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Increasing Business, Have You Noticed That

It has and it's our low prices that does it. We are giving the public prices on our line of goods that can't be equaled in western Nebraska. We are at present over stocked on

Bed Room Suits.

That we are letting go at 20 per cent off the regular price. That means 40 per cent less than you can buy any place else. We have a beautiful line of

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Belongs to A. L. McKinnis, North Platte, Neb., He has Galloways of both sexes for sale. 75 head in herd.

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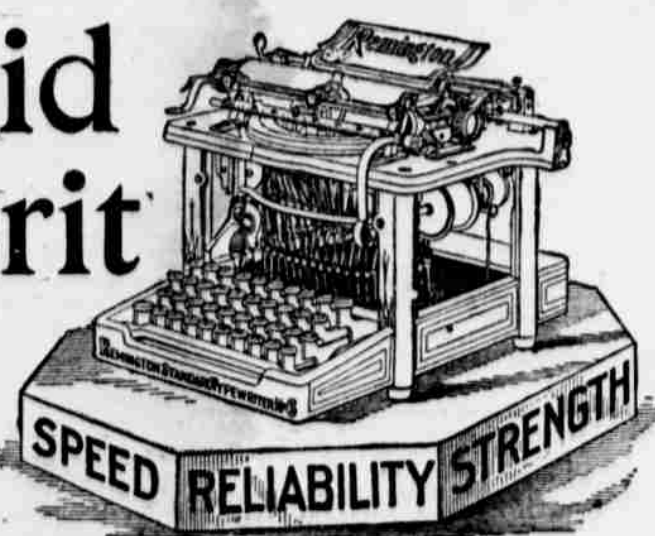
Real Estate, Loans and Insurance

NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.

Reference: Any Bank in Nebraska.

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COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS.

December 29, 1900.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present full board and county clerk. Claim of W. K. Covell for \$72.75 for bridge work was allowed on bridge fund for full amount. Claim of J. M. Ray for \$25.00 for services as postmaster for fourth quarter allowed on general fund. Claim of Wilcox Dept. Store for \$7.25 for hardware and merchandise allowed in full on general fund.

The official bond of H. S. Ridgley, county attorney elect, was audited and approved.

The following bonds were also approved:

ASSESSORS.
Vroman—Giles Bennett.
Nichols—J. K. Eshelman.
Hooker—J. T. Coates.
Walker—Stephen McDermott.
Somerset—Robert Geisberger.
Gaslin—Frank Ericsson.
Medicine—J. F. Conger.
Lemon—Enoch Cummings.
Table—Elmer Siebold.
Cox—A. B. Pierce.
Osgood—Walter Connelly.

ROAD OVERSEERS.

District 11—Edwin Boesch.
District 33—Geo. W. Parsons.
District 21—Walter H. Barton.
District 1—C. A. Wyman.
District 34—Nath Brattan.
District 8—Arthur Conner.
District 43—Henry Joekel.
District 30—R. H. Eachus.
District 23—Pat Cushing.
District 31—Loren Purdy.

JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

Well—D. W. VanBroeklin.
Garfield—Cyrus Fox.

It is hereby ordered by the board that R. H. Eachus is hereby removed as superintendent of North Platte bridge and is instructed to turn over all tools and old plank in his possession to Geo. Hatfield, who is hereby appointed as his successor.

Board adjourned until Dec. 31st, December 31, 1900.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present Commissioners Woodhurst and Carpenter and county clerk.

The following bills being audited and found correct were allowed in full.

Ernest Tramp \$3.20 for oil allowed on general fund. Sophia Anderson care of Emma Anderson for months of July, August and September allowed for \$81.00 on general fund. John Alexander, grading and other work on roads north of town \$278.34 allowed on road fund. Chas. P. Ross, county surveyor, \$37.00 allowed on road fund. D. W. Baker \$4.00 for rodman and Jas. Cotton \$2.00 for chairman allowed on road fund. Geo. T. Field lumber and tiling \$430.86 allowed on bridge fund.

Bond of P. E. Gunderson assessor Fairview precinct approved, also bond of Thos. Hanrahan road overseer in Maxwell precinct approved.

Jas. M. Ray postmaster of pauper travel fund submitted a report which was accepted. The report shows \$1.11 on hand, \$23.89 being spent at various times for railroad fare as provided by commissioners.

Board adjourned until tomorrow, January 1, 1901.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present Commissioners Woodhurst and Carpenter and county clerk.

The following claims were audited and approved: C. Vandermark sheriff Pike county, Va., for services for \$46.20 allowed on general fund and warrant ordered drawn in favor of W. C. Elder, Wilcox Dept. Store 26.08. W. W. Young lumber 14.00. C. A. Wyman work on bridge 9.00. Ernest Tramp oil 13.40. W. C. Elder, W. M. Holtry, for 1.25 each and C. F. Scharmann 50 cents in case of Lincoln county vs. Fred Koester, F. H. Longley medical attendance and examination of Oscar Carlson 44.85. J. J. Halligan attorney's fees in Carlson insane case for 18.00 allowed, W. C. Elder 38.45 for fees as clerk of board of insanity in case of Oscar Carlson and Leonard Peterson. John Ericsson witness same case 5.00. Louis Carlson witness same case 5.00. F. H. Longley

medical examination of Leonard Peterson 11.00. W. T. Wilcox fees in same case 3.00. Jessie and William Peterson fees in same case 6.50 each.

