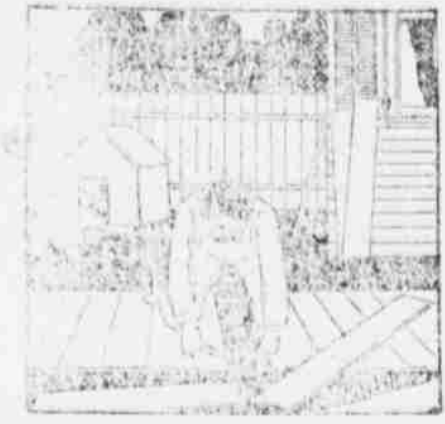


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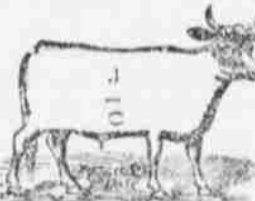
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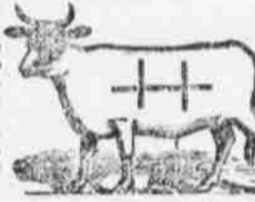
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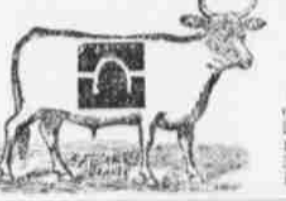
CURRAN BROS.,
Canton, Sioux county, Neb.
(Cross H Cross) on left side. Also H on left thigh. Under's top on left ear.
Horses branded same as cattle on left jaw and U on left shoulder.



STORM LAKE RANCH,
ROBERT GRAHAM,
Cleman, Neb.
As in cut on right or left hip; left ear cropped. Horses branded O on left jaw.



E. MARIN,
Huntingford, Neb.
Cattle branded flying horseshoe on right hip, as in cut. Home ranch sec. 25-27-30. Horse ranch in 21-42.



JOS. NERUD,
Mallada, Neb.
N on left side—J. R. Nerud.



T. J. DOWD,
Alliance, Neb.
3 5 connected any place on left side. Range on head of Pine Creek, Sheridan county.



POINT-OF-ROCKS RANCH,
JOHN O'KEEFE & SONS,
Alliance, Neb.
Cattle branded OK on left side; also OK and OK on left side.



SCHILL BROS.,
Schill, Neb.
Cattle branded on right thigh or XV on right side.
Township 27, range 45, Sheridan county.



WM. O'MARA,
Moonstar, Neb.
Cattle branded Catholic cross on right hip.
Horses branded same on right shoulder.
Range on S. W. 1/4 of section 36, 24, 43 and adjacent range.



H. A. DILLING,
Box 1112, Neb.
Cattle branded D on left hip, also with the bar over instead of under brand. Also left side and right side.
Ranch on section 36, 24, 43 and adjacent range.



H. S. ALLISON,
Ladestie, Neb.
Cattle branded N on right hip.
Range in Twp. 26, range 45, Sheridan county.



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MARSLAND.

David Loch has returned from Missouri. A McLaughlin shipped cattle last Monday.
Fern Wendt shipped a car of steers Friday.
C. H. Richey had a horse killed by No. 42 Thursday morning.
Mrs. McGogy and Mrs. Jacobson were Crawford visitors last Saturday.

George Richey has returned home after a six weeks' visit at Laramie, Wyo.
E. T. Gregg, August Rohde and C. G. Hollibaugh were in Crawford last Saturday.
H. G. Furman shipped cattle to Omaha last Tuesday. John Farman accompanied the shipment.
Carl Tollman has begun the erection of a new barn. A real barn, such as they build in Iowa.
Wm. Thomas is having a well drilled at his house east of town. Byron Jackson is doing the work.
Ray Hamaker is the new operator at the depot. He was a former Belmont boy, the son of J. L. Hamaker.

