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

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## A WEEK'S NEWS.

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#### CONGRESSIONAL.

In the Senate, on the 19th, Mr. Ingalls, from the Committee on Judiciary, reported a bill to establish another judicial circuit by dividing the Eighth Circuit, which now embraces the Districts of Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas, Arkansas and Colorado. The bill provides for the division of the Eighth Circuit into two circuits, one embracing the States of Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas, Arkansas and Colorado, and the other the States of Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, Louisiana and Texas. The bill was read twice and passed.

In the Senate, on the 20th, the bill passed extending to August, 1886, the time to commence laying cable authorized by the act of August 8, 1882. The bill was read twice and passed.

In the Senate, on the 21st, a resolution calling on the President for information concerning the appointment of a Commissioner to examine certain sections of the Northern Pacific Railroad was referred to the Judiciary Committee. The bill was read twice and passed.

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WASHINGTON NOTES.  
SENATOR ALLISON has recalled his bill providing for the construction of a bridge over the Missouri River at Council Bluffs.

POSTMASTER GENERAL GRESHAM has ordered that all mail matter heretofore sent from New York, New Orleans and Galveston to Mexico by sea shall hereafter be sent via El Paso, Tex., over the Mexican Central Railroad.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH report that it would be unwise to confer upon the National Board of Health the management of quarantine and epidemics, but it would be best to have it where it now rests, under charge of Dr. Hamilton.

IT HAS BEEN AGREED to report favorably in Congress a bill granting the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Gulf Railroad the right of way through the Indian Territory.

THE EAST.  
AMOS ENO has mortgaged the Fifth Avenue Hotel property in New York, for \$1,250,000.

would prevent other manufacturers from holding out who might be disposed to fight for a reduction.

GENERAL GRANT has placed a mortgage on his property in Washington in favor of W. H. Vanderbilt to partially secure the latter for \$150,000 loaned to the General in New York. The instrument bears date of May 17.

A THREE-YEAR-OLD son of William Welcher, an iron pudler of Trenton, N. J., while playing in front of his home, fell head foremost into a post-hole recently dug, and before being drawn out was suffocated. The child was in the hole only a few minutes. A party of engineers were engaged in surveying a railroad from Coal Point, Clearfield County, Pa., to Cresson, Cambria County, which it was said will open up the largest bituminous coal field in the State.

THE St. Louis express on the Central Hudson Railroad ran into an Auburn road freight train at Brighton, N. Y., the other night. Engineer John Dunn, of the freight train, was killed, and several persons were injured.

THERE WAS a rumor in New York that Buck Grant had fled to Canada. General Grant was very indignant about it.

FRANKS AND WARD, of the defunct firm of Grant & Ward, has been lodged in Ludlow Street Jail. He could not raise a \$300,000 bond.

THE Eureka paper mill at Bridgeport, Pa., owned and operated by Dager & Cox, burned. Loss, \$40,000; partly insured.

HALF A DOZEN detectives and deputy sheriffs were watching the house of John C. Eno, of New York, who recently failed. The servants admitted only intimate friends. Eno was in bed sick.

JOSEPH B. McDONALD, of Woburn, Mass., a lumber dealer, has assigned. Liabilities, \$125,000.

THE WEST.  
THE wooden suspension bridge over the Scioto River at Portsmouth, O., fell the other morning, carrying down two children, who were on it, and both were drowned.

THE National mass convention of the wool growers of the United States met in convention at Chicago on the 19th.

John R. Morris, of Illinois, WILLIAM McE. Rowan, of West Virginia, Van B. Iye, of Arkansas.

TEXAS had another deluge of rain on the 21st. In places the fall ranged from four to eight inches in twenty-four hours. Serious washouts occurred. The rain was accompanied by tornadoes.

THE Louisiana Legislature elected James B. Eastis United States Senator to succeed Jones.

AT Freeport, La., John Stucky and William White, rivals for the hand of a young lady, shot each other, both dying. Stucky received a forty-two shot in the bowels and stomach.

IT WAS believed the human remains found in a soap box at the depot in Chattanooga, Tenn., were those of Herman Krouse, murdered at St. Albans, Vt., by Oscar Meyer.

THE Sheriff of Marion County, La., while attempting to arrest a negro named Talman, was shot dead by the latter. A mob put a rope around the negro's neck and hanged him to a tree.

GREAT damage has been done to property and crops in Texas by recent heavy rains and high water.

THE elections in Virginia passed off quietly, and the Democrats were victorious in almost all the cities.

ELLET, DEWEY & CO., of Richmond, Va., wholesale dry goods, have assigned. Liabilities, \$200,000; assets not known. Dewey thinks he can pay dollar for dollar. Preferred creditors amount to \$108,000.

H. C. BLANCHARD, a coffee merchant of Richmond, Va., failed recently.

GENERAL.  
A DISPATCH from Berlin says: While a regiment of infantry were marching across a bridge just completed for the purpose of testing its strength, a portion of the structure gave away, precipitating many of the soldiers and bystanders to the ground and into the river. Twenty persons were injured, some of them mortally.

