

# The Days Grow Shorter; Nights Longer.

This Betokeneth the Coming of Wintry Winds, Corn Pickin', Pumpkin Pies, Mush and Milk and the Halseyon Days of the Coal Dealers.

Services at the Presbyterian church Sunday, Sept. 2nd, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Prof. J. M. Scott, of Sargent, was a city visitor Monday. He reports crops fine in his locality.

Warren A. Barrell, of the Middle Loup was transacting business with the U. S. land office Tuesday.

Mrs. E. D. George, of Boston, arrived in the city last week and will visit for a couple of months with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. George.

Major C. S. Ellison, of Ansley, was transacting business with the county judge Monday. He filed the will of Thos. Blowers, of Ansley, who died last week.

Rev. A. M. Levack will leave tomorrow for a two week's visit in Iowa, with the view of locating as pastor, having resigned his pastorate at this place.

Mrs. P. A. Walton was taken ill last Saturday and that evening her condition was quite serious. Monday and Tuesday she improved considerably, but was not so well yesterday.

The railroad will sell tickets at a reduced rate on account of the big Custer County Fair and all passenger trains will stop at the fair grounds, to take on passengers and allow them to get off.

One of the best games of baseball in Broken Bow this season will occur at 3:30 Saturday afternoon between the home team and Sheridan, Wyoming, which is rated as one of the best west of the Mississippi.

Thos. Blowers, one of the early pioneers of Westerville, died at Ansley last week. Mr. Blowers is the father of Mrs. I. A. Reneau, of this city. The REPUBLICAN extends sympathy to Mrs. Reneau in her great bereavement.

Major Ellison, of Ansley, who was in the city Monday informs us that he recently returned from Colorado where he visited his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Beard, and family, who were formerly residents of Algernon township.

Rev. J. R. Teagarden reached home Monday from a recreation trip to Denver and vicinity and left Tuesday for Sutton where Mrs. T., and the child have visited during his absence from home. They will return here in a few days.

If there was any one place in Broken Bow a cross walk was needed that place was between the corners occupied by the Security and Broken Bow State banks and now the need has been supplied with a cement crossing to the gratification of the ladies especially.

Miss Eva Cadwell will leave tomorrow for Chicago where she will take a course in vocal and instrumental music the ensuing year. As a token of esteem in which she is held a gold bracelet was presented her last night by friends and co-workers in the Baptist church.

We note from the Sargent Leader that W. P. Higgins has moved to Lincoln to secure better educational advantages for his family. Mr. Higgins is one of Custer county's most highly respected citizens and the REPUBLICAN regrets that he has moved from the county.

A. E. Anderson, J. G. VanCott, Pat Stevenson and Dr. W. E. Talbot, accompanied by their wives, leave next Monday for Halsey where they will spend a week hunting prairie chickens and ducks. It is expected that some friends of Dr. Talbot, from Kansas City, will join the party at Halsey.

Only four weeks till the big Custer county fair—the only fair in Nebraska where your horse and buggy go in free of charge; the only fair in the state which gives you free tent in which to sleep, cook and eat, so that you can bring your family and see the big show from start to finish at very little expense. Three or four days recreation from farm duties will do you good and bring back that rosy hue to the cheeks of your good wife who has been toiling with you, side by side for many years, and had no rest. And then, too, you'll be happy to see how happy she and the children will be when you tell 'em to get ready to come and stay three days.

Henry Kelley, of Anselmo, was a city visitor Monday.

S. VanBuskirk, of Merna, was transacting business in the city Monday.

Miss Florence, daughter of Nort Amsberry, of Ansley, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting in the city. She returned home Monday.

Mr. J. H. Cool, of the West Table, was in the city Tuesday. His daughter, Silvia, is at the hospital at this place for medical treatment.

Messrs. Konkel & Mullins are getting their already large stock of furniture moved and in shape so that another car load, which will arrive next week, can be accommodated with floor space.

Jan. A. Owens, of Oconto, was in the city Tuesday, trying to rent a house. Not being able to find a vacant house in the city he decided to buy a lot and build.

The people of Fleming valley held a social and supper on Friday evening, August 17, at the home of Walter Kindree. The proceeds were given to the pastor in appreciation of his services. Everybody had a good time.

Herb Watts was so tickled and had so much business to attend to last week he failed to inform the REPUBLICAN in time for publication that a little lady arrived at his home the previous Lord's day. If there ever was a happy papa, it's Herb.

And still the hunt for houses to rent goes merrily on in Broken Bow and none of the hunters seem to be successful in finding. Rent houses bring a good price here—better than money at 10 per cent. Why don't those who have money to let at 10 per cent and less build houses? That's the conundrum.

John Rockhold, the affable, popular and efficient pharmacist at the Baisch drug store the past six months, left Monday for Ord—his home—where he will occupy a similar position. During his sojourn he made many friends who wish him an abundance of success—in large bunches.

Willis Cadwell left for LaSalle county, Illinois, last Friday morning on receipt of a telegram announcing the death of his mother the previous evening. He returned here the morning of the day of her death from her bedside, thinking, when he left there two days previous, that the chances for recovery were favorable.

Next Monday—September 3rd—is Labor Day, observed generally in the cities throughout the United States and as Broken Bow is one of the cities on the map of Nebraska, the day will be observed here to a certain extent. The banks will not be open for business and there will be a baseball game in the afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock.