Miss Ream and Mrs. Sullenberger were Crawford visitors last Saturday and attended Mrs. Meredith's millinery opening.
A. E. Byers returned from the eastern part of the state last Saturday, having been in Omaha and at his old home in York.
C. McMillan, Nick Joralemon and other farmers of North Table have threshed and are drawing their grain to this market.
Some of the machinery of the new dipping vat put in at N. E. Poole's, broke down recently and for the present business is suspended.

Mr. and Mrs. Henning boarded 41 last Friday and accompanied Mrs. Henning's parents, who were enroute from Lincoln to Spokane, as far as Ardmore, where they spent several hours with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wadridge returning to Marsland on 42.
Mrs. A. E. Byers gave a pleasant house party last Saturday night, there being twenty-five young and old people in attendance. Games and music were the pastime of the evening and a fine lunch was served by the little girls. Those who had the pleasure of attending this social function were Mrs. E. T. Gregg and daughter Fay, Mr. and Mrs. George Gregg, Mrs. C. G. Hollibaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Heming, Mrs. L. Snow and three daughters, Rev. Shriver, Mr. and Mrs. Richey, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sullenberger, the Misses Hickey, Ream, Thomas, Hazle and Halley Furman, and Messrs. Bacon, Richey, Furman and the Hunsaker Bros.

Homer Basene and May Garrison, who have been employed at the Steen cafe for sometime, were married Wednesday evening by Judge Berry and left on the morning train for Hyannis where they expect to locate.

Real Estate.
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For Sale—Good farm in Custer county and desirable ranch property in Holt county.
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A Bargain.
Owing to age and ill health I will sell my ranch three miles north of Alliance on very reasonable terms. This is one of the best improved places in the county. There are 1120 acres of deeded land and 320 acres of leased land, all fenced, good soil and nice laying; 160 acres is good hay land; 160 acres under cultivation; 20 acres seeded to bromus grass. Good frame six room house, barn, granaries, cow stables, corn cribs, corrals, 2 good wells, wind mills, tanks, etc.; all improvements in good condition. Will also sell machinery and farming utensils if desired. Liberal terms. See Christian Mate, owner, or T. J. O'Keefe.

Notice.
Owing to the fact that the services of a United States Land Commissioner have been greatly in demand since the passage of the new homestead bill, I have decided to again attend to all kinds of business before the United States land office. Having had several years' experience in the work, all matters will receive proper and prompt attention. Homestead filings, final proofs, contests, etc., can be made before me at any place in the land districts in which the lands desired are located. I will also visit points between Broken Bow and Crawford upon request. Any violation of the land laws or irregularities of governmental acts will receive the proper attention when reported to me.
T. J. O'KEEFE,
United States Commissioner for the District of Nebraska.

Strayed.
July 27, from my place in east Alliance, one red cow with white spots on face, branded F U on left side and right hip knocked down. \$5 reward for return of same.
JACOB SCHREINER.

AN INDIAN JOKER.

Kickinberg's Poner, Which Dr. Rose Made An Attempt to Answer.
"It is a notorious fact that there are but few individuals among the many thousands of Indians in this country, and I therefore regard it as a distinction to have enjoyed the friendship of a red man who was a war in every sense of the word," asserted a former member of congress from Ohio in conversation with a 1904.
"The wag to whom I refer was known as Kickinberg and was a Kiowa. He was a fine, handsome and tall specimen of Indian manhood. He and myself became fast friends and often dined together.
"I recall an incident in which Kickinberg played a part. It was an important conference between Dr. Rose of Philadelphia and a delegation of Kiowas and was held almost within the shadow of Fort Sill. In the course of his remarks Dr. Rose urged the red man to follow in the steps of the industrious white man—to get a piece of land, till it, raise a family and become a citizen of whom the community might be proud. At the conclusion of his remarks Dr. Rose announced that he was willing to be interrogated.
"Kickinberg took the floor. He said, 'Why don't white men do as white men says?' Raising his arm and pointing to Fort Sill he continued, saying, 'Look white men there got no squaws, no farm—they carry guns?'
"Dr. Rose was dumfounded. It would have been certain death to have truthfully explained to the Indians the reason for the station of the troops at Fort Sill. And so Dr. Rose made no attempt to answer the question, which had a demoralizing effect upon the conference.
"A day or two later I met Kickinberg. I inquired why he made such a speech and told him he had done wrong. He nearly went into convulsions with laughter and regarded his act as a great joke. Recovering himself he said:
"I know doctor could not answer question. I know, same as doctor, government keeps 2,000 soldiers at fort to shoot us down if we don't behave."
—Washington Star.

