

For Representative (to fill vacancy) GEORGE HOCKNELL. For County Judge, H. M. ASHMORE. For County Clerk, CHARLES D. CRAMER. For County Treasurer, J. H. GOODRICH. For Sheriff, JOHN WELBORN. For Coroner, Dr. L. LEE JOHNSON. For Supt. Public Instruction, C. L. NETTLETON. For Surveyor, PAGE T. FRANCIS. For County Commissioner, S. L. GREEN.

THE star route from Niobrara to Ft. Randall, Dakota, has been discontinued. John R. Mizer was the lowest bidder for supplying service upon this route, and was awarded the contract, which was afterwards annulled because of some technical imperfections.

It is said by the officers of the post office department that the new postal notes are proving a great convenience to lottery companies, and to many firms and corporations throughout the country which have been black-listed by the department and denied the privileges of the money order and registry systems.

THE statue of Germany recently unveiled with such imposing ceremonies well expresses the present condition of Europe. Germany is dominant; the German emperor is virtually the dictator of Europe; neither king nor pope nor president dares stir without his consent.

JOSEPH NIMMO, JR., chief of the bureau of statistics, treasury department, has issued an advance statement of immigration into the United States during the month of August, 1883, and the two months ended the date, as compared with the immigration during the same periods of 1882.

THE COUNTY FAIR!

A Success Both in the Number of Exhibits and Attendants. Red Willow County Does Herself Great Credit in Her Second Annual Exhibition.

The county fair, held at Indianola, last week, was a success in the excellence of its exhibits and number of its exhibitors and number of its attendance. The inclement weather of the early part of the week kept a number of persons at home who would both have attended the fair, and who would have taken with them something for exhibition, but notwithstanding this militating influence there was a creditable exhibit, and a good attendance. The fair was held on grounds leased for that purpose adjoining Indianola on the west, and which had been enclosed by a wire fence.

THE EXHIBITS. The first thing that attracted the attention of the stranger was the display of vegetables, and in this Red Willow county is certainly entitled to respect. Larger vegetables of the root order never were grown in any land. Here were monstrosities in the way of beets grown by G. A. Hunter that beat anything ever before exhibited; cabbages and squash grown by Wm. Windhurst that were all a man wanted to lift; cauliflower from the ranch of J. A. Taylor on Red Willow creek that were wonders; turnips exhibited by S. W. Stilgebauer, the size of which excited awe, and onions, watermelons, sweet potatoes, pumpkins and other vegetables that were not only of extraordinary size, but of equally remarkable quality.

B. B. Duckworth exhibited two varieties of corn, yellow and calico, that demonstrated what good farming would produce, and there was also exhibited a sample of white corn that would be a credit to many an eastern state. There was on exhibition also several samples of wheat, winter and spring, that spoke well for the parties who raised them.

Hayden & McCartney of Indianola, had a handsome case of notions from their store at that place, and Mrs. R. H. Hamilton a fine display of millinery goods; both of which were much admired. There was entered in the domestic department a number of varieties of jelly, nice looking bread, and choice dairy butter.

A sample of sorghum molasses, made on Red Willow Creek, was one of the exhibits not expected to be found in a county so far west. STOCK. A number of fine horses, mares and colts were entered. Amongst which were Pat. McKillip's Norman horse-Hendrick's Messenger, a fine sucking colt owned by H. S. West, and a large brood mare and three grown up colts by her side, entered by John Long-necker.

In cattle H. S. West entered several head of Poled Angus; George A. Hunter a thorough-bred Durham cow; W. H. Dolan a herd of high grade Shorthorns, and J. F. Helm sixteen head of graded Shorthorns and Herefords that attracted particular attention. There were eight pens of hogs containing Chester Whites, Berkshires, and other breeds. A seven month's old Duroc Red boar seemed to attract the greatest attention of the hog-fanciers. Goodrich and Barber exhibited a pen of fine sheep, and J. F. Black a large Southdown ram.

The crowd was well entertained by the delightful music of the McCook L. G. Band, the horse racing, the flying horse, a base ball game, the G. A. R. drill and parade, the consumption of water melons, and speeches made by Royal Buck, C. L. Nettleton, R. H. Criswell and a gentleman from Chicago. All seemed to be having a good time, and not an unpleasant occurrence was reported during the entire fair.

THE G. A. R. elected R. H. Criswell, Colonel, and E. P. McCormick, Lt. Colonel for the ensuing year. Everybody envied the band when it got the free ride on the flying horse. A McCook "blood" put up one dollar and took down six on the horse race. Red Willow county's dude with his solid girl took in the fair.

