



The Chase County Journal

Official Paper of Chase County.

W. E. TIMMONS, Editor and Publisher.

Nearly all the newspapers started in Kansas during the last twelve months are Democratic. Straw show which way the wind blows; and these new papers, all being on one side, show the drift of public opinion.

W. J. McKee has been appointed postmaster at Leavenworth vice D. R. Anthony, editor of the Times; and it is said Col. Anthony takes the appointment very philosophically, no doubt deeming it useless to kick, as his successor was not confirmed.

We have received of Edward Haren, Esq., Secretary of the Kansas City Fat Stock Show Association, the premium list of the first annual Fat Stock Show, to be held at Review Park, Kansas City, Missouri, November 1 to 8, 1883. Several special premiums are offered which is a very good feature of the show.

Senator Hackney, the prohibition champion, notifies the Republican party that "Geo. W. Attkisson is an able man, able alone, and single-handed, to down the Republican party with its 50,000 majority—able to make such a fight that if we beat him, two years hence, we shall have to get up early; and I am in favor of tying his hands as much as possible."

We have just received from Saasfield's Music Store, 12 Bible House, N. Y., and 16 Jackson street, Chicago, the February number of the Saasfield Tea Cent Libraries. These series of monthly publications, to which the subscription price is only One Dollar (12 number), single number 10c., are revolutionizing the music business. Think of buying 16 pages of music for ten cents! It is wonderful! The number at hand contains a waltz on Gilbert & Sullivan's latest opera, "Iolanthe," the popular "Silver Line," "Amaryllis," by Ghy. Send 10 cents for a sample copy of these publications, or, better still, \$1 for a year's subscription, to the publishers, 12 Bible House, New York.

At a meeting of the Payne's Oklahoma Colony, in Arkansas City, Kansas, on the 20th ultimo, the following was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, The citizens of the several States having been forcibly ejected from the Territory known as Oklahoma, we claim that, if guilty of any offense, it is due that we be punished; and if not guilty, the removal is an outrage that no law-abiding citizen of the United States should be subjected to, and do hereby declare our intention to again locate on the Oklahoma lands and will give due notice of the time of starting; and unless the courts can and do show that, by so doing, we are acting in violation of law, we will defend ourselves in what we conceive to be our rights; and will resist any attempt to remove us, and that this preamble be published in the Oklahoma War Chief and Arkansas City Democrat, and other papers are requested to copy.

The bill reported by the Conference Committee on Railroad Legislation, having passed the Senate, passed the House at 11:30 o'clock, Saturday evening, by a vote of 100 to 14. The negative votes were: Arnett, Burton, Carey, Gambler, Greover, Hoffman, Johnson, Martin of Miami, Pauly, Reeves of Republic, Smith, Stewart of Cherokee, Stewart of Montgomery, and Willhoite. These absent were Bayne of Jefferson, Bishop, Borton, Caroli, Faulkner, Iselp, McPherson, Rash, Reeves of Harvey, White and Wilson. From this it will be seen that Dr. Carter, the Republican Representative of this county, for whom we did not vote, but who has been most shamefully abused by his party organ, which will, no doubt, this week, say the Doctor was frightened into his final action on this question, voted for this bill. Thus has the Leader's wind bag been burst and its buncombe lost upon the desert air.

S. A. Howard, from Strong City, Kansas, came in with a lead of cattle, which were readily sold at satisfactory rates. Mr. Howard says Strong City is a beautiful place of 800 inhabitants. It is really a

tion of Cottonwood Falls, being only a short distance from it. There is a good bank in the place. Among the lost arts being secretly carried on at Cottonwood Falls is the publication of a Greenback newspaper, a most curious publication, which treats of antediluvian subjects in a most delectable manner. There is, in turn, a good Democratic paper issued, which has done much towards building up the place and bringing thrifty and industrious settlers into this section.

The above, from the Kansas City Times of the 28th of February, we presume, refers to Hon. A. S. Howard, of Cottonwood Falls, and, therefore, will be highly appreciated by the citizens of Strong City.—Strong City Independent.

