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NEW TO THE LINE, LET THE CHIPS FALL WHERE THEY MAY.

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A WEEK'S NEWS.

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WASHINGTON NOTES.

The Department of the Interior has decided not to interfere with the Creek Indian trouble, and the entire matter has been turned over to the War Department. Commissioners will go to Okmulgee, the capital of the Creek Nation, with Indian Agent Tuft, to investigate the claims to citizenship made by a large number of persons. They will visit the capitals of all the civilized tribes for the same purpose. There are over two thousand persons in the entire Territory who claim to be Indians, but who are not recognized as such by the Indian authorities.

The special committee appointed to investigate the affairs of the office of the Supervising Architect of the Treasury met in Washington and organized by electing Acting Secretary New Chairman and M. L. McLennan Secretary. Mr. Murch was present with counsel and said he had made a requisition for additional papers in the Architect's office, which he had just received and would like to examine carefully before opening the case.

The Patent Commissioner estimates that the receipts of the Patent Office for the current year will be \$1,200,000 or \$200,000 more than last year.

The Acting Postmaster General issued an order for all postoffices to close on Decoration Day between the hours of ten a. m. and five p. m., except in large cities.

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Presbyterian Church at Pittsburg, Pa., the Committee on Temperance reported resolutions pledging themselves to secure constitutional prohibition, and denouncing the use of tobacco in any form.

The veto investigating committee of the Massachusetts Legislature in making their report to the House divided on party lines. All the Republicans held that the Governor was absent from the Commonwealth from February 21 to March 2, while the Democrats and Butler members took the opposite view.

RECENT rich gold discoveries in Lower California have caused great excitement in Mexico.

The other day as the local freight on the Chicago & Alton Railroad at Marshall, Mo., was making a running switch, Mrs. Mary Jane Hurst, while attempting to cross the track was knocked down and instantly killed.

MAKO P. KAY, Deputy Auditor of Alameda County, Cal., who embezzled \$15,000, was sentenced recently to fourteen years in the State prison, the full penalty for the crime.

WALTER DUNDEN shot and killed Mrs. Nellie Dodson the other afternoon at Jerseyville, Ill., and then shot himself, but only inflicted a slight wound. He is in jail.

Mrs. R. J. McMILLIE, of Londonville, Ohio while in a fit of temporary insanity, recently drowned her two children, aged six and two years, in a well and then took poison herself.

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KANSAS STATE NEWS.

A suit has been entered before United States District Judge C. G. Foster, at Topeka, in chambers, which is in the nature of a foreclosure case and is the biggest individual foreclosure which ever came up in the State.

Andy Wilson, the well-known cattle man, has a big farm and cattle ranch consisting of 5,200 acres, about sixteen miles from Topeka, upon which there are two mortgages, one held by Howard M. Holden, of Kansas City, for \$65,000, and the other held by the Scottish American Mortgage company for \$55,000. Holden has also individual claims of about \$14,000, unsecured. The entire estate is appraised at \$167,000, the cattle and sheep upon it, in addition, being worth about \$30,000 or \$35,000, making the whole worth about \$200,000. The matter has been in litigation for some time, the proceeding before Judge Foster being for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the estate, manage it, collect the income, pay the debts, etc.

The residence of ex-Governor St. John at Olathe was recently burned. The building had been unoccupied for some two months, and was doubtless set on fire. Considerable diversity of opinion exists as to the object of the incendiary, some believing it to have been done by enemies, and others thinking it was done for the purpose of creating excitement that robbery in other parts of the city could be committed. The latter theory was partially sustained by the fact that several attempts at burglary were made during the night. Damage to the building \$1,500, besides much damage to the handsome grounds.

NEAR Winfield recently the trestle works connecting the east bank of the Arkansas River with the bridge proper gave way precipitating an engine and one car of ponies into the river. Engineer Howard Finley, fireman Jim Kelly and assistant train master Messenger, went down with the engine. Messenger and Kelly escaped but were terribly bruised. Finley was drowned, his body being caught between the engine and the tender.

ADAM JACKSON, who was confined in the county jail of Wyandotte County, awaiting his trial at the next term of the District Court for robbing and shooting an old German about six weeks ago, escaped the other night and nothing has since been heard of his whereabouts.

A CONVENTION of County Superintendents will be held in Junction City June 5th, for the purpose of discussing the following topics: Township Districting, Superintendent's Work, Normal Institutes, the Text-book question, the permanent organization of a County Superintendent's Association, and such other subjects as may be desired.

The following persons were sentenced to the Penitentiary at Fredonia by H. W. Talbot, District Judge: John Pearson, for manslaughter, twelve years; W. J. Garland, Alfred Wiley and George Cullage, for grand larceny, three years each.

Actors of incorporation of the Farmers and Merchants' Bank of Scandia were recently filed with the Secretary of State. Capital stock \$50,000. Also the Farmers' and Stockman's Saving Bank, of St. John, Stafford County. Capital stock \$50,000.

A MAN known as Wilker, who keeps a name ready for any locality or emergency, was recently jailed at Topeka for stealing. Officers from several places put in an appearance and claimed him. The chances are that by the time he pays the penalty for all the charges against him he will become familiar with the discipline of several State Penitentiaries.

KINGMAN is soon to have a banking establishment.

In the Northern counties of the State heavy rains have fallen the past week.

Many new Good Templar Lodges are being organized in the State.

JOHN A. LOGAN is expected to deliver the oration at Wichita on the 4th.

The residence of George Hennyon, of Atchison, was entered by burglars and robbed of \$113 in cash and a gold watch and chain the other night. Owen Degan's house was also visited by burglars who managed to find \$28 in cash.

The other day the new Presbyterian Church at Ellinwood was blown down. It was in course of erection and lacked considerable of being completed. It is a serious set back to the hope of the Presbyterians at Ellinwood, who hoped soon to have their church completed.

THERE are six windmills in Thomas County to pump water for stock.

The other morning a fishing hook and line wound around a shingle was found in the northwest part of Wyandotte County that belonged to a man at Edwardsville—about fifteen miles distant. It had been carried that distance by the late tornado.

POSTOFFICE changes in Kansas during the week ending May 19, 1883: Established—Dunola, Harper County, Walter E. Fitch, postmaster; Orange, Smith County, Leonard Baertsch, postmaster. Discontinued—Zephyr, Mitchell County. Name and site changed—Center Creek, Clay County, to Fact, and Thomas S. Lloyd appointed postmaster.

The State Editorial Association, before going to their homes after their recent excursion, chose the following officers for the ensuing year: President, F. P. Baker; Vice Presidents, Albert Griffin, G. W. Sweezy, D. A. Millington, D. R. Anthony; Secretary, J. H. Downing; Treasurer, John A. Martin; Orator, A. P. Riddle; Poet, N. L. Prentiss. Resolutions of thanks were passed to the press and citizens of Winfield for their hospitality; also to the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad for courtesies extended to the Association.

A FULL meeting of the Board of Directors of the Kansas State Fair Association was held in Topeka last week, and Hon. E. N. Morrill was elected Director and President. An aggregate of \$39,000 was agreed upon for the speed fund, to be distributed to the cities of Marysville, Mo., St. Joseph, Topeka and Kansas City. There will be seven trotting, seven running and two pacing races at each place in the circuit.

PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

—Col. Frank H. Pierce, a well-known lawyer of Hillsboro, N. H., the nephew and heir of ex-president Pierce, has been committed to an asylum for the insane. —Boston Post.

—The \$16,000,000 New York girl, Miss Catharine Wolfe, has an average of one matrimonial offer a day the year round, most of them coming from utter strangers. —N. Y. Sun.