## KANSAS STATE NEWS.

### A Decided Original.

He is a queer creature is Blaine, of Maine. He is a decided original, and as full of tricks as any monkey that ever appeared in the only greatest show on earth—or in any other show on any other earth. Neither politicians or poets know where to have him or what to do with him. It begins to now look very much as if one of the places to have him is to be the place of Republican candidate for the Presidency; but appearances may be deceptive, as they often are in Blaine's case. Even if he should be a candidate the question what to do with him will be as difficult as ever.

Starting out with the most pronounced determination not to be a candidate, Mr. Blaine apparently took himself to his book and hammered away at it as diligently as if he were a space writer dependent for his daily bread upon the performance of a stated amount of daily labor. The booms of the boomers went thundering through the land, but he kept his ears closed and heard them not. His own boom was laid up in lavender. He knew apparently he had no record upon which to run for even a nomination, much less for an election. Most of his party papers told him so and many of them told him why with a fullness, not to say coarseness, of detail which left nothing either to the imagination or to the ingenuity of opposing partisanship. He made no defense; his friends made none. His unavailability seemed to be an accepted fact, and his withdrawal from the race a foregone conclusion. Suddenly it appears that he has an admitted strength of 138 votes in the Chicago Convention and a claimed strength of 350; his friend Phelps, of New Jersey, comes to his defense with an elaborate sponging out of all the wicked stories his party has been telling about him, and the pretense that he is not a candidate, but a poor struggling author is thrust into the dim background.

Was ever party in this humor woe? Never that we recall. But this wooing has been wonderfully successful; and the winning of the party is among the most prominent of political probabilities. If the nomination is secured the party will cost a good deal of swallowing. There are brave words unnumbered about "tainted candidates" and "rotten records" and "tattooed men" to be eaten before Blaine can be shouted for with anything like unanimity. But the swallow of the party of moral ideas is capacious, and practice has made it very expert. Like the savages who eat only tainted meat, the "proud old party" rather likes candidates that have been left too long out of the refrigerator. They will take Mr. Blaine with Phelps' very flimsy certificate of character and the assurance of the New York Tribune, "the party will have to rob the cradle and the grave to find a candidate of whom no evil can be said." And they will leave the task of defeating him, and of protecting the Republic from the dishonor his election would entail, to the Democracy.

DR. HOLCOMBE, the State Veterinarian, has returned from a trip over the State investigating the reported glanders among various sections of the State. He has investigated the matter personally and has found the glanders among the horses in seven counties, as follows: Leavenworth, Neosho, Montgomery, Greenwood, Ottawa, Marion and Edwards. Besides these, he has received reports from nine other counties, that the disease exists in each of them. They are Lyon, Shawnee, Riley, Clay, Dickinson, Reno, Rice, Kingman and Davis. Dr. Holcombe will investigate the matter further, and every effort is being made to stamp out the disease and prevent its further spread.

BEYOND Ragsdale and Mosier, the Topeka whiskey sellers, were released from the county jail by the County Commissioners because they were unable to pay fines and costs. One of their attorneys said if they had not been released Governor Gilck would have pardoned them on the 29th, when the required by law for notice would have expired.

THE State Federal Directors Association recently met in Annual Convention at Topeka.

THE Wyandotte Gun Club held their regular monthly shoot on the 23d at Normandy Grove. Following was the result in brief, ten clay pigeons each being shot at: Bishop, 10; Ford, 10; Griswold, 10; Stearns, 7; Gray, 6; Walcott, 5; McAlpine, 3. In the shoot of those named, Ford won by a second clean score of ten. This was justly regarded as extraordinary good shooting, and it was hoped that the Wyandotte club would challenge some one of the crack clubs of Kansas City.

BREV. A. B. CARVELL will accept the position of State Evangelist in the Sunday-school work of the Christian Church, resigning his position as President of the State Temperance Union at the end of the year, which is in July some time. He would have commenced his new work immediately but the Union Directory persuaded him to wait until the annual election.

THE Church of Christ, of Osage City, Osage County; the First Baptist Church, of Council Grove, Morris County; the Methodist Episcopal Church of Tiblow, Wyandotte County; and the First Baptist Church, of Dennis, Labette County, filed their respective charters recently with the Secretary of State.

FROM the report of the State Horticultural Society, just published, it is learned that the number of bearing fruit trees in Kansas in 1883 was as follows: Apple, 3,291,148; pear, 1,003,750; peach, 5,815,301; plum, 273,680; cherry, 887,736. Of trees not yet in bearing the number of every variety above named was about equal to those in bearing.

ON recommendation of Congressman Morrill, T. F. Sanders was appointed Postmaster at Oneida.

A COLORED prisoner in the County Jail at Topeka was operated upon recently for adominal dropsy. The doctor "tapped" him and drew forth about six quarts of water.

