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NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

Notice is hereby given that I will examine all persons who may desire to offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the common schools of this county on the THIRD TUESDAY of every month.

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COUNTY SUPT.

Prof. N. KLEIN,
MUSIC TEACHER.
Instruction on the Piano, Organ, Violin or any Reed or Brass Instrument.
Pianos carefully tuned. Organs repaired.
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Pure Crystal Lake Ice delivered in any part of the city.
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Billiard and Pool Hall,
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Keeps none but the finest Whiskies, such as
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Also fine case goods, Brandies, Rum, Gin Etc. St. Louis Bottled Beer and Milwaukee Beer on draft.
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Sample :-: Room,
☞ Having refitted our rooms throughout, the public is invited to call and see us.
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Choice Wines, Liquors and Cigars
Kept at the Bar.
Agent for the celebrated
IDAHO NATURAL MINERAL WATER,
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Estray Notice.

Taken up on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1888, as a stray on section 8, in township 9 north, range 29 west, in Lincoln county, Nebraska, by the subscriber who there resides, one bay horse, branded 45 on left flank, weight, about 800 lbs. Has been handled and is gentle.

The owner of said property can have the same by proving property any paying expenses.

Dated this 28th day of June, A. D. 1888.

W. B. VOTAW.

$50 REWARD.

By virtue of the laws of the State of Nebraska, I hereby offer a reward of Fifty Dollars for the capture and conviction of any person charged with horse stealing in Lincoln county.

D. A. BAKER,
Sheriff.

Notice—Timber Culture.

U. S. Land Office, North Platte, Neb., July 3d, 1888.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Mary E. Sayr against Jacob R. Custer for failure to comply with law as to Timber-Culture Entry No. 7374 dated Sept. 21st, 1885, upon the southeast quarter section 14, township 11, range 31, in Lincoln county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that said Jacob R. Custer has failed to break or cause to be broken five acres of said tract during the second year after entry and has failed to cultivate any portion of said tract during said second year and such failures exist at the present time: the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 1st day of Sept. 1888, at 9 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

WM. NEVILLE, Register.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Application of John E. Evans, Administrator of the Estate of Richard Bascombe, deceased, for License to sell Real Estate. | In the District Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, at the April Term thereof 18888, to-wit April 1888.

Whereas, the application of John E. Evans, administrator of the estate of Richard Bascombe deceased, having been presented to the District Court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, and it appearing from said application that the said John E. Evans of the county of Lincoln and state of Nebraska, is the administrator of the estate of Richard Bascombe, deceased, late of said county and state, and that said John E. Evans has filed in the office of the clerk of this court a duly certified copy of his appointment as such administrator, and that the said Richard Bascombe, at the time of his death, was the owner of contracts No. 58,994 and 58,995 for the purchase of the north east quarter of the southeast quarter section 25, township 14, range 30 west, and southeast quarter of the southeast quarter section 25, township 14, range 30 west, and the east half of the southeast quarter and southwest quarter of the southeast quarter section 24, township 14, range 30 west, situated in Lincoln county, Nebraska, and that it is necessary to sell the same for the payment of debts and charges of administration as more fully appears by the petition of said John P. Day now on file in this court. It is therefore ordered that all parties interested in said estate, to-wit: Mrs. J. B. Loveland, Mrs. Lydia Simpkins, Fred Bascombe and Frank Bascombe and the Union Pacific Railway Company appear before the District Court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, on the first day of the next term thereof to show cause why a license should not be granted to the said administrator to sell so much of the said east half of southeast quarter and southwest quarter of southeast quarter section 24, township 14, range 30 west, and northeast quarter of southeast quarter section 25, township 14, range 30 west, and southeast quarter of southeast quarter section 25, township 14, range 30 west in Lincoln county, Nebraska, and the contract for the purchase of the same as shall be necessary to pay said debts.

It is further ordered that a certified copy of this order be personally served upon all persons interested and shall also be published four successive weeks in the LINCOLN COUNTY TRIBUNE, a paper published in said Lincoln county.

[A true copy.]
Attest:

JOHN E. EVANS,
Clerk of the District Court.
CHURCH & BYELER,
Attorneys.

Notice Of Attachment.

