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Foster Notes.

Turner Boatright came home last week from Iowa, where he has been for several months.

Mabel Livingston and sister, Ethel, came down from the city Saturday for a week's visit with friends and relatives. They will leave for their home in Seattle, Washington, about Dec. 20th, where their father has been for some time.

Braxton Cox left Thursday for Eldorado Springs to visit his mother, Mrs. Sue Morris.

Tom Badgett and wife, of New Home, visited home folks Sunday. Uncle Henderson Miller, who has been very sick for two weeks, is convalescent.

Geo. Davis, of Eldorado Springs, is back, looking after business and other interests.

Quite a number of our folks attended the Temperance lecture at Worland Thursday evening.

Aunt Maggie Welch departed this life Sunday morning, Dec. 8. The body interred in Salem cemetery.

Mr. Blevins, of Topeka, Kan., is visiting his nephew, Jno. Martin.

Rev. Mathews preached at Salem Sunday.

Lee Shelton left Saturday for Pittsburg, Kan., on business.

Chas. Emell and wife have returned home from their western trip.

A little daughter has come to live with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Tickell.

Earl Murray, of Agency, Mo., and Miss Tula, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davis, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents in Foster Thursday, Dec. 8, 1907, by Rev. Rogers, of Hume, Mo. Mr. Murray has been employed by U. S. Government as teacher in the schools of the Philippine Islands for the past five years. Miss Davis was born and reared in this vicinity. She taught

two years in our public school. She and her husband will visit with his parents in Agency, Mo., until Dec. 11th, then they leave for San Francisco. They will take their departure Dec. 17 for their future home. They will go by the way of Honolulu, Hawaii; Yokohama, Japan; Hongkong, China; then to Manila, Philip pine Islands. Topsy with their many friends wish them a happy and successful life.

Mrs. Roy Cox, of Kansas City, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Smalley, of this city.

Congratulations.

We take this early opportunity to express to the good citizens of the city of Butler our admiration for, and appreciation of, the splendid majority of 166 votes cast by the citizens of Butler at the election Monday "against the sale of intoxicating liquors."

The conscience of our citizens was aroused and it has expressed itself upon this question in no uncertain tone.

To the good women of Butler and vicinity is due, and is hereby yielded the meed of praise for the result thus attained.

To those who espoused the opposite view of this question we express the hope that they will with unanimity accept the results as having been properly settled and act accordingly.

If, however, there should be those still of the opinion that the law cannot be enforced, and shall seek to give expression to that opinion by a defiance of the will of the people as thus expressed, to all such we beg to say that we are "enlisted for four years, or during the war," and it shall be our purpose, with the support of the good citizens of this city, to see that the sentence of the law is properly executed.

BATES COUNTY ANTI SALOON LEAGUE

Needle Through Heart?

Nevada Herald.

Dr. Atkinson believes a Nevada patient of his had an experience and undergone a danger few people, if any, ever before went through and lived. The patient in question is Mrs. D. E. Warren, who lives on South Pine street.

Ten years or so ago the doctor was called to wait upon the lady, who seemed to have some sort of heart trouble. The trouble has frequently returned during the intervening period and at times Mrs. Warren has had great trouble and pain getting breath. The only thing that seemed to do her good was the rubbing of her side over the heart.

Last Thursday one of the same old spells came on and the same old remedy was resorted to. While rubbing her side the lady's hand came in contact with the point of a needle, which had worked its way to the surface.

The needle was removed, coming out between the fifth and sixth ribs, and the blackened condition of the steel showed that it had been in the lady's flesh a long time. Its removal seemed to give the lady relief and Dr. Atkinson declares the belief that it gradually worked its way through her heart, though its presence is a mystery.

The case is a peculiar one and probably without parallel in the history of medicine.

Sues M. W. A. For

Twenty Thousand Dollars

Nevada Post.

Jas. H. Smith, by his attorneys, Hallett & Allard and Scott & Bowker filed suit Monday in the Circuit court against the Modern Woodmen of America for \$20,000 damages.

