



The Chase County Courant.

W.E. TIMMONS, Editor and Publisher.

The cyclone that swept over New England, last week, must have taught the Downeasters to never again scoff at a Kansas boom.

Here are two pithy sayings from the Orient: "Disgrace is an ill omened bird no cage can hold;" and again: "Modesty is a sweet song-bird no open cage can tempt to flight."

The initial number of the Ottawa Gazette, an independent Democratic paper, Orvis E. Strong, editor, has reached this office. It is a very lively paper, and we hope it may live long, and prosper.

Statisticians assert, as the result of recent investigation, that France is the richest nation in the world. The French never waste anything, and they spend their money at home. The American wastes half of his income and spends the balance abroad, mainly in France; hence the difference in the wealth of the two nations.

The State elections, this year, will be: Kentucky, August 4, State officers and Legislature; California, September 3, State and Judicial officers, four Congressmen and Legislature; Ohio and Iowa, October 7, State officers in part and Legislature; Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Wisconsin, November 3, Governors are to be elected in all the States named, except Mississippi, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin. In the choice of the Ohio and California Legislatures, United States Senators are involved in place of Senators Thurman and Booth.

SUPPORT HOME PEOPLE. ELMDALE, July 21, 1879.

To the Editor of the Courant: I saw an article in the Falls items of last week's National Era, in regard to employing home teachers, which I think hits the nail on the head. Most of our teachers have qualified themselves by attending the Normal, at Emporia, or some other good institution.

The county has appropriated fifty dollars to assist in holding a County Normal Institute. The teachers are attending, spending their time and money, that they may become more efficient.

Our School Examiners are competent educators, and their examinations are thorough. Persons receiving certificates from them have a guarantee that they are competent to teach; and I do think they should have the preference in the county.

A FRIEND OF HOME TEACHERS.

[We are glad to receive and publish this article, as it expresses an idea, in a limited sense, that should be carried out in a much broader way, if we desire to ever become a prosperous people. Yes, we should give the preference to home teachers, as also to every other home industry or business. We should give a cold shoulder to traveling auctioneers and all other transient persons who come into the county, not because they have any love for the people thereof and wish to sell them good goods at low prices, but because of their love for the mighty dollar which they hope to take out of the county. Let us support home teachers and everything else of a home nature, and then will we have struck the keynote of a prosperous community.—Ed.]

IN MEMORIAM.

Mrs. Ann W. Ice, consort of Mr. A. R. Ice, of Cottonwood township, Chase county, and daughter of Mr. Wm. Doughty, of Cedar Point, whose death took place at the residence of her husband, on the evening of July 9, 1879, a short notice of which was published in the COURANT of July 11, was born in Nottinghamshire, England, June 1, 1834; came to Marion county, West Virginia, with her parents, at 14 years of age; married in that county, October 12, 1854, and came to Kansas with her husband, in the summer of 1863. Mrs. Ice was a woman possessed of many virtues, being a loving wife, a kind and affectionate mother and a most excellent neighbor; and long will her good qualities, both of head and heart, be remembered by her friends and relatives; while her exemplary life will be cherished by those most intimately connected with her as one of the brightest treasures confided to memory's keeping—a life worthy of emulation. For many years her friends had noticed that the germs of consumption were undermining her system; and for the past year she had been a confirmed invalid. She leaves, besides her husband, five children, two girls and three boys, to mourn her death. Her remains were interred in the family cemetery on their farm, where also sleeps her daughter, Phenora, a large concourse of relatives and friends attending the sad cere-

nies of placing in her last resting place her whom they loved so well, and whom they would see no more during earth's forever.

BILLS ALLOWED.

The following bills were allowed by the Board of County Commissioners at their regular meeting, held July 7, 8 and 9, 1879:

Table listing various bills allowed, including names like Wm. Thiele, A. H. Brown, T. P. Sayer, etc., and amounts.

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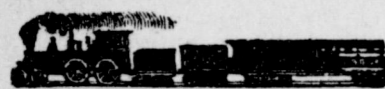
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ADVERTISING RATES.

Table with columns for ad size (1 in, 2 in, 3 in, 5 in, 1/2 col, 1 col) and duration (1 week, 2 weeks, 4 weeks, 8 weeks, 1 month, 3 months, 6 months, 1 year).

