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On to the court house

New goods daily, at Herrick's.

The Cecilia society will meet with Miss Kittie Spies next Monday.

The mercenary went down to 23 Tuesday morning, making quite thick ice.

Miss Minnie Becker entertained a large number of friends Monday afternoon.

A special report of the old settlers picnic, goes over till the next.

Remember that tax-payers, soon or later, pay all expenses for campaign beer and whisky. Don't be deceived.

George Baumgart has removed to Fairholme Box store, with whom he will have bench-room, and do repairing.

W. H. Winterbotham formerly of this city has been nominated for clerk in Nance county. He will make a good one.

War scenes and songs, Massenercher Hill, Friday and Saturday evenings, Oct. 11 and 12, 25 cents admission. A rare treat.

G. W. Phillips and W. H. Winterbotham started Thursday for southwestern Missouri, where they have some land.

Farmers get the best exchange at Elevator Roller Mills.

Julius Raussen has received an offer of a position in a store in Seattle, Washington, and expects to move there in a few days.

For sale, a single horse, a pair of double harness, and a pair of double harness.

For sale, a sound, safe family horse, a buggy nearly new and harness. A bargain. Inquire of E. J. Hudson under Commercial hall.

The Monroe Looking Glass is printing a series of interesting letters from Ernest Gerrard, who is now in Europe, descriptive of his travels.

Grace Episcopal church, Sunday, Oct. 13, 11 a. m., "How Old art Thou?" 7:30, choral service, with special music; sermon, "Ruth's Choice."

Editors Barber of the Fullerton Journal and Hastings of the News were in the city Friday, homeward bound from the state convention.

Gus G. Becker was appointed a member of the state central committee by the delegates from this county to the state convention held last week.

A. Kearney of the Stankon Reister gave JOURNAL headquarters a very pleasant call Thursday on his way home from the republican state convention.

Dave Hale, the citizens candidate for sheriff, has promised to make a canvass in those parts of the county where he is not personally acquainted.

The rag-tag and bob-tail, as the Telegram calls the citizens combine, are marching steadily to the court house, and their ranks are increasing every day.

Becher, Jaegg & Co. insure build- ing and personal property against fire, lightning and cyclones, in good and reliable companies at lowest current rates.

Baptist church, J. D. Pulis, pastor, services 11 a. m., 7:30 p. m. Subjects, Oct. 13th, morning, "Love's Token;" evening, "Some Things Money Cannot Buy."

If the present county superintendent were as active in school work, all the year as he is just before election, what an amount of activity he would show!

Judge Ewing of Central City, candidate for judge on the independent ticket for the Sixth district, was in town Saturday looking after his political fences.

Lawyer Duffy expects to start to-day (Wednesday) for his old home in Missouri, where he expects to be detained on business matters for four or five weeks.

Joe Apgar, Thomas Dress, Roy Clark, Frank Baird and Andrew McKelvey of the Woodville and St. Edward neighborhood were in the city Monday.

The petition signed by 24 citizens asking an investigation into the charge of drunkenness against Chief of Police Brandt was referred to the committee on police.

Nothing venture, nothing have. You cannot hope to discover the greatest and best fruit in the Garden of Success without making some small concessions.

Bargain chamber sits at Herrick's. Like every thing else, the factory shipped them too soon, and were overstocked, hence they must be sold cheap to move them.

For sale—A 5-room house, with a garage at \$600. Also, a 5-room dwelling, with lot for \$550. Will take as part pay a good team of horses. Inquire at JOURNAL office.

After all, Fred Jewell is quite a farmer boy, and is making a lively campaign, and it looks now as if he would come in at the end of the race several lengths ahead of his opponents.

Talk about chairs! We never bought half so many as this year. We bought them before the raise. We give our customers the benefit. Herrick for headquarters for picture frames. 3t.

When you place an order for printing at THE JOURNAL office, you can calculate that you will receive your finished work at the time it was promised you, and have a nice job, correctly done.

