

Condensed Local and Personal Paragraphs

Dr. Bartholomew was called to Seneca on professional business Tuesday.

Mrs. J. M. Fodge, who has been sick the past week, is reported as convalescing.

If this fine weather only continues four weeks longer it will be a sure enough "green Christmas."

Broken Bow should congratulate itself upon the safety and soundness of her financial institutions.

Next Sunday revival services will be inaugurated at the United Brethren church. Citizens are cordially invited to attend.

Rev and Mrs. Kopp, of Lillian, drove here Monday and left Tuesday morning for Hastings where they will visit a daughter.

Mrs. Carl Foote, of Dunning, arrived in the city last Saturday for a short visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Amsberry.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cornish, of Lodi, were Broken Bow visitors last Sunday, coming on account of illness of Mrs. J. M. Fodge.

Mrs. W. H. Meyers arrived in the city last Thursday from York to visit with her husband, who is principal of music in Custer College.

Mrs. M. D. Callen has recovered from her illness as to permit of the nurse, Miss Della Sturms, of Sargent, returning home on Tuesday.

Photographer Taylor has built a roomy show case at his studio wherein to more properly display the excellent work he is doing in the photo line.

John Price made a trip to South Omaha the first of the week with a car of "critters" and upon his return, Tuesday, declared prices were unmentionably off.

The public sale of stock by Allen Reyner on Tuesday attracted a large number and bidding was fairly spirited and good natured. The sale amounted to about \$2500.

The new furnace in the new Christian church was completed in time to be operated last Lord's day and the result was highly satisfactory to members and others who were in attendance at the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Poole left last Friday for Alliance where they will spend the winter with a son, having sold their property one half mile east of the square to John E. Meyers.

When the new building for the gas plant is completed the city hall will look more so than ever. It is frightful to contemplate when only a few dollars invested in paint would do the business.

Frank Huxtable, who "coppered" a Kinkaid claim near Halsey, has been in the city the past two weeks. He says he may return home this week and maybe not till next week as he's having such a blamed good time here he dislikes to break away.

The turkey shoot given by the Broken Bow Gun Club Monday afternoon was participated in by a goodly number of gunners and proved a success, nearly all the shooters being successful in lugging away some of the game. Another one is contemplated in the near future.

Fred Ream, who several weeks ago fell from a ladder and was almost killed, and while laid up on that account had an attack of typhoid fever, is able to be out and around again, but hasn't yet donned his work clothes. His host of friends are glad to note his rapid convalescence.

Those who do not make their Christmas selections early will have cause for regret, because the wise ones do not intend to wait until the stocks have been demoralized. Now is the time to select—after reading in the REPUBLICAN what merchants want your Christmas trade—and have the articles laid aside for you.

James and Arlie E. Gambie, who reside in Logan county, six miles from the Custer county line, were Broken Bow visitors Monday, conveying compliments from A. S. Gambie to the REPUBLICAN. They are extensively interested in horses and cattle and say that stock is wintering in good shape on the range and that they have not, up to the present time, had to do any feeding.

J. G. Longfellow went to Tamara, Nebraska, last Friday for a short visit.

Mayor and Mrs. W. A. George drove to the South Loup Sunday returning Monday.

Mrs. H. T. Bruce left Friday last for McCook, Nebraska, where she will visit her sister for a few days.

On Monday John Maier, of Callaway, was inspecting the many substantial and highly commendable improvements in his county seat city.

R. H. Fife and son, of Kansas City, Mo., will conduct a series of meetings in the Christian church during the month of January.

Mrs. J. C. Porter, mother of Deputy Register of Deeds Porter, left Tuesday morning for Peoria, Illinois, where she will visit relatives for a month or two.

While driving to the city with a loaded wagon, John Templar was thrown from the seat and two of the wagon wheels passed over his leg crushing it badly.

Mrs. Hattie E. Speake, who has been visiting at Aberdeen, Wash., since last July reached home last Friday and says the atmosphere in this locality is plenty good enough.

"Big-Hearted Jim," a drama depicting western life as it really is, will be given at the Opera house on Wednesday night, Dec. 4, by a company of professional actors and actresses.

Up to the present time no casualties among cattle from the corn-stalk disease have been reported by farmers in this section, nor have we read of any in our exchanges—which is certainly good news.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moulton were in the city last Friday, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Olmsted. Mr. Moulton was at one time a telegraph operator in this city, but is now station agent at Nemo.

Willie Swenson, of the South Loup, a lad 12 years of age, who is in the city having his eyes treated by Dr. Christensen, went to Grand Island last Saturday and is greatly elated over the trip, it being his first ride on the railway.

