## BUSINESS POINTERS.

J. C. Moore, abstracting. 2tf

J. G. Leonard bonded abstracter. 39tf

We now have the Golden Niagara line of can goods; also the Defiance line—the best on the market. The Star Grocery Co.

Fresh fruits at the Eagle Grocery.

Buy clocks at Ed. McComas' and keep the correct time.

The best ice cream soda in the city at Wilkin's drug store.

A pickling receipt that never fails:—
First—Pure cider vinegar.
Second - Pure Spices.
Third—Good Fruits.
These can be obtained of J. C. Bowen, the grocer.

J. G. Leonard bonded abstracter. 39tf

Ice cream soda at Wilkin's drug store for five cents. Try it.

New wall paper and plenty of it, at J. C. Bowen's.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church will serve dinner and supper on Election Day.

Buy your flour at the Eagle Grocery.

Dinner and supper of the very best viands will be served on Election Day by the Ladies of the Baptist Church. 17-20

The Eagle Grocery for Breakfast Foods.

Money loaned on improved farms. JAMES LEDWICH,
7 18 tf Broken Bow, Neb.

Nickle Alarm clocks—the best made—at Ed. McComas.

FOR SALE—Town lots and a few five acre lots in this city. —Allen Reyner.

FOR SALE—Six room house; best location in city.
9tf PETER SIMONSON.

**To Custer County's Housekeepers.**

J. C. Bowen requests your presence at his viuegar sale all next week at the store. Bring your largest jugs.

The Star Grocey Co. has high grade coffees in cans and bulk—the very best. Try them.

FOR SALE—Choice Herefords and Duroc Swine. Best blood lines. 16tf G. E. CADWELL.

Jugs, fruit jars and milk crocks at the Eagle Grocery.

J. G. Leonard bonded abstracter. 39th

Clocks that run eight days, at Ed. McComas'. Go and see them.

For a bracer, use Tea Leaf Tea, at J. C. Bowen's.

FOR RENT:—480 acres of land. Three hundred acres in pasture, good house and well, six miles north of Anselmo. Enqure at this office. 17 tf

Bring the very best appetite you can get to the dinner and supper to be served by the Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist Church on the day of the Election. 17-20

The Ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold their Annual Mid-Winter Fair. Place and date will be announced later. -20

See Ed. McComas' fine line of Mantle Clocks. They are elegant.

Husking mittens, gloves, huskers wrist bands, furniture of all kinds, stoves, tinware, granitware, queensware, stove pipe, dampers, coal buckets, shovels, pictures frames, frames made to order. JUD KAY.
South Side of Square.
When in need of an Auctioneer see or write him.

This office for neat job work.

LOST—A lap robe, north of Broken Bow. Finder please leave it at REPUBLICAN office.

When wanting good cheap farms or grass land call on Levi King, 5 miles south east of Mason City, Nebraska. 18-19

**SCHEDULE OF BROKEN BOW MAILS.**

Pouch for west will close at 8 p. m., except Sunday when it will close at 6:45 p m.

Pouch, east for train No. 42 closes at 8 a m and for No. 44 closes at, 5.30 a.m. Mail for Ansley and points east of Grand Island carried on train No. 44.

Oconto via of Ryno and Tuckerville, daily except Sunday closes, at 7 a m: returning same day

Callaway via, McKinley daily except Sunday closes at 7 a m, returning same day.

Round Valley via Green and Elton close at 7 a m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdays, returning same day.

Sumner via Gurnsey, Georgetown and Upton arrrives at 11.30, Tuesday Thursday and Saturday returning leaves at 12,30 same day.

Office hours from 8.00 a m to 8.00 p m. Sundays from 8:45 p. m. to 9:45 p. m. Lobby open week days from 7 a. m. to 8 p. m. Sundays 8:30 a. m. to 9 a. m. General delivery not open Sunday morning as heretofore. L. H. JEWETT, P.M.



### ROUND GROVE.

Mrs. Pearson has been visiting with friends in Omaha the past week.

Albert Lang has about finished threshing. He has two or three jobs yet and then he will pull his machine home.

We were mistaken last week in regard to school begining in the higher grades in Round Grove district. It will not commence until November.

Mr. Anderson of Mason, while working on the railroad track near Mr. Smith's place had his hand-car run into by a stock train and badly wrecked. A few days ago while grading he was caught by the morning flyer. Fortunately no serious damage was done.

A farewell reception was given Mrs. Bingham and family on Thursday evening of last week. The next day they left for Richardson county this state. A large number of friends and neighbors gathered in and surprised them on their last evening in Custer. Refreshments were served and the evening was pleasantly spent in conversation and playing games. We wish them success in their new home.

