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## GEORGE APPOINTS DEPUTY

### Chooses an Expert Accountant to Fill Important Position.

Many rumors have been current regarding the appointment of a deputy state treasurer and the usual number of aspirants have been anxiously waiting to know who the choice would be. The fact that State Treasurer-Elect W. A. George has kept the matter entirely from the public is a further evidence of his desire to select the best available person to fill the position. In conversation with Mr. George he informs us that he has appointed as his deputy, Mr. E. S. Mickey of Osceola. Mr. Mickey is a son of Ex-Governor Mickey and has for a number of years served as bank examiner, and has been associated in various ways with expert accounting. In making this appointment the best interests of the state were uppermost in the mind of the treasurer-elect.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

**City of Broken Bow**  
 D. R. Rockwell, Mayor.  
 J. S. Squires, Pres. of Council.  
 R. S. Kuns, Treasurer.  
 R. D. Pickett, Clerk.  
**Councilmen**  
 1st Ward, J. M. Kimberling, E. F. McClure.  
 2nd Ward, James Ledwich, C. H. England.  
 3rd Ward, J. S. Squires, D. C. Konkel.  
 4th Ward, S. L. Cannon, W. B. Eastham.

The city council met in regular session Tuesday at 8 p. m. with Mayor Rockwell in the chair and all councilmen present. The committee appointed to name the streets reported. Motion adopted that streets be lettered A to Z, commencing on the south side omitting the letter I and substituting Broadway. Then number the streets commencing on the east with First avenue. The matter of numbering the houses will be taken up as soon as the committee complete their investigation of methods in other



Ring out the Old, Ring in the New Ring out the false, Ring in the True At this season of good resolutions let us ask you to resolve to read our ads for the coming year. It will profit you as well as us, we often have some interesting store news which may mean a saving to your friends or to you. We wish you all the joys of the season.



## HOLIDAY SEASON

Let us fill your order for fancy eatables and candies for that luncheon or social you are planning

Stuffed Olives, nothing nicer 10c per bottle Heinz Midget Sweet Gherkins 30c per bottle White Malaga Grapes 20c per pound, 2 pounds for 35c. Coconuts, fresh and fine 10c each. We handle Chase's fancy Chocolates in boxes and by the pound. Fruit Cakes, a fancy seller,	25c and 50c each. Arrowroot Cookies. Assorted High Teas Delicious Trou Trous. Golden Rod Sugar Wafers and all kinds of bulk cookies. Jonathan Apples, the finest apple grown 40c per dozen. Fancy Sunkist Oranges all prices. Get a beautiful orange spoon.
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SEALSHIPT OYSTERS.--Call and get Mark Twain's Oyster Story Free.

## The Eagle Grocery Store.

The Square Deal Store Phone 58

cities. Complaint was made of the icy condition of a number of sidewalks and action will be taken against negligent property owners who persist in allowing snow and ice to accumulate on walks unless walks are cleaned.

The council is doing good work in preparing for free delivery of U. S. mail and it is understood that the time is not far distant when Broken Bow will enjoy this convenience.

## MARRIED.

We clip the following from the Nebraska State Journal: Miss Pauline Marley, of Lincoln, and Urial Buchanan, of Chicago, were married at Memorial Chapel, Chicago, Sunday Dec. 11. Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan will make their home in Chicago. Miss Marley has been a student at the State University.

Miss Marley will be remembered by her many friends here and is the charming and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Marley who were among our pioneer citizens, Mr. Marley being the organizer and president of The Mason City Banging Co. Miss Pauline was born and spent her early girlhood days in Mason City but in recent years she has been attending college in the East, besides having spent much time travelling abroad with her parents, visiting many European and Southern countries, and also most every important point in America. Mr. Buchanan is a young man of sterling character occupying an important and responsible position with the C. B. & Q. Ry Co. in Chicago.

