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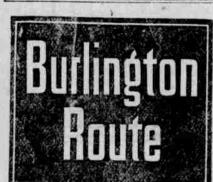
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E. Marwell, and Edwin E. Maxwell, E. Marwell, partners doing business as S. A. Maxwell & Co., and Joseph Z. Briscoe, defendants.

To Samuel Marwell, Charles E. Marwell and Edward E. Maxwell, partners doing business as S. A. Maxwell & Co., and the Ballou State Banking Company, non-resident defendants, you will take notice that on the 28th day of June, A. D., 1835. The Woonsocket Institution for Savings, plaintiff herein, filed its petition in the District Court of Lancaster County, Nebraska, against the above named defendants, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain real estate mortgage executed by the defendants, Flora E. Grimes and Hichard S. Grimes on the Sth day of May, A.D., 1889, to the defendant, the Ballou State Banking Company, upon lots lots number one (1), two (2), three (3) and four (4), in Lincoln Land Company sub-division of lots one (1) and two (2), in block number one hundred and four (104) in the city of Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska.

To secure the payment of one promissory note dated May 8, 1889 for the sum of \$7,500.00, dus and payable May 1, 1894, with interest at the rate of 6½ per cent per annum, payable semi-annually according to the terms of ten interest notes thereto attached for the sum of \$243,72 dollars each.

That there is now due and payable upon eaid

annualy according to the terms of the num of \$243.72 dollars each.

That there is now due and payable upon said notes and mortgage \$7.743.75 dollars, and ten per cent interest thereon from May 1, 1853, and also the further sum of \$565.43 dollars, as and for the tax and assessment paid by the plaintiff on said premises to protect its security, and the further sum of \$90.00 for insurance paid by plaintiff on said premises, under the conditions in said mortgage, with interest on said sums from date of payment. Said mortgage was filed for record in the office of the Register of Beeds of Lancaster County, on May 22, A.D., 1883, on Rook 52 of Mortgages, at page 565. That said notes and mortgages and the moneys due thereon was on June 1, 1883, duly assigned by the isaliou State Banking Company to the plaintiff herein who ever since has been and still is the owner and holder of the same.

Plaintiff alleges that all of said defendants claim to have some interest in said mortgage premises. Plaintiff asks to have said interest decreed to be subsequent and junior to plaintiff's mortgage, and that said mortgage be foreclosed and said real estate be sold to satisfy the amount due plaintiff on said note and mortgage, and for taxes and insurance paid, and an attorney's fee for foreclosure and tax lien, and that a receiver be appointed to collect the rents and profit of said premises. That defendants be foreclosed of the equity of redemption or other interest in said mortgaged premises, and for a deficiency judgment and for such other relief as equity and justice may require.

You are hereby required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 23d day of September, 1895.

WOONSOCKET INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS, By WM Lease,

By WM. LEASE. Its attorney.

Sheriff Sale.

Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of an order of sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of the Third Judicial District of Nebraska, within and for Lancaster county, in an action wherein E. J. Burkett is plaintiff, and John Strine, et. al. are defendants. I will, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1886, at the east door of the court house, in the city of Lincoin, Lancaster county, Nebraska, offer for sale at public suction the following described real eatate to-wit:

real estate to-wit; Lots numbered eight (8) nine (9) and ten (10) the Ciry of Lincoln, Lancaster county, Nebraska Given under my hand this .1st day of August. A. D. 1805.

FRED A. MILLER. Sheriff. 1115

Sheriff Sale.

Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of an order of sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of the Third Judicial District of Nebraska. within and for Laucuster county, in an action wherein Security Savings Bank is plaintiff, and Henry A. Poston and Mattie Poston are defendauts, I will, at 2 o'clock p m., on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1835, at the east door of the court house, in the city of Lincols, Lancaster county, Nebraska, offer for sale at public auction the foilowing described real estate to-wit:

LINE

Lot numbered fourteen (14) in block eighty-six (86) in the original town, now city of Lincoin, Lancaster county, Nebraska.

Given under my hand this 9th day of August.

A. D. 1895.

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DEATH IN A WASHOUT.

Killed-The Line Disabled.

NEOSHO, Mo., Sept. 10.-A special

John Fore, the engineer, was killed. He lived at Pittsburg and left a wife and four children. William Fitzgerald, fireman, was also killed. He was unmarried. Jasper Rowe, brakeman, was badly injured in the back.

It is thought that there was a cloudburst in the vicinity. Several other washouts are near and train service will be abandoned for several days.

