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## CORRESPONDENCE.

### News From the Seats of Neosho and Wilson Counties.

### Items from Other Points of Interest Tributary to Chanute.

Erie, Kansas, Feb. 23, 1897.—Atty. J. Q. Stratton was looking after legal matters before the justice of the peace at Kimball Monday.

Mrs. C. S. Nation, of Chanute, spent Sunday in this city with relatives.

J. E. Bell and family spent Sunday with friends and relatives near St. Paul.

Once more for those who haven't read it—C. E. Locke spent Sunday in Walnut.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Light entertained the Crokinole Club last Wednesday evening.

Miss Anna Prange's elocutionary class will give an entertainment at the opera house tomorrow evening.

Misses Lottie LaBar, Anna Denison and Winifred Steinberger were visiting in Parsons the latter part of last week.

C. E. Allison, editor of the Sentinel, returned Monday from the "pen," where he has been performing his official duties.

The Lyceum Society of the High School gave their regular literary Friday night, and rendered an especially fine program.

Mrs. Miller, sister of our efficient miller, Louis R. Kile, is building a residence on the lots just north of Judge Wells'.

The Clayton Comedy Co. showed in this city last Thursday and Friday evenings, rendering "Three Lovers" and "Uncle Josh."

George Montgomery returned Saturday from "out west," where he has been for the past year, growing up with the country.

John Eldridge, who left last week to assume his duties as guard at the "pen," returned Tuesday without receiving the job he expected.

The Neosho County Pension Examining Board met at Dr. Lake's office Wednesday last. There were six old soldiers present for examination.

The Y. P. S. C. E. gave a Washington birthday party at Eaton's Hall Monday night, which consisted of an entertainment and an old fashioned supper.

Ed Herod, ex-county superintendent of Neosho and Cherokee counties, now of Columbus, was visiting friends and relatives in this city last Friday and Saturday.

Thos. W. Staples was called to the bedside of his parents at Harrisonville, both of whom were very low, and on returning Friday notified us of the death of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Ambrose, formerly of this city, but now of Fayetteville, Ark., were visiting in this city last week. Mr. A. is now running the Republican at Fayetteville.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

J. B. Stevenson, South Mound, age 36  
 Anna M. Pierce, " 33  
 Chas. Johnson, " 32  
 Minerva Ellen Newton, St. Paul, 22  
 F. W. Norman, Chanute, 22  
 Iota May Smith, " 17  
 David F. Deem, Savonsburg, 32  
 Anna Kerr, " 26  
 Norman M. Prouhet, Shaw, 22  
 May D. Berge, " 18  
 Josiah Horr, Galesburg, 24  
 Minnie Alice Sperry, Dennis, 25

### NEW CASES.

W. C. Sargent vs Ida Sargent; action for a divorce on the grounds of abandonment.

Talley & Johnson vs Kelsey & McKay and Jos. Simmons; action asking for a restraining order to prevent the aforesaid defendants from selling certain goods.

McCormick & Rankin vs J. S. Leonard; abstract of judgment from justice of the peace.

Johnson & Kyle vs Frank H. Haymer and H. A. Richardson; abstract of judgment from justice of the peace.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Arthur Parker and wife to J. B. Jennings, wd wd sw 32 27 21, \$2,250.

J. M. and Will T. Allen and wives to John and Lucy C. Hall, qcd e 35 acres s 31 28 20, \$1.

R. N. Allen and wife to Harry H. Volk, wd lots 1, 18, 19 and 20, block 5, New Chicago, \$350.

T. B. Johnstone and wife to Mallinda House, wd ne 28 30 20, \$1,700.

John C. Barnhart and wife to H. J. and R. C. Prange, qcd se 31 east of slough 31, 28 20, \$1.

Shaw Town Co. to Nancy A. Woods, wd lot 2 block 26 Shaw, \$15.

Elmer Akers and wife to Walter A. Taylor, wd wd sw 26 27 18, \$200.

Joseph Brown to A. F. Neely, qcd n 1/2 n 1/2 west of M. K. & T. Ry. except lot 3 block 53 Urbana 1 29 18, \$1.

J. H. Roe and wife to John F. Roe, wd lots 11 and 12 block 31 Erie, \$750.

J. H. Roe and wife to Marion Johnson, wd lot 1 block 8 Erie, \$900.

J. H. Roe and wife to W. R. Hardman, wd lot 4 block 13 Erie, \$50.

Jesse Cox and wife to Charles W. Maier, wd sw 20 30 20, \$3,500.

Joseph Holley and wife to E. I. Holley, wd se 31 28 20, \$800.

J. H. Roe and wife and O. L. Holley and wife to Irene Holley, qcd 10 rods and 4 feet x 32 rods in se 1/4 32 28 20, \$100.

Thos. Y. Neal and wife to John Lucas, wd e 1/2 ne 1/2 except 2 acres in nw corner 8 30 21, \$2,300.

Aldew Speare and wife to J. E. Merritt, wd lots 6 and 7 block 20 North Erie, \$35.

Geo. W. Robinson to C. A. Gough, wd sw 16 29 19, \$500.

Seth J. Bailey and wife to M. L. Denison, wd lots 1 2 3 4 and 5 block 4 Lapham's K. C. addition to Chanute, \$4,000.

### Fredonia.

Fredonia, Kans., Feb. 23.—William Short, an old time settler and pioneer of Wilson county, and now on the police force of St. Louis, is visiting with relatives and old friends here, this week.

E. L. King and wife departed Monday for St. Louis after several weeks' visit with relatives.

The many who contemplate moving March 1st, welcome the improved condition of the highways.

Mrs. J. W. Defever and Mrs. Clara Chase are improving after long and severe attacks of the grippe.

