

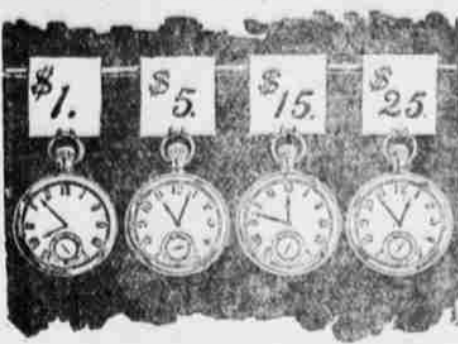
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"They All Look Alike To Me."

To be sure, you are not a watch maker. How should you know the difference? That is just why you should buy that watch of a substantial, located, home jeweler, a place where you know of whom you are buying, and have the assurance of a business reputation and guarantee that goes with every sale. The best advertising I have done during the years I have been in here, develops in the watches I have sold from month to month. It is my idea of store-keeping to make people satisfied; they come again, and send others, I think it pays.



School Books,

Tablets

—AND—

School Supplies,

—AT—

J. G. Haeberle's;



When You Get a Check

you are sure to regard the sender with respect. That is exactly how people will regard you if you pay by check. There is nothing that insures a man's standing like a bank account. The

Custer National Bank

will aid you to attain this standing. It will open an account with you. After that your feeling of self-respect and importance will lead you to increase it. It is handy and safe.

H. LOMAX, Cashier.

MOVED.

I have moved my office just across the street, in the rear of the Broken Bow State Bank, where I will be pleased to meet all my old customers as well as new ones. I do abstracting only and am free to answer any question concerning real estate.

J. C. MOORE,

35 tf Bonded Abstractor.

This office for neat job work.

LOCAL MENTION.

Roosevelt League meeting first and third Friday nights of each month.

Mrs. Maude Leming, nee Hutchison of Lincoln, is here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hutchison.

A prairie fire, a few miles southwest of the city last Saturday evening, burned over a large territory, doing considerable damage.

Andrew Weaver has resigned as teacher of the Prairie Center school and accepted a position as instructor in the Broken Bow Business College.

The supper given last Friday evening by the Relief Corps was quite a pleasant affair as well as a success financially. The proceeds netted twenty dollars.

The O. E. S. Kensington will meet with Mrs. Wm. R. Bruce Tuesday, March 8, at 2:30 o'clock. All members of the O. E. S. invited. E. A. JOYNER, Sec'y.

A. B. Evans, a professional boom edition writer for newspapers is here with the view of writing up the town and country for a special edition for the Chief.

MARRIED—At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sloggett, Thursday, February 25, Joseph Loyd and Miss Bessie Sloggett, Rev. Trites officiating. The REPUBLICAN extends congratulations.

Rev. F. F. DeLong of Ohio, stopped in the city Monday night with Rev. Morris. He and family were on their way to Arnold and Merna, where he will assume the pastorate of the Baptist churches at these places.

Jas. Waite has bought the old Checkered Front barn on east Maine street, which he is tearing down with the view of using the lumber to build a house and barn on a five acre tract of railroad land he purchased from Ras. Anderson.

Amos Lewis of Custer Center, has accepted the position of traveling salesman for the Standard Stock Food Co., in the place of Ed Neth, resigned. The company has made a good appointment and we predict for him success in his new line of business.

At the special services held last Sunday morning in the interest of the Ladies Library Association, special music was furnished by the Madrigal Quartette. The attendance was quite large and the discourse by Rev. Morris was an able presentation of the power and influence of good literature.

Mr. R. E. Williams of Omaha, is in the city representing the American Accident Insurance Co., of Lincoln, Neb. The many friends of Judge J. S. Kirkpatrick, now of Lincoln, but who so long practiced law at this place, will be interested in knowing that he is president of this company. We have examined the plan of this company and think their policies superior to any we have ever seen in accident insurance. The REPUBLICAN wishes Judge Kirkpatrick much success in his new enterprise.

A. H. Needham of Arnold, made this office a welcome visit yesterday.

D. C. Konkel came down from the west last Saturday on a weeks vacation to visit his family.

A. E. Ellis is building a house northeast of the stock yards on property he purchased from the B. & M. R. R. Co.

March came in like a lamb, but yesterday was one of the most disagreeable days witnessed this year from wind and dust.

A baptismal service will occur at the M. E. church Sunday morning and afternoon. The pastor will preach on the subject of Baptism at the morning hour.

B. R. Miller, south of the city is confined to the house with a broken ankle, which he sustained some two weeks ago by a mistep while doing the chores about the place.

MARRIED—At the M. E. parsonage in this city Wednesday, March 2, 1904, Mr. Frank Buckner to Miss Gertrude Nelms, both of Westerville. Rev. Geo. P. Trites officiating.

