

Regular meeting of the city council Monday night.

The receipts in the police court yesterday amounted to \$111.

The politicians are now getting their heads on Kohn's corner.

The next thing in the amusement line will be the circus next Tuesday.

Don't forget the meeting of Company A at Russell hall tomorrow evening.

A handsome new sign was placed in front of the Golden Rule store yesterday.

The time in the U. S. court is now mostly taken up in hearing land contested cases.

Our streets were enlivened yesterday by the addition of three more bootblacks from Kansas City.

The Wichita "glee club" will meet for rehearsal Monday night, at Prof. Signor's music room.

Hose & Charlton's store was closed yesterday on account of the death of Mr. Charlton's little child.

The Wichita Art gallery placed a large and handsome sign on the front of the Ferris block yesterday.

The infant child of S. S. Smith, who lives across the Santa Fe track on Water street, was buried Friday.

Rev. Hewitt will deliver a lecture before the teachers' institute Monday evening which it will pay all teachers to hear.

The Democratic convention yesterday endorsed Governor Glick's administration and said that they were red-hot for re-submission.

A very fine Scotch Shepherd dog came in yesterday by the Adams express from Big Prairie, Ohio, to D. K. Eberly of this county.

A large number of movers from the eastern part of the state passed through the city yesterday on their way to the western portion of Kansas.

The following figures will show the receipts and disbursements at the county treasurer's office up to the hour of closing business yesterday: Receipts, \$26,734. Disbursements, \$47,236.

We are informed that C. D. Perry, of Chicago, who owns eighty acres of land east of the railroad, about a mile from the city, intends to survey it off into acre lots and erect a small house upon each one.

Finlay Ross has purchased a fine piece of property on Topeka avenue in Mead's addition, paying for the same \$2,500. We understand that he will erect a handsome residence thereon.

Mr. Blaser, living three blocks north of the Ft. Scott depot, died yesterday morning and will be buried today, the funeral taking place from the German M. E. church at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Charlton died yesterday morning at 4 o'clock, and was buried in the afternoon at 2:30, the funeral taking place from the residence on the corner of Third and Market streets.

H. W. Black who lives near the bridge, was arrested yesterday on a complaint filed by his wife, who charges him with cruelly abusing and beating her. Black will be tried in Justice Hobbs' court Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

E. D. Miles had a large sign placed in front of his store on Douglas avenue yesterday, which read as follows: "Boomers must go! It is hardly necessary to say that leaders saw the point, and gave that store a wide berth."

"Beneath a shady tree they sat; He held her hand, she held his hat; They kissed—and lay right flat; He held that kissing was no crime; She held her head up every time; I held my peace and wrote this rhyme; While they thought no one knew it."

The farmers of the county are taking a great deal of interest in the fair, which is to begin on the 25th, and will make such a showing this year of agricultural products and stock as has never been seen in this country. The management will also do all in their power to make the exhibit a grand success.

Last night N. F. Niederlander's horse ran off with the harness on, and turning the corner of Fourth and Douglas avenues, frightened a horse owned by Mrs. Chaffee, causing him to shy and run into a buggy driven by some parties from Oxford, leaving the oxen rig a perfect wreck.

A man by the name of Moneys, living near the Santa Fe stock yards, was arrested by the officers yesterday afternoon for abusing and maltreating his wife. Earnest Reymann informs us that the woman in question is very badly injured. If this is true, the court ought to give the defendant such a sentence as will deter other wife-beaters from their vicious practices.

The current will shortly begin the publication of a brief series of papers entitled "Supporting the President," from the pen of a clergyman, who writes frankly and feelingly upon the different phases of clerical life, and who points out the propriety of that anti-time, support, and helpful sympathy with which the laity should enable him to best fulfill his divine calling.

E. P. Lord & Son are having a valuable tract of twelve acres of land, lying north of the city limits, surveyed and platted in lots which they intend to sell at public auction on Tuesday, the 19th day of August, 1888, one-third cash, the balance in twelve months. This will be a splendid opportunity to purchase a home-spot at reasonable figures, and on easy terms. The land is a rich black loam, has a good spot on the tract, and is located upon the finest street in the city. Plans can be seen at the office of the county clerk.

From the river to Main street, from Main street to Central avenue, from Market street to First and from the depot the entire length of Douglas avenue yesterday, Wichita was a young Chicago. Moving trunks, blocked street cars, turning and twisting teams, carriages, busses and drays, and thousands of people swarming everywhere, and all here on the particular business in hand, presented a scene which for life is seldom surpassed by the principal thoroughfares of our largest cities. Strange throngs on the corners jostled into a kind of maze, as the din and confusion there prevailed, and the scene, about the wheat and hog markets and around the grain elevators as inside the stores and shops, all was life and bustle. Verily, Wichita, all was life and bustle.

