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THE COMMENCEMENT.

The commencement exercises of the city high schools will be held tomorrow evening, in the north side opera house. It will be the tenth annual commencement in the history of the school, in which time the school has graduated twenty-seven young men and 33 young ladies. This year the list is increased by seven young ladies, making sixty-seven in the ten years. Those graduating at this time are Lena Caywood, Madge Kay, Winnie Joyner, Verda Thorpe, Irene Reynolds, Madge Potts, Nannie Barrett.

PROGRAM.

The following is the program of the exercises:

Instrumental Duet, Little Bronzer, Mrs. Hubba d
Invocation.....Rev. Megan
Vocal Solo.....Dane Holcomb
"Will-o'-the-Wisp".....Lena Caywood
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. G. G. Mayer
"Night Breeze Out the Stars".....Madge Kay
"Trills".....Winnie Joyner
Vocal Duet.....Marie Barrett, Nannie Barrett
"Counted".....Verda Thorpe
"The Master Touch".....Irene Reynolds
Vocal Solo.....Mr. B. W. Blair
"Chains".....Madge Potts
"Life's Deep Stream".....Nannie Barrett
Coronet Solo.....Mr. F. E. Taylor
Presentation of Diplomas.....A. E. Humphrey,
President Board of Education.
Benediction.....Rev. W. H. D. Hornaday

U. S. MUSTERING OFFICER COMING.

Grand Island, May 24th.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:

On or about Wednesday, May 31st, 1899, the U. S. government will send to Broken Bow an officer of the U. S. army for the purpose of giving an opportunity to those desiring to enlist for service in the regular infantry; term of service will be for three years, and recruits will be taken for cavalry, artillery and infantry. Those desiring to enter the army and not go to the Philippine islands will be accommodated and sent to Porto Rico, or held in the U. S., as they may elect. Posters giving further information may be seen in the post office. Each applicant must provide himself with two letters as to his character. The office will be open for two days only. This is the first opportunity that has been given for would-be soldiers in Broken Bow to enlist in the regular army, and it is expected by the recruiting officer that a large number will take advantage of the chance to don the uniform of Uncle Sam. The office will be in Grand Central hotel.

WARREN DEAN,
2d Lieut, 6th Cavalry,

THE COUNTY COURT.

Judge Armour has been doing a land office business the past week in the law business. Monday he disposed of five cases of more or less importance. On Monday was the case of Ralph Drake against W. J. Willet and wife, on a writ of ouster. Drake claimed to have bought the land of the defendant's for six hundred dollars, and had given the parties a verbal lease on the farm until spring. After giving the deed, which was a matter of record, W. J. Willet had given his wife a deed, which raised the question of right of title, a question which was not within the jurisdiction of the court. In order to dispose of it, the court held the defendants not guilty. It will be appealed to the district court.

The case of Solomon F. Garris, who was arrested for setting out prairie fire, came up for hearing before Judge Armour Monday. The defendant pleaded guilty, and was fined twenty-five dollars and costs.

Prof. Soffeld, the "magnetic healer," who had formerly been bound over to appear before the district court, was again arrested the first of the week at Angelmo and brought before the county

judge for trial. He waived examination, and was required to give a second bond for his appearance, which he did.

The following cases were disposed of in Justice J. J. Snyder's court the past week:

In the case of the state against Wm. Athey on peace warrant, on complaint of J. H. Henry, the defendant was discharged because complaining witness failed to appear.

In the case of the state against Charles Drake, on the charge of petty larceny, by Isaac D. Wickham, the matter was compromised by the parties, and the case dismissed by the county attorney.

The case of the state against Earl Martin and Joseph Martin, on complaint of Ernest Booth, was on a peace warrant. The case was hotly contested on both sides. The defendants were recognized in the sum of \$100.00, to appear before the district court on first of next term, and to keep the peace in the mean time.