A Woman on a Brake Beam.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Sept.10 .- A woman dressed as a boy was found on a brake beam under a car near Daggett. She had crossed the desert in that way. She was brought here. She refused to disclose her identity, but said that she and her husband had been living in an eastern city and he had deserted her, taking with him their little girl. She heard that he was in Oregon and had placed the girl in an orphanage, and being without means, she had started out to beat her

The "Ghosts" Wounded.

MASSILLON, Ohio, Sept. 10. - For some time the residents of Prospect street have been annoyed by what superstitious people call a ghost. Last night Frank Webb and William Conrad. wishing to have some sport, dressed themselves to represent the ghost. Henry Ryder, on his way home, saw the pair, and, thinking it was the much talked of ghost, fired at them. Webb received a flesh wound in the arm and Conrad got a ball in his heel. Neither is seriously, though painfully injured.

Personal Revenge Sought.

Paris, Sept. 10 -The Liberte says that the identity of the miscreat who attempted to explode a bomb in the vestibule of the Rothschilds' banking house on Thars-day has been discovered. He was formerly in the employ of the Northern railway company and belonged to an honorable family. He is a pro-fessed Anarchist, but was actuated by motives of personal revenge in his attempt to destroy the Rothschild bank Democratic National Committeeman for his dismissal from the Northern railroad's employ.

The New Sault Canal Opened. SAULTE STE MARIE. Mich., Sept. 10. -Traffic through the new Ca-

nadian ship canal commenced this

Catholic Women Favored.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10. - The Catholic university has decided to admit women as pupils in all the higher studies, embracing courses of science philosophy and the arts. The university heretofore has been available for priests alone. With the opening of the institution in October women students will also be accorded admission to the lectures and studies in the regular and special courses, though not permitted to matriculate and secure degrees.

Fraker Identified by His Sister. RICHMOND, Mo., Sept. 10.—Mrs. N. J.

Magruder, a sister of Dr. Fraker, arrived here yesterday morning from Atbrother. She denied the published story that she had offered to refund to the insurance companies the money she had received, and said she had not yet decided what disposition to make

One Victim of the Bridge Wreck. CHEROKEE, Kan., Sept. 10.-Miss Annie Moore of Webb City, Mo., who was in the Memphis railroad wreck seven miles west of here Saturday evening when the train went through the bridge and be taken to Webb City for burial.

A New Receiver Named. PERRY, Ok., Sept. 10.-On applica-

tion of the Central Trust company of Dallas, Texas, Judge Bierer has appointer "Shanghai" Pierce of Pierce station, Texas, receiver for the Campbell commission company of Kansas City and Chicago. The property involved is 5,000 head of cattle, worth nearly \$200,000.

To Reclaim Arizona Land,

CHICAGO, Sept. 10 .- Henry Criss of lican national executive committee for along the Mexican border.

Alabama Silver Democrats to Meet. BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Sept. 10 .- S. W. John, member of the legislature for this county, has called a state Demoeratic silver convention to meet here Saturday in the Enid jail. He was unfor the purpose of carrying out the conscious many hours before his death recommendations of the Washington and made no confession, except that meeting to organize a movement in Shoemaker, a man now serving a life this state for silver.

Suicide to Avoid School.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Sept. 10 .- Oacenie Carroll, aged 16, and pretty and him as one of the murderers. popular, committed suicide at Afton to-day by shooting. A note said that her reason was that she did not want to go to school.

A Venerable Minister Dead.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.-The Rev. S. R. Beggs, one of the oldest Methodist ministers in Illinois, died at Plainfield to-day, aged 94.

A BAD WRECK IN KANSAS.

Engineer and Fireman on the Gulf Road Twenty People Burt on the Memphis, Near Monmouth.

CHEROKEE, Kan., Sept. 10 .- There train of four cars of ties and lumber were twenty people hurt in the wreck and a passenger coach on the Kansas of the Kansas City, Fort Scott and City, Pittsburg and Gulf railway was Memphis passenger train near Monwrecked five miles south of here at mouth, Kan., Saturday afternoon. 6:30 o'clock this morning by running Several were seriously hurt, while into a washout. In the coach was Superintendent Morley and several The wrecked train was due here at 5 o'clock. As the train neared the bridge over Indian Creek, one mile west of Monmouth, an axle on the rear coach broke. It ran 200 feet on the track and then tore loose from the train and rolled over into the back water of the creek.

By this time the train had reached the bridge, and was rocking fearfully. The baggage car tipped and crashed into the side timbers of the bridge. The structure, unable to stand the jar and strain, gave way, and the entire train pitched into the creek, twenty

The stream had been swollen by the recent heavy rains. The baggage car fell first and the front coach fell partially over it, thus preventing the passengers from being drowned. As it was, they were tumbled together at the end of the car.

