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hasn't located all the desirable property—we've some choice bits on our books for sale at prices that appeal to the people of common sense. The properties are located in fertile sections, well watered and drained, handy to market and shipping points and at our prices and terms are decided pick-ups.

BECHER, JAEGER & CO.,
Thirteenth St.,
COLUMBUS, NEBRASKA



The Boy Stood on the Burning Deck.

is a two-haughty to seize the life preserver that all Europe is trying to show him. The people of Columbus are only too eager to seize the life preserver that is waiting for them at our soda water fountain. Our ice cream soda, and cold sparkling soda, with phosphates and pure fruit juices, are life savers on a hot day to the tired and thirsty.

STILLMAN'S
Pharmacy.

—Mielenz for photographs.
—Enquire of Herrick. 3-3t.
—For a cool, refreshing drink, try Stillman's Snow Ball Phosphate.

—The parsonage of the German Lutheran church has been newly painted.
—A few more lawn seats and porch rockers, special prices at Herrick's. It.

—Mrs. Martin, Evans & Geer, office three doors north of Friedhof's store. It.
—Chicago Inter Ocean and COLUMBIAN JOURNAL, one year, in advance \$1.75. It.

—Our latest drink is Snow Ball Phosphate. Try one. Stillman's pharmacy.
—Thos. Bryant, the banker of Schuyler, was in the city Thursday on business.

—The warm days, stop at Stillman's and try a glass of our delicious soda water.
—Do not fail to see our 8-foot galvanized steel mill for \$25.00. A. Dunsell & Son. It.

—Stamp photos and photo buttons at Patterson & McGill's studio, ground floor. It.

—Mike Casin's dwelling house on Fourteenth and L streets is nearing completion.
—One of Columbus' establishments did a business of \$30,240 during the month of June.

—The basement walls of the addition to Abte & Calt's wholesale establishment have been laid.
—The work of filling up the new high school grounds is still going on. It takes a big lot of soil.

—The picnic at Miller's grove Sunday, north of the city, was attended by a large number of people.
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Falbaum are happy over the arrival at their home Sunday morning of a son.

—Gettelman's Pure Malt Beer, the finest Milwaukee produces, at Wm. Bucher's Beer Garden. 24ang
—Information and California literature on request. J. Francis, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Neb. 4t.

—In the commercial display on the Fourth, Friedhof captured first prize, \$5, and Schenck second, \$2.50.
—Rev. William Hauptmann of the Congregational church near Monroe, was shopping in town Thursday.

—J. C. Lanktree has bought a confectionery and bakery in Genoa and expects to move there this week.
—One thousand three hundred and twenty-seven children in the Columbus district are returned by Otto Heuer.

—Andrew Mathis has lived many years in Nebraska, but never saw better growing weather than we are now having.
—For fine photos, sure to please, call at the ground floor studio, Olive street, Patterson & McGill, photographers. It.

—Furnished rooms with or without board, can be had of Mrs. C. Cushing, 11th street, one block from U. P. depot. 4
—Notice the advertisement of J. H. Galley in today's JOURNAL. His place is one of the chief establishments of the city.

—Wm. Schill makes boots and shoes in the best styles, and uses only the very best stock that can be procured in the market. It.

—The Ladies' Union will give an ice cream social on the lawn in front of the Methodist church this Wednesday evening. All are invited.

—A warm of bees in May is worth a pound of hay.
—A swarm of bees in June is worth a silver spoon.
—A swarm of bees in July is worth a gold ring.

—A good time to kill weeds.
—Herrick for refrigerators. 3t.
—Mielenz leads in photo work.
—Schuyler pays Supt. Burkett \$1100 a year.

—Fine job work done at THE JOURNAL office.
—Dr. Naumann, dentist, Thirteenth street. It.

—Sunset—the only original wild-west show.
—M. A. Miller is located in the city as a dentist.
—Room moulding, 2 cents per foot, at Herrick's. 3t.

