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Thirteenth Street,  
COLUMBUS, NEBR.

### Columbus Journal.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 1901.

—Dr. Naumann, dentist, Thirteenth street. 17  
—Blank farm leases for sale at THE JOURNAL office. 17  
—Dr. Baker, physician and surgeon, office Olive street. 17  
—Bring us your job work. We will endeavor to please you. 17  
—P. J. Hart returned Saturday from a business trip to Chicago. 17  
—C. E. Pollock is much improved from his late attack of rheumatism. 17  
—Henry Carrig was taken to the hospital Sunday on account of sickness. 17  
—Jim Frazier is getting ready to build a residence in the north part of the city. 17

—Mielenz for best photo. 17  
—Closing out shoe sale at von Berg's. 17  
—Dr. L. C. Voss, Homeopathic physician, Columbus, Neb. 17  
—Homer Robinson left Thursday evening for St. Joseph, Mo. 17  
—Representative Becker was at home from Lincoln over Sunday. 17  
—Joe Ryan says his twin boys were wearing shamrocks Sunday. 17  
—Dr. C. H. Gietzen, dentist, in Barber block, Thirteenth street. 1m  
—Mrs. Martyn, Evans & Geer, office three doors north of Friedhof's store. 17  
—Miss Mand Woolsey is now one of the clerks in the store of Lamb & Co. 17  
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mills' little girl is reported quite sick with pneumonia. 17  
—Jim Frazier will ship fourteen cars of fat cattle to South Omaha this week. 17

## NEW

### SPRING AND SUMMER DRESS GOODS!

We wish to announce to the people of Columbus and vicinity that our new line of **SPRING AND SUMMER DRESS GOODS** has just arrived and we are now showing one of the largest, most-complete and best-selected lines of

### Summer Wash Dress Goods

in the city, in all the latest novelties, consisting of Foulards, Dimities, Soue Flou, Pekin Satinee, Korah Pongee, Mousseline Applique, Challies, Queen Betiste, Silk and French Ginghams, Chambrays and Percales in all the late patterns and colors.

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Laces, Embroideries, Insertions, Ladies' Shirt Waists, Tailor-made Suits, Dress Skirts, Rainy-Day and Golf Skirts.

You are cordially invited to call and inspect these Goods, and get our prices.

## J. H. GALLEY,

505 Eleventh St., COLUMBUS, NEBR.

Agents for the Standard Patterns.

### WANTED.

5,000 chickens, ducks and turkeys wanted every week for export.

JOHN SCHROEDER, Agent.

—We hear that Guy C. Barnum is seriously ill.

—The wise man always goes slow when he is in a hurry.

—A purpose is the eternal condition of success.—T. T. Munger.

—Herman Oehlrich is fattening 109 steers at his ranch near Richland.

—Chris. Gruenther took the early freight Monday for Platte Center.

—The corn and oats of last year are nearly all out of the farmers' hands.

—Chicago Inter Ocean and COLLEGE JOURNAL, one year, in advance \$1.75. 17

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

—Do not fail to see our 8-foot galvanized steel mill for \$32.00. A. Dussell & Son. 17

—Frank Matthews of Clark was in the city Saturday and Sunday on business.

—Get a pair of shoes at von Berg's, before they are all gone, and save money. 17

—Dr. Naumann extracts more teeth painless than any other person in this county. 17

—Samuel McFarland is here from Lindsay to attend the funeral of his parents.

—While John Barrell is still at the hospital, we learn that he is improving in health.

—Herman Leuschen and son of Bohest were in the city Saturday last on business.

—Plant fruit trees among the rest, and don't forget the pear, the cherry and the plum.

—Theo. Friedhof started for Chicago Wednesday, where he goes to buy new spring goods.

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

—You can buy blank farm leases at THE JOURNAL office, good form, two for 5 cents; five for 10 cents.

—Lou. Kavich has moved his store goods from Eleventh street to the building just south of Friedhof's.

—We are told that Mr. and Mrs. McFarland had often expressed the wish that they would die together.

—A bill before the legislature places Colfax, Platte, Nance and Merrick counties in a district named Sixth.

