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### "Eye Dont's."

Don't "fool" with your eyes. If they bother you in any way come in and I'll tell you what the trouble is. Don't select your own glasses at the counter, but go to one who has made a study of the eye and its conditions. Thorough examination free of charge. Don't "think you need glasses" because some friend has told you so. If your eyes have gotten so bad that you are telling your friends about them they may need the immediate attention of a competent Optician.



School Books,

Tablets

—AND—

School Supplies,

—AT—

J. G. Haerberle's:

W. L. Gorsage of Westerville, was a city visitor the latter part of last week. This office acknowledges a welcome call.

This office acknowledges a friendly call from Byron Clark of Plattsmouth, who arrived in the city Monday to attend the district court.

#### Driven to Desperation.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in burns, cuts, wounds, ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on each. 25c at Lee Bros. drug store.

### LOCAL MENTION.

The Broken Bow Business College closed last Friday for the summer season.

Mrs. W. B. Bryan of Kingston was visiting in the city the first of the week with relatives.

Jacob Cover of Algernon township, was in the city Monday, attending the pop convention.

O. C. Murphey of Callaway, was a city visitor Monday. The REPUBLICAN acknowledges a friendly call.

Garland Lewis, who taught a nine months school at Summer, arrived home last week. Mr. Lewis intends to attend college at Grand Island the ensuing year.

W. M. Vannice, deputy assessor of Broken Bow township outside of Broken Bow reports that the valuation of real estate is \$608,626. Personal property, \$296,536.

Mike Scanlon and Otis Fessenden have bought Dan Keelin's restaurant. Both Mr. Scanlon and Mr. Fessenden are experienced men, and we predict for them success.

A. D. and Mrs. Hunt of Oretello, came down Saturday after their girls, Clara and Achsah, who have been attending the business college here the past year. The term closed last Friday.

W. S. Turnbull, deputy assessor of Custer township, brought in his returns the first of the week. The real estate in Custer township foots up \$514,980, and the personal property \$229,972.80. Mr. Turnbull's books show up in good shape.

H. J. Edington of East Custer, was a city visitor Saturday. Mr. Edington will leave in a few days with his wife for Colorado, where they will spend the summer with the hopes of improving Mrs. Edington's health, who is troubled with the asthma.

MARRIED—At the home of the bride's parents near Berwyn, May 29th, 1904, in the presence of the members of the families and a few friends, George L. McCrea and Miss Nellie M. Perkins; Rev. Bellis, officiating. The groom is the grandson of Elder James McCrea of Berwyn, and a prosperous young farmer. The bride is one of Custer county's accomplished teachers. The young people are starting out in life with the good wishes of a host of friends.

Mrs. I. A. Coleman went to Omaha Tuesday to have her eyes treated.

C. G. Brenizer went to Omaha Tuesday as delegate to Masonic Grand lodge.

Andrew Snyder and wife will leave next Sunday for St. Louis, where they will visit the fair.

E. M. Coleman and Mr. Jaquet of Merna, went to Omaha Monday to attend the meeting of the Masonic Grand lodge.

Clark Waters arrived home last week from Ainsworth, where he completed a term of nine months school as principal.

H. E. Hall of Mason City, was a delegate to the pop county convention Monday. He made the REPUBLICAN office a friendly call.

The O. E. S. Kensington will meet with L. H. Jewett, Tuesday, June 14th, 1904, at 2:30 p. m. All members of the O. E. S. invited. E. A. JOYNER, Sec'y.

The District Court convened in this city Monday with Judge Hostetler presiding. This is a jury term and two or three weeks will be required if all the cases come up for trial that are on the docket.

Prof. J. G. Minnick left Tuesday for his home in Abilene, Kansas, where he intends to engage in the real estate business with his father-in-law. He will keep posted on Broken Bow through the REPUBLICAN, which he ordered changed to his Kansas address.

Dr. Pickett reports "a fine time at Taylor on the 30th. The crowd was large and the orderly manner in which the exercises were conducted was commendable. No ball games nor even a stand were allowed on the day set apart for honoring the memories of the defenders of the country in its dierst hours of need. The church was filled to overflowing, more people being out than in on account of lack of room. The people were very attentive."

