

Table with columns: Leaves, Arrives, Pass., Freight. Rows include Columbus, Bellwood, David City, etc.

The Journal has decided the largest circulation of any newspaper published in Platte county and is the only one printed wholly in the county.

—The Journal will sell you 2 lbs. fresh chestnuts for 25 cents. —Nice Weather.

—Heavy frost Sunday night. —Follow the crowd to "Fitz's." —The Domestic leads them all.

—Oysters and celery at Rasmussen's. —Munger, furniture and undertaking. —Well boring done reliably by Chas. Schroeder.

—Wood and iron pumps a specialty at Chas. Schroeder's. —Buckwheel flour plain and prepared at Rasmussen's.

—Chessmen at A. & M. Turner's book and music store. —All sizes of water tanks made and sold by Chas. Schroeder.

—The Western Cottage organ for sale at A. & M. Turner's. —Booze, books, books, toys, toys, at E. D. Fitzpatrick's.

—Dolls, dolls, dolls, from 1 cent up to \$5.00, at E. D. Fitzpatrick's. —Come, come, come, and see the wonderful toys at E. D. Fitzpatrick's.

—The very best wind-mill is undoubtedly put up by Chas. Schroeder. —Pride of the Kitchen Soap, for cleaning tinware, at Wm. Becker's.

—BROOD MARES FOR SALE.—I have twenty that I will sell. G. W. Eleton. —Money to loan on real estate. W. B. Backus, attorney at law, 12th street, Columbus.

—Fremont buyers of corn are taking 85¢ per bushel to the bushel, and paying 18¢. —J. Wagner has made a large addition the full length of his barn on Eleventh street.

—The Domestic, light-running and durable, can be purchased at A. & M. Turner or G. W. Kibler. —Gus & Becher & Co.—Headquarters for cheap Steamship Tickets, "ad on time."

—All of school supplies, at reasonable prices, at A. & M. Turner's book & music store. —B. B. P. Dentist, has located on corner of 11th and North streets, officing with H. P. Coolidge.

—A daughter of Mr. Henning, living twelve miles north of Columbus, died Thursday last, aged 14 years. —Any book, of general literature, placed in the circulating library at A. & M. Turner's, upon request of customer.

—See Gluck's new advertisement. He is determined to make it live all around in the dry goods and clothing trade. —More choice butter and eggs wanted at Wadsworth's, for which the highest market price will be paid, in cash or trade.

—Galley Bros. are having their cheap sale this week. All in need of clothing would do well to supply themselves at once. —John Timothy, Esq., dealer in school books, stationery, etc., at Platte Center is the authorized agent of the Journal at that place.

—Rev. O. V. Rice, Mrs. J. H. Reed and C. G. Hickok were delegates from here to the Congregational Association at Beatrice. —Dr. Hunt, the dentist, gives careful and special attention to children's teeth. Office over First National Bank, Columbus, Neb.

At Cost! Desiring to make a change in our affairs, we will sell at cost, our entire stock (excepting only organs and sewing machines) AT COST, TO CLOSE IT OUT. We have a large line of Toys, School Supplies, Paperies, Envelopes, Writing Paper, Legal Cap, Ledger Paper, Music Paper, School Books, Drawing Paper, Miscellaneous Books, Albums, Dictionaries, Blank Books, Memorandums, Pictures, Harmonicas, Microscopes, Etc., Etc., Etc.

We wish to sell in one day, if possible. Call at once to secure bargains. A. & M. TURNER, 11th St. in East Department of Kramer's Double Store.

—No more pump tons to loan but give them away as follows: Two tons to answer for inch pipe \$1.75; two tons to answer for 1 1/2 inch pipe \$1.95, sold by C. Schroeder.

—A communication on township organization by F. M. Cookingham, and another, commendatory of Henry Guilis as a candidate for supervisor reached us too late for last week's issue.

—Farmers near Plattsmouth who raised sweet corn this year realized \$20 an acre for it from the Canning Company there, which has used the product of 500 acres. So says the Herald.

—Money to loan at once and without delay on real estate, in large or small amounts, on time to suit. Promptly, quietly and at the lowest possible rates. Apply to Gus G. Becher & Co.

—You will find it to your advantage not to buy a sewing machine until you have canvassed the merits of the light-running Domestic, sold here by A. & M. Turner, only—G. W. Kibler, traveling salesman.

