

In placing the valuation on real estate property this year, the assessor should take into consideration the acts of the late legislature, when, after much thought and deliberation, they wisely concluded that it was unjust to raise the valuation on such property because the owner had adorned his premises with a fine lot of fruit and shade trees. This clause, not to assess the value of trees on real estate was embodied in the new revenue law, for the reason that it would offer greater inducement to the people to grow trees, and again because of the great amount of extra labor and expense it takes to keep up a place where a specialty of tree culture is made. There is practically no income from tree culture in Nebraska, especially, in the western portion, and the investment thus made is simply a pleasure and gratification one gets out of it, by reason of having planted a landmark that will revert to his memory long after he has parted with his earthly home. For example, Loup City has several citizens, who have, in the face of drought, hail storm, bores and many other insects and obstacles, at last succeed, at a great cost of labor and expense, in getting a start in trees, and to raise the valuation so that taxes would be clear out of proportion to that of his neighbor, who has not made an attempt to grow trees, but has had equal opportunities, would be enough to dishearten the most sanguine tree growers. The clause eliminating the value of trees from the assessment roll will be of full force when the new law goes into effect, but as there is nothing special in the present law which compels the assessor to take such values into consideration, that part of the law could be put into practice even now. It should have ever been so.

The commencement exercises for the Loup City high school, which are to take place at the Opera house, on the evening of the second day of June, will doubtless be attended with great interest. There are eleven graduates, and they are preparing a program that will be interesting and fully as good as any heretofore given. Up to within a few weeks ago these students have been taking part in the literary exercises which have been going on for several months past at the school building, and which have been so largely attended and successfully and satisfactorily rendered. During the past few weeks, however, these literary exercises have been given over entirely to the students of the ninth grade, and the graduates have applied their whole time and attention to their studies and rehearsal of their chosen parts in the commencement program.

The Custer County Republican says that Custer county should secure the state Normal school because of the fact that she is the Jumbo county of the state, or words to that effect. We admit that she is a great big overgrown, girl, but that doesn't entitle her to everything in sight. She has had her full share of favors and should feel content to "go away back and sit down," at least, until it is time to nominate another state ticket.

Ord has gone back into the saloon business. The Quiz says: "The saloons opened for business in Ord last Friday morning and from the number of jugs in evidence on the streets they did a rubbing business for the first couple of days at least."

J. B. Adamson, of Broken Bow, was in town Tuesday looking after his telephone interests. To the editor he stated that he had perfected arrangement to continue his line from Mason City to Loup City via Litchfield.—Chronical-Citizen.

**Gov. Savage Buys a Mill.**  
Ex-Governor Savage of Nebraska who has been spending several months in Tacoma and vicinity, has gone into the lumber business in partnership with Councilmen John Donahue, an old millman of the city and they have purchased the saw mill at Etonville from the Marshall Lumber company. One of Governor Savage's sons, Ned Savage, an energetic young man of about 25 years, joined his father in Tacoma last week and another son will be out in a few weeks. The new mill firm will probably be known as Savage and Sons, though the articles of incorporation have not yet been filed.

The family will make Tacoma their home, and Governor Savage expects to build a fine home in the North End in the near future.

The mill already has a large contract with the Tacoma Eastern Railway for finishing the timbers for their bridge across the Mashel river and flats. The railroad tracks are now laid as far as Lynch-creek, about two miles from Marshall; and it is expected that the bridge will be constructed and the tracks across it completed in but little more than a month. The Mashel river district is credited with being one of the finest timber producing regions in the state. The measurement of a tree felled for the Eatonville mill a day or two ago were so remarkable that Mr. Savage thought it would scarcely do to report it back home as it might call into question his veracity. The forest monarch was 8 ft. through at the but, and in falling broke off 200 ft. straight up. At that point the tree still measured 2 ft. 2 inches and the great stuck lay as straight as a tent stake.

Gov. Savage is most enthusiastic over the country, and glowing reports, it is said, have already led to the decision of a number of old friends in Nebraska to forego their prairie lands for the Washington mountain forests and waters. Gov. Savage intends returning to his old home in Lincoln Neb., to settle up his affairs there and remove his family and household goods to Tacoma.—Sargent Leader

**HASTINGS STREET FAIR.**  
The Burlington sells round trip tickets from points within 100 miles at one and one-third fare, May 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8. Return limit May 11th.

