

OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Burr Oak.

Farmers are about through husking corn.
 —The ice in the Missouri river at White Cloud went out the 17th inst.
 —Miller Blackly will farm what is known as the Henry Kaiser farm, this year.
 —Marshal Crews will soon be one of our neighbors; he will farm what is known as the Timmin's farm.
 —Mrs. Ed. Casteel, of Kimsey neighborhood, was visiting her mother, Mrs. C. A. Moser, last Sunday.
 —Harry Ramsey will farm a part of the Mike May land this year. Come on, Harry, we will be glad to have you in our midst.
 —We understood that Mr. and Mrs. John Hood buried one of their children this week. We never heard the cause of its death. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved parents.
 —Jim Blevins lost a fine mare, a few days ago. She was worth about \$200. Mr. B. says this makes about \$1100 worth of horses and mules he has lost since he has lived on the farm he now has in charge.

—Charley Cotton, better known as Jack, sold his entire pack of hunting dogs to Charlie Smith, of Mound City. Ed May sold his pack, we understand, to a Mr. Wagoner. The dogs will be greatly missed, but Charlie and Ed are getting too old to follow a frontier life any longer.

—We are informed that Geo. Minton, living in Minton township, has lost several sheep lately. They were killed by dogs. Geo. being a good natured fellow says he don't like to kill his neighbors dogs, so his brother, Hamp, suggested that he try baiting a trot line and fish for them, so Geo. baited the line as suggested, and on going to his line the next morning, he found the baits all gone and no dogs. He called up his brother and told him the turtles and gar had taken all the bait.

—We had a quiet wedding in our community, last Wednesday, the contracting parties being George Cotton and Miss Hazel Anno. Mr. Cotton is one of Holt county's most prosperous young farmers, and his bride is a daughter of William Anno and wife. She is one of Holt county's most highly esteemed young ladies. Mr. Cotton's friends were not slow in letting him know that they had heard of his wedding, and about 50 or 60 men, women, boys and girls met at an appointed place and gave them an old-time charivari, the music of which made the woods and hills echo back the sound of olden times. Mr. and Mrs. Cotton seemed to enjoy the sport, for it was several minutes before his smiling face came to the door to invite the crowd in. Ladies were taken to one room and treated to the finest candy that could be bought; the gentlemen were treated to fine cigars. After congratulations were over, they left wishing Mr. and Mrs. Cotton a long and happy life.
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POSTPONED! The Johnson-Ketchel Fight—films delayed in transit. Will show Saturday, February 26, 1910, afternoon and night, 2:30, 7:30 and 8:45, without fail. Matinee every Saturday at 2:30 p. m. GEM THEATRE.

New Point and Vicinity.

—Mrs. T. D. Roberts returned from Kansas City, Friday.
 —Mrs. Joe Kennedy was quite sick, the first of the week.
 —R. C. Benton made a business trip here Wednesday.
 —O. D. Miller and Mrs. Sparks came down to visit Mrs. Oren, Sunday.
 —Ralph Meyer and Will Terry made a business trip to Oregon, Friday. Will Terry went on to St. Joseph.
 —Mr. and Mrs. Will Kneale went to St. Joseph, Friday, returning on Saturday. Mr. Kneale bought cattle to feed.
 —Dr. Thomas, of St. Joseph, was called to see Mrs. John Wachtel, Sunday. She is much better at this writing.
 —Otis Taylor and wife are receiving congratulations on the arrival of their son, Feb. 23d, 1910. It is hard to tell who is the happiest, papa or grandpa.
 —The ground hog surely forgot, this time, and went back, even if he didn't see his shadow. The snow, Sunday, did not seem much like spring.
 —Ed Davis and family, George Lentz and family, Roy Bender and family, A. A. Wright and wife, and Mrs. Lara Terry spent Sunday at the home of Lyle Bender.
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 —Dr. B. G. Pierce is in Kansas City attending a reunion of his class.

Nickell's Grove.

