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Ahead of Time

—or behind time—may mean disaster for one who is not on time.

A steady time-keeper is an absolute necessity. You can't get along with a watch that runs slow one day and fast another. There is no reason to get along with such a watch when I am here to repair it for you and at reasonable prices.

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Fourth of July.
All kinds of 4th of July goods at Bowen's. Flags, Torpedos, Rockets, Pistols, Crackers, (Snakes) in fact everything at J. C. Bowen's. 6-20-21.

Notice to the Public.
Owners of city property are hereby notified to cut the weeds on their lots and streets and save cost. If let stand until cut by the city, the expense will be charged to the property and added to your tax. 6-27-01. P. M. TOWSELEY, Marshal.

Burlington Rout—Holiday Rates.
July 3 and 4 between stations not more than two hundred miles apart. Return limit, July 5. Minimum rate 50 cents.

PURE teas at J. C. Bowen's.
Taken Up
At my place of residence, ten and one-half miles north of Broken Bow, June 13, 1901, one roan cow with white spots; dehorned; X brand on left hip; is six or seven years old; has two weeks old calf by side. Owner can have same by proving property and paying costs. 5-20-01 G. L. WARRING.

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Local Mention.

F. A. Delano, of Lee Park, kindly remembered this office Monday while in the city.

W. F. Jenkins, of Arcadia, was in the city Tuesday, with a load of cherries, grown on his farm.

Samuel Waddington, of Ortello has added another quarter section, of land to his possessions in Ortello valley.

Sam Waddington shipped four cars of cattle and one car of hogs Tuesday. J. Kellinbarger shipped two cars of cattle the same day.

I. C. McConnell and wife, of Callaway, passed through the city Wednesday, on their way home from a visit with friends at Sargent.

R. E. Moore, of Kearney, brother of former townsman, A. Moore, was in the city the latter part of last week and the former part of this.

J. G. Leming left Tuesday night for the Black Hills, where he expects to be gone two or three months, looking after his mining interests near Lead, South Dakota.

Among the ball players from Callaway, who played here Wednesday, we noticed Fred Brittan, Will Stevens, Walt Brittan, Prof. Thompson, Mr. Browning and Ross Kitch.

The school officers elected in the King district Monday were Ham Rogers, director; and Mrs. Coover, moderator. The other member of the board who holds over is W. J. Wennagle.

Mr. Sly, of Burwell, employed by the commission firm of Schelly & Rogers, of South Omaha, passed through the city Saturday, enroute from Callaway to Burwell, with a bunch of cattle.

The REPUBLICAN office has been moving this week to new quarters in the room south. Next week we hope to have our office in shape to receive our friends where they are invited to call.

W. A. Cosler, of West Union was a welcome caller at this office Monday. He reports the crops between Round valley and the Holcomb settlement considerably damaged by hail Saturday.

P. H. Monk, who has had charge of the grocery department in the Thompson, Rublee & Stevens store here has accepted a position with John & Knerr, where he will begin the first of July.

We were compelled to leave out the communications from both Anselmo and Ortello last week, as they did not reach this office until Thursday morning, and we then had more matter than we could crowd into our columns. We publish them this week.

A meeting of the publishers of Custer county is called to meet in Broken Bow, July 8th, for the purpose of reorganizing the Custer County Editorial Association. Roy Barnard, junior editor of the Callaway Courier, is the prime mover in the matter.

Geo. W. Brown, of the Middle Loup, near Sargent, was a friendly caller Tuesday. Mr. Brown states that the hail last Saturday, did not reach his place to do any damages but he observed a number of wheat fields in Round valley and other places along the road that were badly damaged. Some fields were injured by the heavy rains more than by the hail.

S. D. Butcher, author of the Pioneer History of Custer county, informed us Tuesday that he has now received several hundred of the books and will receive 800 more in a day or two, as he has received notice of their shipment. In examining a copy he left at this office we notice among the many interesting subjects treated, are the organization of Custer county, the cattle industry, the Mitchell and Getchem tragedy, killing of the cow boys at Anselmo, the Province tragedy, the Hausette murder, history of Broken Bow, Callaway, Ansley, Westville, Mason City, Sargent, Victoria, Douglas Grove etc., as well as many interesting incidents of the pioneer days. The book is highly illustrated with half-tone engravings of early scenes and individuals who add material to its appearance. Among the scenes is the burning of Mitchell and Ketchum. The book is well worth all it costs, \$2.50 to \$3.50 per volume.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rapp, of Berwyn, were city visitors Tuesday.

