For the Eagle.

LIFE, A PARADOX.

Life is all it seems;
Ah! no:
Its transient dreams, the fading gleams
Of silvery light, throughout the night,
Will say, always;
Life is not all it seems.

Life is not all it seems;
No, no:
The bruis-ed life of maid or wife,
Whose every thought is set at wrought,
Will cry and sigh,
Life is not all it seems.

Life is not all it seems,
Oh! no
For friends sincere grow cold; and dear
And desolate, the hearts disconsolate,
Reiterate:
Life is not all it seems.

Life is more than it seems!
Ah! yes;
Through years of strife, which we call life,
We learn the "Way"—and perfect day
Repeats yes, yes;
Life is more than it seems.

Life is more than it seems;
Oh! yes:
The falling breath, which we call death,
Just opens wide the gate beside
The throne; and says
Life is more than it seems.

Life is more than it seems;
Yes, yes:
For o'er the stream, the golden gleam,
Of God's own bright, eternal light,
Will say, always;....
Life is more than it seems.

—GALE.

And it snowed——on the w. s.

Miss Lucie Drain is home from a visit to Leavenworth.

Mr. Gerald Volk has returned from a visit to Topeka.

Miss Phœba Goldberg is home again from a visit to the east.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Coffin have returned from a visit to New Albany, Ind.

Miss Skanklin will leave during the week for her home in Lexington, Ky.

Miss Kate Rembe, of Sturgis, Mich., is visiting her sister, Miss Mary Rembe.

Miss Viola Cox, of Sedgwick City, who has been visiting relatives in the city, has returned home.

Mr. L. G. Hastings, of the Rock Island at Topeka, is spending Sunday with his sister, Mrs. C. J. Fletcher.

Mr. C. H. Taylor, who was formerly connected with Innes & Ross, is now with a large dry goods house in Chicago.

The engagement of Miss Phœba M. Goldberg, of this city, and Mr. Adolph E. Mendelsohn, of Milwaukee, Wis., is announced.

Mo. and Mrs. C. A. Van Ness have had as their guest during the week their daughter, Mrs. Parker S. Smith, of El Reno, Ok.

The last of the Our club dances will be given at Beal's dancing academy Thursday evening, April 2. Dancing commences at 8:30 sharp.

One of the most interesting scrap books in the city is the property of a young lady and is made up of flash lights and newspaper clippings.

Miss Sallie Downing will entertain the Madam Jarley's wax works next Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. H. D. Heiserman in Riverside.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Moore and Senator and Mrs. O. H. Bentley have issued invitations for Friday evening to a whist party and a buffet lunch at 6:30.

"A May Pole" party which promises to be as great a success as the dress party, will shortly be given by the pupils of Miss Lucy Ford's juvenile dancing class.

Mrs. Josephine Woldecker and granddaughter, Edna Eckstein, mother and daughter of O. G. Eckstein, are home again from a lengthy visit in Washington, D. C.

Invitations have been received in the city from Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pintard announcing the marriage of their daughter Carrie to Mr. Charles Searles, on March 31, Trinity church, Natchez, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Barton, after spending a few days with the home folks and friends in Wichita, return today to their home in Joplin, Mo., where they expect to be domiciled in their beautiful cottage home by April 6.

There was an unintentional exchange of shoes between two young ladies at the close of the dance on Thursday night. In speaking of the matter the next day, both of them claimed that the other's shoe was a great deal too large for her.

There was in Wichita until very recently a wooer whose trials and troubles have been a counterpart of the character of Jimmy Needles, in Effie Ellsler's play, "The Governess," though he did not meet with the success of the stage wooer. They hardly speak now.

They both reside in the extreme eastern part of the city. K— selected and paid spot cash for a beautiful boquet and sent it to her in the afternoon and called that evening expecting to be in high favor for the compliment. Imagine the young man's feelings when she met him with, see what a lovely boquet "Charley" sent me.

Master Karl Frank celebrated his fifth birthday last Thursday afternoon at his home on Park Place avenue. He entertained a number of his little friends. Games, dancing, and a lunch which was much enjoyed was served. Those present were Pearl Zimmerly, Ida Palmer, Gertie Spears, Birdie Ford, Fern Smith, Nina Holliday, Robbie Breckinridge and Fred Holliday.

None but those who have been there can imagine how the young man felt. He had made several calls and each time others came in, and, in the language of the boys, he was snowed under. Making another attempt one evening, a friend accompanying; they were getting along very nicely when a carriage stopped at the door. He turned to his friend and remarek: "Well, we are gone now—here comes those fellows again.

