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TUESDAY, APRIL 12, 1910.

Carnegie Library for North Platte.

If North Platte desires the gift of a \$12,000 public library from Andrew Carnegie it can be had by complying with the provisions exacted by the donor.

The above information was conveyed in a letter received Sunday by Mayor Patterson from Mr. Carnegie's secretary.

Three weeks ago Mayor Patterson wrote a letter to Mr. Carnegie soliciting a library building for North Platte and in reply received interrogations relative to the town.

The maintenance of the library is an easy matter, as the state law authorizes the levying of a two mill tax for public library maintenance.

The acquisition of a site for the building would probably necessitate the voting of bonds, unless some public spirited citizen would donate a site.

In case bonds are voted it is suggested that they be of a sufficient amount to purchase not only a library site, but a site for a city hall and the erection of a city building which is now needed.

To provide a sufficient site for both the library, building and a city hall would require a tract at least 88x132—a larger tract would of course be better.

This matter and especially the library should be taken up at once by the city council, and we are certain that any step it takes will be backed up unanimously by the people.

The Burlington and the Farmers.

"Either the Burlington railroad must do something to avoid setting out prairie fires, or else the farmers must quit the country," said John McConnell, of Somerset, while in town Saturday.

Mr. McConnell has invoked the aid of the state railway commission to the end that the Burlington company be required to place spark arresters on the engines it uses on the high line in the south part of the county, and if relief is not forthcoming, it will be necessary, says Mr. McConnell, for the farmers to organize and put the Burlington "out of commission."

Nine-tenths of the prairie fires in the south part of the county are set out by the engines of this company, and the losses to the farmers during the past few years have been very heavy.

Declamatory Contest.

An audience that filled the seating capacity of the high school auditorium attended the declamatory contest Friday evening and evinced much interest in the efforts of the eleven contestants, three of whom were entered in the oratorical class, four in the dramatic and four in the humorous.

Miss Myrtle Beeler won first honors in the oratorical, Miss Agnes Bakewell in the humorous and Miss Irma Huffman in the dramatic. The latter received the highest marking of any of the contestants and will represent the local school at the Western Nebraska contest to be held at Gothenburg next Friday evening.

The readings were interspersed with vocal and instrumental music. By a decisive vote of 162 to 110, fourteen being present and not voting, the house Friday authorized the construction of two battleships to cost \$6,000,000 each.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

Apr. 8th, 1910.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present Commissioners Springer, Walter and Straits and county clerk.

The board hereby allows to N. E. Penny, of Callaway, Neb., \$25 for the services and expenses in arresting and holding Gordon the horse thief who has since been sent to the penitentiary.

The county clerk is hereby directed to get a statement of the amounts of damage in the said road districts to county and precinct bridges and culverts on account of the fire caused by the C. B. & Q. R. R. on March 26th.

Claim of Joseph Spies, overseer of Dist. No. 1 allowed, for \$72.00.

The county surveyor is instructed to make a topographical survey of the natural water course across sections 10, 11, 14, 15, 22, 23, township 14, range 33, and file the same with the county board.

Claim of J. K. Crow, overseer of District 11, cash drawn on same for \$50.00.

Claim of J. R. Ritner for bridge work on county bridges allowed on bridge fund for \$287.75.

Ray C. Langford, county treasurer: You are hereby authorized to correct the tax list as to valuation on lots 10 to 12, block 12 to \$5000, for reason that improvements of \$2,500 were made in 1909 and error in same.

Bond of Wm. Smith, overseer District No. 22 is approved.

Bond of E. A. Norlander, constable Jeffrey precinct, approved.

The following claims were allowed: Paul G. Meyer for engineer's transit 159.56.

Fred Simants cash to be used in Road Dist. 30, 100.00.

Wm Dymond cash to be used in Road District 4, 100.00.

Wm. Smith cash to be used in Road District 22, \$100.00

Louis Refor, cash to be used in Road Dist 10, 50.00.

Henry Coker, cash to be used in Road Dist 5, 97.25

Geo. H. Diener cash to be used in Road Dist 12, 2.50

J. J. R. Holm services as overseer Dist 34, 28.75

Chris Johnson cash for road Dist 50, 18.00

J. M. Wilson, custodian of court house, 281.75

J. D. W. Lincoln, digging graves 12.00

Geo. E. French services as county attorney 133.33

Sophia Anderson care of Emma Anderson 54.00, A. P. Anderson damage to horse by stepping in hole in Maxwell bridge, 5.25

C. H. Walter services a county commission 73.50

I. L. Miltonberger January salary as Sheriff 100.00

O. A. Bacon county assessor first quarter 1910, 150.00

Murphy & Johnson part payment on claim 466.58

Rex Gilman bridge work at Brady 157.50

J. F. Hinman bridge work 32.00

The North Platte Land & Water Co. is hereby notified to repair all their bridges which need repairing across county roads, the said repairs to be made before June 10th, 1910.

