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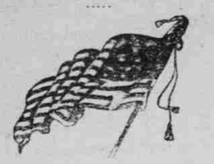
National Republican Ticket!



1880.

For President,
JAMES A. GARFIELD,
Of Ohio.

For Vice-President,
CHESTER A. ARTHUR,
Of New York.

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

G. W. COLLINS, of Pawnee.
J. M. THURSTON, of Douglas.
JAMES LAIRD, of Adams.

FOR ALTERNATES,

SILAS GARBER, of Webster.
W. L. WILSON, of Otoe.
C. F. EISLEY, of Dodge.

STATE TICKET.

For Congress,
E. K. VALENTINE, of Cuming County.
For Contingent Congressman,
T. J. MAJORS, of Nemaha County.
For Governor,
ALBINUS NANCE, of Polk County.
For Lieutenant-Governor,
E. C. CARNS, of Seward County.
For Secretary of State,
S. J. ALEXANDER, of Thayer County.
For Auditor of Public Accounts,
JOHN WALLICHS, of Hall County.
For Treasurer,
G. M. BARTLETT, of Lancaster County
For Attorney General,
C. J. DILWORTH, of Phelps County.
For Commissioner of Public Lands & Buildings,
A. G. KENDALL, of Howard County.
For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
W. W. JONES, of Lancaster County.

JUDICIAL DISTRICT TICKET.

For Attorney, Second District,
JOHN C. WATSON, of Otoe County.

COUNTY TICKET.

State Senator,
ORLANDO TEFFT, of Aveca Precinct.
House of Representatives,
R. B. WINDHAM, of Plattsmouth.
JAMES HALL, of Mt. Pleasant.
HENRY D. ROOT, of Salt Creek.
County Commissioner,
JAMES CRAWFORD, of South Bend.

Call for a Republican Convention in the 50th Representative District.

The Republican electors of the 50th (or float) district are called to send delegates to a Convention at Ashland, September 25th, 1880, at 12 m., sharp, to place in nomination a candidate for Representative for this district in the coming Legislature, and for the transaction of such other business as may legitimately come before it. And the apportionment shall be ten (10) delegates from each County.

J. H. MCKINNON, Ch'n.
J. A. MACMURPHY, Sec'y. 2215

State Platform of the Republican Party.

1. The Republicans of Nebraska most heartily endorse the profession of principles formulated by the national republican convention at Chicago, and pledge their unswerving support to the candidates there nominated.

2. We affirm the doctrines of national sovereignty in the fermulated principles upon which the perpetuity of the nation rests, and that the principle of home rule as enunciated by the democratic party is but the cautious expression of the Calhoun doctrine of state rights, is revolutionary in its character and destructive of the unity of the nation.

3. We regard the recent seizure of the polls and wholesale robbery of the franchises of the republican citizens of Alabama, surpassing in the magnitude and effrontery of the crime all former efforts of the party under their Tweed plan in New York, and the Mississippi plan in the south, as a fair specimen of democratic method and a forecast of democratic dominion national affairs that should incite every honest man and tax-payer in the country to the most earnest endeavor to defeat the party of brigandage and fraud at the polls in November

4. We have considered "what Lee and Jackson would do if they were alive," [cheers] and have determined to employ our best energies in preventing the seizure of the national government by their living comrades through the frauds of a solid south.

5. We congratulate the people of the state upon its rapid increase of population and wealth and upon the good measure of prosperity that has rewarded their labor, upon the rapid upbuilding of our material interests since the success of resumption and the revival of trade.

6. We pledge our support to such legislation in congress, and such measures by state legislatures as may be necessary to effect a correction of abuses, and prevent extortionate discrimination in charges by railroad corporations.

7. We most cordially invite the aid and cooperation in the latest defence of the national integrity and the national purse of all republicans and war democrats who have differed with us on temporary issues, or have clung to a party name.

AN ADDITIONAL RESOLUTION.

