THE HERALD.

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PLATTSMOUTH, SEPT. 13, 1877.

County Central Committee.

The Republican County Central Committee will meet at Eight Mile Grove on Saturday, September 22d, 1877, at the hour of 2 p. m., sharp, for the purpose of calling a Republican County Convention in due season, and for the transaction of such business as may legitimately come before it. JNO. A. MACMURPHY, Ch'n.

CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

PLATTSMOUTH:
1st Ward—J. A. MacMurphy.
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3d Ward—Thos. Pollock.
4th Ward—L. F. Johnson.
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Rock Bluffs—Wm. Lloyd.
Liberty—Geo. Larue.
Eight Mile Grove—J. F. Polk.
Mt. Pleasant—S. M. Richardson.
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Centre—J. N. Woodford.
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Tipton—T. N. Bobbit.
Greenwood—Jas. Toland.
Salt Creek—E. C. Coleman. 2542

COLORADO is going to have a State Editorial association.

THE Nebraska editors just got to see Brigham in time last spring.

DECATEUR, NEB., wants more school room. Too many children up there.

WE have received the Monday Morning News from St Joe. A Trade and Commercial Journal.

HESSER has gone to St. Joe to the Exposition, with flowers, roots and yarbs enough to capture all Missouri.

FRANK LESLIE the great newspaper publisher made an assignment on Sep., 8th—Liabilities $330,000—cause, too much Real Estate.

ALL accounts agree in praising the crops of the great west this year, and statistics gathered point to an increased price for all cereals during this and the coming year.

The Maine Election.

The Republicans carry every county in the State but two, having about 10,000 majority and gaining a Republican Legislature in both branches.

THE Nebraska State Fair opens at Lincoln, on Monday, Sept., 24th and continues until the 28th. Every preparation has been made by the managers to secure comfort to visitors and Exhibitors.

THE report of the Teachers institute at Weeping Water, was received last week, too late for the entire insertion, we *duplicate*, the portion published last week and add the rest that the whole may be in one issue for convenience of sending away.

THE scandal and divorce case between John Mitchell—son of Alex. Mitchell, of Milwaukee, and Bianca, his wife, has been compromised, Mrs. M. filing application for a divorce and the child to remain in custody of its grandparents.

THE Democratic papers now give it out that Senator Morton has softening of the brain. If he were a Democratic politician there would be no danger of this. Softening of the brain is as impossible to a Democrat as hollow horn is to a mule.—Globe-Democrat.

EXTENSIVE preparations are being made at the State Fair Grounds, at Lincoln, to accomodate both persons and stock. It is expected there will be a large turnout. Certainly the season was never more propitious for a large interesting and profitable display.

THE spring of Mr. Samuel H. Barstow, in Waukesha, Wis., advertised in another part of this paper, and known as the "Central," is one of the best springs in that region, the water having been tried and found to be a specific for many diseases. Mr. Barstow is a fine old gentleman, and any information he furnishes on the subject may be relied upon.

THE Central Committee of the Republicans of Cass county is called to meet at Eight Mile Grove on the 22d. It is to be hoped there will be a full turn out as many matters of importance may be brought up we are informed. We have given two notices, in order that all may be prepared to act intelligently. If the people mean to transact their own business, instead of those they please to call politicians and bummers, now is the time to commence to act.

IN THE issue of the NEBRASKA HERALD, Sept. 6th, we had the following article, the statistics from Mr. Davis' own mouth.

Nebraska Cheese.

Mr. John H. Davis, living five miles south-east of Weeping Water, in Avoca precinct, left us a sample of Cass County cheese that compares very favorably with any we have just seen in Wisconsin.

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Mr. D. makes from 1,800 to 2,000 pounds of cheese per month; has forty cows and he sold 1,000 pounds here on Monday, being the first he has been able to induce our folks to buy. We can only add always aid home manufactures when possible.

In the Omaha Bee of the 11th, under the head of "Iowa Condensed," we find this:

"Mr. J. H. Davis, near Avoca, Cass county, Iowa, has a cheese factory from which he turns out about 2,000 lbs of excellent cheese per month. He has forty acres, and finds ready sale for all the cheese he manufactures."

What the forty acres has to do with it we don't know—but if that young man can't condense news items more correctly Rosey had better get a new hand.

The Blind Asylum.

