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A WEEK'S NEWS.

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PROCEEDINGS OF CONGRESS.

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The Sheboygan (Wis.) Manufacturing Company's factory was burned recently. Loss \$75,000; insured for \$43,000. A gang of convicts made a desperate attempt to escape from the Missouri Penitentiary on the 23d by setting fire to the shops and knocking the guards down. The riot was promptly quelled. The private loss by the fire was about \$83,000, and the loss to the State was over \$300,000, as nearly all the shops were burned. Four convicts were reported to have been badly burned.

Manuel Lenhart, one of the men charged with the murder of Baldwin, near Grand Rapids, Mich., was lately found dead in jail. A dance was held at a house near the jail and Lenhart mistook the noise at the dance to be from a mob gathering to lynch him, and so frightened him as to cause his death.

A singular disease among swine has made its appearance in Winona County, Minn. It has, thus far, resulted fatally to nearly all those attacked. Some hogs are taken with vomiting and purging; others have sores on the head and various parts of the body, the sores eating through the skull. The disease attacked the animal in all conditions, and proved singularly fatal.

He had been attacked in the newspapers by articles written in the Signal Service office and paid for with Government money. This he could prove. In the House Helzsocher attacked the administration of the Signal Service Bureau under Hazen. A number of members, friendly to General Hazen, took part in the debate, and the discussion was interesting.

Many sophomores of Dartmouth College have been suspended for refusing to give the names of members of the class who greased the Faculty seats in the chapel. The President and Secretary of the Interior are reported as favoring a scheme for the removal of negroes from the Cherokee Nation to the Oklahoma lands and giving 160 acres to each family...

Owing to the recent unpleasantness of Hazen, of the Signal Service, it is said that the former has withdrawn the examination papers of the Sergeants lately examined for promotion, and will not act upon them until further investigating the matter. There are many charges and countercharges relative to favoritism in the Signal Bureau just now that the Secretary has been urged to unusual care in these selections for promotion.

A memorial remonstrating against the confirmation of the Mexican Treaty has been presented to the Senate. It is signed by well-known eastern importers and refiners of sugar. The chief objection to ratification is expressed as follows: "We are informed that the treaty admits certain grades of Mexican sugar duty free, the consequences of which, while a duty of two cents per pound is imposed on other imported sugar, would be to give a bounty of two cents a pound (equal to fifty per cent on cost) to the sugar planters of Mexico at the expense of the consuming public of the United States."

The joint committee on library reported the Senate bill appropriating \$1,000,000 for the purchase of land for the commencement of work upon the new Congressional Library building.

Over one hundred convicts in the penitentiary at Sing Sing, N. Y., recently notified, but by prompt action on the part of the officers of the prison no serious damage resulted and the mutineers were backed up.

The steamship Morro Castle, of the Clyde line, running between New York and Charleston, S. C., was totally destroyed by fire at Charleston, recently. The officers and crew had barely time to escape with what clothing they happened to have on. The Morro Castle was to leave for New York the day it was burned, and had received one-half her cargo, consisting of cotton, naval stores, etc. The total loss on the vessel is estimated at \$300,000; on cargo, \$93,000.

At Milford, Mass., recently thirteen children were thrown from a double runner which struck a tree. Nearly all were picked up unconscious. Several were supposed to be fatally injured and a number had their limbs broken.

William H. Vanderbilt sent his check for \$25,000 to the Ohio River sufferers. The German publishers and printers of Philadelphia petitioned Congress not to admit foreign books free.

Wm. G. Smith, express messenger on the Albany (N. Y.) and Susquehanna Railroad, was recently shot twice on the train by a robber. He had \$40,000 in his charge, but saved the money.

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Upon third reading the bills passed were, an act to provide for the health and safety of persons employed in and about the mines of Kansas, and providing for the inspection of the same; an act to change the name of Osage County, Mo.; and an act to regulate the terms by which the Seventh Judicial District, and a number of local bills.

In the House on the 20th more petitions were presented asking for railroad legislation. A few bills were introduced and a number read a second time and referred. The congressional apportionment bill passed, also the bill for the relief of the Sixth Judicial District, and a number of local character.

Mr. Speer's Lawrence Raid bill was killed in Committee of the Whole. But the vote was upwards reconsidered. At the evening session the House passed five Senate bills, viz: to sever the connection between the Anderson County Bridge bill, and four House bills.

