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Thursday, July 11, 1901

The following officers to be elected: County clerk, superintendent, coroner, surveyor, judge and commissioner of 2nd district. Convention will be held at Valentine the latter part of August or some time in September.

There was a time when the republican party had an object in view; that's all the time and it's to promote the good of the party and make the common people believe that they are being benefited.

John Wanamaker offered the mayor of Philadelphia \$2,500,000 for franchises that the mayor dealt out to republican bosses and pet friends. Mr. Wanamaker told that he did not offer \$2,500,000 because he thought that a fair price but because he would willingly give that amount and knew that he could make more out of it.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

J. M. Lane is down from Cody today. Arkansas Bob was in town the past week. C. A. Johnson, wife and daughter are in town. H. Buttinghouse and wife celebrated at Georgia. E. B. Growden, of Brownlee, was in town this week. W. M. Baird and Dave Hanna are in town today. Joe Pogue is up on a contest case at the land office today. Wm. J. Allen this week pays a one dollar on subscription. Geo. Cutler becomes a subscriber to the DEMOCRAT this week. E. C. Cole and S. A. Ballenger were down from Cody Tuesday. Sam E. Annis of Gordon was registered at the Donohoe today. Frank Fischer made a business trip to Woodlake last Wednesday. E. C. Cole departed from here last night for Gordon on business. Mrs. E. McDonald was transacting business in town the first of the week. Miss Eva Harden visited friends at North Star the fore part of last week. Thor. Linberg made a trip to Valentine yesterday from his home at Nenzel. Mrs. A. B. Reis returned from a visit with relatives for a couple of weeks in Wyoming. Mrs. Donohoe went up to Crookston today to visit with Mrs. McDonald for a few days. T. C. Hornby is spending a few days in the hills with his wife visiting and enjoying an outing. Max E. Vietel the bustling merchant from Crookston was down Wednesday last week. P. S. Rousch paid up his subscription to the DEMOCRAT in advance this week while in town. J. N. Williamson, of Rosebud school is one of the new subscribers to the DEMOCRAT this week. I. M. Jones returned from Laura, Ohio, last Wednesday, where he had been spending the winter. Dell Annis has been in town the past week. Notice advertisement of horse lost by him in another column. Dean S. Efner, of the Chadron Journal, came home for another look at the fair and visited for a few days last week.

FLY DANGER

We are accustomed to regarding flies merely as annoying pests. We combat flies in a half hearted manner because we do not realize the dangers they bring into our homes. Flies are the most active of all agents in the distribution of germ diseases. If people could but see the loads of germs and filth they carry, an unrelenting war of extermination would be waged.

We have all the effective weapons against flies. The cost is as nothing compared with the annoyance avoided, to say nothing of the safety and saving that their use may afford.

No matter what sort of an insect may annoy you, we have the right "dose" for it.

Quigley & Chapman, Druggists, Valentine, Neb.

Al. Thacher spent the 4th of July at Cochran's ranch and—ah well—you know he had a good time. Cochran is a royal entertainer.

Mrs. Ada Ries left this morning for her home at Jackson, Michigan, after nearly a year's visit with her son Arthur Ries and wife.

R. H. Robertson came down from Chadron to spend the Fourth and is now occupying his old position in D. Stuard's clothing store.

Lewis Hay, a nephew of Obe Church our barber, came in Monday from weeping water, Neb., for a three weeks visit with his uncle.

J. H. Sears, of Sparks, started Sunday morning for a couple of weeks visit with his brother and old time friends at St. Joe, Mo., this week.

Miss Allie Handy, who spent several weeks at the Siloam in Hot Springs, returned to this city last Tuesday morning feeling much improved in health.

The W. C. T. U. will give an entertainment in the M. E. church next Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Jas. A. Sauls a time honored Cherry county stockman, living near Gregory postoffice, visited the county seat Tuesday with his wife. Mr. Sauls made us a pleasant call.

Al Young of the Cody eating house spent a couple of days in Hot Springs this week and informed the writer that he was in search of a girl to help in his hotel at Cody.

Wm. Ward of North Table is one of the subscribers to pay up in advance lately. Mr. Ward does freighting in connection with his other work on his farm and is a worker.

Mrs. J. W. Smyser, who has been receiving medical treatment at the St. Joseph hospital in Omaha, returned to her home here last Wednesday morning looking much better.

T. B. Irwin, and old time stockman from the west end of this county, attended the Stockman's Association at Rapid City last Wednesday, returning to his home Wednesday evening.

S. F. Gilman spent the past week in our city with his son-in-law Judge Jas. W. Bollinger, of Iowa, and his friends Thos. O. Sweney and Mr. Tyler. They left Tuesday morning on the east bound train.

