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Royal is the greatest of bake-day helps.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Jas. Ledwich went to Omaha yesterday.

S. L. Cannon went to Crawford this morning on business.

J. H. McGuire of Arnold was a city visitor the first of the week.

Rev. W. E. Matthews of Meeteetee was here yesterday.

Miss M. Clegg of Callaway, is in the city attending court this week.

N. M. Morgan and G. Nausel of Callaway, were city visitors Monday.

Great Drags S. E. Cannon and Joe Pignani are planning to build dwelling houses in the near future.

S. K. Warrick of Alliance, who has been in the city a couple of days this week, returned home on April 1 this morning.

Rev. S. C. Caldwell of Lodi, who has been visiting in this vicinity for several days, returned home yesterday.

John Welsh and daughter Eva of Westerville, were city visitors yesterday. Mr. Welsh made this office a social call.

F. E. Taylor has men at work undermining his photograph building with the view of moving it on the lot south.

John Betts, who came down from Whitman this morning says the snow was three or four inches deep when he left there.

Prof. A. L. Pierce of Mason City, was looking after business in the city Saturday. The Republican acknowledges a friendly call.

H. J. Shinn has commenced the building of a large frame dwelling house on the south side of the block south of the court house.

C. E. Snider is having a dwelling house built in the southeast part of the city in the Hunter addition. Geo. Papineau is doing the carpenter work.

Joseph Beckwith is turning out some fine cement blocks for sidewalks. You can get them in any number you want. No one should be without walks now.

Dr. C. Pickett, who has been confined to his home for several weeks, was able to be out yesterday greeting his friends, who were pleased to see him out again.

Dr. Talbot had what was left of his barn after the fire, moved near his dwelling in the southwest part of town Tuesday, where he will have it repaired for use.

D. C. Konkle in writing us from Crawford yesterday.

There were snow drifts between Alliance and Crawford yesterday two and three feet deep.

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Ph. A. Moore of Callaway is in the city as a witness in the district court. He reported a severe hail storm in the vicinity of Callaway yesterday evening and that much damage was done to crops down in the valley.

Becoming Contest. One year ago the students of Broken Bow High School organized a County Literary Association to hold one meeting each year in Broken Bow. Last year the contest was held in the court house and the large crowd that attended necessitated the securing of the opera house for this year. Contestants will be present from all the high schools in the county, including Callaway, Merna, Sargent, Ansley, Broken Bow and probably Mason City. Several weeks have been consumed by the contestants in preparing for this declamatory contest and without doubt the oratory in the county schools will be present. The management has placed the price of admission at 25 cents and 15 cents for general admission. This is a small charge for as fine an entertainment as this one promises to be and is made only for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the contestants. The citizens of Broken Bow and all other people that are in town are urgently requested to be present and listen to the orations. Besides the orations and declamations of the contestants, a fine musical program has been arranged, consisting of solos, quartets and choruses. Everyone come! Seats on sale at Halberles and the Post Office store.

Hail, Rain and Snow. This locality has been visited with rain, hail and snow in the past twenty-four hours, and the conditions are anything but pleasant. The hail was light and did no damage, while at times yesterday evening and this morning the rain was quite heavy. For nearly an hour this morning the rain turned to snow, falling in great flakes and about as thick as they could descend. But as the atmosphere was warm it melted about as fast as it fell and added to the mud and mud which has been a common characteristic for the past month.

Big Farmer Picnic. The farmers of Miller, Nebraska will hold a big picnic on Wednesday May 24th to celebrate the success of their Farmer's Grain Company, organized last fall. They extend a cordial invitation to all farmers, their families and their friends to come and have a good time. Good music and good speakers will be present, while Buffalo County farmers wives will feed the hungry as only western women can.

Another Preliminary for Haddix. The trial of W. S. Haddix for the killing of Butler has not yet been called up in district court and from present indications will not be this week, if it is at all this term. The report is that the information filed against Haddix is defective and the state cannot safely proceed to trial until he has been given another preliminary trial, which will probably be Saturday before Judge Armour.

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The entertainment which was given at the King school house was a success financially as well as socially. The program was greatly enjoyed by all, many pronouncing it the best they had the opportunity of hearing. Miss Maud Sims got the most votes for being the best looking lady, and Mr. Tullie and C. T. Wright got the most for being the best looking men present.

One Who Was There.

J. S. Smith of Callaway, who was a delegate from his home lodge to the meeting of the Grand Lodge of the A. O. U. W. now in session at South Omaha, arrived in this city this morning from Omaha to appear as a witness in the Morgan and Haycock damage case. He reports the lodge still in session. The prospects were that an agreement between the Supreme Lodge representatives and the Grand Lodge delegates would be reached. The speakers from both sides were many and spirited.

Messrs. Reinhard and Leonard have recently made quite an improvement in the interior of their office. They have put in a hall the full length of the building north and south, from which each of the several departments may be entered without going through either of the other offices.

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## THE CATTLE STEALING CASES

Fox Testifies Against Bis-Palt-Rhodes  
Pleads Guilty.

The noted cattle cases against Fox, Chandler and Rhodes were the attractions that drew the crowds to the court room from Monday morning until yesterday morning.

The first case on trial was that of the state against John Chandler of Ansley, who was charged with stealing 18 head of cattle from Chris Jensen, near Westerville on the 16th of last November. Ernest Huffman and Robt. Fox were charged with the same offense, all of whom were released on giving the required bond for their appearance at this term of district court.

