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Local Mention.

Job printing at this office.
Cannon City coal at Dierks Lumber Co.

Now is the time to renew your subscription to the REPUBLICAN.

W. M. Scott, of Brewster, made this office a friendly call Friday.

The choice of thirty nice calves for sale. J. P. McRill, Merna, 4 3t

Come out to the school benefit entertainment Saturday evening.

The REPUBLICAN and both the Illustrated and Weekly Bee for \$2 45.

A farmers institute will be held at Ansley on February 1st and 2d.

John and Mrs. Campbell, of Weissert, were city visitors Saturday.

Geo. and Mrs. Reynolds, of Weissert, were city visitors Saturday.

J. A. Harris went to Omaha Tuesday, returning Wednesday night.

Found—a silk muffler, which the owner can get at this office by paying for this notice.

Shoemaker's kit, including machine, good as new, at a bargain. A. W. DRAKE.

The REPUBLICAN and Inter Ocean for \$1 50. The REPUBLICAN and State Journal for \$1 85.

I have two 1,400 pound mares in foal to trade for cows or cash. NELS LEE, Broken Bow.

Fresh homemade bread for sale at Farmer's Restaurant, third door north of post office, Broken Bow, Neb.

Newest and noblest patterns of centre tables, at A. W. Drake's. Six different styles; prices to suit everyone.

For suits, iron and wood beds, rockers, cots, springs, tables, stands, etc., call on A. W. Drake, west side square.

C. W. Busic, of Ansley, an early settler of the vicinity of Westerville, died Tuesday of last week after but three days sickness.

One of Omaha's dealers in furniture was sold out last week. A. W. Drake was on the ground and secured a big lot of their bargains for his trade here.

Do you want to buy acre property adjoining Broken Bow? I am offering choice from four different tracts of land. In quantities from five acres up to 440 acres. WILLIS CADWELL.

H. L. Frazier, Photographer, west side square, Broken Bow, Neb.

A farmers institute will be held, at Merna, Tuesday and Wednesday January 30 and 31.

Bert Sims, who has been visiting at Walnut, Iowa, for several months returned here Tuesday night.

Mrs. S. P. Barrett was a city visitor Thursday of last week. This office acknowledges a friendly call.

Remember the scientific entertainment at the M. E. church Saturday and Monday evenings. See posters.

Fred Rinne, grand district deputy went to Ansley yesterday to install the officers of the I. O. O. F., at that place last night.

W. G. Purcell and wife attended the meetings of the Nebraska Association at Lincoln, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

The entertainment given by Dr. E. B. Swift on Saturday and Monday evenings, at the M. E. church, will be an interesting program.

Mrs. Sarah Edmisten, of Lomax, was in the city Monday making final proof on her homestead. She was accompanied by her son, Marion.

The county fair organization has we think wisely fixed the date of the fair earlier this season than last. The dates are September 11, 12, 13 and 14 of September.

FOR SALE—Twenty acre farm one mile of Broken Bow; buildings; good well. Enquire at this office. Or will trade for city property.

Fine Plymouth Rock cookstoves for sale. Three miles north and one mile east of Walworth bridge. G. GUYLE, Walworth.

Farms for sale and lands for rent. Now is the time to get a farm cheap, as the cheap farms are all going and prices are commencing to advance rapidly. J. G. Brenizer.

Rev. Geo. G. Burns, pastor of the Presbyterian church, and Rev. J. W. Megan, pastor of the Baptist church, exchanged pulpits last Sunday morning. Both congregations report having been favored with able sermons.

R. D. Campbell, of Weissert, was a city visitor Saturday. He came in to close up a deal with Geo. Reynolds for the Reynolds farm on the west edge of Dry Valley. The farm joins John Campbell's farm, his father, on the north.

A. Somers, of Merna, made this office a friendly call Saturday. He was looking after the interests of a census enumerator for his precinct. He favors C. W. Chaffin, editor of the Sun, for appointment, which we think is the proper thing, and hope to see Mr. Chaffin get it.

There will be preaching in the Baptist church Sunday, Jan. 28th, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; subject of morning sermon, "The Scriptural Act of Baptism," and at the close of the morning sermon the ordinance of baptism will be administered. J. W. MEGAN, Pastor.

