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Handling Money

is our business. We have been doing this successfully for years.

The First National Bank

would like to handle your account. It will give it the same careful attention as its many other accounts.

A Bright Feature

about our system is that the little account receives the same attention as the big one. We don't discriminate. All are treated alike. Why not become better acquainted with us? It will pay to do so.

Time Table.

COLUMBUS, NEB.

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. 7:25 a. m
No. 53 Accommodation, daily except Saturday ..... 4:20 p. m

TRAINS ARRIVE.

No. 21 Passenger, daily except Sunday. 8:50 p. m
No. 54 Accommodation, daily except Sunday ..... 1:20 p. m

TIME TABLE U. P. R. R.

EAST BOUND, MAIN LINE.

No. 12,	Chicago Special	4:25 a. m.
No. 4,	Atlantic Express	4:40 a. m.
No. 8,	Columbus Local lv	6:15 a. m.
No. 102,	Fast Mail	12:20 p. m.
No. 6,	Eastern Express	2:20 p. m.
No. 2,	Overland Limited	5:35 p. m.

WEST BOUND, MAIN LINE.

No. 5,	Pacific Express	7:35 p. m.
No. 11,	Colo. Special	10:00 a. m.
No. 101,	Fast Mail	12:40 a. m.
No. 1,	Overland Limited	12:10 p. m
No. 3,	California Express	6:30 p. m
No. 7,	Columbus Local	9:25 p. m.
No. 23,	Freight	6:20 a. m.

NORFOLK BRANCH.

		Depart
No. 69,	Passenger	7:10 p. m.
No. 71,	Mixed	7:15 a. m.
		Arrive
No. 64,	Passenger	12:30 p. m.
No. 72,	Mixed	7:00 p. m.

ALBION AND SPALDING BRANCH.

		Depart
No. 60,	Passenger	2:10 p. m.
No. 73,	Mixed	6:20 a. m.
		Arrive
No. 70,	Passenger	1:00 p. m.
No. 74,	Mixed	8:00 p. m.

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

W. H. BENHAM, Agent.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Representative	JOHN W. BENDER
Clerk	JOHN GRAF
Sheriff	CHARLES J. CARRIG
Superintendant	L. H. LEAVY
Assessor	JOHN J. GALLEY
Judge	JOHN RATTERMAN
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Clerk of District Court	C. M. GRUENTHER
Coroner	E. H. METZ
Surveyor	R. L. ROSSITER

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FLOAT REPRESENTATIVE—E. E. Fellers.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CONGREGATIONAL—Sabbath school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Junior Endeavor, 3:00 p. m. Senior Endeavor, 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday, 8:00 p. m. Ladies Auxiliary, first Wednesday in each month at 3:00 p. m. G. A. MUNRO, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Sabbath School, 9:45 a. m. Sermon, 11:00 a. m. Senior Endeavor, 7:00 p. m. Evening sermon, 8:00 p. m. Prayer meeting and study of the Sabbath school lesson, 8:00 p. m. WALTER N. HALSEY, Pastor.

METHODIST—Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school, 12:00 m. Junior League, 3:30 p. m. Epworth League, 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8:00 p. m. Ladies Aid Society every other Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. G. A. LUCK, D. D., Pastor.

GERMAN REFORMED—Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Preaching, 10:30 a. m. Endeavor, 7:30 p. m. Ladies Guild, first Thursday in each month, 2:00 p. m. REV. NEUMARKER, Pastor.

BAPTIST—Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Sermon at 11:00 a. m. Junior B. Y. P. U., 3:00 p. m. Sermon, 8:00 p. m. Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m. REV. E. J. ULMER, Pastor.

GRACE EPISCOPAL—Low celebration, 8:00 a. m. Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. Evening service, 8:00 p. m. St. Andrews Brothers, second Tuesday of each month. Daughters of the King, second Tuesday of each month. Ladies Guild, second Wednesday of each month. REV. W. A. CADE, Rector.