With the first crash, caused by the broken axle, the excitement was most intense, and when the bridge gave way shricks and cries arose above the sound of breaking timbers. After the train had fallen over the men but slightly hurt broke open the windows in the side of the car uppermost and freed themselves. They then pulled out the wounded.

Among those seriously hurt are: Brakeman Morris, Cherryvale, Kan., who was in the smoking car at the time of the accident. He was badly bruised about the head and body; re-

covery doubtful J. W. Bray, Parsons, Kan., severely cut about the head. Mrs. Oliver, Pittsburg, Kan., an el-derly woman, afflicted with heart clergyman—Congregational if there is trouble, so severely shocked that her

condition is critical.

James Grayson, Pittsburg, Kan., two ribs broken. J. E. Crandall, superintendent Kansas and Texas Coal company.

Mrs. Harper, Parsons, Kan. Mrs. N. Morse, Webb City, Mo. Mrs. E. Stoworth, Webb City, Mo. Mrs. Betsford and child, Cherryvale,

Patrick Harmon, Engineer. George Emerson, conductor. Robert Black, brakeman.

A VOICE FROM COLORADO.

Thomas Scores the Administration.

and receiver of the land office, which warrant for the girl's arrest Captain morning, the first boat to lock through being the Uganda, bound down. The locks worked perfectly and a steady line of boats have been passing through all day. Besides the blowing of whistles of harbor tugs and boats in the hall of the building. It was removed to the fand office, which accused him of disloyalty to the Democratic committee of the national Democratic committee of the national Democratic committee to for Colorado, says: "If the party in national convention construes Clevelands to be synonymous with Democraty it needs no prophet to foreblowing of whistles of harbor tugs and boats in the vicinity, no public cast its certain fate. If the man who had stolen a set of harness. He will ceremonies were observed. The report of the closing of the locks Sundays is denied by the superintendent. It is certain face. If the man who had stolen a set of harness. He was port of the closing of the locks Sundays is denied by the superintendent. It is certain face. If the man who had stolen a set of harness. He was go to Omaha today to capture a map whom he believes took the harness. dust, is to be commended for his ac complishments, then is Ichabod writ-

ten upon our party future." HONORS TO PIEROLA.

Peru's New President Given an Ovation

in Lima. a gay spectaçle, the festival being in riding to town from his ranch accomhonor of the assumption of the office panied by his pack of hounds, Davis of president by Senor Nicola Pierola, started a big wolf and gave chase. To are crowded. The route to the palace the well and Davis, throwing off his is lined with troops and flags are fly-ing from all points, while along the after the wolf and killed him. He streets at different points arches have then realised that he could not get out been erected. The houses along the and his coat was found while he was route are covered with gay wreathes in the well. He finally succeeded in and bright flowers. President Pierola getting out by digging footholds in the lanta, Mo., and went at once to the made an attempt to go to the cathedral sides of the well with his spurs. county jail and promptly identified to attend mass, but he was obliged to Sheriff Holman's prisoner as her return unsuccessful, as the great crowd of enthusiastic people barred his passage and almost mobbed him in their

efforts to grasp his hand. COKERS MAY STRIKE.

Situation Throughout Pennsylvania Coke Regions Uncertain.

Uniontown, Pa., Sept. 10 .- The situation throughout the Coke regions is one of uncertainty, caused by the possibility of a general strike this week. A representative of a leading com- lighted. pany said the operators would not plunged into Lightning creek, died of her injuries last night. The body will insist that coke has advanced from 85 cents to \$1.30 per ton and the men's wages should be advanced proportionately. They further aver that a strike is inevitable unless the wages are advanced this week.

THIRTY MINERS LOST.

Caught by Fire in the Osceola Shaft at Calumet, Mich.

CALUMET, Mich., Sept. 10.-Two hundred and fifty men and boys were at work in the Osceola mine Saturday when fire broke out. Thirty lost their Nogales, Ariz., member of the Repub- still issuing forth from the mouths of shafts Nos. 1, 2 and 3, and show that that territory, has succeeded in form- the awful fire is still raging fiercely, Known as THE ing a \$5,000,000 syndicate to irrigate and the bodies of the thirty miners ELKHORN in Ne- and reclaim several hundred thousand entombed are still lying somewhere braska, is the Pioneer | acres of so-called arid land in Arizona | below the surface, without a doubt dead, suffocated by smoke and gas.

> Outlaw Zip Wyatt Dead. SOUTH ENID, Ok., Sept. 10 .- Zip Wyatt, alias Dick Yeager, the noted outlaw, train and bank robber, died sentence for murdering Townsend in Kingfisher county, is innocent. Townsend's widow and two children saw Wyatt before his death and identified

Insurgents Burn a Village.

