

Wool.

From Hagey & Wilhelm, St. Louis, Mo., who claim to be the oldest and best receivers of wool...

Market active and firm, and full returns for shipments are received by the grower in ten to fifteen days from date of shipment.

Traveling buyers are misrepresenting the market to growers, and buying their wool in country points for 15 and 16 cents, when if they ship it will net 16 and 17 cents here.

We take special pains with small lots and can always sell them to advantage.

In our entire business career we have never speculated to the extent of one cent, and have ample means in the Boatmen's Saving Bank to make prompt returns as soon as we sell.

Any grower desiring to keep posted in our market, or wanting wool sacks free of charge to ship to us in, will please send us his address.

Growers will do well to ship early, as we look for decline in prices during the latter part of July and August.

The Wheat Outlook.

Kansas Farmer.

It is not good. And the failure is general all over the country. The latest estimate of the crop was made by Mr. S. W. Talmadge, of Milwaukee. He says there is no longer any question as to the damage and loss to the winter wheat of this country.

CASTLE ROCK RIPPLES.

CASTLE ROCK, July 7.

Several good showers. Everything is growing in fine shape. The boys who went east looking for work in the harvest fields have returned unsuccessful, after going as far as Ellsworth.

The past week has been the most favorable of the season here for the crops. The rains were followed by several cloudy, damp days, and even the withered and sunburned early millet has picked up courage, and now promises to make perhaps a half crop.

The question of a new school house for this district is being agitated. The present building is beginning to show age, and it is hardly large enough to meet the wants of the district.

The sultry, damp weather, so unfavorable to all pulmonary complaints, seriously aggravated Mrs. Harlin's asthma, and for a time it was feared she could not live.

There was a general turnout of the people of Banner and vicinity on Saturday at Mr. J. C. Brown's for a Sunday school picnic and Fourth of July celebration. About sixty persons were present.

Habitual constipation is not only one of the most unpleasant, but at the same time one of the most injurious conditions of the human system, and is but a forerunner of disease, unless removed.

GETTING READY FOR THE BOOM. Kelly & Walker unloaded this week a car load of wagons and plows.

100 FARMS WANTED! If those having farms for sale will place them in our hands, we will sell them as rapidly as possible.

BAKER & SHULTZ.

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-WITH-

A Full Line of Government Land Blanks!

Special to Land Attorneys Throughout the Western Kansas Land District!

We have printed, and have in stock to sell, the following Government Land Office Blanks at the prices annexed:

Table listing various land office blanks and their prices, such as Homestead Notices, Affidavits, Applications, etc.

The copy for these blanks comes from approved sources.

The proof of each blank is submitted to the scrutiny of Register Hanna, who, besides being old in the Land Service of the Government, is a practical printer.

These blanks, to be brief, are warranted to be perfect in wording, printing, quality of paper and all other essentials.

Big reductions made on lots of 500 or more.

The blanks here named will be added to constantly until we can supply every blank needed at the land office, whose printing by us is justifiable on business grounds.

We mean precisely what we say, and wish every atom of Saxton in this statement to have its full weight: We are not to be bucked off the track by foreign opposition.

We buy our printing paper in Kansas, and, as a rule, send for nothing outside of the state which can be had within it.

We don't haggle about prices either. We aim to assert, in letters of living light, to be observed especially by land attorneys in this land district, that if any foreign agency offers bargains, you can, upon authenticating property its offer, have it duplicated right in this office!

Don't send away for what you can buy reasonably at home. That is not the way to build up a country!

If land agents will not work for the region of country in whose lands they deal, who can be expected to do so?

Cash must accompany all orders. Yours regularly, W. S. TILTON, Proprietor WESTERN KANSAS WORLD.

TIMBER CLAIM PROOF.

Mr. Dann, of the U. S. Land Office, has said that parties planting Russian Mulberry Seed can make application and get their final proof next day after planting.

THOMAS CADDICK.

Men's, boys' and youths' clothing in endless quantity at Caddick's. If it is something of good quality that you want, I have it.

The largest stock of boots and shoes in this whole western country is to be found at Caddick's.

One of the best, as well as the finest, assorted stocks of groceries to be found in the west is at Caddick's.