GERMAN LUTHERAN—Preaching, 10:00 a. m. Sunday School, 2 p. m. Ladies Society meets one Thursday in each month. REV. H. MIESSLER, Pastor.

ST. BONAVENTURA CATHOLIC—Sunday services, mass and sermon at 8, 9 and 10:30 o'clock. Sunday school and benediction at 3 o'clock. The 9 o'clock mass is given in Polish and the 8 o'clock mass alternately in German and English. Week day mass every morning at 8 o'clock. Fridays at 3:45 o'clock, stations and benediction. Confessions heard from 4 to 6 o'clock Saturdays and from 7 to 9 on Sunday morning. Confessions also Sunday morning before 8 o'clock mass. FATHER THEOBALD KALAMAJA, Priest.

LODGES.

VASHTI DAUGHTERS OF REBEKAH, No. 168—Meets in Odd Fellows hall, second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Mrs. Maud Dassell, noble grand; Mrs. Fairchild, secretary.

THUSNELDA No. 12, O. D. H. S. meets the second and fourth Monday of each month in K. of P. hall. Alois Maier, president and J. H. Johnson, secretary.

M. W. of A. No. 208.—Meets second and fourth Tuesday in K. of P. hall. Louis Held, V. C., Louis Reeder, secretary.

OCCIDENTAL LODGE, No. 21, K. of P.—Meet every Tuesday in K. P. hall. J. M. Curtis, C. C., F. J. McCoy, secretary.

WILDEY LODGE, No. 44, I. O. O. F.—Meet every Tuesday, Odd Fellows hall. J. E. Pearl, N. G., George Rakosky, secretary.

ROYAL HIGHLANDERS, No. 144.—Meet first and third Friday, Odd Fellows hall. Carl Kramer, C. C., Peter Lashmanger, secretary.

UNIFORM RANK DEPARTMENT I. O. O. F. No. 9.—Meet second and third Monday in Odd Fellows hall. Peter Kavanaugh, Major, Rudolph C. Muller, C. P., J. M. Curtis, Adjutant.

WILL INSIST ON NEUTRALITY

Russian Cruiser Watched by Uncle Sam's Torpedo Boat Destroyer—Japs Suspected of Plot to Blow Up Lena in United States Harbor.

Special Wire to the Daily Journal.

Special to the Columbus Daily Journal, 4 p. m., San Francisco.—The United States destroyer, Paul Jones is guarding the Russian ship, Lena. The United States vessel will protect the Lena from fanatics and compel a strict observance of neutrality. Special efforts will be made to guard against the Japs blowing her up. No arms or ammunition will be allowed her.

MAIL CARRIER IN RUNAWAY.

L. N. Hitchcock, Carrier Rural Route from Platte Center, Cannot Be Located—Team Found with No Driver.

L. N. Hitchcock, the rural mail carrier on the route north from Platte Center, met with what may turn out to be a serious accident. A telephone message from Platte Center at 4:30 this afternoon says that the team and broken mail wagon were found in the Oldenbush neighborhood this afternoon and that no trace of Mr. Hitchcock had at that time been found. Grave fears are entertained as to his fate.

The Line-up.

The ball game between the Court House gang and the Pill Rollers tomorrow afternoon will be witnessed by thousands of the city inhabitants. The line up as given below is enough in itself to guarantee nothing but high class work.

Pill Rollers: Saffron, c; Schreiber, 2b.; Martyn, 1b.; Dack, l. f.; Platz, r. f.; Slater, c. f.; McMahon, 3d b.; Wilson, p.; Cornelius, s.s.

Court house: L. Lachnit, John Ratterman, Jr., C. J. Carrig, H. C. Lachnit, Fin Howard, J. F. Carrig, Fred Plath, Charlie Becher and Perkinson. The court house people would not give the assignment of their positions for fear of stampeding the printers whom they expect to have an opportunity of playing Friday.

