

# BIGELOW NEWS

DOTS AND DASHES, BY RUBE.

—Some of our farmer friends inform us that hundreds of acres of un-gathered corn is standing in the snow between Hamburg, Iowa, and Council Bluffs, and that there is twice as much snow up there as there is in Holt county.

—Dave Yount was a business visitor in St. Joseph, several days, the first of the week.

—A. E. Smith returned home the latter part of last week from Chadron, Neb., where he had been on a trip looking at the country.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bridgeman, of Maitland, and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bridgeman, of Oregon, were here last Sunday, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bridgman.

—Paul Acton is home this week from Tabor, Iowa, where he is attending school, visiting with home folks and his many friends.

—Oscar Hendricks, who has been working on the farm for Jesse Kahn for some time, is moving to Maitland, where he has secured employment with Billy Jim Patterson, one of the most prominent farmers of that neighborhood.

—The Bigelow Grain company received a car load of Wyoming coal, the first of the week.

—H. M. Spillman and family are expecting to move to their new home, east of Oregon, this week, and Dennis Ingram and family will move to the Spillman place. We are indeed sorry to see the Spillmans leave this vicinity. They have only been here a few years, yet they have made many friends, and we will miss them and the city on seven hills is fortunate in securing this estimable family.

—The Red Cross room has been converted into a basketball court, and we are told that some lively games are being played there by the town boys' team and the high school team almost every night.

—Notice the days getting longer? —Here's a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year to the big family of the Old Reliable Sentinel.

—Old timers say that it looks like we are in for an old fashioned winter. So far we have had snow on the ground since Thanksgiving, and the thermometer has been as low as 19 below zero, and from present indications prospects are good for the snow to stay on all winter, and many say that this snow will be the making of next year's wheat crop. However, since every one has secured their supply of ice for next season there will be no complaints if the weather man cuts the winter short.

—Our school teachers left last Friday evening for their various homes to spend the holidays with home folks and their old time friends. Miss Mary England to Deepwater, Mo.; Miss Mar-

tha Smith to Montgomery City, Mo.; Miss Andes to her home, east of Mound City; Miss Carrie Abshire to Maryville; Miss Snell to Maitland, and Lieut. C. L. McClymond to Tipton, Mo.

—Henry Schoonover was a business visitor in St. Joseph one day last week.

—Third trick operator, R. H. Harvey and wife were visiting with relatives in Payne, Iowa, last Sunday.

—Bro. Hoxie and mother left last Sunday noon for Oswego, Kansas, where they will spend the holidays, visiting with Bro. Hoxie's daughter.

—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Binder will be glad to know that their little three-year-old son, Robert, who accidentally broke his left leg some time ago, is getting along nicely, and the doctor expects to take the splints off one day this week. Mr. and Mrs. Binder appreciate the assistance of their many friends with little Robert.

—M. V. Neal, who has been visiting with his daughter, Mrs. H. M. Spillman and family for several weeks, returned to his home in Villisca, Iowa, one day last week.

—Bert McKee was down from Craig last Sunday, visiting at the home of Mrs. A. W. Chuning.

—Misses Wilda Gresham and Rowene Conaway arrived home the latter part of last week from Mexico, Mo., where they are attending Hardin College. They were met in St. Joseph by Mrs. V. A. Solleder, Miss Vera Gresham and Mrs. G. A. Conaway.

—Mrs. John Coughlin is spending the holidays with relatives and friends in Kansas City this week.

—All the farmers in this vicinity finished putting up their summer's supply of ice off of Big Lake, last week, getting a good quality of ice and about 11 inches thick. Iden and Jackson have filled their big houses. This is the first time in a good many years that the supply of ice of this thickness has been secured so early in the season.

—Mrs. W. F. Bain is in Council Bluffs, Iowa, this week, visiting with relatives and friends.

—Matt Stadalaman, daughter, Gladys, and son, Ralph, were Mound City visitors last Saturday.

