

THE OLD RELIABLE



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Wm. Patterson, Oconto
Una Fox, Oconto
Henry Barrett, Rest
Estella M. Wilson, Rest
Phillip Zorb, Broken Bow
Ernestna Wenzel, Broken Bow
Wirt Smith, Merna
Letha A. Long, Arnold

Will Keel was a Broken Bow visitor last Wednesday.
Grandma Karsis is very sick with the lagrippe. We hope she will soon recover.

Sallie Christian closed a three months term of school at New Helena school house last Friday.

Guy Robinson has purchased a new top-buggy. Now he wants some one to ride in it with him.

Mrs. William Edmunds returned from Mason City last Sunday. She was visiting at the home of Edwin Burrows also at B. L. Nicholas of Pilot.

F. D. Mills has painted his house and dubbed his place, "White Lodge."

Reuben Johnson, full of years, and having lived a life worthy of emulation was laid to rest in the Westerville Cemetery last Sunday.

Elder Mathews and wife of Merna, were in Westerville Sunday last making a sick call on Grandma Clark, who has been lying at death's door for some weeks past.

Hon. A. H. Copey is also home and everybody seems to be well satisfied with his record in Lincoln the past winter. Lon says that the Lobby is a holy terror that he never drempt of.

Hon. S. L. Cannon, having completed his work at Lincoln, is home once more on his farm. Sam is chuck full of good stories, anecdotes and reminiscences of the Nebraska Legislature, including the third house and ever thing connected therewith.

Dr. McArthur is building still another addition to his Westerville property.

Opportunities in the South

No portion of the United States has made greater progress in the last year or two than the South. Northern and foreign capital is rapidly invading that section, finding profitable investment in the various industries and factories that are being rapidly developed and built. The great influx of demand is creating an increased settler for lands of all kinds and prices are gradually advancing, as they will for years to come. Work is plentiful and poverty practically unknown. Alabama is supplying coal and iron to all the world. More money can be made and with less labor in the raising of small fruits and berries and in truck raising on the Gulf Coast than in any other state in the Union. Strawberry markets from Alabama reach northern markets before those from the states in the southeast. Cattle can be raised with great profit, there being millions of acres of cheap range lands. If you are interested in the south and its resources and desire information on any subject, address

G. A. PARK, General Industrial and Immigration Agent, Louisville & Nashville R. R., Louisville, Ky.

THE P. D. SMITH COMPANY,



The Doctor's premises show such a newness and up-to-date appearance that they quite shame the surrounding edifices. Westerville village must wake up or it will no longer be known as the "Sleeping Beauty."

County politics are beginning to simmer and we hear the following prospective candidates mentioned: For District Clerk—Geo. B. Mair, Tom Wright, County Judge—J. A. Armour, F. D. Mills, Sheriff—J. O. Taylor, John Scott, Superintendent of Schools—Prof. Zahm, Prof. Scott.

News are somewhat scarce this week. Mrs. Waddington is improving somewhat.

C. D. Day had some shredding done last Saturday. Grandma Hill has been on the sick list for several days.

Mr. Hunt and Achshah visited the dentist at Merna, Saturday.

Mrs. Wells and Frank spent Sunday at Will Kellenberger's in Keota.

J. M. Fodge and Frank Butler brought out a four horse load of "compo-board" for the church, Tuesday.

Fifth Franklin Hunt celebrated his fifth birthday, Saturday, April 11, by entertaining several of his little friends during the afternoon.

Ben Browning, Rolla and George Gordon, Eli Fenner, Ed. Fodge and A. D. Hunt have been at work on the church during the past week.

Mary Diwinn closed a six months term of school at Custer last Friday.

C. G. Empfield is putting in a cattle dip, this means death to Texas itch and insects.

G. W. Headley passed Ryno this morning enroute to his brother H. L. near Lomnx.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Conly were at Callaway yesterday bringing home provisions and groceries.

Are you cultivating your corn to retain the moisture and then complain of crop failure. We have had full moon, eclipse and Easter with cooler weather and a shower of rain on Monday morning, an abundance of eggs, we are surely a favored people.

Messrs. Shuman, Griffith and Cooper

REAL ESTATE advertisement with image of a house and text describing services.

An Office Holder REAL ESTATE advertisement with text describing services.

List of Lands For Sale in Custer County, Neb. with a table listing various parcels and their owners.

THE P. D. SMITH COMPANY advertisement with text and logo.

are planting trees along the highway which will soon become wind-brakes and make their property more valuable and future generations will call them blessed.

School Notes Room No. 7 and 8.

