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The old saying, "If the women could only vote." They can in Kansas, and those who know vote for White Elephant Flour. Get it at The Star Grocery.—Adv 41.

Announcement has been received by friends in this city of the marriage of Miss Sadie Franks to Wm. E. Traylor at Hebron, Neb., December 10th. Mr. Traylor is a banker.

Remember the lecture Friday evening of this week. This will be the only lecture of the whole season. Let us have a good house and especially let us be ready to begin promptly at 8:15 central time.

Harry Root, who dishes up the dope for the Sixth District in the Topeka State Journal, spent Sunday in the city. No man in Kansas has said as many nice things for western Kansas as our friend Root.

Season tickets for the lecture course are on sale at the drug store at reduced prices. There are yet three numbers of the regular course and after that there is the home talent number which alone will be worth the price of a season ticket. Adults \$1.25, all pupils of the public schools \$1.00. Single admissions fifty and thirty-five cents respectively.

## OBITUARY

Died—Mrs. Hugh Faulkner at her home 12 miles northeast of Wa-Keeneey, Sunday, November 30th, of heart disease.

The deceased was born in Buffalo, N. Y., May 8, 1851. She was married to Hugo Faulkner of Marengo, Iowa, in 1907, and moved to Kansas in the early eighties. To this union nine children were born, seven sons and two daughters, all of whom survive her. Mary Faulkner of Omaha, Neb.; Joseph Faulkner of Colby, Kansas; James, John, Mike and Hugh of the immediate vicinity; Leo, Blanch and William of the old home, all of whom were present at her death bed. Besides those there are three sisters and one brother to mourn her loss: Sister Margaret Mary of Hastings, Neb.; Mrs. Hendershot of Ottumwa, Neb.; and Edward, McGuire of Marengo, Iowa.

She was preceded in death by her husband six years ago. The funeral services were held at the Fargo Catholic church on Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, the Rev. Father Joseph of Zurich, Kans., officiating. He spoke feelingly of her devoted Christian life, her sublime faith and held her as an example and a lesson to us all.

Her patience and submission to the will of God in her last sufferings was a marked characteristic of her noble nature; and her charitable deeds will always be marked by her many friends in this community.

The interment was made in the Zurich Catholic cemetery, the resting place of her husband.

"We paused and breathed a prayer above the sod, And left her to her rest and God." —Anon.

Joe Haazmann, the new telephone man, was in Salina, Tuesday, and attended the meeting of the Independent Telephone association of Kansas.

## SOCIAL

On Friday, December 5th, Mrs. F. C. Wollner entertained at a very pleasant afternoon party. A "Watch" guessing game was introduced which called for memory and wit and resulted in favor of Mrs. W. L. Larabee who captured first prize and Mrs. W. J. Williams who received the consolation prize. Miss Caroline Hearting added much to the pleasure of the guests by rendering several piano selections; Miss Hearting is one of the coming young musicians of our city. At 6:30 an elaborate three course dinner was served. The table decorations were of red and were extremely pretty. The center piece was a huge bouquet of American Beauty roses and ribbon was brought from the chandelier to the four corners of the table and festooned entirely around it giving a most pleasing touch of Christmas festivity. The place cards were dainty sepia tinted affairs and the favors were fancy paper cap novelties which each guest donned thereby causing much laughter and amusement. The hostess was assisted in the serving by Miss Hester Nixon and Miss Hearting. But pleasant things like all else must end and the guests departed feeling that they had spent a most delightful afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Mary Fullington of Navarre, Kans., Mesdames J. C. Cortright, W. J. Williams, C. K. Sellers, S. J. Straw, C. R. Hille, W. Y. Herrick, C. T. Wilson, C. L. Hardman, Ray Ufford, W. L. Larabee, J. H. Heckman, H. S. Givler, Misses Hattie J. Kirby, Georgia Moore and Julia Blair.

A lot of good things crowded out this week.

Undertaker Straw was called to Grainfield last Monday.

Henry Eulert returned from Junction City Thursday morning.

C. A. Carlson was in Topeka this week visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Finch moved to their ranch in Wallace county last Tuesday.

Dr. Herrick reports a son born at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Butcher Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bullock and family departed first of the week overland for Topeka their new home.

Fay McCall left Monday night for the Hawaiian Islands, where he is employed as a teacher in the government service.

Col. Eppler was up from Ellis several days this week. The Colonel seems to have more business than a cranberry merchant.

I will sell all of my household goods at public sale at my residence in Ogallah, Saturday afternoon, December 20. E. L. Dean.—Adv.

John Peacock left Tuesday night for Winona, Kans., where he will visit friends for several days after which he will visit his sister Mrs. Irene Cartright at Fort Collins, Colo.

W. L. Larabee received word the latter part of last week that he will receive the appointment of deputy revenue collector for this district. His many friends are glad to learn of his good fortune.

C. H. Benson, county clerk, was in Topeka the first of the week and attended a meeting of the tax commission. The latter part of the week he attended the County Clerk's annual meeting at Salina.

Attorney I. T. Purcell left Friday morning for Salina, where he will attend to legal matters before the referee in bankruptcy in the case of Lou Sigler. He may go on to Topeka and return home Sunday morning.