Huffman having departed for parts unknown, Chandler was the first of the trio to be tried.

At the preliminary the evidence did not directly connect Chandler with the theft as only Huffman and Fox were seen with the cattle.

A trial which concluded yesterday morning Fox was made a witness for the state and not only acknowledged his own guilt but implicated both Chandler and Huffman. He testified that Chandler helped drive the cattle out of the pasture while he and Huffman drove them to Arcadia from which place Huffman shipped them to the Omaha market.

Chandler went on the stand in his own behalf and acknowledged to going to the pasture gates but declined to give further information and went back home. His defense was also presented by the defense attorney for his co-defendant Chandler stated with them but went back.

But the evidence of the state was sufficient to convince the jury that Chandler was a party to the stealing. The case was given to the jury about 9 o'clock Tuesday night and they agreed upon a verdict of guilty about midnight.

For the part that Fox played it is generally believed that the charge against him will be dismissed.

RHODES PLEADS GUILTY.

Yesterday morning Rhode's case was called up and he came into court and plead guilty. He was charged with stealing 20 head of cattle from George Porter who lives at Ansley. His cattle were taken from a pasture near Litchfield and were shipped to Omaha and sold. At the preliminary Rhodes was identified by the Omaha dealers as the man from whom they had bought the Porter cattle.

At this writing the judge had not yet sentenced either Chandler or Rhodes and the length of term they will be required to serve could only be a matter of conjecture.

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### Class Party.

On Wednesday at 8 o'clock the senior class met at the home of Miss Zinn Grant, in this city. An extemporean program made much fun until eleven when the guests were seated to a light repast of ice cream, cake and strawberries. Trifle was served from a bowl in the corner by Mrs. Joy Thorpe and Miss Zella Grant. Those present were:

Messrs. Lynn Douglas, James Lomax, Joy Thorpe and Ray Cadwell; Misses Eva Cadwell, Mabel Metcalf, Grace Bradburn, Anna Conley, Clara Windagle, Bina Holcomb and Zinn Grant. All report a fine time.

### Fred Raine Speechless

A letter received by Mrs. Gillings from his daughter, Mrs. Flossie Martin of England, dated April 4, 1905, states that her father is very ill and has been in bed two weeks, and that he has lost his speech and is quite helpless. She expresses a wish that some of his old friends in Broken Bow would write him as it would cheer him. He thinks there are no people in the world like his dear old friends in Broken Bow.

Obituary.

Peter Mohat died at his home six miles north of Broken Bow, on April 22nd, of paralysis. He received a stroke on April 3d and never recovered from the effects of it.

Deceased was born in Oswego Co. New York. His parents were from Gravelot, France. He moved to Pottawatomie Co., Iowa in 1859. He was married in 1863 to Miss Anna-Nason at Council Bluffs, Iowa. He was a member of Co. K, 13th Iowa Inf., under Gen. Sherman. He moved to Custer Co., Nebraska, in 1884. He leaves five brothers and four sisters, two of whom attended his funeral. He was blessed with seven children, six of whom survive him, besides his sorrowing wife, who mourns the loss of a kind husband and father.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. Tolley, of Chicago, is moving out his ranch west of town.

Kitt Lester has his large livery barn under way and will soon be ready for business.

Mrs. J. F. Haney, who has been visiting in Iowa for some weeks, has returned home.

Dr. Pennington who is attending lectures in Chicago, is expected home in about two weeks.

The skipper for the benefit of the public last Saturday, who succeeded in getting away in a boat such as that.

Mary Johnson and wife, who are attending the National Convention of Telegraphers at Buffalo, N. Y., are expected home this week.

It was announced that next Sunday would be an educational anniversary and the exercises are to be in the hands of the children and old soldiers at 8 p.m. and in the morning a sermon is to be preached on "The Eternal Mind." At 3 p.m. Hon. J. J. Tooley is to speak.

OTELLO LOOMIS.

Mrs. Hill and Miss Nellie were in Broken Bow Monday.

Mr. Daggett of Spring Creek, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Anderson spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Keota.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hughes were shopping in Broken Bow Friday.

Mrs. Bert Waddington is spending the week with her parents at Spring Creek.

Millard Hill and family spent Sunday afternoon at the home of B. F. Edwards.

Mrs. Waddington is spending a week in Broken Bow with her daughter, Mrs. Empfield.

Mrs. Hutton, of Canon City, Colo., has arrived for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Ashbaugh.

J. M. Fodge and wife, accompanied by Miss Ashbaugh, attended U. B. Conference, at Keota, Saturday afternoon.

Quite an excitement prevailed Saturday afternoon, when Neighbors Beals and Waddington found a runaway team near Eggle Ackerman. Some of our neighbors who drive teams answering to the description of that one, were away from home, and for a time considerable searching was done. It was found, however, that Mrs. Clark of Eureka, was returning from New Haven, when the team became frightened, upset the buggy, and ran away. No one was seriously injured, but a small child with her received a severe shaking up.

March 1st.

The following is a list of marriage licenses issued the past week by Judge Armour:

No. Name Age. B. D. 1. Wm. G. Owens 47 Broken Bow 2. Minnie Hayes 23 Broken Bow 3. Rose Allen 23 Council Bluffs 4. Mr. & Mrs. Robinson 17 Council Bluffs 5. John Thomas 21 Oconto 6. Julia Dooley 21 Broken Bow 7. Daniel Dooley 21 Broken Bow 8. Agnes O'Connor 22 Broken Bow

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