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NOTICE.

Following is the estimate of expenses for Box Butte county, Nebraska, for the year 1895, made by the Board of county commissioners at their meeting on the second Tuesday in January 1896, as required by law.

For county officers salary \$30,000.00 For precinct ... 2,000.00 For election purposes ... 1,000.00

ATTORNEY: F. M. PHELPS, Clerk. By Jas. H. Hewett, Deputy.

L. W. BOWMAN Physician and Surgeon, ALLIANCE, NEB.

Office in Norton's Block. Calls attended promptly. Charges reasonable.

Notice of Publication of Summons.

Julia C. Ingersoll vs. Lewis M. Williams, Ira E. Tash and Eva M. Tash his wife, and W. J. Bowden. Lewis M. Williams and W. J. Bowden defendants, will take notice that on the 28th day of July 1895, Julia C. Ingersoll, plaintiff herein, filed her petition in the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska, against said defendants, the object and prayer of which was to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by the defendant Lewis M. Williams to The American Investment Co. upon the southeast quarter (a w 1/4) of section four (4) township twenty-six (26) range forty-eight (48) west of 6th P. M. in Box Butte county, Nebraska, to secure the payment of a certain coupon bond, dated March 5, 1887, for the sum of \$300, and ten coupon interest notes thereto attached of even date therewith, of \$12.50 each, the first falling due June 1, 1875, and one every six months thereafter, and also ten interest coupon notes provided for in the extension agreement, entered into between the defendant I. E. Tash and the said American Investment Company of \$12.50 each, the first falling due December 1, 1892, and one every six months thereafter, which said bond, coupon interest notes and mortgage deed was on October 16, 1894, sold, endorsed, assigned and delivered to said plaintiff, that there is now due upon said notes and mortgage the sum of \$425, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 25 day of July 1894, for which sum with interest aforesaid plaintiff prays for a decree that defendants be required to pay the same, or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 15th day of February, 1896. Dated Jan. 14, 1896. JULIA C. INGERSOLL, Plaintiff. By B. F. GILMAN, her attorney.

See Wildy before you sell your hogs, poultry, butter, eggs, cheese or potatoes.

The Alliance papers are out denying the name of one John Rensvold "deceased," and say that the name is shown on the petition as John Underwood and the county clerk and his deputy take the stand with the Alliance combination and say the name is John Underwood. Now the clerk and his deputy are very elastic so far as their certificates are concerned, as we have a CERTIFIED COPY OF THE ORIGINAL petition in which they CERTIFY that the name is JOHN RENSVOLD.

It is possible to change the original so it would read Underwood, and as this is a county seat fight it might be done. We take it that the clerk and his deputy want to do the right thing and we do not make this charge against them, but there are others in Alliance that could make the change. The name on the petition is in lead pencil.

Mr. T. K. Gilshannon, one of the first settlers and a successful farmer of Wright precinct, was a pleasant caller Friday.

The letter published in the Alliance Times from A. L. Sharrock to Mr. Hall was a dandy and breathes the sentiments of every one in Hemingford. We are here to stay and fight until the last. Many thanks for publishing it. Come again.

The following copy from the Omaha World-Herald.

"It is said that the Alliance people have picked out the spot where they intend to have the court house built, and will soon call for bids for material."

Farmers and tax payers does this sound like they were not preparing to bond the county. Look well to your taxes for the future and remember your present court house is fully paid for and the finances of the county are in excellent shape.

W. D. Rumer has capped the climax of public philanthropy and is now closing out his shop worn goods to the suffering(?) farmers at less than cost. Verily the ways of the county seat removal man are devious.

Rev. Kendall's father died last Sunday at Rushville. He was nearly 70 years of age and had been ill for sometime. Mr. Kendall returned Wednesday.

Mrs. Friel is quite ill.

The Alliance people now say that a crazy man stole that letter from Mr. Hall and carried it with him to the insane asylum at Norfolk, from which place they obtain it. This explanation of the matter suggests the thought that the Alliance county seat boomers should send some sane person to the asylum, if such a one can be found among their number, to pick up all letters that go the same way. Judging from the action of the gang considerable correspondence might be obtained in this way and much valuable information furnished the Alliance papers for publication. A peculiar feature of the malady that afflicts the Alliance boomers lies in the fact that they have a mania for handling other people's mail matter.

