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THE LEADING GROCERS.

**A Careful Groceryman**

fills your orders with precision and promptness. We not only do that, but we fill them with the choicest and best quality in this line that can be procured. We are expert judges of

**TEAS AND COFFEES,**

and our **Canned Goods** and **Table Delicacies** we procure from the most reliable and best manufacturers.

WE ANNOUNCE THAT OUR STOCK OF

**Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, Etc.,**

Is more complete than ever and invite one and all to come in and inspect it. All of the leading STAPLE and FANCY GROCERIES are to be found in our store, including all of the latest novelties, and we offer, for the first time in Columbus, the famous FERNDALE CANNED FRUITS and VEGETABLES which are absolutely the best.

In fine Teas and Coffees, CHASE & SANBORN'S, as usual, take the lead. We sell the celebrated Log Cabin Maple Syrup and warrant it to be the best.

You will find our Queensware and Lamp department very complete and can easily find what you want. Persons buying in large quantities will do well to call on us as we have the right goods and will make the prices right. Careful attention and courteous treatment accorded to all.

Telephone No. 26.

Eleventh Street, - Columbus, Nebraska.



# Columbus Journal.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1900.


Burlington Route

B. & M. TIME TABLE.

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| Lincoln, Omaha, Chicago, St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis and all points east and south. | Denver, Helena, Butte, Salt Lake City, Portland, San Francisco and all points west. |

TRAINS DEPART.

No. 22 Passenger, daily except Sunday 7:30 a. m
No. 32 Accommodation, daily except Saturday 4:30 p. m

TRAINS ARRIVE.

No. 21 Passenger, daily except Sunday 9:00 p. m
No. 31 Accommodation, daily except Sunday 1:30 p. m

UNION PACIFIC

TIME TABLE U. P. R. R.

EAST BOUND, MAIN LINE.

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| No. 8 Columbus Local lv | 6:40 a. m. |
| No. 102, Fast Mail | 1:20 p. m. |
| No. 6, Atlantic Express | 2:10 p. m. |
| No. 2, Overland Limited | 3:28 p. m. |
| No. 4, Chicago Special | 4:40 a. m. |
| No. 26, Freight | 6:00 a. m. |
| No. 22, Freight | 10:10 p. m. |

WEST BOUND, MAIN LINE.

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| No. 1, Overland Limited | 10:20 a. m. |
| No. 101, Fast Mail | 11:20 a. m. |
| No. 3, Pacific Express | 6:55 p. m. |
| No. 5, Colo. Special | 1:45 a. m. |
| No. 7, Columbus Local | 8:24 p. m. |
| No. 23, Freight | 7:00 a. m. |

NORFOLK BRANCH.

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| | Depart |
| No. 63, Passenger | 7:00 p. m. |
| No. 71, Mixed | 6:00 a. m. |
| | Arrive |
| No. 65, Passenger | 12:50 p. m. |
| No. 73, Mixed | 11:20 p. m. |

ALBION AND CEDAR RAPIDS BRANCH.

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| | Depart |
| No. 69, Passenger | 2:15 p. m. |
| No. 72, Mixed | 6:45 a. m. |
| | Arrive |
| No. 70, Passenger | 1:05 p. m. |
| No. 74, Mixed | 9:00 p. m. |

Norfolk passenger trains run daily.
No trains on Albion and Cedar Rapids branch Sundays.
Columbus Local daily except Sunday.

W. H. BENHAM, Agent.

## 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.
C. J. GARLOW, W. M.
GUS. G. BECHER, Sec'y. 26july

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.
GEO. FAIRCHILD, Sec'y. 27jan91-tf

COLUMBIAN CAMP No. 25, WOODMEN OF the World, meets every second and fourth Thursdays of the month, 7:30 p. m., at I. O. O. F. Hall, Thirteenth 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.
13nov89 Elder H. J. HUDSON, President.

