

URE SAYS HE WILL GET TAXES

New County Treasurer Tells Convention Methods He Will Use.

TO ISSUE DISTRESS WARRANTS

Langford Backs Up Statement Made Wednesday About Collections Being Only a Bluff—Banquet Last Night.

Criticizing Ray C. Langford of Lincoln county for having referred to the collection of personal taxes as "bluff," County Treasurer W. G. Ure of Douglas county announced to the convention or county treasurers yesterday morning that he intended to collect delinquent personal taxes and there would be no bluff about it.

"I was grieved to have such a statement get out in my ballroom," said Mr. Ure. "I got pretty hot under the collar. If you fellows are going to indulge in such loose talk, I want you to meet in Lincoln next year. I don't want you to come back here."

"Now, I'll tell you what I'm going to do about personal taxes. We have five collectors, and I'm going to send those collectors out to talk to the delinquents in a gentlemanly way. The collector must bring me either the money or some sort of a statement from the individual. I'll have these collectors work a couple of weeks, and then I'll take hold of the matter myself. I'll serve notice on the delinquent that unless he pays his taxes by a certain day, I will issue a distress warrant on that day. And I positively will issue the warrant on that day and send the sheriff to grab whatever he can get his hands on."

"The reporters misconstrued what I said yesterday," said Mr. Langford. "When I said 'bluff' I referred only to cases where the delinquent has got out of the state."

"Oh, well, if that's the case," rejoined Mr. Ure, "I'll take back part of what I said and will invite you to meet in Omaha again."

Taxes Are Certain.

President Hevone here assured the newspaper men that "there is nothing surer on earth than the collection of taxes." E. B. Hirschman of Cedar county wanted a special committee appointed to seek to remedy the mischief caused by the publication of yesterday's deliberations, but the convention decided this was unnecessary. Mr. Hirschman was satisfied, however, when the reporters present promised him to publish Mr. Langford's explanation.

"The Commissioner's Viewpoint," was Mr. Ure's set subject. The county mortgages the future by tardy assessment, levy and collection of taxes, he said, with the result that the county is always hard up, the business of one administration runs over into the next and the county commissioner is the object of "kicks" from one end of the county to the other. Mr. Ure said the assessment should be made in September preceding the January in which the personnel of the county board changes; the county equalization board should meet in November; the estate equalization board in December; the levy should be made in January and taxes should be paid in April and May. It is up to the treasurer, he said, to go before the legislature and get a law passed making such provision.

Phillip A. Sommerland talked of "The New Treasurer."

Officers were elected late in the afternoon and the convention closed tonight with a banquet at the Rome.

Fredrickson Has a Close Call When His Auto Goes Into River

H. E. Fredrickson of the Fredrickson Auto company had a narrow escape from death by drowning in the Missouri river yesterday afternoon when he attempted to cross to the Iowa side in his auto on the ice near Florence, where the river is completely frozen over.

Mr. Fredrickson had advanced from the Nebraska shore about twenty feet when the front wheels of his car struck an air hole. Before he could reverse his engine and back away from the dangerous spot the ice about him began to crumble and in an instant the car was filled with water. Mr. Fredrickson barely saved himself by making a desperate leap from the sinking car at the last instant. Fortunately the water was shallow at the place where the car sunk and with the aid of a pair of horses borrowed from a nearby farm Mr. Fredrickson was able to haul his car back to land.

Banquet for Hudson to Be a Big Affair

So many reservations are requested for the banquet to be given for Marshall A. Hudson, founder of Baraca, it has been necessary to engage a banquet hall at the Paxton hotel. The original intention was to have the banquet, which is planned for 7 o'clock Saturday evening, at the Young Men's Christian association. The banquet will be preceded by a reception for Mr. Hudson in the lobby of the hotel.

I. W. Carpenter will be toastmaster. The theme of the toasts will be "What Baraca Does." Three-minute toasts will be delivered by the following:

James W. Nicholson, "What Baraca Does for the Teacher"; Roy X. Towel, "What Baraca Does for the Individual Member"; A. S. Kelly, "What Baraca Does for the Physical Development"; C. G. Throckmorton, "What Baraca Does for the Spiritual Side"; H. H. Garst, "What Baraca Does for the Other Men"; James M. Sturdevant, "What Baraca Does for the Community"; R. C. Cronster, "What Baraca Does for the Church"; G. B. Harman, "What Baraca Does for the Sunday School."

Mr. Hudson will follow with an address to the men on "Personal Work."