Flour, feed and salt, at wholesale and retail, at Caddick's.

SEEDS! SEEDS!

Field, Garden and Tree Seeds.

KELLY & WALKER have in stock:

400 bushels German and Small Millet.

150 bushels Orange and Amber Cane.

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Box Elder, Honey Locust, Native Ash, Osage Orange.

A full and complete stock of fresh garden seeds in bulk. Examine our stock before making purchases.

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FOR SALE!

1120 acres within 3 1/2 miles of Wa-Keeney as follows:

Sec. 11, 12, 24 - Railroad Land; price five (5) dollars per acre.

E. 1/2 of Sec. 24, 12, 23 - School Land; price five (5) dollars per acre.

Also Timber Claim - sw 1/4 of Sec. 22, 12, 23; price four (4) dollars per acre.

Address, J. H. McQuown, Hays City, Kan. 332-3

SHOATS TO SELL

Cattle Wanted - Take Care of.

John H. Mock will have shoats in town to sell on Saturday, July 11. He lives on the Saline, has good range, and would like to take about 150 head of cattle to keep.

Any one wishing information can find it by calling on J. Escher, in this city.

All persons wishing to purchase U. P. R. lands, call on JOHN A. NELSON, U. P. Land Agent

BEST STOCK RANGES IN THE COUNTRY.

Watered by 2 running creeks, 2 miles apart.

Stone house, stone stable, \$75.00 fencing, cattle shed, eighty acres cultivated, plenty of good hay land, range 1/2 blue stem grass, pump in well, close to house, and only 15 feet deep, several flowing springs, coldest well water in the country.

For cash or exchange for improved property near some railroad town in the eastern part of Kansas.

Enquire of J. A. STAYT.

SCHOOL LAND SALE.

COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE, WA-KEENEY, KANSAS.

I will offer, at public sale, at my office, in Wa-Keeney, Kansas, on

Saturday, July 25, 1885,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m., the following-described state school lands:

Table listing school lands with columns for Description, Sec., Twp., R., and A. P. Val.

Given under my hand at Wa-Keeney, Kansas, this 24th day of June, 1885.

JAMES KELLY, County Treasurer.

SCHOOL LAND SALE.

COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE, WA-KEENEY, KAN.

I will offer at public sale at my office in Wa-Keeney, Kan., on

Wednesday, July 22, 1885.

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m., the following described state school lands:

Table listing school lands with columns for Description, Sec., Twp., R., and A. P. Val.

Given under my hand at Wa-Keeney, Kansas, this 23rd day of June, 1885.

JAMES KELLY, County Treasurer.

GEN. GRANT'S BOOK.

We are informed, is now ready for agents and will be sold exclusively by subscription. The work is entitled "Personal Memoirs of U. S. Grant." This is his own book, every line of which is written or dictated by Gen. Grant himself, and the only book in which he has any interest.

Now is the time for competent agents to apply for territory. S. F. Junkin & Co., 304 east 12th street, Kansas City, Mo., are sole agents for the state of Kansas.

No agencies can be obtained from any other parties whatever. For full particulars, address as above.

NOTICE. To ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: The copartnership heretofore existing between Leonard Schmitt and Geo. T. Galloway was dissolved by mutual consent on the 28th day of November, 1884.

The business will be continued at the old stand by the undersigned. Mr. G. C. Shultz is authorized to collect and pay all debts of the firm.

LEONARD SCHMITT. CALDWELL FARM AND SPRING WAGONS

For sale by W. S. Mead. As low in price as can be bought. Horses for sale.

STRAYED.

From the ranch of the subscriber, 7 head of cattle marked thus:



Information leading to the recovery of the same will be liberally rewarded. JOS. MIDDLEBY, Gibson, Trego Co., Kan.

JUST WHAT YOU WANT. Anvil, Vise, Cut-off Tool, the best for farm & home use.

Either size, \$4.50, \$5.50, \$6.50 sent on receipt of price, if your hardware dealer does not keep them. Good agents wanted. CHEENEY ANVIL & VICE CO., DETROIT, MICH.

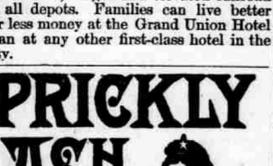
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A favorite prescription of one of the most noted and successful specialists in the U. S. (now retired) for the cure of various ailments.

