

The new revenue bill has been occupying the attention of the house this week and will probably come to the senate for further consideration soon. Some of the objections urged against the new bill at the start-off were that it would increase the taxes of farmers by taking the valuation in the winter when they had a large amount of stock or grain on hand. This was changed by the house, and the date of assessment will be the same as under the old law. Stock under six months of age is expressly exempted from assessment. The proposition to make taxes a first lien on personal property from and after the first of April was changed, so that the date is now the first of October.

The village election will come off the first Tuesday after the first Monday in April or on April 7. The law requires the election notices to be posted from 20 to 12 days before election, which means that about now is the right time to stick them up to the public gaze. It is to be hoped this year that the board will have some election notices printed in the usual form and posted up in places where all can see them. These notices can be printed in attractive form for \$1.50 and will be much more satisfactory to the people. For several years past the notices, if posted at all, were written on a slip of paper and tacked up in a few places. The form of the notices were not such as to attract the attention of anyone, and many were asking when the village election was to come off, etc. We like the economical way in which the present board is conducting the municipal affairs of the town, that is, in many respects, but to shelve so closely as to not give proper notice of so important a matter as the notice of election, and all to save the mere pittance of \$1.50 is something to be criticised. It does not matter whether the notice is printed at this office or at some other place, only give good and sufficient notice as the law requires. The levie which is made for village purposes are high and the amount of money received for village purposes are something handsome and the people should enjoy at least a few statutory privileges.

President Roosevelt is soon to visit Nebraska. Monday's dailies give out the following announcement: The president and party will visit Lincoln April 27, about 2 o'clock in the afternoon, arriving via the Burlington from Hastings and departing via the Elkhorn in time to reach Fremont the same afternoon. Congressman Burkett will be requested to take charge of the local program at Lincoln. The president's Nebraska itinerary is almost identical with that which was arranged for his proposed visit last year, which had to be abandoned on account of the Presidents injured limb. The first stop will be at Grand Island, where the party will spend the entire day, Sunday, April 26, leaving for Hastings Monday morning at 9.30. The mayor of Grand Island has been requested to revive his reception committee and arrange a program upon lines laid down last year. Senator Deitrich is requested to take charge of arrangements for his home town and will confer with local leaders as he did last year, asking them to arrangedetails. The presidential party will go thence to Lincoln and from there to Fremont where a stop of thirty minutes will be made. The party will then proceed via the Union Pacific to Omaha, arriving there at 6 p. m., and remaining all night, departing for the south via the Wash road early in the morning of April 28, the objective point being St. Louis. Senator Millard is arranging for an elaborate reception to the party at Omaha.

A farmer by the name of Elias of Buffalo county had a narrow escape from drowning in Wood river while attempting to cross when the water was high. He had driven across the bridge safely when he struck a raging torrent of water on the other side which carried the team wagon and all quickly down stream and lodged them in a wire fence. The team perished in the flood, and the man clung to the wagon which was all under water. He was in this perilous condition from the shades of evening until 12 o'clock at night, expecting every moment to be carried farther down stream. In the mean time one who had discovered him, but being powerless to render any assistance single handed, hastened to town and employed the aid of a boat and a rescuing party. He was taken out just in time to save his life, being wet to the skin and all but frozen to death.

The new department of the government to be known as the Department of Commerce and Labor has been established the president having signed the bill creating it. Mr. Roosevelt has appointed Secretary Cortelyou as the first Secretary of the new department and his nomination has been confirmed by the senate. Thus a man who only a few years ago was only a stenographer in government employ has risen, solely by merit to the position of Cabinet officer. A better selection could not have been made as Mr. Cortelyou's familiarity with cabinet work eminently qualifies him for the position. Mr. James R. Garfield, a son of the late president has been selected for the important position of Commissioner of Corporations to whom will be entrusted the administration of the publicity contained in the Nelson amendment.

It is said that the politicians are out of humor because the president called the extra session of the senate. Well, that is not surprising and it is not anything new. The politicians are in a habit of getting out of humor when things don't go their way, but at some times the "plain people" are apt to be in a satisfied frame of mind. Members of congress and of legislatures are expected to do certain things, in short to do their duty. Where they fail, it is apt to be through the influence of the politicians, and in that case it is a very good thing to have a president or a governor handy, as the case may be, to set matters right.—Kearney Hub.

When the investing committee examined Edward Rosewater upon the "cigar box" mystery, it took a whole column to tell what he did not know about it. In fact he did not know anything about it, but thought he knew of two or three parties who might know of some one who had heard some one say something about it. The committee is now hunting that somebody, but we predict that they will have to employ blood hounds to be successful in the case. In the mean time the tax payers will have to foot the bill.

Anthony N. Brady of Albany and William C. Whitney of New York are at the head of a company of Americans whose capital is \$50,000,000, who are negotiating for the central corporations supplying Paris with gas. Later on they will strive for the electric plants of the French capital.

It is about time that all nominations for village officers be closed but as yet no conventions have been called.

Notice to Contractors.

Bids will be received, at the office of the County Clerk of Sherman County, until noon of the 14th day of April, 1903, for the erection of a dwelling house on the poor farm of said county. Plans and specifications on file at the office of the clerk of said county. Bids to be submitted for frame and brick building. Dated, March 5 h, 1903.

G. H. GIBSON, Co. Clerk.

Notice of Petition for Discharge.

In the District Court of the United States for the district of Nebraska. In the matter of JOSEPH PIECHOTA, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that bankrupt, a resident of Ashton, Sherman county, Nebraska, filed his petition for discharge and said petition was referred to me on the 17th day of March, 1903. All persons interested in said bankrupt may file objections to his discharge on or before the 7th day of April, 1903, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, in my office in Grand Island in said district.

ARTHUR C. MAYER.



TIME TABLE.

Table with columns for 'LOUP CITY NEBR.', 'GOING EAST', and 'GOING WEST'. Lists train numbers (No. 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59) and departure/arrival times for various destinations like Lincoln, Omaha, Chicago, St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis, and San Francisco.

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