

Condensed Local and Personal Paragraphs

Judge and Mrs. Benjamin are enjoying a visit from their daughter, Mrs. Eva Townley.

With everybody pulling on the same line a lot can be accomplished for Broken Bow in 1908.

Elmer Bass, F. W. Taylor and Bert McKee, of Anselmo, were transacting business in the city Tuesday.

Some people in this vicinity are glad that New Year's resolutions don't have to be made but once a year.

If you are interested in Poland-Chinas read the big advertisement on the opposite page of this REPUBLICAN.

If this summer weather keeps up an ice plant will have to be established in Broken Bow in order to supply the demand.

Will Frey and family, who moved to Kansas City last spring, have returned and will again make Broken Bow their home.

Fred W. Owens and F. W. Thompson, of Oconto, were in the city Tuesday transacting business before the U. S. land office.

Mrs. James McMillan and children, of Theford, who have been visiting friends in the city, for some time, returned home last Saturday.

Pearl and Van Barcus have been enjoying a visit for several days from their father-in-law, James Bayless, of Lincoln—an old resident of the capitol city.

Authorities now say that it is dangerous to drink milk containing more than half a million germs to the cubic centimeters. This means another chore for many of our citizens—counting germs.

C. E. Ankney has disposed of his stock of confections, etc., in the post-office building to A. F. Allen. Mr. Ankney will soon move to his ranch, near Pardum, and devote his entire time, attention and energy thereto.

Orin Hazen's land contest against Lewis was concluded in the land office yesterday. It was the second day of the trial, the case having been continued from December. There was a large attendance at both sessions.

If any Broken Bow merchant doubts whether any great number of people "know bargains," let him—in his advertisement—price a few things a little lower than anyone else has ever done in this city, and then watch the result.

John Moore who has the good fortune to have homestead papers on 640 acres of Uncle Sam's domain in the vicinity of Halsey, was in the city Tuesday to defend a contest against his claim, by Mrs. Sarah Walker, who failed to appear.

The Cadwell block is not entirely completed, yet on Monday The Custer County Abstract Co., and J. S. McGraw, real estate and insurance agent, moved into the spacious new quarters adjoining the Custer National bank on the north.

Fred Luther and sons, Walter and Owen, of Mason City, returned yesterday from Brown county where they went in search of government land. They filed contests on three sections they found that had been abandoned by the former entrymen.

Editor Roy Barnard, of the Callaway Queen, was a county seat visitor last Saturday. Roy was a candidate for postmaster at Callaway with an excellent chance of winning out, but came to the conclusion that the duties of both offices would make life too strenuous and dropped the Uncle Sam end.

That fellow who remarked, a few days ago, that it wouldn't do any good to paint the city hall building now because the wind was so strong it would blow off all the color, is only a half brother to the fellow who remarked that the reason the building hadn't been painted was because it was too weak to stand up under a coat of paint.

Lloyd & Huckleberry, repairers of bicycles and any kind of machinery, with office and laboratories in the Security State bank block, have just installed a lathe and engine, which became absolutely necessary on account of a constantly increasing demand for their time and attention. They are now prepared to perform all machine repairing with alacrity—and satisfaction.

Dr. Bartholomew went to Aurora Tuesday expecting to be absent from home until tomorrow.

Broken Bow has escaped the "grip" epidemic which has prevailed in many sections of the country.

G. B. Brown has resigned as postmaster at Lomax and Carleton B. Crisman has been appointed as his successor.

Miss Etta Brooks, superintendent elect of Blaine county, spent Tuesday in the city on her way from Beatrice to Dunning.

The home of George Herrick, about ten miles southwest of this city, was made happy last Sunday by the advent of a girl baby.

F. Lewin, the real estate dealer of Comstock, came over last Sunday and spent a couple of days attending to business matters in this city.

Clyde Carlos and Earl Cooper left last Sunday for California where they will locate and engage in assisting to develop the state and—wax wealthy.

C. Bonde, residing a short distance west of Callaway, was a city visitor Monday and Tuesday, visiting friends, paying taxes and noting how greatly the old town had improved since his last visit.

The Eagle Grocery Co., has installed a new cash register—one of the nicest now in use in Broken Bow—and when you pay cash you get a ticket with the amount of your purchase printed thereon.

R. T. Walker was an arrival from Hill City, S. D., last Saturday, remaining a couple of days before proceeding east on business in connection with the gold mining company for which he is manager.

William Warren, of the Callaway vicinity, was in the city last Saturday and was greeted by many friends who hope he will again be a candidate for the legislature. If he is, the chances for his election are very flattering.

