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And watch the calendar. Christmas is coming. Less than 40 days intervene—melancholy days, saddest of the year, when man must go down into the innermost recesses of his pocket—must open his purse and his heart.

My holiday stock is daily arriving, and soon my store will be full of things practical and things ornamental; things for domestic use and things for personal adornment, the best answer to the question now uppermost in your thought—“What shall I give?”

Watch my ads and my stock.



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

It isn't the material
that goes into your
repairs that
counts. It is the
skill of the man
that does the work.
Fair Prices,
Best Material and Workmanship,
C. B. BETTS,
Painter, Decorator,
Phone 110.

Lunch Counter,
Er Malloy, Prop'r.
All kinds of soft drinks. Best brand of cigars. 1st building east of Farmers bank.

PENN & DORRIS,
BLACKSMITHS.
All kinds of work in our line done promptly and in first-class order. Red Shop on the corner, west of the hose house. Give us a trial.

MARKET REPORT.

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| Wheat | 50 |
| Barley | 25 |
| Oats | 25 |
| Corn | 35 |
| Rye | 34 |
| Butter | 12 |
| Eggs | 12 |
| Potatoes | 40 |
| Onions | 8 |
| Chickens | 2 1/2 |
| Hogs | 4.15 |
| Cows | 2.75 |
| Steers | 2.50 |
| Turkeys | 1.00 |
| Straw | 1.00 |
| Hay | 5.00 |

Business Pointers.

Cosmopolitan patterns ten cents. No more.
SNYDER BROS.
Dr. T. W. Bass, dentist, Broken Bow.
Hotel at Berwyn for sale.
WILLIS CADWELL.
Sealing wax good for caulking purposes at Wilkins' drug store.
Kindly read Foster & Smith's Ad. in this issue.
Lubricating oils of all kinds at Wilkins' drug store.
Foster & Smith will save you money if you buy your **HEARD COAL** of them.
Ice cream soda 5 cents a glass at Wilkins' drug store.
Cannon City coal at Dierks Lumber Co.
Be sure to attend the cooking exhibit at W. J. Wood's furniture store.
Write Hayden Bros., Omaha Wholesale Supply House for prices and samples.—281 yr.
Pepsin Gum, two packages for a nickel at **WILKINS' PHARMACY.**
If you want fresh meat, call on Fred Maulick, west side of public square.
Abstracts compiled promptly and accurately by the Broken Bow Abstract Co. E. Roysse, Abstractor.
Best stock farm in Custer county for sale, at \$8 00 per acre.
JESSE GANDY.
Go to Mike Scanlon's Restaurant for the best lunch in town and confectionery.
Call on or write Broken Bow Abstract Co. when in need of an abstract of title. E. Roysse, Abstractor.
Ladies interested in the Viavi home treatment should consult Mrs. EM. Roysse at her home, 111 1/2

When in need of a first-class auctioneer, call on or address
R. D. SULLIVAN,
Broken Bow, Nebr.

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 191f

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 advancing rapidly.
J. G. BERNIZER.

One hundred sixty acres, well improved farm for sale six or eight miles south of Broken Bow. Price \$1000, half cash, balance five years.
WILLIS CADWELL

Dr. Withers, Omaha's painless dentist, will be at the Globe hotel Nov. 23d and 24th. All work at Omaha prices, and warranted. Set of teeth, \$5.00. 20 years experience. n8 2t

Bring your butter, eggs, lard and all other country produce to Peale & John, and get groceries, queensware and fresh fruit, or orders for dry goods, boots, shoes, hardware and drugs.
PEALE & JOHN,
The Realty Grocers, is the place.

Fred Maulick is now better prepared than ever to serve the public with fresh meat. He has put in a new refrigerator of the latest improvements, and his meat is kept in first class order. Call and see him, on west side of square.

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. ag18

Local Mention.

Job printing at this office.
L. B. Russell of Anselmo, was a friendly caller Monday.
Samuel VanBuskirk of Merna, was a city visitor Monday.
John Welsh, of Westerville was a friendly caller at this office Tuesday.
J. H. H. Cross has been going on crutches for some time, the result of a fall.
Go and see the Great Majestic work and sample its work first week in December.
August Morrow Jr. of Arnold, was a witness in Justice G'Schwind's court in this city Monday.
Harry Day and Co. have moved their store to the Wilde building on the north side of the square. They have added a line of groceries to their stock.
R. E. Brega of Callaway, was in the city Monday, as jolly as if he had not been defeated by an overwhelming vote, on his county division scheme.

A. G. Huffman, of Arnold was in the city Monday evening, witness in the case of the Fairbury Mutual Insurance Co. against Wm. Robinson of Arnold.

Snyder Bros. and Will Penn and Co. have consolidated their stores, moved to the corner room in the Realty block, recently vacated by Harry Day and Co.

