

## Condensed Local and Personal Paragraphs

John Jacobson, of Dunning, was among the county seat visitors Monday.

B. C. Empfield, of Anselmo, was transacting business in this city, Monday.

Florence Oldfield, of Anselmo, was transacting business at the U. S. land office, Monday.

C. S. Waldron, of the south west part of the county, was a county seat visitor Monday.

T. H. C. Baerhoffer, who has been east for sometime, returned to the county yesterday morning.

Mrs. W. D. Grant is able to be up again after a severe attack of la grippe which held on for three weeks.

Mrs. O. B. Foster, of Ansley, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Leo Dean, and Mrs. Geo. E. Porter.

George Yutewan, and son Harry, of Dunning, were looking after land matters in Broken Bow, Monday.

R. J. Fox, of Myrtle precinct, looked upon Broken Bow in all its glory—and seemed to be enjoying himself—Tuesday.

Perry Oldfield, of Clark, South Dakota, was in the city Monday, to file on a section of government land near Anselmo.

Judge Hostetler excused the jury yesterday until next term. The court is still in session in order to dispose of equity cases.

S. C. Waldron, a prominent citizen of the county, residing in the southwest part of the county, associated with Broken Bow friends on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Townley, who have been visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. S. Benjamin, the past month, left yesterday for a visit at Mr. Townley's old home, Hartville, Mo.

A number of citizens who have been laboring to recover from an attack of la grippe have finally succeeded and they all appear as though 'twere nice to again be in their accustomed place.

Mrs. L. H. Lilly, of Kimball, Nebr., visited a couple of days in the city last week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. B. Eastham. She had been visiting in Illinois and stopped here enroute home.

The municipal election will occur in a couple of months. There will be a mayor, clerk, treasurer, engineer, justice and aldermen. It isn't any too early for candidates to begin grooming themselves for the fray.

J. O. Jackson, of Mason City, who has been serving as a juror—faithfully and well—was relieved of further duty yesterday and, before returning home, was a pleasant caller and declared allegiance to the REPUBLICAN.

Frank Birkemier of this city has received a clipping from a Piqua, Ohio, paper which states that George Priller, the purchaser of Mr. Birkemier's farm in Ohio, has opened a free soup house in that city as a relief to several thousand men who are out of employment because of a temporary suspension of the factories.

Geo. Hersh, who left here a few years ago and went to take care of his aged father who resided near St. Joe, Mo., writes that his father died Sunday morning at the age of 91 years. He had lived on the farm where he died for sixty-nine years and is said to have been the oldest resident in that county.

Early last week Lawrence Hogaaboom and bride—who was Miss Elva Rains prior to last Christmas—returned from a wedding trip and on Friday was taken sick with small pox, as diagnosed by the attending physician, at the home of Mr. Hogaaboom, about six miles west of Broken Bow, and a quarantine established. It might be stated for the benefit of those not posted that there's no danger of "catching it" over the telephone.

Leonard Hersh, who resides east of Broken Bow, as an old timer in this neck o' woods and has kept tab on the styles of weather that has prevailed here about ever since Tige was a very small pup, and he says that if the present atmospheric conditions prevail much longer there will be no fruit grown in Custer county this year because the buds will come out and bloom and then along a frost will come and—good for fruit crop in 1908.

Mrs. R. A. Hunter went to Omaha last Friday and will remain there for a couple of weeks.

Broken Bow's growth and development is steady. United effort will secure greater things for the city.

W. H. Harrison, of Maysville, Mo., was in the city Tuesday, on a land contest case in McPherson county.

Charlie Britt, agent for the Dierks Lumber and Coal Co., at Ansley, visited with friends in this city last Sunday.

J. T. Morrow, of Lena, McPherson County, was in the city Tuesday, transacting business before the land office.

Attorney John H. Evans, John S. and Chas. H. Eathing, of Theford, were in the city Tuesday, on a contest case before the U. S. land office.

Local carpenters are not complaining of being over-worked just at present, but all have work in sight and seem to think there will be plenty when the spring season blooms.

Special services are being held at the Baptist church, commencing last Sunday night, by Evangelist Baker of Michigan. The meetings are well attended, both afternoon and evening.

The newspapers of the county are just now throwing bouquets (of thorns) to Attorney Sullivan, president of the Custer County Fair association, because of his recent attempt to break in as a publisher—with nothing invested.