The Senate passed the Congressional A. B. H. bill, which was reported by the committee by a vote of 27 to 9. The Senate passed the House bill providing for relief to the Sixth Judicial District, and the bill to remit the taxes due from Leavenworth County, which were used in the erection of a court house and the purchase of other outbuildings; also an act to amend an act to provide for assessment and collection of taxes on the premises owned and occupied by the State of Kansas; and an act relating to the attachment of land and the filing of notices in connection with mortgages and judgments; providing for the protection of mechanics in the foreclosure of liens; providing for the payment and compensation of the militia of the State of Kansas; an act to provide for the relief of the widows and orphans of soldiers and their widows and orphans of the State of Kansas; and an act relating to the banks and banking corporations, and requiring public accounts therefrom.

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Notwithstanding the strenuous efforts to throttle it, small-pox appears to be getting the upper hand of the authorities of some of the towns in Colorado. The Caldwell public schools were closed. A new pest house, being built there, the alarm being general, reaching out into surrounding towns, some of which established a quarantine. A party of seventy-five convicts from the Arkansas Penitentiary, employed by J. H. Gant, at work on the levees, near Helena, recently conspired to capture their guards and escape. One of them knocked the guard down and the revolt was general. Mr. Gant then rode up, when he was shot and killed. Seventeen of the convicts succeeded in escaping.

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A special from Hull, England, says the steamer Hywell Castle, from the Black Sea, with a cargo of cotton seeds and beans, bound for Boston, is thought to have foundered and all on board lost.

Seven inmates of the Western Lunatic Asylum, at Staunton, Va., died lately, having been poisoned. The patients, it is supposed, tampered with medicine.

KANSAS STATE NEWS.

Two freight trains on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago road collided at Spring Wells, Mo., recently, badly wrecking both trains, killing Engineer L. L. Graham and Fireman J. Quinan, both of Alliance, O. The balance of the crew escaped by jumping.

While depositions were being taken recently at Richmond, Va., in the contested Congressional election case of John E. Massey vs. John S. Wise, an altercation between the two resulted in Captain Wise stabbing Massey in the face. The parties were arrested and bailed to appear before the Police Court.

A late alteration between Charles McDonald, Postmaster of Galveston, Texas, and Henry Turner, resulted in Turner being shot through the bowels and McDonald seriously beaten with an iron poker.

The family of William Bueh, residing near Corsicana, Texas, was recently poisoned by having morphine administered instead of quinine. The mother and three children died from the effects. The mistake arose from having quinine and morphine side by side on the mantel-piece in the same sized bottles.

Two sixteen-year-old livers recently drowned themselves near Brownsville, Texas. Luis Fernandez, the boy, was of a family well off, and his uncle would not let him marry Carmen Lira, the daughter of a poor laborer. They left a note stating why they killed themselves. The mother of the girl, when she heard the fate of her daughter, jumped into the river and was likewise drowned.

In Meigs County, Tenn., a man named Cagle was killed by John Harwood. Cagle's brother then fatally shot Harwood and dangerously wounded Scott. An old feud was the cause. A late fire at Georgetown, S. C., destroyed property valued at \$70,000; partially insured. The property burned consisted of dwellings, warehouses, stores and cotton.

Craft, one of the murderers of the Gibbons children, which created such an excitement and mob violence at the time, was recently tried at Grayson, Ky., found guilty and sentenced to be hanged. He made a speech to the Court declaring his innocence.

George Holmes, a mail-carrier between Alexandria and Leesville, La., and his uncle, Thomas Hoover, were arrested a few days ago by a Deputy United States Marshal, charged with stealing a registered letter containing a large sum of money in transit between the two places.

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Georgia Republicans.

The Baltimore Herald has come to the conclusion that "as an outsider the chief aim of the Georgia Republicans for a decade past has appeared to be an insatiable eagerness to grab the Federal office in the State. Every man who wanted an appointment put himself at the head of a faction and started for Washington, claiming to have the party at his back. This went on until there were as many Republican organizations in Georgia as there were cats after the Kilkenny fight. But it is claimed that this period of dissension is ended." Their conclusion arrived at is a very correct one with the exception of the closing sentence in which the claim that the "dissension is ended" is stated. Dispatches from Washington state that the delay in filling the Georgia offices is due to the fact that the Administration experiences much difficulty under its prospective policy in finding suitable men. The truth is every Republican in the State wants an office and there are not enough places just now to go round. Some who are in office desire a change for a little better place and each one approaches the President with the many obligations which the party is under to him. The truth is there is no Republican party in Georgia that amounts to respectability, and nearly every white man who affiliates with the party is an office-holder.

