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Must Examine Draft Men.

Local exemption boards have been warned by Capt. Walter L. Anderson, in direction of Governor Neville, to get busy with physical examination of men so that they will not be caught napping when a call for drafted men is made.

Increase in Cost of Living.

According to the bureau of labor statistics of the department of labor, in the year from November 15, 1916, to November 15, 1917, prices of food as a whole advanced 23 per cent.

The Army Strength.

There were 1,428,650 enlisted men and 110,865 officers in the United States Army at the opening of 1918, more than one and a half as large as any force ever before mobilized by the Nation.

Miss Ruth Beecher Engaged.

The Lincoln Journal of last Sunday contained a photo of Miss Ruth Allen Beecher formerly of this city, and the following announcement:

The engagement of Miss Beecher to Lieut. A. A. Brian of the Fortieth United States Infantry, stationed at Fort Sheridan, has been announced by her parents, Bishop and Mrs. George Beecher of Hastings, Minn.

Nebraska's Feeding Ability.

Food Administrator Wattles makes the statement that for every man, woman and child in Nebraska the state produced last year 700 pounds of meat, 647 pounds of flour and 112 pounds of sugar.

GERMAN AGENTS ATTEMPT TO DESTROY U. S. WHEAT CROP.

Germany's latest attempt to destroy the wheat crop of California and other states has taken the form of shipment to this country of powerful poisonous pollen to be distributed by German agents here in such a manner as to kill the entire wheat output of this state.

For Sale—Two lots and two houses.

one ten room and one five room, all modern except heat. Will trade for land. Inquire of J. Habler, 1007

GERMANY WANTS PEACE BUT PEACE WITH VICTORY.

A telegram from Rotterdam says all railroad passenger traffic in Germany is being reduced 60 per cent. Correspondents sending the reports say that there is every reason to believe the transfer of troops to the western front is the reason, adding that it is reported these troops are to be moved suddenly for concentrated offensive.

The shortage of coal in Berlin is another source of trouble. After enumerating the difficulties, the Times' correspondent writes:

"Nothing but the iron grip of Prussian militarism restrains the nation from making more pronounced advances to its adversaries than any which have yet been made.

The Germans are longing for peace, but they want peace with victory. They no longer abuse their enemies as in the early days of the war.

Doubtless the shortage of supplies has much to do with the change of mental attitude. The proudfess of the discipline of fasting. This accounts for very much in recent developments of German policy.

News of Neighboring Counties. Rev. Maynard, Methodist minister at Chappell built a fire in the range when the pipes were frozen, there was an explosion that shattered the window lights, filled the room with flying iron and the minister escaped injury only by having stepped out of the room a minute before the explosion occurred.

Arthur Peterson, who had been mentally deranged for some time, hanged himself with a long leather strap attached to a fence post on his mother's farm in the north part of Dawson county.

A Lewellen man has gone the limit by purchasing one thousand dollars worth of thrift stamps.

The Lewellen national farm loan association has loaned \$37,000 on Garden county land and the officers hope to reach the \$100,000 mark in a few months.

E. M. Searle, Jr., has sold his interest in the Citizens' Bank of Ogallala to C. L. Contryman, who has been cashier of the bank for the past nine months.

The men of Keith county have organized a home guard with A. F. Kehr captain, J. H. Class first lieutenant and L. W. Harrington second lieutenant.

Obituary. Francis Elizabeth Snyder was born April 4th, 1834, in Bath, New York. When three years of age she moved with her parents to Upland, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Snyder left Indiana about two years after their marriage, moving to Missouri in 1855. After living there two years they came to Nebraska in 1857 where they have lived ever since.

Mrs. Snyder had been a resident of Lincoln county for thirty-five years and of Nebraska sixty years the sixth day of last March. To their union nine children were born: Mary Ellen, who died eighteen years ago; George Snyder, of Maxwell; Emily Erazus, of Syracuse, New York; Alice Kaiser, who died forty-two years ago; John Snyder, of Maxwell; Anna McCullough, of Brady; Albert, of McPherson county; and Pearl, of Maxwell, who has always lived with her parents.

Besides the children, her husband, Jeremiah Snyder, and one brother, Winslow Miles, of Hartford City, Indiana, thirty-four grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren are left to mourn her loss.

Mrs. Snyder had been a member of the Methodist church for over sixty years, and was loved and respected by all who knew her.

Iron Cross for Mrs. Hobbs. Mrs. E. L. Hobbs should be awarded or decorated with the iron cross. Having come to Ogallala from Brule, with her big load, in an overland, on one of the worst days Keith County has seen in years, in order to be in time, with the Brule contribution of knitted goods for the Red Cross shipment.

The road was so badly drifted with snow that they were compelled to shovel their way for several miles. Patriotism of this self-sacrificing kind certainly deserves the commendation of patriotic Keith County. The soldiers who will wear these comforts would certainly appreciate them if they knew the discomforts they have caused.—Keith County News.

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W. A. CAUFFMAN, AUCTIONEER.

Terms reasonable guarantee satisfaction. For dates see J. F. Clabaugh, North Platte. Phone 201.

