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FOOD AT DANGER POINT IN FRANCE AND DENMARK

Washington., D. C., Dec. 30.—Further reduction of civilian rations in European countries was reported necessary.

Information received by the food adminstration said the wheat shortage in France was becoming alarming and that Maurice Long, minister for general revictualling for the French government, had indicated a decrease of 20 per cent in the bread ration soon would be imperative.

Denmark is also looking forward to a reduction of the bread ration because final figures for the cereal harvest show a totaip of only 62,000,000 bushels, or 20,000,000 bushels less than in 1916.

Food supplies in Switzerland are falling off to the danger point, the food administrator's information said. The Swiss now may have only a pound and a half of sugar per person each month,, ,ha.lf a pound of bread daily, and one-fifth of a pound of butter monthly.

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COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

December 24, 1917.

Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, present Springer, Herminghausen and Koch and county clerk.

Claims were allowed as follows:

Paul G. Meyer, commissioner Road No. 11, $9.00.
Paul G. Meyer, commissioner Road No. 410, $10.20.
Paul G. Meyer, surveyor Road No. 391, $24.00.
Paul G. Meyer, commissioner Road No. 412, $7.50.
Paul G. Meyer, commissioner Road No. 415, $12.00.
Ray Rannie, road work, $13.75.
George Radel, haying roads, $6.00.
H .E. Morse, road work, $2.50.
E. Raney, road work, $5.00.
A. K. McIntyre, road work, $22.50.
Guy Edis, road work, $17.50.
A. Larson, road work, $5.00.
C. S. Bethel, road work, $2.00.
Wm. Jepson, road work, $6.50.
Albert Richiger, road work $6.50.
E. S. Rose, road work, $29.00.
Peter Jepsen, road work, $4.00.
W. Montgomery, road work, $25.00.
N. E. Louden, mdse., $78.00.
J. W. Turley, bridge work, $15.00.
C. E. Vencil, road work, $15.00.
Delphos Clematis, road work, $7.50.
H. E. Robinson, road work, $10.00.
J. F. Dameron, refund poll tax, $2.50.
C. L. Grant, road work, $7.50.
Gus Wadsbrand, road work, $20.00.
F. B. Marr, house rent, $9.00.
Chas. Hupfer, meals for jurors, $23.85.

State of Nebraska, partial payment insane account, $11-8.55.

Petition presented to the board to change channel at Brady to protect Road No. —— and the land to the south. The board believing it is necessary, and whereas an emergency exists the board proceeded to buy a certain strip of land in section 10-12-27, for the purpose of changing said channel. H. K Peckham agrees to donate the sum of $500 and Fred George donates $100 and certain lands in section 11-12-27 for such purpose.

Claim of W. J. Eavey for 20.43-100 acres for channel for $1021.50. The county clerk is hereby directed to file deed from W. J. Eavey and wife for certain land in section 10-12-27 to Lincoln county.

Claim of Beeler & Crosby, services in forming of Osgood bridge precinct, $150.00.

Board adjourned to December 26, 1917.

A. S. ALLEN, County Clerk.

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"The Bird of Paradise."

It is a fine question whether auto-suggestion or prenatal influence causes Luana, the heroine of "The Bird of Paradise," to jump into the crater of Kilauea in order to appease the wrath of the Goddess Pele.

Persons familiar with the old native customs of the Hawaiian Islands, say that it is both auto-suggestion and prenatal influence due to the practice of Kahunaism, which even the missionaries have not been able to wholly stamp out.

The Kahuna is the Witch Doctor and the natives firmly believe in his power to make the prayer of death cause the demise of the person against whom his displeasure is centered.

Any person who has an enemy, goes to the Kahuna and brings a bit of the enemy's hair, a nail, spittle or blood and pays to have the prayer of death pronounced. It is a well authenticated fact that the victim loses all power of resistance and, in a comparatively short time, wastes away and dies.

