



Chase County Courant.

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THE LANDLORD'S VISIT.

Old Widow Clare, In a low-backed chair, Sat mid-nodding; While over the road Came Farmer McCrede A plid-plid-plodding.

draught. The hearth projected in front and was cast with double ledges to receive the edges of the upright plates, and also with a number of holes—one in the front part with a regulating valve for admitting air to the fire from an air flue below, when the shutter was down; one behind the first upright plate in the back for discharging the air brought under the hearth from without into a narrow rectangular box, as long as the width of a stove, and as high, excepting the space for the smoke flue over its top;

dripping-pans. The older people have heard grandpa tell all about the "good old times," and while none of us would care to go back to those methods of cooking, which are now considered somewhat primitive, although in the recollections of our living elders, we never close our ears to the stories of how the old folks used to do—how they used to get along without stoves, without coal, without matches.

Salt River, the Famous Political Watering-Place. This famous old-time Kentucky watering-place opened for the fall and winter season on Wednesday last, the fifth instant, under the most favorable auspices imaginable. At this writing several thousand distinguished guests are registered at the Grand Republican Hotel, while thousands more are on their way from various States in the Union.

A Pernicious Harangue. During the last campaign of our civil war, and when its result, so far as fighting was concerned, became daily more certain, Englishmen who had been anxious to see the disruption of the Union, and who had predicted that event as inevitable, began to talk in a different strain. It was true, they said, that the North might overwhelm the South by brute force; but the South would never be reconciled to the North; the Union, if continued, would be, to one side at least, a hateful one, and its continuance a source of misery, such as all loveless bonds between either persons or nations must forever prove.

THE DAIRY. —It is said that the development of favor in cheese can be hastened by subjecting the cheese to a strong current of air. If the cheese is kept in too close air during the process of curing it will be likely to be deficient in flavor.—Western Rural.

OLD TIME CHEER.

The Mammoth Fire-Places of Our New England Ancestors.

Interesting Account of the Improvement in Stoves—When They First Came into General Use—The Old-Fashioned Ovens, Etc.

The improvement in stoves has been as marked in this century as those of almost any other invention. Indeed, in New England homes, the stove was an unheard of luxury prior to 1800. In fact, it was very little known before 1830. Benjamin Franklin was the first American who experimented on the improvement in stoves. As early as 1745 Franklin made his experiments, and succeeded in making marked improvements on what was then known as the "Hollax d" stoves. This stove was an iron box made of five plates, and fastened together by screws, leaving one side open. The open side was set outside the room, the stove itself projecting through the partition. Dr. Franklin's invention, which, as we have suggested, was a great step forward, was a rectangular box of cast-iron plates, open in front except near the top, with a sliding shutter by which the whole might be closed entirely or in part, either for safety or for increasing the

CONFIDING IN WIVES.

Many Reasons Why a Husband Should Make His Wife His Business Confidant.

It is equally important with teaching wives business methods to confide to them a knowledge of the husband's business affairs. Some men go farther than this, and consult their wives about their business. Women have a quicker, sharper instinct than men, and reach conclusions instinctively, that are apt to be right. Hence, men who consult with their wives, often count themselves fortunate when they have taken their wives' advice. But where this is not done, it is always wise to keep the wife informed as to her husband's business. There are many reasons for this.

A Dog That Eats Sponges.

Nassau dogs are the most fearful and wonderful productions of nature. They have a wistful, hungry look about the eyes, and an all-gone thin appearance about the flanks that gives them an air of feeding on wind and the air in a dead calm. But we have a dog here on the place that goes a little ahead of anything in the dog line I ever saw. He belongs to the cook, and the boys say they are never sure whether he is a snake or a dog, he is so thin. He is a cur of the curliest kind, black and gray, but an affectionate little rascal, and a good watch-dog, for he barks at night on the smallest provocation. His name is Jack. You know down here sponges are as plenty as apples at home. They wash dishes with them, and use them for every imaginable purpose, so there are always bits of old sponge lying about. You might go out in my back yard and pick up a half-bushel of them in ten minutes. Well, Jack eats sponges. Of course you will laugh at this; but I pledge my solemn word that I went out into the yard one day and saw Jack eating a sponge, and he seemed to enjoy it. No doubt his idea was to cram himself full of sponge, then go off somewhere and take a big drink of water, and thus swell himself out to a respectable well-fed size. I have respected Jack more ever since.—N. Y. Times.

