Columbus Journal.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1896.

A. & N. TIME TABLE.

	Pass.	Freight.
Leaves Columbus	7:00 a. m.	5:00 p. m.
" Bellwood	7:22 "	5:45 "
" David City	7:46 "	6:35 p. m.
" Seward	8:22 "	9:40 "
Arrives at Lincoln	9:25 a. m.	11:45 "

The passenger leaves Lincoln at 6:25 p. m., and arrives at Columbus 8:55 p. m; the freight leaves L. noon at 7:45 a. m., and arrives at Columbus at 4:00 p. m.

UNION PACIFIC TIME-TABLE.

GOING EAST.		GOING WEST.	
Col. Local	6:00 a. m	Limited	10:25 a. m
Atlantic Ex.	5:20 a. m	Nr. Pl. Local	12:45 p. m
Gr. Is. Local	9:04 a. m	Fast Mail	6:15 p. m
Nr. Pl. Local	1:00 p. m	Gr. Is. Local	8:35 p. m
Fast Mail	2:15 p. m		

No. 1, Fast Mail, carries passengers for through points. Going west at 6:15 p. m., arrives at Denver 7:40 a. m. No. 2, Fast Mail carries passengers to Fremont, Valley and Omaha going east at 2:15 p. m.

The freight train leaving here at 4:50 p. m. carries passengers from here to Valley.

COLUMBUS AND NORFOLK.

Passenger arrives from Sioux City	12:20 p. m
leaves for Sioux City	6:15 p. m
Mixed leaves for Sioux City	8:00 a. m
Mixed arrives	11:00 p. m

FOR ALBION AND CEDAR RAPIDS.

Mixed leaves	6:00 a. m
Mixed arrives	8:20 p. m
Passenger leaves	1:20 p. m
" arrives	12:40 p. m

Society Notices.

All notices under this heading will be charged at the rate of $2 a year.

LEBANON LODGE No. 58, A. F. & A. M. Regular meetings 2d Wednesday in each month. All brethren invited to attend
J. D. STIRES, W. M.
W. R. NOTESTEIN, Sec'y. 20july

WILDEY LODGE No. 44, I. O. O. F., meets Tuesday evenings of each week at their hall on Thirteenth street. Visiting brethren cordially invited.
W. A. WAY, N. G.
W. H. NOTESTEIN, Sec'y. 27jan95-tf

COLUMBIAN CAMP No. 25, WOODMEN OF the World, meets every second and fourth Thursdays of the month, 7:30 p. m., at K. of P. Hall, Eleventh street. Regular attendance is very desirable, and all visiting brethren are cordially invited to meet with us. jan22-'95

REORGANIZED CHURCH OF LATTER-DAY Saints hold regular services every Sunday at 2 p. m., prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at their chapel, corner of North street and Pacific Avenue. All are cordially invited.
12feb95 Elder H. J. HUTSON, President.

GERMAN REFORMED CHURCH.—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Church every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m. Ladies' Aid Society every first Thursday in the month at the church. 14nov-94

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Eastman Kodaks

Price from $5.00 to $12.00.

ED. J. NIEWOHNER.

GOOD TIMES COMING.

AN IMMENSE CROP OF CORN IN THE COUNTY, AND AN IMMENSE STOCK OF DRY GOODS AT FITZPATRICK'S. FOLLOW THE CROWD

—Hear Munger Thursday evening.

—Fine job work done at THE JOURNAL office.

—Dr. Naumann, dentist, Thirteenth street. tf

—House to rent, inquire of John Ensden. 3t

—School-children's sailor's 25c, at Mrs. Walters'.

—Dr. T. R. Clark, Olive street. In office at nights.

—Born, Sept. 11, to Mrs. R. L. Rossiter, a daughter.

—All kinds of goods for sale at the second-hand store. tf

—New invoice of picture and room mouldings at Herrick's. 3t

—The Merrick county fair is to be held Sept. 22, 23 and 24.

—Rev. Moore returned Friday from a trip to Chicago and Omaha.

—Ladies, now is the time to get your walking hats at Mrs. Walters'.

—The latest style turbans, walking hats and sailor's at Mrs. Walters'.

—Drs. Martyn, Evans & Geer, office three doors north of Friedhof's store. tf

—The Cecilian club will meet with Miss Pearl Mosgrove Monday evening.

—Bert Easton returned the other day from Belvidere, Ill., for a few days' visit.