Bang's galleries at Broken Bow and Anselmo, are both open all the time, cabinets at \$2 00 and \$2:50, and fine crayon pictures cheap. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Rev. Myer, pastor of the U. B. church reports an additional member to his choir. It is a young lady of recent arrival and she is already developing quite a talent for music.

Jene Powell of Weisert, was a city visitor, Monday. He informed us that his brother, E. J. Powell, who has been in Colorado for the last year, is on his way back to Custer county.

Custer county! Think of Custer county giving Currie 300 majority! Custer county, the mother of pops, the hot-bed of popdom the progenitor of pop office seekers! It is not hard to read the signs of the times when Custer county does that.—The Ord Quiz.

New Line of Buggies, Surreys, Spring Wagons and Farm Wagons. G. W. Apple.

"Is the Bible the word of God?" Will be the subject, at the U. B. church next Sunday, both morning and evening. These two sermons are the result of a great deal of study and investigation, and will be quite a revelation of wonderful truth, to those who hear them. All are invited.

The Custer County Agricultural Society met Tuesday and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: J. O. Taylor President, Thos. Finlen, vice president, E. R. Parcell secretary, F. W. Hayes assistant secretary, W. D. Blackwell treasurer. The directors elected are C. H. Miller, E. C. Gibbons, and P. F. Campbell.

Justice G'Schwind's court was engaged Monday night and Tuesday, trying a case of Fairbury Mutual Insurance Co. against Wm. Robinson, of Arnold, on an insurance note for \$42:72. The defense claimed as set off, \$141:75, damage sustained by hail. L. E. Kirkpatrick appeared as attorney for company and R. E. Brega and C. L. Gutterson, for the defendant. The jury awarded to Robinson \$72:78.

W. M. Beach, post master of Arnold was a city visitor Tuesday. He was a witness in a law suit.

Jerome Shamp of Lincoln, attended the Mid-road ratification Friday night in this city, and addressed the meeting.

Eugene Westervelt, editor of the Scotts Bluff Republican came in from the west, Saturday morning, returning home Monday.

The Ladies Guild are busy getting ready for the Fair and Supper, to be held on Dec. 12 and 13th. The Doll Table will be of especial interest.

Rev. S. W. Richards will preach in the Baptist church at Merna; Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The people of the vicinity are cordially invited.

The republicans elected 17 senators and 54 representatives, which gives them a majority in each branch, as well as on joint ballot. This assures two republican United States Senators.

J. M. VanBuskirk of Alta Iowa, who has been visiting in the county for the past week, with his brother, Sam, of Merna, was a friendly caller Monday. He returned to his Iowa home Monday night.

B. W. Blair who moved to Kansas about ten months ago, arrived in Broken Bow this morning with the view of moving back, provided he can get into business that will support his family.

The Ladies of the Presbyterian church will serve dinner on Thanksgiving day, from 1 to 3, in the building formerly occupied by Wm Penn and Co. Fancy articles will be on sale. Come and buy your christmas presents.

Samuel Hoshaw, who advertised his farm for sale two weeks ago, in the REPUBLICAN, came in Saturday and ordered the advertisement discontinued, as he had sold it to W. P. Henman. This is another evidence that it not only pays to advertise but for quick returns the REPUBLICAN is the paper to advertise in.

YES OUR SPECIAL JACKET, CAPE, FUR AND SUIT SALE WILL BE A HUMMER, AND THE PRICES WILL BE AT BOTTOM. THOMPSON, RUBLEE, STEVENS CO.

Entertainment by the G. A. R. The members of the G. A. R. Washburn Post will hold a campfire on the evening of November 22. All citizens are invited to attend. The department officers of the Grand Army and the Relief Corps are expected to be present together with visiting comrades of other posts and those of the Spanish American war.

A most interesting program of speaking interested with vocal and instrumental music will be furnished. Come one, come all. The place of meeting will be announced later.

JAMES WHITEHEAD, Com.
Public Sale
On my ranch, four 4 miles south and 1/2 miles east of Broken Bow, on Tuesday, November, 20, 1900, 40 head stock cattle, 10 milch cows, 8 head cows and heifers, will be fresh in 60 days 1 thoroughbred bull, 1 grade bull, 1 Jersey cow, 4 head grade Norman horses, 1 span bay drivers, 2 brood mares, 2 yearling colts, 2 sucking colts, 1 Buckeye geared feed grinder, 1 road wagon, harnesses, 1 heavy saddle farm implements, household goods, from a darning needle to a cook stove, 1 large book case.

One year's time on approved security, at ten per cent. All sums under 10 dollars cash. Begins at 10 o'clock a. m. INSTANTLY.
G. E. CADWELL

Auctioneer
Sales cried in Custer and adjoining counties. Terms reasonable.
JUD KAY.
Broken Bow Nebr.