For some time it appears the State Board of Public Lands and Prof. Bacon, of the Blind Asylum, at Nebraska City, have been at outs. The other day the Board accompanied by Mr. Parmlee, the newly elected principal, visited the institution for the purpose of installing Mr. Parmlee, the new incumbent. Prof. Bacon, however, met them at the door and here's what followed:

[From the Nebraska City Press.]

The State Board of Public Lands and buildings—Messrs. McBride, Tzschuck and Davis, accompanied by F. P. Ireland and J. C. Watson, attorneys, Prof. J. D. Parmlee, and members of the *Press*, paid a visit to the Institution for the Blind this morning. They were met on the steps by Prof. Samuel Bacon, superintendent. The following conversation ensued:

Hon. F. M. Davis—"Are you ready to turn over the institution." Prof. Bacon replied "No."

Mr. Davis—"I demand admittance." The doors of the institution were locked. Prof. Bacon—"We are putting down carpets and cleaning house; everything is in confusion and we cannot admit you now."

Mr. Davis—"We demand admission as State officers." Prof. B.—"It is an improper time." Some whispering followed among the officials, when Mr. Parmlee stepped forward and demanded possession as principal of the institution, Prof. Bacon refused to recognize him as such.

Mr. Davis went to the west door and finding it locked, demanded the keys. Prof. Bacon—"You cannot have them." The board then retired. Afterwards Mr. Davis stated that some repairs were wanted inside, and that they wanted to do them.

Prof. Bacon—"It is too late, as the school will open in a few days. We will try and get along without them as we have heretofore." Mr. Davis—"The school will not open. The board would not audit any more bills." Prof. Bacon—"The law that governs me opens the school on the 13th inst., and it will be done."

Prof. Bacon says he intends to go ahead and if the board assume the responsibility of starving him out and breaking up the school the blame will rest with them.

The State board met last night and decided to employ J. C. Watson and F. P. Ireland to represent the State. Legal measures will be instituted to oust Prof. Bacon at once; an order will be published prohibiting any one crediting Prof. Bacon as superintendent of the institution. The case will go to the supreme court next month for a decision.

Short Notes of the Fair.

The Cass County Fair passed off very pleasantly. The weather was fine and the attendance very large for a County Fair. Although the entries were quite numerous the display on the grounds was not as large as it ought to have been, nor anything near as Cass County in justice to herself ought to make. We shall try and get the official list of premiums awarded next week and at present only notice a few of the features most prominent.

Mr. Sam. Thomas was on hand with his fine herd of Devon Stock, and we must say they are improving every year.

Judge Kinney, of Neb., City, showed us some of his thoroughbred horse stock, helping out the display in this line very much.

A number of good brood mares and colts were exhibited, the names of those taking premiums given next week

The display of Agricultural Machinery was very full for this fair. All our dealers had something on hand and Mr. Weir of the Weir Plow Co., and Mr. Jones of the Davenport Co., were on hand to help test their different implements.

PLOW TRIAL.

Weir's 16 inch sulky plow, on four tests, average drafts 387½ lbs., width of furrow 17¼ inches, depth of furrow 6⅜ inches.

The Davenport 16 inch sulky plow, four tests, average drafts 437½ lbs., width of furrow 16¼ inches, depth 6 and 3-16 inches.

Hugh's 15 inch sulky plow, 4 tests, average draft 400 lbs., width of furrow 15 and 2-9 inches, depth 6 and 1-16.

Furst & Bradley's 16 inch sulky plow, 4 tests, average draft 450 lbs, width of furrow 15⅝ inches, depth of furrow 6 and 7-16 inches.

The committee on trial were Isaac Pollard. Geo. W. Young, and S. I. Long. The premium was granted to the Weir plow, on quality of work, durability, adjustability and lightness of draft. The which caused Mr. Weir exceeding great joy.

FOOT RACE.

The mens' foot race on Wednesday was won by Ira B. Dey, of Mt. Pleasant, of the Base Ball Club.

The Base Ball match on that day was won by the Rock Bluffs club.

ON THURSDAY,

in addition to the awarding of premiums, &c., enumerated on the programme the speech of Hon. J. Sterling Morton was the attraction of the day, (next to the baby show, we should say.) Mr. Morton's speech is highly spoken of by all those who heard it, and we are promised portions thereof for our next week's issue.