GERMAN REFORMED CHURCH.—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Church every Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m. Ladies' Aid Society every first Thursday in the month at the church. 14nov-94

## COLUMBUS MARKETS.

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| Wheat, ₱ bushel | 63@ |
| Corn, shelled—₱ bushel | 32@ |
| Oats, ₱ bushel | 20@ |
| Rye—₱ bushel | 40@ |
| Barley, ₱ bushel | 25@ |
| Hogs—₱ cwt | 4 50@ 4 65 |
| Fat cattle—₱ cwt | 3 50@ 4 25 |
| Potatoes—₱ bushel | 60@ |
| Butter—₱ lb | 12@15 |
| Eggs—₱ dozen | 8@ |

Markets corrected every Tuesday afternoon.

—Mielenz for best photos.

—The Platte river is low.

—Some fine pictures at Herrick's. 3t

—Dr. Naumann, dentist, Thirteenth street. tf

—Try New Empire 5c cigar. For sale everywhere. 3-4t

—Blank farm leases for sale at THE JOURNAL office. tf

—Plenty of cherries at Mrs. Young's, north of town. 1t

—Dr. Baker, physician and surgeon, office Olive street. tf

—Dr. L. C. Voss, Homeopathic physician, Columbus, Neb.

—A special train out of Madison last Saturday carried stock.

—Smoke Rosina Vokes, best 5c cigar on [illegible]. Ask your dealer.

—Dr. R. D. McKean dentist, over Pollock's, 13th and North streets.

—We understand that George Salmon will be totally blind in his left eye.

—You that need stock scales, call on H. Schuster. He can save you money.

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

—Hogs up 20 cents Saturday and pork $1.00 a barrel.

—Miss May Rossiter has been engaged to teach in the Murray district.

—Found, a store key. Owner can have same by paying for this notice.

—For sale, a good Vive Camera. Call, or address this office for information.

—Famous J. B. 10c cigar, a gentleman's smoke. All dealers have them.

—For fine watch repairing, call on Carl Froemel, 11th St., Columbus, Neb.

—A three-room house for sale, on Sixteenth street. Inquire of C. S. Hudson. 3m

—Do not fail to see our 8-foot galvanized steel mill for $32.00. A. Dussell & Son. tf

—A. M. Jennings of Fitzgerald, Ga., has been granted a pension of $6 a month.

—The new German Lutheran church near Platte Center will be dedicated July 22.

—Mrs. E. W. Glidden is teaching in the summer school at the Fremont normal.

—WANTED—A girl to do housework. Inquire at the store or residence, of J. H. Galley. tf

—Bring us your orders for job-work. They will receive prompt and careful attention.

—There is talk of an extension of the Union Pacific from Cedar Rapids to Spaulding.

—A 16x20 picture frame, 6 in. wide, same as peddlers sell at $2.50, we sell for $1. Herrick. 4t

—We have the nicest line of chamber suits west of Omaha. Call and see them. Herrick. 3w

—The quarantine was removed from the residence of Frank Gores for diphtheria last week.

—Dr. McKean's method of making aluminum plates places them on an equality with gold.

—A. B. Cramer, who formerly kept a grocery store here, was in the city Monday with his family.

—The Epworth League will give a lawn social at the residence of Al. Butler, Friday evening.

—Miss Winnie Young has been engaged to teach the Hedman school, two miles east of Genoa.

—F. C. Reinecke of Schuyler, was in the city Thursday on his way north, where he will locate in business.

—Friend McCray, who has a situation at Lincoln, has been at home on a visit of a few days, returning Monday.

—Frank Arne, in town Saturday, says that oats is rather short; winter wheat and rye are about the best crops.

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

—Miss Clara Weaver expects to leave this week for Chicago, where she will attend Prof. Parker's school for teachers.

—HOLIDAY RATES via the Burlington Route July 3 and 4 between stations not more than 200 milest apart.

