

SUBSCRIPTION RATES. One Year, cash in advance, \$1.25 Six Months, cash in advance, 75 Cents

In 1900 the sales of postage stamps was three times as great as in 1881 and double the sales of 1888.

The dairymen of Nebraska will be glad to learn that Food Commissioner Bassett announces that he will vigorously enforce the state law prohibiting the sale of colored imitations of butter.

A MINISTER at Jersey Shore, Pa., advertised that he would give money away last Sunday. A large and expectant congregation assembled, but were disappointed when the good parson presented each with a penny.

Two years ago Frank E. Brumley was a cheap clerk in a broker's office in Wall street. Last week he purchased a seat in the stock exchange for seventy thousand dollars.

The magazines have begun to discuss Mrs. Nation as though she was one of the living issues of the day. The Saturday Evening Post reviews her spectacular career and comes to the melancholy conclusion that her operations may do good in Kansas.

In his address before the recent meeting of the Nebraska state medical society, President McClanahan did not condemn osteopathy or christian science but advised the profession to broaden itself, adopt any and all methods of healing and to reject none that had a saving germ in it.

In the midst of life we are in politics. The Pacific Tagals having been pacified, and those at home growing weaker in the faith every day, and the fall elections coming on, it will now be in order for Mr. Bryan and his coparceners to refurbish the Boers and get them ready for the fray.

The president of the United States steel company, otherwise known as the steel trust, has testified before the industrial commission that there are 500,000,000 tons of iron ore in sight in the mines owned by the trust on which \$2 per ton would be a reasonable profit.

to meet the demand he placed the limit at thirty years. Computed pro rata in dollars and cents this means a profit of \$1,000,000,000 in thirty years on iron ore, with a corresponding margin on pig iron and finished iron products, which would seem to justify Andrew Carnegie's confidence in the ability of the trust to keep up its interest on his carload of bonds.—Bee.

When the Hair Falls Out swollen glands, aching muscles and bones, the disease is making rapid headway, and far worse symptoms will follow unless the blood is promptly and effectually cleansed of this violent destructive poison.

My Condition Could Have Been No Worse. In the fall of 1897 I contracted Blood Poison. I tried three doctors, but their treatment did me no good; I was getting worse all the time.

SSS is the only purely vegetable blood purifier known. \$1.00 is offered for proof that it contains a particle of mercury, potash or other mineral poison.

THE FAVORITELINE TO THE EPWORTH LEAGUE CONVENTION. San Francisco, Cal. July 1901

UNION PACIFIC. ALL COMPETITION DISTANCED. The fast trains of the Union Pacific reach San Francisco fifteen hours ahead of all competitors.

\$45.00 From Missouri River with correspondingly low rates from interior points on the Union Pacific. Pamphlets: All About California and How to Get There

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

For 14 Cents We sell the following rate and quantity: 1 lb. Blue Blot Tomato Seed, \$1.25 1/2 lb. Blue Blot Tomato Seed, \$1.00



Tailor Made Men are those who are faultless in their attire, with all defects in form remedied, and that indefinable something called "swell style" that only an artistic tailor that has made the dressing of a gentleman an art can explain.

F. J. Broeker. COMING SURE. The Great Eastern Rail Road Shows AND Columbian Exposition WILL EXHIBIT AT NORTH PLATTE Monday, May 20.



The largest and most complete tented exhibition ever organized in the world's history. Holding in its all-embracing vastness everything that pleases and interests the people.

Educated Animals Charming and intelligent creatures whose bewildering performances are without a parallel. Competent and experienced trainers are employed the year round in developing and expanding brute education.

A Stitch in Time Saves Nine Is a trite old saying, and is particularly true when applied to Shoes. Our business is to mend shoes, and people give us the credit of knowing our business from a to z.

FOR SALE. FARM WAGONS, SPRING WAGONS TOP BUGGIES, And all kinds of Farm Machinery. Standard Goods at Reasonable Prices. LOCK & SALISBURY NORTH PLATTE.

Davis, the Hardware Man. We sell Masury's Paint, if your house looks like a fright, Paint it, or how will it look by the NEW ELECTRIC LIGHT? To keep hot or cold, purchase a Refrigerator, Range or Gasoline Stove.

THE Five Cent Cigar IN BEST TOWN AT SCHMALZRIED'S. BLACKLEG IN CATTLE. A fresh stock of PARKE, DAVIS & CO'S BLACKLEG VACCINE Just received.

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WILCOX & HALLIGAN, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA. Office over North Platte National Bank.

H. S. RIDGELY, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office McDonald Block, Dewey street. NORTH PLATTE, - - NEBRASKA

GAUNT & McEVAY, Blacksmiths and Wagonmakers. Horse Shoeing a Specialty. Horse Shoeing \$3 per Team.

ONE FARE ROUND TRIP VIA THE UNION PACIFIC FOR Annual Meeting German Baptists (DUNKARDS) Lincoln, Neb., May 21-31, 1901

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an order of sale issued from the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court wherein Abby B. Fitch, is plaintiff and Lars Th. Buehner, et al. are defendants and to me directed, I will on the 29th day of May, 1901, at 1 o'clock, p. m., at the east front door of the court house in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interests and costs, the following described property, to-wit: The southwest quarter of section ten, township nine, range twenty-eight, west of sixth principal meridian, Lincoln county, Nebraska.

ORDER OF HEARING. The State of Nebraska, Lincoln county, ss. In the matter of the estate of Joseph Law, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Joseph P. Law, administrator praying a settlement and allowance of his final account, filed on the 23d day of April, 1901, and for his discharge. Ordered, That May 23d, A. D., 1901, at 9 o'clock, a. m., be assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted.

