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ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Representative

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for representative from the 57th district, subject to the will of the republican voters as expressed at the primary election, to be held April 19, 1912. Your support will be appreciated.
GEO. W. WOLFE

Having filed for nomination for the office of representative from this 57th representative district, subject to the will of the democratic and people's independent voters of Sherman county at the coming primary, April 19th, 1912, I ask your support and vote and will, in event of my nomination and subsequent election, to the best of my ability prove a worthy representative of county and people.
H. L. ARTHUR

For County Attorney

To the Voters of Sherman County, Nebraska. I have filed for the republican nomination as a candidate for the office of county attorney of Sherman County to be voted upon at the coming primary to be held April 19th, 1912, and would appreciate the support of those who have faith in my putting forth an effort to make good if nominated and elected.
Respectfully Yours
J. S. PEDLER

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination to the office of County Attorney at the primary election to be held on April 19th, 1912, and I respectfully request your vote and your active support if you approve of my candidacy.
HERBERT S. NORTINGALE

The U. S. senate whitewashed Lorimer of Illinois, but thank the good Lord our Norris Brown did not help with the whitewashing. Such findings are a disgrace to our upper house of congress.

The great flood stage which has been the lot of Nebraska the past few days is now little more than history, the waters receding or rather emptying into the Missouri and matters are assuming their natural state.

Allow the Northwestern to make a prediction in regard to the outcome of the republican and democratic national conventions to the effect that Taft and Harmon will be the standard bearers of the two great parties. What do you say?

Philadelphia Record: If the Chicago packers had only known that they were going to be acquitted they would have allowed themselves to be tried ten years ago. They must be disgusted at all the time and money they have wasted in fighting the prosecution.

Progressivism.

What constitutes progressivism is a question over which there must exist much difference of opinion.

But Seattle, which is a generally progressive city, has produced one woman who must be put down as the quintessence of progressivism.

Mrs. E. B. Gillies of 116 Nob Hill was progressive enough, first, to recognize the potentiality of the tiny want ad. and so she inserted in the "Help Wanted" columns of a Seattle afternoon paper (make a note of that, too--an afternoon paper) the following:

Wanted--A man to thrash a wife-beater; \$10 reward; easy work. Mrs. E. B. Gillies, 116 Nob Hill av.

It is recorded that eight men applied for the job as soon as the paper was on the street. She picked out a husky young fellow who said he would gladly do it for \$5. He got the job with full plans and specifications. He was to slap, choke, knock down and roll on the floor the luckless Mr. Gillies, but not to disgrace or disgrace him. It was a job requiring much delicacy and discrimination but the young man did it so satisfactorily to his employer that she insisted on paying him \$10.

It appears that before resorting to this alternative the afflicted woman had complained to the mayor, chief of police and prosecuting attorney, without securing relief. They were not exponents of progressivism. So she resorted to radical measures of her own, and at the risk of over-throwing time-honored traditions as to the power, if not the right, of the brutal husband to take a fall out of his wife when he has a grouch aboard. --Lincoln Star.

Long & Henry Form New Firm

A few weeks since Messrs. John W. Long and W. E. Henry, who has been confidential clerk for Mr. Long for several years, formed a partnership in the real estate, loan and insurance business, to begin with the present month. It would be unnecessary for the Northwestern to speak in commendatory terms of the senior member of this firm, as Mr. Long is well and favorably known to every man, woman and child who have been residents of Sherman county for any considerable time, and to newcomers in this grand old county all that would be necessary for us to add would be to call attention to the over two score of years he has been in business here and note the success that has attended him and the immense business he has builded up here where he has lived since young manhood. Of the junior member, Mr. W. E. Henry not so much is known, but enough to assure the people that he is a young man of bright business talent, active, energetic and painstaking, and that the confidence reposed in him by Mr. Long and his taking of him into partnership, expresses very distinctly the value of Mr. Henry as a live wire in business life. The Northwestern feels assured that the new firm will take on added zeal and activity, and while relieving Mr. Long of much of the heavy load resting upon his shoulders and placing added burdens upon the shoulders of the younger man, will not fail to add and give the new business firm a much larger field of labor.

