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"The Kind That Wears."

**Magazine Readers**  
Everywhere are familiar with the merits of

**Simmons' Watch Chains.**

This popular brand of chains has been widely advertised and we can but add our unqualified endorsement of their wearing qualities. Made of the very best gold filled stock, in the newest styles for ladies and gentlemen. They have stood the test of the time and are not found wanting.

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The old reliable St. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance Co., of St. Paul, Minn., with over \$3,000,000 cash assets, offers the farmers of Custer county absolute indemnity against loss by hail. Low rates, Honorable adjustment and Spot cash settlements. Insure your crop against hail. **J. A. HARRIS,** Agent. Office, Opposite P. O., Broken Bow, Neb.

**Tax on Babies.**

Extreme hot weather is a great tax upon the digestive power of babies; when puny and feeble they should be given a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge, the children's tonic. It will stimulate and facilitate the digestion of their food, so that they soon become strong, healthy and active. 25c at Ed. McComas' Broken Bow and Me-

**Market Report for Today.**

Wheat	80
Barley	45
Oats	40
Corn	35
Rye	50
Butter	15
Eggs	15
Potatoes	1.50
Onions, per bushel	1.50
Chickens, per pound	.08
Hogs	7.15
Cows	6.00
Sheep	6.50
Trucks, per pound	.10
Straw, per cwt.	4.00
Say, New, per ton	8.00
Sugar, per cwt.	8.00

### Local Mention.

**LOST**—A ladies gold watch. Suitable reward to the finder of it.  
**MRS. J. G. HAEBERLE.**

The **REPUBLICAN** and **Inter Ocean**, \$1.50.

The county board adjourned last Saturday.

Frank Griffith of Ryno, spent Sunday in our city.

R. M. Bowman went to Alliance Monday night.

P. G. Green of Green post office, was a city visitor Tuesday.

Kate Christy returned to her home near Anselmo Sunday evening.

J. F. S. Mercer and wife, of Mason City, returned home Sunday morning.

J. R. Rhodes of Mason City, was circulating among his friends in the city last week.

A heavy frost visited this section of the county last Friday night, but no great damage will result.

August Jager of Callaway, attended the Masonic Banquet at the Grand Central hotel Saturday night.

Mrs. C. L. Mullins returned home from the eastern part of the state, where she had been visiting, Sunday evening.

Mrs. R. W. Wilkins, who has been visiting with friends in the northeastern part of the state returned home Sunday.

An interesting program has been prepared for the celebration in Mosley's Grove, twelve miles northeast of Broken Bow, July 4.

C. M. Blowers and E. S. Finch of Arnold, attended the banquet given by the Masons at the Grand Central hotel last Saturday night.

John Tierney, who has been attending school at St. Mary, Kansas, returned home last week. He is home on a vacation and will return about September.

Emerson Purcell was a passenger Sunday morning for Omaha. He stopped off at Grand Island on his return to attend the populist state convention.

The band concert in the park Saturday evening was very fine, and was appreciated by a large audience. Broken Bow has good cause to be proud of her band.

Jesse Wilson and Alvin Burke were passengers east on Sunday morning's train, stating that Berwyn was their destination, but we believe that Lincoln was the point in view.

Mason City extends an invitation to the citizens of Broken Bow and vicinity to celebrate the 4th of July with them. The invitation came to late for us to publish it last week.

J. M. Chistensen of Berwyn, was a friendly caller last Thursday. He reports the hail Saturday previous did considerable damage to crops and window glass in his locality.

The pops and democrats held two representative conventions last Saturday night. Strange as it may seem, they did not fuse, but they nominated the same candidates, Tooley and Eastman.

H. G. Rogers and family have moved from Chicago to Manchester, N. H., where they expect to build and make their home. Miss Nettie graduated this spring with high honors in one of the best musical colleges in Chicago.

Mrs. Lizzie Duffield of Denver, Colo., mother of Gilbert and Kate Duffield, formerly employed as clerk in Bowen's store and teacher in our public schools respectively, was visiting in the family of Mr. Bowen and friends. She returned home Sunday morning.

