

BOY KILLS HIMSELF.

Ferry Stouffer, of Merna, the Victim of an Accident.

Special Telephone to the REPUBLICAN.

Perry Stouffer, a seventeen year old boy, living two miles north of Merna, accidentally shot himself today at 11 o'clock, by discharging a shot-gun, while in the act of picking the gun up from the steps in front of the door of his residence.

CUSTER COUNTY ASKS RELIEF.

Delinquent Real Estate Taxes Can Only Be Collected After the Lands Have Been Appraised and Sold.

Omaha Bee.

Senator F. M. Currie of Broken Bow is in the city. Mr. Currie comes from the home of Judge Holcomb and Congressman Kem, and was the only republican elected from the district.

Speaking of the coming session of the legislature, the senator said that the western part of the state would have some important matters to bring before the law-makers, the most urgent of which is an amendment to the revenue law. "Custer county," said the senator, "has enough money to her credit in the form of delinquent taxes to pay running expenses for three years and we will ask the legislature to devise a plan by which we can secure the greater part of these funds."

The ceremony was performed at high noon by the Rev. A. Corlet, of Arnold, after which an elaborate wedding breakfast was partaken of, to which about thirty-five guests sat down.

The happy couple will immediately depart for Gothenburg, to take up housekeeping in the home which the groom has already prepared for his fair bride.

The bride is one of Custer county's prominent school teachers, and a large circle of acquaintances and friends can testify to her amiable disposition and superior social qualities.

The groom is an estimable young man, too well known to need comment upon his personal character. Both have the good wishes of all, and your correspondent joins in wishing them a long and prosperous life, "living together under the same roof, and never can be sundered without tears."

Wolf Hunt.

G. W. Kirkpatrick has been appointed to arrange for a wolf hunt to take place on Saturday, January 19, 1901. The lines arranged by him will take in a territory six miles square, and will run as follows: Starting at the northeast corner of section 30, town 18, range 22, thence running west to the north west corner of section 34, town 18, range 23, thence south to the south west corner of section 10, town 16, range 22, thence north to place of starting. The roundup will be in the center, on the north half of Sec 20, town 17, range 22, one mile north of the residence of G.W. Kirkpatrick.

The proposed captains and their positions of starting will be as follows: Charles Day and Frank Coleman east half of north line; Edward and Jack Forney, west half of north line; Jess Gandy and Henry Martin, south half of east line. Portworth and Billy Smith, north half of east line.

Rube McMarty and David Coulter, east half of south line; Nottley Scott and Lawrence McLean, west half of south line.

Roy Sage and Fred Klump, north half of west line. Will Worth and Dan Sage, south half half of west line.

Proposed captains and all interested parties are requested to meet at the Maple Grove school house, on Wednesday, Jan. 2, at 4 o'clock p. m. to organize and to further arrange to make the hunt a success. Everybody is invited to take part in the hunt.

JOHN & KNERR,

Successors to Peale, John & Bushnell.

The Big Store in the Realty Block.

Will continue to do business at the old stand. Our stock of goods we are pleased to have everybody come in and examine. There is not a better stock of STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, SHOES AND SHAKES, HATS, CAPS AND QUEENSWARE this side of Lincoln, and our prices will sell the goods. We now have in stock an extra fine lot of Christmas candies, from the best to the cheapest, and in Queensware, after looking at our stock, you cannot help but buy some one a nice present. We will still continue to pay the highest market price for produce, poultry and game, and with pleasure thank you for your liberal patronage in the past, and wish you to continue in the future.

Yours for business, JOHN & KNERR.

Marriage Bells.

One of those happy events which everybody is interested in, and especially the participants, took place December 19th, on Stop table, eighteen miles southeast of Arnold, when Miss Florence Estella Bedell, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. M. Bedell, was united in marriage to Mr. Marvin C. West, youngest son of Mr. J. W. West, a prominent ranchman of Logan county.

