

THE LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK

Gleaned for Your Perusal by Our Rustling Reporters

Old papers for sale at this office.

Drs. Farnsworth & Beck—Dentists.

Jim Smith went to Anselmo Monday evening.

Dr. Bass, dentist, old location, over Souder's drug store.

New picture frames and mouldings at Konkell's The Furniture Man.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Taylor were west bound passengers Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Gaston were Bow visitors Friday driving from Merna.

Best and largest assortment of rugs ever shown in Custer county at Konkell's The Furniture Man.

The H. T. Bruce Lumber Co. are having their sheds and buildings treated to a coat of paint this week.

The largest line of Mens shirts at 1.00 in town. Come in and look them over before buying.—Kiffin-Lucke Co.

John Sanford was in Broken Bow Monday helping his father, from Missouri, unload an immigrant car.

Clyde Carlos left the first of the week for Oregon with the view of locating permanently some where on the coast.

Walter Cole, who had his back broken by a fall from a horse several months ago was taken to St. Joseph the first of the week for treatment.

J. S. Squires and wife left Friday morning for the west. They will visit lower California and will go as far north as Seattle Washington. They expect to be gone about two months.

O. H. Conrad commenced the excavation of the basement for a new building on the corner of the block recently vacated by the Bruce Lumber Co. The structure is to be 60x66 feet, two stories.

The township clerk, J. S. McGraw, has been in correspondence with a government road man and on Saturday, March 12, when the voters of Broken Bow townships get together for their annual meeting, he will speak to them in regard to roads. It is wished that all the voters in the township be present at that meeting.

A small blaze occurred in the rear of the City Bakery, owned and run by B. W. Blair on Monday afternoon about 1:45. It was the usual story of "a small boy and a match." Some paper and a few small boxes were piled in the corner where two sheds came together and the fire as it gained headway was noticed by several who were near at the time and an alarm was turned in. The hose cart was taken out and as a few buckets of water soon quenched the greedy fire demon it was not taken to the scene of the fire.

The Ramos' Spanish Orchestra will give their entertainment at the opera house on March 21, 1910. This is under the auspices of the Young Peoples' Union and will be the best musical organization of its class ever given in this city. The company is composed of six ladies and two gentlemen. One of these gentlemen sings with the Orchestra accompaniment and his voice rises above the instruments with imposing effect. This company has delighted all where ever they have appeared.

Two Specials for Saturday March 12th 1910
 3 bars of 10c Toilet Soap for 20.
 18 pair of Misses goodyear welt oxford shoes. \$2.00 to \$2.25 values. Saturday only
\$1.89
 We have hose to match.
Kiffin-Lucke Co.

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H. B. Andrews of Anselmo was a city visitor Monday.

W. J. Rice of Merna was a city visitor Monday.

Best shades at best prices at Konkell's The Furniture Man.

New oxfords for men and women. See them—Kiffin-Lucke Co.

E. F. McClure spent Wednesday in Grand Island, on business.

Wm. Pfrem of Sargent was visiting in the city the first of the week.

Philip Johnson, of Ortello, spent a few days in Broken Bow last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Joyner were passengers for Merna Monday evening.

New arrivals in suits, capes and coats are coming in almost every day.—Kiffin-Lucke Co.

Ray Cadwell, who is in attendance at the Grand Island College, spent Sunday with his parents.

The Dierks Lumber & Coal Co. are putting up a monster lumber shed in their yards here this week.

Miss Katie Moore, who has been in a Conservatory of Music in Chicago for the past year returned to Broken Bow last week.

We have checked into stock this week a swell line of new spring skirts in all colors including white serges and mohairs.—Kiffin-Lucke Co.

Mrs. M. E. McPherron of Kansas City, is in the city visiting her sisters, Mrs. A. E. Anderson, Mrs. Will Penn, Misses Wilda and Dex Hurlless.

H. A. Watts and Rev. Z. O. Doward made an automobile trip to Anselmo Monday. Rev Doward went to preach a funeral sermon at that place.

Rev. Z. O. Doward of the Christian church was called to Anselmo last Monday to preach the funeral of Thos. J. Plymale. He was a man 75 years old and leaves a wife and 7 children.

The Ladies' library association desire to express their thanks to those who assisted so kindly in the afternoon and evening program Feb. 23, also for the M. E. church in the evening and the club room in the afternoon.

C. H. Sanford, who unloaded a car from northwestern Missouri, Monday, has rented the farm in Holcomb Valley recently purchased by Ras Anderson. Mr. Sanford is one of those farmers whom a community welcomes. Mr. Sanford brings with him a wife and two sons.

Julius Otton of Sargent was a city visitor yesterday. He was accompanied by Mr. Lam.