FROM THE NORTHWEST.

STOCKTON, ROCKS CO., KANS., Aug. 18, 1888.

To the Editor of the Daily Eagle:

Readers of your issue of the 15th inst. will find therein a notice of a certain source of comfort to me out here. I hope they may find something of interest in them.

After leaving the Forest City I have visited and passed through several counties, most of which are in the central portion of the state. I soon observed that there were no prairie north of Newton, but plenty of apples, which seem to be plenty in all the counties where I have been, where the trees are old enough to produce. As for apples, I will say that what is extra good so far as I have been able to ascertain, and in the more western counties there seems to be a much heavier growth of straw, though perhaps not any greater yield per acre. There is quite an acreage of rye now here, which is a good crop, but very little oats. The average of barley is not

very large but the yield is very good. Corn is late here and most of the crop is just coming in silk. I have not seen as good a prospect for a heavy crop anywhere as in the Arkansas valley, though corn is looking very well in Pottawatomie county. After traveling about 400 miles through one of the most wonderful and fertile parts of Kansas, my admiration for such a state I am unable to describe while passing along the beautiful valleys and all dotted marks of man's most potent influence of civilization, and while looking out upon these, where the beautiful prairie stretches out like the ocean and all with the sky, while the soft hazy clouds wrap all the landscape in its silvery folds. Having passed through as fine a country as ever the sun shown upon, I am forced to say that the Great Arkansas valley is the most lovely and is destined to become famous, with Wichita as its metropolis with many railways and wonderful growth, is no doubt destined to become the metropolis of her beautiful state.

Hoping to soon plant my feet on the pavement, I am yours respectfully,

G. W. BARTHOLOMEW.

PROFESSOR MERRIETT'S ART RECEPTION.

Notwithstanding the threatening aspect of the hours yesterday designated for Professor Merritt's first exhibition, his work in this city, quite a large number of ladies and gentlemen visited the Occidental parlors where thirteen portraits were on exhibition. The comments were all in one direction and that was in praise of the excellence of the work. While some of the faces were strange to a great majority of the visitors, the work spoke for itself. All but one of the pictures were in pastel, the handsomely drawn ones had been treated alike. One portrait, that of a lady, had her face brought out under a high-light with Rembrandt effects, and another of a gentleman, Mr. R. L. Walker, was treated with the same effects, but by a low or back light. These two pictures attracted considerable attention and comment, being of the same school of art, and the only difference being the different lights under which they were treated. The life size portrait of Col. H. W. Lewis fairly speaks for itself, and the undertones being very delicate, and the verdict seemed to be that his picture came the nearest to the living. The portrait of Mr. R. L. Walker, the portrait of Mr. Oak Davidson could hardly be exceeded for vivid expression, while that of Mr. and Mrs. Niederlander's little girl comes next. Those who remember Mr. Smith, the express agent, or who knew him before his last sickness would be almost startled by the vivid accuracy with which his living face has been reproduced. That his widow, Mrs. Smith, is very pretty, smooth, and soft, but being unacquainted with the lady herself, we cannot speak so definitely. The portrait of Mr. Popenoe, of the Occidental, is good, he being a fine subject.

But we cannot mention all of the dozen or more works. The day being so unfavorable Post Merritt informed us that the pictures would be left in the parlors during Monday afternoon and Monday night, when all who desire to do so can visit them, and no doubt many will avail themselves of the opportunity.

PERSONAL MENTION.

—A. J. Stoddard came in yesterday from Abilene.

—J. W. Graham, of Wellington, was in the city yesterday.

—Chas. E. Lathrop, of Atchison, came down to Wichita yesterday.

—Mrs. Kirtie Raymond left for Sedgewick City on yesterday's train, to make that her home.

—P. R. Pitts, of Houdon, New York, and E. Tihany, of Rochester, will be guests at the Tremont over Sunday.

—J. O. Harford took a flying trip to Kingman, Friday, and reports everything in a prosperous condition in that city.

—Col. J. W. Hartzell returned last evening from St. Louis, via the "Prison, with Mrs. Hartzell, who had accompanied him.

—Dr. Robert C. Schroeder, of Eaton, New Mexico, arrived from the west yesterday, and will spend some time in Wichita.

—E. F. Henderson, sheriff of summer county, was on the lookout for some criminal in this city yesterday. He returned today.

—W. H. Baker, A. G. Vinton and J. S. Clements, all prominent citizens of Wellington, came up last evening and took the train for Kingman.