S. S. Hayman, state manager of the M. B. A., and James Coener, deputy took applications for thirty six new members for the M. B. A., lodge at Merna, last week and this week preceding.—The lodge gave a banquet Wednesday night of last week, at which a good time is reported.

Col. W. F. Cody, (Buffalo Bill) who went through here last week on his way to his ranch on Big Horn Basin, expects to stop here with a bunch of his horses and will spend a day or two in the city with friends. He has promised to bring his Wild West Show here for a date next September.

The M. B. A. lodge of this place will give a banquet Saturday night, at which the members, their families and a few invited guests will be present. A literary program, consisting of speeches, recitations and music will be rendered. A number of new members will be initiated earlier in the evening. The guests will be admitted about 8 o'clock.

HORSES AND MULES WANTED—I will be at the Globe Livery Barn in Broken Bow, Tuesday, January 30, to buy horses and mules. I will pay good prices for both—bring good sound horses from two to seven years old—prefer draft horses—will buy small horses if in good condition. Want good mules. Remember the date. W. I. Stephens, of South Omaha, Nebraska.

The revival meetings at the U. B. church will continue this week.

Jacob C. Click, fifteen year old boy of Ansley, who was arrested last week for breaking into the Dierks lumber office at Ansley to rob the money drawer was sentenced Tuesday, to the Reform school, by Judge Armour.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents, W. W. Tooley, on Wednesday, January 24th, by J. W. Megan, John W. Varner and Miss Effie E. Tooley. The Republican extends congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Varner and wishes them a long, happy and prosperous future to gather.

C. C. Coffman, wife and two children of Ute, Iowa, who have been visiting in the vicinity of Ansley and Mason City the past week, with relatives and old time friends. They left yesterday morning for Oregon where they have a son, but will stop at Pueblo Colorado on their way to visit a daughter.

Jack Woods returned Saturday evening from Norfolk, where he took McLean to the asylum. A brother of the unfortunate man, who is a banker at Friend, was up Saturday looking after the affairs of his brother. It is the fourth time that McLean has had to be sent to the asylum in the past few years. He has one child, a girl, and has been married twice.

DIED—On Jan. 17th, 1900, at 11 p. m., Mabel, aged four months and five days the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stevenson, who reside six miles northwest of West Union. Little Mabel had been sick only about a week, when she was suddenly called from among us. Her remains were laid to rest in the West Union cemetery. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the community.

Little Mabel, thou hast left us,
Here thy loss we deeply feel;
But 'tis God who hath bereft us,
He can all our sorrows heal.

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Baking Powder
Made from pure cream of tartar.
Safeguards the food against alum.
Alum baking powders are the greatest menaces to health of the present day.
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Myo.
Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Donnel acknowledge a pleasant visit from Mr. and Mrs. P. M. McNally, of Etna, Neb.

Continued fine weather; warm and clear; barely freezing at night; cattle subsisting on the range, saving the cattlemen many dollars. J. H. Smith informs us that the cattle under his care are thriving on the range, and are in fine condition. I will not predict when the ending of this fine weather will come, judging the future by the past. I fear we will have winter in the spring.

When I look at the calendar I see its the latter part of January. Judging from the weather it seems like October.

Married, on Dec. 24th, 1899, at bride's parents near Etna, Neb., Mr. P. M. McNally to Miss Anna McClebben, James Chittick, J. P., officiating. Both of the contracting parties are well and favorably known in their community, and start on their voyage of married life with the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McCall, Miss Scott, George Headley, Andrew Horn and R. V. McCall spent last Saturday evening at J. H. Smith's.

Round Valley.

Last Sunday night was held a big social gathering at Ole Johnson's house with all relatives and friends were invited to indulge in a fine supper and other refreshments. Mr. Johnson has built one of the largest farm residences in the county this fall, and a couple of weeks ago moved in the same.

Oscar Englesjerd came back last week from Omaha, where he marketed a car load of steers of his own raising, and he bought in Omaha a car load of lumber to build himself a house this spring. It is to be like Mr. Johnson's house, except four feet wider. Oscar made a big bargain in Omaha and saved on lumber and hardware about \$300. All of Oscar's neighbors turned out and hauled his lumber home last week from Sargent, so he got it all home in two days. There is business about the Englesjerd.

