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The appropriation of \$20,000 for an armory at Nebraska City, which apparently slipped thru while a majority of the legislators were asleep, will be submitted to the voters of the state under the referendum law. There are twenty-six militia companies in the state, and if Nebraska City is to have an armory for its company, why not have one for each of the other companies? Let's play fair with all the boys who wear the uniform, and not boost one particular company.

The suffragettes have succeeded in creating a reign of terror in England, and apparently only a fair beginning has been made. Bombs are being found almost daily in public congested places in London and Liverpool, mansions and other buildings are set fire, and in view of the general panic which the suffragettes are creating, all churches and historical edifices have been ordered closed except during the hours when services are being held.

Fourth-class postmasters must be able to read, to count accurately the money they receive, to measure the oilcloth on the floors of their offices and to write at least a decipherable letter once in a while in order to be taken under the wing of the civil service. In effect they must have a reasonable understanding of "reading," "riting" and "rithmetic," according to regulations issued Saturday by the Postoffice department. Persons to take the civil service examination must be a citizen of the United States, over 21 years old and must reside in the community served by the office he aspires to fill. No one will be eligible who is crazy, an ex-convict, who has been dishonorably discharged from the army or navy or who is disposed even occasionally to reduce the visible supply of strong drink.

Having safely and unimpairably passed the first or lower branch of congress, the democratic administration's tariff bill is now before the senate and the republican members of that body are hopping gleefully upon the measure and propose to find fault with it from "agate" to "zinc"—the entire tariff alphabet. They are entitled, of course, to make their record. Their protests are logical. Their party believes in maintaining a higher standard of wages for American workmen and in establishing and maintaining industry in the country by covering, by means of a duty on foreign made goods, the difference in cost of production between this country and European countries. But it is to be remembered that the people in the main, and many republicans themselves, have for several years demanded lower tariffs, that because of the high cost of living they temporarily waived the fealty of the country to the protective system, and that, if it was a mistake, the people have the right to make it. Anything further, then, than a logical maintenance of their party's standard by the republicans would seem to be quite as uncalled for as futile. They will do best by merely remaining consistent with their banner, keeping the same unfurled, but let the country have the test it has demanded and won even though the victory was secured only by the success of some former republicans in temporarily wrecking their own party.—Grand Island Independent.

Local and Personal.

Miss Clara Kane who had been teaching in Maxwell came up Saturday morning to visit the Bonner family.

County Surveyor Roy Cockran returned Friday evening from Dickens where he spent a week on business.

Mrs. Luther Ginther, of Lincoln, who visited her sister Mrs. Seth Sherwood for a month, left Saturday morning.

Mrs. F. W. Rineker returned Friday evening from Hastings where she was a delegate to the Episcopal Convocation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holcombe, of Maxwell, came up Friday evening to attend the Elk dance and visit relatives.

Frank Parkhurst, who formerly carried mail on the North Platte-Gandy route, was instantly killed at Tryon Tuesday evening of last week by a stroke of lightning.

Having succeeded in getting a fine start of grass in the plots around the federal building, Custodian Davis is now further beautifying the surroundings with geranium beds.

Call us up and we will deliver you pint or quart of the finest ice cream you ever tasted.

Stone Drug Co.

Charlie Herrod who is associated with Mac Westfall in the ownership of a picture show at Lead, S. D., came down Sunday to visit his family for a few days. He is well pleased with his investment at Lead.

Dr. H. G. Brock left Sunday evening for Omaha to attend the meeting of the state dental society. Before running he will visit relatives in Fairbury. Mrs. Brock, who has been visiting there for several weeks, will return with him.

The North Platte high school scored four points in the Central Nebraska track meet held at Kearney Friday. The Kearney high school won forty-four points, the highest made by any of the five competing schools. The events were held in an inch of mud, which made running very slow and slippery.

E. L. Rose, who lives some 18 miles north of this place, was in town last Saturday, and reported that on Tuesday evening previous lightning had struck in his neighborhood setting fire to the prairie and that the fire had continued for forty-eight hours, destroying practically all the feed that the farmers had left.—Stapleton Enterprise.

Fire Threatened the Hershey Buildings.