—Dr. L. C. Voss and C. F. O. Miessler, Homeopathic physicians, Columbus, Neb.

—M. Jerome started his hemp mill to work Friday. He has quite a crop to put up.

—The September term of the district court has been postponed to November 16, 1896.

—Earl Pearsall has gone to Crete, this state, where he has a position as clerk in a store.

—Miss Gertrude Scofield has gone up to Creston, where she is to teach in the public schools.

—The U. P. Beauty's are better than they ever were. Patronize home trade. Sold all over town. 4

—Mrs. Warwick Saunders is reported as having recovered from a very severe attack of diphtheria.

—The county teachers' association have their first meeting of this season at Creston on the 26th.

—The men who returned yesterday from the Cockran meeting, speak of it in the highest praise.

—Louis Held is remodeling his residence on Washington avenue, and is making a beautiful home.

—Jack MacColl, the republican candidate for governor, who is gaining votes every day, was in the city Monday.

—Get one of those lovely camel's-hair walking hats, the latest style, now on sale at Mrs. Walters', Thirteenth street

BULBS.

Easter lilies, Chinese lilies, Narcissus, Hyacinths, etc., for fall and winter forcing. Bulbs all sound and of the best varieties.

4t S. C. & C. C. GRAY.

—Joe Paschal and J. H. Johannes drove over to Osceola Monday to hear Watson speak.

—Mrs. Walters and Miss Grace Smith returned Saturday from St. Joe, where they were on a business trip.

—Mrs. Wyman will do first-class dressmaking in her rooms in the rear of Mrs. Walters' millinery store. 3t

—Wanted, a large, gentle, family horse, about seven years old. Inquire soon of Mrs. Mary McMahon. 3t

—Quite a number of Columbus people went to Platte Center yesterday to attend the funeral of Mr. Kehoe.

—Jack Elston and family moved to Norfolk Friday to live. Their many friends wish them success in their new home.

—The Whitmoyer Rifles took the B. & M. Monday morning for a week's encampment in Lincoln, forty-seven in number.

—Wanted, an apprentice boy to learn the jeweler's trade; one who can board at home. For terms, apply at Ed. Niewohner's. 2t

—Andy Connor has recently traveled about two thousand miles and says he hasn't found a place equal to Columbus for business.

—Miss Grace Smith, of St. Joseph, the popular trimmer of last season, is now ready to wait upon the trade at Mrs. Walters'.

—Columbus was honored last week by the presence of two candidates for congress, Ross Hammond Thursday and Mr. Hainer Friday.

—The Youth's Companion gives an account of Secretary Morton trying to secure another legal holiday to be known as "Bird Day."

—FROSTY MORNINGS, — YOU WILL SOON NEED YOUR FALL DRY GOODS. FOLLOW THE CROWD TO FITZ'S. tf

—Baptist church, J. D. Pulis, pastor Services 11 a. m., 8 p. m., Sept. 20th. Morning, "Man's Worth to God;" evening, "Declare Yourself."

—Senator Thurston is becoming very prominent in the east as one of the best speakers. He is mentioned first on the list of several noted orators.

—Miss Emma Cornels sprained an ankle last week, and, although causing some uneasiness, it is not thought that any serious results will follow.

—A. M. Clark and family, who went from here early last spring to Missouri, started last Friday for return to Nebraska, nearly all having been sick with chills.

—Hon. Ross Hammond and Hon. Norris Brown make republican speeches at Silver Creek Friday, Sept. 18. We are not informed whether afternoon or evening.

—Here is the latest: What is the difference between Buffalo Bill and Bill Bryan? Buffalo Bill has a splendid show, but Bill Bryan has no show at all.—[Gordon Journal.

—Ladies, do not delay getting your fall millinery, until the choicest and best are sold. Come early and have a good selection at Mrs. Walters' Thirteenth street.

—Marguerite, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Becher jumped from a hammock Sunday while it was swinging, and fell heavily, breaking bones in her right wrist.

—Take your live poultry to J. A. McPherrin, and get the highest price. You will find him at a car opposite the post-office every day except Wednesday and Thursday, all winter. tf

—Now is the time to subscribe for THE COLUMBUS JOURNAL and the Lincoln Journal, semi-weekly, both for $2.00 a year. Three papers a week at a cost of less than 4 cents a week.

