

THE JOURNAL.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF PLATTE COUNTY
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 1, 1880.

Communications, to insure insertion in the next issue, should be in hand on Monday; if lengthy, on Thursday preceding. Advertisements of whatever class, should be in hand by noon, Tuesday.

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Campaign Badges at Fitz's opp. P. O.

Joe Camp has gone to Albion to work on the News.

WANTED—A good female cook at the Nebraska House.

Rain nearly every night and sometimes during the day.

A child of Mr. Crocker of Butler precinct died Sunday last.

G. W. Stevens has set up a windmill for irrigating his gardens.

French and American kid shoes at the N. Y. City Store.

For the best and best custom made boot or shoe go to Houshan's.

Communion service at the Congregational church Sabbath morning.

Wm. Spide has opened a tailor shop at his old stand on 13th street.

Mr. J. B. Waite, Mrs. Thurston's father, gave Columbus a short visit last week.

An old Illinoisian says that chinch bugs winter mainly in the corn stalks.

One of his neighbors says that Albert Russell has the best corn in Platte county.

Money to loan on improved farms on the very best terms by Becher & Price.

I. Gluck is selling dry goods, clothing, and boots and shoes at his usual low prices.

On Saturday last John Lisco lost a young son five months old, by summer complaint.

A son of Edward Kouscher, aged seven months, died on Saturday last of summer complaint.

J. M. Houshan has removed his shoe store to Nebraska Avenue, opposite the post-office.

Service in the Episcopal church on Sunday next. Also on the following Sunday, the 12th inst.

Tin dishes, brooms, mop sticks, lemons, candy, and cigars, at The Wonder, next door to post-office.

The convention of Saturday last thought best not to make nominations for county officers at present.

New fall prints arriving daily at the New York City Store, Friedrich & Co. Prop's.

J. O. Shannon laid on his table Saturday a most beautiful flower, plucked from his Virginia creeper.

The excursion to Atchison was not so largely attended as it would have been had the weather been fine.

The New York City Store, Friedrich & Co. Prop's, have removed to Broadway Bros. old stand.

H. P. Coolidge left at this office last week a very fair sample of new flax and corn raised in Monroe precinct.

Will T. Rieckly will pay the highest cash price for 50 head of 2, 3, and 4 year old steers, delivered at Columbus.

For RENT—A house, centrally located, and suitable for dwelling or boarding house. Inquire at the JOURNAL office.

School will begin Monday, Sept. 6th, at the St. Francis School-house in this city, under the charge of the Sisters of St. Francis.

Blank notes, bank, joint, individual and work-and-land, neatly bound in books of 50 and 100, for sale at the Journal office.

Call at Lawrence's and examine their stock and other scales. Stock scales warranted for five years, equal to any in the market.

A fire at Stromburg Aug. 20th destroyed considerable property for F. F. Vogle, Mr. Anderson, John Hammond and J. A. Frawley.

Don't you want some stew kettles, a cullender, or a sieve, now that plums have come? If so, see what The Wonder can do for you.

Bridges, at the fruit store, has some excellent, genuine, elder vinegar, that will not eat away the lining of your mouth and stomach.

The nice showers we have had lately, are reviving vegetation, and it is wonderful what a difference it will make in the crop of corn to be gathered this fall.

The local Republican candidates for Lost Creek precinct are, G. W. Shaffer, J. P.; John Eymann, road supervisor Dist. 8; George Smith, supervisor of Dist. 12.

We are closing out our stock of Summer Dress Goods, to make room for a fine selection of fall goods. Friedrich & Co. New York City Store.

The Young Brothers as sketch artists, can't be best, for they keep the house in an uproar all the time. We hope the family will come again soon.—Kansas State Tribune.

The U. P. R. R. Co. have the contract of building the bridge across the Platte at North Bend, at \$13,750, and to be completed by Oct. 15th. So says the Independent.

—"Coon" Darling of Schuyler is in the city.

—Major Frank North is down from the ranch.

—Major Wm. Burgess was in town last Wednesday.

