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Superintendent of Public Instruction—D. D. ROSE.
Coroner—L. T. HOLLAND.
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SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

I. O. O. F.

WHITE CLOUD LODGE, No. 6, I. O. of O. F., meets at Odd Fellows' Hall, second story of Van Buskirk's Building, Main Street, every Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock. Brothers in good standing are cordially invited to visit the Lodge.
GEO. W. PIKE, N. G.
GEORGE L. MOORE, R. S.

TROY CITY LODGE, No. 38, I. O. O. F., meets every Tuesday night in their Hall, over C. Leland's store, Troy, Kansas.
H. L. MCADAMS, N. G.
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HIGHLAND LODGE, No. 67, I. O. O. F., meets every Saturday night, in the room over Myers & Close's Dur Store, Highland Kansas.
S. W. TROWBRIDGE, N. G.
WM. BRAZIER, R. S.

A. F. & A. M.

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L. L. ORTON, W. M.
JAS. M. MACKOY, Sec'y.

SMITHTON LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., meets at their Hall, in Highland, on Friday night on or before the Full Moon, and every two weeks thereafter. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.
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W. TREVETT, Sec.

MASONIC.—Troy Lodge No 55, A. F. and A. Masons meet at their Hall, Monday evenings, on or before the full Moon in each month, and the second Saturday night thereafter.
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P. S. SOPER, Secretary.

Atchison and Nebraska Railway.

Time Table No. 14, taking effect May 25, 1873.

DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAYS.

GOING NORTH.

	Rule Ac.	Freight.	Mail & Ex.
Atchison,	4:00 p. m.	7.50 a. m	9:45 a. m.
Doniphan,	4:30 "	8:20 "	10:03 "
Bremer,	5:10 "	8:55 "	10:20 "
Troy Junction,	a5:35 "	a9:20 "	10:29 "
"	d5:50 "	d9:40 "	"
Fanning,	6:20 "	10:08 "	10:45 "
Highland Station,	6:31 "	10:20 "	10:52 "
Iowa Point,	7:12 "	10:47 "	11:07 "
White Cloud,	7:40 "	11:30 "	11:20 "
Rulo,	8:40 "	12:20 p. m.	11:42 "
Falls City,		1:40 "	12:10 p. m.
Salem,		2:16 "	12:38 "
Humboldt,		3:36 "	1:05 "
Table Rock,		3:40 "	1:45 "
Tecumseh,		6:00 "	2:17 "
Starling,		7:20 "	2:45 "
Lincoln,		10.50 p. m	4:15 p. m.

GOING SOUTH.

	Mail & Ex.	Freight.	Rule Ac.
Lincoln,	1:45 p. m.	4.30 a. m.	
Sterling,	3:20 "	6:00 "	
Tecumseh,	3:54 "	9:05 "	
Table Rock,	4:34 "	10:20 "	
Humboldt,	4:57 "	11:00 "	
Salem,	5:35 "	12:28 p. m.	
Falls City,	5:25 "	1:20 "	
Rulo,	6:18 "	2:15 "	5:50 a. m.
White Cloud,	a 6:40 "		a 6:40 "
"	d 7:00 "	3:00 "	d 6:50 "
Iowa Point,	7:12 "	3:25 "	7:15 "
Highland Station,	7:27 "	3:55 "	7:45 "
Fanning,	7:33 "	4:07 "	7:55 "
Troy Junction,		a 4:40 "	a 8:25 "
"	7:49 "	d 4:50 "	d 8:35 "
Bremer,	7:59 "	5:10 "	8:55 "
Doniphan,	8:15 "	5:45 "	10:03 "
Atchison,	8:30 p. m.	6:20 p. m.	10:35 a. m.

DEATH OF COL. TENNENT.—Col. Sidney Tennent died at his residence in this place, early on Sunday morning last. His death was not unexpected, as his situation had been critical for a considerable length of time. His illness commenced early last Spring, since which time, he had been very seldom able to leave his room.

Col. Tennent was one of the oldest citizens of Troy, in point of residence, he having come here soon after the town site was first entered for a County Seat. He was a native of Delaware, but had resided in the West for many years. He was for a short time editor of the St. Joseph *Cycle*, then the Whig organ of North-west Missouri; and he wielded a pen that was both able and sharp.

