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TATE SPRINGS, TENN., July 4, 1888. The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.: During the spring of 1871, while working in the field at my home in Morgan county, Ga., I pulled off my shoes to give my feet a rest. Unfortunately, I walked into a clump of poison oak, and in a few days my feet were in a terrible condition, and I could not put on a shoe because of the soreness and swelling. I was treated as poison oak cases usually are, and everything was healed up. About the same time the following spring, 1872, my feet became sore again, as at first, and every succeeding spring for five years brought back the same condition of the disease, only each time it became more distressing, because I began to think it was a lifetime trouble. Finally, I was induced to try Swift's Specific. I took six bottles, and to-day am entirely well. My improvement was gradual from the first, and no evidence of the disease remains. I shall take pleasure in testifying as to its curative properties. It is the greatest blood purifier in existence. Yours truly, J. L. MORGAN.

The foregoing certificate is taken at random from thousands of letters in possession of the Swift Specific Co., and presented simply as a sample. It is a voluntary statement, giving facts and results of the case. Its accuracy and genuineness are beyond question.

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Mr. C. J. Smith, traveling salesman for Bedford, Clarke & Co., Chicago, had the misfortune to sprain his wrist most severely. "I was suffering great pain," he says, "and my wrist was badly swollen; the few applications of Chamberlain's Pain Balm relieved the pain, and reduced the swelling in one night, and in consequence my work and business was not interrupted, for which I am very grateful. I can recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm from personal experience." Sold by all druggists.

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Will make the season of 1889, commencing April 1st and closing July 1st, on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at my farm on Driftwood creek, 10 miles southwest of McCook; and on Fridays and Saturdays at Eaton & Co.'s livery barn in McCook.

TERMS: \$10 to insure a standing lot. \$8 for the season. \$5 for single service.

Ben Butler,

A fine dark iron-gray jack, 2 years old past, 13 hands high, weighing 800 pounds, will also make the season at the same places and times, and under same terms. Call and see them.

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Railroad Officials Meet.

Mr. J. C. Penner, vice president of the Burlington company; Mr. H. B. Stone, second vice president, both of Chicago, and Mr. G. W. Holdrege, general manager of the B. & M. system, of Omaha, are now making a trip over the Burlington system, giving attention to operating details.

To save time they met the superintendents and other officials of Nebraska all together, Saturday afternoon, at the office of General Superintendent T. E. Calvert, in this city.

There were present Superintendents D. E. Thomson of Lincoln, C. Campbell of McCook, and C. B. Rogers of Wyoming. Also Assistant Superintendents E. Bignell of Aurora, J. R. Pheasant of Holyoke, Colo., and F. S. Grainger of Edgar. Also D. Hawksworth, Plattsmouth, superintendent of the motive power for the Burlington & Missouri river system, and G. W. Rhodes, superintendent of motive power for the C. B. & O. system. Several train masters were present.

A Journal reporter inquired of Superintendent Calvert, through an official near him, what was the meaning of this convention of railroad men.

"It was simply a conference in relation to operating matters," Messrs. Penner, Stone and Holdrege are making a tour of inspection over the lines and called in the other officers so as to see them all at once and save time. Their visit has no special significance whatever."

"They contemplate no change in policy, extension of lines or other matters," said Stone. "Nothing of the kind. They are giving attention purely to ordinary running details. Trips of this kind are not extraordinary."

"Where do they go next?"

"They left on a special for Alliance, this afternoon."

"Have you any idea of extending the lines out that way?"

"No, they are not going out there for any such purpose. They are merely looking into matters connected with the operation of the road."

There is an impression prevailing among railroad men that the officials are coming to a view to devising economical features, and that a reduction of force is contemplated. How well founded this impression is remains to be seen.—Lincoln Journal.

IS RAPIDLY RECOVERING.

(From the Crete Vidette.)

We received a letter from Congressman Laird, this week. It is a source of much gratification to the great body of the people to learn that he is rapidly recovering his health. To the small here not being politicians, who always have the United States senatorship and congressional bee in their minds' eye, like a mirage on the prairie, this news will not be so comforting. Even when "Jim" was at his lowest ebb extinct statesmen came out of their gloom and subjected themselves to interview by the metropolitan press reporter.

For Diseases of Horses.

There is nothing that compares with Cole's Veterinary Carbolisalve. It cures Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Colic and Saddle Galls, Sores, Mange, Scatiches, Thrush, Inflammations and all skin and hoof diseases quicker than any other remedy. It is the only preparation that will invariably remove the hair to its original color. Edwin D. Bisher, driver of Jay Eye See, says: "Having given Veterinary Carbolisalve a thorough trial, I can fully endorse it, and take pleasure in recommending it to all owners of horses as the best remedy that I ever saw for general stable use." Large cans \$1.00; small cans 50 cents.

SOUTH SIDE.

Spring wheat looks exceptionally fine.

C. H. Jacobs lost a fine two-year-old heifer, last week.

Some contemptible sneak thief stole a half dozen fine brahma chickens from W. F. Stone, recently.

