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My recommendation means—A watch that has passed the exacting observatory test before coming to me, a watch that I know, from many years' actual handling of fine watches, to be the best of its kind and price—doesn't matter what that price may be. My three grades are, good, better, best. Good watches, \$5.80 up. Better watches, \$7.90 up. Best watches, \$17.00 up.



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We invite you to drop in and examine our stock and get prices before buying. We are always glad to see you, and shall endeavor to merit a share of your trade. Yours for business,

PEALE CASH GROCERY CO.

Business Pointers.

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

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

Special prices on all kinds of canned goods at Peale's new store in Realty Block.

Write Hayden Bros., Omaha. Wholesale Supply House for prices and samples.—28 lyr.

Don't forget the Peale Cash Grocery Co. when in need of something in their line. They can interest you.

All those interested in the Viavi treatment should see Mrs. Yauney, at Commercial Hotel until Jan. 31.

Two good quarters of land for sale cheap, eight miles south of town do it. A. T. SEYBOLT.

Call on or write Broken Bow Abstract Co. when in need of an abstract of title. E. Royle, Abstractor.

We invite your attention to our fine quality and cheap prices on all kinds of dried and evaporated fruits. THE PEALE CASH GROCERY CO.

For sale. A pair of young draft horses. Inquire at Lee's barn.

Here comes "Shorty" Burk; give him an order. It shall be filled with the very best and right prices, by the Peale Cash Grocery Co.

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

The Peale Cash Grocery Co. are sole agents for the Knickerbocker brand of cold packed tomatoes which they guarantee to be very fine.

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

Canon City coal at Dierk-Lumber Co.

Lubricating oils of all kinds at Wilkins' drug store.

Cosmopolitan patterns ten cents. No more. SNYDER BROS.

Best stock farm in Custer county for sale, at \$8 00 per acre. JESSE GANDY.

Abstracts compiled promptly and accurately by the Broken Bow Abstract Co. E. Royle, Abstractor.

FOR SALE—Fresh young cows in Rose Valley, on W. C. Luce's farm, eleven miles northeast. Jan 10. A. McMURTRY.

Hello! Central give us every body on the line for groceries, fresh fruits, oysters etc.; at prices always the lowest. THE PEALE CASH GROCERY CO.

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

We are sole agents for McCord-Brady's celebrated Reception brand of canned fruits and vegetables, none finer on earth. PEALE CASH GROCERY CO.

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. BRENIER.

Poultry Wanted.

We will pay the highest market price either in cash or trade for chickens, pigeons and turkeys. Bring them to us. We will treat you right. THE PEALE CASH GROCERY CO.

W. H. Farrer has opened up a lunch counter in the building east of Ledwich's law office. Oysters served in first class order. Meals or lunch served from 6, a. m. to 11 p.m. Patronage solicited.

Local Mention.

Job printing at this office. Alpha Morgan went to Lincoln last night.

R. P. Scrimmer, of Lillian, kindly remembered this office Tuesday.

John Swenson Jr., of Georgetown, made this office a friendly call Monday.

J. H. Chapman, of Callaway, was a city visitor Monday night and Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs. E. J. Pittaway are the proud parents of a ten pound girl, born the 7th of January.

Judge Reece, A. R. Humphrey and I. A. Renuau went to Lincoln Sunday night.

F. M. Rublee, C. L. Gutterson and Judge Sullivan visited the hospital last week.

It is reported that one of Marshal Eddy's children at Merna is quite low with smallpox.

Editors Mair of Callaway; Tom Wright, of Ansley; and Arthur Barks, of Sargent, were city visitors Tuesday.

E. Moseley, of Elton, called Monday and ordered the REPUBLICAN sent to his brother, J. E. Mosely, of Wautaga, Oklahoma.

D. W. Thompson, the hardware merchant of the north side, has rented the store room in the Realty block, recently vacated by W. H. Penn & Co., where we are informed he will move his stock of goods this week.