In county seat fights, a latitude has to be allowed to the men who are getting up the fight for their own ends as far as the truth goes. Alliance must have appreciated this fact in their work but the way in which they lie indiscriminately is wonderful to behold.

The smiling countenance of Dr. Knight of Alliance was noticed on our streets Wednesday.

Obituary.

DIED—Thursday, February 27th, 1896, at 9 a. m., Mrs. Rosa M. Dada, wife of Rev. E. P. Dada, pastor of the Congregational church, aged 60 years, 5 months and 28 days.

For two weeks Mrs. Dada had been suffering with pneumonia, but was convalescing. On the morning of her death she was unusually bright, ate a hearty breakfast and asked her husband to go for the mail. On Mr. Dada's return from the office he found her suffering very much but with his assistance she walked to the bed and in twenty minutes from that time was dead.

For 32 years she had been a minister's wife, enduring the hardships and trials like a true servant of the Most High, and rejoicing over victories. She was possessed of a lovely christian character and worked zealously for the building of the Master's kingdom on earth.

Her daughter, Miss Velma, who was at Denver, was telegraphed for and will here this evening. Her husband and daughter have the sympathy of the entire community in their sudden bereavement.

Funeral services Sunday at 11 o'clock, interment Hemingford cemetery.

When the Alliance people were circulating their petition they were not called "lying, unscrupulous, unprincipled knaves" nor did we ask the farmers or citizens of Hemingford to take down their shot guns and go after them as the Times of this week suggests. But now that we are digging up some of the rottenness, how different. Now Bro. Ellis this shot gun business don't scare anybody, but we will be with you on all matters and if you want to fight that way, we are ready. We want to serve notice just here to the effect that we are going to fight you for the next twenty years, or more if necessary, to hold our rights. Come on.

Judge Spacht is quite sick at his home with intermittent fever. Dr. Bellwood is attending him.

The Alliance papers are not content with backing up the county seat gang in deliberately trying to steal the county seat which is Hemingford's by every right but think that this paper has not even any right to live at all and infer that, we are bought by the Inter State Townsite Company because we stand up for what is our rights. How easy it is for them to see faults in other people and ignore their own. It is possible, nay more, probable that the recent additions to the printing offices in Alliance were purchased with money from the county seat fund of Alliance. Sudden riches in the Alliance newspaper offices at the time of a county seat fight is apt to have a shoddy construction any how. But we are alive, own ourselves and our paper and will stick in this fight to the finish and Hemingford will keep the county seat. When papers like those in Alliance seek to back up an unholy fight like this attempt to steal a county seat their sense of moral honor is apt to get warped so that they think everyone is as bad as they are.

Assessors Annual Meeting. The annual meeting of the assessors will be held at the clerk's office in Hemingford on the third Tuesday of March, being March 17th.

F. M. PHELPS, County Clerk. Hemingford, Feb. 25, 1896.

As age for the Inter State Townsite Co., I think it is proper at this time for me to say that we are in Box Butte county to stay, and so long as methods are adopted to burden our property with taxation for the benefit of any one class and not for the whole people, we are in the fight and will undertake to protect our interests against the present petition or any other petition that does not represent the resident electors of Box Butte county. We were informed while at Alliance yesterday, that another petition would be circulated. We are ready to see that it is lawful, and are with the honest taxpayers of Box Butte county to protect ourselves as well as every other taxpayer from fraud.

A. L. SHARROCK, Agent.

Commissioners' Proceedings

County Clerk's Office, Hemingford, Neb., Feb. 25, 1896.

Board of county commissioners met at 9:30 a. m., pursuant to adjournment.

On motion, Robert Marler was appointed constable in first ward precinct of Alliance.

It appearing that road in town 27 range 50 as authorized by commissioners at their Nov. 25th 1895 meeting has not been opened, it is hereby ordered that the clerk instruct road overseer of district No. 10 to open up such road for travel.

On motion board adjourned to meet at 1 p. m.

Afternoon session. Board met at 1 p. m. Present Hollinrake, Barry and Duncan.

Following official bonds were approved: John D. John, overseer district No. 10.

L. M. Kennedy, Justice of the Peace Snake Creek precinct.

Robert Marler, constable first ward precinct Alliance.

