

COUNTY BONDS HELD LEGAL IN "TEST" DECISION

Judge Upholds \$822,000 Court House Reconstruction Issue—Rush Case to Supreme Court.

The validity of the court house reconstruction bonds of \$822,000 authorized by a special session of the state legislature last October was upheld by District Judge Sears in a decision handed down yesterday in the test suit brought by M. O. Cunningham, an attorney, against Douglas county and the board of county commissioners.

The "right of way" through the courts is being given the test suit. It was filed last Wednesday afternoon. County Attorney Shattuck filed a demurrer to the suit that same afternoon in which he argued that no cause of action against Douglas county was contained in the petition. It was this demurrer which Judge Sears sustained yesterday.

Assess on Actual Value. "I don't even care to hear any argument," the judge told Mr. Cunningham. "I was myself a member of the legislative committee which wrote section 6300 and I know that 'actual value' as mentioned in there and 'valuation' as mentioned in the state constitution mean the same thing. I am convinced that, under the law, the county can assess taxes up to \$1.50 per \$100 of actual value of county property without vote of the people."

Take Immediate Appeal. The point of contention lies in the peculiar state law which provides for actual or full valuation of all property, and then the assessment of taxes on a basis of 20 per cent of this actual valuation. It is a mere juggling of arithmetic.

Who is the stingiest person you ever knew? What is the stingiest thing he or she ever did? Write your own experience very briefly and mail it to the "Stingy Letter" Editor, The Bee. He will pay you \$1 if the story is printed.

Three of the first answers received follow: "Stingy Letter Editor, The Bee: The stingiest man I ever knew was A. B. Mickel, who wrote letters to The Bee a couple of years ago, telling how he saved money. This man told how he bought 100 pounds of oatmeal from a grocer at a bargain because it had weevils in it. But cooling kills the weevils." And he actually made his family eat this bargain oatmeal.

"There is a woman in our neighborhood who made her husband quit smoking. She said it cost too much and that he should save the money to help fight the H. C. L. "She wears silk stockings, high-heeled shoes and has to have several new hats each season. The coupons of her spending are much money to keep in style, without wearing out the clothes she has, she calls him stingy."

File Petitions for Mullen As Democratic Committeeman. Arthur F. Mullen will be a candidate to succeed himself as democratic national committeeman from Nebraska. Petitions bearing his name are being filed. Mr. Mullen is a member of the committee on arrangements for the democratic convention to be held next summer in San Francisco.

PROMPT RELIEF for the acid-distressed stomach—try two or three KI-MOIDS after meals, dissolved on the tongue—keep your stomach sweet—try KI-moids—the new aid to digestion.

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Soldiers' and Sailors' Club For Pershing Started Here

Organization Is Perfected To Boost Nebraskan For Presidency.

The Nebraska Soldiers' and Sailors' Pershing club is the name of an organization just formed in Omaha for the avowed purpose of sending a Pershing delegation from Nebraska to the national republican convention at Chicago next June and of making the commander of the A. E. F. the nominee of his party for president of the United States.

According to its announcement, the club is to be composed of ex-service men, and "calls to membership every ex-service man who will help to put Nebraska 'over the top' for Pershing."

The organization is headed by Capt. C. E. Adams, retiring commander of the G. A. R., who was one of the original Pershing men in the state and who was very active in war work. In announcing his affiliation with this club Captain Adams said:



Capt. C. E. Adams.

men had seen four years of service and upon their home-coming they

found a sentiment opposed to General Grant, their commander, as a candidate for the presidency. These men, with the grueling experiences and army hardships fresh in their minds, joined in the opposition, and openly condemned their commander and leader. I will remember, and others will recall, how only a short time later these same men were the first to recognize that Grant was one of them; and putting aside their small differences and grievances, they once held, they joined in securing the election of their old commander.

"Today history will repeat itself, and America will witness the men who fought with Pershing in France or in this country fighting actively for him in the presidential campaign. It would be impossible to separate the ex-service men from Pershing. He is one of them, and I am confident they will welcome the opportunity of helping to put in the White House the man who helped them accomplish the greatest thing in history."

