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THE death of S. H. H. Clarke, former president of the Union Pacific, which occurred at Asheville, N. C., last Friday, caused universal regret among the old-time employees, with whom he was a popular official.

THE populist papers of the state who are now shooting their paper wads at Governor Poynter will support him with all possible zeal. When the word goes forth that Poynter must be nominated and elected for "Bryan's sake," every gun aimed at Poynter will promptly be spiked.

So far as results go, Judge Neville has not shown superiority over his predecessors Kem and the late Mr. Greene. But perhaps the Judge has spent his time this session "getting out the ropes," and if re-elected will be able to do as much as Kem did—save sufficient money to buy a cattle ranch.

GOVERNOR BOIES has issued a letter to the democrats warning them that if they nominate Bryan he will be defeated, and not only that, but that they will so discredit the party that it will be years before it will have the confidence of any great number of voters. This advice and prediction is good, but the fellows who are so strongly impregnated with Bryanism will pay no attention to it.

SENATOR WOLCOTT, of Colorado, has been practically decided on for chairman of the republican national convention. He was one of the original free silver republicans who was not carried away by local pressure, and he stood up against an almost unanimous free silver sentiment in Colorado.

THE house Saturday passed with a rush the Littlefield anti-trust bill, only one vote being cast against it. The bill amends the Sherman anti-trust law so as to declare every contract or combination, in restraint of commerce among the states or with foreign nations illegal, and every party to such contract or combination guilty of a crime punishable by a fine of not less than five hundred nor more than five thousand dollars and by imprisonment not less than six months nor more than two years. It provides that any person injured by a violation of the provisions of the law may recover three-fold damages.

THE Omaha Bee yesterday gave statistics in regard to live stock shipments at South Omaha for the month of May, and the prices of the past month as compared with May, 1896. The figures are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item (Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Horses, Prices, beves, Prices, hogs) and Price (1896, 1900).

To the average man this is proof positive that the Nebraska farmer has enjoyed his share of prosperity during the administration of Wm. McKinley. The farmer in May, 1900, received over one dollar per hundred more for his cattle than in May, 1896, and nearly two dollars more per hundred for his hogs. What is true at South Omaha is true the United States over.

THE only complaint by the populist press against the republican nominee for governor is that he is a horrid banker. In their estimation no successful business man is honest; if a man accumulates a little more than his neighbor he has made it at the expense of poor, unfortunate individuals. This of course is a weak argument, in fact no argument. Charles Dietrich is a banker, but who will deny that that he is an honest man? He has applied himself closely to business, has used good judgment, and accumulated money, but in doing so has used only honest means. The cry that he is a banker will lose him no votes.

THE conviction is gradually growing that Mr. Dietrich will be able to line up back of him a tremendous political strength that will land him in the governor's chair. Every effort is now being made to drop all factional feeling and unite in support of the state and legislative tickets. The republicans feel much encouraged over the fusionist disaffection against Governor Poynter, and believe that whether it defeats him for renomination or not it is certain to add to the strength of the republicans, for the reason that if Poynter is turned down it will alienate the votes of his friends from the support of the successful man—and if he is renominated there are hundreds of populists who will vote to turn him down because of the cordial dislike entertained for him.—Lincoln News.

THE parties who are happy in the certainty that the speculations of Mr. Neely in Cuba, whether they shall amount to \$100,000 or \$200,000, are greater than were ever before known in the history of the government, should moderate their transports, says the Kansas City Star. The government of the United States, being a human affair, and run from the beginning by men and not angels, has known many defalcations, embezzlements, etc., and some have exceeded Mr. Neely's taking if at its largest figure and several times multiplied. In view of the fact that Mr. Neely's depredations were in the postal department, somebody has been moved to revive the history of the post-office department in President Jackson's time. It will be remembered that President Jackson lived much nearer the "earlier and better days of the republic" than we do now. Barry, General Jackson's first postmaster general, resigned in disgrace because of the disclosures made as to his official management. Samuel L. Gouverneur, postmaster at New York, was dismissed after he had robbed the government of a large amount. But the bright particular star of the public service in those days was Mr. Samuel L. Swartwout, President Jackson's collector of the port of New York, who left in the treasury an aching void of nearly a million and a half dollars. Sixty land office receivers of that period thought it blessed not only to receive, but to keep.

