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Phones. Residence, 54.
Store, 63.

—Miss Lizzie Gillenwater is visiting her parents in Troy, Kansas.

—Miss Etta Penny spent Sunday in Mound City, visiting relatives.

—Mrs. Ed. Weller and Hiram spent Sunday with her parents in Maitland.

—Go to the J. C. Philbrick Drug Co. for wall paper, largest and cheapest line in the city.

—Mrs. Bridgeman spent a few days the past week visiting her parents in Mound City.

—You can buy Groceries and Queensware of Moore & Kreek just as cheap as any other place, and get premium stamps too.

—Coon Stovel and wife, of St. Joseph, spent a few days last week, visiting her parents, Hugh Brohan and wife, of Nod away township.

—4700 rods of hog wire for you at the lumber yard at Forest City. Don't you want some? Your corn saved will buy more wire now than ever before—try it.

—Caleb Jesse has leased a hotel in Port Arthur, Texas, and is said to be enjoying a good trade. Indeed we are truly glad to hear this, and trust he may succeed in his new field.

—Premium stamps, low prices, good goods, kind treatment, large assortment, are some of the reasons Moore & Kreek are selling the bulk of the groceries and queensware in Oregon.

—The Christian Endeavorers of Holt county are earnestly at work. The county convention will be held in Oregon, May 10-11, 1902, and the district annual convention will be held at Craig, May 30, 31 and June 1. It is hoped all the Young People's societies in the city will attend the sessions of the convention to be held here.

—Dr. W. C. Proud, residence first door south of the M. E. church. Telephone, 78.

—Before buying see the largest and finest stock of wall paper ever brought to Holt county at the J. C. Philbrick Drug Co.

—Mrs. Emma Bragg, of Hickory township, lost considerable timber by fire on April 18th. The fire came near proving disastrous.

—Go to the lumber yard at Forest City for your hog fence—a car load just received. You can get a good wire for 20 cents a rod. You will also find tiling there from 3-inch to 24-inch.

—Campers north of Corning, Saturday, let their camp fire get away from them, and into the timber, with a great loss of cord wood and trees as a result. Mrs. Stivers, of St. Joseph, and Peter Christen suffered the greatest loss.—Craig Leader.

—U. W. Gallaher has been notified of his appointment by the State Board of Education as an instructor of English at a summer school to be held at Houston, this state. He will leave in a few days to begin the work which will last six weeks.—Jeffersonian.

—Preaching at Lincoln school house the third Sunday of each month at 3:30 p. m. You are welcome. Preaching the third Sunday of each month at the Marion school house at 7:00 p. m. "Come with us and we will do this good."
W. L. BAGLEY, Pastor.

—N. F. Murray went to St. Louis Monday of this week, where he acted as an expert referee in a damage suit, for the destruction of an orchard, claimed to have been injured by a fire originating from sparks from a railroad engine.

—One Way Excursions Rates to California and Intermediate Points. From Forest City to San Francisco, Las Angeles and San Diego, \$25. To Salt Lake and Ogden, \$20; Spokane, \$22.50. Tickets on sale by

VINE HOVEY, Agent,
Forest City.

—Warren Gibson, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Gibson, met with an accident which resulted in a broken leg last Friday. He went to the barn, attempted to shell corn, upset the sheller which fell upon him, fracturing the limb between the ankle and knee and bruising his face slightly.—Maitland Herald.

—While returning from Oregon last Friday with his family, John Clark was caught in the narrow, and as the train came near, his horse became unmanageable, kicking, plunging, and finally ran away. Mrs. Clark and the little boy were painfully hurt, but their injuries will not prove serious.—Mound City News.

—The Craig school board at its meeting last week, elected the following corps of teachers: Principal, L. R. Thompson; Assistant Principal, Prof. Newland; grammar room, Miss Harwood; second intermediate, Miss Gear; first intermediate, Miss Thomas; second primary, Mollie Palmer; first primary, Mrs. Green. It will be noticed that the board have hired an additional teacher.

