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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

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FOR CITY ATTORNEY RANDALL LIVESAY

FOR CITY CLERK B. E. BLEER

FOR POLICE JUDGE C. V. LIMING

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Democratic Platform.

We, the Democrats of the city of Anadarko, re-affirm our adherence to the principles of Democracy.

1. We favor an honest government, judiciously administered, and pledge our candidates, if elected, to an impartial, vigorous execution of the law.

2. We regard a public office as a public trust and the holder thereof a public servant, bound by the law and his oath, to the faithful performance of his duties under the law.

3. We pledge ourselves not to grant any franchise, unless the same be ratified by a majority of the voters of the city.

4. We favor giving preference, qualifications and experience being considered, to resident teachers, in our public schools.

5. We heartily commend the acts and conduct of The Volunteer Fire Department of Anadarko in the promptness and dispatch with which they respond to fire alarms and the extinguishment of fire, and pledge our nominees, if elected, to do all that the city revenues will permit to make needed improvement in the Fire Department in order to increase the efficiency thereof.

6. We sincerely commend the working of the Commercial Club in its endeavors to promote the material prosperity of the city.

7. We denounce the following acts of the present city administration: First—It has utterly failed in the enforcement of law, thereby retarding the progress of our city, to a point bordering criminal neglect.

8. The city council has employed members of its own body on the street work of the city, which is not only an unjust discrimination against the many good workmen of the city who desire employment and are anxious

to work for wages, but we condemn such acts further, as being strictly illegal, and contrary to law, as provided in Art. 2 Chap. 25, S-Law 1901.

9. For not passing the salary reduction ordinance so as to commence at the beginning of their term of office.

10. We ask all persons regardless of political affiliations, who have the welfare of the city at heart, to assist us in electing good men, who are free from factional strife, that we may secure these much needed public improvements, that our laboring men may be given employment and the thousands of dollars lying in the sub-treasury at St. Louis may be judiciously spent among our people.

DEMOCRATIC CITY CENT'L COM.

Shute April 11th for Rabbit eggs at the K. C. Meat Market. Herndon & Britton.

Dime Social.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian Church will give a pie supper and crocknote social, on Thursday evening, March 19, in the building recently vacated by Youngheim Bros, corner 5th and Broadway. Everybody cordially invited to attend and have a good time.

In Comment.

The Commoner, Mr. Bryan's paper, will be especially interesting and instructive during the present session of congress. The action of this congress will probably determine the issues upon which the next presidential campaign will be fought. The Commoner proposes to carry on a campaign of education and organization to the end that democratic principles may triumph.

In addition to the editorial department, which receives Mr. Bryan's personal attention, The Commoner contains a Current Topic department, wherein a non-partisan discussion of topics of timely interest and other valuable information will be found. The Home Department is conducted by a experienced woman who is widely known as a writer of household topics and who is an authority on the art of cooking in all that the term implies. The department alone is worth the subscription price. The other departments of the paper are all interesting and ably conducted, among which is a summary of the world's news told in narrative style, and Mr. Maupin's department—Whether Common or Not—contains original anecdotes and wit, moral lessons in homely phrase and verse, and appeals to old and young alike.

The Commoner as a whole is clean, entertaining and instructive, and its rapid increase in circulation—now amounting to 140,000—is proof of the paper's strength and influence.

Arrangements have been made with Mr. Bryan whereby The Commoner can be supplied at a very low rate with The Democrat, both papers for one year for \$1.60. This offer applies to both new and renewal subscriptions, and should be taken advantage of without delay. All orders should be sent to the Democrat office, Anadarko, Okla.

One man went to a barber shop to have a prescription filled, one went to a butcher shop to have a suit of clothes made, another went to a jeweler to have his shoes patched, and another went to a blacksmith shop to have his tooth pulled, while another went to a doctor to have his head felt, where he was informed that in the future to buy cold drinks at Hoffman's soda fountain.

Grand Concert.

Prof. Louis Urban, the noted German Violinist from Denver, Colo., will give a concert next Wednesday night, March 18, at the opera house. The Anadarko Band in full and several leading musicians from Lawton will participate in this concert.

You must shute a shute at the shute'n April 11th, for all the shute's that ever shuted a shute will shute every shute that a shuter can shute at the rabbit egg shute'n.

Just received another car of Alderson Fancy Lump coal, better have your coal house filled. 70tf. MISSOURI LUMBER CO.

...LEGAL NOTICES...

First pub. March 17.

Notice.

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that I, Frank M. Turner, do hereby file my petition and application with the county clerk of Caddo county, Oklahoma Territory, asking that I be appointed receiver of the estate of Charles Taylor, deceased, and that I be authorized to sell and convey all and singular the real and personal property of said estate, and that I be authorized to execute all such acts and deeds as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of said petition and application. Witness my hand and seal this 17th day of March, 1903.