H. W. Kerley of Coyville was in town Monday of this week; he is one of the pioneers of Verdigris township.

The real estate office of Stivers & Kennedy was moved to rooms on the north side of the square this week.

C. L. Morton, president of the State Bank, is able to attend to his duties most of the time, after several weeks' illness.

Six inmates of the county jail. They have the best accommodations so far as a comfortable jail goes, that the county has ever furnished her prisoners.

A. J. James, the man who killed Jesse Culbertson at Neodesha last fall, was in town consulting his attorney Saturday. He will be tried at the May term of court.

C. S. Reed returned last week from an extended trip to Ohio, and has decided to go there to make his home. He will probably engage in the practice of his profession at Sandusky, Ohio.

Michael Norton, an old union veteran and early Wilson county settler died near Coyville last week. He leaves no heirs or will, and his estate will eventually go to the public school fund.

A Washington's birthday reception was given at Willits' hall Monday night by the ladies of the Methodist church. Several noted persons of colonial days were represented in costumes appropriate to that day and age.

Susan A. Root, who at the February term of the District Court obtained a divorce and \$5000 alimony from E. E. Root, filed a new suit this week, asking that the decree entered at said term be set aside, and that she be allowed a more equitable alimony and no divorce.

### Leanna.

Leanna, Kan., Feb. 21, 1897.—Several of the culverts along the country roads are in a dangerous condition, owing to the late rains and bad roads. One just north of Mr. Russell's, in Big Creek, is in very bad condition and needs immediate attention, and if not attended to at once, it may be the cause of a serious accident.

H. A. Richardson and family, of Chanute, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Florence Snodgrass sold 200 choice ewes this week to a Mr. Wright, of Knoxville, Ray county, Mo.

Jeff Matthews and Henry Yinkey, of Butler county, were visiting friends and transacting business here the latter part of the week.

Wm. Snodgrass, who has been here visiting his brother for the past two weeks, will return Wednesday to his Butler county home.

There was a dance at Henry Angel's last Friday night, but as the girls were not very numerous the boys did not pronounce the hop a success.

Our new blacksmith, Mr. Carpenter,

of Rest, is taking right hold of work and seems to be a first-class workman and thoroughly understands his business.

Dr. Courtney, Mrs. John McCracken, A. D. Reed, Mrs. John Blair and Mr. Rowden, all of whom have been on the sick list for some time past, are now better, and some able to be up and around.

Grandma Wheeler, the aged mother of Mrs. Henry Smith, was taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lige Wheeler, this week, hoping the change would prove to be a benefit to her. She is 78 years old and has been confined to her bed all winter.

The writing class closes its term of 15 lessons next Tuesday night with an entertainment, a drill in penmanship and a decision from three competent judges as to the one who has made the most improvement in writing. There will also be a spelling bee after the other exercises.

The spelling at Prairie View last Thursday evening was a success and a credit to the district and to Miss Mills, the teacher. Miss King, the Scotland teacher, was the champion speller, if she did miss "rabbit," and in the ciphering contest after recess, Miss Metta Alford, of the Leanna schools, was victorious.

### St. Paul.

Wednesday, Feb. 24, 1897.—The ladies met and organized a ladies' auxiliary to the Board of Trade. The officers are, Mrs. I. S. Barney president, Mrs. J. A. Brogan vice president, Mrs. Anna Z. Neighbors secretary and Mrs. J. Koenig treasurer.

W. H. Hefley is in Iola looking for a location.

O. S. Snow has received a car load of implements.

Will Quinlan, of Parsons, spent Sunday in this city.

E. B. Park, of Chanute, was in our city Sunday and Monday.

C. M. Piper, of Labette City, was in town Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Myrtle Ashford returned home from Nevada, Mo., last week.

Charles Moriarity was up from Parsons to spend Sunday at home.

A number of our boys took in the dance at Walnut last Monday night.

Leroy Holding has moved to town and is living in the Reynolds property.

Bert Benedict, of Erie, spent a few days here looking after business interests.

Henry Ashford took some horses to Labette City for Piper, the horse buyer.

S. T. Cherry, of Parsons, was in our city visiting his brother, Wm. Cherry, who is on the sick list.

A number of persons came down from Walnut to attend the G. A. R. dance Monday evening.

Robert Lanham, who was injured in a railroad accident some time ago, came home last Sunday and will stay until he gets well.

W. P. Bard has moved his stock of jewelry and stationery to where his father is practicing medicine. We are sorry to lose him. This leaves a good opening for some enterprising jeweler.

Subscriptions have been raised by Rev. C. E. Corning to send Mr. Green, who was injured at the Althouse saw mill, to a hospital in Kansas City to have an operation performed on his head. It is thought that corruption has gathered under the skull, and it makes him crazy at times.

Thomas McClarnen, Jr., died at his home in East Mission last Wednesday morning after a brief illness of typhoid fever. He was the son of Thos. McClarnen, Sr., was 23 years of age and was born on the farm where he died. He was very popular among the young folks and his death caused many eyes to dampen. The funeral was held at the Catholic church at 10:30 Thursday morning.

### Shaw.

Shaw, Kansas, Feb. 25, 1897.—The literary at Valley school house meets every Friday night and is progressing nicely under the supervision of Mr. Beamer. At its last meeting it was decided that the importation of foreign capital was detrimental to the best interests of our country.

A social hop at Ed Cline's last Saturday night by the effite of Shaw and vicinity was well attended. They all report a very merry and happy time.

Nick Mitchell and family have purchased ten acres adjoining the town limits on the north and will erect a residence thereon for his future home.

Last Friday night a soiled dove and her general manager camped over night near the river bridge, on their

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