Bond of Omaha Printing Co., examined and approved.

The bids for the leasing of the poor farm having been examined the bid of P. H. Zobel is accepted and the poor farm is leased to the said P. H. Zobel for one year commencing March 1, 1896, who agrees to pay into the county treasury for said lease \$75.00 on the first day of September 1896, and to keep the paupers sent to the poor house by the county commissioners, or any one of them, for the sum of \$3.00 each per week, provided that if more than six paupers are kept at the poor house at any one time, then all paupers above said number six, are to be kept and boarded at \$2.50 each per week.

The following claims having been presented for allowance, on motion the board procured from the treasurer a certificate of delinquent personal taxes against the several claimants and it is hereby ordered that the amount of delinquent taxes against each of the claimants named below be deducted from the amount of his claim and the clerk is hereby directed to draw a warrant on general fund in favor of claimant where there is a balance due him after deducting the amount of said delinquent tax as follows, to-wit:

- 2048. J. C. Parkins, clearing around court house claim \$5, allowed \$5 tax — warrant — 2049. A. L. Mulvick, services as county physician, \$24.65, allowed \$ 1 65, tax \$24.65, warrant \$25.30. 2050. L. H. Mosher, Judge of Election, claim \$4, allowed \$4, tax \$ — warrant \$ 2051. E. J. Huske, clearing court house and repairs \$13.92, allowed \$13.92, tax — warrant \$13.92 2052. Newton M. Hayes, clerk of election, claim \$4, allowed \$ 4 tax — warrant — 2053. S. J. Ellis, printing, claim \$12.21, allowed \$12.21, tax — warrant — 2054. S. H. Pierce, livery hire, claim \$2.50, allowed \$2.50, tax — warrant \$ 2.50 2055. J. E. Whaley, conveying pauper to poor farm, claim \$7, allowed \$7, tax — warrant — 2056. P. S. Zobel Jr., care of paupers, \$8, allowed \$8, tax — warrant \$8.

The Box Butte County Teachers' association will meet in the Hemingford school house, Feb. 29, 1896, at 1 p. m. The following program has been arranged: Music.....Miss Carrie Bissell Recitation.....Mrs. Elizabeth Class Recitation in Reading.....Mrs. Elizabeth Discussion.....J. W. Hummerdinger Song.....School Children Paper-Thoroughness.....H. F. Fillmore Discussion.....Mrs. E. E. Ford Recitation.....Miss Mamie Neal Paper-Linking Together of Studies in Primary Work.....Miss Anna Calkins Discussion.....D. K. Spaht Music.....

Entertainment will be provided for all. Call at the county superintendent's office for particulars.

Hogs wanted at Wildy's. Hernalc wants some dressed hogs.

I wish to dispose of all my household goods. MRS. E. A. HALL.

20 lbs dried apples for \$1.00 at Wildy's.

SKATES—A fine line of ice skates just received at H. R. Green's Hardware store.

Wildy has received his first large invoice of spring goods and clothing.

SHOES of all kinds, styles and prices. Can fit any foot and pocket book. W. K. HERNICALL.

Wildy pays seven cents for dressed poultry.

I want all the dressed poultry in the county. W. K. HERNICALL.

If you want a suit, overcoat, overalls, cloak, cape, or shawl cheap—a big line at Wildy's.

The HERALD and the Omaha semi-weekly World-Herald both one year for \$1.75.

Wildy sells you a nice suit for \$5.00. Look at these five cents' prints Wildy's.

FOR TRADE—An 80-acre farm in Crawford county, Mo., 70 miles from St. Louis, 30 acres under cultivation, balance timber; house, barn and living water. This is a good farm. Will trade for clear Box Butte county land. W. J. EARNEST.

I offer my farming implement for sale cheap, at my farm 1 1/2 miles west of Hemingford. G. W. WAINSBER.

FAIR WARNING.

All parties wishing new plows share at the reduced price of \$2.00 must have them in the shop by Saturday, March 1st. CLARK OLDS.

WILDY'S!

First Shot Fired INTO THE CAMP

Since the county seat will for all time remain in Hemingford, we have now added to our well stocked store a full and complete line of Men's Boys and Children's CLOTHING and furnishing Goods, at prices so amazingly low that I want you to know that all we show is of the latest styles out and of superior fabrics and material. Our Spring hats to suit our spring suits are the proper shape, at hard time prices. Come and see; ask to examine for yourselves as we can talk a whole lot better than write. Our prices are for cash or in exchange of produce for which we always pay you the highest market price.

