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### VITAL WASHINGTON NEWS.

By Clyde H. Tavener,  
Special Washington Correspondent of this Newspaper.

Washington, Sept. 25.—The farmers of Pennsylvania sold forty-eight million dollars worth of potatoes in New York City last year, but they were not worth forty-eight millions to the farmers. That is what the New York consumer paid for them. The farmers got three and a half millions.

This statement was made by the Pennsylvania grange who visited New York City to study market conditions.

These grangers discovered that a gold storage chicken weighing a pound and a half, sold for a dollar in Madison square. For that same kind of a chicken the farmers received 12 cents a pound. The farmers paid 5 cents each for apples, and offered to sell the vendor from whom they purchased them all he wanted for two dollars a barrel. Eggs which the farmers sold for 22 cents brought 45 cents when purchased by the consumer.

This vast difference between what the farmer gets and what the consumer pays represents the unearned profits that flow into the pockets of the railroads, the express companies, and the food trusts. The railroads get theirs in the form of excessive rates which go to pay dividends on watered stock. The express companies get theirs by reason of the fact that one supine Republican administration after another has refused to put them under a decent regulation, and the food trusts get theirs by maintaining unnecessary storage houses, through which they create artificial 'shortages' and thus raise prices.

Nearly all the perishable food supplies which go to the cities are carried by the express companies, or by equally monopolistic refrigerator lines of the food trusts. Thus the consumer pays a double haulage bill, when these products reach the cities they are turned over to the food trusts and placed in cold storage, where they are kept until a 'hoarding' is created. Then up go prices.

"If all the eggs now held in cold storage were placed on the market tomorrow," said a member of the grange, "the price of eggs would double two-thirds."

What is the remedy? Democratic members of Congress have that one remedy lies in strengthening of the interstate commerce law, to enable the government to reach—and jail—some of the owners of the criminal food and transportation monopolies.

It is significant that the farmers, for the first time in years, are getting together on the high price question. They know that while their own products are bringing more than formerly, there still is a tremendous gap between what they get and what the consumer pays. They propose to find out where the trouble lies, and it is more than certain that investigations, as soon as they are started will lead them directly to the headquarters of the unpunished trust magnates who control the railroads, the food trusts and the express monopoly. But in the meantime, thanks to the Supreme Court, from which there is no appeal, restraint of trade is not restraint as long as it is "reasonable."

### NEELEY FOR CONGRESS.

The death of Congressman Madison leaves a vacancy which will have to be filled by a special election. There are a number of Democrats in this district who would make excellent good candidates, and who could represent this district in congress very creditably, but to our mind there is but one man whom we should nominate. He can make a better campaign, has, by reason of being a candidate last year, a better acquaintance, and is in every way fitted for the place. There is no need of a primary, as he will be by far the strongest man, and a primary costs money. The committee should get together, call a delegate convention and nominate George Neeley of Hutchinson for Congress.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. Gano have returned from a visit at Medicine Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Panning were out from Kansas City this week.

Linn Moses visited his family in Kansas City last Sunday.

C. F. Younkin has been visiting over at Nickerson this week, as well as taking in the fair.

Charles Chapman left for California Saturday evening.

### MORRISON-KELL.

Mr. Clarence E. Morrison and Miss Laura Kell, both of Pawnee Rock, were married at Hutchinson Wednesday, September 20, by the probate judge of Reno county. They left to attend the fair Wednesday morning and returned to Pawnee Rock Thursday evening.

The groom was born near Galatia and has lived in Barton county all of his life, being the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Morrison of Great Bend. He has been in the jewelry and restaurant business for several years past and is now serving as mayor, having beaten his father-in-law in the last election when both were candidates for the office.

The bride is also a Barton county girl, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kell. She is widely known as she has assisted her father in his store for many years and since his retirement from the mercantile business has been with the Hazelwood store as saleslady.

They were the recipients of a miscellaneous shower Friday evening at the home of the bride. They will make their home, after a short time, in the property just west of the Kell home.