Since coming to Kansas, Col. Tennent devoted himself exclusively to the law. He took but little part in politics except to vote, and we believe he never indulged in the Kansas mania of running for office. During his residence here, he acted with the Democrats. He was long regarded as the ablest member of the Doniphan County Bar.

Of the failings of the deceased, this is not the occasion to speak. We have personally known him for fourteen years, and can testify to the truth of a remark which we have often heard made—that he never forgot his good breeding, but was a gentleman under all circumstances.

Col. Tennent's age was about 46 years. He was married some eight or nine years ago, to a daughter of Leonard Smith, formerly of this place. He leaves a widow, but no children. His remains were interred in Mt. Olive Cemetery, on Sunday evening, with the beautiful rites of Masonry, of which fraternity he was a member. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Mahan, in the Methodist Church.

SUICIDE.—A dreadful case of suicide occurred at Geary City, in this County, on Monday evening of last week, an account of which we did not receive in time for last week's paper. Mrs. Martha Elliott, wife of John Elliott, took a revolver from her husband's trunk, lay down on the bed, and deliberately blew her brains out. Persons who heard the report, and went immediately to the spot, found her already dead.

There are several different versions of the cause of the act. One is, that she was a spiritualist, and not in her right mind, (as a matter of course.) Another story is to the effect that she had been engaged in an intrigue with a married man, and that the man's wife had detected it, and upbraided her for it.

☞ A Jeffs has traded the City Hotel, in this place, for a distillery, in Buchannan County, Mo. He is as yet undecided whether to run it in its present location, or to remove it to some point in this County. But whatever he does, we think we may safely say, in the language of another, that "he'll make a market for your corn, and wheat, and rye; and he'll make liquor that you can drink your fill of it at night, and you'll be neither sick, sore, nor have the headache in the morning."

☞ Dr. E. H. LeDoc returned home, on Monday, after an absence of three or four months in the western part of the State. During his absence, he has taken a homestead, put in twenty acres of corn, prospected over a large extent of country, and captured a large amount of buffalo meat, besides accumulating a number of pounds of meat of his own. We believe he contemplates taking up his permanent residence at Phillipsburg, in Phillips County.

☞ A. H. Miller, late Principal of the White Cloud schools, and Mrs. T. H. Dey, Assistant, have been engaged in the same capacity in the Seneca schools, and will enter upon their duties the first Monday in September. Thus Doniphan County loses two of her very best teachers at one swoop.

☞ A little pill, aged about half-past four, stepped in front of Byers', the other day, and made an examination of some new-fangled fruit jars, whereupon he exclaimed: "Well, I'll be dernod if that don't beat hens a wrastlin'!"

☞ Sunday was the hottest day of the season. At 8 in the morning, the mercury was 86 in the shade, and at noon, it was 105. It served as an example, to illustrate the preachers' sermons on the subject of the hot place.

☞ John Fairclough, of St. Joseph, is offering the best prices for wheat, at this place. For sacks and information, call at Wilson & Morehead's.

☞ We received a call, on Monday, from R. F. Smith, city editor of the Atchison *Globe*. Mr. Smith was formerly a citizen of Troy.

Centaur Liniment.

There is no pain which the Centaur Liniment will not relieve, no swelling it will not subdue, and no lameness which it will not cure. This is strong language, but it is true. Where the parts are not gone, its effects are marvelous. It has produced more cures of rheumatism, neuralgia, lock-jaw, palsy, sprains, swellings, caked-breasts, scalds, burns, salt-rheum, ear-ache, &c., upon the human frame, and of strains, spavin, galls, &c., upon animals in one year than have all other pretended remedies since the world began. It is a counter-irritant, an all-healing pain reliever. Cripples throw away their crutches, the lame walk, poisonous bites are rendered harmless and the wounded are healed without a scar. It is no humbug. The receipt is published around each bottle. It is selling as no article ever before sold, and it sells because it does just what it pretends to do. Those who now suffer from rheumatism, pain or swelling deserve to suffer if they will not use Centaur Liniment. More than 1000 certificates of remarkable cures, including frozen limbs, chronic rheumatism, gout, running tumors, &c., have been received. We will send a circular containing certificates, the recipe, &c., gratis, to any one requesting it. One bottle of the yellow wrapper Centaur Liniment is worth one hundred dollars for sprained or sweenied horses and mules, or for screw-worm in sheep. Stock-owners—this liniment is worth your attention. No family should be without Centaur Liniment. J. B. ROSE & Co., New York.