Claim of E. N. Ogier sprinkling street in front of court house allowed for \$5.00

The county assessor is hereby authorized to hire the necessary help for his office

Adjourned until tomorrow, April 9th, 1910.

Board proceeded to view roads south of Maxwell.

H. D. Lewis is hereby appointed road overseer in Road District No. 32.

Claim of C. E. Parson, cash to be used in Road Dist. 17 allowed for \$100.

Ulrich Fickenscher, cash to be used in Road Dist. 35 allowed for \$75.00.

August W. Johnson cash to be used in Road Dist 15 allowed for \$100.

Nate Baldwin is hereby appointed road overseer in Dist. No. 34 to fill vacancy.

Road No. 31 1/2 now comes before the board for final action, and the board being of the opinion that this road is for the public good, the said road is granted as prayed for in the petition as per agreement between the county commissioners, remonstrators and petitioners.

Claim of Road No. 216 now comes before the county board, and the same being considered for the public good, and there being a claim for damages, or objections thereto, the same is hereby granted as petitioned.

Claim of sundry persons, survey of road 31 1/2, \$59.60.

Claim of sundry persons for surveys of roads \$94.10.

Paul G. Meyer, office expenses, \$2.30. Settlement was made this day with overseer of Road Dist. No. 12, and found that there is \$2.50 due Geo. W. Diener, who has been paid by warrant drawn April 8th.

Settlement made this date with Thos. McConnell, overseer District 49, and find that the county owes him eighty cents, which is carried to next year's settlement.

Claim of Thos. McConnell, overseer Road District 49 for cash to be used in said district \$75.00.

Wm. Ebright, grading examination papers \$33.30. Adjourned until April 15, 1910.

A Farmers' University.

Many agencies have been exerting themselves for the farm and farmer's uplift, but now the farmer himself has taken an active hand in the movement.

Impelled by James J. Hill's cry of "Back to the farm," 250 societies, representing 8,000,000 farmers, will meet in St. Louis next month and lay the foundation of a plan to establish the American Agricultural university, where they will educate young men to be practical tillers of the soil.

The proposition is to locate the university in St. Louis as a central point accessible to farmers from all parts of the country. The university idea is the direct product of the general determination to turn the tide from the cities to the country as an important step in solving the economical problems of present and future, chief of which is the high cost of living.

The plan for this university does not ignore the fact that institutions are already doing a similar work, but contemplates a much broader scope of instruction. It proposes, not so much to teach young men about farming as to teach them and induce them to be farmers, to actually send them back to the farms as missionaries.

Thus far with our Country Life commission, our state agricultural colleges, expositions and agricultural evangelists, led on by Mr. Hill, we have been unable to check urban congestion. The best minds have long ago agreed that the question is a serious one, and if this American Agricultural university scheme can do what no other agency has done it will have earned no end of credit marks.—Omaha Bee.

Saved From The Grave.

"I had about given up hope, after nearly four years of suffering from a severe lung trouble," writes Mrs. M. L. Dix, of Clarksville, Tenn. "Often the pain in my chest would be almost unbearable and I could not do any work, but Dr. King's New Discovery has made me feel like a new person. Its best medicine made for the throat and lungs." Obsolete coughs, stubborn colds, hay fever, la grippe, asthma, croup, bronchitis and hemorrhages, hoarseness and whooping cough, yield quickly to this wonderful medicine. Try it. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free. Guaranteed by Stone Drug Co.

A hint has been recently thrown out that George D. Meiklejohn, former lieutenant governor, later a congressman and later still assistant secretary of war, may enter the list as a candidate for the republican nomination for governor. Taken as a rumor, we should say that his candidacy is possible but not probable, from the fact that of late years he has not been in touch with political affairs in the state.—Kearney Hub.

Regarding county option Governor Shallenberger makes the following public statement: "I am opposed to county option because it is nothing less than prohibition, but I will run for governor on any platform the democratic party sees fit to promulgate." Two years ago the governor stood on two different platforms with conflicting planks and, therefore, really stood for nothing in particular. In his statement he says he is opposed to county prohibition, but intimates that he will stand for any old thing just to secure the nomination. A public official should at least stand for something and have backbone enough to let the people know where he is at and what he will do if elected.—Alma Record.

