

**Ira J. Lundy Shoots Himself and Wife at Taylor.**

Taylor was the scene of the most shocking tragedy that ever occurred in this section Sunday night, between nine and ten o'clock. Ira J. Lundy mortally wounded his wife, then fired one bullet into his forehead and two through his heart. Lundy had not lived with his wife for over a year, as they could not get along well together. He suspected her of improper conduct with other men, but it is believed his suspicions were groundless. He had threatened to wipe out the entire family times without number, and they lived in constant fear of something like what occurred. A few years ago Lundy tried to cut his wife's throat with a butcher knife. He was taken before the insanity board but was released. Lundy was in Sargent a week before the shooting, and purchased a 32-calibre revolver of Barstow & Perrin. He also secured a second-hand revolver of the Taylor hotel-keeper. He made his will a few days before the shooting and wrote to a relative in Iowa that by the time the letter was received his whole family would be dead. He threatened his son a few days before and also shot under a window of his wife's home. The day of the shooting, he saw the men in town whom he suspected, and at once grew restless. It seems that he waited to kill them, but as they did not appear he went to the home of his wife who was living with her 12-year-old son and a neighbor girl. He ordered the boy and girl out of the house, telling them he was going to kill his wife. They went, Mrs. Lundy telling them to go and secure help. She tried to get out of his reach and he shot her in the back just above the hips, the ball passing through her spinal cord. As she was falling, paralyzed at his feet, he shot again, the ball passing almost through her face. He then turned the revolver on himself and fired three times, as stated above, death resulting instantly. Neighbors heard the shots and went quickly to Mrs. Lundy's, and upon opening the door, found them lying in blood on the floor. No doctor being in town, Drs. Ames, of Sargent, and Thurston, of Burwell were sent for. Upon arriving they took the ball from Mrs. Lundy's cheek and made an incision to investigate the wound made in her back. Upon finding that the ball had passed through the spinal cord, it was at once realized that there was no hope to save her life. At last accounts she was still alive. She had free use of the upper part of her body and her arms, but was paralyzed from the waist down. She could talk readily, and seemed resigned to her fate, saying that she had expected it for the past twenty years. Besides the boy mentioned above Mr. and Mrs. Lundy had three grown children. The

Lundy family had lived in Custer county, near Cooleyton, for many years, and are well known to nearly all our readers, to whom the news of Lundy's fearful act will be a great shock. Mr. Lundy's brother, from Atias Iowa, will be here tonight to take the remains back to Iowa for interment. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lundy will also arrive from Iowa tonight.—Sargent Leader.

**OUR EXCHANGES.**

(Ansley Citizen)  
Mangle Kerr closed a six months term of school at Endell Friday. That she has given satisfaction is attested by the many words of praise of the school spoken by the patrons. At the close of the school, a literary entertainment was given.  
W. Zimmerman and family left yesterday morning for Gibson City, Illinois, where Zimmerman will engage in business. During their residence here they made many warm friends, who will regret their departure. The best wishes of the community go with them to their new home.  
(Ansley Chronicle)

M. L. Amsherry has bought the farm owned by the McCormick Harvesting Co. at Algeanon.  
Alex. Moore has been awarded the contract, by the government, of carrying the mail between Ansley and Arcadia, via Westerville and Lee Park, at \$800 a year.

J. P. Sharpless returned from Henderson county, Illinois, last Sunday, with fourteen head of registered short horn yearling heifers and three short horn yearling bulls. Twelve head of these were for B. J. Tierney and the balance for himself. They are the low down blocky kind. In color they are red, except two, which are the fashionable roans. They are beauties. This now makes B. J. Tierney a total of twenty-nine head of these registered short horns.  
(Clatsop Era)

E. F. Burden shipped a car of horses Thursday to Denver where they will be turned over to the British government for service in South Africa.

H. M. Witt shipped a car of horses Monday to his home in Illinois, where they will be fitted up for the Chicago market.

Frank Allen who accidentally shot himself last week while going out hunting by the gun slipping between two slats in a cart and discharged, is reported very low and small hopes for his recovery entertained. LATER. Word was received this morning that Frankie Allen had undergone a successful operation last night, having his arm taken off above the elbow, and is some better with but slim chances of recovery.

N. P. Nelson, B. W. Lowe and A. B. Cornish shipped three carloads of cattle and hogs to Omaha Tuesday.

The Lodi post office has changed hands again, a new post master appointed and taken possession. One would think that Uncle Sam himself resided at Lodi as there has been three changes in one week with the post office at Lodi.

**Farewell to President Geo. Bailey.**

The following interesting account of the farewell reception tendered to Rev. Geo. Bailey at Salt Lake City, Utah, will doubtless be read with pleasure by the citizens of Broken Bow who know him and his excellent work during his long pastorate here. The REPUBLICAN congratulates Mr. Bailey on his recent promotion, and share with his father, mother and two sisters, who are residents of Broken Bow, in the

pride they take in the success of their son and brother.