—Mr. Kramer went west to North Platte last Wednesday.

—R. L. Williams of Council Bluffs, Ia., was in the city Friday.

—Rev. Sherman and family spent last Sabbath at Silver Creek.

—Gus. Becher was in Boone county last week on business.

—T. B. Crewitt of Schuyler was in the city Monday on business.

—Miss Anna Cameron, of Freeport, Ill., is visiting with her uncle Col. John Rieckly.

—Marshall Smith arrived home Saturday evening from the convalescent at Chicago and other points east.

—Call and see the large assorted stock of boots and shoes at Houshan's, opposite the post-office.

—James K. Dickson, of Rock Island, Ill., is visiting at J. R. Smith's in Lost Creek precinct, this county.

—Rev. Father Ambrose has gone to Jordan, Scott co., Minn., and Rev. Father Vendelin takes his place here.

—The Cornet Band serenaded Col. John Rieckly Tuesday evening last, after which they partook of refreshments.

—Mrs. J. R. Meagher, who was in the city the latter part of last week, took her departure for home Sunday evening.

—The Kummer Guards have been supplied with the U. S. regulation uniform from L. Kramer. They will look "nobby."

—Friday last John McMahon returned from Omaha, accompanied by his daughter Maggie, who has been visiting there.

—Miss Annie Foote, who has been visiting with Mrs. Marshall Smith the past few weeks, took her departure for home Monday.

—David Anderson, who returned from Iowa last week, showed us a splendid looking sample of apples brought from that state.

—Gillette & Tiffany shipped three car loads of hogs Saturday. The farmers are just now realizing a good price on their hogs.

—Chas. Schroeder has completed the work of overhauling the power machinery at Hunneman's elevator, and has made an excellent job of it.

—M. Kramer on his east-bound trip Saturday was joined here by his daughter Minnie. He intends purchasing an immense stock of goods.

—Mrs. Wm. Lamb, accompanied by her husband and a nurse, went to Omaha Saturday. She has been seriously ailing for the past six weeks.

—Maud, daughter of C. G. Moore, aged seven years, had an arm broken Sunday last, by falling from the back of a horse which she was riding.

—The Social of the ladies of the Episcopal church will be at the residence of Geo. Hulst, Esq., on Wednesday evening. All are cordially invited.

—The Art Loan last week, under the management of the ladies of the Presbyterian Church, was a success in every particular, financially and otherwise.

—Gus. Lockner and Chas. Rudet go into the grain business at Norfolk. Charlie will have charge. The community there will find them right dealers.

—The Dramatic Club have received their new five-act drama titled "Fate," and will appear before a Columbus audience with the same in about three weeks.

—"A Journey through Palestine" will be taken next Sunday evening by Rev. Sherman and his congregation. Come and see the most wonderful country on earth. Cordial welcome to all.

—Rev. J. C. Brodfeuer, uncle to our townsman, stopped over at Columbus one day last week, on his way to North Platte. He is missionary for the Evangelical Lutheran Church for Neb.

—The Plattsmouth Missouri river bridge is being tested, and the Courier says the bridge at Omaha, when compared to this, is a plaything. Our new road ought to be able now to give very low rates.

—Eugene Bacon reports that on Monday night of last week some person killed a horse for him by shooting him. No cause is known why any one should wreak vengeance on a dumb brute.

—Now open your eyes and see what startling bargains H. P. Smith & Co. are selling from their 3, 10, and 15 cent counters, as well as other goods in the same proportion, at The Wonder Store, next door south of post-office.

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—Be sure to get your tinware, cutlery, stove hardware, notions, etc., at The Wonder Cheap Store.

—Miss Carrie V. Smith, who has for some time past been engaged in teaching school in Illinois, joined her parents and friends last week at their new home at Lost Creek, this county.

—I. Gluck went east Monday to replenish his stock of dry goods, clothing, &c. Israel understands his business thoroughly, and therefore will make his purchases to suit this market.

—Anderson & Roen, at the new Bank, are ready for business. They bring excellent letters of recommendation, which they will be pleased to show their customers. See their advertisement.