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.



TIME TABLE.

Table with columns for direction (EAST, WEST) and station (Safford, Cottonwood, Elmdale, Hunt's, Cedar Pt.).

THE CURRENCY QUESTION.

Notwithstanding the fact that thousands of our people are worrying themselves almost to death over the vexed question, even to the extent of neglecting their business, their homes and their duties to their families, there are still thousands upon thousands of smart, hard working, intelligent men pouring into the great Arkansas Valley, the Garden of the West, where the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad offers them their choice of 2,500,000 acres of the finest farming land in the world at almost their own prices.

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Elegant Day Coaches, Furnished with the Horton Reclining Chair, will be Run Hereafter Between this City and Chicago.

The "Old Reliable" Hannibal and St. Joe railroad will hereafter run magnificent day coaches, furnished with the Horton reclining chairs, between this city and Chicago, without change, by way of Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railway. This is one of the most direct and safe routes to the East, and this step places it in the very first rank in point of elegance and perfection of accommodations. Without doubt it will early become the most popular line in the West with the traveling public. The Horton reclining chair is immeasurably superior in point of comfort and ease of management to all others now in use, and those placed in the Hannibal and St. Joe cars are of the finest workmanship and materials; but to the traveling public it is useless to speak of the excellence of these chairs. They have proved so entirely successful, and so fully meet the wants of the traveling community, that they have become a necessity. Mr. H. D. Price, the efficient passenger agent of the Hannibal and St. Joe road, in this city, furnishes the information that these day coaches will be placed on the road, this week. We commend this route to those going east, who wish to secure comfort, safety and expedition. -Kansas City Journal, Feb. 9

Mr. A. W. Newkirk says he can put up more hay than Mr. Henry Judd or any other man.

LOCAL SHORT STOPS.

Tomatoes are ripe. Beans and hominy at Tuttle's. Best and cheapest stock of tea at Tuttle's.

Mrs. F. S. Perrigo is visiting in Topeka. Thermometer 108° in the shade, July 22.

Mrs. A. G. Minor is visiting in Topeka. Chew Jackson's best sweet Navy tobacco.

Fresh goods of all kinds at J. W. Ferry's. All kinds of canned and dried fruit at Tuttle's.

Mr. G. R. Simmons is on the sick list, this week. Toilet and fancy goods at L. B. Breese & Co.'s drug store.

We have received from S. N. Wood a copy of his picture. Any quantity of dry goods, groceries, etc., at J. W. Ferry's.

Mr. F. B. Irwin, of Emporia, is repairing the court-house roof. J. W. Ferry has no specialty, but sells everything at low figures.

Remember that J. W. Ferry has a large supply of furniture on hand. Mr. J. A. Maynard has rented out his place, and he will move to Emporia.

Harmon Doolittle is again on our streets, having recovered from his illness. Mr. Joe Ollinger, of Newton, is here visiting his cousin, J. P. Kuhl, Esq.

103° in the shade is what the thermometer indicated at Cottonwood, last Sunday. Rev. J. G. Freeborn has been appointed postmaster at Lida, vice A. B. Moore, resigned.

Three of Mr. John V. Sanders' daughters are at the Union Hotel, on a visit to their father. Mr. J. R. Norvill, of New York, has been lecturing on our streets for the past few nights.

A good milk cow, with calf, for sale. Price, \$26. Call at once. M. OLES.

Cigars, tobacco, both smoking and chewing, and a complete line of confectionaries at F. Oberst's bakery. Mrs. Cora Clark, of Winfield, daughter of Mr. A. B. Watson, of this city, is here on a visit to her parents.

The Hon. T. S. Jones, who is now home on a visit, from Dodge City, called at this office, Thursday of last week. The wife and two children of Mr. S. E. Cornell, who lives near Bazaar, arrived here from the East, last Saturday.

We have received a communication about blooded stock, which we withhold from publication for want of the author's name. In sawing some meat, Tuesday morning, Mr. Wm. Born came very near sawing off his left thumb, having cut a deep gash in it.