People at a distance will bleed Cottonwood Falls and Strong City, whether the inhabitants of the respective places will or not; but the Times to the contrary notwithstanding, the Independent, the Greenback newspaper, is a true wide-awake paper.

STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY. We have just received the Triennial Report of the Board of Directors of the Kansas State Historical Society, presented to the society at its seventh annual meeting, held at Topeka, January 16, 1883.

The report is a pamphlet of 98 pages. It contains an exhibit of the work of the Society during the past two years, together with the address of Hon. T. Dwight Thayer, President of the Society, delivered before the late annual meeting. From the report it appears that of books, pamphlets and newspaper files, the library accumulation of the Society number 14,222, of which 4,843 are books, 7,244 are pamphlets, and 2,525 are newspaper files. Of these, 6,819 have been acquired during the past two years, namely, of books 2,083, of pamphlets 2,848, and of newspaper files 888.

A list is given showing the newspapers and periodicals, the regular issues of which the Society is now receiving, and binding in annual or semi-annual volumes. Of these 372 are published in Kansas, namely: 25 dailies, 118 weeklies, 20 monthlies, 2 quarterlies, and 4 semi-monthlies. Of these Kansas newspapers, 223 are Republican in politics, 47 are Democratic, 20 Greenback, 36 independent, 12 neutral, 11 religious, 3 agricultural, 5 educational and literary, 2 soldiers' papers, and 9 miscellaneous. The list also includes 68 newspapers and periodicals received from other States and foreign countries.

The manuscript accession number 2706. These have been contributed by several different persons, and chiefly relate to early Kansas affairs, to Indian affairs pertaining to Kansas before the settlements, and to the war history of Kansas.

Other accessions are summarized as follows, of which lists are given in this report, showing the names of donors: Atlases, 24; separate maps, 29; pictures, 467; coins, scrips and currency, 41; antiquities, embracing Indian and mound-builders' relics, 680; miscellaneous contributions, 347.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The following is the programme of the meeting of the Chase County Teachers' Association, which will be held at the school house in Cottonwood Falls, on Saturday, April 7, 1883:

- Roll-call. Questions from Lord Byron. Biography of Lord Byron, by Mr. E. F. Holmes. Recitation, by Miss Alice Rockwood. Associates of Byron, by Mr. C. Warren. Recitation, by Miss Clara Bailey. Paper, by Mr. J. M. Warren. Recitation, by Miss Abbie Johnson. Reces. Recitation, by Mr. S. E. Winger. Criticism of Byron's works, by Miss Lizzie Staples. Recitation, by Mr. F. W. Spencer. Paper, by Miss Mary Hunt. Recitation, by Miss Carrie Breese. Paper, by Mrs. Sadie Grisham. Recitation, by Miss Carrie Lloyd. Reading of programme. Query box. MARY E. HUNT, Secy.

LAST COMET OF THE YEAR. At 7 o'clock, on Friday evening, February 23, while Prof. Lewis Swift, Director of the Warner Observatory, Rochester, N. Y., was scanning the western sky, he discovered a brilliant comet located in the constellation of Pegasus, near the star of Beta. The new comet is moving eastward and is very bright. This is the first comet discovered during the present year, and also the first discovery made by means of the new telescope of the Warner Observatory, which is the largest private telescope in the world.

BUSINESS BRIEVITIES.