THE PIPE IN THE MILK PAIL.

The virtue of cleanliness grows by experience, by gradual clearing of the mental sight, just as a perfect morality is of slow and continuous growth; as when one climbs a hill his view enlarges as he rises, and when he reaches the summit he perceives with surprise how much was hidden from him before. So when he begins to practise this virtue in the dairy it grows upon him, simply because his mind is fixed upon it, and he sees things which before escaped his notice. Now the stable is generally inexpressibly nasty to sight and scent, but it is wholly unnecessary that it should be so. There are stables in which one might find nothing disagreeable, and in which the air is purer than in many dwelling-houses. A man whose house is not perfectly clean will never have a clean stable, simply because he does not know what perfect cleanliness is.

Over 100,000 Pairs of Roller-Skates are now in use in New England.

While "the oldest voter" is on parade, Brooklyn puts in her claim to offense. The Susquehanna freeman who counts an even century of life. The poll list of the Seventh Ward bears the name of James Friel, aged 101 years, who has lived in the State fifty-nine years, and in the ward and election district twenty-five years. He lives at No 146 Park avenue, near Franklin avenue, and does not require a coach to go to the polling place.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Rhode Island is now the only State with two cupkiss.

Beaver fur will be the fashion this winter. Owing to the great demand the price has advanced ninety per cent. Seal is not as popular as formerly.—Chicago Journal.

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EN MASQUE.

"Twas at the masquerade we met; A trembling cloud of fleecy lace...

MAJOR JOHN BRINDON.

The Heroic Manner in Which He Won His Bride.

Major John Brinson, member of the Arkansas Historical Society, was requested to read a paper relative to the days of the code within the memory of men now living.

Arkansas had been a State some ten years when I became one of her citizens. I was a very ambitious young man.

The room into which he ushered me was large and comfortable. The furniture was old-fashioned, and as I held out my hands to the blaze, I wondered how the great old brass andirons had escaped the cannon molder in the early days of the American revolution.

At the table the young lady whom they called Jassamine sat opposite me. I had ample opportunity for studying her face, at first a pleasure and then a fascination.

The village was, indeed, small, but, as the Judge said, there was a future before it. There was evidently not much of a past behind it.

I was anxious to know what Jassamine would think of my being there, and especially if she would like the thought of my being that boarder.

anywhere. It is the mind rather than the abode that makes life agreeable.

"Then," said I, in an attempt at compliment, "life should be agreeable to you for you have more mind—than—more mind than—"

"No," she immediately suggested. Finding that I could not finish the sentence as I had intended, I dropped it, and catching up a handful of little nothings, discussed them.

"Sort of a lawyer, eh?" "I am a student of the law," "I am a kind of a doctor," said he. "If you ever need my services, call on me."

"I hope that I shall never need you." "Probably not, but in a country like this a smart chap never knows how soon he may need a physician."

"What will the jurist do?" "If you refer to me, I can tell you. He will beat you with his fist—beat you within an inch of your life."

"If you are going to practice law," said the Judge, "I don't know of a better place than this. Our county seat is about four miles from here."

"Well, then, do you suppose I want to be killed?" "Of course not, but what is life unless it be honorable?"

"Do you mean that since I have refused to fight a duel with that desperate man my life is no longer honorable?" "The fact that people do think you have acted dishonorably, you can not deny."

paring them with her previous actions, I could detect no change. I could disguise it from myself no longer. I loved the girl. As I neared the house I saw her walking along the path toward a large spring that flowed from the foot of the hill.

"Miss Jassamine, I love you!" She stopped, looked at me calmly and replied: "You have made a mistake, haven't you?"

"I don't know, but I do know that I did make a mistake in loving you. Keep away from me. No, you shall not take my hand. I loved you once because I thought you were brave and chivalrous."

"What do you want?" I demanded! "We have come after that woman!" replied one of the men.

Raising both pistols, I fired in rapid succession. The rascals fired at me, but luckily their shots took no effect.

The entire country rang with my praises. There were no sensational daily papers in those days, and I would have indeed been a far-famed hero.

"I don't know, but what is life unless it be honorable?" "Do you mean that since I have refused to fight a duel with that desperate man my life is no longer honorable?"