—Stillman's are headquarters for the best soda in town.
—Dr. L. C. Voss, Homeopathic physician, Columbus, Neb.
—Bring us your job work. We will endeavor to please you.

—We can get for you any newspaper or magazine you may wish.
—W. T. McKean, Merchant Tailor, opposite Meridian hotel. It.
—C. A. Newman, says the crops in the country are looking very fine.
—The Union Pacific passenger depot is being repainted and repaired.

—FARMERS, ATTENTION. You can get an 8-foot Freeport Galvanized steel windmill from A. Dunsell & Son for only \$25.00. It.

—Rev. De Geller was at a general logging of the Woodmen of the World on the Fourth at Fremont. The camps of Webster, Schuyler and Valley were well represented, and Omaha filled two special coaches.

—Those who live on farms are liable to many accidental cuts, burns and bruises, which heal rapidly when BALLARD'S SNOW LIMENT is promptly applied. Price 25 and 50 cts. Dr. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—The township is putting in a new bridge near Barnum's dwelling on the road going west, and grading up the road, so that the bridge is two feet higher than the old one. It is also an improvement on the old, having guards.

—Albert and Miss Elise Brugger entertained about forty of their young friends to a bicycle party Thursday afternoon. The evening was spent in a ride about the city and a pleasant time on the beautiful lawn at the Brugger home.

—We learn that the Columbus township authorities are talking of grading the road leading north between St. Francis academy and the Monastery, seeing that the use for the bridges there has long since ceased, they will take them up.

—The cannon fire cracker seems to have been the prolific cause of accident on the Fourth, and doubtless it would be well for other cities to follow the example of Omaha and pass ordinances against allowing them to be fired within the limits.

—WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A good honest woman who can talk English, do housework for an aged couple, and make her home with them. Terms made known on application to John R. Yenny, next door to U. P. depot at Clark's. 2t.

—Oscar Peterson has bought O. Nelson's fine farm of 240 acres north of Richland, paying \$7500 for it. Mr. Peterson is a pusher and one of the money makers of the county. He now owns several hundred acres of good land.—Schuyler Sun.

—Biennial Convention, International Epworth League, Indianapolis, Ind., July 20 to 23rd. For this occasion, the Union Pacific will sell tickets at one fare for round trip. For dates of sale and further information call on W. H. Benham, Agent.

—S. P. Curtis was 94 years old Thursday. Born away "down east" in Maine, he remembers the excitement of the "falling stars" in 1833, and retains in memory recollection of many of the notable events of the century. May he live many years.

—It is understood among her friends that Miss Maggie Zinnecker is one, at least, among the young ladies of this vicinity who is not afraid of that dreaded rodent quadruped commonly called the mouse, which so frequently terrorizes the gentler sex.

—L. G. Zinnecker thinks it would be a good thing, when they can get around to it, to grade the street east along the south side of the Monastery, the Hospital, etc., towards his place. There is a great deal of travel along that road into and out of town.

—Will Sauer, who, by the way, has been at home from Chicago now about four weeks, says that his brother Max is a fireman on board a vessel on the lakes, and Gus is an electrician engaged at Cleveland, Ohio, with the Western Electrical company.

—Theo. Friedhof is moving his frame building out on the street just north of his brick store, having permit from the city council to allow it there until he can build his new building. The excavation for the basement of the new brick has been started.

—Bellwood expects to have a big celebration for the returned soldier boys. Nine young men went from that village to the Philippines, one, Rowan Young, lost his life in battle. David City and Columbus will be invited to help celebrate the soldiers' return.

—Mr. and Mrs. Zangz of Saunders county are here visiting old friends and acquaintances. They were neighbors in Switzerland thirty years ago to Imhoff, Benz and John Schenker of this county, and in 1868 came over together to America in the same ship.

—A. Smith, the veteran sharp-shooter, who enjoys life now quietly on his farm near Platt Center, was in the city Monday. The weather is fine, the crop prospect is good and two young calves were added to our herd last week; "what more news do you want?" says he.