When Luana resists the commands of the priest to become a Goddess of Pele and decides to accompany her American husband to the United States, he intones the prayer of death over her. She is informed of this by her friends, together with the fact that the volcano is in eruption, a sure sign of the wrath of the Goddess. Luana realizes that, according to her religious belief, if she offers herself as a human sacrifice to Pele, the volcano's eruption will cease and disaster will not overtake her friends. Consequently she falls a victim to Kahunaism and hurls herself into the molton lava.

This is the great fourth act of Oliver Morosco's sumptuous production of "The Bird of Paradise," which deals with life in the Hawaiian Islands just before the annexation. This dramatic novelty is coming to the Keith January 21st.

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Wanted—Man and wife to work on ranch. Everything furnished except furniture. A permanent position. Phone 790F031 or write C. P. Howard, Route B, North Platte. 100-3

TWO VIEWS OF THE LATE GERMAN PEACE MOVE.

London.—The allies see in the latest German peace move a shrewd piece of strategy, a play to make Russia believe that the allies are only stumbling block for termination of the war, that they are trying to block peace movements and that they oppose the Russian general peace plans. The allies remain united in the view that the future security of a world peace is absolutely essential. The military experts and diplomats are in one accord that there is no such assurance in the terms which Prussianism has promulgated.

Washington.—The peace move made by Germany lacks the essential elements that will insure a permanent peace, "namely the elimination of Hohenzollerism from the face of the earth." The "no annexation" clause would also bar plans of the allies that have to be carried out to keep militarism confined forever after. The peace cry is regarded as a catch phrase, for benefit of the Russians and with no other real objective. Important questions, such as the restoration of Belgium and other devasted countries, what disposition is to be made of Alsace-Lorraine, are entirely ignored.

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How John Baked Bread.

Said the good wife to John one day,
You'll have to bake my bread for I am going away;
For I've heard you say as men sometimes do,
That a woman hasn't got much to do.

You can sweep the carpet and make the bed;
But don't for a minute forget the bread.
You must keep it warm then mix it down,
Then make it in loaves and bake till brown.

Oh! says John You don't have to tell me,
For every time you bake bread don't I see
How you roll up your sleeves and grease your hands,
And work it around to beat the band.

Now you run along and have a good time,
I'll mix your bread and bake it fine,
And make you ashamed you ever said
That your husband didn't know how to make bread.

Now the good wife hadn't been gone an hour or more,
Till the bread raised up and run out on the floor;
Now says John, I clean forgot,
That bread is spoiled just like as not.

And now by gum if I'm going to make good
I'll make up some loaves as I know she would,
And put it in the oven and bake till brown,
And then, by gosh,, I'm going to town.

So he rolled up his sleeves and dived right in
And got dough all over him from his feet to his chin;
This dog gone stuff seems awful soft,
I don't know how I'm going to get it off.

But he washed his hands and started agin
To make some loaves and put them in,
And then he got another surprise,
For the loaf began to move right before his eyes.

And crawled right up in the middle of the pan.
To make another loaf he once more began;
Now that's funny and poor John swore,
I can only get in three loaves and she got four.

He put the pan in the oven with a glad smile,
And says I guess I'm through for quite a while;
I'll wash the dishes, sweep and make up the bed,
And then I guess it will be time to take out the bread.

But he put it off until it was too late,
The bread had raised up right through the top grate;
John pulled and tugged and jerked and swore
Till the pan came out and he fell on the floor.

He looked around and there his wife stood;
You baked my bread just like I thought you would.
Now see here, says John, don't talk to me
If there's any more bread baked here, you'll bake it, see.

—J. W. F.

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Returns from students of Columbia university working during the summer vacation show total earnings of $283,000. Graduate and under-graduate students filled a total of 2,299 positions, varying from soda fountain mixologists, movie actors and elevator operators to translators, violinists and magazine writers. Three students sold their blood for transfusion, 10 posed as artist models and 47 got positions as summer school instructors. Where there's a will there's a way.

Notice of Petition.

Estate No. 1529, of Benjamin A. Dikeman, deceased, in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska: To all persons interested in said estate, take notice that a petition has been filed for the appointment of Emery M. Dikeman as administrator of said estate which has been set for hearing herein on January 25, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Dated December 31, 1917.

