

Died.
Mrs. Bevin aged 78 years died Tuesday afternoon at her home on south Main street.

To His New Home.
Warren Foster left last Friday evening for Salt Lake City. His family will follow him in a few days.

Marriage License.
Carl Bierks and Pauline Miller, both of Haven.
Albert Havercroft of Kansas, Edgar Co., Ill., and Hattie Browlee of Westminster township.

Improving.
Robert H. Foster, brother of the editor, living at Wichita, some weeks ago was compelled to quit his position on account of his health, is visiting in the city. While still very weak, he is gradually improving.

False Alarm.
Monday noon some waste paper in the engine room of Martin's caught fire and the smoke was soon rushing up through the store. Not knowing from what source it came, the fire department was called out, but luckily the cause was discovered before any water was thrown.

Sent To Jail.
W. E. Moore, charged with stealing horses some months ago, but whose case was thrown out of the district court and sent back to the justice court for a new hearing, was by Justice Hayden bound over to next session of the court. Failing to give bond, he was sent to jail.

Died.
Mr. John Rexroad, one of the first settlers of Reno county, died last Friday, after a long time of suffering, having been confined to his bed for nearly a year. About 2 months ago he suffered a paralytic stroke and since that time his death has been expected every day. He was an honored citizen and leaves a large family of whom many live and have families in this county.

The Copper Lion.
Above is the name of the company sent out by the Chicago Theatrical Exchange, which appears at the opera house on Saturday night.

The Copper Lion is said to be one of the best comedies on the road, and there is little doubt that a large crowd will be present.
The seats are now on sale at the Opera House Book Store, and if you want a good seat secure it early. Admission 35 and 50 cents.

To Phoenix, Arizona.
Miss Dora Vestal of this city, left Tuesday evening for Phoenix, Arizona, to accept a position secured for her by Mr. Sims Ely.

Miss Vestal has been a resident of this city for many years and has as many, if not more personal friends than any young lady in the city. For several years she has been employed as stenographer and is the most efficient operator of the typewriter in the city. She is a printer by trade and an honorary member of the typographical union.

The GAZETTE wishes her success and happiness in her new home.

The Atlantic Monthly for January, 1905.

"A Singular Life, I-III," Elizabeth Stuart Phelps. "The Survival of the American Type," John H. Denison. "Alcyone, Archibald," Lampman. "Joint Owners in Spain," Alice Brown. "The Symphony Illustrated," Beethoven's Fifth C Minor, Philip H. Goeppe. "The Meaning of an Eisteddfod," Edith Brover. "A Village Stradivarius," in two parts. Part one, Kate Douglas Wiggin. "The Genius of France," Havelock Ellis. "Gallia Rediviva," Adolphe Cohn. "Soul, Wherefore Fret Thee?" Stuart Sterne. "A Wish fulfilled," Lafcadio Hearst. "Co-operative Production in the British Isles," J. M. Ludlow. "The Want of Economy in the Lecture System," John Trowbridge. "The Author of Quabbin," J. T. Trowbridge. "Mr. Winthrop's Reminiscences," "A German Appraisal of the United States," "Comment on New Books," "The Contributors' Club."

Colored Men Not In It.

EDITOR GAZETTE:
Again the colored man holds the bag, while the ward heelers and joint bums who made the promises to the colored man that his interests would be looked out for, walk away with the job. The organization of the present house of representatives out the colored men out altogether in empowering the sergeant-at-arms and the doorkeeper with naming their own assistants, thus relieving the members from any responsibilities in fulfilling promises made.

The colored man was told during the campaign that the republican party was the colored man's friend, but what are the facts? The last legislature and the present senate has some colored men and ladies employed as enrolling clerks and all the janitors are colored men, while the republican house of representatives did not give a single colored man a job.

I ask my colored friend to think this matter over and act themselves if the party which has always claimed our vote, if by their acts do not say, we don't need you any longer.

ALEXANDER LEE.

THE HUMAN EAR.

A Notable Lecture on the Sense of Hearing by Dr. Hartman.

