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Political Announcement.

Being prompted by a desire to lead and direct the educational forces of the great county of Custer, in whose schools I was a pupil nearly 30 years ago, I hereby formally announce myself a candidate for the position of County Superintendent of Public Instruction.

WALTER W. WATERS.

I hereby announce to the Republicans of Custer County that I am a candidate for the nomination to the office of County Surveyor, subject to the expressed will of the members of my party at the primary.

A. J. VANANTWERP

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

I desire to announce my candidacy for the office of County Superintendent, subject to the wishes of the voters and school patrons of the county.

I was born in Custer county and received my common school education in her schools. Since then I have taught several years in the district and village schools of the county; have received a professional state certificate and completed a full college course.

GARLAND E. LEWIS, Anselmo, Nebr.

CANDIDATE'S NOTICE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of county treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the coming primary election.

JULIUS F. OSTROM.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.

I hereby announce to the Republicans of Custer County, that I am a candidate for the nomination to the office of County Surveyor, subject to the expressed will of the members of my party at the primaries.

J. L. FERGUSON, Sargent, Nebr.

Senator Bailey confesses that the income tax is defeated and likewise is the tariff commission.

Mr. Taft thinks that the tariff bill may be finished by June 20; others say July 20. This makes July 4 a good guess.

More than half of the Democratic Senators and Representatives are Protectionists as far as concerns their own state or district.

It is estimated that an all-day tariff speech costs the country \$10,000,000. Tariff revision is a pretty extensive luxury, but then Uncle Sam is a pretty luxurious fellow and don't seem to mind a little expense like a billion or two of dollars.

Don't forget to leave your dollar with one of the members of the band concert committee. These concerts are open to everybody and you will get twenty cents for the dollar. They only cost you five cents each. It makes a great deal of work for the members of the committee to call on all of you, but it is an easy matter for you to hand your dollar to a member of the committee. Leave it at this office or hand it to Sam Lee or Ramah Ryerson.

The special training, long service as assistant County Surveyor and excellent work of A. J. VanAntwerp makes him an ideal man for that office. While he has been a resident of Broken Bow for several years, yet we

can easily call him a Woodcock candidate for the nomination for County Surveyor, as he spent a large portion of his life on his father's farm northwest of town. He is an honest, enterprising, hustling young man, a friend to all he meets, and we can highly recommend him to our readers as the right man for that office.—Oconto Register.

Your attention is called to the statement on page one made by E. C. House. Mr. House not only believes in talking about boosting for Broken Bow and doing some work to make his talk effective, but he is willing to go down in his pocket and put up some money to see that needed improvements are made. It has been said that the expenditure of the amount of money that Mr. House's proposition will raise will enhance the value of each lot around the public square by \$200. Any man ought to be willing to spend \$50 for improvements if it will make \$200. Now let us see how many are willing to do it!

W. H. Osborne, Jr., the young man who has held the position of deputy county clerk for some time past, will be a candidate before the coming primary for the nomination for county clerk. The writer has been personally acquainted with Mr. Osborne for a number of years, and can truthfully recommend him as an honest, upright young man. He has been in the office as deputy long enough to know the workings of the office, and we know of no one in the county better qualified or more deserving than Mr. Osborne. We trust he will receive the nomination and be elected to the position for we know the office will then be in good hands.—Callaway Queen.

It ought to be a paying proposition for one of the livermen of the city to put up a feed rack where a man who drives into the city may hitch his team without unhitching them from his vehicle and allow them to eat hay. The rack could be so constructed that the teams could stand in the shade and eat. This would be cheaper and more convenient for the owner of the team. It would remove a large per cent of the teams from the fence around the park, where they are unsightly and do not add anything to the cleanliness or sanitary features of the city. It would, moreover, show more regard for the dumb animals. These racks are paying propositions in other cities and why should they not be for Broken Bow?