**FAMOUS HUMORIST COMING.**  
Mr. Cyrus Brownlee Newton, the noted California humorist entertainer is to appear at the opera house in Loup City, on Thursday, May 14, 1903. Mr. Newton, to-day ranks as one of the three finest humorists in the United States with Bob Burdette and William Hawley Smith. Quite recently he has returned from an extensive tour through the Hawaiian Islands, New Zealand, and Australia, where he appeared in Melbourne, Sidney, and other large cities. In order to secure Mr. Newton's services Prof. Mead and County Supt. R. D. Hendrickson have guaranteed to him a liberal amount. Admission, 25 cents. Children 15.

**NOTICE TO JURORS**  
You, and each of you are hereby notified that the May term of district court, for 1903, in and for Sherman county, and for which you have been summoned to appear as jurors, has been adjourned to June 8th, 1903, and you are further notified that you are to report at the court house, in Loup City Neb., as jurors, on June 8th, 1903, at 9:00 a. m.; and this you shall in no wise omit under penalty of the law.  
G. H. GIBSON, Clerk of the District Court.

**The Methods of Novelists.**  
And here is Maxim Gorky paying \$150,000 cash for a beautiful palace on the banks of the Volga. This is the reward of the skillful use of his pen in glorifying the tramp and the out-cast, and vilifying and scandalizing their opposites in Russian society and politics. It is frequently thus, though Tolstol began at the other end of the social ladder, sacrificing a title and a fortune for the rewards that have come to him as a novelist and a champion of the oppressed.

**The Deacon's Climax.**  
"Yes," said Deacon Stuckup, "the works of Providence are manifold. The omnipotence of the Almighty is seen in all things, great and small, high and low. The good Lord who made the great mountains made the smallest insect that crawls over them; the good Lord who made the mighty ocean made the smallest fish that swims in it; the good Lord who made man, the greatest of His works, made the smallest flower of the field. The good Lord, brethren, who made me, made a daisy!"

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**  
Bids will be received at the office of the county clerk, up to noon on the 23d day of May, 1903, for rip-rapping the west bank of the Middle Loup river, at the new bridge west of Loup City. Specifications as follows: The rip-rapping to be 300 feet long, 16 feet wide on bottom and 19 to 12 feet wide on top. There will be 40 large trees 25 feet long at bottom, on top of which there will be two feet of willow brush. One foot of course hay on top of the brush with sand or dirt covering, then willow brush, hay and dirt mixed to a depth that will raise rip-rapping four feet above the water. All work will be done under the supervision of the county supervisors. County Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
Dated this 21 day of April, 1903.  
G. H. GIBSON, County Clerk.

**ROAD NOTICE.**  
To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to vacate a road commencing at the south east corner of the north east quarter of Section Twenty-seven (27), Township Fifteen (15), Range Fourteen (14), in Sherman county, Nebraska, and running thence in a north westerly direction through the north half of section 27, 15, 14, and terminating at the north line of the north west quarter of said section 27, 15, 14; has reported in favor of the vacation thereof and all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the office of the County Clerk, on or before noon of the 24th day of June, 1903, or such road will be vacated without reference thereto.  
Dated this 21st day of April, 1903.  
GEO. H. GIBSON, County Clerk.

**ROAD NOTICE.**  
To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate a road commencing at the south east corner of the north east quarter of Section Twenty-seven (27), Township Fifteen (15), Range Fourteen (14), in Sherman county, Nebraska, and running thence north on the section line between sections 26 and 27, township 15, range 14, and terminating at the north east corner of the north east quarter of said section 27, town 15, range 14, 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 24th day of June, 1903, or such road will be established without reference thereto.  
Dated this 21st day of April, 1903.  
G. H. GIBSON, County Clerk.

**Trespass Notice To The Travelling Public**  
To whom it may concern: As my land is now being used as a public high-way, you are hereby warned not to drive on the same, section 22, Township 16, Range 14, in Logan township, Sherman county, Nebraska. Anyone trespassing on said premises in violation of this notice will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.  
Dated this 18 day of April, 1903.  
JOSEPH DAMBOWSKI, Owner.

**A LITTLE EARLY RISER**  
Now and then, at bed time will cure constipation, biliousness and liver troubles. Dewitt's Little Early Risers are famous little pills that cure by arousing the secretions, moving the bowels gently yet effectually, and giving such tone and strength to the glands of the stomach and liver that the cause of the trouble is removed entirely, and if their use is continued for a few days there will be no return of the complaint. Sold by Odendahl Bros.