—The Duke of Edinburgh is responsible for the latest English craze—mule riding. He introduced the fashion by himself riding one of the particularly fine mules which he obtained in Egypt.

—An old Indian fighter says there is a peculiar condition of Arizona atmosphere which makes an Indian behind a rock, with a Winchester rifle, look like seven Indians—a double-barreled repeating Indian, as it were. —Indianapolis Journal.

—Mrs. Augusta Tabor, the divorced wife of Colorado's Senator, was given a reception by 200 of the wealthiest and most respectable people of Denver a few days after her return from a California tour. Meanwhile Denver society studiously ignores Mrs. Tabor No. 2. —Denver Tribune.

—"Tom" Galloway, who is still running an engine on the Baltimore & Ohio Road, is seventy-four years of age. He began work for the road Jan. 23, 1833, as a dispatcher, and took out his first train in December, 1840. His train has only been off the track twice and he has never injured a person. —Chicago Times.

—Andrew Carnegie, owner of the Union Iron mills at Pittsburg, Pa., and principal owner of the Edgar Thomson Steel works, is a Liberal candidate for member of the English Parliament. Carnegie is a resident of New York, and all his interests are in this country. He never became naturalized, and still holds his citizenship in Scotland. —N. Y. Herald.

The 13th of April is a marked day with Professor William Taylor Thom, of Hollins Institute, Botetourt County, Va. On that day he was born; on that day his mother died; on that day his father died; on that day Professor Taylor broke his leg and was mutilated for life by amputation, and finally, on that day, April 13, Professor Thom's wife died. —N. Y. Graphic.

—The anxiety of the Supreme Court to get as far away from Washington as possible during the summer recess is noteworthy. Chief Justice Waite and Justice Gray will go to Montana; Justice Miller to Puget Sound; Justice Field to Japan. The other Justices do not seem to have found out yet how far they can journey, but it would hardly be strange to find them trying to reach Patagonia or Bombay. —N. Y. Sun.

—Lanky, loose-limbed, unyielding, tooping, high-shouldered and appearing at first sight to be humpbacked; a beardless face approaching the Mongolian type, with turned up Mephistophelean eyebrows; thick lips, prominent cheek bones, retreating chin, bright eyes, closely cropped gray hair; dress loose, untidy and rusty—such is said to be the appearance of Albert Wolf, the most famous of Parisian journalists. —Chicago News.

—The greatest talker in existence could not talk long enough to tire a wagon wheel.

—A little sketch going the rounds of the press is headed "A young woman with a history." Look out for her. She is a book agent. —Norristown Herald.

—A single mill in Pittsburg spins 235 miles of barbed fence wire every twenty-four hours. The cattle of the far West are expected to see the point of this. —Pittsburgh Telegraph.

—Where are your kids? a society man asked, looking at the bare hands of a poor but deserving editor at Vanderbilt's party. "At home in bed," was the indignant reply; "do you suppose I'd bring my children to a party like this?" —R. J. B., in Hawkseye.

—And how much the pale young lady that sat next to the military gentleman resembled her father? "Dennis—"

—Indeed, it's meself that remarked that same to Mary! I should have known she was his daughter if I'd never laid eyes on him. —Toledo Blade.

—The first bite kills the beast: "I suppose you have heard of our dudes, Miss Clara?" observed a New York swell to a Jacksonville girl. "Oh, yes," she answered, "they are becoming very popular in Florida. We use them for alligator bait." —Brooklyn Eagle.

—"Oh, I see you are afraid of me," said Rev. Sidney Smith one day to a young lady who sat beside him at dinner. "You crumble your bread, and that is an undeniable proof of shyness. I do it when I sit by the Bishop of London, and with both hands when I sit by the Archbishop." —N. Y. News.

—The other morning a little boy who was eating shad for his breakfast became very much exasperated at the annoyance the bones caused him, when he yelled out: "Mamma, why don't somebody make shads without splinters in 'em? My throat feels as though it had been sliding down a cellar door for a month without stopping." —N. Y. Tribune.

—"Have you anything extraordinary on your person by which you could be identified?" asked an Austin doctor, who was examining Bill Colbert for a life insurance policy. Colbert thought for a while before he answered. At last he replied that he had the required peculiarity. "What mark is it?" "Fearful cramps when I eat green corn." —Texas Siftings.

The Southern Outrage Mill Grinding.

Another Presidential election is approaching and the Republican managers, for want of an issue, are preparing to revive as much as possible the dying hatreds of the civil war. Like the sorrowing widow whose drowned husband was brought to shore with his clothes filled with eels, they propose to "set 'im agin." In order to operate this plan a general indictment of the election officers in South Carolina has been resorted to and the "Southern outrage" mill started to grind out its gruesome grist.

That prince of political tricksters, Benjamin Butlerworth, of Ohio, has been appointed special counsel for the United States in the prosecution of the election cases at an enormous salary, and the trick of suborning ignorant witnesses, which was played so successfully by the visiting statesmen in 1876, is to be tried again for all it is worth. But the Eliza Pinkston perjury and kindred subornations practiced by Ohio attorneys in the interest of Hayes are too vivid in the memory of the public to enable this new conspiracy against the good name of the people of South Carolina to succeed. There must be better evidence than the testimony of coached and frightened negroes or interested and desperate Republican politicians if this new crusade under the banner of the "bloody shirt" is to make any headway.

The first installment from the "Southern outrage" mill is at hand, but it looks as if it had been run through the burrs by an awkward hand. It is in the shape of an anonymous letter purporting to come from the "headquarters of the K. K. K.," addressed to J. Hendrix McLane, late Greenback candidate for Governor of South Carolina, and threatening the life of that personage if found in Columbia on the 28th of April, 1883. It is a little singular that the only newspaper through which this terrible document saw the light was the National View, published at Washington by Lee Crandall, the man who assisted S. R. Mason in 1878 to betray the Greenback party in this State into the hands of the Cameron bosses, and who is notorious as a tool of the Republican managers.

It would seem that if J. Hendrix McLane actually received such a letter and desired to make it public he would have given it to the Associated Press or to several of the widely circulated Republican papers of the country. If he deliberately hid his light under Lee Crandall's bushel he is without doubt just such an ass as would be likely to be made the subject of a practical joke like that which is now gravely accepted by the Republican press as a "Southern outrage." Besides it is altogether improbable that any one really intending to intimidate Mr. McLane would have used the stale device of pretending to send a letter from the "headquarters of the K. K. K." and of signing it in the grandiose style of the "Grand Assizer D. A. and T. P. D. of F. F.," thus mixing their rather too prominently sound mind. Be it observed, too, that only "on the 28th of April, 1883," Mr. McLane was to make himself scarce in Columbia. Before or after that date he would be perfectly safe in that city. Moreover he was merely to leave Columbia. He might go anywhere else in the State; to Charleston or Beaufort, or even to Hamburg, the stumping ground of the ferocious and terrible Butler. Ah! it is a very pretty tale, indeed, and Lee Crandall is just the sort of person to invent it. —Harrisburg (Pa.) Patriot.

Enough of Arthur.

Some Republican paper nominates President Arthur for re-election. There is no harm in this. Ours is a free country and nominating is at once a National pastime and the unchallenged privilege of American citizens. In the present case the nominator presents his candidate in solemn sincerity and with the profoundest unconsciousness of doing anything out of the way. It is always in order to present the existing incumbent for re-election—and why shouldn't President Arthur have the benefit of this ancient and estimable precedent? Hasn't he made a very fair Executive? Hasn't he circumspically avoided the indiscretions, blunders and culpable alliances that blur the record of many of his predecessors? Hasn't he been exempt from quarrels with Congress, and hasn't he conducted our tame relations with foreign powers, after the Republican fashion, in the tamest and most unexciting way?