—Nebraskans just returned from Illinois say that times are harder there is some places than here. No money is being loaned, even at a small ratio, on land valued at $100 an acre.

—S. W. Storm, who has been living for some years at Norfolk, will be in this city within the next three weeks, bringing his roofing material with him. He expects to make this his home.

—Mrs. L. M. Gale of Denver, and her niece, Miss Florence Gleason, started for Massachusetts last Saturday week. Miss Gleason will go to New York or Boston to continue her music studies.

—Mike Savage has bought the Cowdery property on Olive street, and is making extensive improvements on the same. It will be occupied by Master Mechanic Bristol of the Union Pacific force.

—I can clean your wall paper on the wall or your carpets while on the floor, and do so satisfactorily to you, at a reasonable price. Can give best references. Andy Connor, at the Grand Pacific hotel. 1

—Dr. J. P. Smith and wife of St. James, Minn., are in the city on their way to Boise City, Idaho, (starting today), and will make that their future home. Mrs. Smith is a sister of D. J. Chestnutwood.

—The U. P. company are moving the stand-pipe for the engines now on Olive street thirty-five feet east of where it now stands, so that the engines will not interfere with the street-crossing while being supplied with water.

—The Old Settlers' picnic has been postponed on account of the weather from the 10th to the 24th day of September, at which time, rain or shine, in the opera house or in the park, the basket picnic will take place.

—The Epworth League at their meeting last Tuesday elected the following officers: Miss Bertha Zimmacher, president; Gordon Cross, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Britell and Mrs. McFarland, vice-presidents; Lee Rollins, treasurer.

—The joint debate will probably be arranged for shortly. Committees of conference have been appointed, for the McKinley club—J. D. Stires, Carl Kramer, W. A. McAllister: Bryan club—M. Brugger, G. W. Phillips, L. H. Leavy.

—The Ladies' musical have postponed their election of officers until later in the season. The society are contemplating joining the musical department of the Woman's club in body, purposing to make such society all the stronger.

TO THE LADIES.

YOU WANT FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS—AND I WANT YOUR MONEY. RESPECTFULLY, E. D. FITZPATRICK.

—Grace Episcopal church, Sunday Sept. 20, early celebration, 8:30; morning prayer 11, with sermon, "Baptised for the Dead." Evening prayer 8, with address (postponed), "A Visit to some Brooklyn churches." All cordially invited.

—The Woman's club will meet with Mrs. Herman Oehlrich Saturday, Oct. 3d, to reorganize for the coming year. All former members are invited and others who wish to join. Mrs. Dr. Voss is the president. A program will be rendered.

—The sessions of the Horticultural society began at 2 o'clock today, Tuesday. It had not been decided as to other sessions during the two days, but if you attended Tuesday, you will know. Learn how to care for fruit, and then plant some for yourself.

—O. J. Vandyke, grand lecturer of the A. O. U. W., has signified his intention of being here on the 21st, 22d and 23d of this month. It is to be hoped that while here he may be prevailed upon to favor the fraternity and the public at large with one or more of his interesting lectures.

—Jack Prigeon returned last week from Kansas, and has accepted a position with Rudolph Kummer in the Clear Creek mill. Mr. Prigeon is well known as a good miller and is going into an establishment which has been in successful operation the past sixteen years under one management.

—The following gentlemen went to Omaha Monday to hear Bourke Cockran speak: H. Oehlrich, D. F. Davis, D. C. Kavanaugh, Ad. Brady, L. J. Lee, B. Fuller, H. Ragatz, Dr. Evans, Dr. Martyn, Gus. Speice, Judge Sullivan, O. L. Baker, C. J. Garlow, Chas. Pearsall John Wiggins and Chas. Pollock.

—The Monthly Illustrator and Home and Country, for September, keeps up its reputation as a great magazine, high-grade but low-priced, five cents. For the price, it is a marvel of excellence. Issued by the Monthly Illustrator Publishing Co., 66-68, Centre st., New York, subscription, 60 cents a year.

—Miss Antonia Lamb, sister of Mrs. J. D. Stires, will return to London soon to renew her studies at the Royal school of Art Needlework. Miss Lamb and F. H. Lamb passed several months traveling through Europe and have been spending their summer vacation in Philadelphia. Mr. Lamb will return to Columbus.

—The debate Wednesday night at the Swartsley school-house between Judge Kilian and Charles Pearsall on the side of the republicans, and Gondring and Gates on the part of the democrats is said to have afforded considerable entertainment for those present. Of course the republicans came out ahead, as why shouldn't they?