They are Republicans for the money there is in being Republican, and as long as this is the case the President may expect them, when they want an office, to put the Republican party in their pockets and start to Washington. The negroes in the South compose the bulk of the Republican party and now and then one of them who is supposed to be able to exercise influence with his race in keeping them in line is given a reward, but the office is generally not a lucrative one. The idea with the Georgia white Republican is to get a fill office, and the party is considered derelict of its duty if he is left out in the cold. If there is a white Republican in this county that is not an office-holder we don't know it, and if there is one in the State of any prominence, whatever, he either is or has been an office-holder.

Mr. Arthur need not vex himself, or undergo the least anxiety so far as appointing officers for this State is concerned. It is a matter of indifference with him only as it serves his partisan purposes, and any nomination that he may make will give him no strength in this State. Even if he should succeed in securing the Georgia delegation to the National Convention, it would not give him a nomination, but this is not at all likely. It is said that "he clings to the faded relics of the Georgia coalition," and this is sufficient to blast such prospects as he might have otherwise had. Notwithstanding this, he is exercising himself, as a forlorn hope, over the appointments. In a recent dispatch from Washington it is stated that "a week ago it seemed that Wimberly was to go to once into the Savannah Revenue Collectorship, and Farrow was to give way to Wade at Brunswick." But it seems that neither Folger or Arthur is very much prepossessed with this idea. This is perhaps explained by the same dispatch which says "Farrow has put in the plea that Jack Dart tried to oust him, and is endeavoring to strengthen himself by appearing a victim of Democracy to aid Brunswick in getting a public building, and paid no attention to anything else. Mr. Robeson had another knock-down in the House to day, when he declared that the Democrats were killing the infant industries. Randolph Tucker plied him with several points, that penetrated even his ribs across his side." But it is their fight and the Democrats might as well stand with hands off. Nevertheless it will be a bright day for Georgia when all these men who have made a Kilkenny cat fight for office are retired from public life and made to

"Go back to the vile dust from whence they came." Unwarranted and unsung. —Columbus (Ga.) Enquirer.

A Consolation. Unfortunate, though necessary, as was the defeat of Governor Palmer, the Democratic candidate for the Senatorship from Illinois, for few men in this country are his peers, it is certainly a consolation to know that Mr. David Davis is shelved forever. No man has ever had greater opportunities thrust upon him, and lost them more ingloriously than he. The only service that he has rendered during his whole term of six years in the Senate was to disgust the people with the professional "Independents" of which he was a prominent type. Six years ago Mr. Davis sat on the Supreme Bench. Mr. Edmunds was then brooding over the plan of an Electoral Commission and Mr. Davis loomed up as a prominent figure in the proposed conglomeration body. He was the pap thrown to the Democratic Cerberus by the Commission more palatable.

It was a supreme opportunity of Mr. Davis' career to act as the practical arbiter of a critical issue; but with characteristic inconsistency he shirked the task and accepted an opportune election to the Senate. This he owed solely to Democratic votes, reinforced by a number of Radical malcontents, who thus illayed the misgivings of the Republican leaders towards Mr. Davis' course in the Electoral Commission. To him it was a welcome escape from the danger of being either the victor or the vanquished. This became a divine Joe and R. B. Hayes a disgraceful possibility. In one thing alone Mr. Davis remained consistent throughout, and that was in questioning concerning himself. He was first and last and forever for David Davis. It is so curiously demonstrated when he

displaced Mr. Bayard as President pro tem. of the Senate, and with self-satisfaction glowing in his rufous face assumed the gavel. Upon the nomination of General Hancock for the Presidency, Mr. Davis commended with himself a long time to discover whether or not to support the Democratic nominee, and when he finally concluded to do so, and wrote a letter to that effect, nobody paid any heed to it. He was absolutely without following. As a counterpart of Billy Mahone he won a success, in all else he proved a grand failure. His last act in a Senatorial capacity was in opposition to General Fitz John Porter, and forms a fitting conclusion to his useless career as a United States Senator. Ambitious of honors, anxious to please both parties and pleasing none, all that remains of Mr. Davis' record is a solemn warning to Democrats everywhere, to beware of the professional Independent, who trades in principles as he does in office, serving neither interest nor party. —Omaha Herald.

