

## Condensed Local and Personal Paragraphs

Guy Sievers went to Lincoln last Saturday and remained over Sunday.

Clifford Rogers spent a part of last week in the vicinity of Lillian.

Miss Jessie Pope, of Denver, Colo., is visiting her aunt and cousin, Mrs. G. R. Russom and Mrs. Frank E. Taylor.

Mrs. Matt Olsen, of Kensett, Iowa, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. J. VanAntwerp, left for home last Saturday.

H. D. Huntington has leased the T. W. Edwards residence, south of the Presbyterian church, for a period of one year from and after April 1st, next.

G. R. Russom, left Tuesday morning for San Antonio, Texas, on a business deal which will require his absence from home for a period of two or three weeks.

Gip Thompson has always had an abiding faith in Broken Bow and he's pinning it there by putting up a new residence on his lots just north of Zack Thosten's on the Northside.

Street Bros. have just completed a hydraulic well 125 feet deep for Thos. Smith, on his residence property just west of the court house, and he says it is proving very satisfactory.

Mrs. Addie McGaffey, of Boise City, Idaho, arrived in the city last Friday and will remain several weeks visiting the families of her brother and sister, L. E. Cole and Mrs. E. C. House.

The last two numbers of the Young People's Entertainment Course are the following: Hurby Bros., Quintette, April 2, and Lecturer Dr. May, of Washington, D. C., April 16. Don't fail to hear them.

Mrs. Mary E. Hopper, National W. C. T. U., lecturer and organizer, will speak in the Baptist church next Sunday, March 22nd, at 3 p. m., and in the United Brethren church at 7:30 in the evening.

James Thomas, the popular young man who has tilted the front chair in the City Shaving Parlor the past two years, and pleased his victims, is not associating with friends this week on account of being very busy attending to a severe attack of mumps, until today.

A letter from J. M. Knox, who recently went from here and located near Moriarty, New Mexico, states that they all arrived there safely and like the country—so far as they have seen—quite well. He also says everything there is new, lots of settlers arriving and that there's heaps of hustle and business.

It was a nice little family of porkers that John Wehling brought in yesterday and sold to Tierney Bros. There were 70 in the bunch, from 8 to 10 months old, and the average weight of them was 273 pounds. At the prevailing price Mr. Wehling received a few dollars over 800 for the family.

A fire at Merna last Saturday morning destroyed the VanBuskirk & Wells meat market. The flames had gained such headway before an alarm was turned in that the fire department, which responded quickly, was unable to prevent the building from total destruction, but succeeded in preventing the spreading of the fire to adjoining buildings.

Does Deputy County Clerk Osborne smoke cigars? No; he does not. Since last Saturday William has been smoking a pipe and tobacco and his male friends have been smoking the cigars. Why is this thusly? Well, you see, to supply his friends with cigars and keep up the gait himself is rather expensive in connection with the outlay necessarily occasioned by the advent of a bran new boy, so William smokes a pipe and is happier than he would be with cigars and no boy.

It was reported that a change would occur in the time schedule of the B. & M. railway last Sunday and that the "stub" would resume its run from Lincoln to Broken Bow, but the report was not sustained by the facts as the "stub" did not materialize and there was no change of time. Agent Ormsby suggests that a change might be reported for April 1st and if it don't occur it can be taken for an April foolishness joke and the disappointment of the traveling public will be less acute.

D. E. Bauder was a B. & M. passenger for Kearney the first of the week on business.

Clerk of Court Mair has leased the residence to be vacated by H. D. Huntington and will move thereto on or about the 1st of next month.

Mrs. Zack Thostenen who has been quite ill, threatened with an attack of pneumonia, is reported as improving as rapidly as could reasonably be expected.

Norcutt & Munk returned to Broken Bow Tuesday, having completed a new residence for C. R. Deming on the farm he recently purchased near Callaway.

Jasper Beals, of Ortello, found he could spare a couple of days last week from his daily avocation of labor, so came to Broken Bow and visited with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Guyle and Mrs. Henry Guyle drove over from Walworth the first of the week, visited a couple of days in the city with friends and attended to some matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thomas decided to move out to the farm and rented their property, a block west of Iler Grand hotel, to J. B. Brown, who leased his property, in the west part of the city, to Dr. Geo. Pennington.

A lodge of Rebekah, the auxiliary to the Odd Fellows, was instituted with over thirty members, at Merna on Monday. The team of the Broken Bow lodge went over in the afternoon and conferred the degrees.