The next grand event was the

FIRST GREAT BABY SHOW

in the State, for the prettiest baby over ten and under eighteen months old. Premiums worth fifteen, ten and five dollars.

The first premium was taken by Mr. and Mrs. Lee Oldham's baby of Rock Bluffs. It was a handsome baby carriage.

The second by Mr. and Mrs. Burnet's baby, of Plattsmouth precinct, a fine cradle.

The third by Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins' baby, of Greenwood, a baby's rocking chair.

We rejoiced greatly that we had not that momentous question to decide, for among the number of little innocents displayed it was an exceedingly hard task, and of those who went away prizeless were some almost equally deserving with those that rejoice in being first, second and third babies of Cass county.

MISSES EQUESTRIANSHIP.

Seven ladies rode. Miss Chalfant took the first premium, and Miss Abby Cook the second. The judges were Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Stanford, Cap't. O'Rourke, and Dr. Schildknecht. Mrs. E. Parmele, Superintendent.

The next and "most funniest" thing was the

OLD MAN'S WALKING RACE.

There were two entries, (only one exit) Robt. Metteer and Hon. J. McFarland Hagood. The time was made in 5.44½ and won by Mr. Metteer, although we believe that Mr. Hagood, in the judgment of the crowd, did the squarer and better walking, but for some reason quit just before reaching the end of the track. (Capt. Hagood says the boys crowded in on the track and jostled him, thereby making him lose his step.)

In the pacing match of the same day Mr. Patterson got away with the premium.

FRIDAY MORNING.

Business on the Fair Ground opened serene and lovely, only a little more dust than usual. The exhibition in the house was well attended, the stands being somewhat fuller. The exhibition of needle work, quilts and ladies work was very creditable for so small a region as these come from. The fruit and grain display was not large, and we did not get the details.

OUT OF DOORS

to-day, the great event was the racing. Owing to a conflict between the Premium Lists and the posters put up, there was a misunderstanding about the entry of horses from outside of the county, and the Cass county horsemen refused to enter against outside, well known and well trained horses, with records way below our untrained colts.

DOUBLE TEAMS.

For a time it seemed as if the race would not fill, and there would be no trotting. Finally Dan Johnson, of Weeping Water, consented to let his team go, and the horses were entered as follows:

D. D. Johnson—"Mill Boys," (two greys.)

Judge Kinney—"Yankee Boy" and "Alarm," (a sorrel and a brown.)

The Judge does not claim this as his pole team, as they were never hitched together before last Tuesday. The first heat was trotted in 3:24 and second in 3:10; both won by Kinney's horses. Of course that ended the race.

THE AFTERNOON TROTTING

came near being a failure for the same reasons as above. Three horses were at last entered. "Alarm," "Yankee Boy," and "Mill Boy."

Alarm won the first heat in 3:20½. The second heat was not trotted inside of 3:30, and the judges at first refused to call it a heat, but finally gave it to Alarm, with first money, and decided that the other two horses should trot again for the second money. Yankee Boy made it in 2:45½.

The fair financially has been a great success. The managers inform us that all premiums will be paid, all bills, and still a surplus left in the Treasury. The officers and superintendents deserve great praise for the performance of their arduous and generally unthankful labors.

The exhibition in regard to display was not what it ought to be, neither from town or country. It is not our place however to show our weak spots to the world. We can only hope that next year, with all interests harmonized, and the good feeling engendered by full crops, we shall all unite in having a number one Cass County Fair.

A VERY interesting feature of the day, was the driving and performances of two grand daughters of Thomas Thomas, in the exhibition of "Family Carriage Teams. The elder, Ada, eight years old, drove the team which took 1st premium, twice around the track, winding among and avoiding collision with the other teams, with all the assurance and success of an experienced driver. While on the following day the younger, Nellie, 5 years old, also drove the same team twice around the track, evincing almost if not quite as much skill as her elder sister. Mr. Thomas in each case occupying a seat in the carriage. At the close of the driving in the contest for the premium, as the team was brought to a halt in front of the stand, the lines were dropped over the dasher and both girls were taken out and proceeded to rub down the horses legs, passing each other under the horses in the operation; while the horses under the heat and excitement of the drive, stood unchecked and uncontrolled, except that Mr. Thomas had taken his place a few feet in advance of and before them.

