

IRA L. BARE, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

One Year, cash in advance, \$1.25
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FASTERN and southern Nebraska was visited by very heavy rains Tuesday. They came just in the nick of time to save an immense acreage of corn.

It has been pretty hot in western Nebraska for the past two weeks, but when one reads of the many deaths from heat in the cities he considers himself fortunate that he lives on the buffalo grass prairies.

It is figured that the wheat crop of this country this year will aggregate seven hundred million bushels, which is more than has ever before been raised.

A SPECIAL election will be held in Hall county on August 8th at which a proposition to issue one hundred thousand dollars in bonds to build a new court house will be voted upon.

THE populist state headquarters in Kansas have been closed, not enough of the faithful being left to keep the wheels lubricated with the necessary contributions.

THE Alabama constitutional convention is considering two plans to disfranchise the negro; one is an outright disfranchisement as a race, the other is to hedge him with property and educational qualifications.

Additional Local.

Mrs. W. R. McKeen, Jr., left for Cheyenne Wednesday.

Mrs. W. M. Cunningham, Mrs. H. M. Grimes and son Lee, and Mrs. Whelpley of Fremont, a sister of Mrs. Grimes, leave next Tuesday for Portland, Ore.

Five or six cars of this season's crop of hay are being shipped daily from this point. The price on track at the present is six dollars per ton.

W. C. Chissell, manager of the western lands department of the Geo. P. Bemis Real Estate Co. of Omaha, was in town Tuesday looking over Lincoln county lands with a view of locating several eastern farmers and stockmen in this section of the country this fall and winter.

Davis Gets the Prize.

A. L. Davis was awarded the prize for having the best float in the parade yesterday, with the Maccabees a close second. Mr. Davis' float displayed much originality in make-up and represented his business in a very striking manner.

Notice to Students and Teachers. Section 8a, of Sub-div. VII. of the school law provides that the county superintendent shall, on the third Saturday of July, conduct an examination of applicants for admission to the State Normal School at Peru.

In accordance with this law, I will hold an examination July 20th, 1901.

BERTHA THOLECKE, County Supt.

The North Platte Junior ball team went to Cozad yesterday and were defeated in a game with the club that place by a score of thirteen to two. The decisions of the umpire were very favorable to the Cozad team, otherwise the score would have been different.

Mutton and Studley were the names of a couple of young people married at Grand Island, suggesting all sorts of parodies on "Mary had a little lamb."

A. E. Huntington and son George returned to Sidney this morning.

Mrs. Justina Wiest of St. Louis is the guest of her sister Mrs. Jos. Ottman.

A fine, registered Polled Angus bull for sale very cheap.

THOS. E. DOOLITTLE.

Rob Dick had an eye badly burned by fireworks yesterday and at this time it is not known whether he will lose the sight of it.

Rev. G. L. Brooker of Kearney, popularly known as the cowboy preacher committed suicide Wednesday by sending a bullet in his brain. The act was due to a charge made by a Grand Island woman that Brooker was the father of her child.

At Grand Island yesterday while 2,500 people were in the Gentry show, tent a heavy wind storm came up which blew down the tent, killing a boy named Stevenson and injuring several other persons.

North Bend shipped out at the rate of 5,000 quarts of strawberries daily during the recent berry season. Most of the berries were shipped to Omaha.

White Man Turned Yellow. Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. A. Hogarty of Lexington, Ky., when they saw he was turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color, also his eyes, and he suffered terribly.

Ralston & Fonda Live Stock Commission Merchants, Union Stock Yards, South Omaha.

By good rates and courteous treatment our customers have become our best solicitors. We are fully equipped to handle all business entrusted to our care and can offer unequalled service and absolute safety.

Y. P. S. C. E. Covention Cincinnati, Ohio, July 6 to 10. The Official Route.

The following lines have been chosen as the official route to the above convention.

Union Pacific to Omaha, C. & N. W. to Chicago, Pennsylvania Lines to Cincinnati.

Special cars will leave Omaha at 4:55 p. m., July 5, arriving at Chicago early the next morning; Cincinnati the following morning.

One Fare Plus \$2.00 for Round Trip. Full information cheerfully furnished upon application.

JAS. B. SCANLAN, Agent

STATEMENT

Of the condition of the Mutual Building and Loan Association of North Platte, Nebraska, on the 30th of June, 1901.

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities. Assets include First mortgage loans, Real estate, Cash, etc. Liabilities include Capital stock paid up, Reserve fund, etc.

Table with columns for Receipts and Expenditures. Receipts include Balance on hand July 1, 1901, Dues, Interest, etc. Expenditures include Loans, Expenses, etc.

