

FRONTIER DAYS

AT

COLUMBUS NEBR.

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY,
OCT. 1 & 2
 Race Track Grounds

Read This Letter From Manager Irwin

Cheyenne, Wyo., Sept. 15, 1908.

Mr. H. B. Robinson, Columbus, Neb.

Dear Sir: Your letter of a recent date at hand. I am getting everything lined up in good shape for the show. I am arranging to bring all of the best riders and ropers in the world to Columbus, including Hugh Clark, Sam Scoville, Pete Dickinson and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Danks. Mrs. Danks and Miss Lillie Nicholson, of Ft. Collins, Colo., two of the greatest lady riders in the world, will ride a relay race on wild horses, and will furnish the horses. I do not have time to write much, but rest assured that I will be there on time with the real Cheyenne show. Yours truly,
C. B. IRWIN.

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"STEAMBOAT" The Noted Outlaw Horse
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SPECIAL TRAINS

For Albion, Spalding and intermediate points, a special will leave Columbus at 9 o'clock p. m. on Friday.

For Schuyler, Richland, North Bend, Rogers and eastern points on the U. P., main line passenger coaches will be attached to train No. 52 and leave at 9 p. m.

For Bellwood, David City and towns on the B. & M. south, the regular freight, north bound, will be held at Seward three hours, and returning will be held at Columbus three hours, leaving at 8 o'clock p. m.

Columbus Driving Club

H. B. ROBINSON, President

G. B. SPEICE, Secretary

Mrs. D. Burr Jones, wife of the general secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., came up from Omaha Monday to look over their future home and spend their wedding anniversary together. Mr. and Mrs. Jones expect their household goods from the east so they can begin housekeeping by October 1.

The trained wild animal circus where the kings of the forest enter the big steel arena and at the slightest command of the trainer they form pyramids, drill like soldiers, tear toter, and many other feats. A great feature of the animal show and of the carnival, will be the baby lions born at Fremont last week during the engagement of the Parker show there. Three baby lions will be on exhibition in the animal show during their visit in Columbus.

Tuesday Sheriff Carrig arrested Otis Johnson, a young man who has been residing in Monroe for some time, on a warrant, charging him with adultery, the woman in the case being Mrs. Laura Conard, who has a husband and three children. Johnson was found at the home of his brother, on the south side of the Loup, where it was said he was on his way to either Duncan or Silver Creek to take the train for Ogden. When the case is brought up for trial quite a number of Monroe citizens will be summoned as witnesses, and some sensational evidence may be introduced.

Under the glare of hundred of electric lights, Parker's Congress of novelties will open the doors of their different attractions Monday Sept. 28 and continue until Saturday night Oct. 3 inclusive. Many new features have been added to the Parker shows since their visit to Columbus two years ago. Among the many new attractions to be found on the Parker Pika, will be the home of the Merry Widow, from early in the evening until late at night many baccheters and widows are to be seen strolling by the home of The Merry Widow. They all seem to say well it's our last chance, Let's go see the widow. This attraction creates great excitement among young and old.

During the last few weeks the Y. M. C. A. building has been rapidly assuming a finished state. The carpenters and painters are pushing their work and the heating and plumbing connections are being put in. To one who has not been in the building for some time, the beauty of the interior is a surprise. The furniture and gymnastic apparatus has all been ordered and its completeness and character is second to none in any western state. The local men in charge of this enterprise are holding nightly meetings, planning for the finishing details of the building and preparing plans for the carrying out of the winter's work. The general secretary, D. Burr Jones, has already established his office in the building, where he can be found by any person desiring information.

