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MANY YEARS AGO.

File of The Journal March 28, 1877.
We learn that arrangements are being made to establish a ferry across the Loup, opposite Silver Creek.

The apprehension of the Pawnee reservation was to begin the first of April, but the recent severe illness of Al Swain of Iowa, may delay it until after that date.

We make the following notes of an interview with A. J. Arnold, who returned on Thursday last from the Hills Starting on Monday of last week, he arrived in Sidney in three and one-half days, whereas a party starting the Friday before, and going the Cheyenne route, reached there twelve hours later. The Sidney route is the best, and is probably the route for the proposed railroad. H. G. Rockefellow is superintendent of the stage line from Sidney; the coaches are new, and everything in good shape. There has been a good deal of snow in the Hills lately. Joe Strother, Dr. Kelley and Jas. Hudson have been prospecting on Bear Butte Creek. At the Hidden Treasure, near Gayville, a ten-stamp mill averages \$6,000 a week—the rock proves immensely rich. Queer names for creeks—Split Tail, Bob White, Black and Sheep Tail. Four hundred head of cattle and 600 sheep were recently stolen by Indians but recovered by soldiers. The Black Hills country will be overrun and all kinds of business overdone. Parties going to the Hills had better take six months provisions. A good bed of coal, equal to the Rock Springs, has been discovered on the Belle Fourche.

Census Enumerators.

So far the census enumerators for Platte county, which is incomplete, is as follows:

First and Second wards, Columbus—P. J. McCaffrey.

Third and Fourth wards, Columbus—Maurice Whitmoyer.

Columbus township—Geo. Winslow.

Bismarck Fred Cattan.

Sherman J. H. Lueschen.

Lost Creek—Ed Luscheski.

Sheld Creek Wm. Connor.

Public Sale of Livery Stock.

Having recently purchased the Vogel Livery stock, will offer same for sale Saturday, March 26, 1910, at 2 p. m. Sale to be held in front of the old Clothier barn. This stock consists of horses, buggies, harness, whips, robes, etc., and will positively be sold to the highest bidder.

DINEEN, RUBENDALL & YOUNG,
Owners.

Attend the after supper sale at Gray's next Saturday.

All the latest shades and styles in

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D. C. KAVANAUGH

April 25 is the date that has been selected by the council for the special election for the Platte river bridge bonds. The ordinance has been read twice and will come up for the final reading Wednesday evening. The amount asked for is \$25,000, and at the same time the township will be asked to vote \$5,000 to assist in the building of the bridge. At the meeting of the supervisors last week a committee from the city waited on them and asked for assistance in the repairing of the structure, and the board voted to expend \$5,000 for that purpose. With amount asked for the structure can be repaired so that it will be permanent, as the idea is to use the same construction as the spans built during the winter. The inability of people living in Polk county to get to Columbus deprives our merchants of much trade that always comes here, and it is also a great inconvenience to those who live closer to Columbus than the other towns, as they are compelled to go further to do their trading.

Arrangements have been completed for the remodeling of the three buildings at the corner of Twelfth and Olive streets, which includes the First National Bank on the corner and the Gass and Schubert buildings north of it. The bank building will be reconstructed and a brick wall replace the present one, being of pressed brick, and the fronts of the two other buildings will correspond with this one. The upstairs of the Gass building, and the second story to be constructed on the Schubert building will also contain offices. Entrances to the second story of these buildings will be on Twelfth street. While the remodeling of their building is in progress the bank will occupy the temporary structure on Olive street moved from the rear of the Meridian hotel, and the Postal telegraph company which at present occupies a portion of the bank building will be housed in temporary quarters in the street south of their present location.

Fire starting from an unknown cause was discovered Friday evening in the building south of the Friedhof store. About four months ago, when the building was occupied by the Palmer dye and cleaning works, an explosion set it on fire, and it was partially burned. Since that time it has been vacant and the day before the fire was sold by the owner, V. H. Weaver, to P. F. Miller, for \$50. Miller had made arrangements to have it torn down this week, and save what he could. Since the fire he has commenced work on it and is having it torn down. For awhile it looked as though the Friedhof store would be damaged, and but for the fact that the clerks were on the top floor at the time the fire was discovered and closed the iron shutters, their damage would have been considerable. Their loss, however, been considerable. Their loss, however, was recovered by soldiers. The Black Hills country will be overrun and all kinds of business overdone. Parties going to the Hills had better take six months provisions. A good bed of coal, equal to the Rock Springs, has been discovered on the Belle Fourche.

