

FOR THE NEW COURT HOUSE.

Article No. 5.

Friday's article in the Telegraph and Tribune from the secretary of the Municipal League, concedes the committee's position, that the valuable records of the county involving the titles to the people's lands are in danger from being housed in a dangerous building without protection from the hazard of fire, but suggests as a remedy that the county treasurer and the clerk of the district court should each buy a fire proof safe.

How impracticable this proposed remedy will appear upon an examination of the records in these offices that should be protected. It will be easy for any tax-payer to see for himself that it would take at least ten safes, the capacity of the present safe in the treasurer's office to contain the records of the office that imperatively should be protected and an additional safe each year would be required in this office to take care of the current records.

In the office of clerk of the district court it would require at least twenty fire proof safes the capacity of the present safe in the treasurer's office to afford protection to the records in that office that should be protected.

And when these safes are installed in the present building the officers would be obliged to move out as there would be no room to transact the county business.

The secretary of the Municipal League intimates that only a small part of the records of these offices need to be preserved. But any competent lawyer will say that it is very important to the property owners of this county that all of the records of both of these offices should be preserved against the possibility of destruction by fire.

It is not enough to protect the books containing the decrees of the court, but all of the papers on which the decrees of the court is based must be also protected.

It is not enough when the property owners' right in land are attacked to produce the decree upon which he claims title, he must also show by the files and proceedings that the court had jurisdiction of the subject matter and the person of the defendant, and that the decree responds to the pleadings. This can only be done conclusively by producing in court the files in the case, showing the original pleadings and the kind of service obtained on the defendant.

It is not enough to protect the current tax list in a fire proof safe in the treasurer's office, but all of the tax lists from the beginning should be so preserved, also the accumulation of triplicate receipts for taxes, which is the evidence that the taxes on real and personal property have been paid.

The only expedient and practicable way to afford such protection is to build a new modern fire proof court house with ample fire proof vaults, sufficient to afford protection to all of the county records now and for years to come.

The secretary of the Municipal League in these articles intimates that this committee will in some mysterious way derive a personal benefit from a new court house other than the tax payers will derive. The members of this committee are tax payers and business men interested in the welfare of the county, and they will pay their share towards the building of a new court house as public spirited citizens.

This committee had hoped that the opponents of the court house would discuss the proposition on its merits and not indulge in personalities.

THE COURT HOUSE COMMITTEE.

A Woman's View.

I notice in Article 3 of the court house committee that they compare the county to a farmer, and ask if an up-to-date farmer would continue to live in, and build on to his old soddy, after his bank account was large enough to build a nice new frame house. Why of course not, but are the county funds in that condition? If so, why the bonds? I think you'll all agree with me when I say that a thrifty farmer seldom, if ever, mortgages his farm to build a house so long as his soddy is habitable. Would it not be wiser to levy a tax to collected each year and then put the money out at interest, the same to be compounded annually, and let the county become a lender instead of a borrower? In that way sufficient money

could be raised in ten years or less (according to the levy) to build a court house that would answer all the needs of the county and would not bring hardship to anyone. I think such a proposition would meet with more favor than the bond deal.

Respectfully submitted by a farmer's wife. Mrs. W. R. YOUNG, Wellfleet, Neb.

Claims vs. Results.

The claims of those in charge of the political work of the railway employes organization that they could deliver 22,000 votes in a bunch to any candidate have not been made good. Partial returns show that where the organization should have been strongest the showing of strength was not made at the primaries; and that where the organization could not be expected to show great strength the candidate opposed got a greater vote than was looked for. This attempt to array the labor class against the agricultural class cannot result in anything but defeat for the men who attempt it. The farmer is in control in Nebraska.—Lincoln Journal.

Big Tent Show Coming.

