PIERCE HORSES WIN AT O'NEILL RACES

CAPTAIN MACK AND KING WOODFORD LAST DAY WINNERS.

O'NEILL DEFEATS ATKINSON

A Circus, Fast Racing and Base Ball Features of Last Day of Successful Race Series at O'Neill—Running Record Broken.

O'Neill race results:

2:25 class, King Woodrord, Woods Cones' horse, time 2:28.

Free-for-all, Captain Mack, owned by William Zulauf of Pierce, time 2:16.

O'Neill, Neb., Aug. 22.—Special to The News: The last day of the races witnessed the largest crowd in town for many a day. Yankee Robinson shows, horse racing and ball playing were the attractions which drew the people from miles around.

The O'Neill boys were victorious again yesterday on the base ball diamond in a pretty and interesting game, shutting out Atkinson 2 to 0.

Results of game:

O'Neill .. ....0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 x—2
Atkinson .. ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Hits, O'Neill 5, Atkinson 4. Errors, O'Neill 1, Atkinson 2. Three-base hits, Faremont struck out, Bradley 12, Richter 7. Batteries, O'Neill, Bradley and Wilson; Atkinson, Richter and Powers.

Although a disagreeable afternoon for racing, the last day brought out the largest crowd. A stiff breeze came up from the north as the races began and many left the grounds to avoid the smothering dust.

About 5,000 admission tickets were sold during the three days, 2,000 being taken yesterday.

Race Results.

2:25 class: First, King Woodford, owned and entered by Woods Cones of Pierce; second, Birdie Colyer, owned and entered by W. W. Evans of Independence, Mo.; third, King Ree, owned and entered by P. C. Deller, Hartington; fourth, White Wings, owned and entered by Wm. Shoemaker, Creighton. Time, 2:29. Purse, $250.

Free-for-all: First, Captain Mack, owned and entered by Wm. Zulauf of Pierce; second, Eddie Woods, owned and entered by H. B. Woods of Sac City, Ia.; third, Stranger, owned and entered by Chas. S. Moore of Omaha. Time 2:16. Purse, $250.

The running event established a new track record, the half mile being made in 49 seconds. Winners, first, John Griffin; second, Whiskey Pete; third, Bill Bable. Purse, $125.

Ainsworth and O'Neill play ball here Sunday, August 23.

SATURDAY SIFTINGS.

Arnold Schmidt is on the sick list.

D. Rees went to Stanton Saturday noon.

Miss Louise Schulz went to Hoskins Friday.

C. H. Sterner returned from Omaha Friday evening.

Miss Stella Luikart returned from Tilden at noon.

Senator F. J. Hale returned to Atkinson at noon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Schram left this noon for Chicago.

Miss Cora Morsch of Neligh is in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. Webb.

James Poole returned Saturday noon from Valentine.

Congressman Boyd of Neligh was in the city Saturday.

Rev. Chas. Wayne Ray went to Fremont Saturday noon.

Mrs. M. D. Tyler and son went to Omaha Saturday noon.

Miss Emma Uttecht returned from Oshkosh, Wis., Friday evening.

Miss Lizzie Hopkins of Meadow Grove was in the city yesterday.

Charles R. Weeks of Fairmont passed through the city at noon.

Superintendent J. G. Mote of O'Neill passed through the city at noon.

Senator F. J. Hale of Atkinson was in the city between trains Friday.

Miss Hazel Adams returned Friday from a three weeks' visit at Winside.

Miss Opal Olmsted went to Stanton at noon for a brief visit with friends.

A. A. Corkle will go to Tilden this evening to spend Sunday with his parents.

Miss Margaret Potras went to Stanton Saturday to attend the teachers' institute.

Mrs. A. P. Brubaker and children returned from Pierce at noon after a short visit.

James E. Delzell, a Republican candidate for state superintendent, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Minnie Rasmussen and mother of Newman Grove are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Coleman.

