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Former Loup City Boy Mangled by Explosion

Last Saturday, Edgar Daddow, a former Loup City boy, and son of Mrs. John Eggers, was the victim of a gas explosion at a creamery plant in Omaha, where he was employed as engineer, losing his right arm just below the elbow and having his breast bone broken, besides sundry other injuries. The story of the accident, as near as we could learn, was as follows: While doing some work about the engine, in filling some receptacle with gas, there was in some manner an explosion, pieces of iron tearing the right arm off just below the elbow, as stated above, striking him in the breast, breaking the breast bone and tearing a large hole in same, and pieces of iron striking him in various places about the lower part of the body. He was immediately taken to a hospital and a message sent here to his mother, Mrs. Eggers, who, with his uncle, Mr. Thos. Daddow, drove to Ravenna the same evening and took a night train to Omaha, to the bedside of the injured boy. The mother and uncle returned home Tuesday evening, leaving son and nephew getting along as well as could be expected and bringing word that in spite of the seriousness of the injuries his recovery was assured, unless unusual complications should arise. Young Daddow, as we understand, was born and reared in and near this city, where he grew to manhood, although being away for the past few years. About two years ago, he came back to Loup City and started a shoe shop in the old John Eggers meat market building, adjoining the old Pilger opera house, but after a short time closed up the business and went to Omaha, where he had been employed as engineer of a creamery up to the time of the above accident. The many friends of the young man, the wife and children, mother and numerous relatives, will sympathize with all concerned in the almost fatal tragedy, and hope for the young man's speedy recovery.

Sherman County Is Nearly Free of Debt

Maybe our people do not realize it, but Sherman county is crawling out of debt with splendid rapidity, the indebtedness of the county having been reduced nearly half in the past three years. At present the county's indebtedness is only \$43,000, and it is a pretty sure shot that by this coming June or July another \$3,000 will be cut off, leaving the boggy man at \$40,000 only, and with the present levy, the entire debt can be entirely wiped out within the next two or three years. What do you think of that? Doesn't that spell new court house in the near future? And now, just stop a little and let this soak in. A special levy of 5 mills for 4 years, would give Sherman county a \$65,000 court house all paid for. What do you think about it? Is it not worth considering? Is there an enterprising Sherman county citizen, and this county has no other kind, who would not willingly give his pro rata to have the old joke in the center of our beautiful park superseded by a fine architectural structure and safe place for the county's records? For your good boys over the county, give the matter a little of your leisure thought and write us about it, will you?

\$14,000 Worth of Irrigation Bonds Cancelled by Board

The county board at its session just concluded did a good job in paying off \$10,000 worth of irrigation bonds against Loup City township and also \$4,000 worth against Logan township. The board found there was enough money on hand to take up that much of the irrigation bonds against the above named townships, and by paying a small premium, the holders were willing to cancel the same at once, although they were not payable for a year or more yet, bearing 7 percent interest. In thus taking up the bonds the board has made a saving in interest of some \$1,050 to the two townships. This leaves only about \$3,000 of irrigation bonds indebted against each township, and that will soon be paid off and the old irrigation nightmare will be at an end.

Serious Charge Against Ravenna Policeman

Ravenna, Neb., April 28.—(Special to the Bee) County Attorney McDermott has issued a warrant charging A. M. Gramly, for the last year policeman and street commissioner of Ravenna of having immoral relations with a 13-year-old girl. Gramly has lived here many years, and has a wife and four children. Gramly is about 50 years old. He left Ravenna a few days ago, but his whereabouts are presumed to be known and an arrest would doubtless be made at once.

L. B. Polski Appointed Clerk

The county board met Monday, declared the office of county clerk vacant, caused by the death of W. C. Dieterichs, and upon an informal ballot being taken for his successor, the vote stood 6 for L. B. Polski to 1 for J. F. Nicolson. The election of Mr. Polski was then made unanimous. There were but three candidates before the board for that office, J. J. Slominski, present deputy county clerk, being the third man. All three of these gentlemen have held the position of deputy clerk, and all were familiar with the work of the office. The successful applicant, Mr. Polski, was the first deputy under W. C. Dieterichs, county clerk, deceased, resigning that position to accept the post of assistant cashier in the First National Bank, which position he was filling most acceptably when elected to fill the vacancy in the clerk's office. He comes of a family of bankers, his father and brothers being the present owners of the Bank of Ashton, and his life work has been along that line, so that his election as county clerk carries with it an endorsement of one who is fully able to cope with any form of clerical work that may come up in the office to which he has received the unanimous vote of the county board of supervisors.

Comic Supplement Immoral in Tendency

The Philadelphia Public Ledger makes announcement that "the use of the color comic pages in the Sunday Public Ledger has been discontinued. It was concluded that the subject matter and treatment of the comic illustrated serials exercise a mischievous influence on boys and girls and have demoralizing tendencies." The alleged "comics" are now on the decline, and yet their use is still so general that educators and moralists are horrified over the influence they are having on the rising generation. It is not generally understood yet, but the fact will become plain in the next fifty years that the colored supplement of the first dozen years of the twentieth century has done more to demoralize the young people of the United States than any other single agency. Every time one of these daubs is discontinued it lightens the load of the parent and the school teacher.—Ord Quiz.