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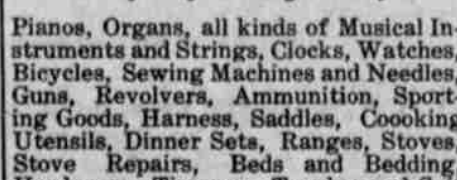


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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Serial No. 02250. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, United States Land Office, North Platte, Nebraska, Feb. 5, 1910. Notice is hereby given that Robert Yankin, of Maxwell, Nebraska, who on Sept. 27th, 1904, made homestead entry No. 20563, serial No. 02250, for so much of east quarter, section 28, Township 14 N., Range 28 W., of the 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 April, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses: Fred Young, Samuel McCall, John Nogie, William Wilson, all of Maxwell, Neb. J. E. EVANS, Register.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANTS. John Lantz and Frank Lantz, Plaintiffs vs. Belle Jacobs and Laura Hood, defendants. Notice is hereby given that the District Court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, by John Lantz and Frank Lantz, who file a duly verified petition in said court the object and prayer of which is to secure the partition among said plaintiffs and defendant, of the west half of the northeast quarter and the west half of the south east quarter in Sec. No. twelve, in township No. thirteen, range No. twenty-eight, real estate situated in said Lincoln county, Nebraska. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 15th day of May, 1910.

JOHN LANTZ and FRANK LANTZ, Plaintiffs. By E. C. Gianville, their Attorney.

REFeree'S SALE. By virtue of an order of sale issued in the district court in and for Lincoln county, Nebraska, on the 3rd day of April, 1910, in an action of partition wherein Minnie Richards is plaintiff and Alvin Peckham, Elmer Peckham her husband, Charles Soules, Mary Soules his wife, Mary Johnson, John Johnson her husband, Zillah Holcombe, Robert Holcombe her husband, Charles Soules a minor, Warren Soules a minor, and Charles O. Soules, guardian of the persons and estates of said minors, are defendants, will sell at public auction at the east front door of the court house in the city of North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, on the 14th day of May, 1910, at the hour of one o'clock, p. m. the following described real estate, situate in Lincoln county, Nebraska, to-wit: Lots two (2), three (3), four (4), and five (5), in section thirty (30), township twelve (12) north, range twenty-six (26) west sixth (6) P. M. The terms of said sale will be cash in hand. Dated at North Platte, Nebraska, this 4th day of April, 1910. O. E. ELDER, Referee.

CONTEST NOTICE. Serial No. 0669. Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, North Platte, Nebraska, April 5, 1910. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Clarence E. Groves, contestant, against homestead entry No. 1067, Nov. 14, 1907, for all of Sec. 10, Township 15, N., Range 22 W. of the 6th P. Meridian, by Elmer E. Brown Contestee, in which it is alleged that said Elmer E. Brown has never established his residence on said tract; that he has failed to cultivate or improve said tract from date of entry to the present time, and has wholly abandoned said tract for more than six months last past. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said tract at 10 o'clock a. m. on June 5, 1910, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land office in North Platte, Nebraska.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit filed set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication. J. E. EVANS, Register.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Albert A. Adams, and the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of section thirty-five (35), township sixteen (16), range thirty-one (31) west 6th P. M. in Lincoln County, Nebraska and all persons claiming any rights or interests in said lands will take notice that on the 14th day of March, 1910, David F. Parker as plaintiff, filed his petition in the district court of Lincoln County, Nebraska against said Albert A. Adams and the southeast quarter (SE 1/4) of section thirty-five (35), township sixteen (16), range thirty-one (31) west 6th P. M. in Lincoln County, Nebraska as defendants. The object and prayer of said petition is for the accounting of the amount due the plaintiff upon his tax sale certificate for said lands issued by the County Treasurer of Lincoln County, Nebraska on November 2, 1909 to J. W. Whiffin and upon the subsequent taxes paid by said J. W. Whiffin, and the plaintiff David F. Parker, the said certificate of tax sale having been duly assigned by the said J. W. Whiffin to the plaintiff herein and also to foreclose the said tax sale certificate and tax lien and to bar the defendants and each of them of all claims, title and interest in the said described land.

The defendants are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of April, 1910. DAVID F. PARKER, Plaintiff. By Wm. E. SUMAN, His Attorney.