—Roadmaster T. Wade went to Norfolk on the early train Monday to meet assistant superintendent C. B. Keyes.

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

—R. C. Boyd & Son have removed two doors west of their old place of business in the new building on Thirteenth st. 4t

—Budy Miller of Fullerton, was here over Sunday looking over the fast-selling Platte county land, and visiting.

—Wm. Schilz makes boots and shoes in the best styles, and uses only the very best stock that can be procured in the market. 17

—W. J. Welch has resigned his position as supervisor from District No. 4, and Wm. Thomazin has been appointed in his place.

—Dicing all alfalfa of two years or more standing is recommended as being of as much value to alfalfa as in cultivation.

—Newspaper advertising promotes trade. During dull times, the greater portion of trade goes to the firms that steadily advertise.

—David Thomas, one of the many well-to-do farmers of Platte county, had a carload of fat cattle at the South Omaha market Wednesday.

—Closing out to quit business, my stock of shoes, slippers, gloves and men's underwear below cost. For cash bargains go to Honahan's. 4t

—George Fairchild, the republican nominee for councilman of the First ward, has the confidence of all his fellow-citizens, and, if elected, will doubtless make a first-class councilman.

—Wanted a tinner. Inquire of Gray Mercantile Co. 17

—One of the questions that will agitate Albion at the spring election is "Saloon or No Saloon," and that will be the issue, as usual, in a number of Nebraska towns.

—Brother Howard of the Telegram added to the labor-saving machinery of his printing plant last week a folding machine which, after in operation, will prove quite a handy and useful piece of furniture.

—Mrs. George Willard of St. Edward well known in Columbus is seriously sick at her home. Miss Jennie Wiseman went up Monday to help the family for a few weeks.

—E. McDonald from south of the river believes in having some of the good things in this life, as they took home with them Saturday a fine Majestic range.

—The supervisors have passed a resolution directing the county attorney to draft a proposition looking to the submission to a vote of bonds for a new court house.

—We have a large line of the Karpen coaches, warranted to outwear any two common coaches. All steel constructed. Call and see them—none better. Fred W. Herrick. 4

—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.

—Miss Della Wells of Plattsmouth is working on the Argus, to take the place of Homer Larkin, who was called to Lincoln with Co. K, to act as a guard at the state penitentiary.

—Bert Galley has been city treasurer, accounting for everything entrusted to him, and there is not a particle of doubt he will do the same again. You will not regret giving your vote to him.

—Wm. Bucher purchased last Saturday the half section farm of C. E. Morse northwest of this city, lying south of the bluffs. The consideration was \$13,000. Mr. Morse retains possession this year.

—Green grass is springing up everywhere, and the townsmen occupy the early morning hour in raking off the accumulated leaves of the winter, getting in readiness for the lawn mower later along.

—Nebraska land is being called for at good prices, and in some places, notably near Omaha, large holders who a few years ago were over anxious to sell, are now thinking of withdrawing from the market.

—A vote for Bagatz for mayor will favor a good, solid business man who has pledged himself, if elected, to be mayor for no particular faction or interest, but for all the people and all the interests of the city.

—When children have earache, saturate the place of cotton with BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT, and place it in the ear. It will stop the pain quickly. Price 25 and 50 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—Good 80 acres of grass land for sale, between Columbus and Bellwood. Inquire of A. Loekner, 2526 Davenport street, Omaha, Neb. 3

—The Knolls company are shearing their sheep at the ranch northwest of the city. They had nine clippers at work last week. A clipper with a good pair of clippers can clip from fifty to a hundred head per day.

—The first model of a railroad will probably have a good strong fence on each side of the track, and at crossings a wagon-track either over or under the railroad. But, even then there will be liability to accidents.

—The Hibernians celebrated St. Patrick's day on Monday evening at the Maennerchor hall by a social evening spent with their friends. About eighty people were present. A supper was served late in the evening.

—The new triple-silver plated baritone horn arrived here last week from Boston, and it is certainly a beauty with a rich, mellow, perfect tone. Martin Schilz says he will make it talk at the concert of the City Band on the evening of April 19.