State University Notes

In the interclass debates the Seniors won first place. The Senior team was coached by Chris Sorenson. Winnie Outhouse is known as a shark Latin student. It is said that she gets a two-hour lesson in fifteen minutes. Lincoln is going through a wet and dry campaign. Those who have gone over the situation carefully estimate that 80 per cent of the student voters will vote dry. Sorenson and Rein are on opposite sides. Clifford Rein, as editor of the Daily Nebraskan, has been carrying on a vigorous campaign for economy in class functions. He is fighting for cheaper dances especially. At present a dance ticket costs from \$3.50 to \$5.00. Add to this the rent of a dress suit, flowers, cab, etc., and the average student cannot afford to attend. University removal has been the cause of much argument pro and con among the students. As far as the reporter can learn, the Loup City students nearly all favor removal to the farm. The new law provides as follows: To create a University building fund a levy of three-quarters of a mill is made for six years. But no part of this fund is to be available until the question of the location of the University shall have been submitted to the people at a general election. The two propositions, extension and removal, are to be submitted at the same time and the one receiving the largest vote carries. If extension carries, half a mill will be used at the city campus, and the other quarter of a mill at the farm. If removal carries all the appropriation goes to the farm.

Visions from Storkland

Born, April 23rd, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Coley of Litchfield, a bouncing baby boy. Mamma and baby doing nicely, but Ed is still walking among the clouds and just can't come down to terrestrial affairs.

Booms Hadley and Butler to Head the Republicans in 1916

Boston, April 27.—Former Governor Herbert S. Hadley of Missouri was endorsed informally for president of the United States and Nicholas Murray Butler for vice president at the Grant night dinner of the Middlesex club Saturday night. Both were guests and speakers at the dinner.

W. C. Dieterichs Passes Away

As was predicted last week, County Clerk W. C. Dieterichs' life ebbed away last Thursday evening, just as the shades of night were coming on, death resulting from peritonitis, following the operation for appendicitis. The funeral occurred the following Saturday at 1 p. m. from the home of deceased, a very short and simple service being given by Rev. Tourtelot of the Presbyterian church, and the body was laid to rest in Evergreen cemetery. At the wish of the family, there was no ostentation, no flowers, only a few words of farewell, and all that was mortal of our friend, everybody's friend, was committed to its last resting place. To say that the illness and death of deceased came as a shock to our entire community, is putting the matter mildly. Few had known that he had been ill or in poor health up to the hour when it was known that he had been stricken with the disease which caused his death, and almost before the news had reached our people came the news that he had succumbed to the enemy of all mankind. Mr. Dieterichs was a man who made no enemies, and multiplied his friends as fast as known. He had been a most pleasant, kind and accommodating friend, man and county official, as all who had dealings with him could testify. Of a natural retiring disposition, he never pushed himself forward, leaving that to be done, if at all, by his friends. It is safe to say that in his death our county has lost one of its most popular officials, our city one of its best citizens, and the community one of its most desirable men.

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C. J. Tracy

Road Notice (Nightingale)

To all whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that the commissioner appointed to view and locate a road commencing at a point on the east line of section twelve (12), township fifteen (15), range fifteen (15), in said county, where road number one intersects the east line of said section twelve and running thence south along the east line of said section twelve to the right of way of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad Company and thence east and south and then easterly direction and terminating at the north line of Barker's Second Addition to Loup City, in said county, be established and opened, the same to have a width of forty feet, being twenty feet on each side of said section line down to said right of way, and sixty-six feet wide thereafter along said right of way, and all objection thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the office of the county clerk on or before noon of the 1st day of July, 1913, or such road will be established without reference thereto.
Dated at Loup City, Nebraska, this 24th day of April, A. D. 1913.
W. C. DIETERICHS, County Clerk.
By J. J. Slominski, Deputy.
[SEAL]

Order of Hearing and Notice of Probate of Will

In the County Court of Sherman county, Nebraska, ss
Sherman County, ss
To the heirs, legatees, devisees and all persons interested in the estate of Charles S. Cash, deceased.
On reading the petition of Allen Cash, praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 24th day of April, 1913, and purporting to be the last will and testament of Charles S. Cash, deceased, that said instrument be proved and allowed, and recorded as the last will and testament of Charles S. Cash, deceased; that said instrument be admitted to probate and the administration thereof be granted to Annie L. Cash, executrix. It is hereby ordered, that all persons interested in said matter, may, to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Loup City Northwestern weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.
Witness my hand and seal of said court this 24th day of April, A. D. 1913.
E. A. SMITH
County Judge
[SEAL] (Last pub May 15)

Road Vacation Notice (Leibhart)