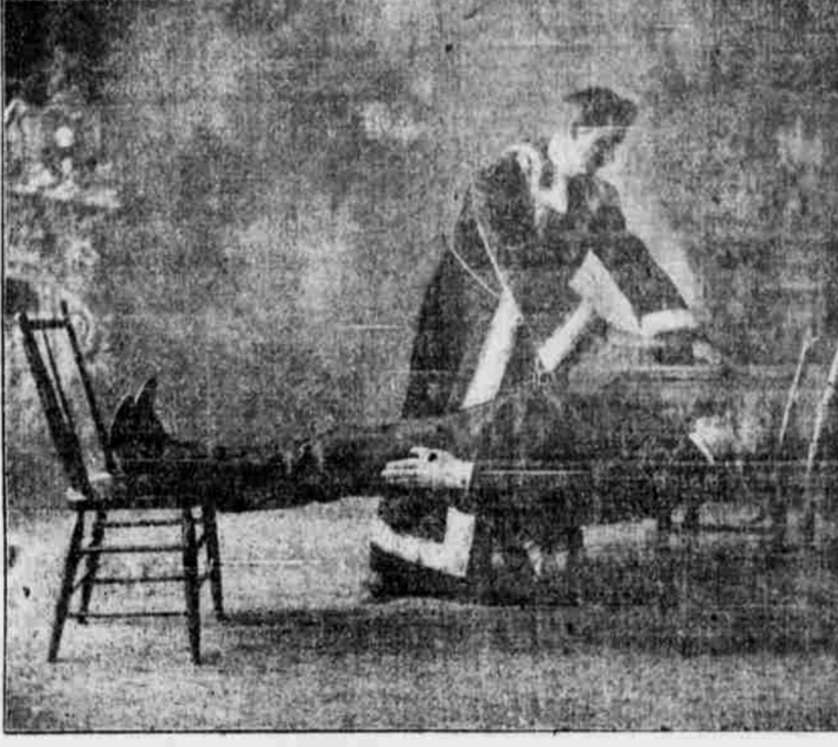
This room has been outlining the Civil War. The pupils have taken great interest in making these outline maps. Mate Moore of the eighth grade received the honor of the best work and Lyle Young, second. The following poem on the Holiday was written by Tom Stuckey of the 7th grade:

You know school books often times get awful dry, And the lessons that's in them will get awful old, There's something in study that's kind of forlorn, To sit and study and study, till your poor brain grows cold...

So all we scholars we kept d awfully still, Across we were waiting to hear what he'd say, As we waite we looked longtly at the green hill, And we all wished he'd give us a Holiday...

And as sure as we wished it, we surely received it.

Magic and Sleight-of-Hand Performance - AT THE - OPERA HOUSE MONDAY AND TUESDAY NIGHTS, April 20th and 21st.



Prof. Matthew, the Wonder Worker. Hypnotism novelously demonstrated upon new lines. A thoroughly up-to-date and refined entertainment. Reserved Seats, 35 cents. On sale at Haebler's Drug Store and Great's Hardware Store.

U S Land Office. LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS. All advertisements under this head will be charged for at a rate of... James Ledwick, Nebraska.

School Land Auction. The following described land in Custer county will be offered for lease at public auction at County treasurer's office in Broken Bow, Nebraska, on Monday, April 20th, 1903...

From April 20th to 30th, inclusive, the Burlington will sell round trip tickets to St. Louis at one fare plus \$2. Tickets limited for return to May 4th. A good time to make a cheap trip to the exposition city. Ask the ticket agent for details.

Best Offer Ever Made. THE REPUBLICAN has succeeded in getting a special clubbing price from the publishers of the Nebraska Farmer, one of the best they have ever made, and during the past two months a good many have taken advantage of this offer and are well pleased with it.

Low Rates to Lincoln and Return. The Burlington will sell round trip tickets to Lincoln at a fare and one-third April 15 and 16 and April 20 and 21. Ask the ticket agent for particulars.

APPLICATION FOR SALOON LICENSE. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed with the village clerk of the village of Merna City, Nebraska, a petition according to law praying for license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in said village...

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENTS. In the District Court of Custer County Nebraska...

County Court Custer County, Nebraska. Notice is hereby given that W. J. Woods, a creditor of said deceased, has filed his petition in said Court asking that M. G. Montgomery...

Not a "gay" school day. For the good old Prof. gave us a Holiday. He said he thought it would make us sad for we didn't dislike our school work a bit.

United States Land Office. Notice is hereby given that Walter N Jordan, as trustee for the heirs of John J. Jordan, deceased, under Park 11 has filed notice of intention to make a 3d proof before Register and Receiver in said office...

Notice of Probate of Will. The State of Nebraska, Custer County, ss. To all the Heirs and Legatees, and all persons interested in the Estate of John Richardson, deceased...

Before You Build, Consult... PAPINEAU & DRAKE, Contractors and Builders. Estimates Furnished Free With Plans and Specifications.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Cure Grip in Two Days. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months.

Bargains! CLOSING OUT SALE HARRY DAY'S I have disposed of most of my Grocery stock, and I am now prepared to Close Out my entire line of Dry Goods and Notions, Boots and Shoes, etc., within the next... 30 DAYS 30 If you want to lay in a supply of goods at a Bargain, here is your chance. Call and see for yourself. Yours, HARRY DAY, North Side of Square, Broken Bow, Nebraska.

J. J. SNYDER, Attorney-at-Law, AND NOTARY PUBLIC. Office in the rear of Bank of Commerce, Broken Bow, Nebraska.

W. A. THOMPSON, CONTRACTOR & BUILDER. Plans and estimates on short notice. Broken Bow, Nebraska.

CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PENNYROYAL PILLS. Beware of Counterfeits. Refuse all Substitutes. CHICHESTER CHEMICAL CO., PHILA., PA.

Burlington TIME TABLE BROKEN BOW, NEB. Table listing train schedules to Lincoln, Omaha, Chicago, St. Louis, etc.

I am doing business at the OLD STAR BARN, Broken Bow, Nebraska, as usual with a full line of goods, horses and jacks. Come and see me and I will try and do you good. W. J. WANTZ.

ANDERSON & MOORE. Equities and mortgages bought and sold. Abstracts promptly made.

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