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CROW INDIAN LANDS NEXT.

More Than a Million Acres in Montana Will Probably Be Opened to Settlement.

The United States government still has thousands upon thousands of acres of land for homeseekers and closely following upon the heels of the opening of the rich Indian lands of the Kiowas, comes the news that it is more than likely that the next lands to be opened for settlers will be a part of the reservation of the Crow Indians in Montana, land which J. E. Edwards, the government agent of the Crow reservation, says embraces over a million acres of much finer land than anything yet thrown open by the government. During the last session of congress an act opening 1,150,000 acres held by the Crows passed the senate, but was not reached by the house. It will come up during the next session of the national lawmakers, however, and Edwards expresses the opinion that it will pass. There are now 2,000 Crows on the reservation, which contains over 4,000,000 acres of land, the tract being much larger than the Indians can use, so thousands of acres of it are going to waste. The bill opening a part of the reservation for settlement provides for the purchase of the 1,150,000 acres from the Indians at $1 per acre, thus enriching their tribe to the extent of $1,150,000, and at the same time leaving 1,200 for every man, woman and child in the tribe. The bill provides how the fortune of over a million is to be spent, and $250,000 is to be set aside for the purchase of two-year-old heifers to be parceled out among the Indians. The bill provides for schools and hospitals, for the fencing of the reservation, for the completion of the irrigation system, and for the deposit of the remainder in the United States treasury so that each Indian will draw $1 per month. The Indians have agreed to the plan and, in fact, approve of it, so that it is not likely to be more than another year or two before there will be another rush of homeseekers. In the meantime Kansas offers more and better homes than any reservation or state in the world.

Northeast Lisme.

Ira Austin called on friends in this neighborhood last Sunday.

The ice cream supper at Prairie Gem last Tuesday was well attended.

Doc Palmer and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. James and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Tovrea last week.

Miss May McCluskey will leave next week for Texas where she will attend college.

Al Heston and father, of Goodland, were in this neighborhood the other day on a business mission.

There will be a party at Mr. Shirley's Saturday evening in honor of Ray Shirley.

Miss Grace Baker and Wallace Butler, of Maple Grove, attended the ice cream supper at Prairie Gem.

Dan Eicher and wife called on friends in Sherman county Sunday.

Tom Reed has gone to Colby where he has employment.

Ollie Ols is expected here in the near future. His friends will be pleased to see him.

Gysie Reed is visiting relatives and friends this week.

Hugh Lister attended the ice cream supper Tuesday.

Miss Tovrea was the guest of Miss James Sunday.

Another fine rain Saturday evening.

Young gentlemen who take their girls riding in the evenings should be careful that there is no one on the back of the buggy. Such a case took place here the other evening.

Roy Riste, of Colby, is the guest of Ralph and Alton Gillespie.

Miss Marshall, of Goodland, was the guest of Alice Baird Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Mary and Maude Wilson attended Sunday school at Prairie Gem last Sunday.

Isn't it a shame that a young lady has to ride home from Sunday school all alone when there are three nice-looking young men going the same direction. Boys, you ought to be ashamed.

Reduced Rates and Special Train to National Encampment, G. A. R.

The Great Rock Island Route will sell tickets to Cleveland, O., and return, for the Grand Army meeting, at greatly reduced rates. Tickets will be on sale at points west of the Missouri river September 7 to 10 inclusive, except Oklahoma and Indian Territory, where selling dates will be September 7 and 8. Return limit September 15, except that extension of limit to leave Cleveland, up to and including October 8, 1901, may be arranged by depositing tickets with joint agent at Cleveland, and payment of small fee. Comrades of the "rank and file" have selected the Great Rock Island Route and Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railway for a special through train to Cleveland which will leave Kansas and Oklahoma, Sunday, September 8. Passengers on this special train will be given the privilege of going and returning via Toledo and boat or all rail as they may elect. Passengers making return journey by boat will have a delightful stop of three hours at the celebrated lake resort—Put-in-Bay. Any Rock Island agent or the undersigned will give full details and arrange for sleeping car reservations.

E. W. THOMPSON,
Assistant General Passenger Agent,
Topeka, Kan.

COURSE OF STUDY.

Adopted by the Board of Education for the Recently Established Sherman County High School.

