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Bankers have given \$100 to the Western Endowment fund.

With all its faults the primary is to save the convention system.

A. L. Caviness of Fairbury, formerly superintendent of schools in McCook has been appointed by Governor Akridge to be a member of the state board of education.

The unfortunate, the perhaps not entirely unexpected, has happened. The veiled breach between Colonel Roosevelt and President Taft has widened and opened into a bitter public rupture.

The Roosevelt forces won Missouri after a hard struggle. Then the Taft men, following a custom that has been entirely too popular this year, assembled in a hotel room and selected a contesting delegation.

HOW IT IS MEASURED.

Few of us, outside of engineering circles, know how that mysterious servant, electricity, is measured. We only know that the regular monthly bill calls for "Present reading 328, last reading 314, consumed during month 14 K. W. hrs.—and, please remit \$1.96."

The fact is that electricity, or strictly speaking, electrical energy, is measured in kilowatt-hours. A watt is an electrical rate of work just as a horse power is a mechanical rate of work.

The measurement of this electrical power takes place as follows: The current enters the house and passes through a miniature electric motor, the moving part of which is connected to a series of dials, an ordinary

counter, such as is used to count revolutions on machinery, bicycles, automobiles, etc. The speed with which the motor revolves, and therefore the speed with which the dial registers, is proportioned to the amount of power which passes the meter into the house.

It does not measure the quantity of electricity for quantity of electricity is measured in amperes just as quantity of water is measured in cubic feet.

It does not measure the pressure of electricity for the pressure of water is measured in pounds. Now pounds x feet as applied to water gives us horse power.

Similarly volts x amperes gives us watts in electrical terms, but in both cases we assume that the work was done in a certain time, that is, so much per minute or per hour.

The dynamo or "generator" furnishes electrical energy in kilowatts but this amount of energy must be used for one hour before one kilowatt-hour can be charged. Two kilowatts for one-half hour would amount to the same thing.

The ordinary sixteen candle power lamps consume energy at the rate of about fifty-five watts. This is about three and one-half watts to the candle power.

Mazda lamps, which although more expensive are much more efficient, use only one and one-half watts to the candle power. So that if you have used up a kilowatt hour of electrical energy as light, it means that you have had 356 candle-power for an hour, or 328 candle-power for two hours, or, as is more likely for household consumption, 6.56 candle-power for 100 hours during the month.

It makes a big difference whether work is done in a minute or a week, but of course we wish to pay for the amount of work done, irrespective of the time we take to do it. This the meter takes care of, if we use one hundred lights instead of one, it revolves one hundred times as fast, if we use it for a week it registers for the whole week, if for only a minute then it registers only during that minute.

FRANK UNTIEDT DRAGS ONE MILE

His Example Should Be Followed By Other Farmers.

It is the custom of some farmers in this state, as well as in Iowa and other states, to drag the public highways along their farms. This is done to enhance the value of their own farm lands and to increase the value of their own property.

Red Willow county has at least one farmer (and possibly more) who is doing this thing, and The Tribune has heard his action highly commended and complimented.

We refer to Frank Untiedt, near Indianola, who makes a habit of regularly dragging the mile of public highway along his land. The result is that every man who drives along that strip of land remembers the fact that stretch of land is kept, and in his heart has a warm place for Mr. Untiedt.

Other farmers in Red Willow county, and state of Nebraska, should emulate this excellent example of Mr. Untiedt.

Manager Visits McCook.

Mr. Loren G. Jones, who will be the local manager for the McCook Chautauqua, visited our city, Saturday, making a preliminary survey of the situation from a chautauqua point of view. He finds matters quite encouraging and satisfactory for a successful and excellent chautauqua this season.

Campaign Expenditures.

Congressman Norris, the successful Republican candidate for United States senator, spent \$344.20 all by himself and his friend J. E. McCook spent \$302 in his behalf, making a total of \$647.01.—Lincoln Journal.

Money to Loan on Farms. See Rozell & Sons at clothing store.

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State Auditor Barton reports the expenditure of \$452.37 in his race for the Republican nomination for congressman of the Fifth district.

