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“ALL IN YOUR EYE”

Is a saying expressive of imaginary trouble. It is more probable that real trouble will be all in the eyes. This is an age of defective eyes, but not so much one of serious eye trouble as before the extensive use of glasses. Statistics show that blindness has decreased over 60 per cent since the advent of glasses for the correction of complicated optical defects. Like to do my share in helping the good work along. Let me help you.



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—AND—

School Supplies.

—AT—

J. G. Haeberle's.

PURE Pickling vinegars at J. C. Bowen's.

Church Services.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Endeavor subject for Sunday, July 21. "A Strong Weak Man." Text: Judges, 16: 20-30.

Special music for the occasion. A good time is expected. Solos, Duets etc. After the Union meeting in Park be sure and come to the Endeavor. Everybody cordially invited. Begins promptly at 8.

Miss May Beckwith, Leader.

PURE extracts at J. C. Bowen's.

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. P. M. TOWSLEY, Marshal.

FOUND—By Lou and Paul Athey a caddie of tobacco, Sunday, which the owner can have by proving property and paying for this notice.

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Local Mention.

Daniel Barratt of West Table, was a city visitor Tuesday.

T. T. Varney and Tom Wright, of Ansley, were city visitors Saturday.

R. K. Miller, of Mason City, was a friendly caller at this office Saturday.

H. B. Glover and J. W. McRae, of Douglas Grove township, were in the city Saturday.

R. D. Sullivan, of Custer, was in town Saturday taking the dimensions of Eli's shoes.

See W. D. Blackwell at Farmers Bank for Fire, Cyclone and Tornado insurance. 7-11 ff

J. F. Foxworthy, of Ryno, was looking after his political interests in this city Saturday.

John B. Gilmore and wife, of Over, were among the friendly callers at this office Saturday.

H. J. Eddington, one of the retive republicans of East Custer, was a friendly caller Saturday.

Col. V. C. Talbot returned Tuesday night from his tour of inspection and is inspecting Co. M, of this place, today.

G. W. Dewey, of Lillian, and Jules Haumont, of Garfield, were among the number who attended the county central committee meeting Saturday.

Ole Johnson of Round Valley, was in the city Monday. He reports the spring wheat practically all destroyed in his vicinity by the chinch bugs.

B. O. Hutton, proprietor of the City Barber shop has recently had a barber pole of elaborate dimensions and decorations placed in front of his place of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wilson and Miss Mable Hiatt left Wednesday morning for Wyoming, where they will spend a couple of weeks at Lake Dome.

The Sargent Leader of last week, states that "Mrs. Gardner and children and Mrs. Currie and daughters left this morning for an extended visit in the eastern states."

The preachers and real estate men played the court house contingency game of base ball last Thursday, with Judge Sullivan as umpire. The court house boys went the belt.

John Malm, of the Westerville, district, was in town Monday and paid this office a visit. He says nail, chinch bugs and dry weather have have played havoc with the crops and farmers there are some what discouraged.

This is the last week of the summer school. The county institute will begin next week and continue two weeks. The instructors will be W. R. Jackson, J. G. Lewis, J. E. Ananson and Lillie Heune. Conductor, Supt. J. J. Tooley.

Dr. T. W. Bass returned last week from San Diego, California, with the view of locating permanently in Broken Bow. He expects to engage in his profession in a few days. This will be good news to a large number of his old customers.

Mrs. A. F. Elliott, who has been visiting in the city the past three weeks, left last Friday night for her home at Torrington, Wyoming. Her father, John Lowe, accompanied her as far as Alliance, on his way to Chadron, where he was going on a short visit.

The union services held in the park Sunday evening were quite largely attended and the interest and order was remarkably good. Rev. Myers, pastor of the U. B. church, preached a very acceptable sermon. The band assisted with the music. Rev. Knight will preach next Sunday evening.

Misses Laura Maulick and Etwa Wescott, former teachers in the Broken Bow schools who have been teaching in the Omaha schools the past few years, left last Thursday for a trip to Derver, Ogden, Salt Lake and other points west to spend part of their vacation before returning to their school work.

One of the features of the teachers' institute will be a spelling match. The two best spellers will represent the county in the state contest to be held during the State Teachers' Association meeting. The winners in the state contest will receive from \$50 to \$100. The list of words to be used can be had by addressing The Nebraska Teacher, Lincoln.