Miss Margaret Swiggett, register of deeds, spent most of this week in Salina attending the meetings of the Register of Deeds association of Kansas. Miss Swiggett is secretary and treasurer of the association.

Mrs. A. Retan, who has been visiting a host of friends here for the past ten days left Monday night for Denver where she will be joined by her daughter, Bessie. After a few days visit in Denver they will return to their home in Salt Lake City.

Mr. Sessions of the automobile department of the Secretary of States office at Topeka, was in the city last Tuesday and made this office a pleasant call. Mr. S.'s duties call him to all parts of Kansas and he remarked that there are several parties here violating the automobile law and it will stand them in hand to adjust matters or they will find themselves in the clutches of the law. A great many auto owners believe when they sell their car the tag belongs to them, not so the tag belongs to the car and the buyer is required by law to have the number transferred to their name—the transfer charge is \$1.00.

## Methodist Church Notes.

Bible school at 9:45 a. m.  
 Church service at 11 a. m. Sermon topic "Xmas Gifts and Xmas Giving."  
 Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. A good interesting meeting for young people.

Church service at 7:30 p. m. "The Worker and the Shirker."  
 Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. the mid-week service of prayer, praise and testimony.

At the Epworth League service at the church last Sunday evening twenty-eight new members joined the Epworth League. The League had a special rally service and their red and white colors predominated. The H. S. male quartette sang and a chorus of fourteen young ladies gave a selection.

## DANCE

There will be a dance in the Razzak hall, Saturday, December 20, 1913. Everybody cordially invited. Come one! Come all!—Adv.

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Wa-Keeneey, Kansas

Official statement of the financial condition of the Wa-Keeneey State bank at Wa-Keeneey, state of Kansas, at the close of business on the 4th day of December, 1913.

| Resources                              |                      |
|--|----------------------|
| Loans and discounts                    | \$ 118,203 38        |
| Loans on real estate                   | 9,720 00             |
| Overdrafts                             | 73 33                |
| Bank building                          | 4,508 54             |
| Expense account                        | 15                   |
| Other bonds and warrants               | 223 41               |
| Cash items and clearing-house items    | 31,450 37            |
| Cash and sight exchange, legal reserve | 164,290 38           |
| <b>Total</b>                           | <b>\$ 328,284 06</b> |
| Liabilities                            |                      |
| Capital stock paid in                  | \$ 25,000 00         |
| Surplus fund                           | 25,000 00            |
| Undivided profits                      | 12,712 77            |
| Interest                               | 154 95               |
| Exchange                               | 3 43                 |
| Individual Deposits                    | 78,634 26            |
| Bank and bankers' dep.                 | 10,222 14            |
| Certificates of deposit                | 10,871 53            |
| <b>Total</b>                           | <b>\$ 164,290 38</b> |

State of Kansas, County of Trego, ss.

I, Chase Wilson, cashier of said bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true; that said bank has no liabilities, and is not indorser on any note or obligation other than shown on the above statement, to the best of my knowledge and belief. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6th day of December, 1913.  
 Attest: *Mary H. Zeman*  
 Notary Public.  
 Commission expires on the 8th day of March, 1917.

## For Sale

Seventy-five to 100 tons of choice alfalfa at \$14 to \$15 per ton in stack, by weight or measurement. Scales on the ranch; could furnish man and team to feed cattle, and use of small pasture on the Saline river, and fine shelter in canyons. Skelton & Miles, Wa-Keeneey, Trego county, Kansas.—Adv 30 tf

Official statement of the financial condition of the Ogallah State Bank at Ogallah, state of Kansas, at the close of business on the 4th day of December, 1913.

| Resources                              |                    |
|--|--------------------|
| Loans and discounts                    | \$29,384 07        |
| Loans on real estate                   | 4,219 28           |
| Overdrafts                             | 225 83             |
| Furniture and fixtures                 | 1,000 00           |
| Expense account                        | 22 45              |
| Other bonds and warrants               | 693 65             |
| Cash items and clearing-house items    | 693 65             |
| Cash and sight exchange, legal reserve | 12,271 05          |
| <b>Total</b>                           | <b>\$47,896 43</b> |
| Liabilities                            |                    |
| Capital stock paid in                  | \$10,000 00        |
| Surplus fund                           | 3,000 00           |
| Undivided profits                      | 1,700 00           |
| Interest                               | 33 71              |
| Exchange                               | 44 30              |
| Individual deposits                    | 22,553 86          |
| Certificates of deposit                | 10,374 56          |
| <b>Total</b>                           | <b>\$47,896 43</b> |

State of Kansas, County of Trego, ss.

I, Roy W. Blakely, cashier of said bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true; that said bank has no liabilities, and is not indorser on any note or obligation other than shown on the above statement, to the best of my knowledge and belief. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6th day of December, 1913.  
 Attest: *Ross J. Blakely*  
 Notary Public.  
 Commission expires on the 15th day of July, 1916.

## Visiting Cards

Your name and address written on cards in spencerian style at 15c per dozen delivered. Jesse Kessler, Collyer, Kan.—Adv 30 3c  
 For Sale—Alfalfa hay at \$8 and up per ton. J. C. Hockman. R R 2 Phone 1053.—Adv 30 2t.

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