"Jack" Baldwin Secretary. John N. ("Jack") Baldwin was chosen secretary of the club and will assume active management of its headquarters. Mr. Baldwin was in the service for two years, serving overseas for nine months. He made the following statement in accepting the position of secretary:

"Prior to the announcement of the Pershing movement I had given my

support to Governor Lowden. Now I am for Pershing, a Nebraska man. "Now that we can see how important to the winning of the war was Pershing's attitude, we can see him with a broader perspective. We can see that his effort to put aside popularity and work with only the winning of the war as his paramount duty proved the sterling character of the man. Every man who served in this country or in France should, and I am confident will gladly put forth every effort to make Pershing our president. He is our 'buddy' who helped us 'put it across.' "The location of permanent headquarters will be announced within a few days."

Ex-President Taft Expected To Speak in Omaha April 3

Former President William Howard Taft is expected to come to Omaha April 3 and speak upon "Americanization" under the auspices of the North West Lawyers' Committee on Americanization.

J. W. Bryant, chairman of the committee, will arrive here Monday from Minneapolis to complete arrangements for the meeting, according to an announcement made today by R. A. Hayden.

Hears Nothing of Brother Reported Dead in Armenia

Latest reports from Constantinople state that the two Americans reported killed by Turkish bandits near Aleppo, Armenia, have not been identified as James Perry or Frank S. Johnson, American Y. M. C. A. workers, as at first reported.

Dr. Aldis A. Johnson, 3707 Lincoln boulevard, brother of Frank S. Johnson, today stated that he has had no official word concerning the death of his brother. He is awaiting answers to queries sent by him through Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. channels regarding the reports.

Dr. Johnson received a letter from his brother several days ago in which he stated that he was en route from Constantinople to a new station in India. His wife was with him.

LACK OF REST worry, over-work or imperfect nourishment, all in a measure contribute to and are the beginnings of nervous prostration.

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is a decided help to those who are nervous, in that it provides an easily assimilated food that quickly builds up the general health by nourishing the whole body. Give less attention to worry; enjoy regular rest and sleep and take Scott's Emulsion regularly after meals. Scott's never fails to nourish and strengthen.

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Resinol

ready to soothe baby's chafed skin.

Have you noticed that baby's scalp looks rough and scaly, or possibly that a little spot of eczema which itches and makes him fretful, has appeared on his body? Or maybe the soft little folds of his flesh have become chafed and irritated. For all these discomforts use Resinol Ointment, aided by Resinol Soap. See how quickly these gentle, soothing preparations—filled with healing Resinol balsams—will relieve baby's torment and bring refreshing sleep. At all druggists.

BEE WANT ADS ARE THE BEST BUSINESS BOOSTERS.

You Can Buy for Cash in Any Store, But in This Store You Can Buy for LESS

Sale of Boys' Odd Pants

2,000 pairs of boys' odd pants in dark and light patterns, in greens, browns, grays and mixtures—some all wool and full-lined. Sizes 6 to 18 years—
Farmer Price \$3.95—Saturday \$1.95
Boys' Department—Third Floor

HAYDEN'S

THE CASH STORE

DRUGS AND TOILET GOODS

\$1.75 Le Trefle or Azure Perfume, our cash price, oz. 98¢	\$3.00 Chamale Skins, large automobile Chamale, oil tanned, extra quality, at.....\$2.00
50c Chlorax Toothpaste.....30c	50c Men's Shaving Cream.....40c
35c Norwex Dental Cream.....25c	10c Williams Shaving Soap.....75c
25c Massatta Talcum.....10c	50c Nichols' Cleaner.....20c
\$1.00 Famo Hair Tonic.....70c	
30c Mum, deodorant for perspiration, our cash price.....24c	\$2.50 Lady's Springs, each one guaranteed special at.....\$1.49

Buy That Pair of Extra Trousers

Here Saturday, over 2,000 pairs of Trousers here for your selection.
That Sold to \$7.00

All this season's merchandise in the most desirable patterns and materials. All sizes, 31 to 52 waist.

Our Special Cash Price, Saturday at **\$4.45**

You'll need a pair to finish out the winter season. Buy Saturday and save.

All Our Winter OVERCOATS

Are now marked to close at **\$15 to \$20 Below Regular Prices**

You'll need a coat next season! Buy now; it will be a first-class investment.