A case came up for hearing yesterday, in Justice Snyder's court, between Charles Willis and Ernest Sholtz. It was for the sum of \$16.00, a difference between the plaintiff and defendant over a four acre field of corn, which the defendant's stock had destroyed. A compromise was effected by the defendant paying the sum sued for and the costs, except half the cost of the witnesses. The costs amounted to about \$30.00.

JUSTICE MOORE'S COURT.

A case of the State vs. S. B. McClintick, of Ansley, on complaint of Wickham and Ramsey, was had before Justice Moore Tuesday, and the defendant bound over in the sum of \$250.

Central Nebraska Summer School.

Broken Bow, Nebraska, June 12 to July 31, 1899. Tuition, \$5.00. Announcement mailed you on application to B. E. Hawthorne, Merna, Neb.

G. A. R. MEMORIAL SERVICES.

The memorial services of the G. A. R. Post of this city will be held in the M. E. church next Sunday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. J. W. Megan will preach the sermon.

Memorial Services.

C. C. Washburn Post Grand Army of the Republic will observe Memorial Day, May 30th at Broken Bow in accordance with the rules and regulations and in obedience to general orders.

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

The procession will be formed by the marshal of the day on Broadway, north of Realty block at 10 a. m., and will march to the cemetery. The graves will be decorated with flowers and the customary exercises will be observed by the post. We will also offer flowers in memory of the Spanish-American war and of the war in the far off Philippine Islands. At 2 p. m. an address will be delivered by the Hon. W. R. Akres at the North Side opera house.

Invitations are cordially extended to C. C. Washburn Woman's Relief Corps, and to all the old comrades of the civil war, and of the Spanish-American war, and of the Philippines; to the mayor and members of the city council, and to all civic societies; the Broken Bow fire company, the teachers and pupils of the public schools, and to all citizens in general.

Every loyal heart should beat in sympathy with us in the observance of the exercises of this day—the day of all days of the year—most sacred to the old soldiers.

We esteem it a great privilege to make our offering of flowers—meet together, mingle our tears, and speak words of love and comfort above the holy dust of our departed comrades.

W. H. Russell, John Reese,
Adjutant, Commander,

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION.

To the citizens of Broken Bow:

Be it known, in accordance with general orders, rules and regulations of the Grand Army of the Republic that Memorial Day, May 30th, will be observed with exercises appropriate for the occasion. The fact that the names of departed heroes are kept in sacred remembrance, inspires the mind and heart of the people with love of country and patriotism to our flag. We call attention to the fact that the courage and patriotism of America's soldiers and citizens has again been exhibited to the world, and we deem it fitting that this memorial day be observed by all with special consideration, and as mayet of the city of Broken Bow, I would earnestly request that all stores and places of business be closed on Tuesday, May 30th from the hour of 10 a. m. to 12 m. and from 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. and that all persons attend the exercises and ceremonies of the day.

Given under my hand this 24th day of May, 1899.

E. ROYSE,

MAYOR.

Fresh vegetables and fruits for sale at J. N. Peale's.

Program for Memorial Day.

To be observed at Merna, Neb., May 30th, 1899:

Music by Band.....
Instrumental Music.....
"Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Joyner
"Brave Boys Sleep On,"
Quartet—Miss Taylor, Mrs. R. P. Stanford, Messrs. Browning and Luce.

Remarks by Commander.....
Solo—"Just as the Sun Went Down,".....Mrs. R. P. Stanford
Reading of Orders by Adjutant.....
Instrumental Music.....
"Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Joyner
Solo—"The Hero of Manila,".....
.....B. C. Browning
Ritual Service.....
Music by Cornet Band.....
Address by Hon. F. M. Currie.....
Quartet—"Nameless Unknown,"
Miss Taylor, Mrs. R. P. Stanford, Messrs. Browning, Luce
Recess.

1:30 p. m.—Parade will form with team, and under direction of Officer of Day I. A. Colman, will drive to Merna Cemetery, where graves of comrades will be decorated by school children; then to the Dale cemetery, where the Post will decorate.

4:30—Parade will break ranks.
By Order of Committee.

Alba Haywood Co; will be here May 31st.

