

OTTO STRUBE, Manager.

& M. V. R. R. south to Leander Creek. Mar-huardt & Bowlus, seribner, Nebraska.

Merriman. Neb

Cattle brand OM on

eft shoulder. Some

of cattle have various

older brands. OS on

left hip. Horse bra'd A on left shoulder.

Range-Formerly Geo W Monnier

ranch 5-miles east of

Merriman, from F.E.

Let the fusionists nominate a good Anderson & Rounds. and clean ticket this fall of representa-Simeon, Nebraska Cattle branded on left side as on cut; also 16 on left side tive men and it will be invincible at the polls. The people are in the right with __ on left hip of some cattle; also S46 on right side. Horse brand, rake and 16 on left shoulder or mood and will demand a change of affairs The local bosses of the republican party are all broken up over their faillewey Lake. Range on Niobrara River, east of ure to cause dissension in our ranks, Fort Niobrara; also between Stake River and Simeon, known as the Felch range, all in Cherry County, Nebraska. fusionists to become candidates, they Marshall & Wolfenden are making a marked failure of it. The boys are onto the tricks of these wily politicians of the Mark Hanna contingent. Mayor Jones gave out a general letter to the public, in which he states that he may become an independent candidate for governor of Ohio if he I. T. Richardson. finds the reform movement sufficiently strong. He states that he is not work-Kennedy, Nebr ing with either party, and that if the sentiment found and created by the Columbus Labor Convention develops No. 7. Horses on left shoulder he will be in the field. A populist in politics ordinarly is William M. Dunbar a very reasonable man to get along with. He abandoned either one or the other of the old parties on account of No. 7. the issues they presented, and now that A New Democracy has come to prevail he looks rather to the issues nvolved than the name by which it is called. It is therefor easily to see why democrats, populists and silver repub-Amelia Young. thronement of the party of Mark jected. Hanna. Cody, Nebraska On right side, A dispatch from Washington in this White river morning's paper says: "The secretary of the interior having been given authority to lay down rules for the regulation of entries under the act of 1897. Peder Thorsen. now says that no reservation will be made for a reservoir containing less not more than forty acres can be re- were signed by himself. served; for reservoirs of 500,000 gallons and less than 1,000,000 gallons capacity. not more than eighty acres can be reserved; for a reservoir of 1,000,000 gal-Henry Young, lons and less than 1,500,000 capacity, not more than 120 acres can be reservody, Nebraska Horse brand **H** Y ed, and for a reservoir of more than 1,500,000 gallons capacity, 160 acres Cattle, right ear split Range, Little may be reserved. This is definite, for White river, S. D. it means that not more than 160 acres of public domain can be reserved for the purposes of the act in any one section. But this is not all. None of the Stotts & Stetter. lands so reserved can be fenced, and owners of cattle who are using the public domain for grazing purposes may benefit from the reservoirs so erected, whether they have entered upon the ands or not." D. C. Nelson.

Cody, Nebraska On right hip. Range, Medicin

Gordon, Nebraska Cattle also branded 90 on right hip

Horses and mules randed same as cu n left shoulder

Albany, Neb Cattle branded FD on left ribs

on right hip and left ribs; 6 on left hip Horses FD or SD on

Cody Neb

tle, ...a.ided

Strayed or Stolan,

Several head of horses and cat-

Amos Strong, Valentine, Neb.

Also -B- on right

Range Chamberlain

Flats and Snake River

Lake to the snake river

but it is far better to be found in a respectable funeral procession than in tion to be contrary to la v. a crowd hunting "benevolent assimilation" with the rifle. It is more consistent; more humane. We cannot go back to republicanism with its extravagance and aristocratic tendencies. \$20, 000,000 to a tyrant, to an implacable foe of honesty and justice, lead and steel for a people whose only crime is a desire for liberty; allowing Carter, who cent. Continued in the business of stole over a million dollars directly equalization from day to day until the from the government, to go free and evening of the 28, and adjourned to unpardoned after being tried and found June 29. guilty, retiring Gen. Eagan on full pay for violating the law. These methods we cannot endorse. The reform forces are strong enough, if united, to defeat this extravagant and dishonest party. Every other consideration should be laid aside, every grievance forgotten, and the slogan should be "simplicity and frugality," and this party of wild delirious extravagance hurled from power. Think of the millions that have been transferred from the pockets of the poor to the bank account of the rich in commissions alone in the past two years and be warned of the absorbing tendency of this plutocratic party. With the Dingley bill, the war tax, and the stamp act, this government is running behind every month, and wnat will it be when the principal on the bonds are to be paid? There is an ample cause for sober reflection. There is abundant reason for a solid unifica-Range 7 mi north east of Albany Neb tion of reform forces, and it is only a selfish and office seeking propensity that will hinder or retard this noble and patriotic movement for a more economical government. It is time to move now. The late action of the president in striking 4000 from the civil service list is a fair warning of the means that will be employed to retain power. There is work to do.-Minden Courier.

