

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale at my residence on the Maxwell farm, 6 miles south of Leon, 3 miles north-east of Davis City, on

Monday, August 31, 1908

Commencing at 1 o'clock the following property:

52 Head of Stock 52

10 HEAD OF CATTLE Consisting of 3 cows, 3 one-year-old steers, 1 one-year-old bull, 3 spring calves.

41 HEAD OF HOGS Consisting of 12 head of shoats weighing 125 to 150 pounds, 29 head of spring pigs weighing 50 to 125 pounds.

1 HORSE Also 1 set of harness, 1 saddle, about 100 bushels good seed wheat, about 100 bushels of good seed oats, 6 or 7 dozen single comb Brown Leghorn hens.

TERMS:—9 months, 8 per cent per annum discount for cash.

J. W. WEIDNER

RILEY BUCHANAN, Auct. Clerk from Farmers Bank, Davis City

PUBLIC SALE

As I intend to spend the winter in the west I will offer at public sale at my farm in Bloomington township, 4 miles west and 2 miles north of Lamoni, and 6 miles southeast of Kellerton, on

Wednesday, Sept. 2, '08

Commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp the following property:

39 Cattle consisting of 9 milch cows, 2 with calf by side, some of these cows will be fresh by the first of January. 6 two-year-old spayed heifers, 2 one-year-old heifers, 5 steer calves, 8 head of two-year-old steers, 8 head of one-year-old steers, 1 registered Short Horn bull 4 years old.

25 Hogs 20 head of Poland-China shoats, 4 head Poland-China males, 1 Poland-China sow. Also 1 Brown corn planter with check row, 1 bob sled.

One driving team 6 years old, weight about 1000, will be sold if not sold before date of sale.

TERMS:—12 months, 6 per cent per annum discount for cash.

W. L. EDMONDSON

C. F. McWHINNEY and J. L. GOODING, Auctioneers.
Clerk from Farmers State Bank.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell at public sale at the residence of John Vance, known as the Village farm one-fourth mile north of Woodland, on

Friday, September 4, '08

Commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following property, to-wit:

6 Horses All high grade Shire mares, 1 brood mare eight years old, 1 span three-year-old fillies well matched and broke, 1 span two-year-old fillies, 1 suckling colt.

28 Cattle consisting of 9 milch cows, part thoroughbred Short Horn, eight cows with calves at side old enough to wean, 10 head of yearlings, 3 steers and 7 heifers, 1 thoroughbred Short Horn bull.

43 Hogs consisting of 7 brood sows, some to farrow soon, 2 thoroughbred Poland-China boars, 2 gilts, 32 head of shoats weighing from 24 to 100 pounds each. Also 60 tons of hay, 15 acres of corn in field, 60 acres of pasture, 3 wagons, 2 top buggies, 2 stirring plows, 1 breaking plow almost new, 2 two-section steel harrows, 1 hay loader almost new, 1 sulky rake, 1 sweep rake, 1 disc harrow, 1 mowing machine, 1 binder, some household and kitchen furniture and many other articles.

TERMS:—Made known on day of sale.

JOHN FENNEL,
Auctioneer

J. L. VANCE

Lunch by I. E. Merick

J. L. LENTZ

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RINGLING BROS. AT CRESTON.

World's Greatest Show to Exhibit There on Friday Sept. 4.

The people of Leon will have an opportunity on Friday Sept. 4th. of visiting Ringling Brothers' World's Greatest Shows, the point of exhibition being Creston, this season marks the twenty-fifth anniversary of this great circus, and the Ringling Brothers are celebrating the year by presenting the greatest European program ever offered, a parade that surpasses all those of the past, a new and complete menagerie, another brilliant spectacle, and the most astonishing and sensational "thriller" in all history.

The "thriller" is nothing less than a double somersault in mid-air made by a heavy automobile with Mile. La Belle Roche, a young French woman, at the wheel. The car dashes down a steep incline from the dome of the tent. An abrupt up-curved terminal hurls the car high above the heads of the audience, where it accomplishes two complete revolutions and then lands with a crash on a narrow speedway, exhausting its terrific momentum on the hippodrome track.

This is an act that defies English. It cannot be described, and when once seen, the picture of it will be carried in memory to the end of life. It is the first instance where a single automobile has turned two somersaults in space.

The world-wide character of this year's remarkable company can be seen at a glance. From France come the great St. Leon family of acrobats; the Patty Brothers, who walk, skip the rope and dance on their heads; Burgeois and Clara, the gymnasts; the wonderful Martell troupe of cyclists; the aerial Millettes, and Miss La Belle Roche, who does the dangerous automobile double somersault.