Castoria is more than a substitute for Castor Oil. It is the only *safe* article in existence which is certain to assimilate the food, regulate the bowels, cure wind-colic and produce natural sleep. It contains neither minerals, morphine or alcohol, and is pleasant to take. Children need not cry and mothers may rest. feb13y1.

Real Estate Transfers, Filed for Record During the Month of July, 1873.

WARRANTEE.

Joseph A. Wood and wife to Angie S. Hull, south half of south-east quarter section 13, township 4, range 20; $1,330.

School District No. 21 to Roderick W. Hunt, Lots 6 and 7, Block 9, Troy; $50.

Thomas J. Ferguson to William B. Craig, Lots 3 and 4, Block 15, Wathena; $900.

John C. Zimmerman and wife to Anna E. and L. A. Beardsley, 12 acres in south-west quarter of north-west quarter section 20, township 3, range 21; $1,080.

Morris Davison and wife to John P. Johnson, 7¼ acres in north-east and north-west quarters section 15, township 2, range 19; $105.

Maria and Oliver Hamilton to Henry Pridgeon, the north 40 acres of south-west quarter section 30, township 2, range 22; $500.

James W. McClelland to Jacob Sarver, north half of south-west quarter section 32, township 3, range 21; $1,700.

Richard Hulse and wife to D. D. Rose, north west quarter of south-east quarter section 31, township 3, range 21; $700.

Rhoda Smith to Lucy M. McDonal, east half of north-east quarter section 17, township 4, range 20; $1 and Love and Affection.

Thomas J. Wilkinson and wife to Sylvester E. Morris, west half of south-east quarter section 8, township 2, range 19; $1,500.

Joseph Elliott and wife to John L. Motter, south-west quarter of south-east quarter section 32, township 2, range 22; $400.

Lodell and F. N. Stubbs to Susan A. Wheeler, Lot 2, Block 26, Troy; $50.

Joseph D. Furrow and wife to Mary Harrison, north-east quarter section 15, township 5, range 21; $375.

Heirs of Robert G. Mansfield to Oscar P. Pengra, south-west quarter of north-east quarter section 29, township 2, range 21; $425.

Henry M. Campbell and wife to Bayless S. Campbell, north half of south-east quarter section 33, township 2, range 19; $2,000.

Emma B. and William Bishop to James Haft, south-west quarter section 28, and east half of south-east quarter section 29, township 2, range 19; $6,000.

Matthias Bucher and wife to Jane Plowman, Lot 7, Block 12, Wathena; $50.

Heirs of Peter Maroff to Anna Maroff, south-west quarter of north-east quarter section 9, township 3, range 22; $400.

Heirs of Robert G. Mansfield, (by Guardian,) to Oscar P. Pengra, undivided one-third of west half of north-east quarter, and north half of south-east quarter of north east quarter, and south half of north-east quarter of north-east quarter section 29, township 2 range 21; $200.

Alfred Fenton and wife to Henry Myers, south-east quarter section 5, township 4, range 20; $2,000.

Enoch M. Fenton and wife to Henry Myers, south-west quarter section 9, township 4, range 20; $2,000.

White Cloud City Company to James S. Easley, many lots in White Cloud; $1.

QUIT-CLAIM.

William Rankin and wife to Highland University, Lot 14, Block 73; Lot 12, Block 108; Lots 7 and 8, Block 101; Lots 7 and 8, Block 50; Lots 5 and 6, Block 79, Highland; $1.

Etienne Simon to Joseph Corbert, Lots 9 and 10, Block 8, Wathena; $100.

Benjamin Harding and wife to William B. Craig, Lot 1, Block 15, North Wathena; $1.

Pliny S. Soper and wife to Susan A. Wheeler, Lot 2, Block 26, Troy; $45.

X. K. Stout to Franklin Brown, 10 acres in south-west corner of south-east quarter section 16, township 3, range 21; $100.

OFFICIAL DEEDS.

M. B. Brown to Fredrick Lyman, Block 13, East Troy; Sheriff's Deed, $448.50.

Doniphan County to Mrs. M. B. Tracy, Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, Block 28, Troy; tax deed, $1.10.

William R. Sears to Margaret J. Sears, Lots 9 and 10, Block 10, East Troy; Sheriff's Deed, $67.