The best of coal at Winters'. Buy your goods of men who advertise. First-class organs at E. Cooley's for \$50 each. Roosters for sale at J. W. Ferry's for \$3 each. Fresh goods always on hand at Breese's grocery. Breese, the grocer, is constantly receiving fresh goods. Carpets and oil cloths at Horaberg's furniture store. The best of goods and great bargains at J. S. Doolittle & Son's. Feed stuff at C. A. Britton's mill at 80 cents per 100 pounds. Wm. Watrous, at Homestead, has 100 bushels of millet for sale. A car load of Moline wagons just received at M. A. Campbell's. Good goods and bottom prices always on hand at L. Martin & Co. 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. Breese, the grocer, has constantly on hand a fresh supply of staple and fancy groceries. Read Wm. H. Shaft's "Stock Sale" advertisement, which will be found in another column. J. W. Ferry has quit paying for corn in trade, but is now paying 32 cents a bushel, cash, for it. Mr. J. N. Nye has a good, stone smoke-house, in which parties having meat to smoke can have it done. Don't forget that the staple and fancy groceries at Breese's stand are always fresh, and of the best quality. L. Martin & Co. still have on hand a large stock of general merchandise which they are selling for cash only. Dr. W. P. Fugh 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-cat, traveling agents, dec-11.

The best place in the county to get coal is at Winters', in Strong City. Low prices and best of weights. For cash only. Don't forget that L. Martin & Co. advertise their goods over their counters, and that their prices are so low that they astonish the natives. Flower or garden seed, or both, will be given in exchange for some thoroughbred chickens, the seed to be from James Vick's. Apply at this office. James VanVechten, on Buck creek, has about 500 catalpa trees, from one to three feet high, for sale, at from five to ten cents, each, according to size. nov-11

Go to Winters', in Strong City, for brass, corn and mill feed, and take the money with you, as he sells cheap, for cash only. Be sure to recollect the place. For sale, a riding plow, a riding cultivator, a harrow and some quarry tools. Will take a milk cow and calf, or one just coming in, for them. Apply at this office. Don't forget that J. S. Doolittle & Son keep on hand one of the largest stocks of general merchandise in the Cottonwood valley, and that they sell at prices that defy competition. If you have any corn for sale, remember that J. W. Ferry is paying 32 cents a bushel for it, not in trade, but cash; but when you do sell, you get the goods at the same prices as if cash was paid for them. J. W. McWilliams is agent for the sale of all lands recently sold by the Santa Fe Railroad to New York parties. Call on him and get prices and best terms. He will save you money, if you buy of him nov-30-11

If you want to buy a threshing machine, spring wagon, sewing machine, organ, piano, vapor stove, riding saw, or fanning machine, call at this office and see if you can't make money by getting them of us. When you meet with an accident, get a sprained ankle, or are otherwise injured, don't go to the expense of sending for a doctor, but apply Kendall's Spavin Cure, and you will experience instant relief.

HARDWARE, TINWARE, WAGONS, ETC. M. A. CAMPBELL, DEALER IN HARDWARE! STOVES, TINWARE, Iron, Steel, Nails, Horse-shoes, Horse-nails; a full line of Wagon and Buggy Material, Iron & Wood Pumps, a complete line of STEEL GOODS! FORKS, SPADES, SHOVELS, HOES, RAKES & HANDLES. Carries an excellent stock of Agricultural Implements, Consisting of Breaking and Stirring Plows, Cultivators, Harrows, Wheelbarrows, &c., and is Agent for the well-known Wood Mowing Machine, and best makes of Sulky Hay Rakes. Glidden Fence Wire. Sole agent for this celebrated wire, the best now in use. Full Line of Paint & Oil on Hand. A COMPLETE TINSHOP. I have an experienced tinner in my employ and am prepared to do all kinds of work in that line, on short notice, and at very low prices. WEST SIDE OF BROADWAY, COTTONWOOD FALLS, KAS.

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, GROCERIES, ETC. THIS SPACE BELONGS TO J. W. FERRY, Who is too busy to write out his advertisement just now, and who, by the way, is selling more underwear and clothing for the same amount of money than any one else in the county.

KUHL'S HARNESS SHOP, ESTABLISHED IN 1867; ALWAYS ON HAND, Harness, Saddles, Blankets, Robes, and Everything Belonging to the HARNESS BUSINESS; ALSO, BEST OSAGE GOAL FOR SALE.