Mrs. Mathew Mullen, nee Miss Sarah Tigner, passed away at the home of her adopted parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Brown, whose farm residence is twelve miles north of Columbus, Friday evening. Early in life Mrs. Mullen became an orphan and went to the home of D. L. Brown, who afterwards adopted her. Here she lived until the winter of 1899, when she was united in marriage to Mathew Mullen of Humphrey, now deceased. Mrs. Mullen, who was ill with consumption has been a patient sufferer for the past several years, but during the many days of suffering she was never known to complain. She was a devoted Christian, having been converted when but a small child. Beside her adopted parents she leaves a daughter, aged 8 years, to mourn the loss of a kind and devoted mother. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon and interment was made in the cemetery near Humphrey. Among those who attended the funeral were, Mr. and Mrs. George Streeters of Petersburg, Miss Carrie and Floyd Drake, Mr. Joe Haney and Dr. Cook of Columbus.

Route No. 1.
 On account of the dry weather everything is rather quiet.

Rudolph Mueller has just completed a large new double granary.

Adolph Krumland overseer of Bismark township, is doing some good work on route No. 1.

The road overseer of Sherman township is doing some grading on the township line between Sherman and Bismark townships.

A good many of the patrons on our route have numbered their boxes in compliance with the orders of the post office department. All the patrons should have their boxes numbered as soon as possible, for this will not only meet the requirements of the department, but greatly assist the carrier in his daily duties and avoid mistakes in many cases.

Route No. 4.
 Adolph Landekians returned last Friday from a four weeks' visit at Providence, R. I. He was accompanied by his wife's mother, Mrs. Rose Ebi, who will remain here for a month.

Last Saturday while the company machine was threshing at Emil Schoen's one side of an oats stack was discovered to be on fire. The machine was saved with difficulty and was slightly scorched. A stack and a half of oats was destroyed, the loss being estimated at from 150 to 200 bushels.

Monday night Charles Gosman discovered some men in his melon patch and chased them out. But they insisted on returning several times and it seemed their intention to help themselves anyway, so Mr. Gosman went out with a shot gun and fired in the direction he heard voices, and succeeded in frightening them away for the remainder of the night.

MANY YEARS AGO.

Files of The Journal, Sept. 23, 1874.
 If every farmer and every farmer's son would plant one tree each, every year, and every farmer's wife and daughter would cultivate half a dozen flowers every year, how much brighter the world would be.

Some of the head men of the Pawnee tribe of Indians held a "pow-wow" at Speaks & North's office in this place, one day last week. The object was to see what the whites thought of their leaving their reservation for another further south. There was a willingness expressed on the part of those present to assist them in obtaining their desire.

General Custer's final official report to General Terry recapitulates his former statements and takes strong ground in favor of the immediate opening of the Black Hills for military reserves. He endorses the report of gold discoveries, and suggests further explorations next season. Nevertheless, Prof. Winchell and Prof. Donaldson assert that Custer does not know, of his own knowledge, that any color of gold was found in the Black Hills.

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Route No. 5.

Joe Ohlopak threshed his small grain Monday.

Barney Staehura was a county seat visitor Monday.

There was a dance at J. H. Hahn's last Saturday night.

L. F. Hahn and D. Leonhard threshed the first of the week.

M. L. Lindsay and O. W. Scorpas are putting in fall wheat.

Fred Krueger and Joe Misk began husking corn last week.

Miss Fredericks of Atkinson, Neb., is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. Lennhard.

It is reported that sixty loads of wheat were marketed in Duncan one day last week.

There were five threshing machines on the island at one time, one for each four miles.

Postmaster Kramer went over the route with the carrier Wednesday of this week.

Albert Kummer marketed his corn Monday and Chas Staehura sold his wheat Tuesday.

Advertised Letters.

Following is a list of unclaimed mail matter remaining in the post office at Columbus, Nebraska, for the period ending September 23, 1908:
 Letters—R. J. Alexander, Robt Byrns, L. M. C. Cherry County Hospital, O. O. Gentry, Miss Fay Krobbin, Mrs. Madder, Mrs. J. E. McCartney, Hugo Major, Miss Eunice Shaffer.
 Cards—Miss Cathrine Finnigan, Mrs. J. E. McCartney, Mrs. F. McGavron, Mrs. F. J. McNally, Herbert WeMolt.
 Parties calling for any of the above will please say advertised.