Burk's big "Uncle Tom's Cabin Co." will exhibit at North Platte Thursday Sept. 10th. This is the first time that the public have had an opportunity of seeing the "New Version" of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," the greatest dramatization of this popular play ever written. Mrs. Stowe's historical play has ever been a favorite with the women and children, and they always go to see it whenever an opportunity presents itself. Burk's Big "Uncle Tom's Cabin Co." has the distinction of being the largest organization of its kind on the road, they carry their own palace cars to transport their people, horses, ponies, donkeys, dogs, chariots and other paraphernalia necessary to present the only grand spectacular production of this, the most successful drama ever written. The characters of Uncle Tom, Eliza, Little Eva and Marks are all ably presented by a competent cast, and the contingent of singers and dancers, blood hounds, etc., give a realistic and sensational naturalism to the performance. The scenic and mechanical effects are good, and the picturesque transformation scene forms a fitting finish to the whole.

Dickens.

J. H. Nagel was a business caller in Farnam Saturday.

W. T. Estes came up from Eddy Monday and is spending a few days visiting in the vicinity of Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fristo and son James have been spending the past week visiting friends in Lincoln and Fremont.

W. J. Croil received a gasoline engine Monday that he will use in connection with his well machine.

W. T. S. Conner was in Farnam on business Saturday.

Liveryman Castor took Mrs. W. T. S. Connor and Mrs. G. B. Hire to North Platte where they attended the firemen's tournament.

Eleck Baldwin went to Denver Friday with some of his fine hogs that he will put on exhibition at the Colorado state fair next week and at the Pueblo fair the following week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will West, of Hayes Center, are visiting at the Weekly home south of town for a few days.

Miss Marjorie Taylor arrived from Lincoln Friday and commenced school here Sept. 7th.

S. E. Bishop has decided to start a newspaper in this village just as soon as he can purchase a press and other necessary articles for the operation of a plant. He has been in several different places looking at presses but has not yet located one to suit him.—Herman News, Omaha Bee. Rev. Bishop formerly lived here and is quite well known in this vicinity.

J. W. Greas was up from Eddy Thursday marketing hogs.

The warfare waged against Sears, Roebuck & Co. by the retail merchants of the west has resulted in a decrease of the firm's sales to the extent of eleven million dollars during the past year. Patrons of the catalogue houses are gradually learning that generally speaking they can buy good goods just as cheap of their home merchants as they can of the catalogue houses.

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DR. L. C. DROST, Osteopathic Physician, Rooms 7 and 8, McDonald State Bank Building. Phone 148.

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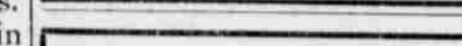
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PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

The following proposed amendment to the constitution of the State of Nebraska, as hereinafter set forth in full, is submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska, to be voted upon at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 3rd, A. D. 1908.

A JOINT RESOLUTION to amend Sections two (2), four (4), five (5), six (6) and thirteen (13) of Article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relating to Judicial Power.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska:

Section 1. (Amendment proposed.) That Section two (2) of Article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as follows:

Section 2. (Supreme court; judges; jurisdiction.) The Supreme court shall consist of seven (7) judges; and a majority of all elected and qualified judges shall be necessary to constitute a quorum or pronounce a decision. The Supreme Court shall have jurisdiction in all cases relating to the revenue, civil cases in which the state is a party, and in quo warranta, habeas corpus, and such appellate jurisdiction as may be provided by law.

Section 3. (Amendment proposed.) That Section four (4) of Article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, be amended to read as follows:

Section 4. (Supreme court; judges; election, term, re-election.) The judges of the Supreme Court shall be elected by the electors of the state at large; and their term of office except as hereinafter provided shall be six years. And said Supreme Court judges shall during their term of office, reside at the place where the court is held.

Section 5. (Amendment proposed.) That Section five (5) of Article (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as follows:

Section 5. (Supreme court; judges; election, term; chief justice.) That at the general election to be held in the state of Nebraska in the year 1911, and each six years thereafter, there shall be elected three (3) judges of the Supreme Court, who shall hold their office for the period of six years; that at the general election to be held in the state of Nebraska in the year 1913, and each six years thereafter, there shall be elected a Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, who shall hold his office for the period of six years. Provided that the member of the Supreme Court whose term of office expires in January 1914, shall be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court during that time until the expiration of his term of office. And provided further that upon the adoption of these amendments by the electors of the State, the Governor shall, immediately upon issuing his proclamation declaring said amendments adopted, appoint four (4) judges of the Supreme Court, two (2) of whom shall be appointed to hold said offices until their successors shall be elected at the general election in 1909, and have qualified; and the other two (2) shall hold office until their successors shall be elected at the general election held in 1911, and have qualified.