A fire which started in the north-west corner of the main implement warehouse of Joseph Hershey Sunday night about 9:30 was extinguished by the department before much damage ensued, notwithstanding it was burning briskly under the roof before water was turned in. Two conditions were favorable; there was no wind and the roof was covered with corrugated iron, the latter confining the fire to the rafters and the roof boards. The point of starting was in the inside corner next the alley, and the flames worked upward along the inside of the siding to the rafters. The starting point was obscure, behind a stock of implements, and the general surroundings indicated that the fire was set by an incendiary. This belief is further borne out by the fact that it was Sunday evening and no employes had been around the building during the day or evening.

It was lucky, indeed, that the fire was discovered in its incipency and that the night was calm, else the entire plant of buildings, two of which are inflammable, might have been burned to the ground, or at least badly damaged. Mr. Hershey was at church at the time, and when he arrived the flames were under control by the department, which had been very prompt in its arrival.

Within four months there have been three fires indicative of incendiarianism; it is not time that our police begin a rigid investigation. One theory advanced for Sunday night's fire is that toughs connected with the circus set the fire with the expectation of drawing a crowd and then committing house robbery while the occupants were at the fire. This may, or may not, have been true.

Local and Personal

Mrs. William Huddart returned Saturday afternoon from a visit to Omaha with friends.

C. K. Martini came up from Omaha Saturday evening to visit his family for a few days.

Mrs. Carlyle, of Denver, arrived the latter part of last week to visit the Frederici family.

Mrs. Oak Swarthout, of Paxton, came down Friday morning to visit her mother, Mrs. George Hatfield.

Examinations for the county teachers will be held at the County Superintendent's office Friday and Saturday.

Paul Nolen came home the latter part of last week from a week's visit in Grand Island and Wood River.

Mrs. Anna Seyferth will leave Saturday for Schuyler to visit relatives for a couple of weeks before going to Denver.

Mrs. Caroline Tiltz returned Friday evening from a two weeks' visit in Palmer and Central City with relatives.

The W. R. C. will hold a social at the home of J. A. McMichael Wednesday afternoon, all old soldiers are especially invited.

Miss Grace King returned to Sidney Saturday evening after spending a week with Mrs. George Coates and Miss Mayme McMichael.

Mrs. Rose Nichols will accompany her daughter Mrs. Geo. Kanoff to Grand Island tomorrow after visiting relatives for several weeks.

The Missouri railroad has decided to invoke the referendum law in an effort to set aside the "full crew" law passed by the legislature of that state.

The "full crew" law provides that on every passenger train of six or more coaches there must be at least two brakemen and on every freight train of forty or more cars there must be at least three brakemen. It is stated that compliance with the law would cost the railroads in Missouri \$700,000 a year.

The new Isis Theatre on Curtis street opened in Denver the latter part of last week under the management of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Baxtor. The latter was formerly Miss Francis Bristol of this city. The new theatre is classed as the finest moving picture house in the world and was erected at a cost of a quarter of a million dollars. The lights on the exterior aggregate 37,000 candle power. The building is equipped throughout electrically and the large pipe organ is operated by a 15 horse-power motor.

He owned a handsome touring car, to ride in it was heaven. He ran across a piece of glass, bill—14.97. He took a friend out for a ride, 'twas good to be alive, the carburetor sprung a leak, bill—30.95. He started on a little tour the finest sort of fun, he stopped too quick and stripped his gears bill—90.51. He took his wife down town to shop, to save car fare was great, he jammed into a hitching post, bill—278. He spent his little pile of cash, and then in anguish cried: 'I'll put a mortgage on the house and take just one more ride.'

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North Platte People Have Absolute Proof of Deeds at Home.

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The deeds of Doan's Kidney Pills. For North Platte kidney sufferers. Have made their local reputation.

Proof lies in the testimony of North Platte people.

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FOOT NOTES.

Not the best shoes that will ever be made, but the best shoes made today for the money—WALK-OVER shoes.

Wilcox Department Store

Gene Combs, of Lincoln, is spending this week with town friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Soderman, of Brady, visited friends in town yesterday.

Miss Lena Schrader, of Gandy, is visiting Miss Effie Christ this week.

Mrs. Joe Sullivan, of Brady, visited last week with Mrs. Eisie Ohagen.

Mrs. Dart and Mrs. West, of Brady, spent yesterday in town with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, of Hershey, spent yesterday in town with friends.

Mrs. Isaac Deats has returned from a short visit in Cheyenne with friends.

Jay Smith returned Saturday from Kearney where he attended the track meet.