At the State Sunday School convention held at Central City last week, there were twenty-four that passed examinations in the Normal Course of Study the past year, and of the number receiving diplomas seven of them were of Broken Bow, viz: H. Lomax, Edith Lomax, Edwin White, Tava Burke, Helen Leming, Alice Leming, and A. H. VanLandingham.

Ramah Ryerson is transacting business at Gates today.

Cassie Reynolds was visiting at Ryno the first of the week.

Fred Rinne went to Grand Island Tuesday to attend the democratic convention.

Senator F. M. Currie will be the principal orator of the day at Mosley's Grove, July 4th.

H. J. Marten of Merna, kindly remembered this office last Thursday while in the city.

G. O. Joyner and wife were city visitors Tuesday. Mr. Joyner made this office a friendly call.

The Sunday Schools of this community are invited to attend the basket picnic in the city park on July 4th.

Jesse Gandy and C. H. Jeffords were among the number that went to Grand Island to attend the pop convention Tuesday.

Mrs. E. A. Scoville of Anselmo, called a few days ago and had her subscription advanced and ordered the **Inter Ocean**.

Rev. S. W. Richards has accepted an invitation to deliver the address of the day at the 4th of July celebration at Arnold.

Callaway never does things by halves, and she is to give a good old-fashioned celebration on the 4th of July. Many of our people will go there on that day.

C. W. Willis of Ash Creek, brought in a load of hogs yesterday that averaged 260, for which he received \$7.10 per hundred. How is that for republican prosperity?

The Broken Bow band has been engaged to play for Callaway on the 4th of July. Callaway extends an invitation to the citizens of Broken Bow to celebrate with them.

Mace Forsythe, who has been absent from his store for several weeks on account of ill health, is again at his post of duty. For three or four weeks he has been out to Wyoming recuperating.

King Edward, that was to have been crowned yesterday, had to submit to a surgical operation on two days previous and the coronation was postponed. The king is in a critical condition, but hopes are entertained that he will recover.

U. L. Ward has sold his livery stock to C. U. Richardson and Eli Armstrong. They took possession of their new purchase last Saturday. Scott McGraw will remain in charge. Mr. Ward thinks of engaging in buying and selling horses.

The quarantine was lifted from the home of the Pickett family last Tuesday. Owing to the strict quarantine, the small-pox has been confined to two families and only four cases in all, notwithstanding parties have reported there were 17 cases in the city.

The **REPUBLICAN** acknowledges the receipt of a basket of fine Richmond cherries Thursday last week from E. F. Stephens of the Crete Nurseries. Mr. Stephens is a pioneer in the fruit raising business of this state, and from long experience he is enabled to furnish the best varieties of trees for this climate. His trees delivered here last spring were in prime condition, and as far as we have been able to learn his trees are all living, which is not true of all stock of other nurseries that delivered here last spring.

The Loup Valley Queen is the latest newspaper venture in Custer county that has reached our desk. It is a six column quarto published at Callaway by W. F. Zumbum. The initial number is a credit to the town of Callaway as well as its publisher. It is not only well filled with news matter, but it has a large advertising patronage. Callaway merchants are the most liberal advertisers in Central Nebraska. If there is a town in the state of 400 population where three newspapers can live and prosper Callaway is the town. Politically the Queen is republican. This gives Callaway two republican papers and one democrat. Formerly when there were three papers in Callaway their politics were the reverse. This is another evidence that Callaway and vicinity are progressive.

It took the democrats all night and until 10 o'clock the next day to swallow the pops, but they did a good job of it. There is no more pop party in Nebraska.

The lawn social given at the home of C. S. Martin last night by the ladies of the Baptist church, was largely attended and was a social and financial success.

The pops returned from Grand Island a crest fallen set. Their efforts to look pleased did not disguise their disappointment. They realized that the last prop was knocked from under them.

The Highlanders of Broken Bow initiated twenty two refugees last Thursday night and one on Tuesday night previous. M. I. Pro., W. E. Sharpe of Lincoln was present and assisted in the initiation after which he gave a talk on the work of the order. At the conclusion of the exercises refreshments were served. The evening was very much enjoyed by all present. The refreshments were a result of a contest between P. H. Munk and John Henry who were appointed captains of their respective sides, with the view of soliciting new members. The side that secured the less number of candidates in 30 days were to furnish supper for the lodge. The contest was very close but the supper was furnished by Henry and his assistants.