A "Color Line" After All. "General" Robert Smalls is a Republican gentleman of the colored persuasion, who claims to have done the Union cause inestimable service during the late unpleasantness by piloting Government vessels in and around the harbor of Charleston, S. C., for which said Smalls asks to be placed on the retired list of the navy, whether as General or Admiral, we do not know. A bill for the benefit of Smalls has been introduced in the House and referred to the Naval Committee, where it was promptly and ingeniously pigeon-holed. The reason for this ungenerous treatment of a colored Republican patriot by a Committee, the majority of which are Republicans, is thus set forth in a Washington telegram to a Republican paper: "The principal objection was urged by Mr. Robeson, who was put forward as spokesman for society, that naval officers and their families did not want a colored man placed upon an equality with themselves, with themselves with themselves. It is understood to have advanced this as a grave reason for opposing the measure in the Committee. This would cause a social recognition of Smalls which would be unpleasant to the elite of Washington, and he was hostile to it. He did not think they should do anything to subject their friends to such a distasteful state of affairs. It would be legalizing social misconception, to which he could never give his consent."

Here we have another of those numerous jewels for which Republican consistency is famous. Robeson, a Republican of whom the party is justly proud, objects to putting Smalls on the retired list, not because he has done nothing to deserve such rank and pay, but because his skin is not white, and because "naval officers and their families do not want a colored man placed upon an equality with themselves," and because he (Robeson) "does not think the Committee should do anything to subject their friends to such a distasteful state of affairs." Indeed! So there is "a color line" after all, which Republicans are not inclined to either pass over or wipe out. Robeson, who draws it in behalf of "naval officers and their families," and "the elite of Washington," seems to have been keen for the negro as an unconstructed Democrat in the South, and if the arguments of those used by any Northern or Southern Democrat every Republican journal in the land would boil over with righteous wrath and pious indignation. Not long ago General Schofield, as no gentleman and gallant soldier as the army can boast, was practically driven from the Superintendentcy of West Point, not because he discriminated against colored cadets, but because he was not a white cadet to be associated with the colored one on terms of social equality. The perpetuation of Schofield continued even after Whittaker had been proved the chief of rogues and liars, and it was indorsed and participated in by all the Military Academy was deprived of the invaluable services of Schofield for no other reason than the one given, supplemented by an unwillingness to believe two or three hundred white cadets rather than the one negro.

Yet now ex-Secretary Robeson, a burning and shining Republican light, who thought Schofield should be kicked out of West Point for an alleged drawing of the color line there, turns his back upon Smalls because he is a colored man! Impudent inconsistency could go no further; yet Robeson has no hesitation in denouncing Democrats for their alleged "prejudice of race," and at the next election he and all the rest of the Republican are to be fishing for the colored vote with the old bait of "friendship for the negro." Fish caught with that bait hereafter deserve to be sealed and skinned, as they have been heretofore. —Kochque.

—A queer concatenation of causes was responsible for the recent destructive fire at Winoski, Vt. An incoming freight train got out of the track, bumping several flat-cars and driving some iron rails on the first car struck, into a tank of crude petroleum on the first car, as the oil escaped it was fired by a hot box on the derailed freight train, causing an explosion that hurled flaming oil thirty feet away to a large wooden store-house that was burned.

A physician who has kept a register of the doctors who have died in Texas during the year 1882, as furnished by newspapers, reports thirty-one deaths. Of this number three were assassinated, five suicided, while the remainder died of common complaints.

—Because a man has a heart of oak it doesn't necessarily follow that he has a wooden head.

The Chase County Courant.

Official Paper of Chase County.

W. E. TIMMONS, Editor and Publisher.

Amos Harris is the name of the Judge of the new 18th District.

We have received the third biennial report of the Adjutant General of Kansas, P. S. Noble, from Thos. Moonlight, the present Adjutant General.

That this country wants cheaper clothing and cheaper food more than cheaper whisky and cheaper tobacco, is a fact which we hope all our prohibition brethren will join us in trying to impress upon Congress.

The eighteen thousand Germans of Kansas, many of whom have hitherto voted the Republican ticket, will resent at the polls the indignity that has been heaped upon them by the Republican Senate.