—Mr. S. Root will leave today for Wisconsin, where his wife has been visiting for several weeks. He expects to accompany her home in a few days.

—C. C. Hyde returned yesterday from a four weeks' trip to the Buckeye state. He visited his old home in Mt. Vernon, and of course had a splendid time.

—Frank Evans, examiner for the Lumber and mortgage company, of Wellington, came up on the night yesterday, and transacted business connected with that company.

—Mrs. M. M. Carson and Miss Ruch, of Indiana, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Patsch, in this city, in company with the latter made the Eagle office a call last evening.

—Franklin P. Mann, of Chicago, was in the city last night and gave the full-length portrait of the late Mrs. Mann, which he will come here and locate a branch house.

—Mr. Jordan who lives about nine miles southwest of the city, came in yesterday. He says that wheat in his neighborhood will average about 20 cent per bushel to the acre, and that corn is looking fine, and will be a heavier crop than it was last season.

—Miss Fanny Kwing and Miss Toody Mayo, of St. Louis, are in the city visiting with Mrs. W. R. Johnson, on South Water street, who is an aunt of the latter. Miss Mayo spent some weeks in Wichita about a year ago, during which time she made numerous friends, who will be pleased to learn of her return.

—Am. Hayes was in from Haysville yesterday. In speaking of the political situation in this state he said: "I am an anti-political, but I am going to stay by the old party, and if the old Republican ship goes down I will go down with her. And if you want to have a good time just come into the Haysville Methodist camp-meeting on the 23rd of September."

—Mr. Alex. Darragh, of the Emporia News, the brilliant paragraphist, whose delightful social qualities are only equaled by the keenness of his appreciation of every bright thing, or his unmatchable disgust for human follies and shams, surprised us by a sudden and unheralded visit last night. He was accompanied by Capt. D. Rice, secretary to Senator Plumb. The two came down to spend the Sabbath in the coming city of the state, and to verify what the Exoter has been modestly claiming for the Nile of America. Before returning they will take in the cities of Wellington and Wellington, and if not so sorry will make the border.

DECEASED.

The following parties who went to the G. A. R. national encampment at Minneapolis returned home last evening, and report having had a delightful time, but after all were glad to get back to the City of the Nile: W. R. Williams and wife, J. R. Williams, Geo. W. Stinson and wife, John E. Johnson, wife and child, Frank Bissman and wife, and Mr. Beach and wife, of Valley Centre.

AN EXPLANATION.

The following letter in reply to an item that recently appeared in the Eagle, will explain itself:

CHEEKEY, Kan., August 8, 1888.

Editor Eagle, Wichita, Kan.: Dear Sir:—Fisher was right about my signing the Cleveland and Hendricks' club paper, but I did so because I felt sorry for him, rather looking all over town for a fellow to sign a Democrat to do so. Yours,

L. E. JONES.

DEMOCRACY.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

Election of Delegates to the State, Congressional and Senatorial Conventions.

GOVERNOR GLICK'S ADMINISTRATION ENDORSED BY THE UNWASHED.

Who Say That They are Red-Hot for Re-Submission.

The Democratic county convention for the purpose of electing delegates to the state, congressional and senatorial conventions, met at the court room in this city yesterday at 11:30 o'clock pursuant to call, and perfected a temporary organization by selecting H. G. Toler chairman, and F. Fisher secretary.

On taking the chair Mr. Toler made a few pertinent remarks, setting forth the nature and object of the meeting, after which the convention settled down to business.

On motion of Mr. Harris a committee of three were appointed on permanent organization and also on credentials. F. B. Smith moved that a committee of three be appointed on order of business, resulting in the appointing of the following committee:

On credentials—O. Z. Smith, Dr. Jones and C. F. Derby.

On organization—A. Harris, R. W. McKee and O. F. Peery.

On order of business—Sam Majors, F. Smith and J. Fanning.

The convention then adjourned until 1:30 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The convention reassembled at 1:30, the attendance being quite large, when the committee on credentials reported the following delegates entitled to seats in the convention:

First Ward—N. A. English, M. G. Jones, Amos Harris.

Second Ward—H. G. Toler, W. A. McKee, Geo. Collins.

Third Ward—Henry Jones, P. V. Healy, O. Z. Smith.

Fourth Ward—Frank Fisher, C. F. Derby, Sam Majors.

At-large—J. Knudock, Garden Plains—Thee, Osweiler.

Grant—R. Caruthers, W. Willis, Wm Davidson.

Kochi—Joe Fanning, A. Steele.