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Sheep and Cattle FOR SALE. Farmers this is the year and the time of the year to get stock to eat up your rough feed. I have on hand and for sale 3000 feeding lambs and ewes, and 500 cattle. Come and talk to me.

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In the District Court of the United States, for the District of Nebraska, North Platte Division.

In the matter of Jacob J. Gettman, Bankrupt. Case No. 54, In Bankruptcy, Voluntary Petition.

Order of Referee on Proceedings for Discharge. At North Platte in said district on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1918, before Walter V. Hoagland, referee in bankruptcy.

This cause came on for hearing on filing and reading of petition of the above named bankrupt for his discharge hereinafter and it is ordered that the 18th day of February, 1918, be and the same day is hereby fixed as the date on or before which all creditors of, and all other persons interested in said estate and in the matter of the discharge in bankruptcy of the said bankrupt shall file in my said office at North Platte, in said district, their appearance in writing in opposition to the granting of said discharge, and also within ten days thereafter file in my said office specifications on the ground of said opposition.

Witness my hand hereto at my office in North Platte, Nebraska, the day and date herein first above written. WALTER V. HOAGLAND, Referee in Bankruptcy.

NOTICE. I, Benton Taylor, defendant, will take notice that on the 9th day of October, 1917, plaintiff filed his petition in the district court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, against said defendant, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain tax sale certificate dated November 4, 1912 for taxes in the sum of \$19.41 for the year 1911, on Section 7, Township 15, Range 25, Lincoln County, Nebraska, also subsequent taxes legally levied on said land, paid as follows:—May 1, 1913, \$24.44, taxes for the year 1913; May 1, 1915, \$29.12, taxes for the year 1914; May 1, 1916, \$28.87, taxes for the year 1915; May 1, 1917, \$26.32, taxes for the year 1916. That there is now due on said land the sum of \$22.83, for which sum, with interest from this date plaintiff prays for a decree that defendant be required to pay the same, or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

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

Dated this 5th day of January 1918. By A. Muldoon, Plaintiff's Attorney. J15-18.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Department of the Interior. Serial No. 05085 U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb.

Notice is hereby given that Philip L. Burwood, of Somerset, Neb., who on May 16, 1914, made Homestead entry No. 05085, for N 1/2 of SW 1/4 section 15, township 15, N., range 31, 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 16th day of Feb., 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Perry O. Mullikin, of Somerset, Neb.; W. M. Drury, of Somerset, Neb.; Jay Lawyer, of Somerset, Neb.; John Pullis, of Somerset, Neb. J1215

NOTICE. To Arthur Battles, Hannah Battles, Richard E. Spelts and — Spelts, his wife, first and real name unknown. You and each of you are hereby notified that George E. Warren has commenced an action against you in the District Court of Lincoln County, to foreclose a certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by Arthur Battles and Hannah Battles to the U. S. Live Stock Company, conveying the north one-half of Section seventeen (17), township sixteen (16), north of range thirty-two (32), west of the 6th P. M., Lincoln County, Nebraska, which said mortgage and notes secured thereby were for value on the 19th day of July, 1912, transferred and assigned and set over to George E. Warren, who is now owner in good faith thereof.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 18th day of Feb. 1918. George E. Warren, By E. C. Hodder, J15-18.

NOTICE. To M. A. Johnston, first name unknown and wife Melvina Johnston, Edwin A. Morgan and Bertha Morgan, and J. W. Kirks, first name unknown and Callie S. Kirks, his wife and C. W. Cameron, first name unknown and — Cameron, his wife, first name unknown: You are hereby notified that George Van Zandt has filed his petition in the District Court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, against you and each of you, impleaded with others, the object and prayer of which said petition is to foreclose a certain mortgage made and executed by M. A. Johnston, first name unknown and Melvina Johnston, his wife, upon the following described lands situated in Lincoln County, Nebraska, to-wit: South Half (S 1/2) of Section Seven (7), Township Eleven (11), N. Range Thirty-three (33), West of the 6th P. M. and the amount claimed to be due plaintiff upon said mortgage is the sum of \$1,631.83.

You will make answer to said petition on or before the 18th day of February, 1918, or your default will be taken and decree entered as in said petition prayed. George Van Zandt, Plaintiff. J81 By Evans & Evans, his attorneys.

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My best reference, I'm always dated ahead. L. M. McCLARA AUCTIONEER. OGALALLA, NEB. Phone at my expense for dates.