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Following are some of the many useful and happy presents which the bride received:

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. M. Bedell, parents of the bride, fancy stand lamp; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. West, trunks of the groom, eight day clock; Mrs. E. Kirchgeister, white bed spread; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bedell, silver coffee pot; the Misses Marie and Sude Gannon, fancy water set; Mr. J. H. Lemmon, china fruit set; Mr. and Mrs. G. Kirchgeister, plain water set; Mrs. M. H. Bedell, fruit dish and cake stand; Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Halvstrand, table cloth, chair tids and towels; Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Henry, a pair of white brahms, chickens; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Byers, one pig.

Marriage Licenses.

The following licenses to wed were issued by Judge Armour for the month of December:

Table with columns: Name, Age, Residence. Entries include Geo. W. Troyer, Maude McCandless, Archie M. Robinson, May Warren, D. R. Hochwell, Dora Roth, Marvin C. West, Florence E. Bedell, Lewis C. Cole, Chora W. Sweet, Bernard Frazer, Anna Pierce, George H. Hart, Andrea Christensen, Herbert A. Cummins, Ada A. Betts, Frank Coe, Grace C. Calains, John H. Bartley, Nannie P. Cady, George W. Luce, Sarah D. Perry, Frank Brumbaugh, May Woodard, Horace F. Kennedy, Nannie Talbot, Samuel Wilcox, Beale May Brown, Edward L. Allen, Jessie Bishop, Joseph W. Nagler, Bernita M. Browning.

Norris Browne, of Kearney, has been appointed deputy attorney general. The appointment is a good one and will give general satisfaction to the republicans of the sixth district.

When in need of a first-class auctioneer, call on or address R. D. SULLIVAN, Broken Bow, Nebr.

A Good Thing.

Our Great-Grandmother's garrat containing the same herbs of all healing found in Karl's Clover root tea. They gave our ancestor strength, kept the blood pure, and will do the same for you if you say so. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by J. G. Haerberle.

The Modern Brotherhood.

Messrs. Casner and Wells have been in our city the past two weeks in the interests of the Modern Brotherhood of America, and have succeeded in writing some thirty or more applications for that order.

The M. B. A. is composed of both men and women and gives more indemnity for the money than any order that has ever come to our notice. It pays one-half of insurance for total disability, 1/3 for the loss of hand, foot or eye, 1-10 for broken arm or leg and 1-10 yearly for old age benefits after 70.

With only 7 assessments for the present year, and 19 for the entire time since their organization, Apr 5, 1897, 30,000 members and \$50,000 reserve fund, the M. B. A.'s record surpasses anything in the fraternal line ever before known. When you want insurance that protects you while living and those dependent on you when you are gone, join the M. B. A. and get it. Their membership fee is \$2.50 for charter members. They expect to organize about the 2nd of January, when their charter will be closed and the fee put back to its original amount, \$5.00. We wish the M. B. A. success, believing that they are an order which will benefit our community.—Sargent Era.

For Sale.

A pair of young draft horses. Inquire at Lee's barn.

We will furnish the Kansas city Journal and REPUBLICAN for \$1.25 per year.

WOMAN IS LIKE A DELICATE MUSICAL INSTRUMENT

In good condition she is sweet and lovable, and sings life's song on a joyful harmonious string. Out of order or unstrung, there is discordance and unhappiness. Just as there is one key note to all music so there is one key note to health. A woman might as well try to fly without wings as to feel well and look well while the organs that make her a woman are weak or diseased. She must be healthy inside or she can't be healthy outside. There are thousands of women suffering silently all over the country. Mistaken modesty urges their silence. While there is nothing more admirable than a modest woman, health is of the first importance. Every other consideration should give way before it. Bradfield's Female Regulator is a medicine for women's ills. Its effects are quick and certain, it cures leucorrhoea, falling of the womb, nervousness, headache, backache and general weakness. You will be astonished at the result, especially if you have been experimenting with other so-called remedies. We are not asking you to try an uncertainty. Bradfield's Female Regulator has made happy thousands of women. What it has done for others it can do for you. Sold in drug stores for \$1 a bottle.

A free illustrated book will be sent to all who write to THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga.

Burling Route TIME TABLE.

Table with columns: City, Time. Includes Broken Bow, Nebraska with routes to Lincoln, Omaha, Chicago, St. Joseph, etc.

SCHEDULE OF BROKEN BOW MAILS.

