



THE SPIRIT OF KANSAS.

LAWRENCE, WEDNESDAY, FEB. 23, 1881.

Patrons' Department.

NATIONAL GRANGE.

Master—J. J. Woodman, of Michigan. Secretary—Wm. M. Ireland, Washington, D. C. Treasurer—F. M. McDowell, Wayne, N. Y. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. Henley James, of Indiana. D. W. Aiken, of South Carolina. S. H. Ellis, of Ohio.

KANSAS STATE GRANGE.

Master—Wm. Sims, Topeka, Shawnee county. Secretary—George Black, Olathe, Johnson Co. Treasurer—W. P. Eppene, Topeka. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE. W. H. Jones, Holton, Jackson county. Levi Dumbauld, Hartford, Lyon county. W. H. Toothaker, Cedar Junction.

A Grumbler Seeks Relief.

It was my good fortune to be present two days at the Utica session of the New York State Grange, and being a member from another state had much interest to compare the work with that of our own and other state granges that I have visited, and any remarks that I may make are intended to be for the "good of the order" and not for the purpose of finding fault. It was some time before I could get my call at the gate answered, but afterward found that the delay was occasioned by the fact that to the duties laid down in the ritual for the gate-keeper it was required that he should be on the floor to second all motions.

The steward was not at his post, and in reply to my inquiry for the overseer the man who came to let me in said I "needn't mind about the overseer." It was some time before I could realize that I was among "grangers," as the sense of sight furnished no evidence. Through my whole attendance I did not see a particle of regalia, not even a P. of H. pin, nor a single officer in his or her appointed place. You are well aware that a great many "sub-grangers" are decidedly opposed to what they call the "fol-de-rol" of the order, and would do away with all the ritual work and regalia, and would, no doubt, gladly follow the example of the New York State Grange. I am somewhat of a stickler for forms and ceremonies, and would not willingly omit one "jot or tittle" of the written or unwritten law of the order. But how can the practice of the forms be enforced in subordinate granges if neglected entirely in the state grange? The opera-house was not a fit place for the grange, even had it been kept comfortably warm. It seems to me that your steward could have found in so large a place as Utica a hall that could have been suitably arranged and quite as accessible to the hotel. Aside from the look of the thing I very gladly give testimony that it was a very successful state grange session, and compares favorably with any one I ever attended.

The master seemed well qualified, and was well supported by the grange; his rulings were cheerfully accepted and an entire absence of technicality and rising to points of order rendered the session harmonious. The reports of the committees were able essays on the subjects committed for their consideration, and their recommendations and appeals to legislation show confidence in the justice of their demands. The reports were all of a high order, and need not be here reviewed, as I understand that the executive committee, under the authority of the grange, are to publish selections from the reports in the *Husbandman* and will distribute fifty thousand copies through the state. This is certainly a good idea, for it will do more good than ten times the cost expended in paying the expenses of lecturers. These reports are full expositions of the objects of the order, and will be a rich fund of information to those who desire to know what the grange is trying to accomplish. An affecting scene was the acceptance of the resignation of Bro. Bishop, chairman of your executive committee, who, in changing his residence, sorrowfully sundered his connection with the New York State Grange. Proud must any man be to have been deemed worthy of such a place in the affections of the order. Tokens of respect were not wanting, but as member succeeded member in adding their tribute of regard it was apparent that his chief place was in their hearts. I was at considerable inconvenience to attend an evening session which was to be devoted to the "Trade Association," but I was anxious to learn its "ways," and was much disappointed, for although there was a good deal said there seemed to be great reluctance to lay bare its inner workings. One brother (Connell, if I remember his name) was quite aggressive in his pursuit of knowledge, but failed to develop the mysteries of what he called the "wheel within the wheel." I heard much dissatisfaction expressed with the result, there being just enough said to create a suspicion that there was something under the whole matter that was not right. Having no personal interest in the Trade Association, I can be impartial in my judgment, and am free to say that I think the dissatisfaction resulted from the fact that those who were speaking in its behalf did not exactly understand what the questioners desired to get at. According to their statement the association has been some years at work, and has purchased for members of the order several million dollars' worth of goods, and has never received any pay for its services, its expenses being paid by a small annual assessment levied on the granges that belong to the association. It is certainly of great benefit, and ought to be imitated in every state.—P. of H., in *Husbandman*.

