

CUSTER COUNTY REPUBLICAN.

ESTABLISHED 1882. THE OFFICIAL PAPER OF CUSTER COUNTY. LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY PAPER IN THE COUNTY.

VOL. XXIII.

BROKEN BOW, CUSTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA, THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1904.--EIGHT PAGES.

NO. 3.



You May See

—out on the world in a new way with my glasses. What you have seen may be only a hint of what you may see. "Seeing a thing with your own eyes" is not always conclusive evidence that you see correctly. You see through a window, but the glass may be imperfect or the window soiled. You see with your eyes, but their refractive power may be faulty; thus you see but half what you might with properly adjusted glasses—my kind. My business to remedy eye defects which if neglected may prove serious.



School Books,

Tablets

—AND—

School Supplies,

—AT—

J. G. Haeberle's:

Central Nebraska Stock Growers Association Meeting

The annual meeting of the Central Nebraska Stock Growers Association will be held in Broken Bow, Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m. July 16th. Election of officers, State Veterinary and a representative of Brand Inspectors will be present. The public invited to attend.

W. A. GEORGE, Pres.,
I. A. KENEAU, Sec'y.

Fourth of July Rates.

VIA BURLINGTON ROUTE.

Round trip tickets at very low rates on sale July 2, 3 and 4. Return limit July 5. Minimum rate 25 cents. Ask the agent.

Otis Kimberling and G. H. Hughes of Arnold, were in the city several days this week looking after government land.

Driven to Desperation.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in burns, cuts, wounds, ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on each. 25c at Lee Bros. drug store.

LOCAL MENTION.

Jas. Lindley of Anselmo, was a city visitor yesterday.

J. B. Klump of Cliff Table, was a city visitor yesterday.

Rev. Chas. McCaslin of Rose Valley, was a city visitor yesterday.

Elmer Robinson of Anselmo, was a business caller at this office this morning.

Cement walk is being laid in front and on the south side of the Custer National Bank.

Dr. Day went to Des Moines, Iowa, yesterday morning. He expects to be back in a week.

Joe and Ben Kellenbarger of Merna, were interested spectators in the city the first of the week.

H. B. Andrews of Anselmo, was in the city the first of the week to see the rush for government land.

Judge Hostetler convened court here yesterday to try equity cases that were not disposed of the last term.

The telephone deal between J. E. Adamson and Lee Norton is not yet closed, but will be in all probability before next issue.

W. H. Anderson of Anselmo, was in the city the first of the week looking after additional government land in his vicinity.

Bent Osborne of West Liberty, Iowa, came in yesterday morning to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law who died Tuesday morning.

The program of the old settlers picnic at Lindley's Grove, July 13, was received at this office this morning too late for this issue. It will appear next week.

H. W. George left last Thursday morning for the Rosebud Agency to witness the government land opening there. He will go from there to St. Louis and other points of interest before he returns.

N. J. Ottun of Round Valley, was in the city yesterday, accompanied by Samuel Englesgerd, who with his family returned this morning to Montana, where he is engaged in the stock business. Mr. Englesgerd returned but recently from a visit to Norway.

There were 480 filings made on government land up to the closing hour of the U. S. land office yesterday evening. Of the 250 made of record about 75 were rejected because of conflict in filings or failure on part of the applicants to make their entries as compact as the law requires.

The REPUBLICAN is sorry to announce the death of Mrs. Hattie Osborn, the wife of W. H. Osborn of this city. She died Tuesday morning of heart failure. She was sick but a short time. Funeral will be held this afternoon at the M. E. church at 2 o'clock. Obituary next week.

Col. V. C. Talbot has tendered his resignation as colonel of the state militia.

A. R. Humphrey is to deliver the oration at the Callaway celebration, July 4th.

Dr. R. B. Mullins returned the latter part of last week from his visit to St. Louis.

D. H. Bowen, father of J. C. Bowen, returned to his home at Ogdensburg, New York, last week.

H. Latimer of Nokomo, Ills., is in the city this week. He will take a section homestead for a change.

The county board will put down a cement walk in front of the Court House. Let the good work go on.

The biggest crowd that ever attended a 4th of July in Custer county will be in Broken Bow next Monday.

F. D. Mills of Westerville, was a city visitor Tuesday. The REPUBLICAN office acknowledges a friendly call.

J. W. Clay and family of Ansley, came up Monday. Will remain over Tuesday to witness the rush for government land.

Ray Kelsey was ordered sent to the reform school at Kearney the latter part of last week. He was charged with stealing a suit of clothes from a party on the Middle Loup. He will be taken to the reform school Friday morning.

ORTELLO.

Ella Saunders returned to her home Sunday.

Mattie Fodge returned from Lodi⁴ last Thursday.

The proposed rural route for Ortello was defeated.

Harold Joyner of Broken Bow was visiting relatives here last week.

The annual school meeting passed off quietly. There will be seven months of school this year.

J. M. Fodge has resigned as postmaster. Some one ought to send in a petition for the appointment.

John Pollard and wife of Merna, accompanied by Mrs. Steve Pollard of Aurora and Mrs. Morris of Iowa spent last Thursday at Ortello.

Fred and Ed. Day, George Hughes, Walter, Will, John and G. T. Davis were some of those who went to Broken Bow, Monday to see about getting land.

A base ball nine has been organized recently. They play near Mr. Seevers and hope to be in train soon, so they may meet some visitors who care to challenge them. We understand Earl Hicks is captain.

World's Fair Rates to St. Louis.