Patk—Wm Little, O. F. Peery.

Bilbois—W. M. Likely, H. C. Wise.

Waco—Geo. Dailman, Ed Sisson, A. J. Walcott.

Salem—J. S. Carson, V. Cloud, Henry Culler.

Sherman—Mitt Post.

Delano—Chas Kenyon, J. A. Tuthrell, Jas Macfee.

Minerals—Henry Osweiler.

At-large—Frank Smith, Chas Allen, H. Campbell.

Rockford—A. H. Brown, H. C. Williams, Gypsum—N. F. Hyde, Jas Cox.

It was then moved that where there was only one delegate from a township that he be allowed to cast the vote of said township, carried.

The committee on permanent organization then reported, recommending that the best knives made and every one warranted be made the permanent officers of the convention.

The committee on order of business submitted the following report, which was approved:

1st. Order of business.

2d. Permanent organization.

3d. Appointment of delegates to state convention.

4th. Appointment of delegates to congressional convention.

5th. Appointment of delegates to senatorial convention.

The chair decided that nominations were then in order, whereupon numerous names were named, resulting in the election of the following delegates to the state convention, which will meet at Topeka on Wednesday, the 20th inst.:

Frank Dale, H. G. Toler, Wm Lightly, C. F. Derby, A. H. McKee, R. Caruthers, O. F. Peery, F. Fisher, W. P. Campbell.

Alternates—A. Dailman, Mr. Featheroff, F. Aldrich, C. C. Farley, D. A. Brown, Mr. McMillen, —Harris, W. Little, O. S. Wilber.

The following was then offered by Mr. Harris:

Mr. Chairman:—Your committee, appointed to select and recommend delegates to the congressional and senatorial conventions, recommended as delegates to the congressional convention the following gentlemen: D. M. Dale, Wm Davidson, N. A. English, Sam Majors, T. B. Cartwright, Wm Buholtz, R. Caruthers, Wm Ayers, C. A. Brown.

Will meet in this city on the 26th, at 10 o'clock, in the office of the state printer, at the corner of Third and Market streets, at 10 o'clock, in the office of the state printer, at the corner of Third and Market streets.

Resolved, That the convention proceed in place of any adjournment, and in case the congressional convention consists of a greater number than the delegates here appointed additional delegates may be selected in the same manner as that of absentees.

Resolved, That in case either of the churches in the city do not have a place to attend, those attending may all the vacancy by appointing another delegate in place of any absentee, and in case the congressional convention consists of a greater number than the delegates here appointed additional delegates may be selected in the same manner as that of absentees.

Resolved, That this convention endorse the administration of Gov. Glick, and be red-hot for re-submission.

There being no further business before the convention it adjourned at 4:30 p. m.

For the Board.

HAPPINESS AND THE POWER OF ACTION.

FRANCIS CAGNEY WRIGHT.

Happiness men seek, but seek through selfishness.

They lose their lives by saving them, unless their lives be lost in filling others; next, lingers the thing they seek; at last, comes the day when they are dead.

So Many Wonderful Sales!

"We Should Say So!"

We are not going to advertise anything wonderful. We will tell you in plain English that we have a large stock and will make

Prices to Meet Competition!

For the next two weeks we will offer

Bargains in Every Dept.

You will find our goods sold for less money than those of any other house in Wichita.

New York Store

M. KOHN & CO.

OPENING OF THE AMUSEMENT SEASON.

The fall and winter season of amusements will be formally opened by the August 26th at Turner's opera house by Wain's Union Square Comedy Company.

Our citizens will remember with pleasure, the appearance of this company last fall. Mr. Wain has engaged for another season—making the fourth year that these favorite artists have been with them, and they are general favorites everywhere. The company supporting them is already engaged, and is composed of first-class metropolitan professionals. The band and orchestra, which was so strong a feature of this organization, contains all the old members and is considered by musical critics to be the finest band on the road. The successful plays in New York the past season have been obtained by Mr. Wain and announced most of the opening bill will be made in a few days. Our readers can depend upon a performance complete in all its detail, and one to be enjoyed. This company has been engaged to play at the following places: State Fair, Topeka; Comany fair at Wichita; Wellington, Winfield and Hutchinson.

THE "WICHITAS."

The "Wichitas" will meet for rehearsal on Monday evening at Prof. Sicker's music room.

CHURCH NOTES.

There will be services at the various churches in the city today as follows:

Rev. T. W. Woodrow will preach at Russell hall this evening at 8 o'clock. Subject, "The Honest Man." Everybody is essentially invited.