Members of the gun club are admonished to member the regular practice shoot Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and be there promptly at the hour so no delay will be occasioned. Shooting for the beautiful prize, a \$40 silver cup, will soon begin.

Scott Copper, who "janites" the court house, has discovered, since the caucus Tuesday night, that it takes two bushels of peanuts shucks and a quire of foolscap paper torn into shreds, to nominate city officials—to say nothing of the time spent in fixing fences and button holding.

W. H. McKnight, who bought a farm 2 miles south of Berwyn five years ago and since that time has resided thereon, is in the city today for the purpose of paying taxes, which he does not—like some people—consider a really bad investment, yet if they were not quite so uppish he would be better pleased.

G. H. Tuttle, who went to Colorado two weeks ago to inspect the San Luis Valley, returned home last Saturday and expresses himself well pleased, the trip having proven a very enjoyable one. He is of the opinion there is no more prolific soil in the United States than in the San Luis Valley.

Miss Hazel Jewett went to visit with Lincoln friends last Thursday and is expected home tonight. Her absence from the postoffice is always noticed by patrons and elicits many inquiries as to her whereabouts and she has faithfully promised to give due and sufficient notice when she decides to quit the office and adopt a husband.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Brenizer reached home last Thursday from a sojourn of three months in Texas, a goodly portion of the time being spent at San Antonio. The doctor is highly pleased with his visit to that part of Uncle Sam's domain. He says the climate there is ideal and there's no better place anywhere for spending the winter.

A. J. Minner, a capitalist of Blaine, Kansas, arrived in the city Monday night and will remain here a few days looking over some real estate propositions with a view of investing. Custer county soil is attracting considerable attention abroad at present, its prolific propensities having not been kept a secret by those acquainted with the facts relative thereto.

Sammy Gestwight, residing three miles south of Berwyn, succeeded in killing a rare specimen of Golden eagle last Saturday. He saw it circling and finally alight and, procuring his rifle, sent a bullet true to the mark. Our informant, Mr. McKnight, says it measures 7 feet and 2 inches from tip to tip and is the best specimen of an eagle he ever saw and he has seen a number of mounted ones that were considered fine.

W. T. Jones, who has been working with Stevens, the carpenter, left for Clarinda, Iowa, Monday. He intends to be gone about a month.

S. P. Groat reached home yesterday morning from Excelsor Springs, Mo., whither he went three weeks ago accompanied by wife and daughter who remained there. He says the springs are very beneficial to all who go there and that he feels just about seven and a quarter years younger than he did before leaving here.

Mrs. J. E. Iszard left last Sunday morning for May's Landing, N. J., in response to a telegram announcing that her aunt, Mrs. Caroline Norcross, had suffered a stroke of paralysis for the third time. While there she will be the guest of her only sister, Mrs. Capt. Harry Thompson, and will remain for an indefinite length of time.

The flour mill at Arcadia, said to be one of the most complete ones in this part of Nebraska, was totally destroyed by fire this morning. It was owned by a Mr. Haywood, of St. Paul. Ed. McCormick, of this city, was a witness of the conflagration and says the building was only a short time burning, although it was a large one.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church gave a leap year social at the home of Mrs. Mary Gandy Tuesday evening, about seventy young people being present. A three course lunch was served by the young men during the evening, a neat sum added to the treasury and a good time enjoyed by all.

W. B. Eastham, of Broken Bow, after having been prevailed upon by friends in all parts of the state has decided to become a candidate for Commissioner of public lands and buildings on the democratic ticket at the primary election and, if successful, his name will appear on the ticket at the November election. Mr. Eastham is an old-time and highly respected resident of this city and well qualified to perform the duties of the office.

Letters patent were received this week by Samuel M. Dorris and Willis E. Talbot upon their invention, an Anti-rattle for vehicle shafts and tongues, and the manufacture of them will be commenced at once. Although the patent was only issued on the 10th of this month they have several offers of big money if they will sell their right, while many others have written to learn if they will sell and at what figure, so it must be a rattling good thing.

The man who married an actress and introduces her to his spinster sister as the governess, gets into all sorts of trouble, especially when the wife finds he is the fond parent of twins, aged seventeen years. A maid servant with detective proclivities and "a clue in her head," a German friend who nurses a secret sorrow and is looking for someone to "put sweet flowers on his grave," and many other characters make "A Bachelor's Honey-moon" the funniest play seen in years. It will be presented here Friday evening, March 27, at the Opera house. The versatile French actor, Herbert DeBuerre, who spent several weeks last summer in Broken Bow will appear in the title role.