Mrs. Frank Lawrence returned yesterday morning from a short visit in Denver.

High Living Costs According to What You Use.

Lots of Grocery prices are no higher than they were twelve years ago.

Table listing various grocery items and their prices. Items include Macaroni, Cocoa, Eggs, Sugar, Tomatoes, Corn, Quaker Oats, E. C. Corn Flakes, Broken Rice, Rice Jap type, Prunes, Corn Starch, Gloss Starch, Corn Starch Kingsfords, Silver Gloss Starch, Yeast Foam, Lewis Lye, Eagle Lye, American Lye, Swift Premium Hams, National Oats, Fels Naptha Soap, Soda Crackers, Oyster Crackers, K. C. Baking Powder, Royal Baking Powder, Dr. Prices Baking Powder, Kraut, Hominy, Pink Salmon, Sweet Potatoes, Potatoes, Coffee, California Fruits, Cocoa, Evaporated Apples, Horse Shoe Tobacco, Spear Head Tobacco, Star Tobacco, J. T. Tobacco.

We pay cash for your butter and eggs. WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.

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Buchanan & Patterson's Bargain List of Dwellings. Full two story frame dwelling of eight rooms modern except heat, full lot, shade trees and blue grass. Located on West Fourth street close to court house. This is property that will increase in value and is a big money maker at our price of \$4,700. Nice Seven Room Cottage and two Lots, out-buildings, shade trees and nice lawn 1011 West Sixth St. A bargain at \$2750.00. Five room house and barn, South Dewey street, \$1,250. Extra good seven room house, barn and outbuildings, house modern except heat, \$3,100. East Third street two blocks from court house. Nice six room cottage 721 West Seventh street, handy to new round house. Modern except heat. Price 2,200. Extra nice 4 room cottage on West Tenth street, in the 600 block. Price \$1,750. Good eight room dwelling on West Tenth street, in the 900 block. Price \$1,700. All of these properties are choice bargains and can be bought on easy terms. Be sure and see these before you buy. Buchanan & Patterson, Sole Agents.



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SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an order of sale issued from the district court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, under a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court wherein Hazel Turner Drake is plaintiff, and Albert S. Holingsworth et al, are defendants, and to me directed, I will on the 7th day of June, 1913, at 2 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: Southwest quarter (sw 1/4) section twenty-five (25) township ten (10) north of range thirty-one (31) west of the 6th P. M., in Lincoln county, Nebraska. Dated North Platte, Neb., May 1st, 1913. A. J. SALISBURY, Sheriff.

Notice to Non-Resident Defendant. John Ragan, whose present residence or abode is unknown, will take notice on the 24th day of April, 1913, Frederick W. Cross filed his petition in equity in the district court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, for the purpose of removing a cloud from and quieting the title to the west forty-four feet of lot two, in block one hundred and three, in the city of North Platte, Nebraska. The prayer of said petition is that the title to said premises be quieted and confirmed in said Frederick W. Cross, and that said John Ragan be barred from any right, title, interest claim or demand therein, by reason of any defect in a certain decree of partition entered in his action for partition of said premises and other real estate, on the 23rd day of December, 1891, and while he was a minor. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 9th day of June, 1913. Dated April 25th, 1913. FREDERICK W. CROSS, Plaintiff, By GEO. E. FRENCH his attorney.

Dr. Redfield & Redfield, Physicians and Surgeons. WILLIS J. REDFIELD, Surgeon. JOE B. REDFIELD, Physician. OFFICE: Physicians & Surgeons Hospital PHONE 642.

Signet Chapter O. E. S., NO. 55. Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday of every month at Masonic Hall at 7:30 p. m.