—C. L. Kunkel has been breaking stalks.
 —Mrs. S. P. Hershner is on the sick list this week.
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 —Grover and Bert Intermill went to St. Joseph, Saturday.
 —A wedding is expected about New Point soon, get ready, boys.
 —Dolph Kunkel came home to take possession of his new farm.
 —Earl Stephenson sold a span of two-year-old mules for \$500.
 —Roy Hershner visited in St. Joseph, Saturday and Sunday.
 —Ray Allen is going to work for Roy Bender, the coming season.
 —Ed. Fuhrman shipped a car load of cattle to St. Joseph, Tuesday.
 —Dr. Thomas, of St. Joseph, was up, Sunday, to see Mrs. Wachtel.
 —We are glad to hear that Wesley Zachman's eyes are slowly improving.
 —We are glad to hear that Mrs. John Wachtel is much better at this time.

—Ed. Fuhman and family and Elliott Kurtz visited the Intermill family Sunday.
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 —Mrs. Ella Hutton and Miss Lula Intermill visited at the home of Nathan Smith's, Thursday.

—Earl Stephenson bought two spans of mules, one span of four-year-olds and one span of one-year-olds.
 —Jesta Kunkel came home Sunday, after a month's visit with her aunt, Mrs. Gouv. Morris, in Kansas City.

—Maud Stephenson, Eva Hershner, Nellie Noelsch, Allie Stephenson and Laura Feuerbacher visited Mrs. Philip Buntz, Thursday.

—George Stephenson and son, and Andy Hershner shipped a car load of hogs and two car loads of cattle this week, to St. Joseph.

—Willie Wachtel and wife and Frank Gilmore, of Andrew county, came over Saturday to visit their sick mother, Mrs. John Wachtel.

—The stork brought to the home of Otis Taylor and wife, a sweet little baby boy, Tuesday night 23d, on Washington's birthday. I suppose it is George. Mother and baby are doing well, but Otis is not so well.
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Special Sale.

of New Corded Madras and Challis. These are beautiful 7 1-2c Cloths of the 10c quality. Our special price yd.
KREEK & HASNESS.

Monarch.

—Ed. Chilcote and family visited relatives, near Fillmore, Sunday.
 —Mrs. Black and children are visiting relatives, near Craig, this week.
 —Mrs. Lee Hughes and Mrs. James Smith were in Fillmore, Tuesday, shopping.
 —Frank Colhour has his moving all done and put his phone up Tuesday all ready for talking.
 —Roy Ashworth and wife and little Harold, of Andrew county, visited Pa and Ma Smith, Sunday.
 —Donald and Archie McArthur started to their new home in Colorado, the first of last week.
 —The teacher and pupils will give an entertainment the last day of school and Friday night. Everybody is invited.
 —There will be preaching at the Monarch school house, Sunday and Sunday night, by Rev. Thomas, of St. Joseph.
 —George Graham and wife, of near Fillmore, gave a farewell party and oyster supper, Tuesday night. Those present from Holt county were Misses Blanch Jenkins, Bessie Morgan, Estella Hughes, Ella and Gracie Smith; Messrs Joseph Heckman, Edgar Lunley, Emerson and Robert Hughes, James Smith and Clarence Lilley. After enjoying themselves they all came away wishing Mr. and Mrs. Graham good luck and success in their new Kansas home.
 —Gracie and Ella Smith gave a party, last Saturday night, in honor of their of their school teacher, Miss Bessie Morgan. Those present were Misses Dinnie, Katie and Stella Heckman, Edna Garner, Estella Hughes, Pearl Colhour, Bertha Garner, Harry Lilley and wife, Elmer Karr and wife, Roy Ashworth and wife, Mrs. Raines and Mrs. Harry Pendergast; Messrs. Joseph and Henry Heckman, Robert Emerson, Freddie Hughes, Ed. Elsworth, Evert George, Clarence Lilley, Edgar Gunley, Roy Colhour, Louie Boyles, John Miller, David Allen and Willie Graham. Everybody enjoyed themselves.
 CLIFFORD.

PUBLIC SALE!

I will sell at Public Sale at my residence, 1 mile southeast of Oregon, on the St. Joseph public road, on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1910,

beginning at 10 o'clock a.m., sharp, the following described property, to-wit:

Horses and Mares.