Yes, certainly. But for all this the Republicans do not want him for a candidate. They have had enough of him. They would not nominate him, probably, even if they thought they could elect him, which, by the way, they do not think. Republicans have not had the highest opinion of their Vice-Presidents since the days of Andrew Johnson, and when their terms expire they call it square and dismiss them. Besides, Mr. Arthur was the friend and protégé of Mr. Conkling, and not having the ability to rise above the fortunes of that misguided and mistaken statesman, he must share his downfall. Then, again, he allowed himself to be persuaded to impose a member of his Cabinet on the Republicans of New York as a candidate for Governor, an interference which the people of that State rebuked with a majority of nearly two hundred thousand.

No; Mr. Arthur is not the man for the nomination. Republicans do not know who is the man; but they do know who is not. The nomination is going a-begging, but President Arthur can not get it—unless he wants it, of which there is no evidence. —St. Louis Republican.

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Our Little Men and Women and Pansy, excellent little monthly magazines, for June, published by D. Lothrop & Co., Boston, Mass., at \$1 and 75 cents a year, respectively, are on our table.

We are in receipt of a complimentary season ticket to the fourth annual exhibition of the Western National Fair Association, to be held, September 3 to 8, inclusive, at Bismarck Grove, near Lawrence. Special premiums are offered on county horticultural displays, county agricultural displays, horticultural society displays and railroad displays.

The new law regulating passenger tariffs on Kansas railroads will go into effect to-morrow, and the railroad agents have already received instructions from headquarters regarding the same. After that date no special or round trip tickets will be issued; no reduction will be made to clergymen. The only tickets that will then be issued will be straight local tickets—three cents a mile—and children's tickets. Passengers will also be required to make their own change. In view of these facts, an exchange remarks: "Now would be an opportune time for the clergy and editors to organize pedestrian clubs."

We have received from Mr. Wm. Sims, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, a 60-page pamphlet, entitled "Kansas: Its Resources and Capabilities; Its Position, Dimensions and Topography," published by authority of the Legislature, and which contains information relating to vacant lands, agriculture, horticulture, and live stock, together with statements and statistics concerning schools, churches, manufactures, mines and mining, etc., etc. The pamphlet is printed in the English, German, Swedish and Danish languages; is for gratuitous distribution, and will be sent to any one upon application, or it will be mailed to any address furnished to Mr. Sims, either in this country or in Europe, the person sending the address to indicate the language desired. For copies of the pamphlet address Wm. Sims, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, at Topeka, Kansas.

The difference between some towns can be illustrated in this way: If a newspaper is running in one of them, every business man therein, who is interested in building up the town—even the peanut vendors—will have an advertisement in said paper, while the business men in another town, even if they have thousands of dollars invested, will, when approached by the newspaper man for an advertisement, reply: "Every one in the county knows we are in business here, and we don't need to advertise." Now, every one knows that a newspaper is of great value in building up a town or a county, and in keeping them alive after they have been built up; then, if that be so the paper bears about the same relation to the community in which it is published as does the food a man eats bear to his system. Let a man stop eating, and any one could tell you what would follow; so, let the life sustaining force of newspapers be withdrawn from a town or county, would it be hard for any one to tell what would be the consequence to that town or county? but there is not a town in which a newspaper is published without its containing the advertisements of some of the business men of the place. The question arises, right here: Will that town grow as rapidly in which only a portion of the business men are engaged in using every means to further its prosperity as will the town grow in which every citizen is bending his every energy to promote its material interests? or, will not the first mentioned town be a great deal like a heavy load with a balky team hitched to it—likely to be stuck in the mud? Every business man in a town where there is a paper should give such paper a lib-

eral support; because, in helping the paper, he helps the town, and in helping the town, he helps himself far more, financially, than the small amount he will pay out for advertising.

DISTRICT COURT.

L. HOOK, JUDGE.

Since the beginning of this term of the District Court the following cases have been disposed of as follows:

Wm. H. Holsinger vs. County Commissioners; dismissed.

Sylvan A. Cady vs. Samuel P. Cady; divorce granted and custody of children given.

Lucy Gilpin vs. Frank Gilpin et al; Sheriff's sale set aside and a new sale ordered.

J. C. Frederick vs. Ella Frederick; divorce; dismissed.

City of Cottonwood Falls vs. H. D. Clark; fine and costs paid, and dismissed.

Same vs. J. A. Smith, appeal; continued until next term.

Mary A. Newkirk vs. John W. and Nancy E. Marshall, ejectment; judgment for plaintiff, and judgment set aside and new trial granted.

State vs. Ed. Bridges, murder of G. O. Babb; verdict, not guilty.

W. H. Jenkins vs. H. V. Simmons et al; judgment for H. V. and Emeline Simmons.

David A. Harrington vs. Ella Harrington; divorce granted.

State vs. Malone; dismissed when defendant pays costs.

State vs. Theo. Blenkner, bigamy; continued till next term.

State vs. John and Dennis Madden, libel; verdict, not guilty as to former, and jury hung as to latter.

As we go to press they are trying to get a jury in the case of the State vs. W. A. Morgan.

DEATH OF MRS. JUDGE C. C. WHITSON.

Last Monday morning, May 28, 1883, the sad news reached this city, by telegraph, that Mrs. Julia A. Whitson, consort of Judge C. C. Whitson, of this city, had died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. F. R. Dodge, in Columbus, Ohio, whither she had been taken about a month ago, for the benefit of her health, she being afflicted with Bright's disease, and the Judge started for that city, on the 12:45 o'clock train, that afternoon, to be present at her burial, which was to take place in Cincinnati, where her first husband and six of her children are buried, and where she requested to be buried. Mrs. Whitson was 60 years of age, having been born in Cincinnati, Ohio, May 16, 1823. She moved from Paynesville, Ohio, to Lawrence, Kansas, with the Judge and her children, in 1869, and came from there to this city, in 1871, where she had resided ever since. Besides her husband, she leaves three daughters—Mrs. S. D. Breese, of this city; Mrs. A. W. Meiggs, of San Francisco, Cal., and Mrs. F. R. Dodge, of Columbus, Ohio—and one son, Mr. David Riley, of Elmdale, in this county, and a number of grand-children to mourn her death. She was a member of the Universalist Church, and was much loved and respected by the people of this community, who sympathize with the Judge and her children in their bereavement.

ON THE WAY TO THIS PLACE.

Cooper, Jackson & Co.'s new gigantic railroad show, which combines in its organization a great moral circus and the wonders of the zoological kingdom, is on its way to this city, and will exhibit here on June 8, 1883. The stars of all nations will be introduced in a supremely sensational selection of the most startling, surprising series of equestrian, gymnastic and acrobatic feats ever witnessed in the arena; in fact, an entirely new departure in arenic amusements. The Company is one hundred strong, and this capital, concentrated constellation is headed by that brave woman, the beautiful, danger-defying Zazel, from the Royal Aquarium, London. Miss Ida V. Reed, the \$10,000 beauty, is with this show, making her first appearance with it. "Satan," the wonderful fire horse, is with it; also "Bolivar," the mighty war elephant, the largest elephant on exhibition, together with many other wonders of the zoological kingdom. Remember that this

show will be here on Friday, June 8, and bring the little ones in to see it.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Chase county, Kansas, constituted as a Board of Equalization, will meet in the office of the County Clerk of said county, on the first Monday in June, 1883, for the purpose of equalizing the valuation of all property assessed in said county for the year 1883, at which meeting or adjourned meetings, all persons feeling themselves aggrieved with the assessments made and returned by the Assessors, can appear and have all errors in the returns corrected.