In presenting the above article clipped from the Mason City Transcript we feel that the old settlers of Custer county will turn to the past with us and remember a rather undeveloped young man coming into the county in the capacity of a bank employe. This was something like 25 years ago, at the time his friends were rather concerned as to whether or not he would be a success in the business world. In those days of struggles the young man full of hope and courage and unlimited confidence in the development of Custer county pushed onward until today he bears the distinction of being one of the most successful business men in the state is president of the Mason City Bank Company and has business interests in other localities. P. H. Marley has in these years become well known in a business and social way with almost every citizen in Custer county. A few people may envy those who are successful in life, the opportunity is open to all.

A hobo, after being kicked from freight last Saturday and then compelled to do an honest stroke of work before getting outside of a square meal, expressed himself in more forcible than complimentary terms against Xmas hospitality displayed by town marshals in general.

Jess Triplett who has been visiting in Canada the past seven months returned home last Friday.

## MILLER CASE DECIDED.

### Judge Estelle Renders Decision by Which Theodore Miller Takes His Children

The legal fight over the Miller children, in which Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Coulter of this place have been trying to retain the custody of Edward and Anna Miller, their small nephew and niece, against the protest of Theodore A. Miller, the father, was brought to a close last Friday at Omaha. It will be remembered that Sheriff Brailey, of Douglas county, came to Broken Bow several weeks ago and took the children away from the Coulters on a writ of habeas corpus issued from the court of Judge Estelle, at Omaha. The children have been in charge of their uncle and aunt since the death of their mother several years ago. Mrs. Miller was a sister to Mrs. Coulter and at her demise left the little ones in her care.

Miller brought suit to recover his children but was beaten by the Coulters in county court, Judge Humphrey who was on the bench at the time, rendering a decision against the father and giving the Coulters the legal guardianship of the children. The case was then carried to the district court and Judge Hostetter, after going into details carefully, sustained the verdict of the lower court and the children accordingly went back to the Coulters. This was how matters stood up to the time of Sheriff Brailey's visit.

Last Friday afternoon Judge Estelle signed a decree giving the father permanent custody of the little ones. Judge H. M. Sullivan, of this place who represents the Coulters made a motion for a new trial; but this was quickly overruled by Judge Estelle. Judge Sullivan stated that an appeal to the supreme court would be taken and the customary forty days was given him in which to perfect it. The decision of Judge Estelle's naturally overrules that of Judge Hostetter's four years ago, and it is now up to the Supreme court (or will be) to decide which of the two "his honors," was in the right. According to the Omaha papers, Miller, who now resides with his second wife in Omaha was greatly pleased with the decision, and stated that his Xmas would be all the happier for being able to install his small son and daughter in their own home.

## Rosalind at Redgate.

Indiana as a storehouse for Stevensonian adventures seems not yet exhausted, for in the announcement of the approaching engagement of "Rosalind at Redgate," from the pen of Meredith Nicholson, we are assured of another pleasant journey into the valley of romance. Once again strange craft cruise Lake Anandale, dark villains watch their chance for a knife thrust in the dark—once again heroes are bold, and maidens are fair, and the happiness of love crowns all. Glows thus the fire of romance in the heart of prosaic America, and all true patriots rejoice that another commodity can be procured at home.

"Rosalind at Redgate," with an exceptional cast, and production will be seen at Opera House Tuesday evening, Jan. 3d.

John Cadwell is at home this week from Manhattan, Kans., where he is attending college.

Mrs. C. W. Duke with her son, Kenneth and daughter Grace of Mason City visited in Broken Bow Wednesday.

Elba Pigman who is attending school at Kansas City came home last Friday to spend Christmas with his parents.

Clyde and Stella Walters are at home this week from Grand Island college to spend their vacation with their parents.

The Herbert Concert Orchestra gave a Christmas dance in the opera house Monday night. A large crowd was in attendance and some excellent music rendered.