Board adjourned until tomorrow, January 2, 1901.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present Commissioners Woodhurst and Carpenter and county clerk.

The board decided to take advantage of the authority granted them by the National Live Stock Association to select one delegate to its annual convention that meets at Salt Lake City, Jan. 15, 1901. John Keith was selected as Lincoln county's representative and the county clerk instructed to furnish him credentials.

BETWEEN THE RIVERS.

A. A. Leister expects a brother from Illinois, whom he has not seen for about eighteen years, here the first of next month to assist him in his blacksmith and repair shop at Hershey.

W. H. Hill at Hershey has lately received a large invoice of different kinds of coal.

Train No. 4 that reaches here at 10:06 p. m. does not do local work through here any more but train No. 102 that reaches here at 6:20 a. m. does the local work formerly done by No. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Albro were visited by several relatives on New Year's day.

J. V. Robison dumped 545 pounds of milk into the weigh can at the Nichols creamery on Monday morning of this week.

E. C. McCord and Steve Albro each shipped an invoice of dressed poultry to the Denver market recently.

Art Connors had a foot badly mashed recently by the plunger to a bay press striking it while feeding the same and pushing the hay down the hopper with his foot. It is thought that it will come out all right in time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Liles were assisted in celebrating their twenty fifth wedding anniversary by a few friends and neighbors at their home north of Nichols last Wednesday. All present report a pleasant evening.

A family reunion of four generations took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Funkhouser near Hershey on the first day of the new year.

Mrs. Limpus mother of agent Frank Limpus at Hershey has returned from an extended trip to Indiana.

Chas. Toulion sold forty-five stock hogs to King Cole the other day who will feed them for the spring market.

One hundred and five two and three year old steers are being fed on the Paxton ranch in the valley for the spring market.

J. M. Dwyer is able to be out after a short sick spell. He went down to the shooting match at Hershey on Saturday last week and captured a couple of fine fat turkeys.

Dell Brownfield spent the past week with old time friends in Wallace.

James Clemons is entertaining a brother and nephew from the east, formerly of Wallace.

Geo. E. Sullivan and wife at Nichols entertained a few relatives and friends at dinner on New Year's day.

Section foreman Neilson of Nichols is visiting up the line at this time.

H. B. Hungerford is looking after R. W. Calhoun's herd of cattle during his absence in the north hills.

Seeberger & Co. shipped a car of stock hogs from Hershey to a party in Iowa last Wednesday.

Ephraim Swancutt, a relative of Mrs. Geo. Sullivan at Nichols and well and favorably known by many in this locality died at Maxwell of consumption Christmas eve.

The Hershey Gun Club indulged in a blue rock shoot on New Year's day. Nick Aue took the cake.

It is reported by very good authority that Friend Carpenter



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NORTH PLATTE PHARMACY,

J. H. STONE, Manager.

of Hershey has captured about all the mink and musk rats in the valley

Miss Katie Smith and two sisters departed on train No. 101 New Year's eve for the home of their parents at Paxton where it is stated that Katie was married on New Year's day to a gentleman of that town.

Miss Louise Seeberger has returned to Denver to resume her studies in the school.

The sugar factory at Norfolk put out 4,620,000 pounds of sugar in seventy days.

Plans have been presented to the county commissioners for a new court house at Hebron.

An electric road between Nebraska City, Unadilla and other points west is being agitated.

The citizens of Fairfield are soliciting money for the purchase of the college property in that city.

Fullerton is offering a reward of \$50 for information against the party who has a key to the water works reservoir.

Nebraska City has issued new bonds to the amount of \$244,000 bearing five per cent interest, to refund the old bonds which have been drawing six per cent.

A babe was born to one of the inmates of the Colfax county poor farm recently and the superintendent filed a claim for the baby's board which, however, was rejected.

The voters of Logan county will on the 29th inst. vote on the proposition to issue \$22,000 in county bonds to aid in the construction of the railroad from Callaway to Gandy.

A conductor on his train at Grand Island a few minutes to see a sick sister, and while he was in the house the place was quarantined and he was compelled to remain behind.

Miss Para Love of Fremont, is perhaps the only woman in the United States who has the complete management of a modern opera house. Upon the recent death of her father, J. W. Love, she assumed full control of the Love opera house.

A woman at Nebraska City, with the aid of a bird dog, has been looking all the chicken yards in town. The dog would catch a chicken by the neck and bring it to the woman who placed it in a basket. The thieving was kept up for weeks before the woman was discovered.

The city council of the city of Omaha offers a reward of twenty-five thousand dollars in addition to a like sum offered by Edward Cudahy, for the arrest and conviction of the persons who kidnapped the Cudahy boy. That is a pretty large sum to take out of the municipal treasury but the decision that prompts the offer of reward is in every way creditable. It has been suggested that the state add another twenty-five thousand dollars, making a grand total of seventy-five thousand dollars for the sleuths to work for.

The Northwestern road on the first of the year adopted the pension system which has been in vogue on the Pennsylvania system for several years. The principal advantages of the pension fund are as follows: Any employe between 65 and 69 years of age who has been thirty years in the service of the road and who is disabled in service, will receive a pension of 1 percent a month, based upon his monthly rate of wages for the last ten years of his service with the company; any employe who has reached the age of 70 years and who has been thirty years in the service of the company, will be retained upon a pension of 1 percent per month calculated upon the monthly rate of wages paid him for the past ten years.

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