MR. GOBHAM, of Topeka, lately went out to attend to his horses at the stable. He laid off his coat and vest, when a thief stole eighty dollars from his vest pocket.

REPUBLICAN ARITHMETIC.  
The Republican arithmeticians are not so successful in figuring out the relative strength of the several candidates for the Republican Presidential nomination, as they have proved in counting in their candidate after he was defeated. They differ widely as to the number of delegates that may be relied upon to support the two principal candidates respectively, Messrs. Arthur and Blaine. Striking a mean by a sort of allegation alternate it would appear that Blaine leads with a vote of nearly 350, while Arthur is a good second with a vote close to 300. The remaining 160 votes are distributed among Messrs. Edmunds, Logan, Sherman, Gresham, Hawley and Fairchild.

THE balance of power held by the minor candidates is not likely to be thrown solidly in favor of either Arthur or Blaine. It is quite certain that the former can get but little if any of that strength unless, indeed, the final struggle should be between him and Blaine. In that event nearly all of the Edmunds, Sherman and Hawley vote would be cast for Arthur. The talk of an understanding between Blaine and Logan is renewed and if it be true that an agreement between these two has been entered into, it is quite likely that Blaine will receive the 58 votes of Logan which would bring him so close to a nomination that his opponent would find it difficult to defeat him. If the more sanguine of Blaine's supporters figure with any degree of accuracy the vote controlled by Logan will be quite sufficient to give the nomination to the "Plumed Knight."

BOTH Arthur and Blaine are shrewd politicians. They understand most thoroughly the art of manipulating political conventions. Greek will meet Greek at Chicago in the persons of these well-matched antagonists and there will be a tug of war in the Republican National Convention that will equal if not surpass in stubbornness and exciting interest that of the week's battle between the 396 and the field in 1880. But may not the shrewdness of these principal contestants suggest to them the propriety of "pooling their issues" instead of permitting the field to utilize the strength of the weaker for the benefit of one of the minor candidates? Arthur and Blaine between them control three-

courths of the Convention. There has been no such bitterness in their rivalry as to preclude a combination which would be mutually advantageous. True, it is not likely that President Arthur would accept office under Blaine, but as he is a natural-born politician and too young to retire altogether from public life, he might be willing to become "the power behind the throne greater than the throne itself." As for Blaine, it is not doubted for a moment that if he finds that his play for the principal stake is to lose, he would be willing to repeat with Arthur or any other promising candidate the bargain he made with Garfield. Stranger things have happened in politics than a combination between Arthur and Blaine.—Harrisburg Patriot.

DEFEAT OF REVENUE REFORM.  
It has been often said by the Republican that the fate of the bill reported by the Committee on Ways and Means for the reduction of war taxes, known as the Morrison bill, depended on a small margin of votes. That it would be sustained or defeated by a very small majority has been apparent for several weeks to every one who gave close attention to the subject. The final trial of strength between the protectionists and revenue reformers came yesterday, and the bill was defeated on a motion made by a protectionist to strike out the enacting clause by a vote of 156 in the affirmative to 151 in the negative. This, it is entirely probable, ends all effort on the part of the Democrats to reduce taxation and the surplus revenues during the present Congress.

It seems to be no use in spending further time after the long and able, but unsuccessful, battle for so reasonable and conservative a measure as that which has just been killed. No doubt there will be feints made to reduce internal revenue taxation or remove it entirely from whisky and tobacco; but these will be of little consequence. The people do not want free whisky and tobacco, and their representatives will hardly persevere in an effort to do what is so manifestly against the popular inclination.

THE struggle which has ended has not been without value. It has done much to educate the people and to inculcate wise opinions on the uppermost question in American politics. It has also done much to define the position of parties. The Democrats, though unfortunately not solid for revenue reform, have shown that the weight and authority of the party is on that side of the question not only in their party platforms but in the halls of legislation.

On the other hand, the Republican party stands for a continuation of needless taxation and the imposition of duties which bring a vast and demoralizing surplus into the Federal Treasury. Those Democrats who have chosen to act against their party and to become the allies of the Republicans are but a fragment of the organization whose National triumph they imperil and whose opinions on the most vital question before the people they do not share.

There will, of course, be no retreat or lowering of the flag of the Democracy. They will go into the approaching National campaign with the doctrine of revenue reform inscribed on their banners with all the emphasis of unabated earnestness, and those who battle with them will have to march under that sign and with that profession of opinion. This is no time for hesitancy, nor will there be wavering or doubling in the ranks.—St. Louis Republican.

POLITICAL ITEMS.  
—Well, it has come to this at last—everything seems to come to us a little late. That the politicians of the party see, what the people saw four years ago, that Mr. Tilden is the universal choice. He himself has but to say the word, and that ends it. The National Convention will come only to confirm it.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE Cleveland Plain Dealer thinks the Ohio Republican Tariff plank "is an attempt to steal Democratic thunder." The Republicans might well report that the Ohio Democratic Tariff platform is not only an attempted but a completed theft of Republican thunder. The two are constructed precisely the same way by both Democratic and Republican protectionists.—Washington Post.