Tickets are now on sale for Haywood opera.

At the meeting of the city council last night Dr. R. C. Talbot was appointed city physician.

Ed Royse has bought a controlling interest in the abstract books of the Broken Bow Abstract Co. Mr. Royse expects to take charge of the books soon. In the mean time Miss Robertson will continue in charge.

The attention of the readers of the REPUBLICAN is called to the new advertisements of the Racket store George Willing, Penn & Dorris, J. C. Bowen, and Wilson & Drake this week. They are making special offers in their lines.

Following is the list of dead let-

ters for the week ending May 23d: Beager, Mr. Lewis; Bragg, Mary; Burke, Mr. Will J.; Chambers, J. S.; Edlund, Artificer Gustav E.; Froud, Mrs. Mary; Ingram, Mr. W. B.; Keller, Mrs. Flora; Ollson, Mrs. Odr; Reynolds, Miss Jennie; Sperry, Mr. Chas; Seagler, Chas E.; Wilson, Miss Nina Parties calling for any of the above will please say advertised.

L. H. JEWETT, P. M.

While you've been busy puttin' in your crop, we've been busy too, and we've 'ill show you's some farms cheap, if you's 'll just come over. 160 acres, 4 miles from Broken Bow; good soil; rolling land; 60 acres in wheat and 20 acres in oats. Land and crop for \$800.

160 acres 7 miles from Broken Bow; 50 acres cultivated; good soil; rolling land; \$600. 320 acres; 6 miles from Broken Bow; 80 acres in cultivation; a fine stock farm, at \$5.00 per acre. A school section and two deeded quarters all under fence; 500 barrel cistern well and etc.; price upon application. Then we have 160 acre tracts as cheap as \$250; 120 acre tract at \$200.

Your, Willis Cadwell.

Misses Beale and Alexander will conduct a Summer School for primary and intermediate grades beginning June 12th and continuing six weeks. The above teachers have established their reputation as the most successful teachers in the county. Parents wishing to send their children a short time during the summer cannot find a better place than this will afford. Any grades made in the school will be accepted by the Broken Bow schools, this giving pupils the opportunity to make up work. Tuition will be very low. Call on the above teachers or Supt. Adamson for further information.

Young People's Christian Union.

The following program will be given by the Young People's Christian Union, of Broken Bow, in the Baptist church, on May 28th, at 6:30 o'clock p. m.:

PROGRAM.

Song.....
Prayer.....
Song.....
Address by the President.....
Quartet—A. L. Bockhacker, Ramah Ryerson, Maurice Ryerson, Peter Ryerson.
Recitation.....Maude Farrell
Address—Our Duty to Our Country.....Mr. H. Lomax
Duet.....Mrs. Hadden, Mrs. Day
Paper—Memorial Day.....
.....Miss Bailey
Song.....
Address—Christian Influence in the Spanish American War.....
.....Mr. J. N. Carress
Song.....
Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

City Estimate of Expenses.

Be it remembered, that at a regular meeting of the city council of the city of Broken Bow, the following proceeding relating to the matter of municipal expenses for the current year, 1899, was had and done, to wit: Be it resolved, by the mayor and city council of the city of Broken Bow, that we estimate the probable amount of money necessary to be raised by taxation for all purposes to defray the expenses of said city of Broken Bow for the ensuing fiscal year, beginning on the first Tuesday in May, 1899, as follows:

Street and bridge fund.....\$3,000
Water works.....3,750
Office fund.....1,500
General fund.....1,750
Judgment fund.....750
Electric light fund.....600
R. D. P. C. KETT, Mayor.

C. P. Russell & Co., Real Estate Dealers.

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Rye Flour and Graham, ground on stone burr. All kinds of grinding done for toll or exchange, to suit customer. Agent for condensed Cibus Stock Food.

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The J. G. Maulick property, south of the south side school house, and the J. S. Kirkpatrick property, three block from public square; also a good bicycle for sale. Enquire of J. C. MAULICK.