Harley True, who has been in Wyoming since last May, spent last Friday night in the city a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pigman. He was enroute to his home on the South Loup, where he will remain during the winter months.

The Northwest District Sunday School association will hold its first convention in the Methodist church at Merna, on December 7 and 8, beginning at 2:30 p. m. Let every school be represented. County workers will be in attendance.

Don't fail to hear the fourth number of the young peoples' entertainment course on Monday evening, December 9. The Apollo Quintette and Bell Ringers give a variety of entertainment and are sure to please.

Last Saturday Dr. J. G. Brenizer shipped a car load of short horn bulls to Alliance where he will hold a public sale on Saturday of this week. Among the lot will be "Crimson Lad" which was a winner at the state fair, also the fairs here and at Ord.

James V. McCue and wife, of Alliance, who have been in the city several days visiting relatives and acquaintances, returned this morning. Mr. McCue holds the position of glazier for the B. & M. railroad at Alliance, a lucrative and easy job.

Mrs. Ne George, of the South Loup, accompanied by Vincent and Marguerite, visited her son, L. D. George, a couple of days last week and on Thursday Vincent and Miss Marguerite called at the REPUBLICAN office and were introduced to the manner in which newspapers were made, both seeming to be greatly interested in the procedure.

S. B. Osborne, who has been at Twin Falls, Idaho, the past year, stopped off for a few days visit with parents and friends, on his return to West Liberty, Iowa, where he goes next week to take charge of a grocery business in that town. "Bent" holds some valuable land under the irrigation ditch at Twin Falls, and says that land under the ditch is increasing in value very rapidly.

Jeweler A. E. Anderson starts the good news for Christmas in his advertisement this week—on the first page. Read it—and others to follow.

Manager Groat personally guarantees that everyone attending the play "Big Hearted Jim" will be fully satisfied, and will refund the price of admission to all who declare they are not.

At the residence of the brides parents south of this city at 8:30 this Wednesday evening will occur the wedding of Mr. John Moore and Miss Doris Rector.

Company M. will give a reception to students of Custer College and the high school at the Armory tonight. Dainty refreshments will be served and a good time is anticipated.

The K. P. Lodge of this city now have a class of five who are bent on winning and wearing the spurs of Knighthood and, from their persistency indications are they will succeed.

The recent financial depression has not been conducive to liberality and some of the young people of this vicinity interding to get married have decided to wait awhile—so the presents will be more numerous.

Judge Sanborn, of Massachusetts decided that it was "cruelty" for a wife to persistently take money from the trousers' pockets of her husband while he slept and granted him a divorce on that ground. Many Broken Bow men are eligible for a divorce under those conditions. Don't all speak at once, Merna may think there's a thunder storm in this locality.

The attention of REPUBLICAN readers is directed to the advertisement of Christmas goods on the first page of this edition. Mr. McComas does not overdraw, in his pen picture, the wonderful array of articles to be found in his store, which none should fail to visit and at as early a day as possible—if they'd see the stock in all its grandeur.

A letter to Ed McComas from the nurse who is attending on Lester Corlett in the Methodist hospital at Omaha, states that the young man is very weak and should recover from the attack of typhoid fever, with which he is dangerously ill, it would be several weeks after being discharged from the hospital before he would resume his occupation as jeweler in Mr. McComas' store.

W. A. Baldwin, secretary of the State Missionary work of the Christian church, was in the city recently and the Christian Reporter, published at Lincoln, mentioned it as follows: "Secretary Baldwin stopped at Broken Bow on the 13, got acquainted with the minister, L. N. Early, and had a short visit with Brother and Sister J. H. Currie, who now reside there. He says the new church just dedicated is a credit to the brotherhood and the city. Including the lot it has cost over six thousand dollars, all of which has been paid. Brother Early has proven himself a master builder, and his conduct of business affairs commends itself to the business world. He should be kept busy building churches"

Married at High Noon.

The marriage of Mr. William Jenkins and Miss Katherine Ida Taylor was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Taylor, in Broken Bow, at high noon, Tuesday, Nov. 26, 1907, Rev. W. H. Yanders, of the Episcopal church officiating.

About twenty-five relatives of the parties interested were witnesses to the impressive ceremony and many beautiful presents were bestowed upon these popular young people who have united for life—for better or for worse.

To Broken Bow residents the bride was well known as one of our most popular, handsome and accomplished young ladies with an innumerable number of friends.

