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I have spent years at the watchmaker's bench, years of constant application, practice and study.

No longer than is necessary to become a finished watchmaker, jeweler or engraver. "Genius" may do it in less time.

This "genius" comes from the firm, or the bicycle or sewing machine repair shop, and in six months is doing "fine" watch repairing.

I am not a genius—I simply a hard worker—have thrown my ingenuity into the trade, to good work only, promptly for cash, at right prices.



Graduate of Chicago Optic College.

School Books,  
Tablets  
—AND—  
School Supplies,  
—AT—  
J. G. Haerberle's.

Fair Prices,  
Best Material and Workmanship,  
Painter, Decorator,  
C. B. BETTS,  
Phone 119.

It isn't the material  
that goes into your  
repair work that  
counts. It is the  
know-how.

that does the business, any bungler can buy the fine kinds of material that I use in repairing; but skill is the most valuable material that can be used in watch repairing; and the bungler can't buy it. I sell my skill for what it is worth and it will cost you less than bungling at lower prices.

F. W. HAYES,  
Jeweler and Optician,  
West side of square.

CAMERON & REESE,  
ATTORNEYS & COUNSELORS AT LAW  
Rooms 89 Realty block, Broken Bow, Neb.

**NOTICE.**  
The owners of lot 11, block 98, in railroad addition to the city of Broken Bow, Nebraska: You are hereby notified to repair and place in good condition the sidewalk, along the south side of said lot, on Jewett street, within a reasonable time, or the same will be repaired by the city and cost thereof assessed against said property, and walk to be of material and dimensions as the old walk was originally constructed and as provided by ordinance.

P. M. TOWLE, City Street Commissioner.

**MARKET REPORT.**

Wheat	49
Barley	32
Oats	27
Corn	25
Butter	36
Eggs	12
Potatoes	10
Onions	8
Chickens	4
Hogs	4
Cows	5
Steers	4
Turkeys	90
Straw	10

### Business Pointers.

Dr. T. W. Bass, dentist, Broken Bow.

Lubricating oils of all kinds at Wilkin's drug store.

FOR SALE—Two good show cases, W. H. OSBORNE, if

Ice cream soda 5 cents a glass at Wilkin's drug store.

Pepsin Gum, two packages for a nickel at WILKIN'S PHARMACY.

Cannon City coal at Dierks Lumber Co.

Snyder Bros. still lead all competitors in prices, which accounts for their large trade.

W. H. PEDA & Co. have just received a fine line of men's dress shoes, ag16 2W

Seating wax good for canning purposes at Wilkin's drug store.

FOR SALE OR RENT—My building on west side of square.

H. L. FRAZIER.

WANTED.—Three or four more boarders. Enquire of Mrs. B. W. Edwards, in Realty Block.

Store room for rent on north side of public square.

ag11 A. T. SEYBOLT.

Go to Mike Scanlon's Restaurant for the best lunch in town and confectionery.

When looking for bargains in dry goods or notions you will look no farther after you call on Snyder Bros.

Spring is here! Drink Sassafras Tea for your blood.

WILKIN'S PHARMACY.

Call on or write Broken Bow Abstract Co. when in need of an abstract of title. E. ROYSE abstractor.

Write Hayden Bros., Omaha Wholesale Supply House for prices and samples.—2 8 lyr.

See Snyder Bros.' fine line of ladies shoes. They are the latest and their prices are bed rock.

8-2-1f.

Abstracts compiled promptly and accurately by the Broken Bow Abstract Co. E. ROYSE abstractor.

We want all your better and eggs, in exchange for goods. Don't forget this.

THOMPSON, RUBLEE, STEVENS Co.

FOR SALE—Eight room house and one acre of land also Bardett Organ cheap.

7 19th Inquire of L. E. KOON.

Don't fail to go to Thompson, Rublee, Stevens Co. when you desire bargains in dry goods, boots, shoes and groceries. They allow NO ONE TO UNDERSSELL THEM.

FOR SALE—A one story cottage with six large rooms, pleasant yard, and surroundings, Price \$900. Call on L. J. Gandy or at this office.

7 19th tf.

Snyder Bros. have added largely to their stock of goods and rearranged their stock which enables them to better accommodate their customers than ever.

**Attention, Cattlemen!**  
I have a fine section of pasture land and want at least 100 head of cattle to pasture. Plenty of water and salt guaranteed.

JESSE GANDY.

Our trade so far is entirely satisfactory. We want to increase it by our extremely low prices, and same price to all. Call and be convinced. All goods marked in plain figures.

THOMPSON, RUBLEE, STEVENS Co.