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—Mr. G. W. Hulst, of Columbus, returned Monday from a deer hunt, which he has been enjoying in company with George A. Hoagland, of Omaha, and C. P. Mathewson, of Norfolk. The company have been making Gordon their headquarters, driving out from there with teams in whichever direction they preferred. During the three weeks they were there they killed eighteen deer and one elk, which Mr. Hulst says is not as good luck as they have had previous seasons. In conversation with Commissioner May, Mr. Hulst developed a familiarity with the fish culture and the nature and habits of the true sportsman.—Fremont Herald.

Personal. Miss Zimmerman is visiting her brother David. F. Brodfehrer made a business trip to Humphrey last week. John Hoffman is recovering nicely from an attack of sickness, bordering on typhoid fever.

S. D. Winslow of Townsend, Vt., is visiting his cousin H. M. and thinks well of Nebraska. P. W. Henrich goes to the home office of his company at Omaha—a well deserved promotion.

Judge Higgins of the Grand Island land-office was in town Monday, looking hale and hearty. He is well pleased with his new position.

W. C. Thurston has been in the Republican Valley country the past five or six weeks. He has about recovered from his very severe illness.

Mrs. J. R. Meagher returned Friday from Denver, via Lincoln, being accompanied home by her brother, J. McConniff, Supt. of the B. & M.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wescott left this week to visit friends at their old home in Marshall, Ill. Mr. Wescott has not visited his old home for seven years.

Mr. Blackmar's family arrived Saturday from Glenwood, Iowa, and they have taken charge of the Denver House. Mr. Leach, late proprietor has moved to Kansas.

—The Journal has noted, time and again, that the canning companies are doing good work for themselves as well as for the communities where they have been started. In Nebraska, wherever these institutions have had anything like a fair outset, they have been richly-paying investments.

At Beatrice the company have put up this season 475,000 cans of vegetables, tomatoes, corn, string beans, peas, squash and pumpkins. More than that, every can has been sold, and the demand greater than the supply. During September 150 hands were employed, and the wholesale value of the canned goods was \$40,000. There is no danger of overdoing this business in Nebraska, and Columbus is as good a point as any in the state for this branch of industry.

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Real Estate Transfers. Reported for the JOURNAL for the week ending last Saturday, by Gus G. Becher & Co: Peter H. Soderstrom and wife to Peter J. Godbrosen, w. d. \$75; part nw 24, 20, 2w.

Margaretta Gottschalk and husband Frederick to Sam Weddell, w. d. \$200; lots 5 and 6, bl 141. Wm. A. Schroeder and wife to C. D. Murphy, w. d. \$260; part lot 3, bl 1, Humphrey.

James Stuart and wife to W. J. Kilpatrick, w. d. \$1120; nw 4, 20, 1w. W. J. Kilpatrick and wife to Julian D. Kilpatrick, w. d. \$1; nw 4, 20, 1w.

Patrick Galligan and wife et al to John Galligan, q. c. d. \$1; w 1/2 ne 1/4 and e 1/2 nw 1/4 18, 20, 3w. Francis H. Baker and wife to Alice M. Geer, w. d. \$150; w 1-3 lot 3, bl 2. Charles O. Spong, single, to Trustees School Dist. 65, w. d. \$1; part se ne 7, 19, 4w.

C. B. & Q. R. R. Co to Nels D. Anderson, w. d. \$458.04; aw 17, 19, 4w. C. B. & Q. R. R. Co to Nels C. Peterson, w. d. \$421.28; e 1/2 nw 1/4 15, 19, 4w.

Silas H. and S. C. Tucker to G. W. and F. W. Kibler, w. d. \$1500; ne nw 22, 20, 1w. Silas H. and S. C. Tucker to G. W. and F. W. Kibler, w. d. \$2500; w 1/2 nw 1/4 and se nw 22, 20, 1e.

Charles I. Goodman and wife to Thomas M. Martin, w. d. \$750; w 22 ft. lot 5, bl 11, Platte Center. H. S. Latimer and wife to E. McGehee, w. d. \$600; w 1/2 nw 1/4 2, 20, 1w.

Israel Gluck and wife to A. L. Krass, w. d. \$825; lot 16, bl "C" Columbus Square. Michael Doody and wife to Ellen Lynch, w. d. \$100; part se 1/4 se 1/4 12, 18, 2.

C. B. & Q. R. R. Co to R. S. Maxwell, w. d. \$532; sw 3/4 3, 20, 2w. Janie Mullen and husband to James Pearsall, w. d. \$300; ne 1/4 ne 1/4 nw 1/4 29, 19, 1w.