Frank M. Turner, Receiver.

By Giltner & Giltner, Attys.

Last pub. April 1st.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of Estate of Charles Taylor, late of the County of Caddo, Oklahoma Territory, deceased. All persons having claims against said Charles Taylor, deceased, are required to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers to the undersigned, duly appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of said deceased, at the County Clerk's Office, in the County of Caddo, Oklahoma Territory, on or before the 15th day of April, 1903, at which time the said executor will receive and pay the same. Dated the 15th day of March, 1903.

Henry Marshall, Executor.

Last pub. April 16th.

Publication Notice.

Territory of Oklahoma, County of Caddo. In the District Court for said county. Phyllida Davis, plaintiff, vs. William I. Davis, defendant. Said defendant William I. Davis, will take notice that he has been sued in the above captioned cause, and that the plaintiff, Phyllida Davis, praying a divorce from said defendant William I. Davis, for gross neglect of duty, and extreme cruelty, and more, answer the petition filed by said plaintiff, on or before the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1903, or said petition will be taken as true, and judgment for said plaintiff, Phyllida Davis, will be rendered accordingly. Attest: N. E. Shanon, Clerk of said court. By Guy Gillett, D.puty.

L. using & Pruett, Attys. for plaintiff.

Last pub. May 2nd.

First Publication Feb. 9.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons in the estate of Alfred Mayhew, deceased, that on the 5th day of March 1903, one Wm. R. Ewing, who was named in the Probate Court of the County of Caddo and Territory of Oklahoma, as executor in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said Alfred Mayhew, deceased, and also filed in the said court a petition praying for the probate of said will, and that Letters Testamentary issue thereon to Sophia Schumacher, the executrix named in said will. Pursuant to an order of said court, made on the 5th day of March 1903, notice is hereby given that Friday the 20th day of March 1903, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, that being a day of the regular March term, 1903, of said court, has been appointed as the time for hearing said petition and proving said will, at the Probate court room in Anadarko in all persons interested may appear and contest the same. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Probate court this 5th day of March 1903.

(Seal) M. N. Gish, Probate Judge.

First Publication, March 2, 1903.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the estate of Charles Taylor, deceased, that on the 17th day of March 1903, one Henry Marshall produced and filed in the Probate Court of the County of Caddo and Territory of Oklahoma, a petition praying for the probate of said will, and that Letters Testamentary issue thereon to Henry Marshall, the executor named in said will. Pursuant to an order of said court, made on the 2nd day of March 1903, notice is hereby given that Monday the 16th day of March 1903, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, that being a day of the regular March term, 1903, of said court, has been appointed as the time for hearing said petition and proving said will, at the Probate court room in Anadarko in all persons interested may appear and contest the same. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Probate court this 2nd day of March 1903.

(Seal) M. N. Gish, Probate Judge.

First Publication, Feb. 27, 1903.

Publication Notice.

TERRITORY OF OKLAHOMA, Caddo County. Notice to creditors to Present claims. Notice is hereby given, that letters of administration on the estate of Jno. S. Page, deceased, were granted to the undersigned, by the Probate court of Caddo county, at Anadarko, Oklahoma Territory, on the 23rd day of February, 1903. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned, duly appointed and qualified as administrator of said estate, at the County Clerk's Office, in the County of Caddo, Oklahoma Territory, on or before the 15th day of April, 1903, at which time the said administrator will receive and pay the same. Dated this 23rd day of February, 1903.

S. B. STUBBS, Administrator.

First publication Feb. 27, 1903.

Notice.

Territory of Oklahoma, Caddo County. Know all men by these presents: That Frank Broadwell and E. B. Wilcox are associated as partners in the business of wholesale liquor and mail dealers in the counties of Caddo and Cavanaugh, Oklahoma Territory, under the firm name of the Oklahoma Brokerage company, and that the same is a general partnership, and that the said Frank Broadwell and E. B. Wilcox are equal owners and partners in said company, and that there are no other partners or shareholders in said company. Dated this 24th day of February, 1903.

Frank Broadwell, E. B. Wilcox.

TERRITORY OF OKLAHOMA, Caddo County.

Before me, Carl Giltner, Notary Public in and for said county and territory, on this 24th day of February, 1903, personally appeared E. B. Wilcox, to me known to be the same E. B. Wilcox who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged execution of same. Witness my hand and seal this day and year last above written.

(Seal) O. P. M. Butler, Notary Public.

My com. expires Jan. 25, 1905.

First Publication Feb. 21

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office. El Reno, Oklahoma, February 10th, 1903. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Benjamin L. Lowman, contestant, against homestead entry No. 5224 made September 28th, 1901, for the northeast quarter section 10, Township 5, Range 11, by James E. Crooks, contestee, in which it is alleged that said James E. Crooks has never made settlement on said tract of land, and that he has wholly abandoned the same for more than six months, immediately prior to the filing of said contest affidavit, and that abandonment still exists, and that his absence therefrom is not due to his employment in the Navy or Military service of the United States, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on April 13th, 1903, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in El Reno, Oklahoma. The said contestee having, in a proper affidavit, filed May 20th, 1902, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

THOMAS R. REED, Receiver.