2 good Work and Brood Mares, 1 coming six year old Horse, 1 Work Mare, about 9 years old; 1 coming yearling Horse Colt.

Cattle and Hogs.

Six head of Cattle consisting of 2 Milk Cows and 4 yearling Steers, Red Polled. Five brood Sows, bred to farrow in March and April; 10 head of fall Shoats, 1 Male Hog.

Hay and Grain.

About 300 bushels of Oats, 150 bushels of Corn, 4 tons of fine Timothy Hay, 2 tons of Clover, all under roof.

Farming Implements, Etc.

Lister and Drill, Mower, Hay Rake, Breaking Plow, Garden Plow, Cultivator, Corn Sheller, Go-devil, Bob Sled, Tent 10x14, Wagon Cover and Bows, some Household Goods, 2 sets of Work Harness, 2 sets of Driving Harness, 2 Farm Wagons, Road Wagon, Buggy, almost new; about 2500 feet of Native Lumber, consisting of 2-inch Burr Oak flooring and fencing 2x4's, Hickory Wagon Tongues and Bolsters, 35 cords of Wood, 25 of which is dry, balance of which is green; 500 Fence Posts, some Stove Wood ready for use, about 7 loads of Oak Fence Rails for Stove Wood.

TERMS:—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount, a credit of 12 months' will be given on approved notes, bearing 7 per cent. interest from date.

THOS. S. FOSTER.

R. C. BENTON, Auctioneer. J. E. CUMMINS, Clerk.
 Harvey Evans' Lunch Wagon On Grounds.

City Property and Acre Tracts for Sale

- No. 1. 4 acres, part of which is in city limits; 4-room house, pantry and porches, cistern, cellar, shed, and most all kinds of fruit. Price, \$2200.00.
- No. 2. 2 lots, 4-room house, cistern, cellar, some fruit, house is insured for \$450.00. Price, \$900.00.
- No. 3. 2 vacant lots near Interurban depot. Price, \$600.00.
- No. 4. 1 vacant corner lot, 2 blocks from public square. Price, \$350.00. This is a good, nice location for any one wanting to build.
- No. 5. One lot, 5-room house, halls, closet, pantry, porches and basement containing 3 rooms, cellar in basement, cistern, some fruit. Price, \$1250.00.
- No. 6. 10 acres, with nice, good 6-room house; closets, good, nice porch, full width of the house; cellar, cistern, smoke house, 2 chicken houses, barn 12x24, 12 foot shed full length of barn and attached to same, corn crib in barn and room for five tons of hay, wood house 12x18, 1 good well with pump, plenty orchard for family use, most all kinds of fruit, small vineyard. Garden fenced with 58-inch woven wire, about 5 acres blue grass and clover pasture, 3 or 4 acres timothy and alfalfa, several forest trees. This is a nice place for anyone wanting to come to town, as a part of this place is inside the city limits. If this place interests you, call at my office.

I still have a number of good farms for sale. I can exchange some South Missouri lands for St. Joseph property; also some Western Kansas land for residence property in Oregon. What have you to trade? Tell your trading troubles to John F. Ramsay, the trader.

A. W. COTTEN. Real Estate. OREGON, MISSOURI.

Round Trip Homeseekers' Rates

March 1 and 15 and 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month thereafter. These rates apply to Colorado, Utah, Montana, Idaho and the famous fruit districts of Washington.

One-Way Colonist Rates

March 1 to April 15. These rates are very specially reduced and apply to practically all points on the Pacific Coast from Vancouver to San Diego and hundreds of intermediate points as far east as Helena and Salt Lake.

Let us quote you rates and tell you all about the wonderful opportunities in the gr. at Northwest.

J. T. BIRMINGHAM, Agent,
 C. B. & Q. R. R.
 FOREST CITY, MISSOURI.

FOR SALE.

90 acres within two miles of Forest City; well fenced, plenty of fruit, plenty of water, two room dwelling, hay barn and cattle shed, well and spring water, lots of grass, including alfalfa. A great stock farm. Price, \$5,850.