Franz Oltrich and wife to Eva Schroeder, w. d. \$1800; ne ne and e 1/2 ne 1/4 29, 19, 1w. Franz Groeger and wife to John Wise and Joseph Bauman, w. d. \$53; lot 4, bl 7, Otis 3d addition.

John Rickly, single, to Silvie Krause, w. d. \$15; lot 8, bl 201. Thomas Otis, widower, to Franz Groeger, w. d. \$100; lots 3 and 4, bl 7, Otis 3d addition.

J. C. Stowell and wife, to C. D. Evans, w. d. \$500; lots 1 and 8, bl 47. Andrew Thomsen, single, to M. C. Thomsen, w. d. \$2000; ne 10, 20, 4w. Andrew Henry and wife to C. Carrig and J. Lynch, \$126.50; w 1-3 lot 6, bl 11, Platte Center.

Ezra Millard and wife Anna to Guy C. Barnum, w. d. \$400; lots 9 and 12—31, 17, 1e. U. S. to Ezra Millard, patent; lots 9 and 12—31, 17, 1e.

Byron Millett to Augusta C. Millett, q. c. d.; e 1/2 ne 1/4 e 1/2 se 1/4 9, 17, 1w.

Hog Cholera Cure. WILSON, Colfax County, Neb., November 3d, 1885. A remedy is found at last for the prevention of hog cholera, and a cure in its first stages. I have purchased of R. A. Wilson, the patentee, the right of territory of Colfax, Platte and Madison counties, and am now prepared to furnish recipes for the medicine, an application to me, for the sum of five dollars I will send by mail to applicants. I will say to you, my fellow farmers, this is no humbug, but it has been tried by our ablest and best farmers in the state and given the best satisfaction. Don't wait and say it is a humbug, until your hogs are all sick or dead, but send at once and get the receipt; there are only two ingredients necessary to purchase in the drug store, the rest you have on every farm. I have paid a large sum of money for the right, and I know there is no farmer but is willing to risk five dollars to destroy the ravages of hog cholera. Our lives and our prosperity and the lives of our families depend on it. The pressing necessity demands that I advertise this at once as it is the only means of reaching all farmers. I am a farmer myself and have the interest of others at heart. Address as below.

Yours truly, DR. W. HARDY, Wilson, Colfax County, Neb. Columbus Lyceum.

The last meeting was held at Mennerhor Hall. More seats will be provided next evening, so that it is hoped there will be accommodations for all who come. The program for next Friday evening is: Song by the scholars; Elsie Morse, recitation; Fred. Shaw, declamation; Mrs. A. Anderson, recitation; B. R. Cowdry, speech; Maynard Hurd, declamation; Mrs. Page, instrumental music; Miss Foster, recitation; debate: "Should woman suffrage be adopted in the United States?" Affirm. C. A. Speler, M. K. Turner. Deny J. E. North, John Wiggins.

—David Anderson, the Columbus stock dealer, arrived on the train one evening last week, and by eight o'clock next morning had secured 150 head of cattle of O. E. Stearns, Randall Fuller and others of our farmers and stock raisers. Mr. Anderson is a ruster in the cattle business, and makes it a point to pay top prices. He is a square man to deal with. We clip the above from the Nance County Journal, and are glad to know that Mr. Anderson is so well known and so fully appreciated away from home, as he is and always has been here in Columbus.

Best in the World. Ottumwa Lily Corn Starch has been brought to the highest attainable quality by employing the best skill and scientific aid that money can furnish. It is the most strengthening and health-giving food now before the public, and is especially recommended for children and invalids. Every package guaranteed strictly pure. Remember and ask your grocer for Lily Corn Starch.

Shell Creek Items. Threshing is going on pretty briskly. The yield is a good one. Mr. P. Ericson threshed 47 bushels of barley from the acre.

Miss Nellie Potter is going to teach the Postville school. Miss Nellie has a good record as a teacher and will no doubt give general satisfaction.

Corn-husking has commenced; the yield promises to be immense. The writer on a recent journey has not seen such good corn in Kansas and Missouri.

Mrs. Eran Davis, formerly Mrs. John Williams, intends to make a visit to Wales. She has been for some time almost blind and then paralyzed, but is improving.