Pouch for west will close at 8 p. m., except Sunday when it will close at 7 p. m. Pouch, east for train No. 42 closes at 5.30 a. m. and for No. 44 closes at 11 a. m. Mail for Ansley and points east of Grand Island carried on train No. 44. Omaha via of Ryno and Tackerville, daily except Sunday closes at 7 a. m. returning same day. Round Valley via Green and Elton close at 7 a. m. Monday, Wednesday and Fridays, returning same day. Sumner via Gurnsey, Georgetown and Upton arrives at 11.30. Tuesday Thursday and Saturday, returning leaves at 12.30 every day. Office hours from 8.00 a. m. to 8.00 p. m. Sunday 8.30 to 9.30 a. m. Lobby open week days from 7 a. m. to 8 p. m. L. H. JAWETT, P.M.

ORDINANCE NO.

An ordinance to provide a city health officer, and to prevent the spreading of contagious or malignant diseases in the city, and providing regulations for treatment of malignant and contagious diseases by physicians, and providing a penalty for the violation thereof, and repealing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Providing for the Public Health," passed January 10th, 1899. Section 1. That it shall be and is hereby made the duty of the mayor, by and with the advice and consent of the council, to appoint a health officer for said city, who shall hold his office for the same time as other appointed officers. Sec. 2. No other person than a regular practicing physician shall be appointed to said office. Sec. 3. When it shall come to the knowledge of the health officer that any person within the city is afflicted with a malignant or contagious disease it shall be his duty to examine such person, and if in his opinion the person is afflicted with a malignant or contagious disease, he shall report the same to the mayor and council. Sec. 4. Any person who shall in any way prevent or interfere with the health officer in his duty, or who shall violate the provisions of section 3 hereof, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not less than ten dollars, nor more than fifty dollars, and shall stand committed until such fine and costs are paid. Sec. 5. When it shall come to the knowledge of the health officer that any person within the city has been exposed to any malignant or contagious disease, it shall be his duty to cause such person to be examined, and if necessary, to be confined and restricted to his or her residence as aforesaid. Sec. 6. The mayor and council may, when it shall be deemed necessary, order any person exposed to a malignant or contagious disease, and who, after having been notified of the order of quarantine, shall depart from his or her residence within the time limited by said order of quarantine, and who shall not strictly obey and observe said quarantine, or any person who shall encourage such person so quarantined, by word or act, to disregard such order, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50) and costs of prosecution, and shall stand committed until such fine and costs are paid. Sec. 7. The mayor and council may, when it shall be deemed necessary, order any person exposed to a malignant or contagious disease, and who, after having been notified of the order of quarantine, shall depart from his or her residence within the time limited by said order of quarantine, and who shall not strictly obey and observe said quarantine, or any person who shall encourage such person so quarantined, by word or act, to disregard such order, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding fifty dollars (\$50) and costs of prosecution, and shall stand committed until such fine and costs are paid. Sec. 8. The health officer shall receive such compensation as shall be provided by ordinance, and shall give the mayor and council, from time to time such suggestions as will preserve the public health, and shall recommend to the mayor and council any cause that, in his judgment, will produce disease. Sec. 9. Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Providing for the Public Health," passed January 10th, 1899, is hereby repealed. Passed and adopted this 20th day of December, 1900, and ordered published. E. ROYAS, Mayor. A. R. HUMPHREY, Clerk Protem.

THIS SPACE IS RESERVED FOR COLLOM'S GROCERY! Call and see our Stock. Our goods are fresh, and are kept neat and clean. GIVE US A TRIAL ORDER, And you will buy of no one else. We are strangers, and would be pleased to make your acquaintance, whether you buy or not. Will take pleasure in showing you the Finest Line of Candies and Groceries. In Broken Bow, or will ask you to show us. We are from Missouri, and here to stay. Butter and Eggs taken in Exchange. A. A. COLLOM.

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Gleason's Horse Book, By OSCAR R. GLEASON, The Prince of American Horse Trainers. The Farm and Fireside, "MONARCH OF THE WORLD'S RURAL PRESS." In order to introduce them to our readers, the publishers of the above book and paper have made us a proposition which enables us to make the decidedly liberal offer outlined below. Be sure to read it.



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