HAVANA, Sept. 10.-Insurgents met the detachment of Amaro near Sagua La Grande and demanded its surrender. A refusal was given them, when they attacked, but were repulsed and four of their number killed and six wounded. They have burned the village, causing a loss of \$50,000. KILLED UNDER CARS.

Peter Schumnno Caught His Heel In Uncoupling Them.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Sept. 16 .-Early Saturday morning after Peter Schumann and five other Union Pacific section ir en had gone to work to load three cars with sand at the sand pit, just east of the Union Pacificshops. Schumann was run over by a flat car and sustained such serious and dangerous internal injuries that they resulted in his death two hours

Schumann and his fellow laborers had begun to move three flat cars, preparatory to loading them, and the inured man had stepped between two of the cars to uncouple them. Just as he lifted the pin his heel was caught and held his right leg on the rail, one wheel running over it lengthwise, and also severely bruising his hip. His left arm was also fractured, and at about 10 o'clock he died without having an opportunity to see his family. Schumann was an old-time employe. He leaves a wife and two children, aged twelve and nine years.

MRS. BELLAH AT IT AGAIN.

The Notorious Woman Defrauding Ne-

braska Ministers. .. EST POINT, Neb., Sept. 16 .- Mrs. Anna Bellah of Liberty, Mo., of fraud fame, is making the rounds of the smaller towns of Nebraska, pretending to be in search of a brother in this state and to have run out of eash through a delay. She claims to be preparing to meet her husband at Dubuque, Ia., and to want just enough money to take her there. In each case she presents a check which she says her husband has signed in case she should "run out of funds." The check is on the Market Street National bank, Philadel-phia, Pa., and signed "Joseph Bellah." one-because her "husband" is a member of Dr. Richards' church in Philadelphia. He is then asked to identity and indorse the check for her, which he usually does. Scores of these bo-gus checks have been protested by the above bank and they are receiving them every day.

The Unsofisticated.

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 16 .- Frank Miller was a stranger in Lincoln, and Effie Henderson took him in. He came to the city as a horseman at the county fair and also for the purpose of seeing the sights. He reported at the police station yesterday morning that he met a girl who gave her name as Effle or DENVER, Col., Sept. 10.-In a pub- Ethel Henderson. That was on Saturlished letter replying to criticisms of day night, and he accompanied her to Frank P. Arbuckle, chairman of the Democratic state central committee which he left in his shoe, and desiring to recover the money applied for a

Jumped in a Well After a Wolf.

CHADRON, Neb., Sept. 16 .- The mystery surrounding the coat and revolver found at the top of an old well near this city, and which were supposed to belong to B. B. Davis. a prominent druggist of this city, has been cleared LIMA, Peru, Sept. 10.-Lima presents up by the arrival of Mr. Davis. While

Omaha Waking Up. OMAHA, Sept. 16.—The illumination of the streets was tried Saturday night in preparation for carnival week. The scene was very brilliant and the throngs of people, who numbered at least 20,000, who gathered in the down town district to witness the sight were very much pleased. It is a common observation that at last Omaha is alive and ready to tell the world of the recovery of herself from her languor. The Bee building was very prettily

Tumbled From a Wagon. PIERCE, Neb., Sept. 16.-When starting to leave town Friday afternoon Mrs. Philip Fuesz and daughter, Mrs. C. H. Lucke, met with quite a serious accident. The tongue became detached from the neckyoke and the horses became frightened and started to run, pulling the ladies out of the buggy to the ground. Mrs Fuest was frightened, while Mrs. Lucke was in jured quite severely by her fall.

Thieves at a Farm House.

YORK, Neb., Sept. 16 .- Friday the farm house of William McCullough, two miles north of here, was broken into by thieves and an \$85 gold waten, a fine gold chain, a lot of jewelry, gloves and handkerchiefs were stolen. They ransacked the house thoroughly in search of money, but found none except a check for \$500 which they could not use and so left.

Thomas F. Bayard, United States ambassador to Great Britain, has accepted an invitation to lay the corner stone of the Congregational church at Gainsborough, England.

Caught Between Cars.

TABLE ROCK, Neb., Sept. 16.—Will L. Wood, brakeman on the south bound passenger train, was caught between the platforms while engaged in making a coupling and had his shoulder badly crushed. He was otherwise bruised but no serious results are apprehended.