—Miss Margaret Anthony is visiting with friends in St. Joseph this week.

—Oscar Adams is home this week from Tabor, Iowa, where he is attending school, visiting with home folks and his many friends.

—A. B. Rose received a shipment of nice California honey from a friend at Turlock, Calif., one day last week.

—Mrs. Holly Carlton and sister, Miss Blanche Hunt, were visiting with relatives and friends in Craig, last Saturday afternoon.

—Vance and Pendergrast, of Mound

City, shipped a car load of ear corn to Easton, Mo., one day last week.

—These hard road advocates seem to be having things pretty much their own way for the last few weeks, and we do not hear any one objecting.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Graham and daughter, Miss Opal, were shopping in St. Joseph, one day last week.

—Earl Book, one day last week, surprised his good wife by making her a Christmas present of a brand new player piano, which he had shipped in from St. Joseph.

—Mrs. M. B. Melton was visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Gresham, and Mrs. C. H. Graves in Mound City, several days last week.

—H. M. Spillman has installed a set of two new hog watering troughs on his farm for cold weather use. They are made of galvanized iron and are equipped with oil burners to keep the water warm, and Mr. Spillman says he is very well pleased with them so far.

—T. T. Wilson is nursing a very sore left hand this week, caused by setting it mixed up with a Ford fan while in motion, one day last week. Next time T. T. works with his Ford car, while the engine is in motion, he will use a little more care.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rose and daughter, Miss Myrtle, were St. Joseph visitors, one day last week.

—W. L. Schoonover was up from Kansas City, last Saturday, visiting with relatives and friends.

—George W. Hinkle says that new silo is working fine and dandy, and so far he is very well pleased with this kind of feed and will give us a report later on.

—Mrs. A. M. Binder, who has been visiting with her son, Fred Binder and family for several months, left the latter part of last week for her home in Pottstown, Penn.

—Frank Spillman is nursing a number of pet boils, and says they may be worth five dollars a piece to some people, but he don't figure they are worth that much to him.

—Mrs. J. I. Chuning, who has been visiting with relatives and friends in Beaver City, Neb., for several weeks, returned home the latter part of last week, much to the delight of "Bacon."

—Don't forget the lecture number at the school house December 30th. This is reported to be one of the best numbers on the list.

—Miss Gertrude Walker visited the week-end with relatives in Albany, Mo.

—Superintendent Miss Mary England and Lieut. McClymond accompanied the grammar room and high school pupils to the Cottonwood school to attend a Christmas entertainment given by Miss Jo Wilson and her pupils on Friday afternoon of last week. A very interesting program was given by the scholars, which goes to show that Miss Jo is making a success of her school. After the program quite a number drove down to Big Lake, where they spent the remainder of the evening skating, and just for a diversion on the return home almost all of the cars in the

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and  
**Happy New Year**

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**Weekly Shopping NEWS**

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Our Annual **After-Christmas Clearance Sale** Is Now in Progress

The Importance of this sale in the savings afforded in our offerings is well understood by every Woman and Miss in this section.

**Reductions of 50, 33 1/3, and 25%**

In Suits, Coats, Dresses, Blouses, Underwear, Skirts, Silk Petticoats, Sweaters and Corsets.

party got stuck in a snow drift and had to be shoveled out. Anyway, all had a good time and say they don't mind a little snow.

—George Courier, manager of the Bigelow Grain Co., gave his wife a very pleasant surprise, the latter part of last week, when he presented her with a new Edison phonograph, in a fine mahogany case, for a Christmas present.

—Miss Zephia Iden is home this week from Boulder, Colo., where she is attending the state university.

—Mrs. J. C. Couts is in Beatrice, Neb., this week, visiting the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson.

—Anony was a business visitor in St. Joseph, several days, the first of the week.

—Grandma Hunt and her daughter, Mrs. John Book, are visiting with relatives and friends in Forest City, this week.

—Clyde Couts is in Beatrice, Neb., where he has secured employment until the farm work opens up in the spring.