On Monday C. R. Deming moved to the farm he recently purchased near Callaway. Mr. Deming is one of the progressive, up-to-date farmers who understands farming as a business and makes a success of it as an occupation.

The B. & M. R. R. Co., has completed a new brick sidewalk across its right of way at the depot thereby connecting the cement walks on the north and south sides—a stretch of about one mile.

Joint installation of officers, Workmen and Degree of Honor lodges, Tuesday evening, Jan. 14th, 1908. Refreshments served by the brothers. They call it a "Pink Tea" in honor of the ladies. —By Com.

Last Monday, while attempting to put a belt on a moving pulley, Wilbur Holcomb's thumb on his left hand caught between the loosely laced ends of the belt and made the circuit of the pulley, coming out with the bones broken. The wonder is the thumb was not amputated by the sudden trip with the belt.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Scott, of Halsey, Nebr., a girl, Saturday night, Jan. 4, 1908, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Jewett, in Broken Bow. Mrs. Scott will be remembered as Miss Pearl Jewett, former deputy in the postoffice in this city and innumerable friends and acquaintances extend best wishes for health and happiness of the family.

Miss Adah Bowen, who was taken ill last spring on account of over work at the Conservatory of Music, Boston, Mass., and returned to her home here, has recuperated to the extent that she will return there the latter part of this month to resume studies in music. Her innumerable friends hope her health will continue good and enable her to complete the course she had undertaken.

Henry Hanley who was engaged in shelling corn for Walter Cox, in Grant precinct, suffered a severe accident last Friday. In reaching over some cog wheels to throw the sheller out of gear, his clothing caught in the cogs and the skin and flesh on one side under his arm was torn loose. Physicians from Oconto and Callaway were called and fourteen stitches were taken to patch the wound.

The weather in this part of Nebraska has been so warm that flies have again started to wipe their feet on the tops of bald headed citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Mills, of Huxley, Nebr., came to the city the first of the week on account of the illness of Mrs. J. A. Rudge, who is a sister of Mrs. Mills.

Hon. F. M. Currie and Attorney A. P. Johnson left Tuesday for Mexico, where Mr. Currie is interested in a gold mine and Mr. Johnson will be—if it looks good to him.

Term of Court Next Month.

A jury term of the District court in and for Custer county will begin at the court house in Broken Bow on February 3rd.

The requisite number of names are not in the box to enable the clerk of court and assistants to draw a jury to serve and will not be until the board of supervisors meet next week—on the 14th—and supply the deficiency, which Clerk Mair will request as soon as the new board effects an organization.

A Big Sale of Poland Chinas.

In this edition of the REPUBLICAN appears an announcement of a sale of Sweepstakes Orphan Boy Poland Chinas to be held at Sargent in the Vandenberg sale pavilion next Wednesday, January 15th. Every reader of the REPUBLICAN interested in hogs—good hogs—should consult this announcement and then—attend the sale.

These are Lucky Ones.

During the past week a number of Custer county citizens have been lucky by securing two papers for the price of one. That is they have paid \$1 for the REPUBLICAN one year in advance and by so doing are entitled to and will receive that excellent farm journal, the American Farmer. The lucky ones are: G. Guyle, Walworth; J. H. H. Cross, Ansley; C. Bonde, Callaway; Wesley Thomas, R. W. Buckner, D. H. Hilton, E. M. White, Geo. Laughlin, Broken Bow.

Highlanders Install Officers.

The Royal Highlanders, at their regular meeting Tuesday night installed the following officers for the ensuing term: D. A. Walton, illustrious protector; John Henry, past illustrious protector; James E. Wood, chief councillor; Mrs. Rolla Towsley, worthy evangelist; S. R. Lee, Secretary-Treasurer; Maggie Wood, warden; Rolla Towsley, Sentry; Mrs. Ellis, guide; Miss Hanna Lyle, Herald; Carrie Brown, chief archer; Miss Zuie Holcomb, chief spearman; Mrs. P. A. Walton, 1st Censor; Mrs. Chas. Ellis, 2nd Censor; D. M. Amsberry, trustee.

H. Lomax was the installing officer. After the ceremonies an oyster supper was enjoyed in the banquet hall by the members.

Zumbrotta Zephyrs.

Mrs. Nine McComas went to Merna last week to visit old friends for a short time.

Walter Hall, of Callaway, came up this way last Wednesday to get his team of mules that have been in W. W. Bishop's pasture for several months.

