

Why? IS LOVE LIKE A POTATOE?

Because it shoots from the eyes and gets less from the paring.

Everybody should love some person or some thing; we have just the things you can love if you will only buy them, and they will give you happiness in the home and on the farm. For instance: The Craver Header and the Harvester King Header and Binder will make you love them because they give you no trouble, and do the work nicely.

THE DEERING BINDER is the most lovable thing of its kind because it does its work nicely and without trouble.

WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF YOU SPLIT YOUR SIDES LAUGHING? RUN UNTIL I GOT A STITCH IN THEM. WE HAVE HAND MADE stitches in our work HARNESSES, and if you buy them you will find that they last longer and give you more satisfaction than any other kind. Come in and see what we can do for you.

DO MITES AND LICE BOTHER YOUR CHICKENS, if so we have just the stuff to stop it.

DO GOPHERS, GROUND SQUIRRELS, OR MOLES damage your ground or lawn? We have just the stuff that will kill them instantly.

DO BED BUGS BITE YOU AT NIGHT? If so come in and get something that will kill them.

DO BUGS OR WORMS BOTHER YOUR TREES? We have the liquid that will do them up.

HOG CHOLERA COMES FROM the vermin in the troughs or on the boards, we have something that will kill them.

WHAT GROWS BIGGER THE MORE YOU CONTRACT IT? DEBT. You can keep out of debt if you buy of us, because we give you the best goods for the least money.

DO YOU WANT the neatest, and nicest pattern of wall paper that will cost you about \$1 to paper a room.

A nice carpet for .20c and up, the latest style of matting, for .15c and up. Did you see our new straw matting, finest in the market.

WE HAVE ONLY A FEW LEFT of those genuine Navahoe Rugs, come in and see them.

Furniture of all kinds and the best variety at the very lowest prices.

WE SELL AND BUY all kinds of second hand goods, we have some very fine bargains in this line.

WHAT WAS IT WHICH ADAM NEVER HAD OR NEVER SAW, YET GAVE TWO TO EACH OF HIS CHILDREN? PARENTS. Harvest will soon be here, get your watches and clocks repaired in time to keep the time of your harvest hands.

You will have to feed them, we have the dishes and stoves to do it with. See what we have got.

GET ALL YOUR EXTRAS AND REPAIRS NOW before harvest is on, you won't be troubled when in the field at work.

We thank you for the trade you have given us, come in and see us again.

Yours Truly,

E. R. Moses Mercantile Co.

The Avery threshing machine takes the lead. It is more durable, and cleans and threshes better than any machine in the market. We sold an outfit to Boshel & Weimert, Great Bend, two years ago, and you can inquire of them how many repairs they used the last two seasons. GREAT BEND IMPLEMENT CO.

THE DEMOCRAT, one dollar.



RAILROAD TIME CARD.

EASTBOUND:
No. 114 + Stops at all stations. 6:40 a. m.
No. 6 + Stops only Ellinwood, Sterling and Hutchinson. 10:00 a. m.
No. 8 + Stops at all stations. 7:52 p. m.
WESTBOUND:
No. 367 + For Jetmore. 10:30 a. m.
No. 3 + For Scott City. 7:52 p. m.
No. 357 + For Scott City. 10:30 a. m.
Daily. + Daily except Sunday.
All freight must be at warehouse not later than 5 p. m.
Refrigerator freight for the east every Monday and Wednesday by 9 a. m. W. TORREY, Agent.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

The State of Kansas, Barton County, vs. Alfred Crebbin, Plaintiff.

Charles F. Wilkins et al, Defendants.

By virtue of an order of sale to me directed and delivered, issued out of the District Court of the State of Kansas, sitting in and for Barton County, I will, on Monday July 2nd, 1900 between 9 and 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court House west door, in Great Bend in the County and State aforesaid, offer at public sale, and sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described real property, to wit:

The south west quarter of section No. thirty six (36), Township No. eighteen (18), Range No. Fourteen (14), west of the 6th P. M. in Barton County, Kansas.

J. R. JOHNSON, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office Great Bend, Kansas, May 29, 1900.
WILLIAM OSBORN, Attorney for Plaintiff.