Section 6. (Amendment proposed.) That Section six (6) of Article six (6) of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, be amended to read as follows:

Section 6. (Chief Justice.) The Chief Justice shall serve as such during all the term for which he was elected. He shall preside at all terms of the Supreme Court, and in his absence the judges present shall select one of their number to preside temporarily.

Section 13. (Judges, salaries.) That Section thirteen (13) of Article six (6) of the Constitution of Nebraska be amended to read as follows:

Section 13. (Judges, salaries.) That judges of the Supreme Court shall each receive a salary of \$1,200 per annum, payable quarterly.

Approved April 8, 1907.

GEO. C. JUNKIN, Secretary of State, of the State of Nebraska, do hereby certify that the foregoing proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Nebraska is a true and correct copy of the original enrolled and engrossed bill, as passed by the Thirtieth session of the legislature of the State of Nebraska, as appears from said original bill on file in this office, and that said proposed amendment is submitted to the qualified voters of the state of Nebraska for their adoption or rejection at the general election to be held on Tuesday the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1908.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Nebraska, Done at Lincoln, this 15th day of July, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eight, and of the Independence of the United States the One Hundred and Thirty-third, and of this State the Forty-second.

GEO. C. JUNKIN, Secretary of State. (SEAL)

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A JOINT RESOLUTION to propose an Amendment to Section 9, Article 8 of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska.

Be it Resolved and Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Nebraska:

Section 1. (Amendment proposed.) That at the general election for state and legislative officers to be held on the 14th day of August, 1908, in the county of Lincoln, the following provision be proposed and submitted to the electors of the state as an amendment to the Section 9, Article 8 of the constitution of the State of Nebraska:

Section 9. (Educational Funds, Investment.) All funds belonging to the state for educational purposes, the interest and income whereof only are to be used shall be deemed trust funds held by the state, and the state shall supply all losses thereof that may in any manner accrue, so that the same shall remain forever inviolate and undiminished, and shall not be invested or loaned except on United States or state securities, or registered county bonds of the state, or registered school district bonds of this state, and such other securities as the legislature may from time to time direct. And such funds with the interest thereon shall be hereby solemnly pledged for the purposes for which they are granted and set apart, and shall not be transferred to any other fund for other uses.

Section 2. (Ballots; Adoption.) That at said election in the year 1908, on the ballot of each elector voting thereat there shall be printed or written the following proposed amendment to the Constitution with reference to the investment of the permanent school fund, and that if a majority of all voters at said election shall be for such amendment, the same shall be deemed to be adopted.

Approved April 5, 1907.

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NOTICE

To Kate Connelly, Nellie Stevens nee Nellie Connelly, George Connelly, John Connelly, Jennie Connelly and Agnes Connelly, defendants:

Will take notice that on the 5th day of August, 1908, Emma Pulver, plaintiff herein, filed her petition in the district court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, against said defendants, implored with others, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain mortgage, executed by the defendant, Kate Connelly, to the plaintiff, upon the southeast quarter of section 24, township 18, north, range 30, west of the 6th p. m., to secure the payment of a certain promissory note, dated June 1st, 1904, for the sum of \$200.00, due on or before three years after date, with interest at eight per cent from date until maturity of said note, and interest at ten per cent after maturity. That there is now due upon said note and mortgage the sum of \$266.32, together with interest. Plaintiff prays for a decree that the defendants be required to pay the same or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due; and for general equitable relief.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 21st day of September, 1908.

Dated August 6th, 1908.

EMMA PULVER, Plaintiff, all-4

Serial No. 9182. H. E. 19084

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., August 4, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Casper F. Svltva, of North Platte, Neb., who on March 1, 1902, made Homestead Entry No. 9284, for north half southeast quarter and north half southwest quarter, section 11, township 16 N., range 30, W., 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver, at North Platte, Neb., on the 24th day of September, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: I. M. Abercrombie, Hans D. Jorgensen and Jacob Rosenber, all of Maxwells, Nebraska, and Neil Nelson, of Denmark, Nebraska.