The continued rains have placed the ground in fine condition. In fact in seventeen years of residence in this country we have never seen a more promising crop prospect. Uto.

SHILOH'S COUGH and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures Consumption. McMillen's.

An order has been issued from the War Department at Washington by which government officials will be permitted to enter Oklahoma without further delay. The propriety of this arrangement is apparent. It is important that the land offices shall be established before the entrance of settlers, and that adequate facilities be provided for the transaction of public business before the rush for claims sets in. It is doubtful whether the ten days which yet remain before the opening of such new territory will be sufficient for making the preparations as will be required to perform the work with which the land offices will be immediately crowded.

No files on the Homer girls! Miss Johanna Christopherson, who lives with her sister near Homer, has within the past few days killed fifty-eight snakes, thirteen of which were killed one morning. She is in company with a young gentleman killed eighteen last Sunday. The snakes come out of a cave in the rocks just north of the house near the Catholic cemetery to sun themselves, and Johanna says it has become her morning task to kill from five to thirteen on her way to the spring for water.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB.,

March 25th, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Wednesday, May 8th, 1889, viz:

W. J. ANGLIS, GILLESPIE, P. E. D. S. No. 588 for the N. 1/4 Sec. 25, T. 2, R. 22, W. 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William A. Vincent, Alvaro N. Griffin, Francis M. Kennedy, William Kennedy, all of McCook, Neb.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

S. P. HART, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB.,

March 16th, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Monday, May 6th, 1889, viz:

SARAH C. KENNEDY, H. E. No. 4334 for the N. 1/4 Sec. 12, T. 1, N. Range 29, W. 6th P. M. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George Fowler, Isaac N. Fowler, Abram Hammond, John Calkins, all of McCook, Neb.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

S. P. HART, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB.,

March 6th, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Monday, April 29th, 1889, viz:

WILLIAM P. BELKNAP, who made P. E. D. S. No. 5006 for the S. 1/4 Sec. 14, T. 2, R. 22, W. 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Arthur C. Frazer, E. Cramer, Seth Nettie, and Samuel Cinnamon all of Osburn, Neb.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

S. P. HART, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB.,

March 20th, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Tuesday, May 7, 1889, viz:

JOHN SCHNEIDER, D. S. No. 599 for the E. 1/2 N. 1/4 Sec. 12, Twp. 5, N. R. 31, W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Gottlieb Mentz, William J. Vogel, of Osburn, Neb., Louis Altmann, of Zimmerman, Neb., and P. Fairbanks, of Highland, Neb.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

S. P. HART, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB.,

March 11th, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Harlow W. Hayes, County Judge, at Indianola, Neb., on Tuesday, April 23rd, 1889, viz:

JOHN BARBER, H. E. No. 22 for the W. 1/2 S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 15, and W. 1/2 N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 22, Town 4, N. of Range 28, W. 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William McCook, Charles Hartman, Louis Casten, George Greer, all of McCook, Neb.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

S. P. HART, Register.

Dr. A. P. WELLES,

HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, McCOOK, NEBRASKA.

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Men's All-Wool Worsted Suits, former price, 12.00, now 7.00
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Men's Fancy Cassimere Suits, former price, 18.00, now 10.00
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LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB.,

March 2nd, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Thursday, April 25th, 1889, viz:

NELSON J. CHRYSLER, who made H. E. No. 593 for the S. E. 1/4 S. E. 1/4 Sec. 19, and W. 1/2 N. E. 1/4 Sec. 15, and E. 1/2 N. E. 1/4 of Sec. 16, in Town 4, N. of Range 23, W. of 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Joseph H. Stephens, Stephen Bullock, Josiah E. Moore, Alexander W. Campbell, all of Box Elder, Neb.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

S. P. HART, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB.,

March 30th, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Harlow W. Hayes, County Judge, at Indianola, Neb., on Tuesday, April 23rd, 1889, viz:

JOHN BARBER, H. E. No. 22 for the W. 1/2 S. W. 1/4 of Sec. 15, and W. 1/2 N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 22, Town 4, N. of Range 28, W. 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William McCook, Charles Hartman, Louis Casten, George Greer, all of McCook, Neb.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

S. P. HART, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB.,

March 30th, 1889.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, May 11, 1889, viz:

H. E. No. 562 for the N. E. 1/4 S. E. 1/4 section 21, T. 2, N. Range 31, W. 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James L. Hoyt, John Baldwin, all of McCook, Neb. V. H. E. No. 559 for the N. E. 1/4 Sec. 24, Town 2, N. Range 31, W. 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James L. Hoyt, Jesse Webb, George S. Myers, Isaiah K. Pate, all of McCook, Neb. Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proofs, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proofs should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimants.

S. P. HART, Register.

Mr. A. T. Fields, one of the leading merchants of Colfax, Idaho, writes that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best cough preparation he ever used and recommends it to all without hesitation. Sold by all druggists.