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Wheat	50
Barley	30
Oats	25
Corn	45
Butter	15
Eggs	17
Potatoes	60
Onions	15
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Hogs	4.20
Cows	2.75
Steers	4.00
Turkeys	90
Straw	10c
Hay	5.00

To THE DEAF—A rich lady, cured of her Deafness and Noises in the Head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, gave \$25,000 to his Institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the Ear Drums, may have them free. Address No. D 143, The Nicholson Institute, 780, Eight Avenue, New York. Jan 17

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

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

Cosmopolitan patterns ten cents. No more. SNYDER BROS.

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Write Hayden Bros., Omaha. Wholesale Supply House for prices and samples.—28 1/2 yr.

Best stock farm in Custer county for sale, at \$8.00 per acre. JESSE GANDY.

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

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

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

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 19 17

Bang's galleries at Broken Bow and Ansley, are both open all the time, cabinets at \$2.00 and \$2.50, and fine crayon pictures cheap. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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. BRENZER.

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.

Cannon City coal at Dierks Lumber Co.

Omaha painless dentist at the Globe hotel Jan. 28 and 29. j17 27

Jake Johnson has bought the old Bockhacker barber shop. Call and see him for first class work. j17 37

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

Hotel For Sale. Hotel and furniture at Merna, for sale cheap. For particulars write L. G. Gordon, Merna, Nebraska.

See Dr. Withers, Omaha dentist, for up-to-date dental work, at Omaha prices. Set of teeth \$5. 20 years' experience. j17 27

Chickens For Sale. Very fine Blue Banded Plymouth Rock chickens for sale, 2 miles west of city. W. M. VANNICE, 320 3m

FOR SALE—Fresh young cows in Rose Valley, on W. C. Luce's farm, eleven miles northeast. Jan 10 37 A. McMURTRY.

For Sale Cheap—Several farms, in various parts of Custer county. For locations and terms write me. I am in town Wednesday and Saturday, afternoons. A. T. SEYBOLT, Broken Bow, Nebr.

Farm For Rent. A good farm, well improved, 105 acres broke, good pasture, good well, frame barn and so on house. For particulars inquire at the REPUBLICAN office. 1 19 37

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 whenever he sees them come. JOHN & KNERR.

Local Mention.

Job printing at this office.

T. T. Williams, of Ansley, made this office a friendly call Tuesday.

WANTED—A girl for general house work. MRS. GEO. WILLING.

J. F. Foxworthy, of Ryno, was a social visitor at these headquarters Tuesday.

Thos. D. Gill, of Genet, made this office a welcome call one day last week.

F. W. Holden, of Merna, was among the welcome callers at this office Tuesday.

This office acknowledges a friendly call from Frank Cozad, of New Helena, Tuesday.

B. N. Predmore, of West Union, kindly remembered this office while in the city last Thursday.

B. W. Kellenbarger and wife were city visitors Monday, returning home Tuesday afternoon.

Chas. Chappel has bought Claud Wahl's barber shop. He took charge of his new purchase last Friday.

Mrs. A. W. Gandy has been quite sick for the past week with neuralgia, but is now improving rapidly.

District court will convene in this city Feb. 11. In all probability the Fullhart murder case will be tried at that session.

You can save money by ordering your reading matter through the REPUBLICAN. We can furnish you nearly all the papers and magazines for less than publishers prices.

Clair Cox has resigned his position of telegraph operator at this place, and has accepted a position in the Farmers bank, made vacant by the resignation of Dean Holcomb.

The Broken Bow Political Equality Club will meet with Mrs. N. E. Armstrong, Friday evening, Jan. 18, 1901, at 7:30 p. m. sharp.

Mrs. A. M. SNYDER, Sec.

Phy. Wymore, of Callaway, made this office a friendly call Tuesday. He was in the city looking after his chances for the contract to build the county bridges, for which he had filed a bid.

Chas. Pean, who last week received the appointment of commandant of the soldiers' home at Milford, expects to move to Milford about the 26th of this month, and will assume charge Feb. 1.

Capt. V. C. Talbot has accepted the position of clerk in Heaberle's drug store, the position he filled so long and acceptably before he accompanied the first Nebraska regiment to Manila. He has secured the services of Edward Neth to look after his cattle ranch.

