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Democratic Ticket

For State Senator, 2nd District. JAS. P. BAKER. For State Representative, 7th Dist. JOHN MURTEY. For State Representative, 8th Dist. L. G. TODD. For County Clerk. FRANK J. LIBERSHAL. For County Register of Deeds. A. J. SNYDER. For County Treasurer. MIKE TRITSCH. For County Sheriff. W. M. BARCLAY. For County Commissioner, 2nd Dist. WM. J. STOHLMAN. For County Commissioner, 3rd Dist. J. H. FOREMAN.

When the Germans call the British "Crooks, criminals and cranks, And demon dogs, and devils!" The British answer "Thanks!" Lovers of Liberty on top. The first ad writer was Ananias. And they are going to remain there. The man with a Liberty bond is happy. The resident who is not American should move out.

Hope is the bill of fare from Belshazzar's feast donated to Lazarna. Foreigners came to this country for liberty, and now they don't want to assist in upholding that liberty. A woman's definition of a slacker is a man who says, "Oh, anything," when asked what he would like for dinner. There's only one thing wrong with the "Fit" and that is nobody comes to see you when you are down and out.

Peace Door Still Open, says Vienna—Headline. Marshal Foch is now unlocking the only peace door we care to enter. After the war Argentina expects to buy vast quantities of our cement for concrete construction. Laying a solid foundation for our trade? Ruthless, wanton destruction as they retreat, and renewed barbarity in Belgium is not a good way for the Boche to hasten peace by negotiation.

Mr. Baruch says that shipyards and gun plants lack over 300,000 workmen. Is it now time to do something to increase our labor supply beyond talking about it? If the genius who conceived the "fake" story of the bombardment of New York as a loan argument and cannot be otherwise restrained there ought to be a permanent refuge for him in a lunatic asylum. Jail would be better. When a man has filled out his questionnaire, answered all the questions contained therein and placed it in the mails, he feels as though he were on dress parade before the whole world and had nothing on but a summer nightshirt.

\$100 Reward, \$100 The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the system. The proposition here is a simple one: If you are suffering from Catarrh of the bladder, prostate or kidneys, get this medicine. It is guaranteed to cure you or your money is refunded. Write for free literature to J. C. Foley, 2330 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

Cass county went "over the top" on the Liberty loan, just as usual, and will repeat it when our country calls. "On the other hand," a little girl was heard to say this week. "right now is the best time to have the influenza, while everything's closed up and you won't miss nothin' by stayin' in." From the way our Cass county soldier boys are being promoted we will have our proportion of officers by the time the war closes. Well, there is no more deserving or braver boys on the face of the globe.

The right man in the right place is an appellation which may well be applied with reference to Andy Snyder, candidate for re-election as Register of Deeds. Mr. Snyder is familiar with every detail of this most important office, is courteous and obliging, and has made an ideal public servant. Few people who have not frequented the office of the County Clerk in the past year realize the vast amount of work which has devolved upon this office. In addition to the regular duties of the office, sufficiently onerous in themselves, Mr. Libershal, as secretary of the local draft board, has had to handle all questionnaires, and everything pertaining to the draft goes through this office. This work has required his attention not only during the day time but until the late hours of night. For this reason Mr. Libershal has not had the time to make an active campaign, but he deserves the vote of every patriotic citizen, irrespective of politics.