Splendid Values in New Blouses

A Big New Shipment of the Season's New Styles in **Opera Blouses**

Just Received for Saturday Selling. 20 Charming Designs in Wide Range of Colors and Materials at—
\$10, \$12.75, \$15 and \$17.50

Winter Coats Must Go to Make Room for Spring Stocks

Two Big Special Lots Saturday Less Than Half

Elegant Cloth Coats, made up in Silvertones, Velours, Kerseys and two-tones, lined throughout, many fur collars, in the season's most popular shades. Coats in this lot sold up to \$69.00. Choice Sat. **29⁵⁰**

Glassy Coats that sold up to \$50.00. These coats are made up in Velours, Bolivias and Prizes, elegant variety of styles. Saturday.. **19⁵⁰**

Dependable Underwear at Saving Cash Prices—

You'll find it a real pleasure to make selections from the immense assortments here, and quality considered, you'll find the prices lower.

DON'T MISS SATURDAY'S SPECIALS.

Italian Silk Vests, with embroidery fronts or plain band tailored tops; also Italian Silk Bloomers, reinforced with elastic at knee; pink. These garments are slightly soiled. Regular price, \$3.98 and \$2.50. On sale at.....**\$2.98**

Women's Silk Lisle or Cotton Union Suits, in low neck, sleeveless and ankle length; pink; reinforced; regular price \$2.58 and \$2.50; on sale at.....**\$1.98**

Women's Cotton Union Suits, in pink or white, low neck, sleeveless or Dutch neck, elbow sleeve, ankle length; regular and extra sizes; regular price, \$1.98; on sale at **\$1.50**

Women's Batiste Envelope Chemise, in pink or white, with yokes of lace and embroidery, and lace at bottom; regular price \$1.75 and \$1.98; on sale at.....**\$1.50**

Children's Muslin Princess Slips, trimmed with lace and embroidery; sizes 2 to 10 years; regular price, \$1.50; on sale at.....**98c**

Shoes at Prices That Will Bring You In

Ladies' Black Vici Kid and Dark Brown and Black Calfskin, with high and military heels, a regular \$7.50 value for **\$5.00**

Men's Black Gun Metal Calf and Brown Vici Kid, on popular lasts, a good \$7.50 "stroller," go in this great clean-up sale, Hayden's cash price, pair for.....**\$5.50**

Ladies' Kid Blucher, in broken lines of sizes, 2 1/2 to 4 1/2. A look is all you need, you'll take a pair or two. Per pair.....**\$2.85**

A Big Bunch of Fancy Felt Slippers, with buckskin soles, sizes 2 1/2 to 4 1/2, at.....**\$1.00 and \$1.45**

Ladies With Little Feet "Will Profit"

Our new spring Pumps and Oxfords, in black and brown vici kid are coming in daily and they are mighty "classy" styles.

We Are the Home Store for Ladies' Grover Shoes.

Saturday in the Children's Section

100 little tots' winter coats for sizes 2 to 8 that sold at \$8.00 and \$9.00. Saturday, at..... **\$5**

75 girls' winter coats for sizes 10 to 14, sold at \$15.00 to \$22.50. Saturday..... **\$10**

Girls' all wool serge dresses, several styles, in sizes 10 to 16. Special values Saturday... **\$12⁷⁵**

Just received, more girls' school dresses in gingham, made up in the season's many styles; all sizes, elegant values at **\$3.95, \$5.95 and \$7⁹⁵**

CLOSING OUT THE COURTNEY STOCK

Lay in your supplies while some of the stocks are still unbroken. Canned Fruits, Vegetables, Pickles, Olives, Jams, Olive Oils, etc., etc.

SPECIAL FLOUR SALE FRIDAY.

25 lb. sack best high-grade flour.....\$6.75	Hand-picked Navy Beans.....10	Diamond H. Blend, a fine flint.....40c
10 lb. sack best high-grade flour.....3.20	The best White or Yellow Corn Meal, lb.....95	H. B. C. Special Blend, 20, 42 1/2 lb. at. & J. Blend, a Top Notcher, lb.....45c
5 lb. sack best high-grade flour.....1.65	The best rolled White Brook-Fast Oatmeal, lb.....95	The Best Tea Siftings, lb.....25c
2 1/2 lb. sack pure Buckwheat flour.....1.25	Tail cans Wilson or Pat Small cans, Wilson or Pat.....90c	Courtney's Fine Sugar, Gunpowder, Oolong, Ceylon, Fancy Spider, Long Japan, 100, 5 lb. sack, 100.....70c

Price 100c.

