

ANOTHER BUSINESS TO LOCATE HERE

Empire Cream Separator Company Likes Wichita.

FIRM TO INVEST \$200,000

Many Traveling Men to Be Given Employment.

Mr. J. O. Slater, one of the managers of the Empire Cream Separator company, of Bloomfield, Ill., has been in the city the last few days and has concluded arrangements to establish a branch house at Wichita.

The Empire Cream Separator company ranks among the leading business firms of the east, with a capital extending into the millions. During the last few years their trade has increased throughout the western states to such an extent that they have great difficulty in handling it from the main office in Illinois. Mr. Slater accordingly started out and after traveling over this territory decided, in view of its central location and good shipping facilities, to establish a branch house at Wichita.

All the business of the company for Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Indian Territory and northern Texas will be handled from this point. The machines will be shipped here in car loads from the factory at Bloomfield, Ill., and will be shipped from there on orders. All their traveling salesmen will be sent out from this point.

J. O. Slater and W. H. Phillips, are the principal managers of the firm and will take charge of this branch personally. It has not been fully determined just where their office rooms will be, but it is probable that they will be on Douglas avenue. Mr. Phillips will arrive here this morning, when they will complete the final arrangements.

The immensity of the business that will be handled from this point, throughout their southwest territory, can be estimated by the fact that they will use a capital of \$200,000, which will be mostly invested in stock.

Negotiations are being made with Smith & Son to handle the transfer work of the company.

FAIR WEATHER TODAY.

Todd Makes Second Prediction for Clearing of Atmosphere.

Forecast for Wichita and vicinity: Fair weather today. Also fair for Kansas generally today.

The weather conditions show that the trough of low barometer pressure that overlies the Rocky mountain district on Wednesday morning has moved to the eastward and now extends from western Minnesota southward to Texas, with distinct storm centers over Oklahoma and the middle Missouri valley. It has caused light precipitation over the Missouri valley, Kansas and Oklahoma and is being followed by a wave of high pressure, with accompanying colder to clearing weather. The line of freezing temperature west of the Rocky mountains extends as far south as Santa Fe, N. M. High winds have been general over the Texas panhandle, western Kansas and Nebraska. Rain was falling at the time of observation yesterday at Wichita, Omaha, Huron and Morehead, and snow at Bismarck. Minimum temperature, 49; maximum, 68.

Rain has been falling here for the last two or three days, although with light proportions, and at a late hour this morning was still at it. From indications it is general throughout a large section of territory.

ANNUAL COLLEGE MEET.

Fairmount and Winfield to Play Ball and Debate Today.

About 150 people will arrive today from Winfield as rooters for the baseball and debate teams representing Southwest Kansas college. This is the college event of the year in the game and the excitement will run high. The excitement will begin in the afternoon on the Fairmount grounds, when the baseball season will be opened. Winfield always puts up a stiff game and Fairmount also has an established reputation in this respect. The Methodists will have the advantage of having played two games already this season, while this will be Fairmount's first game. The Fairmount team has been practicing the last few days despite the rain. The Fairmount grounds are high and dry and will be in fine condition for the game. The weather man has promised fair weather and a large crowd is expected. The street car company will furnish fifteen-minute service and a large number of extra cars, if needed, at 2:30 o'clock.

Fairmount's line-up will be as follows: Catcher, Brown; pitcher, Davis; first base, Solter; second base, Finger; shortstop, Bates; third base, James; left field, Stahl; center field, Burton; right field, McCausage. The Winfield line-up could not be obtained.

The debate will be held in the Toler at

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No other medicine acts like it; no other medicine has done so much real, substantial good, no other medicine has restored health and strength at so little cost. Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to cure and keeps the promise.

8 p. m. The question for debate is: "Resolved, That combinations of capital, commonly called trusts are detrimental to the public welfare." The judges will be Hon. J. D. Milliken of McPherson, Prof. J. H. Hill of Emporia and President T. W. Conway of Alva, O. T. Each school has won four of these annual debates and both will make a desperate effort to win the balance to their favor.