—For Duroc Jerseys and Durham cattle, choice bred, of either sex, call on or address at Silver Creek, Nebr., C. K. Davies. tf

—We learn that while recently in Wheeler county, Albert Scott took a homestead of 160 acres eight miles from Bartlett.

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

—Aug. Glur has the contract for the erection of a dwelling-house on the farm of Mat. Zumbrum, living in the northern part of the county.

—For a good set of hand-made harness or anything else in the harness line, call on F. H. Rusche. He will make the price to please you. tf

—Mrs. E. W. Glidden taught in the primary department of the Fremont Normal last week, to relieve one of the special teachers there.

—Frank McTeggart came up Saturday from Omaha, having a ten days' lay-off from M. E. Smith & Co's, where he has an important position.

—Baptist church, J. D. Pulis, pastor. Services July 1st, 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Morning, "The Christian's Memory;" evening, "For or Against."

—The motto of the graduating class at Concordia, Kansas, is commended to the general public: "Beyond this lie the washtub and the sawbuck."

—During the storm last Friday night, lightning struck D. W. Jenkinson's residence near Monroe, doing no very special damage, says the Republican.

—Monroe now has an Episcopal church.

—George Thomazin has begun the erection of a dwelling-house on his farm in Burrows township.

—Will. Cain of West Hill, this county, who has been attending the institute here returned to his home Saturday.

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—The new Catholic church at Tarnov, this county, is 47x106; the foundation is of heavy stone. The outside is of hard-pressed brick.

—Mike Cassin has purchased James Cassin's interest in the meat market, and we understand is to conduct the business alone.

—Sunday, July 8th, at the farm of Max Gottberg, morning and afternoon services will be held by the German Lutheran church.

—The ladies of the Presbyterian church will serve ice cream this Wednesday evening on the lawn just west of the Methodist church.

—The school boarders of the St. Francis Academy were given a picnic last Saturday, the crowd being taken out to Duncan, where the day was pleasantly passed.

—E. B. Sherman has been unanimously elected to the position of superintendent of public schools of Schuyler. Miss Anna Long of Schuyler, special teacher of music.

—Mrs. John G. Maher arrived here Sunday evening and is making a pleasant stay with relatives. Col. Maher came Wednesday evening.—Platte Center Signal.

—Lost, last Thursday, supposed near the Loup wagon bridge, or between Columbus and the bridge, a coat, containing papers valuable only to the owner. Frank Clark.

—Envelopes with your return card printed on them, for 50 cents a single hundred; for larger quantities, and different grades, call at THE JOURNAL office for prices.

—Mrs. L. J. Cramer, who has been in Europe the past year, is expected home within the next two months. She is now in Germany and will visit Switzerland and France.

—The county teacher's institute closed their one week session last Friday. There were 107 enrolled, and Sup't Leavy considers this the most successful yet held by him.

—C. J. Ely drove to Columbus on last Sunday, spending the day, returning in the evening accompanied by Miss Gertrude Scofield, who is the guest of friends.—Creston Statesman.

—Will Roth says the rain of last Wednesday evening was the most peculiar he was ever in. There was lightning on all sides at once. He wasn't scared, no, but he was mightily interested!

—I have just received an assortment of floral designs of different kinds, lodge emblems, etc., and I am now prepared to furnish the most artistic designs on short notice. Mrs. A. J. Smith. tf

—Charles Gross got a spark from an emery wheel in his eye a few days ago and has been suffering excruciating pain ever since. He had it cut out but still has a very sore eye.—Madison Chronicle.

—For sale—One Nichols-Shepherd engine with separator and independent stacker, in good condition. Inquire at E. P. Swearingen's in Polk county, near Clear creek, or at this office. Easy terms. p-2t

—The funeral of the late John E. Wyatt was held from the family residence Monday afternoon at Madison. He was a member of the G. A. R., 75 years of age, and an invalid for ten years.

