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A sense of relief is experienced as soon as properly fitted

### Eyeglasses

or spectacles are worn. Eye strain removed, headaches will disappear and things before seen dimly will stand out clear and distinct. An eye test will cost nothing. Made free here by a graduate optician who uses modern scientific instruments. Glasses will cost very little as our prices are moderate.



School Books,

Tablets

—AND—

School Supplies,

—AT—

J. G. Haerberle's.



### ENOUGH SAID.

After all plans for the safe keeping of money have been discussed and discarded the claims of the

### Custer National Bank

should be considered. Facts can be presented which prove that this is a strong, safe and reliable institution. Money deposited here is within reach of the owner during business hours, but cannot be touched by anyone else at any time. Our cheques simplify the payment of accounts and eliminate errors.

H. LOMAX, Cashier.

Money to loan on city property. 1-2 E. C. Housh.

### LOCAL MENTION.

Peter Dierks of Lincoln, spent Sunday in the city.

Major Ellison of Ansley, was a city visitor Tuesday.

J. W. Clay of Ansley, was a city visitor last Saturday.

Judge Grimes of North Platte, held court in the city last Friday for Judge Gutterson.

Jud Kay made a business trip to Omaha the first of the week returning Tuesday morning.

Prof. Hawthorne reports the summer school progressing finely. He informs us that 64 students are enrolled this week.

The indications at the present time is there will be several good men from whom to select a candidate for county assessor.

Mrs. D. M. Amsberry, who has been visiting in the vicinity of Mason City the past two weeks, is expected home tomorrow.

Mrs. Geo. P. Trites, who has been visiting in the southeastern part of the state for several weeks returned home yesterday morning.

We understand that Algernon has a man that some think would make an ideal assessor for the county should he consent to be a candidate.

John Nordstrom of Comstock, brought his daughter, Hilda, over Tuesday to attend the Summer School. This office acknowledges a friendly call.

Dwight Day of Illinois, arrived in the city last Thursday to spend a short time visiting with his brother, Dr. Clinton Day. It is his first visit to Nebraska.

Rev. J. R. Woods of Mason City, held services at the Bethel Baptist Church Sunday, northeast of this city and baptized six candidates that had been awaiting baptism.

G. B. B. Mair of Callaway, was in the city the latter part of last week. He reports that he is receiving splendid encouragement in his canvass for the nomination of clerk of the district court.

Ed. McComas has enclosed the space back of his store with a high board wall that extends to the alley. It will make a fine receptacle for his empty boxes, etc., so they will not be exposed to view of the street. A capital idea.

Mrs. Agatha Barton, who killed her father-in-law, R. W. Barton in Wyoming last fall had her trial at Sheridan last week. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty. Mr. Barton was for a number of years a resident of Berwyn this county.

Paul Haumont of Elton, was in the city yesterday and ordered posters advertising a Fourth of July celebration at Mosely's Grove. A fine program has been arranged and a number of prizes offered on various races. Hon. Jas. Whitehead is to be the speaker of the day.

Judge Sullivan made a business trip to Grand Island Monday.

F. W. Hayes went to Omaha the first of the week to be gone a week.

Children's Day will be observed at the Christian church next Sunday evening.

Prof. Garlich went to Mason City Wednesday, where he has a class in band music.

Just before going to press we learn of the death of C. D. Pelham, who died the 19. Obituary next week.

Rev. S. P. Morris went to Lincoln Tuesday morning to attend the State Sunday School convention. He will visit Omaha before returning.

Volume 1, No. 1, of the Mason City Star reached our desk Saturday. It is published by A. H. Barks, publisher of the Nebraskan. The Star is well filled with local news and has a fine line of advertising. The Nebraskan extends a welcome to the new Star and wish it and its publisher success.

E. F. Stephens, proprietor of the Crete Nurseries, was in Broken Bow this week. He has been inspecting their extensive branch orchard interests over the state, and reports that they are doing exceptionally well. The condition of climate and soil are becoming much more favorable and he believes everybody can raise fruit from now on. He expressed surprise over one fraud which he learned was perpetrated on Custer county people last summer. Irresponsible agents sold gooseberries at from three to five dollars a dozen guaranteed to grow in tree form. There is no such thing as a tree gooseberry and when these were delivered last spring they were found to be of the common sort, such as everybody has in their gardens. He suggests that for satisfactory planting it is best to stick to the narrow list of well tried varieties. Everyone interested in fruit will be glad to know that the Crete Nurseries are planning to make another exhibit at the Custer County Fair.

**Horses For Sale.**  
I will offer at Public auction Saturday June 27, at 1 o'clock p. m. in Broken Bow, seventy head of western horses, ranging from one to seven years old. In this herd are 20 head of yearlings, 30 head of two year olds, the rest are broke. I have two teams of spotted matched Pinto ponies, two and five years old, and seven or eight matched teams that will make good driving horses. These horses must be sold. Your price is mine. Here is a chance for bargains. H. L. DANNAFF.