Mrs. C. L. Anderson and son returned from Long Pine Saturday noon after a few weeks' camping.

Mrs. W. J. McNamee returned yesterday noon from a ten days' visit in Chadron and Hot Springs, S. D.

Miss Minnie Lambert, who was the guest of Miss Hattie Jonas Friday, returned to Battle Creek at noon.

Miss Edna Enos, who has been visiting Miss Ruby Macy for a few days, returned to Stanton Saturday noon.

Miss Winifred Abernathy, who has been the guest of Miss Ruth Shaw for several days, returned to Weeping Water Saturday noon.

Mrs. Charles Stitt of Burlington, Ia., has arrived in the city for a visit at the home of her father, A. White.

Mrs. Emma Priesman, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. F. Jarmer, returned to West Point Saturday noon.

A large number of school teachers passed through the city on their way home from the teachers' institute at Madison.

Venus Nenow is taking his vacation from the Norfolk Shoe store and will spend the week visiting relatives at Sioux City.

Miss Helen Glissman of Doon, Ia., who has been visiting friends in the city for a week, left for Lyons Saturday morning.

Among the day's out of town visitors in Norfolk were: Otto Ritter, Pierce; J. F. Hoese, Hartington; P. M. Moodie, West Point; J. W. Alter, Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Plainview; J. B. Olsen, Humphrey; Judge N. D. Jackson, Neligh.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Kopach, a daughter.

Large plate glass windows are being placed in the front of the New Merchants' restaurant.

Rev. Charles W. Ray will have charge of the services at the First M. E. church in Fremont Sunday.

Rev. W. F. Ritchie of Omaha will give an address in the G. A. R. hall Tuesday evening, speaking on the subject of county option and on kindred subjects.

Carrie Nation will not come to Norfolk this summer or fall. The engagement which the local W. C. T. U. had with Mrs. Nation has been canceled by the Norfolk union.

R. H. Reynolds, while working on the foundation of a brick building at Plainview, was painfully injured Friday afternoon by the bank giving way, causing the brick to fall against his foot, turning it at the ankle.

The Norfolk W. C. T. U. held its annual election of officers this week. The following ladies were elected for the year: Mrs. E. H. Brewer, president; Mrs. Mary Kidder, vice president; Mrs. Ballantyne, secretary; Mrs. H. B. Thomas, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Malone of Enola are expected home from New York next Wednesday. Mrs. Malone underwent an operation while in New York City from which she is just recovering. Their many friends will welcome them home and will hope for Mrs. Malone's rapid recovery. They have been away two months.

At a meeting of the creditors of the Faucett, Carney Candy company, yesterday, George D. Butterfield was elected trustee of the company. As several of the parties to be examined were unable to be prsent, the meeting adjourned until Referee E. P. Weatherby could set a date when all parties could be present.

NORFOLK BALL SEASON IS EXTENDED BY FANS

A GUARANTEE IS SUBSCRIBED.

GAMES TO COME.

Norfolk base ball, with the local fans rallying to its support, will see another month of prosperity. A full schedule of games is today announced, running up to the middle of next month. More will probably be added. Two new players, professional men, will be added at once. Manager Logan has a new man for second base, a new man to cover left field. To make this possible Norfolk fans are signing a $200 guarantee, fifty men agreeing to cover any deficit that may result up to $200. As the team will be in condition to land a good many good sized purses the next few weeks a deficit of any size is not likely.

Tuesday's Game.

The first game of the new series will be played in this city Tuesday afternoon with the E. & W. team of Sioux City, which Saturday started out on a tour of north Nebraska. This is one of the fastest teams in Sioux City. Kirkland will probably be in the box for Norfolk.

The Schedule.

Here is the new schedule as it stands today. Doesn't it look good to you?

E. & W. team of Sioux City at Norfolk, August 25.

Neligh at Neligh, August 26-27.

Denison, Ia., at Norfolk, August 28.