During the course of one of Dr. Hartman's latest lectures at the Surgical Hotel, he said: "Good hearing is essential to health and safety. A continual roaring, cracking and buzzing in the head, which is always produced by partial loss of hearing, is a constant nervous irritation which will gradually undermine the strength. Besides this, even a slight loss of hearing renders any one more liable to accident, many persons being killed every year because of partial deafness. Many people think that a gradual loss of the sense of hearing is inevitable, and that every one must submit to it sooner or later. Hence they make no attempt to find a cure. This is a great mistake. Loss of hearing, either in the old or young people, is nearly always due to chronic catarrh of the head or middle ear."

Catarrhal deafness is due to catarrh of the throat passing up through the Eustachian tubes to the middle ear. The catarrh in rare cases originates in and remains confined to the middle ear. The symptoms are: Roaring, cracking, buzzing in the ear, with gradually increasing difficulty in hearing. If not cured the hearing will be entirely destroyed. When the case has not already gone too far before the treatment is begun Per-na will cure every case. It is only after catarrh has destroyed portions of the middle ear that Per-na fails to cure. All such cases should write Dr. Hartman Columbus, Ohio, for further advice. A book on la grippe, coughs, colds, catarrh, etc., will be sent free to any address by The Per-na Drug Manufacturing Company of Columbus, Ohio.

PERSONAL.

J. D. Wiener is in Topeka.

John B. Vincent, Sheriff Patten and W. K. Noland took in the inaugural ball.

Mr. Evan Lacy left Tuesday morning for an extended trip to Missouri and Arkansas.

Joe Houston left today for Stafford, Kansas, to accept a lucrative position in that city.

C. W. Dunaway of the American Clothing House is home from a purchasing trip in the east.

Commissioners Meet.

The county commissioners met in regular session Monday. Mr. McElwain took the oath of office.

There were no changes made in the appointive office, Mr. Keys, Mr. Adkins and Mrs. Shepherd all being re-employed.

The county printing was let to the Hutchinson News at seventy-five per cent less rate, the Interior Herald to have twenty per cent of the profits.

Mr. Noland, desiring to attend the inaugural ball, the board adjourned to meet the first Monday in February.

Married.

S. D. Risley and Mary B. of Nickerson, were married at the probate judge's office last Thursday.

At Huntsville, on Christmas eve, Clarence W. King to Miss Della Parker.

This wife, the genial all-around good fellow and sweet singer was married last Thursday to Miss Irene Holley by Probate Judge Fontron. The young couple are leaders in the fashionable colored society of this city.

District Court.

The jury in both cases of state vs. W. E. Price returned a verdict of guilty.

Lewis Metcalf charged with breaking lock of a chicken house was also found guilty.

The negro Mills who was charged with breaking into Ed Lock's store room and stealing a sack of sugar was also found guilty.

To The Landless.

I have several quarters of good smooth land with from 30 to 70 acres of wheat now growing and situated in the western part of the state that can be had at good price. Here is a better chance than can be had in the newly opened lands.
E. C. CLARK.

Secure Your Tickets.

Secure tickets early for the Copper Lion at the opera house Saturday night January 18.

Regular Services.

The Baptist church is holding regular services each sabbath in their chapel under the leadership of Rev. M. H. Perry, late of Hebron, Nebraska.

Will Build.

The Kansas grain company whose elevator was destroyed by fire some weeks ago, will build a new one near the site of the one destroyed.

All-round for One Dollar.

\$1.00 gets a horse shod at Snyder's & Todd's shoeing shop. End ave. west.

Seed Oats.

Choice seed oats for sale by the Kansas Grain Co., Hutchinson.

Pickles and Ketchup.

Jas. Myers & Son are making a special run on fine pickles and ketchup. Call and examine their immense stock.

COUNTY NEWS FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

From the Arlington Enterprise.
Married on January 3, 1895, Mr. J. B. Thompson and Miss Mina Carter.

B. P. Hanan transacted business at Hutchinson Tuesday.

B. P. Hanan purchased a new windmill last week to use in connection with his system of irrigation.

Hon. J. N. High left for Topeka Monday morning.