When you visit or leave New York City save baggage, expressage and carriage hire and stop at the Grand Union Hotel, opposite Grand Central Depot.

Elegant rooms fitted up at a cost of one million dollars, reduced to \$1.00 and upwards per day. European plan. Elevator. Restaurant supplied with the best. Horse cars, stages and elevated railroad to all depots. Families can live better for less money at the Grand Union Hotel than at any other first-class hotel in the city.

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The majority of the ills of the human body arise from a derangement of the Liver, affecting both the stomach and bowels. In order to effect a cure, it is necessary to remove the cause.

Prickly Ash Bitters are especially recommended for this purpose. They are mild in their action and effective as a cure; are pleasant to the taste and taken easily by both children and adults.

Prickly Ash Bitters are a safe and pleasant cure for Dyspepsia, General Debility, Habitual Constipation, Dropsical Effusions, etc., etc. As a Blood Purifier they are superior to any other medicine cleaning the system thoroughly, and imparting new life and energy to the invalid. It is a medicine and not an intoxicating beverage.

ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR PRICKLY ASH BITTERS, and take no other. 75 CENTS, 61.00 PER DOZ.

PRICKLY ASH BITTERS CO., SOLE PROPRIETORS, St. Louis and Kansas City, Mo.

U. S. Land Final Proofs.

Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 16, 1885.

No. 3283.] 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 and receiver U. S. land office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., on August 6, 1885, viz: John Frazier, homestead application No. 5287, for the se 1-4 sec 14, tp 14 s, r 23 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: J. W. Reynolds, Charles Moe, J. B. Young and C. Young, all of Wa-Keeney P. O., Trego county, Kansas.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 16, 1885.

No. 3282.] 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 and receiver U. S. land office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., on August 6, 1885, viz: Charles H. Moe, homestead application no. 4546, for the sw 1-4 sec 12, tp 14 s, r 23 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: W. C. Olson, C. J. Ferris, J. A. Reynolds of Wa-Keeney P. O., Trego county, Kansas, John Frazier, of Gibson P. O., Trego county, Kansas.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

Land office at Wa-Keeney, Kan.

No. 3281.] 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 and receiver U. S. land office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., on August 6, 1885, viz: Charles H. Moe, homestead application no. 4546, for the sw 1-4 sec 12, tp 14 s, r 23 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: W. C. Olson, C. J. Ferris, J. A. Reynolds of Wa-Keeney P. O., Trego county, Kansas, John Frazier, of Gibson P. O., Trego county, Kansas.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 16, 1885.

No. 3279.] 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 and receiver U. S. land office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., on August 6, 1885, viz: John Griffith, homestead application No. 1960, for the w 1/2 ne 1/4 and se 1/4 ne 1/4 sec 2, tp 11 s, r 23 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: S. L. Shorthill, T. A. Shorthill, J. P. Smith and G. T. Galloway, all of Wa-Keeney P. O., Trego county, Kan.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 5, 1885.

No. 3255.] 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 and receiver U. S. land office at Wa-Keeney, Kansas, on July 24, 1885, viz: Samuel Cash, homestead application no. 5763, for the e 1/2 se 1/4 sec 26 and w 1/2 sw 1/4 sec 25, tp 15 s, r 26 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Timothy Armstrong, William Sweeney, Clement Young, William Schreck, all of Gibson P. O., Trego county, Kansas.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. J. A. Nelson, Att'y.

Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 30, 1885.

No. 3315.] 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 and receiver U. S. land office at Wa-Keeney, Kansas, on August 12, 1885, viz: John Hall, homestead entry no. 5933, for the nw 1-4 sec 22, tp 10 s, r 24 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: E. S. Cole, Ben Jackson, Fred Allers, Lyman Brown, all of Wa-Keeney P. O., Trego co., Kan.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., July 2, 1885.

No. 3314.] 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 and receiver U. S. land office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., on September 15, 1885, viz: John Kobetich, homestead application No. 5635, for the e 1/2 nw 1-4 and w 1/2 ne 1-4 sec 14 tp 11 s, r 23 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Joseph Werlich, John Kershaw, D. A. Dickey, William Harrier, all of Wa-Keeney P. O., Trego county, Kan.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., July 7, 1885.