—Could anything better illustrate the confusion which sometimes overtakes men not wholly mad than the suggestion to substitute McDonald for Hendricks on the old ticket? The old ticket is Tilden and Hendricks, nothing more, nothing less. The displacement of Hendricks for McDonald, or any other man, would make the loss of Indiana certain, and ought to.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—Just about the time a lot of crazy Kentucky Democrats, who have fallen into the error of supposing that they are the Democratic party of this country, were reading Samuel J. Randall out of the Democratic party, hundreds of thousands of Democrats in Pennsylvania were resolving to present his name to the National Convention as their first and last choice for President of the United States.—Omaha Herald.

—Every prospect promises that the Chicago Republican Convention will be a slaughter-house, as that was four years ago at the same place, and as that was eight years ago at Cincinnati, in which all the prominent leaders and all that have the courage and squareness to be candidates will be killed off, and the Convention, in its inability to nominate the foremost man, will suddenly take a senseless stampede to some nominee whom not even a single delegation would have considered before.—Cincinnati News-Journal.



**The Chase County Court.**  
**Official Paper of Chase County.**  
**W. E. TIMMONS, Editor and Publisher.**

The horizontal reduction that Pittsburg manufacturers now favor is 10 per cent. reduction of wages.

It is said that an Iowa woman drank three quarts of cider in three minutes. After that she was quite beside herself.

Oscar Wilde is still abusing America. The American pie gave the child a fine, large case of chronic dyspepsia.

The Nineteenth Annual Convention of the Kansas State Sunday School Association, will be held in Music Hall, Newton, June 18, 19 and 20 1884.

J. H. Parker, a farmer, near Columbus, Mo., lost, on Monday, a mare and nine blooded calves by their drinking from a bucket of "Cooper's Sheep Dip" that had been carelessly left accessible to them.

Notwithstanding the whole world is progressing, more products exist to day than ever before; yet only 17.4 per cent of our exports and imports are carried in American vessels. In 1856 it was 75.2 per cent. Protection drives us from the sea.

The Art Amateur begins its eleventh volume with an admirable June number. The most notable feature in the fine array of drawings by Bacon, Bridgman, Beggs, Mosler, Harrison and other American artists, after their paintings in the Paris Salon. There are also some striking drawings by J. F. Raffaelli and a page of Barye bronzes. For practical information the answers to correspondents are alone worth the price of the number, thirty five cents. Montague Marks, Publisher, 23 Union Square, New York.

The tariff tax on imports makes the burden of national taxation fall heavier on the poor than on the richer class, who are more able to pay, because the tax is paid by the person who consumes, and one family will use just about as much sugar, woolen goods, etc., as another. If we are to have any tax on goods, either excise or custom, to support government, we should have an income-tax to balance the burden, placing more on the man who has thousands, than on the laborer who supports his family on the low wages that now exist in this country.

Our farmers are beginning to understand the fallacy of a "home market." They raise wheat in competition with India, Russia, and the whole world. When wheat declines in Liverpool it goes down in Chicago. The home market does not prevent wheat being cheap. Some farmers believe in paying a tariff tax to the manufacturer because they consume wheat, corn, etc. Does not the farmer return this favor by consuming manufactured goods? Do the manufacturers give farmers any bounty because they consume?—*Kansas Free Trader.*

Mr. Welch having challenged discussion on an anti-prohibition standpoint, Col. Thos. S. Jones accepted the challenge, and in an able and appreciative address of half an hour clearly demonstrated the fact that prohibition did not prohibit. He cited the effort which has been made in Maine for the past thirty-five years to suppress the manufacturer and sale of liquor in that State, and said statistics proved that there was more liquor sold in that State to-day than in any State of equal population where there were open saloons. He also retorted to Mr. Welch by saying that the fine school house and the Union church, which had been referred to in such glowing terms by the gentleman in his morning harangue, were both built by the saloon and liberal element of Dodge City. His defense of the administration of Gov. Glick elicited much enthusiasm, and proved that the Governor has lost none of his old time popularity.—*Dodge City Democrat.*

The Topeka State Journal says: "When the Democracy of Kansas consents to ally itself with the mercenary contingent of liquor men who care nothing for the party, but everything for private gain, to screen them from punish-

ment for violating the laws of the State, and to prevent the enforcement of a law that our highest courts have pronounced constitutional, it will meet the overwhelming defeat it deserves. But the Kansas Democracy will do no such thing. It will stand, as it has ever stood, for the enforcement of the law; and while it scorns and repudiates that theory of government which makes the citizen a machine, whose conduct shall be regulated and his diet prescribed by the state; while it likewise demands a re-submission of the prohibition constitutional amendment, and believes that a majority of the people will favor such re-submission; it will neither aid nor abet any law breaker in attempting to escape the consequences of his voluntary acts."