J. W. Clay was called to Ansley Sunday morning on account of the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Emma Willis. She was taken sick Friday of last week and died Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. An operation for appendicitis was performed on her Sunday morning but it was discovered that was not the cause of her sickness. Mr. and Mrs. Clay went to Ansley Tuesday to attend the funeral which was held that afternoon.

Nobody knows the money it takes to keep the home together; nobody knows of the debt it makes, nobody knows—but father. Nobody thinks from whence the money will come to pay the bills that gather; nobody feels so blue and glum, nobody else—but father. Nobody tries so hard to lay up something for bad weather, and runs behind, do what he may, nobody—only father.

It was currently reported that the Broken Bow schools would begin the fall term on September 3rd and the REPUBLICAN last week made an announcement to that effect. It was an error, however, the school board inform us, as they will not begin until Monday, September 10th. It behooves every pupil to be present the first day, enroll and be assigned to the proper classes. Much of the success to be attained during the school year depends upon this apparently insignificant procedure.

James Whitehead, who recently returned from a visit to his farm in the southwest part of the county, reports that he never has seen finer prospects for corn since residing in the county.

Perhaps all the improvements needed in Broken Bow will not be made this year, but the good work is being constantly carried on and the mayor and council are to be commended for their good work.

Undertaker Harry Kimball was called to Blaine county last Friday to prepare the body of Mrs. Lulu Austin to be taken to Clark, Nebraska, her former home, for burial. Blood poison was the cause of death.

J. C. Bowen, the North Side grocer, addresses REPUBLICAN readers this week on the ever absorbing topic of Flour—on the first page—and then pronounces the pure old cider vinegar benediction after singing a machine oil doxology.

F. R. Huxtable has located a sections homestead about seven miles northeast of Halsey, on which he filed papers yesterday. He says fully half of it is fine hay land and none of it so rough but what it can be mowed over.

All who want to buy hogs at auction should be on the fair grounds on Friday, Sept 28th, at which time B. J. Tierney, of Ansley, will sell to the highest bidders, 25 boar and 15 sow pigs of last March and April farrow, all eligible to record.

Next Saturday the law is off on small game and the sportsmen can go forth with impunity—shot gun and cork screw—and shoot the festive prairie hen in her lair—or the neck, or wing or any place that suits him best—and return to the city in the light of day and proudly display the scalps he has taken on the field of battle.

The owner of the trotting ostrich advises the management of the Custer county fair that the bird which will appear here is performing three days each week to the wonderment of large crowds of people, is in fine form, enjoying good health and anxiously counting the days until he comes to Broken Bow to show our people some speed. His dates here are September 27 and 28.

A game of baseball will be played next Monday afternoon—Labor Day—beginning at 3 o'clock, between the Broken Bow Sluggers and the Second Nine. These same aggregations played on the 4th of July and those witnessing the contest had more fun than at any game played on the Broken Bow grounds this season. The admission is only 10 cents, for the purpose of defraying expenses of balls, bats, etc.

Alpha Morgan, who was, last week, elected a member of the Republican State central committee, at Lincoln, of the Fifteenth senatorial district, to succeed P. A. Walton, whose term expired, went to Lincoln Tuesday to attend the first meeting of the committee. By a vote of the state candidates were authorized to choose the chairman and secretary of the central committee.

Hotel Reneau, after being remodeled and thoroughly renovated, is now open for guests, under the direction of Col. John H. Iszard, recently of the New Commercial. The Reneau is more roomy and better arranged for the purpose than one would suppose from a merely exterior view. The dining room is capacious and comfortable with plenty of light and the thirty sleeping apartments are all large, airy and nicely furnished. There are wash rooms and closets, with bath rooms on both first and second floors and the Reneau is so neat and cozy that it will surely become a popular hostelry in a very short time under the guidance of its popular and affable landlord.

It is reported that Fred Baisch intends to get married. Interviewed in regard thereto Fred says it is true. That he knows fifty handsome, intelligent and accomplished young ladies in Broken Bow and there's about four dozen of 'em he would like to wed, but as the law prohibits more than one wife it will probably take four or five years to decide which one he wants and then—when he "pops the question"—she may refuse and he will have to commence again and four or five years more may elapse before the event will be consummated. Yes, he intends to get married—if he don't die of old age before he finds some lady who will consent to become hissen.

**Band Concert.**  
There will be a band concert in the park tomorrow (Friday) night. No concert was given last week and as the boys have been rehearsing some new music, something good may be expected.

**No More Railroad Passes.**  
Yesterday a general order went forth from the management of railroads to the officers to issue no more passes. The international law does not prohibit the railroads from granting free transportation until January 1st, 1907, but as railroads believe it a good thing for them they have accepted the situation and ordered no more passes issued after August 29, except to railroad employees and their families.

**Didn't Go.**  
The Broken Bow baseball club intended to participate in the tournament at Arcadia this week, but some of the players were unable to break away from business associations and they did not go.

**M. B. A. Elect Delegates.**  
At the regular meeting of the M. B. A. lodge of this city last Friday night the following delegates were elected to the District convention, which will be held in Broken Bow September 19, 1906: M. D. Callen, L. A. Wells, Eva Amsberry, Joe Pigman and D. M. Amsberry.

The committee that had in charge arrangements for the District convention reported that their plans were rapidly nearing completion and that a good time could be safely anticipated.

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