S. A. BREESE, County Clerk.

Strayed—\$10 Reward.

Strayed, from the subscriber, four miles south of Cedar Point, about April 1, 1883, one bay two-year-old stallion, three white feet, white spot in face, and is quite wild; also, one bay mare, three years old, small white spot in face, and is very gentle. Any information leading to their recovery will be liberally rewarded; or I will pay ten dollars for their delivery at my place. F. L. DRINKWATER, my 24 2t Cedar Point, Kas.

STRAYED.

\$30.00 reward for three steers, strayed from Bazaar in September, 1881. One, all white; one, red roan, and one, red or dark color; all branded on the left shoulder with the figure 2; dim brand and low down on the shoulder. Look for the white steer with the figure 2 and get your \$10.00. Boys, this will beat rabbit seals two to one. Who will be the lucky boy? P. J. NORRIS.

Have you subscribed for this paper?

Final Notice.

Creditors and all others interested will take notice that I shall make final settlement with the Probate Court of Chase county, Kansas, on the 1st day of June, A. D. 1883, of all matters appertaining to the estate of A. Mollenhauer, deceased. FRED. FRACHT, administrator. Cottonwood Falls, Kas., May 14, 1883. my 17-3w

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GRISHAM & EVANS,

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Full Line of Paint & Oil on Hand.

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Of Which \$5,000 Worth Arrived March 30th,

THROWN ON THE MARKET.

TO BE

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Pursuant to the advice of my physician to leave Kansas, I am closing out my entire stock. Never before have the citizens of Chase county had such an opportunity to buy first-class goods cheap. The wise will take advantage of it. LISTEN TO A FEW PRICES!

3,000 yards good style fast colored prints, 6 cents per yard; 5,000 yards best quality, latest designs, 4 cents per yard; 1,000 yds of good ginghams, new styles, 10 to 20 cents per yd.; 2,000 yds bleached muslin, equal to Lonsdale, 8 to 10 cents per yd.; Unheard of values in hose at 10, 12 1/2, 15, 25 and 40 cents a pair.

Table Linen, Bed Spreads, Towelings, White Goods. ALL at the same ruinously low rates, at

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STRONG CITY, CHASE COUNTY, KAS

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF KANSAS, ss. Chase County.

In the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District, in and for Chase county, State of Kansas.

W. M. Stewart, plaintiff, vs. John Stewart and Charles Stewart, defendants.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District in and for Chase county, State of Kansas, in the above entitled cause, and to me directed, I will, on

SATURDAY, THE 23 DAY OF JUNE, 1883, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of said day, at the front door of the court-house in the city of Cottonwood Falls, Chase county, Kansas, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described estate, to-wit:

The north half (1/2) of the northwest quarter (1/4) of section thirty-one (31) township eighteen (18), range nine (9), in Chase county, Kansas, having an excellent stone quarry on it.

Said property is taken as the property of said defendants, and the same will be sold, or as much thereof as may be necessary, to satisfy their judgment.

GEO. BALCH, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Chase County, Kansas, Cottonwood Falls, May 2, A. D. 1883.

NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL LAND.

Notice is hereby given that I will offer at public sale, on

MONDAY, JUNE 4TH, 1883,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m., and 3 o'clock, p. m., the following described land, northeast quarter (1/4) of northeast quarter (1/4), northwest quarter (1/4) of northeast quarter (1/4), southeast quarter (1/4) of northeast quarter (1/4), and the southwest quarter (1/4) of northeast quarter (1/4) of section sixteen (16), township nineteen (19), of range seven (7), situate in Chase county, Kansas, appraised at three dollars (\$3.00) per acre. Any person may have the privilege of making a bid or offer on said land, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m., and 3 o'clock p. m., on said day of sale. J. S. SHIPMAN, Co. Treasurer of Chase Co., Kans.

Farmers and others desiring a genteel, lucrative agency business, by which \$5 to \$10 a day can be earned, send address at once, on postal to H. C. Wilkinson & Co., 186 and 197 Fulton street, New York.

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I will mail (Free) the recipe for simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, Freckles, Pimples and Blisters, leaving the skin so clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing stamp, BEN. VAN DELP & Co., 12 Barclay St., New York. mh3-1y

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Will stand as follows, during the present season, ending June 30: At A. Drummond's, on Diamond creek, on Mondays; at George McNeel's, on Middle creek, on Tuesdays; at S. M. Wood's, on the Cottonwood, on Wednesdays; at Peter McCullum's, west of Elmdale, on Wednesday afternoons and Thursday mornings; at J. S. Shipman's, east of Elmdale, on Thursday afternoons; at William & John Drummond's, on Diamond creek, on Fridays; at Robert Guthbert's, west of Cottonwood Falls, on Saturdays.

TERMS.—\$13 a single mare, to insure, or \$10 for the season. I will not be responsible for any accidents to mares or foals. apr 12-2m

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The Chase County Courant.

W. E. TIMMONS, - Ed. and Prop

COTTONWOOD FALLS, KAS. THURSDAY, MAY 31, 1883.

No fear shall awe, no favor sway; How to the line, let the chips fall where they may.

Terms—per year, \$1.50 cash in advance; after three months, \$1.75; after six months, \$2.00. For six months, \$1.00 cash in advance.

ADVERTISING RATES.

Table with columns for ad size (1 in., 2 in., 3 in., 4 in., 5 in., 6 in., 7 in., 8 in., 9 in., 10 in.) and rows for duration (1 week, 2 weeks, 3 weeks, 4 weeks, 5 weeks, 6 weeks, 7 weeks, 8 weeks, 9 weeks, 10 weeks, 1 year).

Local notices, 10 cents a line for the first insertion; and 5 cents a line for each subsequent insertion; double price for black letter.

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.



TIME TABLE.

Table with columns for direction (EAST, WEST), station (Cedar Pt., Elmdale, Strong, Safford), and time (a.m., p.m.).

The "Thunder Bolt" passes Strong City, going east, at 12:45 o'clock, p. m., and going west, at 3:35 o'clock, p. m., stopping at no other station in the county. This train carries the day mail.

DIRECTORY.

- STATE OFFICERS: Governor, George W. Glick; Lieutenant Governor, James Smith; Secretary of State, W. W. Finney; Attorney General, W. A. Johnson; Auditor, E. P. McCabe; Treasurer, Sam T. Hoyt; Chief Justice, H. C. Speer; Justices, D. J. Brewer, D. M. Valentine, Thomas Ryan. COUNTY OFFICERS: County Commissioners, Arch Miller, P. C. Jeffrey, J. A. Jones; County Treasurer, J. A. Shipman; Probate Judge, C. C. Whitson; County Clerk, S. A. Breese; Register of Deeds, A. P. Gandy; Clerk District Court, S. P. Young; County Surveyor, W. W. Sanders; Sheriff, George Balch; Superintendent, Mary E. Hunt; Coroner, H. Walsh. CITY OFFICERS: Mayor, J. P. Kuhl; Police Judge, M. H. Pennell; City Attorney, William Forney; City Marshal, J. D. Minnick; Councilmen, Edwin Frait, J. S. Doolittle, J. A. Campbell, J. W. Ferry, E. A. Kinne; Clerk, W. H. Holsinger; Treasurer, W. H. Holsinger. SOCIETIES: Knights of Honor, Lodge No. 747, meets on the first and third Tuesday evening of each month; F. B. Hunt, Dictator; H. P. Brockett, Reporter. Masonic—Zereth Lodge No. 80 A F & A M, meets the first and third Friday evening of each month; J. P. Kuhl, Master; W. H. Holsinger, Secretary. Odd Fellows—Angela Lodge No. 88 I O F, meets every Monday evening; H. N. Simmons, N. G.; C. C. Whitson, Secretary.