**FOURTH OF JULY.**  
 Pursuant to call the citizens of Cottonwood Falls met at the Court house last Saturday night, to make preparations for the proper celebration of the coming Fourth of July. Mr. M. A. Campbell was elected chairman of the meeting, and Messrs. G. P. Hardesty and J. W. Griffiths were elected secretaries. On motion, Messrs. W. H. Spencer, J. M. Tuttle, James M. Kerr, M. A. Campbell, Ed. Pratt, J. W. McWilliams, A. B. Watson and W. A. Morgan were appointed as an executive committee.

After listening to sweet music discoursed by the Brass Band, and to several patriot speeches, the meeting adjourned.

The Executive Committee met, Monday night, in Hon. J. W. McWilliams' office, and appointed the following committees:

Committee on Speakers.—Hon. J. W. McWilliams, Judge C. C. Whitson, T. H. Grisham, T. O. Kelly and C. H. Carswell.

Committee on Grounds.—A. F. Wells, H. Bixby, John Shofe, Tom Baker and James Bircham.

Committee on Finance.—G. W. Estes, J. S. Shipman, J. F. Ollinger, L. A. Loomis, G. P. Hardesty, J. S. Doolittle, J. W. Stone, W. H. Hulsinger, J. W. Ferry and A. Ferlet.

Committee on Music.—W. G. Patten, J. H. Doolittle, E. Cooley, Frank Wekerlin and H. J. Wekerlin.

Committee on Fireworks.—J. L. Cochran, J. M. Tuttle, J. S. Doolittle and J. W. Ferry.

Committee on Amusements.—A. B. Watson, W. M. Kellogg, J. F. Ollinger, E. A. Kinne and Jim Jackson.

Committee on Dancing.—James W. Marden, Geo. P. Hardesty, Ed. W. Ellis, C. R. Simmons and Edgar W. Jones.

Committee on Programme.—Ed. Pratt, Jas. M. Kerr, M. A. Campbell and W. E. Timmons.

**PATENTS GRANTED.**  
 The following patents were granted to citizens of Kansas, during the two weeks ending May 20 1884, reported expressly for this paper by Jos. H. Hunter, Solicitor of American and Foreign Patents, 934 F Street, Washington, D. C.: James B. Foster, Parsons, wind mill; Charles Kiper, Atchison, harness; Frederick L. Kirkbride, Wyandotte, vehicle wheel; Aaron James Mott, Fulton, boot or shoe sole, Wesley Case, Topeka, compound to prevent the fusion of solder; Emile Lind, Hiawatha, seeding device; Isaac Cruzan, Willow Springs, wagon end gate; Joseph B. Ladd, North Topeka, wedding machine; Homer Adkins, Concordia, horse power; Daniel W. Jacoby, Abilene, check rower and corn planter; William I. Rorick, Winfield, water elevator.

**TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.**  
 The following is the programme for the Chase County Teachers' Association at their meeting, to be held, Saturday, June 7, 1884, at 1 o'clock, p. m.:

1. Reconstruction and Passing Events.
2. Reconstruction, Chauncey R. Simmons.
3. Recitation, Carrie Breese.
4. Condition of the Country for the three years following the war, Ada Rogler.
5. Brief History of Events between '65 and '84, E. Bailey.
6. Recitation, Elsie McGrath.
7. Progress of the Nation, Frank Spencer.
8. Contrast of the condition of the Country at the close of the war and at the present time, Lizzie Staples.
9. Recitation, Alice Hunt.
10. Comparative History of this epoch, Geo. McLaughlin.

**G. A. R. DECORATION DAY.**  
 At the last meeting of John T. Geary Post No 15, G. A. R., the following committees were appointed to take into consideration and if thought practicable, make arrangements and decorate the graves of the soldier dead lying in the various cemetery grounds in Chase county.

Cottonwood Falls—John Shofe, P. Hubbard and Martia Bookstore.  
 Bazaar Cemetery—P. E. McCobb, H. G. White and Al. Bradley.  
 Cedar Point—Thomas Harrison and P. P. Schriver.  
 Toledo Cemetery—A. M. Omaway and M. D. Lylo.  
 Matfield Green Cemetery—H. Brandy and Jonathan Munn.

All parties feeling interested in decorating the graves of soldiers in the Cottonwood Falls cemetery will meet at the residence of John Shofe, in Cottonwood Falls, at the cemetery at 10 a. m., on Friday, May 30, 1884, with all the flowers they can procure.

Immediately after the decoration of the graves Messrs. T. H. Grisham and F. P. Cochran will address those present.

**A CHALLENGE.**  
 Mr. H. J. Wekerlin, you are hereby notified that on Saturday, May 31, 1884, I will deposit \$50. in the bank, to test which of us can make the best bureau, according to the plan now in Mr. Ed. Pratt's drug store.