Henry Hockenberger, on behalf of the real estate men this morning issued a challenge to the printers in case they shall win from the victors of tomorrow's contest. It looks as if there would be "something doing" in the great national game in Columbus. Hockenberger tried to intimidate his opponents by saying he would play Ed Chambers on first base, Ora Shannon on second, F. T. Walker on third, Koon short stop, while he and young Gus Becher who have been practicing clandestinely back of their office would toss the ball to each other over the plate. He will put Henry Carrig, Hans Elliott and Lutjelusche in the field to run down the home runs.

Real Estate Transfers.

Becher, Hockenberger & Chambers, Real Estate Agents, report the following Real Estate Transfers filed for record in the office of the County Clerk since May 31, 1904.

L. F. Gottschalk to Sophia Herchanhen lts 7&8 blk 179, Col. $200.00; Agnes Frank to H. L. Smith e2, e2 nw,&e2 sw 33-17-3 $1850.00; P. P. Riede to Sarah Reeit lts 1&2 blk 12 Lindsay wd $150.00; Sarah Revit to Emma Riede, same, $1.00 J. W. Byrnes to Jos. Lisco n2 lts 3&4 bl 96 Col. $1850.00; L. H. Holcomb to H. Hansen, lt 8 blk E Monroe qcd $1.00; Clara Borwiak to V. A. Macken, n2 lts 3&4 blk 50 Col. $1400.00; W. L. Cook to Jos. Haney lt 5 blk 152 $350; D. W. Riesland to Jac. Smyer lt 24 blk B Monroe, wd $450.00; A. J. Laurence to Philip Goering, n2 se4 33-19-1 wd $1.00; Baker & Tate to T. Meyer, w2 sw 35-20-2 w Agreem't for Deed $6200.00; Thos. Lavelle to Mich Lavelle e2 sw4 32-17-3 wd $800.00; Jon. Welch to J. H. Kersenbrock, lts 5&6 blk 177, Col., wd $125.00.

District Court.

Last Monday B. P. Duffy filed suit in district court for $1000 damages.

The complaint alleges against August Wagner that on July 30 the defendant assaulted the plaintiff while the latter was "sitting in an arm chair in a court of justice, by striking plaintiff with great violence and fury upon the right temple between the right eye and right ear and under and upon the right eye and on the bridge of the nose, breaking to pieces a pair of spectacles, the broken glass hereof entering the right eye from the effects of which the plaintiff alleges that he suffered great pain, temporary blindness, almost total deafness in one ear besides causing great mental anguish, for all of which he asks the court to grant $10 in damages.

Accident at Lindsay.

Lindsay, Neb., Sept. 13.—(Special) Charley Taylor, a young man of 23 years, who lives 11 miles southeast of here met with a sad accident last Saturday while threshing at Pete Schaas', three miles from town. He caught his arm in the fly wheel of the threshing machine and got it quite badly bruised below the elbow breaking the bones. He was taken to town. Dr. Walker set the injured member and the Dr. thinks he can save the arm.

SEE MCCLINTOCK, THE HORSE man for some well bred Hambletonian drivers and some work horses at the Pat Murry barn. wlt 4t4

Get a Journal wall chart yourself and tell your friends how to get it.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

Dr. Tiessing is an Omaha visitor today.

R. F. Williams of St. Edward was in town Monday.

Theo. Moersen is engaged in the Ragatz grocery store.

Miss Maggie Dineen of Lincoln is visiting Mrs. F. T. Walker.

Mrs. E. Hohl of Albion came down Friday to visit with friends.

George Fairchild was in Omaha yesterday, looking after business.

Judge Reeder went to Central City Monday to hold district court.

J. J. Sullivan and A. M. Post made a professional trip to Schuyler Monday.

Mrs. A. Anderson and baby left last night for a visit to her parents in Ft. Collins.

Mrs. John Walker of Humphrey is visiting her son Frank and family for a few days.

Mrs. G. D. Phillips and grandson Bert returned Monday from a visit to Illinois relatives.

