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Lodge Directory

M. W. A.—Meade Camp No. 1738, meets every first third and fifth Monday night of each month.

JOHN D. WEHLE, V. C. JOHN ELLIOTT, Clerk.

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REV. W. W. ENYEART, Pastor. BAPTIST—Services first and second Sundays of each month at usual hours.

REV. J. M. ROBINSON, Pastor. CATHOLIC—Services on notice each month.

REV. JAMES DONOHUE, Pastor. PRESBYTERIAN—Services on notice each month.

REV. A. H. PARKS, Pastor. Christian Endeavor—Meets every Sunday evening at 7:30 at Baptist Church.

WINNIE BONHAM, President. Epworth League—Meets every Sunday night at M. E. Church at 7:30 p. m.

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County Officers.

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The smart man is the one who has sense enough to know when to talk and when to remain silent.

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"Do unto others as you would have them do unto you," is a good man and one that is applicable upon all occasions.

The Garden City Sentinel is on the market. Bro. Westgate has, no doubt, concluded that he has contributed long enough for the good of the cause.

We always thought that any man who advertised himself with a handle to his name or with a half-tone of himself had a screw loose in his upper story.

We have heard lawyers try law suits on dry goods boxes and on the curb stones, but we rarely ever heard of these fellows winning very many cases in court.

We hear that there is considerable gossiping going on in our city at the present time. If we hear very much more of it, we will make some interesting reading for some one and for the community as well. We will not ask, "What would Jesus do?" but shall proceed as we think Jesus should. We know that if he were on earth to-day he would not talk about his neighbors nor would he be claiming you as one of his followers if it had been your habit to do so. You had better stop it.

There was a tremendous slaughter of Republican representatives in this part of the State. Ford is beaten in Hamilton, Elwood in Stanton-Grant district, Edmonds in the Meade-Seward district, Tenny in Ness, Starr in Scott, Filson in Lane, Thorpe in Pawnee, Bowie in Hodgeman, Beazley in Edwards, Evans in Ford, Shaw in Barton and so on. The 38th senatorial district sends but six Republican members to the lower house out of sixteen. They are Mason in Finney, Johnston in Kearney, Reid in Greeley, Scott in Wichita, Hallett in Rush, and Storms in the Morton-Stevens district.—Kinsley Mercury.

Mrs. Burgess Acquitted.

From the Cimarron Jacksonian, Nov. 16. The case against Mrs. Reba Burgess, charged with killing her husband, Burke Burgess, Thursday of last week, ended in a verdict of acquittal of the defendant in the district court of this county Wednesday at 4:30 p. m.

The work of empanelling a jury began about 2 p. m. Tuesday for a special venire of 24 men summoned for the case, and at 8:30 p. m. of that day the jury was completed. At 9 o'clock a. m. Wednesday the case was taken up, and with the exception of some minor details the case developed nothing more than was brought out in the coroner's inquest, and related in this paper last week.

J. B. Naylor assisted County Attorney Harry Brice in the prosecution, while M. W. Sutton, of Dodge City, and H. F. Mason, of Garden City, represented the defense.

About one dozen witnesses were examined, the chief witness for the state being Frank Lear, who happened to drive up to the Kelly home a few minutes before the shooting was done, whose testimony was the same as given before the coroner's jury.

The defendant when placed on the stand testified that she went into the house and was looking for the girl, Maud Kelly; that she found the pistol and was thinking about killing herself when Burgess entered the door. She said she heard a crash and saw her husband sinking down, down, down. She admitted that Frank Lear's testimony as to what she had said and done prior to the shooting was correct.

A part of the testimony brought out in the trial as to the cause that led up to the shooting is unfit for publication.

The case was given to the jury at 4 p. m. and at 4:30 p. m. the jury returned rendering a verdict of not guilty.

The defendant was warmly congratulated on her acquittal by many friends who were in the court room and witnessed the trial. The consensus of opinion as expressed is that the verdict is a just one.

EDUCATIONAL.

ASSOCIATION NOTES.

After the summer vacation the teachers of Meade county again met at the school building Nov. 18, 1900.

President McCormick being absent, meeting was called to order by Miss Kessler, Vice-President.

Devotional exercises conducted by Mr. Stowe.

The association then listened to a pleasing quartette rendered by Messrs. Black, Dawson, Mott, and Rieman.

"The teacher and the association" was ably discussed by Prof. Dawson, in which he insisted that it was the duty of every teacher to be present at these meetings and also to visit adjoining associations.

Miss Carrie Painter led the discussion on "The newspaper in the school room." Her remarks were followed by other members of the association.

Mr. Porterfield then talked to the teachers about the Reading Circle, and it was agreed that it should be held at the school building immediately after each meeting.

After roll-call, answered by quotations, association adjourned to meet four weeks hence.

MAGGIE MARTIN, Secy. pro. tem.

Among Our Exchanges.

Father J. A. Lenehan of Wichita has taken up the duties of Father Donohue here.—Dodge City Advance.

Miss Eva Bonham who has been teaching school in district 52 has been obliged to abandon her work on account of poor health. At present the school is without a teacher.—Beaver Herald.

Rev. J. M. Robinson, of the Baptist church, assisted by Rev. Self, of Garden City, have been holding revival meetings at the Baptist church during the week.—Dodge City Democrat.