State of Nebraska, Lincoln county, ss. I, Samuel Goetze, secretary of the above named association, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of the condition of said association, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Rock-a-Bye Baby

These are sweet words, but how much pain and suffering they used to mean. It's different now. Since Mother's Friend has become known expectant mothers have been spared much of the anguish of childbirth.



woman is supplied with this splendid liniment she need never fear rising or swelling breasts, morning sickness, or any of the discomforts which usually accompany pregnancy.

The proprietor of a large hotel in Tampa, Fla., writes: "My wife had an awful time with her first child. During her second pregnancy, Mother's Friend was used and the baby was born easily before the doctor arrived. It's certainly great."

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Livery, Feed, Boarding and Sale.

NEW RIGS. Accommodations Good.

Feed per team to hay, 35 cents a night; noon feed 15 cents.

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Standard Goods at Reasonable Prices.

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C. V. BEDELL, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Offices: North Platte National Bank Building, North Platte, Neb.

F. DENNIS, M. D., HOMOEOPATHIST, Over First National Bank, NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.

J. S. HOAGLAND, W. V. HOAGLAND, Hoagland & Hoagland, ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS. Office over McDonald's Bank, NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

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.

D. R. G. B. DENT, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Office over Post Office, Telephone 115. North Platte, Nebraska.

A. H. DAVIS, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA. Grady Block Rooms 1 & 2.

T. C. PATTERSON, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Office over Yellow Front Shoe Store NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

L. E. ROCHE, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, HINMAN BLOCK, DEWEY STREET, NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.

Blow! Blow! Blow! It is natural for some people in business to BLOW. It is not our object to BLOW, give glowing descriptions, or make risky assertions in prices. This is no circus bill and we have no red lemonade for sale. Plain facts go farther than fiction which will not bear investigation. Our goods speak for themselves. No flowery figures of price are necessary. A. L. DAVIS, THE HARDWARE MAN.

THE Five Cent Cigar IN BEST TOWN AT SCHMALZRIED'S.

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County, Precinct and District Levies. North Platte, Neb., June 25, 1901. The county commissioners, sitting as a board of equalization, proceeded to make and did make the levies following as provided by law for the several funds of the county, bonded precincts and school districts of the county for the coming year: County general fund nine mills on the dollar valuation. County road fund, four mills on the dollar valuation. County bridge fund, one and eight-tenths mills on the dollar valuation. County soldiers relief fund, two-tenths of one mill on the dollar valuation. County fund for the several funds of the county, two-tenths of one mill; sinking, three-tenths of a mill. North Platte bridge bonds, interest three-tenths of a mill; sinking, five-tenths of a mill. PRECINCT BONDS. SINKING INTEREST. Brady Island bridge bonds, 4 mills 4 mills Eureka bridge bonds, 3 mills 6 mills Nichols bridge bonds, 2 mills 4 mills O'Fallons bridge bonds, 2 mills 2 mills Birdwood bridge bonds, 5 mills 4 mills South Side int. imp. bonds, 7 mills 10 mills McPherson int. imp. bonds, 13 mills 6 mills Medicine road bonds, 5 mills 5 mills BONDED SCHOOL DISTRICTS. District No. Sinking Interest 13 7 mills 5 mills 14 10 mills 6 mills 15 15 mills 10 mills 16 10 mills 4 mills 17 5 mills 3 mills 18 10 mills 4 mills 19 10 mills 4 mills 20 10 mills 4 mills 21 10 mills 4 mills 22 10 mills 4 mills 23 10 mills 4 mills 24 10 mills 4 mills 25 10 mills 4 mills 26 10 mills 4 mills 27 10 mills 4 mills 28 10 mills 4 mills 29 10 mills 4 mills 30 10 mills 4 mills 31 10 mills 4 mills 32 10 mills 4 mills 33 10 mills 4 mills 34 10 mills 4 mills 35 10 mills 4 mills 36 10 mills 4 mills 37 10 mills 4 mills 38 10 mills 4 mills 39 10 mills 4 mills 40 10 mills 4 mills 41 10 mills 4 mills 42 10 mills 4 mills 43 10 mills 4 mills 44 10 mills 4 mills 45 10 mills 4 mills 46 10 mills 4 mills 47 10 mills 4 mills 48 10 mills 4 mills 49 10 mills 4 mills 50 10 mills 4 mills City No. Platte 2 10 mills 2 10 mills Special levy on District No. 41 to pay Worthy judgment, six mills. OTHER LEVIES. City of North Platte, revenue purposes, ten mills. City of North Platte, street lights, five mills. City of North Platte, water fund, seven mills. City of North Platte, judgment fund, nine mills. Village of Wallace, ten mills. A. L. McNEEL, L. CARPENTER, M. L. McCULLOUGH, Commissioners.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., June 3, 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 July 15, 1901, viz: THEODORE SMITH, who made homestead entry No. 17,329, for the southwest quarter of section 26, town 10 north, range 32 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Lee Smith, Dickens, Neb.; Walter Gartrell, Gilbert Smith and Arthur Gartrell, of Somerset, Neb. GEORGE E. FRENCH, Register.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Theodore Smith, of Dickens, Neb.; Walter Gartrell, Gilbert Smith and Arthur Gartrell, of Somerset, Neb. GEORGE E. FRENCH, Register.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Theodore Smith, of Dickens, Neb.; Walter Gartrell, Gilbert Smith and Arthur Gartrell, of Somerset, Neb. GEORGE E. FRENCH, Register.