Mr. Munk, a brother of P. H. Munk of this city, arrived Wednesday morning from Montana, to spend a few days visiting with his brother. The brothers had not met before in fifteen years.

The Custer National Bank moved into the new bank building Tuesday. The building is not only a fine substantial structure of modern design, but is elegantly furnished and finished inside.

Uncle Joe Skelton, wife and daughter, Bertha, who have been visiting in Milwaukee for the past four months, returned home Sunday night. They returned by Oklahoma, where they visited relatives.

J. B. Funk of Kearney, was in the city yesterday. He came up to attend the marriage of his daughter, Miss Mabel to Victor Beck. The ceremony was at the Presbyterian church last night at 8 o'clock. Rev. Shetler officiating. Particulars later.

H. B. Andrews and wife of Anselmo, were installed into the Mysteries of the Eastern Star, in this city Tuesday night. The attendance was quite large and a pleasant time was enjoyed. A lunch was served after the adjournment in the new banquet hall of the lodge room.

The Broken Bow State Bank has extended its business by the purchase of the First National Bank of Alliance, which is capitalized at \$25,000. The deal was consummated by C. E. Ford of Chicago, and S. K. Warrick of this city, president and cashier of the Broken Bow bank. Mr. Ford is president of the new purchase and Mr. Warrick assistant cashier.

DIED—Friday, February 26th, Laura Rosetta Case, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Case of this city, with inflammation of the bowels. The remains were taken to Weissert, the old home of the Cases, where the funeral was preached in the M. E. church by Rev. Geo. P. Trites. The remains were laid to rest in the Weissert Cemetery. The REPUBLICAN extends the sympathy of the community to the parents in their great bereavement.

Republican Caucus.

The republican electors of the city of Broken Bow are hereby called to meet in the court house Friday evening, March 11, 1904, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a city ticket and the transacting of such other business as may come before the meeting. By Order of Com.

More Hints.

Disturbances of strikers are not nearly as grave as an individual disorder of the system. Overwork, loss of sleep, nervous tension will be followed by utter collapse, unless a reliable remedy is immediately employed. There's nothing so efficient to cure disorders of the Liver or Kidneys as Electric Bitters. It's a wonderful tonic, and effective nerve and the greatest all around medicine for run down systems. It dispels Nervousness, Rheumatism and Neuralgia and expels Malaria germs. Only 50c, and satisfaction guaranteed by Lee Bros., druggists, Broken Bow.

Prospect Well.

The scheme of sinking a well, as suggested by the REPUBLICAN, is beginning to take shape. Ner Hartley has taken the matter in hand with the view of securing pledges sufficient to sink a well 3,000 feet if necessary. He is of the opinion that either artesian water, coal, oil or salt can be secured. If the quantity is sufficient to pay for developing, his object is to form a company for that purpose. He has the encouragement of parties in the city who are interested in oil wells in the east who will contribute to the enterprise.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

The following is a copy of the subscription proposed: "We, the undersigned, agree to pay the amounts hereby subscribed by us for the purpose of sinking a prospect well for gas, artesian water, coal oil, salt, etc., in Custer county, Nebraska. The same to be sunk within five miles of Broken Bow in the valley of Muddy creek. This subscription is made on the condition that enough money be subscribed to sink a well at least 3,000 feet deep, if it shall be necessary to sink to that depth. If any valuable substance should be discovered in such prospect well, then we are to incorporate under the state laws of Nebraska to utilize whatever may be discovered, and stock in such corporation shall be issued for the amount subscribed and paid by us.

The Custer County Agriculture Society, will hold a meeting Saturday, March 26, afternoon and evening. Program later.

J. C. Bowen, who was called to Ogdenburg, New York, last week to the bedside of his father writes that his presence is greatly needed there yet.

A Leap Year Party.

Friday evening, February 26, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Day, south of the city, gave a leap year party at their home. About 50 were present. The evening was spent with games and music and at the usual hour luncheon was served, which was elegant and all that could be desired. On taking their departure all wished Leap Year to come oftener.

College News.

Pearl Zahn has charge of the C. grammar class now.
Olive Griffith visited at her home from Friday till Monday.
Guy Stroud visited at Westerville from Friday till Monday.
Seba Lee visited the shorthand department Wednesday morning.
Bob Keelin has been absent the past week on account of illness.
Miss Windagle went to Callaway Sunday to take up her position there.
Bob Farritor, an old student of the college, was a visitor on Tuesday.
Walter Herrick and Ira Spratt have left college to prepare for the spring work.
Mr. Neff of Perkins county, and Mr. Adams from near Comstock, visited the college Monday afternoon.
The business practise class enjoy buying and selling, and incidentally, being sold once in awhile.
Orin Shaw has not been able to attend college this week, owing to the fact that his throat has been troubling him.
Andrew Weaver will enter the shorthand department next week and will also assist in teaching several branches in the business course.
Dora Bartlet and Edna Rockwell assisted in the bank during the absence of Miss Sherbeck, the cashier, who has been troubled with the popular complaint, the grip.
Two students in Miss Read's advanced class have been placed within the last week. They are Miss Marie Thostesen with Reneau & Leonard, and Miss Mildred Windagle with Mr. Brega of Callaway. Miss Florence Thostesen has been working for the past week for Judge Sullivan and Willis Cadwell, and Miss Jessie Rector has a position where she will begin working about the 10th of March. This places all of the advanced class.