### BUSINESS POINTERS.

J. C. Moore, abstracting. 21f

Don't wait until you are hailed out, but come in and insure in the old reliable St. Paul Fire & Marine. 52tf

Room for more boarders at Mrs. King's, board by day or week. 1-3

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.

Buy 50c worth of King Cole goods at the Star Grocery and get a chance on that zon-o-phone.

You can have your watch cleaned for \$1.00 at Ed. McComas'. 1tf

J. G. Leonard bonded abstractor. 39tf

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.

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.

Just received at the Star Grocery a mixed car load of Michigan salt 28, 56 and 120 pound sacks for dairy use. 1tf

**ESTRAY NOTICE.**  
Taken up at my place of residence June 9, a small mare pony with spotted hip, brand on left shoulder. Owner is requested to prove property and pay charges. 2-6 G. E. CADWELL.

Eyes tested free at Ed. McComas' by John W. Hiber, graduate optician. 1tf

The celebrated Geiser Threshing machinery. Never beaten in a test. The machine without sives. For sale by S. M. DORRIS. 2tf

**WANTED—Boarders** at Mrs. Duncanson, first door south of Groat's Hardware store. Rates \$2.50 to \$3.00 per week. 1tf

**Red Polled Bulls.**  
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 tf Broken Bow, Neb.

John W. Hiber, expert watch repairer, engraver and graduate optician at Ed. McComas'. 1tf

**FOR SALE—One full blood Shorthorn bull.** L. C. MORRIS, 2-5 Berwyn, Nebraska.

If you want your eyes properly fitted call at Ed. McComas', John W. Hiber, optician. 1tf

The best ice cream soda in the city at Wilkin's drug store.

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If the main spring is broken in your watch have one put in for 75 cents at Ed. McComas'. Corner east of State Bank. 1tf

**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**

**WANTED—To hire two men that have families. Houses furnished.—WEST UNION MILLING CO. 38tf West Union, Neb.**

New wall paper and plenty of it, at J. C. Bowen's.

Call and see Ed. McComas' new line of watches, jewelry, etc. Corner east of Broken Bow State Bank. 1tf

**WANTED—Potatoes at the Star Grocery Co.**

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.

Ice cream soda at Wilkin's drug store for five cents. Try it.

### 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

**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.

**CLELL SHARPE.**

### YOUR CHOICE

—OF A—

**Drug Store**

may determine the question of

Health, Sickness or Death....

**WHY TAKE ANY RISK?**

Let us fill your prescriptions. We are in constant touch with best sources of supply. Graduates in Pharmacy fill all

**Prescriptions**

carefully, with strict orders never to substitute or use unreliable ingredients under any circumstances.

**Ed. McComas,**  
DRUGGIST,  
East of Broken Bow State Bank.

## Repairs.

Here is some more anti-trust prices:—

Plano Mower Sickles, 5-foot.....	\$2.00
Plano Binder Sickles, 6-foot.....	2.25
Deering Mower Sickles, 5-foot....	2.00
Deering Binder Sickles, 6-foot....	2.25
McCormick Mower Sickles, 5-foot	2.00
McCormick Binder Sickles, 6-foot	2.25
Sections for above mowers.....	4c
Ledger Plates for above mowers..	3c

I will also furnish you with canvasses for your Binders and all kinds of mower parts, such as sickle-heads, guards, wearing plates and most kinds of repairs that wear out for greatly

### REDUCED PRICES.

Look over your machines and bring me a list of what you need and see the difference between my prices and the prices of dealers who handle trust machines.

**C. S. MARTIN, Mfg. Agt.**

—AND DEALER IN—

**ANTI-TRUST GOODS.**

### Cream Buying

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

J. G. Leonard bonded abstractor. 39tf

**FOR SALE—A good business house on north side public square, good business location, for sale cheap. Call on C. E. Gandy, real estate and collections. 51-2**

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. 52tf

This office for neat job work.

### 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

### Hail. Hail. Hail.

Farmers protect yourselves in the old reliable St. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance Co. We have \$3,000,000 cash capital and pay our losses promptly.

**Ras Anderson, Agent.**  
Broken Bow, Nebraska.

## The Eagle Grocery,

W. A. GEORGE and L. D. GEORGE, Prop's.

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.**

## TWINE!

**TWINE! TWINE!**

Deering Rakes,  
Deering Binders,  
Deering Mowers,  
Deering Binder and Mower Repairs,  
Deering Manila and Pure Sisal Twine.

Now is the time to look up what repairs you will want.

**Acme 5-Foot Mowers, \$35.00.**

This is a high grade mower and sells all over the state for \$45.00 cash. We are agents for the Aultman & Taylor Thresher—horse power or steam engines. We also have the Acme Sweep and Stackers and the Dane Sweep and Stackers.

PEORIA CORN SHELLERS.

Buggies, Wagons, Hardware, Steel Ranges, Saddles, and Harness. Largest line in town. Thanking you for past favors, I am yours truly,

**G. W. Apple.**