T. D. Gill, of Genet, kindly remembered us Tuesday.

S. S. McConnell, of Georgetown, was in the city Monday.

J. J. Bobbits, of Tackerville, was up from the Loup Monday.

Frank Troop and wife, of Mulina, were city visitors Monday.

F. E. Van Antwerp, of Lodi, called for a friendly chat Saturday.

J. C. Predmore, of Walworth, was among the city visitors Saturday.

Hon. F. M. Currie was shaking hands with his friends in this city Monday.

Next Monday is the date of the populists convention to be held in this city.

S. L. Glover, of Dry Valley, recently returned from a visit of several weeks in the east.

J. B. Tierney and wife, of Ansley, spent several days in Omaha last week and returned by the way of Broken Bow.

W. B. Athey took a 500-gallon tank of oil to Ansley Monday, returning the same day. It required a four-horse team to haul it.

A well founded rumor is to the effect that the Broken Bow band is to be made the First Regimental Band of Nebraska in the near future.

J. F. Brechbull, supervisor from Anselmo, went to Omaha last week with a car of fat cattle fed at the poor farm. They brought \$1,400.

At the meeting of the city council last night it was decided to have the bridge on Fourth avenue put in at once. Work will commence on it today.

C. W. Booth of McKinley, has bought the Dr. J. J. Pickett resident property in this city and moved into it. The consideration was \$600.

Peter Greer, of Seneca, and a substantial friend of Broken Bow, died from the effects of sunstroke. His remains were taken to York for burial last Monday week.

J. J. Stanford of Merna, who has been planning for several months to go to the Pacific coast for his health has decided to sell off his stock of dry goods, boots, shoes, notions, etc., at auction. He will have an auction sale every Saturday afternoon until the entire stock is closed out.

James Lindley of Anselmo, was in the city last Saturday doing business with the U. S. Land Office. He purchased 120 acres more of government land. This gives him 2,060 acres in one body. There is another quarter or two that joins him that he will have to have before he is satisfied. Then he will want a little piece yet for a hog lot.

Prof. W. W. Waters was a friendly caller at this office yesterday. He returned last Saturday from Boone county, where he was employed the past two years as principal of the Petersburg schools. Since his school closed he has held a six weeks normal school and institute at Albion, the county seat of Boone. He has been elected principal of the schools at Valley the ensuing year, with increased salary.

A number of the members of the Broken Bow fire company went to Fremont Monday night to attend the State Firemen's Tournament which opened there Tuesday, and to continue three days. The local fire company of Fremont and the business men of that city have spared neither expense nor work to make the affair one of the best of its kind ever held in the state. Those that went from here who belong to the Broken Bow company are J. G. Haeberle, G. W. Apple, R. J. Morton, Wm. Blair, W. W. Wilson, L. E. Cole, J. S. Mollyneaux and C. H. Holcomb. E. R. Purcell and L. W. Wilson went down Tuesday to take in the fun.

Prof. B. H. Hiatt has been tendered the position of superintendent of schools in one of the cities in the Island of Guam, through the solicitation of Ensign A. W. Pressey, who is located there on one of the American battleships. Prof. Hiatt was a member of the examining board when Ensign Pressey passed his examination for a cadetship to West Point. He solicited this appointment for Prof. Hiatt to show his appreciation of favors received. The appointment carries with it a salary of \$160 per month in gold, and transportation for himself, wife and two children to the point of destination. We understand that Mr. Hiatt has not yet determined to accept the appointment, but possibly will.

Miss Maude Farrell is visiting in Denver, with former acquaintances.

The Mason City Transcript says that "Paul Coffman, who accidentally received a bullet wound in one of his legs, at Ansley, on July 4th, is able to be around."

H. M. Brownell has bought out the E. L. Bunch restaurant and consolidated his with it. This gives Mr. Brownell larger quarters for his growing business and will enable him to better accommodate the hungry public.

The trial of the state against S. Sarsensen, night agent at the B. & M. depot that was to have been had yesterday was continued one week. This is the case where the sheriff seized sixteen boxes of supposed liquors on the eve of the 4th.

John McGuire, Thomas Williams and J. F. Hatch, prominent stockmen of Hooker county, were doing business at the U. S. Land Office and Farmers Bank Monday. Mr. Hatch is recently of Fairbury, and owing to the public school advantages and the business college at Broken Bow, he has decided to locate at Broken Bow, from which point he will look after his stock interests in Hooker county.

Died.

JONES—Monday, July 15th, 1901, at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, wife of E. D. Jones, of Weisport, age 69 years.

