

THE SPIRIT OF KANSAS.

LAWRENCE, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1877.

Patrons Department.

OFFICERS OF THE NATIONAL GRANGE. Master—John T. Jones, Helena, Arkansas. Secretary—O. H. Kelley, Louisville, Kentucky. Treasurer—F. M. McDowell, Wayne, N. Y.

OFFICERS OF THE KANSAS STATE GRANGE. Master—W. Sims, Topeka, Shawnee county. Overseer—J. F. Willis, Osakloosa, Jefferson county. Lecturer—J. T. Stevens, Lawrence, Douglas county.

DEPUTIES. Commissioned by M. E. Hudson, Master Kansas State Grange since the last session: W. S. Hanna, General Deputy, Ottawa, Franklin county, Kansas.

POMONA GRANGES. 1. Shawnee county, Geo. W. Clark master, H. H. Wallace secretary, Rockford, Mo. 2. Cowley county, J. O. Vanarsdall master, C. C. Coon secretary, Littlefield.

LIST OF AGENCIES IN KANSAS. Marion county—Marion Warehouse and Shipping Co. Sedgewick county—Patron's District Commercial Agency. Montgomery County Commercial Agency.

From Lyon County.

EDITOR SPIRIT:—The all absorbing theme seems to be what can we do to make farming pay. Now, one of the great drawbacks to agriculture is cheaper transportation from the producer to the consumer—and how can we get it?

I remember while I lived in Illinois, I raised and threshed a car load of wheat, loaded it upon wagons and took it to market; the buyers met me, climbed upon the wagon, looked at the wheat and offered me forty cents per bushel; the wheat was a little damp, and told them they could not have it; that I would ship it to Chicago myself and take my chances.

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EDITOR SPIRIT:—Perhaps you will allow space in your valuable paper for a few items from Emporia Grange, which, as the new year advances, seems to gain new life and energy.

From Greenwood County. EDITOR SPIRIT:—Thinking that a few lines from these parts might not be without interest, I would say that on my return from Manhattan I found but few granges at work; feeling it my duty to go around and see what interest could be worked up, I proceeded to visit such granges as were considered dormant; and, with the aid of Bro. Cochrane, I feel that our work has not been in vain, for all the granges that we have visited have gone to work again with the full determination to win or go down with the ship.

From Doniphan County.

EDITOR SPIRIT:—Doniphan County Grange met here-to-day (as per action of its last session in Troy) for the installation of the county officers. W. D. Rippey, Master; S. W. Hinkley, Secretary; A. Lazarek, Lecturer; etc., etc.

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EDITOR SPIRIT:—Jefferson County Pomona Grange met at 2 o'clock, on the 10th inst., with eighty-five members present. Between thirty and forty new members were admitted. Afternoon the new officers were installed. Bro. Kahlmann officiating. A feast provided by the sisters was hugely enjoyed as usual.

From Anderson County. EDITOR SPIRIT:—I herewith send names of officers elect of Pearl Grange for the ensuing year: D. D. Judy, Master; B. Baker, Overseer; J. Adams, Lecturer; H. B. Gardner, Steward; H. H. Hiner, Assistant Steward; D. Fraker, Chaplain; R. B. Stafford, Treasurer; M. B. Adams, Secretary; P. P. Hiner, Gate-keeper; Mrs. M. A. Baker, Ceres; Mrs. A. E. Adams, Pomona; Mrs. M. M. Gardner, Flora; Miss M. L. Baker, Lady Assistant Steward.

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Kansas State News.

The town of Columbus has got a nest of thieves. They work day and night. Industrious citizens... The government has purchased 100,000 bushels of corn at Junction City for the post in Indian Territory... A MERCHANT in Wichita recently received an order for goods written in Hebrew, from the banks of the classic Cowskin, in Sedgewick county...