Mr. Hudson arrives in Omaha Saturday morning and will be the guest of the Tri-City Baraca union at a series of services Sunday and Monday.

Pasteur Institute Doctor is Coming

Dr. George Glier Rambaud, director of the Pasteur Institute of New York City, will arrive next Wednesday with his wife, Madam Gerville Roache of the Chicago Opera company, who will give a recital here next Wednesday evening. Dr. and Mrs. Rambaud will spend Wednesday and Thursday in Omaha. Dr. Rambaud, who was a classmate of Dr. C. W. Pollard of this city when they were students at the Columbia university, will give a lecture for the students of the Omaha Medical college.

Life tenants that multiply man's happiness

Furniture of irreproachable character, possessing beauty and durability—the kind in this greatest of January sales—fills full the measure of man's comfort, making of his home his castle.

THE ROAD to a man's heart is said to be through good cooking; but the road to his greatest comfort and unbounded happiness is through honest furniture, with ease-giving and rest-radiating qualities. *It is the kind in this greatest of January Sales.* Reflected from its very surfaces are home-influencing qualities—qualities that bring peace of mind, and repose of limbs. It possesses sturdy, rugged honesty; graceful, modest beauty, and straight, simple lines or curved, decorated features. Such furniture becomes a permanent member of the home—a life-long tenant. During the lingering days of January it is priced here at figures far below those usually asked. In many instances pieces are marked at cost marks. It all deserves a place in the most pretentious home as well as in the humblest cottage.

\$24.50 Chiffonier—Golden oak; 19x40 inches; French plate mirror, 18x23 inches; four commodious drawers; very beautiful article..... **\$22.00**

\$26.00 Princess Dresser—Solid oak; three large drawers; size 21x46 inches; French plate mirror, 23x44 inches..... **\$23.50**

\$12.00 Dressing Table—Golden oak; thoroughly built; size 18x28 inches; French plate mirror, 14x24 inches..... **\$10.00**

\$70.00 Buffet—English oak; sliding silver drawer; two spacious drawers; two compartments..... **\$30.00**

\$20.00 Morris Chair—Fumed oak frame; imitation leather or tapestry seat and back..... **\$15.00**

\$70.00 Bookcase—English oak; mullioned doors; five wide shelves; size 48x60 inches..... **\$38.00**

\$30.00 Dining Room Table—English oak; claw feet; 54-inch top; very strong and beautiful..... **\$23.50**

\$32.00 Serving Table—English oak; one large drawer; very durable..... **\$20.00**

\$34.00 Hall Clock—Fumed oak; high quality; accurate timepiece; decorative..... **\$17.00**

\$80.00 Mahogany Parlor Suite—Three pieces, rocker, chair and settee; leather seats and backs..... **\$65.00**

\$29.50 Rocker—One of the most substantially erected rockers in the store; filled with the comfort idea..... **\$23.50**

\$48.00 Auto Valet—Quarter sawed oak; six large drawers; size, 38 inches wide, 21 inches deep, and 60 inches high..... **\$43.00**

\$105.00 Buffet—Mahogany; massive and durable; plush lined silver drawer; large linen drawer; 54-inch top; mirror back; 10x48 inches..... **\$60.00**

\$28.00 Brass Bed—Two-inch post; nine one-inch fillers; made to endure for years..... **\$23.50**

\$39.00 Brass Bed—Best quality; two-inch post; seven one-inch fillers..... **\$24.50**

\$32.00 Brass Bed—One of the prettiest patterns; two-inch continuous post; five one-inch fillers..... **\$25.00**

\$24.00 Oak Dresser—Swell front; four spacious drawers; French plate mirror, 23x29 inches..... **\$20.00**

\$10.00 Storage Chiffonier—Beautiful oak; five large drawers, size of chiffonier, 19x32 inches..... **\$ 9.00**

\$50.00 Turkish Chair—Harrington springs; full of comfort; very fine looking chair, with thorough workmanship showing in every line..... **\$29.00**

\$83.00 Buffet—Solid mahogany; three large drawers; one roomy compartment; 21x54 inches; French plate mirror, 14x36 inches; very excellent material..... **\$60.00**

\$26.00 Princess Dresser—Quarter sawed oak; size 21x46 inches; three large drawers; French plate mirror with beveled edges, 24x40 inches..... **\$23.00**



\$22.50 Dressing Table—Mahogany; beautiful article; one large drawer; French plate mirror, 15x20 inches..... **\$12.50**

\$34.00 Cheval Mirror—Solid mahogany; French beveled plate, 19x48 inches; very excellent article..... **\$30.00**