JOHN STAMM,

Florist and Landscape Gardener.
Furnish all kinds of Floral Designs for Funerals and weddings.
ROSES A SPECIALTY.
Orders by mail given prompt attention. A special delivery stamp will insure prompt delivery.
All kinds of Vegetables and Plants in season. HUTCHINSON, KANS.

ELECTRIC LIGHT CO.

Requests all persons using their lights to please notify their Electrician whenever their lamps become dim, when they will be supplied with new lamps, FREE OF ANY EXPENSE

H. E. LINDAS,

DENTIST.

Dental rooms over the Cyclone, GREAT BEND, KANSAS.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Get results, by advertising in the DEMOCRAT.

FOR RENT—A 6 room house. Enquire of T. H. Butler.

The farmer now sings "In this wheat, bye and bye."

Fifty cents will secure you the DEMOCRAT to Jan. 1, 1901.

Better get on the DEMOCRAT list and keep abreast of the times.

The jury was dismissed Tuesday, and sure they are thankful for that.

How about that slaughter of canines that was to have commenced June 1st?

J. A. Vandever was home last Sunday to renew acquaintance with his family.

The board of commissioners adjourned Tuesday evening until Monday, the 18th.

Don't bellyache. It is lots more popular to have heartache or headache. Bellyaching is a lonesome diversion.

HOUSE PLANTS.—Leave orders with Mrs. Ella Stoke for house plants of all descriptions.

Nick Smith and family attended the birthday celebration at Wm. Gagelman's, Saturday.

Mrs. Thos. Clayton and daughter left this week for Illinois, where they will visit for a few months.

FOR SALE—A second hand Header and a second hand Binder, both in good repair. See Will Pfister.

Some one tried the speed of Roy De Mott's bicycle the other day, and liked it so well forgot to bring it back.

If freedom and independence are good for Americans why are they not good for the Boers and Philipinos?

A heavy rain visited this county Tuesday night, and did some damage by causing the heavy wheat to lodge.

FOR SALE—Mares, all bred, from 3 to 7 years old, for cash or on time. Enquire of W. BOLINGER.

Horses will "feel their oats" this fall. There will be plenty of oats to feel. The crop was never better in this county.

Candies are nice, especially when FRESH and PURE. That is the kind you always find at Rathburn's Candy Kitchen.

The board of county commissioners have been "equalizing" all week. And the farther they go the more complications they find.

FOR RENT—The three rooms lately occupied by Miss Cook as dressmaking rooms, over cigar store.

JOE TROLLET

The firecrackers are here, and the small boy has his eye on them. In less than three weeks the small boy will have the firecrackers on his eye.

We have a few second hand Hodge headers, in good repair, for sale. Please call on us and get prices.

GREAT BEND IMPLEMENT CO.

A high wind stirred things up pretty lively Saturday night, followed by a downpour of rain, that soaked up the ground in good shape.

Brigadier Addie, of the Salvation Army, and of Kansas, Texas and Oklahoma District, will visit Great Bend and will lecture on "The Army Work," June 18th, in the tent.

M. F. Sowards and Harry Holmes returned from Excelsior Springs, Mo. Tuesday, their stay being cut short by the tragic death of their old friend and neighbor, Thomas Keenan.

FOR SALE—2,400 acres of farm land in Stafford county, Lincoln township. Will be sold cheap, with or without growing crops. For price and terms call on M. Weirauch, west Broadway, Great Bend.

Al. Spencer, of the Cheyenne bottoms, is one of the men who will not give up land that is worth \$10 to him for 50 cents an acre. He proposes to fight to the last ditch for his rights in the premises.

Suppose that the 2,234 dogs in Barton county should raise a two-thousand fold howl and all bay the moon at one and at the same time, what effect would it have on the 272 sheep in the county?

According to official returns of the assessors, Barton county farmers sold poultry and eggs last year to the value of \$85,000, to say nothing of the amount consumed at home. All honor to the Barton county hen.

Did you see our New Process Gasoline Stove for either coal or gasoline? We have also a Wickless Coal Oil Stove, which gives entire satisfaction. There is no danger of any explosion. GREAT BEND IMPLEMENT CO.