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an order of sale issued from the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court wherein The County of Lincoln, a corporation, is plaintiff and D. E. Chandler, trustee, et al. are defendants, and to me directed, I will on the 29th day of May, 1901, at 1 o'clock, p. m., at the east front door of the court house in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interests and costs, the following described property, to-wit: The southeast quarter of section twenty-one, township ten, range thirty-one, west sixth principal meridian, Lincoln county, Nebraska. Dated North Platte, Neb., April 25, 1901. a25-5 TIM T. KELHER, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an order of sale issued from the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court wherein The County of Lincoln, a corporation, is plaintiff, and John W. Wood, et al. are defendants, and to me directed, I will on the 1st day of June, 1901, at 1 o'clock, p. m., at the east front door of the court house in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interests and costs, the following described property, to-wit: The northwest quarter of section six, township twelve, range thirty, west sixth principal meridian, Lincoln county, Nebraska. Dated North Platte, Neb., April 29, 1901. a29-5 TIM T. KELHER Sheriff

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an order of sale issued from the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court wherein The County of Lincoln, a corporation, is plaintiff and James D. Lewis, et al. are defendants and to me directed, I will on the 29th day of May, 1901, at 1 o'clock, p. m., at the east front door of the court house in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interests and costs, the following described property, to-wit: The northeast quarter of section twenty-one, township nine, range twenty-seven, west sixth principal meridian, Lincoln county, Nebraska. Dated North Platte, Neb., April 25, 1901. a25-5 TIM T. KELHER, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an order of sale issued from the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court wherein The County of Lincoln, a corporation, is plaintiff and Clarence K. Lashelle, et al. are defendants, and to me directed, I will on the 29th day of May, 1901, at 1 o'clock, p. m., at the east front door of the court house in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interests and costs, the following described property, to-wit: The northwest quarter of section six, township twelve, range thirty, west sixth principal meridian, Lincoln county, Nebraska. Dated North Platte, Neb., April 25, 1901. a25-5 TIM T. KELHER, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an order of sale issued from the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court wherein James E. Rowley, is plaintiff, and Amy E. B. Votaw, et al. are defendants, and to me directed, I will on the 29th day of May, 1901, at 1 o'clock, p. m., at the east front door of the court house in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said decree, interests and costs, the following described property, to-wit: The southeast quarter of section twenty-three, township nine, range thirty, west sixth principal meridian, Lincoln county, Nebraska. Dated North Platte, Neb., April 25, 1901. a25-5 TIM T. KELHER, Sheriff.

ORDER OF HEARING. The State of Nebraska, Lincoln county, ss. In the matter of the estate of Martin H. Myers, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Emma H. Myers, administratrix, praying a final settlement and allowance of her final account as such administratrix. Ordered, That May 15th, 1901, at 9 o'clock, a. m., be assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted.

ORDER OF HEARING. The State of Nebraska, Lincoln county, ss. In the matter of the estate of Thomas McGraw, deceased. On reading and filing petition of Alice McGraw praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her as administratrix. Ordered, That May 29, 1901, at 10 o'clock, a. m., be assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., May 10, 1901. 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 Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on May 21st, 1901, viz: MARY H. ELDER, formerly Mary H. Clark, who made homestead entry No. 1744 on the east half of northwest quarter and east half of southwest quarter of section 25, township 15 north, range 30 west. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John M. C. Wood and Susan Wood of Sutherland, Neb.; Owen Jones and James Crow, of North Platte, Neb.; and Geo. E. French, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., May 2, 1901. 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 Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on May 10, 1901, viz: CHARLES G. OGROSKY, who made homestead entry No. 1607 for lots 11, 12, 13 and 14, Section 15, Town 12, north, Range 29 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: W. D. Lytle, and John E. Erickson, Fred Erickson and August Johnson, Maxwell, Neb. m26 GEORGE E. FRENCH, Register.

TIMBER CULTURE, FINAL PROOF—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., May 6, 1901. Notice is hereby given that James A. Roberts has filed notice of intention to make final proof before register and receiver at their office in North Platte, Neb., on Monday the 24th day of June, 1901, on timber culture application No. 12,978, for the southeast quarter of section No. 8, in township No. 10, north range No. 27 west. He names as witnesses: J. W. Johnson, of Ingham, Neb.; Marion Chester, of Brady, Neb.; George Chino and Oscar H. Bradley, of Moorehead, Neb. m74 GEORGE E. FRENCH, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., May 6, 1901. 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 register and receiver of the U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., on June 23, 1901, viz: JOHN EHLERS, who made homestead application No. 15,191 for the south half of the northwest quarter and east half of southwest quarter of section 24, town 10, north range 29 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Chas. J. Gerkin, of Echo, Neb.; Frank O'gus, Henry Linnemeyer and Henry Ehlers, of Buchanan, Neb. m76 GEO. E. FRENCH, Register.

IF GOING EAST or south of Chicago ask your local ticket agent to route you between Omaha and Chicago via the shortest line between the two cities. Trains via this popular road depart from the Union depot, Omaha, daily, connecting with trains from the west. Magnificently equipped trains, palace sleepers and free reclining chair cars. Dining cars and buffet, library and smoking cars. All trains lighted by electricity. For full information about rates, etc., address, F. A. NASH, General Western Agent, 1504 Farnam St., OMAHA. H. W. Howell, Trav. Frts and Pass. Agt.