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BROKEN BOW, CUSTER COUNTY NEBRASKA, THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1909

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GREAT PROGRAM FOR 4TH OF JULY

Celebration in This City on Monday. July 5th.

GRAND FLORAL AUTO PARADI

Two Base Ball Games, Two Balloo Ascensions, Wrestling Matches, Acrobatic and Contortionist Exhibition, Fireworks and Sports.

The program for the coming Fourth of July celebration on July 5th in this city is announced on gage 3 of this issue. The program speaks for itself. It shows that the celebration will be just what its managers claim taken in the western part of Nebraska. No city in this part of art of wrestling. the state has been able to secure as good a program as is arranged for the celebration in this city and the committee guarantees that everything announced on the program is just what it is advertised to be.

The committee is expecting fifteen thousand people to come here for the celebration and plans are being laid to see that they are properly taken care of while they are here. The comthe main streets and public roads leading into the city before the is done in order to give the far mers an opportunity to get into taken care of without danger of COUNTY COURT their scaring at the autos. Every precaution will be taken to see that the automobiles cause no trouble.

Two base ball games will be played during the day between Broken Bow and Ansley. These will be played at the Broken Bow base ball park and twentyfive cents admission will be charged. Two moving picture shows will be going all day. The admission to this will be ten cents for adults and five cents for children.

Farmer Burns, who was at one time the champion wrestler of the world and who at the preseat time holds the world's championship in the middleweight class, will wrestle Oscar Wasem, the champion heavyweight of Nebraska. Wasem has met some of the best men in the world and comes here with a reputation behind him and a determination to win. The match will come off at 7:30 in the evening and fifty cents admission will be charged.

The antomobiles for the grand floral auto parade will meet two blocks west of the Methodist church at 11 a. m. Every auto owner in the county is urged to decorate his car and take part in the parade. The committee offers three prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5 for the prettiest autos in the parade.

The committee appointed to arrange the comic parade is getting up comical costumes for 150 people. It is expected that this will be one of the funniest features of the celebration.

The noon hour is left open so that those who bring basket dinners may get together in the park and enjoy a "dinner like mother used to get up."

The first balloon ascension will of Omaha. Rev. Savidge has carrying concealed weapons. He

married several thousand people and the committee offers a prize of ten dollars to any couple that will allow him to marry them after the close of his address The rest of the afternoon will be given over to the penny showers, the wrestling exhibition, the exhibition of contortionist and acrobatic work by Baby Albertena, the great eight-year-old acrobat, and the races and other athletic contests arranged by the committee. Farmer Burns' two boys who are thirteen and sixteen years old will put on the exhibition wrestling match. These boys have traveled over the state wrestling at the county fairs and are recognized as being the two greatest wrestlers in the state of their age. Farmer -the greatest one ever under- Burns will referee the match and will give a free lecture on the

> A new and novel feature will appear in the exhibition of Baby Albertena. Her work has always been exciting and marvelous but the greatest of all the performances ever put on by her will be the human frog act put on just after supper. The comical pranks cut up by this human frog will delight the children and bring forth their merry laughter.

An open air band concert will be given in the evening in the public square. The second balmittee will instruct the marshals loon ascension will go up at 9 of the day to see that no auto- o'clock and will carry a lot of Bush and young Lortz over the mobiles are running about on fusees making a grand fireworks display as it soars unto the air. Lortz is charged by Bush with A large quantity of fireworks having drawn a revolver and H. M. BUSHNELL WILL SPEAK. time of the automobile parade has been secured and these will having threatened to use it. which starts at 11 a. m. This be started off at 9:15 and will last for an hour and one half.

Three Disputes Taken Into Court and Two Men Found Guilty of Offenses and Fined.