LINCOLN'S PEACE EFFORTS. Mr. Lodge's main contention seems to be that having even verbal intercourse with the German government under any circumstances is a sort of crime. That was not Lincoln's attitude toward the confederate government in the civil war. On July 18, 1864, President Lincoln sent Horace Greeley to Niagara Falls to meet confederate commissioners, and Mr. Greeley carried this note signed by Mr. Lincoln: "To whom it may concern: Any proposition which embraces the restoration of peace the integrity of the whole nation, and the abandonment of slavery, and which comes by and with an authority that can control the armies now at war against the United States, will be received by the executive government of the United States and will be met by liberal terms on other substantial and collateral points, and the bearer and bearers thereof shall have safe conduct both ways." Later in 1864, President Lincoln in person went to Fortress Monroe for a conference with an embassy sent by Mr. Davis from Richmond to discuss possible peace terms. It must be inferred that, if Mr. Lodge is consistent, he must think that by such acts Mr. Lincoln placed in dire jeopardy the union cause. For, now that the German chancellor publicly addresses to President Wilson a request that he "take in hand" the initiation of peace negotiations, the senator condemns the president for warily asking two questions before he goes a single step farther. Mr. Wilson can be comforted by the thought that he has done nothing more terrible in asking questions of Prince Maximilian than Abraham Lincoln did in sending Horace Greeley to Niagara Falls and then going himself to Fortress Monroe to meet confederate peace commissioners.—Springfield Republican.

LOOTERS FORCED TO LET GO. Not without reason did the German high command keep grim hold as long as possible on Lens. Its capture means coal not only for France, but for the American and British armies. France before the war produced not quite three-fourths of its coal, more than half the home yield coming from the Flemish basin, of which Lens is a vital railway cen-

ter. Exploitation of this basin in France and Belgium was as much part of the Prussian scheme of war threat as the annexation of the Briey district iron mines. The western and southern suburbs of Lens, including Lievin, have been in allied hands for months, but under fire. The capture of Lens itself releases its very important railway junction as well as further large groups of mines, such as the St. Auguste, Grand Conde and Avion. In France once more becoming mistress of its own resources an additional proof of the value of the united command is furnished by those American engineers and mining experts who stood ready, instantly upon the fall of Lens, to enter the mines left wrecked by the retreating Germans and restore them in the shortest possible time to operation. Bringing cheer for the French winter, aid for war industry and relief for tonnage, the capture of Lens is an event of the highest significance for the entire future of the war.—New York World.

Mr. L. G. Todd of Union, Democratic candidate for representative 8th District, is a successful farmer and stock raiser and thoroughly understands the needs of an agricultural community. Mr. Todd's services in the last legislature were a source of pride to his friends and distinction to himself. He is richly deserving of re-election. For the important office of County Commissioners, the Democrats present the names of Mr. Wm. J. Stohlman and Mr. J. H. Foreman. Messrs. Stohlman and Foreman are progressive, successful and men of wise business experience. They can be depended upon to administer the affairs of Cass County with the same excellent judgment and discretion they have exercised in managing their own affairs.

Mr. James P. Baker, of Dunbar, Democratic Candidate for State Senator for the district comprising Cass and Otoe counties, although heretofore not possessing an extensive acquaintance in Cass County, has made many friends during his short canvass. Mr. Baker is a gentleman of more than ordinary intelligence and ability, and will, if elected, make a splendid representative for this district. During the last session of the legislature, it was universally conceded that John Murtey was one of the strong figures in the legislative halls. As a usual thing it is impossible to persuade one of Mr. Murtey's ability to give his time serving his constituents in the legislature, and the voters of Cass County are indeed fortunate in having the opportunity to cast a ballot for a man like John Murtey. Candidates, seeking to mask their own inherent lack of capabilities, very often carry on a campaign by innuendoes and surreptitious vilification. However, this will not be effective as regards a sterling American such as Mike Tritsch. Mr. Tritsch is a Nebraska product, born and raised in Cass County. He is not a politician or glad-hander, but is one of the most, if not the most competent County Treasurers in the State of Nebraska. GREATLY IMPROVED. From Wednesday's Daily. Aura Lorene Franks, the little four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Franks is reported as being greatly improved. She has been quite ill for the past week but is still confined to her bed. Mrs. Julia Thomas of Omaha who was called here to assist in the nursing of her little granddaughter returne dto her home in Omaha last evening. CAR LOAD APPLES. Car of large selected number one New York Baldwin and several other winter varieties in U. S. standard Bushel Baskets \$2.50 bushel, car bulk Baldwins, culls out \$1.50 bushel. Send orders at once. Will advise when they arrive. Johnson Bros. Nebr. City. 24-1tw