Did anybody see a man in a shirt waist on the street this morning before seven o'clock?

Get your Fall and Winter Dress Goods at E. B. Dunham's while the general sale is on. 2t.

E. H. Chambers and C. H. Sheldon left for Sherman county this afternoon to look at farm lands.

Dr. and Mrs. Hansen returned home this morning from Vinton, Ia. where they have been visiting the doctor's relatives for two weeks.

Ed and John Early are in Lincoln today arranging for John to attend the university. Incidentally they will attend the big circus.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Strother, now of Primrose, came down on the noon train and will remain a few days as guests of Fred Naylor and wife.

Will Oxnam came down from Norfolk to spend the day and visited friends with his father, J. H. Oxnam, the genial mail clerk on the Norfolk train.

Mrs. Wm. Poesch was in Staplehurst Thursday to attend the funeral of the two-year-old daughter of Mrs. Weller. Mrs. Poesch and Mrs. Weller are sisters.

Miss Abbie Cornwell of Burwell, Neb., who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ray Eaton, the past week, left Monday for Fremont where she will attend the Normal.

Messrs Elonzo and Lorel Morgan, cousins of C. J. Garlow, who have been guests here of relatives several weeks, started this morning via the Union Pacific for their home.

Mrs. Chas. Stillman and baby of Lead, S. D. arrived in town Sunday and is visiting relatives here. Mrs. Stillman expects to go next week to St. Louis to remain several days.

Mrs. Jennie Pierce Rogers of Berkley, Cal., who has been spending the summer with her son, E. P. Rogers, and family, started today for Aurora, Ill., where she will spend the winter.

Mesdames J. F. Carrig, Jennie Walker, V. Mackin and Frank Kelley are entertaining this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carrig at a ten-cent tea, the proceeds to be used for church purposes. The hour is from three till six.

The Grand Island Independent Telephone company have completed their lines ready for use and Mr. Everett informs us that he expects to get connection with that city within one month.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Othwaite of Cedar Rapids arrived here yesterday evening and visited until this afternoon with their daughter, Mrs. E. P. Rogers. They were on their return from Bellfourche, S. D.

Mrs. Hale of Kansas City and her two daughters arrived at noon today from a visit to her brother in Watertown, S. D., and friends in Sioux City. Mrs. Hale will visit her mother, Mrs. Daniel Condon, until Saturday.

George Scott received word yesterday of the death on August 27, of his father in Denmark. The deceased had reached the age of eighty-seven. He leaves a family of seven children. Mr. Scott had seen his father but once in forty years.

The leading merchants of Columbus are using the columns of the Daily Journal. Some who did not have time to prepare an "ad" the first day are coming in later. The quick returns from daily advertising appeals to the wide-awake business man.

Fred Bean and bride visited last week with Mr. Bean's parents, Mr. and Mr. Henry Bean, across the river, returning home to Deadwood Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bean arrived Friday and their visit was cut short by the news from home that a sister of Mrs. Bean had suddenly died.

Remember you can get your shoes at E. B. Dunham's, AT COST, during the GREAT SALE. Men's Heavy Fleece lined underwear, 60 cents per Suit always sold at 90 cents and $1.00. Remember every thing goes at cost in every department during this great sale. E. B. Dunham.

Rudolph Kummer had two large plum trees in his yard south of the first ward school entirely stripped of fruit Monday night. The fruit was abundant on the tree and of a fine quality and the thieves evidently knew they were getting a good thing. It is to be hoped that an example will be made of some of the meek thieves of Columbus who have been working their graft successfully for so long.

ROCK ISLAND TRAIN ROBBED OF $20,000

Robbers Get Away with Big Haul in Iowa—Officers Now in Pursuit, with Bloodhounds.

Special Wire to The Daily Journal.

