

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Pay your taxes. Beautiful weather. Prepare for Thanksgiving. Build sheds for your cattle. Go to Brooks for Colorado potatoes. Send us the news from the country. A new correspondent from Glencoe this week. Fresh roasted peanuts at Benedict's every day. Prepare for winter by subscribing for the World. Greely potatoes at H. Schultz. Will duplicate prices. Pare, sweet, Michigan Baldwin apple cider at Benedict's. Judge Osborn is holding court in Wallace county this week. J. Musgrave, of Ogallah, dropped in last Monday to condole with us. A. S. Marshall, of the Saline valley, made us a brief call last Monday. Just received the finest line of gloves and mitts in town, at Brooks'. M. W. Cift and H. S. Davis made a business trip to Hill City last Thursday. For pure sweet cider and other materials for mince meat go to Bestor's. A. Spens, of Banner, was talking politics with the boys here last Tuesday. Hon. Leo Monroe attended district court at Sharon Springs the first of the week. Mrs. A. B. Baker officiates as county superintendent during Mr. Baker's absence. Go to T. R. Brook's for your hardware, queensware, glassware, dry goods and groceries. John Dorns started last Tuesday morning for a month's visit in Fulton county, Illinois. Good butter and eggs taken in exchange for goods at the highest market price by H. Schultz. H. Schultz carries a full line of the best boots and shoes on the market. Call and get bottom prices. Don't know what we would have done without the Kansas City Globe and Star since the election. A. J. Johnson, of Collyer, was transacting some business before the U. S. land office last Saturday. Hen frisk is reported scarce at eighteen cents a dozen. Wonder if the McKinley bill is to blame? C. C. Yetter, of Ogallah, and one of the best men in Trego county, was in Wa-Keeney last Saturday. Greely, Colorado, potatoes at \$1.25 per bushel or \$1.20 in ten bushel lots. MARSHALL & UFFORD A surprise party at the residence of Geo. Douglas last Tuesday evening. The young folks had the right of way. The official returns of the Trego county election will be found in this paper. Save it for reference next year. John Harrison, one of our esteemed subscribers from Ogallah, was transacting business in the county seat last Saturday. You will find a staple article of clothing, dry goods, notions, gents' furnishing goods, gloves, hats, etc., at prices to suit the times at H. Sebultz. Mayor Blair, Banker March and Judge Saum went duck shooting last Monday. Knowing how great would be the temptation we did not inquire how many they killed. W. E. Saum should now be addressed as Judge Saum. He took possession of the probate judge's office last Monday. Judges are becoming almost as numerous in this vicinity as colobos. Dr. A. B. Jones is taking a tour of the western states and territories and will be absent several weeks. He has worked hard and is certainly entitled to a vacation. We wish him a pleasant trip. A letter from A. V. Hixson, of Ogallah, who is temporarily in Pueblo, Colorado, informs us that he is receiving from \$3 to \$4 per day for work with his team. At the same time he expresses an anxiety to return to Trego county soon. Capt. Welch and family contemplate moving to Wa-Keeney this week and will occupy the residence just north of the school house. The Captain has traded his property here, stock and land, for Missouri property which he has rented to other parties. He will take possession of the probate judge's office about Jan. 1, 1891. Some of our Ellsworth county farmers are trying the California system of sowing wheat this fall, i. e. plowing very shallow and drilling the wheat to the depth of plowing. By this method it is claimed that the roots will penetrate into the solid ground retaining moisture longer than loose ground, and consequently will be able to withstand the hot and dry season. The system will bear close study and a trial. —Ellsworth Republican.

