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Buffalo Bill, with his Indians, buffalo, elk, and Dr. Carver, the famous marks man, have been the town talk for several days. Dr. Carver's feats with the rifle being the special attraction here. Or Saturday part of the Omaha Indians arrived with their lodge poles, tents and other camp equipments. A party each of Sioux and Pawnee are expected complete the display of Indians, which will undoubtedly be an immense attraction for eastern people. When the company shall have got well under way, we predict for it one of the greatest successes ever made by showmen, any one of the many features being worth the price of admission. They started, six full car loads, yesterday morning for Omaha, where their opening performance will be given Thursday.

Advertised Letters.

Following is a list of unclaimed mai matter remaining in the post office at Columbus, Nebraska, for the period ending August 11, 1909:

Letters-Frank H Barry, R O Cate, Prof D S Chestham, Rieon Comer care Ruth Brown, Clyde Fleming. W E Farmer. E Graver, Miss Evelyn Lambert, Mrs R W Miller, James McDonald, Bar tomin Pendrok, T P Ryan, James Stewart, S Smithers, E C VanAllen, W M Whittle.

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At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Elevator Roller Mills Co., held at the office of the company at 10 o'clock a. w. at Columbus, Nebraska, August 9th, 1908, the following reso-lution was passed by unanimous vote of all the stock issued: tock issued: Resolved, That Article 4 of our incorporation

Resolved, That Article 4 of our incorporation be and is hereby amended to read:
Article 4. The authorized stock of this corporation shall be \$50,000.00, divided into shares of \$100,00 each and numbered from 1 to 500 consecutively, to be subscribed and paid as required by a majority of the Board of Directors, and to be represented by certificates, signed by the President and countersigned by the Secretary.

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Last week a case was filed in district court, entitled Edward Nicodemus vs. Edward and Ida Hugill, praying that there be a full, fair and public investigation made of the charges against him. Nicodemus is the father of five children, and since his wife died eight years ago, has been compelled to take care of them as best be could. Ida Hugill is his sister, and about one year ago his daughter Nellie went to live with the Hugilla, and they wished to adopt her. The father claims she did not receive the proper treatment at the Hugill home and he took her away from them, and kept her with the other children. The Hugill's, he claims, in order to get even for his taking the girl away, made false statements about him, to the effect that he had been criminally inimate with his sixteen year old daughter, and also the younger once, and that when the daughter went out to work they pointed out this fact to make their stories appear true. Nicodemus claims that he could not recover damages, and he asks a full investigation of the charges. The second chapter of the story was when his sixteenth year old daughter Verna filed a complaint against her father, charging him with incest, and Nicodemus had his hearing last Thursday morning before Police Judge O'Brien, and all parties, except those interested in the case, and the testimony of the girl was such that the judge bound her father over to the November term of district court, fixing the bond at \$5,000, which Nicodemus was unable to furnish, and he will be confined in the county jail until that time.

Just before the Norfolk passenger train stopped at Humphrey last Saturday evening a man named Touby stepped in front of the engine and was knocked down and the engine passed over both of his feet, cutting the right one into between the toes and the ankle and crushing the toes on the left foot. He was at once taken to the company physician and his wounds attended to, and Sunday be was brought to St. Mary's hospital, and after an examination it iting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. was found necessary to amputate a portion of the right foot. Just how the accident happened no one seems to know, last Sunday morning. as the first thing Engineer Jack Dolan saw of him was when he stepped in front of the engine, and the man himself says he does not know how it happened, but probably under the influence of liquor. Touhy has a eister in Minneapolis and brother who is a train dispatcher on the Great Northern out west, and they were notified of his accident. The injured man died at the hospital Wednesday morning from the effects of his injuries, blood poisoning having set in, and his body is being held pending instructions from his relatives.

