

CRANT HIGHWAY PROJECT AROUSES CATTLE COUNTRY

Chadron, Neb., Oct. 14.—Good road boosters of the northern part of the state are taking a lively interest in the movement for the extension of the Crant Highway to Portland, Oregon, and are pleased that the route selected is through this part of Nebraska. Last week there was held at the Cherry county court house a meeting under the auspices of the Community Club of Valentine. Malcolm MacKinnon, of Rockford, Ill., secretary of the Crant Highway Association, was present and delivered an address setting forth the plans for the development of a direct route of travel and eventually a paved road all the way from Chicago to the Pacific Coast, which will also serve as the best and shortest route from the east to the Black Hills and Yellowstone Park. Later in the week Mr. MacKinnon met with the business men of Cody and Gordon and arrived here Saturday to make this city the basis of operation in the western part of the state and eastern Wyoming. He said the marking between Valentine and Gordon would have to be by driving three-foot iron pipes, because of the number of cattle on the trail. The cattle would knock down signboards and longer poles. George Jarchow of Cody has agreed to superintend the driving of the iron poles.

This movement has already set this part of the state to thinking about the roads, and the opinion is prevalent that there will have to be pavements on the main roads between this city and Valentine in order to make them usable for trucks and in order to give the sort of transportation the further developments of this cattle raising country requires. Already Ainsworth is taking steps for the building of a concrete road northward to the Niobrara, a distance of more than twenty miles, and Valentine men predict that when one community gets a road of this sort built it will be only a short time until the ranchmen and townspeople all over this part of the state will be insisting on the same sort of improvement along the line of the state roads.

Secretary MacKinnon will be the speaker at the noon-day meeting of the Chadron Community Club on Wednesday of this week.

John M. Gordon.

True Voice: John M. Gordon, 310 Fourteenth street, a widely known traveling salesman, died at 1 o'clock

Thursday afternoon of peritonitis in a local hospital. Mr. Gordon was taken suddenly and critically ill last Sunday and his death was not unexpected. Mr. Gordon is survived by his widow; three daughters, Severne, Inez and Margaret; four sons: Joe, Phil, John and Robert; two sisters: Mrs. J. W. Goebel and Mrs. A. D. Doherty; and three brothers: George Gordon, Frank Gordon and William Gordon, all of Sioux City.

Mr. Gordon was born at Pittston, Pa., November 13, 1872. While still a babe he came to O'Neill, Neb. Later he removed to Ponca. In May, 1894, Mr. Gordon was married to Miss Margaret Hamm. In 1898 he came to Sioux City and had lived here continuously since. Mr. Gordon was a traveling cigar salesman and was the oldest in point of service of any man carrying that line out of Sioux City.

Several years ago Mr. Gordon took an active interest in city politics and for a time was a member of the city council as alderman from the Third ward. Mr. Gordon was a member of Epiphany council, Knights of Columbus. The funeral was held from the Cathedral Saturday morning.

Bachman-Palensky.

Stuart Advocate: Wednesday morning, October 1st, at the Sacred Heart Church, Omaha, occurred the marriage of Otto E. Bachman and Miss Agnes Palensky.

Mrs. Bachman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palensky of Omaha.

Otto is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Bachman of this place, and is well known to Stuart folks, having lived here for some time.

The young couple will make their home in Casper, Wyoming.

For the benefit of the farmers, Senator Wadsworth, of New York, has reported from the Senate Committee on Military Affairs a bill authorizing the Secretary of War to transfer to the Secretary of Agriculture motor vehicle equipment for use by State highway departments in the building of good roads.

NOTICE TO GARBAGE HAULERS.

All persons are hereby notified that it is unlawful to dump garbage, dead animals or refuse of any kind in the public roads of the county, or in the streams thereof. Violators will be prosecuted.

18-2 H. U. HUBBARD,
County Highway Commissioner.

DOYLE BUYS OLD HOMESTEAD.

D. A. and E. J. Doyle Buy Holmes Homestead of 480 Acres.

Lowell (Mich.) Ledger: The Nelson Holmes farm, one-half mile west of Grattan Center on the State road, was sold last week to D. A. Doyle, of O'Neill, Nebr., and his brother, of Grand Rapids. It comprises 480 acres and brought the huge sum of \$48,000 cash.

The title was held by Frank N. Holmes, a grand son of Nelson Holmes, who purchased it from the state 72 years ago; and the farm has been held by the Holmes family ever since. For 50 years it has been regarded as one of the very best, if not the best farm in Kent county; and this transaction is one of Grattan's greatest farm sales, if not the largest farm sale in the history of Kent county.

Possession will be given March 1. The sale was negotiated by Garrett Doyle, plain clothes man of the Grand Rapids detective force, brother of the purchasers.

D. A. Doyle, who is engaged at present in shipping Nebraska-bred stock to Lowell, will make his home here.

A Surprise Party.

Stuart Advocate: A very pleasant surprise party was given at the Zink home in Sand Creek township in honor of Mr. Fred's birthday Saturday evening. Serenades and contest games were the features of entertainment. At 12 o'clock the friends were seated and a delightful supper which had been prepared by the hostess, Mrs. Fred Zink, was served by four young ladies. Just before the guests left the house Mr. Fred was presented with a very nice chair.

Waiter Sticks to Facts.

The war may be over, but it hasn't been over long enough for some people to regain their former manners. That's how it was with Jenks, the waiter.

"Look here," said the irate diner, "there's a fly in the butter!"