The Grieffenstien Park Card club met last Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. William Obrist. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Stout, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Houston, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. Bergman, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Sternberg, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Griffith, Mrs. Viele, Misses Alice Dickson, Gertie Morris, Messrs. C. V. Ferguson, James Viele, and Frank Obrist.

The informal hop given by Miss Lucy Nord at her dancing academy on Thursday evening to the members of her advanced classes and friends, was a thorough success and an evening of pleasure. Among the participants were the Misses Mead, English, Croskey, Hays, Osborn, Turner, Ford, Aldendifer, Byran, McAllister, Lauck, Blanch and Ella Dresser, Roberts, Sargent, Hinkle, Shaw, Grosh, Messrs. Ford, Buffinington, Cossett, Bryan, Moffitt, McCausland Croskey, Denton, Jerome, Schopf, Cox and Millison.

The latest addition to the many clubs among the young people of the city is "The Wichita Valhalla." The society is composed of a number of young ladies; the object, social enjoyment, literary and charitable work. They hold their meetings every Saturday afternoon, a part of the time being set aside for the charitable work. They met yesterday afternoon with Miss Myrtle Dickey. The childrens home will shortly be presented with some much needed articles, the result of the labors of the members. The society is officered as follows: Miss Blanche Martin, president; Miss Ella Dresser, vice-president; Miss Joetta Darragh, secretary; Miss Emma Tusch, treasurer. Among the members are the Misses Blanche Dresser, Edith Tusch, Alpha Galloway, Frank Sisson, Myrtle Dickey, Lettie McNaughten. The motto of the society is "Be Punctual."

The German Ladies' Aid society will give a musical and literary program tomorrow evening in the Sons of Herman hall, No. 117 North Market street, followed by a social hop, at which refreshments will be served. The following is the program:

Instrumental solo...Miss Mary Kimmerlie
Song.....Master Edgar Bolte
Recitation.....Miss Albertina Bissantz
Instrumental duett.....
.....Misses Millie and Gertie Hays
Recitation.....Miss Blanche Fechheimer
German song.....
Misses Pauline and Alvina Springborn
Recitation.....Miss Clara Gehring
Instrumental solo...Miss Annie Zinninger
Recitation.....Mrs. H. W. Shaffer
Instrumental solo...Miss Amelia Bissantz
Double quartett.....Wichita Mennerchor
Concertina solo.....Emil Oasar

The Y. P. L. and D. society held their regular session last Friday evening. A large audience was in attendance and was entertained by the following program:

Recitation.....Miss Clara Gehring
Recitation.....Lottie Butler
Recitation.....Mrs. Laura E. Sanderfur

Debate: Resolved, That greenbacks should be the currency of the United States. This question was very ably handled by Mr. Saunders and J. S. Jennings on the affirmative and Mr. Tagenhorst and J. F. Adams for the negative. The decision of the judges was three for negative and two for affirmative; of the house, unanimously for the negatiive. The program for Friday evening consists of concert and other recitations, humorous comedy, interspersed with music by the Lewis Academy Glee club and others. Preparation has been made for the best entertainment of the season. Don't fail to see full announcement in next Friday's paper.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Allen entertained very pleasantly on Wednesday and Thursday evening. Cards and supper were the features of the evening. Their guests were: Judge and Mrs. H. C. Sluss, Mr. and Mrs. Kos Harris, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Zortman, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. E. Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Dale, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Aley, Mr. and Mrs. Finlay Ross, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Vermilion, Mr. and Mrs. George Whitney, Dr. and Mrs. E. B. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Morehouse, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Ferrell, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. VanNess, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bitting, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Little, Judge and Mrs. T. B. Wall, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jewett, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Jocelyn, Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Fabrique, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Kramer, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Majors, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Innes, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Corbett, Mr. and Mrs. Coler Sims, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hess, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hollinger, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Black, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Newcomb, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Knorr, Mr. and Mrs. Parker S. Smith, El Reno, Ok., Mr. C. C. Allen.

The Easter social given on Friday evening, by class No. 1 of the First M. E. Sunday school was one of the prettiest ever given in the city. The program consisting of nine numbers was unusually good. Music was furnished by the Board of Trade orchestra and was excellent, and could not be too highly spoken of. The class drill by twenty young ladies dressed in Empress Josephine costumes of white with natural flowers for ornaments was one of the features of the evening and was, if one could judge from the compliments heard on all sides, a complete success. The class history given by Miss Blanche Guthrie in her own inimitable style was bright and sparkling and deserves special mention. At the close of the program, the audience were invited into the lecture room, which had been arranged as a reception room, and a very pleasant social time was enjoyed until late in the evening. The following was the program:

Music.....Board of Trade Orchestra
Drill.....Class No. 1
Class History.....Miss Blanche Guthrie
Vocal Solo.....Miss Dessa Johnson
Piano Solo.....Mrs. Will Myers
Recitation.....Miss Mable Millison
Vocal Solo.....Miss Annie C. Reel
Piano Solo.....Miss Mable Ayer
Recitation.....Miss Anna Boyd
Music.....Board of Trade Orchestra

The Kings Daughters of the Unitarian church will give a novel entertainment (which will pique the curiosity of the public) at the rooms of Mrs. L. S. Carter, 407 East Douglas avenue, Tuesday evening, March 31. All are respectfully invited to attend. Here is the menu:

"S" SUPPER.