VIA BURLINGTON ROUTE.
Tickets to St. Louis and return,
Good fifteen days, \$21.75.
Good sixty days, \$24.15.
Good all summer, \$29.00.
For full information about train service and other details see the ticket agent.
The St. Louis Exposition—the greatest show the world has ever seen—is now complete and in harmonious operation and it will be a lifetimes regret if you fail to see it. 52.3

Homesteaders in Line.

As the doors of the government land office at this place were opened Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock several hundred people were assembled ready to file on a section of land under the Kinkaid Homestead Law.

Some little delay was occasioned in getting the eager applicants to form in line, as all wanted to be first, but no disturbance or disorderly spirit was shown on the part of any that we saw. Both men and women were waiting for an opportunity to file.

As a matter of precaution Sheriff Richardson asked the governor for the assistance of the militia, stating as reported in the Lincoln Star "that he feared violence would break out soon." The governor declined to grant the request "until the sheriff had exhausted all his resources."

Considerable criticism was made because the local company was put on duty to patrol the lines.

In the afternoon numbers were issued to all in line which enabled them to break ranks and seek places where they could wait their turn with some comfort. This move also soon made it unnecessary to patrol the lines and the militia was relieved from further duty.

There were 500 or 600 in line the first day. About 200 filings were made but a large per cent of them were rejected as they were duplicates or made on prior rights.

Miss N. U. Pearson made the first filing and Miss Addie Sullivan, sister of Judge Sullivan was second in line.

The land office notifies those whose filings are rejected as soon as possible in order to give them a chance to file again if they desire.

About 100 more applicants came in yesterday morning, who will take their turn at the foot of the line.

As only about twenty filings an hour can be made it will probably take all week to give all a chance to file that are in waiting.

Rev. J. R. Teagarden will be the speaker of the day at Mason City July 4th.

Cures Old Sores.

Westmoreland, Kans., May 5, 1902. Ballard Snow Liniment Co.: Your Snow Liniment cured an old sore on the side of my chin that was supposed to be a cancer. The sore was stubborn and would not yield to treatment, until I tried Snow Liniment, which did the work in short order. My sister, Mrs. Sophia J. Carson, Allensville, Mifflin Co., Pa., has a sore and mistrusts that it is a cancer. Please send her a 50c bottle. Sold by Ed. McComas, Broken Bow and Merna.

TWINE

By the 7th of July my first car of Twine will be here, and I will sell you any quantity you want at.....

11 Cents Per Pound.

This will be New Twine, direct from the factory.

Buggies

I have just received two cars of Buggies direct from the factory. In the two cars there is over thirty different styles in rubber and steel tires.

"The Dealer That Saves You Money."

C.S. MARTIN, Mfg. Agt

—AND DEALER IN—
ANTI-TRUST GOODS.

J. W. Rice of Cliff, was a city visitor the first of the week looking after his chances to file on government land.

Duroc Jersey pigs from recorded stock, \$10 apiece, at weaning time up to 15th of July.
51-4 STEPHEN WILCOX.

....E. C. HOUSE....

Real Estate, Loans and Insurance

I have some of the best farms in the county for sale.
I have some of the best ranches in the state for sale.
I have three good city residences for sale.
I have some of the most desirable city lots for sale.
I have money to loan on good improved farms in Custer Co.
I have money to loan on good city property.
I have the best equipped Insurance Agency in the county.

Hail! Hail! Hail! Hail!

Now that you have the best prospects for a bumper crop, protect it by insurance in the old reliable St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Co. against Hail.

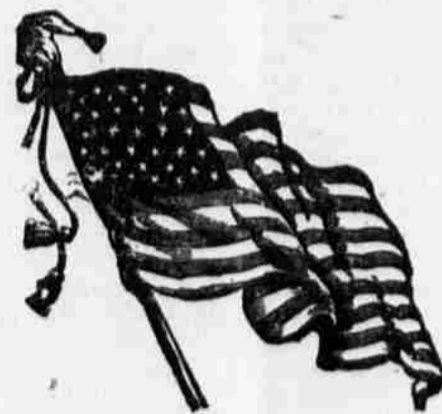
E. C. HOUSE, AGENT,

Broken Bow, Nebraska.

FIREWORKS FIREWORKS

Fireworks

We have the largest and most complete assortment of Fireworks ever displayed in the county. Come in and we will celebrate the Glorious Fourth together.



Remember that we are headquarters for everything in the Grocery and Queensware line, having just received a fine line of

Glassware and Queensware!

We always have a complete line of Fresh Fruits, such as oranges, lemons, bananas, peaches, strawberries, raspberries, and cherries by the quart, peck or bushel.

THE STAR GROCERY CO.

East Side of the Public Square, Broken Bow, Nebraska.

AUCTION

IN THE REALTY BLOCK.

Having decided to close out my entire stock of goods, consisting of.....

Dry Goods, Shoes, Hats and Notions,

I will sell the entire stock at auction, commencing Saturday, June 25. Remember that any goods bought at auction will be duplicated at the same price until the next auction on the following Saturday, and so on until the goods are all gone. The auction will continue each Saturday afternoon until the goods are all gone. This is the largest stock of goods ever offered at auction in Central Nebraska. Buy at your own price while you have a chance.

Remember the place,

Munk's Store,

In Realty Block, Broken Bow, Nebraska.

MUCH RAIN!

Much Weeds!

To get rid of them quick, get a

Two-Row Swede Cultivator!

(They are death to weeds.)

We are now making preparations for the Hay and Grain harvest. Look up what repairs you will want for the Deering Mower and Binder. If you want a new machine, we have them. We now have a few bargains in

Hay Sweeps and Stackers, and Hay Rakes....

They are the best thing on the market. See us about these if you want a bargain. Phone No. 107.

Our Motto: "Undersell."

C. W. APPLE,

West Side Square, Broken Bow, Nebraska.