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

The county board in letting the contract for superintending the poor farm to John Pernie, for the ensuing year, met the approval of a large number of citizens, who have observed his faithful work the past year. We understand that the proceeds of the 240 acres the past year, amounts to about \$1900.

Ed Royse, who received the appointment as secretary of the State Banking Board last week, had to assume charge of the business at once. He came home Sunday morning and returned Sunday night. As his duties on the board will require his whole time, he expects soon to move his family to Lincoln.

F. J. Britton, of Anselmo, and C. A. Snyder, of Milburn, were welcome callers at this office Friday. Mr. Snyder was in the city to pay the taxes on a quarter section of land he had under the irrigation ditch on the Middle Loup, and he found it rather of an expensive experience. His taxes for one year on one quarter section was over \$80.

P. G. Green, who has been a regular subscriber to the REPUBLICAN since it started in 1882, called yesterday and had his credit marked up to 1902, which reads up twenty years. He paid the subscription to the paper the first two years with two wolf scalps, the subscription price then being \$1.50 per year. Mr. Green is one of the number of the first subscribers, who has been faithful all these years, and is but seldom in arrears.

The contest of Pigman against Ream was decided in favor Ream retaining his seat.

J. R. Orvis, of West Union made this office a friendly call Tuesday and had his subscription advanced.

The postponed Sunday school Christmas festival of the Episcopal church will be held the coming Friday evening, January 18th, at 7:30 p. m.

Prof. Adamson informs us that he has his telephone line completed to Wescott and Comstock. The line has been extended from Sargent to Taylor, Loup county.

Otto C. Ager gave a phonograph entertainment Monday night, over the telephone wires. The subscribers to the entertainment, included 130 phones in this city and several at Ansley.

Chas. Chrysler has sold the Bockhacker barber shop to Jacob Johnson. This makes two changes in the barber shops within a week. Mr. Johnson will discontinue his shop on the north side.

S. K. Warrick, cashier of the Broken Bow State Bank, who has been confined to his bed several weeks, with typhoid fever, we are pleased to announce is now able to be out part of the time.

C. G. Brenizer has just received from the Woodman accident association of Lincoln \$18.84, for injuries received, Dec. 10, 1900, while working at carpentering. This is the second time Mr. Brenizer has had occasion to test the reliability of the association.

Walter Clark, a young man 18 years old, of Weisert was arrested last Thursday, by sheriff Armstrong on the charge of breaking into John Friskhorn's house and taking a rifle. The young man was brought to the city and put under bonds for his appearance before Judge Armour today. The trial was had today. The Judge sentenced him to jail thirty days.

Last Monday a meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Amanda Holcomb, eight miles northeast of the city, for the purpose of organizing a missionary Baptist church. Rev. J. R. Wood, pastor of the Mason City and Ansley churches, who had been holding special meetings in the Holcomb settlement for ten days previous, was moderator. He was assisted in the organization by Rev. S. W. Richards, of this place, and ye scribe. As a result of Rev. Wood's meetings a church was organized with ten members, with prospects favorable for more accessions soon.

Ed Penn was arrested at Kearney last Friday, and brought to Broken Bow that evening, on the charge of having forged a check on Michael Kochin for \$37.50. His preliminary trial was had before Judge Armour Saturday, when he was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$350. From the evidence, it appeared that Ed went to Kochin's on the morning of the tenth, and got two blank checks on the Farmers Bank of Broken Bow. He went back to Lon Moore's, where he had staid over night and secured pen and ink and made out the check in Jimmie Moor's presence, for \$37.50. Accompanied by a young boy by the name of Henman, he went to Oconto, where the Henman boy got A. E. Brigman, a merchant, to cash the check. They left together for Kearney, where Ed was arrested, the following day. The sheriff found on his person about \$19.00. Just how much of the evidence produced in the county court can be substantiated in the district court, is to be seen.

Married.

CONLEY—WILCOX—Tuesday, January 15th, at the office of the county judge, M. Conley, of Ryno, and Mrs. Mary Wilcox, of Oconto, Judge Armour officiating.

The groom is one of Custer county's highly respected citizens who has been a resident of Custer county since 1883.