COURANT CLUB LIST.

Table listing various newspapers and their subscription rates (e.g., Kansas City Weekly Times, \$2.50; Topeka Weekly Capital, \$2.50; Leavenworth Weekly Times, \$2.50).

First-class organs at E. Cooley's for \$50 cash.

If you are a paid up subscriber to this paper call and get a copy of "Kendall's Treatise on the Horse." If you are a non-resident and have paid up your subscription, you, too, are entitled to a copy of the book, and can obtain it by sending us four cents to pay postage.

Kuhl will duplicate prices on any harness or saddle bought at Kansas City or any other place. Go and be convinced. He has on hand now fourteen sets of single harness, and a nice lot of California saddles; also, a fine lot of ladies' saddles, for \$6 to \$20, with the celebrated Shelley's patented ventilating tree.

LOCAL SHORT STOPS.

Fine growing weather. Subscribe for the COURANT. Prepare for the 4th of July. The city schools will close with a picnic. Rain, Monday night, and cloudy on Tuesday.

Dr. Jacobs, of Emporia, was in town, Monday.

Mr. C. H. Carswell was down to Emporia, Sunday.

Mr. W. W. Sanders has been appointed a Notary Public.

Mrs. Abbie Cornack is suffering from a ruptured blood vessel.

Mr. Wm. S. Romigh returned home, Friday, from the East.

Mr. L. W. Coleman came in from the west a few days ago.

Miss Nannie Pugh has returned from the State University, at Lawrence.

The Miller school, on South Fork, closed, last Friday, with a picnic.

Mr. S. T. Bennett shipped ten car loads of cattle to Kansas City, last week.

Dr. and Mrs. R. Walsh gave this office a pleasant call, Monday afternoon.

Mr. J. R. Holmes shipped two car loads of hogs from Elmdale, last week.

The Plum Grove mail will leave here, hereafter, on Tuesdays and Saturdays.

Mr. J. A. Smith returned, Tuesday afternoon, from a short visit to Emporia.

We have made arrangements to club the Chicago Inter-Ocean with the COURANT.

Mr. Fred. S. Perrigo has gone to Chihuahua, Mexico, to work for Mr. B. Lantry.

The physicians in this locality report that there is very little sickness hereabouts.

The Bazaar Dramatic Club will give a picnic in Mr. Lot Leonard's grove, next Saturday.

Mr. N. J. Swayze and his brother-in-law, Mr. Thomas, were down to Emporia, last Saturday.

Dr. J. McCaskill received another car load of hne cattle from Bourbon county, Ky., last week.

Born, on Tuesday, May 22d, 1882, to Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Jones, of Strong City, a daughter.

Mr. L. W. Heck has the foundation and cellar dug for a residence on his lots adjoining his residence.

Mr. L. F. Miller, having purchased three lots east of Mrs. H. L. Hunt's, will build a residence thereon.

Mr. Wm. Foreman sold to Mr. Wm. Tuttle, one day last week, one of his three-year-old Norman stallions for \$400.

Mr. Fred. Garland, having sold his interest in the confectionery business in Strong City, intends to go to Colorado.

The religious services at Cedar Point will be as follows: 1st and 3d Sundays, Methodist; 2d and 4th Sundays, Baptist.

Mr. I. O. Wilkinson is now employed on the Texas Pacific railroad, and has moved his family to the line of that road.

L. M. Jones, of Diamond creek, caught twelve wolves in one den, last week, and brought the scalps in to the County Clerk.

Mrs. Earman and Mrs. Simpson, of Anthony, Kansas, and Mrs. Hammond, of Washinton, Iowa, are visiting at the Rev. John Taylor's.

Willie Hillert, who has been in Kansas City, for a few weeks past, having his eyes doctored, is doing nicely, and will be home in a day or two.

Wallace Britton, a son of Mr. L. Britton, on Diamond creek, having been adjudged a lunatic, has been taken to the Insane Asylum at Topeka.

Regular service at the Baptist church in Strong City will be held on the second and fourth Sundays of each month, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and 7:30 o'clock, p. m.

Friends of the COURANT, having legal notices to publish, will confer a favor on us by requesting their attorney or the county officers to have them published in the COURANT.

The postoffice in this city will be open on Sunday for a few minutes

about 8 o'clock, a. m., and 1, p. m., for the exchange of mails, and for one hour in the afternoon, from 4 to 5 o'clock.

We have made arrangements to club the Louisville Courier Journal, the most ably edited paper in the South, with the COURANT. See this advertisement in another column, and read the rates.

There is to be a grand ball in Hildebrand Bros. & Jones's new store in Strong City, on the night of June 22, at which parties from many parts of the East and the West are expected to be.

A strawberry and ice cream festival will be given by the Congregational Sunday-school of this city, on Friday evening, June 1, in the Congregational church, to which every one is invited.

The school-house in District No. 30 has been moved near to Mr. G. R. Schluraff's place, and it has been named Fair View School. An ice cream and strawberry festival will be held there on the 5th of June, for the benefit of the Sunday-school held there.

The school in Dist. No. 20 will hold a picnic, on Saturday, June 9, in the beautiful grove on the east bank of Cottonwood river, opposite the residence of J. R. Black-shere, Esq., to which all are cordially invited. Refreshments for the children, free. The grounds can be reached, from the west side, by crossing Mr. Blackshere's ford.

Mr. Silas T. Jennings and son, members of the Cincinnati Bicycle Club, and uncle and cousin of Mrs. T. B. Johnson, of Strong City, who had been visiting at Mr. Johnson's, started back home on Wednesday of last week. They set out from Cincinnati about six weeks ago for a rustating trip to the west, and to visit friends in Illinois and Kansas. Each being an expert rider of the bicycle they took their wheels with them, and, in their journeyings over the country, they alternated their mode of travel from bicycle to cars and from cars to bicycle, as their inclinations or the occasion required. They enjoyed their novel mode of travel very much, and returned home in the same way.

Last Saturday, Mr. J. Heckenlively started to Florence, and attempted to cross the Cottonwood with his horse and buggy, at the Jolly ford, but the river being up, he and his horse and conveyance were carried some distance down stream and were in the water some time before Mr. Heckenlively got disentangled from the horse and went out of the water. The horse was carried down stream until it lodged in some brush, and Mr. Heckenlively climbed down a grape vine and got the animal loose, when it was carried still farther down stream, and Mr. Heckenlively climbed back up the grape vine to the top of the river bank, and, with the assistance of some other men, he got his horse and buggy out of the water; however, losing his whip, overcoat and buggy cushion.

MEETING OF CHASE COUNTY HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

At the regular meeting in February this society adjourned to meet at the call of the Secretary, at the most suitable time for a strawberry display, to be held at the Court-house in Cottonwood Falls, when and where this fruit would be made a subject of special discussion; and the members and all others who have specimens of any and every variety, are urgently requested to have them represented. In accordance with the above, the meeting is called for Saturday, June 2d, at 1 o'clock, p. m. We especially desire every one having any variety of this fruit to bring specimens, if but a few berries. Let there be a full turn-out and a large display of samples, so that a full discussion of this subject can be had. Ladies are especially invited; and any tribute of flowers for the occasion will be thankfully received. J. W. BYRAM, Secretary.

