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Our Motto—"NO QUESTION IS EVER SETTLED UNTIL IT IS SETTLED RIGHT."—Hon. William J. Bryan.

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Geo. S. CHASE, - - - Editor.

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Hon. W. L. Hayward, Nebraska's Junior U. S. Senator was, on the 15th inst. stricken with apoplexy while he was in act of delivering an address at the Modern Woodmen picnic at Brownville. His condition was considered so serious that his family, and family physician were dispatched for and were conveyed by special train to the sick Senator's bedside.

Over 100,000 people are said to be starving to death in Porto Rico.

M. Labori, council for Capt. Dryfus, before the military court-martial which he is being tried, was shot in the back and probably fatally wounded on the 14th inst.

The smelter strikers of Colorado have finally called the strike off and will return to work, without gaining a single advantage. We believe if the laboring class who are not dealt fairly with, by the corporations and trusts, would use the ballot in an intelligent way it would bring more satisfactory results. That is the only legitimate way to fight extortionists.

The judicial district conventions of the Peoples Independent party and the Democratic party, will be held at Valentine Sept. 2nd, 1899 at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination two candidates for district judges.

The Democrats and Populists, each will be entitled to 3 delegates to the convention.

Day after tomorrow the Jacksonian Democratic Club of Omaha will give a reception at Syndicate park in that city. Hon. W. J. Bryan, and Champ Clark of Missouri will be present to address the Democracy. An invitation is extended to all to be present who believe in the principles of Thomas Jefferson and Andrew Jackson.

Richard Crocker, the successor of "Boss Tweed" for corruption, in New York City politics, has concluded that Bryan Democracy is the living, progressive Democracy, of the common people; the bone and sinew of the nation, and in an interview in London, declares he was wrong, relative to the Philippine war, expansion, Militarism. Of course he has not espoused all the Chicago Platform but, he endorses W. J. Bryan, who is the perfect embodiment of that Platform.

Bryan is Certain of Thirty States.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—Opinions gathered by the Journal for publication tomorrow morning indicate that thirty states are certainly for Bryan at the next Democratic national convention. —Daily Rocky Mountain News.

25 Cents to Jan. 1900.

In order to secure several new subscribers, The semi-Weekly State Journal will be mailed postpaid from now until Jan. 1, 1900 for only 25 cents. It is a big paper and this is a big offer. All through the fall campaign, up to 1900 for a quarter. Twice a week, and away ahead of the weekly. Its markets alone are worth this. Send in stamps. The sooner you send the more papers you will receive. Address, Nebraska State Journal, Lincoln, Neb.

Proceedings of County Convention of People's Independent Party.

The Peoples Independent Party county convention, met at the court house last Saturday as per call of Chairman and Secretary of their county central committee, with O. Christensen, in the chair and Grant Guthrie as secretary.

Sec. Guthrie read the call as published in the PRESS-JOURNAL, the past two issues.

On motion, M. J. Weber of White River, and J. C. Alexander of Sugar Loaf were elected as temporary chairman and secretary, respectively.

On motion, Low Wilson, and Charles Schiltz were appointed to conduct M. J. Weber and J. C. Alexander to their respective places as officers of the temporary organization Messrs. Christensen and Guthrie retiring to the body of the convention hall.

The chairman and secretary were requested to make a short speech, which they did and to the point, all listening with attention.

On motion, the chair appointed the following committees:

Credentials: Mosley of Sugar Loaf and Guthrie of Bowen.

Permanent Organizations: C. Christensen, of Montrose and Judge Wilson, of Bowen.

Committee on credentials reported five precincts represented as follows:

Bowen, Sugar Loaf, Montrose, Warbonnet and White River.

Committee on permanent organization reported that temporary organization be made permanent, after which the convention proceeded to elect delegates to the Judicial, Congressional and State conventions, which resulted as follows:

Judicial convention: A. P. Rosenburg, Grant Guthrie and L. L. Wilson.

Congressional convention: W. J. A. Rasm, Henry Parks and Charles U. Grove.

State convention: L. C. Lewis, J. C. Alexander, M. J. Weber, and John Mosley.

As Running Water failed to hold an election Nov. 7th last, it was moved and carried that the above precincts were entitled to one delegate based on the vote of 1897, also, that the precincts not represented in last Saturday's convention are requested to elect delegates to attend the adjourned convention Sept. 30 1899, subsequently decided, to meet in Harrison at the Court house on the above date at one o'clock, sharp.

