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### "EYES IN THE BACK OF HIS HEAD."

Olives Wendall Holmes, Bales Girdley, credited with having eyes in the back of his head, because he saw things behind as well as in front. This was all due to his extremely large, old fashioned, round spectacle lenses, in which objects behind him were plainly reflected. Proper glasses on defective eyes of the present day would enable their possessors to see many things with perfect ease that now seem dim and indistinct. Those who have never availed themselves of glass aid call spectacles "amissances" others who accept the aid in a timely manner call them "blessings."

—Call them what you please  
—My glasses give you ease.



### IOWA PRIMARY ELECTION.

#### The Administration Candidates Generally Successful.

The reports from the primary election in Iowa held Tuesday indicate that the administration candidates were generally successful by safe majorities.

The most pronounced was the splendid majority of Gov. Carroll who won over his rival by twelve thousand or more majority and the two thousand or more majority with which Judge Walter J. Smith was re-nominated in the ninth district over Attorney General Byers. It was Gov. Carroll and Judge Walter J. Smith of Council Bluffs that Senator Cummings made his special fight against.

The nomination of Frank Prouty over Congressman Hull does not have so much political significance. While Hull stood with the administration in congress he only won out by 40 votes over Prouty two years ago.

Prouty was then and is yet a Cummings man and not only popular in the district but one of the great orators of state and a self made man. Prouty's success from a personal view is a pleasure to the editor of the REPUBLICAN as while we were not class mates we were in college together. His great success in his native state has been watched by us with pride.

W. J. Rice, of Merna was in the city Monday.

### The Business of the U. S. Land Office for May.

The business of the U. S. land office the past month would indicate that there will be no occasion to discontinue the office for some time yet to come. The amount of government land yet to open homestead entry of 640 acres is approximately 700,000 acres which distributed as follows:

- Blaine..... 16040
- Brown..... 43400
- Cherry..... 224220
- Grant..... 100370
- Hooker..... 92040
- Logan..... 34760
- McPerson..... 105350
- Thomas..... 108680

The office issued during the month of May 120 Final Certificates of which five were on sale of isolated tracts, one commutation and one hundred fourteen on final proof.

There were 80 homestead applications of which 67 were allowed. In addition to those were the usual number of contests and the usual correspondents, plats to make etc., which keeps from four to five persons constantly employed.

Get your Go-cart's of Konkell and get a Comfort thrown in.

### DEMOCRATS HOLD RALLY.

Governor and State Chairman Among Those at Session Held at Broken Bow.

The following is a synopsis of the much heralded democratic-populist rally given Monday and which was attended by about 100 guests.

Governor Shallenberger was the guest of honor and delivered three speeches during the day, one at the opening of the Junior Normal in the forenoon, another at the opera house in the afternoon before a democratic audience and the third at the close of the banquet.

Other out of town celebrities of the democratic party attending were W. B. Price of Lincoln, State Chairman, J. Byrnes, Senator Ollis, Leo Matthews.

Ex-Governor Silas A. Holcomb acted as toastmaster. W. J. Taylor started the ball rolling by telling what insurgency was. Judge Dean followed with a response on "The Next Congress." G. L. Shumway could not attend and his address on "The Last Chord, Sincerity," was read by H. M. Davis.

W. B. Price enlightened his hearers on the "Payne-Aldrich Bill" and Chairman Byrnes told about "Organization"

Governor Shallenberger made the last response of the evening and gave a lengthy talk on "Nebraska Democracy."

### BROKEN BOW WILL CELEBRATE

Committees Appointed and All Arrangements Well in Hand.

Broken Bow has crawled out of its old shell, that would admit of a 4th of July celebration once in every four or five years and will give the people of Custer county a big entertainment.

This is not with the spirit of running in competition with any other locality that want to celebrate. It is due to the people of the county who prefer to come to Broken Bow that the business men and citizens of Broken Bow will arrange this entertainment.

One locality or town cannot accommodate the whole people of the county nor can any one locality put on entertainment that will meet the wishes of every one even were they conveniently located. It is an open field and where ever a locality has the desire let appropriate programs for the occasion be arranged and Old Glory unfolded to the breezes in commemoration of the achievements of our forefathers July 4, 1776.

The following is a list of the committees who have been appointed to make the arrangements.

Executive Committee.—J. S. Baisch, chairman, J. S. Molyneux Secy-Treas. Frank Kern E. A. Lucke, J. Downs, A. E. Anderson, Sam Miller.