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. If you

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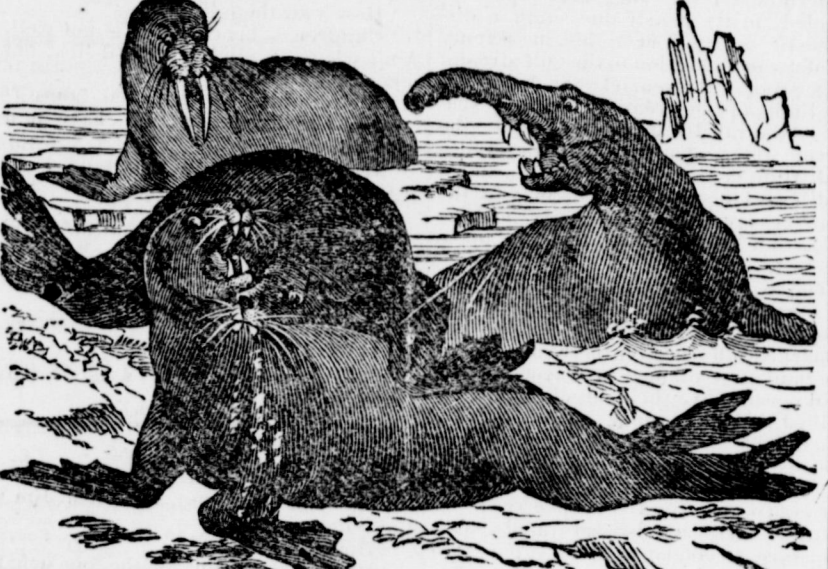
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The best of groceries are kept at Breese's store. Go to Howard's mill if you want to get the best of flour.

Carpets and oil cloths at Horaburger's furniture store. Go to Breese's to get the best of staple and fancy groceries.

Parties indebted to Dr. Walsh are requested to call and settle. A car load of Moline wagons just received at M. A. Campbell's.

Breese, the grocer, keeps on hand a stock of staple dry goods. A car load of Glidden fence wire just received at M. A. Campbell's.

Wanted, at the Union Hotel, a kitchen girl and an assistant; good wages.

The McDonald Brothers, on Diamond creek, have a thorough-bred bull for sale. J. W. McWilliams has \$500 and \$250 to loan, at once, on real estate, at low rates.

A regular track harness at Kuhl's for \$15; a full quilt, No. 1 in every respect, for \$24. Go to J. W. McWilliams and buy the railroad land you need and want, now before the price is raised.

Dr. W. P. Pugh will continue to do a limited practice; and will be found, at all unemployed times, at his drug store.

Before you insure your property against cyclones call on J. W. McWilliams. Look out for wild-ent, traveling agents. If you want to buy the Milk Syndicate land, late Santa Fe land, go to J. W. McWilliams, who will make it to your advantage to purchase of him.

L. Martin & Co. are still on deck with a good and large stock of general merchandise, which they are selling at prices as low as the lowest. Give them a call and be convinced.

Know all men by these presents that Breese, the grocer, keeps fresh

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W. P. PUGH, M. D.,

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Office at his Drug Store,

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COTTONWOOD FALLS, KANSAS, nov2-1f

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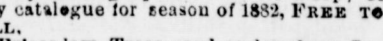
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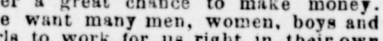


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FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

President Newton, of the Western New York Farmers' Club, says stock will graze almost all kinds of grasses in preference to red clover.

The process of condensing milk is really very simple, and consists in heating the milk in a vacuum pan kept exhausted by an air-pump until it is reduced one-fourth.—Chicago Journal.

Rich Pudding Sauce: A large coffee cupful of sugar, one-fourth pound of butter, beat till very light; break in one egg, beat very little; after the egg is in add one glassful of brandy or wine. Steam or use cold.

The approved manner of eating an egg is the English fashion. Set the egg upright in the cup, make an orifice in one end and eat out of the shell, favoring to taste. Eggs discolor silver and fry them in a greasy pan in boiling fat.—N. Y. Times.

Put a teaspoonful of sulphur in the nest as soon as hens or turkeys are set. The heat of the fowls causes the fumes of sulphur to penetrate every part of their bodies; every louse is killed, and as all nits are hatched within ten days, when the mother leaves the nest with her brood she is perfectly free from nits or lice.—N. Y. Examiner.

Delicious breakfast dish: For a family of six, take three cups of mashed potatoes, one half cup of flour and a half teacup of sweet milk, two well-beaten eggs, a little salt; mix well together, shape them small and drop into hot fat, or roll them into little balls, and fry them in a greasy pan in boiling fat.—Continental Magazine.

Here are directions for making excellent rolls for tea: One quart of flour, one half teacupful of salt, three teacupfuls of baking powder, one table-spoonful of lard, one pint of milk; mix in as soft a dough as you can handle easily, and take pains not to work in much flour on the kneading-board; cut out in narrow strips, about five inches long; rub the top over with a little sweet milk and bake in a hot oven.—N. Y. Post.

A writer in the Country Gentleman says the following recipe will cure hams and beef: To four gallons of water add six or eight pounds of fine salt (according to the length of time that meat is to be kept), and three ounces of saltpeter, with molasses or sugar to give flavor to the brine. This pickle should be scalded, but not boiled, and stirred till the salt is dissolved, skimming off all that rises. Apply hot; then the brine will strike to the bone.

The flavor of coffee may be greatly improved and its delicate aroma increased by adding a little bicarbonate of soda to the water with which it is made. This is the reason why the coffee obtained at Vichy, Carlsruhe and other German watering-places is of such superior excellence, the water in these localities containing a certain percentage of soda. In England many persons habitually use carbonate of soda in making tea, a pinch to a pint of water being the regulated quantity.—Boston Transcript.

Something About Saddle Horses.

The most desirable points in saddle horses are what are known as saddle gaits, the most useful, and therefore the most important of which is the walk. The gaits, although common to all horses, are what are known as saddle gaits, in the most important of which there is as wide a range of excellence as at the faster gaits of trotting and running. The average rate of speed at which horses walk in harness or under the saddle is probably no more than three miles an hour, while a really good walker can cover five, and in rare cases six miles under the saddle. Being the easiest gait on both horse and rider, such horses will make wonderful journeys without distress. What is known as the fox trot is also a very desirable gait, and is easily taught to most horses by urging them slightly beyond a walk, and when they strike the right gait hold them to it; it is a trifle faster than a walk, and a near approach to the single foot.

Nearly all saddle horses will take a few steps to this gait when changing from a walk to a trot, but will not keep it unless trained to it. The speed differs from four to seven or eight miles per hour. Horses will learn to like the gait, and it is an easy one for the rider, and next to the walk the best long distance gait. Single footing is nearly the same as the fox trot, and is an exact intermediate between the walk and the trot, each foot appearing to move in a sort of go-as-you-please manner, and considering that it is an exceptionally easy gait for the rider, and that an average single footer will cover nine or ten miles an hour, it is worthy of cultivation. The rack and pace are nearly alike, the only difference being that in the former the hind foot reaches the ground a trifle in advance of the fore foot on the same side, while in the latter gait the feet on each side move exactly together—a purely lateral motion. Either the rack or the pace is much more desirable than the trot under the saddle, and the pace is fast, if not faster, than the trot. In addition to possessing all of the above saddle gaits the saddle horse should be level-headed, courageous and kind, and should be active, an easy mover at any gait, have a sensitive mouth, respond readily to the touch of the bridle rein, be sure-footed, able and willing to trot, gallop or run, as required, and, above all, sound upon his legs and perfect in the wind.—Chicago Herald.

There is a curious kind of disorder known as "Thomson's disease," which is fortunately very rare. It was first called by Dr. Thomson, of Schleswig, who suffered from it all his life, and who described it in 1876. The disease consists in a contraction or rigidity of the voluntary muscles, which comes on suddenly during their movement. If a person with this complaint throws his arm forward, as when casting a stone, the arm does not come back to the side, but remains extended. So with other movements, such as walking or running. It is a disease of the nerves, and is considered incurable.—N. Y. Times.