The following was offered by the committee as a suggestion which the convention might usefully adopt:

Resolved, The republican state central committee be authorized to name the temporary organization of the next republican state convention: to appoint a committee on credentials from among their own number, whose duty it shall be to pass on all credentials and upon all questions that may properly come before the state committee, and to report immediately after the state convention shall have temporarily organized.

Hon. John M. Thurston rose and said: Mr. Chairman and gentlemen of the convention—I desire to move that the platform which you have heard read be adopted. In doing so I desire to say that not only does it represent all principles of the party, but it reflects also the forward position taken by the republican party and it is such that every man in the party represented by the delegates to the convention will cheerfully and gladly support. [Cheers.]

The motion having been seconded was carried unanimously.

Who wants old Miller's hen roost now.

JUST see that Ticket! "Isn't it a Daisy?"

JOHN M. THURSTON speaks here the 29th of Sept.

GET ready to come in and hear Thurston on the 29th.

THE Grand Island Times has doffed its "patent outside."

DON'T Frye (our Frye) wish he had stayed with the greenback men now.

The Ticket is forninst you now; Let's see who can get the most votes for it.

How old "Strick" would have enjoyed the Re-Union, and swapped army yarns with the boys, eh?

AMMER "histed" six roosters and nary a hen, no wonder the Main(e) fellows went back on him.

IF the mental intelligence of this people has shrank to the capacity of Dean and Connor, it is time to emigrate.

IF such drivel as Connor and Dean gave the people last Friday night can make votes, this county has sunk too low to save.

IF the Lincoln "Democrat's" memory was as good for other things as it is for high-toned weddings we might strike up a trade.

ADIRONDACK, put on your specs and read the REPUBLICAN Ticket in the paper this week, plenty of time to vote it, if you all make up your minds to.

THE October elections are: Georgia, Oct. 6th; Ind., Ohio, and West Virginia, Oct. 12th, and town elections with amendment to the constitution in Connecticut, Oct. 4th.

We rejoice with the honest greenbackers in Maine and elsewhere. If we've got to back water it would rather be to a brave though mistaken man like Gen. Weaver than to a dough face.

THE B. & M. ticket agent at Lincoln advertises that "Pullman Sleepers, Dining Cars, and the finest day coaches will be run through from Southern Nebraska to Chicago and St. Louis, *without change*."

JOHNNY Tutt what you dinks now? Do you remember our telling you that Weaver had more real chance of being President than Hancock and of the two he would make the better officer for the country.

IF the crowd which Hartigan generally addresses ever read a Republican paper we should try and refute his statement about Gen. Garfield in every particular, as it is it would be time and space wasted.

HELLO you Stowell! Lincoln Democrat man; see what you get for calling us "Dick Dead-Eye." Wan't to get pounded again do you? Retribution always follows when you make fun of a worthy newspaper man.

ALL kinds of securities on Wall Street (N. Y.) took a tumble last Tuesday when the news from Maine came in, and democratic brokers were the first to sell and democratic business men the first to begin to draw in all outside business ventures.

THE situation in many of the southern states is encouraging, while we may not be able to carry a single state electorally, owing to local feuds we shal gain several Congressmen without doubt. The more sensible people are getting exceedingly tired of the Oligarchy rule.

THEY had a grand meeting at Ashland last week. Gen. Smith peeled his coat and gave them the best in the shop.

Deacon Bushnell spread himself afterwards, and made a most excellent little G. & A. "toot," that awakened the Ashlanders to glory and victory this fall.

PERHAPS the shortest way to answer democratic orators who traduce GEN. Garfield is to quote what Thos. Hendricks said of him. It was this, as two citizens of Ind. swear:

"He is a pure man, a man of principle and a statesman, and an honest man and would make a good President for us all."

THE "Fool's Errand" and the "Invisible Empire" are now bound together in one volume of 520 pages. Illustrated and contain the political gospel of Republicanism in the most attractive form. Every family should have a copy. "The Fools Errand" is the best, the truest book we have read for years.

IN reading the HERALD this week we observed that the Republican ticket is printed in full; and we are pleased to see the well known names of our citizens who asked the suffrages of the people in bold capitals on the editorial page. If anybody has had sore eyes since the nomination, now is the time to cure 'em. Just read that ticket, file it away til Nov. 2 and then vote it entire. That will please the HERALD.