Mr. Pitney had the bad luck to lose a fine cow on Sunday night. The cow became loose and ate too much wheat.

Herbert Cecil, while out skating, fell and fractured his hip bone. Drs. Wetherby and Julian mended the fracture.

Some person who thought it was easier to steal his winter's meat than to buy it, made a raid on Van Riper's cellar on last Thursday night, but he got left as Van was awake, he made a quick exit out of the cellar door with Van Riper after him with his shotgun. The man was a good sprinter, so he got away unhurt.

From the Nickerson Argosy.
Bert Wright skated up from Hutchinson Monday.

W. R. St. John of Avery, was in the city Saturday.

Herman Olmstead of Hutchinson, was in the city Monday.

Ray Barrett of Hutchinson, was in the city Tuesday night.

C. M. Allen and wife of Hutchinson, were in the city Sunday.

J. S. Hoke was in Hutchinson Saturday attending to business.

W. A. Thomas of Hutchinson was in the city Tuesday on business.

A revival meeting is in progress at the Brethren church in Salt Creek township.

Rev. S. Brink commenced a revival meeting at Fairview church in Enterprise township last week.

Misses Mertie Shaffer and Ella Finch ate New Year's dinner with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barrett at Hutchinson.

W. A. Gill and family of the Colorado House moved back to Hutchinson. They would not stay in the hotel after the Carson trouble there. The hotel is not occupied now.

Mr. Barstow, father of Steven Barstow, who was sent to the reform school at Topeka, informed us Saturday that he had received a letter from the superintendent stating that he would send the boy home this week, and that his conduct had been exceptionally good. For several months he has sent the boy to Topeka almost daily with a carriage to attend to business for him and there was not a black mark against him.

From Burton Graphic.
Mrs. L. I. Purcell returned to Lakin last Saturday.

Miss Flora Caswell has returned to Burton again, after a two weeks visit at Wichita.

Misses Bessie and Georgia Shropshire of Hutchinson, visited with their uncle, J. S. Stone and family, last week.

Jack rabbits are very plentiful, farmers report seeing them in droves of three and four hundred.

J. P. West, of near Patterson, died at his home last Saturday, of Bright's disease. The funeral was held on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morton left last Saturday for Little River, where Mr. Morton has a good position with the railroad company.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Forsythe spent several days last week with her parents in Eldorado.

Everett Powell, aged nine months died at the home of his grandfather, O. T. Tripp, Sunday night, Jan. 6, 1895, of lung fever. Little Everett was taken sick while on a visit to his grandparents with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Powell, of South Hutchinson. The interment was made in the Elmer cemetery of South Hutchinson.

At a coming together of the leading citizens held last Wednesday night, Mayor Van Arsdale and G. M. Shive were elected delegates from Burton, to attend an assembly of representatives of the towns along the Midland branch of the Frisco, which will be held in Lyons today. At this meeting efforts will be put forth to prevent the abandonment of the Kansas Midland division of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad.

From Haven Item.
Thus far this winter the weather has been eminently satisfactory to most people in this region.

Mrs. I. B. Vincent is taking a course of medical treatment under the care of Dr. Brown, of Hutchinson.

Frank McKinley, mention of the breaking of whose leg was made in this paper some time ago is able to hobble about on crutches.

Ed Sawyer returned to his school at Westworth Military Academy, Lexington, Missouri. He forgot to order the item sent to him.

Mr. Ward, the old gentleman, is reported considerably improved in health since his return to Haven. It is hoped that his complete recovery may speedily come.

Hutchinson is trying to get up sufficient enthusiasm to have a Farmers' Institute. Some of the intelligent agriculturist of this vicinity might go up and help the county seat people, on proper invitation. They know how.

Henry Bryant and Jim Sanderson came over from Burton Thursday, to get Dad Trissal's bugles, harness and other effects. Mr. Trissal has bought the McFall livery stable at Burton; and is now actively engaged in making hot opposition to his late Haven partner.

Mitchel.

Bad colds is the common complaint with nearly everybody in this vicinity.

Messrs. William and Ben Razor and their two sisters are visiting with J. S. Taylor and family at present.