\$80.00 Storage Chiffonier—Solid mahogany; four spacious drawers; two small drawers; size, 22x36 inches..... **\$45.00**

\$100.00 Davenport—Panne plush covering upholstery; mahogany frame; rest-giving..... **\$60.00**

\$90.00 Chiffonier—Mahogany; six-drawer; size of chiffonier, 23x34 inches; French plate mirror, 19x25 inches..... **\$50.00**

\$25.00 Serving Table—Solid mahogany; two large drawers; 18x36 inches; durable..... **\$16.00**

\$65.00 Mahogany Table—Very strong made; 48-inch top; 8-foot extension..... **\$58.00**

\$60.00 Dressing Table—Solid mahogany; 48-inch top; 8-foot extension..... **\$54.00**

\$110.00 China Cabinet—Beautiful mirror back; solid mahogany; mullioned doors; superior quality; most excellent bargain..... **\$65.00**

\$70.00 Mahogany Desk—One large and two small drawers; very well built; detailed construction; beautiful design; size, 31x34 inches; heavy writing bed..... **\$55.00**

\$68.00 Library Table—Solid mahogany; massive model; size, 30x48 inches; highest type of table..... **\$61.00**

\$30.00 Over-Stuffed Chair—Very acme of comfort-giving; strong and durable..... **\$23.00**

\$80.00 Davenport—Croch mahogany; very pretty design; brown upholstery; 78 inches long; comfortable and strong..... **\$65.00**

\$115.00 Davenport—Upholstered in panne plush; mahogany frame; 66 inches long; strong..... **\$56.00**

\$10.75 Chair—Fumed oak; all over; Spanish leather seat..... **\$ 7.50**

\$8.50 Chair—Fumed oak; Spanish leather slip seat; strong model..... **\$ 5.00**

\$11.75 Arm Chair—Fumed oak; leather slip seat; very strong; excellent quality..... **\$ 9.00**

\$8.00 Arm Chair—Beautiful fumed oak; Spanish leather seat; higher quality..... **\$ 6.00**

\$32.00 Princess Dresser—Solid mahogany; 21x34 inches three large drawers; French plate mirror, 17x36 inches; three commodious drawers..... **\$16.50**

\$30.00 Dresser—Mahogany; 23x44 inches; French plate, 21x28 inches; very excellent quality..... **\$23.00**

\$17.00 Bungalow Brass Bed—Dull finish; five three-quarter-inch fillers..... **\$15.00**

\$32.00 Post Brass Bed—Built for beauty and service; very substantial..... **\$20.00**

\$22.50 Brass Bed—Dull finish; two-inch posts; twelve three-quarter-inch filler; strong and durable..... **\$25.50**

\$34.00 Brass Bed—Dull finish; two-inch continuous posts; five one-half-inch fillers; beauty design; strong..... **\$17.50**

\$100.00 Settee—Solid mahogany; green denim upholstery; very high quality..... **\$57.00**

\$12.50 Storage Chiffonier—White enamel; five large drawers; very beautifully made..... **\$11.25**

\$20.00 Dressing Table—White enamel; two spacious drawers; French plate mirror, 16x25 inches..... **\$18.00**

\$54.00 Cheval Mirror—Mahogany frame; beveled plate, 19x55 inches..... **\$40.00**

\$28.00 Chiffonier—Circassian walnut; four large and two small drawers; beautiful; French plate, 15x19 inches..... **\$25.00**

\$32.50 Dresser—Circassian walnut; thoroughly made; decorative and durable; French plate, 21x29 inches; two large and two small drawers..... **\$27.00**

\$25.00 Poster Bed—Solid mahogany; full size; built for long service; artistic in every line..... **\$20.00**

\$90.00 Dressing Table—Sheraton style; solid mahogany; three large and three small drawers; French plate mirror, 30x36 inches..... **\$75.00**

\$66.00 Storage Chiffonier—Mahogany; Sheraton model; very high class; strong and durable..... **\$55.00**

\$110.00 China Cabinet—Solid mahogany; mullioned front; six feet high..... **\$65.00**

\$42.00 Buffet—Early English oak; three large drawers; two compartments..... **\$25.00**

\$25.00 Brass Bed—Very attractive model; 2-in. post; seven one-inch fillers; full size and durable..... **\$20.00**

\$60.00 Gentleman's Valet—Mahogany; double doors; size, 44x22 inches; seven spacious drawers; sliding mirror; large suit section, with hangers; necktie and whiskbroom attachment..... **\$54.00**

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