Special to the Columbus Daily Journal, 4 p. m., Davenport, Ia.—A special from Letts, Iowa, says that Rock Island train, number 11, which left Chicago last night, was held up there by five men. The express company's safe was blown open and it is reported that the robbers got between $10,000 and $20,000. Officers, aided by blood hounds, are in hot pursuit.

Army Uniforms Stolen.

One of the most brazen examples of petty larceny ever committed in Columbus is reported by Captain August Wagner. National guard supplies, consisting of leggings, blue shirts and coats, have been missed from Company K's armory for some time, aggregating between $25 and $30 worth. At first no clue could be discovered, and no one thought of suspecting a member of the company. Finally, however, Capt. Wagner's suspicions were aroused and he succeeded in ferreting the matter out.

The name of the culprit is withheld, but when accused he confessed his guilt. The offense is a serious one and has been taken under consideration by Adjutant-General Culver.

Meanwhile Captain Wagner warns the public against buying or wearing any army apparel, for which the law imposes a penalty.

Another member of the company is under suspicion and some interesting developments may follow soon.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed in the city postoffice.

Mrs. Leontine Brown, Harry Brown(2) M.T. Clark, Joseph Dalton, Nate Friend, Joseph Galligan, A. L. McCoy, Jerry O'Conor. Chas. Thomas, Perry Woodcox.

CARL KRAMER, P. M.

ONE MORE SCALP.

Fremont Baseball Boys Receive Some Free Instruction.

Another victory was added to the list of the Columbus base ball team Sunday, when the strong Fremont team was defeated by a score of 8 to 7.

The game was devoid of excitement until the ninth inning. Up to that time the home boys had seven score to Fremont's three, and the game looked like a walk-away. Jim Corbett was officiating in the box for Columbus and had done a good job until the ninth when the cunning departed from his strong right arm and the enemy brought in four runs without losing a man and tied the score. At this critical moment Dad Lohr strolled up from second base and took charge of the feeding end of the machinery. As soon as he got his feet in the box he began tossing the ball around so recklessly that the Fremont laddies lost all track of it and many of them were still striking at it when it was on the way back to the pitcher's box. Jack Corbett completed the circuit, behind the bat, and the estimated time for the round trip was two seconds. The side was retired without any more runs, and Columbus came to the bat in the latter half of the ninth with a tied score. Two men went out and Lohr came to the bat. In the first half of the inning the Fremont pitcher while at the bat had got in the way of Lohr's grapevines and was called out for striking at a dead ball. He now seemed disposed to get even and the first two he sent up made Dad take to the grass to save his ribs. Having thus demoralized the enemy by heavy artillery fire, he sent one close to the plate and Dad rose up and lit on it. The ball was last seen going over the canvas behind the center field and was still rising. Score, Columbus 8, Fremont, 7.

There was some rag-chewing over a decision of the umpire in the first half of the exciting ninth inning when he called out a Fremonter for interfering with Shortstop Jimmy Jones while the latter was in the act of catching a ball. Joe Mahaffey was umpire, and he convinced the Fremont boys that the decision was in accordance with the rules, which declare any man out who interfere with members of the opposing team.

Read the Journal. Get all the news.

Health Hints.

DON'T EAT TOO FAST!

Don't be in a hurry—take plenty of time to properly chew your food. A little rest after meals is a good thing also. There is only one thing to be in a hurry about—make haste to drop into Dack's to see their new hair brushes. They have plenty of them now, but first chance is best you know.

Chas. H. Dack Druggist

Rev. Arthur Cash, brother of Rev. Cash of this city, who has been in charge of the York Episcopal church, arrived in the city Monday evening and will spend the week with relatives here.

The first frost of the season occurred last night, the thermometer registering 35 degrees. C. C. Gray who keeps the government record, says that the frost was a benefit rather than a damage, ripening the corn. A light frost is reported for tonight again.