M. T. White of the Nebraska Farmer, was a city visitor Saturday. He was on his return trip from Alliance, where he attended a stockman's meeting. He says there was a good attendance and an interesting session held. The 640 acre homestead law was under discussion, several of the larger ranchmen being very much opposed to it. Congressman Kinkaid addressed the meeting after he had been arraigned by one speaker, fully justifying his action to the general satisfaction of most present.

### P. E. O. Supreme Session.

Broken Bow is especially favored this week with the presence of the Supreme Chapter of the P. E. O. of Nebraska that convened in this city Wednesday morning.

The B. & M. railroad ran a special train from Ravenna Tuesday night for the accommodation of the delegates from the east to attend the Fifteenth Annual session of Nebraska Grand Chapter of the P. E. O. now in session here in the Presbyterian church.

Delegates numbering 57, representing 35 chapters in Nebraska are in attendance together with state officers and ladies prominent in P. E. O. circles.

The state officers and those prominent in the work present are Mrs. M. Lue Weber, Pres. S. C. G.; Mrs. Jennie Burch, Supreme organizer, and Miss Mary Osmond of Iowa and editor of the Record; N. G. C. Pres. Mrs. Chas. Parmele of Plattsmouth. President Parmele opened the convention. The address of welcome was delivered by Mrs. Nellie Humphrey of this city and the response by Mrs. Carrie M. Peterson of Aurora.

A solo, "A Summer Rrain" was beautifully rendered by Mrs. Laura Sheetz of Omaha, and elicited an encore "Oh that we two were Maying."

A report of the supreme convention, written by Mrs. Mary McKinnon of Lincoln was read by Mrs. Jones. Report of Grand Chapter officers followed.

The afternoon session convened at 2 o'clock.

A vocal solo by Mrs. Sheetz was followed by a solo, "The Swallows" by Mrs. Della Adamson of Broken Bow.

Charters were granted to new Chapters at Alliance, Fullerton, Havelock, Fremont and North Platte. After Chapter reports, Memorial hour was observed by an open meeting. Miss Minnie Davis of Beatrice presided, giving the memorial address, after which the following program was given:

Selection by..... Ladies Quartette  
Violin Solo..... "Nearer My God to Thee"  
Prof. Gardichs, of Broken Bow.  
Vocal Solo..... "Harbor Bar"  
Mrs. Laura Sheetz.  
Select Reading..... "Our Friend"  
Mrs. Elizabeth Kirkpatrick, of York.

At 7:30 the convention was entertained by the band concert in the park. At 9 o'clock p. m. a model P. E. O. meeting was conducted by Chapter S. of Broken Bow.

The white and yellow color decorations ornamented the front and show windows of a large number of the business houses of the city in honor of the presence of the P. E. O. ladies. Some of the decorations are especially fine and elaborate. Drayman Smith had one of his drays artistically decorated. Free entertainment is being furnished the delegates and visiting members and the local Chapter is endeavoring in every way to make their guests feel welcome in our city. The session will conclude this evening with a public reception at the opera house.

G. F. Christy of Round Valley, kindly remembered this office with a friendly call yesterday.

The summer normal school opened Monday, with Prof. Herbert Sutton of Grand Island, and Prof. Wimberly of Ansley in charge.

W. W. Potts, wife and daughters, Maude and Madge have planned a trip to the Yellow Stone Park this season by an overland route. Besides being equipped with team, wagon, tent and camping outfit the girls will have a couple of saddle ponies to use when they want to change their mode of travel. They expect to start Friday or not later than Monday. The REPUBLICAN wishes them a pleasant trip.

#### Cures Old Sores.

Westmoreland, Kans., May 5, 1902. Ballard Snow Liniment Co.: Your Snow Liniment cured an old sore on the side of my chin that was supposed to be a cancer. The sore was stubborn and would not yield to treatment, until I tried Snow Liniment, which did the work in short order. My sister, Mrs. Sophia J. Carson, Allensville, Mifflin Co., Pa., has a sore and mistrusts that it is a cancer. Please send her a 50c bottle. Sold by Ed. McComas, Broken Bow and Merna.