THE State Fair is progressing finely, or was, until the rain of yesterday. The grounds are most handsomely prepared for the fair at great expense, and Secretary Wheeler, with others, are making every endeavor to have this the largest and most successful Fair ever held. If the weather holds good Thursday and Friday will be great days. At the trotting and pacing tomorrow, very fast time is expected to be made.

THE Maine election is not absolutely settled yet, though it seems very probable that Davis, Republican Governor, is elected by a small plurality. It is so close, Mr. Blaine says, that only the official count can decide. We have made great gains in the vote throughout the State, elected as many as, if not more Congressmen than before, and have both houses of the Legislature.

So it is not much of a democratic victory. In fact, it is a Greenback triumph entirely in every point that the Republicans do not win.

The amendments are carried, and Reed, Congressman, against whom the "bar'l" was particularly opened, is elected, sure.

Lend us a rooster, some of you Greenbackers, and we'll help you crow. Ours is at the Blacksmith's getting a new tail for November.

THE CAMPAIGN.

Speaking and Other Matters Connected Therewith.

The Central Committee and candidates, assembled Monday, thought there should be some speaking in the County, aside from the two or three large meetings already decided on by the G. & A. club and the Central Committee.

Requests having been made by citizens for meetings at the following places early, they are therefore announced, as follows:

The meeting at South Bend, Sept. 27.

A meeting at Walker's school house, in Rock Bluffs Precinct, Friday, October 1st, at 7:30 p. m., at which Messrs. Tefft and Windham will be present, with other speakers. Also to organize a G. & A. club on that evening, if possible.

A meeting is called at Pleasant Ridge school house, in Eight Mile Grove Precinct, on Monday evening, October 4th, at 7:30 p. m., for which speakers will be provided.

Remember the times and the places, and that it is no use to hold those meetings, unless the citizens in the neighborhood and the Central Committee take hold, and see that they are advertised; that the school house is lit up, and, in short, that there *will be a meeting* worth attending.

We are not going to run this campaign alone, and unless you all help, this part of the programme will be useless, and will be dropped.

Owing to lack of time to consult with speakers and the rest of the committee, no other announcements will be made at present.

Republican Meeting.

There will be a Republican Meeting at South Bend, on Monday, the 27th of September, under the auspices of the G. & A. club of South Bend. The regular meeting of the club will be adjourned until Monday evening. Messrs Tefft, Windham, MacMurphy, with other speakers from the County.

THE Soldiers' Re-Union at Central City, last week, was one of the grandest affairs Nebraska has ever seen Fourteen thousand people were on the grounds, Thursday and Friday. Teams driven in for miles surrounded the encampment like a corral.

The old soldiers enjoyed the return of camp-life and the remembrances of the war beyond anything that we ever imagined. Such greetings, such handshakings were seldom known.

Many of those who could reach there with teams, brought their wives and children, and the pride and the interest they manifested, as husbands, fathers and brothers marched round, was a sight worth going miles to witness.

The camp-fires each evening in a huge board pavillion, were attended by thousands. Experiences of the war, speeches by prominent comrades of the G. A. R., and finally the trials and heroism of the women during the war, were brought out by the ladies themselves.

The Governor held a regular levee all day, hundreds pushing forward to see him and shake hands with the man who "enlisted as a private and was discharged as a private" from an Illinois regiment, and is now governor of this great and prosperous State.

Sect'y. Alexander deserves great credit for this first attempt to gather the soldiers in Nebraska together as it was largely through his efforts that the thing was accomplished at all.

Congressman Valentine, Adjutant Wood, Col. Webster and Gen. Manderson each in their way and place aided greatly in the success of this our first Re-Union in Nebraska. At a future time, when the names of all the soldiers by States shall be published, we wish to say more of this interesting and wonderful meeting of patriots and heroes.

Meeting of the County Central Committee.

