

A Card. We have decided to retire from business by January 1st, 1899...

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Several hundred dollars' worth of presents to be given away this fall, at Galley Bros. You can borrow money of Henrich for five years with the privilege of paying all or a part at the end of any one year...

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Mr. George Davis returned from Kansas City Sunday, and was accompanied by her mother who will spend the winter here and at Columbus where she has another daughter living. Doctors Martyn and Evans, of Columbus, were up on Monday, in consultation over the case of A. Spear...

The murderer caught. November 9th, 1898, Hiram Roten and Wm. Ashley, school officers, went to the residence of Albert E. Haunstine in Custer county to confer with him in regard to a suspicion against him for stealing some things from the school house...

At a conference of teachers at the Superintendent's office last Saturday, arrangements were made for the organization of a county teachers' association. A committee to prepare by-laws was appointed to report at next meeting which will be held at the Superintendent's office at the Court House, at 2 o'clock, on Saturday, Dec. 1. A program will then be arranged and the time and place for holding the next meeting determined...

At the state corn exhibit at Lincoln, commencing Jan. 15, '99, the points on our ears are for length, circumference and evenness of ear, percent of net grain to cob, color and uniformity of grain, quality and ripeness of grain, weight of net grain compared with legal standard. The premiums are \$25 and \$15 for 1st and 2d, on largest number of varieties and best displayed collective exhibit...

While in Nebraska November is as pleasant as May and the roads are all that could be desired, we read the following in the Cadiz, (Ohio) Sentinel, which is but a sample of the state of affairs in many parts of the east: "The roads in the country off the pile are in a terrible condition, and the continual rains are making them worse every day. If this weather lasts much longer farmers will be obliged to resort to the pack-saddle for transporting their marketing. A farmer on the mud road who brought eight barrels of apples to town, Saturday, was compelled to hitch four horses to the load."

It is safe to predict that the ball given by the Knights of Pythias of this city on tomorrow (Thanksgiving) evening will be the greatest social event of the season. One of the attractions will be the exhibition drill of the Uniform Division. Special attention is given at this office to the printing of sale bills. Call and see specimens and prices. The JOURNAL is the best medium in the county for advertising your sales. It reaches the great body of the best people of the county...

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OTHER ITEMS. The rifle and the watch H. had with him belonged to Roten. The team and buggy were sold at Madison for \$75. Mrs. H. came down to this city on the morning passenger train and stopped at the Lindell House. H. says he doesn't know why he committed the crime and she says he tried to get her to consent to a fine car had for the killing...

The Sheriff Pen to Sheriff Bloodorn. Bloodorn approached the man, grasped both wrists from behind, and placing the weight of his body on the man's shoulders, told him he was his prisoner. Taylor came up and taking one wrist while the sheriff had the other, the man's hands were placed behind his back and the cuffs fastened upon him...

The Poor Farm. There seems to us no doubt how the townships of the county stand on the question of poor farm. Taking the county, as a unit, she voted for the farm 1,000 to 935; taking it by townships, and there are nineteen supervisors elected, of whom will be in duty bound to vote for the poor farm...

Mr. Ashburn, the chairman, was authorized to appoint four others who, with himself, are to act as a committee to correspond with all officials in the state acting under township organization, to ascertain their views as to needed amendments of the law. Some discussion was had in regard to adopting entire the body of township laws of some of the older states, but this was considered impracticable.

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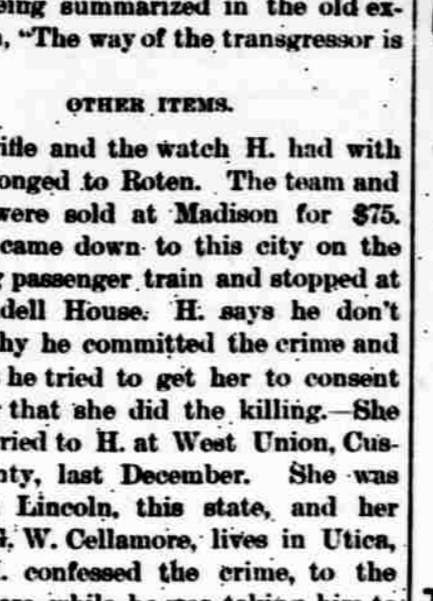
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COLUMBUS MARKETS. Table listing market prices for various commodities like wheat, corn, oats, flour, etc.

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