We are informed that Mr. Frank Newton and wife are the happy parents of a new girl, but we have seen no

evidence of it yet so, will say nothing about it.

The musical concert rendered by the famous "male quartette" and others on Jan. 5th and repeated on last Friday was a success so far as the concert was concerned, but owing to bad weather the attendance was small.

The officers elected for the ensuing year, at the Mitchell Sunday school were: Superintendent, A. R. Murry; Assistant superintendent, J. S. Taylor; treasurer, James Wilson; secretary, Eva Taylor; chorister, Fred Lyman; organist, Mrs. Lyman; librarian, Win-Nuckalls.

It seems to us that as cheap as horses are now, Walter Shuler could afford a faster one to drive, as he really drives the slowest one that hits our roads (on certain occasions.)

We can report our list of cripples as nearly recovered. H. J. Strickler, who has his nose injured by his horses running into a barbed wire and jerking the wire across his face is about well, Martin Shuler who was kicked on the thigh by a horse is able to be about without crutches. R. A. Ross, who has been disabled for five weeks by getting his right hand caught between the sweep and top of the box on a feed mill is again able to use his hand some at light work, but will continue to give his friends the left hand for some time yet.
Bob WHITE.

"Dat Opossum."

ABBYVILLE, Kans., Jan. 8, 1895.
The writer and his better-half received a special invitation the other day to take dinner with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Willis, accordingly, we gave way to our weakness, which we always feel on receiving such invitations and went. We arrived in due time, in fact, as we never like to run any risk of being late on such occasions, we were on hands much sooner than was customary or necessary. However we put in the time before dinner discussing various subjects such as Carlisle's late financial policy, etc., etc.

In due time the hostess announced that dinner was ready. After seating us at the table what was our surprise when Mrs. Willis announced that the first course to be served was opossum. Mr. Willis accordingly proceeded in his artistic style to carve the aforesaid named animal. It had been many years since we had regaled our appetites with such a palatable dish. So you may be sure we did not hesitate to pass our plates.

Well, I would be glad to describe to the readers of the GAZETTE the delicious, par excellence taste of "dat opossum," but my pen balks. Father Willis was in the height of his glory and as he ate, a broad smile was visible on his face. He no doubt was reminded of his boyhood days, some 50 years ago in old Virginia when opossums were much more numerous than in sunny Kansas.

We forgot to say, that this opossum was a native of the strip, and was sent to Mr. Willis as a present from his son-in-law, Thomas Devall. It was very fat and was cooked so nicely that although there were on the table many other delicacies we passed our plate the second time for opossum. As we write this we are led to exclaim that, "if there is anything that we like better than opossum, it is more opossum."
A CORRESPONDENT.

Band Concert.

The Holiday Military Band will give a popular priced concert at the opera house next Monday night for the benefit of the band, and our people should give them a large hearing. They have with them some of the finest soloists in the land.

The admission is 20 cents, but the concert will be worth a dollar. Go and patronize the boys.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the Hutchinson postoffice Jan. 17, 1895:

LADIES' LIST.

Barkhouse, Miss Cora Briggs, Julia E. Hank, Daisy Light, Lillian Porter, Miss Mary E. Phillips, Miss Rhoda

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Dye, E. J. Gray, A. J. Hargery, L. P. Hicks, W. H. Hinton, J. Lee, E. H. Milan, Logan Roby, J. C. Sull, H. A. Woodard, A. S. One letter addressed 22 E ave west.

Parties calling for any of the above named letters will please say, advertised.
ELI MEAD, P. M.

Hogs for Sale.

Thoroughbred Poland-China pigs for sale both sexes, at my farm 6 miles southeast of Haven, or address Wm. Maguire.

Brood Sows for Sale.

I have six thoroughbred Poland China brood sows, with pig by a thoroughbred boar, that I will sell at reasonable figures. Can be seen at my farm one mile south and four west of Haven, Kans. F. P. MAGUIRE.

Nothing in a Name.

Jas. Myers & Son have "Ketchup" and "Catsup." An examination of the goods will demonstrate two things, first—that it makes no difference how you spell it, and secondly that they have the best goods in that line in the city.