His bride is a lady of long residence in the county and enjoys the esteem of her acquaintances. The REPUBLICAN extends congratulations.

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.

E. H. Dalby, of Logan Iowa, was in the city Monday looking over the town with the view of establishing a cigar factory here. He now has a factory in Logan where he is employing several hands. He has an opportunity to sell his Iowa plant, and in case he does, he will locate in Nebraska. He is a man of considerable means and will put in a plant that will employ from seven to ten hands. The business men of the town feel very friendly to the enterprise and have assured Mr. Dalby that he can depend upon them for their patronage and good will to the extent that his goods will merit. He is a brother-in-law of B. W. Kellenbarger, of Merna, and from what we have been able to learn of him we feel confident he would prove a valuable acquisition to the city.

Oyster Supper.

The gentlemen of the Baptist church will give an oyster supper in the store room just north of Rinne's restaurant, Friday evening Jan. 18, 1901.

As this is an innovation from the usual method of conducting church suppers, we solicit the patronage of the general public, in order to determine the practicability of the plan on future occasions in Broken Bow. Ladies are especially invited.

Supper will be ready promptly at 6 o'clock and continue until all are served.

A committee will be on hand to take charge of the babies. Bring them along.

The following persons have kindly promised to serve on the various committees:

Chief Cook—Capt. E. H. Burham.
Committee on Rooms—W. H. Andrews, J. W. White, M. E. Harris and Wm. Blair.
Entertainment Committee—O. H. Mevies and A. R. Humphrey.

To Superintend Tables—J. A. Armour G. W. Apple and Dr. R. C. Talbot.
Com. on Cake and Coffee—T. C. Baldwin.
Com. on Provision—Rev. S. W. Richards, D. M. Ambery and J. M. Kimberling.

Dish Washers—D. M. Ambery, L. A. Parmenter, E. L. Busch and Geo. W. Hoote.
Waiters—W. L. Hale, Dr. Clinton Day, J. B. Smith, H. L. Frazer, Simon Cameron, C. E. Gandy, C. S. Martin, Allan Royner, Mr. England, Dr. Willie Talbot, Dean Holcomb, Ray Armour, Chas. Maupin.

Cashier—J. M. Kimberling.

BILL OF FARE.
Oysters, Pickles, Crackers, Salad, Celery, Cakes, Coffee, Salt, Pepper, Toothpicks.

Rev. J. W. Crooks Dead.

From the Rocky Mountain Baptist, published at Boulder, Colorado, we learn that Rev. J. W. Crooks died at Monte Vista on Monday, January 7, 1901, of pneumonia. He was sick only a short time. He reached Monte Vista on the 1st, and preached there every night. At the close of his services Friday evening he complained of being sick, and sent for a physician. His wife was telegraphed for on Sunday, and arrived in time on Monday to be with him in his last hours. He left Broken about ten years ago, graduating the following year at Morgan Park. Since then he has been district missionary in Minnesota two years, pastor at St. Paul, Minnesota, one year, at St. Cloud two years, at Iowa Falls three years, and the remainder of the time he has been general missionary in Colorado.

He was born in England Jan. 9th, 1863. He leaves a wife and seven children. It is said of him: "He was a most efficient superintendent of missions. He worked too hard; he never spared himself. During the last year he traveled 35,000 miles. He was wide awake and aggressive. He was always actuated by the loftiest motives. His heart was set on doing the will of God. He looked for the good that was in men, and found it. For him the spots on the sun had no charm. He was kindly, genial, gentlemanly, loving. He possessed the instincts and had cultivated the graces of a true gentleman. His kindness of heart was unfeeling. It was his delight to bless, but never to smite; to heal, but never hurt. His was the foot to turn aside to spare the worm, that it might move on." His last visit here was during the state convention in October. His hair had greyed in his absence of ten years, but his face was young, and he manifested the same life and energy characteristic of him in his younger days, and his visit was greatly enjoyed, especially by his old acquaintances. It is sad to learn that he has been cut off in the prime of his usefulness. His remains were laid to rest last Friday, in Denver, the funeral being conducted by Rev. Dr. Vosbaugh, pastor of the First Baptist church.

For Sale.

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