The board of education have completed the following course of study to be used in the county high school which was established by special act of the last legislature:

NORMAL DEPARTMENT.

FIRST YEAR.

First term: English, algebra, physical geography, elocution or latin. Second term: English, algebra, botany, parliamentary usage or latin.

SECOND YEAR.

First term: English, algebra, physics, American history or latin. Second term: English, geometry, physics, psychology or latin.

THIRD YEAR.

First term: Physiology, geometry, bookkeeping, general history or latin. Second term: Methods of teaching, general history or latin, geometry, higher arithmetic.

The college preparatory course is very similar. Latin is required where other studies are elective in the normal course, also two years of German is required in the college course. Students completing the normal course will be granted a second grade teachers' certificate, and by taking one and one-half year's additional work at the state normal will be granted a life certificate—good for any district or city in the state of Kansas.

The course of study is as strong as that of almost any of the private colleges and normals.

Gun Club Score.

The Gun club held an informal shoot Tuesday afternoon in honor of Andy McCormick, a former member of the club, who was in town for a day. The poor showing which the score reveals should not be taken by the reader that the club was at its best; they were only practicing. The score:

Biddison	00110010010111001111110000010—15
McCormick	11011101011010111111101010001—20
Phillips	10101011110001000101011010101—16
Walker	01010001100100000011010111101—11
Kent	11101111111010101111110101111—23

Mr. and Mrs. A. McCormick and C. E. Biddison engaged in a target shoot Monday afternoon. Each one fired five shots, and Mrs. McCormick made the highest score. She placed two shots in the center of the target, 100 yards distant. The gun used was Mr. Biddison's telescope rifle.

St. Francis 13; Goodland 5.

The St. Francis ball team won from the local nine on the Goodland grounds Tuesday afternoon. The game was played in quick time, and both teams put up fast, snappy ball at times. The contest was close during the first few innings, after which St. Francis forged ahead and won handily, although the game was more interesting than the score would indicate.

St. Francis	0 0 1 5 1 2 0 2 2—13
Goodland	0 1 0 0 0 1 2 1 0—5

Batteries—St. Francis, Dunn and Burnham; Goodland, Williams, Jewell and Brinker.

The St. Francis team played the Ruleton club at Ruleton Wednesday. Score: St. Francis, 34; Ruleton, 18.

For Sale.

Second-hand piano, used about a year and a half, splendid condition, elegant case, fine tone and action; also second-hand organ—a bargain.

MRS. A. D. STEWART.

Then and Now.

In
days
long
ago (in
the six-
ties you
know) when
Grandma
when walking
she held
her skirt so

What
would she
say if she
saw girls
to-day with
skirts
clutched
so tight-
ly they
all
look
this
way.

—New York Sun.

SHOES GIVEN AWAY FREE.

Following are the names of those that have purchased shoes of us since August 9, the date of the beginning of the sale during which every tenth pair of shoes sold are given away. J. W. Hall and Mrs. Matheney are the ones who obtained shoes free since the last report, Mr. Hall getting a $3.50 pair and Mrs. Matheney a $2.50 pair. The list includes sales made up to August 21:

1—J. H. Taylor	11—Charles Chambers
2—Mrs. C. H. Albrecht	12—William Boggs
3—Mrs. E. Yeager	13—Mrs. Boggs
4—Miss Ester Phillips	14—Fred Burnett
5—C. Rohr	15—H. J. Fletcher
6—C. Rohr	16—George Scheigner
7—Mrs. R. J. Cork	17—Jarvis
8—W. M. Dice	18—Mrs. Barsby
9—W. M. Dice	19—Mrs. Flynn
10—Mrs. E. J. Wilson	20—George Scheigner
21—Mary Funk	21—N. W. Hall
22—Mrs. Barsby	22—June Parker
23—Jim Hamilton	23—J. W. McCall
24—C. Albright	24—Miss Funk
25—Chester Albright	25—A. E. Freeman
26—Chester Albright	26—W. A. Sexson
27—J. W. Hall	27—W. A. Sexson
28—Unknown	28—W. A. Sexson
29—J. W. Hall	29—Mrs. R. Powers
30—J. W. Hall	30—Mrs. M. Matheney

GOODLAND MERCANTILE CO.

The Republic one year one dollar.

DEATH AT RIPE OLD AGE.