Behold the general universe directors or street corner Bums! If you want to know how to vote, cross the street, wear your tie, what said about Mrs. Blank, or why So-and-So don't buy an automobile--ask the Bunch. If you want to get acquainted and drop into easy conversation, try the sliver splitters. If you want to see the dark side of life, linger a bit. If you wish to learn who, as a class, do most all the sneering, mingle with them. If you don't care to progress, and choose to grow dirty, become a parasite-join them. They are all colors and sizes. Some wear high collars, some low collars some live off their wife, and some allow their mother to keep them. They are easy to find, marked by much mouth wisdom, generally look down and hate work.

Editor Davis is still yearning to branch out into the newspaper field. He confesses to a desire to own a string of newspapers covering a vast territory. His ambition is to have a large printing plant at some central point like Grand Island and from there direct the destinies and partially print all the papers in his string. He figures that the same amount of brains will run the whole string that it takes to run only one. To this end he attempted to meet at Palmer Monday-night his journalistic brother, Ainslie, who is second only to Henry Waterson as a journalist. Their purpose there was to start a newspaper at Boelus taking some of the material from their Ord and Greeley offices to equip the Boelus shop and thereby make it one of the most up-to-date and modern print shops in the state. H. M. went down on the freight to make the appointment with his brother at Boelus, but unfortunately the train was a few minutes late and finding at Elba that he would arrive in St. Paul too late to catch the Boelus train, he turned back to Ord and the destinies of the Boelus proposition were left to the fates and his brother. --Ord Quiz.

Clear Creek Items

A large crowd attended the home talent play at Lone Elm Saturday evening. A basket supper followed, the proceeds amounting to over \$28.

The Misses Grace Adams, Irma Lowery, Inez Van Dyke and Mr. Adams, came down from Broken Bow Friday and attended the play at Lone Elm Saturday evening. They were accompanied by Miss Fleming, Miss Emily and Prof. Shaw, of Custer College.

Mr. and Mrs. Zahn took Sunday dinner at the home of Mrs. Geo. Zahn.

Prof. Shaw, of Broken Bow rendered several vocal solos at the play Saturday evening, which was well received by all.

Mrs. Warren Edson visited the Lone Elm school Monday afternoon.

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zahn Monday evening. A good time was reported.

Conscience and Custom.

The laws of conscience, which pretend to be derived from nature proceed from custom.--Montaigne

Invincible Fox.

The word obsolete puts a better light on the junkpile quicker than a bare fought battle.

Time to Die.

"When is the best time to die?" gravely asks a contemporary. "Just before you try to introduce an old friend to an acquaintance and can't remember his name."

Flower Keeps Its Freshness.

A common South African flower possesses the valuable property of keeping fresh for two months or more after cutting. It is a white star of Bethlehem, producing a compact spike of flowers on a stiff, erect stalk 18 inches or two feet long. The flowers are of a thin and papery tissue, all white except the yellow anthers. It can be sent over as a cut flower from South Africa to England, and then lasts for weeks in water.

COUNTY SCHOOL NOTES

From the Superintendent's office

Some things that successful teachers look out for.

1. That the work for each day is prepared.
2. That the whole lesson should not be equally emphasized.
3. That the teacher does not try to teach too many things in each recitation.
4. That the "class" recites, not the teacher.
5. That the recitation is conducted for the class and not for the individual pupils.
6. That the end of recitation brings added knowledge, clear perception, a desire to investigate further, and a definite understanding as to what is to be accomplished in the next recitation.

The following pupils from the primary room of the Ashton schools received certificates of award this week--Anna Mills, Rufus Dold, Lenard Dold Geo. Erick, August and Ernest Glinnsman.

A splendid program has been arranged for the closing exercise in district No. 37. School will close April 5th with a picnic dinner. The program will be given in the evening of April 5th. Miss Maggie McFadden teacher.

Certificates of award were issued to the following pupils from district No. 14. Amy McIlravy, Iva Fross, Charles Smyth, Earl McIlravy and Bernette Pickney. Diplomas of Honor were issued to Everette Gilbert and Willie McIlravy.

A special teacher's examination will be held on Saturday, April 20. The entire examination will be given on that day. The Friday and Saturday forenoon subjects will be given on Saturday forenoon, the Friday and Saturday afternoon subjects will be given on Saturday afternoon.