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Notice.
 Wm. Schils wishes to announce to the public that he has moved his shoe store to the Schroeder building on Twelfth street, which he will occupy until his new building, on the old location, is completed.

TABLE DELICACIES

DISHES THAT ARE WORTH ADDING TO THE DAILY MENU.

Gooseberry Pudding a Splendid Dessert—Brown Chicken Fricassee—Flounders in a New Way.

Green Gooseberry Pudding.—Boil a pint of green gooseberries till soft, and sweeten to taste. When quite cold mix in thoroughly four well-beaten eggs and one ounce of butter. Butter a mold and sprinkle it thickly with equal parts of sugar and fine bread crumbs, then pour in the gooseberry puree, being careful not to disturb the casing; cover the top nearly half an inch thick with crumbs and sugar, and bake for an hour. When taken from the oven cover with a cloth, and only turn out when wanted. Serve with clotted or whipped cream.

Mushrooms Stewed with Cream.—This is a favorite recipe. Prepare a pound of mushrooms by paring off the ends. Clean and wash well and if very large cut in halves. Drain and place in a saucepan with three ounces of butter. Season with salt and pepper and cook five minutes. Add two tablespoonfuls of the white sauce made from a tablespoonful butter and one of flour, blended, then cooked with three-fourths cup milk to a smooth cream. Add also a half cupful of sweet cream to the mushrooms, cook three minutes longer and serve in a hot dish with eight heart-shaped bread croutons for garnish.

Sauce for Mushrooms.—Put three tablespoonfuls olive oil in a saucepan with one teaspoonful each of minced parsley and anchovies and a clove of crushed garlic. Heat five minutes, add to mushrooms that have been stewed in oil and serve.

Sauce for Stewed Mushrooms.—Peel and remove the stalks from some large mushrooms, wash and cut in halves. Put two tablespoonfuls butter in a saucepan with two tablespoonfuls flour. When blended add a cup and a half hot milk and stir until smooth and thickened. Add the mushrooms, season with salt, pepper and a little powdered mace, and simmer gently until the mushrooms are tender. When cooked, turn on a hot dish, garnish with fried croutons or bread and serve.

Brown Chicken Fricassee.—For a brown chicken fricassee, Creole style, cut up the chicken in the usual way and fry in equal quantities lard and butter until nearly tender and brown. Dredge a little flour into the gravy and brown. Add a pint of boiling water, a small onion minced, a quart of potatoes and a small bunch of parsley. Simmer gently an hour or until preferred the rice may be added and cooked with the stew.

Flounders in a New Way.—Flounders are good fried in the ordinary way in crumbs or in flour, and especially nice if melted butter seasoned with lemon juice and chopped parsley is passed with them; but here is quite a new way of cooking them: Wash the flounder and wipe it dry; lay it in a roasting-pan on top of two tablespoonfuls of minced onion, and sprinkle it with salt and pepper and a tablespoonful of chopped parsley; put it into a very hot oven and bake with half a cup of boiling water mixed with a tablespoonful of melted butter; when brown put the fish on a hot platter and put a teaspoonful of flour and a small half-cup of hot water into the pan, and stir and scrape over the fire till there is a nice brown gravy, adding a little kitchen bouquet to darken and season it; strain and pour this over the fish, and serve at once.

—Harper's Basar.

Fruitful Jersey.
 A contributor assures us that the following is a faithful and accurate report of an entirely sober speech recently heard in a certain pleasant and famous city of New Jersey. "Hey, there, boy! Take this basket of apples up to Mr. Pearce, corner of Peach and Plum streets. And be quick about it, too!"—Harper's Weekly.

Can This Be True?
 If a woman admits to herself that she looks pretty well in a new gown, she will not admit it to the other women. If they compliment her dress, she will look surprised and say: "Oh, do you like it? It is just a common everyday dress."—Atchison Globe.

