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Our Lincoln Letter

Lincoln, Nebr., February 5, 1913.—By the time this appears in print it is probable that Cobbe's statutes will not be the official law of Nebraska. Two years ago the legislature provided for the codification of all of the state laws and the governor was authorized to appoint a commission of three eminent attorneys to re-arrange and re-write all of the laws without changing the meaning. The commission has worked consistently for two years and their report has been filed with this legislature. By House Roll No. 1 the report of the commission is accepted and the new code, becomes the established and printed law of Nebraska. Hereafter all laws enacted by the legislature will have reference to amendments, additions or repeals of parts of the code report. Cobbe's statutes remain authority as to what the laws were before the adoption of House Roll No. 1, which carries the emergency clause and becomes effective the moment Governor Morehead affixes his signature.

If a news writer were put to the task of getting out a story of legislative doings with political color he would find it a difficult job. The sentiment among members of the senate and the house is much divided, enough to give a plenty of spice, but there is little pending legislation that is of interest to partisans. Since the first few days of organization and the make-up of the standing committees to roll calls or votes by division have shown who are democrats and who are republicans. Of course there are moosers in each body but they act and vote just as though they were still devout republicans, although it is known that there is a pretty nifty little organization of progressives in the upper branch of the legislature and they are ready to show the faith that is in them when the occasion demands.

In the messages of both the outgoing and incoming governors there were strong recommendations favoring the divorce of confirmed convicts from first offenders. To this end the penitentiary must be reorganized. A bill has been introduced in the house by Speaker Kelley providing for the establishment of a state reformatory at Grand Island. The state owns 360 acres of ground now used in connection with the Soldiers Home, but this home is filled with veterans too old to use the ground and but fifteen acres is needed. It is argued that the remaining section could be used to good advantage for the junior state prison and the land could be tilled and produce a revenue. Warden Cotting of the Kansas penitentiary addressed the legislature a few days ago and he stated that the Lincoln penitentiary was situated in a swamp that was unsanitary and wholly out of keeping with the intent of a penal institution. He says that his prisoners raise nearly all of the vegetables that they use and beside making the institution self-supporting are able to do much toward supporting the dependent members of their families.

The liveliest spot of the session occurred when Fuller's telephone bill, No. 3, was up for the consideration in committee of the whole. The bill would give the matter of telephone regulation into the hands of county boards of commissioners or supervisors and authorize them to act within their counties in much the same capacity that the railway commission acts in the state. They would establish rates and fix rules for the transfer of messages. Another bill has been introduced regulating a connection of different telephone companies and the transfer of messages back and forth between exchanges.

Contract labor at the Nebraska penitentiary received a hard blow when a resolution introduced by Mather was adopted unanimously. It provided that the labor of the prisoners shall, hereafter, as far as possible, be employed toward making articles for the use of inmates of other state institutions and for the cultivation of farm land, etc., etc.

It is apparent that a large majority of the legislators think that the ultimate good of the state would be best subserved in moving the university out to the state farm, but they hesitate to vote as they think because the expense would be so great at once. The more conservative advocates of removal favor putting the proposition up to the people under the initiative law.

What is the matter with compelling the corporations to pay taxes to support the state government? That is the question that many legislators are asking themselves and one another. Representative Potts is working on a bill framed according to an Ohio statute that would practically amount to relieving the farmers and the small property owners of the burden of state tax. He has figured out that a levy of three-twentieths of one per cent on the capital stock of corporations operating within the state would be a tremendous relief and might take care of the general budget.

About eight million dollars is asked for in the appropriation bills that have been introduced. Of course the bills will not all pass. If they did the state would be bankrupted. In addition there is a mill levy provided for the university maintenance

fund and two millions more for removal of the university to the proposed site at the state farm.

NATIVE CATTLE MARKET

Chicago, Jan. 30, 1913.—The supply of cattle here Monday was 18,000 head and the total at the six leading western points was 55,000. In view of the decreased supplies and cold weather, better things were thought to be in store for the beef steer trade. However, the near approach of Lent and the unseasonably warm weather in the east proved a big bar against a broad trade in beef. Trading in main was at steady prices with last week's close, although there were instances where the best heavy beefs showed a gain of 10c. Eastern shipping outlet was very narrow and local dressed beef men did not get into the saddle until the forenoon was pretty well gone. Best beefs available numbered 18 head, averaged 1,512 lbs. and sold at \$9.00. Quality on the whole was the most ordinary seen here thus far this winter. Sales were largely at \$7.25 to \$8.25, the number to go above \$8.25 being relatively small.