Mr. Davidson, son-in-law of John B. City, has rented the Waltonburg store building for a music store. A partition has been put in the store room and the family will occupy the rear rooms for a residence.

We understand that Stack & Holcomb recently sold Dr. W. R. Pennington a \$300 auto bicycle, which is run by a small gasoline motor, situated underneath the seat. On smooth roads it will attain a speed of sixty miles an hour.

H. J. Edington, of East Custer, was a friendly caller Monday. He reports occasional deaths among the cattle in his vicinity, from the corn stalk disease, but says that deaths are not so frequent as they were earlier in the season.

J. L. McWilliams, George and Mrs. Herab will leave this evening for Tabor, Iowa, to visit their brother, W. G. McWilliams, who is reported quite sick. Mr. and Mrs. Herab will go on to Missouri on a visit before they return.

Dr. Vaughn, of Alliance, died last Thursday in the pest house of that place, with smallpox. There are yet twelve cases there in the pest house, and ten in the city, says the Alliance Dispatch. Eleven cases have been discharged from the doctors' care.

Elmer Thompson, foreman of the Thompson cattle ranch, southwest of the city, was a friendly caller yesterday. He is holding two hundred and fifty cattle on their ranch this winter. He reports no losses, and that their cattle are doing nicely.

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

Mayor Royle received a telegram Saturday, from Tie Siding Wyoming that the night before George Nelson had been killed there, and that he had a brother living at Broken Bow. The Mayor made diligent inquiry, but was unable to find anyone that knew the deceased.

The executive committee of Broken Bow's Commercial Club is improving every opportunity to secure new industries for Broken Bow. They now have two enterprises in tow, which, should they succeed in landing, will be greatly appreciated by not only the citizens of Broken Bow, but by the whole of Custer county.

It has been nearly three weeks since we have heard of any cattle dying from corn stalk disease in this vicinity, and it is to be hoped no more will. The last we heard of were: three for J. O. Taylor and three for Mrs. Jane Taylor, three for B. W. Kellenbarger and five for Eugene Chrisman, about three weeks ago.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE. Makes the food more delicious and wholesome.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

School opened again Wednesday with a fair attendance.

S. K. Warrick has been appointed city treasurer in place of S. H. Hoyt resigned.

We are pleased to learn that Jas Lindley, of Anslemo, who has been very sick, is reported better.

The child of M. S. Eddy, of Merna, who was reported very low with small pox, is reported greatly improved.

J. M. Betts is with us, and as he has a chicken car here every two weeks, we can pay you the top prices for chickens, turkeys, ducks and pigeons, and take them at any time. You cannot overload us with poultry, butter or eggs. It is just as good as the money to us, and makes John Betts smile when ever he sees them come. JOHN & KNERR.

M. B. A. Meeting. An adjourned meeting of the M. B. A. will be held Friday, at 2:30 p. m. D. M. ANSBERRY, Sec'y.

Quarantine Raised. At the meeting of the city council last night it was moved and carried, that quarantine established against public gatherings, business houses etc; be maintained only against individuals and residence where contagious diseases existed. As there are no cases of small pox developed in any new families, the general opinion was that there is no further danger of it spreading and that it would only be necessary to maintain the quarantine in the future, where the disease exists.

Penn and Royle both Get the Plums. Two appointments have come to Custer county citizens during the week from the present republican state administration. Charles Penn has been appointed as superintendent of the soldiers' home at Milford. Mr. Penn has all these years been a loyal and active worker in the republican ranks, and his recognition by the administration is a well merited recognition for faithfulness.

Royle has been selected secretary on the state banking board, with headquarters at Lincoln. The selection of Mr. Royle is especially satisfactory to republicans here. For three years he has been chairman of the county committee, and has conducted our campaigns. The fact that in this time the fusion majority has been reduced from 1,010 in '98, to 11 in 1900, speaks well for the character of his work. His appointment comes as a reward of merit for well directed, earnest and energetic work, and the REPUBLICAN congratulates both Messrs. Royle and Penn on their appointments.