The Republican County Committee met persuant to call on Monday the 20th. Members from seven precincts were present, and Messrs. Tefft, Windham, Hall and Root, candidates.

A full and free discussion was held on affairs and the committee finally thoroughly and effectually organized for harmonious and active work during the campaign as follows, Mr. MacMurphy was re-elected Chairman, Mr. W. H. Newell, secretary and Mr. Sam'l Richardson, Treasurer.

A programme for public speaking was discussed and referred to a Committee and Chairman.

A huge county meeting during the Campaign was decided on, time and place being left to the Chair.

It was suggested that the usual course has been for the Committee to meet once and then practically adjourn *sine die*; and that in this, an important Campaign it should meet oftener; therefore a motion was put and carried that the Committee adjourn subject to the call of the President at some place in the county later in the campaign, at which a full meeting is hoped for.

A thorough canvass for the Campaign was blocked out, and the Committee and Chairman took every measure to provide for a careful, vigorous and we hope successful campaign.

W. H. NEWELL,
Secretary.

A Neat Way of Putting the Southern Situation.

Gen. Ben Harrison in a speech at Terra Haute, Ind., said, "And now if we turn to the Southern States we find their electoral vote is *already counted* for Gen. Hancock. Wade Hampton cast the electoral vote of those states at the Cincinnati Convention—138 for Gen. Hancock." I submit, sir, no one could put the Southern situation more neatly than that. A proverb says, "Never count your chickens before they are hatched;" but here is an instance of counting the eggs before they are laid, with the full assurance that every one of them will have a (Han) cock in it. Gen. Wade Hampton is the hen that is to lay them, and the Cincinnati convention took up the cackle in anticipation of the grand event.

WE have received a copy of "The Discovery of Nebraska" from the hands of our friend the Author, Judge Savage, of Omaha. It is the beautiful legendary lecture delivered before the State Historical Society last spring, and a very valuable addition to the real history of the county.

We think a great deal of Judge Savage; we admire his research, his talent for historical lore and not only listened to the original lecture with pleasure but have re-read it in book form, and shall treasure it up as one of our Jewels, and yet it takes a heap of sap and vanity out of some of "us fellows."

There's Doctor Miller, and James Woolworth, and J. Sterling, and our humble self with others always thought we had something to do with the discovery of Nebraska, that we sort o' made it what it is, and that we were about the first respectable white men that came here; long before the waving corn and golden wheat had become indigenous; while the iron horse was yet lingering around Utica bridge—before the wagon track of the emigrant had vexed the untredden greensward of her mighty prairies; and here comes the Judge to tell us that we are years and years behind the times and that before Boston was born, before this Yankee twang was ever heard on the soil, and the great Republican party a thing of the immense future, a band of white men (at least as white as they get them, in that country) came up from the south-west to the land of "Quivera," and lo! that is Nebraska!

We retire, we hang up our lute, lay down our quill, pat aside the old butcher knife and revolver, take off our moccasins, absquatulate our Creole French, and shove the whole Yankee nation to one side, for the Judge and the Spaniard have the field, and "Quivera" still lives.

G. & A. CLUBS.

Cut This Out and File It!

We have been asked so often for rules and regulations for Garfield and Arthur clubs, that we give below a form of heading for organizing, and short rules to govern the same.

On organizing it is usual to choose a President and Secretary *pro tem*. After which a roll or list of names is prepared as follows:

"CAMPAIGN CLUB OF —— ——.
(Roll of members.)

PREAMBLE.

We, the undersigned, citizens of Cass County, Neb., believing that the best interests of the nation will be preserved, the right of free speech and free ballot best secured by the election of Republicans this fall, do hereby form ourselves into an organization to be known as the GARFIELD AND ARTHUR CLUB OF —— ——, and pledge ourselves to use all honorable means in our power to promote the election of the nominees of the Republican party for President and Vice President, and also all regular nominees of the Republican party in State and County.

(Names)——"

All present desiring to become members should then sign the roll; after which the temporary organization can be made permanent, or a regular ballot held for officers in full, viz: a President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, to which, either by appointment of the chair, or by election, may be added an Executive Committee of three or five members. These officers and committees performing such duties as usually pertain to such offices in all deliberative bodies, or such as the organization from time to time may direct and require.