—Under date of June 13, Southampton, H. T. Spoerry writes that they arrived in England safe and well. At midnight, we intend to start for Havre and Paris, France. Greetings to all our friends.

—Thursday, the Gentry dog, pony, monkey and little elephant show were the attraction of the city, and brought quite a number of visitors, who really seemed well pleased with the unique performances.

—Mothers who would keep their children in good health should watch for the first symptoms of worms and remove them with WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. Price, 25 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—Rudolph Geisie purchased the two little houses that have for years stood on the lot east of the opera house, now being occupied by John E. Kaufman as a lumber yard, and has moved them east on Twelfth street.

—John E. Kaufman has cleared off the lot to the rear of Henry Gass' furniture establishment, and has begun the erection of sheds for the storing of his lumber. He will have his office in the northwest corner, next to Gass'.

—Robert O. Wolfe, a business man of Lincoln, and Miss Zella May Martin, daughter of Mrs. Eva Martin of this city were married Monday at 1 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage. The couple took the afternoon train for their future home in Lincoln.

—A big crowd at the Baker picnic grounds Sunday. The base ball game between a Columbus nine and a nine from Shelby resulted in 26 to 10, in favor of Columbus. A brilliant play of Mort Murphy at third base was the notable feature of the game.

—A card received announces the marriage of Miss Georgia Adaline Yost, niece of Rev. and Mrs. R. J. McCready, to Mr. William Craig, at their residence, Pawnee City, Nebraska, Wednesday, June 20, 1900, at high noon. At home after July 2, Leadville, Colorado.

—To save mending, avoid breaking, and to avoid suffering, prevent coughs and colds by the timely use of BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP. It is a safe, sure and swift remedy for all bronchial ailments. Price, 25 and 50 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—The Knights of Pythias held their memorial services Sunday afternoon. Mr. F. H. Edmonds of North Platte delivered the memorial address at the hall and Miss Lottie Becher gave a recitation, after which the following graves were decorated at the cemetery: Frank Becher, John Early, John Stauffer, L. J. Cramer, F. A. Colvin, F. S. Davis, Geo. McKelvey, O. H. Archer, Charles Joy, John Elliott.

# A GOOD TIME.

The American-Swiss Band will hold a Picnic and Dance

# JULY 4

—AT—

**JOHN BORN'S GROVE**

Six miles southwest of Columbus. The band will appear in their fine new uniforms. Games and amusement for all. Everybody invited. 2t

—Bring your orders for job-work to this office. Satisfaction guaranteed, and work promptly done, as agreed upon.

—HOLIDAY RATES via the Burlington Route July 3 and 4 between stations not more than 200 miles apart.

—You feel better at once after using HERBINE, you enjoy your food more, and you get more nourishment and invigorating force out of what you eat. Hence HERBINE makes you strong, vigorous and cheerful. Price, 50 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—Rudolph Bethge, a painter, was overcome with heat at Fremont Friday, while kalsomining a ceiling in a room in the Loomis block and was standing on a plank across two ladders close to the top of the room. He was seized with spasms. He is still in a serious condition.

—On account of the rainy weather the concert by the City Band was given Friday instead of Wednesday evening. Work on the new band pavilion in Frankfort park is progressing finely, and when completed will be a thing of beauty and a great convenience to the musicians.

—Miss Grace Farmer left yesterday for Honolulu, Hawaii Islands. She has a position as teacher there in the schools, and with her brother and sister already there, will no doubt find the surroundings very agreeable. Mr. Farmer accompanied her as far as Columbus.—Albion News.

—Two more families were quarantined for scarlet fever Sunday—Krebs' and Keller's. One is on the edge of town and the other is in the country, but in the quarantine limit. The cases are all mild ones. The other cases reported in last week's paper are all convalescing—Humphrey Democrat.