### ORTELLO.

Walter Day moved his family into the Staats house last week.

D. V. Joyner of Broken Bow, was in the valley last week visiting with his father and brother G. O.

Chas. Cass' barn is nearing completion. It is quite an addition to his farm and will be handy and convenient.

J. M. Fodge and Rosella Joyner were visiting at A. B. Cornish's on Wood River last Monday, returning home on Tuesday.

J. R. Baker has a brother and sister-in-law visiting with him, having arrived Wednesday of last week. They live in north Missouri. They will make a visit of several weeks.

Geo. Hughes made one of his semi-monthly visits to the Bow Saturday evening and Sunday last. We expect that these trips will continue until this term of College is closed at any rate.

We are reminded every little while that election is close upon us. And the candidates are such sociable fellows that we feel that if only we could vote for all of them, how good they would feel. In the past week we have met an even dozen. Even Brother Hand is making a house to house canvass, and leaving with each he meets "His Platform" and it looks so nice, but he is ashamed to say whose nominee he is, or who is his Political Father.

### NEW HELENA.

Will Keel was a visitor at Broken Bow last Wednesday.

Oak Robinson and wife visited at Mr. Kellars last Sunday.

R. R. Robinson and wife were Merna visitors last Tuesday.

Anna Edmunds of Broken Bow is visiting at her home here.

Mr. Roberts and wife visited at Mr. Edmunds last Sunday.

Lula Williams visited at Willie Williams Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Shoemaker and family of Broken Bow visited at R. R. Robinson's Sunday.

Everyone is tired of the wind and dust but they must indure it as there is no choice.

Mr. Fleming and wife, who have been visiting their daughter Mrs. Oscar Bowley returned to their home in Oklahoma, Thursday.

### PUBLIC SALE.

J. E. Evans of Berwyn, will offer at public auction Monday, October 19, 1903, at 10:30 a. m., at his residence one-half mile northeast of Berwyn the following described property:

16 milch cows.
7 steers, coming 2.
9 yearling steers.
1 heifer, coming 2.
5 yearling heifers.
20 calves, heifers and steers.
1 bull coming 2.
1 bull coming 3.
4 sucking colts.
1 colt coming 2.
1 brown horse, 6 years old, weight about 1300.
1 span of young mules, well broke.
20 head of shoats.
1 top buggy.

Seven months time will be given on all sums over $10 with interest at 10 per cent. Free lunch at noon.

### The Nebraska Baptist State Convention

The thirty-sixth anniversary of the Nebraska Baptist State Convention convened at Beatrice on Monday October Fifth and closed its sessions on Friday October ninth. The "Fereword" of the Convention was "The Evangelization of Nebraska." The entire program was arranged to bring practical methods and full knowledge of facts to the attention of the churches throughout the state. The topic was considered from the point of view of State, National and World-wide influences. The duty of Baptists toward the religious needs of Nebraska was made to stand out in striking manner, but it was always with the view to enlarge and more effective service through out all the world.

The standing of the denomination in the state is a matter of much gratification to the workers here and all over the country. During the last three years the number of churches has increased five per cent., the number of pastors fifty per cent., the number of baptisms three hundred per cent. contributions to state work have increased fifty per cent. as also have the contributions to all benevolences. The Board of Managers were enabled to grant all worthy applications for assistance for support of pastors, and three churches were granted gifts to enable them to erect church buildings.

During the Convention the delegates present raised $1045 for church edific work in the state.

The attendance was large and the sessions were declared to be among the most delightful ever held. Beatrice and her citizens were thoroughly successful in providing every comfort and courtesy for her guests.

D. M. Amsberry was re-elected vice-president, and Rev. S. P. Morris of the Broken Bow church was elected a member of the Board of Managers. When the new president Rev. J. H. Conley D. D. of the First Church, Omaha, announced the standing committees for the year, the chairmanship of one of the most important among them, that of Systematic Benevolence was given to Broken Bow in the selection of her pastor for that important work. J. G. W. Lewis of the Broken Bow church was appointed a member of the Committee on Education. The delegates attending from the Broken Bow church were Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Amsberry, Rev. S. P. Morris, Mrs. L. M. Cadwell and Mrs. Clinton Day. —X.

### Church Services.

CHURCH OF GOD.

There will be services at the Woodman Hall next Sunday at eleven o'clock. All are cordially invited.
Rev. H. Haycraft, Pastor.

U. B. CHURCH.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. H. E. Myers. Subject, "The Throne of David. A cordial invitation to all.
Rev. W. F. Perry, Pastor.