River Side Elevator and Feed Mill
I want to announce to the public that I am now ready to grind all kinds of feed, at my mill and elevator in South Hutchinson. Cash paid for all kinds of grain.
P. A. FLOCHIN.

New Harness Shop.

Mr. C. C. Colee has severed his connection with the old firm of Jones & Colee, and has opened up a new shop at No. 5 Sherman street east where he will be pleased to meet all his old customers and as many new ones as he can. If you need any repairing done this is the place to go. Don't forget the place. No. 5 Sherman east. 3-tf.

Big Four Route.

The "Knickerbocker Special" leaves St. Louis at 12:30, Peoria 12:10 p. m., arrives Indianapolis 6:30 p. m. Buffalo 8:15 a. m. next day, New York 6:00 p. m. and Boston 9:05 p. m. This is the "flyer" especially providing for—esteru business.

W. F. SNYDER,
G. W. A., "Big Four," St. Louis, Mo

IT MUST NOT BE DONE.

We Join in an Emphatic Protest Against Any Tinkering with the Omaha Platform.

There has been and still is a determination on the part of a few men who have identified themselves with the people's party to narrow its platform to a single issue. Senators Stewart and Jones are evidently recognized leaders of this movement, and they evidently have followers in high positions in the party. It may be stated here (as it is no secret) that the national committee at its last meeting in St. Louis over a year ago was inclined to issue an address committing itself to this policy, but for certain reasons, known to those who were present, changed its purpose at that time. The scheme is now in contemplation again as is evident from the recent address of Chairman Taubeneck.

The Kansas State Farmers' Alliance undoubtedly voiced the sentiment of nine out of every ten populists of this state when it declared again for the old Farmers' Alliance demands, and expressed its disapprobation of the single-issue programme. The Advocate has no use for any such movement, and further we do not now hesitate to say that the Omaha convention never empowered the national committee to change or modify its platform in any particular, or to intimate, in their official capacity, that such a thing is either probable or possible.

The Southern Mercury a few days ago expressed our sentiments precisely in a criticism of Chairman Taubeneck. It was at fault in only one thing. Its criticism was based upon a newspaper interview, and that is usually a very unsafe basis of criticism. However, most of the points made by the Mercury are justified by the address issued over Mr. Taubeneck's signature. As an individual, of course, he has a right to go with any party and identify himself with any movement he chooses, but as chairman of the populist national committee he has no such right. The Omaha convention elected him and the balance of the national committee for certain specific duties, and the making or unmaking of platforms of the party was not included in these duties, nor was it accorded among the privileges conferred. If the committee will limit its official and even its semi-official acts to such duties as legitimately belong to a national committee, it will do well. Further than this, it has no authority to go, and we join the Southern Mercury in its emphatic protest against the proposed tinkering of the Omaha platform. The next convention will undoubtedly be fully competent to make any changes in platform that may be deemed advisable. This is not the first time we have referred to this matter and it will not

PRUDENT AND WISE.

The Populists of Alabama Are Moving Cautiously but Will Get There Just the Same.

The populists of Alabama are acting prudently and wisely. They believe that Mr. Kolb has been twice elected governor, and as many times ruled out by those who have charge of the election machinery. There is no law in the state providing for an election contest, hence there was no chance to get at the facts or secure justice, or give the people an opportunity to choose their rulers by majority vote at an honest election.

Hence they decided, as given in a former issue of this paper, on the only course left them. On inauguration day, Mr. Kolb was sworn in as governor. He attempted no revolutionary proceedings, nor did he make any effort to organize a legislature. Of course Oates, the democrat, was also sworn in, organized the legislature, and proceeded to business with no attempt at interference by Kolb or his followers. At the proper time the democrats proceeded to elect a United States senator. Here was the populist opportunity, and the object for which Kolb had been sworn in. He and the populist members of the legislature met and also elected a United States senator. This will enable a contest in the United States senate, the only contest that could be had, and the only manner, under the laws of Alabama, that the legality of the election could be brought in question.

Some things can be done as well as others.—Mount Vernon (Ill.) Progressive Farmer.