PARENTS will find the A. S. T. Co. Black Tip not objectionable as the metal was, while it will wear as well. By asking for it on their children's shoes they can reduce shoe bills one-half.

Illinois State Grange Notes.

There were more sisters present at this session than for several years past.

It was no wonder that the fifth degree ran so smoothly. Bro. Trot acted as master and Bro. Trotter as overseer.

One good brother told at the State Grange that the worthy chaplain of his subordinate grange had for three years past prayed that they might be "granted posterity."

Sister Ashley, worthy Ceres of the State Grange, is an excellent speaker. Last year she received a very flattering vote for lecturer, but declined in favor of the present lecturer.

Many were the kind expressions of appreciation and good wishes for the *Bulletin*. As usual we found that many of the leading Patrons and workers of the state were getting it regularly.

When a large body of delegates vote to waive all claims upon the State Grange for either mileage or per diem, who dares to say that our order will ever go down while such a spirit prevails.

The sisters deserve much credit for the excellent music furnished. Good singing is the life of any grange meeting. Sister Howland, of La Salle county, rendered several of the solo parts in a most beautiful manner.

Among the toasts given and replied to at the feast of Pomona were the following: The Illinois State Grange; the Patrons of Stephenson county Pomona; the subordinate granges of the United States; the sisters of Stephenson county.

Bro. E. Howland, of La Salle county, was called upon to fill the chair during one of the sessions, and gave evidence of his ability as a presiding officer. He is master of the La Salle county Pomona Grange, one of the largest and best in the state.

The "experience meeting" came early in the session, the "love feast" was at the close, and the "protracted meeting" took place next day when several hundred delegates and visitors had to wait at hotels and depot eight hours for the trains delayed by the heavy snows further west and north.

The delegates seemed to feel and appreciate the duty and responsibility resting upon each one to aid in extending the circulation of the *News*, not only among the members, but among farmers outside. We must educate, and no better or effective way can this be done than by the press.

J. W. Armstrong, who for a number of years was treasurer of the State Grange, and who attends all the sessions of the National Grange, was present with Sister Armstrong. No more zealous Patron lives anywhere, and he has done good work not only for the Patrons, but the farmers of the entire state.

Bro. Green, a good kind-hearted brother, one of the most jovial present, and a native of "Hold Hengland," being called upon for a speech, gave the following toast at Pomona's banquet:

Here's good luck to the hoof and the horn; Here's good luck to the flock and the fleece; Here's good luck to the growers of corn, With a blessing of plenty and peace.

Bro. N. Phillips, of Stephenson county, who is over eighty years of age, and who lives several miles out in the country, proved his fidelity by coming to town, putting up at the Brewster house and remaining during the entire session. Being called upon to speak, his earnest words and sound advice, specially upon the importance of interesting the young people in the grange, again proved his interest and love for our order.

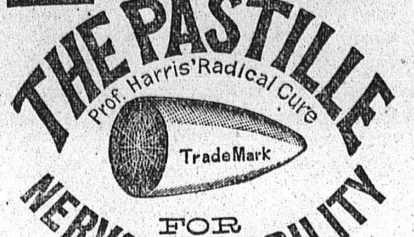
Under the direction of Bro. Swanzy, the Stephenson county Patrons gave a large number of the delegates and visitors a sleigh ride during one of the noon recesses around and about the town. Fine teams, fine sleighs, a beautiful day, and all combined to make it one of the most enjoyable features of the session. That evening Sister Ashley in a few appropriate remarks presented on behalf of the sisters their cards to Bro. Swanzy.