"I don't believe that Judge Blake thinks so." "But I warrant you that Miss Jassamine does."

"I don't suppose she pays any more attention to it than she can help. Gray loves her and regards you as a rival."

USEFUL AND SUGGESTIVE.

A well drained farm improves the health of domestic animals that live upon it.—Albany Journal.

There is certainly much pungent heat in one of the escaium peppers of the true variety. One plant will furnish several families with all the heat necessary for soup, pickles, hot vinegar, etc.—Boston Globe.

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Bread Pudding: One pint of stale bread, one quart of sweet milk, one teaspoonful of salt, three tablespoonfuls of sugar and two eggs.

Let no one despair of having fresh vegetables daily through the summer who has even a little land and a disposition to till it, for early attention, thorough culture and abundant dressing can hardly fail of rich reward.

TOOLS AND CATTLE.

A Veteran Observer's Remarks About the Care and Treatment of Both. In journeying through the Western States I have noticed a certain kind of economy practiced by dairymen as well as other farmers, in housing farm implements under the clouds of Heaven.

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HISTORIC CITIES.

A Bird's Eye View of Some of the Cities Famous in Story and Song. Alexandria sits demurely by the sea, an Oriental maiden, attracted to the sandy shore of the Mediterranean by barter her spices, silks, mats, with infinite, concluding to remain there and wander no more.

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DYSPEPTIC FARMERS.

How They Disregard the Laws of Health and Bring Suffering Upon Themselves. A man in fair condition—or a horse, ox, or a dog, for that matter—will live at least forty days without food, and ten days without either food or drink; but not three minutes without air.

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From the Comanche Chieftan we learn that Mr. J. A. Smith is the sole proprietor of that paper now, Mr. R. M. Watson having sold his interest in it to Mr. Smith.

New York Witness compiles an election table which shows the following aggregate vote: Cleveland, 4,913,901; Blaine, 4,847,659; Butler, 1,338,880; St. John 150,633; Cleveland over Blaine, 66,242.

Under the present plundering system, all nations must finally reach the same dead level of general pauperism and exceptional excessive wealth. The political economy of labor is as yet almost unknown, even to those who claim to be a non-monopolists. —San Francisco Star.

Every person who has land or even a village lot or garden, should take the Fruit Recorder And Cottage Gardener, published by A. M. Purdy, of Palmyra, N. Y., a life long Horticulturist and Floriculturist, and who has 200 acres land under cultivation. Price of the paper, \$1.00 per year, with a valuable premium. A specimen copy sent free to every applicant, as also his Nursery Catalogue.

If those of our subscribers who wish to receive their paper would call at the office and pay up or remit by "return mail," they would confer a great favor on us. We do not, of course, need the money, as it cost nothing to run a paper in Kansas. Oh, no; we do not need it, but we know where we can loan it for three per cent. a month; and if your subscriptions at once and make us happy.

An important discovery has been made. An old law of the United States—1789—has been discovered to be in force at the present time, which gives the Medical Branch of the Army and Navy, for dissection the bodies of all national political paupers, known as defunct officeholders. After they are all "turned out" why not "turn them over" —it certainly would be less expensive and not so barbarous as to ship them up Salt River to be cremated and then have a Democratic north-wester to blow their ashes to Alaska to sprout and vegetate, and bring on "another rebellion."

We have it from good authority that it is the case "all over Kansas" that the Republican postmasters intend resigning before the 4th of next March in favor of weak-kneed Democrats so as to have that kind of Democrats as postmasters in this State when Cleveland takes the Presidential chair. Gentlemen, this scheme will only give your successors a short term of office and the pay that you would be getting until their successors are appointed, and you would do well to make haste slowly in this matter, as you yourselves only and not the Democratic party, will be the losers thereby.

One of the results of our pernicious prohibitory liquor law is being enjoyed (?) by the citizens of Halstead. As an example we give the amount of taxes paid by a citizen of that city on his personal property last year and this, as follows: 1883, thirty-eight cents; 1884, thirteen dollars sixty cents. His constitutional exemptions last year were the same as this year, the property valuation being less this year. Last year the fines assessed against the saloons amounted to almost enough to defray the current expenses of the city government; this year no revenue has been derived from this source, although there was no less liquor sold than formerly. Prohibition fanaticism and high taxes are fast becoming synonymous terms. —Newton Democrat.