Bring your butter, eggs, lard and all other country produce to Peale & John, and get groceries, queens-ware and fresh fruit, or orders for dry goods, boots, shoes, hardware and drugs.

PEALE & JOHN, The Realty Grocers, is the place.

Snyder Bros. have the finest assortment of dry goods the city affords. Their line of dress goods is large and varied. If you want something fine or something cheap call and see them.

8-2-1f.

**A Good Thing.**  
Our Great-Grandmother's garter containing the same herbs of all healing found in Karl's Clover root tea. They gave our ancestor strength, kept the blood pure, and will do the same for you if you say so. Price 25 cts, and 50 cts. Sold by J. G. Haerberle.

### Local Mention.

Job printing at this office.

W. A. George, of Georgetown, was a friendly caller Saturday.

The addition to Myers' store room is rapidly nearing completion.

Mrs. A. C. Baird left Monday morning for Omaha, where she will visit for a time with relatives.

Pat Kilfoil, one of the substantial citizens of Dale, was a friendly caller at this office this morning.

A. R. Humphrey returned Tuesday morning from a business trip to Kansas City and other points.

The Catholic church at Dale will give their annual picnic Aug 28th. A pleasant time is anticipated.

This office acknowledges a friendly call Saturday from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pigman, of Cumro.

### Buggies, Surreys, Wagons.

The base ball game Saturday, between Callaway and Broken Bow, resulted in a victory for the home team.

Dr. Pennington will soon move into the H. H. Wirt residence property, which he purchased for \$2,000.

### WAGONS, SURREYS AND BUGGIES.

**G. W. APPLE.**  
D. V. Joyner and son Harold have been returned to this place to take charge of the Wirt grain elevator, which his company recently purchased.

The Morrisey sisters, who have been engaged in the restaurant business here for the past year, have gone to Alliance. They left here on Monday.

Mrs. Jane Taylor, who recently fell heir to \$3,000 of her mother's estate, has bought the A. T. Sims farm, adjoining her home-stead. Consideration \$1,000.

### Just received a car load of Buggies, Surreys, Spring Wagons.

**G. W. APPLE.**  
The ladies of the Christian church will give a lawn social at the residence of I. A. Reneau on the evening of August 24. The patronage of the public is solicited.

Company M, of the Nebraska National Guards, left here Monday morning for Hastings, to attend the encampment this week. Captain V. C. Talbot was in charge.

Dr. R. B. Mullins came down from Gering Sunday with a patient suffering with appendicitis. He was taken to the hospital, where he submitted to a surgical operation.

L. J. Simmons, late publisher of the Grand Island Republican, has been a visitor in Broken Bow since Saturday, looking after the interests of the Grand Island Diamond Investment Co.

Geo. H. Thummel, of Grand Island, clerk of the United States circuit court, was doing business in the county Monday, in the vicinity of Sargent. This office acknowledges a friendly call.

### YOU CAN SAVE FROM FIVE TO TEN DOLLARS BY BUYING A BUGGY OR SURREY OF G. W. APPLE.

Chas E. Rector's boy, about six years' old, fell off a horse Sunday evening, and had one of his elbow joints dislocated. He was brought to town Monday, and Dr. Day reduced the dislocation.

H. H. Wirt sold his household goods Saturday at public auction, preparatory to leaving for greener fields and more luxuriant pasture. Others have been thus affected, but as a rule they come back finally to get a start.

H. J. Edington, of East Custer, was a friendly caller Tuesday. He reports that the late corn in that vicinity will make some corn, and that much of the millet, which it was thought before, the rains was past redemption, will make a fair crop.

W. P. Henman, who was one of the pioneers of the county that left for Missouri in 1894, has returned to his first love, and has located in the vicinity of Ryno. Mr Henman is a good citizen, and it is with pleasure the REPUBLICAN chronicles his return.

Judge Reese has secured first-class accommodations at Chicago for the Nebraska department of the G. A. R., and a number from Broken Bow will attend. They will leave here Saturday.

### New Line of Buggies, Surreys, Spring Wagons and Farm Wagons.

**G. W. Apple.**  
Jerome Taylor, of Deer Creek, is putting in a silo. It will probably be the first one in Custer county.

Mr. Taylor is milking eleven head of cows, the milk from which he separates the cream with a hand separator, and makes it into butter. He finds ready local sale for his butter at 18 cents a pound.

Dr. G. W. Kirkpatrick, of the West table, made this office a friendly call Saturday, accompanied by Mr. W. K. Frazier, a nephew of his from Indiana. Mr. Frazier has an income of \$500 a month from his oil wells in his home state, and is looking over the county with a view of finding a good investment for his surplus cash.