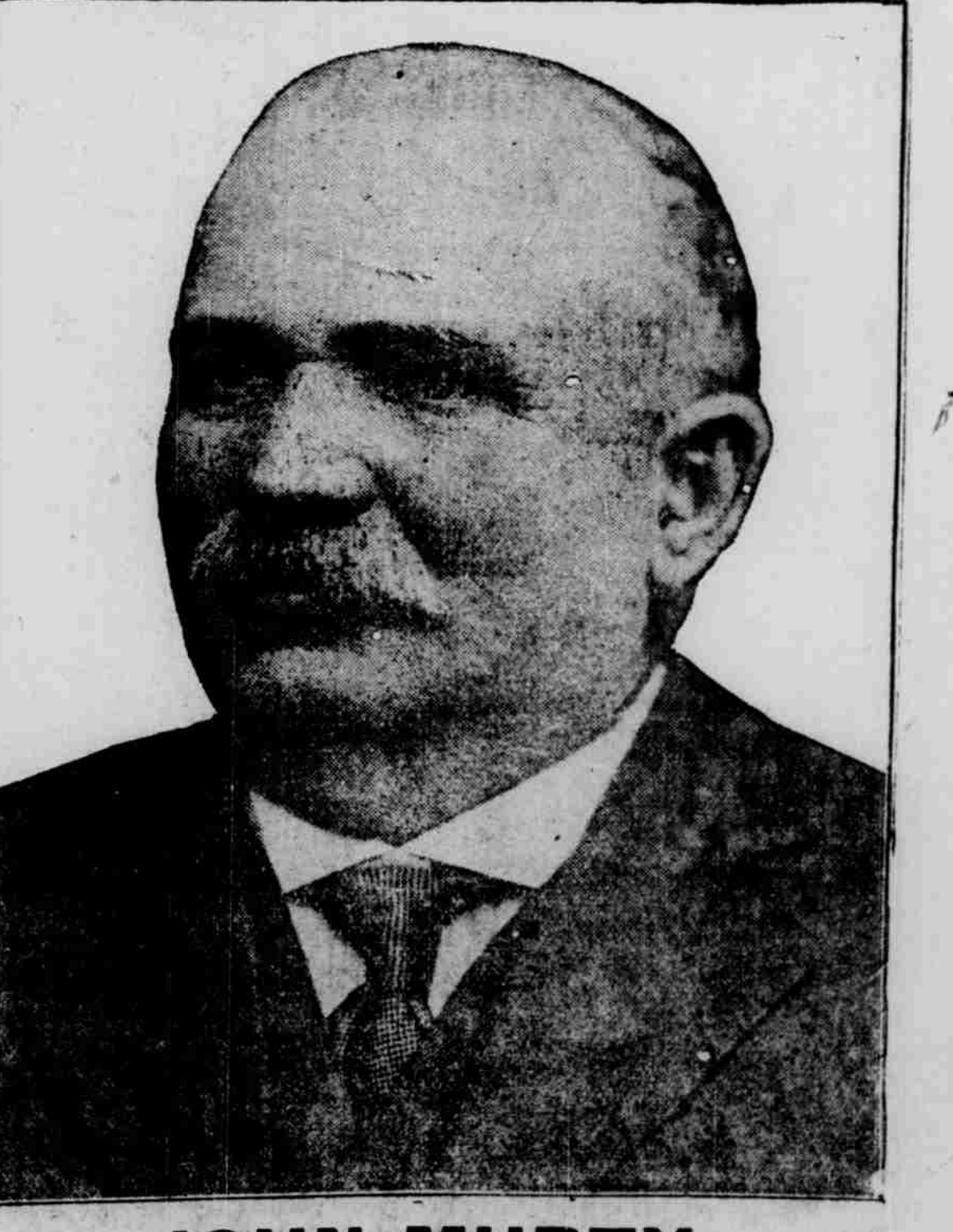
L. G. TODD, Democratic Candidate for Float Representative CASS AND OTOE COUNTIES

