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Mortgage Statistics: We are indebted to County Clerk Dieterichs for the following figures on mortgages in this county: During the year 1910 there were filed 280 farm mortgages, amounting to \$617,026.07, while the same number, 280, were released, though the sum total of dollars in the releases amounted to only about half filed, or \$306,598.99. Town mortgages filed in the same year numbered only 55 and amounted to \$48,679.95, while 47 were released, amounting to only about half as much, or \$28,059.00. Chattel mortgages filed were 1,002, amounting to \$316,207.31, and here again showed the releases to even less ratio than real estate mortgages, there being 289, amounting to only \$193,120.36. Total number of mortgages of all kinds filed were 1,337, amounting to \$981,923.33; while the total mortgages of all kinds released were 516, amounting to \$527,848.35. To sum up, there were 821 more mortgages filed than released, while the sum total of those filed in cold figures amounted to \$454,074.68 over those released. A good thing to study over.

The Kearney Hub says the question of capital removal has passed the joking stage. But it has not passed the joking stage.

Senator Volp has introduced a bill in the legislature to increase the pay of senators and representatives from \$300 to \$1000. It goes without saying that the solons will not dare to pass it into law, no matter how good an idea it may be—that is, if they want to return another session.

If someone does not introduce a bill for a pardoning board, taking the pesky job off the chief executive, and if the legislature does not pass such a righteous measure instantaneously, then it will have lost an opportunity of doing one of the best things that it could do the present session

Representative Waite has shown especially good judgment in that he has only introduced one bill so far in the legislative session. Most of the fellows who are sent there get the supreme idea into their noodles that the more bills they can introduce, whether they are worth a second thought or not, the greater legislators they are.

Some people seem to think that sobriety is the only virtue. It is true that sobriety is a great virtue, and that it leads to many other virtues. But there are others. We have known drinking men who were upright, honorable, warm hearted and generous. And we have known total abstainers who were stingy, quarrelsome, small-souled and generally unlovable. It takes more than one good quality to make a man.—Aurora Sun.

Reapportionment bills continue to appear at intervals in the legislature. The newest is by Matru of Madison, a democrat, and he proposes sweeping changes. Of especial interest to Sherman county is the taking of Sherman out of the 16th senatorial district with Buffalo and putting it with Custer to form the 26th district. Like the other reapportionment bills, it leaves Sherman county a representative district by itself, only changing its number from 57th to 68th.

A bill was last week introduced in the legislature by a Buffalo representative having for its object the removal of the capitol from Lincoln, and to some point west of the 97th meridian, and for the question to be submitted to the voters this coming fall. Then if the thing carried, the question of where to come up later. Representative Waite is one of the sponsors of the bill. That's right, Wilbur; get the blamed thing on wheels and land it in the best town on earth—good old Loup City.

Farmers' Institute At Loup City, Nebraska, Wednesday, Feb. 15, 1911. O. S. Fross, President. L. N. Smith, Secretary. The program is as follows: MORNING SESSION: (At Courthouse) 11:00—"Profits From a Few Cows," Prof. John Bower, Lincoln. AFTERNOON SESSION: 1:30—"Are We Raising the Most Profitable Horse?" Mr. W. F. Kydd, Simcoe, Ontario. 2:30—Discussion by members of the Institute. 2:45—"The Value of the Silo in Feeding Barn Animals," Prof. Bower. SEPARATE WOMEN'S SESSION: (M. E. Church Basement) 1:30—"New Methods of Cooking Fruit and Vegetables," Miss Nellie Maxwell, Neenah, Wis. Illustrated by a Cooking Demonstration. EVENING SESSION: 7:30—Overture.....Mrs. R. P. Starr "Home Nursing," Miss Maxwell. Duet—L. N. Smith, A. J. Johnson. "Fruit for the Home," Mr. Kydd. Selection.....Earl Harper "Opportunities For Nebraska Boys," Prof. Bower.

Along R. R. No. 2.

Will Hawk and Adolph Reutenmayer filled their ice houses last week.

Andy Gray and family last Saturday were quarantined for small pox by Dr. Jones. Carrier and family a few years ago had just such an experience as this.

Stewart McFadden was seen hauling a load to market Monday.

Oliver Brodack had his gasoline engine over at Gunn's the past week, to pump water for Mr. Gunn's fat cattle.

Casteel Bros. finished picking their corn Tuesday.

Ohlsen Bros. are building E. G. Taylor's new engine house this week.

Carl Squires has been suffering with rheumatism.

N. P. Nielson and family are among the gripper sufferers this week.

Edgar Foster is driving Route 1.

Joe Smalley is home again after several weeks at Omaha, learning the barber trade.

The corn shellers were at V. T. Wescott's Monday.

Porter Currey is now a patron on Route No. 4 out of Litchfield.