**FOR SALE.**  
 A stone blacksmith shop with two fires and all necessary tools; also, a residence of five rooms, good cellar and well, and two lots. Apply at this office or to Wm. C. Giese, Cottonwood Falls, Kansas.

**FOR SALE.**  
 The restaurant and bakery stand of F. Oberst, on Main street, including fixtures. Apply at this office, or address F. Oberst at Lehigh, Marion county, Kansas.

**FOR SALE.**  
 320 acres of good land, located in Chase county, Kansas. Address SOL. OPPENHEIMER, Eureka, Kansas.

**CASH.**  
 For eggs, butter, chickens and other products, at Pennell's restaurant.

Read the public sale advertisement of S. T. Bennett's Short-horns and high grades.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS.**  
 To whom it may concern: I am hereby notified as a candidate, on the principle of temperance, for the position of Senator. Yours truly, W. H. CARTER.

**Jas. P. McGrath,**  
 —NOTARY PUBLIC,—  
 Real Estate, Loan and Insurance AGENT.  
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**Notice to Tax Payer.**  
 OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK, COTTONWOOD FALLS, KAS. May 1, 84.  
 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 Monday, June 24, 1884, for the purpose of equalizing the valuation of all property assessed in said county, for the year 1884, 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. J. J. MASSEY, County clerk.

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 In the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District in and for Chase county, State of Kansas.  
 Reubin Barnett, of parts unknown, will take notice that he has been cited in the District Court of Chase county, Kansas, by Mary O. Barnett; that her petition was filed on the 29th day of May, 1884, charging him, among other things, with gross neglect of duty, and adultery with more than one frail dove of humanity; and praying that the marital ties existing between himself and Mary O. Barnett be forever dissolved; and Reubin Barnett must understand that he must answer, plead or demur to said petition on or before the 18th day of June, 1884, or said petition will be taken as true, and judgment rendered accordingly.  
 MARY O. BARNETT, Plaintiff.  
 THOS. H. GRISHAM, Attorney for Plaintiff.  
 E. A. KINNE, Clerk of District Court.

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**CITY AND COUNTY NEWS.**

**LOCAL SHORT STOPS.**  
Business locals, under this head, 20 cents a line, first insertion, and 10 cents a line for each subsequent insertion.

**Rain, Monday morning.**  
Subscribe for the **COVRANT**.  
A nice rain, last Saturday morning.  
Mr. J. A. Smith is on a visit in Illinois.  
Strong City will celebrate the 4th of July.  
Miss Luella Pugh went Lawrence, yesterday.  
Corn and wheat and oats and rye are looking well.  
Mr. R. M. Watson was down to Kansas City, this week.  
Mr. H. E. Snyder was down to Emporia, last Saturday.  
Mr. A. P. Bond has returned from his visit to Indiana.  
Miss Fanny Born, of Emporia is visiting at Mr. J. N. Nye's.  
Mr. Ed. Pratt has had an awning put up in front of his store.  
The Sunday law against fishing was put into force last Sunday.  
Mr. S. T. Bennett, of Safford was down to Emporia Monday.  
The city school will close, next Friday, for the Summer vacation.  
Mrs. Arnold Brandley is visiting at her mother's, Mrs. H. L. Hunt.  
There was a very enjoyable dance in Music Hall, last Friday night.  
Messrs. J. S. Doolittle & Son have put up an awning in front of their store.  
Miss Nannie Pugh has returned from Iowa, where she has been teaching school.  
Miss Flora Gandy has returned from Baldwin City, where she was attending school.  
Mrs. Aquila Cope, on South Fork, has had potatoes and other vegetables, this spring.  
Mr. M. P. Strail is putting a porch in front of his house and having the house painted.  
A compositor justifies his takes and pastes his dupes; but he is a pretty good fellow after all.  
Messrs. H. S. F. Davis and J. A. Smith, of Strong City, were down to Emporia, Saturday.  
Mr. Frank Bently is putting the coat of brick on the outside of the Bonewell building on Broadway.  
Prof. Wm. M. Crichton left Monday, for Illinois, in response to a telegram that his father was dead.  
Street Commissioner Pennell is filling up the ravine east of Broadway, where it crosses Main street.  
Mr. T. A. Ferlet is now sole proprietor of the Armstrong (Mo.) Autograph, having bought out his partner.  
Born, on Thursday morning, May 22, 1884, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wheeler, of Strong City, a daughter.  
Mr. J. D. Minnick sold his forty-two head of fat cattle to Mr. Rothchilds, last Saturday, and they were shipped east, last Sunday.  
The fifteenth Annual Commencement of the Kansas State Agricultural College, at Manhattan, will be held June 8th to 11th, 1884.  
Mr. P. B. Gillett, of Kingman, started home, last Thursday; but before leaving he called in to see us and put his name down on our subscription list.  
Out of print—the letter B. Greatly in demand—the letter D. Never out of office—the letter I. Forever in bed—E. Always in drink, but never intoxicated—K.  
About 3 o'clock, last Sunday morning, the burning out of the flue of the kitchen chimney of the Union Hotel caused quite an excitement and drew a very large crowd to that place.  
There will be a picnic held in Lantry's Grove, next Monday, June 24, for the benefit of St. Anthony's church, of Strong City. Everybody is invited to attend; an enjoyable time is anticipated.  
The Farmers and Stock Growers' Association of Chase county, will hold their next meeting in the District Court room, at 1 o'clock next Monday, June 24. It is important that every member should be present.

