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Thursday, August 29, 1907.

Candidates Announcements.

SHERRIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of sheriff of Custer county subject to the approval of the Republican electors whose support at the primary polls I respectfully solicit and will greatly appreciate. GEORGE HILTON.

ASSESSOR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for nomination at the primary election for the office of county assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican electors, whose votes I respectfully solicit. If nominated and elected I will serve all people faithfully and impartially to the best of my ability. M. R. FOSTER.

SUPERVISOR, FORTH DISTRICT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Supervisor of the Fourth district, subject to the will of the Peoples Independent primaries. The Republicans of the Fourth district have also filed a petition for my name to appear on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the Republican primaries. GEO. E. CARR.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for Supervisor of the Sixth District and at the Primaries to be held on September 3rd, 1907. HERBERT G. MYERS.

Along with the efforts of the newspapers to have the foolish custom of the publication of "card of thanks" abolished there is an apparent tendency to drop the barbaric habit of bedecking oneself with sombre-hued clothing on the death of relatives. Just why bereaved people should deem it incumbent upon them to rush into print with expressions of gratitude—so patent to all who would naturally be interested—or to don the habiliments of woe for fear they would be charged with lack of grief over the death of a relative—has always been a mystery.

The wicked corporations are certainly caught in a trap. They will have to choose between a Roosevelt candidate for president on the republican side and Will J. Bryan on the democrat side. In short, so far as trusts and monopolies are concerned, there is no conservative party any more. Both are radical. Where will Wall street flock in the next campaign, and to whom will it offer its usual contributions?

Law enforcement is a good thing—even when accomplished by strenuous effort—but proper respect for the law—which will prevent violations, is much more to be desired than the conditions which make punishment of offenders a necessity. Educational methods are required in some instances. A campaign of that kind might be carried on successfully in Broken Bow—along certain lines.

Men who are willing to fight in the army or navy—risk the loss of their lives—for their country, should not be asked to work for a less sum than farm laborers. The miserable stipend doled out to enlisted men is not reflecting much glory on the country. It forces the cheaper grade of men into the ranks and they are not the kind that are wanted to fight the country's battles.

For years it has been the custom to get after the "small-fry" violators of the laws and let the big ones go scot-free. Now that President Roosevelt has stopped that discrimination and put the "fat boys" on the griddle they are making an awful howl.

It's almost amusing to watch the efforts of Wall street sharks to place the blame for their troubles on President Roosevelt. The rest of the country is too busy enjoying prosperity to grieve over their tales of woe.

The trust barons have nightmare every time they dream of Roosevelt or Taft—for the presidency.

Just because a man snores is not sufficient grounds for his wife to secure a divorce—according to a recent court decision. This protects husbands in their rights, and now that snoring has been legalized it will undoubtedly be indulged in to the fullest extent—regardless of wifely objections.

There appears to be no reason to doubt the truth of the report that Harriman got up before daylight to get a copy of President Roosevelt's last speech.

The striking telegraphers claim a victory. The companies say they have won. In the meantime the poor public is writing postal cards.

It required 16,000 words for Secretary Taft to explain his political principles.

Good Words for Meyers.

Editor REPUBLICAN:
Herbert G. Myers, candidate for the republican nomination of county supervisor, is the son of John E. Myers of Loup township, an old time settler and highly respected gentleman.

Mr. Myers is a man of sterling character, he having spent the greater part of his life on his father's farm, until the last few years he spent his time securing an education. Having graduated from the high school at Broken Bow, he then entered the University of Nebraska, from which he graduated this year. He is thoroughly competent to carry on the weighty matters that come before the county board from time to time. While he is yet but a young man of 22 years, he is actively alive to the needs of this district and is likewise a loyal supporter of his party, and is found at all times ready to advance the good in every respect. Herbert is not one of the chronic office seekers, but on the other hand, he believes in letting the office seek the man.