Thomas Brown will take notice that on the 2d day of July, 1888, Albin Stolle, a Justice of the Peace of Lincoln county, Nebrpska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of $12.83 and costs in an action pending before him, wherein Philip Klenk is Plaintiff and Thomas Brown is defendant, that property of the Defendant consisting of money has been attached under said order. Said cause was continued to the 10th day of July, 1888.

PHILIP KLENK,
By T. R. O'CONNOLLY, his Att'y.

North Platte, July 10, 1888. 265

Probate Notice.

In the matter of the estate of AMELIA TINGLEY, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, That the creditors of said deceased will meet the Executor of said Estate before me, County Judge of Lincoln county, Nebraska, at the county court room, in said county, on the 10th day of January, 1889, on the 11th day of January, 1889, at one o'clock P. M. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims, and one year for the Executor to settle said Estate from the 10th day of July, 1888. This notice will be published in the LINCOLN COUNTY TRIBUNE for four weeks successively, prior to the 10th day of January, 1889.

J. J. O'ROURKE,
County Judge.

Notice Of Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a chattel mortgage dated the 13th day of April, 1888, and duly filed and recorded in the office of the county clerk of Lincoln county, Nebraska, on the 19th day of April, 1888, and executed by Charles Leeder to Klenk and Gatward to secure the payment of $200.00, and upon which there is now due the sum of $200.00; default having been made in the payment of said sum, and no suit or other proceedings at law having been instituted to recover said debt, or any part thereof, therefore I will sell the property therein described, viz: One kettle and cauldron, one sausage stuffer, one lard press, one counter scales, three meat racks, one heating stove, one fish box, one lard-can, one oil can, two writing desks, one new shop block, one rocker, one rocker block, one smoke house, three screen doors, three cleavers, two meat saws, one steak knife, one chair, two lamps with chandeliers and one book with all running accounts therein, also one front window curtain, at public auction at the North Side Meat Market, in the city of North Platte in Lincoln county on the 4th day of August, 1888 at one o'clock, P.M. of said day.

Dated July 13th, 1888.

KLENK & GATWARD,
Mortgagees.
By NESBITT & GRIMES,
their Attorneys.

Notice.

The lease contracts to the following described educational lands in Lincoln County, Nebraska, have been declared forfeited for non-payment of rental and will be subject to lease at the office of the County Treasurer of said county, on the 4th day of August, 1888, at 10 o'clock of said day and so continue from day to day until leased, viz:

Lot 2 in NE qr of NW qr and lot 3 in SW qr of NE qr of 16-13-29.
All of 36-16-26.
Lots 1, 2, and 3 in 36-14-34.
All of 16-11-30.
All of 36-11-30.
All of 16-11.31.
All of 36-13-32.
All of 16-16-33.
All of 36-11-31.
All of 16-15-32.
S ½ of 16-13-27.
All of 16-16-32.
All of 16-16-34.
All of 36-16-32.

Provided the owner of lease contract to above land may redeem the same by paying delinquency and cost of advertising at any time before the land is subject to lease and until a bid or application has been made to lease the same, but said owner will not be allowed to redeem after a bid has been made. A bid or application from the owner of forfeited sale or lease contract will not be considered or received.

JOSEPH SCOTT,
Com. Pub. Lands and Buildings.
C. E. OSGOOD,
County Treasurer, Agent.

City Appropriations for 1888.

At a regular meetizg of the City Council of North Platte, held July 2d, 1888, the following appropriations were made upon the taxes to be collected from assessments for 1888:

Salaries	$ 2 400 00
Street work	4 500 00
Water	3 000 00
Incidentals	500 00
Total	$10 400 00

By order of the Council.

E. B. WARNER,
City Clerk.

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The Palace Clothing Co.,
L. F. SIMON, Manager.

Brief But to the Point!

We are making Sweeping Reductions.
We are knocking them out.
We are slaughtering goods.
We are in the lead.
We are determined to sell.
We are Leaders of Fashion.
We will save you money.
Sell the "Sweet Orr" Overalls.
Have reduced our boys' waists.
Intend to see you all.
Shall make it interesting.
Are selling clothing at cost.

