

The Chase County Courant.

W.E. TIMMONS, Editor and Publisher.

The Rice County Bulletin, one of our most lively exchanges, has entered its third year.

Grasshoppers in countless numbers, it is said, are hatching out in Dakota Territory. They are yet insignificant in size, but their sprightliness makes up for what they lack in this respect.

We can not see why Secretary Gray, in his quarterly report, and certain papers, like the Topeka Commonwealth, will persist in putting the wheat prospect of this State at such high figures. We doubt if there will be 40 per cent. of an average crop harvested; and this thing of making a blow about large crops only tends to bring the price of wheat down; and the poor man, who has to sell his wheat as soon as it is harvested, is the loser thereby; while the rich purchaser, who can wait for the inevitable rise in the market, is thus enabled to increase his riches. We ourselves like to puff and blow about the great resources of this State; but we do not like to do so to the detriment of the poorer class of our citizens.

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SCHOOL REPORTS.

COTTONWOOD FALLS SCHOOLS. The following is the report of Cottonwood Falls Schools for the month ending May 30, 1879:

Table with columns: Roll of honor, Av., Roll of honor, Av. Lists names and attendance for the first primary department.

Table with columns: Roll of honor, Av., Roll of honor, Av. Lists names and attendance for the second primary department.

COTTONWOOD SCHOOL. The following is the report of Cottonwood School for the month ending May 30, 1879:

Table with columns: Roll of honor, Attend, Sch'p, Dep. Lists names and attendance for Cottonwood school.

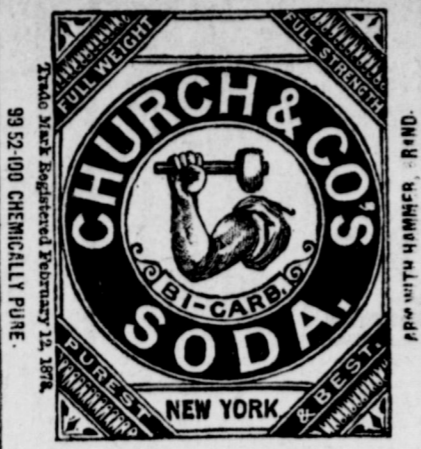
COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

The Board of County Commissioners met, last Monday, N. J. Swayze and Samuel Baker being present, and after examining the assessments in the various townships, concluded to make no changes whatever, from the returns of the assessors.

The following jury fees for the last term of the District Court were allowed:

Table listing names and amounts for jury fees, including J. H. Fosnaught, L. G. Cooper, Joshua Moffitt, etc.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF KANSAS, ss. In the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District, in and for Chase county, Kansas.

MONDAY, THE 23D DAY OF JUNE, 1879. at 10 o'clock, a. m., of said day, at the front door of the court-house in Cottonwood Falls, Chase county, Kansas, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described lands and tenements, to-wit:

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

STATE OF KANSAS, ss. County of Chase. In the Probate Court, in and for said county. In the matter of the estate of Martin Winger, deceased, a non-resident.

PILES

Of all kinds. Tumors, discharges of Blood or mucus, and all diseases of the Rectum quickly and perfectly cured by a simple and soothing remedy. For information address, DR. J. FABER & CO., 121 6th St. 22 Ann St., N. Y.

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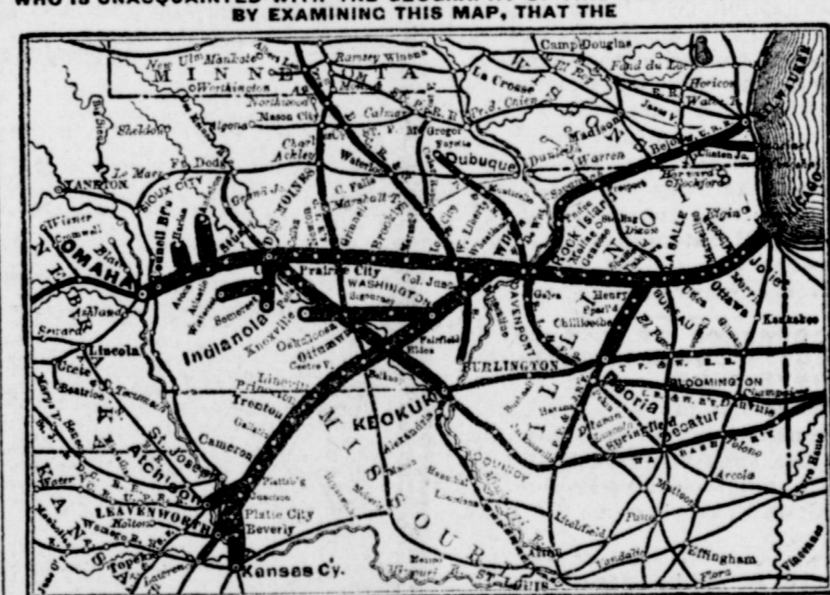
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PRICES. Top Buggy, with Sarven Wheels, Oil Tempered Springs, Leather Top and Trimmings, and Rubber Side and Back Curtains, \$150. Without Top, 110. With Side Bar, 180. With Side Bar Without Top, 130. With Drop Front, Fenders and Lamps, (Phaeton) two springs 180. Phaeton with 3 springs 190. Barouche 280. Delivery Wagon, 3 Springs, and Gate 140. Single Harness 20. Extras, net: Pole, \$10; Apron, \$3.50; Blank Runners to transfer a buggy into a sleigh \$7.

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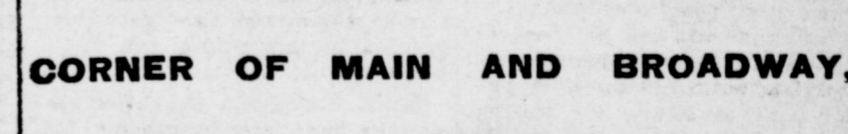
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