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ARNOLD.

Mr. and Mrs. Conant of Yucan Valley, was on our streets a few days ago. They brought in cream.

Mrs. G. Walker is having a wind mill erected on her farm south of town. Mr. Hutchms is doing the work. Meade & Belts furnished the mill.

Mr. Meade has moved a building, purchased lately, on the west side of the old sod parsonage of the Methodist church, where he will be at home next week to welcome his friends.

Will Judkins has rented his farm to Bart Morrs. Mr. Judkins will put his time in milking his cows, shipping cream, feeding hogs and building him a fine barn and making other improvements.

Rev. Wise, pastor of the M. E. church is assisting Mr. Hoffman in his store, what time he can spare from his flock. Mr. Hoffman has a gasoline engine erected in his creamery to assist him in his

Windy, dry, cool and clear weather with little rain. If more moisture would penetrate the earth, so that real estate could not change hands so often, we could become better acquainted with our neighbors. Yet think of our eastern brothers in the clutches of icy winter with two feet of snow and good sleighing. The farmers are busy hauling up their summer's wood; while in Nebraska, farmers are sowing wheat. Who could not stand up for Nebraska.

ROUND GROVE.

Albert Dickerson lost a valuable horse last week.

Asa Martin returned from Lincoln last Friday where he has been attending the Lincoln Business College.

Rev. Smith, who preacher at the German church has been sent to South Dakota and his place will be filled by Rev. Miller.

The higher grades of the Round Grove school closed last Friday. An interesting program was rendered by the pupils.

Invaluable for Rheumatism.

I have been suffering for the past few years with a severe attack of rheumatism and found that Ballard's Snow Liniment was the only thing that gave me satisfaction and tended to alleviate my pains. March 24th, 1902, John C. Degnan, Kinsman, Ills. 25c, 50 and $1.00. Sold by Ed. McComas, Broken Bow and Merna.

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G. A. PARK,
Gen'l. Immigration and Industrial Agent, Louisville & Nashville R. R. Co.,
Louisville, Ky.

The Muddy Mills school closed on the following Wednesday.

Several of the farmers have sown spring wheat. Others have been discing corn ground so we are reminded that spring is here.

Harve Lang's team became frightened and ran away with the disc. The disc was broken somewhat but the horses were not hurt.

Last Wednesday during the high wind some trash around Mr. Medinger's barn caught fire and but for the immediate work of a few men the barn would have burned. The fire started from the chimney. The day before a fire near Mr. Martain's place burned some hay for Mr. Weins.

Attention Co M., First N N. G.

There will be an inspection at the Armory on Thursday, April 7, instead of the 6th as per former notice. Every member is supposed to be at the Armory at 7:30 a. m. By order of,

H. F. KENNEDY,
Commanding Co. M.

Assessors Meeting.

Broken Bow, March 29, 1904.

A meeting of the deputy assessors of Custer County, was called by Jules Haumont, county assessor, at the cunty seat on the above date, for instructions relating to their duties. James Chittick was elected secretary. The different items on the schedules were discussed pro and con and decided to the satisfaction of all, by County Attorney Humphrey.

Numbers 3, 4, 13, 15 and 85 on the schedule are the only ones from which deduction may be allowed for bona fide debts.

Moved and seconded to adjourn to 1 p. m.

1:30 p. m. meeting came to order with Jules Haumont, county assessor in chair.

The discussions were continued on the different items clear through the schedule, and the opinion arrived at, that under the law, no classification of any kind of personal property is possible, but that everything of value, must be listed at its fair cash value, and assessed at 20 per cent of that value. Real estate assessment was discussed. Classification of real estate was found to be undesirable and impracticable under the law and it was decided that every piece of property, should be considered by itself, and assessed according to its value.

Deputies were instructed to use their best judgement and absolute impartiality in assessing property. JAMES CHITTICK, Secretary.

