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### DUMB BELL

Cuff buttons is one of the popular styles with men of taste. It is one of the many designs shown in our assortment.

### Jewelry for Men

is shown in great variety. The beauty and workmanship of these things for masculine wear is not even surpassed by the dainty things for ladies. There is an elegance and richness about them that makes these prices surprisingly low.



School Books,

Tablets

School Supplies.

J. G. Haebert's.

### LOCAL MENTION.

Prof. Garlich left Sunday morning for Norfolk.

Alvin Burke and Andrew Lee visited Grand Island Sunday, returning Tuesday.

Harry Day left Sunday morning for California, where he intends to remain permanently.

D. H. Chifot of Arnold, called Saturday and had his name enrolled on the REPUBLICAN list.

Moss King and family left Sunday morning for Mont Rose, Colorado, with the expectation of locating.

Jess Ash is building a frame house on a block of land in the western part of the city he recently purchased.

Avalo Vannice left Monday morning for Grand Junction, Colorado, where he intends to remain indefinitely.

The C. W. B. M. auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. J. D. Eubank, Saturday, June 20, at 7 o'clock p. m. All members are requested to be present. Honorary members are invited. The program will be "a splendid good time."



### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

#### ...Custer National Bank...

at Broken Bow, in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business, June 9, 1903.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 85,434.78
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	None
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation	25,000.00
Profits on U. S. Bonds	1,750.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	3,000.00
Due from National Banks, not reserve agents	5,790.22
Due from State Banks and Bankers	86.20
Due from approved reserve agents	69,437.78
Checks and other cash items	340.09
Notes of other National Banks	1,420.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	63.75
Special deposits	5,688.85
Legal-tender notes	2,496.00
Resignation fund with U. S. Treasurer 5 per cent. of circulation	1,250.00
Total	\$234,979.37

LIABILITIES:	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus fund	2,000.00
Undivided profits, less expense and taxes paid	1,686.57
National Bank Notes outstanding	25,000.00
Due to other National Banks	491.66
Due to State Banks and Bankers	92,006.91
Individual deposits subject to check	81,214.66
Demand certificates of deposit	7,659.25
Total	\$234,979.37

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. COUNTY OF CUSTER, ss. I, FRANK B. YOUNG, president of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. FRANK B. YOUNG, President.

ATTEST: ALPHIA MORGAN, Directors. I, C. A. YOUNG, Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of June, 1903. ARTHUR W. HOLCOMB, Notary Public.

### BUSINESS POINTERS.

J. C. Moore, abstracting. 211  
Don't wait until you are hailed out, but come in and insure in the old reliable St. Paul Fire & Marine. 521f

We have just received our new line of spring wall paper. All 1903 patterns. Call and see them at Wilkin's drug store. 35 1f

You can have your watch cleaned for \$1.00 at Ed. McComas'. 11f  
J. G. Leonard bonded abstractor. 391f

Don't fail to call on Dr. Barnes, the 26, and have your eyes examined free.

It is not your head that aches, but it is the strain from the eyes that causes all your headaches. Dr. Shwartz at Grand Central Hotel, July 8 and 9, 1903.

Ner Hartley's ice cream parlor on east side of Public Square. Don't forget.

Just received at the Star Grocery a mixed car load of Michigan salt 28, 56 and 120 pound sacks for dairy use. 11f

Eyes tested free at Ed. McComas' by John W. Hiber, graduate optician. 11f

Room for more boarders at Mrs. King's, board by day or week. 1-3  
Money to loan on city property. 1-2 E. C. HOUSE.

FOR RENT—A double room in the Custer Block. Inquire at this office. 471f

WANTED—Boarders at Mrs. Duncanson, first door south of Groat's Hardware store. 11f

Red Polled Bull.  
Five or six Red Polled Bulls for sale. Address or call on JAS. BOGGS, Weisert, Neb. 52-3

Money loaned on improved farms. JAMES LEDWICH, 7 18 1f Broken Bow, Neb.

John W. Hiber, expert watch repairer, engraver and graduate optician at Ed. McComas'. 11f

Sweet potatoes, cabbage and tomatoe plants at the Star Grocery. 511f

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will have a cake sale at Mr. Hartley's Ice Cream Parlor, Saturday June 20, from 2 to 6 o'clock p. m. Come and buy a cake.

Dr. A. M. Earle, the Eye and Ear specialist, of Omaha, will again visit Broken Bow on June 24th, and will be found at the office of Dr. C. L. Mullins. The doctor has made several trips to this city and has given his patients excellent satisfaction.

TAKE NOTICE.  
Notice is hereby given that the board of the Lillian Irrigation District will meet at the Ash school house to equalize the assessment of land in said district on Friday, July 3, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. Ed. BISHOP, Sec. By order Dist. Board. 52-2

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

#### BANK OF COMMERCE,

Charter No. 69, incorporated in the state of Nebraska, at the close of business June 10th, 1903.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts	\$11,990.48
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	111.76
Stocks, securities, judgments, claims, etc.	580.81
Other assets	524.03
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	4,500.00
Other real estate	2,500.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	7,777.53
Checks and other cash items	122.60
Due from national, state and private banks and bankers	12,741.29
Cash	2,342.55
Total	\$43,251.05

