

Mr. W. R. Hoole is now the sole editor and proprietor of the St John (Kas) Advance, a very newsy local paper, published in Stafford county.

An article in the Scientific American shows the sun to be in a state of terrible commotion. Flames are reported to leap above its surface to the height of two hundred and thirty-five thousand miles. These disturbances are said to produce great electrical and meteorological changes on the earth.

A new game law has been enacted by our Legislature, which provides that it shall be unlawful to kill or trap any wild bird except the wild goose, duck, hawk, crow, raven, owl and snipe, under the penalty of from \$10 to \$30. It is provided, however, that any kind of game, except quail, may be shot on one's own premises from Sep. 15th to Feb. 1st.

Under the act passed at the late session of the Legislature providing for the pay of County Superintendents, we note the following: All Superintendents receiving over \$500 per annum are required to devote their entire time to the duties of the office. The following County Superintendents receive a salary of one thousand dollars: Archibald, Bourben, Brown, Butler, Chant, Cawley, Cherokee, Cloud, Coffey, Cowley, Crawford, Dickinson, Doniphan, Douglas, Elk, Franklin, Jewell, Jefferson, Johnson, Labate, Leavenworth, Lyon, Marion, Marshall, McPherson, Miami, Mitchell, Montgomery, Nemaha, Osage, Osborn, Pawnee, Republic, Rice, Sedgewick, Shawnee, Smith, Sumner, Washington and Wilson. In the following counties the Superintendents will receive less compensation, as follows: Allen, \$900; Greenwood, \$850; Jackson, \$900; Phillips, \$610; Clay, \$920; Ottawa, \$920; Anderson, \$860; Morris, \$860; Saline, \$860; Barton, \$840; Lincoln, \$820; Wabasha, \$800; Harvey, \$780; Rice, \$780; Riley, \$780; Ellsworth, \$760; Woodson, \$760; Rooks, \$660; Ellis, \$610; Russell, \$620; Chase, \$600; Norton, \$600; Pawnee, \$530; Rush, \$540; Davis, \$500; Stafford, \$500; Harper, \$400.

COERCING THE GOVERNMENT. We cite the following paragraph from the Salina Herald of March 5th:

It is reported by an interviewer that Senator Plumb said, in reference to the panic in Wall street: "I am a National Bank President, so I can speak without prejudice. I tell you the crisis is coming when we shall see whether the banks run the Government or the Government the banks. I think the Government has a right to fix the rate of interest it will pay, and it is no business of any set of men. It makes no difference to the people if Wall street gamblers do lose money, or railroad stocks stop rising. It would make a difference if the hoers in the Western cornfields should stop, and it is with produce that the prosperity of the country rests. Let the bottom fall out of it if it will. It is an artificial movement to coerce the Government."

In connection with the above we call the attention to the following advertisement and statement, which we clip from the Emporia Ledger of March 5:

EMPIRIA National Bank. Capital \$100,000 Surplus 35,000 Oldest Banking House in South western Kansas. Interest allowed on Time Deposits. Drafts drawn on Eastern Cities and all points to Europe. Special attention paid to collections on all points in Kansas, for which we have usual facilities.

C. B. PLUMB, Pres., C. Hoo, Vice-Pres., L. T. H. TAYLOR, Cashier, D. RECTORS, P. B. Plumb, Daniel Bitler, L.

T Heritage, Lewis Lutz, Alfred Roberts, C. Hood, A. G. Edmiston, M. W. Phillips, W. T. Soden. The Emporia National Bank, was one of the New York papers, has surrendered \$36,000 of its circulation, only with many of the other National Banks of the country.

Senator Plumb is President of the Emporia National Bank. The Emporia National Bank withdraws \$36,000 of its circulation. The President of the bank says: "It is an artificial movement to coerce the Government."

"Thine own mouth condemneth thee and ard not I; yea thine own words testify against thee." Job 15-6.

In view of the facts and possibilities of the case, would it not be well to re-enact and enforce the joint resolution of Congress, of 1793, approved by the great Washington, which forbade a stockholder in a "bank of issue" from occupying a seat in Congress. Is that law of December 1793 still in force? Peter Cooper says it is. If so by what authority do national bankers hold seats in Congress? We ask for information. Will the Atchison Champion, Leavenworth Press, Abilene Chronicle and the other bank monopoly papers that are so much annoyed by our discussion of finance please answer? The best way to silence an inquiring mind is to answer its questions.—Janu. tion City Union.

NICKNAMES OF STATES. The following are the nicknames by which the people of the several States are known:

- Alabama—Lizzard. Arkansas—Toothpicks. California—Gold Smith. Colorado—Rover. Connecticut—Wooden Nutmegs. Delaware—Musk Rats. Florida—Fly-up-the-Creeks. Georgia—Buzards. Illinois—Suckers. Indiana—Hoosters. Iowa—Hawkeys. Kansas—Jay Hawkers. Kentucky—Corn Crackers. Louisiana—Crocods. Maine—Foxes. Maryland—Craw Thumpers. Michigan—Wolverines. Minnesota—Gophers. Mississippi—Taipoles. Missouri—Pukes. Nebraska—Bug Eaters. Nevada—Sage Hens. New Hampshire—Granite Boys. New Jersey—Blues. New York—Knickerbockers. North Carolina—Tuckoes. Ohio—Buckeyes. Oregon—Wei Feet. Pennsylvania—Pennants. Rhode Island—G in Hats. South Carolina—Weasels. Tennessee—Whelps. Texas—Beef Heads. Vermont—Green Mountain. Virginia—Benchies. Wisconsin—Badgers.

AUCTION SALE.