### Labor Day Proclamation.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 12.—Governor Poynter today issued the following Labor day proclamation:

"State of Nebraska, Executive Chamber, Lincoln Aug. 12.—Recognizing the worth and dignity of labor the statutes of our state have provided that the first Monday in September of each year be set apart for a legal holiday, to be designated 'Labor day.' Upon that day it is intended that all places of business employing labor and those who earn their living by toil be permitted to celebrate and enjoy the day thus legally dedicated to them.

"Labor is the foundation of all progress. It is prior to and above capital, being its creator. In recognition of its importance this legal holiday is dedicated.

"Now, therefore, I, William A. Poynter, governor of the state of Nebraska, in compliance with the laws of the state, designate and proclaim Monday, September 4, 1899, Labor day.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the state of Nebraska, done at Lincoln this 12th day of August, 1899.

"W. A. POYNTER, Governor.  
"W. F. PORTER, Secretary of State."

### SCHOOL LAND.

I will hold a public auction for leasing school land in Sheridan county on Sept. 5th, and a similar auction for leasing land in Cherry county on Sept. 7th, both auctions to be held at the offices of the respective county treasurers, and the land will be sold under the following provisions of the new law:

If after using due diligence to lease said land, at an annual rental of six per cent, upon the appraised valuation, the Commissioner is unable to do so, he may offer the same for lease at less than the appraised valuation and lease it to the person or persons who will pay six per cent on the highest offered valuation, as annual rental, if, in his judgement, it is the best interests of the state to accept such bid.

Lists of these lands will be cheerfully furnished upon application.

I will also have auctions for leasing school lands in Blain, Box Butte, Grant, Garfield, Hooker, Logan, Loup, Sioux and Thomas counties Sept. 18th, and 30th, and I will cheerfully furnish lists of any of the lands to be offered at these auctions, and the dates thereof, upon application.

If any of these lists are desired please send me immediately, by Postal Card, your name and address, as well as the addresses of your friends who would like to have these lists, and specify the lists wanted.

J. V. WOLFE,  
Comr. Pub. L. & B.

## FINANCIAL POSERS FOR TEACHERS.

Following are 17 financial questions, propounded to the National Educational Association, recently in session at Los Angeles Cal., by James B. Lehigh July, 13 1899, which we will publish in three successive issues for the next three weeks and we hope every voter who will read them will give them earnest sincere consideration. Here are the 1st sections.

To the members of the National Educational Association: In connection with many other, I would be greatly pleased after adjournment of our convention now in session in this city, if you would kindly give early consideration to the following problems pertaining to the financial question if you can do so consistently with your position as public instructors:

Example 1—If the population of the globe is 1,500,000,000, and the gold in the world is \$3,000,000,000, how much gold is there to each inhabitant? Answer: \$2.

Example 2—If the gold and silver of the world aggregate \$8,000,000,000, how much gold and silver are there to each inhabitant? Answer: \$4.

Example 3—If the worlds annual production of gold is \$300,000,000, and half of this sum is required for the arts and commerce, how much would be available for coinage purposes? Answer: \$150,000,000, or 7 cents per capita.

(Continued next week.)

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A BEAUTIFUL ATTACHMENT • Imitating Stringed Instruments has been added to the well known Hospe  
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MADE IN OAK, WALNUT and HAWGANY  
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## WIND MILLS.

The undersigned is agent for the celebrated DAVID BRADLEY, WIND MOTOR, Improved Wind Mills, the best made. I am also prepared to furnish on short notice first class

Pumps, Pipes, Wood & Steel Towers, Tanks or anything in the line of pump repairs, AT LOWEST PRICES.

Write me for estimates before contracting elsewhere. You will save money by it. ADDRESS—JOHN S. ASHTON, Ardmore, S. Dak.

### NOTICE OF PROBATE OF WILL.

State of Nebraska, ss. County of Sioux, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of Patrick Murphy deceased: Whereas, Elizabeth Murphy of said county has filed in my office an instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of Patrick Murphy deceased late of said county and a petition praying to have the same admitted to probate, which will relates to both real and personal estate, whereupon I have appointed Monday, the 4th day of September, 1899 at one o'clock P. M. at my office in said county, as the time and place of proving said will, at which time and place you and all concerned may appear and contest the probate of the same. It is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to all persons interested in said estate of the pendency of the petition and the time and place set for hearing the same by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Sioux county PRESS-JOURNAL, a newspaper published in Harrison Sioux county in said state for three weeks successively previous to the day set for said hearing.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this 7th day of August 1899.