—Couldn't help getting a cold never cures it; but carrying home a bottle of BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP, and using it as directed, will cure the worst kind of cough or cold. Price 25 and 50 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—Will Hensley received a telegram Saturday last notifying him that he had passed the final examination satisfactorily and is now entitled to enter the West Point Military Academy. His many friends will congratulate him on his success.

—Just keep on the present rate, Nebraska farmer boys, and you will in a few years be out of debt, have rich soil as your very own, and be good, independent, intelligent sovereign citizens of the greatest country on earth, in more ways than a few!

—The recorded transactions in land for the week ended last Saturday make a very creditable showing, and prove that Platte county lands are much desired by those who know their worth and have the money to invest. Most certainly, just now, is a good time to invest.

—For sidewalks, cinders are to the common people what the Sherman gravel is to the railroad company. An Omaha man claims that the cinder walk is much more economical than wood—easier and cheaper to repair; and on the part of the city less liable to payment of damages.

—Ladies of the Congregational church will serve a regular supper at Orpheus hall, Wednesday, March 27, from five until ten o'clock. Besides the supper the ladies will have, for sale, pictures, copies of the master-pieces framed in Posse Partout at very reasonable prices.

—What we consider a very neat compliment for THE JOURNAL comes all the way from Philadelphia. A lady living in that city, knowing with what interest her husband reads the happenings of this section (having at one time been a resident here), calls the paper his "love letters."

—F. A. Matson, formerly of Monroe, later of Omaha, who quit the road and bought out an implement business at Madison. Mr. Matson is among the best of men, and THE JOURNAL commends him to the good people of our northern neighbor as the thoroughly equipped business and good citizenship.

—No one knows the unbearable torture one undergoes from piles unless they are so afflicted. TABLET'S BUCK-EYE PILE OINTMENT is a quick, safe and painless cure. Price 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—Judge Hensley and George Fairchild came into town the first of the week with a very fine string of pile and shad. They were anxious for every one to see them, as it was proof positive that fish do bite in the month of March.

—The catch was made in the Loup river and must have weighed all of fifteen pounds.

—Bargains! Great Bargains in all heavy goods. We must have room for our big stock of spring goods. Come and save money. The White-Front Dry Goods Store. E. D. Fitzpatrick. 17

—Dan Schram was called to Elizabeth, Colorado, last week on account of the sickness of his brother George, who has been confined to his bed for six weeks with lung trouble. The physicians advised his removal here, and the two arrived in Columbus last Friday evening. The invalid is at the home of Mrs. J. P. Becker.

—August Boettcher, having passed another mile stone in his life journey Friday last, was thinking his friends might play some trick or surprise on him, but his friends were also thinking and put off their things until Saturday night, when about thirty gentlemen and ladies did really and truly surprise August and wife. A very pleasant evening was spent in music, after which refreshments were served.

—Of course, readers of THE JOURNAL will be sure to read the advertisement of J. H. Galley. This store on Eleventh street has been for years noted for carrying good goods at fair prices; courteous treatment of customers, and absolute truthfulness as to the quality of goods for sale. These are a few of the prominent reasons why they do such a large business, and retain their customers. They do business on the principle of mutual benefit.

—Mrs. Theodora Hussey of Minnesota, Mrs. Mary DeRusha of Colorado, Mrs. Julia Scott of Minnesota, are in attendance at the funeral of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. McFarland. These, and the two older children, Mariah Ellridge of Pennsylvania, and John McFarland of Michigan, besides Samuel and George, survive the death of their parents. The bodies are to be placed in one grave, and his comrades of Baker Post will attend the funeral in a body.

—Are you sick? If so, investigate the merits of HERRINE. It is a concentrated medicine, the dose is small, yet it quickly produces the most gratifying results, digestion improves, the lips and cheeks lose their pallor, the eye becomes bright and the rest elastic. Price 50 cents. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

—C. K. Davies begins this Tuesday to erect a good-sized barn on his farm northwest of the city a mile and a half. He is putting himself in shape for business on the place. Columbus is to have a near-by stock farm where can be had the very best of hogs and cattle, at fair, living prices. No need to travel far for what you want. This season he will also set out an orchard, and fence a good field for pasture. If you are in need of breeding animals call on or address Mr. Davies.