Stanton at Norfolk, August 31.

Plainview at Norfolk, September 1.

Pierce tournament, September 2-3.

Carroll at Winside, September 4.

Spencer at Spencer, September 7-8.

O'Neill at Norfolk, September 9.

At Madison, during Madison fair.

A Sunday Game.

The bartenders and the bakers and cooks will play a baseball game Sunday afternoon, if the weather permits.

Below is the line-up:

Bartenders		Bakers.
Bonner	rf	Carball
Grant	1b	Washington
Finpa	cf	Gaines
Tarpenning	3b	Morrison
Sporn	p	Pillar
Walton	2b	Maxwell
Murke	lf	Robinson
"Billy"	ss	King
"Cubby"	c	Lewis

The Cooks Won.

The Cook brothers' base ball nine defeated the farmers' nine on the country diamond four miles north of Norfolk by a score of 9 to 6. John Cook was umpire.

RANDALL ADMITTED HE HAS HAD HIS SHARE

WHEN ASKED, HE SAID IT WAS STANTON'S TURN THIS YEAR.

DECLARED HE WOULD NOT RUN.

John Eberly, a Stanton Banker, Went to Randall Before Appleby Was Announced and Randall Conceded That He Had Been Given His Share.

Stanton, Neb., Aug. 25.—An affidavit has just been issued by John Eberly, a Stanton banker, in which Mr. Eberly, upon oath, declares that C. A. Randall, the Newman Grove banker now seeking to continue himself in office as senator from the Eleventh district, conceded the Republican nomination to Stanton county this year, and assured Stanton county Republicans that he would not be a candidate for renomination in view of the fact that Stanton county Republicans desired to present the name of R. Y. Appleby for the nomination.

Mr. Eberly says that he went to Randall on Arbor day, at the bankers' convention in Norfolk, for the express purpose of discussing with him the senatorial situation. Stanton county loyally supported Randall for the nomination and election two years ago. Senator Randall asked for the nomination at that time because it was Madison county's turn, by virtue of the time-honored custom of rotation, established by the Republican party when the district was formed. And Stanton county Republicans at that time, as did also Republicans of Pierce and Wayne counties, conceded the nomination to Madison county Republicans.

Randall's View of the Rotation.

Mr. Randall on Arbor day, in talking with John Eberly of Stanton, declared that it was Stanton county's turn, in accordance with the established and eminently fair custom of rotating the nomination. Mr. Randall further said, according to Mr. Eberly, that if Stanton county Republicans had a candidate he would not ask a renomination.

Mr. Randall was told at that time that R. Y. Appleby was the choice of Stanton county Republicans and in reply Mr. Randall is quoted by Eberly as having declared, in substance: "All right; it is Stanton county's turn and I will not be a candidate."

To this statement Mr. Eberly makes affidavit. And Mr. Eberly is a banker whose word is good, even without oath.

That was on Arbor day. Having given Mr. Randall an opportunity to declare himself, and having his word that he would not be a candidate for renomination, a few of Appleby's friends announced the candidacy of Mr. Appleby in the Stanton Picket on the next day, April 23.

Then Randall Came Out.

A short time after this Mr. Randall who is said to have declared that he recognized the fairness of naming a Stanton county man this year and who is quoted as having said he would not be a candidate for renomination, announced that he was a candidate. Then his friends began asserting that he was the only Republican in all these four counties who could save the district!

The Affidavit.

Here is the affidavit which Mr. Eberly makes:

The State of Nebraska, Stanton county, ss.

I, John Eberly, being duly sworn, on my oath depose and say, that at Norfolk, Nebraska, April 22, 1908, at the bankers' convention, in conversation with C. A. Randall, in regard to his candidacy for the office of state senator of the Eleventh district of Nebraska, he stated that it was Stanton county's turn, that if we (Stanton county) had a candidate he would not be a candidate and that I told him at the time that R. Y. Appleby was a candidate and was the choice of Stanton county Republicans for that position, to which he replied in substance, "All right: it was Stanton county's turn and that he would not be a candidate;" And further deponeth sayeth not.