The first time in our experience as a visitor at many different state granges we heard no complaint made about the state business agent; every expression made testified to the satisfactory manner in which it was conducted. Bro. J. M. Chambers as state agent at Chicago, as editor of the *News* and as state secretary certainly has a vast amount of work to perform, but he fills the bill in each position, and is invaluable to the success of the order in Illinois.

To the looker-on the better feelings, the rising hopes and encouraging work performed as the session progressed was like the rising of the tide by the seashore or the wind passing over a great forest—first the gentle rustling of the leaves, then nearer, clearer the breeze sets all in motion, and the brisk wind shakes the tall tree tops until all is life and action; or it was like some grand organ under skilled hands quietly, gently breathing forth a sweet refrain and then swelling into the grand theme of some of the great masters until it pours forth its royal sound in thunder tones.

Bro. Thing, worthy master of the Maine State Grange, in his late annual address recommended that the State Grange appropriate money to pay for 500 or 1,000 copies of the *Dirigo Rural*, their excellent grange paper, for distribution among farmers not Patrons as a means of enlightening them upon the work of the grange; and Delaware State Grange at its session a few weeks since appropriated money to pay for 500 copies of the *Farmers' Friend*, of Pennsylvania, for three months, to be sent to farmers not Patrons in the Diamond state. Truly it does seem as if at last we are getting upon the right ways and means for building up our order. Help us circulate the *Bulletin* and our extras, and we will do our share of the work.—*Grange Bulletin*.

THE PASTILLE



A valuable Discovery and New Departure in Medical Science, an entirely New and positively effective and permanent Cure for the deplorable disease resulting from indigestion, prostration or excess in youth or at any time of life, by the only true way, viz: Direct Application acting by Absorption, and exerting its specific influence on the nervous system, while this disease pervades the human organism. The use of the Pastille is attended with no pain or inconvenience, and does not interfere with the ordinary pursuits of life; it is quickly dissolved and soon absorbed, producing an immediate soothing and restorative effect upon the nervous system, and restoring the vitality, producing the mind to health and sound memory, removing the "Dimming of the Sight," Confusion of Ideas, Aversion to Society, etc., etc., and the appearance of premature old age usually accompanying this disease, and restoring the vital force, where they have been dormant for years. This mode of treatment has stood the test in very severe cases, and is prescribed in this trouble, and, as many can bear witness, with but little if any permanent good. There is no nonsense about this Preparation. Practical observation enables us to positively guarantee that it will give satisfaction. During the eight years that it has been in general use, we have thousands of testimonials as to its value, and it is now conceded by the Medical Profession to be the most rational means yet discovered of reaching and curing this very prevalent trouble, as it is well known to be the cause of untold misery to so many, and upon whom quacks prey with their useless nostrums and big fees. The Pastille is put up in neat boxes, of three sizes. No. 1 (enough to last a month); No. 2 (sufficient to effect a permanent cure, unless in severe cases); No. 3 (lasting over three months, will restore those in the worst condition). Sent by mail, in plain wrapper, Full DIRECTIONS for using will accompany EACH BOX. Send for Sealed Descriptive Pamphlet giving Anatomical Illustrations and Testimony, which will convince the most skeptical that they can be restored to perfect health, and the vitality forever thoroughly re-established same as if never affected. Sold ONLY by HARRIS REMEDY CO., MFG. CHEMISTS, Market and 8th Sts. ST. LOUIS, MO.