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Last week the board of supervisors appointed W. T. Strother of Monroe a member of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief commission to take the place of R. L. Rosister, who has removed from the county. The term of the appointment is three years.

Dr. Naumann, Dentist 13 St.
Dr. Morrow, office Lueschen building.
Easter Millinery at Gray's.

For your Easter hat, go to Mrs. Nugent's.

Four room house for rent. Elliott, Speice & Co.

The latest styles in hats for Easter at Mrs. Nugent's.

For Sale—A small cash register.—Phillips & Rudat.

For boys' and young men's suits, see Gerharz-Flynn Co.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Mrs. F. K. Strother.

Dr. C. A. Allenburger, office in new State Bank building.

Drs. Carstensen & Hyland, Veterinarians. Both phones 212.

Dr. W. R. Neumarker, office with Dr. G. D. Evans, west side of Park.

Easter Gloves at Gray's.

Mrs. Wm. Moore of Genoa was a Columbus visitor Sunday at the home of her parents.

Take a look at those nobby spring suits, from \$10.00 to \$25.00, at The Gerharz-Flynn Co.

Lester Westcott of Creston was a guest at the home of his brother, Ross Westcott, Saturday.

Harry E. Mowery, who is employed as cook at the Iver Grand in Omaha, came up Monday on a business trip.

There will be English Easter services at the German Lutheran church next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Editor D. J. Poynter of the Albion Argus was in the city Monday, enroute to Indiana to attend the funeral of a friend.

Found—On the road between Columbus and Platte Center, a lap robe. Call at Journal office, identify robe and pay for this notice.

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Dra. Paul and Matzen, Dentists.

Easter hosiery at Gray's.

Dr. Vallier, Osteopath, Barber block.

Dr. G. A. Ireland, State Bank bldg.

First-class printing done at the Journal office.

Ladies Easter Neckwear at Gray's.

Easter hats, see the new creation at Mrs. Nugent's.

Dr. Chas. H. Campbell, oculist and surgist, 1215 Olive street.

For Unions, try a superior, a perfect fit, at Gerharz-Flynn Co.

For fine watch, clock and jewelry repairing, try Carl Froemel, the Eleventh street jeweler.

The homes of E. G. Malone and Peter Uraysen have been quarantined for scarlet fever during the last week.

Christ Biens of this city has been summoned as a member of the federal grand jury, which meets in Omaha.

Try a pair of the Interwoven toe and heel hose. They beat anything you ever saw for wear, at The Gerharz-Flynn Co.

Y. M. C. A. Wednesday March 30 Sarah Wathena Brown and Chicago Boy Choir. A musical treat.

Wanted—District manager with headquarters at Columbus. A grand opportunity for the right man. Address in confidence, Life, P. O. Box 163, New York City.

Columbus bowlers defeated the Fremont team at the Hagel alleys last Saturday evening, the score of the teams being Columbus, 2618; Fremont, 2342.

The line up for the teams was Columbus, Kavanagh, Gutzmer, Sawyer, Osborn, Nichols, the same team that bowled at St. Louis. Fremont was represented by Hammond, Lucas, Koepenick, Wright, Douglas. In the doubles Fremont was victorious. Hammond and Lucas defeating Kavanagh and Sawyer by a score of 1915 to 1787. Both Columbus and Fremont teams go to Omaha for Sunday, where Columbus and Fremont will bowl, and later the Columbus team will bowl with the celebrated Metz team, the champions of Nebraska.

The Spanish Orchestra, which will appear at the North Theatre on Sunday evening, March 27th, is attracting considerable attention among the music loving people of the city. This sacred recital will take place immediately following the evening services in the churches of the city, and in consequence the opening overture will not begin until 8:30. As before stated the proceeds of this entertainment here will be applied to a fund for the entertainment of delegates to the state reunion of Spanish American war veterans to be held in this city April 26th and 27th. The orchestra will be assisted by Frederick Irving, baritone, formerly leading man with Shuman-Heink, in the rendition of "Lovers Lottery."

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