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Thursday, Jan. 10, 1907.

And now comes the announcement that beer is to be made in tablet form. This is productive of great possibilities and will appeal strongly to the man who likes a "schnitz" and does not want it known, for all that will be necessary to do will be to swallow a tablet and as it dissolves the foaming process will be inaugurated in his stomach and the sensation produced be very exhilarating. If he wants a "mug" of beer, two tablets and three for a "schooner." Or he can carry them in his pocket, dissolve them whenever he finds water, put his foot on the lower wire of a nearby fence and, as he drinks the foaming fluid, imagine he's standing at a gilded bar, the sky and landscape a bevel plate mirror.

For many years there seemed to be about as little danger in traveling on the cars as in staying at home, but in the past year the conditions changed, and there were a frightful number of disastrous collisions. Something is wrong and it behooves the railroad companies to delve deep to right it and get back to conditions which existed a few years ago—before their wholesale slaughter of passengers commenced—and is being continued.

Many reasons are alleged for the numerous railway accidents of recent years which have been attended with a frightful loss of life, but one thing is certain they cannot be laid to the new railroad rate law.

Some Business.

During the year 1906 County Judge Humphrey was kept busy enough to earn his salary—and then some. He informs the REPUBLICAN that during the year he issued 206 marriage licenses and tried 78 state cases, 5 adoption cases and 62 civil and criminal cases.

Marriages.

SMITH-DENNIS—At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. D. C. Herrick, in Broken Bow, Neb., at 3 o'clock p. m., Sunday, January 6, 1907, the marriage of Mr. Thomas A. Smith and Mrs. Ellen R. Dennis was solemnized by Rev. J. R. Teagarden. Mr. Smith is a prosperous farmer of Round Valley and there the couple will reside.

MCCLURE-CUNNINGHAM—On Saturday, January 5, 1907, in Broken Bow, Neb., Mr. Edward F. McClure and Miss Amy Cunningham were united in marriage at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. T. W. Edwards, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Mitchell, of the Presbyterian church, in the presence of relatives only. Following the mystic words that binds, a sumptuous repast was served and merriment reigned. Mr. McClure is proprietor of the City flour mill and had a home in readiness for the bride to which they went and begun housekeeping at once.

Christian Church.

"We thank the, gracious Father, that Our lives have been spared to this moment." Good sermons and good singing each Sunday morning and evening. Be sure and be with us.

Special Meetings.

Revival services every evening at the U. B. Church, conducted by Evangelist L. E. Baumgardner, of Iowa.

Quarterly conference next Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Regular services on Sunday, Elder Miller will be present.

Cards of Thanks.

We sincerely thank the neighbors and friends and also the Woodman lodge, who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and burial of our dear husband and parent.

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Thieves in Broken Bow.

Sneak thieves gained an entrance to Kennedy's hardware store through a rear window, last night, where they secured some revolvers and knives, and then chiseled out a pane of glass in a window in Ryerson's store through which they entered and burgled a few trinkets, about two dollars in small change, a dime worth of cheese and maybe other minor articles in value equal to a paper of pins. A clue is thought to have been discovered and a sheriff's posse and the entire city police and detective force has been detailed on the scent of the bold and daring thieves who, after committing such an extensive robbery, will undoubtedly shoot to kill—if they shoot.

Well Pleased With Custer County.

G. Bowen, of Lomax, in writing a business letter to the REPUBLICAN, after extending the compliments of the season to the REPUBLICAN force, adds that he is not at all sorry he located in the Wood River valley. He says the soil is as productive as can be found anywhere. In speaking of their school he says they had a fine school this winter under the able and efficient direction of Miss Mable Cole, of Broken Bow. He says land has doubled in value in the past three years since he located there. He lives within two miles of Lomax and has a fine location, known as the River Side Stock Farm.

A Shooting Scrape.