Among other data of the Fair we are furnished the following about the base ball matches:

SCORE.

Mt. Pleasant, Polk Easy; 6.
Rock Bluffs, Tumblers; 4.
Weeping Water, Clippers; 10.
Eight Mile Grove, Modocs; 7.

Game then adjourned until 9 a. m., Saturday. The Polk Easies were then to play the Dead Beats from Rock Bluffs, but the Dead Beats failing to appear at the specified time, the Umpire, Mr. Kelly Fox, Esq., declared the game 9 to 0, forfeited in favor of the Polk Easies. Thereupon the two winning clubs, the Polk Easies and Clippers, compromised by each club taking half of the premium, as no arrangements could be made for the two clubs to play at any future time on the Fair Grounds, on account of the great distance from their homes.

D. H. WHEELER, Jr.

—Even the Shakers are breaking away from their adhesion to old customs. Many of the men openly favor beards, and the women show a disposition to modify their primness of dress. The *Socialist* says that they are likely soon to give up most of their oddities, but not their cardinal principles of celibacy and communism of property.

—At a public dinner recently given by the Anthropological Society of Paris, a paper was circulated, the signers of which pledge themselves to bequeath their brains to the society for inspection and dissection. It is thought that an examination of the thinking organs of persons whose habits and works are perfectly known will throw light upon the laws of physico-mental organization.

TELEGRAPHIC!

In the Balkans.

CAPTURE OF PLEVNA.

LONDON, Sept 10.—The Russians have won a great victory at Plevna. The batteries erected on the heights surrounding the Turkish fortifications Friday and Saturday were devoted to the bombardment of the Turkish positions. Saturday the Russians occupied the heighths of Plevna and the village of Uschilsa. The Russian center and right wing had approached to within one thousand yards of the Turkish fortifications.

Accident on the Union Pacific.

[Special to the Omaha Daily Republican.]

COLUMBUS, Sept. 10.—Near Jackson, seven miles west of here, yesterday a stock train too closely following a freight, ran into the rear of the latter causing a serious wreck. Seventeen cars were piled up, and a large number of stock killed. Some of the train men were badly injured, although not seriously.

Affairs in Mormondom.

SALT LAKE, Sept. 10.—Ten apostles of the Mormon church, joined by J. W. Young and Daniel H. Wells, late counselor of Brigham Young, publish a circular to-night saying that September 4th they held a meeting and waited upon the Lord, who blessed them and revealed to them the steps they should take. John Taylor, Senior apostle, acting president of the twelve, was unanimously sustained in that position. Also, that a Quorum of twelve apostles is the presiding quorum and authority of the church; that this was the plan pursued at the time of the death of Joseph Smith and was so ordered by said Smith and sustained by Brigham. To facilitate the transaction of business it was ordered that President John Taylor be assisted by J. W. Young, D. H. Wells, and Geo. Q. Cannon.

The Funeral of Thiers passes off Quietly.

PARIS, 6:30 p. m., September 8.—The city has assumed its usual appearance. Everything passed off quietly and without political manifestations, even during the speeches at the cemetary. The speeches were remarkable for their moderation. The funeral was very imposing. All the diplomatic corps were present, including Edward F. Noyes, United States minister, and Elihu B. Washburn,

FLAGS AT HALF MAST.

WASHINGTON, September 8.—The national flag is at half mast to-day over all departments in respect to the late ex-President Thiers.

The Last Battle.

THE CAPTURE OF LOVATZ.

CONSTANTINOPLE, September, 8. The account received here of the capture of Lovatz states it was attaked by 40,000 Russians. It was gallantly defended by eight Turkish battalions, who were forced to give way before superior numbers. They retreated in good order, taking with them Musselmen inhabitants. The dispatch adds that Osman Pasha had left Plevna with twenty-eight battalions to retake Lavatz.

VIENNA September 10.—It has been ascertained that simultaneously with the Navarna massacre the Circassians committed atrocities in eleven villages of Eastern Bulgaria. In the village of Suijuk, inhabited by Greeks, one hundred and fifty houses were burned and 300 inhabitants massacred. One hundred corpses of women have been discovered at Samuela, A letter says these facts are verified by consuls.

CONSTANTINOPLE, September 10.—The whole of Suleiman Pasha's army has passed north of the Balkans.