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Checker Players Meet.

The Southwest Nebraska Checker Players' association met in Beaver City, Friday, in one of their occasional meets. The following is the result of the games: Group No. 1: R. G. Hensley 5, W. G. Holton 19, A. Loffgreen 24, John Wentz 24, J. D. Jenkins 22, O. A. Schoonover 10, C. C. Copeland 25, Fred Ayers 12, F. S. Wilcox 23, W. Wiggins 18.

Group No. 2: O. Turnipseed 15, C. K. Bowers 8, W. W. Devoe 25, G. A. Ayers 21, G. S. Williamson, 19, J. D. Mallory 20, E. F. Osborn 32, J. A. Wilcox 18, H. G. Miller 22, L. W. Kinsman 30, Frank McCoy 10.

It was decided that the winners in each group should play for the high man in the contest, but on account of lack of time, these games were not played, but Mr. Osborn and Mr. Copeland will meet some time soon and settle the matter in a series of games. Mr. Osborn only lost two games in the meet at Beaver City.

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NOTICE OF SUIT.

William O. Pate, Drusilla Pate, his wife, Fannie M. Fogle, Maude Coomer and John Hunter Coomer defendants, will take notice that Susanna Zienfoose, plaintiff, has filed her petition in the district court of Red Willow county, Nebraska, against them, the object and prayer of which are to procure a decree quieting the plaintiff's title to the northwest 1/4 Section 5, Township 2, Range 30, Red Willow county, Nebraska, against any title, interest, claim, or lien of any kind of said defendants and for equitable relief.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that The McCook Co-Operative Hospital Association has filed its articles of incorporation in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Nebraska, and in the office of the County Clerk of Red Willow county, Nebraska. The location of the principal office of the corporation shall be McCook, Nebraska, and the principal place for the transaction of its business shall be Red Willow county, Nebraska. The general nature of the business to be transacted by said corporation shall be: To equip, maintain and operate a hospital in Red Willow county, state of Nebraska; to receive donations of money or property of any description; to rent or purchase any real or personal property, and to erect a building or buildings to be used in connection therewith; and to sell any property, real or personal, that may have come to the Association by gift or purchase, when such property has ceased to be of use for the purpose for which it was given or purchased.

The amount of capital stock authorized shall be \$25,000, divided into 5,000 shares of \$5.00 each which shall be subscribed for at not less than their par value and which shall be non-assessable, and no share shall be issued until fully paid for. The existence of this corporation began on March 4, 1912, and this corporation shall have perpetual succession. The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation is at any time to subject itself shall not exceed one-fourth of the par value of stock outstanding. The affairs of the corporation are to be conducted by a Board of Managers consisting of nine members, selected by the stockholders from among their number. The officers of the corporation shall consist of a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, who shall be chosen by the Board of Managers. The McCook Co-Operative Hospital Association. Anna E. Fahnestock, Secretary. By E. W. McConnell, President. (Seal.) April 22-sw-Sts.

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Legal Notice.

State of Nebraska, Red Willow county, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of John J. Real, deceased: Notice is hereby given that Sarah J. Hickling, administratrix of the estate of John J. Real, deceased, has filed in this court her final account and a report of her administration of said estate together with a petition for a final settlement; a decree assigning the residue of said estate to such as are entitled by law to the same and for a discharge as such administratrix. Said final account and petition have been set down for hearing on the 4th day of May, 1912, at one o'clock p. m. at the county court room in McCook, in said county. Witness, my hand and seal of said court this 13th day of April, 1912.

FRANK M. COLFER, County Judge. (Seal.) First publication April 15—6 ts.

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Passes Norris' Resolution. Washington, April 25. — The resolution of Representative Norris of Nebraska, calling on the Department of Justice for all papers and information in its possession concerning the charges against Judge Prehbold of the United States commerce court passed the house this afternoon without debate.

In Pennsylvania. Flushed with victory at the recent state primary election, the new powers are taking steps to write into the Republican state platform votes for women, the initiative, the referendum, the recall of officials, the recall of judicial decisions, and a declaration in favor of local option.

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