If any doubt the McKinley wave of prosperity let them make a trip to Round Valley, and then open their eyes and mind, and they will be convinced if they are not of the class that will howl calamity, even if they reach Paradise.

J. O. Taylor and family, of Berwyn, are visiting relatives and old friends in Round Valley.

The report comes from Minnesota that G. T. Lee's wife died Jan. 31. They were among the pioneers of Custer Co., and moved back to Minnesota last spring on account of Mrs. Lee's poor health.

Julius Johnson has rented N. K. Lee's farm for next year.

Julius Ottun is doing big business at Plughtight.

Henry Helgeson is tanning coyote and dog skins now days.

Ole Olsen is doing fine with his flock of sheep. He will surely see the McKinley wave when he ships his wool next spring.

M. J. Gunn shipped 877 pounds of wool to St. Louis in December, and got just double for it what he got three years ago.

Henry Helgeson is now hauling his hay in his new barn he has just finished.

T. T. Olsen had a surprise party last week.

There is to be a shooting match every next day at Plughtight.

Most of the young men of Round Valley have bought bugles, for what purpose they can best tell.

Soms have lost their dogs in the valley but others may have lost sheep.

The case against Ed. Penn, who was arrested last week, on information by R. M. Dickson for not returning a livery team was dismissed Saturday in Judge Snyder's court, on motion of county attorney Kirkpatrick without trial. It appears Ed. had left the team at Anselmo as security for five dollars he had borrowed and as the matter had been adjourned the case was dismissed.

NOTICE.

The First National Bank of Broken Bow, located at Broken Bow, in the State of Nebraska, is closing up its affairs. All note holders and others, creditors of said association, are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims against the association for payment. Dated Oct. 23, 1899. 1-11. H. G. ROGERS, Cashier.

Cattle For Sale.

One thousand head of one, two and three year old steers also eight hundred head of stock cattle. For particulars enquire of W. C. Gregory, of.

after wishing Mr. and Mrs. Bready health, wealth and prosperity in their new home, they separated and said good bye. A FRIEND.

The Broken Bow Dairy Company.

Monday forenoon the subscribers to the fund to put a cream separator in Broken Bow met in the Woodman Hall in this city to effect an organization. Art Gentsler, agent for the Beatrice Creamery Co., reported that stock to the amount of \$2,050 had been secured, sufficient to buy a site and put up a building, and put in the machinery ready for operation. A temporary organization was effected by electing Willis Cadwell chairman and I. A. Reneau secretary. Articles of incorporation and by laws were adopted. A permanent organization was perfected by electing C. H. Miller president, L. McCandless, secretary, R. Ryerson treasurer.

The directors elected for the ensuing year are J. O. Taylor, F. H. Arthur, F. A. Bertrand, John Stewart and C. L. Gundersen. Messrs. Conrad, Miller and Ryerson were appointed a committee to select location for the site. They purchased the northeast corner lot in block 20 of original town of John Johnson, for \$50, which probably is the most convenient and centrally located for all parties that could be secured. Work will be commenced with the view of getting the machinery in place and ready for operation by the 20th of February. The agent for the Beatrice Creamery Company stated that if half the milk is furnished from the number of cows promised, that the plant will produce an equivalent to 500 pounds of butter daily. At the prevailing prices for cream the last year this would mean a cash income to the patrons of \$500 a week, or an average of \$12.50 per week to the forty patrons

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MARKET REPORT.

Wheat	41c
Barley	35c
Oats	30c
Corn	25c
Rye	35c
Butter	25c
Eggs	30c
Potatoes	25c
Onions	1 10
Chickens	2 00
Hogs	4 10
Cows	4 00
Steers	4 00
Turkeys	8c
Hay	10c cwt
Hay	5.00 per ton



HEAR IT TICK!

A loud ticking watch is not always the best timer. Usually, the stronger the tick, the greater the need of attention. The tick of a good watch in good condition is quite modest; in fact can scarcely be heard. The man who is always putting his watch to his ear to hear if it still ticks, is helping his ticker tick its life away. Don't wait for your watch to stop ticking. Save time, money, worry, and your watch by prevention. "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure" is watch care. Have it cleaned and oiled regularly, every year. I warrant all work. Some warrants don't warrant. Mine does.

A. E. ANDERSON
JEWELRY AND OPTICIAN
Graduate of Chicago Ophthalmic College.

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