T. L. Tinkham, of Woodlake, was in town today and called at this office to get acquainted. Mr. T. comes from Nucleo Co., east of Grand Island and bought the DeVore ranch, south of Joe Leader's.

Wm. Ward returned last week from the Soldiers' Home at Grand Island to spend a few weeks among his friends and live on his homestead. He is looking well and we believe he is being well cared for. He speaks well of the treatment he receives.

Chas. D. Stimson has disappeared. Whether the earth opened up and Stimson dropped in or the train came in and Stimson dropped out we don't know, but he is gone and forgot to say good bye to his friends here whom he worked or forgot or neglected to work.

We now have correspondents in several neighborhoods and we want others represented. Send us your items and we will be glad to represent your neighborhood. Always sign your name that we may know who is the author, also tell us what name you wish signed to your items.

District court convened Tuesday and a few cases were heard. Judge Westover was at the bench and J. D. Scott was reporter. Allen G. Fisher of Chadron and W. W. Wood of Rushville were here. Case of McClud and Ayres vs Miller and Cyphers; judgment was rendered in favor of plaintiff for \$150 and costs of suit. Several tax foreclosures were confirmed. A divorce was granted to Mrs. Minnie Roush.

EQUALIZATION SHEET—1901.

Table with columns: PRECINCTS, Horses, Cattle, Mules, Sheep, Land, Town Lots, Lands, Personal, Total. Lists various precincts like Harley, Boiling Sprs, Buffalo Lake, etc.

Commissioners Proceedings.

June 29, 1901.—Board met as per adjournment; members all present. W. J. Newell and N. J. Swartz 23 29 27 having been left off the tax list for the years 1899 and 1900 was assessed by the board and ordered placed on the list for those years. On motion claims of J. H. Quigley Geo. Heine for refund of taxes was rejected. On motion road petition of I. N. Garner, et al was laid over to next meeting. On motion commissioner Burr was authorized to move bridge across Loup river at Pass and replace it across South Loup at Hickley road without cost to county. On motion bridge petition of W. J. Allen et al was laid over to next meeting. On motion request of Peter Alt for a refund of taxes was rejected. On motion the following claims were allowed and warrants ordered drawn on county general fund: Dickey & Holschaw medical for poor \$ 2.50 C. V. Holschaw medical attnd. 30.00 On motion clerk was ordered to advertise for bids for painting the bridges across Minnechadaza, Niobrara and Gordon creek, estimated length 900 feet iron bridges one coat, wooden bridges two coats and bids for building all bridges in Cherry county to be built prior to July 1, 1902 bids to be made by the lineal foot to be opened August 15, 1901. On motion commissioner Haley was authorized to oversee the wiring of the court house preparatory to lighting it by electricity. On motion the following claims were allowed and warrants less delinquent personal tax ordered drawn on county general fund. Alice Hutchinson witness Grooms case \$ 9.00 Rebecca Hutchinson " " 9.00 Roy Kuskie " " 10.00 C. W. Hamar " " 10.00 N. C. Grooms " " 8.00 G. A. Grooms " " 8.00 Dora Grooms " " 8.00 Alfred Lewis " " 8.00 Wm. Ogilvie " " 8.00 Chas. Hudson " " 6.00 Frank Janis " " 3.20 Frank Grooms " " 8.00 William Helembolt " " 8.50 Frank Swearingner " " 8.50 Albert Burdick " " 8.50 James Hutchinson " " 8.50 Martha Grooms " " 8.50 John Williams " " 8.50 Henry Grooms " " 7.50 C. C. Thompson " " 6.90 Earnest Heith " " 6.90 John Grooms " " 4.00 Jacob Brechbill " " 4.00 J. W. Daniels' clk distict court fees crim. 105.92 R. Anderson mdsr for county 3.75 Hiram Cornell rent April 1901 66.67 J. E. Ryan witness Hatten Inquest 1.00 R. Goucher " " 1.00 W. Loney " " 1.00 J. C. Grooms " " 1.00 Ed Taylor " " Camm 1.00 Henry Cannon " " 1.00 G. B. McNamee justice fees Carnus case 8.55 Frank Yanish constable " 1.00 A. N. Compton coroner Camm Inquest 19.88 Thomas Malone juror " 1.00 Jacob Martin " " 1.00 M. P. Brosius " " 1.00 C. H. Cornell " " 1.00 J. B. Salomon " " 1.00 Clarence E. Ward " " 1.00 Devenport & Thacher goods for poor 3.50 A. N. C. Grooms med attendance poor 2.50 Reuben Quick Bear witness Ladeaux case 2.80 Jack Frost " " 2.80 Bull Walks behind " " 1.20 Singling Goose " " 1.00 Henry Claymore " " 1.00 L. N. Layton fees advanced Brock case 18.10 " board, jailer fees and guard duty, May 100.00 " fees Ladeaux case 9.70 " attending court 14.00 " Bothwell case 27.15 Reuben Quick Bear witness Ladeaux case 8.75 Bull Eater " " 8.00 John Frost " " 8.00 Singling Goose " " 9.00 Bull Walks Behind " " 9.00 A. N. Compton coroner's inquest John Bull 36.00 N. Polen bailiff May term court 12.00 Hiram Cornell rent May 1901 66.67 I. M. Rice publishing bridge notice Site Jour al Co. " 7.50 W. A. Parker supplies for poor 20.00 J. W. Taylor bailiff and board for jurors 12.25 J. A. W. Johnson supplies for poor Carl Welter " meter and tapping main for court house 21.50 Hiram Cornell rent June 1901 66.67 W. A. Parker supplies for poor 32.00 L. Lauffer co. missioners fees Sam Hudson witness Suurr case 4.50 J. E. Harris " " 2.25 Geo. Rogers " " 5.00 Nels Austin " " 4.50 John Sedlacek " " 2.00 Frank Sedlacek " " 2.00 J. W. Burleigh " " 2.00 L. L. Bivens salary April 58.33 Arthur Bowring justice fees 41.00 C. J. Cobb & Co mdsr for poor 6.35 D. C. Nelson supplies for county 7.85 D. S. Ludwig estate " " 11.85 Roy Kuskie witness Grooms case 8.00 A. N. Compton coroner inquest Hatten case 28.10 Wm. Alder juror " 1.00 Frank Jones " " 1.00 U. S. Crizer " " 1.00 Adams " " 1.00 Wm. Dalgren " " 1.00 J. B. Soncs " " 1.00 L. L. Bivens salary May 58.33 E. B. Chandler moving jail cage and repairs 49.60 A. M. Morrissey 2nd grand expenses 190.00 Frank Yanish constable " 1.00 N. J. Daniels clk distict court fine 30.00 W. E. Taylor fees Ladeaux case 30.00