**WANTED—SEVERAL INDUSTRIOUS** persons in each state to travel for house established eleven years and with a large capital, to call upon merchants and agents for successful and profitable line. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of \$15 and all traveling expenses and all hotel bills advanced in cash each week. Experience not essential. Mention reference and enclose self-addressed envelope. THE NATIONAL, 334 Dearborn St., Chicago.

**WANTED—YOUNG MEN** to prepare for Government Positions. Fine openings in all Departments. Good Salaries. Rapid Promotions. Examinations soon. Particulars Free. Inter-State Cor. Inst., Cedar Rapids, Ia.

**SEVERE ATTACK OF GRIP**  
Cured by One Bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"When I had an attack of the grip last winter (the second one) I actually cured myself with one bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says Frank W. Perry, editor of the Enterprise, Shortsville, N. Y. "This is the honest truth. I at times kept from coughing myself to pieces by taking a teaspoonful of this remedy, and when the coughing spell would come on at night I would take a dose and it seemed that in the briefest interval the cough would pass off and I would go to sleep perfectly free from cough and its accompanying pains. To say that the remedy acted as a most agreeable surprise is putting it very mildly. I had no idea that it would or could knock out the grip, simply because I had never tried it for such a purpose, but it did, and it seemed with the second attack of coughing the remedy caused it to not only be of less duration, but the pains were far less severe, and I had not used the contents of one bottle before Mr. Grip had bid me adieu." For sale by Odendahl Bros.

**CLOTHING.**

Just Received our Full Line of Spring Goods for Men, Young Men and Boys  
**CLOTHING, HATS AND CAPS, SELZ & BROWN \$3.50 SHOE RUBBER BOOTS AND SHOES**  
Ladies' Skirts and Waists and Dress Patterns  
Mackintoshes for Ladies, Gents and Children,—all styles.  
Come and look over our Stock. Our goods speak for themselves; our prices are right.  
**JOHNSON, LORENTZ & CO., LOUP CITY, NEB.**

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Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. *E. H. Brown*  
Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months. This signature, *E. H. Brown*  
Cures Grip in Two Days. On every box, 25c.

**Good for Children.**  
The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough, Croup and Grip because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues.—Odendahl Bros.


**WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS** of character and good reputation in each state (one in this county required) to represent and advertise old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing salary \$25.00 weekly with expenses additional, all payable in cash each Wednesday direct from head office. Horse and carriage furnished when necessary. References. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Colonial Co., 334 Dearborn St., Chicago.

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**Eugene Field's**  
Views on Ambition and Dyspepsia.  
"Dyspepsia," wrote Eugene Field, "often incapacitates a man for endeavor and sometimes extinguishes the fire of ambition." Though great despite his complaint Field suffered from indigestion all his life. A weak, tired stomach can't digest your food. It needs rest. You can only rest it by the use of a preparation like Kodol, which relieves it of work by digesting your food. Rest soon restores it to its normal tone.  
**Strengthening, Satisfying, Invigorating.**  
Prepared only by E. C. DEWITT & Co., Chicago. The \$1 bottle contains 2 1/2 times the \$50c. size. For sale by ODENDALH BROS.

**NOTICE FOR PERMIT.**  
Notice is hereby given that C. J. Odendahl and W. G. Odendahl, partners, and doing business under the firm name and style of Odendahl Brothers, did on the 9th day of May, 1903, filed with the village clerk of Loup City, Nebraska, their petition and application to sell liquor for medical, mechanical and chemical purposes, in the village of Loup City, Nebraska for the ensuing year: from the 1st Tuesday in May, 1903, at 12 o'clock, M., to the 1st Tuesday in May, 1904, at 12 o'clock M. All persons objecting thereto will file same on or before the 21st day of May, 1903.  
Dated this 9th day of May, 1903.  
C. J. ODENDALH & W. G. ODENDALH, Applicants.  
W. G. ODENDALH, Village Clerk.  
Attest: W. J. FISHER, Village Clerk.

**LOW RATES WEST.**  
\$36 45 to Portland, Tacoma, Seattle.  
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Proportionately low rates to hundreds of other points, including Big Horn Basin, Wyo., Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, British Columbia, California, etc. Every day until June 15th. Tourists cars daily to California. Personally conducted excursions three times a week. Tourists cars daily to St. Louis. Inquire of nearest Burlington Route agent.

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