LEGAL NOTICE. Notice to Non-Resident Defendants, Their Heirs, Legatees, Devisees, Personal Representatives and all Persons Interested in their Estate, or their Successors: To the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of George E. Harding, deceased, William H. Price, Wm. M. Price, Albert Kelley, executor of the last will and testament of George E. Harding, deceased, if living, if deceased, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of each of them respectively or their successors. You and each of you are hereby notified that William F. Schliefert, as plaintiff, on the 21st day of September, 1918, filed his petition in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, wherein you and each of you are defendants, the object and prayer of which petition are that you and each of you, and all persons claiming by, through or under you adversely to plaintiff, be adjudged to have no interest, right, estate or lien in or to: This Northwest Quarter of Section seventeen (17), Township Eleven (11), Range Eleven (11), Cass County, Nebraska. For any part or portion thereof, and that the plaintiff, William F. Schliefert, together with his grantors be adjudged to have been in the adverse possession of said land for more than ten years last past, and that the legal title thereto has become fully vested in William F. Schliefert, notwithstanding the claims of you and each of you, or anyone claiming by, through or under you, and that the title to said land be forever quieted in the said William F. Schliefert, as against you and each of you, and that each and all of the defendants named, and those whose names are unknown and not stated, be forever barred from claiming or asserting any right, title, interest or estate in and to said real estate, or any part thereof, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem just and equitable. Each of you are further notified you are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 2nd day of December, 1918. WILLIAM F. SCHLIEFERT, Plaintiff. C. A. RAWLINS, Attorney. 10-14-1w

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE COUNTY OF CASS, NEBRASKA. John W. Crabill and George A. Meisinger, plaintiffs. W. D. Merriman, first real name unknown, et al, defendants. NOTICE OF SUIT TO QUIET TITLE. To the defendants, W. D. Merriman, first real name unknown; Mrs. W. D. Merriman, first real name unknown; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of W. D. Merriman, first real name unknown, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Selden N. Merriam, also known as S. N. Merriam, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of Lydia Merriam, deceased; A. E. Alexander, first real name unknown; John Doe, Alexander, first real name unknown, husband of A. E. Alexander; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of A. E. Alexander, first real name unknown, deceased; the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, personal representatives and all other persons interested in the estate of John Magge, deceased; the County of Cass, Nebraska; the unknown owners and unknown claimants of lots one (1) and two (2) in block ten (10) in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska. You are hereby notified that on the 4th day of October, A. D., 1918, plaintiff filed his suit in the District

Court of the County of Cass, Nebraska, to quiet plaintiffs title to the above described lots, to-wit: Lots one (1) and two (2) in block ten (10) in the City of Plattsmouth, Cass County, Nebraska, because of their adverse possession by themselves and their grantors for more than ten years prior to the commencement of said suit and to enjoin each and all of you from having or claiming any right, title, lien or interest, either legal or equitable, in or to said lots or any part thereof; to require you to set forth your right, title, claim, lien or interest therein, if any, either legal or equitable, and to have the same adjudged inferior to the title of plaintiffs and for general equitable relief. This notice is made pursuant to the order of the court. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, November 18, 1918, or your default will be duly entered therein. JOHN W. CRABILL and GEORGE A. MEISINGER, Plaintiffs. W. A. ROBERTSON, Attorney for Plaintiffs. 10-7-1w

Stopped Her Baby's Cough. No remedy is better known than Foley's Honey and Tar for giving quick relief from coughs, colds and croup. Mrs. W. M. Stevens, Vivian, W. Va., writes: "My baby had a terrible cough, and nothing did him any good. I read about Foley's Honey and Tar, the first dose helped him and in two days the cough stopped. Sold everywhere. Journal Want-Ads Pay!"



JOHN MURTEY, Candidate for State Representative on the Democratic Ballot for Re-Election. Your Support Will Be Appreciated at the November Election