Gives Health, Vigor and Tone.

Herbine is a boon for sufferers from anemia. By its use the blood is quickly regenerated and the color becomes normal. The drooping strength is revived. The languor is diminished. Health, vigor and tone predominate. New life and happy activity results. Mrs. Belle H. Shirel, Middlesborough, Ills., writes: "I have been troubled with liver complaint and poor blood, and have found nothing to benefit me like Herbine. I hope never to be without it. I have wished that I had known of it in my husband's lifetime." 50c. Sold by Ed. McConmas, Broken Bow and Merna.

Saddles, Harness and Horses!

At the time I bought those Harness of the receiver of the Omaha Manufacturing Co., I made them an offer on their entire stock of Saddles, and which was so low they would not accept at that time, but about 10 days ago they wrote me accepting my offer. I now have them here in stock and can show you one of the largest stocks of good Saddles you have ever seen in Custer county and at prices that will makes you wonder how it can be done.

Harness!

As to Harness, you know if you have seen them, that I have the largest stock ever carried by anyone in the county and that I am selling them at less than they cost the other dealers.

Horses!

I have a lot of good work horses that I am anxious to dispose of, either for cash or on time to good parties.

Disc Harrows.

I am now unloading my first car of Disc Harrows, and I am going to make you a price of

\$25.00 ON THEM.

"The Dealer That Saves You Money."

C.S. MARTIN, Mfg. Agt

—AND DEALER IN—

ANTI-TRUST GOODS.

E. C. HOUSE,

Real Estate, Loans & Insurance

I have some of the best farms in the county for sale.
I have some of the best ranches in the state for sale.
I have three good city residences for sale.
I have some of the most desirable city lots for sale.
I have money to loan on good improved farms in Custer county.
I have money to loan on good city property.
I have the best equipped Insurance Agency in the county, representing the strongest companies in the world. I hold a certificate of authority from the Auditor of the State of Nebraska, authorizing me as agent to issue and countersign policies for the following companies:

Liverpool and London and Globe, paid	\$1,000,000.00	in Baltimore fire
(and subscribed \$10,000 to sufferers.)		
Continental of New York, paid	1,000,000.00	in Baltimore fire
Aetna of Hartford, paid	500,000.00	in Baltimore fire
Aetna of Hartford, paid	3,823,023.00	in Chicago fire
German American, paid	1,635,067.00	in Boston fire
Queen Insurance Co. of America, paid	500,000.00	in Baltimore fire
Niagara Fire Insurance Co., paid	500,000.00	in Baltimore fire
Traders of Chicago, paid	190,000.00	in Baltimore fire

Farmers can buy Insurance for less money of the above companies than they pay (experimentals.)

E. C. House,

Broken Bow, Nebraska.

FOR SALE—Town lots and a few five acre lots in this city.

J. M. ASH,

AUCTIONEER,

Insurance that insures.
35tf R. G. MOORE.

Of thirty years experience, cries sales and makes a specialty of auctioneering of all classes. Call on or write me at Broken Bow, Nebraska.

Harness!

We are now selling a Good 1 1/2 Inch Farm Harness, made of well selected stock, that other dealers would say are worth \$28.00, for the low price of

...\$19.00...

A Good 1 1/2 Inch Harness, made of selected stock, a big \$25.00 value, but our price is only

...\$20.00...

These Harness have not been bought to sell at these ridiculously low prices, but have been selected with a knowledge of long experience of Harness Leather, and with a positive knowledge that they will please our customers. We are making these sweeping reductions on Harness to protect ourselves against bankrupt stocks, which we will do at any cost. Don't believe that we will allow anyone to undersell us in the Harness line.

On Saddles we are right. See our line of **Cow Saddles** for the spring trade.

Our Motto—"UNDERSELL."

G. W. APPLE,

West Side Square, Broken Bow, Nebraska.

Ho! Ho!!

Look Here!

We will give the following prizes for the persons bringing us the largest amount of eggs between this and the first of May:

- 1st prize—100 pounds granulated sugar.
- 2nd prize—100 pounds best flour.
- 3rd prize—one case tomatoes.
- 4th prize—10 pounds coffee.
- 5th prize—one dozen cans of corn.

And we will also give the one paying us the most money on account, or for goods or both, between now and the first of July, \$10 in cash.

We also have a lot of nice Queensware in transit, that we are going to give away to our customers.

Yours for business,

The Star Grocery Co.