—Mrs. John Witchey has sent to THE JOURNAL some specimens of peaches as fine as we have seen in a long time. These measure eight and a half inches in circumference and all on the trees were uniform in size and quality. Mrs. Witchey planted the pits five years ago, and the trees have had no other protection than a grove of forest trees.

—In last week's issue we mentioned Miss Mamie English returning from Omaha to continue her studies at St. Francis academy. Miss English returned to join the sisters here, taking the veil last Tuesday. She has been a student in the school for several years, and has many friends who recognize her many talents and more especially in the music line.

—Roy, the little son of Joe Coolidge, was run over by a wagon Thursday and escaped what might have been a serious injury. While returning home from school he attempted to jump up on the side of a wagon to take a ride, and fell, the hind wheels ran over him passing over the stomach. The wagon was loaded with hogs, and for some time the injury was very painful, but it is thought he will soon be all right again.

—The Old Settlers' basket picnic has been adjourned to September 24, at the same place and with the same program. The opera house has been engaged, in case the weather is unfavorable for outdoor exercises. Everybody welcome, whether old or new settler. Everything free. The pioneers will occupy a table by themselves. Good music will be furnished. The old songs will be sung. A general good time for all Don't fail to be present.

—A hunting party consisting of Bob Wagner, F. Gregorius, Wm. Brink, F. Schilz, B. Brodfuehrer and Frank Hagel, of Columbus, passed through Albion last Tuesday for the sand hills where they expect to lay in a winter's supply of venison, bear meat and prairie hen. The boys were still buying beef steak, not having had the chance of pulling the trigger over a covey of chickens. —[Albion Argus. The boys returned home Saturday evening.

—This (Tuesday) afternoon at 2 and tomorrow, the Northeast Nebraska horticulturists meet at Moennerchor hall for discussion of topics of interest. Tyrrel of Madison talks on windmill irrigation; Marshal of Arlington on the family apple orchard; Allen of Leigh on cherries; Dunlap of Dwight on apple blight; Stevenson of North Bend on strawberries; Hookinson of Lincoln on plums and Barnard of Table Rock on fruit raising. You are invited.

—"It is understood that O. S. Moran, who was nominated at the democratic county convention as a candidate for representative from the Twenty-fourth district, has sent a letter to the central committee, in which he declines to be a candidate. It is thought by some that Mr. Moran was influenced by the fusionists to decline and allow a populist to be nominated and the democrats endorse him, providing the populist endorses J. M. Gondring for senator from the Twelfth district, and Wm. O'Brien for county attorney."

The foregoing is from the Platte Center Signal, and we give it as current political matter for whatever it may be worth. The Signal is democratic, and while not just exactly pleased with the situation in which it finds itself politically this year, it can be relied upon as truthful.

Old Settlers' Picnic.

Program for the old settlers' basket picnic to be held in Columbus, Thursday, September 24, 1896:

Dinner at 12 o'clock.

John Potter, the president of the Old Settlers' association, will call the meeting to order at 2 o'clock p. m.

Music	By the Band
Prayer	Rev. S. Goodale
Song—"America"	By all present
Address of welcome	Mayor G. R. Speice
Response	Hon. H. J. Hudson
Song	Monroe Quartette
History of Monroe Township	Miss Lesler
Song	Orpheus Society of Columbus
Music	Drum Corps
Exhibition Drill	Whitmoyer Rifles
Bicycle Parade	

The pioneers will sing "Auld Lang Syne," "Home, Sweet Home" and "The Sweet Bye and Bye," assisted by the old settlers.

Everybody is invited.

—Hon. Ben. Butterworth, one of the strongest and most entertaining political speakers in the United States, will address his fellow-citizens in the opera house, this city, Thursday evening, September 24, at 8 o'clock. Everybody come.

—Several years ago eight wells were bored on the s.w. ¼ of the n.w. ¼ of sec. 10, town 18 north, of range 1 east in this county, and all near the northeast corner of this forty. A well was finally dug and water found. The trouble was that in all of these there was a chalk-like bed that could not be penetrated except by digging. This paragraph is placed here, as an item of current local history which may be valuable to the future delver in the earth for its treasures.