Last Friday evening between forty and fifty citizens attended the meeting of the city council to present their grievances regarding the prices charged for years. The body was turned over to electric light. Among those who ad-Cards Miss Iva Adams, Fred Ander- dressed the council were L. W. Snow, G. son, Wm Austin, Miss Alice Carrig, Miss Frischholz, August Boettcher, R. S. Regins Carleon, Mrs Lizzie Foster, C B Dickinson, L. W. Wesver, A. R. Miller Keeton, Miss Lucretia Miller 2, James and J. D. Stires. This matter has been Merrifield, H L Merrifield 3. Mrs Leon in the hands of the committee ever since Merrifield, Frank Rogers, Mrs Will the petition which Mr. Dickinson circu-Turly, Miss Pearl Wehenkel 2, Alva lated, was presented to the council, and Columbus as the home of good horses, they have been looking into the matter Parties calling for any of the above thoroughly. A short time ago the light company mailed cards to their customers, showing what their demand is and the committee are now taking these as a basis to work from, comparing them with the ordinance establishing the rates. The electric light question is one that will not down, and the sooner the company and their patrons understand each other in the matter of rates, the better it will be for both. When the council committee make their report, it evening after a short illness. The funwill cover the ground thoroughly and go a long way toward settling the dispute afternoon, Rev. Dwight I. Roush of the

A small wreck in the Union Pacific wards about five o'clock Tuesday morning came very nearly resulting in the death of one man. When the new depot was started, the contractors built a temporary lime house just across Olive street, and of late it has been used for a tool house. A negro employe has been sleeping there to look after the contents of the building, and it was he who came very nearly being killed in the wreck. The lime house stood at the end of two stub tracks which are used to store cars on when the trains are being made up, the switching crew were pushing a string down on one of these tracks, and did not firm of Keating a Schram was made the realize how far they were pushing them. One of the cars was crowded clear disposed of his interest in the business. through the lime house, demolishing the | and the new firm being W. F. Schram & structure and missing the cot occupied Co. Other than the new firm name, by the negro by a few inches. When the there will be no changes in the business man realized what the trouble was he and the same clerks will be retained got out of the place as soon as possible and Mr. Schram will have charge of the

Sunday a party of young people, which included the Misses Clara Bloedorn, Bessie Kolarik, Mamie Schroeder, Hattie Klug, Emma Hoppen, Sophie Moersen and Hazel From and Messrs. Carl the police discovered a stranger trying Scofield, Ed Graff, Walter Luers, Pat to dispose of some watches, and he was Malone, Lew Buerse, Horatio Adams and arrested and held until Tuesday. In the Andrew Kinder drove to the home of meantime Mr. Froemel identified his Peter Schmitt on Shell creek, where watches, and the fellow, who gave his they spent the day in boating, fishing name as W. H. Clark, was taken before bathing and other amusements that con, Police Judge O'Brien Tuesday, and sftribute toward making a picnic a success. ter hearing the case, the judge bound Their host, Mr. Schmitt, endeavored to him over to the district court, placing make the day as pleasant as possible for his bond at \$300, which he was anable to the picknickers, and they fully appre- furnish, and will stay in the county jail

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State Bank building. Miss Nets Worden is visiting friends in Lincoln this week.

Drs. Carstenson & Hyland, Veterinarians. Both phones 212.

Dr. D. T. Martyn, jr., office new Columbus State Bank building.

Miss Blanche Huber of Central City is the guest of Miss Rosa Leavy. Miss Louise Wagner is visiting with

friends in Platte Center this week. Mies Majorie Compton of Genos was a

Columbus visitor between trains Monday. Marguerite Vogel went to Bellwood this week for a short visit with school

It pays to sell your hides where you can get the most money from them. See Columbus Hide Co.

Miss Sopha Moersen will leave Friday for a few days visit with Miss Mazie Magill up near Genos.

Dr. C. H. Campbell, eye, nose and

throat specialist. Glasses properly fitted. Office 1215 Olive street. Columbus schools will open Monday.

September 6, the board having settled on that date at their last meeting. Ohris Abts is putting in a one story

market and will occupy it with a pump ton. Mrs. O. C. Shannon, who has been vis-

W. B. Kenney, at Trinidad, Colo., and also at Boulder, Colo., returned home Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilchen are now

temporary residents of Boulder, Colo., where Mr. Wilckens has gone to look after his mining interests. They expect to remain in the mountains until cool weather.

Miss Josephine Thompson, a well known and popular young lady of Clear Creek precinct, Polk county, left Columbus Thursday for different points in Missouri, where she will visit relatives for about two months.

Edward Frisk, a county charge from Colfax county, who was brought to the hospital last month suffering from paralysis, died Tuesday morning, aged 65 Undertaker Gase, and was buried the

Thos. Branigan's mare, Belle Tolus, is certainly going some this year. Last Friday at Grand Island she won second place, and now has a record of 2:2414. Mr. Branigan is certainly advertising as he has several other fast ones.