Your humble servant, CALVIN J. WILDY.

TUTTLE & TASH Attorneys - at Law

HEMINGFORD, NEBRASKA.

An Alliance paper seems to have great faith in shot guns. By the way, we once heard of an indignant father forcing an editor of that burg to unite in wedlock, at the point of a shot-gun. No wonder they think about guns down there.

The following named gentlemen were selected to serve as jurors for the March 10th term of District court.

- Fred H Smith John A Wilson Wm. Lorraine Simon Spry Jas A Ball C C Frew Harvey West W D Johnson R B Hamilton J H Johnston W E Hall E H Payne C C Huckle Jas Whelan Elmer E Todd Geo W Clark J P Jensen T W Wehrstein Ernest Meints Ambrose Hadley Geo Sparks Sam'l Hollinrake Sam'l Switzer M D Atkin

ROUND-UP OF HORSES.

Five Thousand Animals Gathered Up in One Great bunch.

Five thousand horses in a single bunch, rearing, running, snorting and shying, urged on by two-score picturesque Indian and half-breed riders, sending into the air a cloud of dust that envelops and partially conceals the vast band of cayuses, as the riders, with swish of ropes, with shouts and yells, urged on the surging band of half-wild creatures before them, writes a correspondent from the Jocko Indian agency. It is a picture seldom seen now, and only possible in the unrestricted range of the reservation—a picture, if seen, never to be forgotten, says the Anconda Standard. For five days these bronze riders have scoured the northern range of the reservation, driving before them every horse that was found in this long stretch of country. They have ridden across the rolling ground of the lower valley; they have searched the canyons; they have penetrated the dense timbers of the foothills; they have climbed to the open parks on the mountainside. From valley and canyon and hillside they have driven the half-wild horses and have gathered them on the banks of the Pend d'Oreille river for the cutting-out. Five thousand tossing heads, 10,000 vicious eyes, 20,000 trampling hoofs! Almost as far as the eye can reach are horses, horses, horses. There are steeds of every color and of every size. Nearly all of them are the mean, treacherous Indian ponies, some of them shapely and handsome, it is true, but in every eye is a flash of wildness that betokens ill for the man who attempts to tame the owner. Here and there in a mass of horses that is being urged onward at a trot is a big, fine-looking animal that evidences good breeding. But there are not many of these. They are nearly all cayuses of the cayusest order. At one of the ranches on the banks of the river there are three big, well-fenced pastures, and here the cutting-out will be done. On the reservation there are now about 15,000 horses, and of these it is estimated that fully 2,000 have no right to the Indian range. This will do much to improve the condition of the range, and it is for this purpose that the big round-up has been undertaken. The band of horses now being driven toward the extemporized corrals has been gathered in the region north of the Pend d'Oreille river. As soon as the cutting-out has been accomplished the riders will cross the river and will round up the stock between that stream and Crow creek, and there will be another separation at the Allard ranch on Mud creek. In addition to the removal of all horses, Agent Carter has ordered that all cayuse stallions may be disposed of in order that there may be some improvement in the grade of horses raised on the reserve. Thus the round-up will accomplish a double purpose.

Exaggerated Industrialism.

Town and country succeed one another. The train passes at full speed over low bridges, spanning broad rivers which flow between forests—remains of forests, rather—violated, massacred forests, whose vigorous vegetation still bears witness to the primitive splendor of this country before "the pale-faced destroyer of forest" had set foot upon it. Rows upon rows of cottages, without gardens, without a single one of those little open-air drawing-rooms in which the French citizen loves to saunter, pruning shears and watering-pot in hand. But where shall Americans find the time to saunter, the time to watch the budding rose trees, to let themselves live? Their rose trees are those vast ever-multiplying factory chimneys. Their gardens are those houses, so rapidly built that a single generation sees them increase five-fold, tenfold and more.

In 1800, New Haven, through which we have just passed, had 5,000 inhabitants; to-day, it has 80,000 and its commerce is valued at more than 150,000,000 francs a year.—Paul Bourget's "Outro-ter."