The Palace Clothing Co.,
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LUMBER AND COAL.
C. F. IDDINGS,
LUMBER, Lath, SASH, BLINDS, DOORS, Etc.
LIME AND CEMENT.
Rock Springs Nut,
Rock Springs Lump.
Pennsylvania Anthracite,
Colorado Anthracite
AND
Colorado Soft
COAL.
YARD ON R. R. TRACK WEST OF DEPOT,

HA! HA! THE BEST OF ALL!
It did not take five years to discover that the
Jewel Gasoline Stove
was the only safe gasoline stove made, but in 1887, the first year it was introduced in North Platte, FORTY-SIX were sold, more than was sold of all others combined. We have them with either drop tank or the pneumatic, and in the language of the poet, "no pump to get out of order or gas forced through the room," but can prove that less gas escapes from it than any stove made and can show it has many points of superiority over all others and prove to you that the Jewel is
The : Best : Stove : Made.
They are all guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction and will consume less gasoline than any stove in the market. Call and examine the late improved Jewel and be convinced and you will buy no other.
RESPECTFULLY,
L. STRICKLER.

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS.

Friday, July 6, 1888.—Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present full board and county clerk.

It is ordered that the following amounts for improvements on lands be stricken from the list:

Lot 4, section 7, tp 13, r 29, $100.
S-e qr n-e qr sec 10, tp 13, r 29, $20.
Lot 2, sec 10, tp 13, r 29, $20.
S-e qr of s-e qr sec 12, tp 13, r 29, $300.
S-e qr s-w sec 5 tp 14, r 30, $200.
S-e qr s-w qr sec 5. tp 14, r 30, $75.
N-e qr n-e qr sec 8, tp 14, r 30, $100.
S-w qr s-w qr sec 9, tp 14, r 30, $200.
S-w qr n-w qr sec 18, tp 14, r 30, $40.
Lot 3, sec 20, tp 14, r 30 $100.
S-w qr s-w qr sec 22, tp 14, r 30 $200.
N-w qr s-w qr sec 24, tp 14, r 30 $100.
S-w qr n-w qr sec 26 tp 14, r 30, $200.
Lots 1 and 2 sec 8, tp 14, r 30, $25.
S e qr s-w sec 33, tp 15, r 31, $100.
N-w s-e s-e 34, tp 15, r 31, $100.
S-e s-e sec 35, tp 15, r 31 $40.
S-e s-w sec 4, tp 14, r 31, $75.

Now comes J. H. Hershey and complains that the county sold s hf n-w qr sec 18, tp 14, r 32 for tax for the year 1886, when not proved up until 1887; ordered that tax be refunded.

On complaint of T. S. Nowell by F. D. Nowell the assessments of sections 1, 3, and 11, tp 13, r 23, reduced from 2 to 1 dollar per acre.

It appearing that the North Platte Water-works company returned only $1,000 for engine and boiler, and nothing for their other personal property, therefore it is ordered that said waterworks be assessed $5,000 for their other property.

It appearing that the North Platte Irrigation and Land Co. made no return of their personal property, and that it is a wealthy corporation be assessed $5,000 on their personal property in addition to $2,812 returned by the assessor of North Platte precinct No. 3.

Whereupon the Board concluded their work as a board of equalization and proceeded to make the annual levies as required by law as follows:

County general fund 9 mills on the dol.
" road " 2½ " "
" bridge " 2 " "
Outstanding indebtedness 1½ mills on the dollar.
Principal on South Platte bridge bonds 1½ mills on the dollar.
Court house principal, 1 mill.
Court house interest three-tenths mills.
Funding bonds, interest, seven-tenths mills.
North Platte bridge bonds, interest, five-tenths mills.
Jail bonds, interest, four-tenths mills.
O'Fallon precinct bridge bonds, interest 2 mills.
City of North Platte general fund, 10 mills.
City of North Platte, water fund, 5 mills.
School district City of North Platte 14 mills.

School district No 2,	- -	12 mills.
" " 3,	- -	20 "
" " 4,	- -	20 "
" " 5,	- -	7 "
" " 6,	- -	9 "
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" " 11,	- -	13 "
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" " 12, to pay indebtedness to district 25, 2 mills.		
School district No 13,	- -	25 "
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" " 56		25 "
" "		4 bond, interest.
" "		21 bond, interest.

Wednesday, July 11th.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present full board and county clerk.

In compliance with the resolution of yesterday the board proceeded in company with the county surveyor to locate the bridge about to be built across the Birdwood creek.

Thursday, July 12th.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present full board and county clerk.