Small Brains Have Thoughts.
 One scientist has calculated that the weight of an ant's brain is fifteen-one hundredths of a milligram. A milligram is one hundred and fifty-four-thousandths of a grain. Yet it is generally conceded that an ant can think.

Strong Food for Baby.
 Bread, cheese and beer was the supper given to a three-months-old baby, it was stated in a case at Brentford (London) police court.

Doing What We Can.
 Let us be content to do the thing we can and not presume to fret because it's little.—Mrs. Browning.

Fore 'n' Aft.
 People will not look forward to posterity, who never will look backward to their ancestry.—Edmund Burke.

Wisdom from Spain.
 Better go to bed supperless than rise in debt.—Spanish Proverb.

An Island of Massacres.

Hayti, the West Indian island, to which public attention has just recently been directed, has been the scene of more massacres than any other place on earth.

They began with the coming of Columbus and the rabble rout that followed him. In a few years its 3,000,000 of gentle, brown-skinned inhabitants had perished utterly, exterminated by fire and sword and by forced labor in the mines.

Next the buccaneers seized the unhappy island and wreaked vengeance on the Spaniards. Presently came the French, and for a brief space there was some semblance of peace. But in 1793 the negroes revolted and murdered practically all the whites.

On account of these atrocities, frightful reprisals took place when France, in due course, reconquered the island. But the negroes aided their time, and presently rose again under a ruffian named Dessalines. This time they did the thing thoroughly. Not only were all the Europeans put to death, but all having any admixture of white blood in their veins suffered a like fate. In all it is computed that 5,000,000 men, women and children have met with violent deaths on this island of massacres since the lurching white man first set foot on its palm-fringed strand.

Ready to Open an Account.

"Please write your name on that line," said the bank teller, pushing a book and a pen toward the old woman.

"Do ye want me to sign me first name?" she asked, as she took the pen.

"Yes, your full name and middle initial, if you have any."

"Do ye want me husband's name?"

"Yes, his last name, but your own first name."

"Oh, me name before I was married?"

"No, your given name—Ellen, or Bridget."

"Sure, but me name is naythur wan o' them!"

"Well, what is it, then?"

"Sure, it's Mary."

"Very well. There are others waiting in the line, so please hurry and write your name."

"Wan minute. Do ye want the 'Mrs.'?"

"No, never mind that. Now, go ahead."

"Sure, I'd do that, honest, I would; but, you see, sor, I can't write!"—Success.

At Commencement Time.
 A small sectarian university in the south had finally succeeded in obtaining the presence of a well-known bishop to grace its commencement exercises.

"Now that we have you here, bishop," announced the president of the institution as he greeted the honored guest, "we are going to give you a degree. What will you have?"

"What have you got?" inquired the bishop, with a sly twinkle.

"We have D. D., S. T. D., LL. D. and D. C. L. You may take your choice."

"Well," answered the bishop, "I think you may make it D. C. L. I have fewer of those than I have of the others."—Harper's Weekly.

Blessing Free.
 "And will you give us your blessing?" asked the eloping bride, returning to the parental roof.

"Freely," replied the old man. "No trouble about the blessing, but board and lodging will be at regular rates."—The United Presbyterian.

An Aeronautical Saw.
 A proverb frequently quoted among aeronauts runs: "If you go up in a dirigible say a prayer; if you go up in an aeroplane, say two; but if you get married, say six."

Yew Trees in Churchyards.
 Yew trees were originally planted in churchyards to protect them from cattle, and so preserve them for the making of bows and arrows.

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July and Independence.
 July is an important month in the history of political liberty. The United States celebrates its independence on July 4. The patriotic efforts of the liberator Simon Bolivar for the independence of Venezuela were consummated on July 5, Colombia riding herself of the Spanish yoke on July 20. Then there is France, with her July 14, marking the date when the suffering French people stormed the Bastille. The Spanish forces at Santiago, Cuba, capitulated on July 18.

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