Sumptuous! Superb!! Satisfying!!!

SUPPER SCHEDULE.

Substantials—
Slimly Sliced Sandwiches Stylishly Shaped
Saltrising, Scantily Sweetened,
Selected Seafruit,
Somewhat Seasoned Savory,
Sage Seasoned Slices,
Spanish Salad,
Splendid Salmon Salad.

SUNDRIES.

Sharply Spiced Slender Sweet-pickles.
Sour Stinging Stimulative Sauce

SERAPHIC SWEETCAKES.

Silver, Spiced, Sponge.

SWEETMEATS.

Small Succulent Saccharine Slices.
Sweetened Solidified Strawberry Syllabub

SIPS.

Sisters Special Steeped Sip.
Seductive, Steaming, Soul-Satisfying
Stimulent.
Staid Sister Sisson Serves Sassafras Sippit
Sentiment Souvenirs Suitably Selected.

Supper Six—Seven.
Seventeen Sweet Sisters Seduously Serving

Quite a society event and evening of pleasure that will long be remembered by the participants was the dancing party given on Thursday evening in Peerless hall, by Mrs. F. B. Smith and Mrs. J. D. Houston. The hall was profusely and beautifully decorated with evergreens, stands of flowers and potted plants, here and there cozy little nooks formed by curtains and draperies. After a number of dances refreshments were served in the reception room of the hall. The guests were Col. and Mrs. S. E. Jocelyn, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Johnston Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Pool, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Owen, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Corbett, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Cushman, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Kramer, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Munson, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cohn, Mr. and Mrs. H. Green, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lytle, Mr. and Mrs. F. Waller, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Allen, Misses Tusch, Hutchinson, Jocelyn, Fabrique, Pratt, A. Littell, Baynum Chapman, Sappenfield, Ballance, York, Struble, Young, Hackett, Lucy, Shanklin, Clement, Thomas, and Messrs. Boone, Gordon, Osborne, Bleckley, Allison, Richardson, Sharp, Priddy, Parmelee, Smith, Hagney, McCoy, Hammann, Yocum, Hettinger, Hoffman, Voris Hettinger, Lewis, Hoffman and Viele.

For the Eagle.

THE KISS OF THE PASCHAL LAMB.

From the East to the West: Greeting!
O, North and South, join hands;
Let it be a blessed meeting,
Though you bow in distant lands.

You will enter the door of the temple,
Kneel under the Holy Rood,
Try to picture Our Lord arisen,
While they break the heavenly food.

Uninvited I went to the meeting,
My heart was full when I heard the psalm;
Yet but one gave me the Easter greeting,
The kiss of the Paschal Lamb.

Then they went out of the doors of the temple
To hovels and palaces wide,
And some will ever be crucifiers,
And some will be crucified.

VIOLA ETHEL LAWRENCE.

The Epworth League, L. and D. society, will convene at 7:30 Wednesday evening. The special feature of the evening will be a social, preceded by a short program, as follows:

Election of officers.
Music.....Ladies Quartette
Recitation.....Fern Dorsey
Piano duet.....
Misses Maggie Woody and Anna Burr
Selection in pantomime.....
.....Misses Lula and Minnie Dewey
Music.
All friends invited to be present.

GUTHRIE SOCIETY ITEMS.

The following music will be rendered Easter at Trinity Episcopal church:

Voluntary.....Processional
Christ our Passover.....Dudley Buck
Te Deum.....Tours
Jubilate Gloria in Excelsis Holden Offertory Easter Morning.....Marsh

At vespers Mrs. Geo. Gray will sing as an offertory Resurrection Holden.

The Knight Templars of the Trinity will be present in a body. The church will be beautifully decorated. The Sunday school will have its Easter celebration in the afternoon. The present prosperous condition of the Episcopal church in Guthrie is due largely to the exertions of Rev. Mr. Tyler, the rector. He is beloved by the parish and respected by the community generally. The annual parish meeting will be held Monday night.