Those indebted to M. Oles, and whose accounts are now due, will please to call and settle before the 30th instant, and save costs. Tuttle's stock of groceries was never more full and complete, and his prices never lower than now. Give him a call and be convinced.

Babyland, for August, a nice little magazine for children, published by D. Lothrop & Co., Boston, Mass., at 50 cents per annum, is on our table. L. Martin & Co. are having an excellent run of custom, because they sell goods so cheap, and the reason they sell so cheap is because they sell for cash.

At a depth of 65 feet salt water was struck, one day last week, in a well that was being dug on Mr. Geo. Drummond's place, about three miles west of this city. Caldwell & Co. will soon be in their new stand; but until they do, they will still have bargains at the old stand, where they will take pleasure in waiting on customers. Ralph Denn left, yesterday, for Michigan, for a short time. He left his books with Judge S. P. Young. All who pay up while he is gone ought to have a chromo or a gold medal.

L. Martin & Co. have just received a large invoice of home made boots from the well known firm of Tootle, Hossa & Co., of St. Joseph, Mo., which they are selling cheap, for cash. We sent out about \$300 in subscription bills, last week, and received \$625 in response thereto. Verily, some folks must think we live on wind, and camp under a Jamestown weed of nights.

Constable T. N. Leonard, of Marion county, arrested a man near Link's mill, named Frank Wise alias Benjamin West, on Tuesday, on a charge of horse-stealing, and took him to Marion county.

The Nursery, for August, an excellent number, is on our table. This magazine is published monthly by John L. Shorey, 36 Bromfield street, Boston, Mass., and contains very good reading for children. In our ordinary notice of Miss Mary E. Wood, (Dearie,) which appeared in last week's issue we

failed to state that the Rev. H. J. Walker, of the Methodist Church, officiated at the home and the grave of the deceased.

Applicants for teachers' certificates will be examined at the school-house in Cottonwood Falls, August 1 and 2, commencing at 8 o'clock, a. m. Applicants for the A Grade will be examined in the additional branches, August 2.

Mr. Isaac Alexander has entered into a contract with Messrs. Babcock & Emslie for the stone for the Capitol building at Topeka, which will be taken from his quarry east of Cottonwood, they paying him 75 cents a car load, and taking 2,500 load.

Although the weather is extremely warm, we see no use of complaining when you can go to M. M. Young's confectionary stand and get a saucer of ice cream, a glass of nice cool soda water, or a glass of ice-cold lemonade. Go there and get cooled off.

Married, on Wednesday, July 16, 1879, by the Rev. J. G. Freeborn, at his residence on Prairie Hill, Mr. G. R. Simmons and Miss Mary E. Hower, both of this city. The happy couple were serenaded by the Brass Band, Saturday night, and Mr. Simmons "set up" the ice cream to the "boys."

At the sale of the late Judge R. M. Ruggles' blooded stock, which took place at Americus, last week, Mr. A. Z. Scribner bought the cow Golden Days and her calf, by Cecil, for \$105. Mr. J. R. Blackshire bought her yearling bull, by Cecil, for \$67.50. Mr. Robert Drummond bought a grade yearling bull.

The contract for the stone work on the Federal building at Topeka was let in Washington, July 17, to Wm. Tweeddale & Co., of Topeka. This is the same firm that obtained the contract to build the west wing of the State Capitol, and of which Mr. John Emslie and the Rottiger Brothers, of Cottonwood, are members.

The Emporia National Era tells its readers of the high bills handed in by the assessors of this county. Of the five bills presented by the assessors, the only ones not cut down by the Board of County Commissioners—every member of which is a Republican—were those handed in by the two Democratic assessors. Moral—Vote for Democrats for office.

Mr. Henry Howard, the Prairie Hill black-mith, died, Tuesday, July 22, 1879, from the effects of the kick of a horse, which he received in the abdomen, Monday, July 14, while hitching a tug to a wagon on which he was hauling stone. He leaves a mother who lived with him, a wife and four children, two boys and two girls, to mourn his untimely end.

John Curtice, the man who was arrested on Diamond creek, on a charge of incest with his 14-year-old daughter, was taken before Squire Jeffrey, last Monday, for trial. During the progress of the trial it came to light that the girl was not Curtice's child, but only his step-daughter, having stepped in during his absence from home in the army, and he was released.