No. 3330.] 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 and receiver U. S. land office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., on September 15, 1885, viz: Thomas R. Evans, homestead application No. 2691, for the 1/2 ne 1/4 and n 1/2 se 1/4 sec 10, tp 11 s, r 23 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Harrier, John Kobetich, John Lempke, Thomas Shorthill, all of Wa-Keeney P. O., Trego county, Kans.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 2, 1885.

[No. 3252.] Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before register and receiver U. S. land office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., on July 14, 1885, viz: Mary McCarthy, widow of Jeremiah McCarthy, deceased, homestead applications Nos. 2095 and 5737, for the se 1-4 sec 28, tp 13 s, r 22 w.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Hugh Connolly, Ben C. Rich, Mirt Wilcox, of Wa-Keeney, Trego county, Kan., and Henry Hengst, of Ogallah P. O., Trego county, Kansas.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 22, 1885.

[No. 3252.] Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before register and receiver U. S. land office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., on September 15, 1885, viz: John Kobetich, homestead application No. 5635, for the e 1/2 nw 1-4 and w 1/2 ne 1-4 sec 14 tp 11 s, r 23 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Hugh Connolly, Ben C. Rich, Mirt Wilcox, of Wa-Keeney, Trego county, Kan., and Henry Hengst, of Ogallah P. O., Trego county, Kansas.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 22, 1885.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Edward M. Davis against Lester Monnot for abandoning his homestead entry no. 4979, dated May 29, 1884, upon the ne 1-4 sec 26, tp 13 s, r 23 w, in Trego county, Kansas, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 6th day of August 1885, at 1 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 16, 1885.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Anna B. Morgan against William G. Meritt for abandoning his homestead entry no. 2405 and 4513, dated Nov. 14, 1878, and Nov. 29, 1879, upon the n 1/2 sw 1/4 and s 1/2 sw 1/4 sec 18, tp 14 s, r 24 w, in Trego county, Kan., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 8th day of August, 1885, at 1 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

ALIAS NOTICE.

No. 3903. Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., May 21, 1885.

Complaint having been entered at this office by John Alder against Frank Scheier for abandoning his homestead entry No. 6290, dated March 16, 1861, upon the ne 1-4 sec 2, tp 18 s, r 26 w, in Trego county, Kansas, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of July, 1885, at 1 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. W. H. PILKENTON, Receiver. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

No. 4359. Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 16, 1885.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Anna B. Morgan against LaFayette Meritt for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry no. 3383, dated Aug. 27, 1878, upon the n 1/2 sec 14, r 24 w, in Trego county, Kan., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of July, 1885, at 1 o'clock p. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. W. H. PILKENTON, Receiver. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

No. 4463. Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., July 3, 1885.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Volney Robinson against John Wolvorton for abandoning his homestead entry no. 3653, dated May 19, 1879, upon the se 1-4 sec 30, tp 15 s, r 22 w, in Trego county, Kansas, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 7th day of August, 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. W. H. PILKENTON, Receiver. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

No. 4464. Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., July 3, 1885.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Volney Robinson against Vincent T. Neal for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry no. 2058, dated Dec. 16, 1878, upon the w 1/2 sec 30, tp 15 s, range 22 w, in Trego county, Kansas, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 7th day of August, 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. W. H. PILKENTON, Receiver. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

No. 4396. Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 22, 1885.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Charles Harting against William T. Allen for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry No. 2683, dated April 21, 1879, upon the se 1/4 sec 34, tp 15 s, r 22 w, in Trego county, Kansas, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 7th day of August, 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. W. H. PILKENTON, Receiver. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

No. 4396. Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 22, 1885.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Charles Harting against William T. Allen for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry No. 2683, dated April 21, 1879, upon the se 1/4 sec 34, tp 15 s, r 22 w, in Trego county, Kansas, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 7th day of August, 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

B. J. F. HANNA, Register. W. H. PILKENTON, Receiver. A. H. Blair, Att'y.

No. 4439. Land Office at Wa-Keeney, Kan., June 22, 1885.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Carey A. Wallace