—The jury in the case of Edward Batson, charged with the murder of the Earl family, has returned a verdict of murder in the first degree. The penalty is death. The verdict was reached on Sunday last, but Judge Miller declined to receive it until Monday. The delay in reaching it resulted from the desire of two of the jurors to qualify their finding so as to send Batson to the penitentiary for life rather than to the scaffold. They finally yielded to the majority. Batson's eyes were filled with tears when the jurors were polled, but he quickly regained his composure. His mother, Mrs. Payne, was deeply affected by the result and hundreds of hands were extended to her in sympathy. Mrs. Payne will return to Missouri. The attorneys of Batson will make the usual legal motion for a new trial and then appeal the case to the supreme court.—Rock Port Journal. Batson was formerly a citizen of Atchison county, and is a step son of Jehu Foster.

—Mrs. Mary Sipes, of Forbes, is seriously ill.

—Hon. Jno. R. Kirk at the M. E. church, this Friday evening.

—Charley Simpson has just completed a nice granitoid walk for Mrs. Eiler.

—We are sorry to hear of the serious illness of Mrs. Lottie Albright's little babe.

—For sale, two Jersey cows. Call on or address Frank Bennett at the Knowles place east of Oregon.

—Go to the J. C. Philbrick Drug Co. for wall paper, Pitkin's celebrated mixed paints, fine varnish, oils, brushes, &c.

—Moore & Kreek's grocery store is the only place in Oregon, where you can get Premium Stamps with groceries and queensware.

—John F. Cowan, of Butte, Mont., after a week's visit with his parents, brothers and sisters, of Hickory township, has returned to his home.

—The closing exercises of the colored school will be held in the opera house, Monday evening of next week, May 5, 1902, beginning at 8 p.m.

—A good 80-acre farm for sale. For particulars, apply to

J. WATSON & CO.,
Oregon, Mo.

—Rev. Warner was shaking hands Tuesday with his many Oregon friends. He tells us that his wife who was injured in a runaway recently, is now much better.

—Alex. Cooksey and wife, of Forbes, have returned from Severance, Kansas, where they were called by the death of Mrs. Cooksey's sister-in-law, Mrs. Bessie Gander.

—When you haul your hogs to Forest City, see that wire at the lumber yard—it is cheap and good and will save high priced corn—also have tiling for cisterns and wells.

—Dr. Findley tells us that a bright, baby girl came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Goodhart, April 26th. All are doing nicely except Ollie, and his friends are alarmed about him.

—Will Gilbert, the editor of the Fillmore Lever, gave us a delightful call Tuesday. He is one of the bright young newspaper men of this section and it is always a pleasure to meet him.

—A bridge just west of Napier on the H. & M. was destroyed by fire on the 20th inst. Fire also slightly damaged the shed kitchen to the Cardinell residence in Mound City on the 19th.

—Buck Huiatt is so "all fired" proud these days, that he will scarcely recognize his old friends, so Doctor Simmons tells us. It is just because you know, that his wife presented him with a sweet girl baby on April 26th, 1902.

—Married, at the home of the bride's parents in Maitland, Tuesday, April 22, 1902, by Elder T. B. Dry, Miss Eva Everhart and Mr. Elvis Meadows. The couple are favorites in Northern Holt society, and their many friends doubt less wish them a long and prosperous life.

—President W. E. Sullivan, of the State Retail Merchant's association, accompanied by Editor Burns, of the St. Joseph Journal of Commerce, was in our city Tuesday, and organized a branch of the State Retailer's association. G. W. Cummins was chosen president; Frank Kreek, vice-president; George F. Seeman, secretary, and Harry Kreek, treasurer.

—J. R. Dodds (Windy) is now the mayor of Wymore, Neb. He is also editor of the Arbor State, published in that city. He has a damage suit on his hands. The suit has been brought by Messrs. Bentley and Evans, who, as detectives, secured sufficient evidence against a number of saloons in that town to cause their being closed. In the evidence Bentley asserted that Dodds had offered to permit him to operate a gambling house at Wymore under certain conditions. Bentley's affidavit caused Dodds to rather severely arraign Bentley and Evans in his newspaper, and the suit for libel is a result. Mayor Dodds is well known in this county. He was at one time the editor of the Herald which he established at Corning in 1878, and took his first lessons in politics there. He has been in the newspaper business in Wymore many years.