Ernest Gassman left Monday for San Bernardino, Cal., where he will join his parents, who moved there some time ago, and will make his future home. Ernest is a Columbus boy and was raised in this city, and his many friends wish him success in his western home.

Harold Louis, nineteen months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hulse, living in the west part of town, died Tuesday eral was held from the home Wednesday Methodist church, conducting the ser-

The following from the Omaha Bee tells of the purchase of some valuable property in that city by a resident-of Columbus: One of the oldest residences in Omaha, the J. J. Brown home at 2225 Sherman avenue, changed ownership when R. K. Brown sold it to H. B. Robinson, a Columbus business man, for \$22,000. Mr. Robinson probably will tear down the residence in order to plat and build on his purchase, which is a little over four and one-half acres.

The announcement of a change in the first of the week, Mr. Keating having and soon discovered that his injuries business. Mr. Keating has not yet deconsisted of a few scratches. But it cided as to what he will do, but he will not leave the city for the present.

> Lest Saturday night a window in Carl Froemel's jewelry store, on Eleventh street, was broken, and three Ingersol watches, valued at \$5, taken. Sunday until the November term of court.

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city last week on business and visiting relatives

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price, in good condition. Columbus Automobile Co. Dr. W. R. Neumarker, office with Dr. O. D. Evans, west side of Parks Ravi-

dence telephone, Bell 91-Ind. 189. The Columbus City Band is now lo cated in the old K. P. hall, having moved out of the Herchenhan hall last week.

Chas Govern was up in police court, charged with stealing two knives and a razor from Hares Sperce, a Greek laborer, and the judge assessed him \$5 and

Wanted-A pianoist to travel and to play and sing illustrated songs. Courteous treatment and good salary to right party. Phone or call on John E. Wolfe at Mrs. Ryan's, 209 west 17th street.

Nick Hoeffner, of north of Columbus. filed a complaint against August Runge for disturbing the peace and threating to fight, but when the case was brought up in police court, the complaining witness paid the costs and the case was dismiss-

visit his brother Jees.

A complaint has been filled against John Rupert, in police court, charging him with selling liquor without a license in St. Bernard township, and the warrant placed in the hands of the sheriff. This is the second offense for John, the first one being filed from Oreston,

Saturday afternoon quite a good delegation of the Sons of Veterans of this city are arranging to go to Fremont where they, with the other camps in the state, will extend a welcome to the national commander of the order, Edgar Allan, ir. The delegation will be headed by H. B. Reed, of this city, division commander for Nebraska, and also a number of others of his staff.

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Monday, September 6, besides being Labor day, will be Rural Letter Carriers' day for Columbus, that being the date their annual state convention will be held in this city this year. Arrangements for almost two hundred carriers are being made, and the local committee feels confident that this number will be present. The meetings will be held in the Y. M. C. A. building, and the local carriers are bending energies toward providing suitable entertainment for the visiting delegates. Nearly every county in the state with rural routes will be represented, and the Commercial club and citizens of Columbus will assist in making their stay here a pleasant one. Besides the routine work of the convention a program has been arranged for their entertainment. Addresses will be made by the mayor, president of the Commercial club and the postmaster, and the postoffice department at Wash- tives. ington will also have a representative present. United States Senators, Norris Brown and Elmer J. Burkett, have assured the carriers that they will be present if possible, and are on the pro-

The manager of the North opera house has decided to run a short preliminary season before the regular fall and winter season begins, playing some of the best attractions at popular summer prices and they have secured as an opening attraction the successful musical comedy. "The Other Girl," for Thursday August 12, presented by a first class company of metropolitan favorites headed by Frank Kelley and Ollie Boyne. Other well known artists who appear in the See the Columbus Hide Co, before you cast are Ben J. Krampe, Mayfield and Moore, Rose Wentworth, G. H. Young and friends. Crushed rock salt for hides, and for and a host of others including the Other Girl Quartette and the famous Beauty chorus. In producing "The Artistic sign writing, the Other Girl" this season every detail has thing has been overlooked that would Saturday evening from Davenport, Neb, coln last week, and will remain in Col-Chas Pearsall of Omaha was in the tuneful play. Hot weather prices will prevail during this engagement 25-35 and 50c. Seats are now on sale at Pollock's

gram for addresses.

