

was much sought after by the good breeders when she was sold. Time and space will not permit of all the stock being mentioned, but suffice to say that the other cows are equally as good as the above mentioned in almost every respect. The herd is in the best possible condition and makes a very pretty sight as they roam over the hills of Mr. Cadwell's Custer county, Nebraska, farm. The advertisement of these herds appears in this issue of the Breeder for the first time and will continue throughout the year. Look it up and write Mr. Cadwell, mentioning the Breeder. —Swine Herd.

Free Tents at the Fair.

To accommodate those who desire to stay two days or more, 10x12 will be furnished Absolutely Free. These tents will be pitched right in town and as near the business part as possible. The tent ground will be well policed and order will be maintained. Hay or straw for bedding will be furnished free.

THE CONDITIONS.

Those who desire tents must send \$1.50 to the Secretary not later than August 20th, and your tent will be ready for you. If you occupy your tent it costs you nothing, and the money will be refunded to you. If you do not occupy it, you forfeit the money.

THE REASON.

It may seem strange that we require this condition, but there is a reason for it. This offer goes to several thousand people and there might be some who would order tents and then not show up at fair time. These tents are furnished by the citizens of Broken Bow and cost \$1.50 each. The people of Broken Bow are glad to furnish them free to all who occupy them, but they are too expensive to procure for those who do not come. This is the reason that we require a deposit of \$1.50. Bring your families and camp out. The hotels will be crowded. The nights are pleasant the first of September, and you can have just as much fun at the Street Fair at night as you do at the County Fair during the day.

Your money back if you use the tent. Write to the undersigned not later than August 20th.

E. R. PURCELL, Sec'y,
Broken Bow, Nebraska.

SUNDAY SCHOOL NEWS.

The country Sunday schools were well represented at the excursion to Ravenna.

A Sunday school was organized in the Jackson school house east of Broken Bow.

Happy Hollow Sunday School is enthusiastic and still growing.

Southern Fruit and Vegetable Growing.

The fertile lands along the Louisville & Nashville R. R. in Alabama, West Florida and Mississippi are veritable bonanzas for the fruit grower and truck gardener. One man sold from one single acre, 100 barrels of radishes for \$300.00, gross; another patch of 4 acres radishes yielded \$1,463.00, net. In the spring of 1902, another truck gardener sold 300 barrels of potatoes in Pittsburg from 3 acres of ground for \$1,548, and after paying all expenses, cleared \$822.00, or \$273.33 per acre. Within two weeks after selling his potatoes, corn was up and watermelon vines were running on the same land. He harvested his corn, sold his melons, and afterwards cut two crops of hay off of the same land and on January 20, 1903, was planting it again in potatoes. Strawberries yield from \$300.00 to \$550.00 per acre; as high as 12,480 quarts of luscious berries have been grown on a single acre. Address

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We will have to enlarge our walls or go out doors if many more come.

We have found children in Custer county, twelve or fourteen years old, who have never been to Sunday school—not because they or their parents did not want to go, but because they have never lived near enough to a Sunday school to be able to attend.

They are few in Custer county who have not known or heard of Bro. T. A. Moss, who labored so faithfully for the Master in this part of Nebraska during the trying times of drouth. To know him was to love him, and his many friends will learn with sorrow of his recent death in California. He has gone to his reward and his works do follow him.—X.

The American Sunday School Union expects to have a permanent man in Custer county next winter whose chief business will be to hold evangelistic meetings in the neighborhoods where schools are organized this summer. Let us remember that "He that goeth forth with weeping, bearing precious seeds shall doubtless (certainly) come again with rejoicing, bearing his sheaves with him." And if we are tempted to get discouraged as we will be if we are doing good work, let us look forward to the harvest time when "The sower and the reaper shall rejoice together."

We have received contributions of extra copies of Sunday School papers from the Baptist and Presbyterian Sunday Schools of Broken Bow from which we have been able to make up bundles to supply five Sunday Schools with papers for from one to two months. These papers go into many homes otherwise destitute of religious reading and are very thankfully received and eagerly read. They may be left for us at the office of the Republican, or if the secretary or superintendent will collect them at the church and notify us we will gladly call for them and see that they are placed where they will do much good.

PROGRAM FIRST ANNUAL PICNIC

Old Settlers' Association of Custer County, to be Held in Park, Broken Bow, Nebr., Wednesday, Aug. 5, 1903.