ROBERT WILSON, County Judge.

(A true copy.)

### NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANTS.

McKinley Lanning Loan and Trust Company, a corporation, Commercial Investment Company, a Corporation, Nebraska Security Company, a Corporation, defendants, will take notice that on the 2nd day of August, 1899, Sarah Jordan, plaintiff herein, filed her petition in the district court of Sioux County, Nebraska, against McKinley Lanning Loan and Trust Company, Commercial Investment Company, Nebraska Security Company, corporations, defendants, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose the tax liens hereinafter described.

In its cause of action stated in said petition the plaintiff seeks to foreclose a tax lien upon the south east quarter of Section twenty (20) Township thirty three (33) north of range fifty five (55) west of the 6th principal meridian in Sioux County Nebraska, that the taxes involved in said cause of action are the taxes that were levied for state, county and school district purposes in the years 1893, 1894, 1895, for which the same was sold to said plaintiff on the 8th day of June 1897, for the sum of \$30.92, to have an accounting of the amount due therefor, and for the taxes due thereon for the years, 1896, 1897, 1898, paid by said plaintiff as subsequent taxes and tacked to her certificate of tax sale and said plaintiff prays to have said land sold for the payment and satisfaction of the amount found due upon the same for said taxes and interest thereon, together with the costs of suit and costs of sale, to bar foreclose and exclude the defendants and each of them from all title, lien, or equity of redemption in and to said parcel of land and for general relief. You and each of you are further notified and required to answer said petition on or before the 11th day of September, A. D. 1899.

M. J. O'CONNELL, Attorney for plaintiff.

AGENTS WANTED—FOR "THE LIFE AND Achievements of Admiral Dewey," the world's naval hero. By Murat Halstead, the life-long friend and admirer of the nation's hero. Biggest and best book; over 500 pages 8x10 inches; nearly 100 pages halftone illustrations. Only \$1.50. Enormous demand. Big Commissions. Outfit free. Chance of a lifetime. Write quick. The Dominion Company, 2nd Floor Caxton Bldg., Chicago.

### IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF SIOUX COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

#### NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANTS.

Commercial Investment Company, a corporation, J. S. Lawrence, whose true christian name is unknown, Nebraska Security Company, a corporation, defendants, will take notice that on the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1899, Joseph Hoffman, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the district court of Sioux county, Nebraska, against Commercial Investment Company, a corporation, J. S. Lawrence, whose true christian name is unknown, Nebraska Security Company, a corporation, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose a tax lien upon the East half of the North-west quarter, South-west quarter of the North-east quarter, North-west quarter of South-east quarter, of section twenty eight (28), Township thirty-three (33), North of Range fifty-four (54), west of the 6th Principal Meridian, in Sioux county, Nebraska, that the taxes involved in said cause of action are the taxes assessed and levied thereon for state, county and school district purposes for the years 1893, 1894, 1895, for which the same was sold to said plaintiff on the 31st day of May, A. D. 1897, for the sum of \$23.44, to have an accounting of the amount due therefor, and for the taxes due thereon for the years 1896, 1897, 1898, paid by said plaintiff as subsequent taxes, and tacked to his certificate of sale. And said plaintiff prays to have said land sold for the payment and satisfaction of the amount found due upon the same for said taxes and interest thereon together with the costs of suit and costs of sale and attorney fee, to bar, foreclose and exclude the defendants and each of them from all title, lien, or equity of redemption in and to said parcel of land and for general relief. You and each of you are further notified and required to answer said petition on or before the 11th day of September, A. D. 1899.

M. J. O'CONNELL, Attorney for plaintiff.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. Land Office at Alliance, Neb., Aug. 8, 1899. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk of District Court at Harrison, Nebraska, on September 16, 1899, viz: JOSEPH W. EARNEST, of Harrison, Nebraska, who made H. E. No. 448, for the 8 1/4 S-W 1/4, S-E 1/4 S-W 1/4, and S-E 1/4 N-W 1/4 of Sec. 25, Twp. 29, N. Range 56 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel P. Coffey, John E. Marsteller, Dwight H. Griswold and Lewis Gerlach, all of Harrison, Nebraska.