It will be interesting to watch the fate of a bill introduced by Senator Thurston of Nebraska, forbidding further polygamous marriages among the Indians, and at the same time recognizing the legality of all such marriages which are already on record. It cannot be possible that any democrat will vote to countenance for an instant the existence of polygamy under the flag after all the fuss which has been made about the sultan of Sulu.—Sioux City Journal.

FOR A Summer Outing. The Rocky Mountain regions, reached via the UNION PACIFIC, provide lavishly for the health of the invalid and the pleasure of the tourists. Amid these rugged steeps, are to be found some of the most charming and restful spots on earth. Fairy lakes nestled amid sunny peaks, and climate that cheers and exhilarates. THE SUMMER EXCURSION RATES put in effect by the UNION PACIFIC enables you to reach these favored localities without unnecessary expenditure of time or money. In effect June 21, July 7 to 10 inc., July 18 and August 2. One fare, plus \$2.00, for the round trip from Missouri River to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Ogden and Salt Lake City. Return limit October 31st, 1900. For Time Tables and full information call on JAS. B. SCANLAN, Agent.

These unwelcome visitors usually appear in the spring or summer, when the blood is making an extra effort to free itself from the many impurities that have accumulated during the winter months. Carbuncles, which are more painful and dangerous, come most frequently on the back of the neck, eating great holes in the flesh, exhaust the strength and often prove fatal. Boils are regarded by some people as blessings, and they patiently and uncomplainingly endure the pain and inconvenience under the mistaken idea that their health is being benefited, that their blood is too thick anyway, and this is Nature's plan of thinning it. The blood is not too rich or too thick, but is diseased—full of poison—and unless relieved the entire system will suffer. The boil or carbuncle gives warning of serious internal troubles, which are only waiting for a favorable opportunity to develop. Many an old sore, running ulcer, cancer, is the result of a neglected boil. Keep the blood pure, and it will keep the skin clear of all the irritating impurities that cause these painful, disfiguring diseases. S. S. S. cures boils and carbuncles easily and permanently by reinforcing, purifying and building up the blood and ridding the system of all accumulated waste matter. S. S. S. is made of roots and herbs which act directly on the blood, and all poisons, no matter how deep-seated, are soon overcome and driven out by this powerful purely vegetable medicine. S. S. S. is not a new, untried remedy, but for fifty years has been curing all kinds of blood and skin diseases. It has cured thousands, and will cure you. It is a pleasant tonic as well as blood purifier—improves the appetite and digestion, builds up your general health and keeps your blood in order. Our physicians have made blood and skin diseases a life study—write them fully about your case, and any information or advice wanted will be cheerfully given. We make no charge whatever for this service. Send for our book on Blood and Skin Diseases—free. Address, The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

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BOILS AND CARBUNCLES. These unwelcome visitors usually appear in the spring or summer, when the blood is making an extra effort to free itself from the many impurities that have accumulated during the winter months. Baneful Boils. Dangerous Carbuncles. S. S. S. cures boils and carbuncles easily and permanently by reinforcing, purifying and building up the blood and ridding the system of all accumulated waste matter.

A Well Dressed Man is he who gets us to make his clothes. We are now receiving our line of new and fashionable Spring Suitings. F. J. Broeker, Merchant Tailor.

SUMMER EXCURSIONS VIA UNION PACIFIC OVERLAND ROUTE. The Union Pacific will place in effect on June 21, July 7 to 10 inc., July 18, and Aug. 2, Summer excursion rates of ONE FARE FOR ROUND TRIP Plus \$2 from Kansas and Nebraska points to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Ogden, and Salt Lake. Tickets good for return until October 31st. For time tables and full information call on JAS. B. SCANLAN, Agent.

J. F. FILLION, Plumber, Tinworker General Repairer. Special attention given to BICYCLE REPAIRING. WHEELS TO RENT.

LEGAL NOTICES. ROAD NOTICE. Office of County Clerk. North Platte, Neb., May 18, 1900. To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate a road commencing at northwest corner of section 11, town 13 north, range 32 west in Lincoln county, south of section line between sections 10 and 11, 14 and 15, 22 and 23, 26 and 27, 34 and 35, all in town 13, range 32, terminating at road No. 40, all in Lincoln county, Nebraska, has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon of the 20th day of July, 1900, or such road will be established without reference thereto. W. M. HOLTRY, County Clerk.