**TIME TABLE.**

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| <b>EAST. PASS MAIL. E.M.T. FR.T. FR.T. FR.T.</b> | <b>AM</b> | <b>PM</b> | <b>AM</b> | <b>PM</b> | <b>AM</b> | <b>PM</b> |
| Gods Pt. 9:46                                    | 9:55      | 9:13      | 12:35     | 6:51      | 2:28      |           |
| Clendale 9:59                                    | 10:06     | 9:22      | 12:34     | 7:10      | 2:50      |           |
| Elmdale 10:16                                    | 10:21     | 10:00     | 1:16      | 7:38      | 4:40      |           |
| Strong 10:33                                     | 10:36     | 10:33     | 1:42      | 8:05      | 5:15      |           |
| Safford 10:52                                    | 10:54     | 11:04     | 2:11      | 8:36      | 5:56      |           |

**WEST. PASS MAIL. E.M.T. FR.T. FR.T. FR.T.**

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| Safford 4:23  | 5:07      | 9:10      | 7:57      | 2:11      | 8:16      |
| Strong 4:38   | 5:26      | 9:48      | 8:24      | 2:45      | 8:00      |
| Elmdale 5:07  | 5:43      | 10:21     | 9:03      | 3:13      | 7:50      |
| Clendale 5:26 | 5:59      | 10:56     | 9:34      | 3:43      | 8:24      |
| Gods Pt. 5:56 | 6:10      | 11:17     | 9:55      | 4:09      | 8:05      |

**NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL LAND.**

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

**SAURDAY, JUNE 14TH, 1884,**  
between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock, p. m., the following described school land, to-wit:

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| Improvements...           |        |         | 3.00        |

**ROAD NOTICE.**

**STATE OF KANSAS,** ss.  
**County of Chase,** ss.  
Office of County Clerk, April 9, 1884.  
Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of April, 1884, a petition, signed by John L. Keeley and 12 others, was presented to the Board of County Commissioners of the county and State aforesaid, praying for the location of a certain road, described as follows, viz:  
Commencing on the north line between Chase and Morris counties, thence running due south on the section line between sections one and two (1 and 2), eleven and twelve (11 and 12), thirteen and fourteen (13 and 14), intersecting the east out road on the south of section thirteen and fourteen (13 and 14), township eighteen (18), range nine (9), east.  
Also to vacate a portion of the laid out road on section line between sections twenty-three and twenty-four (23 and 24) in township eighteen (18), range nine (9), east, and locate the said road east on the north traveled road, commencing eighty rods from the north line of section twenty-three and twenty-four (23 and 24) and intersecting the said road south of the fourth ravine.  
Whereupon, said Board of County Commissioners appointed the following named persons, viz: G. W. Brickell, Harmon Keilum and G. H. Barber as viewers, with instructions to meet, in conjunction with the County Surveyor, at the point of commencement of said proposed road, in Toledo township, on Friday, the 12th day of June, A. D. 1884, and proceed to view said road, and give all parties a hearing.  
By order of the Board of County Commissioners  
J. J. MASSEY,  
County Clerk

**ROAD NOTICE.**

**STATE OF KANSAS,** ss.  
**Chase County,** ss.  
Office of County Clerk, April 9, 1884.  
Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of April, 1884, a petition, signed by E. S. Crawford and 13 others, was presented to the Board of County Commissioners of the county and state aforesaid, praying for the location and vacation of a certain road, described as follows, viz:  
Commencing at a point forty (40) rods south of the northeast corner of lot thirteen (13), section six (6), township twenty (20), range eight (8), east, Chase county, Kansas; thence southeast, through lot thirteen (13), to a point forty (40) rods west of the northeast corner of lot twenty (20), same section, township and range; thence west eighty (80) rods to northeast corner of lot twenty (20), same section, township and range; thence south one hundred and sixty (160) rods to northeast corner lot nine (9), section seven (7), same township and range.  
And that the road now running through lots thirteen (13), twenty (20), twenty-one (21) and twenty-six (26) of section six (6), and lot five (5) of section seven (7), township twenty (20), range eight (8), east, Chase county Kansas, be vacated and the road above petitioned for be adopted in its stead.  
Whereupon, said Board of County Commissioners appointed the following named persons, viz: J. H. Scribner, A. Watson and John Prather as viewers, with instructions to meet, in conjunction with the County Surveyor, at the point of commencement of said road, in Falls township, on Monday, the 16th day of June, A. D. 1884, and proceed to view said road and give to all parties a hearing.  
By order of the Board of County Commissioners,  
J. J. MASSEY,  
County Clerk

Messrs. W. P. Martin, Dr. J. W. Stone (Delegates), Dr. L. P. Ravenscroft, J. R. Holmes (Alternates), Dr. W. P. Pugh, C. J. Lantry, C. H. Carswell and ye local were in attendance at the Democratic State Convention, at Topeka, yesterday.  
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FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Ventilate the dairy early in the morning when the air is coolest.