Town property has been selling freely in the past two weeks and prices are looking up. Owners are holding lots at stiff prices and a number contemplate erecting business rooms... THE Daily Commonwealth publishes the following euphonious personal written by a correspondent: February the 15th 77... DR. C. McLANE'S CELEBRATED LIVER PILLS... Symptoms of a Diseased Liver... AGUE AND FEVER... GRAPE VINES...

CENTAUR LINIMENTS. One kind for the Human Family. The other for Horses and Animals. These Liniments are simply the wonder of the world. Their effects are little less than marvelous... THE White Liniment is for the human family. It will drive Rheumatism, Spasms and Neuralgia from the system; cures Lumbago, Chills, Lock-jaw, Palsy, Itch, and most Cutaneous Eruptions... HONEY... ELEVATOR... GRAIN STORAGE... COMMISSION... MERCHANTS... STEAMBOAT AGENTS... And Manufacturers' Agents... DR. E. H. WILSON, DENTIST... LAWYER... STEVENS' PATENT EGG CASES... TO BE DRAWN FIRST, FEB. 17th & 18th... KANSAS CITY, MO.

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CONGRAD PATRONS.

Bro. M. N. Everitt, president of the Patrons' Commercial Agency, of the State of Colorado, visited our city this week for the purpose of making arrangements with the Patrons' Co-operative Association of Douglas county, for the shipment of Kansas corn to Denver to supply the agency which he represents.

The grange in the infant State of Colorado is making rapid strides toward the accomplishment of valuable ends in the establishment of institutions through which the order may buy and sell, and save to themselves the immense profits heretofore extorted by the commercial sharks.

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I will be in Linn county Monday, February 26th; will spend three or four days in that county, the time and places of meeting to be fixed by Bro. J. S. Payne.

J. T. STEVENS, State Lecturer.

FROM STATE MASTER.

EDITOR SPIRIT:—Under existing circumstances, and in view of the very generally expressed desire of unaffiliated members to be restored to good standing in our order and to membership in some subordinate grange, it becomes necessary to make known and publish, for the benefit of those interested, and for the information and guidance of all subordinate granges in this State, the following, to-wit:

First. Members who have become unaffiliated by reason of the suspension or revocation of charter of any subordinate grange can join another grange, in the following manner, to-wit: They will first ascertain and pay into the treasury of the State grange, through the State secretary, the amount due from them respectively to their subordinate grange, at the time of such suspension or revocation of charter, together with fee of twenty-five cents.

TRAVELS OF STATE LECTURER.

Last Monday we took the train for Osage county. On arriving at Carbondale, Bro. John Rehrig met us at the depot and escorted us to a hall, where we found a goodly number of Patrons waiting to hear what we had to say on the great work of co-operation.

that was encouraging indeed. Although it was eight miles from the depot, snowing, and about as dark as day, yet, notwithstanding all this, upon our approach our ears were greeted with the music of one of the stirring grange songs, and upon entering the hall we found it filled with anxious Patrons awaiting our coming, and among the number about thirty sisters.

Need we say to the Patrons of the State, that one such grange as this in each county is worth far more than twenty half dormant ones; neither do we have to say that the members of this grange take papers devoted to their interest, and read them, and keep themselves posted on all subjects pertaining to their best interest and welfare.

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GENERAL NEWS.

ON Tuesday last a deaf man, named Gutz, was walking on a railroad track in St. Louis, and overtaken by a train, was killed.

THE banking house of King & Son in William street, New York City, was robbed last Saturday afternoon, of two tin boxes containing \$475,000, while a member of the firm was unlocking the safe to lodge the boxes therein.

THE Miners' Trust and Safe Deposit Bank, and the Northumberland Company's Bank of Shamakin, Pa., suspended payment on the 17th inst. The bank officers claim that at the time of the suspension of the Miners' Trust and Safe Deposit Bank, its deposits were large.

