TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 1909.

Over five hundred bills have been introduced in the legislature, eleven of which were presented by Representative Bushee of this district. Only a small per cent of these will become

THE bill prohibiting treating in a saloon has passed the house, and may become a law. It holds the saloon keeper partly responsible in case of violation. Such a law has been on the statutes for a number of years but has been a dead letter.

THE growth of the Christian churches of the United States in the year 1908 was not so rapid as in any one of the preceding five years, according to statistics of all the religious bodies just compiled by Dr. H. K. Carroll of New York. In the report are included only church members in the United States. In all Christian churches in this country-Protestant and Catholic-there are now 34,282,543 members. Of this total 12,094,656 are credited to the Roman Catholic church. In all the churches 720,647 communicants were added in 1908, far less than was the gain in 1907, which was reported as 1,241,286, but more than half of that total was credited to the Roman Catholic church, whereas for 1908 the Roman Catholic increase is only 298,843. This leaves the total Protestant gains for the two years, respectively, 571,443 in 1907 and and 421,804 in 1908.

Although Mr. Taft had said he should not announce his cabinet in advance of its nomination the list became definitely known. With the final selection of Franklin MacVeagh of Illinois as secretary of the treasury the cabinet was completed as follows:

Secretary of state-Philander Case Knox of Pennsylvania.

Secretary of the treasury-Franklin McVeagh of Illinois. Secretary of war-Jacob M. Dickin-

son os Tennessee. Postmaster general-Frank H. Hitch-

cock of Massachusetts. Secretary of the navy-George von L. Meyer of Massachusetts.

Secretary of the interior-Richard A. Ballinger of Washington.

Secretary of commerce and labor-

Charles Nagel of Missouri. Secretary of agriculture-James Wil

son of Iowa.

Of these Secretaries Wilson and von Meyer are the only ones who have served in the Roosevelt cabinet.

Dry Farming Congress. Two years ago the commercial club of Denver called a meeting of those interested in dry farming at Denver in connection with the Western Stock show. This meeting almost eclipsed the stock show in interest and in attendince. After a vigorous contest bet veen the leading cities of the middle west for the location of the next annuat neeting, Salt Lake won. The meeti is was held in Feb., 1908, with a large attendance. The third amount meeting was held in Cheyenne, Wyoming. Feb. 23J to 25th, 1909. Nearly 1,000 people were in attendadce. There vere representatives from all the states west of the Missouri and from the following foreign countries: Canula, Australia, Transvaal, Russia; Turkey, Brazil and M xico. The delegate from Australia came via New York and the one from Transvaal via San Francisco. Each of these men will have circumnavigated the globe in attending the meeting. These delegates were sent by their countries, to attend the meeting at Cheyenne.

The dry farming congress is a permanent organization. The membership as the weather will permit. When comnumbers about 12,000. The majority pleted this line will give more people of the members live in the middle west connection with the outside world than but there are some in near y all the any other line of its length. states and quite a few in for ign courtries. The finances are provided by we expect a number of brilliant social

membership fees and does. The purpose of the congress is to collect and disseminate information brigation or seepage water where the vacates. rainfall does not exceed twenty inches

per year. ery one who addressed the congress is James Hudson's Friday, March 5th. that the precipitation of the west is All are invited to attend and have an not increasing and in all probability enjoyable evening. will not increase. That crop production may be made profitable in some localities where the rainfall is as low as twelve inches per year was testified to by men living on such land and farming it. These farmers summer till each alternate year and if that does not store up sufficient moisture they summer till two years before putting in a

The proceedings of the meeting will be published in book form and will be translated into several of the foreign ner. Shop over Schatz & Clabaugh's languages. The report of the 1909 store.

20 PER CENT DISCOUNT 20 PER CENT DISCOUNT

Advance Spring Sale at The Leader.

Commencing Thursday, Feb. 18, Ending Saturday, March 6.

Our Spring Stock of Dress Goods, Silks, Wash Goods, Dress Goods, Trimmings, Corsets, Hosiery, Belts, Muslin Underwear, Silk, Lawn and Taylor-made Shirt Waists, Petticoats in Silk, Mercerized and Eider Bloom, Dress Skirts in Voils, Panamas, in all sizes and all shades, Laces and Embroideries, Swisses for Curtains, Lace Curtains, Ribbons, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Ribbed Underwear and many other lines to numerous to mention are all in, in the newest of designs for Spring of 1909.

We place all lines mentioned above on sale at

20 Per Cent Discount on Every Dollar.

Ladies wishing to select their Easter Gowns will make no mistake by selecting them now while the assortment is complete and save the big discount.

SHOE DEPARTMENT—Twenty per cent discount on Ladies', Men's and Children's, excepting Queen Quality Shoes,

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT-We will give you twenty per cent discount on our Men's Boys' and Children's Clothing. Don't fail to see our Spring Line of Children's Suits in all styles. They are certainly nice and cheap.

Carpets, Art Squares, Linoleum, Mattings, Trunks, Suit Cases, etc., go at Twenty per cent discount on every dollar.