Public Sale.
I will offer at public sale at my place of residence, 14 miles north of Broken Bow and one mile southwest of Lillian Postoffice, November 23, 1900, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., 40 head of cattle, 10 head of horses, 34 head of stock hogs, farm implements, household goods and other articles.
J. E. GWINN.

The Delicious Fragrance

from a hot Royal Baking Powder biscuit whets the appetite. The taste of such a biscuit—sweet, creamy, delicate and crispy—is a joy to the most fastidious.

ROYAL Baking Powder improves the flavor and adds to the healthfulness of all risen flour-foods. It renders the biscuit, bread and cake more digestible and nutritious. Royal Baking Powder makes hot breads wholesome. Food raised with Royal will not distress persons of delicate or enfeebled digestion, though eaten warm and fresh.

Imitation baking powders almost invariably contain alum. Alum makes the food unwholesome.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

Republican Ratification

A Big Crowd and a General Good Time Enjoyed by All.

The republican ratification that we advertised for last Saturday night, was postponed until Wednesday night, owing to the unfavorable weather. Not only the people of the city participated, but a number from surrounding communities helped to swell the crowd, and joined in the exercises. At precisely 7 o'clock, by direction of F. M. Rublee, steam whistles began to blow and the bells to ring, to notify the citizens that the redublication were still alive. The exploding of giant fire-crackers and guns, and the ascension of sky-rockets, on the streets, near the Public Square, soon attracted the crowd to the State Bank corner, where later the program was carried out. Both of the Bands, under the direction of Dr. Wilkins were on hands to provide music for the occasion. But that was not all the music that rent the air, the old men were boys again, and with the boy and girls of the city, they joined in with tin horns and whistles and filled the air with music galore.

A torch light procession, in charge of Hod George, was formed in front of the Broken Bow State Bank, which accompanied by both bands paraded the principal streets. On their return to the place of starting, a large bon fire was lighted under the direction of J. S. Baish, which made light and heat for the assembled crowd, while the speaking was in progress. The speakers were Lieutenant Governor Elect Savage of Sargent, H. H. Andrews of Callaway and Simon Cameron, Jas. Whithead, L. H. Jewett I. N. Pershall and Dr. C. C. Pickett of Broken Bow. The speaking was preceded with a song by Messrs J. M. Betts, N. T. Gadd, B. W. Blair and Will Johns. Several sacks of flour and corn meal, beans and millet seed were indiscriminately scattered in the crowd and but few escaped having their clothes covered with it. For a good time the meeting was a great success.

Notice!
The county board of supervisors will meet on Tuesday, Dec. 4th 1900 for the purpose of transacting general county business.
J. B. OSBORN, Co. Clerk.

Married.

McLaughlin—Berk—Monday, Nov. 12, 1900, at the office of the county judge, Charlie McLaughlin of Merna, and Miss Ida Berk, of Broken Bow, Judge Armour officiating.
After taking dinner at the Globe, Mr. and Mrs. Loughlin left for their home, already prepared by the groom, two and one half miles south west of Merna. May happiness and prosperity attend them is the wish of the REPUBLICAN.

Lewis Tompkins—At the residence of the bride's parents, Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1900, at Alliance, Neb., Lorin Lewis of Broken Bow, and Miss Florence Tompkins of Alliance.
The bride is a young lady of culture and refinement and is highly esteemed by those who know her. The groom is an industrious young carpenter by trade. He grew up in Broken Bow and enjoys the esteem of a host of acquaintances. He has been working at his trade in Alliance during the summer and returned there the first of the week. He has a homestead in Brown county to which place he will move soon. While in the city he and his bride were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bruce. The REPUBLICAN joins their friends in congratulations.

Died.
Ailbright—Monday morning Mrs. Ailbright wife of Joseph Ailbright, twelve miles north of the city.
We have been unable to learn the particulars of her death except that she had been sick about a week. Her age was 45 years. The deceased was the mother of Mrs. E. L. Bunch of this city. The funeral services were held at the home of the deceased Tuesday. The REPUBLICAN extends sympathy to the bereaved.

Wheather pleasant since Saturday's cold snap.
L. H. McCall and J. H. Prettyman are feeding cattle.
G. A. Griffiths' children are about well after their siege of typhoid fever.
Considerable corn is selling at 20 and 25 cents to those who are feeding cattle for the eastern market.

Some days since when Mrs. Anton Bohman was scrubbing the floor her feet slipped from under her letting her fall backwards, fracturing her left arm, just above the wrist.
A Literary has been organized at Riverside and a good time is anticipated. Question for tomorrow night's debate is, "Shall Custer Co. be divided?" Meets on Wednesday night: all are invited.

J. H. Prettyman is improving his ranch by erecting sheds and by putting in scales. He proposes to build a new house in the near future. Others will allow their cattle to shelter on the lee side of a wire fence and complain next spring that they did not do well.

Car of Fancy New York
At J. C. BOWEN'S.
Winter Apples--buy some.