Cards were received here today, announcing the marriage today, of Mr. Dan P. Oatman and Miss Phreda M. Pilling at LaFayette, Indiana. They will be at home after October 1, in Chicago, Illinois. The friends of Miss Pilling, who is grand daughter of C. Reinke, will wish her a happy future. The bride went to La Fayette about two years ago, and has engaged in a leading hotel there since.

The Episcopal church was beautifully decorated Sunday with flowers and fruit in celebration of the harvest home service. The Sunday service was the first since July in which the chorus choir has participated. The members of that organization have been enjoying a vacation during the summer months. The collection taken in the morning was sent to Clarkson hospital.

C. K. Davies of Kearney, formerly of Columbus, stopped here to-day on his way to Omaha. Mrs. Davies is in Michigan where she was called about three weeks ago by the serious illness of her mother who suffered a stroke of paralysis. Davies thinks he is in the greatest alfalfa country in the world. He tells of four men who alone control 18,000 tons of this years crop. The hay has sold for as high as $8 a ton on track.

Friends of Dr. O. A. Britell of St. Edward will be interested to learn of his marriage last Thursday. The bride was Miss Lottie Cahill of St. Edward. The marriage was solemnized in the Catholic church at Albion by Father Donahue. Dr. Britell was a student of the Columbus high school, leaving here eight years ago to attend the university. Later he graduated from Rush Medical and has since practiced in St. Edward.

The forgeries of W. H. Harroun, president of the Harroun elevator at Kansas City, and part owner of elevator at St. Joe and Omaha, that reach nearly $1,000,000, called our townsman J. N. Heater on a hurry trip to Kansas City this morning. Mr. Heater is general agent of the S. Howes Co. which recently sold Harroun $6,300 worth of elevator machinery for a new elevator in Kansas City. The machinery has not been fully paid for, and Mr. Heater is not certain whether sufficient had been paid under their contract to pass title. At any rate he received a wire last night directing him to hurry to Kansas City.

C. J. Garlow was in Grand Island Monday.

Eber Smith is working with the Pacific Express company.

Charles Jones left Monday for a visit to the St. Louis fair.

Miss Mercedes Lisco returned Saturday from a visit to Norfolk.

Albert Rasmussen is visiting for a few days at the Jenny Bros. cheese factory near Leigh.

Mrs. J. Corbett started today for Alton, Ill., to remain two months with relatives.

Mrs. J. S. Murdock returned Saturday from a visit to her friend, Mrs. Cameron of Genoa.

Edward Mahoney the traveling freight agent for the C. M. & St. P. railroad, was in the city yesterday.

E. G. McGilton of Omaha, republican candidate for lieutenant governor, was in the city yesterday.

Clyde Ward returned home Sunday from Bismark, South Dakota, where he visited his parents.

Miss Forgette of St. Edward was the guest of Miss Ethel Elliott today on her return home from Omaha.

Miss Jessie Leedom, employed on the Albion Argus, was the guest of Miss Emma Zinnecker Monday and Tuesday.

The great sale is still on at the Big Store. (Hulst old stand).
2t. E. B. Dunham.

Mrs. M. K. Turner went to Norfolk yesterday evening to remain a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Rowe.

Mrs. Charley Bloedorn of Platte Center is the guest today of her sister Mrs. L. W. Weaver, and will return on the evening passenger train.

Miss Emma Kersenbrock returned to her work in the Gray dry goods store yesterday after two weeks absence on account of sickness.

George Scheidel of Platte Center was in town yesterday, and Mrs. Scheidel who has been in the city for some time, returned with him in the evening.

Rev. Cash was called to Albion Monday to conduct the funeral services in the afternoon of a child of Rev. McGovern of that city. The infant died Monday morning from cholera infantum.

Otto Kummer celebrated his forty-first birthday in a fitting manner yesterday afternoon at his home on ninth street. A number of relatives were present at a six o'clock dinner and to spend the evening.

