

Dr. Peters Will Attend.
 Dr. A. J. Peters of State Agricultural Farm will be here Saturday to attend the meeting of the Central Nebraska Stock Association and speak at 2 o'clock on the stock industry. All interested in the subject are requested to attend. L. A. RENEAU, Sec'y.

Cures Sciatia.
 Rev. W. L. Riley, L. L. D. Cuba, New York, writes: "After fifteen days of excruciating pain from sciatic rheumatism, under various treatments, I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, the first application giving my first relief, and the second, entire relief. I can give it unqualified recommendation. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at Ed. McComas', Broken Bow and Merna."

NEBRASKA VOLUNTEER FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENT.

Tenth Annual Event to Be Held at Grand Island, August 5 to 7.
Hot Races From All Nebraska Points, Via The Burlington Route.

The Nebraska State Volunteer Firemen's Association has arranged to hold its annual tournament at Grand Island. Nearly \$1500 has been appropriated for cash prizes, in addition to many valuable medals and trophies, for execution drills, contests and races. Fireman will attend from all parts of the state.

For this occasion the Burlington Route has made a rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale August 4 to 7, inclusive, good returning until August 8. Ask the Burlington Route agent or write

J. FRANCIS,
 General Passenger Agent,
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The Perfect Liver Medicine.

Mrs. M. A. Jolley, Noble, O. T., writes: "I have used Herbine for a number of years, and can cheerfully recommend it as the most perfect liver medicine, and the greatest blood purifier. It is a medicine of positive merit and fully accomplishes all that is claimed for it." Malaria cannot find a lodgment in the system while the liver is in perfect order, for one of its functions is to prevent the absorption of fever producing poisons. Herbine is a most efficient liver regulator. 50c at Ed. McComas' Broken Bow and Merna.

THE FORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT FOR CONSTIPATION

Constipation is nothing more than a clogging of the bowels and nothing less than vital stagnation or death if not relieved. If every constipated sufferer could realize that he is allowing poisonous filth to remain in his system, he would soon get relief. Constipation invites all kind of contagion. Headaches, biliousness, colds and many other ailments disappear when constipated bowels are relieved. The Ford's Black-Draught thoroughly cleans out the bowels in an easy and natural manner without the purging of calomel or other violent cathartics.

Be sure that you get the original The Ford's Black-Draught, made by The Chattanooga Medicine Co. Sold by all druggists in 25 cent and \$1.00 packages.

Morgan, Ark., May 25, 1901.
 I cannot recommend The Ford's Black-Draught too highly. I keep it in my house all the time and have used it for the last ten years. I never gave my children any other laxative. I think I could never be able to work without it on account of being troubled with constipation. Your medicine is all that keeps me up.
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Ice Cream Social.
 An Ice Cream Social will be given by the Royal Workers at the Fleming Valley school house Saturday night, August 2nd. The public is cordially invited.

Repulsive Features.
 Blackheads, pimples, greasy faces and muddy complexions, which are so common among women, especially girls at a certain age, destroying beauty, disfiguring and making repulsive features which would otherwise appear attractive and refined, indicate that the liver is out of order. An occasional dose of Herbine will cleanse the bowels, regulate the liver and so establish a clear, healthy complexion. 50c at Ed. McComas' Broken Bow and Merna.

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U. S. Land Office.
 JAMES WHITEHEAD, Register
 F. H. YOUNG, Receiver

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.
 All advertisements under this head will be charged for at the rate of, viz: \$1.00 per square for first insertion, and 50c per square for each subsequent insertion.
 A "square" is ten lines or fraction thereof.