The organization being now completed, a short constitution and by-laws may be adopted, as follows:

CONSTITUTION.

I.

This organization shall be known as the Garfield and Arthur Club of ——.

II.

The object of this club shall be the dissemination of correct Republican principles, to promote effective work in the campaign, and to secure the election of Republicans in National, State and County offices.

III.

The officers of this club shall consist of a President, Vice-President (or Vice Presidents), a Secretary, and Treasurer, who shall be duly elected by ballot, and perform such duties as the club may assign them.

IV.

There must be a two-thirds vote to alter the provisions of this Constitution or By-laws.

BY-LAWS.

1. This club shall meet every —— evening, at — o'clock, until November 20th, 1880.
2. Special meetings may be called by the President at the request of five members.
3. All Republicans over 18 years of age may become members of this club, on subscribing to these articles and signing the roll.
4. An executive committee of three shall be appointed by the President to raise funds and transact the general business of the club, according to instructions.
5. The usual parliamentary rules, as laid down in Cushing's Manual, shall govern the deliberations of this body.
6. —— members shall constitute a quorum.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. Roll-call.
2. Reading of minutes.
3. Report of Secretary.
4. Receiving new members.
5. Reports of Committees.
6. Reports of other officers.
7. Remarks by members and others.
8. Speeches or miscellaneous business
9. Adjournment to regular or called meeting.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Sunlight Notes.

ED. HERALD:—We are all feeling lively, as we are assured a good crop all round, Lots of corn, going 50 bushels per acre, or more. Our farmers have done but little threshing yet, indicating a good state of finance.

We had a good rain last night, stopping the hay-making for the present.

Messrs. Phillips, Yeager and Bedwell, of Iowa, have been visiting their friends in this vicinity. They were "actually surprised," they say, and will vote Cass County the boss.

Last week we had the meeting of the Western Sunday School Association at Tipton school house; a large attendance and good feeling.

Our democratic friends organized an H. & E. club; I will not tell how many joined. Our winter term of school commences soon, J. S. Cooley, teacher.

Albert Prouty has taken to himself a helpmeet, and they have moved into their new house. Our Tipton republicans are "a quiet, ignorant set of fellows; know just enough to vote the ticket," and you will hear a good report from them shortly after the 2d of November.

T. N.

Cedar Creek Items.

ED. HERALD:—As we have not noticed any letter in your paper from Cedar Creek for some time, I thought I would write a few items. White & Sayles have bought C. Schluntz's ware house and corn crib, and his corn—about twenty car loads. Jacob Schneider has the shelling to do, and he is putting the corn aboard as fast as it can be shelled. Schluntz & Dewey are going to erect a new store building, 22 x60 feet, and they will put in a large stock of goods. We understand John Inhelder's store building will be rented and a stock of goods put in, which will make two stores for Cedar Creek. We have a depot, telegraph office and express office. From the agent we learn there were shipped from here in August, 1880, 25 cars of grain, 260 cars of stone; total 285 cars.

G. R. Y.

From Louisville.

Louisville has heard from Maine. Tell J. N. Wise to whoop it up to the democrats, for the republican defeat is not so monstrous as "it used to was." Conrad Schlater is one of the jolliest democrats here; ask him about the impression he got from the first news from Maine.

We get some political news here occasionally, though all as yet from democratic speakers. Hartigan, Crites and Wise came up here last week to do some missionary work. Hartigan says that recent converts are usually the most enthusiastic, though not always the most discreet. We believe it, and we are inclined to believe that some would backslide if they had half a chance.

