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Beauty Enchained.

Designers who are artists produced the originals of the Ladies' chains displayed here. Some of them are dainty, delicate looking little links of 14 karat gold but with strength far greater than might be expected. Others are heavier looking without being heavy. The workmanship of all is exquisite and quality excellent.



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LOCAL MENTION.

W. J. Woods went to Ansley this morning on 44 on professional business.

Joseph Haefele and John Rinhardt of McKinley, were in the city attending the old settlers meeting last week.

J. L. Walker and wife of Walworth, were in the city Wednesday of last week enjoying the meeting of the old settlers.

Geo. Zahn has purchased an interest in the Broken Bow Business College, and will move shortly to Broken Bow.—Ansley Chronicle-Citizen.

Mrs. Will Cozad of Red Oak, Iowa, sister-in-law of Frank Cozad of New Helena, is visiting with Mr. Cozad's family, having arrived a week ago last Friday.

Fred Wieland of Red Oak, Iowa, is visiting in this vicinity with his sisters Mesdams Leslie, Riley, Dent and Cozad and his brother John Wieland of Callaway.

Last Friday night lightning struck the school house in the Bennett district, badly damaging it. The property was well insured and the loss will be recovered.—Chronicle-Citizen.

S. D. Butcher, compiler of the Buffalo and Dawson county histories, has taken orders for one hundred and seventy-five farm views in five weeks and was 75 orders behind last Saturday night.—Kearney Hub.

Mr. Streater, a banker from Aurora, was in Ansley Wednesday and purchased the O. B. Foster farm, paying \$5,000 cash. He offered Mr. Zimmerman \$50 an acre for his farm, but Mr. Zimmerman refused the offer.—Mason City Star.

A wagon passed through Kansas recently, bearing the following inscription, says an exchange: "Colorado and irrigation. Kansas and stagnation, populistic administration and damnation, I'm going to my wife's relation and make no demonstration." They ought to come to northern Nebraska where they need no irrigation and a man with education can engage in speculation, bring along his wife's relation, have a time and free salvation, with no danger of starvation. Gentlemen, this is worth consideration.—Ex.

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.

BALLOON ASCENSION DURING THE FAIR.

One of the most successful and daring aeronauts in this country has been contracted with for balloon ascension and parachute drop during the Fair at Broken Bow, September 1 to 4. This promises to be the greatest aerial sight ever witnessed in Custer county. Prof. Davis, the Balloon King, who makes this ascension, guarantees to go higher than any living aeronaut.

BIG SHOOTING CONTEST AT THE FAIR.

A shooting contest which is attracting unusual interest, has been arranged to take place at the County Fair in September, between Capt. Hardy, champion rifle shot, and three of the best shots in Custer county. Hardy is to break 200 glass balls in the air with Winchester rifle and ball cartridge, in less time than three men with shot guns can perform the same feat.

Floyd Fields of Dunning, was a city visitor Saturday.

Judge Gutterson went to Kearney the first of the week.

C. S. Martin made a business trip to Omaha the first of the week.

G. H. Tuttle and family of Giles, are making their home in the city at present.

Mrs. J. W. Clay and children of Ansley, who had been visiting in the city for ten days, returned home last Thursday.

F. M. Rublee and family and P. H. Marlay and family of Mason City, are on a ten days trip to Spirit Lake, Iowa, for an outing.

J. A. Hutchinson and family of Giles, arrived in the city Tuesday and will remain some time before returning to their claim.

Jas. Trotter of Westerville, died on the 7th inst., age, 78. His remains were shipped to Iowa for burial. We were unable to learn further particulars.

Wm. Cosner of Merna, made this office a friendly call yesterday. He informs us that the 25th of this month will be his 59th wedding anniversary. He is now in his 81st year and is able to support himself and wife by his own labor. He is remarkably strong for a man of his age.

The concert given last night at the Opera House by the Wesleyan Quartette, under the supervision of Supt. Lewis for the teachers was a most excellent entertainment. As it was provided especially for the teachers in attendance at the institute and free to them they no doubt appreciated the compliment.

Martin T. White, field man for the Nebraska Farmer was in this vicinity last week looking up the pedigree herds of cattle and hogs in this locality. Among the places he visited was Dr. Brenner's herd of Shorthorns, G. E. Cadwell's herd of Herfords and Duroc Jersey hogs and Stephen Wilcox's herd of Duroc Jerseys. He reports that these gentlemen have especially fine stock.

H. C. Stuckey, one of the pioneers of the South Loup, helped to swell the crowd of old settlers last week.

Ras Anderson was a victim yesterday evening of a practical joke that cost him two chickens. He purchased a box with half a dozen spring chickens of a lady and left them setting on the walk. He telephoned his boys of the purchase and instructed them to come down town and take them home. Before he went home he observed that his chickens were gone, but supposing his own boys had taken them home he did not mistrust that he had been victimized until he reached home and the chickens not there. This morning when he came down he hunted up the marshal and imparted to him his tale of woe and finally agreed to give two of the chickens to the marshal if he would locate them for him. The marshal was not long in finding the stolen chickens, but by this time Rass tumbled to the racket and declined to swear out a warrant for the perpetrator and counted himself lucky to get four of them back. But it will be hard to convince him that the marshal was not an accomplice.

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In a few days we will have a car of Dunlap Buggies right from Pontiac, Michigan. These buggies lead the procession and are one of the best lines of buggies on the market. Will cost you no more than a "Cheap Jim Crow" buggy that the paint will drop off in a few months. Buy a Dunlap and you will always be proud of it.....

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We have just received a car load of the Celebrated Burg Wagon direct from the factory. We guarantee the Gear of this wagon to be made of Oak and Hickory, thoroughly air-seasoned and soaked in oil, before being painted—in fact one of the best wagons made. We sold two cars of them last season and never had a complaint, and while the other fellows were furnishing new wheels, we never had five cents of repair bills on all we sold. There is a few of those Minnie Mowers left, that we have had such a run on. It's not often you can get a mower, guaranteed to be as good as any mower made, for.....

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H. A. WATTS

Broken Bow, Neb.

Arthur Hogue had an arm broken and was otherwise injured by being thrown from a horse Monday.

The teachers institute will close a profitable and pleasant session of three weeks duration Saturday.

We unintentionally omitted the name of Geo. B. Mair, historian elect of the County's Old Settlers Association, in our report last week. Mr. Mair has served the association the past year in that office acceptably and was re-elected.

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