The petition alleges that while the plaintiff was being initiated at Erie,

Kas., by the camp's drill team composed of Guy Samples, L. J. Feemster and others, that the team was unnecessarily rough to him.

He alleges that he was crushed to the floor and his right knee dislocated, the right fibula fractured and the tendons and ligaments torn and bruised. That he has been rendered a permanent cripple by the injury and that he has and now is suffering great bodily and mental pain as a result of the injuries.

Public Sale.

John D. Woody estate, 7 miles northwest of Butler on Wednesday, Dec. 19th, 1907, the following property: 10 head horses: 6 mares, 2 brood mares, 1 six and 1 eight years old; 2 heavy draft mares, 3 year old; 1 two year old filley, 1 three year old driving bred mare, 1 gelding, 1 suckling colt, 2 mule colts. 23 head cattle: 6 yearling steers, 3 cows, 5 fat two year old heifers, 7 steer and 2 heifer calves. 94 young hogs, will weigh 125 pounds. Ground: 730 bu corn in crib, 38 tons clothy hay, 220 bu. oats in bin. Farming implements: 3 farm wagons, 1 spring wagon, 1 road wagon, 3 sets work harness, 1 mowing machine, 1 sulky hay rake, 1 bull rake, 1 hay frame, 1 14 in. and 1 16 in. breaking plows, 1 harrow, 1 disc cultivator, 1 diamond plow, 1 corn planter, 1 saddle and some other things.

TERMS: All sums under \$10 cash. One sum of \$10 and over a credit of 12 months time, without interest if paid when due, otherwise to draw 8 per cent from date. Purchaser to give bankable note; 4 per cent discount for cash.

Lete will serve lunch.

C. W. WOODY,
MARY J. WOODY,
Administrators.
McLAUGHLIN, Auctioneer.

Pro-Election Scrap at Rich Hill.

Review 9th.

A small row is reported to have occurred yesterday afternoon, after the anti-saloon league speaking. It is alleged that the speaker, Rev. Mr. Godwin, in his remarks made some comment on the circular of the taxpayers' league which were construed by City Clerk Jones, who probably furnished the statistics, as branding him a falsifier. So after the meeting Mr. Jones called the speaker to task and the "lie" was passed and one or more blows struck, but others intervening, the trouble was soon over. The affair is very much regretted by both sides of the local option controversy. It is unfortunate that people of standing should lose their tempers in their over zealousness to such extent.

Buys Bank to Pay Debt of Gratitude to Owners.

Kansas City, Mo., December 8.—To pay a debt of gratitude and protect the interests of a bank which was involved in the suspension of the National Bank of Commerce in this city, Joseph Brown of Argentine, Kan., who a few years ago accumulated a fortune mining in the Klondike, Saturday purchased outright the First State Bank of Argentine, which closed its doors last Thursday for one day only. The bank "staked" Brown when he started on his Alaska mining venture.

To day Brown bought the Argentine institution, paying all of its indebtedness and buying its securities. The amount involved was \$40,000, which was paid in cash.

FOR SALE.

360 acres bottom land located in Prairie township. See D. C. Chastain, Butler, Mo. 4 3/4

Death Comes to Mother of Taft.

Millbury, Mass., December 8.—Mrs. Louise M. Taft, mother of Secretary of War William H. Taft, who had been ill since last summer, died at 12:30 o'clock this morning. For the past week or more Mrs. Taft had been unconscious and slowly growing weaker.

Cablegrams have been sent to Bologna, Germany, informing Secretary Taft of his mother's death. The secretary sailed yesterday for America. His visit in Europe was cut short by his mother's illness. He and his wife are hurrying home on the president grant.

Not Hard to Bust a Bank.