The Hon. Frank Smidt, whom the Senate rejected as a member of the State Board of Charities, used to be a State Senator and a strong Republican. The only objection made to him was the Republican cry "he is a Dutchman." This Republican Senate seem to have a spite at the Germans.

Under the beautiful Republican system of protection, the wire necessary to fence a forty-acre field costs about \$100-\$50 for the wire and \$50 for the protection. This same rule will hold good with reference to the cost of all the necessities of every-day life. Are the farmers of Kansas so blinded by political prejudice that they are unwilling to relieve themselves of one-half the present cost of living?

Wages in England have advanced since the adoption of free trade in 1846 nearly 50 per cent. The wages paid in Great Britain are 60 per cent. higher than in Germany, France, Spain and other countries where trade is fettered by protection tariffs. Nothing operates in this country to prevent a reduction of wages to the European standard except the cheapness of land and the rivalry of employment in unprotected industries. The factory hands in New England are no better paid than in old England.

The Republican party, professing to be the friends of commerce, have so legislated as to throw four-fifths of the commerce of the country into foreign ships. Where is our merchant marine to-day? It went out at the close of the late civil war in pursuit of our American navy, and both were founded at sea. Yes, founded in the sea of Republican misrule and corruption! Prior to 1860 the sails of our merchant marine whitened every sea upon the face of the globe; but where is it to-day? Echo answers where?

Last week's Leader gives Dr. Cartter "fits" for not voting for the House bill to regulate freights and fares on railroad. Now, Dr. Cartter was not elected by our vote, but, in justice to him, who has been abused by his party or gan, we will say had the Leader man watched Dr. Cartter's votes on this question, he would have seen that the Doctor voted for it every time the question was put, until Mr. Scott's amendment exempting counties having no railroads from the provisions of the bill was voted down by the House.

TO PUBLISHERS AND EDITORS. Many newspapers and magazines have been established in the United States and Canada within the last two years, the names of which do not appear in any newspaper directory or catalogue. The publishers and editors of such papers are invited to send copies and full descriptions of their respective publications to the Editor of Hubbard's Newspaper and Bank Directory of the World, New Haven, Connecticut, that they may be properly catalogued and described in the forthcoming edition of that work for 1883. Editors who kindly give this notice an insertion in their columns will confer a favor on the Press of America.

Buy your goods of men who are

SAMUEL O. FOWLER.

We beg the indulgence of our readers while we pay a tribute to the memory of one who played around the same hearthstone with our mother in her childhood days; and, in doing so, we can not better express ourself than in the language of the Louisville (Ky.) Courier Journal of Friday, Februar 23, 1883, which announced his death as follow:

DEATH OF AN OLD AND RESPECTED CITIZEN.

Mr. Samuel O. Fowler died, yesterday morning, at 2 o'clock, at the residence of his son, J. W. Fowler, corner of Second and Green streets. Mr. Fowler was an old and esteemed resident of this city. His ancestors emigrated here from Virginia when Louisville was a mere village. His grandfather, Capt. John Fowler, of Lexington, was Kentucky's first Congressman, and his extensive flower garden and residence are still familiar landmarks to the old citizens of that place. Mr. Fowler was postmaster at Fredericksburg, Ky., away back in old stage times, and when quite a young man, served with distinction in the Texas war for independence against Mexico, in 1836. He had two brothers, Joseph and William, for whom he named one of his sons, died while upon the tent and fielded before the city of Mexico, in the memorable campaign of 1847. Mr. Fowler was in his sixty-eighth year, and leaves behind him his wife, Mrs. Susan Ovation Fowler, his two sons, Edward B. and Joseph William Fowler, the well known pharmacist, and one daughter, wife of Dr. Hugh D. Rouman, of New Haven, Ky. His funeral will take place at 9 o'clock this morning, from the Cathedral.

Mr. Fowler was the last living uncle of the editor of the COURANT, whose last son bears his name, and of Mrs. A. Z. Scribner, of Matfield Green, on their mothers' side of the house; and he was the brother of Mrs. A. J. Crutchfield, formerly of this county, but now of Ft. Worth, Texas. Requiescat in pace.

BUSINESS BRIEVITIES.

The best of coal at Winters'. First-class organs at E. Cooley's for \$50 cash. The best of groceries are kept at Breese's store.