The Tuesday run here was 4,000 head and the total at the six western points was 29,000. The market here still gave evidences of limitations in demand both locally and from eastern sources. The beef steer market was slow at prices no more than steady. This was especially true of the medium classes. Best beefs available went at \$8.65 for 3c head of 1,428 lbs. average. The Wednesday run here was 14,000 head and there were 29,000 at the six western markets. The light mid-wool run revealed the fact that local packers and eastern shippers needed supplies. However, they paid 10c higher prices only after sellers steadfastly held out for that kind of a deal. Best demand was for the fat handy weights and good to choice heavy lots. The top was \$9.20, paid for a two-load bunch of 1,420-lb. Kansas Herefords. The next best price was \$9.10, realized for a load of 1,590-lb. Shagbums from Iowa. Sales above \$8.50 were only scattering in number and the bulk went under that price down to \$7.25.

Run here today (Thursday) was 5,000 head and the six western markets had 17,000. Good fat beef sold steady and the plainer classes were in dull request. Arrivals at the six leading western markets the first half of this week were 100,000 head, which showed a decrease of 29,000 from the same period of last week and an increase of 1,000 over the corresponding period of last year. Receipts at those points for the year up to and including Wednesday of this week were 697,000 head, which showed a decrease of 26,000 from the corresponding period of last year.

Beef grades of cows and heifers went 15 to 25c higher than last week's close, most sales at \$5.25 to \$6.50. Stockers and feeders gained 10 to 15c, trading largely at \$6.50 to \$7.25. Good advice will always bear repeating. Therefore, we again say: Market the fat cattle as fast as convenient, and hold for longer feeding the good quality and thrifty grades in partly fat condition. Present and future market conditions warrant following the foregoing policy.

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Mrs. F. M. Broome left for Omaha Tuesday night, expecting to be gone for a few days. She will probably go on to Des Moines, Iowa, from Omaha before returning to this city.

Don't overlook the value of the want ads on page 5.

COUNTY TREASURER'S SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT

Collections, Disbursements and Balances of E. M. Martin, Treasurer of Box Butte County, Nebraska, For Six Months, Ending January 1, 1913

Collections	
To cash on hand forwarded	\$28,563.32
To 1895 Tax Collected	85
To 1896 Tax Collected	80
To 1908 Tax Collected	3.63
To 1909 Tax Collected	1.35
To 1910 Tax Collected	6.27
To 1911 Tax Collected	139.57
To 1912 Tax Collected	18,254.49
To School Land-Lease	33,778.18
Inheritance	1,922.81
To rec'd of st. trans. state aid	620.54
To misc. Col.—Co. Gen.	295.00
To fines and license collected	199.64
E. M. Martin, excess fees	745.00
To interest on county deposits	459.92
Automobile	212.96
Sewer lateral	105.00
Tax sale redemptions	1,325.30
To fees	2,613.20
	209.50
	\$95,436.53
Disbursements	
By State Treas.' Receipt No. 78634	449
By State Treas.' Receipt No. 81081	449
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By State Treas.' Receipt (81081)	449
By Co. Gen. Warrants Redeemed and claims	12,242.91
By Co. bridge wts. rd'm'd	644.10
By Co. road wts. redeemed (and claims)	5,128.01
By school bonds and coupons	3,266.37
By school orders paid—state appt.	19,898.00
By city recs., Alliance	3,471.00
By village treas. recs., Hemingford	894.15
City park	250.00
City library	520.00
Hemingford water bond	600.00
Co. road fund	120.00
Alliance sewer lateral	1,543.00
By treasurer's fees	352.25
By treasurer's commission	2,106.77
Redemption certificates	2,478.31
By Balance	30,683.88
	64,752.65
	\$95,436.53
Balances	
State general fund	\$1,077.31
State University fund	309.84
State fund, bridge	56.02
Interest on school land	539.11
Co. bridge fund	1,289.04
Co. road fund	1,359.52
Automobile	98.54
Sinking fund Dist. 18	181.17
High school fund	109.22
City library	455.51
City park	3.44
Labor and poll tax	713.01
Alliance bond fund City Hall	1,701.85
Advertising fund	96.59
School building fund	134.82
Miscellaneous fund	1,401.06
School bond fund	4,914.46
School judgment fund	6.93
School district fund	9,299.24
Dog tax	228.39
Alliance electric light	981.22
Alliance sewer bond	580.43
Tax sewer maintenance	345.65
General interest acct.	904.05
City of Alliance	969.03
Village of Hemingford	258.45
Alliance water bond	2,396.78
Hemingford water bond	604.89
Redemption	278.99
Balance	31,274.56
(Overdraft)	590.68
Cash and cash items on hand	30,683.88