—Many women fail to digest their food, and so become pale, sallow, thin and weak, while the brightness, freshness and beauty of the skin and complexion departs. Remedy this by taking HERBINE after each meal, to digest what you have eaten. Price 50 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—"Where ice cannot be procured, water may be cooled by wrapping the pitcher containing it in a towel of loose texture which has been previously impregnated with ammonium nitrate (and dried), and moistening this with water. The same towel may be used repeatedly, after being dried each time."

—Last Wednesday evening, near 7 o'clock, at the Sheldon farm in Shell creek township, four horses belonging to W. F. Dodds were killed by a stroke of lightning. The hay in the barn took fire, but was promptly put out. It was a close call for the young men themselves, from the stroke of lightning.

—The city council of Albion have called a special election the 6th of July, to decide whether or not a certain alley shall be vacated, in order that a large business building might be erected thereon. The firm, Becker Bros., offered to pay costs of the election in order that all parties interested would be represented in the decision.

—It is rumored here that E. V. Clark, at one time the proprietor of a hotel where now stands the Meridian, also an attorney at law, died Sunday week at Denver, Colorado, after an illness extending over years of his life. From here he moved to Genoa, where he practiced law several years. He will be kindly remembered by many JOURNAL readers.

—Troyer Bros. of Aurora this state, have opened up their new store on Thirteenth street, and have one of the neatest of the kind in the city. The store contains a lunch counter, ice cream parlor, a full line of fresh fruits and confectionery, soda fountain with summer drinks, and freshly baked bread, etc., every day. They solicit a share of your patronage. 1

—The kind of study that can best be pursued by children in summer time is precisely the kind that develops understanding and the ability to see a thing when it is looked at. No better preparation for the winter's work in mathematics or in Latin can be had than summer work with Nature. No worse preparation could be invented than the idleness or undirected activity of a long vacation.—July Ladies' Home Journal.

—During the storm Saturday afternoon William J. McNamara, a farmer living about five miles north of Valley was struck by lightning and instantly killed. He was running from the house to get out of the rain and was passing along a barbed-wire fence when struck by the electric bolt. His clothing was considerably torn and one boot was ripped to pieces. The body was singed and discolored in places and one trouser leg was torn the full length.—Fremont Herald.

—Elmer Smith, brother of Mrs. J. G. Reeder is in Nicaragua, Central America, where he is enjoying all the pleasures of a wild country. He has sent home skins of monkeys and beautiful plumage birds and says he will yet send home a tiger skin. In their camps they hear tigers near them every night. Recently, one morning, while putting on his shoes he encountered a tarantula. He has been in poor health part of the time he has been there.

—Anton Seda returned Tuesday evening from Omaha, where he went a short time ago to have the bullet removed which was shot into his head at the time that the late Frank Slama made an unsuccessful attempt upon his life. The ball was located by means of an X-ray and removed by a surgeon at St. Joseph's hospital. The ball had split and was taken out in two pieces. Anton has fully recovered from the effects of the operation.—Howells Journal.


# BUGGY FREE!

GIVEN AWAY **JULY 4th.**

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**Having just returned from the East, where I purchased a car of the finest BUGGIES and CARRIAGES ever shown in the city of Columbus, I will offer them at**

## PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

**The Latest Styles, Finest Quality, Largest Assortment of**

Buggies, Spring Wagons, Surreys, Road Wagons

**Ever shown to the people of Columbus and vicinity. If you are thinking of buying anything in that line it will pay you to call and examine these BARGAINS. I will also**

Give Away Absolutely FREE one FINE BUGGY

**(Can be seen in store at any time) for one dollar cash purchase or paid on account up to July 4th, drawing to be conducted by holders of tickets on that date. Ask for tickets with your purchase.**

# C. S. EASTON.


—If the stomach performs its functions actively and regularly, the food of which it is the receptacle, is transformed into blood of a nourishing quality, which furnishes vigor and warmth to the whole body. HERBINE gives tone to the stomach and promotes digestion and assimilation. Price, 50 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—An extra freight from Norfolk was doing some switching at Oconee Sunday afternoon, and while running around the "Y," the rails spread, running three cars off the track. Bont. Speice, conductor, was on top of one of the cars and was thrown to the ground, lighting on his feet, causing a sprained ankle and knee, and bruising him up generally pretty badly. Frank Schram, fireman, also received some bruises. About fifty feet of the track spread out of shape.

