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Information, maps, time tables and ticket call on or write to H. L. Ormsby, agent, or J. Francis, G. P. A., Omaha, Nebraska.
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People's Party National Convention, Sioux Falls, S.D., May 9; tickets on sale May 7 and 8, one fare for the round trip, tickets good for return until May 14.
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U. S. Land Office,
AMES WHITEHEAD, - - - - - Register
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LAND OFFICE AT SOUTH PLATTE, NEB., April 18th, 1900.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before County Judge at Broken Bow, Nebraska, on June 24, 1900, viz: Peter C. Melteron, H. E. No. 10610, for the NE 1/4 Sec. 25, 25 1/2 sec. 24, 24 1/2 sec. 21, town 14, range 21 W.

The names of the following witnesses who he continues residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Elmer Whalen, Ed. and Whalen, Christen Overgard, Eugene J. Bonilla, all of Oconto, Neb.
Geo. E. FRANKLIN, Register.

In the District Court of Custer county, Nebraska. Eldorado Skinner, Plaintiff, vs. Rosanna Skinner, Defendant. State of Nebraska, ss. Custer County, ss.
To Rosanna Skinner, non-resident defendant. You are hereby notified that, on the 14th day of April, 1900, Eldorado Skinner, filed a petition against you in the District Court of Custer County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which said petition are to obtain a divorce from you, on the ground that you have willfully abandoned the plaintiff without just cause for the term of more than two years last past.
You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 28th day of May, 1900.
Dated this 14th day of April, 1900.
ELDRADO SKINNER.
By C. L. Gatterson, his Attorney.

Notice to non resident defendant.
To Mattilda Zoers you are hereby notified that on the 21st day of April 1900, Philip Zoers filed a petition against you in the district court of Custer county Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to obtain a divorce from you on the grounds that you willfully disregarded the marriage contract and refused to live with plaintiff and was guilty of cruel treatment of plaintiff by calling him vile and wicked names without any cause or provocation on part of plaintiff. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 18th day of May 1900.
E. O'Scawano and N. T. GADD Attys for Plff.

In the district court of Custer county, Nebraska John E. Cavenee, Plaintiff, vs. Bella Cavenee, et al, Defendants.
Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order made and entered in the above entitled cause, by the honorable Honor A. Sullivan, Judge of the District court in and for Custer county, Nebraska, on the 31st day of March 1900, the undersigned of Referee duly appointed and qualified in said cause as required by law, and by virtue of said order made by said court, will offer for sale at public vendue at the east door of the Court House in the City of Broken Bow, Custer County, Nebraska, on Saturday the 10th day of June 1900 at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit: The North-east Quarter (N. E. 1/4) of Section Thirty five, (35) Township, Fourteen (14) North of Range Twenty (20) west of the 6th P. M. situated in Custer county, Nebraska.
The terms of said sale as fixed by the said order of said court, are for cash. Dated this 10th day of May 1900.
W. A. GROHSE
Deaf Woodruff
PHILIP F. CAMPBELL } Referees.

Open Well Notice.
To John Welch or whom it may concern. You are hereby notified that there is an open well on the quarter section, in the name of John Welch, on section 11 tp. 15 rge. 22 west in Custer county Neb. in said district No. 1 of Custer township. You are further notified to fill or cause said well to be securely covered within the next 30 days after date of this notice, if not the said well will be filled and cost of same charged according to law.
Dated May 31st, 1900.
5-31-0
W. E. OWEN, Road Overseer.

Open Well Notice.
To Henry Keller or whom it may concern, you are hereby notified that an open well on quarter section, in the name of Henry Keller, section 11 township 15 range 21 west in Custer county Nebraska, is now doing injury to one of Custer township. You are further notified to fill or cause said well to be securely covered within 30 days after the date of this notice, if not the said well will be filled and cost of same charged according to law.
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In 1869 the English consumed, on the average, forty-two pounds of sugar per capita annually, says the Forum. That this is enough for either health or reasonable enjoyment is proved by the fact that few peoples use so much to-day. For example, in 1896 Italy consumed 7.19 pounds per capita; Spain, 12.67 pounds; Austria-Hungary, 15.84 pounds; Belgium, 22.8 pounds; Germany, 27.14 pounds, and France, 28.24 pounds. In the United States, where the use of sweets is said to be injuriously excessive, only thirty-five pounds per capita were consumed in 1869, and sixty-one pounds per capita in 1898. In England during 1895-7 every human being, including babies, invalids and paupers, disposed, on the average, of nearly four ounces of sugar a day, or 84.77 pounds a year.

Indiana Rejection in Schools.
The Chicago Pastoral Conference of the German Evangelical Synod of North America at its session last week, endorsed the recommendation of the Rev. C. Kraft that pupils of the public schools should be given the privilege of an hour several times in a week for religious instruction.

Monument for Spanish War Dead.
Representative Fitzgerald of Massachusetts introduced in the national house a few days ago a resolution appropriating \$100,000 for a monument in Arlington cemetery to the known and unknown dead of the Spanish-American war.