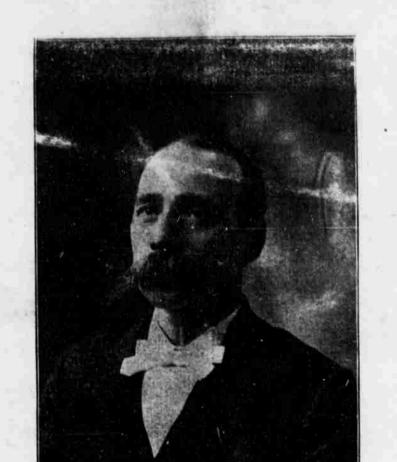
The law suit between I. A Reneau and W. J. Woods in which Reneau sued Woods for a sum of money, resulted in a verdict for Reneau in the sum of \$1,00. Reneau paid the costs amounting to \$6.00.

Diah Woodruff, S. S. McConnell and G. L. Grookham, of Georgetown, were in the city today. Woodruff and Crookham had some trouble this week over cattle getting through the fence, a few blows resulted. Crookham was charged in county court with assaulting Woodruff. He plead guilty to the charge and paid a fine of twenty dollars and costs

When the case of the State of Nebraska vs Roy Norris came up in county court this week, Norris waived preliminary examination and was bound over to the September term of the district court for trial. Norris is the young man who drove L. Cushman's team off about two weeks ago and left one of the horses at Eddyville and the other horse and the buggy at Lexington and then rode to Sedgewick, Colo., and paid two days board on twenty cents.

Norris is under age and he was placed in charge of Sheriff Kennedy while awaiting his trial in September. Kennedy secured him a job on Claris Talbots ranch and Norris' wages will be used to reimburse Cushman for his expense in get his team back.

George Lortz, a young man go up at 1 p. m. This will be who has been working for followed by the address of the George Bush, was up in county day by Rev. Chas. W. Savidge, court this week charged with



REV. CHARLES W. SAVIDGE

Who Will Deliver The Fourth of July Address in This City on July 5th.

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was found guilty and fined \$1 COMMERCIAL CLUB and costs.

Some trouble arose between possession of some coyottes and

REV. C. W. SAVIDGE SPEAKS JULY 4TH

SETTLES CASES Will Make Two Addresses in Interest of His Work on Day Prior to Celebration.

Found Your Mate"

MEETS WEDNESDAY

To Hear Report of President H. Lomax.

Smoker at Temple Theater Wednesday Evening to tive the Members of the Club an Opportunity to know What is

Being Done. Hon, H. M. Bushnell, president of the Nebraska Associ ation of Commercial Clubs, will Rev. Chas. W. Savidge, of be in the city next Wednesd: y Omaha, who will deliver the 4th and will address a meeting of of July address in this city will the local Commercial Club in the make two addresses here on Sun- Temple Theatre at 8 p. m., in day, July 4th. Rev. Savidge is the evening. Pres. H. Lomax, considered by many people as of the city club, will give a rebeing one of the greatest preach- port of what the Broken Bow orers in the country. He has ganization has been doing since married several thousand people its organization Mayor Dan and is devoting a great deal of Rockwell will preside and five his attention to securing life minute comments on the report mates for men and women. Rev. will be made by W. A. George, Savidge will speak in the morn- H. M . Sullivan and H. G. Myers ing on "A Leaf From My Own Plenty of lunch and cigars will Religious Experience." The be on hand for consumption. subject of his address in the The object of this meeting is to afternoon will be "Have You get the citizens of Broken Bow together and give them an op-

THE CHILD'S TURN



portunity to learn what the club SUPERVISORS is doing for the city. The committee desires that every man in Broken Bow, regardless of whether he is a member or not, be present at this meeting.

H. Lomax, F. M. Rublee and E. R. Purcell, have been appointed as a reception committee to entertain Mr. Bushnell while he is in the city. The committee appointed to arrange for the smoker consists of George Turner, Dr. W. V. Beck, Dr. F. W. Buckley and H. G. Myers.

GLIDING MACHINE FALLS 4000 FEET

Professor Sorenson, of Berwyn, Has Narrow Escape.

MACHINE BROKEN: MAN UN-HURT

Sorenson Raised His New Flying Ma chine to a Height of 4000 Feet by a Balloon and Fell to the Ground in less a Minute and a Half.