Additional Locals.

VALLEY GRANGE ITEMS. Charles Bewles and family took in the fair, last week. N. Burtless was up on the Willow, last week. Chas. Lathrop, Ed. Wheaton's cousin, arrived on Thursday. A. E. Jacobs has bought a couple yearling heifers. Mr. Thomas and partner, from Texas, with about 100 head of horses, will take their winter quarters at K. Davis' ranch on Driftwood. John A. Davis is about to move on his old homestead. We notice that H. H. Piekens has a shingle roof on his new sod house. J. S. Newcome rides in a new Studebaker wagon. Rather breezy the past few days. Mrs. N. Burtless is looking for friends from Colorado to spend the winter.

We Accept the Amendment. The extraordinary growth of McCook in the last year has excited the envy of her neighboring cities, and the Hastings Gazette-Journal lets off some of its spleen by stating in its last Saturday issue that "McCook comes out and claims the title of the 'Magic City of the West.'" So gross a statement little becomes a reputable paper.—McCook TRIBUNE. That was a mistake of the type setter, and should have read as it was written. "Magic City of the West." Hastings and the Gazette-Journal have nothing but friendly feelings towards McCook.—Hastings Gazette-Journal.

A People's Convention. A People's Convention will be held at the Court House, on Saturday, Oct. 13, at 1 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices. One representative, one county judge, one county clerk, one supt. public instruction, one coroner, one surveyor, one county commissioner, one county treasurer and one sheriff. A general invitation is extended to all to attend. MANY VOTERS.

SPECIAL NOTICE. We will continue to send the TRIBUNE to all persons whose names appear on Mr. Israel's subscription list. If there be anyone who desires to discontinue the paper, he will notify us at once, otherwise he will be held liable for the paper sent to his address.

NOTICE. All monies due the TRIBUNE for subscription come by the terms of the sale to me. Parties who know themselves to be in arrears for subscription will be warmly received at any time, if they come cash in hand. A. B. COFFROTH, Publisher.

A CARD. To the Voters of Red Willow County: It is generally known throughout the county that I was coming out for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. Before the primaries were held, I was called to the sick-bed of one, and the death-bed of another near and dear relative in another state; and consequently had to abandon my political stock in the convention. But, because I obeyed the dictates of manhood and the call of duty, I do not believe I have forfeited any political rights, and I propose to trust to the judgment of my fellow-citizens in regard to whatever claims I may have for the office. I therefore announce myself an independent candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Red Willow county. GEORGE A. HUNTER.

A CARD. To the Voters of Red Willow County: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Clerk of Red Willow County, subject to the decision of the People's Convention to be held at Indianola, October 13th, 1883. Having served as County Commissioner for six years, I believe I understand the duties of County Clerk and can give general satisfaction. S. W. STILGEBAUER.

NOTICES OF COMPLAINT. U. S. Land Office McCook, Neb., Oct. 8th 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by Leonard B. Stiles against Benjamin F. Hoyt, for abandoning his homestead entry No. 1862, dated at North Platte, Neb., Jan. 2d, 1880, upon the southeast quarter, section 14, township 3, north, range 3, west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 14th day of November, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. Land Office McCook, Neb., October 2d, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by Isaac N. Hoback against William A. Wallin for abandoning his homestead entry No. 1866, dated at North Platte, Neb., June 25, 1879, upon the northwest 1/4 section 10, township 3, north, range 2, west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 14th day of November, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. Land Office McCook, Neb., October 2d, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by James Barrett against William Brown, for abandoning his homestead entry No. 2469, dated at North Platte, Neb., June 28, 1880, upon the southeast 1/4 section 12, township 3, north, range 3, west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 27th day of October, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. Land Office McCook, Neb., July 25, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by Frederick R. Wilkes against George D. Baird for failure to comply with law as to e-entry No. 1447 dated at North Platte, Neb., March 20, 1878, upon the southeast 1/4 section 29, township 2, north, range 3, west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 27th day of October, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. Land Office McCook, Neb., July 25, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by Frederick R. Wilkes against George D. Baird for failure to comply with law as to e-entry No. 548 dated at North Platte, Neb., April 10, 1879, upon the southeast 1/4 section 31, north, range 2, west, in Red Willow county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 27th day of October, 1883, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

