

M. B. A. Team went to Merna. The M. B. A. degree team of Broken Bow went to Merna Tuesday night to assist in initiating a class of candidates into the M. B. A. lodge. Deputy Johnson has written 30 applications in the past thirty days and has a number more prospects. The meeting was held in the Masonic hall which is nicely furnished and a pleasant place to meet. After the work was over refreshments were served and a splendid time was enjoyed. The members of the team all

speak very highly of the treatment received by the members at Merna. Epworth League You are cordially invited to attend the devotional services of the Epworth League Sunday evening, June 19 the subject is "The Christian Secret". The leader for the evening is Herbert E. Dorris. Pearl Holcomb of Milburn came down Saturday to attend Junior Normal.

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to a remarkable degree is the showing we make of jeweled hat pins, fancy combs, barettes, dress pins and other trinkets. Good Looks are not their only good points, however. They are made for wear as well as for appearance and are exclusive as well as attractive in design. They in their way fully sustain the character of this store for jewelry and ornaments of the better class.



K. P. Memorial Services At the Christian church on Sunday morning, June 19, at 11 o'clock. The Knights of General Custer Lodge No. 23, K. P. at their Castle Hall at 10:30 and march in a body to the church. All members and visiting Knights are cordially invited to be present at this memorial service. L. D. George, C. C. W. G. Purcell, K. of R. S.

U. S. LAND OFFICE NOTES

Broken Bow, Nebr. Mrs. Marietta S. Young of Omaha was in the city Monday and made a homestead filing on Sec. 22, T. 22, R. 36. Chas. K. Bassett editor and publisher of the Hyannis Tribune was in the city Monday. Mr. Bassett carries the largest list of final proof notices in the Tribune of any publisher in this district. Jas. T. Moore of Beatrice made a homestead entry on Sec. 34, T. 22, R. 22, land formerly owned by Louis G. Moore. Adam Roeder of Litchfield was in the city Monday and filed homestead papers on Sec. 6, T. 26, R. 26. Charles W. Howard and John J. Steward of Mullen each made applications for homesteads in the vicinity of Mullen Monday. Lewis E. Baker of Bee, Nebraska was in the city Thursday on a contest against the homestead entry of Clyde Broadstone of Thedford. There were several witnesses in the case. Mrs. Belle Steele who has a homestead near Thedford was in town Saturday looking after government land. Her son-in-law was with her with the view of taking back several head of cows she bought while here. William Loftus and William Davis of Jamesville, Kansas, were in the city Saturday. They each filed on a homestead.

Prospects for the New Rail Road Projects With the view of ascertaining the amount of freight business that is waiting for the proposed rail road from Loup City to Broken Bow the promoters made special inquiry. As a result the following has been carefully compiled. In every case we have avoided anything that might look like inflation. Our purpose being to make an honest presentation of the products of the country, and no one is here reported who will not, under normal conditions, be a patron of the proposed railroad, should it be built.

The whole number of acres reported in 1909	181301
Number of acres in pasture	52304
Number of acres in cultivation in year 1909	89259
Number of acres not in cultivation but susceptible of cultivation	20838
Number of acres of corn in 1909	53492
Number of acres of wheat in 1909	11218
Number of acres of oats in 1909	10703
Number of acres miscellaneous	739
Production in bu. Farm value	
Corn	166959 \$ 243469 50
Wheat	22996 203000 00
Oats	291387 80554 80
Miscellaneous	3878 19385 60
Alfalfa hay	30023 tons 180000 00
Prairie hay	11383 tons 59658 00
Total value of one year's crop if sold on farm	\$ 128274 90
Cattle, horses, hogs and sheep with their value on the farm	
Cattle	No. of head value
Hogs	2512 \$ 410240 00
Horses	3799 80000 00
Sheep	6796 679600 00
	812 4000 00
Total value	\$ 1893000 00
Total number of farmers	974
Value of grain and hay per capita	\$ 1300 00
Value of stock per capita	\$ 2000 00

Misses Gladys Holcomb and Mary Eastham spent Sunday at Walter Wallace's near Berwyn. Mrs. Wm. Edmunds of Merna was in the city Tuesday visiting her daughters Sarah and Esther. Samuel VanBuskirk of Lincoln, was in the city the first week looking after his business interests in this county. Next Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church an illustrated sermon story will be given. The choir will sing the songs to illustrate the subject. Other services as usual. W. J. Rice left last Friday morning on a visit to Sterling, Colorado where his daughter Mrs. Maupin resides. His grandson who has been visiting him several months accompanied him home.