Church Services.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Services will be held Sunday both morning and evening as formerly. Sunday school at 10 a. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH. At the Christian church, Sunday, Jan. 13th. Bible school at 10 a. m. Sermon at 11 a. m.; subject, "Jesus the Way." Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m. A stereopticon lecture on the life of Christ will be given at 7:30. Special music A solo by Miss Pinkston, which will be illustrated by stereopticon slides. All are cordially invited.

M. E. CHURCH. Regular services will be resumed at the Methodist church next Sunday. The subject of the morning sermon will be, "What of the New Century?" Evening theme, "Lessons from the Transfiguration." Epworth League at 6:30. Mr. Lomax leader. Subject, "Youthful Consecration." There will be preaching at Sunny Dell church in the afternoon at 8 o'clock. ERNEST A. KNIGHT, Pastor.

For sale. Twenty acres of well improved land within a mile of Broken Bow for \$700. Inquire at this office.

Cattle Thieves Arrested

The Central Nebraska Stock Growers Association Did Effective Work in Short Time.

Last Wednesday, Jan. 2, at 4 p. m., L. H. Jewett, vice president of the Central Nebraska Stock Growers Association, received a message from Senator F. M. Currie that 44 head of his cattle, in Loup county, were reported stolen. Mr. Jewett at once notified W. A. George, president of the Association, by telephone, and under his instructions Sheriff Armstrong was on the grounds next day, accompanied by J. H. Currie, of Bradshaw, brother of Senator Currie, and another gentleman of Sargent.

Their investigation proved the bunch of cattle had not been stolen, but strayed and one steer had been shot down and butchered. J. L. Rittenhouse and W. W. McCullough of Loup county, were believed to be the guilty parties. Before making the arrest the sheriff went to the home of Rittenhouse, and finding no one there, instituted a search, and found part of a beef buried in a box near the house. They also found a hide and three feet of the animal that had been killed. When arrested, Rittenhouse declared that he had not had any beef for six weeks, but on being informed by the sheriff of the discovery on his premises, he did not further persist in his beef story. The men were brought to Broken Bow for safe keeping Monday Attorney Kirkpatrick put them through the sweat box, and they confessed to having killed one animal for beef, but denied stealing the other 43 head that were missing. They told of the cattle stampeding when they were in pursuit of the one they killed. It is now thought that most of the other missing cattle can be found from the information gained, but several miles from the range on which they were being held. Roy Cole, of Blaine, was also arrested and brought to the city, but when Rittenhouse pleaded guilty, he exonerated Cole, stating that he had nothing to do with the stealing. Cole was released. Monday evening Rittenhouse and McCullough were taken to Dunning, in Blaine county, where the crime was alleged to have been committed, and taken before Justice of the Peace Cline, where the plea of guilty was entered against them. They were then brought back to Broken Bow, where they await the convening of the district court in Blaine county.

The success of this, the first effort of the Association to run down cattle rustlers, proves the value of the organization to the stock raisers of Central Nebraska, and should induce every one interested in stock growing to become a member of the association. The membership fee is only \$5 00. Similar associations exist in the western part of the state, Wyoming and Colorado, and the vigor with which they have prosecuted cattle thieves, has resulted in them almost clearing their territory of them.

Notice of Reward.

A reward of \$5.00 will be given for information leading to conviction of any one tampering or meddling with any line, or shooting insulators or doing any damage intentionally on any line belonging to the Broken Bow Telephone Exchange. Warning is hereby given that any persons so offending will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. BROKEN BOW TELEPHONE EXCH.

Chickens For Sale.

Very fine Blue Barred Plymouth Rock chickens for sale, 2 miles west of city. W. M. VARNICE. 1200 3m

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MARKET REPORT.

Wheat	50
Barley	25
Oats	25
Corn	25
Eye	24
Butter	15
Eggs	17
Potatoes	60
Onions	1.00
Chickens	4.00
Hogs	4.20
Cows	2.75
Steers	4.00
Turkeys	20.00
Straw	1.00