Paralysis Ends the Life of Isaac A. Swan, of Kanorado—Remains Taken to Franklinville, N. Y.

Isaac A. Swan, father of A. Swan, formerly county commissioner, died at the home of his son near Kanorado late Saturday night. He was 81 years of age and death was caused by paralysis. The deceased had made his home with his son for the past ten years. His wife is dead.

Mr. Swan was born in New York state and the remains were taken to Franklinville, N.Y., Tuesday morning, accompanied by the son, where interment will take place.

Funeral services were held at the house Monday, the services being conducted by Rev. Peterson.

WILL BUILD A STAND PIPE.

Rock Island Unloading Material for the Foundation of the Structure—Work Will Be Commenced at Once.

For some time it has been rumored that the Rock Island would build a stand pipe at Goodland. The report was confirmed yesterday when several cars of gravel and a car of cement arrived for the foundation and is now being unloaded. A gang of workmen have also arrived to commence on the job.

The location of the stand pipe will be just west of the wells by the machine shop. The wooden tanks when the water is lowered in them dry out at the top and leak badly when again filled, causing a large waste of water. The stand pipe will be made of iron plates and this wastage will consequently be avoided, besides the enlarging of water capacity.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The Wizard.

Men's fancy shirts at Millisack's.

See Thos. P. Leonard for abstracts.

Buy your coal of Wheatley at Scott's old stand.

Rooms for rent in Sharp building.—Dr. Thomas.

Get your photo taken before Dunham goes away.

The Wizard's grocery man is a hustler. He don't sleep.

Wash dress goods in great profusion of styles at Millisack's.

See those $2.50 and $3 fine dress shoes at the Wizard's.

H. F. Wheatley keeps all kinds of coal at Scott's old stand.

For the best in men's work gloves see the line at Millisack's.

Ladies' shirt waists, another big invoice just in, at Millisack's.

For trunks, valises, telescopes, a big assortment at the Wizard's.

Go to Millisack's for any kind or style of work and dress gloves.

Lennox, Canon City and hard coal at the Scott yard. H. F. Wheatley.

School and county warrants wanted for cash or trade.—C. M. Millisack.

Ice delivered for the season. Leave orders at George Hoopes' market.

Come to Millisack's and see the new fall goods now coming in almost daily.

The new century business at the Wizard's is away ahead of that of 1900

Those beautiful new dress goods just received at Millisack's are worth going to see.

Men's overalls from 50 cents up, biggest line in this part of the state, at Millisack's.

New fall dress goods and other stuff coming in daily. Come and see them at Millisack's.

The warm, up to date styles in men's hats, shoes, neckwear, collars and cuffs at Millisack's.

Buggies, wagons and farm implements of all kinds at cost.—Walker Implement Co.

Bring your price lists to Millisack's grocery department and compare goods and prices.

Ribbons! Ribbons! The biggest assortments in colors, styles and qualities at Millisack's.

The correct styles and the best assortment of men's shirts, collars and neckwear at Millisack's.

Call on the Walker Implement Co. if you want anything in their line. Entire stock to go at cost.

The little boys are not forgotten here. You can get a nobby suit at easy prices at Millisack's.

A rare chance to secure a buggy or wagon cheap. Everything at first cost. —Walker Implement Co.

Our soda fountain is in running order. For ice cream, summer drinks of all kinds, call at Kent's.

To Trade—Ten head young horses, weight up to 1,500, in good shape; will trade or sell.—John Dockerty.

Our lines of men's suits at $10 to $15 will compare with suits shown up in any market.—C. M. Millisack.

The Wizard's grocery department is your savings bank, the continuous small savings accruing daily.

One more large invoice of satin and taffeta ribbons just received from New York City at bargain prices.—Millisack.

Elegant assortment of ladies' oxfords in nice styles at $1 to $2.50. Nice line of children's and misses' oxfords at Millisack's.

Men's Hats—Have just received another invoice of men's hats, covering many of the present and later fall styles.—C. M. Millisack.

Our lines of children's shoes comprises many times the assortment and quantity to be found anywhere else and lowest in price.—Millisack.

Dunham, the photographer, is going to leave Colby and Goodland. Get your picture taken early and avoid the rush. He will be here August 23, 24 and 25.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Miss Myrtle Critchfield has gone to Denver to spend a few weeks.