Fire works.—J. S. Baisch, L. E. Cole, W. R. Bruce.

Auto Parade.—R. B. Mullins, John McGraw Fred Ream, Art Conrad, N. E. Armstrong.

Comic Parade.—W. B. Shaefer A. R. Humphrey, Kem Anderson James Leonard.

Sports.—Dr. Buckley, Ed Myers, Sam Miller, L. E. Cole, Mr. Swan.

Concessions.—Sam Miller, J. S. Baisch, J. Downs, E. A. Lucke J. S. Molyneux.

Bank Music.—J. K. Hermon, H. Palmer, Frank Taylor.

Speaking and Vocal Music.—Rev. Aubrey, D. R. Rockwell, N. T. Gadd.

Advertising.—A. Anderson, C. W. Beal, D. M. Amsberry, E. R. Purcell.

Decorations.—I. A. Reneau, J. Downs, Chal England.

Base Ball.—Frank Kern, Sam Miller, C. Brittan, Fred Hayes, J. G. Haeberle, J. Downs, A. H. Souders, Sam Lee.

### The Country Thoroughly Soaked.

The rains that visited this locality Monday and Tuesday nights were general throughout the state as far as we have been able to learn; the precipitation varying from two to four inches. The ground was in fine condition to receive it & the crops in fine shape generally to absorb it. It will prove a great uplift to the small grain, alfalfa and vegetables and will give the corn a fine start. Those who are breaking prairie will especially appreciate it.

### U. S. LAND OFFICE NOTES

Broken Bow, Nebr.

John R. North and Edward Trass of Reed were in the city last Friday to file on Kinkaid homesteads.

Edward Swiggart of Lena made a Kinkaid homestead filing last Friday.

Frank Sweet of Fremont filed on a Kinkaid homestead Friday of last week.

Chas. G. Jewett of Lena was in the city Saturday to make proof on his homestead.

Roy Kennison of Mullen was in

the city Saturday to file on a Kinkaid homestead.

Archie Wells of Walworth was in the city Monday looking after government land.

J. M. McMillan of Thedford was in the city Monday as a witness on a contest.

W. A. Yates of Whitman was in the city Monday as witness on a contest case.

Miss Etta Brooks of Dunning was in the city Monday making final proof on her homestead.

John H. Hamilton was in the city Tuesday making proof on his homestead.

Sep Hanna of Dunning was in the city Monday making proof on his homestead.

Mrs. Lottie Auftegard of Lena, McPerson county was in the city Monday to buy isolated land in T. 19, R. 37 which she had caused to be advertised for sale. She bought 480 acres for which she paid \$1.25.

Miss Matilda Plumer of Hyannis was in the city Monday attending public land sale on which she bought 480 acres at \$1.25 an acre. Her father Dr. Plumer accompanied her. The Dr. has made his fortune in the past twenty two years in the stock business in the sand hills and daughter is starting in the same business for herself. The Dr. sold his ranch last fall and moved to Lincoln.

Frank Sweet of Burlington Ills., was in the city Friday on a contest against Lew M. Gay for land in Sec. 2, T. 25, R. 33. A number of witnesses were present but the case was settled out of court. Gay relinquished and Sweet filed on the land.

There will be communion and preaching services at the Christian church next Sunday at 11 a. m. "Is there a God?" will be the evening subject. Bible school meets at 10 a. m. and the Endeavors at 7 p. m. Special song services and sermon 8 p. m.

### JUNIOR NORMAL BEGINS.

Custer County One of the Leaders in Summer School Work.

Last Monday Junior Normal opened with over 150 present. The different towns and districts sending large delegations. During the chapel period in the morning Gov. Shallenberger and Hon. J. J. Tooley of Anselmo gave short talks to the teachers.

In the Institute are enrolled from

Anselmo..... 6	Anselmo.... 3
Broken Bow... 34	Berwyn..... 1
Burr Oak.... 1	Comstock... 3
Callaway.... 6	Etna..... 1
Gates..... 2	Gothenburg 1
Lillian..... 2	Loyal..... 1
Mason City... 8	Merna..... 6
McKinley.... 1	New Helena 1
Oconto..... 1	Sargent.... 6
Round Valley 1	Walworth.. 1
From other counties are	
Thomas..... 9	Blaine..... 7
Dawson..... 1	Sherman... 1
Those enrolled for the Junior Normal are from	
Anselmo..... 4	Anselmo.... 4
Arnold..... 1	Broken Bow 52
Comstock.... 2	Etna..... 2
Gates..... 1	Lillian.... 1
McKinley.... 2	Merna..... 3
Mason City... 5	Oconto.... 2
Somerford... 1	Weissert... 1
The different counties represented in the enrollment are	
Buffalo..... 1	Blaine..... 8
Dawson.... 1	Gage..... 1
Hooker..... 4	Loup..... 3
Thomas..... 1	
Total enrollment 213; enrollment from Custer county 186; enrollment from outside counties 37.	

