

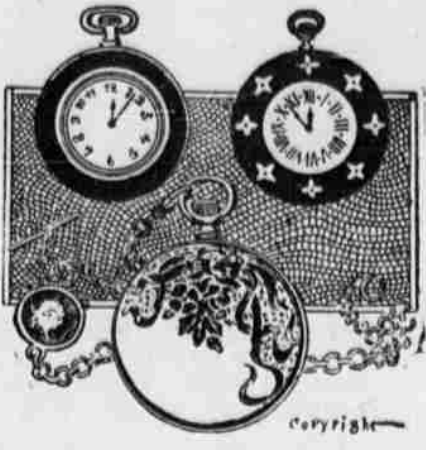
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Twenty-three Years Ago.

The following items were published in the REPUBLICAN 23 years ago:
Douglas Grove correspondent in reporting the celebration of the 4th at Longwood states the celebration was held at Charles E. Hoar's, where a large bower was erected and two long tables built and loaded with cakes, pies, cookies, biscuits, chicken, etc. After dinner dancing was indulged in by the young people until supper. After supper dancing was resumed in Hoar's house. Rae Brothers, of Sargent, furnished the music. Mrs. Henry Straph delivered the well known piece of "Sheridan Twenty Miles Away," and Nelson Potter delivered a comic lecture on how he "Started out to make a fortune."

The report of the celebration of Merna says the exercises opened late owing to the rain and that the dinner spread on the 60 foot table was the first on the program. The provisions were furnished by the ladies from Ortello and New Helena. Mr. Vore was the orator of the day. Declamations and music were furnished by the children of the Sunday schools. The only accident was that of Burt Reed, who had his face burned while pouring powder on the anvil. In the potato race Harvey Robinson took first money and Jimmy McCarthy second. In the foot race Len Thomas took first money and Crate Bowman second. Mrs. Bedwell furnished some very fine instrumental music. Mrs. Brotherton served an excellent supper at 11 p. m. to the dancers.

At Georgetown about 100 gathered on the 4th at the home of S. C. Stuckey, Miss Bisbank and M. VanVleck, of New York furnished the music for the occasion. They both gave recitations as did also Mrs. Saunders. After the exercises in the grove the audience repaired to the house of S. C. Stuckey where they were liberally entertained with ice cream and lemonade.

In Broken Bow about 500 people gathered after the rain and held their exercises in the hall. In the absence of Homer, of Kearney, who was detained at Kearney on a murder trial, Isaac Merchant, of New Helena, was prevailed upon to deliver the oration. Other speakers were A. M. Graham, S. A. Holcomb, J. S. Benjamin, Wilson Hewitt and Com. L. W. F. Cole. A base ball game was played on the commons south of town by Broken Bow and Lillian. A brilliant display of fire works was had at night.

"Something New" is the head line to an article appearing in the Omaha Republican stating that the Loup Valley Town Lot and Land company was organized yesterday in Omaha with Col. E. P. Savage, president, and J. W. Thomas, secretary-treasurer. The town referred to is Sargent, Custer county, Nebr.

Appraisers are busy at work appraising the school land of Custer county.

Eighteen teams with wagons went up to the canyons last Tuesday for wood. They all came from east of town.

C. J. Elliott, Luke Lavender and Geo. H. Sleverson, of Lincoln, made this office a pleasant call the fore part of last week. They were all looking up the matter of the manufacturing of brick and have spent several days in examining and experimenting among the hills and are satisfied that we have clay that will make No. 1 brick. Later Elliott and Lavender located here. Mr. Elliott engaged in the practice of law and Mr. Lavender made brick for a number of years.

The Old Settlers Picnic.
The annual picnic of the Old Settlers Association of Custer county will be held in Broken Bow's city park on Wednesday August 1, 1906. This gathering promises to be the biggest and best of the kind ever held in Custer county. Great preparations are being made for the entertainment of the crowd, a fine program of sports is being arranged and good speakers will be present. The program of this meeting will be announced next week.

Let us be your printer. The good kind of printing only.

Precinct Caucuses.