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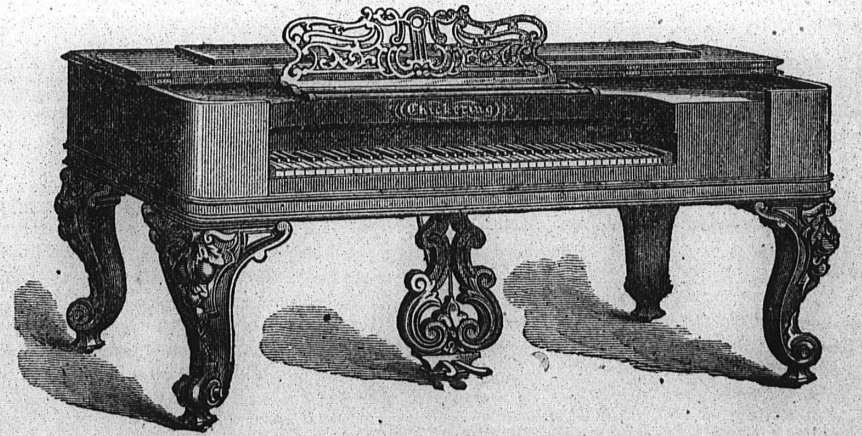
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THE LIQUOR LAW.

This week we publish in full the bill passed by the Legislature prohibiting the traffic in intoxicating liquors.

Although we are in favor of curtailing the sale of intoxicating liquors by law, we are heartily opposed to the foolish and fanatical law just passed by our Legislature.

MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.

We would call the attention of our readers to the new advertisement in this paper of the above firm.

The firm of Montgomery Ward & Co., of Chicago, is so well known all over the Western states, and have dealt so largely with the farming community for several years, that we have but to mention their name, and everybody will recognize them at once as the old reliable firm, with whom fair dealing, small profits and quick sales have become a motto.

We mention this firm at this time to let our readers know that they will have their spring price list ready about March 1. This list is larger and more complete than any yet issued.

We would say that we have done considerable business with this firm during the last six years, and in all things have found them honorable and prompt.

Send for the new price list, then make out your order and buy what you need of the old reliable firm of Montgomery Ward & Co., Chicago, Ill., and save money by so doing.

FRANCE PROHIBITS THE IMPORTATION OF AMERICAN PORK.

The following telegram was received in New York on last Saturday: PARIS, Feb. 19.—The importation into France of salted pork, bacon and hams from the United States is prohibited.

Immediately on receipt of this news mess pork dropped down about one dollar on a barrel, and on yesterday it took another downward move of 25 cents on the barrel.

A dispatch from Paris of the 21st inst. states that the importation of pork from America was forbidden because of the prevailing of trichina, and the impossibility of examining the cargoes at the ports of landing.

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quality of meat sent abroad. On account of the carelessness of new exporters, the business interests of many are made to suffer.

The Tame Grasses.

EDITOR SPIRIT:—Under the above heading I have read several articles written by Prof. Shelton.

Now, Mr. Editor, I have been experimenting some in the grasses. First, I was raised in Illinois, where the blue grass seemed to take naturally, and the white clover was the only thing that seemed to cope with it;

I procured the red clover, timothy, orchard grass, red top or herd grass, and the blue grass. I took considerable pains to get a set of all the grasses I have named on this plat of land.

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J. H. WHETSTONE. POMONA, Kans., Feb. 19, 1881.

HORTICULTURAL.

February Meeting of the Douglas County Horticultural Society.

The February meeting of the Douglas County Horticultural Society took place at the university on Saturday, the 19th inst., pursuant to adjournment.

ORCHARDS.

N. P. Deming called attention to that old and favorite apple, the Newtown Pippin.

The four acids in fruit are citric acid (found in nearly all the fruits, and in the lemon it is very prominent), malic acid (found largely in the apple, and is very pleasant), tartaric acid (found largely in the grape), and oxalic acid, which, fortunately, is not so abundant as the others, being a strong poison.

By adding sugar to fruit and boiling for a long time the sucrose is changed into glucose. Economy, therefore, would suggest that the sugar should be added just before the boiling is completed.

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requisite arrangements and in defraying all the necessary expenses in order to make the meeting one of much interest to the people of this community and of great benefit to ourselves and our horticultural friends at large.