Doniphan County to D. McIntosh, north half of south-east quarter section 15, township 2, range 19; south fourth of south-east quarter section 14, township 2, range 19; north-east quarter of south-west quarter section 14, township 2, range 19; west half of north-east quarter section 33, township 1, range 19; south half of north-east quarter section 3, township 2, range 19; tax deed, $5.50.

Farmers' Pic-nic.

There will be a Farmers' Pic-nic on the farm of James M. Trant, Esq., 2½ miles north of Troy, on Saturday, August 16th, 1873. A general invitation is extended to farmers, without regard to organization. Come one, come all, as business of importance to farmers will be transacted.

By order of the Committee.

E. D. MCCLELLAND, President.
R. S. HINCKLEY, Secretary.

☞ To make room for a new Stock of Clothing, we will sell, for the next thirty days, at 6 per cent.

WILSON & MOREHEAD.

Aug. 7, 1873.

☞ We have received a handsome pamphlet containing the Regulations and Premium List of the Fourth Annual Fair of the Northern Kansas District Agricultural Society, to be held at Woodland Park, Atchison, from the 5th to the 12th of September. The list embraces nearly every farm product, species of live stock, and article of mechanical skill imaginable, and the premiums aggregate a very large amount. We notice that B. O'Driscoll, of this County, is Vice-President of the Society, F. M. Bell is a member of the Executive Committee, and J. L. Philbrick is Superintendent of the Poultry Department.

REBUS.—This is one of the most ingenious rebuases ever devised. It was got up by the Duke of Wellington, while in exile at St. Helena, and refers to an exploit of one of his favorite Generals. The beauty of it is, that the person who reads it correctly has the privilege of "setting 'em up" for the crowd:

General BBBB his CCCC South to take the TTTT

☞ Rev. Mr. Mahan, of the Methodist Church of this place, informs us that he will relinquish his charge here, and remove to Iowa, in the course of three or four weeks—this being rendered necessary on account of the ill health of persons connected with his family. Rev. Mr. Leak, of Doniphan, will fill his place for the remainder of the term.

☞ Neal Petersen, the "old-time shoemaker" of Troy, has returned from the mountains, fat and hearty, and has accepted a situation at the Boot and Shoe Store of C. G. Bridges, where he will be glad, at all times, to see his old friends, and take their orders. Petersen is known as one of the best boot makers in Northern Kansas.

☞ Capt. J. K. Fisher, Dr. W. L. Challiss, and others, of Atchison, started on a hunting trip to Nebraska, Monday. As they had Sheriff Maquilken securing the country for a week, in quest of all the hunting dogs that could be borrowed, begged or jayhawked, there is ground to suspect that game will have to suffer some.

☞ There is a good deal of rabbit-truck about the White Cloud *Leader's* store of the marriage of Paddy McGuire to a daughter of the old chief White Cloud. We think there were but two of the White Cloud girls, and Tesson is married to them both; and they are nicer looking women than the *Leader* describes.

☞ A person who has travelled some distance west of here, says that, after getting five miles west of Hiawatha, he regards the corn crop as the next thing to a failure, except in occasional patches. Rain now can not remedy it. This condition of things extends for a good many miles.

☞ C. Leland, Jr., is now putting up a kiln of brick, for the purpose of building a new brick dwelling and a large pork packing house, this Fall.

☞ Robert Mailler, of this place, and W. H. Bush, of Highland, have formed a co-partnership to carry on the mercantile business at Leona, in this County.

Severance Items.

Another midnight serenade at Kilkenny's Garden, on last Monday night. Several converts are reported.

Schemerhorn was in town, on last Monday. He was after corn.

Henry P. Rainey, of the *Daily Herald*, of St. Joseph, was in town, on last Saturday. If Mr. Rainey reflects the political opinions of that sheet, it surely has taken another departure, rather on the radical side of Democracy.

Donel Quinn, residing south of town, met with a sad misfortune, by losing his entire Fall wheat crop, of some 400 bushels. Mr. Quinn was on the stack smoking, and it is supposed fire fell from his pipe, and after stacking over it, it was some time before it was discovered, when the whole stack was on fire inside. The result is the loss of his entire crop of wheat.

We are sorry to learn that Rev. Geo. W. Wood is quite sick with fever. He was not able to fill both appointments on last Sunday.