We notice in last week's Gering Courier the marriage of Claude Westervelt and Miss Ada Slate. Miss Slate is a sister of Mrs. C. B. Snyder, and niece of Mrs. Eli Armstrong. Until recently she has resided in Custer county. The groom was formerly a Custer county boy, being the son of James Westervelt, the founder of Westerville. They were married the 12th of August.

### Union S. S. Picnic.

The Union Sunday School picnic to Ravenna has been set for Saturday, September 8th. All who are interested are requested to notify their friends to get themselves ready. Tickets can be had at the REPUBLICAN OFFICE. COMMITTEE.

**A Correction.**  
The lawn social to be given by the ladies of the Christian church at the home of Mrs. I. A. Reneau's announced for Aug. 27 will be given the 24th.

### Letter List.

Following is the dead letter list for week ending August 21, 1900:

Hugh Leach.  
J. S. Morgan.  
G. W. Gibson.

Parties calling for the above please say advertised.

L. H. JEWETT, P. M.

### Cattle for Sale.

For sale, 353 head of two year old steers, 112 head of yearling steers, 106 head of yearling heifers, all dehorned Shorthorns and Herefords, high grade, on my ranch, 18 miles south of Broken Bow.

aug23 Wm. MONTGOMERY.

### Save Those Tags.

We will pay for all tin tobacco tags one-half cent each in trade of these denominations (showing small star printed on under side of tag): Horse Shoe, J. T., Good Luck, Cross Bow, Spear Head, Drummond, Natural Leaf, Star, old Homestry.

J. C. BOWEN, The Grocer.

**FARM FOR SALE.**—At Upton, Neb., 160 acres of good farm land, 80 acres in cultivation, and the rest fenced in pasture, with three wires. Good four room sod house; corn crib and granary, each 12x16 feet, connected; stable and chicken house, etc. For particulars call on J. J. Snyder, Broken Bow, or Stephen Wilcox, on premises. ag16

Wescott & Gibbons have seventy-five head of trotting colts from four to six years old, by our Onward and Electioner horses all up treaded, stylish, with good action, all bays, chestnuts and browns. Their dams are by sons of Almost (33), Exile, Van Zant, and other finely bred stallions. It will pay anyone wanting such to come and see them, they are the best bred lot of horses in Nebraska. We also have twenty-five head of clyde colts same ages for sale and we will sell one or all at extremely low prices.

8 16-31. WESCOTT & GIBBONS,  
Wescott, Neb.

We will furnish the Kansas city Journal and REPUBLICAN for \$1.25 per year.

The ladies of Grand Island are making great preparations for their floral parade. There will be some of the finest decorated traps ever seen west of the Mississippi. The parade will be held on Thursday and Saturday afternoon, at four o'clock.



We had the pleasure recently of visiting the country between Broken Bow and Sargent, going by the way of the French table, and returning by the way of Round Valley. We also made a trip to Dry Valley, going and coming by different routes. In the whole country traversed we found the corn and millet in fine condition, and nearly every farm had one or more stack yards of grain. The corn will make from 30 to 50 bushels of corn to the acre, the millet and cane from two to four tons to the acre, and the wheat is threshing from five to twelve bushels to the acre. The corn crop, as an average in the county north of township 15, is the best had for years, possibly since 1888.

B. C. Tappan, the principal shipper of birds from this and surrounding country, desires us to call the attention of those who kill birds for the market to the new game law which prohibits shipping game into certain markets, and which requires sportsmen, merchants, shippers and express agents, in shipping animals or birds, killed or captured, to plainly mark, so that the name and the address of the shipper, and the nature of the contents may be ascertained by an inspection of the outside of such packages. Shipment in any form that tends to conceal or obscure the nature of the contents or the shipper's name and address, is plainly an evasion of the act, and the penalty applies to evasion as well as violation. The act prohibits interstate commerce in game, though killed in open seasons, if the law of the state in which such game is killed prohibits its export. In some states the sale of certain game is prohibited at all seasons, Missouri being one of them. The purpose of these national laws is to prevent the game shipped into the state from being used as a cloak for the sale of game within the state in violation of local laws. Unless parties post themselves on the laws governing the shipping, they are liable to ship them where they will be confiscated for illegal shipment.

### HONOR FOR NEBRASKA FRUIT.

Placed in United States Exhibit at Paris Exposition, Winning First Prize.