Phew! that is nothing; there is a piece of property in this place assessed at \$15, on which the taxes are \$64.

GREENBACK PARTY. Col Sam N. Wood, in the Topoka State Journal, says of the future of this party: We have been asked what would be the future of the Greenback party. We are of the opinion that it has no future; that its mission has been performed; its work done. That it has been a great educator, all will admit. But Butler has not polled as

many votes as Weaver did four years ago. In Kansas, with all our increase of population, the Greenback vote has fallen off at least thirty per cent. The fact is, many became discouraged, and resolved to have a change, and went squarely into the Democratic party. The result of the election two years ago indicated that this must be the result. This year thousands of Greenbacks voted the Democratic ticket. In this State from ten to twelve thousand voted for the re-election of Governor Gluck. In Chase county, where Weaver polled almost 500 votes in 1880 Butler has but little over 100. It must be plain to every Greenbacker that this ends the party in this State, if not in the Nation. In this State there is really no difference between a Greenbacker and a Democrat. They believe the same. Cleveland has been elected President and the control of the Government has passed into the hands of the Democrats. The country is hoping for much from this change. We think the Greenbackers should take their position inside of this party and help to shape its course. If they fail it will be time enough to organize a new party, but it will not be the Greenback party; its mission is performed, its work is done, and it is of the past. It has no future as a distinct party. It is the mission of the Democratic party to wipe out the national debt, and that annihilates the national system, and the greenback becomes our national money.

Jefferson said: "Bank paper must be suppressed and the circulation restored to the people to whom it belongs." Andrew Jackson said: "If congress has power to make paper money it must be exercised by congress and not delegated to corporations." The Democratic party will stand on the platform of Jefferson and Jackson, and the national banks must go, and all our money whether gold, silver or paper must be issued by the government and made a full legal tender.

THE BURNS CLUB. Pursuant to announcement the Burns Club met in the office of the Hon. J. W. McWilliams last Saturday afternoon, with Mr. M. A. Campbell, President, in the chair, and elected the following officer for the ensuing year: M. A. Campbell, Pres.; Vice-Pres., Jas. McNee; Treasurer, Arch Miller; Secretary, Thos. Frew.

As Robert Burns' next birthday falls on Sunday, it was resolved to celebrate that occasion on Monday night, January 26, 1884, with the usual festival, and for that purpose the following committees were appointed:

On Arrangement and Finance—Arch Miller, James McNee, John Todd, M. A. Campbell and George Drummond.

On Programme—W. A. Morgan, Matt. McDonald, Hugh Jackson, J. W. McWilliams, John McDowell, Alexander McKenzie and John Madden.

On Invitations—W. E. Timmons, Thomas Frew, Robt. Brash, Neil Campbell and P. B. McCabe.

The Committees are to meet at the office of Mr. McWilliams, next Saturday, Dec. 20, at 1.30 o'clock, p. m.

Bills Allowed by the Board of County Commissioners.