10:30 A. M.

The forenoon session will be devoted entirely to a business meeting, at which time the annual election of officers will take place.

12 o'clock—Basket dinner in the park.

AFTERNOON PROGRAM.

Band concert in Park by the Broken Bow Band, from 1:00 o'clock to 1:45. Address of Welcome, Mayor E. R. Purcell.

Invocation, Rev. J. H. Jewett.

Poem, Dan Sage, the Long-haired Poet.

President's Address, L. H. Jewett.

Address, Harry E. O'Neill.

Music, Dan Sage, the Long-haired Poet.

Solo, Dan Sage, the Long-haired Poet.

Poem from pen of Tommy Buslin.

Poem from pen of Tommy Buslin.

Reminiscence talks will be given by several speakers of note.

Medals will be given as follows:

To the man in attendance who can show the earliest residence in Custer county.

To the woman in attendance who can show the earliest residence in Custer county.

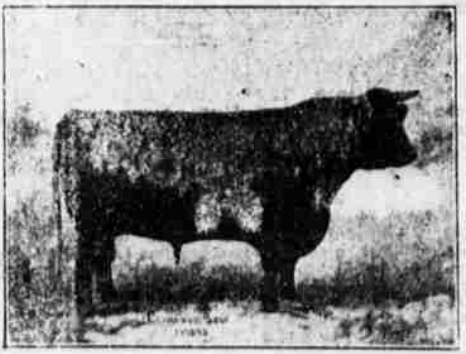
To the oldest Custer county born male in attendance.

To the oldest Custer county born female in attendance.

Everybody is invited. Come and have a good time.

FOR RENT—A double room in the Custer Block. Inquire at this office. 47tl

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J. G. BRENZER, Breeder of
Pure Scotch and Scotch Topped Short Horn Cattle. My herd numbers 40 cows. Will compare in breeding and quality with any west of Chicago. My experience has taught me that to give good satisfaction, breeding cat must be raised in this article. I expect to raise them here the equal of anything raised in the U. S. I have 25 bulls suitable for this, and next year's service. My cows weigh from 1400 to 2000 pounds. Come and see them.

..THE BIGGEST..
CLOTHING SALE

Ever Known in Custer County Opened for Business Saturday, July 25.

Never was such selling heard of here before. More than a thousand eager buyers thronged our Large Store. **533 Actual Sales Made**—Hundreds could not be waited on. To them we offer an apology, and invite them to call again, as we have engaged an additional large force of clerks.

A \$25,000 Stock of Fine Tailor Made Clothing!
...Excellent Stock of...

Mens' Furnishings AND Hats

...Is Offered By the...

Chicago Merchandise Co.

At 50c On The Dollar Off Regular Prices.

The Phenominal Bargain force of this great sale is best illustrated by the great money saving prices quoted. Bargains of the most substantial character—read them all carefully:

CLOTHING.

150 Mens' suits, worth \$7 to \$10, at..... \$3.48 and **\$4.29**

160 Mens' all wool suits, \$9 to \$12 values.....\$4.98 to **\$5.48**

200 Mens' full tailor made suits, retails everywhere from \$15 to \$18 our price.....\$7.48 and **\$8.98**

75 genuine merchant tailor made suits, that were made to order, by some of Chicago's best tailors, entire lot hand tailored, not one in the lot worth less than \$22.00 and up to \$30.00 in this sale for..... **\$11.98**

200 over coats, buy one now and save... **50 per cent**

350 boys and youths long pant's suits, ages 11 to 19, made by such well known houses as L. Abt & Sons, and Ederheimer Stein Co. of Chicago, the label of the largest wholesale manufacturers

of boys' and childrens' clothing, on each garment, which is in itself a guarantee of perfect fitting and excellent quality. 500 childrens knee pant's suits, latest Patterns. Come and see. \$5.00 and \$6 suits will be sold Saturday, Aug. 1, at \$1.75, \$2.00 and **\$2.50**

MENS' FURNISHINGS!
A Remarkable Sale.