### Normal School Notes.

(BY FRANK L. WILLIAMS.)

Supt. Lewis is giving his class in Arithmetic some good drills in fractions.

Prof. George's history class is doing excellent work in reviewing the Civil War.

Plenty of hard work is the order of the day now, and especially in the first grade work.

A few students have enrolled since the last writing—the present enrollment being sixty.

The Botany Class is making rapid progress under the leadership of Prof. Vannice.

A few of Miss Henne's students are wrestling with the proposition in Geometry.

The Sunlight Literary gave a splendid program on last Friday afternoon. The question "Resolved that the free text book law should be repealed" was discussed and the judges decided in favor of the affirmative. Another program will be given on next Friday afternoon. All are cordially invited.

### Masonic Banquet.

One of the most pleasant social events that has occurred in this city for some time was the banquet given by the Masonic lodge of this city last Saturday night at the Grand Central Hotel.

It was the occasion of the installation of the Officer's elect of Emmet Crawford Lodge A. F. & A. M. No. 148. Before the installation the lodge raised one member to the third degree. That with the installation made it 11 o'clock before the work was complete. It gave everybody an appetite for the feast that the retiring worshipful Master Hagadorn had arranged for at the Grand Central. On arriving at the hotel Mine Host, Elliott had the dining room attired in a most inviting manner and the tables testily arranged forming a Creek Cross, where his guest were promptly seated. They were fully prepared for the affray. A more genial, civil and representative crowd of men probably ever sat in that hall. The attendance was not large, compared with the large membership of the order of this place, but they were not short in capacity. The spread was highly palatable and very much enjoyed. Mr. Elliott untiring in his efforts to serve and his genial, pleasant, unostentatious manner in looking after the individual comforts and desires of each showed him to be an entertainer of a high order. Mrs. Elliott who superintended the culinary department and the lady waiters came in for their share of compliments for the most splendid spread and the dispatch and elegant manner in which it was served.

Hon. A. R. Humphrey assumed the role of toast master and nearly an hour the crowd was entertained with a flow of wit, humor and logic that furnished amusement and instruction that all enjoyed.

Among those who responded to toasts were C. L. Guttererson, B. B. Hawthorne, M. K. Hagadorn, C. M. Blowers, E. R.

Purcell, S. B. Thompson, A. Morgan, Ras Anderson, D. M. Amsberry, H. Lomax, Chesney Thompson, Rev. Geo. P. Trites and J. J. Wilson.

The occasion was very much enjoyed by all and Mr. and Mrs. Elliott were highly complimented for their contributions to the successful event.

### Church Services.

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**  
Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Junior B. Y. P. U. at 3 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. You are kindly invited to attend these services.  
S. W. RICHARDS, Pastor.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH.**  
Sunday school next Lord's Day at 9:45 a. m. Communion service at 11 a. m. followed by preaching. Christian Endeavor Society at 7:45 p. m. Preaching at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to every one to attend these services, and especially to our summer school visitors. Bring your Bibles and come prepared to help make these different services both pleasant and profitable.  
C. V. ALLISON, Minister.

**M. E. CHURCH.**  
The morning subject at the M. E. church Sunday will be "Is Tithing Mandatory?" Text, Matt. 23-25. In the evening an illustrated sermon on "How We Give." Text Luke 6:38. Special music at both these services. All are invited.  
G. P. TRITES, Pastor.

**U. B. CHURCH.**  
At the U. B. church Sunday Morning the subject will be "Christian Citizenship." The evening subject will be "A Thorn in the Flesh." The students of the Summer school are especially invited to hear the morning discourse.  
H. E. MYERS, Pastor.

### Men's Tea Party.

The ladies of the M. E. church have inaugurated a new plan in tea parties which is unique and should be a winner. Circle No. 2, of the M. E. church will give a tea party to men tomorrow, Friday from 2 to 8 o'clock in the building east of Day's store. Men are especially invited.

### Fourth of July Picnic.

The farmers will have a 4th of July picnic in the Holcomb grove, just west of the Holcomb school house in Tappen Valley, two miles north of town. Everybody come and have a good time.