Table listing various bills and amounts: J. H. Rice & Sons, blank book... 15 00; Topoka Litho. Co., paper and envelopes... 15 00; Geo D. Barnard & Co., record... 25 26; John Morris Co., misc... 30 00; E. A. Kinne, Dist. Clk's fees... 5 00; John Miller, Justice of Peace... 3 00; H. A. Chamberlain, Constable... 5 00; H. A. Kinne, Dist. Clk's fees... 5 00; W. H. Spencer, Constable... 5 00; E. A. Kinne, Dist. Clk's fees... 11 55; P. B. Hunt, J. of P... 4 80; Louis Baerle, witness fees... 3 00; H. F. Hauer, " " " " 3 00; W. Hauer, " " " " 3 00; Wm Bauerle, " " " " 3 00; E. A. Kinne, Dist. Clk's fees... 22 70; John Miller, Justice of Peace... 1 50; P. B. Hunt, J. of P... 10 65; P. F. Davis, witness... 4 00; Belle Shore, " " " " 2 50; Chas. Shore, " " " " 2 00; H. A. Kinne, Dist. Clk's fees... 1 50; James Glyod, " " " " 1 50; E. A. Kinne, Dist. Clk's fees... 11 80; C. H. Harris, Justice of Peace... 1 50; J. W. A. Morgan, witness... 1 50; E. A. Kinne, Dist. Clk's fees... 17 70; P. B. Hunt, J. of P... 5 00; P. M. Jones, J. of P... 9 00; C. E. Turner, Sheriff... 8 25; J. T. Lawson, " " " " 34 45; Milton Cope, Constable... 3 70; C. H. Harris, Justice of Peace... 29 70; A. Beale, " " " " 2 70; J. W. Crane, " " " " 2 70; J. W. Crane, " " " " 29 70; G. H. Austin, viewer on Perry road... 8 00; Joe Hayward, " " " " 8 00; J. H. Murdock, " " " " 2 00; W. P. Martin, " " " " 2 00; Ira Higgins, chman " " " " 1 50; Jason Peorli, " " " " 1 50; Harry Perforli, marker " " " " 1 50; M. H. Leonard, viewer on Perry road... 4 00; Chas White, chman " " " " 1 50; Levi Rind, " " " " 1 50; H. A. Kinne, Dist. Clk's fees... 1 50; L. W. Coleman, viewer on Wm Watkous road... 2 00; C. J. Seward, viewer on same road... 2 00; P. B. McCabe, " A & Palmer " " " " 2 00; W. G. Patten, " " " " 2 00; W. P. Evans, chman " " " " 2 00; Ira Higgins, chman " " " " 1 50; P. B. Hunt, J. of P... 2 00; W. F. Dunlap, " " " " 2 00; C. W. Rogers, " " " " 2 00; Ira Higgins, chman " " " " 1 50; W. W. Stout, " " " " 1 50; W. H. Lewis, viewer on Wm Stewart road... 2 00; J. S. Peorli, viewer on same road... 2 00; Geo Barber, " " " " 2 00; H. V. G. attendance on court... 30 80; H. V. Simmons, special commissioner... 10 00; J. W. Griffin, collecting delinquent taxes... 30 80; C. H. Harris, Justice of Peace... 1 50; A. Aldieffer, stenographer... 18 80; J. W. Griffin, Justice of Peace... 12 00; J. W. Griffin, postage and express... 24 00; J. W. Griffin, Justice of Peace... 24 00; J. W. Griffin, Justice of Peace... 68 80; Fritz & Holts, boarding prisoners... 3 75; E. A. Kinne, Dist. Clk's fees... 44 00; John Miller, J. P... 2 00; P. B. Hunt, Sheriff " " " " 24 45; G. O. Balch, Sheriff " " " " 5 25; G. C. Miller, Juror... 4 10; Noah Penrod, " " " " 4 10; Jacob North, " " " " 4 10; M. C. Jewett, " " " " 4 10; Newton Hoskins, " " " " 3 10; Newton Stout, " " " " 3 10; D. W. Hoskins, " " " " 3 10; W. H. Burdham, " " " " 3 10; O. M. Ellis, " " " " 3 30; E. C. Coe, " " " " 3 30; S. T. Bennett, " " " " 3 30; James Austin, " " " " 3 30; John Moore, " " " " 3 30; Jesse Mann, " " " " 3 30; G. O. Robinson, " " " " 1 00; G. O. Robinson, witness... 1 00; L. P. Saaty, " " " " 11 80; C. W. Jones, " " " " 10 40; John Campbell, " " " " 9 00; Thos Urin, " " " " 3 90; G. W. Winters, " " " " 1 00; Q. W. Murchhead, " " " " 1 00; G. K. Hagan, " " " " 2 00; E. McLowan, " " " " 1 50; P. M. McClain, " " " " 1 50; C. C. Whitson, " " " " 2 50; Geo. Hughes, " " " " 2 50; S. M. Talington, " " " " 1 50; J. S. Mann, " " " " 6 00; Isaac Newsom, " " " " 6 00; John Wood, " " " " 6 00; J. Robinson, " " " " 1 50; M. H. Kelley, " " " " 9 50; A. C. Cox, " " " " 4 00; K. C. Bridge & Iron Co., bridge at Osage Mills... 