William A. Taylor, of the United States Department of Agriculture, who held the position of acting pomologist at the Paris Exposition, has written George A. Marshall, of Arlington, of Nebraska's success in competition at the world's exposition about a month ago. Mr. Taylor was in charge of the United States horticultural exhibit, and he conveys the information that in the temporary competition of June 27th the collection of apples of the crop of 1899, exhibited by the Nebraska horticultural society, was awarded first prize, "Premier Prix." There were four varieties on exhibit, the Ben Davis, Dominic McIntosh and North West Greening, all grown by Marshall Bros., of Arlington. Though the collection contained fewer varieties than the collections from some of the other states, the fruit was in excellent condition, and presented a fine appearance. Specimens of the above varieties in the exhibit of the Nebraska Horticultural society were included in the general collection of the United States, which constituted forty varieties from fourteen different states. This collection was awarded "Premier Prix" by the jury in the world's competition.

The honor is regarded with pride by those who were instrumental in making Nebraska's exhibit what it was. Mr. Taylor says he feels that the effort to increase the European demand for American fruit bids fair to succeed. He says the outlook at present for the immediate and large increase in the demand is very favorable. ag16-31

### Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend to our neighbors and friends our sincere thanks for their kind assistance during the sickness of our baby.

MR. AND MRS. G. L. WARING.

### Game Wanted.

On and after September 1st and 2d I will be ready for your game, grouse and prairie chickens. No quail will be received until after November 1st. I have a freezer that will hold seven thousand birds, one-half mile west of Tappan valley school house. I will receive the above at the old stands in Broken Bow, Ryerson's and Bowen's.

ag23-4t B. C. TAPPAN.

### MARRIED.

HARRISON—HAMMOND—Yesterday afternoon, in this city, Ross Harrison, of Merona, and Miss Mattie Hammond, of Huxley, Judge Armour officiating.

### Half Rates to Lincoln—Nebraska State Fair.

Sept. 3 to 7 the Burlington Route will sell round trip tickets to Lincoln at half rates, plus 50 cents for admission to the state fair, ask agent about special trains to Lincoln, leaving passengers at fair grounds. Home same day. ag23 2

### Republican Representative Convention.

The republican representative convention, of the 56th district, held in this city last Saturday, was called to order by J. O. Taylor, chairman of the committee. A temporary organization was effected by electing John Foxworthy chairman, and D. M. Ambsberry secretary.

Being authorized by vote, the chair appointed the following committees:

On permanent organization, G. O. Waters, Geo. V. Hill and J. F. Bryson; on credentials, Ras Anderson, Horace F. Kennedy, John Scott; on resolutions, Jules Haumont, Geo. Hill and R. H. Sargent.

On recommendation of the committee, the temporary organization was made permanent.

The report of the committee on credentials recommended that the eighteen delegates from Custer, and two from Logan county, were entitled to seats in the convention, and further recommended that no proxies be allowed, and the delegates present cast the full vote. Report adopted.

The committee on resolutions made the following report, which was adopted.

We, the delegates assembled at the republican convention of the 56th representative district, unqualifiedly endorse the wise and far-seeing administration of President McKinley, and accept, without reservation, the national republican platform, adopted at Philadelphia.

We pledge our nominees, if elected, to work for an honest and economical administration of our state government.

Whereas, The state constitution requires all constitutional amendments to be submitted at a regular election, at which the members of the state legislature are to be elected, and also requires a majority of all votes cast at said election to be in favor of the amendment before it can be declared legally carried. Thereby authorizing the counting of all votes against the amendment that were not cast for it; therefore be it

Resolved, That we favor the submission of an amendment to the constitution whereby an affirmative vote of a majority of the electors voting on any amendment shall be sufficient for the adoption of said amendment.

Resolved, That we favor the submission of an amendment whereby the word male shall be stricken from section one, in article seven of the state constitution.

On motion the convention proceeded to place in nomination candidates for representatives.

The name of Chas. E. Spafford, of Gandy, was placed in nomination by Geo. V. Hill, of Logan. On motion of Geo. O. Waters, the rules were suspended, and Mr Spafford was nominated by acclamation. Mr. Spafford thanked the convention for the honor, and pledged an active campaign.

An informal ballot was then taken on a candidate from Custer county, The vote gave Bayerhoffer 2; Jules Harmon, 2; Dobish 2; Christie, 2; Pigman, 12. On motion the rules were suspended, and Mr. Pigman was nominated by acclamation. The nominee was brought to the hall, and on being notified of his nomination, made a forcible speech, and assured the convention that while the nomination had come to him unexpectedly and unsought, that he would use his best endeavors to be elected.

On motion the committee for the ensuing year was chosen. J. O. Taylor was the choice from Custer, and W. Z. Mahan from Logan.

On motion the committee was authorized to fill any vacancy that might occur on the ticket.