Clark Helwig, aged 18, while in an out bin in an elevator at Rising, was smothered to death by a car of oats unloaded over him. Two other boys in the bin escaped and gave the alarm.

The supreme court has at last passed upon the Debany case—the Nance county man who killed his wife. The date set for his execution is January 10, 1896. It seems generally conceded that Debany is insane.

The "mongrel ticket," as the Telegram calls it, is throughout enough to arouse all the rising blood of their opponents to a fever heat, even now before they have reached the first quarter post.

John Tanshill has a new rider mill and is making some excellent cider. A part of the JOURNAL force have had a sample, which carried them clear back to boyhood days in the old Ohio orchard.

Supt. Williams is on the program of the meeting, at Lincoln, Oct. 11 and 12, of the state association of superintendents and principals, for a ten-minute talk on the best basis of making promotions.

The Omaha Business College baseball team passed through Columbus Saturday en route home to Omaha. They played three games in Albion and lost them all by the following scores: 10-5, 18-3, 10-5.

Mrs. John McPherson went to Portland, Ore., Wednesday last, to wait upon her son, Will McPherson's wife, who lost nerve while coasting on a bicycle, jumped from her wheel and was very seriously injured.

J. M. Macfarland, formerly an attorney of this place came within one vote of being nominated by the republicans of Omaha for district judge. Mac received 87 votes, while 88 would have nominated him.

A vote for the citizens' ticket is a vote to clean out the court house. If you are in favor of a change in the management of the court house, place an X opposite the names of the candidates on the citizens' ticket.—(Monroe Republican.)

On Sunday last an accident happened to Jacob Teuchin, jr., aged 19 years. While pulling a gun out of a buggy, the hammer caught, and the contents of the gun were discharged into his right arm, which, we are informed, had to be amputated.

In an account of the Methodist conference the Fremont Tribune says: "The transfer of Rev. Wm. Worley, one of the oldest ministers of this conference in point of service, was then announced and a resolution of esteem was introduced and passed by a rising vote."

Several private canning factories have been in operation this season, near Seward, says the Reporter; one of these will put on the market 8,500 cans and another 20,000 cans of tomatoes. Establishments of this kind ought to pay in this vicinity much greater profit than at Seward.

The Telegram says "that the voters of Platte county do not believe it the proper calling of a woman to go plodding over the county doing a man's work." She would be an active, wide-awake superintendent, doing a superintendent's work, and mostly among women teachers.

M. Rothlighter promised the voters at the old settlers picnic that if elected again he would do better work. It is too late now, Max, you should have done your best all the time. The voters have decided that a change is necessary. Mrs. Brindley will be the next county superintendent.

Thordus Stull, of Marengo, Ill., was looking after business and visiting his brother M. C. and family in Polk county the latter part of last week and first of this. He was a resident of this county several years ago. He reports good crops in Illinois, but times not very good. (Oceola Record.)

Rev. Wm. Worley was in the city Friday on his way to Albion. He has been transferred to the Nebraska conference and goes to Hebron, Thayer county. We are sorry to hear of Mr. Worley's leaving this part of the country, as he has been a faithful watchman on the walls of Zion.

The Congregational and Presbyterian churches held a union meeting Sunday evening and the services were given over to the Y. P. S. C. E. of the two churches. Misses Minnie Becker, Alice Luth and Bessie Sheldon gave very interesting reports of the state convention held at Nebraska City.

This office received a business letter from A. H. Griswold last week, from Grass Valley, Cal., where he owns and operates a steam laundry. The town is a gold mining town of 8,000 inhabitants, supporting three daily papers. The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Griswold will be pleased to learn of their deserved success.

Conductor Nobbs who used to run between Columbus and Sioux City, now on the main line, suffered a painful accident Wednesday at Kearney. As he went to board the train he stumbled and put his hand to stop himself, when the train passed over his wrist, mashing it so badly that it had to be amputated, and later it was found necessary to take the arm off above the elbow to save his life.