The groom, who occupies a responsible position in the J. C. Bowen store, is also very popular and is held in high esteem by friends and acquaintances all of whom hope the pathway of life of these young people may be under perpetual sunshine, the REPUBLICAN herewith extending hearty congratulations and best wishes.

Destitute and Demented.

Last Saturday evening Sheriff Richardson received word from H. C. Ochsner, residing between Ansley and Berwyn, that an old man, ragged and seemingly demented, had been loitering about that vicinity for several days. That he stayed out doors all the time, at night building a fire

and sleeping on the ground beside it, and that the women and children were alarmed lest he do them injury.

Sunday morning Deputy Sheriff Thomson went out and found the man 17 miles southeast of Broken Bow and brought him in to the jail. He is about fifty years old and gives his name as Frank Overfield.

As yet the insanity board has not examined him as to dementia, but it is very evident he is destitute and a stranger in this part of the country.

Union Thanksgiving Services.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church in Broken Bow next Thursday, November 28th, beginning at 11 o'clock a. m., and a hearty invitation to be present is extended to everyone.

Rev. Brady, of the Baptist church, will preside. The opening prayer will be offered by Rev. Thompson, of the M. E. church.

Scripture reading by Rev. Mitchell, of the Presbyterian church.

The Thanksgiving sermon is to be delivered by Rev. Buswell, of the U. B. church.

Rev. Early, of the Christian church, will pronounce the benediction.

Especially prepared music will be rendered by the Methodist choir.

Five per cent Premium for Checks on Custer County Banks.

Improve your herds of hogs by purchasing a male from the Custer County Herd of Duroc-Jerseys, 8 miles west of Broken Bow. Tops of 200 head, heavy, large bone, have been fed with the view of growing bone and muscle so desirable in breeding stock.

Five per cent discount for payment by check on any bank in Custer county, or for cash.

JOHN REESE, Owner, Broken Bow, Nebr.

BUSINESS POINTERS.

Drs. Farnsworth & Beck—Dentists.

For all kinds of good coal go to the West Elevator. 14tf

Another shipment of couches just received direct from factory at Konkel's.

Go to J. W. Scott's for unadulterated flour—pure, just as the wheat grew.

Dr. Bass, Dentist, Over McComas'

Kirkendall Shoes still take the lead at Mevis & Co.

The celebrated Maish felt mattresses, at Konkel's.

Konkel sells bow back chairs at 75c each, the same for which Montgomery Ward charges 85c and freight added.

Big underwear sale at Mevis & Co's.—Men's, Women's and Children—at great reduction.

New line of Murphy rockers just received at Konkel's.

Clean Seed Rye for sale at the West Elevator 14tf.

Mevis & Co's. big sale of dry goods and clothing is marching along just the same as though nothing had happened.

Dr. Headrick will visit Broken Bow, Monday and Tuesday afternoon, December 2 and 3. Practice limited to chronic diseases. Consultation and examination is free.

Duroc Jersey boars for sale—the large heavy-boned kind that will increase the size of your hogs. R. BARRATT, North Side, Broken Bow. 4t

20 head of Duroc male pigs for sale. Tops of 200 head. Custer County Herd of Duroc-Jerseys, John Reese, Owner.

FOR RENT—320-acre farm 10 miles southwest of Broken Bow, all table land, 250 acres broken, good improvements. Call at once. Chas. Scholz, Broken Bow.

Mevis & Co. are still taking clearing house certificates and checks for all kinds of goods at our sale for the amount of your purchase.

You can save two to four dollars on suits of clothes and overcoats at Mevis & Co.

Another shipment of Rocking chairs just received at Konkel's direct from the factory at factory prices.

Remember Konkel is headquarters for chairs of all kinds and prices. 11-tf

GOOD QUALITY LOW PRICES

These are two essentials in groceries and provisions and its the text to which we have always adhered. Not only has it always been our watchword, but it shall continue to be as all will learn by an order placed here—either personally, by phone or letter.

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BROKEN BOW.

The Big

Clearing-Out Sale of

MEVIS & CO.

is still on. Crowds can be seen there daily, putting in their Fall and Winter supplies. The entire stock must be closed out. Save 25 per cent by attending this sale.

East Side Sqr.

Broken Bow, Neb.

Christmas Trees, CANDY, PEANUTS, WREATHING, XMAS CANDLES, FRUIT CAKES, PLUM PUDDING, AT THE EAGLE GROCERY.

Also a full line of Staple and Fancy Groceries, Decorated Lamps, Staple Crockery, Night Lamps, Elegant Water Sets, Etc., etc., etc.