The question is a live one and the discussions will be able. A reception will be tendered the Winfield delegation in the Plymouth church immediately after the debate.

COUPLE MET HERE:

Kansas Man and Illinois Woman Married Last Night.

J. J. Chadwick, aged 44, of Medicine Lodge, and Mrs. C. M. Lytle, aged 40, of La Rose, Ill., were united in marriage by Probate Judge Enoch at his office in the court house at 7 o'clock last night.

The groom arrived in the city at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and met his bride, who arrived in the city at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. They will proceed at once to Medicine Lodge, where they will reside.

Three other marriage licenses were issued by Judge Enoch yesterday afternoon to the following couples: J. W. Sparks, aged 21, of Conway Springs, and Bertha May Gifford, aged 21, of Conway Springs; John Holtze, aged 29, and Dora Hillman, aged 20, both of Cheney; Hugo Stelke, aged 24, of Goddard, and Agnes Poland, aged 23, of Goddard.

STAFF CAPTAIN COMING.

Salvation Army Leaders Will Conduct Services Here.

Staff Captain and Mrs. Wm. Harris, with headquarters at Kansas City, will be visiting Wichita Saturday and Sunday, April 9th and 10th. The staff captain will conduct the service Sunday night at 8 p. m. at the South Emporia M. E. church with the consent of the Rev. E. C. Poland, pastor.

The staff captain will also deliver an address on the work of the Salvation Army at the Dodge Avenue M. E. church at 11 a. m. Sunday morning. The staff captain is an old and reliable officer of the Army. We desire to thank the pastors, Rev. E. C. Poland and Rev. O. H. Switzer, for the kindness they have shown toward the work of the Salvation Army, Captain and Mrs. Sturm in charge.

MOORE CASE UP.

Young Man on Trial Charged With Stealing Candy.

At the close of the Grevel Robinson trial yesterday afternoon in the district court, the work of empanelling a jury in the case of the state vs. Lon Moore was commenced.

Roy N. Elder, a rising young attorney of this city, appeared for the defendant. County Attorney Eckstein and his assistant, Edward Dill, represent the state. Lon Moore, the defendant, who is a young man 18 or 17 years of age is charged with having stolen two buckets of candy and one bucket of sweet cakes from a freight car on the Santa Fe railway one night last month.

The empanelling of the jury will continue this morning at 9 o'clock, after which the evidence will be introduced.

A. D. WALKER APPOINTED.

J. W. Robison Received One Vote from Council.

At a special meeting of the executive council yesterday afternoon at Topeka, A. D. Walker of Holton was appointed to serve out the unexpired term of railroad commissioner, succeeding himself. Mr. Walker's present term expired April 1, and he will now serve until his successor is elected at the November election. He will then succeed himself, as he is the regular nominee of the Republican party for that position. Walker received five votes out of the six in the council, Governor Bailey voting for J. W. Robison of El Dorado, who was also nominated at Wichita as railroad commissioner to succeed Orrie Morse of Hutchinson.

KING'S DAUGHTER'S BALL.

Two Hundred Attended Dance in Garfield Hall Last Night.

About two hundred Wichita society folk attended the benefit dance given by the King's Daughters, in Garfield hall last night. The music was furnished by Ziehl's orchestra of Kansas City, and was excellent.

The stage, where the orchestra was stationed, was decorated in red cloth and palms and, with dainty red shaded lights, presented a pretty appearance. In one corner of the hall frappe was served. Those who attended voted the evening a delightful success.

LEFT FOR ST. LOUIS.

Kansas Exhibit Will Not Be Placed in Readiness.

Commissioner of Horticulture W. F. Schell left for the World's Fair at St. Louis yesterday morning, where he will remain until after the opening of the big show.

"I will be gone probably a month or six weeks," said Mr. Schell just before starting. "The actual work of getting the Kansas exhibit into shape will begin immediately upon my arrival at St. Louis. I figure that it will require the full time between now and the date set for the opening of the fair to get the exhibit in readiness."

WARRANTS SWORN OUT.