Mr. W. A. Hilton and wife, from Denison, Tex., have taken up their residence in Guthrie.

Mrs. Beiren, wife of A. G. C. Beiren, arrived in Guthrie this week. Mr. Beiren is one of our leading attorneys.

Mrs. Cotteral has returned from Garden City.

Mrs. Gray will give a musicale at her home this week. The best musical talent of the city will assist.

There was a very pleasant gathering at Mrs. H. S. Cavenaugh's last week.

Miss Alice Schnell returned Friday from Winfield.

There was a delightful tennis party at the court Friday. Miss Goldthwaite and Mr. Decker carried off the laurels.

Mrs. Frank Greer has returned from Winfield.

The Scottish Rite order gave a banquet Thursday night. The gentlemen present were: Hon. Harper S. Cunningham, C. M. Barnes, Harry P. Clark, Bela B. Perkins, F. R. Gannon, W. P. Meadows, and Chief Justice Green.

The young gentlemen of Guthrie will this week give a return ball to their friends in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Beiren have gone to Oklahoma City, to remain a few days.

Mrs. E. A. Dorsey has been quite sick with la grippe.

A little son of M. and Mrs. M. A. Carvin is quite ill.

Mrs. Jim Smith, of North Market, is ill with la grippe.

John Clayton has recovered from a two-weeks' siege of grip.

Mrs. George Major, of North Topeka avenue, is quite ill with pneumonia.

Miss Gertie Hays, of South Water, has la grippe. Been quite ill all the week.

Two Easter poems and two contributions on resurrection day go over until next time.

Miss Bessie Dudley went to Mount Hope yesterday, to be present at the marriage of Mr. L. C. Randall and Miss Julia Dempsey.

A burning flue at 525 Mapel street called out the fire department last night about 10 o'clock. They made a fine run but got a dry haul.

E. M. Baldwin, representing the Wichita Produce company, was in the city last evening for a short while exchanging jokes with the boys.

If the city is paying for electric lights on Topeka avenue, she is paying for something that is not furnished. Lamps without electricity being applied is not what the people who travel that avenue desire.

At a meeting of the candidates for justice of the peace yesterday, it was determined that the tickets for justices and constables at the ensuing election shall be printed upon light pink colored paper, to distinguish them from the city tickets.

E. S. Morris, of Medicine Lodge, was in the city yesterday, en route to Topeka. During a brief call at the EAGLE office he expressed buoyant hopes for the future of the state of Barber and its capital, the now famous Medicine Lodge, the home of the modern Sock-ratese.

Mount Olivet commandery Knights Templar will attend services this morning at the First Methodist Episcopal church in accordance with an invitation from the pastor, Rev. R. T. Savin. The Knights will be in full uniform, except swords. This is in accord with the customs of this order, which always celebrates Easter.

Capt. John B. Carey was given a great surprise yesterday afternoon by about one hundred of the prominent business men of the town. They called on him at the Hotel Carey and as Capt. Carey expressed "they had quite a levee." The captain says they quite took him "off his feet" and he demands an explanation.

The editor of the EAGLE acknowledges herewith his obligations to a half dozen gentlemen who yesterday favored us with communications on the municipal election. As a rule the communications would undoubtedly have the effect desired by the writers—none of whom wished their names to appear—but the times are too tight to warrant our hiring an armed body guard. If these brave but effusive gentlemen will bring on their shot guns and stay with us to the bitter end their letters will appear; not otherwise.

DIED.

S. F. Chamberlain, aged 58 years, died at his home at Burton car works, of consumption, yesterday morning. The funeral will occur today at 2 p. m.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of the late Fred Stackman will be held this, Sunday, afternoon at 2 o'clock at the family residence, in Riverside addition. The services will be conducted by Rev. C. Bechtold. Friends of the deceased are invited.

GRAND LODGE PROGRAM.

The program of the Knights of Pythias grand lodge has been prepared and will go to the printer in a day or two. Liberal premiums have been arranged for and some of the best are open to the world. Arrangements have been made for a band contest and good prizes will be given to the most proficient bands. The boys expect a large attendance at the grand lodge, which meets the 18th of May, and the success of the meeting depends largely upon the spirit of the business people of the city. The committee estimate that they must have at least $3,500 to properly decorate the city and entertain their visitors.

THE GREATEST HOG MARKET IN THE STATE.

The Cincinnati Price Current publishes the following report of the winter packing in Kansas for 1889 and 1890:

Wichita	63,230
Hutchinson	29,425
Atchison	9,300
Leavenworth	8,000
Troy	2,000
Total	111,955

This shows Wichita to be the largest packing point in Kansas according to the best authority.