The Christian Church are preparing to build them a handsome church building at this place. They had, up to Sunday last, $1,000 pledged towards it.

The Parsonage is almost completed, and ready for plastering.

The lumber for the new store house arrived: also lumber for Frank McCauley's residence.

There are five new buildings under contract, to be put up between now and Fall. Say Severance is not improving.

Considerable comment is made on Justice Gillin, in the way he rendered his decision in the Hickey case. After ordering one of the party sent to jail for 30 days, he concluded to change it to a fine of *Ten Dollars*—not enough for being drunk and raising a row on the streets, much less of midnight Ku-Kluxing.

While the whole country around has been complaining because they get no rain, Severance has been blessed with at least four rains each day for the last month, viz: Doc. Rains and family.

A great deal of sickness abounds throughout the country, and without rain it will be worse. The mercury reached 102 in the shade, on last Saturday, and 104 on Sunday. Some fields of corn are so dry they will almost burn.

The Farmers' Club met on last Saturday. It is not known whether they passed any important "resolutions" or not. Some speeches were made by Frank Babcock, President Garten, and others.

It is rather warm for this kind of business, still it goes on after this way:

MARRIED.—On Sunday, August 10th, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. G. W. Wood, Mr. D. H. Roberts to Miss Libbie Chenoweth, all of Severance.

On the 7th of August, at the Francis Street Methodist parsonage, St. Joseph, by Rev. E. R. Hendrix, Oscar B. Carroll, of Hiawatha, Kansas, and Miss Addie Vickery, of Severance, Kansas.

There has been over thirty-five thousand bushels of small grain shipped from this place, of the new crop, by our different dealers up to this date.

R. Small & Co., of the Severance mills, are putting in a 40-horse power engine, so as to meet their increasing demands.

The foundation for W. D. Rippey's building is under way.

Highland Items.

Red hot. Thermometer 104 in the shade, on Sunday.

Rev. J. A. McAfee, Greek Professor in the Highland University, has returned from his Eastern tour.

Rev. G. S Clark is home on a visit from the West, where he is engaged in organizing Sabbath Schools and Churches.

The I. G. of N. S. (never sweets) is in a flourishing condition.

We had only three fights on Saturday, in which old men, young men, and colored gentlemen participated. We withhold names at present, hoping it may not occur again.

Mr. Robert Mailer, of Troy, has entered into partnership with W. H. Bush, of Highland. They design opening up a general store at Leona. They are both No. 1 men, and we predict for them a big trade.

The "Noble" had their pic-nic party returned last week. Mr. H. H. Smedley furnished the party, in fine style, with ice cream. He has their thanks—no more.

Mr. E. Evans was seriously injured by his horse falling upon him.

We understand a new bank will be started here, about the first of September.

A new game has been started, called "pitch and toss." heads I win, tails you lose, said to be "perfectly infatuating."

A happy man. Mr. Philo Foster was greatly rejoiced because it was a boy.

Work has already commenced upon the new M. E. Church.

DIED.—On Saturday, August 9th, Francis L., daughter of James and Amelia Knepp, aged 8 months.

On Sunday, August 10th, Arthur, son of Mrs. McDowell, aged 2 years and 3 months.

On Sunday, August 10th, Laura, daughter of E. and Harriet Snyder, aged 1 year and 7 months. SACKET.

Doniphan Items.

Mrs. Martha Elliott, living in Geary City, wife of John Elliott, committed suicide last week, by shooting her brains out with a navy revolver. The cause for such a tragic act is not known, but it is generally believed she was partially insane.

We attended a Sunday School pic-nic on the farm of Joseph Beauchamp, on Independance Creek, last Friday, and enjoyed ourself hugely. Judge Blair, one of our County Board, made a telling speech, which was well received; and such vocal music we never heard before, and we doubt if it can be excelled by any school in Kansas. Among the female singers we noticed Miss Manda Clem, Miss Kate Boon, Miss Jane Clem, Miss Hagerman, Miss Tates, and others. The singing was conducted by Mr. Powell Roberts and Frank Hingston. The table was perfectly splendid, and everybody fully satisfied; there was as much left for as many more. There were about three hundred persons on the ground. All honor is due to Judge Blair, Aaron Clem, Miss Manda Clem, and others, for the great success made of it.

Regular trains are now running on the St. Joseph & Topeka Railroad.

The river is falling, falling, not like a cataract, but away to nothing.