75 acres, about three miles north of Forest City, including 60 acres of fine corn land, medium improvements, but a bargain at \$6,000.

187 acres near New Point; splendid dwelling, new barn, hog house and other outbuildings. Price, \$10 per acre.

I have property in Forest and Oregon for sale and plenty of other land not included in this advertisement. Phone or write me.

Yours for Business,

R. C. BENTON,

OREGON, MISSOURI.

—Mrs. John Wachtel, who has been quite sick, is now reported much better.
 —Miss Abra Carey spent Saturday and Sunday last with her mother, in Breckenridge, Mo.
 —Saturday of last week, C. D. Zook received his 5-passenger Cadillac touring car, purchased through the J. H. Keeves & Co. agency.
 —The ladies of the Christian church will hold their annual Easter Sale March 25-26; their bake sale will be held Saturday, March 26.

—Mrs. Maude Failor left Monday for Severance, Kas., to visit her son.
 —John Hibbard has returned from his prospecting trip through Western Kansas and Colorado.
 —Fred Kellogg, of Skidmore, was in town Saturday, and attended the stockholders' meeting of the Citizens' Bank.
 —G. W. Cummins is just now having a tussel with the Grippe, and he says the doctor says and he says and his wife says that it has a good grip on him; he is confined to his home.

OBITUARY.

MORROW.

Miss Hulda Goatcher was born near Duquoin, Ill., January 30, 1831, and died at her home in Oregon, Friday, February 18th, 1910, aged 79 years. February 27, 1850, she was united in marriage to Daniel E. Morrow, and in 1853 she and husband located near Troy, Kas., and on December 5, 1878, she was left a widow. On becoming a widow she made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Levi Lynch, up to the time of her death which occurred November 22, 1886, and since this time Mother Morrow has had charge of her son-in-law and grand children, holding the family together until arriving at self-sustaining age. She was a kindly woman and good neighbor, and never shirked a duty that came to her by reason of her home responsibilities.

She leaves one brother and two sisters; David Goacher, of near Troy, Kas.; Mrs. Ellen Furguson, of Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. Martha Stocking, of Hiawatha, Kas.; two half brothers, Dan Goatcher, of Omaha, Neb.; Coan Goatcher, of this place and one half sister, Mrs. Maggie Hill, of Miami, Mo.; four grand children, Frank, of Wathena, Kas.; Bert, of Oregon, and Thomas, Leona, Kas., and two great grand children, children of Frank and Thomas Lynch.

In her early life she united with the Baptist church, but on taking up her residence in Kansas, she became identified with the Christian church, being immersed in the Missouri River, near White Cloud, Kas.

Funeral services were held at the home in this city on Saturday last, conducted by Elder B. H. Dawson, after which the remains were laid to rest in the Maple Grove cemetery.

MELVIN.

Little Lulu Mable Melvin, the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Melvin, was born, November 25, 1904, and departed this life early Monday morning, February 14, 1910, in the Ensworth hospital, St. Joseph, Mo., from which she had undergone an operation. She was five years, two months and 18 days old at the time of her death. Nearly three years ago she drank concentrated lye, from which she has been a constant sufferer ever since. She leaves father, mother, four brothers and four sisters to mourn her departure. Her home was at Ree Heights, S. D., but her body was shipped from St. Joseph to Forbes and taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Pluma Dick. The funeral was conducted Tuesday at two o'clock by Brother W. D. Lukens, after which her little body was laid to rest in the Hiatt cemetery. The last words she spoke were, "Come on, mama."

"A precious one from us has gone. A voice we loved is stilled— A place is vacant in our home Which never can be filled."
 A FRIEND.



Mother's cooking, bless her heart, is always good, none better, the best. Mother's washing and ironing was always right. Spare her the pain and worry, she has favored you long enough.

Bring Your Shirts and Collars to Me. They Will Come Back Right in Finish.

And say, don't forget, Cleanliness is next to Godliness.

RALPH C. MOORE.

—Hugo Geil had the lucky number in the rocking chair contest, at the Gem Theatre, Tuesday night.