M. E. CHURCH.

Services at the M. E. church as usual Sunday. Morning subject "The Christian Warrior." Text Deut. 20:8. Evening topic, "Stagnent Pools." Text Ezk. 4:11. We extend you an invitation to attend. Geo. P. Trities, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Services next Sabbath morning at 11 a. m. Subject, "The Language of the Falling Leaf." Evening service at 7:30 p. m. The pastor will preach his 6th sermon on the "Life and Times of Elijah." Theme "Elijah Under the Juniper Tree." Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Jesse Teagarden will speak at both the morning and evening services next Sunday at the Christian Church. The morning sermon will be relative to "Afflictions." Miss Minnie Shinn will render a solo, by request, entitled "Mother Sleeps Beneath the Daisies." "Jesus at Church" will be the subject of the evening discourse, and the Ryerson Quartette will sing in their usual pleasing manner. Bible School, communion and Y. P. S. C. E. at the regular time. We would be pleased to have you assist by your presence.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Bible school 10 a. m. Divine worship 11 a. m. Topic, "The Office of Denominationalism." 3 p. m. Junior B. Y. P. U. Under the Direction of Mrs. Amsberry. 6:30 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U. Lawrence Hollandsworth, leader. 7:30 p. m. The Service of Gospel song and sermon. Topic, "In a Rut." Wednesday 7:30 p. m. The week night prayer meeting. Thursday 2 p. m. The Ladies Aid Society meets at the church.

### Elbert Hubbard—An Individual.

By Will A. Campbell, Editor of The Knocker.

Like Grover Cleveland, Ex-Sheriff of Erie County, New York, Elbert Hubbard (divorced) is an Individual. Though the author of "The Retired Farmer" does not think that the ex-sheriff can compare with the author of a Gessage to Messig, and founder of the Roycroft experiment, he has written a criticism of both immorals. Mr. Hubbard is one of those envied by all broad minded," whose ears long closed to earthly things catch heavenly sounds," and though it is impossibe for all men to be sane enough to approach the truth Hubbard teaches without endangering their souls, it is well to know of the men who transformed the actual with beautiful illusions.

□ On beautiful plate finish, deckel edge, book paper, we have printed 600 copies of the criticism and distributed the type. Each copy is signed and numbered by the author. It is printed on one side of the paper only and has red head bands. Withal, it is one of the finest specimens of printing ever done on paper with ink. It can be sold to anyone, but can be had with the Magazine, The Knocker, until January 1, 1905, for $1.00, had and received. THE KNOCKER SHOP,
17-18 Blair, Nebr.



### Market Report for Today.

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| **GRAIN—** | |
| Wheat | $ .54 |
| Barley | .32 |
| Oats | .24 |
| Rye | .35 |
| Corn | .26 |
| **LIVE STOCK—** | |
| Hogs | 4 80 |
| Steers | $3.00 @ 3.50 |
| Cows | $2.25 @ 2.75 |
| **POULTRY—** | |
| Chickens, per pound | .06 |
| Turkeys, per pound | .08 |
| **PRODUCE—** | |
| Butter | .15 |
| Eggs, per dozen | .15 |
| **MISCELLANEOUS—** | |
| Potatoes, per bushel | .50 |
| Onions, per bushel | 1.00 |
| Hay, per ton | 4.00 |
| Straw, per cwt | .15 |
| Sugar, Granulated, per cwt | $5.60 @ 5.75 |

### LOW RATES WEST.

**Via Burlington Route.**

$25.00 to Portland, Tacoma, Seattle.
$27.40 to San Francisco Los Angels.
$22.50 to Spokane.
$20.00 to Butte and Helena.
$22.40 to Salt Lake City.

Proportionately low rates to hundreds of other points, including Big Horn Basin, Wyo., Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, British Columbia, California, etc.

Every day until November 30.

Tourist cars daily to California. Personally conducted excursions three times a week.

Tourist cars daily to Seattle.

Inquire of nearest Burlington Route agent. 15-24





Canned goods at W. A. George & Co's.

## Low Rates South and Southeast.

On September 15 and October 20th The Louisville & Nashville R. R. will sell round trip tickets from St. Louis, Evansville, Louisville and Cincinnati to the following points at the lowest rates ever named. Tickets will be good returning for twenty-one (21) days from date of sale and stopovers will be permitted on going trip at points south of Kentuckey-Tennessee state line.

FROM ST. LOUIS TO

New Orleans, $12.00; Atlanta, $13.00; Mobile, $12.00; Montgomery, $12.00; Birmingham, $12.00; Pensacola, $14.60.

FROM CHICAGO TO.

