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Build a Court House.

Nebraska has 1,192,214 according to the Census of 1910, an increase of 11.8 per cent in 10 years.

Thanksgiving is over and in the absence of "personal liberty" we were ready to work the second day.

If foot ball players could be armed with razors and scissors the trimmings would be more complete.

Custer County has a population of 25,668, an increase of 5910 since 1900. Good place for the State Capital.

Don't play your nerve against your judgment. That's what it means when you refuse to protect the county's records.

40,000,000.00. That's the amount of bogus stocks sold by a New York concern. Now they are bankrupt. Who got the money?

Omaha seems to be a city of "happenings" opening with personal liberty, followed by the Apple Show, next is the Land Products Exposition. Anything to get the people to assemble in the city of the "suds."

Comstock and Jameson two ranchmen sentenced to jail terms for alleged land frauds object to being jailed away from home. They express a desire to be placed in a jail convenient to their "business." In other words prisoners at liberty.

It is stated that a 16 year old New York girl can live comfortably on \$20,000 a year. That's nothing most any Custer county editor could live a natural life on that amount and leave enough to pay for printing a ten square legal, to settle the balance.

Mr. Farmer is your records safe in the "tin box" on the streets of Broken Bow? Its up to you now to get busy and say what will be done. The proposition will be put up to you in plain language. The amount of money to be raised for a court house is named, which means no more, its time to think wisely of the matter and do your duty.

If the farmers and property owners of Custer county would go to Broken Bow and see that little "tin box" standing out in the street in which the records of the titles to their property is kept, the Transcript is confident there would be such an emphatic demand for a new court house that would wake up the county board on the court house question.—Mason City Transcript.

J. V. Anderson a Thomas county product who is now chief dispatcher for the Union Pacific railroad at Grand Island and one of that roads most able men writes from Galveston, Texas, that he finds "flowers, oranges, poems, oysters, editors—in fact anything that goes to make up the kingdom of heaven." And think of it! When this brief message was communicated to the bunch over at the tick works one of the youngsters remarked that he was very glad Mr. Anderson was getting some idea of what heaven was like, on his trip to the south! Its a shame Vic did not think to include William Jennings Bryan in the heavenly Kingdom of Texas.

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Broken Bow Mothers Should Not Neglect Kidney Weakness in Children

Most children have weak kidneys. The earliest warning is bed-wetting. Later comes backache, headache, languor.

'Tis a mistake to neglect these troubles. To blame the child for its own distress. Seek to cure the kidneys—Save the child from deadly kidney illness.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys. Broken Bow parents recommend them. Mrs. J. W. Jones, of Broken Bow Neb., says: "The public statement I gave in favor of Doan's Kidney Pills in July 1907, still holds good. I then said that our little girl was greatly troubled from childhood by a kidney weakness and that nothing helped her until she used Doan's Kidney Pills. The contents of two boxes of this remedy effected a cure and I am glad to say that there has been no recurrence of the trouble. We procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Heberle's Drug Store and they not only corrected the kidney weakness, but acted as a tonic to the entire system."

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MASON CITY

Born to Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Walker, Sunday, Nov. 27 a son.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Taylor are the proud parents of a new girl.

F. A. Amsherry and children will visit in York a few days this week, from York they go to Texas.

Mrs. A. E. Simonds is visiting in Omaha this week.

Dwight Elliot and Morris Groot students of the university at Lincoln returned to school Monday. Frank O'Brien had the misfortune to break his arm while playing on the school grounds Monday.

Mrs. H. C. Chase was a York passenger Wednesday morning to visit her daughter, Maybelle, at the convent.

Forest Knox came down from Broken Bow to visit Mason City friends Thursday night.

Miss Dora Runyan returned from a six months visit with relatives in Canada Thursday night.

Moomey Bros. are loading their car for Texas this week.

O. H. Moomey and wife were down from Ansley Sunday.

Mrs. F. S. Moomey went to Ansley on 39 Thursday evening.

Charles Cornell will go with Moomey Bros. car to Texas.

Mrs. Rolsan and her grand daughter, Thelma Moomey, went to Ansley Wednesday evening.

Nels Anderson and wife went to Broken Bow Thursday to visit their son Carl.

The high school foot ball team says wait till Broken Bow comes again they will show them some things in the way of scientific playing.

A. O' Brien and wife went to Broken Bow Saturday night for an over Sunday visit with the Andersons and Darrows. We are glad to see these busy people take a day off occasionally.