All But One. The Republicans of Trego county did nobly on Tuesday electing their entire ticket by handsome pluralities.—Ellis Review. Kansas Tax Law. Taxes are due on the first day of November. A rebate of 2 1/2 per cent. on the whole tax is allowed if paid before December 21st. If not paid before December 21st no rebate is allowed and a penalty is added. No rebate is allowed unless the whole tax is paid at one time. Lands are advertised in July and sold the first Tuesday of September, and after sale the taxes and costs will draw interest at the rate of 24 per cent. per annum until paid. Three years from date of sale the holder of certificate will be entitled to a deed, and five years thereafter the deed becomes absolute. Epworth League Entertainment. The Epworth League gave a very enjoyable entertainment and social at the M. E. church last Wednesday evening. The recitations and music were all good. The following was the program: Doxology. Prayer. Song—"Welcome to all." Recitation..... Mary Gayhart German Song..... Rev. O. N. Maxon Recitation..... Stella Sigler Song..... "The Saloon Must Go." Recitation..... Stella Schultz Swiss Song..... Miss Neueneschwander Recitation..... Clara McCollum Duett..... Miss Root Closing Song. The German song we think was given for our special benefit, as none of the rest seemed to understand it. The attendance was not quite so large as it should have been, but will probably be better next time. The entertainment certainly deserved a better house. TOWNSHIP OFFICERS. OGALLAH AND ADAIR. Trustee, T. S. Howe; treasurer, John Harrison; clerk, A. E. McCollum; justices of the peace, Joseph Runyon, George McKinley; constables, H. W. Griffith, Joseph Marquand; road overseer, S. T. H. Baird. GLENCOE. Trustee, J. C. Buchanan; treasurer, A. Shepard; clerk, W. V. Perry; justices of the peace, B. E. Furbeck, Horace Fidler; constables, D. B. Fulton, Edw. Orton; road overseer, P. Hickey. RIVERSIDE. Trustee, G. L. Robinson; treasurer, E. M. Waggoner; clerk, T. J. Nixon; justices of the peace, A. L. Richardson, Samuel Anderson; constables, W. H. Jordan, J. G. Henley; road overseer, G. A. Palmer. WA-KEENEY. Trustee, William Lawson; treasurer, A. L. Gleason; clerk, A. P. Hinchaw; justices of the peace, A. P. Lawrence, C. W. Sweet; constables, John Brown, James Suelling; road overseer, A. E. Sigler. WILLCOX. Trustee, Jasper Rogers; treasurer, Wm. Gregory; clerk, L. Garland; justices of the peace, Wm. Hoobler, Volney Robinson; constables, E. J. Badgley, John Bommer; road overseer, J. S. Smith. COLLYER AND BANNER. Trustee, James Powers; treasurer, H. M. Russ; clerk, Frank Spens; constables, O. B. Kessler, John Connor; road overseer, G. D. Tilton. FRANKLIN. Trustee, George Young; treasurer, P. W. O'Toole; clerk, W. B. Robinson; justices of the peace, J. C. Neueneschwander, E. L. Fry; constables, Otto Young, Wm. Lutters; road overseer, Fritz Platz. Unclaimed Letters. Remaining in the postoffice at Wa-Keeney, Kansas, for the week ending November 8, 1890: Benedict, Mrs. J. A.; Johnston, Miss Nora. Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say "Advertised." A. J. HASLAN, P. M. W. D. Lombard, of Adair, made us a pleasant call, Thursday. Vacant houses are not as numerous in Wa-Keeney as they were. Mrs. W. D. Matthews, who has been quite ill for a week or more, is improving. C. E. Cosby left last Sunday evening for a two week's vacation in Gove county. Mrs. J. L. Brown is expected home this week from an extended visit to Iowa. H. J. Hille has taken his cattle to Barton county to winter. He has about 1,000 head. J. L. Brown came up from Ellis last week to exercise his privilege as an American citizen. A. J. McCollum, an account of whose injuries mention was made last week, is getting along as well as could be expected. Master Clifford Baker was 14 years old on Friday of last week and gave a birthday party which, despite the bad weather, was well attended. The young folks present all report a splendid time. A. S. Peacock was in Wa-Keeney yesterday. Mr. Peacock was defeated for the office of superintendent of public instruction by only four votes. There is not a better qualified nor more competent man for the office in Trego county. A. B. Cooper, of Ogallah, is certainly experiencing a political change of heart. Once a democrat, now a member of the people's party and yesterday he enrolled for 52 copies of the Woman. By its aid the transition will be easy and certain and we predict that, before the great political battle of 1892 is fought, Mr. Cooper will be a member in good standing of the g. o. p. So mote it be.