Those breeds of fowl that are largest layers have a great appetite for animal food.

A doctor of Glen Falls, Warren County, N. Y., has discovered that the venom of a rattlesnake is a specific for the cure of lockjaw, having used and proven it in his practice.

Molasses Cake: One cup of molasses, one table spoonful ginger, seven table spoonfuls melted butter, one table spoonful soda, one cup boiling water poured into the soda; flour to thicken.

The Household: It is a popular fancy just now to serve oranges sliced very thin, with powdered sugar sprinkled over them, at the close of an elaborate meal, whether it is dinner or supper, and certainly nothing could be more refreshing after eating heartily of meats or salads.

To Give Collars a Gloss: Take two ounces guta arabica powder, put it into a bowl and pour over it one pint boiling water. Cover and let it stand overnight, then pour it carefully from the dregs into a clean bottle. Cork and it is ready for use.

Henry Ward Beecher says the way to get rid of the Canada thistle is to plant it as a regular crop for profit, which will soon be found that worms will gnaw it, spiders will bite it, beetles will bore it, and birds will peck it.

Very rich fritters are made of one and a half pints of flour, the yolks of four eggs, two small table spoonfuls of baking powder, butter the size of a large hickory nut, salt to taste, with enough milk to make a thick batter; fry in lard that is heated to the boiling point.

For stewed apples with rice soup, the cores and peel some fine russet apples, and stew them in clarified sugar. Boil some rice in milk with a pinch of salt, a few strips of lemon peel, and sugar enough to sweeten it.

It has been proved that it takes eighteen pounds of good hay a day to keep alive a steer weighing 1,000 pounds. A 2,000 pound steer will take thirty-six pounds to keep him alive and from shrinking; or in other words to furnish heat and repair the waste of tissue that is constantly occurring in the animal economy.

The longer an animal is kept, the larger the per cent. of its food which goes to furnish merely the food for support. It is also evident that the per cent. diminishes as the days of existence are lessened.

Greatest Good to the Greatest Number.

We will not be accused of lack of appreciation of breeds of animals with special adaptation for some one purpose when we insist that it is a great mistake to ignore the needs of the class whose circumstances are such that they cannot well choose such animals. There is room enough for the heavy draft horse, for the trotter, for the fine saddle horse, but we must not forget that the largest number of horses in the country and in the towns are owned by men who require fair excellence in two or more directions, rather than special merit in any one.

There is a growing demand for cows that are of great excellence for the dairy, with little regard for their qualifications as beef makers.

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Where does the manure do the most good? This is a very important question for farmers. Fashions change in farm practices as well as in other things. There are always innovators and persons, like the ancient people, who are always looking for something new.

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Why the Wart is There.

Those who have studied the map of Massachusetts cannot but have noticed the peculiar appearance of a portion of the Connecticut boundary line just southeast of Springfield.

Two Boards of Commissioners were appointed by Massachusetts and Connecticut in 1793 to ascertain and report the exact boundaries of Southwick, Sandisfield, New Marlboro, and farther west to the New York State line, and four years later, in 1797, joint commissioners were appointed to establish the line east of the Connecticut River.

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The new gauze crepe is a lovely material for millinery purposes and much used in white, pale pink and blue for bonnets for evening wear. For this purpose it is embroidered or brocaded in dots or leaves and the crown is shirred so as to form upright cords.

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Instinct.

Members of the human family are supposed to be governed or controlled by reason, whilst other animals are said to be governed by instinct.

Instinct is a force that nature has placed in every animal, however large or small. It is a living force that aids in seeking and obtaining its means of growth. Instinct is a blind impulse that controls every animal in many ways.

Animals may be educated by habit. In the East, sheep may be made to recognize the shepherd's voice and know at once when he calls.

The annoying green fly is very readily eradicated, but if not taken in time will permanently injure many plants. Under glass, the smoke from tobacco stems quickly destroys them, and on roses in the open air, a little pyretum powder or white hellebore is sure death to the unwelcome visitors.

Although there are several species of these troublesome little pests, known by the technical term of aphides, their destruction is similar. In light stony soils they will fasten on the roots of apple trees, and in a short time cause a mass of ungainly excrescences and knobs, so as to injure the vitality of the tree and eventually cause its death.

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