Saturday next week, the 22nd inst., the birthday of George Washington, is a national holiday. The Banks in Broken Bow will, therefore not be opened for transaction of business on that day. Patrons should bear this in mind if they have any important business to transact on that day—and do it the preceding day.

Rev. H. M. Pinckney went to Ansley last Sunday and conducted services at the funeral of Miss Ellen Reichtmeyer, a niece of George Reichtmeyer. The deceased died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Willard Keller, at Columbus, Nebraska, the remains being brought to Ansley for interment beside other members of the family.

F. P. Wooters and family, who have occupied the Walter Doyle farm, 3½ miles west of Broken Bow the past five years, moved last week to a place 12 miles this side of Comstock. Walter Doyle, who has resided at Friend, Nebraska, during Mr. Wooters' occupancy of the farm, has returned to it and will hereafter give it his personal attention.

Miss Nannie Robertson, who is engaged in the millinery business at Boise, Idaho, arrived in the city last Saturday and has been a guest of Mrs. C. U. Richardson, stopping here enroute to Kansas City and St. Louis where she goes to purchase goods. With her parents she moved from Broken Bow to Boise about nine years ago and easily notes the many improvements here during that time.

Harry Woodruff, residing 3 miles from Georgetown, who has been serving as a juror in the District court, was summoned home Tuesday night on account of the illness of his wife and child. On Tuesday he received a letter informing him of their illness and that night, while a jury of which he was a member was considering a case, a phone message stated that a physician had been attending the family all day and he was advised to come home, whereupon Judge Hostetler excused him from further duty and he started immediately for home.

Supt. Pinckney, for the first time in his life—even though when a young man he served a term as constable—is engaged in a case at law. This has been brought about by the refusal of John Beshaler, moderator of school district 102, 6 miles north of Callaway, refusing to countersign warrants in payment of teachers salary and for fuel purchased. It is stated that the moderator is not in sympathy with the teacher is the cause for his refusal to sign. Consequently Supt. Pinckney has instituted mandamus proceedings against Beshaler and the chances are he will not only be compelled to sign up, but have some court costs to pay.

The prices of hogs in South Omaha yesterday, were \$4.15 to \$4.30; top at \$4.42.

The weather is a trifle crumpy, but it is enjoyed after the long stretch of summer—this winter.

W. H. Thompson, of Grand Island, is in the city this week looking after business before the district court.

Manager Groat of the Opera house informs us he has booked for the night of the 26th, "A Bachelor's Honeymoon," particulars of which will be published in these columns next week.

The Custer block in this city has been quarantined on account of a case of small pox and by this prompt action it is believed there will be no spread of the disease. Citizens are not at all alarmed, anyhow.

Chas. E. Ford, of Chicago, president of the Broken Bow State Bank, was in the city yesterday in consultation with Vice-President Kimberling and Cashier Warrick, on bank affairs in connection with this solid financial institution.

The republican county convention to elect delegates to the state convention will be held in the court house in this city next Tuesday afternoon. The official call, together with calls for a number of precinct caucuses, are printed on the opposite page of this REPUBLICAN.

For several years the REPUBLICAN has urged residents to improve their properties and thereby enhance the value as well as beautifying the city and it is indeed gratifying to have our esteemed contemporary the Chief rally to our assistance. "In union there is strength."

Dr. W. V. Beck went to Omaha last Friday and on the following day was operated on for appendicitis with which he has been troubled for six or seven months. Word has been received that the operation was an unusually successful one and that he will be detained in the hospital but a short time.

Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Mullins left Monday morning for Galveston, Texas, and from there go to other points of historic interest, expecting to be absent from the city until about April 1st. This trip is not exactly for pleasure, but was occasioned by a deterioration of the doctor's health occasioned by an attack of lagrippe several weeks ago from which he had not fully recovered before resuming work in his dental parlors. His throat was affected and refused to yield to medical treatment so a change of climate for a time was deemed advisable. During his absence Dr. Farnsworth is prescribing for his patrons.

John Sanderson informs us of a strange performance on the part of a boar of the Berkshire breed, two years old, in his vicinity last Thursday. A span of mules, weighing 1200 each, belonging to Al Juker, 1 mile south of Berwyn, were in a corral, and just outside the fence stood the boar which weighs about 300 pounds. One of the mules reached over the fence and nipped the hog which madly crushed through the fence and attacked the mules. Mr. Juker, armed with a pitchfork and assisted by two dogs, had hard work in driving off the infuriated boar which had sunk its fangs into a fore leg of each one of the mules and ripped the skin and flesh from the knee to the ankle, severing a blood vessel on one of them.