County Clerk Graf now has the new primary ballots and is distributing them to the various voting places in the county. Under the amended primary Clark. law all parties are represented on the same ticket, the one polling the largest vote at the last election being accorded first place which is the democratic ticket this year. And this ticket is the only complete one on the primary ballot in this county. Next is the republican ticket, and while it has a full compleand regents, there is but one man on the weeks. county ticket, W. H. Robbins for sheriff. This condition of affairs is not to the liking of the mass of republicans, as it has a tendency to cause many to either remain at home or go and assist some friends who are seeking a democratic nomination,

Sunday afternoon the second chautauque held in this city opened on the government grounds, north of Pollock & Co's, drug store. The attendance for the first day was encouraging, and the talent being presented fully deserves all the patronage. The Alexander jublee singers were fine and their work was ap preciated by the audience, in fact all the Gus G. Becher, jr., left Sunday for numbers presented were good. While an extended trip through the west. He holding of the chautauqua in this city is went from here to Los Angeles, Cal., and rather an experiment, the promoters from there goes to San Francisco and hope that the attendance this year will Seattle, returning via the Canadian Paci- demonstrate that it should be a permanfic and stopping at Superior, Wis., to ent institution. The talent for the remainder of the chautanqua will be excellent, and the crowning feature of the season will be Helen May Butler's band, which will be here the latter part of the

Columbus base ball enthusiasts wit nessed a good game last Sunday, when the Central City and Grand Island teams played a hotly contested game on the home diamond, the score being 5 to 2 in favor of Central City. This game was one of a series played by the two clubs, and when Central City won it made a tie in the number of games each had won. Next Sunday the same teams will play on the Columbus diamond, the game being called at 2:30, and the tie played off. A special train from Grand Island will bring down a good crowd of rooters for ever played on the home diamond can be looked for.

"I have been railroading on the Union Pacific branches out of Columbus for quite a number of years," remarked a railroad man the other day, "and never have the crop prospects been so flattertering all along the lines. Every year some particular locality has either been damaged by hail, or there has been too much water in other places, or something to injure the crops, but this year none of the unfavorable conditions exist up to the present time, and it will take more cars to market the grain off the branches than ever before.'

Messrs. M. D. Karr and W. J. Walter, 400 traveling men will be in our city to only endanger their own lives, but of attend the convention.

H. S. Luedtke made a business trip o Fremont on Monday. Miss Bessie Anson has been on the

sick list the last few days. Mr. and Mrs. M. Gross of near Madi on were Oreston visitors Monday.

Will Lucechen and little daughter Elsie left Sunday for Hot Springs, S D. Wm. Wenk has certainly got in a swell

line of ladies suits for fall and winter. Mrs. L. Wescott who met with a serious accident sometime ago is slowly improv-

Mr. Gigax is in the county this week trying his luck running a gasoline en-

Miss Sarah Anson of Keerney arrived Sunday evening for a visit with rela-

Mr. and Mrs. Goldberg were over from Leigh and spent Sunday at the Freiden

Miss Lizzie Knight went up to Newman Grove Saturday for a visit with re-

Miss Alta McKipley of York visited Monday at the home of Dr. and Mrs.

Miss Emma Claussen left Monday for

Cherry county to attend her cousin's wedding.

returned Friday evening from their visit he was on the Pacific coast and also atat Lincoln. Mrs. Simmermann of Fullerton is in

Thursday accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Plagemann. Mrs. Fuber and little daughter arrived

a visit at the Maxwell home. Quite a bunch of the Crestonites are office George has made good, and it will tournament next Wednesday and Thurs- returns to work.

Miss Eether Nelson a trained nurse of Omaha came up the latter part of last a single marriage license to issue and week and was a guest of Miss Kittle no one with a case to file. And since be

ing left Monday morning for Omaha, ent for the election this fall, he is in a where Mrs Cashman will undergo an position that makes him somewhat en-

Dr. E. U. Ludwick came down from Elgin Monday returning Wednesday accompanied by his wife who has been visment of candidates for supreme judge iting with home folks for the past two

Walker Township.

Dahlman and Rood were threshing in the neighborhood last week.