Doniphan is itself again. Sickness abated, and no more deaths.

There was a mad dog in town, last week, that bit several other dogs before he was killed. Mr. Messenger, Frick & Franklin's sawyer, says the dog bit him on the hand, but it only bruised the skin, preventing absorption of the rabid saliva.

Robert Tracy will carry Wayne Township, by a heavy majority, for County Treasurer.

Have mercy on the *Republican*, Sol., and don't behave so.

Tribute of Respect.

Died, on the morning of the 10th day of August, A. D. 1873, COL. SIDNEY TENNENT.

"When a good man dies, angels weep." But seldom is the recording pen brought into requisition with the same feeling of sadness that actuates the writer of this tribute of respect to the memory of one of "Nature's Noblemen."

A well-read lawyer, firm in his principles of right, has passed away. One of the ablest counsellors of the law has gone from our midst, we trust to reap the reward of the just. A graduate of Yale College, as well as of the Law School of Cadwallader of Philadelphia, with his mind enriched by the classic remembrances of a Luther Martin and his legal and forensic compatriots, he came West in 1851; and he was the able editor of the *Cycle*, a paper published in St. Joseph, Mo., in 1856. From St. Joseph, he came into Northern Kansas, and at once became largely identified with the interests of our section.

The oldest lawyer has left us. Let us hope that "he is not dead, but sleepeth."

Requiescat in Pace.

J. M. E.

HEAD OF CEDAR, August 10, 1873.

To the Editor of the Chief:

SIR:—I would like to make a suggestion. I hope it is not intrusive.

The people generally object to the *Republican*, on account of its obscenity. Some of them, through its columns, suggest a change in this respect. The *Republican* and its patrons object as strenuously to other newspapers copying so much from the *Chief*. Now, the *Republican* only needs decency to be a tolerably good paper. It will be read by persons who hate Sol. Miller—and by none others. This class ought to be reached. They need enlightenment—politically, morally, socially. They ought not to be damned without a chance. It isn't fair. Now, for the suggestion:

Let the *Republican* quote from the *Chief*, adopt its ideas—steal boldly, if necessary, from its editorial columns. It might be, that it wouldn't be an original paper, nor so considered. At the same time, don't you see? an infusion of sense would be dripped through its columns, and a very commendable class of citizens could be reached. But above all, its wit would be decent, and its sarcasm relieved from nastiness. Yours, GRANGER.

The man who proposes to sell goods to Farmers' Clubs for a certain per cent. profit, will find that there are those on the watch who know the difference between *ten* and *forty* per cent. We have the papers to prove that he has charged over forty per cent. on some articles in a bill of hardware sold recently. NORWAY UNION.

☞ Several cases of cholera morbus have occurred in this vicinity, within a week past, so severe that they might as well have been called cholera, were it not for the name of the thing.

☞ A subscriber in Illinois writes that he wants to take the *Chief* as long as he lives. We hope he may live a thousand years, and that we may live to tell what an old man he is.

☞ Mrs. Case is having a new dwelling built on her block, where her house was burned about a year ago.

☞ John Morton is going into business at Axtell, in Marshall County, on the St. Joe. and Denver Railroad.

PERFECTING A TITLE.—We have recently heard of an incident, illustrating the carelessness or penuriousness of many persons, whereby they fail to have real estate transfers recorded, and thus break the chain of title. The owner of some lots in Wathena, upon which he had a valuable residence, had long been worried over a lost link in the title to the property, which he never could succeed in securing. Finally, he made a thorough overhauling of the Recorder's books, with the same ill success. Then it popped into the head of the Recorder, that a former old resident of Wathena, who subsequently removed to Iowa Point, where he died several years ago, had handled and transferred a good deal of Wathena property, and had been notoriously delinquent, in the matter of keeping up the record; and he proposed that, when he got a little leisure, he would go up and ransack the papers of the deceased, in search of the lost deed. He went, made a thorough overhauling of the papers, where he found a large quantity of deeds, but not the one he was looking for. He gave up the search, got into his buggy, and was starting off, when a citizen, who had got a rumor of what was going on, came running up, and handed him a paper badly soiled with mud, saying his little girl had found it blowing about the street, sometime before, and perhaps it might be what was wanted. The paper was opened, and proved to be the identical deed that was sought after—and thus the chain of title was restored!