A letter from Silver Lake, Ore., the inland town which was the scene of a holocaust Christmas eve, reports that forty persons were burned to death and that twenty of the injured had been given up by the physicians.

President and Mrs. Cleveland held the usual New Year's reception at the white house, which lasted from 11 a. m. till 2 p. m. The affair was unusually brilliant and was largely attended by officials of all ranks and many civilians.

Gov. Stone, of Missouri, has appointed Edward C. Crow judge of the Twenty-fifth circuit to succeed W. M. Robinson, elected to the supreme bench, and Dr. E. D. Garner, of St. Joseph, a member of the state board of health vice Dr. J. D. Griffith, of Kansas City.

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should be provided with the well-known emergency medicine,
AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL
The best remedy for all diseases of the Throat and Lungs.
Prompt to act,
Sure to Cure

A Chance to Make Money.

In the past week I have made \$125 and attended to my household duties. I think I will do better next week. It seems the more Dish Washers I sell, the more demand I have for them. I think any lady or gentleman, anywhere can make money in this business. It is something every family wants, and when they can be bought so cheap, they buy them, and the person who has enterprise enough to take an agency is bound to make money. I wish any of your readers that wish to make from \$5 to \$12 a day, would try this business and report their success. Any one can get full particulars by addressing the Iron City Dish Washer Co., E. E. Pittsburgh, Pa. Such a chance is rare—at least I have never struck one.
MARTHA F. B.

Forty Loaves of BREAD for One Dollar at the BON TOM BAKERY.

Finest line of Candies and Nuts in the city.
No. 15 North Main Street,
Hutchinson, Kansas.

Notice of Final Settlement.

First published Jan. 17, 1895.
State of Kansas, County of Reno, ss. In the probate court in and for said county. In the matter of the estate of D. H. Lee deceased. Creditors and all other persons interested in the aforesaid estate, are hereby notified, that at the regular term of the probate court, in and for said county, to be begun and held at the court room, in Hutchinson, county of Reno, State of Kansas, on the 1st Monday in the month of February A. D. 1895, I shall apply to said court for a full and final settlement of said estate.
R. H. LEE, Administrator of D. H. Lee, deceased.
January 8th A. D. 1895.
JEFF BOWENS, Attorney.

Excursions to Texas and the South.
Are you contemplating a trip south, southeast or southwest? Do you know that the Mo. Pac. in connection with C. B. I. T. Ry. at Wichita and diverging lines at Ft. Worth is the best, shortest and most pleasant route to above mentioned territory? Close connections at all points, the splendid equipment and good service afforded by their route make it to your interest to investigate facilities offered by our lines before starting on your journey. Call on or address,
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THE GAZETTE.

Our groceries are all first class and our prices at the lowest. Butter, eggs, chickens to us we will buy them all.
J. M. BREHM.

Shoe Repairer.

J. W. Huffine, opposite old court house, does all kinds of boot and shoe repairing. Prices cheapest on earth.
31-tf.

At the Universal Church.

There will be regular services at the Universalist church next Sunday morning and evening. FRANCES BRANT, Pastor.

Brick and Stone For Sale.

I have a large quantity of brick and stone that I will sell cheap. Call on me in South Hutchinson.
C. W. HOLLOWAY.

Come in and see our nice lamps they are the nicest and cheapest in the city.
J. M. BREHM.

The American Steam Laundry is making a specialty of laundering lace curtains.
J. M. BREHM will continue to sell his dishes at the lowest prices in the State of Kansas.
13-tf.

FOR SALE—Equity in improved sec. 31, Castleton township, Reno county. Inquire of Dr. Malcolm.
11-tf.

Carrey buys dead hogs. Carrey buys dead cattle. Carrey buys big-jaw cattle. Carrey buys hides.
11-tf.

Harness Repair Shop.
I have opened a first class repair shop at J. B. Talbot's store, corner Main and 2nd avenue.
S. HENSHAW,
Hutchinson, Kan.

40-tf

Jas. Myers & Son, the grocers, are making a specialty of fine pickles and ketchups.

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