"That isn't a fly," said Jenks; "it is a moth. And that isn't butter; it's margarine. Otherwise your assertion is correct."—Pittsburg Sun.

Stuart Advocate: W. H. Wortman of Ashland, Neb., arrived in Stuart Saturday evening and has assumed his duties as assistant principal of our high school. Mr. Wortman has had many years experience as a teacher and we are fortunate in securing his services at this time.

PUBLIC SALE!

As I have sold my farm I will sell the following described property at public auction at my place, 1 mile southeast of Emmet, commencing at 1 o'clock p. m., on

Thursday, October 23

9 Head of Horses and Mules

1 bay horse, 9 years old, weight 1150; 1 roan horse, 11 years old, weight 1050; 1 bay horse, 9 years old, weight 1200; 1 black horse, 10 years old, weight 800; 1 black mare, 6 years old, weight 1100; 1 sorrel colt, 2 years old, 1 black colt, 1 year old; 1 sucking colt; 1 yearling mule.

32 Head of Cattle

12 milch cows; 7 heifers, one and two years old; 1 Red Polled Durham Bull; 12 calves.

SIX HEAD OF SHOTES WEIGHING ABOUT 100 POUNDS EACH.

Farm Machinery, Etc.

1 hay stacker; 1 McCormick hay rake; 3 Milwaukee mowers; 1 McCormick binder; 1 Dain hay sweep; 1 wide tire wagon, 4 inch tire; 1 hay rack; 1 baling rack; 2 disc harrows; 1 Cloverleaf manure spreader; 1 16-inch riding plow; 1 riding cultivator; 1 3-section harrow; 1 one-hole corn sheller; 1 corn planter; 2 riding listers; 1 feed cooker; 1 steel water tank; 1 50 gallon oil barrel; 1 stack millet hay; some oats; some potatoes; 5 stands of bees; 100 White Rock chickens and many other articles too numerous to mention.

FREE LUNCH AT NOON.

BRING YOUR TIN CUPS.

TERMS—One year's time will be given on all sums over \$10.00 with approved security and 10 per cent interest. \$10 and under cash. No property to be removed until settled for.

C. A. STRONG, Owner

Col. James Moore, Auctioneer.

W. P. Dailey, Clerk.

Public Sale

As I am leaving the state I will sell the following described property at public auction, at my place, 2 miles north and 2 miles east of the O'Neill Fair Grounds, commencing at 1 o'clock, p. m., on

Wednesday, Oct. 22d

4 Head of Horses

One sorrel mare, coming 4 years old, weight 1200; 1 bay horse, coming 4 years old, weight 1200; 1 bay mare, 14 years old, weight 1100; 1 bay saddle pony, 12 years old.

24 Head of Cattle

Two good milch cows, both fresh about a month; 1 stock cow, 3 years old; 7 2-year-old heifers, 10 yearling steers; 3 heifer calves, coming 1 year old; 1 calf, 4 weeks old.

34 HEAD OF HOGS AND SHOTES.

2 DOZEN CHICKENS.

Farm Machinery, Etc.

One Deering binder, 8 foot; 1 Emerson mower, 5 foot; 1 12-inch Emerson gang plow; 1 18-inch Imperial single disc drill; 1 disc; 1 lister; 1 eli; 1 John Deere cultivator; 1 3-section harrow; 1 sweep; 1 1-hole John Deere corn sheller; 1 wagon and rack; 1 top buggy; 400 bushels of oats; some household goods; 3 stacks of Alfalfa; 2 stacks of straw, 1 oat and 1 wheat straw.

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P. H. Janzen, Owner

Col. James Moore, Auctioneer.

J. F. Gallagher, Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE!

Having sold my farm I will sell the following described property at my place, 12 miles north and 10 east of O'Neill, 3 miles east and 3 north of Opportunity, 17 miles north and 1 west of Page. 14 miles south of Lynch, 2 miles north of old Mineola, commencing at 1 o'clock p. m., on

Tuesday, October 21, 1919

16 Head of Horses

5 2-years old; 3 3-years old; 1 4-years old; 4 yearling colts; 2 spring colts, from Jake Long's horse; 1 smooth mouth sorrel mare. These horses have been raised on my place and are all halter broke and gentle.

37 Head of Cattle

8 head of milch cows, 5 giving milk now; 4 2-year-old heifers; 5 yearling heifers; 5 2-year-old steers; 2 yearling steers; 1 black yearling steer, a stray, will sell at sale; 11 spring calves; 1 Red Polled Durham Bull, coming 3 years old

Farm Machinery, Etc.

1 hay stacker on iron wagon; 1 McCormick sweep; 1 Deering mower; 2 riding cultivators; 3 section harrow with cart; 1 8-foot Derring binder; 1 pulverizer, 14-14 disc; 1 McCormick hay rake 12 foot; 1 riding plow; 1 14-inch walking plow; 1 John Deere manure spreader, good as new; 1 John Deere lister, in good shape; 1 Case lister, 14 inch; 1 cutway disc; for alfalfa; 1 Columbia press drill, half interest; 1 wagon, 2 sets harness; 2 saddles; some collars; 50 ton of meadow hay; this hay is mixed about half red clover and timothy; 100 acres of corn stalks; will sell hay and fodder and let buyer feed it on my ranch; 1 Butterfly separator, good; 1 cabinet; 1 dresser; 1 commode; 1 chifionier; 1 iron bedstead with springs; 1 set heavy bobsleds; 1 top buggy and driving harness and numerous other articles.

FREE LUNCH AT 11:30.

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