☞ The Morse property, known as the "Shakespeare Nursery," formerly owned by C. J. Jones, was sold at Sheriff's sale, on Monday. It was bought by Mr. Humphreys, of Macon City, Mo., for about $2100, being a little over two-thirds of the appraisement.

A Word to Travellers!

We have a word to say in favor of the Missouri Pacific Railroad. It was the "pioneer" line Westward, and is the "old reliable" route to St. Louis. With the improvements which have been made during the past year, we believe that the Missouri Pacific Railroad has the best track and the finest and safest equipment of any line west of the Mississippi. It is the only line which runs thru daily express trains of five Coaches and Pullman Sleepers, equipped with the Miller platform and the patent air brake, from leading points in the West, through Kansas City, Sedalia and Jefferson City to St. Louis *without change*, connecting at St. Louis with *dozen different through routes* to points North, East and South. Particular information, with maps, time tables, &c., may be had at the various "Through Ticket" Railroad Stations in the West, or upon personal or written application to G. H. Baxter, Western Passenger Agent, Kansas City, Mo., or E. A. Ford, General Passenger Agent, St Louis, Mo. jan16.

Interesting to Farmers.

The citizens of the County, who propose planting orchards, will find it to their advantage to give their patronage to E. Snyder, of the Prairie Nurseries, at Highland, who keeps, perhaps, the largest stock in the State, and can furnish them at as low rates as the same class of trees can be purchased at from any of the leading Nurseries of the country. Mr. S. has had a long experience in the business in this County, and has a thorough knowledge of all the varieties adapted to this climate. Parties who deal with him, may be assured that all orders will be filled with the variety wanted. He keeps everything to be found in a first-class Nursery, and solicits the patronage of the public. Apply to the proprietor,

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ST. LOUIS MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, August 12.

Hemp—Unchanged, demand light.
Flour—Quiet and weak.
Wheat—Firm and fairly active. No. 4 red fall $1 12; No. 3 $1 32 in elevator; sample medium to prime sold $1 30@1 37; No. 2 $1 40@1 42.
Corn—Dull and lower; No. 2 mixed 37@38c; spot offered at 38½c.
Oats—Firmer; No. 2 28@28½c.
Rye—Lower and unsettled; buyers holding off; No. 2 56@45c.
Pork—Steady and firm $16 75@17 00.
Dry Salt Meats—No sales.
Bacon—Stiff; shoulders 9½@9¾c; clear rib 10¾c; clear sides 10¾@11c.
Lard—Choice 8c; summer tierce 7½c.
Cattle—Dull; fair to choice shipping lots $4 75@5 75; medium to good butchers $3 70@4 50.
Hogs—Quiet at $4 25@4 60.

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, August 12.

Flour—In good demand.
Wheat—Active and advanced; No. 1 spring $1 23@124; No. 2 $1 22 cash; $1 18½ August; $1 12 September; No. 3 $1 11.
Corn—Active and advanced; No. 2 mixed; 38½c bid cash or August.
Oats—Dull and a shade lower; No. 2 27½c; spot or August 26c.
Rye—Fair demand; No. 2 60c.
Pork—Steady; sales $16 60.
Lard—Firm; 8c asked.
Bulk Meats—Steady; shoulders quotable 7¾c; sides 9½@9¾c.
Bacon—Quiet and unchanged.
Cattle—Unchanged; light sales; fair to choice native steers $4 75@5 75, Texans $2 25@3 25.
Hogs—Active and firm; $4 40@4 65 for medium to heavy Savannah lots; $4 75@4 95 for light grades, with a few common rough lots at $4 25.

Order of Publication.

In the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the State of Kansas, sitting within and for Doniphan County.

John P. Johnson, Plaintiff.
vs.
Oliver Davis,
H. E. Nickerson & Co.,
W. R. Stebbins,
G. I. Stebbins,
Susan Davis, Defendants.

THE defendant, G. I. Stebbins, will take notice, that he has been sued in the above Court, in an action entitled as above: that suit is brought to recover the sum of two thousand three hundred dollars, ($2,300) with interest for two years, and to have certain premises in said County, mortgaged to secure payment thereof, sold, in which your firm claims an interest; and you are required to answer the petition filed in this cause, on or before the fifth day of September, A. D. 1873, or judgment will be entered as upon your default, and said premises ordered sold, under said judgment.

C. W. JOHNSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
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