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J. Y. Castle, plaintiff, against Metta L. Maine, Silas L. E. Maine, George W. Hester James O. Sargent, Defendants. To Metta L. Maine, Silas L. E. Maine, and James O. Sargent. You and each of you will take notice that the above named plaintiff has filed her petition in the district court of Sioux county Nebraska, the object and prayer of which petition is the foreclosure of a certain tax lien on lots numbers 20 and 21 of block number 7 of the village of Harrison, Nebraska, for the delinquent taxes on said lots for the years 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895 and paid by plaintiff and her assignors, and that the said lots may be sold to satisfy said tax lien. That you and each of you may be foreclosed and barred of all right, interest, lien, or equity of redemption in or to said premises. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 11th day of September 1899.

J. Y. CASTLE, plaintiff.  
GRANT GUTHRIE, Attorney for plaintiff.

## The Commercial Bank.

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D. H. GRISWOLD, Cashier.

CORRESPONDENTS: WESTERN NATIONAL BANK, New York.  
OMAHA NATIONAL BANK, OMAHA, NEB.

### INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS.

#### Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of the county of Sioux, and state of Nebraska, upon a decree rendered by said Court in favor of American Mortgage Trust Limited, is Plaintiff, and Andrew J. Hodge, Desre H. Hodge, wife of Andrew J. Hodge, Defendants; I will on the 16th day of September, A. D. 1899, at the hour of 3 o'clock p. m., of said day, at the West front door of the Court House, in Harrison, in said county, offer and sell the following described real estate, to wit: The S-W 1/4 S-E 1/4 Sec. 15, and N-W 1/4 S-E 1/4 S-W 1/4 Sec. 22, in Twp. 30, Range 55, in Sioux county, Nebraska, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said order of sale in the sum of \$18, with interest at ten per cent, and costs and accruing costs.

THOMAS HOLLY, Sheriff, Sioux County, Nebraska.

#### Final Proof Notices.

All persons having final proof notices in this paper will receive a marked copy of the paper and are requested to examine their notice and if any error exist report the same to this office at once.

#### TIMBER CULTURE, FINAL PROOF—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, Alliance, Neb., July 19, 1899. Notice is hereby given that EDWARD E. LIVERMORE, of Harrison, has filed notice of intention to make final proof before County Judge, at his office, in Harrison, Neb., on the 30th day of August, 1899, on timber culture application No. 1455, for the 8 1/4 N-E 1/4 and 1/2 of S-E 1/4 of Sec. No. 21, in Twp. 30, N. Range No. 56. He names as witnesses: David Bartlett, Charles Cammenzand, B. F. Johnson and Alex Lowery. All of Harrison, Neb. F. M. DORRINGTON, Register.

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#### STOCK BRANDS.

THE JOURNAL will publish your brand, like the following, for \$2.00 per year. Each additional brand 75 cents. Every farmer or ranchman in Sioux and adjoining counties should advertise their brands in THE JOURNAL as it circulates all over the state. It may be the means of saving money for you.

CHARLES BIEHLE. On left side of hip of cattle, { On left shoulder of horses, { Range on the head of Warbonnet creek. Address Harrison, Sioux Co. Neb.

CHARLES UMPHENOUR. The brand represented in this notice and branded any where on left side of horse and also the L L brand any where on left side of cattle belongs to the undersigned. CHARLES UMPHENOUR. HARRISON, NEBRASKA.

CHARLES NEWMAN. The brand represented in this notice and branded any where on left side of cattle, and over-lap-out from the right ear. Also the same brand on left thigh of horses, belongs to the undersigned. CHARLES NEWMAN. HARRISON, NEBRASKA.

S. W. CAREY. On left shoulder of cattle and horses. Range on Little Cottonwood. P. O., Crawford Neb.

FRANK NUTTO. On left side of cattle and on left shoulder of horses. Range on Antelope creek. P. O., Ghilchrist, Sioux Co., Neb.

#### JOHN A. HANSON

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Range on Silver Springs and east of state Ins. Postoffice—Harrison Neb

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For proof to convict any person of stealing any of my stock. Cattle branded same as cut. Horses branded same on right shoulder or on left thigh. Sheep, paint brand same as cattle and fire brand C on right side of nose.

Address, DAVID COLLVILLE, Glen Neb.,

#### Estray Notice.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. That James Bourrett the undersigned did on the 7th day of July 1899 on his inclosed land situated on Running Water, Sioux Co., Nebraska. One dark brown mare was taken up by me as estray, said mare being more particularly described as follows: One dark brown mare, about three years old, branded on left shoulder. Dated at Harrison, Neb., this 3rd day of Aug. 1899. JAMES BOURRETT.

## LIVERITA

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