—It would seem as though United States citizens could derive some better method in the allowance of pensions. If one is entitled to a pension he should have it allowed without unnecessary delay, and upon such proofs as are recognized by ordinary courts as good and sufficient.

—Miss Leila Stillman, who has been attending a private school in National City, Cal., took prominent part on the program at the commencement exercises, June 30th. Miss Leila also won three of the prizes given, one each for best class standing, for music and for fancy work.

—EMBROIDERIES! Good judges are taking advantage of the great embroidery sale at E. D. Fitzpatrick's. Follow the crowd.

—All who study the subject recognize the fact that the natural drainage of the city is east and south, speaking largely down stream. In short, it would appear as the proper cause to keep on about as has been done—prevent outside water from flowing into the city, and carry it over as rapidly as possible by good drains and sewerage toward the east and south.

—Special rate to Pittsburg, Pa., for Biennial convention Young People's Christian Union, united Presbyterian church of North America, August 2-7, 1899. One fare plus two dollars for the round trip. Dates of sale, July 31 and August 1st, final return limit leaving Pittsburg August 31. For further information call at Union Pacific passenger depot. W. H. Benham, Agent. 4t.

—WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE not only effectually expels worms, but is unequalled as a tonic, and is a certain and permanent cure for Chills and Fever in children. Price 25 cents. Dr. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—One of the blessings that has come to Nebraska and has come to stay is alfalfa. The first crop is getting well into the stack and the now crops are coming on very rapidly. Every farmer will soon have at least a small piece of ground in this most excellent plant.—Ore Journal.

—Mrs. Sadie Hart Miller, the Osteopath, meets patients in Columbus on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week. All curable diseases treated without the use of drugs or knife. Office first door north of Pollock's drug store. Hours from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Consultation free. It.

—Col. John Elliott shows us a copy of the Leadville Reporter of June 16, giving details of a runaway accident that day, by which his daughter, Mrs. E. H. Andrews, had a wagon load of house furniture destroyed or badly broken. They were moving into a new house, and the team was frightened by a fire-cracker.

—The Times office moves to the rooms two doors south of Zinnecker's barber shop, occupied by Mr. Gray, who has purchased and moves to the dwelling now occupied by E. H. Jenkins on north Olive street, who goes to the Weaver house on west Thirteenth occupied by Mrs. Rasmussen, who moves into her new residence.

—John Chambers, a young man living at Leigh suffered a painful accident while urinating in the Fourth. He was firing a salute with an old shotgun which burst in his hands from an overcharge. His right hand is badly cut and torn while the thumb was blown off entirely. The accident may necessitate the amputation of the entire hand.

—Muslin Underwear, the best made, cheaper than cheap goods at other stores. 12½ and 15c gingham 7, 8 and 10c, at Fitz's. Follow the crowd.

—The city authorities have levied a tax of ten mills on the dollar valuation for general revenue purposes for the coming fiscal year; seven and a half mills for paying interest on the water bonds; five mills for interest on the Loup river bridge bonds, and one and one-half mills for interest on the Platt river bridge bonds—making 24 mills for these purposes.

—It has been ten years since J. M. MacFarland moved from Columbus to Omaha. Forrest, born here nineteen years ago, served his country as a soldier in Co. G, Second Nebraska. John M. now 18 years old, is a stenographer in one of the largest establishments of Omaha. Mr. MacFarland said he could see great improvement in our city.

—The Union Pacific Pioneers are to be here on Saturday, July 15, for a day's outing. They have been in the city twice before and liked it so well that now they come again. They will be heartily welcomed by our citizens. Last year they had Columbus in consideration, but decided upon an Iowa town, and it will be remembered suffered a dreadful railroad wreck.

—There are always opportunities for the investment of money in material necessary in a printing office—more work, more money, more material, and so it goes round like Bob Ingersoll says of the method of farmers in Illinois—plant more corn, to raise more hogs, to buy more land, to raise more corn, etc. Now is the time to subscribe, and we would be glad to enter your name on THE JOURNAL list.