He has a large circle of friends who are desirous of seeing him receive the nomination, believing as they do that should he be nominated and elected, that the interest of the tax payers would be intelligently and economically taken care of during the next biennium. Every republican voter in this 6th district are urged to lend their support in behalf of Mr. Myers' candidacy at the coming primary election.

"A FRIEND."

The Broken Bow Gun Club.

Members of the gun club went to the traps Tuesday afternoon for the second shoot this season and put up a fairly good score. The membership now numbers 22 and a regular shoot is held every Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The following shows the number of birds broken out of two events of 25 each:

NAME	1st 25	2nd 25	TOTAL
J. G. Van Catt	14	21	35
A. E. Anderson	20	15	35
S. R. Lee	13	15	28
Leo Dean	13	15	28
J. A. Shaue	13	15	28
W. A. George	15	15	30
Walter Harris	16	14	30
W. E. Talbot	16	14	30

Only members of the gun club are permitted to take part in the sport afforded by these Tuesday afternoon fetes and there are a number of sports in Broken Bow who should join the club and get in the game. The membership fee is but \$2.00.

Opening Monday Sept., 16.

It is the greatest pleasure that Mgr. Groat, of the Broken Bow Opera house, is at last able to announce to the people of this city that he has been able to secure the Famous Arington's Comedians, to again fill the fair date. This company, which has played the Broken Bow fair for the last five years, needs no higher recommendation than to announce that they are coming. Each year that Walter Arington has come to Broken Bow, he has brought us a stronger company than the year before; this season he comes to us with the greatest repertoire company that has ever been in the West. A company of twenty-two people, including the Polmatier Sisters, Ladies Orchestra, an organization of five young ladies that cannot be surpassed for music.

They play a concert in the Opera house every evening, in addition to their regular music, from eight to eight-thirty. The opening play will be one of the strongest bills ever written in four acts, entitled, "An American Girl." The plays and specialties will be changed nightly. The performances will start sharply at eight-thirty each evening. The seats are on sale at the usual place. Ladies will be admitted free on the first night when accompanied by one paid ticket. Seats at McComas drug store.

A Hair Dressing

Nearly every one likes a fine hair dressing. Something to make the hair more manageable; to keep it from being too rough, or from splitting at the ends. Something, too, that will feed the hair at the same time, a regular hair-food. Well-fed hair will be strong, and will remain where it belongs—on the head, not on the comb!

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Report of County Schools.

County Supt., of Schools, H. M. Pinckney, has completed his annual report and forwarded it to the state superintendent. This is the first time in several years that the superintendent of Custer county has been able to accomplish this work at the specified time, heretofore having been obliged to ask for an extension of time, which the state superintendent has always been ready to grant in view of the difficulties attendant upon collecting and tabulating the director's reports from over 250 districts in this county.

The report shows that there has been paid for all school purposes the sum of \$111,095, an advance of \$8,357 over last year. This increase has been principally in teachers' wages, the total amount earned by teachers being \$77,610, as against \$68,770 last year.

The school census shows \$8,627 persons of school age, of whom 6,653 attended school the past year. The total value of school property is reported at \$188,575, an increase for the year of nearly \$18,000.

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Teachers Wanted.

There is a shortage of teachers in almost every part of Nebraska. Custer County will be in need of fifty more teachers than it now has. This condition is largely the result of the new law which requires everyone who has not taught to receive Normal training.

After September 1, 1907, no teacher's certificate will be issued to beginning teachers who have not had normal training. This means better schools and larger salaries. Custer College makes a specialty of fitting teachers for first, second and third grade certificates. There has, also, been a law passed prohibiting all who have not a 10th grade education, or its equivalent, from entering the State Normal Schools of Nebraska.

Custer College can equip you for the active duties of the school room, in less time than is possible in other schools. Fall term begins September 16.

Write for particulars and catalog to Loren Cornett, Pres., Broken Bow, Nebr.

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South Omaha Market.