First Publication Feb. 18, 1903.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office. El Reno, Oklahoma Territory, Jan. 30, 1903. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by William W. Vanter, contestant, against homestead entry No. 3545, made September 10, 1901, for the northeast quarter section 10, Township 12, Range 11, by Henry Barke of White Head, Indian Territory, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Henry Barke for more than a period of more than six months last past has wholly abandoned said land and has failed to establish his residence thereon or make any improvements whatever, and when about to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on April 1st, 1903, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in El Reno, Oklahoma. The said contestee having, in a proper affidavit, filed May 14, 1902, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

THOMAS R. REED, Receiver.

First Publication Jan. 27.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office. El Reno, O. T., Jan. 26, 1903. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by David C. Roovers, contestant, against homestead entry number 1263 made August 17, 1901, for the South West quarter of Section 14, Township 6 N., Range 11 W., by Thomas J. Loring, Contestee, in which it is alleged that Thomas J. Loring has utterly failed to make settlement upon said land, and has wholly abandoned the same with the intention of never entering upon and cultivating said land, and executed and delivered an agreement to one W. W. Winchester to transfer said land entirely, and surrendered to W. W. Winchester his duplicate receipt, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on March 25, 1903 before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in El Reno, Oklahoma. The said contestee having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 2nd, 1902, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

THOMAS R. REED, Receiver.

First Publication Feb. 18, 1903.

Estray Notice.

Territory of Oklahoma, Caddo County. Notice is hereby given that L. D. A. Berry who resides on the northwest quarter of section 32, Township 10 N., Range 11 W., Co. 10, Wm. I. M. in Caddo county, O. T. and whose postoffice address is Anadarko, O. T. did on the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1903, take up the following estray (to wit): One red cow with white face, with a white spot on back of neck and a notch in out of right ear. She is about three years old, weighs about seven hundred pounds, with four white feet. That said estray has been posted as required by law and said taker up has made up and filed an affidavit and given bond as required by law. Witness my hand and official seal this the 16th day of Feb. A. D. 1903.

(Seal) Fremont Boyle, County Clerk.

First Publication Jan. 10.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office. El Reno, O. T., Jan. 8, 1903. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by A. E. Davidson, contestant, against the homestead entry No. 5285, made Oct. 1, 1901 for the s.w. 1/4 of section 6, Township 6, Range 9, by Peter Feagan, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Peter Feagan has not maintained a residence upon the said tract of land as required by law, but has abandoned the same for more than six months, and that such default still exists, and said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. April 22, 1903 before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in El Reno, O. T. The said contestee having, in a proper affidavit, filed Jan. 8, 1903, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

FRANK C. MORRIS, Register.

Hammer & Babcock, Attys. for contestee.

First Publication Feb. 11

Road Notice.

Notice is here y given that O. Bon Green et al, did on the 10th day of Jan. A. D. 1903, file in the clerk's office of Caddo county of Oklahoma Territory, a road petition praying for the viewing and surveying of the following described public road to-wit: Quincen line on north side of section 12, town 12, range 11 west, running east and west, that the South Canadian river has washed out a portion of said section line and a road could be had along the river bank where the section line is wanted away, that enough land be condemned along said river bank to open a road on the north side of said section, that a large number of people have no other road to reach market other than the one proposed and others have no road to school, house or less said road be opened. That the Board of County Commissioners did on the 29th day of Jan. 1903, order that said petition was a legal one and that a proper bond had been filed approved said petition, and appointed A. W. Campbell, W. H. Keith and J. W. Turner as viewers and designated the 4th day of March, 1903, as the time when said viewers should meet and view said road. Notice is therefore given that said viewers, together with the county surveyor will on the 4th day of March, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m. on said day, meet at the place of beginning of said road and proceed to view the same, and give all persons interested a hearing.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this the 7th day of February, 1903.

(Seal) FLEMING BOYLE, County Clerk.

W. W. PRICE, Deputy.

First published March 4, 1903.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office. El Reno, O. T., Jan. 7, 1903. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by H. H. Anderson, contestant, against the homestead entry number 2505 made Sept. 4th, 1901, at the El Reno, Okla. for s. 1/4 Section 18, Township 6 N., Range 12, W. 1, M. by Harry L. Owen, contestee, in which it is alleged that Harry L. Owen has wholly abandoned the land embraced in his said entry for more than six months and a day. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on April 4th, 1903, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in El Reno, O. T. The said contestee having, in a proper affidavit, filed March 3, 1903, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

FRANK C. SICKLES, Register.

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