—Sixteen miles from here on the Island south of Duncan is a neighborhood where there are four German Lutheran families, the heads of whom, Messrs. Krueber, Raybuck, Viergutz and Schutz, lately determined to erect a church, which is now nearly completed, the contract having been given to Wm. Roth, who has had assisting him his brothers Carl and Paul. The house is 22x30 feet with a tower 50 feet high.

—St. John's church (German Lutheran) on the Island fifteen miles west of the city, is to be dedicated Sunday, August 13. Rev. Mielenz of this city has preached once every two weeks for the last sixteen years to this congregation, summer and winter, driving out after preaching here, and back in the evening, sometimes getting home at 10, often at 11 o'clock. Every two weeks, Rev. Mielenz has also preached during all these years for the congregation at Platt Center.

—The application of Dr. Humphreys of Monroe for a drugist's permit to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for medical and mechanical purposes, was referred to the judiciary committee of the county board, who recommended that it be not granted because the publication of notice had not been complied with as the law requires. The application had a majority of the freeholders of the township, but the committee recommended that the petition be not granted without a new, sufficient publication of notice.

—Sheriff Byrnes on Thursday arrested H. C. Wilson of Silver Creek, who stabbed Arch Laughlin in a fracas at the Bowery dance on the night of the Fourth. We understand that the fight was about a girl at the dance, and that there was danger that Laughlin would be reached, one of the large arteries near the right groin having been severed. Wilson had his hearing Saturday and as a consequence is now in jail awaiting the action of the District court.

—David Anderson and daughter, Mrs. Laura Stinson of Oswego, N. Y., were in the city a couple of days last week returning to South Omaha Wednesday. Mr. Anderson's residence is in the same block as the new post-office of the flourishing market city, a large, handsome and costly structure, whose near proximity, adds to the commercial value of his lot. Mr. Anderson looks in excellent health. His daughter, whose health had not been so good back home, is improving since her coming to Nebraska. It seems to do Mr. Anderson a world of good to get among old acquaintances and friends, and live over again in imagination the pleasant scenes and incidents of the long ago.

Personal Mention.

J. T. Morris of Creston was in the city Monday.

Miss Louisa Haney visited in Schuyler part of last week.

Rev. H. H. St. Louis of Humphrey was in the city Monday.

Mrs. Fred Stevens went to Deaver Thursday to make a visit.

Miss Gertrude Scofield spent a few days in Creston last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hill of Monroe were in the city Thursday.

Mrs. W. S. Fox of Norfolk spent the Fourth with relatives here.

Mrs. E. H. Chambers visited Monroe last week, the guest of Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. E. G. Brown and children of Humphrey spent Sunday in our city.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Benham spent Sunday at their old home, Cedar Rapids.

Glady's Turner went to Humphrey Sunday to visit relatives a few weeks.

Mrs. Dr. Voss started Thursday for Deaver, where she will visit a few weeks.

Miss Lillie Hagel visited her friend, Miss Unsell, in Cedar Rapids last week.

Mrs. C. W. King went to Grand Island Monday to visit her son, Rev. King.

John Horst and family of Madison visited Adolph Jaeger and family over Sunday.

Miss Ada Bleckhorn of Platt Center was in the city Thursday on her way to Chicago.

J. E. Eskins went up to Dakota Monday to meet his wife and son, who are visiting there.

Mrs. Will and daughter of Omaha are visiting Mrs. F. W. Reamer, coming up Friday last.

Mrs. John Keating and children and Miss Lillie Keating went to Albion Monday to visit friends.

Charles Stiles of Des Moines, Iowa, has been visiting his uncle, G. E. Stiles, the past two weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. Roscoe Pound returned from their wedding journey on Thursday.—Lincoln Courier.

Mrs. George Mentzer and little daughter of Richland spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Butler.

Mediamas Kilian, Pearl and Jens expect to meet company K in San Francisco when they arrive from Manila.