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 George W. Ruff is plaintiff and Alice D. Montgomery, William W. Montgomery, and Joseph A. Markee are defendants, and to me directed, I will on the 16th day of Feb., 1918, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the east front floor of the Court house in North Platte, Lincoln County, Nebraska sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said decree, rendered in said court in favor of the plaintiff and also the decree rendered in favor of the defendant and cross-petitioner Joseph A. Markee, with interest thereon, the following described property: The North West quarter, of section twenty, and the West half of section twenty-nine, in township thirteen, North of range thirty, West of the 6th P. M., and also the following: Commencing at the South East corner of section nineteen, in township thirteen, North of range thirty (30), West, thence West five chains along South line of said section; thence North Parallel to West line of said section thirty (30) chains, thence East two chains; thence North thirteen chains; thence West two chains; thence North East parallel to the South line of the North East quarter (NE 1/4) of the North East quarter of section, out 66 South of said line section, to a point on the East line of said section thence South along East line of said section to beginning corner of said section, in Lincoln County, Nebraska, as shown on plat attached hereto. Dated North Platte, Nebraska, Jan. 9th, 1918. A. J. SALISBURY, Sheriff. J15-18

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Estimate of Expense. Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of January, 1918, the county commissioners of Lincoln County, Nebraska, proceeded to make and enter a decree to make the following estimate of expenses for the year 1918:

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Osgood Precinct bridge bond \$750.00 Birdwood bond and interest 1,500.00 S. P. B. bond and interest 1,500.00 Platt bond and interest 1,500.00 Bostwick bond and interest 500.00 Hershey bond and interest 500.00 East Platte Precinct bond and interest 2,000.00 School Districts

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F. W. HERMINGHAUSEN, S. J. KOCH, Commissioners.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Department of the Interior. Serial No. 05330 U. S. Land Office at North Platte, Neb.

Notice is hereby given that Homer W. Hamm, of North Platte, Neb., who, on Sept. 26, 1914, made Homestead entry, No. 05330, for NW 1/4 Section 24, Township 18 N., Range 25 W. 8th 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 February, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Silas Little, of North Platte, Neb.; C. H. Schaeffer, of Stapleton, Neb.; Wm. Stapleton, of Stapleton, Neb.; Robert Battle, of Stapleton, Neb. E. J. EAMES, Register. d25-6w

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 25th 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 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 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 "AGAINST" 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 place 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 6th 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 north of the channel of the Platte River, and east of the south branch of the south channel of the Platte River, shall cast their ballots, on the 25th 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. A. S. Allen, County Clerk. d2724

E. W. FETTER, Physician X RAY

Office: First National Bank Building. 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 Louis L. Stoll is plaintiff, and L. N. Stritt Matter, et al. are defendants, and to me directed, I will on the 23rd day of February, 1918 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:

All of sections one (1) and three (3) in township sixteen (16) north of range thirty-one (31) west of the 6th P. M.

Dated North Platte, Neb., Jan. 19th, 1918.

A. J. SALISBURY, Sheriff. NOTICE.

Hessie Scudder and Sarah Mullikin, defendants, will take notice that on the 9th day of October, 1917, plaintiff filed his petition in the district court of Lincoln County, Nebraska, against said defendants and each of them, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain tax sale certificate dated November 4, 1912, for taxes in the sum of \$5.62 for the year 1911, on the South-west quarter (SW 1/4) of section nineteen (19), Township fourteen (14), Range twenty-eight (28), Lincoln County, Nebraska, also subsequent taxes legally levied on said land, paid as follows:—May 1, 1913, \$3.74, taxes for the year 1913; May 1, 1915, \$3.92, taxes for the year 1914; May 1, 1916, \$3.92, taxes for the year 1915; May 1, 1917, \$5.87, taxes for the year 1916. That there is now due on said land the sum of \$5.62, for which sum, with interest from this date plaintiff prays for a decree that defendants be required to pay the same, or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

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

Dated this 14th day of January, 1918. M. DRURY, Plaintiff. By A. Muldoon, His Attorney. J15-18.

NOTICE OF DECREE OF HEIRSHP. Estate No. 154 of Minnie E. House, deceased, in the county court of Lincoln County, Nebraska.

The heirs, creditors and all persons interested in the said estate will take notice that on the 11th day of January, 1918, Minnie E. House, an heir of said decedent Minnie E. House, filed her petition herein alleging that the said Minnie E. House died intestate, and that about January 19th, 1916, a resident of Brule County, South Dakota, and that the time of her death was the owner of, or had an estate in inheritance in Lots 4, 5, 6, Block thirty-five (35) in North Platte, Town lot Company's addition to North Platte, Nebraska, in said Lincoln County, Nebraska, and that no application has been made in the State for the appointment of an administrator. That she left surviving her only child, the entire one-half of the residue of her estate, a husband, age 55, residing at Chamberlain, S. Dakota, John D. W. Lincoln, a brother, age 55, residing at North Platte, Neb.; Cora M. Clark, a sister, age 41, residing at Sandimas, Neb.; Emily M. Garrison, a sister, age 44, residing at North Platte, Neb.; May Wilcox, a niece, age 42, residing at Sandimas, Neb.

That all the debts of said decedent have been paid, and praying that regular administration be waived and a decree be entered barring creditors and fixing the date of her death and the degree of kinship of her heirs and the right of descent to said real estate.

Said petition will be heard February 15, 1918, at 9 o'clock a. m. at the office of the County Judge in said county. GEO. E. FRENCH, Co. Judge. Jan 22-18.

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City of North Platte, Lincoln County, in the State of Nebraska.

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Said bonds to be numbered consecutively from 1 to 30 inclusive, and the interest thereon to be evidenced by coupons thereto attached, and such coupons to be payable on the 1st day of March, 1920.

Bonds No's 4, 5 and 6 to become due and payable on the 1st day of March, 1920.</