> A birthday surprise party was given to E. H. Wilson and his daughter, Nellie, Tuesday evening, by the fam. tocratic party. ily and friends. They were given numerous and valuable presents and hearty wishes that they might survive to see the next annual anniversary of their birth. About 9 o'clock light refreshments were served to which all present did ample justice. after which we wended our way home ca pleasantly.

Commissioners' Proceedings VALENTINE, June 13, 1899.

Board of County Commissioners met in regular session as a board of Equal. ization. Present T. P. Spratt and L-II. Trowbridge continued in the business of equalization during the day and adjourned to June 14. 1899.

June 14, 1899. Board met as per adjournment. Present W. A. Parker and however hard they try to induce Chairman, T. P. Spratt and L. H Trowbridge and having adopted the schedule of per centages in order to adjust equalization between precincts Continued in the business of equalization from day to day until the evening of the 17th and adjourned to June 19th

June 19, 1899. Board met in regular session as a board of county commissioners. Members all present.

On motion the following appointments were made: A. Newberry, road overseer, Dist.

H. E. Dewey, road overseer, Dist,

On motion the following official bonds

A. Newberry, road overseer, Dist H. E. Dewey, road overseer, Dist.

On motion the affidavit of J. W. Groves, asking a reduction of his as-

sessment was rejected. On motion the affidavit of Felician licans can work in harmony for the de- Tays, asking a refund of taxes, was re-

> On motion F. W. Lachleur was granted a refund of \$4.40, same having been collected twice.

> On motion Geo. Camm was granted a refund of \$1.80, same having been assessed in two precincts.

On motion the affidavit of H. Wonders that the property assessed to him in 1892 and '93 belonged to Hannah than 250,000 gallons. For a reservoir Smith and should be refunded, was reof less than 500,000 gallons capacity, jected for the reason that the schedules

> On motion Miss E. I. Mills was granted a refund of \$10.79 and the board adjourned to June 20th.

June 20, 1899. Board met pursuant to adjournment; members all present.

Taxpayers from Table and Minnechaduza precincts appeared and protested against raising lan l in those precincts as the equalization schedule required.

Acting on the advice of the county attorney, Commissioner Spratt, holding that the present method of equalization is unjust, for the reason that it did not equalize the valuation of the land throughout the county, moved to leave the value of the land in Table and Minnechaduza precincts as found by the assessors, Commissioners Parker and Bryanism and 16 to 1 may be dead Trowbridge voting against the motion for reason that they believed the mo-

> Continued in the business of equalization to June 21, and adjourned to

> > June 22, 1899.

Board met as per adjournment. On motion the real estate in the village of Wood Lake was raised 50 per

Jay Lentz, foreman in the mines of the Great Western Company, was caught under a fall of slate in the mines at Harmon, W. Va., about three months ago. His skull was crushed and Dr. E. C. Harmon and two other surgeons gave him up to die. A piece of his brain larger than a teacup was broken away from the main body of the brain structure and the skull covering it was broken away.

After a few days the doctors decided to take heroic measures. The shattered brain was cut away and dressed. A healthy yearling calf was tied down, her skull was cut away and a lobe of brain was removed and fitted into the cavity in Lentz's head. The wound then was dressed and trephined and results were awaited. The calf's head meanwhile was fixed up with half a brain in it.

gressed satisfactorily, and the man is kinds, swings, speaking, singing and nearly as well as before the operation, though his mental vigor is not entirely restored. The calf stands as if asleep until startled, when it moves until interrupted in a straight line. It will not eat until its jaws are opened and then the jaw movement must be stopped by force, as the calf continues to chew even when the food is removed. It is indeed a wonderful operation, and the action of the calf reminds us of a machine editor of the republican or plu-