### Democrats Win.

The democrats and populists nominated at Grand Island yesterday W. H. Thompson for Governor, E. A. Gilbert of York, Lieutenant Governor; Jas. B. Brennan of Omaha, Land Commissioner; John H. Powers of Hitchcock, Secretary of state, J. H. Broady of Lincoln, Attorney General; J. N. Lyman of Adams, Treasurer; Claude Smith of Dawson, Superintendent.

The candidates for Governor, Attorney General and Land Commissioner are democrats, the other candidates pops.

### Another Bank Deal.

F. A. Young, President of the Custer National Bank, The Ansley State Bank and the Callaway State Bank not only believes in expansion but proves his faith by his works. He went over to Sargent Saturday and bought both the Gardner and the Nicholi banks. The officers of the new organization are: President, F. H. Young; vice-president, W. P. Higgins; cashier, Harry Sherman. In addition to the above officers, F. M. Currie and A. Morgan were elected directors, they being stock holders.

### Public Sale.

I will sell at public sale at my farm two miles south of Lodi, Nebraska, Tuesday, July 1, 1902, at 10 o'clock sharp, one hundred and sixty head of cattle, consisting of cows, yearlings and two year old steers, several horses, farm machinery and household furniture. J. P. LEINDBAY, R. D. SULLIVAN, Auctioneer.

### STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COLD.

Laxative Broncho-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cough, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

### Prizes for Pictures.

To advertise Nebraska the Burlington Route wants photographs of Nebraska farm and stock scenes, and lots of them. Prizes ranging from \$5.00 to \$25.00 in cash and including trips to Chicago, St. Louis, Denver and through the Black Hills have been announced by J. Francis, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, who will send additional information to anyone interested.

**Paints, Oils and Wall Paper**

--at--

**Ed. McComas' Drug Store.**

### BUSINESS POINTERS.

J. C. Moore, abstracting. 2tf

Job printing at this office.

Money loaned on improved farms. JAMES LEWIS, 7 18 tf Broken Bow, Neb.

Dr. T. W. Bass, dentist, office northwest corner of Realty Block. 8-1 tf.

For insurance and real estate go to Moore & Taylor, in Realty Block.

Come in and let me show you the finest lot of buggies you ever saw in Custer county. 2-3 C. S. MARTIN.

West Union, Nebraska—Yes, we will pay a part cash for butter and eggs. RUFUS G. CARR.

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. Brenizer.

Just received a car of hedge posts at Dierks Lumber & Coal Co. in this city. Price, 12 and 16 cents. 2 tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Town lots and a few five acre lots in this city, for cattle, horses or farm land.—Allen Reyner.

Money to loan on improved farms.—Moore & Taylor, Realty Block. 1-23 tf

STRAYED—Four steers, one blue, branded—C on left side. BRENN HURST, Broken Bow, Neb. 2-3

FOR SALE—One top buggy, nearly new; one lumber wagon, at my farm 12-16-20.—Frank Norton. 46tf

FOR RENT—A double room on second floor of the Custer block. Enquire at this office.

You can buy a sickle for a Deering or Plano mower of C. S. Martin for \$2.50 and sections for 5 cents each. 2-3

Pepsin Gum, two packages for a nickel at Wilkins' Pharmacy.

FOR SALE—Five acres of land in good state of cultivation adjoining Broken Bow for \$200. Inquire at this office. 3-27 tf

Dierks Lumber Co. has in stock a car load of fine cedar posts for the trade.

Several good farms for sale at a bargain, including my own.—JESSE GANDY. 44tf

Shallow gravel wells made and guaranteed by Frank Kelsey. 47-4

FOR SALE—Lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, block 5, in Jewett's addition to Broken Bow. Enquire at this office. 11-21 tf

If you intend to build call at Dierks Lumber Co. and get prices.

STRAYED—A brown mare, 8 years old, weight, 1100 pounds, long scar on left hip. Parties knowing of her will please notify me or bring her to my place four miles north and one mile east of Broken Bow. W. W. BISHOP, Broken Bow, Neb.

**Special Chance.**

The Milburn store is for sale, nice clean stock and store furniture, and buildings, well established business in a fine location. Annual sales \$7,000, stock will invoice about \$2,000, Building and fixtures about \$700. Address, W. E. SWINGEL, Milburn, Neb. 51-3 52-tf