Frank O'Brien was master of ceremonies at the store during their absence.

N. R. McAdams, J. W. Smith and Geo. Mulvaney went to the county seat last Monday.

Mrs. T. J. Wood is visiting with Mrs. R. R. Martin and other friends in Broken Bow this week.

Miss Helen Osbourn who is teaching in Elk Creek township spent Sunday at home in Broken Bow.

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TO CALIFORNIA: Daily excursion rates with attractive conditions, limits, stop-over privileges, side trips, etc., are in effect. The annual winter movement to Southern California by thousands of Americans who desire to escape the rigors of the north is now under way.

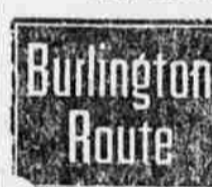
COLORADO: A two or three weeks sojourn in the winter climate of Colorado is recommended by physicians as one of the best up-building tonics available. The Great National Western Stock Show is held at Denver January, 16-21.

The Burlington takes excellent care of you to California either in through standard or through tourist sleepers with conductors in charge—via Denver, Scenic Colorado and Salt Lake City.

WESTERN LAND PRODUCTS EXHIBIT will be held in Omaha, January 18 to 28th. All new western localities should be represented; all farmers and prospective farmers should see this instructive exhibit.

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See Description Below

Are to be given **FREE** to some fortunate lodges in Broken Bow and Merna or vicinity without a cent of cost to those participating. Our observation shows us that practically none of the lodges has a musical instrument and it occurs to us that prizes of this kind would be eagerly sought for and most highly appreciated when won.

Therefore are confident that the interest in the contest will be intense from the very beginning so would advise that contestants get in line on the very first day which is Saturday December 3, 1910, and keep busy until the close which will be Saturday, April 1, 1911, only about four months.

No one has ever made so liberal an offer obtainable in so short a time which fact makes it worth an extra ordinary effort.

THE SIMPLE CONDITIONS OF THE CONTEST

Every 10c cash purchase or multiple thereof will entitle purchaser to one vote for their favorite lodge, in other words 10c entitles to one vote, 20c to two votes 50c five votes and so on. Ballot boxes will be placed in a convenient place in both stores at Merna and Broken Bow. Two people will be chosen at both places to carry the keys and after second week of contest boxes will be opened votes counted and from then on the standing will be announced weekly through the local papers.

When you trade be sure to obtain the voting tickets also be sure they are counter signed by a member of the firm as the judges will be instructed not to count any but signed tickets. Remember the prizes are **FREE** and will cost us more money than any similar contest considering the length of time the contest runs and we feel that it is worthy of supreme effort. It will only need a little personal work among your neighbors and lodge friends to get them to trade here and cast their votes as you may advise unless they are otherwise interested. Also remember that this applies to both our stores at Merna and Broken Bow, any lodge within trading distance of these two places are welcome to enter either for their own benefit or to assist the local memberships at the above mentioned places.

None of our merchandise will be harred from the contest applying alike to Dry Goods, Groceries, Dishware, Shoes, Furnishings, Notions, Toys, Christmas Goods, Pianos, Organs and Sewing Machines. Where time is required on last three mentioned articles votes will be allowed provided a satisfactory note is given.

DESCRIPTION OF PIANO

Cable & Sons Pianos havammers, and wire, copper bass stly since 1852 and have been sold by members of this firm upc been on the market continuouschasers supplied an request. Style F Mahogany, is 4wards of 25 years. Names of puces long, full iron frame, bashed tuning pins, imported feet hfeet 9 inches high, 5 feet 5 inchings, best ivory keys with ebony sharps. Double veneered case, a simple case of refined beauty and elegance needing ne elaborate carvings. Price \$500.00.

DESCRIPTION OF ORGAN

Monarch Organs have long been known for durability and this particular organ made especially for lodge purpose is constructed of solid oak with all improvements that go with any organ of today. The back of this organ is finished as nicely as the front so the organ can be placed in any manner and be attractive. Remember Piano and Organ sales will amount to something in votes if you can assist us in any sales.

SPECIAL NOTICE! All those trading on 30 days time and paying promptly on the first of the month without necessity of collector calling we will allow the number of of votes such amount would entitle them toalse open accounts unpaid up to Dec. 1, 1910 and still owing us, if paid during this period we will allow votes on same.

If there is any detail not fully understood feel at liberty to call and ask about it. Fraternal people especially invited to investigate.

SINCERELY AND FRATERNALLY,

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