—Mrs. Sophia Monicke died Thursday afternoon of meningitis. She was born in Germany in 1826, and married to John Monicke in 1852. They came to this country twenty-three years ago settling near Duncan, and later north of Columbus, where the husband died, some ten years ago. Mrs. Monicke leaves a son John, with whom she has made her home, and a daughter, Mrs. M. Dietz, of this city. The funeral service Sunday afternoon by Rev. H. Miessler at the German Lutheran church.

—George Mace brought in a sample of winter wheat that shows that crop to be in a flourishing condition. He has a piece of 40 acres that will make 1,000 bushels, he believes. Rye is in excellent condition and heading. Oats are doing first rate and corn is extremely good and lots of it will be ready to "lay by" next week. What's the matter with Nebraska this year? Its climatic and crop conditions are perfect. An expression commendatory of our fair state is in order occasionally "Lest we forget."—Clarks Enterprise.

—The dedication of Trinity Episcopal church took place Monday morning at 9 o'clock, the sermon being preached by Rev. Canon Pattee of Schuyler. Bishops Worthington and Williams were present, also the choir of Grace church of Columbus. A large crowd attended, notwithstanding the short notice. Among those from Columbus were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lehman, Mrs. F. W. Herrick, Mrs. C. D. Evans, Walter Schroeder and the Misses Lettie Speice, Lottie Hockenberger and Petite Martyn. The ladies of Monroe church entertained the Columbus visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hendryx.—Monroe Republican.

—The Central City Nonpareil says that the storm last Friday evening was the heaviest that has visited that section of the state for some time. An inch and a quarter of water fell there, but they only had a taste of the storm, which was much worse further north. At Ord and Sargent over four inches of water fell, amounting to a flood, and the accompanying hail caused considerable damage to crops. There was a tornado of wind at Sargent, doing much damage. Nearly every windmill in the village was blown down, the B. & M. round house swept away and the streets full of floating debris and small outbuildings. The B. & M. track was washed out, causing some delay in trains. It did not hail here and the wind was not high enough to do any damage.

—The following from the Bellwood Gazette is in reference to the young ladies who recently lost their lives while bathing in the treacherous waters of the Platte river: "The funeral of Miss Rosa Hudson and Miss Merle Bressler was held on Saturday afternoon last, as announced, and it was the largest ever held in Bellwood. Rev. Kemper, pastor of the Bellwood M. E. church and Rev. Smith, pastor of the M. E. church at David City, conducted the services, which were very solemn and impressive. The pulpit was draped in mourning while the offerings of flowers and beautiful wreaths were profuse. After the services at the church the remains were conveyed to the Bellwood cemetery, where Rosa and Merle now sleep side by side in a double grave, the interior of which was beautifully lined with white muslin trimmed with flowers. The grave was also walled with brick. Throughout the services many bowed their heads in sorrow for the members of the afflicted families and on behalf of Merle and Rosa, who were cut down in the bloom of youth."

### Not too Late.

The streets of the city are for the benefit of the citizens.

They are not the individual property of the city council.

They are not the subject of barter and trade.

If Platte street should have been opened all these years that it has been closed, that is no reason why M street should now be closed for all time by the building of a freight depot in the middle of the street.

If Messrs. Lehman, Niewohner, Phillips, Elliott and Lutz, those members of the city council who voted to close M street to public travel, imagine for an instant that their action is to be hid in a corner, they are mistaken. They will continually be asked why Platte street should be opened and why M should be closed.

It is one of those things that private citizens have a right to know, and we are inclined to put considerable emphasis on the word right.