Married. PORTER—TALBOT. At the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Talbot Lincoln, Nebraska, Thursday evening June 2, 1910, Samuel Arthur Porter and Miss Minnie Merle Talbot. We are not personally acquainted with the bride, but do not doubt that the groom exercised his usual good judgment and if he did she is a lady worthy of the esteem of the best citizens of the capital city. The groom is a young man who grew up in Custer county on a farm and is a graduate of the Broken Bow Business College. He is a young man of good judgment strict integrity and enjoys the esteem of a large circle of friends in this vicinity. He is at present employed by a promoting company at Lincoln, Nebraska. Mr. and Mrs. Porter arrived in Broken Bow the day following their marriage with a view of spending some time on their farm six miles southeast of the city and visiting relatives. After July 1st, 1910, they will be at home to their friends. The REPUBLICAN joins their many friends in extending congratulations.

The Knights of Pythias will meet in a body at the Christian church next Sunday morning. There will be memorial services at 11 a. m. At 8 p. m. the subject will be "Did the Bible Come from God". Special music. The bible school meets at 10 a. m. Among the graduates of the Grand Island college last week were Claude Kellenbarger of Merna and Miss Eva Cadwell of Broken Bow. The latter was a graduate of the musical department of the school. W. C. Elliott of Mason was in Broken Bow Monday looking after school matters. He attended the chapel services of the Teachers Institute and delivered an impromptu address. Mr. Elliott was among the pioneer teachers of the county and his interest along educational lines is still pronounced. Evening entertainments at the Nebraska State Fair have come to stay. Arrangements have been completed for a Stupendous Fireworks Spectacle, which, together with music, vaudeville and racing acts, will furnish the spectator with an evening of entertainment only possible where such large gathering can be had.

Died. James Delmer the seven weeks old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hickey was taken suddenly ill Wednesday with cholera infantum and died at 12:30 Saturday morning. Drs. Robinson and of Arnold and Wills of Anselmo were called but could do very little to relieve the little sufferer. He was laid to rest in the Dale cemetery. The pall bearers were Georgie and Lawrence Michele, Frank Leonard and Frank McGown. Mr. and Mrs. Hickey have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement. The county board is in session this week as a board of equalization.

CHURCH COLUMN.

M. E. Church.—R. H. Thompson, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a. m; morning sermon 11:00 a. m; Junior league 2:30 p. m; Epworth league 6:30 p. m; evening sermon 7:30 p. m; E. L. Mission Study Class, Wednesday 7:30 prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m. Come and worship with us you will be a stranger in the church but once.

Baptist Church.—A. T. Norwood, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a. m; preaching 11:00 a. m; Junior union 3:00 p. m; B. Y. P. U. 7:00 p. m; preaching 8:00 p. m; teachers' meeting Monday 7:30 p. m; Agoga class Tuesday 7:30 p. m; prayer meeting Wednesday 8:00 p. m; Amoma class first and third Tuesday of each month 7:30 p. m.

Christian Church.—Z. Ward, Pastor At the Christian church next Sunday. Communion and preaching services at 11:00 a. m; special song service and sermon 8:00 p. m; Special music by the choir and others. There will be several selections at both services. Bible school 10:00 a. m.; Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.

U. B. Church.—S. M. Zike, Pastor Sunday school 10:00 a. m preaching 11:00 a. m; Junior C. E. 3 p. m; Senior C. E. 7 p. m.

Episcopal Church.—W. J. Dunville Rector. Sunday School 10:00 a. m; morning prayer and sermon 11:00 a. m; evening prayer and address at 8:00. The Ladies Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. James Ledwich.

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