From Italy have come the great Bedmi family of riders and the Marnello-Marnitz quartet of acrobatic bellringers. In Germany were found Schadel, the great zebra rider; Margurite and Hanley, the gymnasts, and the Prosit trio and Horton and London, burlesque bar performers. Riccobono, the world's greatest trainer of animals, and his marvelous company of horses are from Russia, and the Mirza Golem acrobats are from the court of the Shah of Persia.

Wormwood and his trained bears; the Duttons and the Clarke Brothers, riders; the great aerial Clarkonians and the famous Jordan family are from England; Kerslake and his company of pigs that skip the rope and shoot the chutes are from New Zealand, and the eight Carnellos, acrobats; Alvarez, the aerialist; Do Marlo, the contortionist, and a company of burlesque bull fighters are from Spain.

Excellent Health Advice.

Mrs. M. M. Davison, of No. 379 Gifford Ave., San Jose, Cal., says: "The worth of Electric Bitters as a general family remedy, for headache, biliousness and torpor of the liver and bowels is so pronounced that I am prompted to say a word in its favor, for the benefit of those seeking relief from such afflictions. There is more health for the digestive organs in a bottle of Electric Bitters than in any other remedy I know of." Sold under guarantee at L. P. Van Werden's drug store. 50c.

Prof. Stevenson of Ames Visits Decatur County.

Prof. Stevenson who has charge of the soils department of the State Agricultural college at Ames was at Garden Grove last Friday being invited by some of the progressive farmers of this section to come and view the crop conditions in this part of the county at close range, more especially the clover fields.

In a conversation with Prof. Stevenson we learned that he was very favorably impressed with the progressive spirit among the farmers of this section and that he was very much surprised at the excellent crop conditions stating that the crops were much better here than any other part of the state he had visited.

Some time ago an article appeared in the American telling of the injustice that had been done the county in general by the results of some experiments with some soil taken to Ames from an experiment station which was established south east of Leon. The soil was of very poor quality and the bulletin that was published as a result would lead a stranger to believe that Decatur county was a desert. One statement in the bulletin was to the effect that clover could not be grown here successfully because of several things the soil lacked, and that there was but about 200 acres in the county in clover. These bulletins went all over the United States and we think were the cause of much adverse comment on the soil here.

Nearly every farmer who met Prof. Stevenson took him to task regarding the bulletin and it is quite likely he learned that the farmers here take notice of what the Agricultural College is doing and it is probable that the bulletin which is now under preparation regarding the soil in southern central Iowa will more nearly represent conditions.—Garden Grove Express.

A Boon to Elderly People.

Most elderly people have some kidney or bladder disorder that is both painful and dangerous. Foley's Kidney Remedy has proven a boon to many elderly people as it stimulates the urinary organs, corrects irregularities and tones up the whole system. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy at once and be vigorous. Bell & Robinson.

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It is a safe bet that the knocker is trying to hide some of his own shortcomings.

Constipation causes headache, nausea, dizziness, languor, heart palpitation. Drastic physics gripe, sicken, weaken the bowels and don't cure. Doan's Regulators act gently and cure constipation. 25 cents. Ask your druggist.

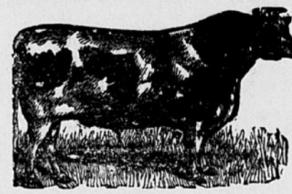
Don't boast of your virtues until you have taken an inventory of your vices.

PUBLIC SALE

We will sell at public sale at Frank Rakestraw's farm 1 1/2 mile north of Davis City

Wednesday, Sept. 2, '08

Commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

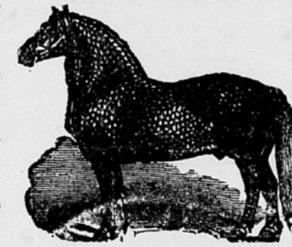


40 Head of Cattle

consisting of 10 first-class milch cows, 5 yearling heifers, 20 yearling steers, extra good ones, 1 yearling Red Poll Durham bull, 1 two-year-old Red Poll Durham bull, 3 calves.

92 Head of Hogs

consisting of 90 head of shoats weighing 40 to 100 pounds, 1 Poland-China male hog, 1 Duroc Jersey male hog.



4 Mules and Horses

consisting of 2 two-year-old mules, well matched, 1 three-year-old black mare, 1 good work horse.

200 HEAD OF SHEEP 150 head of breeding ewes, balance spring lambs

2 Hand Cream Separators both are in good condition

Lunch will be Served on Grounds

TERMS OF SALE: 9 months credit, 5 per cent discount for cash.

FRANK RAKESTRAW, DOW ASBACH

PARKER & WOODS, Auctioneers Clerk from Farmers Bank of Davis City

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