The republican state convention assembled in Lincoln Oct. 2d and nominated J. L. Norval of Seward for supreme judge and C. H. Morrill of Lincoln and H. L. Gould of Ogallala for regents of the state university. The following persons acted as delegates from Platte county: Ed. Hoare, M. Whitmoyer, G. Alexander, F. Kenyon, R. Lewis, J. Dawson, R. P. Drake, Gus G. Becher, Clark Gray, W. Huntman.

The following assignments of Methodist ministers made at the late conference will be interesting to many JOURNAL readers: Grand Island district, presiding elder, D. K. Tindall; Cedar Rapids, F. W. Brown; Fullerton, W. H. Filby; Richland, L. R. DeWolf; St. Edward, E. E. Rorick; West Omaha, J. Q. A. Fleisher; Columbus, Wm. S. Shambaugh; Blair, J. E. Moore. The foregoing list is from the World Herald. It was rumored that Rev. Moore had been sent here and Rev. Leedom to Platte County and Hampshire.

The man who exercises the functions of county judge must, to do his duty well, understand the law. He must see to it that justice is done to widows and orphans in the settlement of estates. While he ought not to act as a paid attorney for those in interest because matters of estate may come before him in contest for his decision, and his judgment should be unbiased by a fee from either side; yet there are many times when a knowledge of the law by the judge will save the estate money and do no harm to the business of practicing attorneys either. Safety requires a good knowledge of the law in our county judges. Vote for Kilian.

From Bert Galt, who returned on the 24th ult. from his western trip of six weeks with Dr. and Mrs. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Chambers of this place and other editors of Genoa, we get a brief outline of their travels, which, given in minute detail, would make a large book.

From here they went directly to Salt Lake City, staying over from Friday to Monday viewing the sights of the city and vicinity, and on Sunday attending service at the Tabernacle, where, with about 8,000 other people, they listened to Brigham Young, jr., and Joseph Smith, jr., and others. The Tabernacle is a wonderful building in many ways, one of the unusual features being the means of exit—the immense congregation were all out of the building in five minutes from the time of dismissal. A city and county building just completed attracted much attention.

The first camp was made at Beaver Canon, Idaho, where the Genoa party joined the sojourners. This was within a hundred miles of the National Park. They had two covered wagons and six saddle horses, and made two camps in reaching the park, where they stayed two weeks. This is a body of land sixty miles square reserved by the government and in charge of two companies of soldiers, the main body being at Five Hole Lake, the others in different parts in squads of three and four. Ten miles from the boundary of the park, it is laid out, with roadways graded across the divide, the distance being called the way. A syndicate has erected hotels at different places and runs a stage line for the accommodation of tourists.

Parties entering the park are met by a soldier guard, and if they desire, their guns are taken and a receipt given for them. If they pass over the continent at the end of their travels in the park, the seal is found broken by the guard, the seals are confiscated. The guards are always in uniform, and are armed with a next camp of the party was made at Arangee, Idaho, where they tarried fourteen days, and had a delightful time of it. They passed over the continent, the water falling out of the same small cloud may divide and go one portion to the Atlantic ocean, the other to the Pacific.

In the first camp are sage hens, blue and willow grouse, porcupine, deer, elk and fish in abundance, the party one day catching 35 pounds of trout. The most wonderful sight of the trip was the geysers. They stopped with Old Faithful and saw him spout half a dozen times; every 55 minutes, as regular as a clock, he throws a stream 120 feet high and holds it up five minutes. A brief description of all the geysers would fill a large book. Ed. Chambers, who was with the party, says that the water in the feeling there of perfect security, there is so much loose earth, and so many places where steam comes up.

There is a place called fire hole, where the water is heated to a temperature 90° above boiling, and underneath this water, about ten feet from the surface, is very clearly visible a blue blaze of fire, a phenomenon that has puzzled many scientists.

They met English and European tourists, who all agreed that America had never been so grand, so beautiful and picturesque, eclipsed that of the old country. This can be demonstrated in Yellowstone park alone.