—C. E. Chapin of Oconee, was in town Saturday and made this office a business call. He passed part of his time last summer in raising seed for the Western Seed and Irrigation company at Waterloo, Neb., and says that the industry is certainly one that pays well on Platte valley soil with favoring conditions. The following is a very brief summary of what was done last season: Watermelon seed, 300 pounds to the acre; squash, 200, muskmelon 300. Sweet corn, 25 bushels to the acre.

—The fusion forces met in mass convention last Friday evening, B. P. Duffy presiding, Dennis O'Brien, secretary. The ticket nominated was: Louis Held, mayor, Wm. Becker, clerk; Charles Stillman, treasurer; R. L. Rositter, engineer; Jacob Greisen, Geo. Lehman and P. J. Hart, councilmen in the First, Second and Third wards, respectively. Henry Lubker, member of school board. Central committee, Gus Spies, at large; Aug. Boettcher, G. W. Phillips and G. F. Gleason for the three wards respectively.

—We give elsewhere the full ticket as nominated by the republicans at their latest convention Saturday. E. C. Hockenberger, president, and George Fairchild was secretary. The ticket throughout is an excellent one. As to member of school board, the present incumbent, Henry Hockenberger, was named, who, with Henry Lubker, nominated by the other party, will doubtless be elected—there are two to be chosen. W. M. Cornelius, E. P. Dussell and W. A. McAllister were chosen as committee-men for the several wards respectively, and C. G. Gray committeeman at large.

—There were quite a number of demonstrators at the republican city convention, who, while they said nothing out loud, seemed inwardly to really enjoy the occasion. Captain Hockenberger was perfectly fair as presiding officer; every man who spoke to issues before the convention was allowed perfect freedom in the expression of both his feelings and his opinions; a ticket composed of men of experience, talent and tact was nominated, and why shouldn't the visiting democracy have been well pleased at the prospect of having such good men to look after the interests of the city during the coming term?

—The program for the County Teachers' association has been arranged by L. H. Leary. The session is to be at Humphrey, April 13, beginning at 1 p. m. Besides the music numbers (in which no names are mentioned), are: Drawing in our Schools, Seth Braun; Rural Schools, Miss Emma Deagan; Reading, Miss Agnes Carrig; Case Histories, W. L. Dowling; Pictures and How to Use Them, Miss Elizabeth Sheehan; The Teacher's Aim, R. M. Campbell; The Greatest Detriment to the Public Schools of today, E. C. Reynolds. The meeting will be at the opera house, and all will be "welcome to attend and participate in the discussions."

# FIRE! FIRE!

ON ACCOUNT of the recent fire in our store, which smoked the greater part of our stock, we have decided to close out everything clean. We will not put a dollar's worth of the old stock into the new store, when it is repaired and ready for use.

We had just received our new Spring stock of ready-made Suits, Skirts, Jackets, Wrappers, Hosiery, Muslin Underwear, Dress Goods, Percales, Laces, Allovers, Linings, Trimmings, Table Linen, Towels, Handkerchiefs, Ribbons, Gloves, Muslin, Prints and in fact, all the new things in our line. We had a very large assortment of the best to be found. Some were burned up—others smoked and soiled, but thousands of dollars' worth were in boxes, or covered up and were not touched by either fire or water, yet the reputation of fine goods is damaged by being in a store that has burned out, and all must be sold at any price it will bring,—every article in the store will be sacrificed.

We can't quote prices, because of the different conditions the goods are in, but you will find everything is a bargain. Come before the sizes are broken, and get your pick.

13th Street. F. H. LAMB & CO. COLUMBUS.

### AGED COUPLE KILLED.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah McFarland Instantly Killed while Crossing the Union Pacific Track.