—E. G. Oren, wife and children, of Rosendale, were here, this week, visiting Mrs. Oren's mother, Mrs. James Kneale.

—Charles Dankers and wife, of Corning, were here this week guests of Dr. B. G. Pierce and wife. Mr. Dankers was also having some dental work done.

—Frank Lynch, of Wathena, Kas. and Tommy Lynch, of Leona, Kas., attended the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Hulda Morrow, last week.

—Mrs. John Speer was called to Craig last week by an accident that befell her mother, Mrs. G. W. Shultz, who slipped and fell on a porch, dislocating her left shoulder. She is now getting along nicely.

MARRIAGE.

NOLAND-PENNEL.

At high noon, Wednesday, February 23d, 1910, Nelson B. Noland and Miss Myrtle Pennel were united in the bonds of matrimony, at the home of the bride's parents, two miles east of Oregon.

The bridal party entered the parlor in the following order: Hugh Pennel and Guy Noland, brothers of the bride and groom then the bride's attendants, Misses Lena Campbell and Pearl McIntyre, and these were followed by the bride and groom, and the whole party halted in front of Rev. T. D. Roberts, who spoke the simple words that made the contracting parties husband and wife. Miss Hanna McIntyre presided at the piano, which, under the touch of her deft fingers, gave forth sweet, low tones of music during the march and the ceremony.

The bride was handsomely gowned in a cream batiste, while the bride's attendants were dressed in old rose and cream.

The bride is the estimable daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Pennel, and is a graduate of the Oregon High School of the class of 1908, and has a host of young friends to wish her joy and happiness in her new relation. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Noland, one of Oregon's High School boys, and is well and favorably known as a young man of sterling qualities.

Only immediate relatives of the happy couple were present to witness the taking of the marriage vows.

After the wedding ceremony a most sumptuous dinner was served and was fully enjoyed by all.

The young people will be at home on a farm one mile east of Oregon.

NBIDERHOUSE-BLOCK.

Mr. Louis Neiderhouse, formerly of Forest City, but now of Nebraska City, and Miss Freda Block, of Nebraska City, were quietly married at 3 p. m., Saturday, Feb. 19th, 1910, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Block. After the ceremony, they boarded the 6 o'clock train, amid a shower of old shoes and rice, and came to groom's parents' home, 3 miles north of Forest City, where a part of their honeymoon was spent. A crowd of merry makers met them and serenaded them in grand style. They were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents. After March 1st, they will be at home on a farm near Julian, Neb., about 10 miles south of Nebraska City.

We extend hearty congratulations and best wishes for the future happiness and welfare of this excellent young couple.

Embroidery Sale

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KREEK & HASNESS'

15 Clean, New Pieces of 17-inch Corset Cover and Flouncing Embroideries, the kind usually sold at 35c a yard. Our syndicate buying enables us to offer this at yard..... **19c**

Kimsey Notes.

—Jim Quiek is moving this week to his farm in this vicinity.
 —Fred E. Evans spent Sunday with his chum, George Terhune.
 —Mr. Rasnic is moving to his farm, 34 miles south of Forest City.
 —Mrs. John Waggoner has been on the sick list, but is better now.
 —Rob Plummer and wife spent one day, last week, with Ed. Evans and family.
 —Grandma Evans has been quite sick again, but is some better at this writing.
 —The friends in this vicinity of Orpha and Blanche McFarland, spent the evening with them one evening last week. There were 43 there and all seemed to have a good time.
 —February 14th, the Epworth League gave a Valentine social. They didn't have a very large crowd, but everybody seemed to have a general good time. Bro. Werner was there and delivered a fine address on League work. They served candy, nuts and pie.
 RAINBOW.

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—We have a large supply of Van-Camp's Home Grown Grass Seeds. ALKIRE & ALKIRE, Forest City.

—Lin Carroll has received his check for \$15 from the Woodman Accident Association, of Lincoln, Neb., in payment of his claim for 7 days' total and 7 days' partial disability from injuries received in a fire at his restaurant several weeks ago.