The summer packing season of 1890, which was from March 1 to November 1, was 193,698 head of hogs. The winter pack, from November 1, 1890, to to March 1, 1891, was 63,230 head, making a total of 256,928 head from March 1, 1890, to March 1, 1891.

The summer packing, which commenced March 1, shows Wichita still in the lead of all Kansas packing points, having packed from March 1 to March 25 17,295 head, this being nearly 5,000 more hogs packed this year than were packed in the same period last year.

The prices paid at this market for hogs has more than met the expectations of the farmers, and compare favorably with those of Kansas City as shown by the following report for different days in this month. The comparisons are on bulk hogs, as that class makes up the most of the business in the hog market:

Kansas City, March 1	$3.20	@3.55
Wichita, March 1	3.35	@3.45
Kansas City, March 8	3.30	@3.40
Wichita, March 8	3.40	@3.50
Kansas City, March 14	3.45	@3.60
Wichita, March 14	3.50	@3.65
Kansas City, March 18	3.55	@3.70
Wichita, March 18	3.55	@3.72½
Kansas City, March 23	3.85	@4.05
Wichita, March 23	3.92½	@4.12½
Kansas City, March 27	4.05	@4.40
Wichita, March 27	4.25	@4.35

These figures have been taken at random through the month, without taking figures when the market was up here and down there, and give a very accurate idea of the relative prices on bulk hogs of the the two markets.

The receipts of stock at the yards for the week just ended have been cut down below the usual run, as they have also been at all the other prominent markets of the country, by the wet weather, which has made it impossible for the farmer to get his stock to market. The receipts of hogs were 4,560, and of cattle, 545. It is unnecessary to state that the local packers were disappointed in not getting a sufficient number of hogs to supply their trade. Undoubtedly the coming week will see more stock on sale here, as the prices and demand here will surely bring them.

The swan mentioned in yesterday's issue was located at the wrong place. It is at Jackson's, on West Douglas.

A POINTER FOR WICHITA JOBBERS.

The following table shows the population of thirteen counties, according to the last United States census, that pay tribute to the wholesale, manufacturing and packing interests of Wichita.

	People.
Barber	7,973
Butler	24,055
Cowley	34,478
Harvey	17,601
Harper	13,295
Kingman	11,823
McPherson	21,614
Marion	20,539
Pratt	8,118
Reno	27,079
Rice	14,451
Sumner	30,271
Sedgwick	43,626
	274,894

The seventh biennial report of the state board of agriculture for 1890 gives the following population for the principal cities and towns in the thirteen counties:

Kiowa, Barber county	695
Medicine Lodge, Barber county	962
El Dorado, Butler county	5,219
Augusta, Butler county	1,240
Winfield, Cowley county	6,553
Arkansas City, Cowley county	9,159
Newton, Harvey county	6,727
Anthony, Harper county	2,021
Harper, Harper county	1,779
Kingman, Kingman county	1,808
McPherson, McPherson county	3,062
Marion, Marion county	2,072
Florence, Marion county	1,356
Peabody, Marion county	1,623
Pratt, Pratt county	1,247
Lyons, Rice county	1,651
Sterling, Rice county	1,726
Hutchinson, Reno county	8,843
Nickerson, Reno county	1,800
Caldwell, Sumner county	1,655
Wellington, Sumner county	5,084

In short, fully one-half of the most prosperous towns and cities in these thirteen counties above, the population of which comprises one-fourth the entire population of the state of Kansas.

EASTER SERVICE.

The following program will be rendered this evening at the South Lawrence Christian church:

Organ voluntary—Tavia McPherson.
Song by school—Crown him King of Kings.
Scripture Reading.
Responsive service.
Prayer.
Anthem—Come every Pious Heart.
Recitation, "Glad Easter is Here,"—Etna Garrison.
Responsive reading — D. F. Soliday, leader.
Recitation and song, "Calvary"—Nellie Whiteker.
Responsive reading—J. Graham, leader.
Recitation, "Christ is Risen"—Mary Clinesmith.
Recitation' "Shine Easter Sun"—Inez Stewart.
Solo and chorus—Proclaim the Tidings.
Recitation, "The Appearances of Christ" —Six Boys.
Recitation, "Easter Thoughts"—Katie Bayne.
Song by school—He is Risen.
Easter exercise—Five Girls.
Recitation, "Sing Your Sweet Song"—Hattie Deam.
Recitation, "Lilies for the New Born King—Gracie Rice.
Song, "Happy Easter Time"—By the Children.
Recitation, "The Prince of Life"—Katie Parsons.
Anthem—"Lift up Your Heads, O, ye Gates."
Remarks—J. M. Monroe.
Recitation, "Where There are no Graves" —Lottie Parsons.
Song by school—"What a Morning That Will Be."
Organist—Rena Schockey.
Benediction.
Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

KINDNESS APPRECIATED.