A DISPATCH from Washington, of the 20th, says: "Rear Admiral Louis M. Goldsborough died this morning of typhoid pneumonia. This makes the sixth death among the rear admirals within four or five weeks. The funeral services over the remains of the late Rear Admiral Davis, took place to-day in St. John's Church.

TUESDAY morning dispatches, from St. Louis, say: "About noon yesterday Col. Fred. Meyer, United States revenue agent of this city, was shot and dangerously wounded at Warren town, Mo., by Nat. C. Dryden, a young lawyer of Troy, Mo. The affair was purely personal. Meyer was shot in the mouth, the ball lodging in the back of the neck.

OUR State Senate on Tuesday passed a bill amending the dram shop act, which in effect closes all saloons in the State during the day time but allows them to be open after six o'clock p. m. It is believed it will pass the House. In the House, a bill making appropriations for the executive department was considered and passed. The bills making appropriations for the normal schools at Leavenworth and Emporia, were defeated in committee of the whole.

DISPATCHES from St. Louis, of the 19th, say the great bridge across the Mississippi was partially destroyed by fire. The damage to the bridge will not exceed \$50,000 which is fully covered by insurance. About eight hundred feet of the carriage-way approach which was mostly of wood, was destroyed. The railroad floor and approach is not badly damaged and trains will be crossing in three or four days. There will be no interruption to travel, as all passengers and freight will be transferred by ferry.

A DISPATCH from St. Paul, Minn., of the 17th inst., gives the following: "At Minneapolis, this evening, about 6:30 o'clock, Wm. H. Sidel, assistant cashier of the St. Paul National Bank of that city, was shot in the head and mortally wounded, by a young woman named Kate Noonan. Sidel was a young man highly connected and the affair creates a great deal of excitement. Miss Noonan claims that Sidel had seduced her. The shooting occurred on the street in front of the Nicollet hotel, and was witnessed by several persons. The woman was immediately arrested, but betrays no remorse for her deed. Sidel died soon after twelve o'clock this morning.

THE latest from Chicago is as follows: "A combination of the distillers of the entire country, embracing nearly every important establishment in the United States, has been formed for the purpose of self-protection and for pooling their earnings. Their plan is to deposit ten cents for each gallon of taxable spirits that is manufactured, and to divide the sum thus accruing semi-monthly among all distillers in proportion to the capacity of their several distilleries. It is immaterial whether any is still in operation or not, the proprietor receives his proportion of this deposit the same as if he was running. It is expected that in this way the market price of whiskey will be raised to a figure at which money can be made. The smaller distillers are glad to form such an alliance, as at the present rate they are actually losing money. The larger distillers keep the prices below their lowest rates."

A DISPATCH from Washington, of the 20th, concerning the electoral count is substantially as follows: "At 1:25 p. m. the Senate and House met in joint convention. The presiding officer said that the two houses, acting separately, had considered and decided the objections to the certificates from the State of Louisiana, and that the action of each House would not be read. This having been done, the presiding officer announced that the two houses, not having decided otherwise, the decision of the commission would stand in force, and he directed the tellers to declare the vote of Louisiana. Senator Anthony, one of the tellers, thereupon announced that Louisiana had given eight votes for Hayes, for president, and eight votes for Wheeler, for vice-president. There were no manifestations of any kind at the announcement and the opening and counting of certificates proceeded with the State of Maine, giving seven votes for Hayes and Wheeler; Maryland and Massachusetts were counted; Michigan coming next, Mr. Tucker, of Michigan, rose and presented objections to counting the vote of Crossman, one of the electors, declaring that one Benton Hanchett, having been elected one of the electors, and holding the office of U. S. commissioner, had absented himself from the meeting of the electors on the 6th day of December and that his place should have been filled by other electors. He claimed that Crossman had not been duly appointed elector.