John Eberly.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 24th day of August, 1908.

Edward B. Baer, Notary Public.
(Seal.)
Commission expires Jan. 5,1910.

Stanton Feels Appleby Was Wronged.

Stanton county Republicans feel that they and Mr. Appleby have been grossly wronged by Mr. Randall, Appleby said before Eberly went to talk with Randall that if Randall was going to ask for renomination, he would remain out of the contest. He did not desire to start a factional fight in the district. The office did not mean enough to him to warrant him engaging in a bitter struggle to gain the nomination. Stanton county Republicans know he is a capable man and well qualified for the office. It was felt the nomination would come to Stanton county without hostility. And particularly so after Randall was given opportunity to declare himself and gave Stanton his word that, in view of Appleby's candidacy, he would not seek renomination.

Why Did Randall Do It?

Just what motive induced Randall to make such a strenuous scramble to continue himself in office, after he had already given Stanton his word that he would remain out, is puzzling people right now.

People generally believe that it is either self interest in a business way, or an unreasoning selfish ambition to hold onto political office. Otherwise they cannot figure out why he should work so hard to keep himself in office, after having admitted to John Eberly that he had had his full share and that it was Stanton county's turn to present the Republican candidate for senator.

TUESDAY TOPICS.

C. A. Smith was in Sioux City Monday.

Rev. J. L. Stine and Albert Miller, who have been holding revival meetings at Goose Lake, were in the city yesterday.

James Brown and son of Stanton were in the city Monday

E. C. Shafer went to Bristol, Okla., Monday noon on business.

Mrs. C. F. King returned from Landers, Wyom, Monday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Snyder of Mount Hope, Wis., are visiting at the home of G. C. Lambert.

Mrs. E. C. Jones of Chicago arrived Monday noon to be the guest of Mrs. C. F. King for several days.

Mrs. Agnes Ballentyne of Hartington is visiting at the home of John Ballantyne for a few days.

E. O. Garrett of Fremont, one of the three Democratic candidates for the nomination of lieutenant governor, was in Norfolk over night, leaving this morning for Fremont.

Rees Solomon has charge of the music at the teachers' institute held at West Point this week.

Lester Weaver has resigned his position as baggagemaster at the Northwestern uptown depot.

S. G. Dean put a large sign in the front window of the First National bank at Tilden Monday.

Hans Vogt has returned to his position with the hardware store of Coleman & South, after spending a week's vacation with his parents at Tilden.

Al Johnson has received an advance in his pension. He served ten years in the Ninth U. S. cavalry, a colored regiment, and was injured by a horse.

The Sunday school class of S. F. Erskine, who have been spending ten days at Crystal lake camping, returned Monday evening and report a royal good time.

Miss Lizzie Schram has accepted a position as bookkeeper in the store of Venus Huebner at Pierce.

The Electric Light and Power company have added a meter inspector to their force. Mr. Brown of Pine Bluff, Ark., will fill the position and will make his residence here.

H. F. Barnhart of Norfolk has been engaged with C. H. Stewart of Osmond and W. W. Quivey of Pierce to defend Editor Leedom of the Osmond Republican from the charge of criminal libel.

Heavy rain fell all along the Northwestern as far northwest as Dallas Monday morning, according to County Clerk Richardson of Boyd county, who was in Norfolk from Butte Monday afternoon.

Grover Mayhew is the first man to fall victim to the anti-bicycle crusade to which Chief of Police Peters stands sponcer. Mayhew was fined $2 and costs, or $7.10, for riding a bicycle on the side walk. The complaint in police court was made by Burt Rader, who claimed that Mayhew ran into one of his children. Several complaints have been entered with the chief in regard to reckless riding.