Mr. Wm. Kay wishes to express his very grateful thanks to the neighbors and friends who so promptly and kindly went to his assistance at a time when friends and friendship are most needed—around the deathbed of a loved companion.

ATTORNEYS, PRINTERS AND SHERIFFS.

The attention of attorneys is directed to a law which we publish on another page, passed by the late legislature as house bill No. 128, which empowers them in cases of sheriff sale publications to designate the paper that shall make the publication. It is probably unnecessary for us to say to the bar of Wichita that the EAGLE has also its financial troubles and difficulties like other people about which it don't now propose to complain, but that we would be very much obliged and also happy if in summing up our case they should decide that the EAGLE'S turn had come, at least in some measure, and issue their orders on the sheriff accordingly.

EASTER SERVICES AT THE PRO-CATHEDRAL.

Low mass and communion at 8 o'clock. At 10:30 Rt. Rev. Bishop Hennessy, assisted by all the priests of the city, will celebrate solemn pontifical high mass. Sermon by Rev. J. H. Tihen. Solemn pontifical vespers and benediction in the evening at 7:30, during which the Rt. Rev. Bishop will preach. The music, if anything, will surpass that which was rendered on Christmas day. Lambilliotte's "Regina Coeli" and Gunnod's "God of Night" will be rendered by a select quartette and full chorus of thirty-five voices at the service in the morning, offering a rare treat to the lovers of good music. It is a well known fact that the Catholic church spares neither time, money or labor to make her services on great feast days gorgeous, as well as solemn and impressive.

HIS GOOD-BYE.

The brilliant, versatile and learned Dr. Savin preaches his farewell sermon today. A portion of the body of the church will be filled by the Mount Olivet commandery of Knights Templar. The First church must very much regret giving up their pastor and his lovely, amiable wife—the one being perfection socially, and the other possessing a culture and mental resource that would grace any pulpit in the land. The doctor goes to a wealthy and old-established church in Detroit, Mich., from whence he will naturally drift back to some metropolitan desk in the east. We think this will be a mistake for him—at least a physical and mental one—but he carries with him the hearty good wishes of this people wherever he may go, as he does those of the EAGLE.

A BAD FALL.

Miss Clara Seamans, private secretary to Prof. E. H. Fritch, met with a very painful and serious accident yesterday afternoon. She was coming down the stairway at the Southwestern Business college and in some manner lost her footing and fell about half way down the flight of stairs, striking her head against the outer door with force enough to knock her senseless. She was picked up by one of the firemen from No. 2, who happened to be standing near, and carried up into the office of Dr. Haskins. The blood was flowing from her nostrils and she was badly bruised about the back of the head.

Restoratives were applied and consciousness regained, but she was prostrated with nervous shock and was irrational at times. She was taken home about 3 o'clock, and at last accounts was resting somewhat easier.

What peculiar charm is there in being dumped on a foot race or a slugging match, but particularly on foot races, every now and then a fake sprinter takes up his abode in the city and gets in with the boys by telling them marvelous yarns of his wonderful speed and the races he has won. They all become his admirers and are willing to back him with their last cent. In a short time another would-be sprinter makes his appearance in the city and gives it out that he comes on business, and is looking for some one who thinks he can run, sprinter No. 2 is generally followed by two or more cappers who state that they are willing to back the gentleman and can get all the money that is needed to cover the pile of the Wichita bloods. In nine cases out of ten they all belong to the same gang. Not long ago one of them made his appearance in the city and succeeded in getting up a match with one of the younger set, who is thirsting for honors as a sprinter, the first match of course resulted in a victory for the youngster as there was very little money up, this so elated the young man that he succeeded in getting quite a number of his friends to back him, they all putting up sums of from $3 to $5 each. This time old "profesh" got in his work and dumped the whole crowd. Only a few Sundays ago, a quartet of these fakes created a disturbance on the street in a row over a sum of money given a capper to use on a race, and now there is on the tapis another race with some of this same outfit as principals, and how some of the kids and the bloods will get dumped. Some say the race will take place today, others that it has been postponed, this, however, depends upon the amount of money up; if small, all may rest assured that it has been postponed for some reason or other, (a good excuse—the condition of the track, etc.) Still with all this, and the vast amount of experience some have had with these fakss, they will put up their money—and get dumped.

AMUSEMENTS.