Mrs. J. W. Handley has gone to Kansas City and St. Louis for a month's visit.

Mrs. W. N. Davis is at Burlington, Col., for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Martin.

Frank Dawson was in St. Joseph, Mo., this week to purchase goods for the Dawson store.

Mrs. G. R. Brown left Wednesday evening for a visit to her parents in Louisville, Ky.

Arthur Stewart is acting cashier in the Goodland City Bank during the absence of B. F. Brown.

Dr. A. C. Gulick returned Tuesday morning from a week's outing at Colorado Springs and Denver.

Mrs. H. K. Wheat returned Wednesday from several weeks' visit with relatives in Trinidad, Col.

George Bradley is home from Oklahoma. He is thinking of locating in that promising country.

J. B. Dyatt has moved from Almena, Kan., to his ranch on the Smoky where he has a large bunch of cattle.

Dr. G. R. Brown will leave in a few days for Kansas City where he will resume the practice of medicine.

Miss Estella Meyers left yesterday for Colorado, where she will teach school the coming fall and winter.

G. W. Wray and wife, of Smoky township, left Tuesday for Wrayville, Ill., where they will make their home.

Dr. A. L. Woolis, of St. Francis, was here Tuesday to witness the ball game between the St. Francis and Goodland teams.

Chauncey Knight returned Sunday from a trip east, where he was married. He and his wife are at home on the Smoky.

E. Ackert, of Ottumwa, Ia., is in the city. He has traded for some land in this county and is here to complete the deal.

William Walker, Jr., returned Saturday morning from Oklahoma. He will return there in a few days to file on his claim.

E. F. Alden, of Grant City, Mo., postmaster at that place, is in town for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Stewart.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Wilson and a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Greiger, of Voltaire township, last week.

L. E. Herzog and wife, of Phillipsburg, spent Friday in Goodland with friends while on their way home from a trip to the mountains.

George Montgomery, of Mason City, Ia., formerly of this city, is in town for a few days. He is general agent for the Plano Harvester company.

James McGraw, of Decatur county, Ia., arrived here Wednesday morning. He formerly lived in this county and has land in Smoky township.

C. A. Hancock, of Erie, Kan., is the new barber employed in the Warriner barber shop. S. Powell, of Almena, Kan., is also a new employe in the shop.

Rev. J. H. Langewalter, a Mennonite minister from eastern Kansas, has been holding extra meetings at the Mennonite church in Smoky township this week.

Miss Dottie Thomas was at Burlington, Col., last week to take the teachers' examination. She intends teaching in Kit Carson county the coming school year.

C. E. Swarts and wife will leave today for Louisville, Ky., to attend the triennial conclave of the Knights Templar. They will also make a visit to their old home in Illinois.

Mrs. J. L. Boyle and children returned Saturday from a month's visit with relatives in Illinois. Mrs. Streator, of Bradford, Ill., a sister of Mrs. Boyle, came with her for a visit.

H. F. Wheatley is building an addition to his house which he has moved to his lot back of his coal office. John Bray has purchased the residence property where Wheatley lives at present.

Dr. W. Eugene King and wife, of Kansas City, were in town this week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lee while on their way home from Colorado. Dr. King is a brother of Mrs. Lee.

Ed Close, of the depot force in Phillipsburg, was in town Saturday en route to the mountains for a vacation. He was accompanied by his wife. While here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Close.

Mrs. O. C. Dawson and Mrs. Frank Dawson left Saturday for Bell Plain, Kan., in response to a message stating that Mrs. T. C. Harper was dangerously ill. Mrs. Harper formerly lived here and is a sister of Mrs. O. C. Dawson.

B. F. Brown, accompanied by his wife and little son, left Wednesday night for Louisville, Ky., to attend the triennial conclave of the Knights Templar. They will also visit in Illinois and will be absent several weeks.

Rev. Anderson, of Wakefield, Kan., held services in the Episcopal church Sunday morning and evening and preached two excellent sermons. Rev. Anderson is an instructive and entertaining speaker. He will be here again the third Sunday in October.

A. A. Bower returned Sunday morning from a six weeks' visit in the east, most of the time of which was spent in Ohio, and a trip was also made to the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo. He was accompanied by his wife, but she stopped at Phillipsburg for a few days to visit relatives before coming home.