DOUGLAS GROVE.
The Republicans of Douglas Grove township will meet at the Roth school house on Saturday, July 28th, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing 7 delegates to the county convention, 7 delegates to the supervisor convention 1st district, to nominate a township ticket and to ticket and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
H. B. GLOVER, Committee.

LOUP TOWNSHIP.
The republican electors of Loup township are hereby notified that a caucus will be held at the Downey school house Saturday July 28th, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing 8 delegates to the republican county convention and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the caucus.
J. E. MYERS, Com.

ARNOLD TOWNSHIP.
The republican electors of Arnold township are hereby called to meet in Arnold Saturday, July 28th, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing five delegates to the Republican County Convention to be held at Broken Bow, August 4th, 1906, and to select 5 delegates to the Supervisor convention, district No. 5 yet to be called and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the caucus.
IRA P. MILLS, Committeeman.

CLIFF TOWNSHIP.
Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Republican voters at the Hick's school house Friday the 27th day of July, 1906, at 4 p. m. for the purpose of electing 6 delegates to attend the county convention to be held at Broken Bow, Aug., 28, 1906, and also to nominate township officers and transact any other business that may come before said meeting.
July 11, 1906.
W. J. RICE, Committeeman.

WESTERVILLE PRECINCT.
Republicans of Westerville precinct are hereby called to meet in Westerville, July 21st, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing eleven delegates to attend the county convention to be held in Broken Bow, July 28, 1906, to attend the supervisors convention, to select a township committeeman and transact such other business as may be deemed advisable.
C. E. CANNON, Committeeman.

Warning to the Public.
Regardless of persons the ordinance prohibiting the running at large and picketing on streets and alleys of stock will be rigidly enforced hereafter. This also applies to swine running at large annoying persons and destroying the lawns and property of the neighbors. It also means, that whoever you are, if you haven't pride and cleanliness to clean up your back yard and stinking hog pen and use a small quantity of lime or some other disinfectant in that disease breeding vault on your property, we will do it for you at your cost and see if we can not fine you for permitting the city to be kind to you.
N. T. GADD, City Att'y.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us at the death of our husband and father.
MRS. S. SEARSON AND FAMILY.

A Letter from Kansas
Eureka, Kansas, July 2nd, 1906.
EDITOR REPUBLICAN:
Having spent the past three weeks visiting my cousins in the Sunflower state the writer has noticed only slight differences in the customs of the people but the country is quite a contrast to Central Nebraska. It was near this place my father took a homestead in the 70's. Near the old Santa Fee trail I lived in childhood days.
One of the most interesting scenes was a band of Indians riding single file with tomahawks

dangling by their sides. A bold chief, distinguished from the others by wearing a coon-skin cap with tail dangling behind, presented his credentials at the Nixon homestead. Among other things the chief begged was chickens and flour, but instead he received a cold lunch such as the common tramp usually gets. Indeed he and his two companions made quite a feast on what we had left from dinner. My mother seeing the healthy appearance of the red men said: "Why don't you work?" The chief (swallowing the last fragment) said: "Umph! Indian sick!" They then rode slowly away carefully watching our large but harmless dog.

Soon after entering Kansas the rivers are more numerous and a variety of trees grow along their banks. Wind-mills gradually disappeared, in its place was the primitive walled well with its curb and "The old oaken bucket," usually in veins at a depth of from 10 to 60 feet. Numerous springs flow from ledges of limestone-rock in the canyons.
It has been rather dry here and

some of the stockmen fear a partial water famine, especially in ponds and springs.

Eureka has a natural gas well which furnishes a limited amount for home use. The upland, as table-land, is chiefly used as pasture. Catalpa trees are successfully grown on the poorer soils.
An eastern capitalist put out a quarter section of catalpa trees some ten years ago. He is now selling them in car load lots for posts. His profit is reported at \$100 per acre. If catalpa trees can be successfully grown in Nebraska it would save the farmers a huge sum of money in a short time.

Vast quantities of lime-stone rock is quarried for building purposes or as ballast for railroads in this and adjoining counties. Most farmers have small apple and peach orchards which promise a good yield of fruit this season.
Notwithstanding the fact that Kansas is richer in minerals than Nebraska we are ahead in rural telephones in old Custer.
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