### Sunday School Convention.

The District Sunday School Convention held in Broken Bow last Saturday and Sunday was pronounced a grand success by the Sunday school workers of the district.

Prof. Steadley, of Lincoln, was present Sunday afternoon and evening and delivered two very helpful addresses. The rest of the program was made up of local talent. Many helpful papers and talks were given on various subjects of interest and importance to Sunday school workers. The reports from the various schools show a very marked progress in the schools represented, along the line of cradle roll, home department, organized classes, primary work, and better methods in all departments of Sunday school work.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: John Turner, pres.; Miss Martha Fodge, sec. and treas.; Mrs. Willis Cadwell, supt. Home dept.; Mrs. A. A. Mitchell, supt. Temperance dept.; Miss Grace Pinckney, supt. Primary dept.

Let us be your printer. The good kind of printing only.

### Obituary.—Cook.

John W. Cook, who suffered a stroke of paralysis on the 22nd of last month died at 9:30 a. m., Feb. 7, 1908; born March 13, 1834, in Perry county, Penn.

When a young man, in company with his brother David Cook, he located at Morris, Illinois, and engaged in the grocery business in which he was quite prosperous.

In 1853 he was united in marriage with Elizabeth Ramp, to which union were born three daughters, two of whom are living and attended him constantly during his illness, doing all in their power to make his last days of his life peaceful. In 1864 his wife died and he moved to Yates City, Ills., where he was again married and to them a son was born. While residing at Yates City he united with the Methodist church and was an earnest worker and liberal supporter of the church.

About ten years ago he came to Broken Bow and has been engaged in business here since that time. He was actively engaged in the grocery business for fifty-four years and known as a careful business man and very prompt in meeting his obligations.

The children who survive him are: Mrs. L. L. Sharp, Mrs. Jennie Biggerstaff and W. G. Cook.

The funeral services were held at the M. E. church, Sunday afternoon, Feb. 9th, at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Thompson and attended by a large number of friends and acquaintances.

### Sell Your Hogs to Russom.

G. R. Russom is now buying and shipping hogs and requests all who have swine to sell to call on him and get his prices which will always be the highest commensurate with the market. He is making his headquarters at the Bruce Lumber yard where he can be interviewed every day. Better see him if you have hogs for sale.

### BUSINESS POINTERS.

Drs. Farnsworth & Beck—Dentists.

An elegant line of boys and children's clothes, just received at Snyder Bros. & Co.

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

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FOB SALE—A bargain—a six octave organ costing \$100.00 can be had for about half price. Might consider trade for milch cows. Call at this office.

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Dr. Bass, Dentist. Over McComas'

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Edward Dodd, physician and surgeon. Office with Dr. Christenson in Realty block. Office phone No. 260; residence phone No. 248. All calls promptly attended. 32-tf

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

### B. & M. Train Schedule

WEST BOUND  
41 coast passenger, daily, leave... 7:52 a.m.  
43 coast passenger, daily, leave... 12:55 a.m.  
47 local freight, arrive 1:00 p.m. Lv 2:09 p.m.

EAST BOUND  
42 coast passenger, leave... 1:37 p.m.  
48 coast passenger, leave... 5:50 a.m.  
49 local freight, arrive... 1:09 p.m.

### Schedule of Broken Bow Mails.

Schedule of arrival and departure of mails from Broken Bow post office.  
Pouches for east close as follows:  
Train No. 42, 1:00 p.m.; No. 44, 7:30 p.m.  
Pouches for west close as follows:  
Train No. 43, 7:30 p.m.; No. 41, 7:30 a.m.  
Office hours, 7 a. m. to 7:30 p. m.  
Office open Sundays from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m.  
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# At This Writing

Your attention is requested to a consideration of a subject of great importance to every family in Custer county who—instead of living to eat—

## Eat To Live

and in order to accomplish this without endangering health and life secure for food necessities those articles which are permissible to be sold under the restrictions of the pure food laws.

The Cash Grocery Store carries in stock only the pure, full weight articles, whether in bulk or can, and your inspection is cordially courted.

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