MISCELLANEOUS. MONEY. 7 and 8 Per Cent! CALL ON W. H. HOLSINGER. WELLS! WELLS!! WELLS!!! WHO WANTS WATER? J. B. BYRNES Has the GIANT WELL DRILL, Nine Inch Bore, The Largest in the Country; Guarantees His Work To Give Satisfaction; TERMS REASONABLE. WELLS PUT DOWN ON SHORT NOTICE. Address, COTTONWOOD FALLS, OR STRONG CITY, CHASE COUNTY, KAS. SEWING MACHINES FOR SALE; Apply at THIS OFFICE. CUT THE OUT. And send it with Nineteen Green Stamps, and we will send one Sample Set of Six New Style "Merry" Triple Silver-plated Tea-Spoons. Contain no brass, warranted genuine, equal in appearance to \$2 spoons. Guaranteed to please, or money refunded. Only one set sent to introduce. Agents wanted at good pay. Circulars free. Address the manufacturers, SHAWMUT SILVER-PLATE CO., 25 Brimfield street, Boston, Mass. dec-1-83

THE "ORIGINAL" STAR SPANGLED BANNER. The oldest, most popular, best, and cheapest family paper begins its 21st year with 1883. It is a large, 8 page, 40 column, illustrated literary paper, full of the "editor's" cream full of splendid stories, sketches, poems, wit, humor, and genuine fun. Richest and most popular paper published, established 20 years, read by 50,000 persons. It is solid, substantial, reliable, only 50 cents a year, 5 copies for \$2; or 70 cents a year, with choice of set of tripple-plated silver spoons, no brass, new style, retail price \$1.50; or an American Dictionary, 700 pages, illustrated, defines thirty thousand words, numerous tables, bound in cloth, gilt, better than usual \$1.50 books; or wonderful "Mullum-in-Parvo" Knife (a dozen tools in one handle), sells at \$1 to \$2, best handle, name plate, &c.; or superb Bell Harmonics, sweetest musical instrument known, price \$1.50. Either of above premiums and BANNER one year, sent free, for 25 green stamps. Subscribers now, satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Aerial trip, 3 months for only 10 cents. Specimen free. Address STAR SPANGLED BANNER, Hinsdale, N. H. dec-1-83

ELKAZOO. The great Egyptian wonder. Original discovered among the ruins of the pyramids. Any tune played on it by any one, imitates any and all insects, birds, animals, insects, every noise, in fact, with it you can imitate not only all human beings, but all animals like the dog, cat, turkey, goose, etc. It makes a perfect "Funch and Jolly" possible in every house, furnishes fun and harmless amusement to a whole neighborhood. More wonderful still, ANY TUNE is played on it at pleasure, making the delightful music, and, astonishing as it may seem, those can play on the Elkazoo that play on no other instrument. This instrument is an ancient, popular eighteen hundred years, "in the days of Herod the King." It is made from beautiful colored woods, and metal trimmings substantial, reliable, lasts a lifetime, and is sure to give satisfaction. Price only \$2.50 for \$1; 3 for \$5. Send postpaid to any address by the sole manufacturer, ELKAZOO CO., Hinsdale, N. H.

Vick's Floral Guide. For 1883 is an Elegant Book of 150 Pages, 3 Colored Plates of Flowers and Vegetables, and more than 1,000 illustrations of the choicest Flowers, Plants and Vegetables, and Directions for growing. It is handsome enough for the Center Table or a Holiday Present. Send on your name and post-office address, with 10 cents, and I will send you a copy, postage paid. This is not a quarter of its cost. It is printed in both English and German. If you afterwards order seeds deduct the 10 cents. VICK'S SEEDS ARE THE BEST IN THE WORLD! THE FLORAL GUIDE will tell how to get and grow them. VICK'S FLOWER AND VEGETABLE GARDEN, 175 Pages, 6 Colored Plates, 500 Engravings; for 50 cents in paper covers; \$1 in elegant cloth. In German or English. VICK'S ILLUSTRATED MONTHLY MAGAZINE, 32 Pages, a Colored Plate in every number, and many fine engravings. Cost, \$1.25 a year; five copies for \$5. Specimen numbers sent for 10 cents; 3 trial copies for 20 cents. JAMES VICK, Rochester, N. Y.