—Miss Belle Brewster, of Michigan, Miss Rita Lawson, of Nebraska, Miss Nomita Williams and Miss Winifred Nightingale, both of Chicago, comprise a quartet of Americans styling themselves "The Columbians." These singers have been in London the past summer season creating quite a sensation with their plantation songs and melodies, with accompaniments on banjos and guitars. They played and sang nightly to standing room only.—[The Metronome.

—Hon. John A. Kehoe of Platte Center died there Sunday afternoon, after an illness of about four weeks. Some weeks ago he submitted to an operation for cancer in the neck (mentioned at the time in THE JOURNAL), and since then he has been steadily losing in strength. He was prominent in business in Platte Center, and took a very lively interest in general politics. He was a member of the legislature from this district and served his constituents with ability. He was 52 years old and leaves a widow to mourn her loss.

—Miss Grace Clark gave a report of the national convention of the Y. P. S. C. E. held at Washington, D. C., in July, at the Congregational church Sunday evening. Miss Clark was sent as a delegate from the young peoples societies of the German Reformed and Congregational churches. The report was listened to with great interest throughout and it was a well written story of a very interesting convention. The choir consisted of a chorus of young people. Miss Ethel Galley, who has been studying vocal music in Lincoln the past year, sang a sacred solo, which was beautifully rendered. C. G. Hickok took the part solo and Misses Ruby Rickly and Jessie Williams a duett in a selection by the chorus.

—In a supplement to today's JOURNAL we call attention to Major McKinley's letter of acceptance, which is one of the ablest, most complete, most commonsense and satisfactory political documents we have ever read. It is not only an argument for the republican policies of government, but it is a refutation of the claims of the Bryan-democracy to recognition at the hands of voters, at this very important juncture in national affairs. The letter in its quality is like the writer of it,—sound, true and safe. Along with the letter is, ex-President Harrison's great speech in New York city several days since. Our artist has furnished two excellent cartoons, illustrative of different phases of the situation—"The Curious Way of Showing It," representing Bryan passing out to J. Bull, a free-trade key to our Home Markets. This reference to the contest of four years ago when Bryan was among those who promised so much for tariff reform, is exceedingly appropriate now, when much more is just as confidently promised for reform of our money system, and with the same lack of substantial foundation for it all.

—In point of numbers, the democratic rally of Thursday evening at the opera house was a success, there being a large springling of republicans out—evidently to see and hear the governor of our great state. The meeting was first addressed by Dr. Hewitt of Bellwood who, among other things, seemed proud that he had been for so long a time a republican. The adoption of the St. Louis platform was the main thing that troubled him, and he is now with the other fellows. He didn't say whether he was speaking for the election of Bryan and Sewell, or Bryan and Watson; there were a host of things he didn't explain, but then in the limited time allotted him he couldn't undertake to throw light at but a very few. This is all the more lamentable because light, intellectual light, is one of the most essential things in these times. Mrs. Warren sang a solo, a supposed political solo. We could distinguish "There was a Jew in Lombard street," but just why the Jew shouldn't be allowed in Lombard or any other street, if he does a legitimate business on the street, we didn't hear told; but, then, it is not always, in fact it is really very seldom that the words of a song are even fairly distinguishable. Mrs. Warren's part of the program was well done, very well done, indeed, considering the monotony of the tune and the evident "clam-legislation" of the words of the song, for neither of which, of course, was she accountable. After the song, Governor Holcomb addressed the meeting. The governor is of commanding appearance, naturally diffident, rather slow and labored in his speech, but has an air of frankness and sincerity in what he says. He spoke at great length, but nothing essentially new, and, truth to say, his speech was a real disappointment to both his political friends and enemies.

PERSONAL.

Miss Lena Geitzen is visiting in York.

J. D. Stires was in Cedar Rapids Friday.

G. G. Becher was in Fremont Saturday.

Mrs. J. R. Geitzen is visiting in Central City.

Mrs. Lanktree visited Omaha and Madison last week.

Miss Kittie Cowdery of Lincoln is visiting friends in the city.

Chas. VanAlstine went to Grand Island yesterday on a visit.

Mrs. Schoulun and son Leo went to Lincoln Monday on a visit.

Mrs. Paul Krause of Albion visited relatives in the city last week.

Mrs. Randall and Miss Witchey of Duncan were in the city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Rosn returned Monday from their trip east.

Miss Blanche Patrick of Blair is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. N. Kilian.