Tuesday word was sent to this city from Callaway that Uj Smith, aged 27, had shot and instantly killed Henry Grantman, aged 45, in a quarrel over a land deal. The facts, deduced from the story told by each of the men, are these: Smith and Grantman have been job-lot farming together on a piece of land belonging to Grantman and two rented pieces, one containing 35 acres, leased from Jake Seaney. Smith claimed all of the corn on this piece and Grantman claimed a share in it. Smith has been away for a couple of months and, upon returning ten days ago, found Grantman had been picking corn on the 35 acre piece. Tuesday Smith, accompanied by Albert Stevenson, went to the place and found Grantman picking, whereupon there was an abundance of warm talk, Smith ordering Grantman off the place and he refusing to go. Smith finally produced the revolver and fired at his recent side partner, but missed him. Smith says he did this to scare Grantman, but that gentleman seems to have left his scare togs at home, for he started at Smith, who was in a buggy, when he fired again, this time the bullet striking Grantman on the shoulder and, glancing came out about three inches from the entry spot, producing only a flesh wound which will not prove serious unless blood-poison sets in. Smith was found at the home of his father, about 3 miles from the scene of shooting which was near Milldale, 25 miles straight west of Broken Bow, and brought here yesterday. He will be arraigned for a preliminary hearing tomorrow.

Farmers Lumber and Coal Co.

Agreeable to a call about seventy-five farmers assembled at the court house last Saturday afternoon for the purpose of considering the feasibility of establishing a lumber and coal yard in Broken Bow. The meeting was called to order by J. D. Ream, who stated the object and that the election of a chairman and secretary were in order, whereupon Mr. Ream was elected chairman and C. W. Beal, secy. Judge Sullivan was called and made a vigorous appeal for organization for protection against the ruinously high trust prices now charged for lumber and coal and in this project he saw a ray of light. He stated the plans so far as formulated as being to organize with a capital of \$20,000—two hundred shares at \$100 each, fully paid and non-assessable, no one person to be allowed to own more than two shares. Forty-seven shares had already been subscribed.

H. Lomax upon request had examined the railroad books showing receipts of cars of coal and the cost and the selling price in comparison and read the results of his investigation. One of the items read was six cars of Nigger-head coal received, cost \$7 per ton and retailed at \$8.50. Another item that during summer dealers pay 50 cents per ton less than in winter. Eli Armstrong stated that in October Wilson Bros. paid \$5.75 per ton for Nigger-head and sold it at \$8. John G. Painter thought it was best to strike at the root and go after the wholesale combine instead of the local retail

dealers who could not prevent the combine prices.

Ray Skinner warmed up and said he believed they ought to organize and get in the combine—"get in the ring"—and told how the farmers at Shelby, Iowa, organized and the results.

Mr. Phillips, an independent dealer at Ansley gave his experience and stated that he had been able to hold his own with the local dealers in the combine influence and that he started with only \$3,000 last spring.

Judge Sullivan spoke again and during his remarks eulogized President Roosevelt for the back-bone he had shown as against the trusts and combines and hoped he'd be given an opportunity to cast a vote for him next year.

Those present who desired to subscribe for stock were then given an opportunity and the meeting adjourned subject to call of the chairman which would be for organization.

Obituary—Carlos

Caroline Hullah Jones was born in Erie county, New York, September 22, 1845; united in marriage with James Carlos at Ionia, Mich., Jan. 2, 1870; died at Broken Bow, Nebraska, Jan. 3, 1907. He deceased, in the year 1868, accompanied her parents when they moved from New York state to Ionia, Mich., where she resided until the fall following her marriage with Mr. Carlos when they came to Nebraska and settled near where the city of Friend, in Saline county, is now located, which at that time was wild prairie.