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LIVERY AND FEED STABLE

Walcott's and Tilson's old Stands. A. Schatzthauer, Propr. Give Me a Trial Rates Reasonable. Our people celebrated at different places and in various ways. The I. O. O. F. band and a number of our citizens went to Merriman, some to Cody, Georgia, Crookston, Britt, Sparks and Simeon. W. Morgareidge and wife went to Simeon to spend a few days celebrating. Judge Towne and daughter went to Merriman. Judge Walcott went with the band boys to Merriman. The Ladies Band went to Bassett and played for the 4th of July crowd and next day played for the reunion. A large number of our citizens went to Bassett. Bennie Roberts, his wife and sister-in-law, Miss Larson, of near Merriman, enjoyed the Fourth at Hot Springs. Misses Hilida and Melvina Balgord came down from Rosebud this week and after a few days visit in town left this morning to join their parents at Galva, Iowa. Mrs. Perkins and son Chas., are here from Carlisle, Ark., visiting for a couple of weeks with her sister Mrs. J. M. Clarkson and family. They go from here to White, So. Dak. A very pleasant party was given Tuesday evening, July 2nd, at the home of J. R. Ayers, in honor of their daughter Clara's eighteenth birthday. The guests present were Misses Katie Cox, Vernie and Belle Sisler, Winnie Crowe, of Merriman, and Eya Harden, of Valentine, Messrs Clarence Carson, John Jaquins, George VanBuren, Bert, George and Harry Ayers. The presents received were: Autograph album, framed picture, bible, silver thimble, shirt, waist set and pin, pen knife; breast pin, silk handkerchief and other presents too numerous to mention. Various games were played during the evening and at 13 o'clock ice cream, cake and lemonade. The republicans around Lincoln are exceedingly happy. They all feel that the good old times are here again. The state officers have let a lot of contracts for stone. Now they fancy that they will have "stone plugged to size," convict labor and everything as it was in the good old times, so they are very happy.—Nebraska Independent. Don't forget our high grade coffee's and teas. W. A. PETTYCREW. Come and see our 10c counter of actual values. W. A. PETTYCREW. Dr. W. I. Seymour, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist. 116 "O" Street, Omaha, Nebr. Two men and three teams want day work through haying season. Postoffice, Sparks, Nebr. 23 St. EMERSON POWERS. All kinds of heavy hardware and wagon wood stock at E. Breuklanders. Cook and dining room girl wanted at the Central Hotel, Gordon. 2t WANTED—Dish washer dining room girl and cook at Cody Hotel at once. 25-2t FOR SALE—About 40 head of cows and calves and about 100 head mixed stuff. Inquire at ranch 10 miles south of Crookston. 23 tf Len Parker, Mgr. My ranch for sale. 5 quarters sections of land; will run 300 head of stock summer and winter also 25 head of horses and 50 head of cattle. Terms 1/3 cash 1/3 in one year and 1/3 in two years. ONE CHURCH Valentine, Nebr. Strayed or stolen from my ranch 5 miles west of Valentine on the Minnechadaza; 5 head of horses about May 1. One iron grey mare and colt; one sorrel yearling colt; one three year old horse colt dark bay or black, white spot in forehead and white hind foot; one buckskin yearling colt branded FL on right shoulder. Liberal reward will be paid for information leading to the recovery of the above property. GEO. J. GASKELL, Valentine.