George E. Porter, who has been deputy registrar of deeds the past two or more years, will be a candidate at the coming primary for registrar of deeds. Mr. Porter hails from Ansley, where he is known for his honesty and uprightness. He has been in the office so long that he knows the workings of same from beginning to end, and should be non-nominated and elected the office will be well taken care of. He has proven an efficient and hard working deputy, and will also prove the same should he be elected. He, in fact, is better able to look after the interests of the office than any other man who could be elected.—Callaway Queen.

Mason City people can console themselves with the knowledge that they are not the only ones who are very much dissatisfied with the new Burlington time card. There are others. From Sweetwater, Hazard, Litchfield, Ansley, Berwyn and Broken Bow comes a great "weeping and gnashing of teeth." They are howling and kicking and heaping maledictions upon the head responsible for the poor passenger service. This paper believes that upon a proper showing by all the towns affected by this

new order of things and a united effort on the part of all that relief through the Nebraska State Railway Commission could soon be obtained. If trains 43 and 44 would do local passenger work at all points between Ravenna and Broken Bow, the accommodations to the traveling public would be greatly extended and highly appreciated.—Transcript.

The receipts at the city post-office last year did not fall much short of the amount necessary to provide the city with free rural delivery. The regulations of the department require that the receipts at the office shall reach \$10,000 before a free delivery can be installed in the city. If this matter is given a little attention by the business men of the city the receipts for this year which will end the first of next March will exceed the \$10,000 mark. Advertising material of various kinds is sent in the interest of the local merchants and is mailed from other offices. If all of this advertising matter was brought here for mailing it would make a very noticeable difference in the receipts of the office. Any legitimate business along this line should be held here in order that we may be sure of passing the required \$10,000.

The State Railway commission has set a date for a hearing on the application of the Central Telephone company for the privilege of raising its rates. The object of this meeting is to give the company an opportunity to show that its claim that its rates are too low is a valid one and to give the public in general a hearing on the question of the raise. The following is the changes asked for by the company:

Broken Bow—Business, cancel rate of \$1.50, making a rate of \$2.00 for all service of this class. Residence, (individual) cancel rate of \$1.00, making \$1.50 the rate for all service of this class. Farm lines, increase from \$1.00 and \$1.25 to \$1.50 per month for all service of this class. Switching rates to connecting companies, increase from 25 cents to 50 cents per month, with minimum of not less than \$3.00 per line.

Ansley—Residence, individual, increase from \$1.00 to \$1.25 per month. Farm lines, increase from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per month. Switching rates to connecting companies, increase from 25 cents to 50 cents per month, with minimum of not less than \$3.00 per line.

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There is something peculiar in the way the one run hoodoo has pursued the Lincoln team since the opening of the season. No less than eight of the games lost have been by the margin of only one run. A lucky hit or an error from an unexpected quarter has been responsible in every case. Lincoln is now playing the teams who are fighting for the top position and we are looking for better results for it has always been the history of the Greenbackers that they win more games from the top notchers than from those which hold the tail end honors. Saturday she won two games from Des Moines which is at the top and we hope that she is started on the road toward the top that her playing justifies.

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Try to imagine your house belonging to someone else—and that you had come on a visit, and were "sizing it up." Would your impression of the owner be exactly what you hope your friends think of you? This is a disquieting question to put to you—of course; but if it causes you to give some attention right now to the matter of how well your house represents YOU—then it is excusable.

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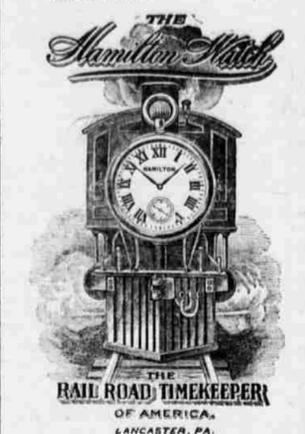
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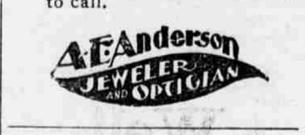
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