The monthly meeting of the Epworth League was held last evening in the league room of the church. The young people decided to organize a "Thimble club" among the members of the league and the church congregation, and will meet each Tuesday evening at homes of the members. The principal object of the club will be to make preparations for a bazaar to be held December 16, when articles suitable for the holiday season will be on sale. A committee was appointed to have the bazaar in charge, which consists of the following named persons: Misses Nellie Mathews, Maggie Zinnecker, Louise Davis, Emma Ragatz, Jennie Jones, Ollie McFarland and Messrs. Albert Colman and Hilliard Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bruen and children of Oldenbusch returned Monday from South Omaha where they attended the Adventist camp meeting. They were the guests Monday of Mr. Bruen's mother, Mrs. Border.

Mrs. Patrick Farley has for several months been suffering from some mental trouble and a few days ago it was found necessary to take her away for treatment. This morning friends went with her to Lincoln where she will receive special medical care. Mrs. Farley has five small children and her condition is exceedingly sad.

Miss Aggie Early entertained a few girl friends Monday evening at a six o'clock luncheon. The refreshments were served in six courses, and Mr. John Early acted as the chef of the occasion in an admirable manner. Nasturtiums were used as the flower decorations, and place cards and menu cards helped to make the table attractive. Those present were: Misses Metta Hensley, Emma Neumarker, Lillie Saffron and Anna Gass.

Julius Nichols in company with Frank Rankin of Shenandoah, Iowa, visited Schuyler yesterday to examine the clay south of that place with the view of establishing a brick yard there. They found the material about what they were looking for, and it is not improbable that there will some time in the near future, be established a yard with Karr, Nichols and Rankin as proprietors. This does not mean that the business of Karr & Nichols will be lessened here by any means as the firm are well pleased with their trade, and have hopes of steadily improving it. This season the yard has made two million brick and expects to burn half as any more before winter. Mr. Rankin, who has been a manufacturer of brick in Shenandoah for fifteen years, recently sold his interests there and expects to invest somewhere in this locality. He has been in the city since last week and is the guest of Mr. Karr, his old time friend.

The festive tented season is once more upon us and our hearts beat in unison with our happy youngsters in the glad anticipation of again witnessing the thrilling acts of trained athletes; the antics of the perennially amusing clowns, the marvelous intelligence of the highly trained animals, and the fearsome, awesome, yet fascinated wonder which thrills our hearts when we gaze upon the wild beasts confined in the menagerie. It is always an event when the ever welcome Norris & Rowe's big shows give exhibitions in this city, and this season more than ever before will the excitement run higher, for to the really splendid show they brought us last season, these clever young managers have added a huge circus world in itself. It contains gymnasts, acrobats, tumblers, equilibrists, clowns, and athletes, whose marvelous flights through the air will prove spectacularly thrilling to the audience. The greater show is just twice as large as it ever was before. It will be given in two rings and upon an elevated stage. A multitude of new features never before presented in this country will be shown. It will contain a menagerie of wild and native beasts performing elephants, camels, lions, tigers, tapirs, llamas, buffaloes, kangaroos, ostriches, elk, deer, ponies, goats and monkeys, but most wonderful of all will be thrilling acts performed high up in mid air by the athletes. Managers Norris and Rowe have secured this season to make good their claim that they have a big circus and though there has been an enormous outlay of capital in order to secure these acts and novelties, no other than the old established scale of prices will prevail. The mammoth new tents will therefore surely hold immense audiences and this way will repay the owners for their generous outlay. The new big shows will give two performances at Columbus, Monday, Sept. 19.

Marriage Licenses.

Judge Ratterman's list of marriage licenses since September 6 is a large one, including the following:

Joseph Bialas, 26, Genoa.
Mary Cielooha, 17, Duncan.
Frank Torcon, 23, Genoa.
Mary Kula, 18, Duncan.
George Edward Kennedy, 22, St. Edward.
Lillian Victoria Cain, 18, Platte County.
Silas Howard Mehn, 22, Creston.
Helen Smith, 20, Creston.
Josepa A. Schmitz, 22, St. Bernard.
Maggie Merten, 19, Cornlea.
Wm. H. Buettner, 22, Cornlea.
Josephine Korth, 18, Lindsay.
Frank Albrecht, 24, St. Bernard.
Isabella Schaefer, 20, St. Bernard.
John J. Crementhal, 23, Platte Center.
Emma M. Schroeder, 23, Columbus.