The objections are signed by Senators Norwood, Wallace, Barnum and Hereford, and by Representatives A. S. Williams, Tucker, Nash, McMahan, Rice, Sparks, Savage and Hurd. The presiding officer then asked if there were any further objections, and then the Senate withdrew to let the objections be considered and acted on by each house separately. The Senate having returned upon the objections offered by Mr. Tucker, to counting the vote of Crossman, elector from Michigan. Michigan was finally counted for Hayes and Wheeler, and the counting was then continued until Nevada was reached, when objection was made to the vote of elector R. M. Daggett, on the ground that he was at the time of his appointment, and for a long time previously and thereafter continued to be, United States commissioner for the circuit and district courts of the United States in the district of Nevada. The Senate then withdrew and the House took a recess.

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The grain market in Kansas City has been very quiet during the past week. Prices advanced a fraction on wheat. The receipts have been sufficient only to supply the mills and it has been bought up as fast as received.

In St. Louis and Chicago, wheat of grades No. 2, 3 and 4 declined about two cents from last week's quotations.

Corn is dull, and a fraction lower in most markets.

Oats, rye and barley do not vary much from previous quotations.

In the Kansas City live stock department there has been a slight decline, reports from Chicago being unfavorable. Cattle have been weak in all grades, with more on hand on Tuesday than were sold.

The hog market has been dull during the past week, but fluctuated a little.

The most noticeable change during the week has been the decline in provisions, especially pork and lard.

The Times says the past week has witnessed considerable revival in the general merchandise trade of Kansas City. Dry goods are reported active and very firm on all eastern fabrics, with an advance of one-fourth to one-half cent on certain brands of prints and sheetings. Hardware has been very active. Agricultural implements, seeds, and farm wagons are in demand. The leather trade was never better.

The excitement about a possible war in Europe in the spring has all died away; but Russia as well as Turkey is still accumulating munitions of war. Those countries have purchased several million dollars worth of arms from New England manufacturers.

The demand from England for hatched beef is increasing. It is now proposed to extend the business to Mexico. Sheep will be slaughtered in Texas and shipped in carloads to New York.

Farm and Stock.

Forcing Early Maturity.

High feeding is the basis of thorough farming. This applies alike to the crop in the field and the live stock in the barnyard...

The breeders of improved sheep pursue the same system in maintaining or increasing the largest amount and best quality of wool. There is no doubt that these improved methods of feeding are vastly more profitable than the system, as old as nature herself...

Our domestic animals are much more liable to disease than formerly, and it is reasonably certain that high living is the cause. A fat life produces the same effect on the domestic animal in the barnyard as on men and women.

How to Make Hot-Beds.

In the preparation of a hot-bed I advise the following course: Take manure from the stable, if possible; but where it has been thrown out during the winter it will do, provided it has not been much heated.

frame and fill in with good, light soil to the depth of six inches; spread over it old blankets or straw, and leave it until the soil gets quite warm, when it will be ready for the seed.

After the plants are up, they should be watered every day, and well covered at night while there is danger of freezing. The sash must be raised a little when the sun is shining warm, or the plants may wither from excessive heat...

To have hot-bed plants in good time, the work should be commenced by the 25th of February, or before; but better the middle of March, than not at all.

Fattening Animals.

A very common error among farmers, which needs correction, is the opinion that animals may be fattened in a few weeks and fitted for market by heavy feeding, or, as it is termed, by pushing. Many farmers do not think of beginning to fatten their hogs or cattle for early winter market until autumn has actually commenced.

Surgery for Domestic Animals.

Farmers should know that a broken bone may be set and the injury cured in a dumb animal, as well, considering their different natures as in a human being. I once saved a young horse which got well and strong after his hind leg was broken, and not long ago had a year old heifer which had her hind leg broken above the hock joint.

Cheese

Mr. Arnold a famous New York dairyman, gives the following characteristics of properly ripened cheese: "Well-ripened cheese has no elasticity when pressed with the finger; it feels as if breaking under the pressure, and the dent remains; it has a silky, oily appearance when worked between the thumb and finger, and melts on the tongue like a ripe pear; the cut surface remains soft and oily for a long time, not readily drying up."