J. S. Freeman returned Thursday from the convention at Topeka, Kansas, to which he had been appointed as a delegate by Gov. Holcomb. There were about five hundred present, and the whole subject of deep harbors and cheap transportation was gone over in speeches and conferences. The general idea was that as a deep harbor had been secured on the gulf, the next thing was cheap railroad communication therewith. One man suggested that to get at this at the earliest day possible a good idea would be to form a syndicate, buy up a large portion of the grain in the western country, and have the railroads now doing business compete for the carrying of the grain. Mr. Freeman says that everybody was enthusiastic over the future of the great west, and what is in prospect for the association to help along. If the tenth part of these projects is realized, Galveston will be the seaport of all this region, and will become a very large city, because a gathering and distributing point for an immense region of country. The bay has an area of 475 square miles, and of this, 400 acres have a depth of 30 feet and 1400 acres a depth of 25 feet. One of the schemes of the association is to have a grand exposition in the not-distant future, for which there are already four cities in lively competition. A committee was appointed with power to call convention, suggest and national legislation, gather and disseminate information, correspond with business men and associations, steamship or other transportation companies, etc. There is no doubt but that the work of the association will result in great good in many ways to the country between the gulf and the north boundary in one direction and the Rocky mountains and the Mississippi river the other way.

The books in the county treasurer's office of Platte county show that there have been received the following fees since January 1st, 1892: Jury fees in civil cases, \$79; in criminal cases, \$99 or a total of \$178, actual fees paid over to the county treasurer, by Gus Speice, clerk, since 1892, or four full years. Now, is it a fact that we have had but three jury trials a year or have we had more? The jurors who sat on the different cases will know it to be a fact that we have had more. If we had ten per cent of our term of court and four terms per year it would be forty cases for which should be turned over by Clerk Speice in four years \$800. As he has turned over but \$178, he would have on hand, on this basis, \$622 of county funds on jury cases. The statute of the state reads as follows, section 3029 page 700: "There shall be paid by the party against whom a verdict is rendered in the district court, a jury fee of five dollars, to be taxed in the bill of costs, and when collected to be paid into the county treasury; and for each trial by the court a fee of one dollar, to be taxed, collected, and paid in a like manner, for the use of the county." Section 3029 provides as above, only a fee of six dollars is charged in criminal cases. What has become of these fees?

George Randall returned last week from a two months' sojourn with his sister, Mrs. R. I. Stanley, at Willow Springs, Mo. He was accompanied home by Mrs. C. B. Stanley and son. He leaves with us two large specimens of the kind of apples they raise in the Ozark mountains; these measure thirteen inches in circumference. That is a country with plenty of fruit. Timber and stone are almost too abundant, a load of stone would bring only 35 cents, and no trouble anywhere to pick up a stone to throw at a dog.

Strength in Union.

In one of the recent numbers of the Telegram the editor tried to commend Mr. Graf to the good grace of voters which of course is a privilege no one should deny him, but in the exercise of it he ought not to go out of the way to stir Mr. Graf's opponent, Mr. Pohl, against whose ability to discharge the duties of the office of county clerk, and his integrity to fulfill those duties in strict accordance with law and to the best interests of the people of Platte county, not one word can be truthfully said. And just because, as the Telegram confesses, "there is nothing particularly to say against Mr. Pohl," it immediately adds "but that he accepted a nomination brought about by such disparagement bargain and sale as attended the making up of the mongrel ticket." In another part of the same paragraph occurs the phrase "a rebuke to the base sycophants resorted to in the selection of the mongrel ticket." In other words, Mr. Pohl is all right but like poor old dog Tray, he is in bad company. So! The hundreds of voters of the republican party of Platte county, together with the greater hundreds of the independent voters, in addition to the scores upon scores of the democratic party, all of whom, while not, in the least, diminishing their zeal for their special party, have deliberately concluded that the best interests of all political parties and the best business interests of the county demand a thorough, radical change in the roster of county officials, and that the only way to secure it is by combining forces for that purpose. This purpose will be held in view right along, notwithstanding the Telegram's epithets of "rag-tag and bob-tail" and "mongrel." It is no new thing for those who lack arguments to call names, and for those who are in the wrong to try to cast aspersions on those seeking to correct wrong. The people know what they are doing. "In this there is strength." The "bosses" have not succeeded in keeping the great body of voters on county officials separated in the support of three or four different tickets, and if their other plan of "trading" fails to materialize, victory is with the citizens' ticket.