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, Samuel Snell, et al. are defendants, and to me directed, I will on the 16th day of April, 1910, 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, interest and costs, the following described property, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, block 16, of the original city of North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska. Dated at North Platte, Neb., March 7, 1910. I. L. MILTONBERGER, Sheriff.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Serial No. 02293. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., March 23, 1910. Notice is hereby given that Harry B. Emple, of Lincoln County, Nebraska, made homestead entry No. 20698, serial No. 02293 for all of section 12, township 11, N., range 28, west of the 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 24th day of May, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jacob Hankins, of Maxwell, Neb.; James J. Brown, of Maxwell, Neb.; William Seelye, of North Platte, Neb.; and Samuel Packler, of Maxwell, Neb. J. E. EVANS, Register.

Serial No. 02225-02236. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., March 23, 1910. Notice is hereby given that James I. Shuck, of North Platte, Nebraska, who on Aug. 11th, 1904, made H. E. No. 20567, Serial No. 02225, for northwest quarter and the southeast quarter, made H. E. No. 20625, Serial No. 02226, for southeast quarter, section 4, township 11 N., range 28, west of the 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 25th day of May, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses: William W. Hunter, George S. Singer, Arthur Connor and Grant Tibbles, all of North Platte, Neb. J. E. EVANS, Register.

In the county court of Lincoln County Nebraska, in the matter of the estate of William D. Lyle, deceased. Order of hearing on amended petition of Isabella Lyle, widow, and others residents of Scotland.

To Joseph J. O'Hourke, administrator, and to all persons interested in the estate of William D. Lyle, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Isabella Lyle, widow, and others, have filed their amended petition praying that they may be declared to be the sole heirs at law of the said William D. Lyle, deceased, and that said estate be administered in said county.

You are hereby notified that said amended petition will be heard by the county judge at the county court room in North Platte, Nebraska, in said county on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1910, at 9 o'clock a. m. It is ordered, that a copy of this order be published twice each week for eight successive issues prior to April 15th, 1910, in the North Platte Semi-weekly Tribune a legal newspaper printed and published in said county.

Witness my hand and official seal of my office March 21st, 1910. W. C. ELDER, County Judge.

Serial Nos. 01903-02094. Notice for Publication. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., March 15th, 1910. Notice is hereby given that Dennis J. Brown, of North Platte, Nebraska, who, on July 28th, 1903, made homestead entry No. 19099, Serial No. 01903, for southwest quarter and on Feb. 16th, 1905, made H. E. No. 20294, Serial No. 02094, for north west quarter, and north east quarter, section 20, Township 13, north, Range 28, west of the 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 17th day of May, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses: Walter K. Corvill, Fred J. Brown, Orson H. Corvill and Eugene Cartright all of North Platte, Neb. J. E. EVANS, Register.

Notice for Publication. Serial No. 04934-02172. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., February 26th, 1910. Notice is hereby given that Arthur Connor, of North Platte, Neb., who on July 30th, 1908, made Homestead Entry No. 20418, Serial No. 04934, for the northeast quarter of section 30, township 12, north, range 30, west of the 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 27th day of April, 1910.

Claimant names as witnesses: William W. Hunter, Francis Montague, James L. Schuck and Frank Powers, all of North Platte, Neb. J. E. EVANS, Register.

Road No. 333. To all whom it may concern. Upon a petition of Geo. C. White, W. F. Smith and others, the county commissioners declare the following section lines a public highway.

Commencing at the northeast corner of section 6, township 13, range 33 and running thence westward to the northeast corner of section 2, township 13, range 34, thence southward to the northeast corner of section 23, township 13, range 34. All claims for damage must be filed in the office of the county clerk on or before May 15th, 1910.

Dated North Platte, Neb., March 10th, 1910. F. R. ELLIOTT, County Clerk.

Notice to Delinquents. Notice is hereby given that the rentals upon lease contracts on school lands described below and set opposite the name of the holders thereof, are delinquent for a period of 6 months or more and if the amount now due is not paid within 60 days from the date of this notice said contracts will be declared forfeited by the Board of Educational Lands & Funds, and the said forfeitures entered of record as provided by law.

Lease northeast quarter, northwest quarter, southwest quarter Sec. 36, Tp. 10, R. 30; R. W. Rafferty, Lincoln County.

Lease southeast quarter Sec. 36, Tp. 10, R. 30; Timothy Rafferty, Lincoln County. Dated March 14, 1910. E. B. COWLES, Commissioner Public Lands and Buildings.