PROBATE NOTICE. In the matter of the estate of Walter B. McNeal, deceased. In the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, April 15, 1913. Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of said deceased will meet the administratrix of said estate before the county judge of Lincoln county, Nebraska, at the county court room, in said county, on the 20th day of May, 1913, and on the 20th day of Nov., 1913, at 10 o'clock in 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 administratrix to settle said estate, from the 15th day of Apr. 1913. A copy of this order to be published in the North Platte Tribune, a legal semi-weekly newspaper published in said county for four successive weeks prior to May 20, 1913. JOHN GRANT, County Judge.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Serial No. 6749. Department of the Interior. U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., Mar. 15th, 1913. In the county court of Lincoln county, Nebraska, on the 15th day of February 1913, made Homestead Entry No. 2376 Serial No. 6749, for NW 1/4 and lots 3, 4, 5, Section 15, Township 15 N., Range 29 W., 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, at North Platte, Neb., on the 21st day of May, 1913. Claimant names as witnesses: Fred J. Malone, Amzie Gutherless, Fred Simons and Jessa Long, all of North Platte, Nebr. J. E. EVANS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Serial No. 6749. Department of the Interior. U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., April 2, 1913. Notice is hereby given that Laura Shaw, of North Platte, Neb., who on March 15, 1913, made Homestead Entry No. 2376, Serial No. 6749, for NW 1/4 and lots 3, 4, 5, Section 15, Township 15 N., Range 29 W., 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver, at North Platte, Neb., on the 6th day of June, 1913. Claimant names as witnesses: Arthur Toole, H. F. Doebble, Wm Siebold, Dave Macomber, all of North Platte, Neb. J. E. EVANS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Serial No. 6665. Department of the Interior. U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., Feb., 1913. Notice is hereby given that Edward Rima, of North Platte, Neb., who on February 5, 1910, made Homestead Entry No. 24695, for NE 1/4 and E 1/2 of SE 1/4, Section 2, Twp. 15 N., Rge. 30, west of the 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the register and receiver, at North Platte, Neb., on the 25th day of April 1913. Claimant names as witnesses: John Reeves, Robert Reeves, Frank Hood, Henry Greeley, all of North Platte, Neb. J. E. EVANS, Register.

ORDER OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR. The State of Nebraska, Lincoln County, ss. In the County Court. In the matter of the estate of Dennis J. O'Brien, deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Cora V. O'Brien, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to herself as administratrix.

Ordered, That May 20th, 1913, at 9 o'clock a. m. in assisting in said petition, when all persons interested in said matter shall appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why prayer of petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the North Platte Tribune a legal semi-weekly newspaper printed in said county for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing. Dated April 24, 1913. JOHN GRANT, County Judge.

NOTICE OF HEARING. In the county court in and for Lincoln county, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of John F. Meir, deceased. State of Nebraska, county of Lincoln, ss. To all persons interested in the estate of John F. Meir, deceased, notice is hereby given that Justine Grothen has filed in this office an instrument purported to be the last will and testament of John F. Meir, deceased, late of the county of Bureau, and state of Illinois, together with a certificate of the probate court in and for the county of Bureau, state of Illinois, and a petition praying to have the same admitted to probate, which will and testament relate to both real and personal property. It is therefore ordered that the 3rd day of June, 1913, at 9 o'clock, a. m., at my office in said county, be fixed as the time and place set for proving said will, at which time and place, you and all concerned may appear and contest the probate of the same.

It is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to all persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and of the time and place set for hearing of said petition, by causing a copy of this order to be published in North Platte Tribune, a legal semi-weekly newspaper published in North Platte, Lincoln county, Nebraska, and of general circulation in said county for four successive weeks previous to the day set for hearing, viz: June 3rd, 1913, at 9 o'clock a. m. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal this 24th day of April, 1913. JOHN GRANT, County Judge.

Referees Sale. By virtue of an order issued in the district court in and for Lincoln County, Nebraska, on the 4th day of April, 1913, in an action of partition wherein Rupert Schwager is plaintiff and Agnes Harris, Emory Tripp, Minnie Hood, a minor, Eddie Hood, a minor, Helen Colvin, a minor, Edward Tripp, Opal Tripp, Adeline Tripp, and Harold Tripp, minors and children of Mamie Tripp, deceased, W. L. Porter, first and real name unknown, as guardian of Minnie Hood, H. D. Hughes, first and real name unknown, as guardian of Eddie Hood, Earl H. Colvin as guardian of Helen Colvin, Russell D. Chase as guardian of Edward Tripp, Opal Tripp, Adeline Tripp and Harold Tripp are defendants, I 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 24th day of May, 1913, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate situate in Lincoln County, Nebraska, to-wit: The east half (E 1/2) of section thirty-four (34) township sixteen (16) north of range thirty west of the 6th p. m. in Lincoln County, Nebraska, containing 480 acres according to government survey; the terms of said sale to be cash in hand. Dated at North Platte, Nebraska, this 14th day of April, 1913. O. E. ELLEN, Referee. A-15-5