Blow out the gas. History repeats itself. Candies, nuts and cigars at Benedict's. The young folks gave a ball Thursday night. Try pure, old-fashioned buckwheat at Bestor's. A few Colorado potatoes left at Benedict's. Who wants them. For felt boots, rubbers and arctics at low prices go to H. Schultz. Mrs. C. A. Aylsworth has returned from an extended visit to Iowa. We have reached bed rock in western Kansas. We will have better times soon. A. W. Purinton's personal popularity is attested by the vote received at his own precinct. We learn that an effort is being made to procure an organ for our public schools. The Hill City Republican has a religious column edited by Rev. F. L. Walker of our city. Those lovely geraniums in O. A. Cortright's window are the subject of many remarks. G. K. Dewey is in Nebraska looking after some real estate that he owns in that anti-prohibition state. You will always find a full line of California evaporated fruits, canned goods, etc., at low prices at H. Schultz. The new election law in New York compels candidates to swear to an itemized statement of their campaign expenses. Mrs. A. D. Elliott, who has been in Kansas City for some time under the care of her physician, is expected home this week. William Hoobler, of Willcox, called last Thursday. He says that the recent rain and snow is just the thing for the small grain. Just received at Bestor's—Lemons. Cranberries. Pure Buckwheat. C. C. Bestor caught the spirit of improvement this week and painted his store building a lovely sky-blue pink color. It is given out that Jay Gould, one morning before breakfast, recently purchased a controlling interest in the U. P. railroad. A. D. Elliott, of Collyer township, has moved to Wa-Keeney and is occupying the Nick Beddig property south of the railroad. Preaching at the Baptist church tomorrow at 11 o'clock A. M. Bible day exercises at night, consisting of recitations, music and a brief address. Everybody cordially invited to attend. A Mrs. Quinby, of Wichita, who professed to be a scriptural prophet declared that on last night at 12 the trumpet would sound and all the people except a few elect would be destroyed. Strayed, from 5 miles east of Wa-Keeney, one nearly white cow with mule shoe brand on right hip, fresh dehorned. Also one heifer calf, nearly white, no marks or brands. Call at this office. 2t Sheriff Courtney has invented a new idea whereby he can curvy his mules without losing the top of his head. It is a very simple contrivance and consists of a ten-foot handle attached to an ordinary curvy-comb. On and after November 18, the Oakley mill will be ready to do exchange work and to fill all orders for flour and feed. Send for prices. Geo. S. Black, Manager Oakley Roller Mills, Oakley, Kansas. T. L. Fike, of Collyer, had the misfortune to lose his store building and entire stock of drugs and notions, by fire. Last Sunday night this is a most serious loss to Mr. Fike and he has the sympathy of the entire community. The origin of the fire is a mystery. A bright little boy in the primary department of the Wa-Keeney public schools one day last week was asked: "What is blindness?" He answered: "Struck in the eye with a stone." That's what our allies got in the late election in this judicial district.—Hays City Sentinel. A great many of our readers will regret to learn of the death of Roy Proudfit which occurred November 6th at his home in Friend, Nebraska. The cause of his death was laryngitis. Mr. Proudfit was a former resident of Wa-Keeney and for a time was in the employ of Marshall & Ufford as clerk in their dry goods department. The next boom in Kansas will be in farming lands and not in city property. The great need of Kansas is the settlement and cultivation of its farming lands. Once that is done, the towns will take care of themselves. No city or town can prosper unless it has a good agricultural country to back it. It will grow to a certain point and there it must wait until the country catches up.—Wallace Gazette. Why not organize a literary society? There is nothing that would be of more benefit to the pupils attending our public schools, and a great many outside of the schools would be greatly benefitted thereby. We suggest that the teachers take the lead and we will render all the assistance we can. Let us talk the matter over and then decide to have a regular old-fashioned literary society this fall and winter.