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On Sept. 1, 3, 4, 6, 8, 11, 13, 15, 20, 22, 27, and 29, the Union Pacific will run special Coach Excursions from Columbus to St. Louis and return at the low rate of $11.50. Tickets will have final return limits of seven days, good only in day coaches on any train, regular or special. Illustrated guide to Fair free on application.

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Many Years Ago.

(From files of Journal January 18, 1871.)

Hon. H. J. Hudson, we notice, on the following committees in the House of representatives; county boundaries and county seats; immigration; and chairman of the committee on corporation. Mr. Hudson has given notice of a bill for a general herd law, also a bill changing time of terms of district court in Platte county. Hon. Leander Gerrard is on the committees on judiciary, apportionment, public buildings, counties and state lands.

The county commissioners have been called to hold a special meeting for the purpose of providing fuel for the court house. It has been suggested to us to remind the commissionery that by close investigations they may find several fires running at the court house that the county has no business to provide for. The county finances are not in the best of shape, owing in part to the non-payment of railroad tax; under these circumstances it becomes the commissioners not to try to "draw blood from a turnip."

(From files January 25, 1871.)

E. R. Dean tells us they have organized in his neighborhood, a school consisting of twenty-one pupils under the care of John Brown as teacher. This district is a large one, being six by nine miles in extent.

Judge Coolidge of Glenwood, Iowa, father of our townsman H. P. Coolidge, died at his home January 13, 1871. Mr. Coolidge was one of the original proprietors of his home town, was the first postmaster, and served the county two terms as county judge.

Our first rain since October last came down on Sunday of this week.

Chas. Davis is doing carpenter work on an addition to Mr. Stevens office.

At O. E. Sterns claim beyond Shell Creek a well is being sunk and at a depth of forty-five feet they have found the same formation of soil as at the surface.

On the 6th of January fifteen men started from Columbus to explore the Loup Fork country—some with an eye to any stray game that might be lurking around, and others with a mind to business in the land line. Of the latter was our friend James E. North who made the trip with a view of looking out locations for colonies. He tells us that the trip extended as far west as the fork of the main Loup with the North Branch. It is a fine country, splendid land and timber. The reservation and the land west of it as far as the party went, is spoken of as equaling the best in the state.

We desire to call attention of the proper authorities to the fact that the frontier settlements of Nebraska from the Niobrara southward to the Platte need to be protected from the depredations of strolling Indians and straggling marauders of doubtful blood and character. A two company post would, perhaps, be sufficient, and of all the available stations we regard the North Bench at a point forty or fifty miles from its mouth as the best. It is centrally located and is in the Indian range.

At the Opera House.

The funny New England comedy, "Uncle Josh Spruceby" will be the next big event at the North Opera house commencing Tuesday Sept 20. This charming drama is a series of pictures of New England life on the farm, and the troubles of "Uncle Josh" in making a visit to New York are incidently touched upon; the characters are all taken from Vermont rural life and are true to nature, the play containing a mixture of pathos and humor. Special scenery is used to mount the different scenes, and the great saw mill scene used in this production is the most realistic piece of stage mechanism ever presented. Twenty people are in the company. In the cities visited this season the press are lavish in their praise of the production. Many new and catchy specialties are presented. A solo operatic orchestra and a big band are the musical features. A big parade is given at noon daily and the concert of popular music rendered by band is very popular and attracts large crowds.

Boone County Fair.

We are in receipt of the 20th annual premium list of the Boone County Fair to be held at Albion, September 27 to 30, inclusive. There are no better grounds in the state, supplied with an abundance of good water.

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