All Winter Goods will be sold regardless of cost. Remember this Discount Sale is for Cash only. Come in and see all the new creations, whether you buy or not. Yours for Great Values,

The Leader, - - J. Pizer, Prop.

The Largest in Quantity, Best of Quality, Lowest in Prices in Western Nebraska.

meeting will show comparisons of her home for a brief visit. yields of grain grown under the same states to the south and to the north of Nebraska. In almost every item of comparison North Platte heads the list in yield per acre. The comparisons at White Plains. were not made for this purpose but this fact is very evident from the charts used by a representative of the United States department of agricul-

A movement is on foot to form a Negress. There can be no doubt that this tions while in town. would be a great benefit to western Nebraska II it is properly managed. The dry farming congress is doing more in developing the middle west than any ther organization in the middle west oday. John L. Burns, of Cheyenne, is ecretary of the congress. The next neeting will be held at Billings, Mont.

Doings at Myrtle.

As Myrtle is on the boom, we want o expose it to the public. Not quite all he people of the United States know where and what Myrtle is, and for the senefit of the few who don't we will state that it is a suburb of North Platte situated eighteen miles northeast on the North Platte-Gandy main line. It s located in one of the finest farming and stock growing sections in the west. and for its size is one of the greatest

manufacturing points in the country. Mr. Burns, manager of the rope factory, says the output this year will triple that of last year, the Gambrel foundry, blacksmith and wagon works is unable to keep up with orders and R. E. Louden, the leading merchant is always out of goods.

The recent snow goes far toward insuring a bumper crop this season, and the prospects for the baby output sur pass any previous season.

The Try telephone company has its material on the ground for metallic circuit from North Platte to Gandy, and the line will be constructed as rapidly

The Myrtle hall is again empty and functions in the future.

People looking up a location will do well to come to Myrtle.

concerning dry land agriculture. This Mr. Hines will move to the Bob is defined as farming anyplacy without Douglas farm as soon as Mr. Reckard

The ladies aid met Friday with Mrs. Bay and spent a very pleasant after-One fact brought out by almost ev- noon. A supper will be held at Mrs.

Mrs. E. C. Allison returned Saturday from a a two weeks' visit in North Platte. Mrs. J. Jenson accompanied

KARL GERLE

Merchant Tailor.

lovites your inspection of his fine the of samples of goods for Spring and Summer Suits, Overcoats and Trou-sers, which will be made to order in a most up-to-date and satisfactory man

Misses Clark and Allen were absent methods of tillage in several of the from school Tuesday owing to the severity of the storm.

> Ruth Jenson is staying with her sister Mrs. E. C. Allison and attending school

> The children of Arthur Clark have been quite sick. Mr. Reckard's sale was largely at-

tended and everything sold out of sight. A great deal of grain is being hauled to North Platte and the farmers find it braska branch of the dry farming con- difficult to get sleeping accommoda-

NATURE TELLS YOU.

As Many a North Platte Reader Knows Too Well. When the kidneys are sick,

Nature tells you all about it. The urine is nature's calendar. Infrequent or too frequent action; Any urinary trouble tells of kidney

North Platte people testify to this. H. G. Brooks, retired carpenter, North Platte, Nebraska says: "Early last fall I had occasion to use Doan's Kidney Pills while suffering from severe, piercing pains and stiffness through the small of my back and kidneys and I received great benefit. The Rincker's kidney secretions were too frequent and painful in passage and during the night was obliged to get up many times on this account. I always felt tired and miserable and I was failing rapidly Store when I got Doan's Kidney Pills at A. F Streitz's drug store. They helped me from the first and in a few days I was becoming my old self again. I used two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills. and they cured me so completely that I have since felt well and strong. I am glad to recommend the remedy that restored my health."

For Sale by all Dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., New York, Sole Agents for the United States. Remember the name-Doan's-and

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session, and realizes that there will be NO MORE LANDLORDS

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Serial No. 6118. II. E. 2557.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb.
January 4, 1969
Notice is hereby given that Leonard W.
Heist of Maxwell, Neb., who on Oct. 29, 1967,
made Homestead Entry No. 2557, for Lot one
section 4, township I2 north range 29 west,
sixth principal meridian, has filed notice of
intention to make final Commutation proof,
to establish claim to the land above described
before Register and Receiver at North Platte.
Nebraska, on the 4th day of March 1969.
Claimant names as witnesses; Fred Brooks,
John H. Rowland, and Fred Smith of Maxwell, Nebraska, and Elmer Daggett, of North
Platte, Nobraska. J. E. Evans, Register

Probate Notice.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas, Lindenmuth, deceased, In the matter of the estate of Thomas

J. Lindenmuth, deceased.

In the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, February 1st 1999.

Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of the said deceased will meet the administrator of said estate, before the County Judge of Lincoln county, Nebraska, at the county court room in said county, on the 27th day of February, 1999, and on the 5th day of August, 1999, at 9 o'clock a m. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims and one year for the administrator to settle said estate from the 30th day of December, 1998, This notice to be published for eight successive publications in the North Platte Tribune, prior to said 27th day of February, 1999

W. C. ELDER,

W. C. ELDER, County Judge.

NOTICE PROBATE OF WILL, The State of Nebraska, | 88

Lincoln County,
In the County Court.
In the matter of the estate of Ernest Telitz,
deceased.
The State of Nebraska to the beirs
and next of kin of the said Ernest Telits de-

Take notice, that upon filing of a written Take notice, that upon filing of a written instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Ernest Teiliz for probate and allowance, it is ordered that said matter be set for hearing the 18th day of March. A. D. 1859, before said County Court, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., at which time any person interested may appear and contest the same; and notice of this proceeding is ordered published for six successive issues in the North Platte Tribune, a semi-weekly newspaper published in this state.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of the County Court at North Platte this 20th day of February, A. D. 1869.

W. C. ELDER, County Judge

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT.
The State of Nebraska, (ss.

The State of Nebraska, (88

Lincoln County Court.

In the County Court.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Lewis Kelley, deceased To the creditors, heirs, legatees and others interested in the estate of Lewis Kelley.

Take notice that John E. Evans has filed in the county court a report of his doings as administrator of said estate and it is ordered that the same stand for hearing the 20th day of March. A. D. 109, before the court at the hour of 90 clock a.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 six successive publications prior to March 20th, 1009.

Witness my hand and the seal of the county

Witness my hand and the seal of the county court at North Platte this 20th day of February A. D. 1909.

W. C. Elder, County Judge.

Serial No. 013%,
H. E. No. 19461,
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
United States Land Office.
At North Platte. Nebraska February 20, 1909.
Notice is hereby given that George Moran,
of North Platte, Nebraska, who, on October
19th, 1902, made homestead entry No. 19461, for
southeast quarier Section 34. Township 16 N.,
Range 29 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 19th day of
April, 1969.
Claimant names as witnesses: W. H. Combs

Claimant names as witnesses: W. H. Combs and Garfield Gutherless of North Platte, Ne-braska and James Cooley and E. W. Wright of Myrtle, Neb.

J. E. Evans, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office
North Platte, Nebras

Feby. 4, 1999.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Charles T. Breach, contestant, against homestead entry No. 23176 made June 19, 1997, for swist of section 17, township 9, range 32, by George W. Craig: contestee, in which it is alleged that said George W. Craig has never established his rest. acceons aid land; that he has never cultivate. Or improved any portion of the same, and that on said land; that he has never cultivate. Or improved any portion of the same, and that he has wholly altered not done of the same, and that he has wholly altered not done of the same, and that he has wholly altered not done of the same, and that he has wholly altered not done of the same, and that he has wholly altered not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock. A. m. on April 5, 1600 before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in North Platte, Nebraska.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Feby 4, 1909, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

files J. E. Evans. Register.

PROBATE NOTICE

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In the County Court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, February 9th, 1909.

In the matter of the estate of Fred Gelse, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of said deceased will meet the Administrator of said estate, before the, County Judge of Lincoln county, Nebraska, at the county court room in said county, on the 8th day of March, 1909, and on the 8th day of September, 1909, at 9 o'clock a m. cach day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims and one year for the Administrator to settle said estate, from the 8th day of September, 1908. This notice will be published in the North Platte Tribune, for eight publications successively prior to the 8th day of March, 1909.

W. C. ELDER,

W. C. ELDER, County Judge.

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT. State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, s.s.

In the County Court.

In the matter of the guardianship of oseph L. Bangtson and Namie Bangtson,

In the matter of the guardianship of Joseph L. Bangtson and Namie Bangtson, minors.

To the creditors, beirs, legatees and others interested in the estate of Joseph L. Bangtson and Namie Bangtson of the county court a report of his doings as guardian of said minors, and it is ordered that the same stand for hearing the 5th day of March, A. D. Bes, before the court the hour of 20 clock p. m., at which time any person interested may appear and except to and contest the came. And notice of this proceeding is ordered given in the North Patte Tribune, a semi-weekly newspaper, for sty, 1909.

Witness my hand and the seal of the county court at North Platte this 16th day of February, A. D. 1909.

W. C. ELDER, County Judge.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

W. B. Webb, first name unknown will take notice that on the 31st day of December, 1998. P. H. Sullivan, a justice of the peace of North Platte precinct No. I. Lincoln county, Nebr., issued an order of attachment for the sum of \$10s.13, in an action pending before him, wherein ErcestT Tramp is plaintiff and W. B. Webb, first name unknown, is defendant wherein Froest T. Tramp is plaintiff and W. B. Webb, first name unknown, is defendant, that property consisting of money in the hands of the Union Pacific R. R., a corporation, has been attached under said order, said cause was continued to the 10th day of March, 1998, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

North Platte, Neb., Peb., 13th, 1999.

ERNEST T. TRAMP.

One Hundred Dollars Reward.

The above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who have been breaking into the school houses in District No. 5 and destroying property.
W. H. SIMANTS,

LOUIS MACEY, LOREN PURDY, School Board.