5 000 00; Same, for same " " " " 1 000 00; E. A. Kinne, Dist. Clk's fees... 490 00; J. W. Griffin, Sheriff, fees... 1 60; Quarantining cattle... 28 00; C. E. Houston, Justice of Peace... 18 00; John Campbell, " " " " 2 00; Sam'l Brooks, " " " " 20 00; P. M. Tuttle, Justice of Peace... 75 00; Arch Miller, Co. Commissioner's fees... 30 00; M. E. Hunt, " " " " 33 00; Aaron Jones, " " " " 33 00; George W. Yeager, viewer on Robert Brash road... 2 00; B. McCabe, viewer on same road... 2 00; M. L. McGill, chman " " " " 2 00; Geo Yeager, " " " " 1 50; Geo S. Shelton, " " " " 1 50; Geo W Yeager, viewer on E. P. Allen road... 2 00; B. McCabe, viewer on same road... 2 00; M. L. McGill, chman " " " " 2 00; Geo Yeager, Jr., " " " " 1 50; Mike Shroeder, " " " " 1 50; D. J. Hayward, damages on Keeley rd... 70 00; J. Hayward, " " " " 70 00; R. E. Chamer, judge of election and returning poll-books... 3 80; F. V. Alvord, Judge of election... 2 00; Adam Tilton, " " " " 2 00; P. B. McCabe, clerk " " " " 2 00; C. T. Evans, " " " " 2 00; J. D. Montgomery, Judge of election and returning poll-books... 5 00; Thos Harvey, Judge of election... 2 00; E. K. Lanbury, " " " " 2 00; C. S. Jones, clerk " " " " 2 00; A. D. Richards, Judge of election and returning poll-books... 5 10; Henry Weaver, Judge of election... 2 00; C. H. Smith, " " " " 2 00; W. H. Nicholson, " " " " 2 00; returning poll-books... 5 50; G. Larkin, Judge of election... 2 00; J. K. Goodwin, " " " " 2 00; L. W. Coleman, " " " " and returning poll-books... 4 00; M. E. Hunt, Judge of election... 2 00; Clay Shair, " " " " 2 00; J. K. Harter, clerk " " " " 2 00; A. H. Lee, " " " " 2 00; S. W. Jones, " " " " 2 00; W. H. Nicholson, " " " " 2 00; W. Peck, " " " " 2 00; Lot Harrison, " " " " 2 00; W. R. Judson, " " " " 2 00; turning poll-books... 3 70; John Tackington, Judge of election... 2 00; J. M. Tomlinson, " " " " 2 00; James Reynolds, " " " " 2 00; returning poll-books... 4 30; M. D. Miller, Judge of election... 2 00; K. J. Pink, " " " " 2 00; Wm J. Fry, " " " " and returning poll-books... 4 00; H. Dinsfield, Judge of election... 2 00; J. P. Minor, " " " " 2 00; W. T. Hutwell, clerk " " " " 2 00; H. Coll, " " " " 2 00; E. A. Kinne, Dist. Clk's fees... 2 00; W. E. Dickson, " " " " 2 00; S. E. Teoman, " " " " 2 00; W. R. Stotts, " " " " 2 00; John Miller, Judge... 2 00; turning poll-books... 3 30; W. R. Judson, Judge of election... 2 00; J. F. Kirk, " " " " 2 00; S. A. Ferrigo, " " " " 2 00; returning poll-books... 3 00; J. L. Cochran, Judge of election... 3 00; F. B. Hunt, " " " " 2 00; F. G. Clark, clerk " " " " 2 00; E. C. Childs, " " " " 2 00; W. G. Gibson, " " " " 2 00; W. R. Judson, " " " " 2 00; M. L. Lyka, Judge... and returning poll-books... 4 00; Marshall Hart, " " " " 45 00; Sam'l Morgan, Judge of election... 2 00; P. M. Jones, " " " " 2 00; T. Allen, clerk " " " " 2 00; J. A. Lind, " " " " 2 00; Aaron Hammer, damages on Perry rd... 30 00; Marshall Hart " " " " 45 00; James Mahlon, " " " " 50 00; P. H. Harner, damages on M. Brown... 40 00; Wm Stone, " " " " Pctord " " " " 34 00; Mrs. O. McKorkle, " " " " 80 00; Wm Stone, " " " " 48 00; Mrs. O. McKorkle " " " " 64 00; STATE OF KANSAS, ss. I, J. J. Massay, County Clerk within and for the county and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing exhibit is a full, true and complete statement of all accounts allowed by the Board of Chase County Commissioners at its sessions held October 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14 and 15, 1884, and November 1, 1884. J. J. Massay, County Clerk. [L. S.]

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