Their audience here was mostly republican. Hartigan led the attack, and was followed by Crites and Wise respectively. The audience was characteristic of Louisville, attentive, but prone to independent thinking. Cutforth says Hartigan got his speech from Jno. I. Reddick, and Capt. Howell says Reddick get it from a speech delivered by Mai in Indiana. So we concluded that, as Nasby would say, the speech after all was intended really for Indiana rather than Louisville. The speaker seemed very much attached to "the hero of Gettysburg," but was forced to admit that Gen. Meade commanded the Union forces in that memorable conflict. He should have gone farther and told us that Hancock never held an independent command, and never won a victory. And, by the way, did not a cannon ball strike a board fence, behind which our "hero" was standing, and did he not retire to the hospital about noon on the second day of said fight with a wound in his back, caused by a board from said fence? The board had a nail in it.

Hartigan charged that the republicans claim to have been the means of the vast increase in our population, and he attempted to prove that the democrats did their share in that direction. We did not know before that the republicans made any such claim, but if it is so made, Louisville will not go back on the claim, but will give the following as convincing and substantial proof that the claim is well taken: Dr. Waterman, D. D. Martindale, J. R. Toman, C. W. King, Murray Harrison, Ben Hoover, Jas. Hoover, Ben Dorski, Jno Sayles, Will Bringman, W Rhodes, Aaron Yonker, J. C. Newberry, Chris. Inhelder, Harrison Hayes and W Clark all sing to the tune of "Baby Mine." Just think of it! Sixteen republican babies in one little town, and wonderful as it may appear, there is not a single democratic baby here, nor any prospect till Ramsey gets married. Bro. Hartigan, try that argument somewhere else.

But we must give Hartigan the credit due him, and say that he did prove rather conclusively that nearly ninetenths of the Union soldiers were democrats, and that the republicans were responsible for the National debt.

Bro. Crites' speech was "gauzy." The short time he occupied in speaking was mainly used in proving that Missouri and Kentucky were more loyal than New England. We think he could have done better if he had more time.

Bro. Wise is surely the Nebraska edition of Nasby. The burden of his effort was an attack on the University. According to his logic—and evidently he never studied logic in any University—the B. & M. R. R. should ascertain up to date what it has cost per car to transfer cars across the Missouri river since the completion of the Plattsmouth bridge, taking into consideration the cost of the bridge. If the cost be greater than in the past, the bridge investment is a poor one. The future has nothing to do with the case. So Bro. Wise figured on the past cost of the University, without any regard to what the future benefits to the State may be. He did not venture to hint at where a single dollar might have been saved, except that it would have been better had this party been in power.

All the speakers agreed that McBride should be in the penitentiary. Grant it, and what becomes of our Cass County Treasurer? Their crimes are the same.

All agreed that Tefft's record in the legislature is bad, but none had a word to say publicly against Windham. Hartigan was frank enough to say some things against him in private conversation, and Crites intimated that they were collecting evidence against him, but nothing was said publicly which would indicate that they were not satisfied with his record. Now, why is it thus? Do they intend to use County seat arguments against Tefft, or do they consider it dangerous to attack the son-in-law of their Cass County "bar'l?" Gentlemen, give the reason for your partiality! Louisville would like to learn wherein Tefft's record is worse than Windham's. The only difference visible to us is that Windham is one of Plattsmouth's young lawyers.

DUKE.

From Weeping Water.

ED. HERALD:—Reed Bros. are still receiving lots of goods every day. Hoggett & Coglizer have finished Reed Bros'. well; total depth 89 ft., drilling through rock 66 ft. and have now 68 feet of water. D. H. Fleming is in Chicago buying fall and winter goods.

Mr. J. A. Mathews and wife, from Iowa, are visiting at Rev. P. S. Mather's. Mrs. M. is a daughter of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Mather. Dr. M. M. Butler's father and brother-in-law are visiting at the Dr's. The W. W. Orchestra has just received 3 new instruments, viz.: Silver Cornet, Trombone and Double Bass, expect to hear from them soon.

Much sickness prevails here at present. M. M. Pentico has lost a second child by Diphtheria within a few weeks and others in the family are down sick with the same complaint.

M. Sayles is here from Illinois. The Taylor house is being repaired, painted &c., for A. W. Beach and family. Several newspaper men around prospecting of late. Rev. W. J. Barger and family, of Oakland, Neb., are in town visiting friends. A new supply of rain just come.