Commissioners Walker and McAllister having been appointed a committee to inspect the location for a bridge across the Birdwood creek, make the following report: That they proceeded in company with the county surveyor to Birdwood Creek, and that they found the most practicable place for said bridge on the township line between townships 14 and 15, range 33; that they found upon measuring that said bridge would be about 100 feet long; that they marked said location with stakes and mounds.

It being necessary for public use it is hereby ordered that a public road be opened, beginning on the northwest corner of section 6, township 14, range 32, and running thence west on said section line two miles and terminating on the northwest corner of section 2, twp 14, range 32.

Comes now Sylvanus Wilber and presents a petition for a road signed by S. Wilber and thirty others living along said road and it appearing to the board that the public good requires it, the petition is hereby granted and the following section lines are hereby declared a highway, viz: Commencing on southeast corner of section 34, township 9, range 33, thence north on section line to the northeast corner of section 3, township 9, range 33, thence west four miles to northwest corner of section 6, township 9, range 33.

The petition of Isaac Lamplugh and others for a road was considered, and the clerk ordered to appoint a commissioner to view and report on the feasibility of said route.

Adjourned until to-morrow.

Friday, July 13th.

C. P. Ross, city engineer, is requested to survey and stake out location for jail.

The board commenced work on consideration of bills

R. D. Thomson requested to make a report in writing to the board the changes he considered necessary for the safety, strength and durability of the jail building about to be erected.

Saturday, July 14th.

Petition signed by P. L. Harper and twenty-seven others, citizens of Waltace precinct, praying the board to publish the proceedings of the county commissioners in the Wallace *Herald*. Prayer granted and ordered that proceedings be published in said paper, also all other publishing in which the people of the south part of the county are interested, provided it will be done at the same rate as is paid each paper of North Platte.

Clerk ordered to advertise the county windmill, tower and tank for sale to the highest bidder.

The commissioner appointed to view and report on the feasibility of a public road for I. Lamplugh and others, reported that the route was not practicable.

Patented Lands.

The following list of land patents were received by the U. S. Land Office at North Platte last Saturday. These lands are in Lincoln county.

Monroe Smith, se nw and lots 3, 4 and 5, sec 6, tp. 11, range 26.

Charles Swenson, e hf nw qr w hf ne qr 18-11-26.

Allen Couse, sw qr 24-11-26.

Joseph Solomon, sw qr 14-11-26.

George W. Parsons, nw qr 8-11-26.

Anna Voss, n hf se qr and se se and lot 3, 34-12-26.

Lucien Stebbins, s hf nw qr and lots 3 and 4, 8-11-26.

Irving B. Bostwick, ne hf se qr and w hf se qr and lot 1 4-14-32.

Frederick Smith, ne qr se qr w hf se qr ne qr ne qr sw qr 34-13-29.

Isaac N. Wells, s hf ne qr and lots 1 and 2 2-11-27.

Samuel S. Ballinger, e hf sw qr and lots 6 and 7, 6-14-31.

Henry H. Pell, s hf ne qr and s hf nw qr 34-13-29.

Isaac Folk, sw qr 8-11-26.

Eliza J. Richards, nw qr 24-11-26.

John Mehlop s hf ne qr and n hf se qr 2-14-31.

August Anderson, s hf nw qr and lots 3 and 4, 2-11-27.

Olaf Johnson, sw qr 2-11-27.

Charles O. Lind, ne qr 12-11-27.

Charles Suska, e hf sw qr and lots 5 and 7, 6-11-26.

Alexander England, nw qr 8-13-31.

John Carlson, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, 26-12-27

John K Eshleman, n hf ne qr and n hf nw vr 34-13 29.

Isaac Lamplugh, se qr 8-14-30.

Bridget Connelly, nw qr 24-13-30.

The Democratic party is the queerest political compound on the face of the earth. It is composed of free traders, Copperheads and Confederates; and is frantically supported by every English newspaper, by every English free trader, by English manufacturers, by every American free trader, by every carping mugwump, by nine-tenths of the saloon keepers, brewers and distillers of the United States. Its head, dictator and candidate for the Presidency is the most nollossal Chump this country has ever produced. Its nominee for the Vice Presidency is an old Ohio Copperhead, whose chief distinction lies in the fact that he has a record as an "obstructionist." Its emblem is an old red bandana. Its history is the aggregated political crimes of the United States for the last seventy-five years. What do intelligent American workingmen and American patriots think of this unique aggregation.—*Atchison Champion.*

A. D. BUCKWORTH, President. JAS. SUTHERLAND, Cashier.
State Bank of North Platte,
NORTH PLATTE, NEB.
Discount Good Notes.
Loan on Chattels.
Accounts solicited and prompt attention given to all business entrusted to its care. Interest paid on time deposits.
FARM LOANS
Made at the Very Lowest Rates of Interest.