The resolutions were very favorably entertained, but it was thought best to defer action till the March meeting, when, it was hoped, the society would be more fully represented.

FRUIT-BOXES.

Mr. Colman brought up this subject, and spoke in strong terms against the use of cottonwood and elm.

CO-OPERATIVE FRUIT DRYING ESTABLISHMENT.

A proposition was received through Mr. Joseph Savage, from Gen. Deitzler, of California, patentee of improvements on the Alden drier, for the society to form a co-operative drying establishment in Lawrence on a large scale.

SAMUEL REYNOLDS, Secretary.

If you are tired taking the large old-fashioned griping pills, and are satisfied that purging yourself till you are weak and sick is not good common-sense, then try Carter's Little Liver Pills and learn how easy it is to be free from biliousness, headache, constipation, and all liver troubles.

The Currency Question. Notwithstanding the fact that thousands of our people are at present worrying themselves almost to death over this vexed question, even to the extent of neglecting their business, their homes and their duty to their families, there are still thousands upon thousands of smart, hard working, intelligent men pouring into the great Arkansas valley, the garden of the West, where the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad offers them their choice of 2,500,000 acres of the finest farming lands in the world at almost their own prices.

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A BRIEF SYNOPSIS of this interesting lecture. At its conclusion the society returned the professor a hearty vote of thanks.

PREAMBLE AND RESOLUTIONS were presented by the secretary:

WHEREAS, The practice of the Kansas State Horticultural Society has been to hold its meetings in different parts of the state on invitation from those places desirous of enjoying the benefits of such meetings and being willing to provide free entertainment for the officers and delegates; and

Resolved, That this society invite the Kansas State Horticultural Society to hold its next annual meeting in the city of Lawrence.

General News.

TOPEKA, Feb. 22.—The supreme court to-day filed its opinion upon the constitutional amendment relating to the prohibition of intoxicating liquors for use as a beverage, submitted to the electors of the state at the November election of 1880, and also as to the effect of such amendment upon existing laws relating to the sale of intoxicating liquors. The court unanimously held that the proposed amendment was legally adopted and is a part of the constitution of the state of Kansas. The court also holds, in accordance with the decisions of the supreme court of the United States, that the state has the right to prohibit the sale and manufacture of intoxicating liquors for use as a beverage. A majority of the court, Chief Justice Horton and Justice Valentine, hold that the constitutional amendment does not repeal the dram shop act in toto, but only repeals it so far as that act authorized licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage. From this conclusion the penalties of the dram shop act are in force in all cases where sales are made of intoxicating liquors for use as a beverage. Justice Brewer, upon this point, holds that the constitutional amendment is a substitute for all former laws relating to intoxicating liquors, and upon its adoption as a part of the constitution by the state, the dram shop act ceases to have any effect. In all the cases before the court questioning the conviction of the defendants for the violation of the dram shop law, the court sustains the judgment of the district court.

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—A special from San Francisco gives the particulars of the destruction of the United States salmon hatchery works on McCloud river at Baird. During the recent storm the river rose fifteen feet above the highest point ever reached before, and carried away all the hatchery apparatus and the house of the officer in charge. The cost of the works was about \$25,000, though it is claimed they can be replaced for \$15,000. These works supplied the salmon eggs with which the Sacramento and other rivers have been stocked. The state has placed annually 2,000,000 salmon in the Sacramento river at a cost of no more than \$2,000 a year. The catch of salmon in the Sacramento has doubled in the last five years, having risen from 5,000,000 to nearly 11,000,000 pounds. It is proposed to ask Congress to grant an appropriation for rebuilding the works.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 21.—1,000 cars of No. 2 mixed corn, equal to about 1,000,000 bushels, which have been standing on the track at East St. Louis for some time past, were sold Saturday and today for shipment to Baltimore; price 39 cents, which is above the ruling figure, but it is understood the corn will go forward at a cut rate, but with exactly what reduction has not transpired. This shipment will greatly relieve the overburdened railroad tracks the other side of the river, and make room for an equal number of cars. About 60,000 of wheat were shipped by barges to New Orleans yesterday on foreign account, and 25,000 bushels of rye were withdrawn from the elevator today for European shipment via New Orleans.