J. B. Chaplin returned Friday from a visit among friends in Christian co., Ill.

F. M. Cockingham of Humphrey was in town Monday on his way to Omaha.

R. E. Chaplin visited several days last week with his sister, Mrs. C. A. Wooseley.

Miss Lyons of Clarks, was the guest of Miss Lesy Martyn, returning home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Gray returned Thursday from Colorado, where they were several weeks.

Walter Gaines of St. Edward, with his mother, visited Mr. Wooseley's family last week, homeward bound from Taswell, Ill.

Rev. Brown returned Saturday evening from his visit to Brooklyn. Mrs. Brown will remain in the east for a while longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson of Madison, Wisconsin, visited the family of R. H. Henry a few days, returning for their home Tuesday.

Misses Hattie and Anna Baker, Mrs. Harrington and Mrs. Jones and daughter Miss Ola returned last week from visiting in Fremont.

Miss Josie Balsley of Salem, Oregon, is visiting her friend Mrs. J. C. Lanktree. Miss Balsley expects to attend the university at Lincoln.

Mrs. Walter Hartje of Chicago has been visiting friends here a few days. JOURNAL readers will remember her as Miss Rosa Hildebrand, living here in 1873.

Hainer's Meeting.

On Saturday night at the Ball school house eight miles south of the city there was a large crowd gathered to hear Congressman E. J. Hainer, who was advertised to speak at that place. About thirty went over from here, among them the Drum Corps.

At 8 o'clock the house was crowded to its full capacity. The speaking commenced at 8:30, Hon. C. J. Garlow of this city opening with a short speech of about twenty minutes, when Congressman Hainer started in with a two-hours' speech of about as convincing talk as has been delivered in this part of Nebraska for some time. Although it is said that leading populists of the neighborhood had ridden around Saturday asking people to stay away from this meeting, there was a splendid attendance and Mr. Hainer entertained his hearers in an able manner, making a number of converts. One young lady, when the speech was about half through pulled off a Bryan badge and cast it out of the window, and an old soldier who had been a vice-president of their club, after the meeting declared that "ended him with that crowd." The Drum Corps of this place rendered several pieces, and the Glee Club of Clear Creek entertained the crowd with several campaign songs that were highly appreciated.

Four Years Ago.

C. J. Garlow, republican candidate for county attorney, speaks thus of the people's mistake four years ago:

Four years have passed since that disastrous event, Cleveland's election. These four years have given us a history no man ever dreamed of. Four years of democratic administration; four years of disaster; four years of public and private ruin; four years of disappointment and wreckage.

The tide has turned, and the man who was cursed, today stands above all men in bravery and admiration. He is nearer the hearts of the American people today than any other living man. All classes know what to expect of McKinley, and thousands upon thousands of democrats as well as republicans only pray for the day to come when they can vote for a man true to his convictions and to the American people, a man who believes in home industry and a sound money system; that the poor man's dollar shall buy as much as the rich man's.

—The farmer must always be on the look-out. If it isn't one thing, it is something else that threatens afar off or in the near distance. There is no occupation that we know of that requires so much knowledge, so much information, so much real, actual direct interest in nature and natural events. If he undertakes to plow he must consider the nature of the soil in order to determine whether the plowing should be deep or shallow, and whether it should be done in the fall or in the spring; whether the soil is "cold" or "warm," etc. Then, the plant must be adapted to the soil; to the probable season; to the market—and there is an illimitable field for intellectual effort, with more or less of reward for the study. If the farmer undertakes to raise stock of any kind, or to do a special business on the farm besides the raising of crops, each of such lines is a collection of particulars almost bewildering in their multiplicity, yet necessary to know in good part in order to secure any degree of success. THE JOURNAL is inclined to the belief that the great work of the future is to be through the efforts of specialists, men devoted to a single line, yet with such broad comprehension as to be in unison with other right specialists. The world moves surely, and those who are to be along with the advancing hosts of true world-workers, doing the tasks that are set by the presiding spirit of progress, must be earnest, true and steadfast.

—Subscribe for THE JOURNAL any day. Fifty cents will get you the paper for the next three months, $1.50 for the next year.

Republican Convention.

The republican delegates elect to represent Nance and Platte counties are hereby called to meet at Council Hall, Columbus, Saturday, Sept. 19, at 1 p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for representative of the Twenty-fifth district, and for the transaction of any other business properly coming before them.

E. DUSSEL,
Of Committee.

City Finances.