The deceased had been afflicted from a stroke of paralysis for the past fourteen years, but had not become helpless until within the past six months. She was able to sit up much of the time and was up all day Saturday before her death.

She with her husband have been residents of Custer county for the past nine years. She was the aunt and foster mother of Mrs. John Campbell. The funeral was Monday.

Base Ball.

Friday afternoon of last week, Brewster and Broken Bow tried their strength at the bat at this place. The game was one of the best played in Central Nebraska this season. The score stood, at the close of the ninth inning 4 to 5 in favor of the home team.

The following is the score:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Brewster	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
Broken Bow	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5

 Batteries—Brewster, Harris and McHenry; Broken Bow Hagin and Corbitts.
 They played a second game Saturday, in which the score was 5 to 6 in favor of the Bow.

Teachers Elected.

This is the time of the year teachers are looking for schools and school boards are debating which of the number of applicants to choose.

Already a number of schools have elected teachers, of which the following is a list as far as we have been able to learn: Frank Smith, No. 108, Lodi; Harry Kimball, Cornish district; May Walsh, Osonto; Della Burger, Westerville; Fred Pinnell, No. 185, Wise district; Ethel Wright Ryno; Verda Thorpe, Downey district near Georgetown; Ama Amberry, No. 32, Kiog district; Bessie McCasslin, No. 72, Jackson district; Maggie Allen, Copsey district; Mable Hall, No. 188, southwest of Sargent; Sadie Franklin, Tufford; W. I. Farnham, Hiser district; Guy Livermore, Somerford; Bessie Bedwell, No. 8, north of Sargent; Edith Byers, No. 101, Robinson district, near New Helena; Madge Kay, Sumner; Mable Comstock, Dodge; Millie Luce, Vannie; Geo. Sims and Nettie Hannawald, Anselmo.

Dividend of 10 1/2 Per Cent.
 Mr. Henry A. Wyman, receiver of the Globe Investment Company, which made a disastrous failure in 1895, has filed his fourth and last report in the Suffolk supreme court, and asks authority to pay a dividend.

On investigation it was found that loans had been collected by agents, mortgages sold twice and that large sums of money had been misapplied by the officers and punishment in the state prison followed. The misapplied funds amounted to over half a million dollars and the total liabilities was over \$2,000,000, and its gross business amounted to \$7,000,000. At first it was thought no dividend could be realized from the resources but the receiver has been able to get enough together to pay a dividend of 10 1/2 per cent.

"Queer" Coins at Arnold.

If there is a gang of counterfeiters located in Custer county with a "mint" in some dark and mysterious den amidst the fastness of the hills, its identity and whereabouts are only known to those connected. While it is doubtful if

such an institution exists in the county, sufficient evidence is at hand to show that "lead" dollars are creeping into circulation on a small scale.

Several counterfeit silver dollars have been passed during the past month or two at Arnold. They are a very poor imitation, and the "shover" of the "queer" has usually picked his victims from among the unwarly. One young man who was connected with the management of a dance there Fourth of July night received one of the spurious coins from a certain man of the neighborhood, who is said to have passed one of the same mint some months ago, and future developments will probably land someone behind the bars.

Broken Bow Progresses.

Not long since Dr. Pennington excited the curiosity of the citizens of the vicinity by introducing to the community a motor bicycle, or better known as an "autobike." Up to Tuesday the doctor could claim superiority over all cyclists, as he could glide over the country without any effort, as a gasoline motor was the propelling power.

But the doctor's glory came suddenly to an end Tuesday evening, and now he only holds second place.

F. H. Young received an automobile by freight Tuesday afternoon and by 6 p. m. he was gliding over our streets at a forty-mile gait on an automobile, comfortably located in a well cushioned seat.

It was the first horseless carriage that had invaded the peace and quiet of the city and the people thronged the street corners to get a glimpse of it as it turned them so gracefully at lightning speed. No noise escapes from it, as does the autobike, and it is more easily governed, apparently, than a well trained horse. Although the price paid for it is steep for luxury, we shall not be surprised to see some more of our citizens become owners of an automobile in the near future.

Republican Primaries.

DOUGLAS GROVE TOWNSHIP.

The republican electors of Douglas Grove township will meet at the Lillian schoolhouse on Saturday, August 3, 1901, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing 11 delegates to the County convention, and to place in nomination a township ticket, and to transact any other business that may properly come

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