Notice to Bridge Builders and Painters. Sealed bids with plans and specifications will be received at the office of the County Clerk of Cherry County Nebraska at Valentine on the 12th day of August 1901, for the building of all bridges that may be ordered constructed by the County Board prior to July 1, 1902. Bids to be by the lineal foot upon both sub-structure and super-structure and contract to be let at such specified sum per lineal foot. All bids to be accompanied by bidder's plans and specifications and a certified check on some bank in Cherry county for the sum of \$200, successful bidder's must furnish bonds in compliance with the statute. Bids will be received at the same date for the painting of about 900 feet of bridges in Cherry county, Nebraska. Iron bridges to receive one coat of paint and wooden bridges two. Paint to be red lead and Prussian blue and half mixed in pure linseed oil. All rust and scales to be removed before painted. A suitable bond to be required. The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid they may consider to be the best. Valentine, Nebr., July 6, 1901. CO. CLERK

Notice to Creditors. In County Court, within and for Cherry County, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of Abraham Colman deceased. To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified, that I will sit at the County Court Room in Valentine in said County, on the 13th day of July, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m. to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is 6 months, from the 30th day of December, A. D. 1900 and the time limited for payment of debts is one year from said 30th day of December 1901. Witness my hand and the seal of said county Court, this 11th day of June, 1901. W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

In the District Court of Cherry County, Nebraska. In the matter of the sale of real estate by Robert Canady, guardian of the person of Edna and Beulah McArthur, minor heirs of Fred McArthur, deceased. And now on this 11th day of June A. D. 1901, this cause came on for hearing, before W. H. Westover, one of the Judges of the district court of Cherry county, Nebraska, upon the petition of Robert Canady, guardian of Edna McArthur and Beulah McArthur, minor heirs of Fred McArthur, deceased, praying for license to sell the following described real estate, to wit: the lots sec. 32, township 30, range 26 west of the 6th P. M., the proceeds of the sale to be used for the support, maintenance and education of his said wards. It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at Rushville, Nebraska on the 28th day of July A. D. 1901 at 10 o'clock a. m. to show cause why such license should not be granted to said guardian to sell said premises. It is further ordered that a copy of this notice be published four successive weeks in the VALENTINE DEMOCRAT in Cherry county, Nebraska. Dated this 11th day of June A. D. 1900 at Rushville Nebraska. W. H. WESTOVER, Judge of Dist. Court.

Appointment of Administrator. In county court of Cherry County, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of William Tupper deceased. Elizabeth C. Tupper having filed in my office a petition praying for the appointment of W. M. Walcott as administrator of the estate of William Tupper, deceased. All persons interested in said estate will take notice that I have fixed July 27, 1901 at 10 o'clock p. m. as the time and my office in Valentine in said county as the place for hearing said petition and all persons interested in said estate may appear and show cause if any there be why such administrator should not be appointed. Witness my hand and seal this 10th day of July 1901. W. R. TOWNE, County Judge.

Good Hard ROCK For Sale. In Any Quantity. PAT HETT, Valentine, Neb. UNION HOTEL Has been moved the building on South Cherry street formerly known as the Massacogue house and here we are prepared to give customers better service than ever before. M. Harris. Last—On June 22, 1901, one bright bay horse, weight about 1200 pounds; branded X on shoulder, also branded, X on left shoulder, said horse strayed from Rosebud Agency. Chas. E. McCheney, U. S. Indian Agt., Rosebud, So. Dak.

Reading novels makes one dissatisfied with themselves, their lives and their surroundings. It makes one desire to suddenly acquire wealth or fame or to live beyond their means. Continued novel reading encourages the wild frivolous girl to become a flirt and the adventurous boy to do some fool-hardy deed. It absorbs the brain power till it is incapable of remembering more substantial things. The only advantage light reading has is to furnish a rest or recreation for the tired brain that has encouraged in study. Then it causes people to become familiar words that are seldom seen in print elsewhere. Bulls for Sale. Eight registered and two high grade hereford bulls, and one high grade shorthorn for sale. These animals are from 1 year to thirty months old. H. S. SAVAGE, Simeon, Neb.