Senator Currie and son Claude were city visitors Saturday. They were on their way home from a visit to Omaha and Lincoln.

Andrew Weaver and Newton McAdams, of Mason City, were two of the new students who enrolled in the summer school Monday. They made this office a friendly call.

Thompson, Rublee & Stevens have moved their stock of goods to Callaway. They closed up their place of business in this city Monday and Mr. Thompson, the manager, of the store, went to Callaway Tuesday.

Weeds have been improving their opportunity during the wet weather the past two weeks and the man who has been able to keep them down is the exception rather than the rule. It takes hot weather to make corn grow.

Now that we are located in our new quarters, we feel that we can smile on each person who calls on us, whether they pay their subscription or not, but if you are delinquent, to insure the "glad face," it would be wise to pay up a little.

Fred Rinne left Wednesday night of last week, for Arkansas, to look after his property, for a short time, after which he will go to Pomona, California, where his wife and children now reside, with a view of making that his permanent home. We will not be surprised to see Fred back to Broken Bow by the first of January.

Chas. B. Kendall, the artist who is doing the scene painting at the Opera house, and who is the promoter of the pantomime production, "Evangeline," is a young man of much ability in both lines mentioned, and has had ample experience and abundant success in both painting and dramatic work. The play to be put on next Saturday night is the best of American production, and is deserving of a large audience. Those who have read the book will not miss it and those who have not read the book cannot afford to miss it. This play will employ seventy characters made up in the costumes of the Acadian people, and each act will lead the observer back to the day of the Acadian peasant, causing him to live the life of the Acadian before and at the time of Acadia's downfall. Great praise can also be given the management of the Opera house for the interest shown, and time and money expended in fitting up a full set of scenery, drop curtain, etc., beside re-plastering and kalsomining throughout. Under such management, the public should show their appreciation by a large attendance at the opening play, "Evangeline," Saturday evening, June 29.

The question of the high school levy did not prove to be very popular in some of the school districts in this county Monday. In the King district southeast of town, we are informed that there was but one vote cast in favor of the levy. A number with whom we have conversed were under the impression that the graded schools would receive the benefit without having to bear any part of the tax. In part they were mistaken. The benefit would be derived from the pupils of the various districts who availed themselves of the free tuition, it would afford them. The high school district is exempt from the special tax for the simple reason that they are already taxed to the full extent of the law to maintain the high school for the pupils of their respective school districts in addition to the expense of maintaining schools for the primary and intermediate branches the same as the country schools. Had these high schools been required to pay the two mills additional for the high school purposes it would have been unjust. The law contemplated free tuition to all pupils of the county who desire to acquire a higher education than the ungraded schools can furnish. In districts where the high schools are located they have provisions for their pupils and the two-mill levy on the ungraded schools was calculated to provide for the pupils of those districts by creating a fund to pay their tuition where they should choose to attend. If the levy has been defeated the greatest sufferers will be the pupils of the country schools who will now have to pay their own tuition or be deprived of a high school education.

Mrs. Frank John and children are visiting with relatives at Seward.

E. H. Dalby has rented the Frazier property in the south part of town.

Rev. Teagarden and wife will leave next Monday for Denver, where they will spend a month visiting.

W. B. Athey has secured the contract to run the Standard Oil wagon for the city. He started his route yesterday.

On Wednesday evening, June 26, Charles Chandler, the efficient drug clerk, at McComas' was married to Miss Alice Butler, of Ansley.

This office got out bills this week for N. P. Nelson, of Lodi, who will exhibit a two headed calf and several other freaks of nature in this city Saturday.

H. M. Kidder, of Scribner, Nebr., was in the city Monday, looking after legal business. Mr. Kidder publishes a paper at Scribner in connection with his law practice.