Miss Effie Ellsler was seen in an entirely new role at the Crawford Grand last evening in the three act comedy, "Miss Manning," the trials of an heiress who, under a will, is to marry within a certain time or the fortune reverts to charitable institutions. This brings to Miss Manning, the heiress, (Miss Ellsler) the annoyance of many suitors. She, however, falls in love with her uncle's nephew, and who she finally marries in time to save the fortune. In receiving the numerous proposals and in getting rid of the many suitors is a part in which there is much comedy, and in presenting the character of Miss Manning the ability and versatality of Miss Ellsler is shown.

Many were in the audience who had attended the performance of "The Governess" on Friday evening, and a better pleased audience never left the opera house. The many amusing situations, the never ending flow of comedy—light and amusing—afford's an excellent evening's entertainment. Nothing prettier could have been imagined than Effie Ellsler as Maggie Manning—this charming little woman in her pretty gowns, a picture of grace and beauty. While many appreciate her most in pathetic parts, they will readily acknowledge her ability in light comedy. The play, in addition to furnishing much amusement, brings every character to the fore. There is no opportunity for "sticks" in "Miss Manning." As to the company, it certainly is a well balanced one, the ladies being all that could be asked in their parts.

EUNICE GOODRICH.

The charming queen of comedy, will open a week's engagement at the Crawford Grand Monday evening, producing "The Wages of Sin." Miss Goodrich is a native of Chicago, and made her debut in a stock company at McVicker's theater. The season of 1881-2 she was specially engaged for the part of Angle Gordon in "The Planter's Wife," and made many admirers by her charming impersonation of the role. For the past seven years she has been touring the United States with her own company. Her last season was one of the longest continuous seasons on record, lasting a little over three years, playing 1,188 performances, the tour extending through the western states, New Mexico, California, Oregon, etc. Her acting abounds in light feminine touches, and devoid of that rough, heavy, stilted masculine character seen in to many actresses. The charm of her impersonations is in her grace, in the rapidity with which she changes her moods, and in her unaffected naturalness. She has written several bright and sparkling comedies.

The W. C. T. U. country store—notwithstanding these past rainy days (which means so much prosperity to Kansas) the canvassing committee who were able to do part of their work, report so favorably that business will open on April 2.

UNITED STATES COURT.

The Term Closed and the Judges Gone.

The United States court closed yesterday afternoon, and Judges Dundy and Ryner, with the jurors and the attorneys, left for their respective homes.

The motion for a new trial in the Adams case was overruled by Judge Dundy yesterday morning and sentence of death passed on the prisoner.

Eddie Belden was also sentenced to be hanged by Judge Ryner.

Jake Pecora got a sentence of ten years in the penitentiary, and Thompson, the fellow convicted of horsestealing, got one year and two days in the penitentiary.

James Oden was tried on two charges of larceny and found guilty. He was fined a nominal sum and costs.

Pecora and Thompson will be taken to Leavenworth today by a deputy marshal.

The jurors and witnesses have all gone and only the marshal and his deputies remain to settle up matters pertaining to the court.

Clerk of Court Wilson thinks there is a probability of the court being convened in an adjourned session before the regular September term, as the docket was not quite cleared of all the cases.

CITY TEACHERS' MEETING.

The monthly meeting of the city teachers convened in the high school chapel at 9 a. m. yesterday. Dr. Stevens conducted devotional exercises. Several appropriate selections were sung by the institute, conducted by Professor Young and Miss Herring at the piano.

Superintendent Stevenson gave directions for the observance of arbor day, on Friday, April 10, this day being more convenient for the schools than the designated day. He urged on the teachers the importance of properly celebrating this day, by calling attention to the great practical value of trees in meliorating the extremes of heat and drouth. Attention should be paid to the kind of trees best adapted to this climate. The pupils should be taught to have regard for trees and to consider their injury in any unnecessary way as impful. Trees are to be planted where necessary as also vines, flowers, shrubs or anything that will add to the beauty or attraction of the school grounds.

The superintendent spoke of the gratifying progress being made by the schools and urged the teachers to use all due influence to retain pupils in school during the remaining weeks of school.

The first paper on the program was read by Miss Bertha Daugherty, of the Kellogg school; subject: "The Aim of the Grammar School." A brief outline of this fine paper is as follows:

The Grammar school deals with the formative period, the interesting and important period, of mental growth; here is obtained for many pupils, all the technical education, and the chief incentive for the further acquisition of knowledge, they may have before they go out to do their part in the world's work.

Here is laid the foundation of regulative conduct, the practice of those moral actions which crystalize into principles and become fixed habits.