Queen Victoria allows none of her children to see her without special permission.

The Polar Stream Off Newfoundland.

The report of the temperature of the Atlantic brought by the German steamer Kaituma is of special interest as showing the changes going on this season in the gulf stream and its opposing Arctic current. On the 25th of April, when about forty miles south of the southern edge of the Newfoundland banks (latitude 42 degrees 26 minutes, longitude 50 degrees 26 minutes), this steamer passed several icebergs, finding the weather very cold and the temperature of the sea 32 degrees. This is an exceptionally low temperature of the water to be observed so far south almost at the close of April. Even allowing that it was partly due to the proximity of icebergs it seems to indicate that the glacial Labrador current is now protruding farther south than usual and crowding the gulf stream out of its wonted spring course. The enormous volume of polar ice-laden water flowing over the banks must exert a powerful influence both on the movement and the temperature of the stream against which it impinges, especially since the deep floating icebergs, as Dr. Carpenter points out, bring this influence to bear directly on the lower strata of the warm current. So great is the southward sweep of the heavy glacial current that when the buoy attached to the broken end of the Atlantic cable of 1865 got adrift it was found to have traveled (presumably by the action of the underflow on the long buoy rope suspended in it) nearly due south a distance of six hundred miles in seventy-six days in opposition to the gulf stream. As a proof of the remarkable changes of the limits of the stream in various seasons Admiral Inman states that "the warm waters between the Bermudas and Halifax in February 1829, had a width of 149 miles, but in May of the same year of 300 miles," while "in June 1847, they were in about the same place 146 miles across."

The expansion of the area of icy water off Newfoundland which explains the contradiction of the water current, has a marked influence on the weather over the banks. Cyclones in traversing the cold ocean have their humid winds so chilled that their vapor is more rapidly condensed, and hence the pressure in their centre is reduced and their intensity augmented. But the chief effect of the cold water area is, when swept by southwesterly winds saturated with moisture, to condense their vapor into dense fog, the seaman's chief foe. Lamont records a striking instance of the fog-producing power of cold water when yatching in the sunlit, glassy seas of Nova Zembla, he observed with the springing up of a southwest breeze the sudden formation of a dense fog. The dry winter winds on the Newfoundland banks are replaced this month by the moist southwest winds, and if (as the observations of the German steamer referred to and other recent records indicate) there is now an unusual extension of the polar stream, the coming summer may rival that of 1881 for fogs. It is to be earnestly hoped, therefore, that the crowded European steamships will this season give the banks a wide berth.—N. Y. Herald.

South African Hunting.

We have had many a book of South African adventure, but Cunningham may be said to have been among the last of the gentlemen pioneer-errants. The English settled up the Transkei and Natal; the discontented Dutch trekked out into the Transvaal. Livingstone had made friends with the wild tribes on the Zambesi, and had sent the traveling gentlemen of the period on pilgrimages of admiration to the Victoria Falls. These tourists into the interior, on expeditions "personally conducted," tried to pay their way, and not infrequently nearly succeeded. A race of heavily armed elephant-hunters arose, who organized themselves in small parties, and were regularly equipped by their sleeping partners, for slaughter or barter. Beads of the fashionable colors and breadths of scarlet cloth, with robes of tawdry embroidery were exchanged for tusks, skins and karosses. Though most of these men had primarily an eye to the main chance, many of them were as keen sportsmen as Cunningham; and if the life was rough there were the seductions of romance in it. There were other dangers besides the risks of the actual chase. As the chief's "goodness" was tracked over the stones to their earthen lairs in the brenzes. But the danger and the profit continued to draw these men like magnets, till the beats they were wont to traverse have been pretty nearly cleared of big game. And where sporting adventure has ceased to tempt the shooting trader the savage has been left to pick up what is left; so there is a rising market for the dwindling supplies of ivory, etc., drawn from the elephant districts that are yearly more remote. A precisely similar process has been going forward from each commercial centre on the coasts of the continent. Arab traders, with their headquarters at Zanzibar, meet the merchants of the Congo or Niger, who do business on the western watersheds. A Col. Grant might walk across Africa now and never stumble by any accident on the tracks of an elephant, and although the southern frontiers of Abyssinia have been comparatively undisturbed, we suspect that rifles consigned to the merchants of Khartoum have been spreading desolation in Baker's sporting paradise of the Abyssinian tributaries of the Nile. Yet it is not so very many years ago since, while sitting like the patriarchs at the door of his tent, he saw giraffes and elephants parading themselves in troops in the well- timbered savannahs in the valley between him. It is true that certain animals are born with a luck of their own, seeing that nothing but danger is to be got by pursuing them; and the danger is of a singularly disagreeable

Early Life in Arizona.

In an extremely interesting letter from Tucson a correspondent writes to the Boston Herald: At one time, I think it was about the outbreak of the civil war, the handful of Americans who were then in Southern Arizona held a meeting and resolved to declare themselves a free and independent State. They determined to hold themselves absolutely neutral between the North and South. They therefore called a meeting and elected a President, Vice-President and a Cabinet. They elected all the officers they could think of. They chose a Secretary of the Navy, while there was just about water enough in the whole Territory to float a duck, and they elected generals of the army until there was just one man left as a private. Everything was conducted on this scale. Out of 300 or 400 Americans in Southern Arizona, probably three-fourths were appointed to some office. This is a phase of early life in Arizona which I have never seen mentioned.

horrible than the embrace of the gorilla, who is said to have the superhuman craft of the caracajou with the habit of dropping on the sportsman from the branches overhead, and should your nerves have stood the terror of his nocturnal growlings, and if you should succeed in turning the tables on him, the sole satisfaction is in having the monster stuffed and gifting some provincial museum with the grotesqueness of a nightmare incarnate.—Cornhill Magazine.

Getting Information Under Difficulties.

"I do not see any peculiarity about your people," said an Eastern Judge, addressing his traveling companion, a well known Arkansas lawyer. "I have traveled quite extensively in this State, and I have not, as yet, found that eccentricity of action and prevarication of reply that has often amused me in the newspapers."

"You have done most of your traveling by rail," the lawyer replied. "This is your first trip away from the main roads, is it not?"

"Yes."

"Well, I'll show you some of our genuine natives. Yonder is a house. Call the landlord and hold a conversation with him."

"Hullo!" called the Judge.

"Comin'" the man replied, depositing a child in the doorway, and advancing.

"How's all the folks?"

"Children's hearty; wife's not well. Ain't you what you might call bed-sick, but just sorter stretchy."

"Got anything to eat in the house?"

"Ef I had it anywhar, I'd have it in the house."

"How many children have you?"

"Many as I want."

"How many did you want?"

"Wa'n't banker'n arter a powerful chance, but I'm satisfied."

"How long have you been living here?"

"Too long."

"How many years?"

"Been here ever since my oldest boy was born."

"What year was he born?"

"The year I come here."

"How old is your boy?"

"Ef he had lived, he would have been the oldest until yit; but, as he died, Jim's the oldest."

"How old is Jim?"

"He ain't as old as the one what died."

"Well, how old was the one that died?"

"He was older than Jim."

"What do you do here for a living?"

"Eat."

"How do you get anything to eat?"

"The best way we kin."

"How do you spend your Sundays?"

"Like the week days."

"How do you spend them?"

"Like Sundays."

"Is that your daughter yonder?"

"No, sir; she ain't my daughter yonder, nor nowher' else."

"Is she a relative of yours?"

"No, sir; no kin."

"Kin to your wife, I suppose."

"No kin to my wife, but she's kin to my children."

"How do you make that out?"

"She's my wife."