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Little Mable Beatrice Johnson, daughter of P. C. and Julia Johnson, was born January 28, 1902, in Custer county, Nebraska. She left the cares of this world behind her for that brighter shore above, at 10 p. m., Friday, March 25th, 1904, after one week's illness with lung fever. The little girl was compelled to endure much suffering before her patient little soul took its flight. Her sweet winning ways made her doubly dear to her loving parents, and now that she has left them only the memory of her fair face and merry laugh remains to cheer them, while they linger here awaiting the summons from on high when they can meet her where sorrow and death are unknown.

How charming was that lonely flower,
Tho' it bloomed to fade and die,
It withered at an early hour,
Then soared to God on high.

Of all the flowers it seemed most fair,
With tint and smile so gay;
The object of its parents care,
'Till it was called away.

How ardently we loved that one,
Whom God to us had given;
A lovely, smiling little one,
But now she dwells in Heaven.

How oft the lips were pressed to ours,
Of that angelic form!
But oh! how swiftly fled the hours,
And we are left to mourn.

What! mourn? Because "the Lord had need,"
Of one who was His own;
And from her tenement of clay,
Has freed our little one.

Nay, better praise God's holy name,
For calling her to rest;
And spread abroad our Savior's name,
Who said that "Such are blessed.

Yet human nature finds it hard,
When such a tie is broke;
The thoughts and feelings well to guard
And thank God for the stroke.

But God can all our sorrows heal,
His grace can well reme;
The anguish that our spirits feel,
And fill our hearts with love.

As job, with troubled heart could say,
So we can say the same;
"The Lord who giveth, took away,
And blessed be His name."

—MAUDE WILLHOIT.

Letter List.

The following is the dead letter list for the week ending March 29, 1904:

F. C. Arnett, Mrs. Olive Davis.

Parties calling for the above will please say advertised.

L. H. JEWETT, P. M.

A Big Land Deal.

R. E. Brega of Callaway, who was in the city Tuesday reports that Capt. L. Ewyert, a capitalist of Nebraska City, has purchased 3,520 acres of land in the southwest part of the county, including the Mats ranch. It was a cash deal and shows something of the confidencs men of means have in land investments of Custer county. The deal was made through Mr. Brega.

Drs. Davis and Farnsworth of Grand Island, have in their office all the latest apparatus used in the treatment of Chronic diseases, including Static, Faradic, and Galvanic Electricity and X-Ray instruments. Vibratory Massage. Hot air baths for treatment of Chronic Rheumatism, Kidney and Liver diseases. The Minin Violet light for treatment of Chronic Skin diseases and every other instrument required in making a scientific examination and giving proper treatment. The Doctors make no charge for first consultation. 34tf

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" " " " " 1.25
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" " " " " 4.00
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Vote Contest.

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Mary Maylon, city	1939
Minnie Shinn, city	1653
Nellie Taylor, Merna	1415
Vera Clayton, city	1168
Hannah Edmunds, Broken Bow	851
Pearl Jewett, Broken Bow	799
Francis Hilton, Weissert	753
Emma Lambert, Broken Bow	612
Aurella Fodge, Broken Bow	588
Bertha Koozer	550
May Rains, Broken Bow	448
Jessie Smith, Broken Bow	441
Clara Knudson, city	440
Florence Thosteson, Broken Bow	403
Margery Campbell, Georgetown	356
Lula Zackery, Merna	341
Florence Emerson, Broken Bow	326
Edna Rockwell, Broken Bow	320
Minnie Boots, city	309
Ida Perry, Merna	300
Grace Taylor, Broken Bow	277
Clara Jeffords, city	232
Mattie Needham, Arnold	240
Effie Campbell, Broken Bow	229
Jessie Waterbury, Berwyn	200
Clara Swick, Gates	193
Gertie Brewer, city	184
Louie Painter, Broken Bow	163
Rosella Rogers, city	137
Eva Caywood, Broken Bow	127
Lilly Baker, city	108
Pearl Hunter, Broken Bow	101
Dora Lee, Round Valley	101
Edith Sloggett, city	101

The Pumpkin Contest.

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