Carpets and oil cloths at Horner's furniture store. Farmers, get your rubber boots mended at Wm. Hillert's. Feed stuff at C. A. Britton's mill at 80 cents per 100 pounds.

Wm. Watchous, at Homestead, has 100 bushels of millet for sale. A car load of Moline wagons just received at M. A. Campbell's. A car load of Glidden fence wire just received at M. A. Campbell's.

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

The largest livery owner in Maine uses Kendall's Spavin Cure, with the best success.

Read Wm. H. Shaft's "Stock Sale" advertisement, which will be found in another column.

The best of staple and fancy groceries can always be found at the store of Breese, the grocery.

Mr. J. N. Nye has a good, stone smoke-house, in which parties having meat to smoke can have it done.

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

Before you insure your property against cyclones call on J. W. McWilliams. Look out for wild-cat, traveling agents.

The best place in the county to get coal is at Winters', in Strong City. Low prices and best of weights. For cash only.

Says one: "Kendall's Spavin Cure is the best liniment for human flesh ever used;" and thousands have extolled it in similar terms.

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.

J. W. Ferry is paying the highest market price for corn, in trade, and will let you have the goods at the same prices as if you were paying cash for them.

Go to Winters', in Strong City, for bran, 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.

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LOCAL SHORT STOPS.

Doors open now-a-days. Field larks are again here. Butterflies are on the wing. The roads are getting good. Subscribe for the COURANT. Nice weather for this time of year. The peach buds all seem to be killed. The days are getting perceptibly longer. Mr. Walters has returned to Strong City. A brick-yard is talked of at Strong City. Farmers are getting ready for spring work. Mr. E. A. Robinson spent last Sunday at home. Col. S. N. Wood, of Topeka, was in town, yesterday. Another stone crusher has been put in at Strong City. Mr. T. S. Stockton, of Fox creek, is back from Missouri. Mr. Win C. Thomas and family will soon move to town. Mr. Frank Deater, of Marion, was in town, yesterday. Mr. Chas. H. Carswell went to Kansas City, last Sunday. English sparrows have made their appearance in town. Mrs. H. P. Brackett has our thanks for some nice apples. Mr. Walter Holmes is suffering with a carbuncle on his neck. Mr. John Gatewood, of Emporia, was in town again this week. The wild goose and the ground-hog are right good weather prophets. Miss Seaman, the miller, has returned from her visit to Wellington. Mrs. W. W. Sanders has our thanks for a very nice roast of beef. Mr. O. C. Pratt shipped a carload of hogs to Kansas City, last week. A great many of the country people have been in town, this week. Dr. W. H. Cartter, our Representative, spent last Sunday at home. Prairie chickens have begun to crow, so the back bone of winter is broken. Hon. T. S. Jones came in from Dodge City, Saturday night, on his way east. The "Cannon Ball" train will be put on the Santa Fe road again some time in April. Mrs. M. E. Clark, daughter of Mr. Wm. Craft, has left for her home at Osage City. Mr. Jas. Boyington, of Strong City, has returned from his visit to his family at Lawrence. Miss Pamme Willbourn, of Topeka, is visiting at Mr. J. H. Mann's, her brother-in-law. Mr. H. S. Fritz has opened a tin shop in the store room recently occupied by Mr. E. Cooley. Mr. William C. Giese has our thanks for some blood wheat and finer wheat, which are excellent. Mr. Barney McCabe was taken with pneumonia, last Monday, while on his way home, from town. Mr. C. A. Damon, traveling agent of the Chicago Inter Ocean, called at this office, last Thursday. Mrs. Chas. K. Nichols died at the residence of her husband in Strong City, last Thursday morning. Will we have an Arbor day this spring? If not, beautify your homes anyhow, by planting out trees. Miss Mamie Tracy and Miss Sadie Murphy, of Strong City, have returned home from Ratoon, New Mexico. Born, in this city, on Saturday morning, February 24, 1883, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pratt, a daughter. Mr. Geo. O. Hildebrand, of Strong City, has been visiting at his old home in Ohio for the past few weeks. Mr. E. W. Brace has returned from Cherryvale, bringing with him his daughter after whom he went to that city. Mrs. W. H. McMorris and children, who have been visiting in New York, all winter, returned, last Saturday.