Oberlin *Eye*: Mrs. William Walker, Jr., of Goodland, came up to Oberlin from Norton Saturday and remained over Sunday with her friend, Dr. Maude Mead. Mrs. Walker possesses a charming personality, and is of uncommon mental ability. These two qualities have been recognized by her friends in her selection to be department president of the Women's Relief Corps and state oracle of the Royal Neighbors of America, both of which offices she now holds, administering them with great efficiency.

RAILROAD SPIKES.

Lewis Cullins is a new man in the coal shute.

Brakeman McAllister and wife are in Denver for an outing.

Blacksmith John Shuster was a visitor in Denver this week.

Engineer Bush took a rest this week, laying off a couple of trips.

Fireman Will Dryden is slowly convalescing from typhoid fever.

Boilermaker Cooper returned the first of the week from Horton.

Conductor Barsby is laying off and is out on his ranch near Kanorado.

Charley Short, of the shop force, was off duty this week owing to sickness.

Brakeman Dodds is back on freight after a few weeks' service on passenger.

Conductor Denney, of Denver, was here Friday evening on a business mission.

W. G. Hogeboom has quit the back shop. Arthur Wells has taken his place.

Brakeman Will Mathis returned to work this week after a vacation of two months.

Ted Griffin and A. B. Smith have quit the shops and left Wednesday for the west.

J. D. Boyle, of the freight house, was a sight-seer at Colorado Springs last Sunday.

Conductor Charles Randall and family returned Friday from a month's visit in Iowa.

The Rock Island is doing a heavy business both in passenger and freight over this line.

Conductor Denney, of 5 and 6, is laying off and Conductor Randall is in Denney's place.

The westbound Rock Mountain Limited was two hours and twenty minutes late Tuesday.

Fireman Sam Dryden, of the Roswell-Pueblo run, is now firing out of Goodland on passenger.

Conductor Walter Hunt is on Stephens' car while Stephens is on passenger in High's place.

Conductor Hazelbaker, of passenger service, spent one day at his home in Goodland last week.

Brakeman Earl Thorson left Monday night for a trip to eastern Kansas. He will be gone a week.

Brakeman Dayton is laying off and has gone to Denver to see his wife, who is sick at that place.

Engineer Dave Pringle was able to be on the street Friday for the first time after a long illness.

Engineer Hartman and family have gone to their ranch near Arriba, Col., to spend a couple of weeks.

Robert Zerwekh, a machinist in the shops, has been sent to Roswell to fill a position there temporarily.

The carpenters are putting in the coping timbers for the turn table preparatory to putting in the steel.

Lee Ames, foreman of the roundhouse at Phillipsburg, is laying off and Charles Stapp is acting foreman.

Engine 893, George Kelley's engine, has been sent to the Chicago shops of the company for general overhauling.

Conductor Tippins, of the Denver freight run, is laying off and enjoying a hunt in the mountains of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bennie went to Kansas City Friday on a shopping expedition. They returned Sunday morning.

Engine 548 was turned out of the shop after receiving light repairs and paint and made her initial trip Tuesday.

Caller Eric Erickson took a vacation Wednesday to go to Ruleton to witness the game of ball between St. Francis and Ruleton.

Conductor Tom Edwards, of passenger service, is taking a two weeks' vacation to make a visit to Salt Lake and other points.

Roy Wiachel, of the night depot force, has resigned and will take a position with the Missouri Pacific at Hoisington, Kan.

Charles and Frank Young left yesterday for their home in Minneapolis, Minn., after a few weeks visit with their father, W. A. Young.

Engineer Ed Carmichael will go with the Colorado Knights Templar to the triennial conclave to be held in Louisville, Ky. He leaves today.

Machinist Morris has returned from the Roswell round house where he was filling the place of a machinist who was off on account of illness.

General Foreman Adams is having a serious time of it with hay fever. He has plenty of company, as many in town are afflicted with the same malady.

C. E. Cravens is a new brakeman out of Goodland. He formerly worked in the train service here several years ago, but has recently been with the "Katy."

Mrs. Sessions, wife of Brakeman Sessions, arrived here Wednesday morning from Toledo, Mo. They will go to housekeeping in the Leonard flat.