Who would have thought when John Brown was hung at Charleston, Va., that 30 years from that time, John S. Wise the son of the man who ordered old "Ossowatomie's" execution—Gov. Wise, would be clamoring for a seat in a Republican National convention.—*Atchison Champion.*

The Milwaukee *Sentinel* says, regarding the mugwump vote: "The mugwump of 1884 who is a free-trader, will, of course, vote the democratic ticket this year. As Mr. Curtis remarked many months ago the reform issue is overshadowed by the free trader will support the candidates of the republican party. The mugwump as such disappeared from the scene with the nomination of Harrison. This year he will be a democrat or a republican."

Mr. G. W. Smalley, the able London correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, summarizes the English view of our Presidential campaign very clearly when he says: "I have not met a single Englishman who does not wish for Mr. Cleveland's election, not one who does not believe that English trade and manufactures will benefit by his triumph." Twenty five years ago it would have been equally difficult to meet an Englishman who did not believe and hope and pray that the war for the preservation of our Union would be a failure. But the rebellion was put down and Mr. Cleveland will be defeated in spite of British opinion."

The disposition of some of the democratic leaders to appeal to Mr. Randall for help has called attention to a fact which some of the free traders don't know. That is, that Mr. Randall has in his possession letters from the democratic committee, written during the last campaign, urging him to come to their help and to make protection speeches in New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, while about the same time the committee wrote to Abram S. Hewitt, of New York, who had contemplated entering the campaign, urging him not to proceed to those states to advocate his views upon the tariff. Possibly Mr. Mills may receive letters of that sort before the campaign shall be over. Mr. Randall is not talking for publication to any one, but it is known that in recent private conferences with some of his more intimate friends he has expressed the opinion that Mr Cleveland will most certainly be defeated, and that the party cannot hope to win upon the platform laid down in the house by Mr. Mills and his free-trade allies from the south. Bob Ingersoll told the crowds at Chicago that when the holler was out of the lungs the sense would come to the head. The time has now come for the democratic party. The holler is out of their lungs and the sense has begun to come to their heads, and with it there are premonitions of defeat.—*Ex.*

The One-Horse Farmer.

The one-horse farmer has a life-long ambition to gain a reputation for wearing a dirty shirt.

He will alarm the neighborhood by getting up two hours before day, then sit around and not go to work till after sun up

He will complain of hard times, then tear his pants climbing a fence where a gate ought to be.

He will pay $3 for a bridle, then let the calf chew it all to pieces before Sunday.

He will get all the neighbors to help in getting a cow out of the bog, then let her die for want of attention.

Stock will get in and destroy his crop at a place in his fence that he has been putting off repairing for six months.

He will sprain his back lifting something to show how strong he is.

He will talk all day Sunday on what he knows about farming, then ride around the neighborhood Monday hunting seed potatoes.

He will go in his shirt sleeves on a cold day to show how much he can stand, then return home at night and occupy two-thirds of the fire place till bed time.

He will ridicule the mechanism of a cotton planter, and then go out and mash his thumb nailing a board on the fence.

He will go to town on Saturday and come back with fifty cents worth of coffee, a paper of pins, a dollar's worth of chewing tobacco and his belly full of whisky.

Skepticism.

By reason of the state of chronic incredulity in which many men pass their lives they miss half the good of this world. They seem to think that doubt and unbelief are proofs of wisdom, and through fear of being deceived reject much that is true and good. To such minds the statement that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a real and proven cure for all diseases caused by torpid liver, bad blood or scrofulous humors carries with it its own condemnation. They do not believe it, apparently because we say so; and yet what more, or less, than this can we do? We know the facts, and if we did not make public the great value of this remedy few would profit by it. We try to do our duty in the matter and it remains for the doubter who needs help to overcome his prejudice and give it a trial.

$500 Reward for an incurable case of chronic nasal catarrh offered by the manufacturers of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

FOR DYSPEPSIA and liver complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle o Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. For sale by A. F. Streitz.