J1-22. GEO. E. FRENCH, County Judge.

Notice Of Petition.

Estate No. 1528 of William M. Hay, deceased in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, To all persons interested in said Estate take notice that a petiton has been filed for the appointment of O. O. Wood as Administrator of said Estate, which has been set for hearing herein on January 25, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Dated December 29, 1917.

GEO. E. FRENCH, County Judge.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate No. 1509, of Mary J. OHare, Deceased, in the County Court of Lincoln county, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, ss. Creditors of said estate will take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said estate is April 4, 1918, and for settlement of said Estate is November 30, 1918. that I will sit at the county court room in said county on January 4, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m. and on April 4, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., to receive, examine, hear, allow, or adjust all claims and objections duly filed. GEO. E. FRENCH County Judge.

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NOTICE OF FINAL REPORT.

Estate No. 1466 of Frank Schick, deceased, in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said Estate take notice that the Administrator has filed a final account and report of his administration and a petition for final settlement and discharge as such, which have been set for hearing before said court on January 4, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., when you may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 7, 1917.

GEO. E. FRENCH, County Judge.

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NOTICE OF PETITION.

Estate No. 1524 of Caroline Franzen, deceased, in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, To all persons interested in said estate take notice that a petition has been filed for the probate of an instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Caroline Franzen and for the appointment of Fred E. Pease as Executor of said Will, which has been set for hearing herein on January 18, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Dated December 21, 1917.

GEO. E. FRENCH, County Judge.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate No. 1520 of Anna M. O'Rourke, deceased, in the County Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The State of Nebraska, ss. Creditors of said estate will take notice that the time limited for presentation and filing of claims against said Estate is April 25, 1918, and for settlement of said Estate is December 21, 1918; that I will sit at the county court room in said county on January 25, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., and on April 25, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m., to receive, examine, hear, allow, or adjust all claims and objections duly filed.

GEO. E. FRENCH, County Judge.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior.
Serial No. 05830.

U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Nebr. December 18, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Homer W. Hamm, of North Platte, Nebr., who, on Sept. 26, 1914, made Homestead entry, No. 05830, for NW¼ Section 34, Township 16 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, Nebr., on the 6th day of February, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Silas Little, of North Platte, Nebr.
C. H. Schaeffer, of Stapleton, Neb.
Wm Pitman, of Stapleton, Nebr.
Robert Batie, of Stapleton, Nebr.

E. J. EAMES, Register.

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Notice of Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a chattel mortgage dated on the 11th day of October 1917 and duly filed in the office of the County Clerk of Lincoln County, Nebraska, on the 11th day of October 1917, and executed by John Smith to Clara Stegemann to secure the payment of the sum of $737.51 and upon which there is now due the sum of $767.51.

Default having been made in the payment of said sum and no suit or other proceeding at law having been instituted to recover said debt, or any part thereof, therefore, I will sell the property therein descrcbed to-wit: 40 acres of matured, standing and unhusked corn located upon the following described premises to-wit: South West Quarter of Section 35, Township 14, North of Range 31, West of the 6 P. M., Lincoln County, Nebraska, at public auction at the house located upon said described premises on the 9th day of January 1918, at 1 o'clock p. m. of said day.

Dated December 17th, 1917.

CLARA STEGEMANN, Mortgagee

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Notice To Contractors.

Call for Bids on State Aid Bridge at North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebr.

Sealed bids will be received until 3 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, January 22, 1918, at the office of the County Clerk in Lincoln County, North Platte, Nebr. for the construction of a concrete bridge across the South Platte River located approximately one mile south of the City of North Platte. Bids will be received for the construction of: One reinforced concrete arch bridge composed of 10-50 ft. concrete arches, with concrete piers and abutments, resting on wood piling as per plans and specifications. Bids will be received on the yardage basis for making fills in approaches and surfacing.

All bids must be sealed and accompanied with a cash deposit or certified check made payable to the County Treasurer, Lincoln County, for the sum of $5,000.00. All checks must be certified to by a bank in Nebraska.