Conductor William High, of passenger trains 9 and 10, is taking a vacation and was in Goodland this week renewing acquaintances. Conductor Stephens is in High's place.

Andy McCormick, formerly general foreman for the Rock Island at this place, was in Goodland this week meeting friends and acquaintances. He is now holding a similar position with the road at Peoria, Ill. Mr. McCormick was accompanied by his wife and while here they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Biddison.

The Smith Center Journal tells a pretty good story concerning a break made by a raw youth in the Rock Island office there. He purchased a ticket, and soon afterward showed up at the window again. "Didn't you forget something?" he asked the agent. "I guess not," was the reply. "I gave you your ticket, didn't I?" "Yes," answered the young fellow, "but you didn't give me any little green ticket to put in my hat!" And then the agent assured him that he would be able to get on the train without having a ticket in his hat.

TOLD IN A LINE.

The hot winds blew a blistering blast.
That might have blown broader.
The farmer faced the facts at last—
Which might have been much fodder.
"What shall I do next fall for feed?"
Plead this poor plighted pleader.
"Winds wither up what stock will need,
For the blow's almost killed fodder?"
—Fred Badger.

A light shower fell Saturday afternoon.

B. W. Jacobs is improving his residence property.

The roof on the Jerry Coffin restaurant building is being reshingled.

The city school will commence one week from Monday—September 2.

C. E. Swarts shipped a carload of fat hogs to the Denver market Tuesday.

Tom Odell and family returned last week from an outing in the mountains.

H. F. Whately has moved into his residence back of his coal and feed store.

Dr. W. H. Farrow has been confined to his home sick for several days this week.

A dance was held at the opera house Tuesday night. The attendance was very poor.

Several good attractions are being booked for the Goodland opera house the coming season.

Al Kunz is attending the patrons of the Swarts meat market during the absence of Mr. Swarts.

Harry Fike, of Colby, son of James N. Fike, railroad commissioner, was a Goodland visitor Monday.

W. H. Stone shipped a carload of cows from Goodland to the St. Joseph market Wednesday morning.

The new Santa Fe machine shop at Topeka which is being staked out, is to be 852 feet long and 154 feet wide.

A lady solicitor for the St. Joseph News was looking after subscriptions for that paper in Goodland Saturday.

Joe Cullins has opened a barber shop in the Fiedelius building recently vacated by the Hargraves bicycle shop.

A good many Goodlandites attended the ball game at Ruleton Wednesday between the Ruleton and St. Francis teams.

Painter J. H. Harvey is laying off on account of a fall from the running board of an engine which is being overhauled in the shops.

Mrs. J. H. Irvin, of Union Star, Mo., a sister of Mrs. J. M. Watters, of this city, returned to her home Monday after a visit with Mrs. Watters for a couple of weeks.

Warning to girls: A Garden City miss jerked her head so suddenly when a young man tried to kiss her that her neck was broken.

A gasoline famine is being experienced in Goodland. Not a store in town has any for sale. The shortage is due to delay in shipments.

Don't grieve over lost opportunities. Make new ones. Instead of regret for what you have missed lay hold of anticipations of what you may gain.

Mrs. Wm. Walker, Jr., department president of the Woman's Relief Corps, has returned from Topeka, where she has been on business connected with her position.

J. E. Henry's variety show will give an entertainment at the opera house to-night, consisting of conjurer's performances, songs and animated scenes. Admission, 25 and 15 cents.

Charles Koontz brought in wheat Wednesday for Ed Koontz. H. F. Wheatley bought the wheat. It tested 55 and yielded about ten bushels to the acre; 40 acres turned out 275 bushels.

Among the testimonials sent out by a Topeka medicine company is the following from a Colby woman: "Having suffered for 15 years with a fatal disease, I am happy to say that I am now entirely cured."

A Colorado editor has been compelled to apologize to Miss Tampico Pruden, because his proof reader permitted it to go in as Tapioca Puddin. An editor never knows, exclaims the Chicago Record-Herald, where trouble is going to rise next.

Wils Blodgett, who sold his barber shop recently to Walter Warriner, left Tuesday for Eldora, Col., where he will remain some time and look after his mining interests. He may engage in the barber business again when he finds a suitable location.