**Increasing the Populations.**  
During the past week the population in the vicinity of Broken Bow has been added to quite materially. There has been more, of course, than those reported to the REPUBLICAN as follows:

In the home of James Roy, at Weissert, last Sunday, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Parker, 4 miles north of Broken Bow, on the 14th inst., welcomed a daughter.

Thomas Smith, 18 miles southeast, reports a bouncing boy.

Theodore Wells, 2 miles this side of Smith's, announces the arrival at his home as a girl.

Arthur Hagadorn, over in the southeast part of town, is well pleased to say it is a boy.

On Monday of this week J. R. Mohat, 6 miles north, had commenced humming tunes to a daughter.

After the close of business at the court house last Saturday evening Deputy County Clerk Osborn let a yell out of himself that could be heard 7 miles down the Muddy when he was told "it's a boy."

Charlie Williams, at Gates, is telling friends, since Tuesday, that a handsomer girl baby was never born.

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

### Easter Market.

The ladies of the Christian church will have their Annual Easter Market on April 18th at the Masonic Temple. They will serve dinner and supper and will also have for sale all kinds of fancy articles.

The ladies of the Christian church are noted for their Easter Market and those who take their meals there go away with the firm conviction that they have had a "square deal."

Remember the date April 18th, and bring all your friends.

### Millinery Opening Next Week.

Mrs. Penn, first door north of the postoffice, announces that the opening days for general display of 1908 spring millinery are Friday and Saturday, March 27 and 28.

This spring she has a more elaborate showing than ever before of pattern and tailored hats and they are up-to-date—the very latest styles.

The stock of Ladies Spring and Summer Jackets and Shirt Waists is complete and offered at satisfactory prices and should be seen by every lady in this vicinity before purchasing.

### Marriage Licenses Issued.

Since Thursday of last week licenses to wed in Custer county have been issued as follows:

Jos. F. Anderson, Elton.....28  
Bessie B. Mosley, Elton.....26  
W. T. Miltanberger, Purdum.....25  
Louise Stright, Anselmo.....18  
Claud E. Patterson, Ansley.....22  
Clara O. Lund, Ansley.....21

### 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

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

Do not forget the millinery opening at Mrs. Penn's—Friday and Saturday, March 27 and 28.

Furnished and unfurnished rooms for rent in Renau block

We take orders for ladies' tailor made suits, guarantee a fit. 34tf SNYDER BROS. & CO.

FOR SALE—Fine single driving outfit, complete. Apply to Dr. Christensen.

A new importation of rugs received at Konkels, March 2nd. They are beauties and will be sold at prices that causes competition to look exceedingly weary.

Ladies who purchase before seeing the handsome display at Mrs. Penn's will surely regret it. Opening days are Friday and Saturday of next week.

An elegant line of boys and children's clothes, just received at Snyder Bros. & Co. 34tf

Try our Rex Lump Coal, now \$7.00 per ton at Dierks Lumber & Coal Company, Broken Bow, Nebraska.

We take orders for ladies' tailor made suits, guarantee a fit. SNYDER BROS. & CO.

Dr. Bass, Dentist, Over McComas'

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

WANTED—A strong Bohemian girl for general work. Address Mrs. Ferguson, 8½ miles south west of Comstock, Nebraska.

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

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

We take orders for ladies' tailor made suits, guarantee a fit. SNYDER BROS. & CO.

We can sell your farms. List them with R. A. Hunter & Co., Broken Bow and J. L. Ferguson, Comstock, Nebr.

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We'll Show You  
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AT ONCE.

NOW'S YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS.

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We now have a complete assortment on hand as follows:

BALDWIN LUMP  
REX LUMP  
EASTERN HARD  
Nut and Stove  
COKING COAL for your Underfeed Furnaces. Phone 79

MAITLAND  
Lump, Nut and Pea  
CORREY  
Lump and Nut

C. L. Turner Lumber Co.

## G. R. Russom

Real Estate Negotiations.

Office with H. T. Bruce & Co.  
Broken Bow, - Nebraska.

Farms, Ranches, City Property

For Sale and Trade

Watch this each week for bargains,  
Here's One

A two story frame residence, 12 rooms, furnace, bath, two cisterns, city water, good barn, two lots, fine shade, for sale or trade for good land.

## Peale's POTTED PLANTS

The ladies of Broken Bow and vicinity—those who appreciate the beautiful flowers—are invited to call and see the plants, a new assortment being received twice each week, and they are all beauties and selling at lower prices than ever before.

Flower and Garden Seeds  
In package and bulk, all of  
the 1907 growth.

J. N. Peale

Broken Bow, Nebraska.