To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to vacate the public road crossing the N E 1-4 section twenty-six (sec 26) and north west quarter and northeast quarter (nw 1-4 and ne 1-4) and southeast quarter (se 1-4) of section twenty-five (25) all in Town fifteen (15) Range fourteen (14) has reported in favor of such vacation, provided that the substituted roads be made passable 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 June, 1913, or such road will be vacated without reference thereto.
Dated at Loup City this 8th day of April, 1913.
W. C. DIETERICHS
County Clerk
Last pub May 8

Notice to Creditors

State of Nebraska ss In the County Court of Sherman County ss
You are hereby notified that I will sit at the County Court room in Loup City, in said County, on the 17th day of November, 1913, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is the 17th day of November, A. D. 1913, and the time limited for the payment of debts is one year from said 17th day of March, 1913.
Witness my hand and seal of said County Court this 21st day of April, 1913.
E. A. SMITH
County Judge
[SEAL] Last pub May 15

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 12th day of March, 1913, wherein John Fisher was plaintiff, and Kate Lyons, Mary J. Farr, Mary J. Farr, administratrix of the estate of Levi J. Farr, deceased, Linden Farr, Gertrude Farr, Willis Farr, Teddy Farr, Caroline Lade, E. G. Lade, executor, were defendants; I have levied upon the following described real estate, to-wit: The northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26) in township thirteen (13), range fifteen (15), west of the 6th principal meridian, situated in said Sherman county and state of Nebraska, and I will on the 3rd day of June, 1913, at two o'clock P. M. of said day, in the south door of the court house, in Loup City, Sherman county, Nebraska, offer for sale and sell said above described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy the court on the 12th day of March, 1913, and costs of the above action, taxed at \$46.15 and accruing costs, which amount was adjudged to be due to the plaintiff above named, and to be a lien upon the above described real estate.
Dated at Loup City, Nebraska, this 28th day of April, 1913.
L. A. WILLIAMS,
Sheriff of Sherman county, Nebraska.
A. C. MAYER, Plaintiff's Attorney.
[Last pub. May 29]

Notice of Sheriff's Sale

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of an order of sale to me directed issued out of the District Court of Sherman county, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered in said court on March 11th, 1913, in a certain cause therein pending wherein Ashton State Bank is plaintiff and Frank J. Stobbe, Elizabeth Stobbe, the Cudahy Packing Company, Armour and Company, and Victoria Haremza are defendants, in favor of the said plaintiff, Ashton State Bank, in the sum of \$341.45, bearing interest at eight per cent per annum, and costs taxed at \$27.35, and ordering that in case the defendants, Frank J. Stobbe and Elizabeth Stobbe, fail for twenty days to pay the Plaintiff the said sum of \$341.45, with interest at eight per cent per annum from March 11th, 1913, and costs of suit, that the property hereinafter described be sold to satisfy said decree: Now therefore, I will on the 27th day of May, 1913, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the south and front door of the court house, in Loup City, Nebraska, sell the following described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to-wit: lot numbered eight (8) in block numbered ten (10) in the original town of Ashton; also all of lot fifteen (15), except the west twelve and one-half (12½) feet of said lot, and all of lots sixteen (16), seventeen (17) and eighteen (18) in block two (2) in E. G. Taylor's Second Addition to said town of Ashton, all situate in Sherman county, Nebraska, to satisfy the amount due on said decree, with interest, cost and accruing costs.
Witness my hand this 22nd day of April, 1913.
L. A. WILLIAMS,
Sheriff of Sherman county, Nebraska.
[Last pub. May 22, 1913]

Road Notice (Commercial Club)

To all whom it may concern: The commissioners appointed to locate a road commencing at the east end of Road No. 426 on the south line of section 31, township 16, range 14 and running thence in a northerly direction about 100 rods to the summit of a ridge, thence in a northwesterly and northerly direction following the summit of said ridge, and crossing the half section line of section 31, township 16, range 14, at about thirty-five (35) rods east of the center of section 31, township 16, range 14, thence in a northwesterly direction along said ridge, crossing section line between sections 30 and 31, township 16, range 14, at about 36 rods west of the quarter section corner between sections 30 and 31, township 16, range 14, thence in a northerly and northeasterly direction along said ridge, crossing the half section line about 52 rods west of center of section 30, township 16, range 14, thence along said ridge in a northeasterly direction crossing the half section line about thirty-six (36) rods north of the center of section 30, township 16, range 14, thence in a general northeasterly direction along said ridge crossing the line between sections 19 and 30, township 16, range 14, at about forty-four (44) rods east of the quarter section corner between the sections 19 and 30, township 16, range 14, thence northwesterly along said ridge to a point about thirty-six (36) rods north and thirty (30) rods east of the quarter section corner between 19 and 30, township 16, range 14, thence west across a small pocket about seventy-five (75) rods, thence northwesterly and west to a point about ten (10) rods north of the west quarter section corner of section 19, township 16, range 14, thence northwest along said ridge about twenty-four (24) rods, intersecting with the Hans Johnson road and there terminating, 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 25th day of June, A. D. 1913, or such road will be established without reference thereto.
Dated this 14th day of April at Loup City, Nebraska.
W. C. DIETERICHS,
County Clerk.
[SEAL] Last pub. May 15

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