Regular services of the Methodist church at the rink today. Preaching morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. Phillips, who at night will continue his series of sermons to young men. Sunday-school at 2:30 this afternoon.

Owing to the continued absence of Rev. Harper, there will be no preaching at the Baptist church today, but Sunday-school will be held as usual at 2:30 p. m.

Returned church services at Russell hall today at 11 o'clock a. m. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. I. G. Brown. The public are invited.

Rev. Hewitt will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church morning and evening, Sunday school at the usual hour.

J. W. Turner, pastor, will conduct the services at the A. M. E. church at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at the usual hour.

Services at the Catholic and other churches of the city at the usual hour.

LAND SLIDES.

The following are the real estate transfers recorded in the office of the register of deeds since our last report:

Edward Wilder to John McComas, lot 15 in block 32 in Chicago, \$47.50

W. H. Campbell to John Hamilton, 100 acres, the se qr of sec 15-27-2, east 40 acres, 2,000

Victoria A. Dagner to Finlay Ross, lot 25 and the south half of lot 22 on Topeka avenue in Mead's addition to Wichita, 3,200

W. H. Condit to George O. Morgan, 160 acres, the se qr of sec 6-28-2, west 80 acres, 1,800

Edwin State to L. S. Smith, lots 4 and the sw qr of the nw qr, and the w 1/2 of the se qr of sec 2-28-2 west, Pat. Alexander L. Hill to Richard H. Hill, the s 1/2 of the se qr of sec 18-24-1, east 40 acres, 2,000

Alden Spear to Geo. W. Walter, all of block 15 in Cheney, 500.00

H. F. Rhodes to Joseph Hogg, lot 20 on Lawrence avenue in H. G. Lee's addition to Wichita, 250

Henry Robinson to John B. Newman, the se qr of the se qr of sec 5-17-1, east 40 acres, 4,000

Dennis J. Gorin to Johnny Stiles, lots 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, on Prospect street in Wichita, 450

J. M. Tracy to J. E. Busee, piece of land near the east corner of the west 1/2 of the se qr of sec 28-2-2, west 40 acres, 150

Clearwater Town Co. to J. J. Gorin, certain lots in Clearwater, 1,200

Bargain.

The furniture and business of the Arlington hotel, Wellington, for sale at a bargain in consequence of sickness in proprietor's family. Address, Wellington, Kansas. 08-4

Baldwin & Osterger are now ready to photograph all who call at their newly furnished rooms, No. 36 Douglas ave. 32-4

"Cream" is the name of the new brand of patent made by the Diamond mill. Clearwater Town Co. to J. J. Gorin, certain lots in Clearwater. 08-4

For Sale.

Four splendid show cases, ten marble-top tables, counters, shelving, scales and glass candy jars. 72-3

Morris' Celebrated Pocket-knives are the best knives made and every one warranted in every particular. For sale by Geo. G. Matthews. 72-2

If you want good tea and coffee go to the Hong, 42 Main street. 72-2

Pure unadulterated spices at the Wichita Tea Hong, 42 Main street. 72-2

Have you tried the eighty cent fired Japan tea for sale at the Wichita Tea Hong, 42 Main street. 72-2

Don't fail to get your tea, coffee and spices at the Wichita Tea Hong, 42 Main street. 72-2

To the public of Wichita, Sedgewick county, and all of southwestern Kansas, I would have you know that I have secured Mr. Ross, late operator for Mr. Roemer, of Chicago, at a salary that no man in the photograph business in the state of Kansas is getting but him, and I guarantee you better photos than I have ever turned out. I am here to stay and propose to lead in the photograph business in the city of Wichita. Respectfully, W. S. DOUGLASS.

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Which accounts for our successful summer annual sales. We do just what we advertise. That's what pays. We have

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Everything in the store from a shoestring to a shawl—

15- For Fifteen Days! -15

To clean up our summer stock, which includes all the standard

Staple & Domestic Dry Goods & Notions!

That we have in stock, at prices never reached before.

If you wish housekeeping goods, don't miss this chance. If you want a silk dress, we will save you money. If you require a worsted dress for fall, now is the time to buy it.

We will give you rare bargains in blankets, flannels, cassimeres, cloakings, etc. Ladies, this is the time to purchase your winter underwear. You will pay much larger prices for them a month from now. Buy your muslin underwear now, if you would save money.

Don't fail to attend this sale. We mean what we say. No humbug about this sale.

Innes & Ross's Square Dealing Store.

Under the Horseshoe. - N. X. T. P. O.

SIXTY DAYS CLEARANCE SALE

BOOTS AND SHOES!

AT THE RED FRONT SHOE STORE!

At that time we will offer