Bids will be publicly opened at the office of the County Clerk, North Platte, Nebraska, at 3 o'clock p. m., January 22, 1918. A copy of the plans and specifications are on file in the office of the County Clerk and the State Engineer, and may be had upon application and payment of $5.00 at the office of the State Engineer.

The State and County reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Geo. E. Johnson, State Engr.
d21-j21 A. S. Allen, County Clerk.

Partition Sale.

By virtue of an order directing the referee to make a sale, which order was issued from the District Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, upon a decree of partition and the confirmation of the referee's report rendered in said Court, wherein Charlotte S. Woodward is plaintiff and Henry T. Woodward and Norah Woodward, his wife; G. T. Halloway and Cressie Halloway, his wife, and L. C. Mitchell and Edna Mitchell, his wife, parties in possession of said lands, are defendants; and to me directed I will on the 25th day of January, 1918 at two 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 the following described real estate, to-wit:- all of Section five (5), in Township sixteen (16) North, of Range Twenty-eight (28), West of the 6 P M. and all of Section Three (3), in Township Sixteen (16) North, of Range Twenty-nine (29), West of the 6 P M., all of which said lands being located in Lincoln County, Nebraska. That I will offer said lands as a whole in one tract and that I will offer said lands in two parts, one being all of Section Five (5), in Township Sixteen (16) North, of Range Twenty-eight, West of the 6 P. M. ; the other being all of Section Three (3), in Township Sixteen (16) North, of Range Twenty-nine (29), West of the 6 P M. If the bid upon the whole of said two sections exceeds the highest total bids upon each of said two sections I will accept said bid for all of said lands; but if the said two highest bids upon the two separate tracts exceeds the highest bid for the whole of said lands I will accept said bid upon the two separate tracts.

Dated this 17th day of Dec. 1917.

d18j22 O. E. ELDER, Referee.

LEGAL NOTICE.

To Edna J. Kennison and —— Kinnison, her husband, first and real name unknown:.

You are hereby notified that Samuel Haynie, as plaintiff, commenced an action, against you as defendants, in the District Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, on December 14, 1917, the object of said action being to quiet title, in the plaintiff and against the defendant, to all of Section Nine (9), Township Nine (9), North of Range Thirty-two (32), West 6th P. M., as against clouds upon the title to said land caused by the recording of the following warranty deeds, purporting to convey said lands, to-wit:

A deed made by W. B. LeVeque and wife to T. E. Baldwin, dated and acknowledged on March 8, 1912, and recorded on October 29, 1912, in Deed Record A 12 at page 674 of the records of Lincoln county, Nebraska.

A deed made by said T. E. Baldwin to Finis E. Downing, dated December 17, 1912, and recorded on December 23, 1912, in Deed Record B 5 at page 11 of the records of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

A deed made by said Finis E. Downing and wife to the defendant Edna J. Kinnison, dated October 8, 1913, and recorded on January 3, 1914, in Deed Record B 6 at page 249 of the records of Lincoln County Nebraska.

And to cancel, annul and set aside said deeds, and to enjoin the defendants from asserting any claim of title or interest in or to the land above described,or any part thereof.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of January, 1918.

SAMUEL HAYNIE, Plaintiff,
By WM. E. SHUMAN, His Attorney.
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ROAD NO. 410.

To all whom it may concern:

The special commissioner appointed to locate a public road as follows:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of the Southwest quarter of Section twenty-five, township ten, range thirty-one and running thence east one mile on section line between Sections twenty-five and thirty-six in township ten, range thirty-one, connecting Roads No. 141 and 170, has reported in favor of the same as follows:

Beginning at the corner to Sections 25, 26, 35 and 36, T. 10 N., R. 31 W., and running thence east on line between Sections 25 and 36, said township and range, one mile to the corner to Sections 25 and 36, on range line to connect with Road No. 141.

All objections or claims for damages must be filed in the office of the County Clerk on or before 12 o'clock noon of the 6th day of March, 1918, or such road will be allowed without reference thereto.

Dated at North Platte, Nebraska, this 20th day of December, 1917.