Frank Keirnan was in the township Saturday hunting for democrats, they are hard to find except on the polling

Hining Anderson returned from Polk county Friday, he brings the good news that his mother who was not expected to live, is better and may recover,

Wheat is not turning out as well as we expected for some reason or another, the wheat bundles look all right but they don't pan out, it only yields about eighteen bushels to the acre.

Shock threshing has been very bothersome on account of heavy rain and dew, could wring water out of them.

Route No. 1.

C. T. Marquis went to Auburn, Neb., on business last Saturday. Orville Conn and Harry Cowell of

Auburn, Neb, are visiting at the Marquis home on Route 1. August Wurdeman and Fred Cattau

ook the early morning freight Monday, to Clarks, Neb., on a business trip. Craig Turner had a valuable work horse badly cut in the wire last Friday,

and it was necessary to call a veterinary.

Band Concert. Friday evening, August 13. March-Stars and Stripes Sousa each team, and one of the best games Overture Lustspiel...... Kelar Bela Selection-La Traviata..... Verdi Descriptive march—The Jolly Black-

> smith Marsch Selection-El Trovatore Verdi Serenade-The Old Church Organ Chambers Descriptive overture A Hunting

> Scene..... Buccaloes (By special request.) March-Dueppel Schanzen, Piefte

A automobile collision is reported from Belgrade. They are having a camp meeting up in the Nance county town and automobiles are used to take the people from the grounds. Two of these loaded with people met head on, when representing the Commercial club, and they were running at a high rate of speed Frank Schram and H. A. Fritz of the but fortunately there was only one who United Commercial Travelers, were at | was injured, one of the lady passengers Grand Island last week attending the being badly bruised, although her inmeeting of the Nebraska Commercial juries are not serious. This should be Travelers' association, and succeeded in one of the numerous warnings to reckless landing the 1910 meeting for this city, auto drivers, as when they put on speed which will be held during the month of where there is a chance to collide with August. At that time between 300 and other vehicles or those on foot, they not others also.

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Miss Vinta Nash, who has been connected with the Bank of Springfield, at Springfield, S. D., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Nash.

Rev. Dwight I. Roush of the Methodist church returned last Saturday from Mrs. George Wagner and son Lewis his months' vacation, during which time tended the Seattle exposition.

Mrs. C. N. McElfresh of Omaha, who town this week visiting with relatives has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Elliott, returned home Marie Vickors returned to Madison Tuesday. She was accompanied by her husband, who came up for an over Sun-

day visit. George Fairchild came up from Linumbus for some time. Since he has been working out of the state auditor's are counting on taking in the Humphrey no doubt be but a short time until he

During the last week County Judge Ratterman has been taking life easy-not has no opposition for re-nomination at Mesdames Addie Cashman and Flem- the primary, and no republican opponvied by his fellow men.

Tuesday evening Arthur Gray. jr., had an exciting runaway with his Shetland pony. His rig was standing in front of the Gray store when one of Keating a Schram's delivery teams came down the street at a lively pace and freightened the pony, which started north at a lively pace. The boy, while in a very perilous position, held on at the end of a ten block's run, managed to stop the pony

and then brought it back to town. Last Thursday, Friday and Saturday a large number of special trains were run over the Union Pacific, carrying the Grand Army veterans to the national encampment at Salt Lake City, some of them coming from as far east as Vermont Max Elias, the new baggage claim agent of the Union Pacific, went to Omaha and took a baggage run on one of the trains to the Utah city.

George Stevenson, representing the Columbus Cream company, left last Wednesday for the Pacific coast in the interest of the Columbus product. and Dahlman came very near turning While the firm have a few customers in erazy that he could not thresh when the west who handle their product, they the shocks were wet enough so that you are on the lookout for more, and believe that if people in that locality form the habit of eating Columbus butter, they will continue it, and Mr. Stevenson expects to do considerable missionary work in that line before he returns

This week the Journal publishes from the old files of the paper probably the first press notice ever given the now world-wide known Buffalo Bill Wild West show. This, which is in our "Many Years Ago" column, bears the date of May 16, 1883, and was written on the occasion of the departure of the show for Omaha to begin its first tour. Very little, probably, did the writer think that the prediction made in the paragraph would be more than fulfilled. as it has been.

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