—Calmar and Charley McCune, of David City, returned last week from their trip into the Nebraska country. They had a nice trip, think well of the country, and report seeing a good deal of game.

—Harry Cressman, of Reading, Pa., was in the city several days last week visiting the family of H. P. Coolidge. He has been six years since he left Columbus, and he thinks the town has made rapid progress in the way of building during that time.

—For SALE—A dwelling-house and lot in a very desirable part of the city. Will be sold at a sacrifice, as the money is needed. The house is new and cost more money than is asked for both house and lot. For further particulars inquire at the JOURNAL office.

—The seven acres of sorghum raised in Humboldt and Kingsburg precincts last year produced 548 gallons of molasses. At fifty cents per gallon, this crop was worth \$274.00. It evidently pays the farmer to give a little attention to this crop.—Stanton Register.

—B. E. Rogers and family left for Omaha Monday where they expect to reside. Mr. Rogers has a position with W. J. Broach in the hardware business. We are sorry to part with so good people as Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, but hope the change may be profitable to them.

—A large number of delegates from the western part of the State to the State convention were on the train Monday. They were accompanied by a host of "Boys" going down to see the fun. They are all anticipating a lively time at Lincoln, and seemed more or less anxious as to results.

—Charley Davis escaped from jail Wednesday last, half past ten a. m., by digging out through the ceiling into the court-room above, and then through a window, down and out, into the free air of heaven. We believe that this is the fourth time prisoners have escaped through this same hole.

—Mr. Theodore Wheeler and his son, of Kankakee, Ill., camped in Columbus Wednesday night of last week. They are on their way to Holt Co., where they propose to build sheds, house and barn this fall, and next spring will put on their ranch on the Big Sandy Creek 1,000 or 1,500 sheep.

—At the corner of Neb. Ave. and 13th st., there is a stair-way to a cellar that has caused several accidents the past year, the last one rather serious. A stranger turning the corner from Neb. Ave. to 13th very naturally falls into the trap, with the possibility of a broken neck, or the probability of a severe bruise.

—John A. Steele, who has for the past eight months been the night operator at the U. P. depot, has purchased the property on Nebraska Avenue, belonging to John McGlinchey, the Western Union operator, and succeeds him also to his position. John and his family left last week for Westboro, Ohio, a small town near Cincinnati.

—We learn that the case of the State against John Walker, jr., heard before J. O. Tasker, J. P., at Platte Center, attracted considerable attention there last week. The prosecuting witness was Jas. Dukey, and the charge, assault with intent to kill. In the melee Dukey lost one of his eyes. We have no further particulars except that Walker is held to appear at the District Court.

—S. M. Barker has returned from the east with 2500 sheep to add to his already large flock. These will be placed on a new ranch about four miles from his present one. Mr. B. tells us that there are capitalists in Chicago ready to invest hundreds of thousands of dollars in sheep in Nebraska, on shares, provided they can find careful and thoroughly competent men to take them.

—The Keystone Base Ball Club have received their new uniform consisting of gray cap, pants and shirt, and red necktie, belt and stockings, ordered through E. D. Fitzpatrick of Spaulding Bros. They have also a dozen of the best willow bats, and a half dozen League balls. We predict a good report from the club if they enter the tournament at Central City during the Soldiers' Re-union.

—The teachers in attendance on the Institute, before adjourning, passed a series of resolutions commending the action of Supt. Barrett in convening the Institute; for the untiring interest manifested by him in the educational affairs of the county; and the instructors of the Institute for the courteous manner "in which they have borne themselves towards" the teachers present. A vote of thanks was tendered the school board of Dist. 13 for the use of their school building.

—The delegates met at the Court House, Saturday, at 2 p. m., and were called to order by J. J. Trueman, chairman pro tem, of the central committee, who, after reading the call, nominated L. Anderson as temporary chairman of the convention. On motion, M. K. Turner was selected temporary secretary.