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The drama and concert that was to have been given at the Colman school-house, Kanwaka, on Saturday evening, February 12, was postponed on account of the inclement weather. It is proposed to give it on next Saturday evening. Don't stay away and regret afterward that you did not attend, but turn out and give them a good house.

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In Memoriam. DIED—At the residence of W. C. Ross, in Sarcoxie township, December 15, 1880, Eddie A. Ross, aged 12 years.

The deceased was a youth of more than ordinary intelligence; and a diligent and attentive student, advancing in his studies at school with a rapidity remarkable for his years. It was natural that those who mourn his early death should look forward with bright anticipation to the period when he would arrive at manhood, a ripe scholar, a good business man and an honor to his relatives and friends. But the judge of all the earth doeth right, and He that seeth the end from the beginning should be trusted by the sorrowing friends with unquestioning confidence, knowing that our Heavenly Father doth not willingly afflict His children; and the vacant chair, the little empty garments, the unused school books should all point from earth to heaven and a joyful reunion beyond the grave. While we sympathize in their great affliction, we would urge them to remember that "earth hath no sorrow that heaven cannot heal."

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Publication Notice.

District Court, Douglas County, State of Kansas. E. R. Robbins, Plaintiff.

W. S. Watson and Urinah Watson, Defendants. W. S. WATSON AND URINAH WATSON will take notice that E. R. Robbins has filed his petition in the district court of Douglas county, Kansas, against them, the said W. S. Watson and Urinah Watson, defendants, setting forth therein that said defendants are indebted to said E. R. Robbins, plaintiff, in the sum of \$500, with interest thereon at ten per cent. per annum from October 4, 1879, on account of a certain promissory note issued by said defendants to one certain McGonigal, in the sum of \$500, and a C. W. McGonigal real estate mortgage, dated October 4, 1879, in Douglas county, Kansas, October 4, 1879, and which said note, which said note and mortgage were duly indorsed and sold to this plaintiff; and praying in said petition for judgment against you, the said W. S. Watson and Urinah Watson, for said sum of \$500 with interest thereon at ten per cent. from October 4, 1879, and cost of suit, and that said mortgage be foreclosed and said real estate decreed to be sold in satisfaction of said judgment.

And you are notified that you are required to appear and answer said petition on or before the 6th day of April, 1881, or judgment will be taken in said action as above set forth.

D. S. ALFORD, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Service by Publication.

TO MARGARET MORICAL AND R. K. Morical her husband, Emeline Rose and George P. Rose her husband, Clementine Rose and George P. Rose her husband, Alonzo Kinsey, William Kinsey and Catherine Kinsey, residents of the state of Missouri, you and each of you are hereby notified that you have been sued in the district court sitting in and for the county of Douglas, in the state of Kansas, in an action wherein William W. Kinsey, is plaintiff and you and Nancy Ann Kinsey, Sarah Ann Her and John Her her husband, and John W. Bullock are defendants, and that you must answer the amended petition of the said plaintiff in said action on or before the 15th day of March, A. D. 1881, or said petition will be taken as true, and judgment will be rendered against you.

For partition of the southeast quarter of section eleven in township thirteen and in said action on or before the 15th day of March, A. D. 1881, or said petition will be taken as true, and judgment will be rendered against you.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 14th day of February, SUMMERFIELD, [SEAL] Clerk of the Douglas District Court. OWEN A. BASSETT, Attorney for Plaintiff. First publication February 16, 1881.

Service by Publication.