FINAL PROOF NOTICES. Land Office at McCook, Neb., Oct. 10, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Wednesday, November 21, 1883, viz: Frederick K. Vondres, homestead 3310, for the southwest 1/4 section 15, township 3, north, range 2, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Black, Montgomery Doyle, Oliver P. Fairbanks, and Robert Walker, all of Thonroutz, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Land Office at McCook, Neb., Oct. 10, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Monday, October 15, 1883, viz: Dennis McKillip, U. S. No. 327, for the northwest 1/4 section 2, north, range 3, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Black, Montgomery Doyle, Oliver P. Fairbanks, and Robert Walker, all of Thonroutz, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Land Office at McCook, Neb., Oct. 6, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Friday, November 10th, 1883, viz: Asa T. Smith, homestead entry 2235, for the north 1/2 northeast 1/4 and north 1/2 northwest 1/4, section 25, township 2, north, range 3, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Joseph Williams, Rodney Foster, Thomas and Charles A. Smith, all of Valiton, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Land Office at McCook, Neb., Sept. 26, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Friday, Nov. 2, 1883, viz: William Johnson, homestead No. 1522 for the northwest 1/4 section 33, township 4, north of range 2, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John S. Medrelle, Thomas Ruzhick, Thomas Roles of McCook, Neb., and H. W. Johnson of Arapahoe, Neb. 17-61. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Land Office at McCook, Neb., Sept. 26, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Friday, Nov. 2d, 1883, viz: Laura Phillips, homestead No. 3545, for the west 1/2 northwest 1/4 and north 1/4 southwest 1/4 section 25, township 3, north of range 3, west. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Mary E. Orme, Minnie Bates, William Orme and C. E. McPherson, all of McCook, Neb. 17-61. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Land Office at McCook, Neb., Sept. 15, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Monday, October 22d, 1883, viz: John E. Fair, homestead No. 1494, for the W. 1/2 S. W. 1/4 S. W. 1/4, and lot 4, section 4, township 2, north, range 2, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: A. Jones, Perry Jones, Annie Kendall, and S. B. Boggs, all of McCook, Neb. 16-61. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Land Office at McCook, Neb., Sept. 12, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Friday, Nov. 3, 1883, viz: Gottlieb P. Weick, who made homestead application No. 842, for the N. W. 1/4 section 22, township 3, north, range 3, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Adolph Bieschuck, George White, William Coleman and Charles Woodbright, all of McCook, Neb. 16-61. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Land Office at McCook, Neb., Sept. 18, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Friday, Oct. 27, 1883, viz: James Shepherd, homestead 70 for the southeast 1/4 section 25, township 2, north, range 3, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: David J. Osborn of Osborn, Neb., James Spaulding and Daniel Doyle of Box Elder, Neb., and John E. Walters of McCook, Neb. 16-61. G. L. LAWS, Register.

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Land Office at McCook, Neb., Sept. 10, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, October 20th, 1883, viz: Austin Everist, D. S. No. 3266 for the N. E. 1/4 S. E. 1/4 Sec. 34, and N. 1/2 S. W. 1/4, and N. W. 1/4 S. E. 1/4 Section 28, Township 2, north, range 3, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John Crates, John Matson, Charles A. Smith and Mills, all of Driftwood, Neb. 15-61. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Land Office at McCook, Neb., Sept. 12, 1883. 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 at McCook, Nebraska, on Saturday, November 10th, 1883, viz: George P. Weick, who made homestead application, No. 844, for the N. E. 1/4 section 21, township 3, north, range 3, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Adolph Bieschuck, George White, William Coleman and Charles Woodbright, all of McCook, Neb. 16-61. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Land Office at McCook, Neb., Sept. 29th, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Friday Nov. 2d, 1883, viz: Wallace S. Tennhill, D. S. No. 77 for the southeast 1/4 northwest 1/4 and 2 and 3, section 28, township 3, north, range 3, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Adolph Bieschuck, George P. Weick, Michael Weick and Phillip Weick, all of McCook, Neb. 17-61. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Land Office at McCook, Neb., Sept. 4, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Monday, October 15, 1883, viz: Dennis McKillip, U. S. No. 327, for the northwest 1/4 section 2, north, range 3, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Black, Montgomery Doyle, Oliver P. Fairbanks, and Robert Walker, all of Thonroutz, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

Land Office at McCook, Neb., Aug. 20th, 1883. 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 at McCook, Neb., on Monday, October 15, 1883, viz: Andie S. Kendall No. 504 for the southeast 1/4 section 14, township 2, north, range 2, west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: A. Jones and Jesse H. Kiglers, McCook, Neb., and John E. Fair and Charles H. Smith of Indianola, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.