To take place one mile south of Cottonwood, Kansas, at J. W. Harris's ranch, beginning at 9 o'clock, a. m., on SATURDAY, APRIL 16th, 1881, of the following described property, viz: 3 No. 1 brood mares, 1 saddle pony & colt, 1 saddle and bridle, 3 No. 1 milch cows, 1 two-year-old heifer, 2 brood sows, 1 yearling heifer, 80 laying hens, 24 ducks, 1 new corn sheller, 100 bushels of corn, 2 two-horse wagons, 1 sulky, 1 sewing machine, 100 head of extra Cotswold sheep, with lambs; no sheep in the flock over two years old; 50 or 60 bushels of potatoes, early and late kind, and other kinds of garden seeds—grown last year, and a few tons of hay; 1 set of double harness, medium light; 1 set of old double harness; 1 light spring wagon, bought new last fall; 1 set of stanchions, including pickets, crowbars, etc.; farming implements of all kinds; 2 good cooking stoves; household furniture; all kinds of dry meats.

TERMS OF THE SALE.—Six months, without interest; five per cent. discount, for cash, on all sums over ten dollars, on good and approved security. All sums under ten dollars, cash. W. S. SMITH, Auctioneer.

Notice For Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT TOPERA, KAS. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereon, at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, before the Judge of the District Court of Chase county, Kansas, or in his absence, before the Clerk of said Court, on the 23rd day of April, 1881, at his office at the county seat of said county: Charles Philbrick, H. A. No. 4729, for the north half (4) of the north west quarter (4) of section 32, township 13, range 9 east, and names the following as his heirs, by any two of which he expects to prove continuous residence, cultivation and improvement of said tract: William O'Brien, Z. Campbell, Joshua Stout and William Stewart, all of Toledo, Chase county, Kas. W. H. FITZPATRICK, Register, Feb 25-5w

Set a week in your own town. \$5 outfit free. No risk. Reader, if you want a business at which person or either sex can make great pay all the time they work, write for particulars to HALLETT & CO., Portland, Maine. 1/23-1/27

Annual Report of the County Clerk of Chase County, Kansas.

From October 5th, 1879, to and including October 11th, 1880, as shown by the annual settlement made by the County Commissioners with J. S. Shipman, County Treasurer.

Table with columns for Dr. and Cr. showing financial transactions for various departments including State Taxes, School Land Sales, and various Township and District taxes.

Cottonwood Tp. Sinking Fund.

Table showing financial details for Cottonwood Tp. Sinking Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

Diamond Creek Tp. Fund.

Table showing financial details for Diamond Creek Tp. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

Falls Township Tax.

Table showing financial details for Falls Township Tax, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

Falls Tp. Del'q't Road.

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Falls Township B. B. Interest.

Table showing financial details for Falls Township B. B. Interest, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

Toledo Township Tax.

Table showing financial details for Toledo Township Tax, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

Toledo Tp. Del'q't Road.

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Toledo Tp. R. R. B. Sinking Fund.

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School District No. 1, Gen. Fund.

Table showing financial details for School District No. 1, Gen. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

School District No. 2, Gen. Fund.

Table showing financial details for School District No. 2, Gen. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

School District No. 3, Gen. Fund.

Table showing financial details for School District No. 3, Gen. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

School District No. 4, Gen. Fund.

Table showing financial details for School District No. 4, Gen. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

CAMPBELL & GILLETT, Dealers in HARDWARE, STOVES, TINWARE, IRON.

Steel nails, horse shoes, horse nails. A full line of wagon and buggy material. Irons and wood pumps. A complete line of steel goods, forks, spades, shovels, hoes, rake, handles, &c.

TIN SHOP.

We have in our employ a tinner of long experience, and are prepared to do all kind of work in this line, on short notice, and at very low price.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

We have a good stock of breaking and stirring plows, cultivators, harrows, wheelbarrows, &c.

Agents for the Well Known Champion Machine and the Celebrated Thomas & Coats' Sulky Hay Rakes.

PAINTS AND OILS.

GLIDDON FENCE WIRE.

We are sole agents for this celebrated wire, known to be the best now in use. We try to keep a full line of everything generally called for by the farmers and if we haven't it, will get it. Thanking them all for patronage, and favors of the past, we desire a continuance of the same.

MAIN STREET, COTTONWOOD FALLS, KANSAS.

Table showing financial details for School District No. 7, Gen. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

Table showing financial details for School District No. 19, Gen. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

Table showing financial details for School District No. 8, Gen. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

Table showing financial details for School District No. 9, Gen. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

Table showing financial details for School District No. 10, Gen. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

Table showing financial details for School District No. 11, Gen. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

Table showing financial details for School District No. 12, Gen. Fund, including amounts paid to treasurers and interest on bonds.

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"The Old Reliable" HANNIBAL & ST. JO. R. R. THE PIONEER ROUTE BETWEEN THE MISSOURI AND MISSISSIPPI RIVERS. In spite of opposition is STILL THE FAVORITE With the traveling public who appreciate the many advantages it affords for the comfort and pleasure of its patrons. Smooth Steel Rail Tracks. ELEGANT DAY COACHES, RECLINING SEAT COACHES AND PULLMAN SLEEPERS THE ONLY LINE Running Through Day Coaches, Reclining Seat Cars and Pullman Sleepers to CHICAGO, Day Coaches and Pullman Sleepers to TOLEDO, Through Day Coaches to INDIANAPOLIS And is proverbially ALWAYS ON TIME. The public don't forget this and always take "THE OLD RELIABLE." JOHN B. CARSON, F. E. MORSE, Gen'l Manager, Gen'l Pass Ag't RUGGLES, SCOTT & LYNN, Emporia, Kansas, will practice in the District Court of Chase and adjoining counties.

