

**LOCALETTES**

A. T. Walker was in Lincoln Sunday. Ralph Fox spent Sunday in Mattoon. Carl Johnston has returned to Lincoln. Mabel Henny left for McPherson Sunday. Jas. McBride was down from Coles Monday. Mrs. T. C. Hacker went to Lincoln Tuesday. Aunt Prudy Moore is reported on the sick list. Miss Dorothy P. Her is home from a visit in Denver. Reese Thompson, of Coles was in the city Monday. Read Argabright's "announcement" on another page. Miss Anna Richards returned from Edgar Saturday. Miss May Harrell left for St. Joe Tuesday morning. Mrs. Minnie Taylor was down from Riverton Sunday. "Swede" Somberg was down from Franklin Monday. Read Argabright's big announcement in this issue. Earl Danlier returned to Riverton the last of the week. John Weesner returned to Webster the first of the week. Mrs. Maggie Thomas is visiting J. G. Ormiston at Campbell. Miss Marie Blum was over from North Branch Saturday. See Dr. Stockman for eye glasses. Satisfaction guaranteed. R. D. Moritz and family are home from a visit in Hastings. Stevens brothers have bought the Shultz photograph gallery. John Bentley of Silliam Springs, Ark., is in the city on business. Lloyd Hines went to York Wednesday where he will enter school. For Sale—Six room home, on 1st. Inquire at Newhouse's store. Miss Mabel Winfrey has gone to York to attend business college. Miner Sherwood departed for Notre Dame, Indiana, Monday morning. Miss Grace Frisbie returned the first of the week to Wesleyan University. E. E. Burr of Guide Rock was transacting business in the city Monday. Miss Ruth Johnston has returned to her school duties near Blue Hill. Miss Margaret McCutcheon is back from Archer where she spent Xmas. Chas. Kellogg returned to Coles Monday morning to resume his studies. Miss Enricha Caldwell went to Kansas City Wednesday to visit relatives. Mrs. Bert Mochart returned the last of the week from a visit in Tecumseh. Miss Maud Wilson returned to Lincoln Monday after visiting her sister Vera. Vic Fulton and family are home after spending the holidays in Oklahoma.

Leon J. Fulkson went to Hastings Wednesday where he will attend school. Edgar Thoms and Harry Thoms returned to school at McPherson, Kans., Monday. C. A. Kaley left Sunday for Washington, D. C., from there he will go to Europe. J. H. Robinson and wife spent Sunday in the country with Mr. Ellinger and wife. Mr. and Mrs. John Durkee returned home from Columbus, Kans., Sunday morning. Prof. Burden, accompanied by Miss Mabel Esdig, were visiting his folks at Campbell. J. H. Kellogg returned to Kearney Monday where he is studying at the state normal. Mrs. Rife went to Beatrice Monday where she will visit before going on to Lincoln to visit. Dr. E. A. Thomas has been very sick this week at his home in the western part of town. J. H. Taylor and wife returned home Saturday from Kearney where they spent the holidays. Mrs. Ingham of Clayton, Kans., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dick Rousby this week. John Wagner and family are home from a visit in Hastings with relatives at and near Coles. Mrs. Phelan went to Hastings Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Howard, the jeweler. Mrs. Viola Austin is visiting from the parental roof with Miss Laura Helge for a few days. Bruce Backwith returned to Lincoln Monday morning to resume his studies at the state university. Tom Nesbitt had the misfortune to lose a new overcoat at the New Year dance, Friday evening. Misses Margaret and Katrina Burke returned Saturday from a two weeks visit at Walnut, Iowa. Mrs. Grace Hala returned from Arroyo Saturday evening where she spent the holidays. Miss Edna Fitzpatrick returned the last of the week from spending the holidays in Denver. Road Master Trout has moved into his new residence just completed on 1st and Walnut streets. Pete Britton of Blue Hill was in the city Monday while here he made this office a pleasant call. Harry Studebaker and sister, Miss Paquita left for McPherson, Kans., Monday to attend college. It looks like Argabright expects to raise prices on high grade pianos, read his announcement in this issue. Miss Francis Urb returned from her home in Gottenburg, Saturday to resume her school duties here. Dr. Whitson, physician and surgeon, office and residence phone same as Dr. Raines, Potter block. Miss Bertha Barlow has gone to Lincoln to attend college to prepare herself for teaching shorthand.