—"A graduate: will yes, you bet" is the way "Os" King, formerly of the Mound City News puts it. It will be remembered that he retired from that paper and bought a farm, only a few months ago. He immediately took possession and began to show his friends how he could farm. After putting up a few yards of wire fencing, using one of those "jack screws" to make it hog-tight, lacerating his hands and the lower parts of his anatomy in such a frightful manner, that he was compelled to buy his carbolated vaseline by the gallon after having been knocked down a dozen times by a horse, and sent through the barn door in the double somersault contortion by his cow, he has come to the conclusion to quit. So he has sold his farm to Thos. Bare, at \$65 per acre, and has moved back to town. He made sufficient in the deal to pay for the vaseline.

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Butter beans, 5c per lb or 4 lb for 25c
Best fancy rice, regularly sold at 10c a pound now 3 pounds for 25c.
No. 1 rice, regularly sold at 9c a pound now 4 pounds for 25c.
Rice sold regularly at 7c a pound or 4 pounds for 25c, now sold at 5c a pound straight.
All 5 pound package oat meal 20c package.
Best granulated sugar, 20 pounds 81
Navy beans, 8 pounds for 25c
Prunes, 25 pounds for 25c
1 gallon full syrup 35c
3 packages raisins for 25c
All package coffee 10c
Armour's washing powder 4c box
Fairbank's scouring soap 2c package or 2 for 15c
Can corn 7c per can, 4 cans for 25c



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**BENTON'S CORNER 1902
Real Estate.**

A few of the many farms I have for sale, viz.

- No. 1. Is a farm of 280 acres one mile southeast of New Point, Holt county, Missouri. Has two dwellings, stables, corn cribs. Plenty of water. Bottom and prairie land. A No. 1 stock and grain farm. Write me for price. Rented for 1902.
- No. 2. Consists of 159 acres six miles southeast of Oregon. Mostly in grass. Has a fine young orchard on it just getting into bearing. \$35 per acre.
- No. 11. Consists of 80 acres one mile east of Oregon on the Richville road and in the Oregon school district. Has small house and barn, good well and also running water. Price, \$50 per acre.
- No. 14. Consists of 40 acres in the bottom 3 miles southwest of Forest City. About 15 acres in cultivation with 7 or 8 acres more cleared, balance timber. Price, \$1,000.
- No. 17. Is a farm of 99 acres in St. Clair county, Missouri, 60 acres in cultivation, 39 acres inclosed, 9 acres in meadow, 30 acres of timber, small orchard, small house and barn, plenty of water, located 2 1/2 miles from railroad station, 100 yards from school house. Price, \$1,755.
- No. 20. A farm of 90 acres just north of Forest City on the Mound City road. About 5 acres bottom balance hill land. Price, \$1,800.
- No. 21. About 16 to 18 acres in Forest City and suburbs. Price, \$200. Part of it laid out in lots. All good pasture land.
- No. 22. Livery barn and feed mill in a good town to trade for land in Northwest Missouri.
- No. 23. A splendid flouring mill with a good trade to sell. Reason for selling owner wants to retire. The right price to the right man.
- No. 24. A fine list of Oregon residence property to show buyers. Don't fail to look over our list and see our properties.
- No. 26. I also have the Geo. P. Luckhardt homestead of about 60 acres adjoining Oregon on the northwest for sale. This farm has a good brick dwelling, small barn and some other outbuildings. Fine orchard. Price \$100 per acre.
- No. 28. A good brick livery stable 40x100 feet, two stories, situated in St. Joseph, Mo., and some other good dwelling property in the same town to trade for a farm, stable rents for \$50 per month.
- No. 29. A splendid 80 acre farm well improved with two good wells, running water, good house; five acres in orchard, hog tight fence, situated 4 1/2 miles southwest of Maitland. Price, \$75 per acre. Rented for 1902 for \$4 per acre.
- No. 30. 320 acres of fine land with a splendid dwelling. 285 acres in wheat of which the owner gets half. Situated 7 miles from Guthrie, Okla., to sell or trade. Owner bought the above farm to move on it, but matters over which he had no control prevented him moving down there.
- No. 28. Don't forget that I am agent for both home and eastern money, and can make you a loan on short notice on farm land. Lowest interest rates.

Yours Truly,

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—Mrs. A. B. Harris desires to sell her two lots in the Pinkston addition. For particulars call on H. T. Alkire.