—Mrs. Ernest Randall and daughter, Miss Frances, were down from Craig, last Saturday, visiting with relatives and friends.

—Mesdames J. J. Bridgman, Ethel Osborne, G. W. Poynter and Guy Jones and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, made up a shopping party to St. Joseph, one day the latter part of last week.

—V. A. Solleder, the fur man, was a business visitor in St. Joseph, one day, the first of the week.

—Misses Sarah Margaret McKee and Lucile Wilson were Mound City passengers, last Monday morning.

—G. W. Poynter and H. M. Spillman were transacting business in St. Joseph, last Monday.

—Mrs. Nellie Rice, of St. Joseph, is the new housekeeper for Mrs. J. F. Bridgman.

—Thirty-eight scholars were in attendance at the Christian Sunday school, and the collection was \$2.30.

—Otho Hinkle was in Oregon, one day the latter part of last week, getting instructions from Assistant Supervisor J. Jones, of St. Joseph, in regard to taking the enumeration and census of Bigelow township. This work is to be started January 2d, and completed as soon as possible, and it is the duty of every citizen to assist the enumerator as much as possible in securing a complete list, so don't get peeved if Otho asks some questions that you many not think necessary.

—Misses Goldie and Elsie Crow were Skidmore passengers last Monday morning, for a few days' visit with their sister, Mrs. Laura Allison.

—Accompanied by Wm. Hamilton and Miss Ethel Jones, Miss Edna Jones went to Kansas City last Monday morning to consult her doctor, who has been treating her for some time for an injury to her back, caused by a horse striking her with its foot last summer. Miss Edna has so far improved that she is able to walk without the use of crutches.

—Russell Haigler left the first of the first of the week for Lincoln, Neb., where he will spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

—We are told the Sunday school at Tarkio Chapel is real interesting and the services of an orchestra, consisting of piano, two horns and one violin, have been secured and that some extra fine music is being enjoyed.

—Now is the time to visit the country people. Almost every one in the country have butchered hogs, either last week or this week, and a good supply of fresh pork is to be found in almost every home.

—Mrs. E. A. Smith and daughter, Mrs. H. Banning, were St. Joseph visitors, last Monday.

—Jim Walden, our street commissioner, has been doing some effective work with a team and wagon, hauling dirt and leveling up the street crossings and filling up a few holes in the street. This is just what we have been needing for some time, and the patrons of our streets will be glad to see the job finished up in good shape.

**Real Estate Mimeograph.**

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Transfers for week ending December 29, 1919:

Warranty Deeds:

Lot Brown to Robert A. Brown and Lucy Ellen Brown, lands in 19 and 20, 61, 38.....\$1	lands 29 and 21, 59, 37.....\$15,000
E. A. Gramer and W. R. Lange to H. F. Whitsell and wife.....\$1,635	Ira Twyman to George Harper, sw se 2, 61, 40.....\$8,000

**Administrator's Deed:**

J. W. Oyerly, by administrator, to Albert A. Oyerly and Arthur D. Propes, lots 2 and 3, Block 48, Mound City.....\$1,200
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**Quit Claim Deeds:**

B. M. McCue to F. D. Smith and R. W. Hoskinson, w 1/2 ne 36, 59, 38.....\$1	F. D. Smith and R. W. Hoskinson to A. H. Warner, w 1/2 ne 36, 59, 38.....\$10
W. H. and Emmett Paulson to Old Paulson, lots 1 to 12, inc., Block 15, Maitland.....\$416	W. S. Thomson to Donnell E. Smith, lands 26, 63, 40.....\$1
S. A. Bond, et al, to George Boring, se 25, 63, 38.....\$1	G. F. Seeman to A. H. Warner, w 1/2 ne 36, 59, 38.....\$1,635

—If you want to buy a farm see us. We have a good list of them for sale. BRIDGEMAN & FRYE.

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Wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

We also thank you for your liberal patronage in the past and ask for a continuation of the same in the future.

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