J. E. EVANS, Register, all-6

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., August 10th, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Katherine Peterson, of Denmark, Nebraska, who on September 21st, 1903, made homestead entry No. 9284, for southeast quarter section 31, township 11 N., range 30, W., 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver, at North Platte, Nebraska, on the 9th day of October, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: I. M. Abercrombie, Hans D. Jorgensen and Jacob Rosenber, all of Maxwells, Nebraska, and Neil Nelson, of Denmark, Nebraska.

J. E. EVANS, Register, all-6

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.

The State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, s. s. In the County Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of John A. Bangston, deceased.

To the creditors, heirs, legatees and others interested in the estate of John A. Bangston.

Take notice that on the 27th day of August, 1908, in the county court of said county, the administrator of said estate and it is ordered that the same stand for hearing the 16th day of September, A. D. 1908, before the county court at the hour of 2 p. m., at which time any person interested may appear and except to and contest the same. And notice of this proceeding is ordered given in the North Platte Tribune, a semi-weekly newspaper, for 6 successive publications prior to Sept. 16, 1908. Witness my hand and the seal of the county court at North Platte this 24th day of August, A. D. 1908.

W. C. ELDER, County Judge, all-4

NOTICE

The Denver Hay & Grain Company, corporation, defendant.

Will take notice that on the 27th day of August, 1908, the County Judge of Lincoln County, Nebraska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of \$125.00, in an action pending before him, wherein Wilbur F. Stafford is plaintiff and the Denver Hay & Grain Company is defendant. The order of attachment of the defendant, consisting of moneys in the sum of \$80.00, has been attached under said order and the Denver Hay & Grain Company, a corporation, has been garnished in said cause, and that moneys of said defendant in the sum of \$80.00, now in the possession of the Union Pacific Railroad Company have been garnished. Said cause has been continued to the 10th day of October, 1908, as time of trial, at which time said cause will come up for trial.

Dated August 31st, 1908.

WILBUR F. STAFFORD, Plaintiff, By Wilcox & Halligan, His Attys.

Extension Road No. 83

To all whom it may concern:

By an order of the county commissioners July 15th, 1908, they being of the opinion that the public good requires the establishment of a public road as follows:

Commencing at the north east corner of section 32, township 14, range 33, running thence north on section line between sections 28 and 29, township 14 range 33, for a distance of one-half mile and connecting with the public road thereat, hereby open and declare the same to be a public highway. All claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon on the 20th day of October, 1908, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

Dated North Platte, Neb., August 11th, 1908.

F. R. ELLIOTT, County Clerk.

ROAD NO. 315.

To whom it may concern:

By an order of the county commissioners July 15th, 1908, they being of the opinion that public good requires the establishment of a public road as follows:

Commencing at the southwest corner of section 30, T. 14, R. 33, running thence north on section line between sections 25, T. 14, R. 34, and 30, T. 14, R. 33, 32.53 chains to a point 166 feet north of center line of U. P. R. main track measured at right angles, and hereby open and declare the same to be a public highway. All claims for damages must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon on the 20th day of October, 1908, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

Dated at North Platte, Neb., Aug. 11th, 1908.

F. R. ELLIOTT, County Clerk.

Road No. 316.

To all whom it may concern:

The commissioner appointed for the purpose to locate a public road commencing at the southeast corner of section nine 9 and the southwest corner of section 10, town 9, range 29, running north on section line between sections 9 and 10 about 129 rods, thence in a northwesterly direction, striking the quarter section line between the southeast quarter and the northeast quarter of section 9, about 50 rods west of section line between sections 9 and 10, thence in a northwesterly direction about 20 rods around head of pocket, thence in a northwesterly direction on present traveled road until it strikes the present granted road coming out of head of pocket from Well canon on northwest quarter of section 9, town 9, range 29, this being the termination of the proposed road, has reported in favor of the establishment of said road and all claims for damage must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before noon on the 24th day of October, 1908, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

Dated North Platte, Neb., August 18, 1908.

F. R. ELLIOTT, County Clerk.