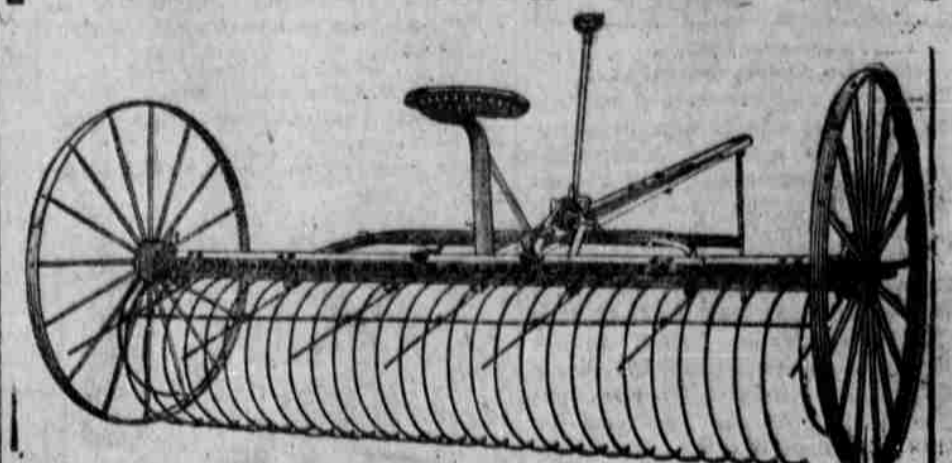
LIABILITIES:	
Capital stock paid in	\$15,000.00
Undivided profits	7,693.24
Individual deposit subject to check	\$14,237.46
Demand certificates of deposit	2,820.35
Time certificates of deposit	2,000.00
Bills payable	1,500.00
Total	\$43,251.05

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss. COUNTY OF CUSTER, ss. I, F. M. RUBER, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is correct and a true copy of the report made to the State Banking Board. F. M. RUBER, Pres. ATTEST: F. M. RUBER, Director. I, C. J. STEVENS, Director. Subscribed and sworn to before me the 17th day of June, 1903. JAMES LEDWICH, Notary Public.

Dr. Barnes the Optician Eye Sight Specialist of Omaha will be at the Grand Central Hotel next Friday the 26th, one day. Don't fail to see him this trip. Special low prices on solid gold spectacles this trip.

The amount of nerves you save is worth more than ten times the amount of money you spend for glasses. Dr. Swartz at Grand Central Hotel July 8 and 9, 1903.

## ...Mowers and Rakes...



I have just secured the agency for the Minnie Mowers, Rakes and Binders. These are anti-trust machines and you farmers, who believe in the trust as being a good thing, just compare these prices with the trust machines:

- 5-Foot Mower ..... \$ 35.00
- 10-Foot Self Dump Hay Rake ..... 22.00
- 6-Foot Binder that will use either Grass, Twine or Sisal ..... 100.00

Agents handling trust machines cannot meet these prices and will argue to you that the machines are no good. Now let me say to you to come in and examine these machines and if you like it, buy one and take it out and give it the most severe test you can give it and if it fails to do as good work as any machine made bring it back. My guarantee is good for all parts of the machine. Ask your trust agent if his contract allows him to give you the same guarantee.

### C. S. MARTIN, Mfg. Agt.

## A RARE CHANCE TO MAKE MONEY.

There is no doubt but the judicious investment of money in good young well bred horses will make more money than any stock investment in the next five years. We are offering you not cheap broncos, which are dear at any price, but large well bred mares weighing from eleven to fourteen hundred pounds, colts that matured will weigh twelve to fifteen hundred pounds. Come next.

### Monday, June 22, 1903,

at Broken Bow, Neb., see and be convinced. We will give you six months time at eight per cent. interest. Sale will open at ten a. m.

## Currie & Cummings.

## W. A. George & Co.

NEW FIRM.

New Location....  
New Fresh Goods.....

Highest market price paid for Cream. Settlement once a week. Cans furnished Free.

### ...Staple and Fancy Groceries...

...Arriving Daily....

### ..Fresh Fruits and Vegetables..

...A Specialty....

We Lead All Competitors in

# Quality and Low Prices..

North Side Public Square,  
East of McComas' Drug Store.

## W. A. GEORGE & CO.

J. G. Leonard bonded abstractor. 391f

If the main spring is broken in your watch have one put in for 75 cents at Ed. McComas'. Corner east of State Bank. 11f

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FOR SALE—A house and eight lots, big barn, fenced corral, chicken house, hog house and granaries. A fine improved residence. Call on C. E. Gandy, real estate and collections. 51-2 391f

WANTED—To hire two men that have families. Houses furnished.—WEST UNION MILLING CO. 381f West Union, Neb.

Call and see Ed. McComas' new line of watches, jewelry, etc. Corner east of Broken Bow State Bank. 11f

WANTED—Potatoes at the Star Grocery Co.

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

DR. SHARPE.....  
Doctors all diseases of the clothes and guarantees satisfaction. Give me a trial. I'll put new life in your old duds.

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Just received a new stock of picture frames, mouldings, mats, etc. Picture frames made to order. Second hand goods of all kinds bought and sold.

JUD KAY,  
South Side Square.

Call and see Mike Scanlon across the street from C. S. Martin's Implement House for lunch, cigars, confectionery and summer drinks. 521f

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Cream Buying.  
We are buying cream and will pay you for it once a week. Bring in your cream. 48 1f J. C. BOWEN.

Notice to Hay Contractors.  
We wish to close contracts for cutting, curing and stacking hay on our ranch in Cherry county for the season of 1903. No swampy or rough ground to cut on. Write for terms etc. to the Standard Cattle Co. at Ames or Hecla, Neb. 45-9

FREE!  
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We have on display at our store ten of the Most Dainty Reproductions of Ideal Life Scenes that it has ever been your pleasure to examine. We have made arrangements whereby we can furnish our patrons, one or all of these Beautiful Pictures

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The ten subjects in this collection are.....  
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Call and make your selection, and your handkerchief perfumed FREE.

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