Rockville School Notes

Notwithstanding the severe winter the attendance of our schools has been excellent. This surely indicates a good school spirit.

The Rockville schools were closed March 22nd for a week's vacation. This will give teachers and pupils a much needed rest.

Supt. Ira Lamb is spending the vacation at his home in Papillion, Neb.

It is simply too bad that so many of the big boys from the country districts have to quit school before the end of the school year. It is the birthright of these fine boys to have a good education, and the farmers who refuse to allow his boy to attend school the full year greatly wrongs him. The excuse that the boy is needed on the farm is not at all sufficient. A farmer had better let his farm go than to coin his child's birthright into dollars. Give those splendid country boys a chance at the best educational opportunities of our state.

The most important fact of our profession is the pupil the next is the teacher's personal influence over the pupil--If the eye of any teacher should fall upon the above sentence she is requested to complete the paragraph or page.

Republican Voters say "Uncle Joe" Must Take His Own Medicine

At the last county election I. A. Williams filed for the republican nomination as sheriff. "Uncle Joe" bucked him and made a hard fight against him on the ground that Mr. Williams had held the office for eight years. Pedler said that no man ought to want an office that long, and that it was hogwash to do so.

Now Uncle Joe asks for the republican nomination as county attorney, and he has already held office in this county for nearly fourteen years, four years as sheriff, four years as deputy sheriff under a democrat, four years as county attorney, and nearly two years as county judge, appointed to take the place of the populist county judge, J. A. Angier. That is to say he has had nearly six years more of public office than any other man in the county.

Is there any good reason why "Uncle Joe" should not take his own medicine?

Mr. Williams was a poor man and needed the sheriff's office for a living, whereas "Uncle Joe" is a rich man and the president of a bank.

Mr. Williams made a good sheriff, and attended strictly to the duties of his office, whereas "Uncle Joe" went clear outside the duties of his office, and devoted himself to the business of foreclosing chattel mortgages against the farmers of this county. He has foreclosed more chattel mortgages against the farmers of this county than all the lawyers put together since the county was first organized. His office did not require him to do this business, and the lawyers say that the Supreme Court of Nebraska is of the opinion that a sheriff ought not to do this kind of business. Why did "Uncle Joe" do this? Because he loved the dollar and was willing to make money at the expense of suffering and destitution to the farmer. Many is the poor fellow whose cow has been sold by J. S. Pedler under chattel mortgage when his children needed the milk and butter. Not content with selling the farmer's property for half price he then became the agent of the mortgagee and re-sold the property at private sale at twice the price it was bought in at, and a good slice of this profit went to make up the wealth of

Banker Pedler. Do the voters of Sherman county want to pension this banker for life, after he has fattened off their misfortunes. VOTER.

(Advertisement)

Has J. S. Pedler Made Good

Yes, if you mean that he has made money. He came to the county a poor man, and after nearly fourteen years of office he is now one of the richest men in the county, and president of a bank.

But did he make good as sheriff? While he was in the sheriff's office he made more money than any sheriff that has ever held this office in Sherman county, but he did not make his money out of the straight fees of the office, to which he was entitled in discharge of his official duties, but made his money in foreclosing chattel mortgages against the farmers of this county, which was no part of his official duty.

Did he make good as county attorney? The citizens of Elm township say he could not even prosecute a chicken thief after they had furnished him with conclusive evidence of the commission of the offense. One of the most important duties of a county attorney is to correctly advise the county board in relation to levies of taxes and the allowance of claims. But if all his advice to the county board were put on record as to the making of levies and the transfer of the public funds and the payment of claims out of exhausted funds he would have difficulty in showing that he had made good.

Did he make good as county judge? While he was acting as county judge during the absence of Judge Angier, J. S. Pedler sat upon his own case and released himself from liability as surety on the bond of an administrator.

Was Mr. Pedler ignorant of the law? Or did he intentionally violate the law? Mr. J. S. Pedler, during the recent absence of County Judge Smith, acted as county judge in his place, not under the appointment of the county board, as the law requires, but under an appointment made by one member of that board. Was Mr. Pedler again ignorant of the law, or did he intentionally violate the law? During the absence of Judge Smith, estates were being settled and cases tried in the county court and marriage licenses were being issued and the marriage ceremony was being performed by an intruder, sitting in Judge Smith's seat without legal authority.