Prof. U. Sorenson, of Berwyn, made one of the most daring ascensions with his gliding machine last Sunday evening that was ever known. The machine was raised to a height of 4000 feet by a balloon and when he cut loose from the balloon he fell to the ground in less than a minute and one-half. The machine was smashed all to pieces, but Sorensen came out unhurt

When the balloon left the ground carrying the machine it went like a shot and the rudder struck on the ground in such a

This was Prof. Sorenson's first attempt to fly the machine and average value is \$15.60. The rehe set to work at once to rebuild ports show 82,912 hogs in the it and make another trial. The county. These are valued at machine will be on exhibition in \$522,307. The schedules show Broken Bow on July 5, the day quite a wide difference in the of the great 4th of July celebra- valuations made by the different tion. Prof. Sorenson will make two assessors and the changes made balloon ascensions on that day. One of these will go up in the be published next week. evening carrying a beautiful display of firewords.

ENROLLMENT REACHES 216

Junior Normal Management Complimented by Supt. Purdue.

INSTITUTE CLOSES THIS WEEK

A Number of Very Interesting Chapel Talks Made - Social Given for Teachers Last Saturday Evening in Chapel Hall.

closes this week. The law re-special session will be Leld in in attendance at this institute. noon. At 8:30 o'clock a very in-The total enrollment to date is teresting program will be ren-216. Many of the teachers are dered in the lodge room, and at proparing to take examinations 10 o'clock the members and inat the end of this week to secure vited guests will repair to the certificates and many of the Temple theater, where a banschool boards over the county quet, prepared by the Rebekahs, Continued to page eight.

HEAR PROTESTS

Citizens Object to Land Valuations by Deputy Assessors.

County Live Stock Valuations.

Some Road Matters Come up for Con sideration-Equalization of Personal Taxes for 1909 not Finished.

The attention of the County Board of Supervisors has been largely taken up this week with the hearing of protests on the valuations of real estate by the deputy assessors. Protests have been made by John Sweeney, Charles Scholz, Frank Weisenrider and H. M. Marquiss, of this city; M. E. Gordon, of Merna; C. D. Helms, of Ansley; Joe Right of Berwyn; Jackson Dye, of Comstock; S. A. Kelley, of Merna, and William Harmer, and Ellis Hanson, of Oconto. These men were all before the board in person. Henry Brown, of Oconto, was here as a witness in one of the hearings.

The Rapp road and the Wise road will be taken up this week. J. F. Rapp, J. O. Taylor and Jud Kay, are here looking after their interests in the Rapp road. A. H. Wise and Alfred Cooper are in the city to appear before the board when the Wise road comes up for consideration.

The work in equalizing the personal property has not been completed.

According to the returns made by the deputy assessors there are 33,171 head of horses in the way as to break it off. This ac- county. The total value of these cident was not noticed by Prof. is \$2,028,299 and the average Sorenson and he cut loose from value per head \$61.14. The depthe balloon at a height of about uty assessor found 1,915 mules 4000 feet, thinking that it was subject to taxation. They are in perfect condition for flying. valued at \$133,215 and this gives The machine upset and started them an average value per head for the ground with lightning of \$69.57. The average value of speed. Prof. Sorenson went the mules is about \$8.50 higher coolly to work to check its rapid than the average of the horses. fall as much as possible and suc- The returns show 99,976 head of ceeded in getting it right side cattle valued at \$1,855,044, makup. It then continued a spin- ing an average value of \$18.55. ning motion until it hit the 6,958 head of these are fat catground, taking about a minute tle valued at \$302,481, giving an and one-half to fall the 4000 average of \$43.61. The stock cattle number 92,873 head and are valued at \$1,448,503. The by the board of equalization will

ODD FELLOWS WILL BANQUHT

Celebrate Twenty-fifth Anniversary of Locae Organization.

PROGRAM AT LODGE ROOM

Grand Master Miller Will be Here to Take Part in the Program, Rebekalis Prepare Banquet.

On Monday evening, June 28th, the Odd Fellows of Broken Bow will celebrate the 25th anniversary of the organization of The first two weeks of the the order in this city. On this Junior Normal in this city which occasion the Grand Master of constitutes the teachers institute, the State will be here, and a quires that all teachers shall be the hall at 3 o'clock in the after-

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