TO NEWTON GRAVES AND ESTHER Graves, of Howard county, Indiana: You and each of you are hereby notified that you have been sued in the district court sitting in and for the county of Douglas, in the state of Kansas, in an action wherein Andrew F. Scott, Andrew F. Scott and Charles N. Elmer, late partners, doing business under the name and style of Forkner, Scott & Elmer, is plaintiff, and you and George T. Fitz and Laura E. Fitz are defendants, and that you must answer the petition filed in said action on or before the thirtieth day of March, 1881, or said petition will be taken as true, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

1. Against you and each of you upon the promissory note in said petition set out, for the sum of \$440.00, with interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from November 2, 1876, and costs of this action.

2. Against you and each of you and all the defendants in said action that you and they be barred and forever foreclosed of all right, title, lien and equity of redemption in and to the premises described in the mortgage in said petition set out, to wit: The southwest quarter of section seventeen, in township fourteen, of range twenty, situated in said county of Douglas.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1881. [SEAL] M. SUMMERFIELD, Clerk of the Douglas County District Court. OWEN A. BASSETT, Attorney for Plaintiff. First publication made February 16, 1881.

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THE LATEST MARKETS.

Produce Markets. St. Louis, Feb. 22, 1881. Flour—Choice to fancy... \$4.90 @ 5.05. Family... 4.65 @ 4.80. XXX... 4.30 @ 4.55. Wheat—No. 2 fall, spot... 1.00 @ 1.01. " " March... 1.01 @ 1.01. " " April... 1.03 @ 1.03. " " No. 3 fall, spot... 97 @ 98. " " No. 4 " " " " 89 @ 90. Corn—No. 2, spot... 38 @ 38 1/2. " " March... 38 1/2 @ 38 1/2. Oats... 35 @ 35 1/2. Rye... 37 @ 37 1/2. Pork... 14 85 @ 15 00. Lard... 9 00 @ 10 00. Butter—Dairy... 20 @ 26. Eggs... 17 @ 18.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22, 1881. Wheat—No. 2 spring, spot... 97 @ 97 1/2. " " March... 97 @ 97 1/2. " " April... 98 1/2 @ 98 1/2. " " No. 3 " " " " 93 @ 94. Corn—Spot... 37 @ 37 1/2. March... 37 @ 37 1/2. Oats... 29 1/2 @ 31. Pork... 14 60 @ 14 62 1/2. Lard... 10 07 1/2 @ 10 20.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 22, 1881. Wheat—No. 1 fall... 94 @ 95. " " February... 94 @ 95. " " March... 94 @ 95. " " No. 2 fall, spot... 83 1/2 @ 84. " " No. 3 " " " " 82 @ 83. Corn—No. 2... 30 1/2 @ 30 3/4. Oats—No. 2... 29 @ 30 1/4.

In Kansas City butter sells at 17@18c. for choice, medium 14@16c.; cheese, prime Kansas, 11@13c.; eggs, 14@15c.; poultry (dressed)—chickens 8@9c., turkeys 11@12c., ducks 7@7 1/2c. per lb.; apples, \$1.00@2.00 per barrel; vegetables—potatoes 65@87c. per bushel; dried fruit—apples, 4c., peaches 6@7c. per bushel; seeds (purchasing price)—flax 97c., timothy \$2.70, castor beans 1.00@1.05 per bushel; hay, \$9.00@10.00 for baled; hides—No. 1 dry flint per lb 16@17c., No. 2 12c., dry salted 12c., green salted 8@9c., green 6c., calf 14c.

Live Stock Markets.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 22, 1881. CATTLE—Receipts, 522; shipments, 458. Market dull, dragging and 20c. lower than last week. Buyers and sellers generally apart in their views. Native steers, averaging 1,171 to 1,423 pounds, sold at \$4.05@4.65; stockers and feeders, \$3.30@3.75; cows, \$2.75@3.25.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,823; shipments, 968. Market demoralized and 10 to 15c. lower. Sales ranged at \$5.15@5.80; bulk at \$5.25@5.45.