Mrs. H. Lomax left for Baltimore Monday for an indefinite stay. The lady has been in poor health for some time and it is hoped the change will benefit her.

If you are feeding hogs, even if only one or two, the most valuable feed to aid in putting on flesh is Tankage. Get it at the City Mill Co. Phone 320.

Miss Jeane Todd went to Arcadia last Saturday to spend Christmas with her sister. She returned Monday accompanied by her sister Lizzie who had been visiting there the past six weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. Schrock went to Lincoln Sunday expecting to enjoy a pleasant Christmas with Mrs. Schrock's parents. On arriving at their destination they found the mother quite seriously ill. The doctor returned Monday leaving Mrs. Schrock with her mother.

Mrs. Jas. Wood entertained the country card club Wednesday night at her home, one mile east of town. A number of invited guests outside of the regular membership, were present and partook of the hospitality of the general hostess. Cards were indulged in, of course, and dainty prizes awarded the winners. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

## New Masonic Lodge.

Grand Junior Warden Alpha Morgan in company with Deputy Grand Custodian J. J. Tooley of Anselmo, Joseph Molyneux and M. K. Hagerdorn of this city went to Litchfield Tuesday and instituted a lodge Masons. The Litchfield Masons have been quite active for the past year making arrangements and fitting themselves for the work. Mr. Morgan was assisted by other prominent Masons from neighboring lodge and as is customary on such occasions there was not only a gathering of Masons for work outlined but a reunion of old timers who have watched with a feeling of pride the present Grand Junior Warden's promotion to positions of honor in the various bodies of Masonry. Last Tuesday's event will be remembered as one of the best meetings of its kind in this section of the state for many years.

## THE NEW YEAR.

### A Few Things We Shouldn't Do For the Next 365 Days.

Christmas has gone and the medical fraternity rejoice exceedingly over the in-rush of business resulting from over-indulgence in the festive mince pie and the holiday turk, including, of course, all the rich and toothsome trimmings that go with those noble articles of food. It was a glorious Xmas, albeit a quiet one, and those not suffering from dyspepsia and whose constitution allowed them to partake of holiday cheer without having to break in upon the night rest of the family physician had great cause to be thankful. But, we are now facing a new year and it is up to the bunch of us to state plainly and without reserve what we intend doing for the period 1911, even though we don't do it. It is so thoroughly American for one to make a big bluff on good resolutions then drop quietly by the wayside, wait for next year and repeat the whole business. And this has its advantages, in some ways, because it breaks the monotony, adds zest to the game and, every twelve months gives your deluded acquaintances the impression that you are at last going to brace up and do something. There are, oh, so many things we should do this coming year; then, again, there are a few things we should not do. Here are a few of them:

Don't linger too long over the breakfast table, especially when you are breakfasting only on a cup of hot water and a pinch of salt.

Don't allow your hogs to make merry on other people's property. Your neighbor may be a liberal minded man, but the chances are he draws the line at strange pigs. Don't envy the fellow with a gallon of whiskey; you are better off than he is.

Don't indulge in ham sandwiches and custard pie immediately after eating a hearty meal.

Don't threaten to shoot your neighbors' chickens; you may be the proprietor of a chicken factory yourself some day.

Don't tell people how superior your eastern home town is to Broken Bow; they will wonder how you ever had the courage to leave it.

Don't try to make friends with a bull dog who has just been presented with a juicy bone.

Don't play marbles in the middle of the street after a two-foot fall of snow.

Don't swear when you crush your finger with a hammer; but repeat the Declaration of Independence backwards, take seven swallows of water, then go to the back yard and kick the dog until the hair disappears. If you have children, you might work them in also.

Don't think you are the only prune in the plumb cake when your wife presents you with a bouncing boy; there are several other children in Nebraska.

Don't continually tell your wife she is the handsomest woman in town; she may try to convince some other man that she really is.

Don't kick at your home paper if something in it doesn't exactly suit; the country editor has his troubles, even though he is basking in the light of prosperity.