John W. Sims, of Fowler, shipped three cars of horses and one car of cattle to Indiana, on Monday last. Mr. Sims always finds a good market for his horses in the Hoosier State.—Dodge Globe-Republican.

New ribbons, silks, and velvets at Wehrle's.

This office has blank receipt books for sale. If you need one call and secure it.

Our Correspondents.

FWLER NEWS.

The fine weather was brought to a close Sunday night, a heavy fog hung over all day Monday and Tuesday and is still foggy and stormy.

Mr. Leach, from the Artesian country, was over and purchased a large bill of lumber the last of last week for the building of sheds and corrals for stock.

Preaching services continued nearly all last week, a good sized crowd attending. Good attention was given at all times and everybody speaks highly of Rev. Francis. He will preach next Sunday at the Congregational church.

Everybody invited to come as it may be his last sermon here.

We understand that the teachers of the Soule College of Dodge will give a free entertainment at the M. E. church Saturday night Dec. 1. It will be given as an advertisement of the college.

Quite a number of young people gathered at Mr. Burford's last Sunday and while there they say they had Henry to take their pictures.

Henry Burford, Bob Turner and Arthur Jones wade a flying trip to Minneola on the hand car last Thursday night after Ed. Palmer.

DIED—Mr. George E. Palmer passed from the toils of this world Friday, Nov. 16, at 11 a. m. The funeral was held at the Congregational church at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, conducted by Revs. Francis and Henderson, after which the remains were borne to the Fowler Cemetery and there laid to rest.

The cause of his death was inflammation of the intestines. He had been slightly afflicted with this ailment for several years but was sick only five days before he died.

Messrs. Bert Crane, Fred Nett and John Wymer went to Bloom Friday night after Popsy Newton so that he could be at the funeral services Saturday.

Misses Stella and Mollie Burford visited Miss Pearl Zollman at Mr. Dyer's last week.

Rev. Francis and Mary Palmer drove out to the Green school house where he held services Sunday afternoon.

W. E. Green has been busy the past few days hauling hay in from the Mullen place and getting ready for winter.

Frank Nett's flashing countenance was seen among his many friends for a few days last week.

E. O. Palmer returned to his section at Minneola Monday.

We are inclined to think that Mr. Pinnick has more feed than he can possibly haul out on his one-horse sled this winter and it would never do for him to use a wagon for the reason he would haul out so much feed that his cattle would get so overburdened with fat that they could not get to water so he would be compelled to carry water to them.

CRACKERJACK.

EVERGREEN ITEMS.

(Items for last week)

Charles Altenbernd assisted by Riley Keith dehorned their cattle. Mr. Keith did the dehorning.

Harvey Woodruff and Joe Pinnick dehorned Mr. Woodruff's cattle last week. Joe Pinnick did the sawing.

Charley Altenbernd and Mr. Woodruff branded calves on Saturday last.

Mrs. Long is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cole.

The Evergreen Sunday school is soliciting money to buy an organ.

(Items for this week)

Rev. Jones will preach at the Evergreen school house next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday were rather cold and stormy.

The attendance at Sunday school was small last Sunday.

Willie and Eddie Altenbernd visited the Erickson boys last Saturday and Sunday.

Carrie Altenbernd visited Mabel Pinnick Sunday.

As items are scarce I will close. CRICKET.

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Leaders and Subjects.

EPWORTH LEAGUE. Nov. 25—Zada Black—"Praise the Lord"—Psalm 147:2-20. Dec. 2—D. B. Stutsmann—"Spending time and taking pains for Christ"—Matt. 25:1-13. Dec. 9—Margie Hamilton—"How to listen"—Matt. 13:2-23. Dec. 16—Chas. Boyer—"Confessing Christ"—Matt. 10:32-39. Dec. 23—Christine Hamilton—"The glory of Christ"—John 1:1-4. Dec. 30—Elery Cooper—"The old and the new (your purposes)"—Luke 5:36-39 & Matt. 13:51-52.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

(Subjects same as Epworth League.) Nov. 25—Georgia DeCov. Dec. 2—Chas. Boyer. Dec. 9—Oliver Frame. Dec. 16—Mrs. Button. Dec. 23—Mrs. Fuhr. Dec. 30—Winnie Bonham.

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Appropos of the change of management of the Rock Island eating houses on January 1, from Ohmer Bros., to the direct supervision of the Culinary Department of the Rock Island road. It is proper to state that Mr. Frank Stewart, under whose management the eating houses will now be, has had charge of the Culinary Department of the road for many years and the travelling public will appreciate the fact that the Rock Island has placed its dining stations west of the Missouri river under his supervision. This change has been made for systematic organization in order to have one department responsible for this kind service, both dining cars and eating houses over the entire system. Mr. Stewart is a dining car expert and undoubtedly the dining car system will be extended more or less under his management. The Culinary Department of the Rock Island has an enviable reputation throughout the entire west, for its extensive menu, excellent service and "A la carte" plan of requiring patrons to pay only for what they desire.

From the Hutchinson News we learn that Lot Ravenscraft was defeated for State Senator by 2 votes, they coming from the soldiers' home. We regret very much to learn that Lot is defeated. However, if this is true, Mr. Nofztger will be compelled to take his geography to Topeka and by the time the session closes, he will know the exact location of the Philippine Islands.

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