PUBLIC LAND SALE.
 United States Land Office,
 Broken Bow, Nebraska, July 25, 1902.
 Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by section 2485, U. S. Rev. Stat., as amended by act of Congress approved February 26, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the 6th day of September, 1902, at this office, the following tract of land to-wit: N. E. 1/4, S. W. 1/4, Sec. 10, Township 19 N., Range 21 W. 6th P. M.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENTS.
 In the District Court of Custer County, Nebraska, Dakota Loan and Trust Company, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph H. Shultz et al., Defendants.
 To Joseph H. Shultz, Mrs. Joseph H. Shultz, his wife, John W. Martin, Mrs. John W. Martin, his wife, W. Wynnon, his receiver, Thomas W. Craig, Nancy A. Craig, his wife, and each of you are hereby notified that on July 28th, 1902, the plaintiff filed in this court a petition for foreclosure of a mortgage given by the defendant, Joseph H. Shultz to the Dakota Loan and Trust Company, upon the North half of the North East quarter of Section 11 and the North half of the North West quarter of Section 12, Township 15, Range 20, South East quarter of Section 20, (2) all in Township Seventeen, (17) North, Range twenty two (22) West of the 6th P. M. Custer county, Nebraska, which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the one certain promissory note of the said Joseph H. Shultz to the plaintiff for the sum of \$2000.00 on the 21st day of May, 1895, due and payable on the 1st day of May, 1895, with 7 per cent semi-annual interest thereon from the date of maturity to the date of maturity. Default having been made in the payment of said note and the interest due thereon, the plaintiff prays that said land may be sold to satisfy the amount due on said note, and that the sheriff without good cause, for the term of two years last past, that you have failed to support or contribute to the support of said plaintiff. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 1st day of September, 1902, or the allegations of said petition will be taken as true and judgment rendered accordingly.

PUBLIC LAND SALE.
 United States Land Office,
 Broken Bow, Neb., July 19, 1902.
 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 Register and Receiver, at Broken Bow, Neb., on August 22, 1902, viz: William H. Steiner, Sec. 24, Township 15 N., Range 21 W., 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his claim: William Hoffman, of Round Valley, Fritz J. Uhlman of Round Valley, David Myers of Green, Edward Lowe, JAMES WHITEHEAD, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE.
 United States Land Office,
 Lincoln, Nebraska, July 22, 1902.
 A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by William Moore, contestant against Timber Culture entry No. 7312, made October 29, 1899, for South 1/2, Sec. 14 and north 1/2, Sec. 14, Township 15 N., Range 20 W., by Daniel Snyder Contestee, in which it is alleged that contestee has wholly failed to break, plant or cultivate ten acres of said tract to trees or cuttings and has neglected and refused to make any effort to procure a growth of trees on said tract. That for more than one year he has abandoned said entry and has made no effort to grow trees of any kind thereon. And that trees planted on said tract and that all of said trees have been cut but exist at this date. Therefore said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegations, at 10 o'clock a. m. on September 3, 1902, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Lincoln, Nebraska.

PUBLIC LAND SALE.
 United States Land Office,
 North Platte, Neb., June 18, 1902.
 Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by section 2485, Revised Statutes, U. S., as amended by Act of Congress, approved February 26, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 9th day of August, 1902, at this office, the following tract of land, viz: S. E. 1/4 of the N. W. 1/4, Section 10, Township 10 N., Range 21, West 6th P. M.

NOTICE TO FILL OIL WELL.
 To whom it may concern,
 Complaint having been made to me, D. Trout, of racer of road district No. 1 of Wayne township of Custer county, Nebraska, concerning an open well on the S. E. 1/4 of Section 14, Township 13, Range 25, Custer county, Nebraska, the owner of said land is hereby notified to fill or cause to be filled said well or caused to be sealed, covered within thirty days from date of this notice, if this notice is not complied with at the expiration of 30 days, I will fill said well and collect the cost thereof according to law.
 Dated this 30th day of July, 1902.
 D. Trout, Road Overseer.

ANDERSON & MOORE.
THE P. D. SMITH COMPANY,
C. R. JUDKINS, Manager.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

The following Proposed Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, as hereinafter set forth, in full, is submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska, to be voted upon at the general election to be held Tuesday, November 4, A. D. 1902.