Our Phase of Duty.

We believe that hard times, poor crops and the various calamities that strike the business column as it passes along; hit hardest the honest retail dealer in dry-goods, groceries, and the other necessities of life, who has, by trusting his customers through the pinch, endeavored to help them solve their problem of living until better times should come. Hundreds of families have thus been helped through the past summer by the retail dealer, at the greatest risk to himself. Many of them, here and there, have failed in business because of it, or partly because of it.

If debts were not contracted, or if they could be paid promptly when due, business men could meet their engagements, but when they trust customers for goods and cannot or do not get their pay, there must be an end, and it is generally not in favor of the dealer.

We all owe it to those grocers, merchants and others who have carried us through the past summer, to meet our obligations with them at the very first moment possible.

Each amount may be small—only a few dollars, all the better for us—but when footed up by the dealer, they make a good, round sum, which, if he had in "spot cash," would pay his bills, take the burden off his mind, and lift off his heart which has been his during all the waking hours, for many past days and nights.

Think of yourself as in his place, and you will surely make a sacrifice in order to "square up" (square is a good word) and start again with fresher courage.

We happen to know with what anxiety some of our best business men entered the work of the past summer, and how nobly they have done their duty to their customers, and the community of business interests of which they are an important part.

When nearly every individual was doubtful and despondent as to what the outcome would be, and whether those trusted for the necessities of life could be able to pay at the end of the season, these men took the risk and have carried us through to this day.

Now, let us give them a lift by paying immediately, if not all, then the greater part of what we owe them.

Osceola Jottings.

Mrs. J. R. Hilliard has been very sick, but is a little more comfortable now.

John Dawson went to Lincoln Wednesday, as a delegate to the republican convention.

Daniel Murdock's coal sheds are about completed and will be a great improvement on the old ones.

The old settlers' picnic was quite a success. It was attended by quite a number of the Oconees. Grandma Kelley's familiar face was sadly missed from among them.

Daniel Murdock was surprised Friday night by a visit from his brother W. H. Murdock of Cambridge, Mass., whom he has not seen for a number of years. He will remain several weeks with him.

Rev. Churchill returned Tuesday from Chicago. He has accepted an invitation to preach to the Monroe and Oconee societies for a year and will be installed as pastor next Sunday, Oct. 13, by Revs. Sexton and Elliott.

Geo. N. Morris.

The republican and independent candidate for surveyor is a native of Wisconsin and received his education at that state.

He has had fifteen years' experience as a practical surveyor, and understands as well as anybody, and is doing it very thoroughly.

He came to this state in 1880, and was for four years employed by the B. & M. R. R. Co. on their lands in Colorado and Wyoming lines.

An adept in his business, Mr. Morris will make Platte county a model surveyor.

Gentlemen! and accommodating, you will always find him just where he ought to be, in that state.

Hard coal!! Way & Hoek- enberger will sell you the best of Scranton, Penn., HARD COAL for \$8.00 delivered. Best of quality guaranteed. At these figures, soft coal is a luxury, and not in a place year orders soon. Telephone No. 34.

From the West.

A trusty reporter sends us in the following. He does not disclose what deflections from truth Hans is guilty of, but he doubtless has the record fine:

"Hans Elliott seems to think that telling lies about his opponent will carry him into office, but alas! poor Hans is green at the business, and will be awfully disappointed after election."

The democratic candidates are spending all their time, beer and whiskey to no purpose; the people will tell the tale on election day.

The democratic papers are talking about Dave Hale's whiskers. What is the matter with telling us something about Hans Elliott's whiskers?

Let the republicans, populists and honest democrats stand together and on election day victory will be ours.

G. B. Speice purchased the Monroe Republican and