Miss Estelle Grace who has been visiting in Sibley Springs, Arkansas, returned home Tuesday morning. Miss Emma Hartman, who has been visiting her parents for the last two weeks, returned to Hebron Monday. Misses Edith and Helen, Governor and Mrs. Damerell returned to Lincoln Monday to resume their studies. Mr. and Mrs. Steele and daughter of Rosemont are visiting at Steele's sister Mrs. John Burcess and family. Attorney McNony was in Lincoln this week on business and was present at the inauguration of Gov. Shallenbarger. Miss Mattie Able returned to McCook Sunday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moss Able. Geo. W. Hutchison, clerk of the district court departed for Lincoln Monday to help inaugurate Governor Shallenbarger. Dr. Warrick, the specialist will meet eye, ear, nose and throat patients and those needing glasses, at Dr. Damerell's office Tuesday, January 19th. Linn & Fottel sold their store order books Wednesday to E. O. A. Nelson, who immediately took possession of the same. We wish you success Doc. Bowen Bros. living south of the river have bought the barn and dairy line of P. W. Studebaker. They will take possession on or before Feb. 1st. Miss Norma (the) returned to the state university Sunday and Miss Margaret returned to Omaha after spending the holidays with their parents. Mrs. Grace Griffin has returned to Lincoln and Mrs. Lydia Richard returned to Weeping Water after spending the holidays with their mother, Mrs. Rife. Chas. Shellack who has been operator at the Tepee resigned his position Wednesday morning and left for Hastings. From there he goes to New Mexico. T. J. Ward went to Lincoln yesterday to be present at an funeral of the late democratic governor he ever witnessed in-tailed into office. Mr. Ward's sojourn is indefinite. Grant Bailey who has been spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jude Bailey returned to Omaha Saturday where he has a clerical position in the Union Pacific offices. The ladies of torpishorean taste gave a grand leap year hop and banquet at the Woodman hall New Year's evening. Everyone present pronounced the occasion an enjoyable one. The following stockmen shipped stock Sunday from this point: Dr. Damerell & Stewart, car of hogs; Miner & McColl, three cars; H. C. Cullen, one car; Weesner & McIntosh, one car; and Jim McIntosh four cars of cattle. For chapped hands, face and lips Pinesolve Carbolicizer is immediate relief (Acts like a poultice) good for cuts, burns, bruises, skin diseases. Draws out inflammation. Price 25c. Try it sold by Henry Cook.

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Mesdames Ferguson, Wiles and Gardner entertained the ladies of the Royal Neighbor lodge Tuesday evening in honor of their mother, Mrs. L. H. Port of Red Cloud, who is Past Oracle of the lodge at that place, and Miss Emma Morine of Chicago, sister of Mrs. A. G. Axelton, a member of the Royal Neighbors, who are here visiting. The evening was spent in various contests in a most enjoyable manner until about 10:30 when an elaborate luncheon was served.—*Orleans Chronicle.*

The cattlemen and stockraisers of this vicinity held their first annual banquet at the Hotel Royal on New Year's evening, at which time the following guests were present: Dr. Damerell, Wm. Weesner, Wade Koozitz, Mr. Stewart, James McIntosh, Jake Ellinger, J. W. Crow, C. H. Miner, Co. ny Starke, Chris Starke, L. Essig, Wm. Robertson, Joseph Gurney, Jack Wisecarver, Geo. Topham, W. P. Kuehn, Wm. Crabbill, A. T. Walker, Jay Deinkard of St. Joe, Mo., was the guest of honor.

At a proper time an elegant luncheon was served to which all did justice. Dr. Damerell acted as toastmaster. The boys say they had a good time. Otis Leggett, who was arrested in Minden last week, on suspicion of being implicated in the recent bank robberies at Keene, Coresco and other towns is home. He and Bert Carr and Wloyd Thorpe of Hastings who were jointly arrested at the above place, were turned loose there was not sufficient evidence to hold them. They were turned loose without a preliminary hearing. The oil lads who were responsible for the fear-st along with that county, will now face a good sized damage suit for false imprisonment, and the boys are justifiably so doing. There is too much of that kind of work of arresting people upon some such

charge, without any particular foundation, and the responsible parties should pay for the damage.

Mrs. Frahm entertained New Year's day.

G. V. Argabright was in Bladen this week.

Will Rife came in from Edgar Thursday morning.

Ralph Sherman returned from Missouri Thursday morning.

Thursday, Johnnie Hart began putting up eight-inch ice off the creek.

Senator Besse of the senate was appointed on the employe committee.

Zeph Rosencrans came in from Belvidere, Illinois, Thursday morning.