Homer Cutler and J. S. Anderson Are Charged With Stealing.

Warrants were sworn out yesterday in the city court for Homer Cutler and J. S. Anderson, the two men who were arrested Tuesday evening by Harry Stelling and who are charged with stealing some brass engine fixtures, steam gauges, valves, etc., from the Rumley Engine company and Chas. Smyth & Sons. The men will probably be arraigned before Judge Alexander this morning.

WORK ON INTERURBAN GOES ON STEADILY

Right of Way Practically All Secured.

MATERIAL ON WAY HERE

Proposed Route Over Entirely Level Ground.

According to reports received here from the promoters and builders of the Arkansas Valley Transit company, who will build an interurban line between this city and Hutchinson, with connections to Newton, the work of getting things ready for actual building is progressing rapidly.

The promoters are having a comparatively easy time, as almost the entire site of the proposed line is over land as level as a floor and over which it will be necessary only to lay the ties, spike the rails, fill an occasional "buffalo wallow" and fix up a few places which offer obstacles of minor importance.

The soil presents every appearance of great fertility. On either side of the proposed line is a magnificent strip of country. It is capable of producing enormous crops of wheat and has been proved for that crop. Its greatest drawback at present is the want of transportation facilities. Many farmers have their wheat to haul for distances of fifteen to twenty-five miles. Some are obliged to cross a range of sand hills and the expense of reaching the local market is even greater than to the larger markets. The railway which it is proposed to build would cut down the wagon haul and reduce the freight rate to the larger market.

The farmers along the proposed route are not only willing to grant right of way privileges, but will go to such grading as must be done, taking their pay in stock in the road.

Building material for the line is expected on the ground now, within a month at the latest. By that time the right of way over the entire proposed route will have been secured and all that will remain to put the line into operation will be the installation of the track.

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY MET.

Interesting Session Was Held at the City Hall.

The Sedgewick County Horticultural society met yesterday in the council room of the city building, at 2 p. m.

The meeting was called to order by the president, C. M. Irwin, and the minutes of the last meeting were read, followed by the reading of the reports of committees. The subject of orchard cultivation was discussed by John Ith, who gave an interesting and instructive talk on the way to cultivate fruit trees so as to obtain the best results. He was followed by other members of the meeting.

Mr. Wickham then read a paper on potatoes, which demonstrated that he understood what he was talking about. He gave his methods in detail. Mr. Wickham has been very successful in the raising of potatoes and great benefit would be sure to be derived from following the course he outlined. A general discussion followed and a lively interest was taken in this important subject.

Several of the members gave their views on the raising and cultivation of ornamental trees. All agreed that this was a part of the program which should be treated with consideration. Capt. Ash brought before the meeting a small branch from a plum tree, which he thought was affected with the San Jose scale. A little was known about this pestilence, the discussion on this subject was light.

A great deal of good can be obtained from these meetings and a good attendance is earnestly desired by the society. An interchange of ideas and methods can not help but be beneficial to those present.

The state furnishes books relative to the raising of plums, grapes, cherries and peaches, and these books will be furnished free to members of auxiliary associations. There is much work and study compiled in these works and should be of much benefit to the fruit raiser.

It was estimated that there are 136,576 peach trees bearing and 35,620 not bearing in Sedgewick county. There are 32,377 cherry trees in bearing and 8,252 not bearing. There are more cherries raised in this county than in any other county in the state.

The next meeting of the society will be held at the farm of Frank Yaw, five miles south of town. If the weather is favorable they will utilize Mr. Yaw's fine orchard in which to hold the meeting, where they can obtain practical as well as theoretical benefit. The meeting will begin at 10 a. m. and there will probably be a basket dinner in connection.

Following is the program for the next meeting: Music, "Horticultural Exhibit at the Wichita Fair"—C. M. Irwin. Paper, "How to Make the Farm Home More Attractive to the Young People"—Mrs. S. J. Reynolds. Paper, "Insect Pests and Their Control"—Geo. H. Blair. Paper, "Asparagus Planting and Care"—J. C. Harrison. Paper, "Pickling and Preparing Berries for Market"—L. L. McCasland. Paper, "Kansas Fruit at the World's Fair"—W. F. Schell. Paper, "Strawberry Culture"—Thomas McNally.