J. J. SNYDER,

- Notary Public, -

and Justice of the Peace. Special attention given to collections. Depositions taken, pension vouchers neatly executed, and all kinds of legal papers written. Office west side square, Broken Bow, Neb.

Dr. W. T. Powers,

Berwyn, Nebraska.

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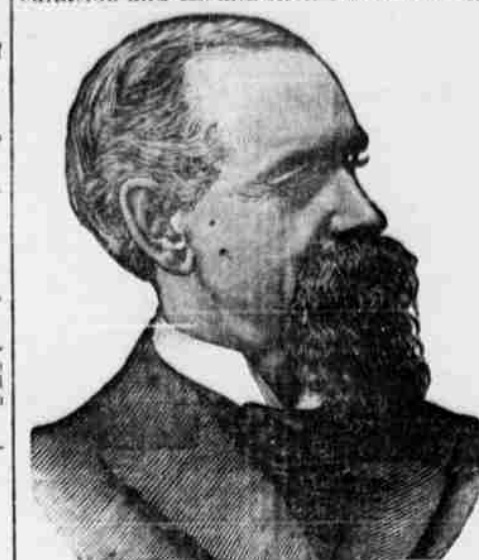
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of consulting one of the leading physicians and surgeons (in the treatment of chronic and nervous diseases) of this country,

DR. REA.

He is well known in Nebraska, and is reliable as well as eminent in his profession, and has but few superiors in his line of business, and from reports of the press, his rooms are crowded wherever he stops. By the request of his many friends and patients who have usually gone a long distance to see him, he

has decided to visit BROKEN BOW and will be at the GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL on WEDNESDAY, June 14th, 1899—one day only, returning every four weeks for six months. Consultation and examination FREE to all.



DR. REA.

His TREATMENTS and examinations we understand are based upon new methods, and are similar to those given in the Eastern and Southern hospitals, where he learned his business.

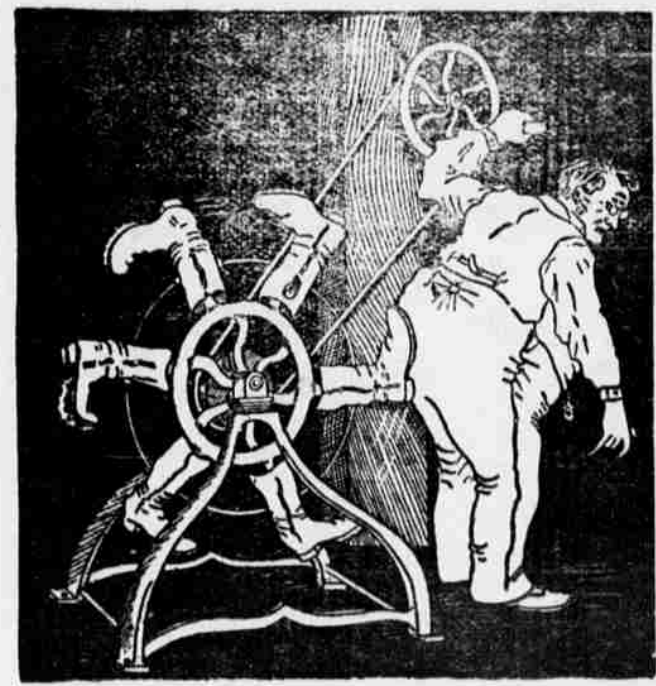
He treats chronic and nervous diseases chronic catarrh, diseases of the ear, nose throat and lungs, dyspepsia, Bright's disease, diabetes, liver stomach, constipation, rheumatism, chronic female and sexual diseases, neuralgia, sciatica, dizziness, nervousness, slow growth in children and all wasting diseases in adults deformities club feet, curvature of the spine, diseases of the brain, paralysis, heart disease, eczema, varicose and hydrocele. Cancers, tumors, wens and birthmarks removed.

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Suites.....\$12.00 to \$25.00
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Side Boards.....\$14.00 to \$25.00
Iron Beds.....\$3.50 to \$15.00
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Yours for business,

H. B. CARTER.