City Treasurer Wurdeman's report for August shows the following summary of moneys on hand in the different funds:

General	$ 1433 78
Waterworks maintaining	334 68
" int. on bonds	1276 41
Special sidewalk	52 76
Street, alley, etc	69 57
Loup river bridge	963 44
Occupation tax	1349 59
Water meter	397 30
Firemen's	60 00
	$ 5937 53
Less overdraft Platte river bridge	38 62
Balance	$ 5918 91

Balance in license fund (school) $2,789 00.

Real Estate Transfers.

Becher, Jaggi & Co., real estate agents, report the following real estate transfers filed in the office of the county clerk for the week ending Sept. 12, 1896.

Peter Glandt to John Hamilton and N. H. Brown, n½ s½ 12-20-1e, qcd	$ 1 00
Albert Newton to Wm. Miller, lot 4 and w 16 ft lot 3, bl 63, Columbus	600 00
John H. Goedhuss to Friedrich Goedhuss, o½ se¼, ne¼, and o½ se¼ sw¼ ne¼, 12-18-1w, wd	1 00
Henry Goedeken to Friedrich Goedhuss, and ½ ne¼, 9-18-1w, wd	1 00
Henry C. Carrig to R. S. Dickinson, w ½ 16-18-1w, wd	600 00
D. C. Kavanaugh, sheriff, to Nye, Schneider Co. lot 1, bl 7, Lindsay, sheriff's deed	320 00
Chicago Lumber Co. to Fred H. Howey, 132 feet square in sw¼ nw¼ 19-20-1w, wd	1080 00
D. C. Kavanaugh, sheriff, to Chicago Lumber Co. 132 feet square in sw¼ nw¼ 19-20-1w, sheriff's deed	665 00
Same to Henry L. Howard, lots 5, 6, 7, 8, bl 10, Lindsay, sheriff's deed	730 00
Same to G. B. Speice, lot 8, bl 125, Columbus, sheriff's deed	187 00
G. B. Speice to Julia Cox, lot 8, bl 125, Columbus, special wd	925 00
Western Land Co. to Henry L. Howard, lots 5, 6, 7, 8, bl 10, Lindsay, qcd	147 95
Theodore Banash to Stephen Banash, se¼ se¼ sec 12 and e½ ne¼ and ne¼ se¼, 13-17-1e, wd	2000 00
Thirteen transfers, total	$15,977 95

Fair Grounds for Sale.

Stockholders of the Platte County Agricultural society are advertising their grounds, together with all the improvements, for sale to the highest bidder. Sealed bids will be received by the secretary, Gus G. Becher, up to Oct. 1st, the society reserving the right to reject any or all bids. A certified check for 10 per cent of the amount bid must accompany each proposition. 1

Our Neighbors.

Schuyler Herald: That dread disease diphtheria is doing its deadly work in the vicinity of the Heun post-office. Last week Stephen Cech, a young farmer of that neighborhood, lost his wife and five year old child; another child, also a sister of the late Mrs. Cech and Mr. Cech himself are sick with the disease. Two children in his brother's family and a child of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dusek are also sick. Every precaution is being taken to prevent the further spreading of the disease. Mr. Cech in his terrible bereavement has the sympathy of all.

EDITORIAL.

THE Schuyler Herald is unquestionably democratic, but is utterly opposed to fusion with the populists. The editor says "he is ashamed of a goodly portion of the ticket to which a democratic label has been attached and doesn't propose to mince words in saying so." Also:

"As far as nominations in Nebraska go the pops have hogged everything in sight; they were very successful in capturing democratic conventions, but it remains to be seen whether or not they can keep the democratic voters in line on election day. We for one do not think that they can, and we expect to see a majority of their candidates meet with a crushing defeat."

And yet again:

"We are too much ashamed of the ticket nominated by the democratic state convention at Omaha on the 4th to place it at the head of our columns. The entire populist ticket was endorsed, and but one lone democrat was allowed to get in under the pop tent. C. J. Smyth was made the nominee for attorney general. He is a democrat and an attorney of ability, but he must feel out of place on a pop ticket. An even division was made on presidential electors four being democrats and four populists, and should they be elected four votes will go to Sewall and four to Watson. That was a nice arrangement to enter into in a state that furnished the democratic nominee for president."

A very good remedy for all these ills is to vote the entire republican ticket, and keep voting it.