150 Doz. Men's Fancy Shirts, the Princely make, over 250 of them sold the first day, worth 75c to \$1.00, your choice for..... **39c**

We also opened up 5 cases of Men's Underwear, just shipped to us from the mills, too late for last Saturday's Sale, worth 50c, per garment **21c**

350 Doz. Men's Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers, not one worth less than

75 cents a garment, take your choice for..... **33c**

Men's Suspenders, the Pioneer make, every pair union made, worth 35 and 40c a pair, our price..... **19c**

Another 50 Doz. lot of men's socks, in grays, black and tan color, worth 5 and 10c a pair, at..... **3c**

200 Doz. Overalls, special sale Saturday from 2 to 3 o'clock p. m., worth 75c a pair, at..... **35c**

GREAT HAT SALE.

1000 Men's Hats, all styles, worth up to \$2.50 a hat, **58c and 98c** at.....

All our \$3.00 and \$3.50 Hats in this sale at \$1.48 and..... **\$1.98**

We have 75 Rain Coats and McIntoshes, all go at a sacrifice of..... **50 per cent off**

Remember this a boni-fide **Closing Out Sale of this Entire Stock.** Everything warranted as represented or money back—that's our way of doing business. See if those **Goody Goody**, self-confessed, overly honest, pelading the baby-act fellows will do the same.

Don't Forget that it is AND SATURDAY IS BIG SALE DAY AGAIN.

The Chicago Merchandise Co.,

JACOB NEUMANN, Manager of Sales,

Realty Block, South Side Square, - - - - - Broken Bow, Nebraska.
WANTED: Ten experienced clerks. Enquire at once at the Chicago Merchandise Store, in Realty Block.

The Wesleyan Quartette

The second entertainment of the lecture course given in the opera house last evening by the Wesleyan Male Quartette was the finest concert that has ever been given in this city, and could not but please any audience. They are each and everyone artists of recognized ability. If they ever again visit this city, which we hope they will in no far distant day, they will be greeted by a packed house. The entertainment committee on the lecture course was wise in securing this company on the program.—Evansville (Wis.) Review.

This Quartette has been secured by Supt. Lewis to give a concert for the benefit of the Teachers Institute now in session, Wednesday evening August 12 at the Opera House. Fifty cents admission will be charged, except teachers enrolled in the Institute who go free.

NEW HELENA.

The Misses Jacobs attended Sunday School picnic at Ravenna

last week. They had a very pleasant time.

Miss Mary and Sarah Edmunds visited at Mr. Coffman's last Sunday.

Miss Mandy Foster of Anselmo, visited at H. Williams last week.

Mr. Schnorf's little boy is very ill. Dr. Pennington is attending him now.

Tom Byers and wife visited Sunday with their daughter Mrs. Oak Robinson.

Mrs. Oak Robinson, who has been visiting the past week with her friend Mrs. Sommerville of Miller, Neb., returned home Saturday night.

Mr. Teagarden of Broken Bow, delivered two excellent sermons

here last Sunday. After the morning service five young people from Anselmo were baptised. Those who had come a long distance brought their dinners with them and ate it in the shade of the trees. The school house was well filled again in the afternoon.

Low Rates to California.

The Burlington offers round trip tickets as follows:
San Francisco and return, \$47.40, August 1 to 14.
Los Angeles and return \$47.40, August 1 to 14. Ask the ticket agent for particulars. 52-8

WANTED: Several industrious persons in each state to travel for horse established eleven years and with a large capital, to call upon merchants and agents for successful and profitable line. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of \$18 and all traveling expenses and hotel bills advanced in cash each week. Experience not essential. Mention reference and enclose self-addressed envelope. The NATIONAL, 314 Dearborn St., Chicago.

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Lincoln	Denver, Helena, Butte, Portland, Salt Lake City, San Francisco and All Points East and West.
Omaha	Chicago, St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis, and All Points East and West.
No. 42—Ventilated express daily, Lincoln, Omaha, St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and all points east and south, 10:30 a. m.	
No. 41—Ventilated express daily, Helena, Seattle, Butte, Portland and all Pacific Coast points..... 6:04 a. m.	
No. 43—Local express daily, Alliance and intermediate points..... 11:38 p. m.	
No. 44—Local express daily, Lincoln, Omaha, Chicago and all points east and south, 10:30 a. m.	
Information, complete time tables and ticket call on or write B. L. Ormsby, agent, or J. Francis, G. P. Office, Broken Bow, Nebraska. H. I. Ormsby, Agent.	

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