ROAD NOTICE. Office of County Clerk. North Platte, Neb., May 18, 1900. To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to locate a public road commencing at the south bank of the South Platte river, in Lincoln county and running thence north on section line between sections 33 and 34, 27 and 28 to the public road on Union Pacific right of way, all in township 11 north, range 31 west, in said Lincoln county, Nebraska, having reported in favor of the establishment thereof, all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the office of the county clerk on or before noon of the 20th day of July, 1900, or such road will be established without reference thereto. W. M. HOLTRY, County Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICE. The defendants Henry E. Scott, his wife, first name unknown, H. E. Scott, first name unknown, the plaintiff, The County of Lincoln, a corporation, filed its petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose certain tax liens, duly assessed by said plaintiff against the southwest quarter of section 24, town 13, range 32, west of the sixth principal meridian, Nebraska, for the year 1895, in the sum of \$10.75; for the year 1896, in the sum of \$11.22; for the year 1897, in the sum of \$12.38; for the year 1898, in the sum of \$7.44; amounting to the total sum of \$41.79; with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the first day of April, 1900, all of which is due and unpaid. Plaintiff prays for a decree of foreclosure of said tax lien and a sale of said premises. You and each of you defendants, are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 25th day of June, 1900. THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN, A CORPORATION. By H. S. RIDGELY, its Attorney.

LEGAL NOTICE. The defendants, J. B. Weston, first name unknown, and Weston his wife, first name unknown, the plaintiff, The County of Lincoln, a corporation, filed its petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose certain tax liens, duly assessed by said plaintiff against the northwest quarter of section 12, township 10 north, range 29 west of the sixth principal meridian, Nebraska, for the year 1895, in the sum of \$10.00; for the year 1896, in the sum of \$14.85; for the year 1897, in the sum of \$7.73; for the year 1898, in the sum of \$18.88; amounting to the total sum of \$51.46; with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the first day of April, 1900, all of which is due and unpaid. Plaintiff prays for a decree of foreclosure of said tax lien and a sale of said premises. You and each of you defendants, are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 25th day of June, 1900. THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN, A CORPORATION. By H. S. RIDGELY, its Attorney.

LEGAL NOTICE. The defendants Patrick E. Sullivan, first name unknown, R. A. Simpson, first name unknown, South Western Investment Company, a corporation, D. N. Goldberg, first name unknown, Golding his wife, first name unknown, will take notice that on the 1st day of April, 1900, the plaintiff, The County of Lincoln, a corporation, filed its petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose certain tax liens, duly assessed by said plaintiff against the northeast quarter of section 29, township 9 north, range 14 west of the sixth principal meridian, Nebraska, for the year 1892, in the sum of \$12.91; for the year 1893, in the sum of \$15.66; for the year 1894, in the sum of \$18.78; for the year 1895, in the sum of \$23.00; for the year 1896, in the sum of \$41.86; amounting to the total sum of \$112.21; with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the first day of April, 1900, all of which is due and unpaid. Plaintiff prays for a decree of foreclosure of said tax lien and a sale of said premises. You and each of you defendants are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 25th day of June, 1900. THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN, A CORPORATION. By H. S. RIDGELY, its Attorney.

LEGAL NOTICE. The defendants Norman Jackson, first name unknown, R. A. Simpson, first name unknown, South Western Investment Company, a corporation, W. A. Howland, first name unknown, will take notice that on the 1st day of April, 1900, the plaintiff, The County of Lincoln, a corporation, filed its petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose certain tax liens, duly assessed against the southeast quarter of section 8, township 10 north, range 33 west of the sixth principal meridian, Nebraska, for the year 1897, in the sum of \$7.74; for the year 1898, in the sum of \$8.88; for the year 1899, in the sum of \$9.80; for the year 1900, in the sum of \$5.41; amounting to the total sum of \$31.83; with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the first day of April, 1900, all of which is due and unpaid. Plaintiff prays for a decree of foreclosure of said tax liens and a sale of said premises. You and each of you defendants, are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 25th day of June, 1900. THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN, A CORPORATION. By H. S. RIDGELY, its Attorney.