We have made arrangements to club the Chicago Inter-Ocean with the COURANT for \$2.50 a year. See our club list elsewhere. Willie Y. Morgan, of this city, received the second sophomore-class prize for oratory, at the State University, at Lawrence. Mr. C. M. Truax, of Brown county, formerly of this county, was in town, this week, and gave this office a pleasant visit. Messrs. J. P. Kuhl and Wm. M. Kellogg went to Topeka, last week, to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M. Mr. Sam. Bell, of Topeka, brother-in-law of Mr. J. H. Mann, is visiting at that gentleman's, with a view to locating in this county. Mr. Geo. Drummond has sold his farm at the State road crossing to Messrs. C. C. Terwilliger and Samuel Comstock, for \$3,300 cash. Miss Sisco Born, of Emporia, was in attendance at the G. A. R. dance on Washington's birthday, and is now visiting at Mr. J. N. Nye's. Mrs. Dr. Fisk, of Strong City, and Mrs. N. J. Swazey, Miss Lucella Pugh and Miss Lillie Buchanan made a visit to Emporia, last week. Mr. Geo. W. Crum has bought an acre of land south of Strong City, from Mr. J. H. Scribner, for \$200, and he will put up a residence on it. Mr. W. H. McMorris has been appointed overseer at the State Agricultural College, at Manhattan, and he will leave for his post of duty, next week. Lost or stolen, an overcoat. The finder will be liberally rewarded, if he will leave it at W. S. Smith's billiard hall, for the owner, the Hon. Charles Aldrich. Mrs. N. A. Dobbins was called to McPherson, Tuesday evening, by a telegram announcing that her sister was lying at the point of death, with erysipelas. Our Little Men and Women, an excellent little monthly magazine, for February, published by D. Lothrop & Co., Boston, Mass., at \$1 a year, is on our table. Mrs. J. N. Nye has our thanks for some of the pie and cake left over from the G. A. R. dance supper, and they were most palatable, as is always that lady's cooking. We stand badly in need of money just now, and we will be very thankful to those who are owing us if they will call in and help us out of our present embarrassment. Miss Lena Rose Pennell who had been visiting in the East, all winter, was met by her father, Mr. M. H. Pennell, at Kansas City, and returned home, Saturday morning. Mr. J. C. Smith, of the Smith Bros., on Spring creek, returned from Philadelphia, last Sunday morning, accompanied by his friend, Mr. Bradford Smith, of Philadelphia. Mr. Bernard McCabe, of Rock creek, is enjoying a visit from his brother and sister, Mr. John McCabe, of Whiteside county, Illinois, and Mrs. Ann Dunn, of Bureau county, Illinois. There will be an examination of applicants for teachers' certificates, held at the school-house in Cottonwood Falls, on Saturday, February 24th, 1883. MARY E. HUNT, Co. Supt. The following gentlemen from this county went on the excursion to Kansas City, last Thursday: Dr. J. W. Stone, M. H. Pennell, W. P. Martin, Geo. P. Hardesty, Wm. Buchanan, Theo. Moore and his brother. Mr. Jerry Williams, of this city, has a dog he will put against any dog in the State of Kansas, for either \$50 or \$100 a side, for running the money to be given to the owner of the dog making the most points. The way to stop taking a newspaper 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. 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,

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The G. A. R. ball in Music Hall, on the night of Washington's birthday, was a most enjoyable affair, there having been eighty-seven tickets sold. The Hall was most beautifully decorated with flags; and on the stage was a piece of artillery made of wood by Mr. A. J. Penrod, that was hard to be beaten. The Post cleared about \$23, which will go towards purchasing a banner for the Post.

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STATE OF KANSAS, ss. Chase County, In the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District, in and for Chase County, State of Kansas. W. M. Stewart, plaintiff, vs. John Stewart and Charles Stewart, defendants. By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District in and for Chase County, State of Kansas, in the above entitled case, and to me directed, I will on SATURDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF MARCH, 1883, at 10 o'clock, a. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court-House in the city of Cottonwood Falls, Chase County, Kansas, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described real estate, to-wit: The north half (1/2) of the northwest quarter (1/4) of section thirty-one (31), township eighteen (18) and range nine (9), in Chase County, Kansas. Said property is taken as the property of said defendants, and the same will be sold, or as much thereof as may be necessary, to satisfy their judgment. GEO. BALCH, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, Chase County, Kansas; Cottonwood Falls, Feb. 29, A. D. 1883.

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