This is to certify that E. M. Martin, treasurer of Box Butte county, do solemnly swear that the following is a true and correct statement of receipts and disbursements for 6 months, ending Jan. 1st, 1913.
E. M. MARTIN,
County Treasurer of Box Butte Co.
Subscribed to and sworn to before me this 20th day of January, 1913.
M. S. HARGRAVES,
County Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing on Petition for Letters of Administration State of Nebraska

To all persons interested in the estate of Thomas L. Mosley, late of said county, deceased: You are hereby notified that on the 27th day of January, 1913, N. B. Harrison filed his petition in the county court of said county for the appointment of E. H. Boyd as administrator of the estate of Thomas L. Mosley, late of said county, deceased, and that the same will be heard at the county court room in the city of Alliance, in said county, on the 17th day of February, 1913, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. It is further ordered that notice of said hearing be given all parties interested in said estate by the publication of this notice for three successive weeks in the Alliance Herald, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county. Dated this 27th day of January, 1913.

L. A. BERRY,
County Judge.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice for Election for Court House Bonds

Notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Box Butte county, Nebraska, that upon the written request of at least one-fourth of the legal voters of said county, an election will be held at the regular polling places in each precinct of said county, on Tuesday the 18th day of February, 1913, from the hour of eight a. m. to the hour of six p. m. of said day for the purpose of voting upon the following proposition, to-wit:

Shall the County Commissioners of Box Butte county, Nebraska, issue the bonds of said county, in the sum of Sixty Five Thousand (\$65,000) Dollars, of the following denominations, viz: Sixty Five bonds of One Thousand Dollars each to run for a period of twenty years from the date of issuance of said bond, bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, interest payable semi-annually, said interest and principal payable at the fiscal agency of the state of Nebraska, in New York city, state of New York, said bond issue to be known as "Court House Bond Issue"; said bonds to be issued for the following purpose, to-wit: For the erection and construction of a Fireproof Court House, for the use of said county, to be erected and constructed on lots 22 and 23 in County Addition to the city of Alliance, Box Butte county, Nebraska, according to the recorded plat thereof; and shall said County Commissioners be empowered to make an annual levy for a sufficient amount to pay the interest on said Court House bonds in the sum of Sixty Five Thousand (\$65,000) Dollars; and shall said commissioners be empowered to make an annual levy to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal of said Sixty Five Thousand (\$65,000) Dollars, Court House Bond issue? By order of the County Commissioners of Box Butte county, Nebraska.
J. M. WANER, Chairman.
M. S. HARGRAVES, Clerk.
191-4-71

COURSE IN DAIRYING

The Department of Dairy Husbandry of the University of Nebraska, at Lincoln, will give a short course in dairying for creamery buttermakers. This course opens February 17th and closes February 28th. There are no scholastic requirements for entrance in this course and tuition is free. A laboratory fee of \$5 will be charged to help cover breakage and material used. This course will consist of lectures on Buttermaking, Milk Production, Milk Testing, Starter Making, Pasteurization, Cream Ripening, Scoring Dairy Products, and Factory Management. In addition to the lectures the students will be given laboratory work covering milk testing, rapid analysis of butter, care and propagation of starters, cream ripening, control of moisture and overrun. Persons wishing to attend this two weeks' course should write to J. H. Frandsen, Department of Dairy Husbandry, Lincoln, for application blank. Presbyterians, don't forget that you are wanted at the morning service next Sunday morning. Let all the family come if it is possible. The service begins at 11 o'clock sharp.

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