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NOTICE TO BRIDGE BUILDERS. Bids will be received at the county clerk's office up to noon of June 6th, 1900, for the construction of a wagon bridge across the south channel of the South Platte river, opposite the plaintiff, The County of Lincoln county, Nebraska. Said bridge to be 16 feet wide and about 200 feet long. The bridge to be made of iron, not less than 12 feet long and driven in the ground six feet. The stringers to be of Oregon fir three inches thick and sixteen feet long. The county to furnish all material. The successful bidder to enter into contract with approved bonds. Bidders will be required to furnish the following: The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. W. M. HOLTRY, County Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICE. The defendants Wm. L. Jolley, his wife, first name unknown, H. E. Scott, first name unknown, Plaintiff, first name unknown, John M. Young, Laura Young his wife, will take notice that on the 3rd day of April, 1900, the plaintiff, The County of Lincoln, a corporation, filed its petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose certain tax liens, duly assessed by said plaintiff against the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 12, township 11, range 31, west of the sixth principal meridian, Nebraska, for the year 1892, in the sum of \$1.99; for the year 1893, in the sum of \$1.96; for the year 1894, in the sum of \$2.10; for the year 1895, in the sum of \$2.70; for the year 1896, in the sum of \$2.31; for the year 1897, in the sum of \$1.93; for the year 1898, in the sum of \$2.52; amounting to the total sum of \$22.00; with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the first day of April, 1900, all of which is due and unpaid. Plaintiff prays for a decree of foreclosure of said tax lien and a sale of said premises. You and each of you defendants, are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 25th day of June, 1900. THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN, A CORPORATION. By H. S. RIDGELY, its Attorney.

LAND OFFICE NOTICES. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. United States Land Office, North Platte, Neb., April 24th, 1900. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on May 16th, 1900, viz: ALEXANDER GREEN, who made Homestead Entry No. 1684 for the northeast quarter of Section 25, Town 10 north, Range 31 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Martin H. McDermott, Walter E. Garrett, George Koenig, of Somerset, Neb. and Jacob E. Cassin, of North Platte, Neb. GEO. E. FRENCH, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE. U. S. Land Office, North Platte, Neb., April 24th, 1900. A contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Lincoln Carpenter, of Buchanan, Neb., contestant, against Timothy J. Snyder, Entry No. 12,771, made March 29, 1899, for the east half of the Northeast quarter and the southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter, Section 22, Township 10 north, Range 29 west, by Seymour L. Snyder, contestee, in which it is alleged that Seymour L. Snyder during his life time from 1891 to the time of his death in 1898, failed to plant, to sow, or to cultivate any part of said tract, but wholly abandoned the same, and that since his death his heirs have failed to plant, to sow, seeds or cuttings or cultivate any portion of said tract, that the land that had been broken has wholly grown up to weeds and grass and said defects exist to this date, parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at ten o'clock a. m., on June 15th, 1900, at the office of the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office at North Platte, Neb. The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit filed April 24th, 1900, set forth facts which show that after due diligence, personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication. GEO. E. FRENCH, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., May 11th, 1900. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on June 11th, 1900, viz: ANNA E. STEPHENS, who made Homestead Entry No. 1780, for Lot 1, Section 3, Town 13, Range 25, and the Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter and Lots 5, 6, and 7, Section 26, Town 13 north, Range 25 west. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land and viz: John Snyder, John Keitner, George Snyder and William Plummer, all of Maxwell, Neb. GEO. E. FRENCH, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., May 11th, 1900. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on July 12th, 1900, viz: HERBERT A. BOBB, who made Homestead Entry No. 1739, for the north half of the northeast quarter and north half of the northeast quarter of Section 24, Town 9 north, Range 31 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: J. N. Robbins, C. N. Heath, Frank P. Embrey, J. C. Fawcett, all of Maxwell, Neb. GEO. E. FRENCH, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., May 23rd, 1900. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on July 25th, 1900, viz: LEVI WOLF, who made Homestead Entry No. 1607, for the northwest quarter of section 33, township 10 north, range 33 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: M. F. Price, Dickson, Neb., J. C. Cassin, of North Platte, Neb., W. T. S. Conners and Sidney Dow, of Lincoln, Neb. GEO. E. FRENCH, Register.