THE AMERICAN ECONOMIST is a journal devoted to the good of the country on the line of protection, and has this to say of the situation: "Four years ago we were prosperous beyond anything that we had ever known, even in this nation of prosperity. The monetary standard was the same then as now, but our tariff policy was different. Then we had protection, now we have tariff reform as exemplified by the hodge-podge, Wilson-Gorman bill. Whether or not our financial system can be improved, it is plain that our first requisite is a return to the protective tariff policy, the policy which gave us prosperity in the past. That comes first, as Major McKinley said in his letter of acceptance."

A SPECIAL telegram from Mason City, Iowa, says: "Hog cholera is the most severe here in years. Some of the largest herds have been wiped entirely out by the disease. A peculiarity is that the former preventatives or cures fail to retard the spread. It has become almost a calamity to this section, as farmers expected to realize from their enormous corn yield through the medium of hogs." We add to this that it seems more than strange that enlightened humanity has not, long before this, found a way of at least preventing the spread of this destructive disease, which has already been the means of loss to farmers amounting to many hundreds of thousands of dollars.

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THOMAS B. BRYAN of Chicago in a lengthy letter to the Inter Ocean says the question is whether you prefer a sky-rocket or a steady locomotive headlight by which to run a train, even that of the United States government, and cast your votes accordingly. Bryan wants these votes. He wanted them before his promotion, and then he rode a different hobby than now and promised great results to the toiling masses, but the aid did not come. He wants now to become president and he holds out new promises and on a silver plan that has always failed wherever tried.

A SILVER DOLLAR now is worth 100 cents. The most ardent free-silver advocate does not claim that "free and unrestricted coinage at 16 to 1" will make it worth more than 100 cents, does he? Then why experiment? "Tariff reform" was disastrous enough, without adding to it by the "free and unrestricted" coinage of silver. Vote for McKinley, protection, prosperity and sound government all around.

ONE of the arguments of the Telegram in support of Ross Hammond for congress is that the free-silver democrats will not need Mr. Maxwell; that they will have enough congressmen without him; besides, if elected, he might go back on them as he has done with republicans, and Hammond will be active and useful in securing a public building for this city.

McKINLEY, Sound Money, Protection, Reciprocity and Prosperity—the election of the first and of a congress to back him, will be a guarantee that the second will be continued in use, and that the last three of the above will be restored to their rightful places, and put to practice their useful purposes.

A BERLIN engineer is said to have discovered that the bicycle readily condenses the electricity of the atmosphere, and advises cyclists not to ride during a storm except in the woods. Caught in a storm, on a plain or near water, they should stop riding and place their machines on the ground.

IT is claimed that the reason so many oil wells appear exhausted is that the pores of rock through which the oil flowed have been stopped up by an accumulation of parafine and other refuse. It is now proposed to use an electric heater to melt this refuse and thus allow the oil to flow freely.

THE dollar that circulates, goes around, is the dollar that does business and pays debts. Restore confidence by voting for McKinley and Hammond, and the rest of the republican ticket thrown in for good measure, and local trimming.

WATSON is a thorn in the flesh to the Bryan workers—like the big hog at the foot of a painter's ladder, he is making "trouble." No fusion where Watson hasn't the same show as Sewall, is the theory of his campaigning.

JACK MACCOLL came to Nebraska penniless and started life in this state as a section hand on the Union Pacific railroad. He has worked himself up to what he is by attending to his own business.—[Ansley Chronicle.

DOUGLAS county has one case of smallpox at the poor house. An iron election booth is to be fitted up as a pest house, and surrounded by a board fence to keep visitors at a distance.

OMAHA has adopted the French system of recording and identifying criminals. The measurements are such that it is claimed there is absolutely no chance to escape.

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New "	38
Shelled Corn	11
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Rye	35
Flour in 500 lb. lots	$ 4 50@6 00
PRODUCE.	
Butter	10@12½
Eggs	10
Potatoes	25
LIVESTOCK.	
Fat hogs	$2 20@2 40
Fat cows	$2 00@2 50
Fatcheap	$1 50@2 00
Fat steers	$3 25@3 60
Feeders	$2 60@4 75

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Bridget Murray, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased will meet the administrator of said estate, before me, county judge of Platte county, Nebraska, at the county court room in said county, on the 26th day of September, 1896, on the 26th day of December, 1896, and on the 26th day of March, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims, and one year for the administrator to settle said estate, from the 26th day of September, 1896.

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