### DISTRICT COURT CONVENES

Holds Short Term—Quickly Disposes of Long List of Equity and Civil Cases.

The district court convened Monday with Judge Bruno O. Hostetler on the bench. The cases were quickly disposed of and the court adjourned Wednesday morning. The docket was pretty well filled with divorce cases.

The cases are in brief as follows:

A. E. Brigham vs S. A. Robinson et al were held for the filing of briefs with the court.

P. F. Campbell vs Custer county held for filing briefs with the court.

Olivene M. Amsberry vs Ella Anderson continued for service of notice upon minors.

Rebecca Perkins vs A. C. Shallenberger dismissed pending settlement.

Frank Anderson vs Fred L. McKee dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Elviry Beels vs Grant A. Darrah, case dismissed.

Clara Wolf et al vs Wm. Ferris passed for this term on account of sickness of plaintiff's attorney.

In the matter of the petition of T. T. Varney administrator of the real estate of Leland A. Jewell. Real estate had been sold and sale confirmed by the court and deed ordered.

Application to sell real estate of John B. Mohatt insane, court license to sell.

Mary Dickson vs Wm. M. Dickson for divorce, set aside as it improperly entered on docket.

Robert Stone vs Ralph H. Dewolf et al was given 40 days to prepare and present bill of exception.

J. R. Blair vs Lilly Myers et al for tax judgment of \$83.95 with attorney's fees \$8.39 and 7 per cent interest was charged against plaintiff and a decree of foreclosure sale ordered by the court.

Lora B. Sandagger vs Fredrick Sandagger for divorce. Divorce granted.

Security State Bank vs Elbert H. Gaines et al for \$290 and costs with 10 per cent interest was awarded the plaintiff.

Isaac H. Russell vs Lillian B. Russell for divorce was dismissed and costs to be paid by plaintiff.

Wm. Cochran vs Nellie Cochran for divorce. Case dismissed.

In the matter of the estate of Mary E. Woodley deceased. Li-

cense was granted to sell real estate.

In the matter of the estate of Wilbur H. Bangs deceased, license granted to sell real estate. Minnie E. Patterson vs Wm. E. Patterson for divorce. Divorce granted and Wm. E. Patterson given custody of son Wm. E. Patterson Jr.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Cheever deceased, license granted to sell real estate. Alpha Morgan vs John L. Shockey held pending service of publication.

David E. Young vs Matilda J. Young for divorce. Divorce granted.

Governor Shallenberger carefully evaded the questions of county option in his political speech delivered in the city Monday afternoon. His intimation that temperance legislation was not needed in advance of public sentiment was his only reference to the question of county option.

### CHURCH COLUMN.

M. E. Church.—R. H. Thompson, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a. m.; morning sermon 11:00 a. m.; Junior league 2:30 p. m.; Epworth league 6:30 p. m.; evening sermon 7:30 p. m.; E. L. Mission Study Class, Wednesday 7:30 prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m. Come and worship with us you will be a stranger in the church but once.

Baptist Church.—A. T. Norwood, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a. m.; preaching 11:00 a. m.; Junior union 3:00 p. m.; B. Y. P. U. 7:00 p. m.; preaching 8:00 p. m.; teachers' meeting Monday 7:30 p. m.; Agoga class Tuesday 7:30 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday 8:00 p. m.; Amoma class first and third Tuesday of each month 7:30 p. m.

Christian Church.—Z. O. Doward, Pastor At the Christian church next Sunday. Communion and preaching services at 11:00 a. m.; special song service and sermon 8:00 p. m.; Special music by the choir and others. There will be several selections at both services. Bible school 10:00 a. m.; Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.

U. B. Church.—S. M. Zike, Pastor Sunday school 10:00 a. m. preaching 11:00 a. m.; Junior C. E. 3 p. m.; Senior C. E. 7 p. m.

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