\$72 a week made at home by the industrious. Best business now before the public. Capital not needed. We will start you. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time, or give your whole time to the business. No other business pays you nearly so well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily, and honorably. Address TRUS & CO., Augusta, Maine. feb-1-ly

PIMPLES. I will mail (Free) the recipe for simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, Freckles, Pimples and Blemishes, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, Charles W. Stannard, BEE, VAN DUSEN & CO., 13 Barclay St., New York. feb-1-ly

To Consumptives. The advertiser having been permanently cured of the dread disease "Consumption," by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure Cure for Coughs, Cold, Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c. Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address Rev. E. A. Wilson, 194 Penn St., Philadelphia, Pa. feb-1-ly

The Chase County Courant.

W. E. TIMMONS, - Ed. and Prop

COTTONWOOD FALLS, KAS., THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 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 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) and time (a.m., p.m.) for various routes including Cedar Pt., Hunt's, Mandale, Strong, and Safford.

DIRECTORY.

STATE OFFICERS: Governor, George W. Glick; Lieutenant Governor, James Smith; Secretary of State, W. A. Johnson; Auditor, E. H. McCabe; Treasurer, Sam T. Howe; Sup't of Public Lands, H. C. Spear; Chief Justice Sup. Court, D. J. Brewer; Congressmen, 2d Dist., Thomas Ryan; COUNTY OFFICERS: County Commissioners, J. M. Tuttle, J. S. Shipman, C. C. Whitson; County Treasurer, C. C. Whitson; Probate Judge, C. C. Whitson; County Clerk, S. A. Breese; Register of Deeds, C. F. Gandy; County Attorney, T. H. Criswell; Clerk District Court, J. P. Norton; County Surveyor, W. W. Sanders; Sheriff, George Balch; Superintendent, Mary E. Hunt; Coroner, E. Walsh; MAYOR: J. P. Kuhl; POLICE JUDGE: M. H. Pennell; CITY ATTORNEY: W. H. Carwell; CITY MARSHAL: William Forney; EDWIN FRANK; COMMISSIONERS: M. A. Campbell, L. T. Simmons; CLERK AND TREASURER: W. H. Holsinger; CHURCHES: Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. A. Massey; Baptist Church, Rev. J. R. Bennett; Catholic Church, Rev. Guido Basso; Odd Fellows, Angela Lodge No. 68 I O O F; Knights of Honor, Falls Lodge No. 747; Masonic, Zerodath Lodge No. 80 A F & M; Odd Fellows, Angela Lodge No. 68 I O O F; Knights of Honor, Falls Lodge No. 747; Masonic, Zerodath Lodge No. 80 A F & M; Odd Fellows, Angela Lodge No. 68 I O O F.

COURANT CLUB LIST.

Table listing subscription rates for various publications including The Courant, Kansas City Weekly Times, Topeka Weekly Commonwealth, Kansas Farmer, Chicago Weekly Journal, St. Louis Journal of Agriculture, Scientific American, Star Spangled Banner, Wide Awake, Babyland, Our Little Men and Little Women, Family, Musical World, Prairie Farmer, American Agriculturist, York's Floral Guide, Democrat's Magazine, Farmer and Manufacturer, Iowa Farmer, Our Little Ones and the Nursery, Good Time and Harvest, Kansas City Live Stock Index, Weekly Inter-Ocean.

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 a 5,000,000 acres of the finest farming land in the world at almost their own prices. If you do not believe it write to the undersigned, who will tell you where you can get a cheap land exploring ticket, and how, at a moderate expense, you can see for yourself and be convinced.

W. F. WHITE, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agt., Topeka, Kansas.

LOCAL SHORT STOPS.