Saturday last, on the arrival of the passenger train from Albion at the depot here, the community was shocked by the news that just a few minutes before, Mr. and Mrs. Josiah McFarland had instantly lost their lives, being struck dead and most fearfully mangled, at the third crossing west of the Fish pond, on the Union Pacific branch just beyond the city limits.

The public wagon road at this point runs north and south, and makes with the railroad track an angle of about forty-five degrees. Besides the fireman and the aged couple in their buggy, there were two little children of Mr. Stubb who saw the accident at close range—George McFarland, son of the aged couple, from his farm, seeing the train, the buggy, the cloud of dust and the stopping of the train, was nearly beside himself with apprehension as to what had happened.

The train was stopped at a little east of the next crossing, the bodies taken from the engine's pilot where they were lying side by side, placed in the baggage car, and from there taken in charge by Mr. Cass, the undertaker, and prepared for burial at his establishment.

The buggy was torn to pieces, and was disengaged from the staid old horse, that immediately started back for home, and was met a short distance from the wreck by George McFarland.

Coroner Metz drove down from Humphrey Sunday morning, summoned a jury consisting of Ed. Rositter, August Dietrich, Fred Curtis, J. E. Kaufmann, Horace Ward and Ed. Hoar, who met at the coroner's house, and heard testimony. George E. McFarland testified, (besides as related above) that he found on the body of his mother, a watch that had stopped at 1:15. He thought the train was a little late, but was not sure of that. Both father and mother were hard of hearing.

Engineer F. B. Wambaugh, mainly in answer to questions, stated that the engineer's place is at the right side of the cab. There were no trees to obstruct the view. The train left Oconee square on time and they were running on time. It was very near to the crossing before he knew anything of the buggy, the fireman, on the left side of the cab calling his attention, the fireman being the only one who could see the buggy. Two long and two short whistles were given, and the sand used, but were too near the crossing to prevent the accident. The east-bound train can from this point be seen at least four miles, half way to Oconee.

Fireman William Moran testified as to the usual signals given at both the crossings; as seeing the buggy and its occupants from his place in the cab of the engine; to calling the attention of the engineer to his own impression that the folks were going to keep on the north side of the railroad; to Mr. McFarland's pulling on the lines and striking the horse with them, which did not change his gait; to the engine striking between the wheels of the buggy, the man and woman slightly turning to look at the engine.

Conductor Hugh Compton knew that something was wrong when the alarms were given and the train stopped. He saw both bodies as they lay on the pilot with some parts of the buggy. The train was running on time at the usual rate of speed. In answer to a question by George McFarland, as to how long it took to stop the train when running at its usual rate of speed, he said about the distance of five or six telegraph poles, and he guessed they were about ninety feet apart. The train stopped right on the next crossing.

The engineer, being recalled, said that thirty miles an hour, is forty-four feet in a second; he judged that the two crossings were eighty to one hundred yards apart. There were four cars in the train. They stopped in less than a quarter of a mile.

Brakeman A. E. McKenna didn't know much about the accident. The train was running at the usual rate; he knew by the whistles that something was wrong, and saw the horse running away from the train.

After viewing the bodies in the upper room of Undertaker Gage's establishment, the jury returned to the court house and rendered a verdict in substance that the "death was accidental, and not due to any negligence on the part of the train crew."

Josiah M. McFarland was born May 22, 1822. Mary Stanton was born October 1, 1825, both in Mercer county, Pennsylvania. They were united in marriage September 11, 1845, living in

## FREE BUGGY.

I HAVE DECIDED TO GIVE to my patrons and customers a chance to get a FREE BUGGY. For every dollar's worth of goods either in Hardware or Implements or paid on account, I will give one chance.

Commencing March 1, '01,

and drawing to take place

Wednesday, May 1st, 1901.

Having sold out my old stock of Implements and Machinery at my auction sale, and just received two car loads of Machinery, I am now prepared to offer to the public a brand-new stock of clean goods, consisting of

Avery Corn Planters and Cultivators; Janesville Disk Harrows; Disk Cultivators and Plows; Cassidy Riding Plows; Standard Plows, Rakes and Mowers; Champion Binders, Mowers, Sweeps and Hay Stackers,

in fact every kind of Farming Tool for the benefit and convenience of the farmers. Also a complete line of BUILDERS' HARDWARE. Bring me your hardware bills. I WILL SAVE YOU MONEY.

CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELF.

## C. S. EASTON,

COLUMBUS, NEBRASKA.

I. GLUCK. D. M. NEWMAN.

## THE NEBRASKA LAND AND LOAN CO.

COLUMBUS, NEBRASKA.

WE HAVE FOR SALE ranches and farms in PLATTE, NANCE, MERRICK, MADISON, BUTLER and BUFFALO counties, ranging in size from 80 to 1600 acres, from \$5 an acre up, 6,000 acres in north central Kansas at \$4.50 to \$6 per acre.

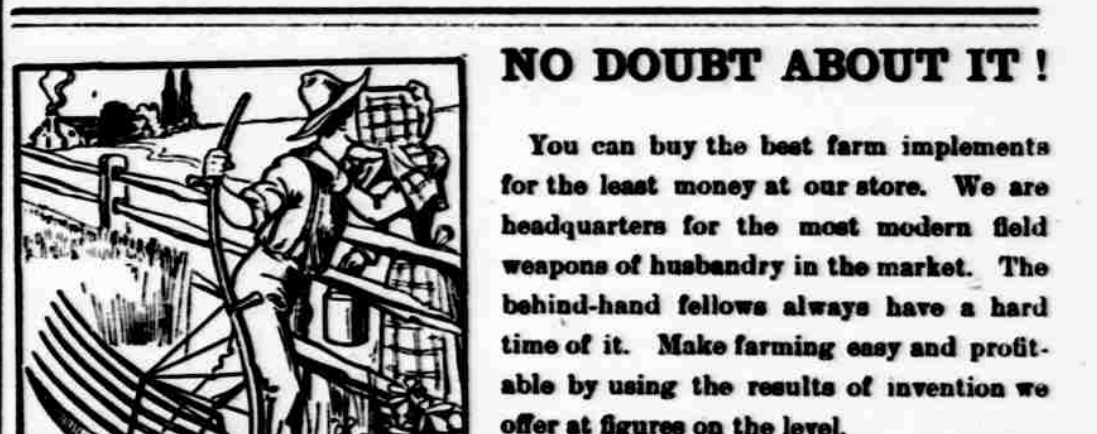
MONEY TO LOAN AT FIVE PER CENT and small commission.

If you want to buy or sell, write or call on us.

### NEBRASKA LAND AND LOAN CO.

ELEVENTH ST., COLUMBUS, NEB.

### NO DOUBT ABOUT IT!



You can buy the best farm implements for the least money at our store. We are headquarters for the most modern sold weapons of husbandry in the market. The behind-hand fellows always have a hard time of it. Make farming easy and profitable by using the results of invention we offer at figures on the level.

HENRY LUBKER.

Pennsylvania until 1865, when they moved to Fairbault county, Minnesota, removing from there to Columbus in 1877, where they have since resided, except about a year, during which they occupied a pre-emption in Cherry county, this state.

As THE JOURNAL goes to press, 2 o'clock, Tuesday, funeral services are being held at the Baptist church, southeast corner of Sixteenth and North streets, Rev. Pierce officiating.

We could readily believe that neither Mr. nor Mrs. McFarland had an enemy on earth. Their affection for each other and for their friends was singularly strong. On this side the seemingly very thin veil which separates the visible from the invisible, their last minutes on the earth were together and the proba-

bility is that death came so quickly that they were not conscious of its usual accompaniments of pain, anguish and despair.

—J. C. Flarel, who lives between this and Bellwood, was in the city Friday, calling at JOURNAL headquarters. Speaking of the difference in yield of spring and winter wheat in his neighborhood, he says that George Allen last year threshed forty bushels to the acre of winter wheat, while he got but twenty-four of spring wheat; Henry Whitney got forty-two bushels to the acre of winter wheat. One farmer last year had four thousand bushels of wheat. It is little wonder that with such crops, the kind of land that produces them sells readily for fifty dollars an acre.