On motion of B. Millett, a committee of five on credentials was appointed by the chair, as follows: B. Millett and Gus. Lockner of Columbus; Chris. Meedel of Butler; John J. Mathewson of Monroe; Nels Oleson of Walker.

After a recess of 20 minutes, the committee reported the following as entitled to seats in the convention: Columbus Precinct,—M. K. Turner, W. A. McAllister, John Huber, A. J. Arnold, D. D. Wadsworth, Gus. Lockner, B. Millett, V. T. Price, Chas. Wake, H. J. Hudson, J. W. Early and C. A. Brindley.

Butler,—G. W. Barnhart, Chris. Meedel, John C. Tasker.

Bismark,—Herman Wilken, Henry Leuschke.

Monroe,—E. B. Hall, by L. Anderson, proxy, J. J. Trueman, John Mathewson, L. Anderson.

Looking Glass,—Samuel Mahood, George Mahood.

Walker,—C. J. Snyder, C. C. Roberts, Nels Oleson.

Creston,—W. N. McCandlish, S. J. Wheeler.

Lost Creek,—George Smith, Wm. Lacey.

As to Woodville precinct, where there was a contest, the committee referred back the matter to the convention, with the recommendation that each side have ten minutes, in which to present its case.

On motion, the report of the committee was received and adopted.

On motion, the temporary organization was declared permanent.

The contested case of Woodville was then taken up, D. L. Conrad representing one side; Hiram and John Ely the other. The facts appeared to be that Conrad was present at the time and place designated in the call, but was the only person present. The other meeting was on a subsequent day and was attended by fourteen persons.

On motion, the precinct being entitled to two votes, Conrad and Hiram Ely were admitted to seats in the convention.

On motion of Wm. McAllister, the convention proceeded to elect six delegates to the State convention, resulting as follows, by votes varying from 16 to 26: Wm. McAllister, J. W. Early, J. J. Trueman, B. Millett, G. W. Barnhart, A. M. Post.

The following were then selected as alternates: Nels Oleson, Chris. Meedel, John Tasker, Ed. Hoar, D. C. Conrad and M. K. Turner.

On motion, the delegates were instructed to select their alternates from the number chosen as such, and, in the absence of a full delegation, those present were authorized to cast the full vote for the county.

On motion of J. J. Trueman, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, the constitution of the State of Nebraska provides that the people may at the polls express their choice for U. S. Senator, and

WHEREAS, the statutes of 1878-79 provide for the carrying of the constitutional provision into effect, and

WHEREAS, the same is not in conflict with the constitution and laws of the U. S., and

WHEREAS, the state central committee in the call for the state convention to be held at Lincoln, Sept. 1st, in the list of officers to be placed in nomination, omitted that of U. S. Senator, and

WHEREAS, it is of great importance to the Republican party that Nebraska shall elect her Senator strictly in accordance with the constitution and law, that a Democratic senate may have no excuse for refusing to seat him, therefore

Resolved, that our delegates to the state convention be instructed to urge upon the state convention the importance of this measure, and to vote for the same.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be furnished to the state convention.

On motion of W. N. McCandlish, the delegates to the State convention were declared delegates to the Judicial convention.

On motion, the alternates to the State convention were selected as delegates to the senatorial convention.

On motion, the delegates to the State convention were chosen to represent Platte county in the "Roar" representative convention.

On motion, the convention adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman, on ten days notice.

At the Butler co. convention Saturday there was a spirited contest between Col. Roberts and Capt. Coon, for the senatorial delegation. The work lasted four hours, resulting in a delegation for Arthur J. Evans. This is probably equivalent to nomination, as Butler county is supposed to choose the candidate this time. The Butler county delegation for the "Roar" representative district, including Platte, Colfax and Butler, will support J. C. Roberts.

By courtesy and succession, the nomination goes to Butler this time.

—Wm. Welch and family have returned from their Ohio visit. On stepping from the cars at Osceola, Mr. Welch took a long breath and said, "this is the kind of an atmosphere to have." He evidently relished the invigorating breezes of Nebraska, after sojourning for two or three months in the sultry regions of the east.—Home News.

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