Lightning struck the house of U. L. Ward on the north side last Saturday. It struck the chimney and entered the house. Mrs. Ward was in the house at the time but escaped with but a slight shock.

The Children's Day exercises at the Baptist church Sunday night was attended by a large audience. Not only was the seating capacity of the church all occupied, but the standing room in both church and vestibule was crowded. The exercises were up to date, and were exceedingly well rendered. A liberal collection was taken at the conclusion of the program for the Baptist Publication Society.

We learn that the fusionists have several candidates for the office of register of deeds. Thus far we have heard that James Leonard, E. M. Webb, V. J. Sterdy, Jason Evans and C. G. Emplford would be active candidates before the primaries, (if they pay their registration fee to the high mucky-mucks, in time to get their names printed on the tickets.)

DEED—Friday June 21, Mrs. Almira Raymond of this city, aged 80 years 8 months and 18 days. The deceased has been a resident of this county for twenty-one years and for several years has resided in this city with her daughter. She leaves two sons, Wallace of Union, College and Charles of this vicinity and Miss Flora to mourn her death. Her remains were laid to rest Sunday in the Custer Center cemetery, where a short service was held. The Republican extends to the be-

—TO—
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W. D. Blackwell, Agent,
At Farmers Bank,
Broken Bow, - Nebraska.

received the sympathy of the community.

Hogs are selling for \$5.40 in Broken Bow today.

Mr. Watson, who bought out Fred Rinne, has his restaurant almost ready to occupy.

Judge Sullivan held court yesterday and today and will hold again Saturday when expects to complete the work of this term.

Rasmus Hannibal, of St. Paul, deputy oil inspector for this district was a friendly caller at this office today in company with V. J. Sterdy, former inspector.

B. W. Raymond, of Lincoln, was a friendly caller at this office today. He came up Saturday night to attend the funeral of his mother, whose remains were buried Sunday at Custer Center.

C. S. Osborne has given up the hotel business at Ravenna and has moved to Grand Island, where he has accepted a position as traveling salesman for a wholesale liquor and cigar house of that city. He has been working in this county for several days.

N. J. Otten, of Round valley, who was a city visitor Wednesday, reports that part of the small grain on the Fanglejers farms and that of Wm. Ellingson was destroyed by the hail last Saturday, so badly that it will hardly be worth cutting.

The hot weather seems to have no terrors for the ball players. A matched game was played Wednesday afternoon on the Broken Bow grounds, between the home team and the Callaway club. The game resulted 9 to 1 in favor of Broken Bow. Tomorrow Broken Bow and Anselmo will cross bats in this city.

MARRIED—At the home of the bride's mother, June 21, Rev. H. E. Myers officiating, Mr. Leonard L. Baughman of McCook, and Miss Myrtle Dean, of Broken Bow.

While the groom is a stranger here the bride has a large circle of friends who are unanimous in extending wishes of a long, joyous and prosperous married life.

MARRIED—At the U. B. parsonage, June 23, at 2 p. m., Rev. H. E. Myers officiating, Mr. Richard Barratt, of Ansley, and Mrs. Belle Roberts, of Broken Bow. Mr. Barratt is a prosperous farmer and highly esteemed in his community. Mrs. Roberts was one of Custer county's successful teachers and by her modest, womanly way won a host of friends whose wishes are for a happy and prosperous wedded life for both Mr. and Mrs. Barratt.

Church Services.
BAPTIST CHURCH.
Preaching services next Sunday morning at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., by pastor, Rev. S. W. Richards. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Junior B. Y. P. U. at 2:30 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U. at 7:00.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
A special invitation is extended to all to attend the lecture on of immortality Sunday evening at Christian church.

U. B. CHURCH.
Subject for morning sermon, "Christian Citizenship." In the evening, "A Queer Courtship, Divinely Directed," will be the theme. It will be a subject for young people. The Panoramic views will be used to illustrate the subject. The pastor, H. E. Myers, will also preach at the King school house at 3 p. m. A hearty welcome to all of these services.

The Broken Bow High School Alum Association will hold its annual meeting for the of officers on Tuesday evening July 2nd at the home of Miss Fannie Drake. A large attendance is desired.
Miss GERTIE ORR Pres.

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