John Breese of Johnson county, Iowa, recently sold eighty-six hogs averaging three hundred and fifty pounds. Robert Davis, of the same county, raised eighty-six that weighed three hundred and eighty-nine pounds.

Veterinary Department.

EDITOR SPIRIT:—Having seen several diseases of horses described (with their cure) in your valuable paper, I take the liberty of stating one; asking the cause, and cure, if there is any. Mr. Olson had a horse which has been ailing about three months; the symptoms were as follows: Sudden attacks of dizziness which would last from one to three hours; at such times the horse would stagger and fall like a drunken man; appetite failing all the time.

ANSWER.—The horse, was troubled with indigestion, which had been of so long standing that the whole system had become deranged. An unusual flow of blood to the head affected the brain of the animal and caused the staggers you speak of, and ultimately death. Inaction, irregular feeding, or feed in large quantities, overwork, etc., will cause indigestion. Should other animals be affected, the following will be found efficacious in regulating the system: Powdered asafoetida, two ounces; powdered golden seal, four ounces; powdered cascara bark, eight ounces; powdered sulphate iron, two ounces; cantharides, two drachms; mix well together in two pounds of shorts, and give one table-spoonful twice a day.

Measles in Pigs.

Pigs are subject to a disease called measles, which is believed to render the flesh unwholesome. The measles are very prevalent, though seldom fatal; and if not checked, affect the grain of the meat, which may commonly be seen in the shape of a faded color, and the flesh punctured as if with very small holes. The commencement of the disease appears in languor and decline of the appetite, followed by small pustules in the throat, together with red and purple eruptions, more distinct after death than during the life of the animal.

It is idle to talk of cure in a disease of this nature. Generally speaking, even if the animals be in health, a small quantity of nitre and sulphur, occasionally mixed up with their food, besides stimulating their appetite, will frequently prevent disease; neither can we too much insist on cleanliness, nor upon the punctual regularity of feeding at stated times.

About the first of last October my horse's legs, all at once, in fact in one night, swelled up, from the hoof to the gambrel and knee joint. I thought, perhaps, his water was bad. I gave him gaulther salts, and once or twice a weak rosin, and it seemed to have a good effect for a time; but it would go and come. When he was driven he acted clumsy, and would perspire very easily; but he would always eat his regular allowance. But after a few weeks I would find a small lump in his throat; this would go and come. When his legs were swelled his throat would be all right, and vice versa.

or anything of the kind. Be kind enough to prescribe. ANSWER.—The skin covering the throat should be severely swathed, or the larynx will be involved and irreparable injury done. The tincture of cantharides, diluted with an equal part of spirits turpentine and a little oil, should be rubbed in with a sponge until it produces irritation of the skin, which in a few hours will be followed by a discharge from the part, thus causing a reaction. Six or eight drachms of nitre may also be dissolved in the water which the horse drinks. Sometimes eating gives less pain than drinking, in which case the nitre may be given with a bran mash, instead of in the water.—Turf, Field and Farm.

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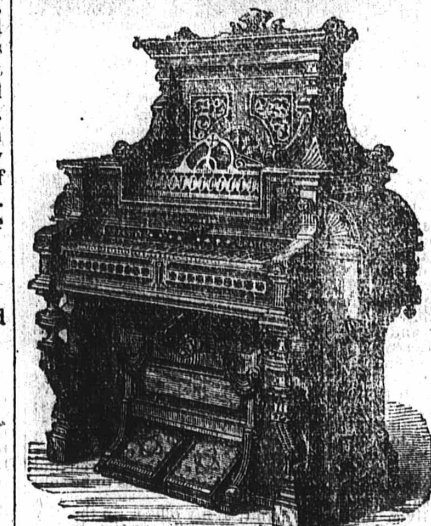
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BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF SALE TO ME directed, and issued out of the Fourth Judicial District Court, in and for the County of Douglas, State of Kansas, in the above entitled case, I will on Monday, the 26th day of February, A. D. 1877.