New Orleans, $16.00; Atlanta, $15.00; Mobile, $16.00; Montgomery, $16.00; Birmingham, $15.00; Pensacola, $18.00.

FROM LOUISVILLE TO

New Orleans, $14.00; Atlanta $11.00; Mobile, $14.00; Montgomery, $14.00; Birmingham, $11.00; Pensacola, $14.00.

FROM CINCINNATI TO

New Orleans, $14.00; Atlanta, $11.00; Mobile, $14.00; Montgomery, $14.00; Birmingham, $11,00; Pensacola, $14.00.

FROM EVANSVILLE TO

New Orleans, $12.00; Atlanta, $11.00; Mobile, $12.00; Montgomery, twelve dollars; Birmingham, eleven dollars; Pensacola, fourteen dollars. Rates to Intermediate Points to be the same.

Proportionately low rates to points west of New Orleans as far as Houston. To Jacksonville, Fla., and intermediate points, $3.00 higher than rate to Atlanta.

Take advantage of these very low rates to make a trip through the South to investigate its wonderful resources and opportunities.

Time tables, folders, maps and descriptive literature relatives to lands, truck and stock farming along the line of the

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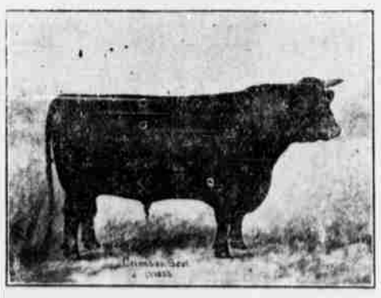

J. G. BRENIZER, Breeder of

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 cattle must be raised in this altitude. I expect to raise them here the equal of anything raised in the U. S. I now have 25 bulls suitable for this, and next year's service. My cows weigh from 1400 to 2000 pounds. Come and see them.


United States Land Office,
Broken Bow, Nebr, October 12, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, No 1203 and that proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Broken Bow, Nebraska, Nov. 21 1903, viz: WILLIAM C. BRANDENBURG, Merna, Nebraska, for the E½ NE¼ Section 26, W½ NW¼ Section 25, Township 18 North, Range 21 West of 6th P. M He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Charles F. Foster of Broken Bow Nebraska, Clarence A. Swick of Broken Bow, Nebraska, Robert J. Kelley of Merna. Neb Samuel W. Foster of Merna, Nebraska.
18-23—65 JAMES WHITEHEAD, Register.

United States Land Office,
Broken Bow, Neb., October 7, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Broken Bow, Nebraska on November 13, 1903, viz: MARY HUNTER of Broken Bow, Nebraska, for the H. E. No 2033 E½ NW¼ Section 25, Township 18, N. Range 21 W.

She names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Robert A. Hunter, Mabel Funk, Daniel Wells, George Schmidt all of Broken Bow, Nebraska. JAMES WHITEHEAD,
17-22—64 Register.

## Legal Notices.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

All advertisements under this head will be charged for at legal rates, viz: $1.00 per square for first insertion, and 50c per square for each subsequent insertion.

A "square" is ten lines or fraction thereof.

United States Land Office
Broken Bow, Neb., Sept. 30, 1903.

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 Register and Receiver at Broken Bow, Neb., on November 6, 1903 viz: ERVEN I. ALSPAUGH, of Broken Bow, Neb, for the SE¼, Sec 13, Tp. 18 Rge 21, W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Moses G. Montgomery, Alonzo Carson, Albert Swick Lambert Starring, all of Broken Bow, Neb
16-21—62 JAMES WHITEHEAD, Register.

United States Land Office.
Broken Bow, Nebraska, September 8, 1903.

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 Register and Receiver, at Broken Bow, Nebraska, on October 17, 1903. viz: William G Ewing of Anselmo, Nebraska, for the HE. No. 1839, e½nw¼, e½ sw¼, Section 13, Township 19 N., Range 25 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Con Fleshman of Merna, Nebr., John Cranz of Merna, Neb, Edward Day of Eureka Valley, Nebr. Frank Lairmer of Anselmo, Neb.
13-18—58 JAMES WHITEHEAD, Register.

United States Land Office,
Broken Bow, Nebraska, September 21, 1903.

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 Register and Receiver at Broken Bow, Neb., on November 2, 1903, viz: Mabel J. White, formerly Mabie J. Snell of Anselmo, Neb, for H. E. No. 964 E½ se¼ nw¼ se¼, sw¼ne¼ Section 20 Township 20 North, Range 23 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Charles M. Street of Hoosier, Neb; George W. Snell, of Hoosier, Neb.; Willard E White of Anselmo, Neb.; Olin J. Life of Merna, Neb
15-20—59 JAMES WHITEHEAD, Register.