NEW APPARATUS COMING.

Weather Office to Have Additional Convenient Paraphernalia.

The United States weather bureau at this place is soon to receive a new instrument.

CHANGING SENTIMENT.

Oliver Goldsmith's "Deserted Village." Goldsmith in his "Deserted Village," spoke of a certain chapel where those who went to school, remained to pray. So in life are often laughs at what he does not understand and later, when he does understand, his laugh turns to praise. There were some who doubted the merits of Newbro's "Herpicide," the scalp germicide and hair-dressing; but since they have tried it, they are now among its best friends and strongest advocates. Herpicide kills the germ that eats the hair off at the root and the hair then grows again. As a hair dressing it is incomparable. Try it. Sold by leading druggists. Send the stamp for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Moore Drug Co., medical agents.

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SANITARY ORDINANCE UPHELD.

M. R. Clark is Fined \$100 for Violating Health Rule.

M. R. Clark was fined \$100 in the police court last night for transferring closet vaults on his property on Tremont street without first complying with the sanitary ordinance. On a similar charge he pleaded not guilty and will appeal the case to the district court. The complainant was made by Health Officer Cogswell.

PROF. O. R. GLEASON.

Interview With the Greatest Horse Trainer in the World.

Prof. O. R. Gleason, the king of horse trainers, who is to give a series of exhibitions at the corner of Main street and Central avenue, this city, was visited at his hotel by a representative of this paper, yesterday. The professor talked entertainingly on his profession and said: "My exhibition consists in the handling of vicious, nervous and wicked horses—principally horses that have been spoiled by bad handling. The idea is to educate such animals and make them safe for public driving."

"All of our bad horses of today are made vicious by bad handling, poor management upon the part of their owners. People, horses that are vicious and unruly and high spirited are the best we have. Their intelligence makes them bad and they acquire bad habits easily. I believe that every lady and gentleman should have a thorough knowledge of how to drive and ride a horse. Incidentally I will say that since I have been in your city I have observed more of the horses upon the streets than I have seen in any other city in this section."

"I carry no horses with me and my entire exhibition will be given with local horses. My performance Friday night will be given with ten of the worst horses obtainable. I will not even see the horses until I enter the ring. I have been in this business for 27 years and my work here will be of benefit to your city. Four people are lovers of the horse, and they should secure and retain good horses, for I say to you that three years from now date horses will be worth more than ever before in the history of this country. There is now a great demand for them in the larger cities and it is a difficult matter to secure real nice gentlemen's driving horses."

"As I said a moment ago, I have given exhibitions in every important city in the United States and Canada, and once gave a special exhibition in Washington for the president, cabinet and members of both houses of congress. "My success lies in understanding and reading the nature of the animal. I read the character and disposition of a horse as you read the character and disposition of a man, you meet. All horses may be handled and educated by understanding the laws of their nature. Like people, some horses are nervous, some tractable and some stubborn and sullen."

"Owing to the inclemency of the weather, I postponed my exhibition for Thursday night, and will commence my series of exhibitions at the corner of Main street and Central avenue Friday night."

A MATTER OF FORM.

Everyone who is acquainted with Col. Henry Clay Cochrane until a week ago lieutenant of marines at the League Island and Navy Yard, knows what a strict disciplinarian he is. There was one occasion on which he exercised his disciplinary method in a manner which the marines under him at the time took upon as a huge joke and which they take great delight in telling.

As is well known, Col. Cochrane was in command of the United States marines in Pekin at the time of the Chinese-Japanese conflict. On the return of the command to Cavite the "boys" were possessed of a goodly supply of relics and mementoes of their trip, among which was an array of wearing apparel used in the Orient.

It was a spirit of revelry, soon after their return, the several hundred of the command had bedecked themselves in all sorts of makeups, some with white jackets and blue trousers, others with white trousers and dress coats, some in khaki,

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