I. J. Johnson of Bloomington, Ill., formerly a commercial traveler out of Norfolk, has been visiting with his daughter in Norfolk, Miss May Johnson, during the past few days. Mr. Johnson is taking an enforced vacation from "the road," as the result of a trivial accident which proved serious. Mr. Johnson broke a small toe and before he got through with it he had undergone two amputating operations and at one time his life was almost despaired of as the result of gangrene. He was confined to his bed for sixteen weeks and two days and it was at one time feared his entire leg would have to be amputated.

Authors of musical comedy always try their utmost to get winning and attractive dancing numbers. "The Mother Goose" number in the "Royal Chef" is probably the most popular dancing number that has been in any musical comedy in many years. There are sixteen little girls to take part in the number, and they are dressed in black, red and green pantaloons, with a black bolero, to represent witches. These "Mother Goose" girls, as they are known, taking their names from the title of that song, are famous throughout the country, and are the originals of that class of fancy dancers who enjoy the soubriquet of "broilers." "The Mother Goose" number never fails to get nine or ten encores at every performance. The date is Tuesday, September 1, when the new theatrical season opens at the Auditorium.

PLAINVIEW BOWS TO SPENCER

Two Fast North Line Teams Play But One Game of Series.

Spencer, Neb., Aug. 25.—Special to The News: Spencer defeated Plainview 6 to 3.

Plainview was at Spencer for two games on Sunday and Monday, but owing to the rainy weather only the Sunday game was played.

The score:

		R.	H.	E.
Plainview	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2	3	10	7
Spencer	0 0 0 2 3 0 1 0 x	6	4	1

Batteries, Spencer, Walling and Burrington; Plainview, Bunnell and King. Struck out, by Walling 4, by Bunnell 4. Umpire, Keanealy.

Foley's Kidney Remedy il core any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Kiesau Drug Co.

ANNEXATION DEGREE WILL BE GIVEN SOON

JUDGE WELCH WILL HOLD BRIEF COURT DAY AT MADISON.

Judge Welch's decision on Norfolk's new city limits will be given soon but hardly this week as expected. Judge Welch announced originally that he would go to Madison the latter part of the month, which as court is called at Wayne next week would mean this week.

City Attorney Hazen has his brief in Judge Welch's hands but the briefs from the other side have not been filed. After they are in City Attorney Hazen will be given a chance to file an answer. Then Judge Welch will announce his decision and enter certain other decrees at Madison. He has, however, refused to hear any new cases.

SIOUX CITY CREAMERY SUES

Finds Its Business Being Damaged by Norfolk Company.

Sioux City Tribune: Damages of $10,000 are asked by the Blue Valley Creamery company for the alleged violation of a contract, from J. L. Kudrle, whom the company claims has engaged in a similar business at Norfolk, and is taking its trade. The suit was filed in the district court, and an injunction is asked restraining the defendant from continuing in the buying and selling of butter, milk and eggs.

The petition recites that a contract was signed between the plaintiff and defendant, whereby the latter agreed not to enter into business within a radius of 100 miles of Sioux City within a period of five years. Kudrle organized the company at Norfolk in May, and charges are made that since that time he has induced patrons of the Blue Valley Creamery company to become customers of his company.

Since the organization of the Sioux City company in 1907, a lucrative trade has been built up within 100 miles of Sioux City. Kudrle was manager when the new company was founded, and by his office became acquainted with the customers and the methods by which they were handled. He left the company last April and according to a contract it is said agreed not to engage in the same business within the territory reached by the Blue Valley company. This contract, the petition recites, is being violated, and the company has suffered $10,000 damage thereby.

The apparent object of the action of the Sioux City company is to force Mr. Kudrle to resign as manager of the Norfolk Butter company.