Monday was cloudy. Cold Tuesday night. Two more weeks of Lent. Beautiful weather yesterday. March came in like a lamb. Windy and cloudy, Tuesday. The prairie is getting green. It rained a little on Sunday. Subscribe for the COURANT. It snowed some, on Saturday. Strong City is having a building boom. Mr. H. P. Brookett is lying ill with pneumonia. Mr. N. B. Scribner went down to Emporia, last week. Mr. Lot Leonard was able to be in town, last Saturday. Mr. S. A. Vail, of Emporia, was in town, last Saturday. Mr. Thos. O'Donnell is putting up a residence at Strong City. Mr. W. S. Romigh has been spending a few days at home. Mr. Fred. Shipman came in from Colorado, last Friday morning. Mr. James W. Ferry is putting windows and iron grating to his cellar. Mr. C. H. Fryberger, of Marion, gave this office a pleasant call, last Tuesday. Mrs. John S. Doolittle returned home from Kansas City, last Friday morning. Spring fever has made its appearance, and the dry-goods boxes will begin to suffer. The Rev. W. F. File, of the Baptist Church, has quit preaching, on account of his health. The M. E. Sunday-school will give a Yankee supper some time during the month of April. Mr. C. C. Watson leaves for the east, this morning, to lay in a bill of goods for Mr. J. W. Ferry. Read the "Public Sale" advertisement of H. E. Snyder, which will be found in another column. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, on Norton creek, on Wednesday, March 7, 1883, a girl. The Bazaar Literary Society gave a dramatic entertainment at Bazaar school-house, last Saturday night. We have made arrangements to club the Chicago Inter-Ocean with the COURANT for \$2.50 a year. See our club list elsewhere. Mr. J. W. Abbott, of Lake City, Col., brother-in-law of Mr. Will L' Wood, of Fox creek, arrived at Strong City, last Sunday. Messrs. Jabin Johnson and Win O. Thomas shipped two car loads of cattle and one of hogs to Kansas City, last Sunday night. Sheriff Balch has collected over \$800 in delinquent personal property tax, which is a most excellent showing for Mr. Balch on that kind of taxes. Miss Francisco Born, who had been visit at Mr. J. N. Nye's since the G. A. R. dance, returned to her home at Emporia, last Sunday morning. Mr. John Madden will deliver an oration on Abraham Lincoln, at this place, on the 14th of next month, the anniversary of Lincoln's martyrdom. Mr. Wm. Daub was in town, on Saturday, getting medicine for himself and family, who have been sick with catarrhal fever, but who are now on the mend. Mr. John O'Donnell, of Nemeha county, brother of Thos. O'Donnell, Esq., is putting up a residence at Strong City, preparatory to moving to that place. The following gentlemen took in Emporia, last Friday: J. W. McWilliams, W. S. Smith, N. A. Dobbins, S. T. Bennett, M. A. Redford, L. W. Clay and F. B. Bernard. Mr. O. G. Robinson has been quite sick for about a week, and Mr. Geo. O. Hildebrand, who returned, last week, from his visit to Ohio, is attending store in his place. The Strong City Dramatic Club played "The Last Leaf" and "Hash," in Music Hall, last Saturday night. Those who were present bestowed much praise on the Club for their good performing. There will be an examination of applicants for teachers' certificates, held at the school-house in

Cottonwood Falls, on Saturday, March 24th, 1883.

MARY E. HUNT, Co. Supt.

The way to stop taking a news paper is not to leave it in the post-office, or to send it back to the editor, but to call in or send and pay up all arrearages, and then tell the publisher to discontinue sending it to you, and he will be sure to do so.

Cottonwood Falls looked like a metropolis, last Saturday; in fact, it is beginning to look that way nearly every day since the farmers have begun to get ready for spring work, wagons being passing and repassing each other in the streets, all day long.

The following persons received teachers' certificates at the late examination: Misses Jessie Shaft, Carrie Breese, Anna Moffit, Minnie Ellis, Allie Hunt and Minnie Wagner, and Messrs. C. R. Simmons, S. E. Winne, E. E. Hoskins and James F. Elder.

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.