Heavy vote.
 The voters of Custer county, especially the divisionist know how to vote for things they do not want and they also know how to vote against their own interests. The following table shows the way the vote went, also how the divisionists worked on the misrepresentation of the facts:

TOWNSHIPS	FOR	AG'T
Algernon	181	72
Anselmo	8	288
Arnold	48	93
Berwyn	111	44
Broken Bow North Side	306	8
Broken Bow South Side	463	8
Cliff	66	25
Custer No. 1	38	16
Custer No. 2	4	76
Custer No. 3	28	6
Delight	6	351
Douglas Grove	54	74
Elin	3	121
Elk Creek	86	26
Garfield	86	17
Grant	5	104
Hayes	39	12
Kilfoil	112	135
Lillian No. 1	67	21
Lillian No. 2	9	37
Loup	91	26
Myrtle	50	57
Sargent	13	288
Comstock	79	47
Triumph	2	87
Victoria	142	40
Wayne	21	28
Westerville	59	87
West Union, No. 1	11	23
West Union, No. 2	3	90
Wood River	42	212
Total	2233	2513

NEWS OF THE COUNTY

(Continued from fifth page.)

Will McCullough and wife (Mrs. Sands sister) are visiting B. B. Sands, at present.

Roy Routh and wife welcomed a little daughter at their home Sunday morning. Mother and baby doing well.

H. C. Brown of Fremont Neb. spent last Thursday night at Ralph Johnsons. They were old friends.

Joe Cole found the horse he lost last Oct. It had fallen in a large hole in his pasture and died.

Mr. Huffman's four children started to school Monday.

Mr. Evans of Aurora moved on the Sharp place.

Prairie Center.
 Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Oxford, a fine baby girl March 1. All parties doing well.

Lof Oxford, wife and daughter, Theo. Oxford, Bert Oxford, Medd Glenn, Grandma and Grandpa Oxford, Mrs. Glenn and daughter visited at Chas. Oxford's Sunday, they all came to see the new girl.

Mrs. Beal is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Rains and daughter, Neva and Dorothy, and Florence Longfellow visited at Beals Sunday.

Rosa Deal, Nannie Rains, and Bert Oxford visited at Rhoades' Sunday evening.

John Beal was in town Saturday for the first time since he was taken sick. He seems to be getting better.

Several attended the dance given at Frank Neth's in Union Valley Saturday night.

Dolly Reed from Merna visited at Beals' from Friday till Sunday.

Earnest Rains visited with Wesley Hogaboom in Broken Bow Saturday and Sunday.

Blanche Shurr spent Saturday night and Sunday at home.

Ed Allbright from Missouri spent Sunday night and Monday at Rains.

Grace and Charley Beal visited with the Weisner children Saturday.

Wonder what Ed Shepardson was looking for in this neighborhood Sunday.

Intended for last week.

Elgin Beal went to the eastern part of the state where he has an aunt that is very sick.

Mrs. George Shoup is some better.

Ben Evans is out buying cattle this week.

John Koch has moved up on the table on the Lambert place where Alva Shaw has lived for several years. Mr. Shaw moved on his own place on the Ryno table.

C. W. Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gibbs and J. R. Longfellow and daughter Daisy went to Overton last Tuesday to visit U. Jones and family.

Several from here attended the Burton sale last Monday reported a large crowd.

Charley Longfellow had one of his horses badly cut in the wire fence last Sunday. Someone from Merna went though the pasture in an auto running the horse into the fence. I thought we had roads to travel on? yes. We would have good roads if they would put our share of the money on roads that are traveled instead of trying to lay out new roads that will never be traveled.

Merna News.
 On Friday evening of this week the graded school will give a program in the Opera house. The proceeds go for the new laboratory.
 The revival in the M. E. church closed Sunday evening.
 The Baptist Literary Society have accepted the challenge of three High school boys for a debate to be held on Monday evening.

Mr. Jensen, of Aurora, is in town this week superintending the wiring of the business houses for electric lights.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wagoner, of Broken Bow, spent Sunday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Gaston of this city.

Bell School District.
 VICINITY

We are enjoying March's Lamb and preparing for her Lion.

Mrs. Swan from Broken Bow, spent the week with her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Forsyth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Plymale were called west of Anselmo by the death of his father Friday evening. The old gentleman was first attacked by a paralytic stroke from which resulted death. He was buried in Anselmo Monday.

Mrs. Bert Cozad has been very ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Bell had a little tipover while coming from town. The buggy was smashed, being the worst damage reported.

Messrs. Pius Christen and Frank Knoell went to Broken Bow Sunday to attend to business.

Miss Nettie White was hostess of a social and oyster supper given in honor of her birthday at John Bells Saturday evening. A large crowd gathered to help her enjoy the evening, which was spent in playing Flinch and social entertainments. The early departing hours indicate their good times. We don't believe Miss Nettie is a Missourian but it is reported, she greased her nose to slip through next year easily.

Miss Jennie Christen is spending the week with Mrs. Mary Knoel during her husbands absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bell and family, Claude from Broken Bow and Anna from Anselmo spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Miss Mae Rains and Jennie Christen were Custer County sight inspectors Sunday.

Edmund McGuire from Arnold visited at Vinnedge's Saturday and Sunday.

SCHOOL.
 All have good reports from examinations.

Minnie Mannel missed Thursday and Friday—not for examinations, we hope.