"How far is it to the next house?"

"It is called three miles, but the man what calls it that is a liar."

"I've got enough," said the Judge, turning to the lawyer. "Drive on. I pity the man who depends on this man for information."—Arkansas Traveler.

A Remarkable Blind and Deaf Man.

Sitting one day in a little park in New Orleans, I saw a gentleman walking in the distance whose whole air and manner were foreign to the place. He was seemingly tall, of middle age, carried himself very erect, used a gold-headed cane and wore aloft a light cotton sun umbrella. I had not then the slightest suspicion that this man was both deaf and blind. He afterward proved to be Mr. Morrison Heady, of Normandy, Ky., whose poems have been circulating in the newspapers for some time back. He became deaf at a very early age, from disease, and not long afterwards totally blind. But these drawbacks have only stimulated his genius. He has devised a curious mode of conversing, which at the same time is so practical it deserves mention. He has all the letters of the alphabet marked in capitals in ink, and in rows running from the tip of the thumb and of each finger across the palm towards the wrist, on a glove, which he puts on his right hand when he wishes to converse with anyone. He then extends his hand and the person wishing to speak to him picks out the letters to spell the word used, touching each in turn. Mr. Heady knows each letter by its location on the glove, through the sense of touch. He informed me that he wrote by a contrivance of raised lines, and when he has a new book he gets a friend to read it and then to spell out to him by the glove system the title and most salient facts, and to give him extracts from it. The same system is pursued with the news of the day. By such meagre means does this pent-up mind come in contact with the outer world. Yet it is a mind of unusual brilliancy or surely it would long have sunk into death-like apathy.—Cor. Milwaukee Wisconsin.

Men and Soil.

"Separated from the soil," said Mr. James Parton, the historian, in a recent lecture, "man never yet has succeeded in thriving. At best, without it, he is a potted plant, and some of the pots are miserably small. I have visited many factories in New England, and I find that wherever the operatives have a good-sized garden, with access to pasture for a cow, the people are healthy, contented and saving. Whenever this is the case, the factory population is able to live without actual starvation or extreme destitution in the event of the mills being closed for a very long period. Whenever they are separated from the soil, as in some of our large and crowded cities, there is squalor, demoralization and despair."

An old braver way out in Missouri, with neuralgia, he suffered like fury, St. Jacobs Oil banished. The pain which all vanished.—And prevented a coroner's jury.

A cranky old man named Blake, Says St. Jacobs Oil "takes the cake," He gave it one test, And says it's the best, Cure in the world for backache.

"When I was a young man," he said, as he walked up and down the platform, "we did not depend on our fathers. We made our own start in life. There is a much better show for young men here, and yet none of them strike out for themselves." "Do you know of a good opening?" timely inquired a young man with a simple trunk under him. "Yes, sir; go to Tennessee, sir; there are mountains of iron in that State which can be had for fifty cents an acre." "Is that so?" "It is." "I'll tell you what I'll do," continued the young man, as he bit off the end of a twenty-center, "if you'll buy two or three acres of these mountains, set up a blast furnace, and get things booming, I'll come down and engineer a set of books for you at \$100 per month. The self-made man took a walk down the track to hide his disgust.—Wall Street News.

A lady writes: "Painful menstruation was the bane of my life. I dreaded those feelings of bearing down and that pain in the back and limbs under him." "Yes, sir; go to Tennessee, sir; there are mountains of iron in that State which can be had for fifty cents an acre." "Is that so?" "It is." "I'll tell you what I'll do," continued the young man, as he bit off the end of a twenty-center, "if you'll buy two or three acres of these mountains, set up a blast furnace, and get things booming, I'll come down and engineer a set of books for you at \$100 per month. The self-made man took a walk down the track to hide his disgust.—Wall Street News.

A California man choked himself to death with a tape measure. The coroner's verdict was that he died by inches.—Burlington Free Press.

A cure of pneumonia. Mr. D. H. Barnaby, of Oswego, N. Y., says that his daughter was taken with a violent cold which terminated with pneumonia, and all the best physicians gave the case up and said she could not live but a few hours at most. She was in this condition when a friend recommended Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs and advised her to try it. She accepted it as a last resort, and was surprised to find that it effected a marked change for the better, and by persevering in its use a permanent cure was effected.

The Grecian authorities now exclude American pork. Greece without pork must be almost as bad as pork without Greece.—Boston Transcript.

Weeks of Humanity.

who have wasted their manly vigor and powers by youthful follies and pernicious practices, inducing nervous debility, impaired memory, mental anxiety, despondency, lack of self-confidence and willpower, weak back, and kindred weaknesses should address the following letter, postage stamps for large illustrated treatise, giving unfailing means of cure, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

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THE GENERAL MARKETS.

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Tempest Tried.

The recent cyclones in the South and Northwest caused a loss of life and property truly appalling in its magnitude. But terrible as those visitations were, they will doubtless be followed by others of a like nature during the approaching summer season, especially, and it behooves every farmer and property owner to guard himself as best he can against possible loss from such storms. No better way to do this can be found than by securing a tornado policy in the old reliable and tempest-tried Burlington Insurance Company, of Burlington, Iowa. During 1882, this company paid over two hundred losses caused by tornadoes, cyclones and wind-storms, in full without discount, and it has already paid several that occurred this spring. The Burlington was one of the pioneers in this new department of insurance, and has built up a large and steadily growing business, established upon sound principles. The company is one of the strongest financially in the West, and is warmly recommended by the representative men of Iowa, from the Governor down. It pays all losses from one dollar up, no matter how small or how large, and pays at once, upon receipt of proofs, without any deductions and without any sixty or ninety days' waiting on the part of the insured. The sworn statement of the company to the insurance department shows that it has \$1,058,000 wherewith to pay every dollar of liability, and that for the past eleven years it has carried over for one year to the next any unpaid losses or losses in litigation. The official report of the Superintendent of Insurance for Kansas shows that in 1882 the Burlington was more business and received a larger amount of premiums than any company doing business in the State. Its liberal and uniform square dealing has rendered it a prime favorite with the general public.

What did the paper weigh for?—New South. Probably for its income.—Georgia Major.

Twenty Years a Sufferer. R. V. PIERCE, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.: Dear Sir—Twenty years ago I was shipwrecked on the Atlantic Ocean, and the cold and exposure caused a large abscess to form on my leg, which kept continually discharging. After spending hundreds of dollars, with no benefit, I tried your "Golden Medical Discovery," and now, in less than three months after taking the first bottle, I am thankful to say I am completely cured, and for the first time in ten years can put my left leg to the ground. I am yours, Wm. Ryder, 32 Jefferson St., Buffalo, N. Y.

The Conundrum Club's latest: "Why is death like the tag attached to a dog at the show in this city? Because they are both bound to a cur."—N. Y. Advertiser.

THOUSANDS of women bless the day on which Dr. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription" was made known to them. In all those arrangements causing backache, dragging-down sensations, nervous and general debility, it is a sovereign remedy. Its soothing and healing properties render it of the utmost value to ladies suffering from "internal fever," congestion, inflammation, or ulceration. By druggists.

This will be a year when harvest apples won't contain any acid. The maintaining will be to get the apples.—Detroit Free Press.

A GENTLEMAN from Orwell, Pa., called my attention to Catarrh, Hay Fever, etc. He was earnest in asserting it to be a positive cure (himself having been cured by it) that I purchased a stock. The Balm has already effected a number of cures here. P. F. Hyatt, M. D., Bordentown, N. J.

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You are at liberty to use this for their benefit if you so choose. Respectfully yours, Mrs. Wm. Gray, Hotel Hamilton, 116 Tremont Street, Boston, April 25, 1885.

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