In its report of the London cattle market the Mark Lane Express of May 21 notes that offerings of cattle from the United States were 2,075 head and from South America 2,914 head. It says, "Some grand cattle from South Ameriwere shown." Quotations on feeling the evening had been spent "States" cattle were 3s 10d to 4s per 8 pounds estimated dressed weight, while

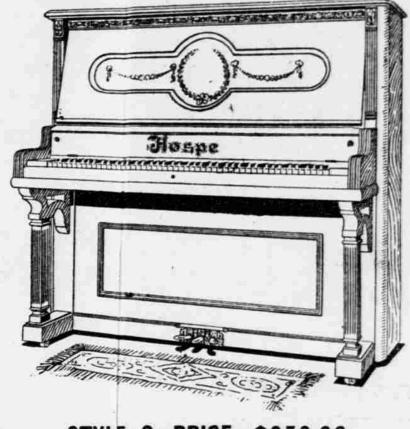
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OMAHA, NEBR. A. HOSPE

on Argentine cattle they were 3s 6d to 3s 10d. That is, the best American cattle were quotable only two pence per 8 pounds (dressed weight basis) above A4 left side or hip the best Argentines. Or if best Americans were worth 121 cents per pound, on left side best Argentines sold up to 12 cents. There is no question about the increasing competition of the Argentine beef producer. He is a good second both in numbers and quality to the American, though the condition of his stock on arrival is not so satisfactory. There is a lesson in the progress that Argentine has made toward the top in beef production. "Good blood"-that is the reason and that is the lesson. Argentine breeders have spared no expense for blood and they are getting it back many fold.

The Long Pine Chautauqua will open August 11, 1899, at Long Pine, Nebr. These grounds are unique, picturesque, healthful, convenient, attractive, restful, to a degree not found elsewhere. Bring your hammocks, swings, canoes, bathing suits, fishing tackle and children, for it's the best place on e rth for them to enjoy a splash in the water with perfect safety.

The whole time of the assembly will be filled with an interesting and profitable program. Those who desire to avail themselves of the privileges and profit of the lectures and schools, or any parts of them, will be heartily welcomed to these exercises, while those who prefer to spend their time in absolute rest or in recreation, will find these grounds exactly suited to such purposes. A sufficient number of tents are provided for the accommodation of all. Address for particulars,

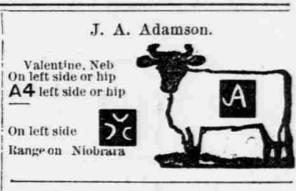
> H. W. LEARN, Sec'y., Long Pine, Nebr.

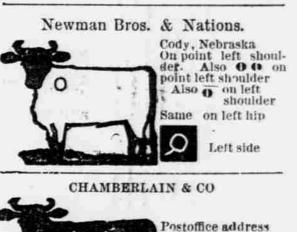
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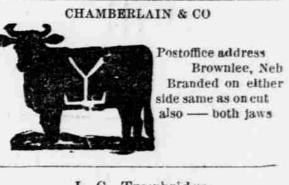
Where? Why in that lovely grove n John Adamson's pasture-the nicest place in Cherry county; plenty of shade, plenty of good cool water and refreshment to be had any time in the day. Bowery dance in after-Both the man and the calf have pro- noon and evening, racing of various merrymaking of all kinds. Artists come and bring your cameras for the scenery is grand. Young men bring your best girls; old men bring your wives and spend the day with your neighbor that you have been neglecting all spring. Everybody come and bring your lunch baskets well filled and enjoy a day long to be remembered and fitted for a national holi-

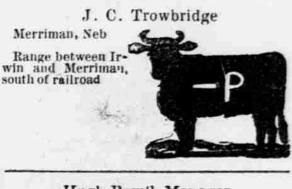
> Alex Marrivall Pine Ridge, S D Cattle branded as on cut and below on either side. Eermk swallow fork on lert and crop right Horse trands as below on left thigh

COMMITTEE.

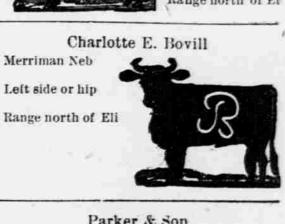


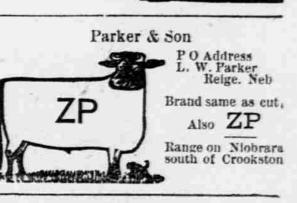












Prideaux Sanford Kennedy, Neb left side