Every train from the east brings in hundreds of men hunting work. If times are so "prosperous" all over the land, as our republican friends are wont to brag about, how does it come that there are so many able bodied men rushing so madly after these harvest jobs? An explanation is due.

MARRIED—June 12, by probate Judge Broeden, John R. Bishop of New Enterprise Pa., and Jennie Clapper, daughter of John Clapper, Heizer, Kansas.

A close and exciting ball game was played Saturday in Washington Park, Pioneer, between South Bend and Pioneer. Score was 2 to 3 favor South Bend. Attendance between 5 and 6 hundred.

Frank B. Patterson, the jeweler, this week has packed his goods and shipped them to Weatherford, Ok., where he will open a jewelry store. Frank's many friends in Great Bend wish him an abundance of success and prosperity.

N. S. Watson, of the Kansas City Star, and E. G. Hughes, a prominent business and stock man of Dighton, Lane county, called on the DEMOCRAT this week. Mr. Watson will shortly remove to Lane county to embark in the stock business.

Henry Gagelman, the second son of Wm. Gagelman of Clarence township, became 21 years of age last Saturday, the 9th, and his father arranged for a celebration of the event by inviting in a number of friends and neighbors and serving them with royal entertainment.

"The Drummer Boy of Shiloh" you saw is not "The Drummer Boy of Shiloh" you have read about as having had such a big run in the cities. The latter is a deeply interesting drama, while the former was a very smooth man with the sticks and a fairly good looking woman with a voice.

Conductor Pat Boughan had more on (on his cars, we mean) than he wanted to carry, Tuesday night. About a hundred harvest hands boarded the cars—two freight cars that were to go over to Hisington—but Pat pulled the coupling and pounded over to the city by the lake without them.

C. L. Hobart, for several years past on the editorial staff of the Daily Kansan, at Newton, has secured a position on the Topeka Mail & Breeze. As the Mail & Breeze is the rottenest republican sheet in Kansas—most devoid of all sense of truth and honor—we cannot say that Charlie has improved his condition.

Tim McCarthy died at his home in Larned, on Tuesday, the 12, from abscess of the lung. He had been sick about a month, and a week or more ago underwent a surgical operation. Tim McCarthy was an old soldier of state prominence. He served in the regular army from 1854 to the close of the rebellion in 1863. Was at one time state auditor of Kansas, and Commander of the Kansas G. A. R.

There seems to be a general movement in Kansas towns and cities against patronizing those theatre or show "programs" as advertising mediums. Generally the business man pays as much for a card on a show program that is read by seldom more than fifty people, as the space would cost him in a newspaper read by 1,000.

Complaints are being made by the people of Buffalo township that proper precautions are not taken to prevent the spread of "Cuban chicken pox." It is reported on the Shaw farm, and at Geo. Wilka's, and the people of that neighborhood fear that if the disease spreads much more it will seriously interfere with the harvest work.

"The Drummer Boy of Shiloh" and his lady assistant gave a very fair entertainment at the opera house Monday night. The musical parts were of a high class, but somehow the pictures did not particularly show up "Greater America." The audience was small. "Two people" shows hardly ever draw packed houses, no matter how great their talent may be.

During the week 54 land owners in the Cheyenne bottoms have taken an appeal to the district court from the appraisal of the lands for lake purposes. The lake company will be required to furnish bonds to the extent of at least double the appraised value of the lands, while parties taking the appeal are required to furnish bonds for the costs of prosecuting the appeal. An effort will be made to have the cases considered at the earliest possible date. Some of the land owners will take the matter to the U. S. courts if not satisfactorily settled in the district court.

Some of the Santa Fe's Excursions. St Paul & return on sale July 14th 15th, and 16th, final limit July 21st. W. TORREY, Agt. A. T. & S. F. Ry

We have a few open elevator, 6 or 7 foot McCormick binders left. This is the only successful binder which binds besides wheat, kaffir corn and sugar cane, any height. It is made more durable, has roller bearings, and is worth \$25 more than any other binder in the market. Give us a call and let us show you this binder. Yours truly, GREAT BEND IM. CO.