The suit is accepted locally as merely indicating the success which is attending this new Norfolk institution. The Norfolk company is establishing itself firmly in this section and is of course encroaching not only on the territory of the Sioux City company but also on the big creameries of Omaha and Lincoln. The Omaha creameries have taken considerable notice of the Norfolk organization and one business man in Norfolk suggested today that they might be back of the action brought in Sioux City.

The Norfolk company has been shipping a car of butter east about every ten days.

Real Estate Transfers.

Real estate transfers for the week ending August 21, compiled by Madison County Abstract & Guarantee company, office with Mapes & Hazen.

Edward Kohl to trustees of the German M. E. church, Q. C. D., consideration $1.00, part of the N. W. ¼ of the S. W. ¼ of 24-21-3.

Minnie Verges to Gustav Bathke, W. D., consideration $250, lots 8, 9, and 10, block 23, and lots 6, 7, 8 9 and 10, block 24, Queen City Place addition to Norfolk.

J. E. Crum and wife to M. E. Crenshaw, W. D, consideration $700, lot 1, Davis subdivision to Norfolk

Anton Wyland to Mary Wyland, W. D., consideration $1.00, W ½ of 12-21-1

Anton Wyland to Mary Wyland, W. D., consideration $1.00, part of N. E. ½ of the S. W. ¼ of 32-22-1

M. Vinla Stewart to Carl Drefke, W. D., consideration $1,500.00, W ½ of N. E. ¼ of N. W. ¼ of 21-24-1.

Andrew J. Durland to A. E. Kull W. D., consideration $6,000, lots 8, 9 and 10, and S. 23½ feet of lot 11, block 8, Durland's addition to Norfolk.

Clint S. Smith to Ella Carns, W. D., consideration $800.00, lot 7, block 8, Riverside Park addition to Norfolk.

Margaret Meagher to Clint S. Smith, W. D., consideration $650, lot 7, block 8, Riverside Park addition to Norfolk.

C. B. Hulie to Joseph H. Albrach, Q. C. D., consideration $1.00, E ½ of S. W. ¼ of 29-21-2.

Standard Stock Food Co. to Catherine Thibault, W. D., consideration $90, lot 9, block 8, Dorsey place addition to Norfolk.

S. W. Garvin to John Koenigstein, W. D., consideration $3,000, lot 16, block 3, Collamer's addition to Norfolk.

South Dakota News.

The Clay county fair which was to have been held in September, was declared off on account of the epidemic of anthrax.

Gus Pusha was shot and seriously wounded by timber thieves near stamford.

Prices were fixed for the sale of state capitol lands in the western part of the state.

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COASTER-BRAKES, single wheels, imported roller chains and **pedals,** parts, repairs and equipment of all kinds at *half the usual retail prices.*

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The regular retail price of these tires is $8.50 per pair, but to introduce we will sell you a sample pair for $4.80 (cash with order $4.55).

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Notice the thick rubber tread "A" and puncture strips "B" and "D," also rim strip "E" to prevent rim cutting. This tire will outlast any other make—SOFT, ELASTIC and EASY RIDING.

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J. L. MEAD CYCLE COMPANY, CHICAGO, ILL.

Father Follows Son.

Fairfax Advertiser: L. A. Manville, who was principal of schools at Herrick last year and was re-employed at a raise of salary, has resigned and accepted a like position at Dallas where he gets a still higher salary. The Herrick board has asked his father, Prof. C. A. Manville, to succeed him in their schools.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

The following proposed amendment to the constitution of the State of Nebraska, a synopsis thereof set forth in full, is submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska, to be voted upon at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 3rd, A. D. 1908:

A JOINT RESOLUTION to amend Sections two (2), four (4), five (5), six (6) and thirteen (13) of Article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to Judicial Powers.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska:

Section 1. **Amendment proposed.** That Section two (2) of Article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as follows:

Section 2. **(Supreme court; judges; jurisdiction.)** The Supreme Court shall consist of seven (7) judges; and a majority of all elected and qualified judges shall be necessary to constitute a quorum or pronounce a decision. The Supreme Court shall have jurisdiction in all cases relating to the revenue, civil cases in which the state is a party, mandamus, quo warranto, habeas corpus, and such appellate jurisdiction as may be provided by law.