Mr. Henry Wilson died last Friday night, July 19, 1879, at 12 o'clock, at his residence in Toledo township, in this county, of phlegmonous erysipelas, probably induced by poison introduced into his arm by a dentist's instrument while having a tooth pulled, in Emporia, two weeks before. While in the dentist's office Mr. Wilson sat down and put his arms up on the arms of the chair, when the instrument gave him a stick which seemed very slight at the time. His remains were interred in the graveyard west of this city, on Sunday morning, the Rev. H. J. Walker preaching the funeral sermon in the Methodist church. Mr. Wilson came to this county eight years ago from Buchanan, Berrien county, Michigan, and was 38 years old at the time of his death. He leaves a wife and six children, four boys and two girls, to mourn his death.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

The City Council met in called session, last Monday night; present, Mayor McWilliams and Councilmen Martin, Caldwell, Denn and Cochran. The committee that had been ordered to repair the bridge on Broadway was instructed to proceed at once to finish the same. The Committee on Streets and Alleys were empowered and instructed to make contracts for filling all the holes on Broadway. The appointment of Jabu Johnson as City Marshal was revoked, and D. W. Rankins was elected to fill the vacancy, and directed to clean up the alley and hog pens on block 15. The following bills were allowed: J. W. McWilliams, expenses for tramp, \$1.55. Geo. W. Estes, repairing bridge on Broadway, \$12.35. A. P. Gandy, recording deeds for city, \$1.25. W. E. Timmons, advertising ordinance, and a local, \$6.00. Adjourned.

THE WORLD'S BALM.

Dr. L. D. Weyburn's Alternative Syrup. A remedy tried thirty five years in a private practice, and never failing to radically cure.

RHEUMATISM.

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Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of July, 1879, a petition, signed by W. E. Timmons, was presented to the Board of County Commissioners of the county and state aforesaid, praying for the location of a certain private lane or road, described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the northeast corner of the southwest quarter (1) of the southeast quarter (4) of section five (5), township twenty (20), range eight (8), east, running thence east, upon a subdivision line, connecting with the public road running from Bazaar to Cottonwood Falls; said petitioner represents that his premises are so completely surrounded by adjoining lands, the property of other persons, as to be without access or any public highway. Whereupon said Board of County Commissioners appointed the following named persons, viz: J. P. Caldwell, H. L. Bradford and S. F. Young as viewers, with instructions to meet, in conjunction with the County surveyor, at the point of commencement of said proposed private road in Falls township, on Monday, the 18th day of August, 1879, and proceed to view said road, and give to all parties a hearing. By order of the Board of County Commissioners, S. A. BRIDGE, County Clerk.

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BABY'S SHADOW DANCE.

Into the parlor she danced; the day. With its nursery plays, was over; Now papa, who had been long away, Soon would come to his little girl lover.

Two years old—was she baby yet? Or was she a dot of a maiden? No matter, the heart of the precious pet With sunshine and love was laden.

Suddenly she passed—on the bright lit wall A little dark figure was cast! She knew not how hers they mated.

A moment she stood, wide eyed with amazement, But with never the faintest blunder; Then opening her arms, with a loving gaze, Coaxed tenderly, "Come to your mudder!"

OUR PASSENGER.

It was a lovely autumn afternoon toward the close of September, when we weighed anchor and sailed out of the river Mersey, bound for Melbourne. We had a good ship—Janet's Pride—loaded with miscellaneous articles. On board were fourteen passengers, and take them all in all, a pleasant lot I never steered across the stormy sea.

There were three old gentlemen, who were going out to share their fortunes, come what might, and which, poor old souls, they seemed to think fashioned in the brightest colors, long before the English Channel was out of sight.

Then there was a solitary old gentleman, who, judging from the tone of his conversation, was seeking the new world for the ostensible purpose of finding fault with it.

There were two young married couples, all full of hope and activity, bent upon making a new home far away from their native land.

There were also a very jolly elderly brother and sister, neither of whom had ever entered into the bonds of matrimony, but instead had stuck to each other throughout life.