A. S. ALLEN, County Clerk.

ROAD NO. 412.

To all whom it may concern:

The special commissioner appointed to locate a public road as follows:

Commencing at the Northeast corner of Section five, in township twelve north, range thirty west, in Lincoln County, and running thence west on the north section lines of Sections 5 and 6 to the northwest corner of Section 6, township 12, range 30 be established, has reported in favor of the same as follows:

Beginning at the N. E. corner of section 5, T. 12 N., R. 30 W., and running thence west two miles between Sec. 5 and 6, T. 12 N., R. 30 W., and Sections 31, 32, 33, T. 13 N., R. 30 W., to the N. W. corner of said section 6.

All objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the office of the County Clerk on or before 12 o'clock noon of the 7th day of March, 1918, or such road will be allowed without reference thereto.

Dated at North Platte, Nebraska, this 21st day of December, 1917.

A. S. ALLEN, County Clerk.

ROAD NO. 413

To all whom it may concern:

The special commissioner appointed to locate a public road as follows:

Commencing at the section line on the north of Sections nineteen (19) and twenty (20), running south a distance of 3 miles, between the following sections, Sections nineteen (19) and twenty (20) and sections thirty (30) and twenty-nine (29) and Sections thirty-one (31) and thirty-two (32), all in township thirteen (13), range thirty-four (34), Lincoln County, Nebraska, has reported in favor of the same as follows:

Beginning at the corner to Sections 17, 18, 19 and 20, T. 13 N., R. 34 W. of the 6th P. M., and running thence south on section line 3 miles between Sections 19 and 20, 29 and 30, 31 and 32, said township and range, terminating there. All damages or objections thereto or claims for damages thereto must be filed in the office of the County Clerk on or before 12 o'clock noon of the 6th day of March, 1918, or such road will be allowed without reference thereto.

Dated at North Platte, this 20th day of December, 1917.

A. S. ALLEN, County Clerk.

EXTENSION OF ROAD NO. 11.
(Re-advertisement.)

To whom it may concern:—

The special commissioner appointed to locate a road as follows:—

Commencing at Station No. 11 of Road No. 11 in the Southwest quarter of Section 4, township 14, north range 30 west of the 6th p. m., running thence in a northerly, northeasterly and northwesterly direction through the west one-half of said section 4 and through the west half of Section 33, township 15 north, range 30 west, ot the nortwest corner of said section 33, thence north on section line between sections 28 and 29 of said last township and range three-fourth of a mile, thence in a northeasterly, northerly and northwesterly direction through the northwest quarter of said section 28 and the southwest quarter of section 21 to the quarter section corner between sections 28 and 21 township 15 north, range 30 west, thence north on line between sections 20 and 21, 16 and 17 of said township and range to a point about 25 chains north of the corner of Sections 16, 17, 20 and 21, thence in a northeasterly direction through the west half of sections 16 and 9 through the southwest quarter and the east half of section 4 of said last township and range to a point on the north line of said section 4 about 20 chains west of the northeast corner of said section 4, thence northerly and westerly across sections 33 and 28, township 16, range 30 to the section line between sections 28 and 29, thence northerly along said section line between sections 28 and 29, and sections 21 and 20 to a point about one-fourth of a mile south from the northwest corner of section 21 and thence in a northwest direction across sections 20 and 17 to the northwest corner of section 17, thence on a west and north direction across sections 7 and 6 to a point on the north line of section 6 about one-fourth of a mile east of the northeast corner of Section 6, has reported in favor of the same as follows:

Beginning at Station No. 11 of Road No. 11 in the southwest quarter of section 4, township 14 north, range 30 west, running thence in a northeastely and northwesterly direction through the southwest quarter and the northwest quarter of said section 4, and through the southwest quarter and the west half of the northwest quarter of section 33, township 15 north, range 30 west, to the southwest corner of section 28, township 15 north, range 30 west, thence north on section line between sections 28 and 29 said township and range three-fourth of a mile, thence in a northeasterly and northwesterly direction through the northwest quarter of said section 28 and through the west one-half of southwest quarter of section 21, township 15 north, range 30 west, to the quarter section corner between sections 20 and 21, thence north on section line between sections 20 and 21 and between sections 16 and 17, said township and range, to a point about 30 rods south of the quarter section corner between said sections 16 and 17, thence in a northeasterly, northerly and northwesterly direction through the northwest quarter of southwest quarter, and the nortwest quarter of section 16 and through the southwest quarter of southwest quarter of section 9 to a point on line between sections 8 and 9, township 15 north, range 30 west, about 20 chains north of the southwest corner of said section 9, thence north on line between said sections 8 and 9 to a point about 108 rods south of the nortwest corner of said section 9, thence in a northeasterly direction through the northwest quarter of said section 9, and through the southeast quarter of southwest quarter and the west half of southeast quarter and through the west half of northeast quarter of section 4, township 15 north, range 30 west, to the north line of said section 4 about 22 chains west from the northeast corner of said section 4.

All objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the office of the County Clerk on or before 12 o'clock, noon, of the 18th day of February, 1918, or such road will be allowed without reference thereto.

Dated at North Platte, Nebr., this 11th day of December, 1917.

(SEAL) A. S. ALLEN,
d11j4 County Clerk.

NOTICE. OF SPECIAL. ELECTION IN EAST PLATTE PRECINCT.

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in East Platte Precinct, in Lincoln County, State of Nebraska, on the 29th day of January, 1918, at which the following proposition will be submitted to the voters of said East Platte precinct, to-wit:

"Shall the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Lincoln, state of Nebraska, issue Thirty thousand Dollars ($30,000.00) of 'East Platte Precinct Bridge Bonds', in denominations of One thousand ($1,000.00) Dollars each bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, interest and principal payable at the Office of the County Treasurer of Lincoln County, State of Nebraska, in the City of North Platte, Lincoln County, in the State of Nebraska.

Said bonds to bear date of March 1, 1918, and the interest on said bonds to be payable on the 1st day of September, 1918, and on the 1st day of March and on the 1st day of September of each and every year thereafter, until all of the interest on said bonds shall have been paid.

Said bonds to be numbered consecutively from 1 to 30 inclusive, and the interest thereon to be evidenced by coupons thereto attached.

Bonds No.'s 1, 2 and 3 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1929.

Bonds No.'s 4, 5 and 6 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1930

Bonds No.'s 7, 8 and 9 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1931.

Bonds No.'s 10,11 and 12 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1932.

Bonds No.'s 13, 14 and 15 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1933.

Bonds No.'s 16, 17 and 18 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1934.

Bonds No.'s 19, 20 and 21 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1935.

Bonds No.'s 22, 23 and 24 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1936.

Bonds No.'s 25, 26 and 27 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1937.

Bonds No.'s 28, 29 and 30 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1938.

And shall the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Lincoln, in the State of Nebraska, levy a tax in the year 1918, and in each and every year thereafter sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds, and sufficient to pay five per cent of the principal thereof as provided by law; and in the year 1928, and each and every year thereafter sufficient to pay the principal of said bonds as they become due, until sufficient tax has been levied to pay all of the principal of said bonds as provided by law; and such tax both for interest and principal to be levied upon all of the taxable property in said East Platte Precinct.