## South Omaha Live Stock Market. Special Report

So. Omaha, Neb., Dec. 28, 1910.

Cattle:—Last week's run was only fairly heavy. Prices advanced the first half 25c but flattened out Thursday and Friday, rising all the gain. 7000 for 3 days this week have not been too many and prices rule strong to a dime higher. No choice cattle offered, bulk of best beef 5.50 to 6.00; a few up to 6.25; medium 5.00 to 5.50; good feeders strong at 4.75 to 5.25; regardless of weight; a few selected up to 5.50; best cows 4.50 to 4.70 with an occasional choice bunch at 5.00 to 5.25 medium grades 3.50 to 4.00 and canners 3.00 to 3.35; best veal still 8.00 for top and bulk 6.00 to 7.50; stock calves 4.50 to 5.00. Bulls a little dull; best butcher bulls 4.25 to 4.50 and Bologna 3.40 to 3.65. Cattle requirements will be light this week but moderate receipts like present will do much to maintain prices.

Hogs:—Receipts 12,000 for 3 days; 5c higher both Monday and Tuesday but 5c to 10c lower today, bulk 7.55 to 7.80, top 7.85. With continued good weather and cheap corn there is an inclination to hold and feed which will result in heavier hogs later. The market needs watching and a bad spell of weather will undoubtedly bring increased receipts and we believe lower prices.

Sheep:—Receipts 9000 for 3 days with market strong to 10c higher for Monday and Tuesday but closing weak to 10c lower today. Best lambs 6.00 to 6.25; a few feeder lambs, having had a little grain at 5.75; fat light yearlings 4.75 to 5.10; heavy yearlings 4.00 to 4.40; wethers 3.90 to 4.25 and good ewes 3.50 to 3.85. Not many sheep will be required this week and continued light supplies will have a beneficial effect.

Yours truly,  
 National Live Stock Com. Co.

## Broken Bow Market.

Corrected Wednesday  
 Corn..... .38  
 Wheat..... .75  
 Oats..... .28-30  
 Barley..... .40  
 Hogs..... .7.00 to 7.10  
 Cows..... .3.50 to 4.00  
 Steers..... .4.00 to 4.50  
 Chickens..... .7 to 8  
 Ducks..... .7 to 8  
 Geese..... .7  
 Turkeys..... .17 17½  
 Butter..... .25  
 Eggs..... .30

R. R. Martin returned from a trip to Texas last Saturday. Mr. Martin has extensive land and mining interests in Texas and Mexico and reports conditions very prosperous in his locality in Texas. Much time is being spent by those interested in securing new enterprises for the young towns recently established.

Mrs. J. E. Wilson, whose pleasant home is situated one and one-half miles east of the city, entertained a party of friends at a Christmas night supper in honor of her mother, who is visiting here. The invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Davis and Mrs. J. E. Iszard.

## RIPE OLIVES

We now have "GIFFORD'S BEST" ripe California Olives. The finest, best and most delicious olive grown. These olives are left on the tree to ripen and are hand picked, hence you get the full flavor from the fruit which is packed in hermetically sealed cans. We have two grades the Extra Fancy and Medium in Quart and Pint cans.

QUARTS	PINTS
Extra Fancy, 50c	Extra Fancy, 25c
Medium — 40c	Medium — 20c

## J. N. PEALE

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 Agent for De Laval Separators Cream Station

## FLOUR TALK

It is our desire to do all we can at all times to promote the interests of home industries, home dealers and the home consumers. In order to comply with this rule we must judge for ourselves who is most benefitted and in what way. We believe our customers will appreciate the fact that a first class article of food sold at the same price of inferior goods is a benefit to the consumer, hence we are offering you "Aurora A1" flour at \$1.30 per sack, \$2.60 per hundred, this flour is fully guaranteed to make more loaves of bread than any other flour we know.

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