## ...1-2-5...

When read correctly, means a 5-foot sickle for McCormick, Plano or Deering mower, for..... \$1.25 each

## FLIES!

While it is not yet fly time, I will show you a fly time in prices on Fly Nets. I bought out a concern that had to go out of business and have some great prices to offer you on Summer Lap Robes, Dusters and Fly Nets.

Leather Nets, Per Pair \$3.00.

I have also received a car of Boss Cultivators and I-Row Sled Disc Listing Cultivators. The Boss Riding Cultivator is just what its name implies—the Boss of all riding cultivators made, and I am ready to stand by it, and guarantee it to be the best cultivator made, easiest to operate, durable and easy draft. Having bought a car of these, I will sell them for

## \$25.00

For anything in the Buggy line you can always depend on finding about what you want on my sample floors, as I carry more buggies in stock than all the dealers in the county, and I don't carry any back numbers. I buy direct from the factory the latest styles at the lowest prices. If you see a good buggy look for the name plate and you will find

"The Dealer That Saves You Money."

## C.S. MARTIN, Mfg. Agt

—AND DEALER IN—  
ANTI-TRUST GOODS.

The county board of supervisors met in adjourned session Tuesday.

Dr. R. B. Mullins and wife left yesterday for St. Louis. They will go by Oscaloosa, Iowa, and visit a few days before going on to St. Louis. The Dr's son, Dick, went with them.

Leslie McWilliams, who is in charge of a B. & M. bridge gang in South Dakota, came home last Friday on a fifteen day lay off to visit with relatives and friends.

FOR SALE—House and 2 lots. Enquire at Star Grocery Co. of Concannon. 52-1

### .....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 Co.  
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.
Continental of New York paid.....	1,000,000.00	in Baltimore fire.
Actna of Hartford paid.....	500,000.00	in Baltimore fire.
Actna of Hartford paid.....	3,852,023.00	in Chicago fire.
Actna of Hartford paid.....	1,635,067.00	in Boston fire.
German American paid.....	500,000.00	in Baltimore fire.
Queen Insurance Co. of America paid.....	500,000.00	in Baltimore fire.
Niagara Fire Insurance Co. paid.....	300,000.00	in Baltimore fire.
Traders of Chicago paid.....	100,000.00	in Baltimore fire.

Farmers, if you will drop me a card or call at my office I will save you from \$5.00 to \$7.50 on each \$1,000 insurance you want and place it with the above companies.

## E. C. HOUSE,

Broken Bow, - - - - - Nebraska.

### OUR CAR OF

## Farm Implements

is now here, and in which we have some.....

## Good Bargains!

Come in and look them over.

16-inch High Lift Sulkey Plows.....\$32.00  
4-bar, 30 Tooth Steel 3-Section Harrow... 14.50  
Cultivators from.....\$11.50 up

## The Climax Three Wheeled Lister

The lister that pleases.

A good 1 1/2 Harness at.....\$19.00  
A good 1 1/4 Harness of select stock at.... 20.00

On stock saddles we are always right. See our line of saddles for spring. Janesville Barbed Wire and Grand Island Field Fencing.

Our Motto: "UNDERSELL."

## G. W. APPLE,

West Side Square, - - - - - Broken Bow, Nebraska.

## Wash Goods Special.

A delayed purchase of Wash Goods gives our customers the benefit of the big cut in prices always made by wholesalers at the end of the season to clean out their stocks of Wash Goods. We got in on the ground floor and now offer our friends a nice fresh assortment of seasonable Wash Goods at much below the regular wholesale prices:

10 Cent Princess Batistes at.....	7c
12 1/2 Cent Rosamel Satinee Lawns at.....	7c
15 Cent Locksley Batistes Lipton Dimities	10c
20 Cent Printed Dotted Swisses at.....	12 1/2 c
25 Cent Palazzo Stripes, very neat at.....	15c
20 Cent Chrysalide Mercerized Fancys, at.....	14c
25 Cent Mercerized Silk Zephyrs, at.....	18c

One Lot No. 40, Silk Taffeta Ribbons at.....	10c a yard
One Lot No. 40, Fancy Silk Ribbons at.....	10c a yard
Good LL Muslin at.....	5c a yard

These goods will not last long at these prices—First customer get the best selections.

## H. B. DRAKE,

ALWAYS SELLING THE MOST SHOES.