Section 2. **(Amendment proposed.)** That Section four (4) of Article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as follows:

Section 4. **(Supreme court, judges, election, term, residence.)** The judges of the Supreme Court shall be elected by the electors of the state at large; and their terms of office, except as hereinafter provided, shall be six years. And said Supreme Court judges shall during their term of office reside at the place where the court is holden.

Section 3. **(Amendment proposed.)** That Section five (5) of Article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as follows:

Section 5. **(Supreme court, judges, election, term; chief justice.)** That at the general election to be held in the state of Nebraska in the year 1909, and each six years thereafter, there shall be elected three (3) judges of the Supreme Court, who shall hold their office for the period of six years; that at the general election to be held in the state of Nebraska in the year 1911, and each six years thereafter, there shall be elected three (3) judges of the Supreme Court, who shall hold their office for the period of six years; and at the general election to be held in the state of Nebraska in the year 1913, and each six years thereafter, there shall be elected a "Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, who shall hold his office for the period of six years. Provided that the member of the Supreme Court whose term of office expires in January, 1914, shall be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court during that time until the expiration of his term of office. And, provided further, that upon the adopting of these amendments the electors of the State, the Governor shall, immediately upon issuing his proclamation declaring said amendments adopted, appoint four (4) judges of the Supreme Court, two (2) of whom shall be appointed to hold said office until their successors shall be elected at the general election in 1909, and have qualified; and the other two (2) shall hold their office until their successors shall be elected at the general election held in 1911, and have qualified.

Section 4. **(Amendment proposed.)** That Section six (6) of Article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, be amended to read as follows:

Section 6. **(Chief justice.)** The Chief Justice shall serve as such during all the term for which he was elected. He shall preside at all terms of the Supreme Court, and in his absence the judges present shall select one of their number to preside temporarily.

Section 5. **(Amendment proposed.)** That Section thirteen (13) of Article six (6) of the Constitution of Nebraska be amended to read as follows:

Section 13. **(Judges, salaries.)** That judges of the Supreme Court shall each receive a salary of $4,500, and the judges of the District Court shall each receive a salary of $3,000 per annum, payable quarterly.

Approved April 8, 1907.

I, Geo. C. Junkin, Secretary of State of the State of Nebraska, do hereby certify that the foregoing proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Nebraska is a true and correct copy of the original enrolled and engrossed bill as passed by the Thirtieth session of the legislature of the State of Nebraska, as appears from said original bill on file in this office, and that said proposed amendment is submitted to the qualified voters of the state of Nebraska for their approval or rejection at the general election to be held on Tuesday, the 3d day of November, A. D. 1908.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Nebraska. Done at Lincoln, this 7th day of July, in the year of our Lord one Thousand Nine Hundred and Eight, and of the Independence of the United States the One Hundred and Thirty-third, and of this State the Forty-second.

(Seal) GEO. C. JUNKIN, Secretary of State.

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Notice to Creditors.

The state of Nebraska, Madison county, ss.

In the matter of the estate of James N. McCarthy, deceased. Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against James N. McCarthy, late of said Madison county, deceased, that the time fixed for filing claims against said estate is six months from the 24th day of August, 1908. All such persons are required to present their claims with the vouchers to the county judge of said county at his office in the city of Madison, in said Madison county, on or before the 25th day of February, 1909, and that all claims so filed will be heard before said judge on the 25th day of February, 1909, at 1 o'clock p. m.

It is further ordered that notice to all persons interested in said estate be given by publishing a copy of this order in the Norfolk Weekly News-Journal, a weekly newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county, for four consecutive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand and seal this 15th day of August, A. D. 1908.

Wm. Bates,
[Seal.] County Judge.

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