The Cole boys attended the surprise party on Floyd Holcomb and wife, on New Year's eve.

Be sure and come to the entertainment to be given at the Tappan Valley school house on Saturday evening, Jan. 11, 1908. Ten cents admission will be charged for all above sixteen years of age. Proceeds to go for a globe. Don't forget the date.

Mr. Tappans entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kimball on New Year's day.

Mrs. Butler and son, Forrest, accompanied by Mrs. Mentzer, arrived here Saturday evening to visit at the home of W. W. Bishop. The ladies returned to Litchfield on Tuesday, but Mr. Butler will remain some time yet.

Our district school is feeling pretty proud of a new "International Dictionary" that has been purchased for them recently.

Frank Griffith and wife of the Bow, Sunday at G. J. Martins.

J. L. Koozers spent Sunday with C. R. Demings in the Bow. We are sorry to see Mr. Demings leave the Bow, but best wishes go with them to Callaway.

Many Attend Revival.

The revival at the Christian church conducted by Fife and son, evangelists, of Kansas City, Mo., continues with great interest. Up to Monday night the services were held in the new Christian church, but on Tuesday they moved to the Opera House—across the way—where they will probably remain to the close of the meeting. This change was made in order to accommodate the large crowds that wish to attend every night.

The preaching is done by Evangelist Roger H. Fife and is attracting and holding the attention of all who hear him. He is always interesting and instructive. Many conversions and additions to the church are reported already and it is expected that a large number will be added in the next few days.

The music, under the direction of Evangelist Clyde Lee Fife, is certainly of a high order. Besides the main chorus, there is a Sunshine chorus of fifty voices, an orchestra, piano and organ to assist. Mr. Fife thoroughly understands his business and leads with a vim and earnestness that is irresistible. He is being assisted by some of the best talent in the city.

Evangelist Fife and son are men of national reputation and from the turn the meeting is now taking, it seems that they will fully sustain the good record made in other places.

The following important subjects will be considered:

Friday—"Heartfelt Religion."
Saturday—"Sanctification."
This service will be held in the church.
Sunday—11 a. m. "What and Where is Heaven?"
Sunday—3 p. m. "The Woman That Moved To Town."
Sunday—7 p. m. "Why I Belong To The Christian Church."
Monday—"Excuses."
Tuesday—"Christian Baptism."
Wednesday—"The Holy Spirit."

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 Konkels.

Money to loan on choice farms. W. B. EASTHAM.

—Furnished and unfurnished rooms for rent in Rencau block

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

Dr. Bass, Dentist. Over McComas'

WANTED—Stock to winter. Horses preferred. Sec. 23, 18-25. C. H. CASS, Loyal, Neb.

Money to loan on choice farms. W. B. EASTHAM.

The celebrated Maish felt mattresses, at Konkels.

Dr Edward Dodd one block south of the west corner of Realty block, all callers promptly attended. 30 tf.

If you have \$500.00 or upward deposited in the banks of Custer county that you would like to convert into real estate, first mortgage coupons bonds, call at my office northeast corner public square, Broken Bow. E. C. HOUSE.

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

New line of Murphy rockers just received at Konkels.

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

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Another shipment of Rocking chairs just received at Konkels direct from the factory at factory prices.

Remember Konkels is headquarters for chairs of all kinds and prices. 11-1f

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

NOTICE OF FINAL REPORT.
Estate of Arthur D. Bangs, deceased, in County Court, Custer county, Nebraska. The State of Nebraska, to all persons interested in said estate, take notice, that Maggie Bangs, Executrix, has filed a final account and report of her administration, and a petition for final settlement and discharge as such, and for the finding as to heirs and distribution of said estate all of which have been set for hearing before said court on February 13, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., when you may appear and contest the same.
Dated January 9, 1908.
[SEAL] A. R. HUMPHREY, County Judge.
J. A. ATWOOD, Attorney.
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Eagle Grocery.

OYSTERS We have arranged to have our New Years supply of oysters come direct to us from Long Island Sound. They have the salt sea flavor. No ice touches the oysters. You get solid meat from us, and not a mixture of oysters and ice water. Call and examine our Oyster Carrier.

Broken Bow.

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about our furniture, either in its make or in its selling. We handle only the kind that is above suspicion as regard materials and fashioning. We have every piece or suite in the newest style and the prices we ask—considering quality—shame all rivals.

D. C. KONKEL.

The Cash Grocery

Extends greetings of the season and wishes one and all a Happy New Year and many, many returns.

J. N. Peale

Broken Bow, Nebraska