Miss Maggie McFadden's school is closed until the small pox scare is over in that district.

A. D. Peters expects to have a sale in a short time.

Mrs. Gordon Snyder came home from her visit in the eastern part of the state.

Miss Nora Henderson is again at her school duties after a spell of the gripper.

A bill to raise the rural carriers' pay \$100 a year, has passed the House of Representatives at Washington, and is expected to pass the Senate. This will be quite a help to the carriers over the country, and when the parcels post is once established the rural carriers will receive a good salary.

German Evangelical Church Next Sunday, Feb. 5th, there will be services at Ashton at 10:30 a. m. Feb. 4th, lesson in German at Ashton church at 10 a. m. P. Jueling, Pastor.

Public Sale

I will sell at public auction, seven and one half miles northwest of Loup City, one-half mile north of Baillie school house, NE4 Section 29, on Wednesday, Feb. 15th, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. sharp, 11 head of horses, 10 head of cattle, 6 dozen thoroughbred Plymouth Rock chickens, 7 dozen Black Langshans and Brown Leghorns, 14 head of hogs, farm machinery, household goods, etc. 500 bushels of shelled corn, 15 bushels of seed corn. Free lunch at noon. Terms—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount, a credit of 9 months, with approved security, at 10 per cent interest.

J. B. FORD, Owner. Hale & Pageler, Auctioneers. L. Hansen, Clerk.

Public Sale

Five miles west and one and one-half miles south of Loup City; one mile east and a mile and a half south of Cleora church, on what is known as the old Geo. Zimmerman place in Webster township, Section 20-15-15 on Friday, Feb. 10th, commencing at 10 o'clock, sharp: 17 head of horses and colts, 23 head of cattle, 6 dozen chickens, two stands of bees and six new hives, farm machinery, household goods, etc. Free lunch at noon. Terms—Sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount, a credit of nine months, with approved security, bearing 10 per cent interest.

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You will please take notice that sealed bids will be received by the County Clerk of Sherman county, at his office in the court house in Loup City, Nebraska, any time prior to and including the hour of 12 o'clock noon on the 21st day of February A. D. 1911, for the proposed construction of a brick or cement addition to the Sherman county court house, the dimensions for said addition to be 16x38 ft. and 12 inch wall, 2 inch air space, and two stories high. Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the aforesaid County Clerk of said county, and subject to examination by bidders. The County Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Dated this 17th day of January, 1911. W. C. DIERICH, County Clerk. (Last pub. Feb. 16)

Order of Hearing and Notice of Probate of Will

In the County Court of Sherman County, Nebraska. State of Nebraska. ss. County of Sherman. ss. To the heirs and next of kin and to all persons interested in the estate of Stanislaw Lukas, deceased: On reading the petition of Jozafia Lukas praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 17th day of February, 1911, be admitted to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved and allowed, and records of the probate court be made of said instrument, and that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be committed to some competent and suitable person, as executor, it is hereby ordered that you, and all persons interested in said matter, may, and do appear at the county court to be held in and for said county on the 15th day of February, 1911, at 2 o'clock, p. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter, and a copy of this order in the Loup City Northwestern, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, at three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing. Witness my hand and the seal of said county court this 15th day of January, 1911. (SEAL) E. A. SMITH, County Judge. (Last pub. Feb. 2)

In the District Court of Sherman County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the Estate of Michael S. Taffe, Deceased. This cause coming on to be heard on the petition of Harry D. Taffe, guardian of Clinton J. Gilberf P. and Malcolm S., minor sons, and of Edna E. Taffe, minor daughter, and of Michael S. Taffe, deceased, praying for a license to sell an undivided interest, to-wit: An undivided share interest in and to a copy of Block fourteen (14) in the Village of Litchfield, Nebraska. It is therefore by me ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at chambers at Kearney, Neb., on the 17th day of February, 1911, at 10 o'clock, a. m., to show cause why a license should not be granted to said guardian to sell the above described real estate. It is ordered that this order shall be published for three weeks before the hearing in the Loup City Northwestern, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, at three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing. Dated this 15th day of January, 1911. BRITNO O. HOSFETLER, Judge of the District Court. (Last pub. Feb. 9)

In the County Court of Sherman County, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Louis Pierson, deceased. Notice of hearing on petition of administratrix for allowance of her final account, and for her discharge, to be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter, and a copy of this order in the Loup City Northwestern, a newspaper published and of general circulation in said county, at three successive weeks prior to the date set for said hearing. Dated this 24th day of January, 1911. (SEAL) E. A. SMITH, County Judge. (Last pub. Feb. 9)

SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale to me directed from the District Court of Sherman county, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court on the 28th day of September, 1910, wherein Louis Rein was plaintiff, and William Newman and others were defendants; I have levied upon the following described real estate, to-wit: The south half of the north-west quarter of Section 25, in Township 12 north, Range 13, west of the 6th principal meridian, situated in said Sherman county and State of Nebraska, and I will on the 20th day of February, 1911, at 10 o'clock, a. m. of said day, at the south door of the court house in Loup City, Sherman county, Nebraska, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy the amount of \$38.16 with interest at 7 per cent from the 28th day of September, 1910, and costs of the above action, and accruing costs, which amount was adjudged to be due to the plaintiff above named from the defendants, William C. Newman, et al, above named, and to be a lien upon the above described premises. Dated at Loup City, Nebraska, this 17th day of January, 1911. L. A. WILLIAMS, Sheriff of Sherman County, Nebraska. ROBERT P. STARR, Attorney. (Last pub. Feb. 16)

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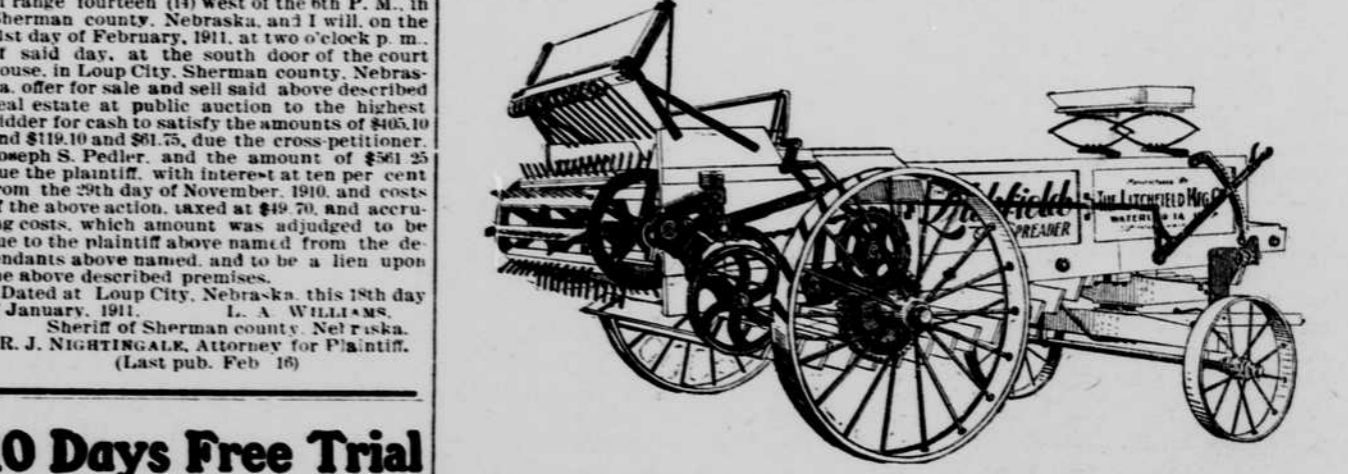
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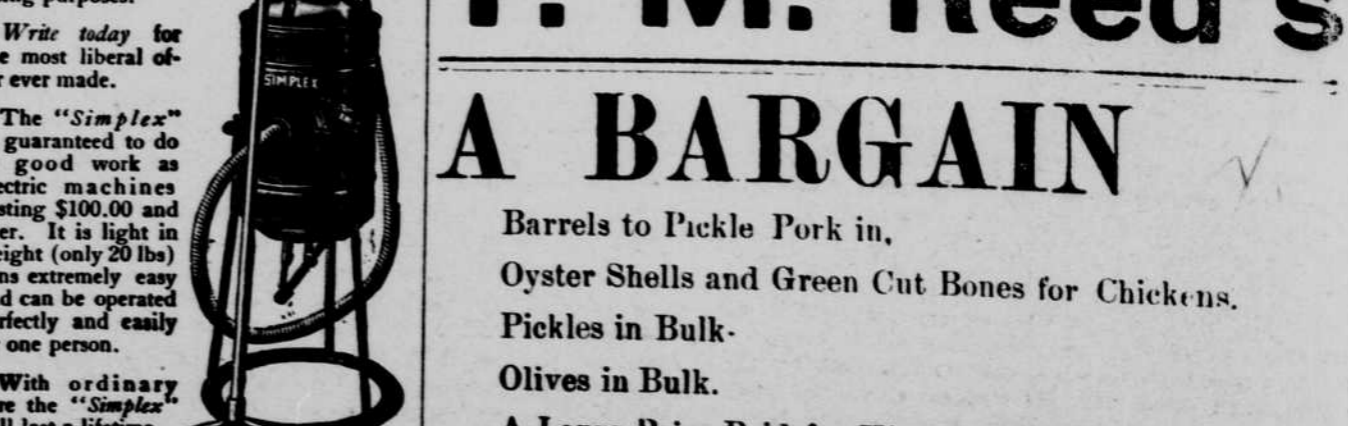
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