When men act in a representative capacity, they have no authority except what is derived, and they should be clear in the motives which they bring to bear in the conduct of a public office, no matter how small it may be. These are places of public trust, where men are expected to do their duty to the best of their ability.

It is not yet too late to retrieve yourselves, gentlemen, and you ought to do it. The mayor will doubtless veto the ordinance, and give such strong reasons for his veto that not a man of you but ought to line yourself up along side of Clinton C. Gray in standing for the rights of the city.

THE JOURNAL sees no other reasonable way for you to vote. You cannot ignore the facts in the case, and they will be made plain enough.

Mayor Held will doubtless be right in his views of the situation, as to business, and as to the law of the case and why not be with him.

The city has rights that must be respected.

Let the Union Pacific put its freight depot somewhere on its line so as not to obstruct any more of our streets. They now have a coal chute on one, a roundhouse on another, and have had a freight and passenger depot on another since 1877.

They have done the proper thing with their new passenger depot—put it on their own land. Now let it be the same with them when they build a new freight depot, coal chute or roundhouse—build on their own.

Reserve the streets for the safety and convenience of the people.

### Democratic Convention.

The meeting was called to order at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon by Jonas Welch, Mr. Gruenther reading the call.

H. J. Hendryx of Monroe was elected temporary chairman, J. H. Johannes, temporary secretary.

A committee on credentials was appointed consisting of G. B. Speice, John Kyle, F. H. Gerrard, Charles Curry and G. W. Phillips.

There were no contests and the temporary organization was made permanent.

A committee of conference was appointed to confer with a similar committee of populists, consisting of G. W. Phillips, C. H. Swallow, Adam Smith, F. H. Gerrard, G. B. Speice.

H. J. Hendryx named ten delegates to the float representative convention: Jonas Welch, Wm. Schreiber, C. A. Beardsley, G. W. Phillips, M. Mogan, E. C. Hicks, C. M. Gruenther, C. J. Carrig, F. H. Gerrard, G. B. Speice.

The main thing with the assembled democracy was the nomination of Dietrich A. Becher as representative of Platte county, and of William O'Brien as county attorney.

There was, as there always is, considerable difference of opinion as to what offices should be given to the populists, but it is understood that one party is to take the candidacy for float representative, and the other the senator.

—If you are troubled with that most uncomfortable disease called piles, don't neglect it. Don't let the complaint get a firm hold. Every day the disease is neglected it grows worse. Commence at once to use TABLER'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT, the relief is immediate, and cure infallible. Price, 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.


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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.

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awaits all who ride in our carriages, which have cushions of ease, rich and elegant trimmings, springs that make the motion of the vehicle almost imperceptible to the occupants, and pneumatic tires that lighten the task of the horses, facilitate speed, and run smoothly and noiselessly. In such a turnout every drive is so many miles of joyous recreation.

Also keep a full line of Farm Implements and are agent for the Jones Lever Binder, simplest, strongest, easiest running Binder made.

**HENRY LUBKER.**


### Populist Convention.

The populists met in delegate convention at 2 o'clock Monday, J. S. Freeman calling the body to order, Mr. E. B. Daniels of Monroe being selected as secretary.

The temporary organization was afterwards made permanent.

Committee on credentisls were J. C. Byrnes, John Gibbon, J. W. James, and there was no trouble about the organization.

I. L. Albert, esq., was called upon to speak to the assembled crowd, and did his level best to keep up their courage, telling them how proud he was to be a member of the populist party; that nine-tenths of the voters approved of the ownership and control of railroads by the government; that most of the people were in favor of the direct issue of money by the government to the people, etc.

When it came to selecting delegates to the state convention, there was considerable sparring over some of the names.