### AS TO SUNDAY CLOSING.

It seems that there is a law in regard to closing theaters on Sunday. If theaters should be closed on Sunday, why should not the cigar stands and ice cream stands, soda fountains, candy shops and other institutions that are operated and patronized purely for pleasure be closed? A good clean recreation of any other kind, clean recreation of any other kind.

### FARMERS INSTITUTES.

According to the schedule prepared by the Farmers Institute department of the Agricultural college, the next institute will be held for this county in this city on December 8 and 9.

Mrs. George Spencer and Mrs. Will Winstead are visiting with Sid Crain and family at Deer Creek, Ok.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Menzer, and Martin Menzer and daughter were down from Grant township Wednesday on business.

C. Bock was a visitor from Ellinwood Wednesday morning.

Claude Lippincott was here this week for a short visit. He has been suffering with rheumatism nearly all summer.

Oscar Frazier was down to Ellinwood Wednesday afternoon.

Joe Strothman, C. W. Hermes, Charles Schermuly, Henry Komarek and Will Kimpler were up from Ellinwood Monday afternoon, in relation to the arrest of the opera house management there Monday. The case was heard before Justice Clayton, who assessed a fine, which with costs, amounted to \$36.50.

Mrs. George Spencer entertained about twenty little girls last Saturday evening, with Miss Florence Feder and Miss Dorothy Smith as the guests of honor. Various games much enjoyed by the little ones were played, and delicious refreshments, which were hastily devoured by the visitors, were served.

The W. O. W. camp of this city will give a dance at their hall, this Friday evening. Music by Rucker's orchestra. Refreshments will be served. Good order will prevail and a good time is assured.

Mrs. Robert Grizzle and children of Chaffin have been visiting with their mother, Mrs. J. R. Johnson, the past week, while Mr. Grizzle has been attending the fair at Hutchinson.

Max Moore visited at Ellinwood Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chapman have returned from their eastern trip.

Miss Florence Hunt went to Ness City Wednesday morning to take in the Ness county fair.

George Holman was up from Peabody the first of the week.

Pete Thul and St Holt were up from Ellinwood Tuesday.

Miss Laura Vandruft is up from Jefferson Okla., on a visit to her sister, Mrs. R. Vanoll.

Paul Kasselman and Miss Lillian Fookner, well known young folks living south of Ellinwood were granted a marriage license this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Griffin of Manning, are the guests of J. M. Sloan and family.

Ira Brougher, Joe Walters, George Thacker and Henry Schmiede were in Topeka this week attending the soldiers reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Newkirk have something out at their home that beats a state fair, so far as they are concerned. It is a ten pound boy.

Marion Sowards is paying host to a brother, A. J. Sowards, who makes his home in Michigan.

Gene Cotterman of this office took a few days vacation the past week, visiting his parents down in Osage county, and also the fair at Hutchinson.

### THE EXCLUSIVE LADIES STORE

# Special Showing of Cotton and Woolen Blankets

THIS WEEK we are prepared to show the largest stock of Cotton and Woolen Blankets ever before displayed in this city. All the new large plaids, special colors, etc. Make an effort to attend this Special Display.

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- One large assortment of tan, gray or white cotton blankets, 11-4 wide, medium weight, either plain or with fancy border. Priced at **\$1.00 the pair**
- One large assortment of tan, gray or white cotton blankets, 12-4 wide, extra heavy weight, either plain or fancy border. Priced at **\$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 the pair**
- One large assortment of wool finished cotton blankets, all colors, either plain, fancy plaids, or plain with fancy borders, extra large size, and heavy weight. Priced at **\$2.00, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 the pair**

## Wool Blankets

In Wool Blankets our stock is immense. plain or fancy covers, large or medium sizes, bought at a special price and now placed on sale at prices ranging from

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Louis Omer left for Kinsley Saturday, to assume charge of his interest in the clothing establishment he recently purchased. Mrs. Omer and daughter went up Monday.

Henderson Martin, of Marion, chairman of the Democratic state central committee, was in the city last Saturday morning, on business with W. G. Merritt.

Charles Sessions, Secretary of State was in the city Saturday on his way to Ness county to investigate a proposed bond issue for school purposes.

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