A Joint Resolution proposing to amend section 11 of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, relative to the manner of submitting and adopting amendments to the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, BE IT ENACTED AND DECREED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEBRASKA:

SECTION 1. That section one of Article fifteen of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska be amended to read as follows:
 Section 1. Either branch of the legislature may propose amendments to this Constitution, and if the same be agreed to by three-fifths of the members elected to each House, such proposed amendments shall be entered on the Journals, with the yeas and nays, and published at least once each week in at least one newspaper in each county where a newspaper is published, for thirty days immediately preceding the next election of senators and representatives, at which election the same shall be submitted to the electors for approval or rejection, and if a majority of the electors voting at such election in such proposed amendment, shall vote to adopt such amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, and if a majority of the electors voting at such election in such proposed amendment, shall vote to reject the same, the same shall be null and void, and the electors on such amendment or amendments shall be designated by the elector by marking a cross with a pen or pencil in a circle or square to be placed to the right of the line the words "For or Against" the proposed amendments as he shall desire to vote thereon, or by indicating his preference on a vote marked on a ballot, as appears in the bill of the State of Nebraska, as appears from said original bill on file in this office, and that said proposed amendment is submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Nebraska for their approval or rejection at the general election to be held on Tuesday the 4th day of November, A. D. 1902.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the great seal of the State of Nebraska, at Lincoln this 22nd day of July in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Two, of the Independence of the United States the One Hundred and Twenty-seventh, and of this state the Thirty-sixth.
 GEO. W. DEWEY,
 Secretary of State.

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ROAD NOTICE.
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 The Commissioner appointed to view a proposed road petitioned for by John Meier, commencing at a point of Broken Bow road at the North end corner of section 17, Township 15, Range 22, thence S. W. to mouth of canyon thence S. to Section line between Section 16 and 17 thence South on Section line as near as practicable about 30 rods to intersect with Public Road, has reported in favor of the establishment thereof, and all objections thereto, or claims for damages, 30 rods to intersect with Public Road, on or before noon of the 25th day of September, 1902, or such road will be established without reference thereto.

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COMPARE THE FIGURES.
 (ISSUED UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE RAILROADS OF NEBRASKA)

In the first article we published, we called attention to the fact that all railroad property, their earnings and their operations were reported periodically in such a shape that any information regarding their value or operation was easily attained by an investigator, and that this feature worked a great injustice to them in matters of taxation, from the fact that a private corporation, or a person, can refrain from returning his property for taxes, and that under the Constitution and laws of the state of Nebraska there was no way of making him divulge.

We give below a table of some remarkable figures in regard to this feature of the question, and will continue to give some comparison between the amounts returned for taxation in 1900 and the amounts returned to the census enumerator in the same year. In the matter of live stock, the census returns of which are at hand giving details, the following table may be interesting:

RETURNS FOR NEBRASKA.

Assessors in 1900	Census 1900	Left off Assessment Rolls
Horses.....636,993	863,939	226,944
Cattle.....2,160,400	3,220,242	1,059,833
Mules.....41,930	58,994	17,034
Sheep.....371,275	517,229	145,954
Hogs.....1,752,163	4,221,094	2,468,931

When it is considered that the value of live stock for 1900 was reported at \$6.79 for horses, \$4.66 for cattle, \$7.41 for mules, \$0.74 for sheep, and \$0.99 for hogs, and then take into consideration the fact that this great number as shown above was omitted entirely from assessment, it makes a startling showing.

Per Cent. of Railroad Valuation to Total Valuation of State.

In Nebraska.....	15.40 per cent.
In Minnesota.....	9.94 per cent.
In Missouri.....	7.90 per cent.
In Wisconsin.....	7.54 per cent.
In Iowa.....	8.42 per cent.
In Illinois.....	9.98 per cent.

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