LEGAL NOTICE. To Mrs. Almada Crum, formerly Mrs. Almada Leonard. Crum, husband of Mrs. Almada Crum, first and true name unknown, Katie Leonard, George Leonard Clark Leonard, and Mabel Leonard, minor children and heirs at law of Albert G. Leonard, deceased. You and each of you will take notice that on the 10th day of June, 1901, Charles E. Gibson filed his petition in the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose a certain mortgage, executed by William H. Minner on the southeast quarter of section twenty-nine (29), township ten (10), range thirty-two (32) Lincoln county, Nebraska, to secure the payment of a promissory note for the sum of \$500, and interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the first day of April, 1894, and upon which is now due the sum of \$688. Plaintiff prays that said mortgage may be foreclosed and said premises be sold to satisfy the amount due on said note and mortgage. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, July 29th, 1901. CHARLES E. GIBSON, Plaintiff. By C. A. Robinson, his Atty.

Know all men by these presents: That W. H. Plummer, E. D. Murphy, G. L. Swannick, H. C. Burke, W. S. Cowgill, William Dolan, J. H. Giffin and J. H. Kujala, of Lincoln county, state of Nebraska, have on the 1st day of May, 1901, associated themselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of the state of Nebraska, and for that purpose have adopted the following Articles of Incorporation: ART. I. The name of this corporation is the Maxwell and Brady Telephone Company. ART. II. The principal place of business of this corporation is and shall be Brady Island, Lincoln county, Nebraska. ART. III. The general nature of the business to be conducted by said corporation is and shall be the construction and operating telephone lines, the renting of telephones to subscribers at a monthly rental, the acquiring and owning the necessary real estate for the erecting and maintaining of necessary buildings for company offices, switchboards, and telephone exchange and to perform such acts as are necessary to conduct a complete telephone system. ART. IV. The amount of the capital stock of said corporation shall be \$2,000 divided into 200 shares of the par value of \$10 each. Said stock shall be non-assessable. ART. V. The date of the commencement of this corporation is and shall be the 1st day of May, 1901, and shall continue 50 years unless dissolved by mutual consent or act of law. ART. VI. The corporation shall have the power to do all acts which it may do at all, in its corporate name. To have a common seal which it can make, alter or destroy at its pleasure. To buy and sell real estate and other property, and transmit the same in succession. ART. VII. The business of this corporation shall be conducted by a board of five directors. These officers as well as the president, secretary and treasurer, shall be elected by the stockholders at the annual meeting, and shall serve for the term of one year, or until their successors are elected and qualified. ART. VIII. This corporation shall not subject itself to an indebtedness to an amount in excess of one-fourth of the paid up capital stock. ART. IX. The capital stock of this corporation may be increased any time by a vote of the stockholders representing a majority of shares of paid up stock. ART. X. This corporation has the power to make laws or rules to govern itself, which laws shall not conflict with these Articles of Incorporation. These articles may be amended or changed by a majority vote of the paid up stock. Signed: W. H. PLUMMER, E. D. MURPHY, G. L. SWANNICK, H. C. BURKE, W. S. COWGILL, J. H. GIFFIN, J. H. KUJALA. State of Nebraska, Lincoln county, ss. On the 10th day of June, 1901, personally appeared before me, Joseph J. O'Rourke, a notary public in the state and county aforesaid, the abovesigned W. H. Plummer, E. D. Murphy, G. L. Swannick, H. C. Burke, W. S. Cowgill, William Dolan, J. H. Giffin and J. H. Kujala, to me personally known to be the identical persons whose names are affixed to the foregoing instrument, and severally acknowledged the executive of the same to be their voluntary act and deed for the purpose therein expressed. In witness whereof, I hereto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal at Brady Island, Nebraska, on the date above written. J. J. O'ROURKE, Notary Public. My commission expires Dec. 10, 1900.