In the spring of 1883 they moved to this county, locating in the eastern part where they resided for fifteen years, moving to Broken Bow in the spring of 1898, since which date they have been one of the most highly esteemed families in the city, and the good deeds and charitable acts of the deceased were innumerable and who, despite physical suffering, was ever alert to extend succor and cheering words to the down-hearted and those of her friends and acquaintances whom she thought in distress. She was possessed of a loving, sympathetic nature, and kind-heartedness to an extreme, a dutiful, honored and dearly loved wife and mother.

About twenty years ago a goitre commenced forming in her throat and medical aid has been administered all these years, but from this cause her death ensued, having been a great sufferer—yet a patient one—during the past two years.

She leaves to mourn her demise the husband and two children, Mrs. A. M. Snyder, of Broken Bow, and C. E. Carlos, manager for the Independent telephone company at Hastings, Nebraska.

Funeral services, by her request, were held at the residence and conducted by Mr. J. E. Sargent, of Ansley, one of the earliest and most intimate friends of the family, the attendance being quite large. With the bereaved family the community deeply sympathize.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to the many neighbors and friends for the kindly assistance and sympathy tendered to us during the sickness, death and burial of our beloved wife and mother. JAMES CARLOS, C. E. CARLOS, MRS. A. M. SNYDER.

MEMORIAL.

One of our number, Mrs. Caroline Carlos, has just passed the portal we call death into the life beyond.

A toiler amid the vicissitudes of the hour, striving ever to clothe and brighten the rude duties and trials of this present world, with the beauty and harmony of the ideal, hers was a character that helped and bettered all with whom it came in contact.

We, in meeting assembled this afternoon, desire to express our love and honor for the life of the dear sister who has passed "beyond," and to extend our sympathy to her family in their great bereavement. Remember who said, "Come unto me." CLARA A. YOUNG, MRS. THORPE, Committee for Broken Bow Political Equality Club.

FARMERS INSTITUTE.

January 30th and 31st are the Dates Named for the Broken Bow Meeting. Good Speakers.

Secretary Jeffords, of the Broken Bow Farmers Institute informs us that we will have five state speakers for the January meeting and that the coming institute will probably be the best one ever held in Broken Bow. The full program will be announced next week. A feature of this meeting will be the corn exhibit.

The Corn Contest.

1st. 2nd. For the longest ear of corn \$2.00 1.00 For the largest ear of corn 2.00 1.00 The size of the ear to be determined by multiplying the circumference of the middle of the ear by the length of the ear.

For the best ten ears of corn 1st. \$5.00 2nd. \$3.00 3rd. \$2.00 For the most perfect ear of corn. 1st. \$3.00. 2nd. 2.00. 3rd. 1.00.

If the premium for the best ten ears of corn or for the most perfect ear of corn is secured by a boy or girl under fifteen years of age the premium to be paid will be increased one dollar above that offered.

The premiums for the best ten ears of corn and the most perfect ear will be awarded under the following score card which has been adopted by the Nebraska Corn Improvers Association.

All corn competing for the above premiums must have been grown in Custer county during the year 1906. No ear of corn competing for one premium will be eligible to entry for any other premium.

SCORE CARD.

The award will be made by a committee of three.

POINTS:—Uniformity of exhibit 10. Shape of ears 10. Color of cob 5. Color of kernels 5. Market conditions 10. Tips of ears 5. Butts of ears 5. Uniformity of kernels 10. Shape of kernels 10. Space between kernels 5. Weight of grain 25. Total 100.

United States Land Office, Broken Bow, Nebraska, January 10, 1907. Notice is hereby given that JESSE ALLBRIGHT, of Broken Bow, Nebraska, has filed notice of his intention to make final 5 year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 2149 made April 9, 1901, for the SW 1/4 section 12, township 18 north range 21 west and that said proof will be made before register and receiver, at Broken Bow, on February 10, 1907. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land viz: George Tompkins, of Broken Bow, Nebraska; Albert Swick, of Broken Bow, Nebraska; Alonzo Cason, of Broken Bow, Nebraska; Fred Brock, of Nerna, Nebraska. JOHN KESSE, Register.

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