Mrs. C. H. Sheldon and daughter, Miss Beane, returned home Friday from a few weeks' visit in Ohio and Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Janing of Osceola were in the city on the Fourth. Mary and Emma Zinnecker going home with them.

G. Kramer and Ed. Besocki of St. Paul rode over on bicycles Sunday to visit a few days with Carl Kramer's family.

Miss Minnie McKean arrived in the city Friday from Shenandoah, Iowa, and will make her home here with her father.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Britell and daughter are in California spending the summer and attending the National convention of teachers.

Charles L. Stillman and wife, Dr. Arnold and wife and Dr. Alsenberger of Shelby left here last Wednesday for a visit to California.

Elmer Smith has returned from Illinois, where he finished a course in college as civil engineer. He will visit his sister, Mrs. J. G. Reeder, for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Colly of Genoa visited Dr. Martin's family Monday between trains on their way to Washington, Ga., on a visit. Mr. Colly is book-keeper in Genoa Indian School.

Mr. Way started today for Chicago, where he will start for an extended steam-boat ride over the Great Lakes, the Standard Food Company for whom he travels, giving him this treat.

Mrs. D. N. Jennings of St. Edward was in the city Monday on her way to Deaver, where she will make an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. Griffin. Mrs. Jennings will be remembered here as Miss Jennie Land.

Miss Emma Pula visited her father the Fourth of July, and his son Charles passed through the city Wednesday on his way home to Kearney, returning from Omaha, where Kearney soldiers had been at the parade. Miss Pula also went to Kearney Wednesday.

—The Agricultural Experiment station of Nebraska is doing some good, and in press bulletin No. 11, raising calves for profitable beef production, an account by particulars is given that would doubtless be profitable to farmers in general if they would apply the facts there set forth. We notice that the feed for the young calves was six pounds of alfalfa hay each day with one pound mixed feed composed of one pound of corn and oats ground together, of which ½ oats and ½ corn by measure, 1 pound bran and ½ pound oil meal. The net result is stated thus: Each 100 pounds of gain was at an expense of \$3. The average daily feed ration for 160 days cost 102½ cents per day, with compensating average gain of 1.46 lb. per head per day, which at \$4.50 per cwt. would be worth 1067, practically a profit of 150 per cent on cost of feed consumed. With careful attention to detail there is certainly an adequate profit in raising calves for beef under present conditions in eastern Nebraska. Much credit for results must be given to the good blood of the calves, and the gain in weight at low cost is largely due to the feeding of alfalfa. THE JOURNAL believes that if Nebraska farmers can ever get a fairly good start with alfalfa, their way to success is clear and the result sure. "The grass of a country is its first wealth."

—The hole for the waterworks well was completed last evening and the big pipes are now being lowered. The well was put down to a depth of about 160 feet and is in a bed of about fifteen feet of gravel. The indications are that there will be an unlimited supply of water. It will probably be tested tomorrow or Monday. As soon as the well is completed and it is known that the water supply is all right work will be pushed on the waterworks system. Humphrey's waterworks will soon be in evidence.—Humphrey Democrat.

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THE ABOVE FURNISHED HOUSE BY THE WEEK TO PARTIES wishing to spend a few days in the country. Inquire of MARY HENRY WILLIAMS.

—George Turner, under date of Salem, Mass., July 2, writes that he saw at Waterbury, George Benson and family. His boys are getting quite big. They think they will drift back west to live. Benson wished to be remembered to all old friends, and especially O. L. Baker, who, he says, is one of the best men on earth, and also Gus. Spence. By the new route sent, the show comes westward through New York, Penn., and he has heard that they will be in Omaha again.

—All Summer goods are going fast at Fitz's. 12 and 15c Percalés 7, 5 and 6c; Calico 3 and 4c; 25c Organdies 10 to 12c. Follow the crowd.

—When you wish good, neat, clean handsome work done in the line of printing, call at THE JOURNAL office.