"President Bailey was given a farewell banquet last evening in the parlours of the first Presbyterian church, by the Ministerial Association of this city of which he was so long an able secretary. The junction lasted from 6:30 until 9:30 and was attended by nearly all the members of the Association and their wives. These with invited guests made a large display and it was an interesting time. President Simpkin of the Association presided in his usual happy vein, and the tables were set in an attractive style that reflected great credit on the skill and taste of the Ladies Aid Society of the first church who also furnished the bounteous and well prepared banquet. Speeches were made by Secy. J. T. Astor of the Young Men's Christian Association, Rev. D. A. Brown of the First Baptist church, Rev. Dr. R. G. McNeice, dean of the faculty of Westminster College, Rev. Dr. Paden, Rev. Richard Wake, Rev. F. L. Arnold, pastor emeritus; Mrs. McNeice of the Ministers wives, and others in order. The speakers all dwelt on the good services of the late pastor of Westminster church and now the executive of Westminster (Nee Sheldon Jackson) college. Their appreciation of his worth and his prospects in store for the young Presbyterian institution. Rev. Baily responded in a pleasant way expressing his thanks for the kindly feeling manifested, the pleasure he had taken in the work in the city and state, and his hopes and expectations in the work yet to be accomplished. At the close of the banquet, "Blest be the tie that binds," was sung with the members of the company standing and holding hands in a circle, before the pronouncing of the benediction. President Bailey will have another testimonial this evening, when his former congregation will tender him a farewell reception at the Westminster Presbyterian church. Rev. Geo. Bailey recent pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church of this city and now president of Westminster College, leaves shortly for Washington D. C. to reside for the present in the interest of the college. Mr. Bailey was born under the shadow of the great cathedral at Durham England, in August 1867, and was educated in the local public school and afterwards took an art course in Firth college, Sheffield, and was later graduated from Rammoor Divinity college in 1890. After taking a post graduate course of study in London University, Mr. Bailey removed to America and studied at Illinois Wesleyan University and was admitted a member of the Custer county Nebraska bar in 1895. In 1901 he was given the degree of Bachelor of Philosophy. Mr. Bailey was ordained by the Presbytery of Kearney Nebraska, in September 1892 and was pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Broken Bow Neb. from August 1892 to September 1898 in which time he built a new church and manse. He was called to his Salt Lake charge in July 1898 and came to this city in the following month. During his last pastorate the church bought a new site at the corner of Pleasant Avenue and Fourth south street, also property for a new Mission at Fourth North and Fifth West Streets, in the same time 77 new members have been received into the church. Mr. Bailey was moderator of the Utah Presbytery in 1899 and permanent clerk in 1900.

—The Desert Evening News, Salt Lake City, Utah.

**County Temperance Meeting.**

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Mrs. Joyner spent a few days at Broken Bow last week.

Farmers are beginning to prepare for the spring work.

Grandpa Edwards spent last week with his daughter, Mrs. Moore.

Sam Waddington made a trip to the eastern part of the state last week.

Mrs. Fodge came home last Wednesday but returned to Broken Bow Saturday.

Mattie Fodge and Ella Day are detained from school during the absence of their mothers.

Rev. Strickler filled his appointment here last Sunday night. His sister accompanied him.

A gentleman by the name of Graham, from High Hill, Mo. will work for Wm. Moore, this year.

We are informed of the marriage of Mary Whittle, since her return to Lead City a few weeks ago.

Rev. J. H. Embree of Hebron, arrived Tuesday for a few days visit with his brother, F. C. Embree.

Messrs. Hipsley and Smith, and the Misses Willaman, from Maple Grove spent last Sunday at C. D. Days.

So many accidents have occurred lately that we shouldn't be surprised to hear that Mr. Davis' buggy had broken down.

J. F. Baker was missing a couple of days last week. Of course, we didn't know where he was at, but we can imagine.

Sam McGinnis' sale last Friday was very well attended. He will move over east of Anselmo on Harve Andrews place.

Mrs. Jones had quite an exciting run-away last Friday. Her horses became frightened and ran, finally colliding with a tree and throwing her out. She was not seriously injured but was pretty badly shaken up.

Little Narissa Beals, who has been staying with her grandparents, Day, met with an accident last Saturday. She fell from a window, fracturing a bone in her arm. Dr. Hakes, who was in the vicinity, was called and cared for the little one. Her parents came up that night, taking her home with them the first of the week. Mrs. Day accompanied her home.

**SAND VALLEY.**

Last Sunday was the finest day this winter.

Sam Adkins went to Anselmo last Sunday on business.

Harve Kellenbarger came up to Kirby's last Saturday night and spent Sunday with them.

John Bales and son, Dighman, jumped up a wolf that was to much for their dogs in running and the wolf got away.

There is Sunday School in Sand Valley district, they organized last Sunday; the hour to meet is at 11 o'clock a. m. We would like to see all our next Sunday.

Tom Judge passed through Sand Valley last Sunday, looking after the telephone wire; He said their cattle are getting along all right since they dipped them; only lost four head; they are wintering 850 head on the T. L. V. ranch this winter.

We are pleased to see a word from our neighbor The Hoosier, I could not be a Hoosier, for I was borne in old Ireland, where the sea gulls often fly, and as I grew a little older and was almost a man, I sailed for old America so pure and grand, and now I am in Nebraska, jamed up in the sand.

**Market Report for Today.**

Wheat	50
Barley	45
Oats	40
Corn	45
Eye	45
Butter	45
Eggs	45
Potatoes, per bushel	1.25
Onions, per bushel	1.00
Chickens, per pound	.40
Hogs	5.00
Cows	3.25 @ 3.50
Steers	3.50 @ 4.00
Turkeys, per pound	15
Straw, per cwt.	1.10
Hay, New, per ton	6.00
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