SHEEP—Receipts, 248; shipments, 99. Market steady. Sales at \$4.25.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 22, 1881. CATTLE—Receipts, 3,600; shipments, 1,900. Market slow; supply large. Buyers demanded concessions and the sales were made at declines. One lot choice steers, 1,478 average sold \$5.50, and another lot weighing 1,450 pounds, sold \$5.25. Steers ranging 1,320 to 1,460 brought \$4.30@5.05, and 1,150 to 1,250 pound steers sold \$4.55@4.65; butchers' steers, 900 to 1,050 pounds, \$4.12@4.25; southwest steers, \$3.00@4.30; cows and heifers range \$3.00@4.00; stockers, \$2.75@3.50; feeders, \$3.50@4.35.

HOGS—Receipts, 9,000; shipments, 3,000. Fairly active, lower. Yorkers and Baltimores, \$5.50@5.85; mixed packing, \$5.45@5.85; choice to fancy, heavy, \$6.00@6.30.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,800; shipments, 1,000; from fair to good, \$4.00@4.75; choice to fancy, \$5.00@5.50.

CHICAGO, Feb. 22, 1881. CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000; shipments, 3,500. Many here which the snow blockade kept back last week; market exceedingly weak, almost nominal and 15 to 20c. lower; common to fair shipping, \$3.90@4.50; good to choice, \$4.70@5.00; exports nominal at \$5.25@5.40; butchers' plenty and weaker at \$2.50@3.75; stockers steady at \$2.90@4.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 5,000; shipments, 3,300. Market badly demoralized; regular stamped in prices, in sympathy with the break in mess pork; prices fully 25c. lower on all grades; mixed packing, \$5.25@5.60; light, \$5.25@5.65; closed with many left.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,800; shipments, 1,400. Market declined 1/2c. In fair demand. Mostly all sold. Texans, \$3.75@4.25; common to medium natives, \$4.00@4.50; good to choice, \$4.65@5.75; one lot at \$6.00.

Lawrence Markets.

The following are to-day's prices: Butter, 12@15c.; eggs, 12c. per doz.; poultry—chickens live \$1.50@1.75 per doz., dressed 6c. per lb.; turkeys live 5c. per lb, dressed 8c. per lb; potatoes, 70@8c.; apples, 60@75c.; corn, 27@30c.; wheat, 75@85c.; lard, 9c.; hogs, \$4.75@5.00; cattle—feeders \$3.00, shippers \$4.25@4.50, cows \$2.25@3.00; wood, \$5.00 per cord; hay, \$5.00 @6.00 per ton.

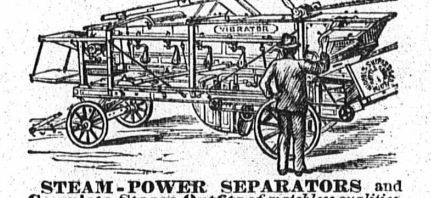
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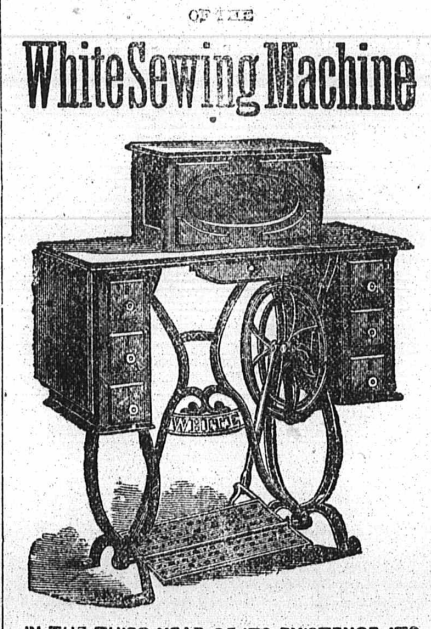


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