Said bonds to be used for the purpose of constructing a series of wagon bridges across the following streams, to-wit: the North Channel of the Platte River, the south slough of the Platte River, and the North and South branches of the Platte River, beginning at a point on the North bank of the north channel of the Platte River, where a continuation of Market street of the Village of Brady, Lincoln County, Nebraska, running in a southwesternly direction, intersects the north bank of the said North Channel of the Platte River, and then across said North Channel of the Platte River to a point on the south bank of said North Channel of the Platte River, where said line conects with the Public Highway No. 183; thence commencing on the north bank of the south slough on the Section line between Sections twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23) in township twelve (12) North, of range twenty-seven (27) West of the 6th P. M. then across said south slough to the south bank of said south slough connecting with Public Highway No. 43; thence commencing at the north bank of the North branch of the Platte River on said Section line between said Sections twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23), thence south across said north branch of the Platte River to the south bank thereof, connecting with said Public Highway No 43; thence commencing at the north bank of the South branch of the Platte River on said section line between said Sections twenty-two (22) and twenty-three (23), thence south across said south branch of the Platte River to the south bank therof; all of said bridges being approximately 2003 feet in length, more or less, and all being situate within said East Platte Precinct, and to be of sufficient width for two teams to pass each other at any point on said bridges, and to be constructed of concrete and steel, and to comply with the plans and specifications prepared and furnished by the State Engineer of the State of Nebraska, and said bonds to be approximately one-half of the entire cost of the construction of said bridges as heretofore set forth, and the entire cost of which is to be approximately sixty thousand Dollars ($60,000.00), one-half of which is to be borne by the State of Nebraska, Aid, as provided for in Article 5, Chapter 28, Sections 123 to 133 inclusive, of the Revised Statutes of the State of Nebraska, for the year 1913, and acts amendatory thereto, said amendatory acts being Chapter 57, page 150 of the Session Laws of the State of Nebraska, for the year 1915.

Should the State of Nebraska fail to grant such aid, then the bonds of said East Platte Precinct hereby ordered voted upon, shall not be issued.

The ballots to be used at said special election shall have printed thereon:

"For" issuing Thirty-thousand Dollars ($30,000.00), in "East Platte Precinct Bridge Bonds", in denominations of One thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) each bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, interest and principal payable at the Office of the County Treasurer of Lincoln County, State of Nebraska, in the City of North Platte, Lincoln County, in the State of Nebraska. Said bonds to bear date of March 1, 1918, and the interest on said bonds to be payable on the 1st day of September, 1918, and on the 1st day of March, and on the 1st day of September, of each and every year thereafter, until all of the interest on said bonds shall have been paid, and to levy a tax in the year 1918, and in each and every year thereafter sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds, and sufficient to pay five per cent of the principal thereof as provided by law; and in the year 1928, and each and every year thereafter sufficient to pay the principal of said bonds as they become due, until sufficient tax has been levied to pay all of the principal of said bonds as provided by law, and such tax both for interest and principal to be levied upon all of the taxable property in said East Platte Precinct.

"Against" issuing Thirty-thousand Dollars ($30,000.00), in "East Platte Precinct Bridge Bonds", in denominations of One thousand Dollars ($1,000.00), bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, interest and principal payable at the office of the County Treasurer of Lincoln County, State of Nebraska, in the City of North Platte, Lincoln County, State of Nebraska. Said bonds to bear date of March 1, 1918, and the interest on said bonds to be payable on the 1st day of September, 1918, and on the 1st day of March and on the 1st day of September, of each and every year thereafter, until all of the interest on said bonds shall have been paid, and to levy a tax in the year 1918, and in each and every year thereafter sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds, and sufficient to pay five per cent of the principal thereof as provided by law, and in the year 1928, and each and every year thereafter sufficient to pay the principal of said bonds as they become due, until sufficient tax has been levied to pay all of the principal of said bonds as provided by law, and such tax both for interest and principal to be levied upon all of the taxable property in said East Platte Precinct.

Those voting in favor of said proposition shall mark their ballot with an "X" before the paragraph beginning with the word "FOR" and those voting against said proposition shall mark their ballot with an "X" before the paragraph beginning with the word "AGAINST".

Said election shall be open at 8 o'clock A. M. and continue open until 8 o'clock P. M. of said day, and the polling places of said East Platte Precinct will be, at the School house on Section three (3) in township eleven (11) North, of range twenty-seven (27) West of the 6 P. M. at which all of the voters living in said precinct south of the south branch of the south channel of the Platte River in said Precinct will cast their ballots, and at the Woodman Hall in the Village of Brady, in said Precinct, at which all voters living in said Precinct and residing north of the south bank of the south branch of the south channel of the Platte River shall cast their ballots, on the 29th day of January, 1918."

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County, State of Nebraska, made on the 24th day of December, 1917.

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