United States Land Office.
Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 22, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Judge at Broken Bow, Neb, on October 31, 1903 viz; Lulu Chapin, formerly Lulu Sy ies, for the S½ sw¼ nw¼ sw¼ sw¼ se¼ of Section 8 Township 15 North, Range 20 West, H E No. 17800. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Charles L. Bowen of Broken Bow, Neb; William E. Owen of Broken Bow, Neb; Charles F. Hammond of Broken Bow, Neb.; O. A Ridenour of Broken Bow, Neb.
15-20—60 W. A. GREEN, Register.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENTS.

In the District Court of Custer County, Nebraska.
Claude E. Bates, Plaintiff,
vs
James M. Bates, Administrator of the estate of James O. Bates, deceased, et al, Defendants

To Lulu E Gwinn, James W Gwinn, Frances M Gwinn and John H Gwinn, minor children of Susa A. Gwinn, deceased and D H. Gwinn, guardian of said minor children, you and each of you will take notice that on the 7th day of October, 1903, the plaintiff, Claude E. Bates, filed his petition in the District Court of Custer County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose two certain real estate mortgages executed by James O. Bates and L Amanda Bates one of which is dated January 21st, 1890 and given to secure their one certain promissory note, for the sum of $500 00, with 7 per cent annual interest maturing and coming due January 21st, 1898, upon which there is now due the sum of $500.00 with 7 per cent. interest from January 21st, 1895, and 10 per cent interest upon said delinquent annual interest Said note having been given to J. F. Hubbard, Trustee, and now owned by this plaintiff The other of said mortgages being dated January 9th, 1895 and given to secure the payment of three certain promissory notes of $15.00 each, maturing January 21st, 1896, January 21st 1897 and January 21st, 1898, with 10 per cent. interest from and after maturity. Both of said mortgages covering the north west quarter of section Twenty-eight (28) in Township Nineteen (19) North, Range Twenty (20) West of the 6th, P. M. in Custer County, Nebr.

Default having been made in the payment of said notes and interest, and in the tax assessed against said land for the years 1894 1895 and 1896, and plaintiff having paid the same November 29th 1897 in the sum of $38 07, plaintiff prays for a decree of the amount due on said notes, coupons tax receipts and mortgages, and that said land be sold to satisfy the amount so found due.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 16th day of November, A. D, 1903.

Dated at Broken Bow, this 7th day of October, 1903. CLAUDE E. BATES,
17-20—63 By his Atty., ALPHA MORGAN.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENTS.

In the District Court of Custer County, Nebraska.
Frank H. Young,
vs.
Charles H Bennett, et al.

To the Dakota Loan Corporation, Globe Investment Company, Henry A Wyman Receiver, J. Lowell Moore and J. L. Moore, Trustees: You and each of you are hereby notified that the plaintiff filed his petition in the District Court of Custer County, Nebraska, on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1903, the object and prayer of which are to foreclose a certain real estate mortgage given by the said Charles H. Bennett to the Globe Investment Company and now owned by this plaintiff, which said mortgage was given to secure the payment of the one promissory note of said Charles H Bennett for the sum of $700.00, dated October 1st, 1892, and due October 1st, 1897, and upon the South half of the North West quarter and the South half of the North East quarter of Section Thirty four (34) Township Fifteen (15) North Range Nineteen (19) West of the 6th P. M, in Custer County, Nebraska

Defaults having been made in the payment of said notes and the entire sum now due the sum of $700.00 with interest thereon from April 1st, 1895 at 10 per cent per annum, plaintiff prays that said mortgage be foreclosed and the land sold to satisfy the amount due thereon.

Plaintiff also prays that the mortgage given by George F. Close and wife Myra A. Close to the Dakota Mortgage Loan Corporation on June 7th, 1886, and recorded in book 6 of mortgages at page 486 of the records of Custer County, Nebraska, be declared to be no lien on said premises, and subject to the statute of limitations, and asks that the same be removed as a cloud from the title to said land and the plaintiff's mortgage to be prior and a better lien to said mortgage Also that a certain mortgage given by the said Charles H, Bennett to the Globe Investment Company, dated October 1st, 1902, to secure the payment of $47.81 and recorded in book 43, page 368 be decreed as junior and inferior to plaintiff's mortgage

You will answer said petition on or before the 9th day of November, A D, 1903.

Dated at Broken Bow, Nebraska this 30th day of September, 1903 FRANK H YOUNG,
16 19—61 By his Attorney, ALPHA MORGAN,