The following list were named, with no special contest except in the case of Fred. Jewell, Clarence Gerrard objecting that he was not a resident of Platte county; that he had been allied with one of the big trusts of the country, the sugar trust, and he thought there were men enough here to represent Platte county's interests. Mr. Duck, Mr. Bruen and others spoke in favor of Mr. Jewell, and finally he was voted in, the preponderance in favor of Jewell being sufficient to make the chairman reasonably sure in the decision.

The delegates were then mentioned as follows:

Wm. Mason, W. F. Dodds, R. E. Wiley, J. C. Byrnes, Thos. Duck, E. E. Fellers, John Schmocker, John F. von Bergen, Fred. Jewell, E. van Allen, C. L. Gerrard, Henry Mahoney, John Dodds, G. H. Jensen, Gus Marek, Michael Reynolds, J. W. James, J. S. Freeman, E. A. Gerrard, W. A. Way, A. W. Clark, J. W. Clayburn.

After considerable talk about instructing delegates, which seemed intended mainly to draw out any opposition that there might be lurking round against the re-nomination of Governor Poynter, a form of resolution was agreed upon that seemed to give the most perfect satisfaction to all phases of opinion, and was doubtless the best that could be had by the friends of Mr. Poynter.

The nomination of D. A. Becher by the democracy for representative of Platte county, and also that of Wm. O'Brien for county attorney was endorsed by the populists, and John Gibbon was spoken of for float representative and W. A. Way for state senator, for recommendation to the respective conventions, when they shall meet.

### Notice!

I have appointed Mrs. A. J. Smith to represent my nurseries and she will take orders in my name and as my sole agent in Columbus. I wish it understood that Mr. Earl Simmons is no longer my agent. Any complaints of loss of stock must be given to Mrs. Smith.

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### Death of C. T. Cockson

A letter dated June 8th was received here Saturday by the Cockson Bros., from their mother, who is in London, England, telling of the burial of their father, C. T. Cockson that day in London. The letter was written as though previous messages had been sent, but no other information is known. Mr. and Mrs. Cockson left Columbus the 6th of May to make a visit to England. Mr. Cockson came to America from England in 1870, and in 1872 came to Nebraska, settling immediately on the present farm seven miles south of Columbus, in Polk county. By their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Cockson have four boys and one daughter.

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### "LETHEAN LILIES."

BY MARY B. FINCH.

Oh! leave the munitions of war,
And the shrill voices crying;
The cannon's deep rumble and jar
O'er the pain of the dying.

Faint and fainter the shouts of the fray
And the rout of the others,
When the bravest—"our blue and our gray"
Forgot they were brothers.

Recall not the trumpet's loud tones,
Nor the riot and rattle
Where the on-rush trampled the bones
Of the wounded in battle.

Like a "lost chord" the wail of the fife
In the land of palmettos,
Where death rose, the shadow of life
As a wraith from the grottoes.

The knapsack and tent, they are gone
A pale memory only;
The bugle-call sad as a moan,
And the low graves, how lonely!

We keep now the rusty canteen
With the carbine and sabre,
Touched often with tear-drops between
A friend or a neighbor.

No more the sharp 'wakening of morn
'Mid the flash of the powder;
No battle-clouds draping the corn
With the drums rolling louder.

But revived is the woe and the grief
Of a whole nation weeping,
Tho' the scars we may hide with a sheaf
Where the heroes are sleeping.

Bright sheaves for the blue and the gray
With rose-wreath and blossom,
Leaves wet with the dew and the spray
From the tears in our bosom.

We have banished the rifles and swords
Growing braver and bolder,—
Call the gray with love's golden words
Weeping low on their shoulder.

Old rifle-pits rise with new scenes,
New trees and new flowers;
The palm spreads broader her screens
O'er the peace in her bowers.

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It is better to bury all hate
In true love for the living;
Death carries us sooner or late
Beyond earth's retrieving.

Heaven's highlands, and oceans and streams
Bear lethean lilies;
Camp the blue and the gray in their gleams
Side by side in green valleys.

AVONDALE, Colo., June 18, 1900.

### Pasture Land

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