"Book" Beltzer who played ball here last summer was elected captain of the state university foot ball team for this year, this week.

John Hamilton, El. Casey, Jim Jennings, and Chas. Embout came up from Guide Rock Monday evening to attend the I. O. O. F. installation.

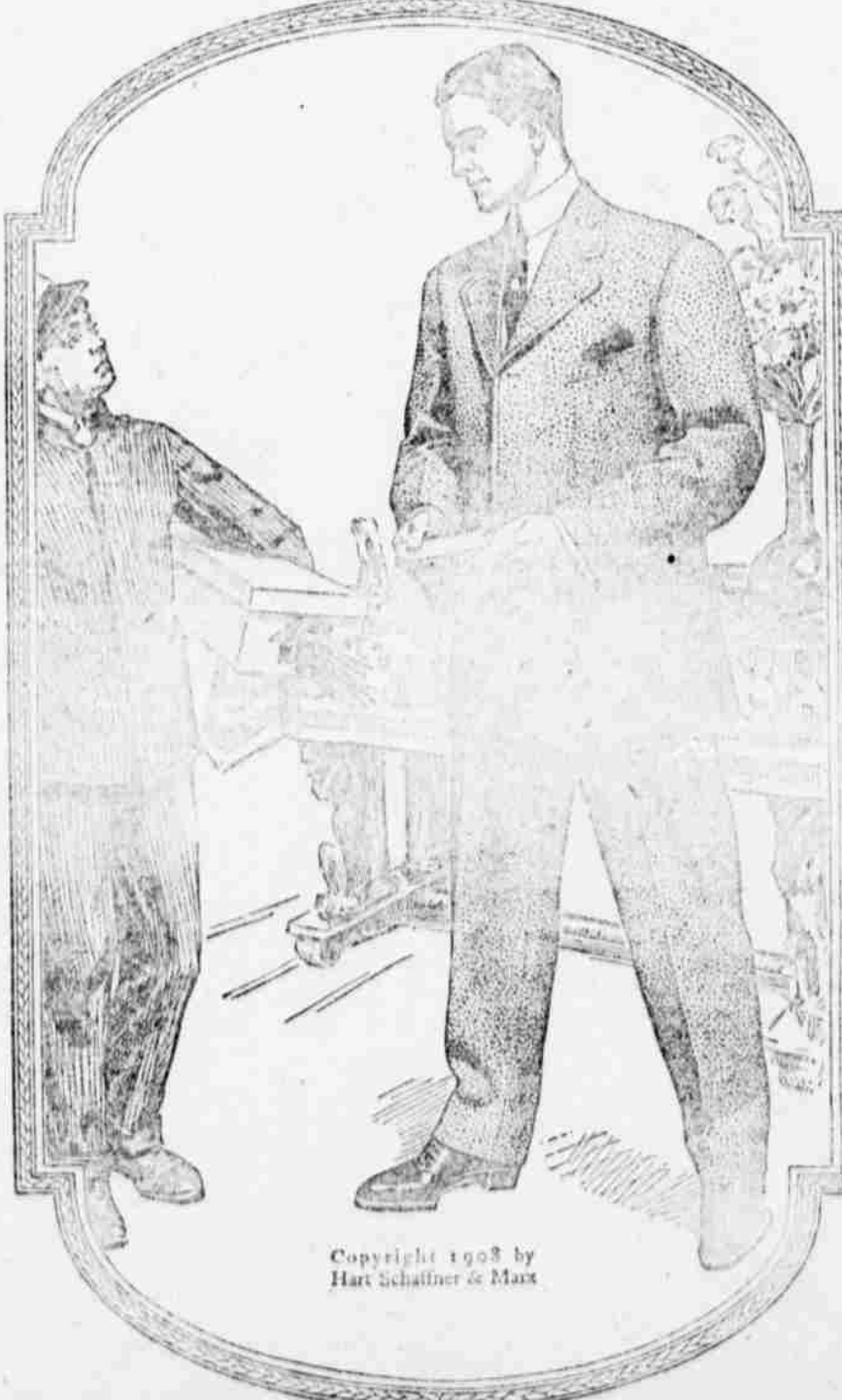
The P. E. O. ladies entertained their many friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Robt. Mitchell New Year's day. All afternoon crowds of friends were coming and going. They gave a very nice musical program, Miss Helen Overman and Josephine Mizer rendering several solos, Chocolate and wafers were served. In the evening they entertained the B. L. boys, at cards when a dainty luncheon was served.

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