Thank you Mr. Editor, for your kihdness I will endeavor to be more punctual.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

We had a heavy storm here on Friday last, the thunder and lightning was simply terrific. About six or seven miles Southwest of W. W. M. A. Lackey's house was struck by lightning, demolishing the chimney and after causing much damage, diverged into several rooms, killing instantly 4 of the inmates and severely burning another. Two were young ladies aged respectively 18 and 14, two were boys about twelve and four years of age. They scarcely entertain any hopes for the recovery of the little girl. No lightning rod on the house. Deep and heartfelt sympathies are extended from all who are aware of the sad event.

TRIXY.

On Protection from Accidents by Lightning.

Look out for swindling *lightning rod venders!* The recent electric bolt which fell with such terrible results on the house of Mr. Lackey, and the fact that the building was not protected by lightning conductors, will awaken many, whose buildings are in a similar condition, to the necessity of protecting them before the unheralded messenger enters their homes to destroy and sadden. The country will soon swarm with unprincipled lightning rod men, who, with their "blind propositions" will delude and victimize the unsuspecting. We admit the protective powers of rods, but detest the low class of swindlers who generally engage in selling them. Hence we warn our citizens not to deal with any with whom they are not thoroughly acquainted. We advise those wanting rods to address Clark & Pankonin, at Weeping Water. They are honest men and both residents of this County. **

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

—A man by the name of Bryan was run over by the cars at Louisville last night and killed.

—Several couples of Plattsmouth people went out to Mr. Warrant's last Friday evening, and the people along the road thought they were a badly mixed crowd, as some were hurrahing for Garfield and others for Hancock and others for Weaver.

—New houses and barns are going up on nearly every farm throughout the county, which shows our farmers are prospering, and still some people are "howling" for a change. Vote for Garfield & Arthur and you will continue to prosper.

—Will Short thrashed his first crop of small grain last week, he had an Altman & Taylor Thrasher, run by a steam engine, owned by Graham & Jenkins which beats the old horse power machines in the way of good work, swiftness &c. Billy is going to be one of the best of Cass Co's. farmers, if he keeps on the way he has begun.

—Our city schools opened last week with a fair quota, which is continually increasing. The number at starting was 569, and over 600 have already reported. Prof. Love informs us that with the same ratio of increase as last year, there will be in the neighborhood of nine hundred during the winter months. The present number averages over fifty to a teacher, and this is certainly the limit which any one teacher can do justice to. We are glad to see the schools start in so auspiciously.

—We neglected to make mention last week of two very handsome bouquets sent to us with the compliments of Mrs. Pollock, and which as the results of the first year of work in their garden were truly astonishing. Great pansies, heliotrope, roses, asters, geraniums, and a great variety of other blossoms, formed a lovely collection, which enriched our vases for several days, and which we enjoyed the more as the season is fast approaching when we cannot have them in such abundance.

Correction.

In the report of the Commissioners' Proceedings last week an error occurred. It states: "Twenty days' license was granted Chas. Bielefeld of Louisville." It should be that action on said license was laid over for 20 days. No license is granted for 20 days, ever.

A Sad Accident.

A man named Frank Ault, who has for some time been yard master at Pacific Junction was killed last Friday morning at that place. By some means he lost his footing and fell under the moving cars while making up a train, and the cars passing over one side of him mutulating it terribly. He lived until Friday afternoon. He was burried at East Plattsmouth Saturday.

An Elevator to be Located here.

Mr. Morrissey of Columbus has made arrangements to move his elevator from that city to Plattsmouth and add to its capacity, making it 30x 200x50 ft. and carry 300,000 bushels. A large force of men will be employed making this a most profitable enterprise for our city. The B. & M. furnish side track and other accomodations. We think this enterprise a second boom for Plattsmouth.

PAY TAXES.

All holders of B. & M. R. R. Contracts for Land purchased of that Company during the year 1879 and prior to that date are liable for the 1879 tax.

They became due January 1st, 1880, were delinquent after May 1st, 1880, and if not paid by the first day of November, 1880, the land will be sold for taxes.

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