At 1 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Lawrence, county of Douglas, State of Kansas, offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest whatsoever of the said S. N. Simpson, Kate L. Simpson and Hiram Hill, and each of them in and to the following described premises, to wit: Lots number four (4) and five (5), in block number four (4), in South Lawrence, Douglas county, Kansas; appraised at one hundred (\$100) dollars.

At 1 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Lawrence, county of Douglas, State of Kansas, offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest whatsoever of the said defendants, Bernard Leonard, Sophia Leonard, John F. Schott, H. B. McKim, J. H. Tennent, E. G. Hunter, guardian of the estate of Arthur White, and J. D. Smith and F. E. Boswell, partners as Smith & Boswell, and each of them in and to the following described premises, to wit: Lot number fifty-three (53), Vermont street, in the city of Lawrence, county of Douglas, State of Kansas; appraised at twelve hundred (\$1200) dollars.

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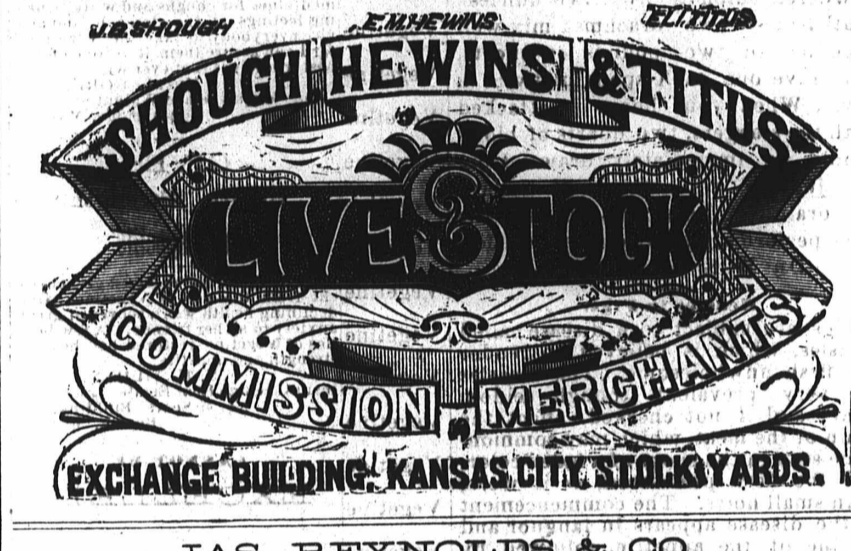
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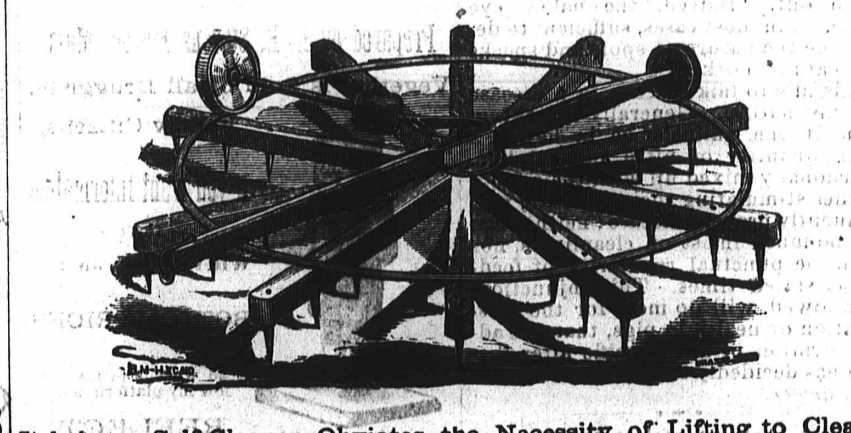
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