LONDON, September 11.—A correspondent at Vienna says it is not what occurs in front so much as what occurs in the rear of Plevna which will give to the fight there its significance. The movements of two Roumanian divisions from the north and of the column of Lovatz from the south leave no doubt that the Russians, whatever may be the success of such a plan, are preparing a Sedan for Osman Pasha and he will probably have to trust to his own resources to extricate himself. Operations of Mehemet Ali and Suleiman Pashas are probably too far off to be of use to him.

SALT LAKE, September 11.—John Taylor, president of the Twelve Apostles, is acting president of the Mormon church until the new president is elected. Taylor was shot at Nauvoo at the time Joseph Smith was killed, and is a most bitter religious fanatic.

VIENNA, September 12.—A Vienna correspondent says: Reports about the fall of Plevna, which are traced to Roumanian sources, have not been confirmed from any side. It is variously surmised that the Russians, having approached within striking distance, are awaiting movements of their turning columns, which are supposed to have been sent to flank in the rear of Plevna; or that the Turks may have fortified Plevna strongly; that it is only to be taken by gradual approaches. The whole plan of attack may thus have to be changed.

What Ails a Chronic Growler.

The Washington Republican digs up the following long-forgotten office-seeking letter to Acting President Andy Johnson. It says:

The following, from Charles A. Dana, the editor of the Sun, is a good formula, which inexperienced office-seekers would do well to cut out and paste in their scrap books:

CHICAGO, Jan. 20, 1866.

To His Excellency the President:

DEAR SIR: Some of my friends in the New York delegation to Congress want me to be Collector of New York. I shall be glad to have that office, and accordingly address myself directly to you. I have been a resident of New York City for nearly twenty years, till a few months since, when I came here on leaving the War Department. I know New York, its merchants, and its politicians; but, by reason of my connection with the War Department, I have been absent, so as to be free from all identification with the political factions and personal controversies by which the Union party there had been much divided. I believe that there is no person of any prominence in the party whose appointment would give greater satisfaction than mine. Should you be disposed so far to entertain the idea as to wish for information concerning my capacity to administer the office there is no one who can judge better as to that than Mr. Stanton. Let me add that I am myself confident of performing the duties, should they be intrusted to me, to the advantage of the public service and to your entire satisfaction. I am, with profound respect, your faithful servant,

CHARLES A. DANA.

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Total..... $5 00

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One Engraved Miniature Locket, for the above.
One Gent's Heavy Link Watch Chain.
One Lake George Diamond Stud.

$2.00 LOT.

One Ladies' Neck Chain and Charm.
One Ladies' Heavy Guard Chain for Watch.
One set Pin and Ear Rings, Amethyst.
One extra fine Miniature Locket.
One Cameo Seal Ring.
One very heavy Wedding or Engagement Ring.
One Gent's heavy Watch Chain with Charm.
One pair Pearl Inlaid Sleeve Buttons.
One Lake George Cluster Pin.
One pair (2) heavy band Bracelets.

$3.00 LOT.

One Ladies' Opera Guard Chain.
One Ladies' Neck Chain and Cross.
One locket (engraved).
One pair Band Bracelets.
One Gent's Twist Link Vest Chain and Charm.
One pair Onyx Sleeve Buttons.
One set (3) Onyx Shirt Studs.
One new Improved Collar Button.
One extra cut Cameo Seal Ring.
One Arizona Solitaire Stud.
One set Amethyst or Topaz Pin and Ear Drops.
One Ladies' Chemise Button.
One plain Ring, stamped 18 K.

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One Ladies' Opera Chain, with slide and tassel, (retail price $8.00).
One Gent's heavy Watch Chain, with Curb Charm, (retail price $5.00).
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One elegant Chased Miniature Locket for above.
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One pair (2) heavy Chased Band Bracelets.
One Gent's Solitaire Diamond Stud.
One Gent's Cluster Diamond Pin.
One pair Amethyst or Onyx Sleeve Buttons.
One set (3) Studs to match the above.
One elegant heavy set Cameo Seal Ring.
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One Ladies' Chemise Button.
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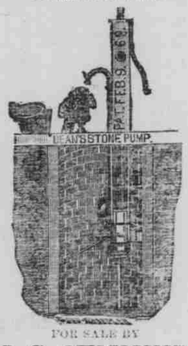

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