A run on a bank merely pulls the trouble down upon the very fellows who have money in the bank. A good bank can be busted by concerted movement to pay all depositors in a day. Why? The railroads are not prepared to haul all the people in one day. The newspapers are not prepared to give everyone a paper even on issue day. The hotels are not prepared to feed everybody. In a few days the banks will be able to pay; but the run throws it in the courts. The bank that can pay fifty cents on the dollar in court will pay 100 if left alone in its natural trend of affairs.—Arapahoe Bee.

The Best Game Bird of All.

At dinner recently several men were discussing the merits of different kinds of game. One preferred canvasback duck, another woodcock, and still another thought a quail the most delicious article of food. The discussion and the dinner ended about the same time. "Well, Harry," said one of the men, speaking to the waiter as he elbow, "what kind of game do you like the best?" "Well, Mr. Jones, to be frank, most any kind of game suits me, but what I like best is an American eagle served on a silver dollar."—Ex

Xmas Time is Near at Hand

Your time for buying is short—only about two weeks. Don't put it off too long but buy early while you have the full lines to select from.

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Xmas Candy.

3x mixed candy per lb. 5c
Broken taffy per lb. 7 1-2c
Sponge taffy per lb quantities 7 1-2

We have an assortment of 10c candy that can't be equaled.

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We have over 100 varieties for you to select from.

We have assortments of candy 5c, 7 1-2c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 17 1-2c. You can get any kind of assortment you want. We only want a chance to figure on your candies, and if we don't sell you, then we blame no one if price and quality is considered.

Special reduced prices to teachers and Sunday schools.

Xmas Nuts.

English walnuts per lb 20c, 2 lbs. 35c
Filberts per lb. 17 1-2c
Almons per lb. 20c
Brazil nuts 17 1-2c
Peanuts, fresh roasted by ourselves. Special price until Xmas per lb. 10c
Jumbo peanuts best that money can buy.

Cereals of all Kinds.

5 lb oats with fancy chinaware in each package 25c
Korn kinks, 7 packages 25c
2 lb zest, 3 packages 25c
Egg-O-See, 3 packages 25c
Egg-O-See, korn flakes, 3 packages 25c
Grape sugar flakes, 3 packages 25c
Grape nut, 2 packages 25c
Cr wheat, 2 packages 25c
Shredded wheat biscuits, 2 packages 25c
2 lb oats per package 10c
Petty John Breakfast food, 2 packages for 25c
Jackfrost Buckwheat flour self rising 10c
Aunt Jemimas Pancake flour per package 10c
Mammas Pancak flour made by
Jackfrost people 3 packages for 25c
Jackfrost Pancake flour 3 packages 25c

Santos Coffee best you ever used for the money
8 lbs. \$1.00
2 lbs for 25c

Syrups.

West Morland maple syrup 1/2 gal. 75c
We have monarch pure maple syrup in qrt, 1/2 gal & gal
If you want something nice, try our cans. Absolutely
pure maple syrup under the pure food law.
Pure sugar syrup 1 quart size 25c

Pure sugar syrup 1/2 gal size 50c
Pure sugar syrup 1 gal cans 90c
Santee syrup 1 quart cans, large size 10c
Santee syrup 1/2 gal. 20c
Santee syrup 1 gal. 35c

Canned Goods.

3 lb R D toms best per can 10c
2 lb Mayflower corn best 3 cans 25
2 lb R D corn best 3 cans 25
2 lb good sugar corn, 4 cans 25
2 lb canned peas, 4 cans 25
1 lb oysters per can 10
2 lb oysters, 2 cans 35
Sanderson canned peaches, 3 lb can, 2 for 35

Dry Fruit.

Prunes 90-100 per lb. 5c
Prunes 40-50 3 lbs. 25
Dry peaches per lb. 15
Crowne's Dry apples 2 lbs 25
Raisins 2 crates 3 lbs. 25
Seeded bulk raisins 2 lbs. 25
Citron per lb. 25
Lemon peel lb. 20
Orange peel lb. 20

19 lbs Granulated Sugar \$1.00, no limit.

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