William Loughran was absent all week.

Anna Spannel won the prize in our Memory Gem Contest. She gave twenty-two for us.

We wonder if there will be any more bad storms yet. We're anxious to make our school garden.

We would like to enforce the law that "all school grounds should be fenced animal proof."

Elton News.
 This fine weather reminds the farmer of spring.

Paul Haumont is moving on his farm near Berywn.

Frank Anderson shelled corn last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Cooksley are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine baby boy. Art is wearing a broad smile these days.

Clarence Govier and family of Oconto are visiting relatives near Elton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shafer and Grandma Shafer and Mr. Montanye and family Sundayed at Joe Spencer's.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Govier a boy.

Miss White of Lincoln is spending a few days with Mrs. Louis Haumont this week.

Mr. Hollenbeck has purchased a fine driving team from Mr. Shafer.

Maggie and Ben Pirnie of Merna are visiting friends and

relatives near Elton and Weissert this week.

Mrs. Davis who has been living in Broken Bow for some time has moved out on the A. H. Luther farm near Weissert.

Pete Towns and his new bride will leave for Aurora the first of the week where he will work at the carpenter trade. People of this vicinity wish them success in their new home.

McKinley Murmurings.
 Joseph Province is crrying the mail from Tuckerville to McKinley now.

Mesdames Reinhard and Kirkpatrick visited Tuesday afternoon at Joseph Haeefe.

Mrs. I. H. Russell of Kearney visited her son Roy a few days last week.

Joseph Martin of O'Neill was visiting a few days in this vicinity last week.

Maude Haeefe is assisting Mrs. J. C. Henederson with her house work this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Haeefe spent Sunday at A. J. Booth's.

A few of our young people attended the party at T. G. Thornburg's last Tuesday night. They report a fine time.

The party at Edgar Pierce's Saturday night was well attended. All report a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Haeefe attended Sunday School on Spring Creek Sunday and visited with Mr. Mrs J. H. Walburn in the afternoon.

Our school will close March 18th. The teacher and pupils are prearing a fine program for the last day.

Weissert.
 Charley Mosley and family was visiting Joe Evin Sunday.

Leonard Hilton moved on his farm Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthus Cooksley are the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy.

Mell Steinman attended the funeral of Mr. Moody at Westerville Saturday.

John and Maggie Pirnie of Merna are visiting relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Govier were visiting his father and mother Sunday.

Ross Campbell returned home from Omaha Thursday reporting of topping the market for sixty-for head of stock and the remainder five cents lower.

Mell Steinman and Fred Govier went to Broken Bow on business Wednesday.

Leck boys expect to move on their farm soon but Carl is waiting on his brother Roy as he says he expects to furnish a cook.

Mr. Burke expects to move next week down on a farm between Anselmo and Berwyn.

Jim Davis' mother and sister of Broken Bow moved on Al Luther's farm Friday.

Intended for last week.

The sale at D. Hilton was well attended and the stock sold well.

Albert Govier has some fine white seed corn for sale call and see or write and will send sample seed from Iowa raised last season.

Arthur Cooksley sold Bose two loads of hogs and hauled them to Berwyn Saturday.

Thea Freichson and his brother John went to Omaha Thursday.

Mell Sherman Steinman, Henry Holmes and See Scott was visiting Grovier Bros. Thursday evening.

Arthur Cooksley marketed corn at Tice Case Thursday.

John Scott was visiting James Govier's Sunday.

Mrs. John Govier of Elton was visting her daughter Mrs. Milt Peterson Thursday.

Bose Campell shipped two car loads of hogs to Omaha Monday.

Joe Evens was breaking down stalks Wednesday.

Henry Holmes, Stella Carlisle, Will Scott and Bernice Pipperr made a flying trip to Broken Bow Saturday.

Prairie Hill.
 March has come in nice though we would rather it would have been stormy and the last of March nice. We must hope for best.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Thomas spent Sunday at Mr. Perry's near Merna.

Ralph Miller is on the sick list but we glad to say he is better at this writing.

Jesse Price went with the corn sheller the latter part of last week as Charley Bay was home on account of sickness, but we are glad to say Charley was able to go this week.

Mrs. Cushman of Broken Bow is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Shoup, who is on the sick list.

J. Philipsen of Dunning is visiting with his daughter, Mrs. J. R. Longfellow.

B. G. Eivins and son took a car load of cattle to Omaha Monday.

The friends of Miss Ella Laughlin are sorry to hear of her sickness and hope she will soon recover.

Miss Alice Longfellow had to quit school Thursday on account of sickness but we hope she may be able to go back before long.

School was out last Saturday. In the afternoon they had a good program, after the program they were dismissed wishing their teacher a long and happy vacation.

As Mrs. Martin, her two children and Miss Myers were going home from the sewing last Thursday the horses became frightened and started to run. Mrs. Martin turned them into Shoup's where they ran up against the hen house breaking the buggy tongue. Mr. Shoup caught them before they got away. Nobody was hurt though all were badly freightered.

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