Quite a number of neighbors had their houses plastered. Mr. H. Edwards, Dr. Armstrong, Mr. Williams, T. Wolf and others and our young plasterer, boss Frank Scholles has all and more than he can do.

Platte county is beginning to turn the tables. Men wanting good breeding stock thought they must go east, but Mr. Henrich at Bloomingdale stock farm has shipped pigs to Saunders county, east of here for breeding purposes.

Mr. Lorenzo Josephs has lost one of his little twin daughters by summer complaint. Also a little baby of Mr. Thomas Jones died of whooping cough. In both cases of bereavement a good deal of sympathy was shown by the whole neighborhood, as is usually the case in this vicinity.

Bismark District. Alvina Heiden is sick with a cold. T. M. Wilson finished husking corn on the 23d.

Four of Mr. Hill's children are sick with whooping-cough. The town meeting was held at Bismark school house on the 28th, but adjourned until the 31st.

A red calf one year old strayed from Peter Grelsen's, a German farmer residing seven miles north-east of Columbus, on the 27th.

When will the end of improvements come? is a question which is often asked, but which none can answer. Judging from appearances I should say the end of improvement will not come until the end of the world, as Mr. McGill is erecting a horse barn, Frederick Miller, a large dwelling house, and Jacob Schwank, treasurer of district No. 10, has erected a horse barn, enlarged his cellar, walled it up with stone and put a rock foundation under his house.

That terrible scourge of hogs, hog-cholera, is still raging in some parts. I hear that Mr. Luckey has lost fifty five. Mr. McGill says that to put tar around the hog pen so that they will rub against it and get it on them, so that they will smell nothing but tar, that they will not catch the disease. Otto Mueller has followed out the above instructions and none of his hogs are sick yet, but if the hogs catch the disease, this remedy is of no avail. I advise all farmers to try it, as a preventive.

Correspondence. [In this department the people talk, and not the editor. Each writer must hold himself ready to defend his principle and his statements of facts. "In the multitude of counsel there is wisdom."—ED. JOURNAL.]

Town Organization. My friend Truman again comes out in our last issue with more county records and tries to prove that my statement of the unpaid warrants of \$40,000 is untrue, that I made a misstatement, etc. Now, let us see about this matter. He exhibits a great deal of ignorance, or else wants to hide the facts. He says he finds by the published statement of the county clerk, January 1st, 1885:

Table with columns: Jan. 1, '85, Taxes due and delinquent, Taxes of '84, due but not collected, To which he says should be added the taxes of '85, now due.

This you see makes \$141,029.55, for which warrants are drawn and unpaid, for it is impossible to pay before you have the money. Then there is unpaid, making a total of \$166,041.66. Now, if his figures are correct, then for the sake of our children, our wives and our homes, let us call a meeting of the whole people and stop this overwhelming tide of indebtedness and destruction. Is it possible! I can hardly write these words from sheer nervousness, in contemplating these figures.

My friend goes on and says me in all innocence if the county board did draw on the same levy twice. He is alarmed at his own figures and wants to show some cause for this state of things. When ignorance is bliss, etc. He is town clerk; does he think it possible to draw twice on the same levy when his warrant must show on its face, the amount of the levy and the amount drawn? Some one has been giving him taffy, and now he wants to divide it with his people. He has utterly failed to show one redeeming quality of town organization, but has concealed facts and pandered to the prejudices of the people, and after he has secured town organization by the methods employed and can find consolation therein, he is welcome to all the glory.

JOHN WISE. P. S.—I hope Truman will correct his figures and then he will see that \$14,000 unpaid warrants is too low whether town organization is carried or not. The facts of the financial

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The Celebrated Moline Wagon Sold Here. condition of our county should be known. It is quite safe to say that the amount of unpaid taxes represents the amount of unpaid warrants after deducting 20 per cent. for bonds.

Needs of the County. ED. JOURNAL.—If the financial affairs of our county are run on the suicidal policy talked of in your last issue in several communications, therein contained and which bear the impress of truth, then surely the people of Platte county should awake from their lethargy and carelessness at once and do something to change this condition of affairs.

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FREE LAND! Information Wanted. Katie Maria my daughter, sixteen years of age, left home Oct. 5th. She was dressed in light lawn, had a black cloak and broods trimmed sun hat; she is about five feet four inches in height, and has blue-grey eyes. Any information of her whereabouts will be most gladly received by her mother. Any word may be left with Jno. McMahon or — BRIDGET DUGGAN, Platte Center P. O.

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