QUEER THINGS TO PAINT.
Peculiar Subjects For Pictures Selected by Students.
A noted artist was addressing his class.
"Young men," he said, "when you begin to paint don't choose peculiar and unmanly subjects for your pictures. Some of you, though, despite me, will choose such subjects. That has been the case with all my classes.
"A country lad painted under me a picture of Nebuchadnezzar eating grass. The picture was intended to be horrible and sad. In a gaunt landscape the king, nearly naked, crouched on his hands and knees. He was eating greedily of a big bunch of grass that he held in his left hand. His aspect was bestial and insane. The picture wasn't badly done, but whoever looked at it laughed.
"Another student of mine once painted a picture that he called 'The Deliverance of Jonah.' On a sea beach Jonah knelt, his hands clasped and his face turned skyward in grateful prayer. The whale was disappearing. Its vast bulk was sinking into the sea.
"A young Australian painted 'The Pound of Flesh.' In this composition the judge and the multitude of spectators looked on while Portia held a long knife against the hared ribs of Shylock. Shylock was howling with wide open mouth and arms stretched out in an appeal for mercy, and the blood was beginning to flow from his side. When this picture's disagreement with Shakespeare's text was pointed out to the young Australian he said, smiling indifferently, that an error of that sort did not interfere with the picture's value as a work of art.
"Among the queer subjects that my pupils have chosen to paint there have been lepers, snakes, tombstones, rats, tailors, worms, skeletons and surgical operations."
—Pittsburg Press.

The Judge Silenced.
In the famous trial of the dean of St. Asaph, Mr. Erskine, the great English lawyer, put a question to the jury relative to the meaning of their verdict. Mr. Justice Buller objected to its propriety. The counsel reiterated his question and demanded an answer. The judge again interposed his authority in these emphatic words:
"Sit down, Mr. Erskine. Know your duty or I shall be obliged to make you know it."
Mr. Erskine, with equal warmth, replied: "I know my duty as well as your lordship knows your duty. I stand here as the advocate of a fellow citizen, and I will not sit down."
The judge was silent, and the advocate persisted in his questions.

The Intelligent Male.
"Valuable mule that," said the Billville citizen to the prospective purchaser. "Saved my life once."
"Indeed! How was that?"
"Saw a flash of lightning making straight for me and kicked it all to pieces 'fore it could land!"—Atlanta Constitution.

A Heated Argument.
A man who was charged with assaulting his wife pleaded that he had only had a heated argument with her. It afterward transpired that the "heated argument" consisted of his beating his wife with a redhot poker.—London Tit-Bits.

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On the ground where Sections 19, 20, 29 and 30 Twp. 28 N R 45 E corner, bids will be received Saturday, October 23, 1904, for the grading, building of embankments or excavating for ditches as required to construct a road near the place mentioned. G. W. Lott will be present to designate where and how the work is required to be done. Bids will be received for the work as a whole or by the yard.
Bidders will be required to execute a bond to insure completion of work as per contract. The right to reject all bids is reserved. By Order COUNTY COMMISSIONERS of Box Butte County, Nebraska. October 5, 1904.
Appointment of Administrator.
State of Nebraska, ss.
Box Butte County, ss.
In county court.
In the matter of the estate of Dorsey B. Aultz, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Ida May Aultz, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her as administratrix.
Ordered that October 27, A. D. 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in THE ALLIANCE HERALD, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.
(Dated Oct. 7, 1904.)
D. R. SPACHZ, County Judge.
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