With this issue THE REPUBLIC enters upon its sixteenth year of existence. The paper has printed the obituaries of half a dozen of its competitors, and has been under the present management for the past 13 years.

An officer of a fraternal accident society illustrates the prompt methods of his society by the following statement: "One of our members lately fell from the roof of a five story building and a check for the amount of his certificate was handed him from the second story window on his way down."

The pay car arrived last Friday evening about six o'clock. Owing to the bank having closed for the day and the merchants not expecting the car to arrive until later, and not being supplied with money, not many checks were cashed until Saturday. Several $200 checks were drawn by passenger engineers.

It is said that Sorrentino's new march, "The Kansas City Spirit," is thoroughly characteristic of the town. When the band puts on the soft pedal and the music is tremulous and low, they liken it to Petticoat Lane, and when the band breaks loose with a great volume of sound, they tell you that it is the roar of traffic and the parade coming down Main street. The piece has been printed and is on the market, which indicates that Sorrento has absorbed the Kansas City spirit of commercialism which does not overlook any bets.

You Know What You are Taking

When you take Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure no pay, 50c.

MARTIN WENGER A SUICIDE.

Shot Himself With a Revolver at His Home in Telluride, Col.—Formerly Lived in Goodland.

Martin J. Wenger, a painter, formerly of this city but of late years a resident of Telluride, Col., committed suicide at that place last Saturday by shooting himself through the head with a 45-calibre revolver. He lived over two hours after inflicting the wound. His wife secured a divorce about three months ago, and it is thought the act resulted from brooding over his domestic troubles. He leaves six children.

Wenger came to Goodland when the town was established and worked at his trade as painter and paper hanger until 1895 when he moved to Telluride. He was a native of Switzerland and had used liquor to excess for a long time. After he left here he took the Keeley cure but it is supposed that he returned to drink and while in an intoxicated state committed the deed. He was a member of the local camp, Modern Woodmen, at one time, but allowed his membership to lapse.

Brakeman Striker Sues the Rock Island.

A suit was filed in the United States circuit court in Topeka Saturday for $7,000 damages from the Rock Island railway for injuries received by Charles W. Striker, of Goodland, on December 10 of last year. The motion says that Striker was at that time a brakeman in the employ of the Rock Island and that in making a coupling between an engine and a baggage car at Phillipsburg, he sustained injuries of the hand, for which he was not responsible, incapacitating him from work in the future.

Will Travel in State.

Mrs. Jennie Walker, president of the Kansas department, Woman's Relief Corps, will attend the Grand Army encampment at Cleveland, Ohio, in September, accompanied by Mrs. Kate Bray, secretary, Dora Gandy, senior vice president, Emma Scrivener, junior vice president, Chloe Savage, chaplain, Belle Harris, counselor, Emma McPherson, installing officer, Sarah Hanna, patriotic instructor and Minnie Morgan, press correspondent. Mrs. Walker and her party will travel in a special car.

Kicked by a Horse.

Albert Peterson, aged 14 years, was badly hurt on the Smalley farm Tuesday morning by being kicked by a horse. Young Peterson was picketing the animal on the prairie and he gave the horse a slap, when the horse kicked him in the face, lacerating the flesh and breaking off a number of teeth. The blow rendered the young man unconscious and he did not regain his senses for several hours. Dr. Gulick attended the injured boy. He is a brother of Dick Peterson, of the Millisack store.

Veterans of Two Wars.

At Phillipsburg live three vigorous old men, Samuel B. Weeks and S. L. Eells, retired farmers, and Rev. H. P. Mann, a retired clergyman. They helped make history in the Mexican war 55 years ago and are numbered among its small band of survivors now. Only 70,000 volunteers were enlisted for the war. Fifteen years later all three were fighting for the union in the civil war.

Relatives Barred.

The following is the new law relating to the employment of a teacher who is a relative of a member of the school board: "Any person being related to a district officer as husband or wife, son or daughter, shall not be eligible to the position as teacher in such district, unless employed by a unanimous vote of all the members of such board."

Taylor Released.

Dr. O. S. Taylor, of Menlo, Thomas county, was discharged at the preliminary hearing held in Colby Friday of being the person who committed the assault upon Miss Cora Parrott near Colby a few weeks ago. Taylor's arrest was the result of a detective's investigation, but at the preliminary Taylor proved an alibi.

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