"What is worth having is worth asking for," therefore, if any one fails to see in the COURANT a notice of any church meeting, temperance meeting, society meeting, or other meeting of public interest, he may rest assured that we were never asked to publish a notice of such meeting.

Council Grove Lodge, No. 36, A. F. & A. M., of which the late John P. Caldwell was a member, passed the following resolution on receipt of the news of his death: Resolved, That this Lodge, as a tribute of respect to his memory, wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days, and also send a copy of this resolution to his widow.

The buggy belonging to Mrs. W. D. Morgan, levied on by Sheriff Balch, to satisfy, in part, the taxes against the firm of Ransford, Simmons & Co., of which Mrs. Morgan was a member, was sold, last Tuesday morning, for that purpose, and bought by R. M. Watson, editor of the Independent, for \$50, which is actually more than it is worth, the guano on the seat thereof to the contrary notwithstanding.

LAWYERS OF NEWSPAPERS. 1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary are considered as wishing to continue their subscriptions. 2. If subscribers order the discontinuance of the paper, the publisher may continue to send them until all arrearages are paid. 3. If subscribers refuse to take or neglect to take their paper from the office to which they are directed, they are held responsible until they have settled their bill and ordered their paper discontinued. 4. If subscribers move to other places without informing the publisher, and the papers are sent to their former direction, they are held responsible. 5. The courts have decided that refusing to take a paper from the office is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud. 6. Any person who takes a paper directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not is responsible for the payment. 7. A civil suit for fraud can be instituted against any person whether he is responsible in a financial point of view or not, who refuses to pay subscription. 8. The United States courts have repeatedly decided that a postmaster who neglects to perform his duty of giving seasonable notice, as required by the Post-office Department, of the neglect of a person to take from the office newspapers addressed to him, renders the postmaster liable to the publisher for the subscription price.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS! MOTHERS! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of Mrs. Winstow's SORBITING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold every-where. 25 cents a bottle.

A COUGH, COLD OR SORE THROAT should be stopped. Neglect frequently results in an INCURABLE LUNG DISEASE OR CONSUMPTION. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES do not disorder the stomach like cough syrups and balsams but act directly on the inflamed parts, allaying irritation, give relief in ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, CROUP, AND THE THROAT. THROATACHE, SORE THROATS AND PUBLIC SPEAKERS are subject to. For thirty years Brown's Bronchial Troches have been recommended by physicians, and have always given perfect satisfaction. They are given freely and constantly used for nearly an entire generation, they have attained well-merited rank among the few staple remedies of the age. Sold at 25 cents a box every-where. 1618-lyr.

CHEAP MONEY. Interest at 7 per cent., on two, three, four, or five year term, real estate security. Call on Thos. O. Kelley, at Young & Kelley's Law Office. nov23-ly.

A grey hound pup for sale. Apply at this office.

JAS. P. McGRATH, THE STRONG CITY JEWELER.

Carries a large stock of WATCHES, CLOCKS, SPECTACLES, JEWELRY, SILVERWARE, AND VIOLIN & BANJO. ALL KINDS OF WORK IN HIS LINE, AND ALL WORK WARRANTED. MY PRICES WILL EVER BE AS LOW AS



Strings, Be as Low as FIRST-CLASS WORK CAN BE DONE. dec31-ly

FOR SALE. Two large mares, one five and one eight years old. WM. CRAFT, Cottonwood Falls, Kansas.

Go to J. W. McWilliams and buy the railroad land you need and want, now before the price is raised. feb8-ly

ATTORNEYS AT LAW THOS. H. CRISWELL, ATTORNEY - AT - LAW. Office at Court-House, COTTONWOOD FALLS, KANSAS.

MADDEN BROS., Attorneys - at - Law. Office, Court-house, Cottonwood Falls. Will practice in state and Federal courts. All business placed in our hands will receive careful and prompt attention. feb-ly

C. H. GARSWELL, ATTORNEY - AT - LAW. COTTONWOOD FALLS, KANSAS. Loans made on improved farms, at 7 per cent interest. feb-ly

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