Teacher's meeting at Banner to-day. O. A. Chapman, of Trego Center, was in town Wednesday. T. C. Blaisdell and S. L. Garland, of 15-24, were transacting some land office business Wednesday. L. G. Johnson, formerly of Wa-Keeney, but now of Denver, was the first man to pay his taxes in Trego county this year. Not a single sheriff's sale nor foreclosure notice has appeared in this paper for weeks. This speaks well for our county. George V. York, of Collyer, was transacting business and incidentally talking a little politics in Wa-Keeney last Wednesday. William Bower, the wide-awake manager of L. A. Fisher's Collyer store, was in town between trains last Wednesday evening. A tie vote in Collyer township between Joseph Brown and H. M. Russ was decided by the commissioners, by lot, in favor of Mr. Russ. Very few final proof notices are being issued for Trego county. This shows that our homesteaders are in no hurry to prove up and move away. We have a subscriber who has just paid for four year's subscription in advance. Surely there is one man, at least, who has confidence in the stability of the World. Pat Conley, of Ellis, well known here, committed suicide last Tuesday by taking a large dose of laudanum. Financial trouble is said to be the cause for the rash act. The representative-elect from Osborne county, it is stated, was a resident of the state of Washington at the time of his election and he refuses to come back and represent the county in the legislature. An observer of the course of the tender passion says: At 3 years of age we love our mothers, at 6 our fathers, at 10 holidays, at 16 dress, at 20 our sweethearts, at 25 our wives, at 40 our children and at 60 ourselves. God never created this beautiful country for stock raising alone. There are those now living in Trego county who will realize this statement to the fullest extent and who will not be very aged either before this prophecy is fulfilled. Ufford looked decidedly angry last Thursday forenoon. His brows were contracted, his face flushed and he kept muttering to himself in a manner that indicated intense feeling. He informed a World reporter that Uncle Cyrus had beaten him three straight games at checkers. More life and sociability is what we all need. Something to wake us up occasionally. We don't care particularly what it is, just so it is something. A literary, social, spelling school, lecture, anything. There is no need of falling into a state of semi-consciousness just because times are a little dull. The commissioners canvassed the vote yesterday and declared the following candidates elected: Representative, J. Reeder, by 2 votes; superintendent public instruction, H. W. Grass, by 2 votes; probate judge, A. P. West; clerk of the district court, Philip Jacobs; county attorney, W. L. Aaron.—Hays City Republican. Commissioners Proceedings. WA-KEENEY, KAN., Nov. 8, 1890. The board of commissioners of Trego county met to-day to canvass the vote as returned from the various precincts of the election held November 4, 1890. All the members of the board were present. Those persons having received the highest number of votes for the different county and township officers were declared to be elected and the county clerk was instructed to issue certificates of election to successful candidates and require that bonds be filed. Board adjourned sine die. Attest: C. A. HOAR, County Clerk. SEASONABLE. An Excellent Recipe For Plain Mince Meat. Two pounds of tender beef boiled, and when cold chopped fine, a pound of minced suet, and a half pound of stoned raisins, one pound of currants, one pound of citron sliced fine, three pounds of brown sugar, five pounds of chopped apples, two teaspoonfuls of cloves, five of cinnamon, a tablespoonful of salt, one pint of elder, one cup of molasses, the juice and grated rind of two lemons. This is an old and well tried recipe. All ingredients for above can be found at Bestor's Family Grocery. t Coal Oil, 15c, at VERBECK'S. To My Patrons. Having concluded to take a short vacation I have made arrangements with Dr. Bohrbach, of Ellis, to attend to my business during my absence. His office hours will be from 2 to 5 P. M., at my office. I have every confidence in him and heartily commend him to your patronage. Respectfully, A. B. JONES. Alliance Meeting. An open meeting of the Collyer Alliance will be held Thursday afternoon, November 20, 1890, at 2 o'clock, to be addressed by Ben. C. Rich, county lecturer, on the good of the order, its benefits, etc. The public invited. Also a special meeting of the same alliance will be held in the evening at 7:30 o'clock for instruction. All alliance members invited to attend. Ben. C. Rich, County Lecturer. Gasoline at VERBECK'S. t



What we are Doing

AT VERBECK'S EMPORIUM.

Receiving Immense Quantities of Dry Goods, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Tinware, Glass, Flour, Etc., Etc., Etc.

No W notice for a few moments and read some of our prices on above goods: Q. Q. Tobacco, 25c; good plug Tobacco for 35c; Horse Shoe, 45c; L. L. Muslin at 5 1-2c. Other goods in proportion.

And while we are thinking about these Great Bargains we must not overlook the fact that immense bills of these goods are daily sent to all parts of the county, and as our foreign trade is increasing so rapidly it has been found necessary to import a Dutch clerk to wait upon the Bohemian trade.

LOOK AT OUR 5 CENT PRINTS

A new stock of Boots and Shoes just received. Compare our \$2 Men's Boots with others. In Ladies' Shoes we defy competition.

2,000 pounds of the best coal in market for \$7.25 You will not regret it if you lay in your winter's supply.

On account of the late arrival of our immense stock of dry goods, boots and shoes, we are not able to give you a complete list of our new prices. Next week we will give you some new features. Make no mistake--go to

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