TOPEKA, Kan., Sept. 16 .- A lodge of the Kremlin Odessa of the Imperial Order of Muscovites was instituted here lrst night by H. E. Pyle of Mc-Pherson. This is the third lodge of the kind in the world, the other two are in Ohio, one in Cincinnati another in Cleveland.

HILL SCORES ONE POINT.

No Injunction Against Great Northern and

Northern Pacific Consolidation Sr. Paul, Minn., Sept. 16 .- The Great Northern Railway company and J. J. Hill, its president, have won the first preliminary skirmish in the contest precipitated by Thomas W. Pearsall in his application for a preliminary injunction against the proposed consolidation of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railroads, made to Judge Sanborn of the United States circuit court, the judge denying the motion.

The next step will be to hear the case on its merits. Evidence will be introduced on behalf of each state and another decision by the court will be the end of that issue.

While this proceeding is a prelimi-nary one, the victory is none the less an important step toward the consummation sought by President Hill. The thorough investigation of the subject given by Judge Sanborn and his deductions seem to point to a clear right to continue the plan that has for so long occupied the attention of the business world.

Cincinnati Pickle Works Burned.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Sept. 16,-At 8:30 s'clock this morning an alarm of fire called the entire department to the river front, where the Jacob Weller pickle and vinegar works was found to be burning fiercely. In less than an hour the building and entire contents was destroyed, entailing a loss of \$195,000 and making the third time that the place has been burned out, twice while occupied by the Emery Bros., the present owners, as a candle factory.

CONDITION OF FRUIT.

What the September Government Report Shows.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The September government report on the condition of fruit says: Both apples and peaches show slight improvement, drought has caused dropping and the too rapid maturity of apples, but the damage has not been sufficient to alter the general average for the country. The average condition of apples is now 72, and of peaches 84.1. Grapes range from one-half to a full crop in the Eastern and Middle States, about three-fourths of the normal product being reported from New York. Figures are generally high in the South. About three fourths the usual product is indicated for Kansas and Nebraska. In the mountain and Pacific states conditions are generally high. Improvement is noted in the latter region except in California, where a debeing reported from New York. ion except in California, where a decline of 12 points is reported. The department's California agent reported the quality of the crop fully up to the average, but the quantity in many sections from 15 to 25 per cent short

Private Assaying Bids Rejected.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16 - Secretary Carlisle has decided to reject all bids submitted under the advertisements of the treasury department issued in June last for proposals for the sampling and assaying of imported ores, including lead. He is of the opinion that the sampling and assaying may be more effectively and economically conducted if the necessary facilties are furnished by the government, instead of private persons or corpora

Michigan Methodists Favor Women ANN ARBOR, Mich., Sept. 16 .- The conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, which embraces Eastern and Northern Michigan, has adopted a reswho was recently elected. The streets escape the dogs the wolf jumped into olution instructing its delegates to the general conference to vote for the admission of women as members of con-

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

The Columbian liberty bell left Chicago on its tour of the world. W. D. Dabney has resigned as solicitor for the state department.

San Francisco has quarantined against Honolulu on account of chol-George Rogers, who lived near Jacksonville, Ill., was murdered by burg-

lars.

Statistics show that American imports from Spain include garlic and The civil service has jumped upon an

examiner for taking part in a political convention. Dr. Burnett denies that he is seeking a divorce from Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett.

The Missouri W. R. C. elected officers and decided to meet at Eldorado Springs next year.

Two young men, named McAfee and

Clayton, were kil ed in a shooting scrape at McRae, Ark. Surgeon General Wyman states that the Pacific coast is well equipped to

quarantine against cholera. Professor Howard B. Grose of Chicago, will soon become editor of the Baptist Watchman of Boston.

Uncle Sam has served notice upon Spain that she must protect his missionaries in the Caroline islands. The engagement of ex-Governor

Oglesby's daughter to George Pull-man, jr., of Chicago is announced. Charles H. Key was hanged fer the murder of Smith L. McLaughlin in the Chickesaw nation July 2, 1894.

Over \$13,600,000 worth of stuff was imported from the cloth manufacturing districts of England last year. Washington politicians are much interested in the outcome of the im-

pending silver contest in North Caro-

London, Sep., 61 .- Since her marriage to Lord Beresford, the former Duches of Marlborough has gained ready admission to the smartest set of London. The prince of Wales has accepted an invitation to be a guest of Deep Den from Saturday, October 5, to the succeeding Monday.

Bob Fitzsummons says he will not step into the ring at Dallas unless he is assured of a \$20,000 interest in the kaleidoscope scheme. He says that Joe Vendig, manager of the Florida Athletic club, William A. Brady and Corbett have sold the right to operate the machine at the ring and that he is entitled to a share of the profits.