When the Times-Independent made the statement that J. S. Pedler had always made good, the editor of that paper undoubtedly referred to his ability to make money while in public office.

INTERESTED READER.



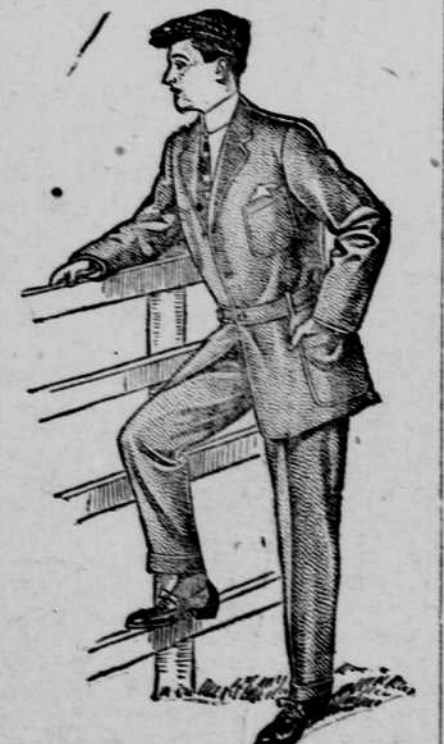
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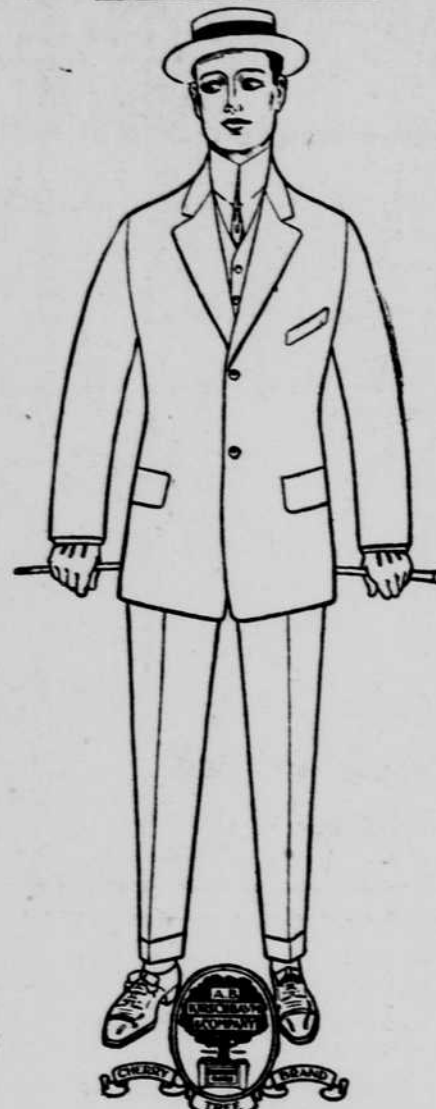
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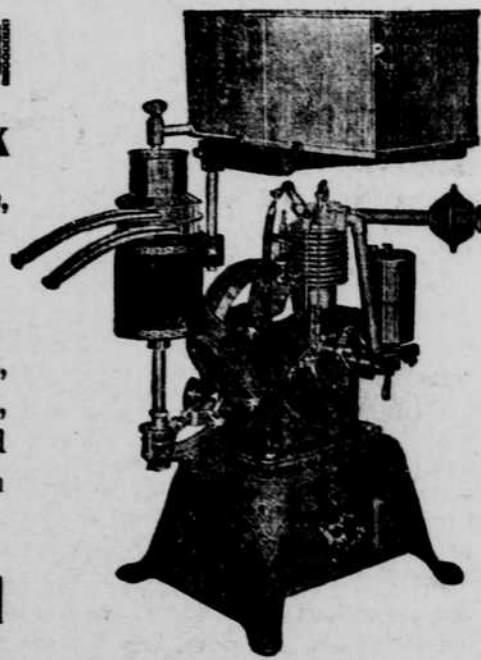
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