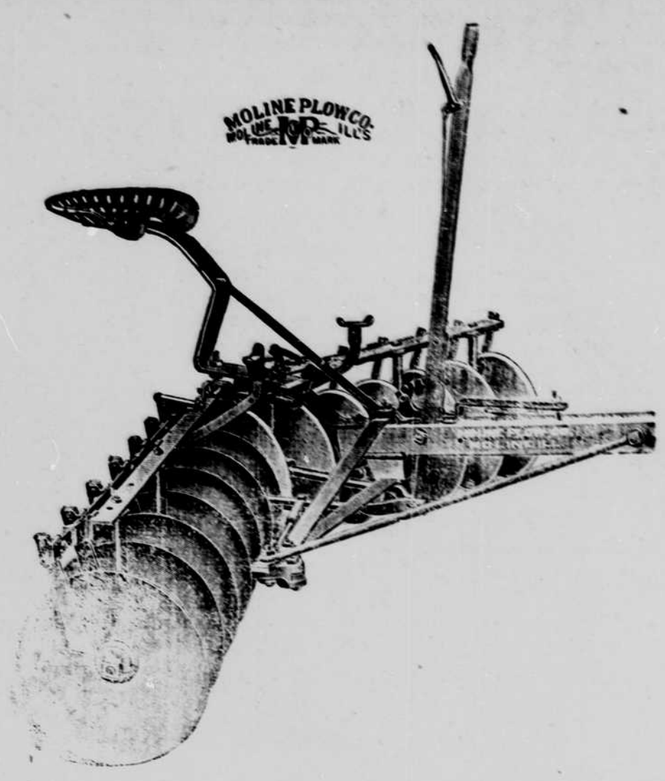
ROAD NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern:

The commissioner appointed to locate a road, "commencing at the section corner on the north side of Sections seven (7) and eight (8) in Township fourteen (14), north of Range sixteen (16) west, in said (Sherman) county and running thence south between Sections 7 and 8; 19 and 20, to a point south of the C. B. & Q. R. R., to where it intersects with road No. 103 and terminating at said road No. 103, be established," has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 10th day of May, 1910, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

W. C. DIETERICHS,
County Clerk.
[Last pub. March 31]

IMPLEMENTS



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ROAD NOTICE

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W. C. DIETERICHS,
County Clerk.
[Last pub. March 31]

Notice to Non-Resident Defendants.

In the District Court in and for Sherman County, Nebraska.

Mary J. Sundstrom, Plaintiff,
vs.

John Sundstrom, —— Sundstrom, his wife, first aud true name unknown, Mary J. Neison, —— Nelson, her husband, first and true name unknown, Eric L. Nelson, —— Nelson, his wife, first and true name unknown, Mrs. Josie Madden, —— Madden, her husband, first and true name unknown, Minnie Royce, —— Royce, her husband, first and true name unknown, Ralph Sundstrom, a minor, of the age of 18, Frank Sundstrom, a minor of the age of 20, Alvina Sundstrom, a minor of the age of 16, Leo Sundstrom, —— Sundstrom his wife, first and true name unknown, Mary J. Sundstrom, administratrix of the estate of John S. Sundstrom, Defendants.

State of Nebraska, } ss.
County of Sherman, }

The above named defendants, Annie Sundstrom, Mrs. Josie Madden, —— Madden, her husband, Mrs. Minnie Royce, —— Royce, her husband, and Leo Sundstrom, —— Sundstrom, his wife, will take notice that on the 1st day of March, 1910, the above named plaintiff, Mary J. Sundstrom, filed her petition in the District Court in and for Sherman county, Nebraska, against the said defendants and each of them, impleaded with the defendants first named above, the object and prayer of which petition are to have a certain deed of conveyance made, executed and delivered by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company to one John Sundstrom, dated the 25th day of November, 1899, and recorded in book 8, at page 245 of the deed records of Sherman county, Nebraska, for the Northwest quarter of Section 15, Township 13 North, Range 13 West of the 6th P. M. in Sherman county, Nebraska, to be decreed to be a deed of trust wherein and whereby the said John Sundstrom held the record title in and to said premises in trust and for the benefit of the said Mary J. Sundstrom and that the legal and equitable title is held and owned by the plaintiff herein. And that the said defendanss and each and every one of them be decreed to have no right title estate or claim or demand into or upon said premises or any part thereof and that they, and each of them, their heirs, executors, administrators and assigns be forever estopped and perpetually enjoined from ever having or claiming to have any title claim or estate in and to said premises adverse to the title and possession of the plaintiff and that the title legal and equitable and of record be made and decreed to be in the plaintiff, Mary J. Sundstrom, and the title and possession in and to said premises be forever reposed, quieted and confirmed in Mary J. Sundstrom, plaintiff, her heirs, executors, administrators and assigns forever and for such other and further and different relief as to the court may seem just and equitable.

The defendants, Annie Sundstrom, Mrs. Josie Madden, —— Madden, her husband, first and true name unknown, Mrs. Minnie Royce and —— Royce, her husband, first and true name unknown, Leo Sundstrom, and —— Sundstrom, his wife, first and true name unknown, are further notified that they are required to answer said petition on, or before, the 11th day of April, A. D. 1910, or the allegations thereof will be taken as true, and decree rendered in accordance with the prayer of said petition.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1910.

MARY J. SUNDSTROM, Plaintiff.
By ROBERT P. STARR, her attorney.
(Last pub. March 24)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of Sherman County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Dorothy Wolf, deceased.

State of Nebraska } ss
Sherman County }

The State of Nebraska:

I, E. A. Smith, County Judge of said county, hereby notify all persons having claims and demands against the estate of the said Dorothy Wolf, deceased, that I have set and appointed the following days for the reception, examination and adjustment of said claims and demands at the county court room in Loup City, Nebraska, towit: June 13th, 1910, and October, 12th, 1910, at the hour of eleven o'clock of each day in the forenoon, and all persons interested in said estate will appear at said time and place, and present their said claims and demands, and in case any of said claims are not presented by October 12th, 1910, the same shall be forever barred.

Given under my hand and the seal of said county court this 4th day of March, 1910.

(SEAL) E. A. SMITH, County Judge.
[Last pub. March 31]

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