The Grammar school ought, certainly, to give all pupils an equipment of knowledge of the world they live in; a power and choice of words and expression for the knowledge they have; a true sense of the meaning of words, and their relation to thought, that their power to read and understand will be an "open sesame" to the stores of all learning; a thorough grounding in all the operations of numbers relating to ordinary business and mechanical operations; a training and balance of character that will be a surety of strength against the time when they will lose the restraining will that guides and teaches them; and last, but not least, a love of all knowledge and truth, with a glimpse of "pathways that appear as we to higher levels rise" that shall lead them by original investigation toward a higher development and state of citizenship.

If the grammar school accomplishes these results, then on looking back, even should the work appear "rugged as a palm tree stem, no matter so long as it has been growing and bears its grand, green crown of leaves and weight of honied fruit at top."

This paper led to a spirited discussion, Messrs. Shull and Knight and Miss Cleveland, Dickinson, Graham and Bryson participating.

Messrs. Ward and McNair, of the school board, were present and addressed the teachers. Mr. Ward has recently visited all the schools as member of the teachers' committee, and was able to speak from extensive observation.

Prof. Geo. C. Young, superintendant of music, read a paper. Subject: "The value of music as a regular branch of the common school curriculum." Music is an aid to other studies. It invigorates and stimulates the faculties, assists in the cultivation of the will, the training of the memory, and promotes graceful and finished reading. Speech may be made melodious, and the testimony of the best authorities is unanimous in support of the assertion that the rapid fading of the "sing-song" of the reading class is almost entirely due to the influence of music in the school room. Vocal music promotes health. It accomplishes this by means of the exercise it gives the lungs and vital organs; also by the cheerfulness and elasticity of spirits which music only can bestow. As a means of discipline, music acts as a safety valve through which an overflow of boyish fun or girlish mischief may expend itself, and thus in the pleasantest way possible bridge over the major and minor intervals that so often lie between muscular and intellectual activity.

Music enters into all the conditions and relations of life. It is at the cradle as the mother with some familiar hymn or an improvised lullaby, hushes her babe to sleep; it is at the marriage altar to temper the stern "wilt thou?" and strengthen the confident "I will;" it is in the sanctuary to sanctify the holy office and hallow the sacred service; it is in the home circle as a wall of protection around the dear ones who are soon to go out from beneath the anxious eye of father and mother; it gives an increasing charm to social life, while it lends character to public life; and it is at the grave to waft the soul released from earth beyond the spangled court of God into the sunlight of glorified peace.

Regarding ourselves, each in his or her own peculiar way, as cedters of influence in this development of the life within, and radiating from various centers, we shall touch first the magnificent army of school children, whom it is a privilege to command; these children, perhaps feebly at first, but more strongly as they grow in years, will touch the home circle; the influence of the home circle will go out in numberless different ways and affect the social circle; the social circle with its other charms will in time color the more practical life of the public circle; and then as these circles widen and become more far reaching, the influence of this sweet persuasive power shall grow until it has received due recognition in its unlimited resources to refine, purify and expand all the lasting associations of life.

In the discussion which followed this valuable paper, Mrs. Booth, Misses Rowe and Clark, and Messrs. Carson and Barackman took part. All bore testimony to the good results of the systematic teaching of the subject in our schools.

Dr. Stevenson endorsed the teaching of music as being founded on correct pedagogic principles, and believed the time devoted to this subject was most judiciously employed.

The exercises throughout were interspersed with music, which is always a feature of the institute.

THE COURTS.

DISTRICT COURT.

Barrett vs. Scott, on trial by jury.

Sarah A. Armstrong vs. J. M. Rochelle et al, judgment for plaintiff for $2,609.86.

Charles F. Martin vs. John S. Crabtree et al, judgment in rem for plaintiff for $1,235.

PROBATE COURT.

Application for the appointment of J. O'Neil as guardian of Bessie S. and Chas. H. O'Neil, minors.

Marriage license was issued to John Cherry and Rose Drake of Kechi township.

Levi C. Randall and Julia B. Dempsey, of Mount Hope, were granted a license yesterday.

COMMON PLEAS.

The jury in Judge Balderston's court was discharged yesterday.

Chas. J. Call vs. D. W. Aaron, the jury returned a verdict of nothing.

POLICE COURT.

Moses Miller and D. Call were inserted into the city bastile last evening, charged with assault.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Woman's Mission circle of the First Baptist church will meet at the church on Wednesday, April 1, at 3 o'clock. Subject for study "Indian Missions." Tea will be served from 5 to 8. Everybody invited.

MRS. E. F. CROW, Sec.

HYPATIA.

Will meet with Mrs. Dyer, 1017 North Emporia tomorrow afternoon. Art will be the subject.

MRS. ADDIE CLEVELAND, Sec.

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