The Big Store with the Little Prices!

Harvest Specials

FROM EVERY DEPARTMENT OF THIS BIG STORE. SEE HOW FAR A LITTLE CASH GOES HERE:

Men's 35 cent Linen covered Helmets for 25 cents
Men's 35c Goat skin Harvesting Gloves for 25 cents
Men's 65c heavy Overalls, warranted Not to rip, for 50 cents

35c line of Work Shirts, dark and light colors, boys & mens, 25c
Extra large blue and red Handkerchiefs, fast colors, each...5c
\$1.25 extra good work shoe, all solid, laces, for...98c
15c chip straw hats, good and wide for...10c
5c cotton honey comb toweling, cream or white, yd...4c
35c Sun bonnet made of chambray pink, blue, red and wine...25c
100 ready to wear Wrappers, dark colors, well made, only...65c
8 1/2c cotton check shirting fast colors, per yard only...5c

A few items from that wonderful money saving RACKET COUNTER.

Good set of knives and forks...48c
Heavy pint tin cups 2 for...05c
Good water glasses 6 for...24c
Jolly tumblers 12 for...35c
Best china plates, dinner size set 50c
Best china cups and saucers set 50c
Good glass sauce dishes, set...25c
35c steel jawed pinchers...24c
35c Texas eye shades made of fine wire gauze for only...25c
35c felt sweat pads...25c
50c saws, fine teeth...39c
10c tack hammer...05c
36c kitchen lamp...25c
15c comb and brush trays...10c
35c wall mirrors...25c
25c china meat platters...19c

Large box coppered Rivets...05c
1/2 box full copper rivets...19c
2 boxes double pointed tacks...05c
5 boxes carpet tacks...05c
8 in all iron monkey wrenches 39c
10 in all iron monkey wrenches 49c
20c alligator wrenches...15c
14 in flat mill file...25c
All sizes saw files...05c
Reel bolts per dozen...10c
100 tumbler rivets...15c
65c drawing knife...49c

We show a full and complete line of Granite and Tin ware. You will find our prices about 1/2 less than you usually pay.

We are for a short time only giving an elegant \$10.00 oil painting away free to the purchasers of \$10 worth of goods.

You will find it pays to trade at the

Butterick Patterns, **CYCLONE,** Great Bend, Kansas.

Belgian Hares!

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Piano and Organ.

MODERN METHODS. THOROUGH INSTRUCTION.

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BREEDER OF PRIZE WINNING

partridge Cochins, White Wyandottes,

Some fine P. Cochins Cockerels and Pullets for sale

Price of Stock and Eggs on Application.

GREAT BEND, KAN.

Governor Theodore Roosevelt

An elected Governor of New York, first by reason of his military achievements, and secondly on account of popular belief in his personal integrity and political soundness.

Every American boy should read the biography of this great American administrator, historian and soldier. Nowhere is the life of this representative American citizen more clearly and authoritatively set forth than in this

Doctors

Schwab & Meade,

Office

Over Hoopers Drug Store.

Calls answered in city or country. GREAT BEND, KAN.

NEW WERNER Encyclopaedia Britannica

It tells how after graduating from Harvard, he studied law, was a member of the N.Y. assembly, President of the U. S. Civil Service Commission; President of the New York Police Commission; Asst. Secy. of the Navy; Lieutenant-Colonel and later Colonel of the "Rough Riders," and now Governor of New York.

It characterizes him as a thorough scholar, an indefatigable sportsman, a typical frontiersman and a brave leader.

It mentions the many valuable historical works he published, how he led his men at Las Guasmas, El Caney, and San Juan Hill.

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FREE An Oak Bookcase. Guide to Systematic Reading. Freight charges prepaid.

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Manufacturer of and Dealer in

FLOUR, FEED and GRAIN.

All kinds of Feed Ground on Application.

OLMITZ, KANS.

JOHN F. LEWIS & CO.

REAL ESTATE, Loans and Collections.

ESTABLISHED 1885.

Oldest in the city, have resided 27 years in county and city.

We Make a Specialty of Locating Home Hunters, As Well As Investments.

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