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Notice to Non-Resident Defendants.
 To Daniel Richey, non-resident defendant: Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of October, 1903, T. M. Lawler, plaintiff, filed his petition in the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska, wherein A. J. Babcock, Mrs. Babcock, Alwine Anderson, wife of defendant, Herbert M. Anderson and Daniel Richey were made defendants, the object and prayer of which said petition is to foreclose a lien based upon a certificate of tax sale dated Nov. 16, 1900, purchased for the delinquent taxes for the years 1898, 1899, 1900 and 1901, and subsequent taxes paid by plaintiff for years 1900 and 1901 upon the following described real estate, situated in the county of Box Butte, state of Nebraska to-wit: Southwest quarter of section 1, in township 25 of range 48.

The amount claimed by plaintiff upon said tax lien is the sum of \$77.53, of which sum \$9.72 is for attorney's fees, with interest thereon as provided by law, from the 15th day of September, 1903, the prayer of said petition is for a decree declaring the aforesaid amount, together with interest thereon and costs, to be a first and paramount lien upon the aforesaid real estate and that said real estate may be sold under an order of the court to satisfy the same, and that said defendants be forever barred and foreclosed of all interest or claim in and to said real estate or any part thereof. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 9th day of November, 1903.
 T. M. LAWLER, Plaintiff.
 By Wm. Mitchell, his Attorney.

Notice to Non-Resident Defendants.
 To A. J. Babcock, Mrs. Babcock, first name unknown, wife of defendant, A. J. Babcock, non-resident defendants: Notice is hereby given that on the 1st day of October, 1903, T. M. Lawler, plaintiff, filed his petition in the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska, wherein A. J. Babcock, Mrs. Babcock, first name unknown, wife of defendant, A. J. Babcock, were made defendants, the object and prayer of which said petition is to foreclose a tax lien based upon a certificate of tax sale dated Nov. 16, 1900, purchased for the delinquent taxes for the years 1898, 1899, 1900 and 1901, and subsequent taxes paid by plaintiff for years 1900 and 1901 upon the following described real estate, situated in the county of Box Butte, state of Nebraska to-wit: Northwest quarter of section 10, in township 25 of range 48.

The amount claimed by plaintiff upon said tax lien is the sum of \$63.45, of which sum \$7.88 is for attorney's fee with interest thereon as provided by law, from the 15th day of September, 1903, the prayer of said petition is for a decree declaring the aforesaid amount, together with interest thereon and costs, to be a first and paramount lien upon the aforesaid real estate and that said real estate may be sold under an order of the court to satisfy the same, and that said defendants be forever barred and foreclosed of all interest or claim in and to said real estate or any part thereof. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 9th day of November, 1903.
 T. M. LAWLER, Plaintiff.
 By Wm. Mitchell, his Attorney.

Notice to Redeem.
 State of Nebraska ss. Box Butte county ss.
 To John D. Allen: You are hereby notified that on the 17th day of February, 1902, Irving S. Reed purchased at tax sale the northwest quarter of section 14, in township 25 of range 50, in Box Butte county, Nebraska. That said land was taxed in the name of John D. Allen, and that said purchase of tax sale of said land was made for the years 1898, 1899, 1900 and 1901, and that subsequent taxes have been paid on said land by Irving S. Reed for the years 1902 and 1903. That the time for redemption of the aforesaid land will expire on the 17th day of February, 1904.
 Dated, Alliance, Nebraska, this 1st day of October, 1903.
 IRVING S. REED.

Bridge Proposal.
 Sealed bids will be received at the county clerk's office up to noon, Oct. 6, 1903, for the construction of the work hereinafter specified, contractor to furnish all materials:
 At a point about four miles north of Hemingford, at the south branch of said canon and at the north bank of said canon where a short ravine cuts across the road, a three-lane culvert, 120 inches and 10 feet in length, is to be placed slightly diagonal across the road, and from the hill just north there is to be removed of the earth, clay and stone an average depth of 2 feet for a distance of 100 feet and an average width of 12 feet, this being along the east side of the road as now exists, and said earth to be brought down over said culvert and onto the bottom of the canon.
 Also, at a point about one half mile farther north at the north branch of said canon, there is to be constructed a bridge 10 feet long and 10 feet wide with good and sufficient stone abutments laid in cement. Said abutments to be at least 20 feet at base to protect the grade. The floor of said bridge shall be of 2 inch lumber with 7 stringers. Earth from the hill on the south shall be brought down and filled in to the level of said bridge, the same requiring about 175 cubic yards, and from the hill on the north side the earth, stone, etc., is to be removed from the east side of the old road and thrown into the gully on the west and against the north side of bridge. Said excavation should extend up the hill about 27 feet, same being marked on the east boundary of the roadway by a post 2 1/2 inches by 4 feet, driven in the ground, and the east line of said excavation is to be the line of post holes now dug about 4 feet into the roadway, and the quantity to be removed from this hill is about 200 cubic yards. The whole as above described will be let to lowest responsible bidder on the 6th day of October, 1903.

The board of county commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
 S. M. SMITH, County Clerk.
 Those desiring to look over the ground with a view of making bids for the work on the above proposal can call on Isaac Rocky.
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