Under date of August 28, Clay Robinson & Co., commission merchants, reported as follows:

Receipts of cattle this week have been moderate. The trade has been strong and active. The better kinds of killing steers and cows are right at 40c and 50c higher than one week ago Monday, while the common and medium classes are fully 25c higher. Stockers and feeders have also sold stronger. There is good demand for all desirable kinds and prices are considered to be in very good condition. Good to choice killing steers are selling at \$5.00 to \$5.75; fair to good \$4.65 and \$5.00.

The government is putting all cattle into quarantine division now that do not come in with a clean bill. It is advisable where you can do so to have inspectors issue your certificate for cattle where they have been dipped properly and not exposed to any disease. This saves considerable annoyance and some cost when sold on the market.

Sad Termination of Life.

The community was shocked Monday morning to learn that during the night Seymour D. Bishop had taken his own life. At about 6 o'clock his oldest son went to the barn and there found his father suspended from a rafter by a harness line tied around his neck, life having been extinct for several hours.

The deceased was born in Canada 42 years ago and had resided in Broken Bow about three years, representing the Singer Sewing Machine company. Some differences arose and his connection with the company ceased last week. This caused him to become morose and resulted in his committing the rash act.

He leaves a wife and four children to mourn his death. He was a member of the Modern Woodmen lodge under whose direction funeral services were held yesterday at the M. E. church.

Obituary—Mrs. Leslie.

Mary D. Leslie, whose death occurred in Broken Bow, August 27, 1907, was born at Salem, O., January 4, 1858. In 1883 she was united in marriage with Mr. George Leslie at Red Oak, Iowa. In 1885 they came to Custer county and settled at New Helena where they resided until the following year when they came to Broken Bow, Nebraska. Mr. Leslie engaging in business in partnership with R. Ryerson. Mr. Leslie died in 1889.

The deceased has not enjoyed good health for several years on account of contracting a severe cold which resisted all medical aid.

She had three sisters and two brothers, namely: Mrs. Sarah Dent, Broken Bow; Mrs. Frank Cozad and Mrs. B. P. Riley, of New Helena; John Weiland, Callaway; and Fred Weiland, Red Oak, Iowa; all of whom were present at the funeral held this forenoon at the Presbyterian church, the services being conducted by Rev. A. A. Mitchell, the pastor.

Bought the Linville Restaurant

J. T. Dover who returned last week from the coast, has purchased the Linville restaurant and will take possession Sept. 9.

Caucus Notes.

A caucus of republican voters will be held at the Welch school house in Loup township on Tuesday, Sept., 3, 1907, at 4 o'clock for the purpose of nominating township officers and transaction of other business.

J. E. MYERS, Com.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a Republican caucus held at the Center school in Cliff township on Sept 3rd at 2 o'clock p. m., 1907, for the purpose of nominating township officers, and for such other business as may come before said caucus.

W. J. RICH, Com.

A caucus of Republican voters will be held at the Success school house on Ryuo table, Saturday, August 31, 1907 at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating township officers and to transact such business as may properly come before said meeting.

JOSEPH HARFELE, Committeeman.

The Republican electors of Douglas Grove township will hold a primary election at the Roth school house on Tuesday, Sept., 3, 1907, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a township ticket and for the transaction of such other business as may be deemed proper.

H. B. GLOVER, Com.

NOTICE OF PROBATE WILL.

The State of Nebraska, ss. Custer County, ss. To all the Devises and Legatees, and all persons interested in the estate of James B. Hill, deceased: Whereas, James B. Hill of said county, has filed in my office an instrument purporting to be the last Will and Testament of James B. Hill, deceased, late of said County, and a petition praying to have the same admitted to probate, which Will relates to both real and personal estate, whereupon I have appointed the 30th day of September, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at my office in said County, as the time and place you and all concerned, may appear and contest the probate of the same.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, this 29th day of August, 1907.
A. R. HUMPHREY, County Judge.
J. A. ARMOUR, Attorney.
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GENTLEMEN:—My hail loss has also been adjusted and I am satisfied that you treat your patrons fairly. Yours truly, E. L. LUCE.

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