No. 2 cans Fancy Red or Black Raspberries, or Blueberries.....45	China Basket Fried, English Breakfast, Ceylon, Gunpowder, Sun Dried or Instant, 500g pounds of Fancy A&D's, Cream Centers, regular 50c seller, Friday.....39c	OMAHA'S GREATEST VEGETABLE AND FRUIT MARKET
No. 2 cans Blackberries in syrup.....45	Pancy Solid Head Lettuce, lb. 15c	
No. 2 cans Raspberries in syrup.....45	Pancy California Cauliflower, lb.....10c	
25-oz. bottle Fancy Quaker Oatmeal.....1.20	Fresh Southern Best Carrots, 12 1/2 lb. sack.....75c	
Large cans Curtis Supreme Rippe Olives.....1.10	Turnips.....75c	
Large cans Curtis Supreme Rippe Olives.....1.10	Fresh Radishes, bunch.....6c	
Large cans Curtis Supreme Rippe Olives.....1.10	Bermuda Onions, lb.....10c	
Large cans Curtis Supreme Rippe Olives.....1.10	15 lb. Best No. 1 Potatoes.....85c	
Large cans Curtis Supreme Rippe Olives.....1.10	Anything you want in vegetables—We have it.	
Large cans Curtis Supreme Rippe Olives.....1.10	Large Grapes, Fruit, reg. 10 lb. 12 1/2 lb. sack price, 6 1/2c, 8 1/2c, 12 1/2c.	

COFFEE MARKET.

Our Famous Golden Santos Coffee, lb.....35c

Courtney's Ankara Blend, lb.....30c

Unusually Attractive Priced Hosiery In Our Cash Sale Saturday

Women's Thread Silk Hose, in black and colors, sold up to \$2.75, clearance price for Saturday, pair.....**\$1.50**

Women's Silk Boot and Fibre Silk Hose, regular and extra sizes, large assortment of colors, worth up to \$1.75, cash price, while they last, pair.....**79c**

Women's Fine Mercerized Lisle and Cotton Hose, regular and out sizes, all good quality, regular 89c values.....**50c**

Children's Hose, in wool and cotton, broken sizes, 50c values, cash price, pair.....**19c**

Best No. 1 Strictly Fresh Eggs, Dozen 50c

Full Cream Wisconsin Cheese, lb.....35c	Peanut Butter, lb.....25c
Full Cream Young America Cheese, lb.....35c	Pure Honey, lb.....25c
Full Cream New York White Cheese, lb.....35c	Sugar Syrup, qt.....25c
Swiss Cheese, lb.....35c	Large 100 Pickles, doz.....25c
Chow Chow, quart.....30c	Chow Chow, quart.....30c
Fresh Quaker Oatmeal, at.....40c	All the best brands of Nut Butter, Delfish, Kream, Hill-day, Frodo or Cream of Nut butter, lb.....25c

190 Sample Trimmings \$5

While They Last, Saturday—

Salesman's samples, just 190 of them, they should sell for \$7.50 and \$8.50, some as high as \$10.00. Being samples, the newest materials and trimmings were used in their making, best straw braids, finest Skinner's satin, good quality georgette. Some are of all straw, some combined with satin, others of all satin. In black, brown and navy; trimmings are flowers, fancy imported feathers and ornaments.

Choose from 190 Hats, each one different, Saturday, \$5.

The Best of Everything in Fresh and Smoked MEATS in Sanitary Market. at Saving Cash Prices.

Saturday Specials

Choice Beef Pot Roast, lb. 11 1/2c	Veal Breast, lb. 12 1/2c
Choice Beef Chuck Roast, lb. 15c	Sugar Cured Ham, lb. 24 1/2c
12-lb. cans Army Bacon, the very best quality, for.....\$3.00	

Money Saving Cash Prices on House Furnishings

Electric Iron, \$5.00 value.....\$4.50	9 1/2" Cedar Oil Mop, \$1.50 size.....\$1.25
100 Top Outh, consists of large size soap and 1 qt. of oil, \$2.00 value, for.....\$1.49	Thermos Kit, with vacuum bottle, our cash price.....\$3.65
Food Chopper, cash price.....\$1.50	Ashes and Irons, three from handle and stand.....\$2.75
Toilet Paper, 4 large rolls.....25c	Sani-Flush, large can.....20c
Sanitary Sweeping Compound, our cash price.....25c	Full-sized Wash Board.....45c
24-lb. Family Scales.....\$2.50	Oil or Metal Polish, 25c size, 19c
A Good Japan Mail Box for 35c	Good Hair Floor Brush.....\$1.25