There were three old Australian settlers who had been over for a heap at the old country, and who were now returning to the land which to them, through long communion, had become the dearest of all others.

There was a young man, who had been a sailor, and who had been a sailor's luggage be also thoroughly acquainted.

"This," he continued, "must be most humiliating to the feelings of your crew, Captain, and, therefore, in common fairness to them as our fellow-men, let me also suggest that every passenger and every passenger's luggage be also thoroughly searched."

A little hesitation on the part of one or two of the passengers was demonstrated before acceding to this last proposal, but our pleasant passenger soon contrived to bring those who at first demurred to his side of thinking.

"Of course," he said, "there is not a passenger on board who is not above suspicion, yet, in justice to the feelings of the crew, it is, in my humble opinion, the least we can do."

The delicacy of feeling and this thoughtfulness on the part of Reginald Moore rendered him, if possible, more admirable and praiseworthy in our eyes than ever.

Many of the crew objected strongly to this mode of procedure, but all were compelled to submit. The old boat-swain was furious with indignation, and vowed that if it cost him his life he would trace the thief who had caused him to be searched like a common pick-pocket.

He was, too, such a clever fellow with his hands. He could cut and shape you anything out of a piece of wood, from an oyster to an elephant, and at making models of ships, he never met his equal. He was, besides, such a kind considerate fellow towards fellow-passengers.

old gentlemen instantly proceeded to explain that they possessed jewelry of the value of at least £300, which they usually kept locked up in a brown leather writing case; but unfortunately at the present time the lock was out of order.

Reginald Moore suggested a safer deposit for their valuables. The young married couples announced the fact of their owning at least £250 worth of jewelry; and they, too, consulted Mr. Moore as to the safest plan for securing it.

The kind-hearted brother and sister had it appeared, more valuables in the way of jewelry than any one on board £1,500 had never purchased what they possessed.

The whole of that evening was occupied in speculating as to the probable perpetrator of the theft, and in condoling with Reginald Moore on his great loss.

Every one turned in that night in an uneasy state of mind, and it was with astonishment that they found themselves, in the morning still in full possession of all their worldly goods. This improved condition of affairs seemed to reassure our passengers, who at once began to look cheerful and at ease.

Reginald Moore's pleasant face wore it wanted smile, and as heretofore, he enlived and cheered us with his vivacity and anecdote. All day through he worked on the model of the Janet's Pride, still using the top of the empty water-cask for a work-table.

That night we retired to rest with minds far more at ease than the previous one. Alas! what a sense of anger and distress came with the morning! Every passenger on board possessing jewelry had been robbed during the night.

The three old gentlemen, the young married couple, and the kind-hearted brother and sister, found themselves minus every article of jewelry that they had possessed. Even the jolly elderly gentlemen had lost his gold snuff-box.

There was no keeping matters quiet this time. The thief must be traced and brought to justice. What was the wisest method of procedure? What would Mr. Moore suggest?

"I would suggest, though most reluctantly," said Mr. Moore, "that every sailor's luggage be carefully searched."

To this proposition we unanimously agreed. "This," he continued, "must be most humiliating to the feelings of your crew, Captain, and, therefore, in common fairness to them as our fellow-men, let me also suggest that every passenger and every passenger's luggage be also thoroughly searched."

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With one bound he was upon the boatwain before he could turn to protect himself. I waited no longer, but flung open the door of my cabin in an instant, and in another I was to the rescue, and in a few moments we had our pleasant passenger in irons.

So, you see, he was the thief, after all, hiding his bravery under the pleasant exterior I ever knew a man to possess. The manner in which he had manufactured the top of that water-cask was the most finished and ingenious piece of carpentry I have ever beheld.

In the interior of the side of the case he had driven several nails, about two feet from the top, on which he had suspended, in wash-leather bags, the jewelry he had stolen.

You may easily imagine the surprise evinced by our passengers on discovering that the thief was the man for whom each and every one entertained such regard and affection.

At the expiration of three days from the date of the pleasant passenger's detection we landed in Melbourne, where duty compelled me to hand him over to the police, but no one cared to remain in that town for the purpose of prosecuting him, he was summarily dealt with. The presiding magistrate sentenced him to six months imprisonment with hard labor.

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