Weekly Times

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1873.

MASONIC.

Proceedings of the Grand Lodge at Lawrence.

The ninth annual convocation of the Most Excellent Grand Royal Arch Chapter of the State of Kansas, convened in the Masonic hall in the city of Lawrence, Tuesday Oct., 14, 1873, A. I. 2403, at 11 a. m., with the following grand officers:

M. E. E. D. Hillyer, Grand High Priest.
R. E. R. A. Hayes, as Deputy Grand High Priest.
R. E. John W. Peck, as Grand King.
R. E. J. L. Philbrick, as Grand Scribe.
R. E. M. S. Adams, Grand Treasurer.
R. E. John H. Brown, Grand Secretary.
R. E. W. H. Makeaney as Grand Chaplain.
E. L. D. Jacobs as Grand Captain of the Host.
——— ——— Grand Principal Sojourner.

Grand Royal Arch Captain, Grand Master of the Vails and Grand Guard, and a constitutional number of chapters.

A chapter of Royal Arch Masons was opened, when, in accordance with the regulations, the M. E. Grand High Priest appointed the committee on credentials: Companions Brown, Knight and Peck.

The M. E. G. Chapter was called from labor to refreshments until 2 p. m.

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The committee on credentials submitted their report, which, on motion of companion J. D. Rush, was received, and the companions named therein admitted to seats in the Grand Chapter.

The M. E. Grand High Priest then declared the Grand Chapter open for the transaction of business.

The M. M. Grand High Priest appointed the following standing committees:

On Chartered Chapters—Companions M. S. Adams, J. D. Rush and W. F. Allen.

On Chapters U. D.—Companions J. W. Price, S. Fellows and A. R. Bancroft.

On Finance—Companions W. D. Gould, W. S. Fewton and M. Shields.

On Grievances—Companions E. W. Johnson, J. L. Philbrick and W. J. Cochran.

On Examination—Companions J. B. Sharp, Makeaney and Carr.

On Unfinished Business—Companions J. Kneeland, J. DeWitt and John Katz.

On Charity—Companions J. H. Dow, J. W. Peck and S. E. Sheldon.

On Jurisprudence—Companions Brown, Anderson and T. E. Carr.

On motion of Companion Sharp, the reading of the minutes of the last annual convocation was suspended with.

On motion of Companion Brown, Royal Arch Masons in good standing were invited to be present.

The Grand Secretary submitted his annual report, which was received and referred to the committee on finance.

The Grand Treasurer's report was then read, and referred to the same committee.

The several committees presented their reports.

Charters were granted to chapters in Independence, Garnett, Abilene and Columbus.

Rev. E. H. Makeaney presented his commission as Grand Representative from the Grand Chapter in Iowa near the Grand Chapter of Kansas, and presented congratulations on the prosperity of the fraternity in Kansas, and best wishes for future happiness and peace.

The following officers were elected:

John M. Price, Grand High Priest.
T. J. Anderson, Deputy Grand High Priest.
J. W. Peck, Grand King.
J. D. Rush, Grand Scribe.
M. S. Adams, Grand Treasurer.
E. T. Carr, Grand Secretary.

The M. E. Grand Chapter was then called from labor to refreshment until 8 p. m.

At 9 p. m. the M. E. Grand Chapter was called from refreshment to labor.

No report having been received from Valley Chapter, No. 11, Humboldt on motion of Companion Brown, the case was referred to the Grand High Priest with full powers to act.

On motion of Companion Gould, the use of substitues in the Royal Arch degree was left discretionary with each chapter.

The following officers were appointed, and the installation ceremony was performed by Past Grand High Priest Bassett:

Rev. W. H. Makeaney, Grand Chaplain.
J. H. Dow, Grand Marshal.
Francis Menet, Captain of the Host.
J. W. Kneeland, Principal Sojourner.
W. W. Hibban, G. M. of 3d Vail.
Jacob DeWitt, G. M. of 2d Vail.
J. Lee Knight, G. M. of 1st Vail.
J. S. Carr, John Katz, Stewards.
Fritz Mayers, Guard.

M. E. Companion Bassett, on behalf of the Masonic bodies of Lawrence, invited the Grand Chapter to be present at the dedication of the hall on Wednesday evening at 7 p. m.

On motion of M. E. Companion Brown, the Grand Chapter accepted the invitation to be present.

The next annual convocation was appointed to be held on the Tuesday preceding the holding of the Grand Lodge at 10 a. m.

Companion Bassett invited the Grand Chapter to attend a banquet provided for them by the Lawrence lodges; and on motion the invitation was accepted.

Seven hundred and fifty copies of the proceedings were ordered to be published.

The second day of the meeting of the Masons, at Lawrence, was quite interesting.

Grand officers present: John M. Price, Grand Master; J. D. Rush, Deputy Grand Master; J. B. Sharp, Senior Grand Warden; J. W. Peck, Junior Grand Warden; John H. Brown, Grand Secretary; Rev. W. H. Makeaney, as Grand Chaplain; C. J. Neal, Senior Grand Deacon; Francis Menet, Senior Grand Stewart, J. S. Carr, Junior Grand Stewart; Fritz Magers, Grand Tyler.

Major Ransom delivered an address of welcome to the visiting fraternity, in behalf of the Lawrence brotherhood.

The address was eloquently responded to by Grand Master Price.

The M. W. Grand Lodge was then opened in ample form, with prayer by the Grand Chaplain, Rev. W. H. Makeaney.

The grand Lodge roll was called, and a constitutional number of subordinate lodges were declared to be present.

In the afternoon Grand Master Price delivered his annual address, which was a most able production.

The following committees were appointed:

On Grand Master's Address—W. H. Makeaney, J. C. Richmond and John Ingram.

On Chartered Lodges—T. J. Anderson, W. Cox and L. Hatch.

On Grievances and Appeals—J. B. Sharp, B. J. Ricker and D. Byington.

On Jurisprudence—M. S. Adams, M. S. Barnes and Jacob DeWitt.

On Finance—W. O. Gould, C. James and J. Wright.

On Grand Lodge Library—J. M. Hadley, W. R. Frisley and A. G. Hoffman.

On Foreign Correspondence—J. H. Brown, O. A. Bassett and J. D. Rush.

Unfinished Business—Samuel Fellows, F. M. Smith and Abijah Wells.

The Secretary and Treasurer's reports were read.

The Grand Lodge was called from labor to refreshment.

EVENING.

The evening was devoted to public exercises, dedication of the new Free Masons' hall in behalf of Leavenworth Lodge No. 6, and Acacia Lodge, No. 9, A. F. & A. M.

The hall, occupying the entire fourth and upper story of the new bank building, was on this occasion for the first time opened to such of the public as were so fortunate as to secure cards of admission, and was thronged to its utmost capacity.

MASONIC ELECTIONS AND INSTALLATIONS.

The Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of the State of Kansas, at its annual convocation on the 15th instant, elected the following grand officers for the ensuing year, who were subsequently duly installed on the same day, viz:

M. P. Gr. Master, John H. Brown.
Ill. Dept. Gr. Master, W. J. Cochran.
Ill. Gr. Conductor of the Work, Joseph Cracklin.
Ill. Gr. Treasurer, John M. Price.
Ill. Gr. Secretary, J. Lee Knight.
Grand Conductor of Council, Francis Menet.
Grand Marshall, E. D. Hillyer.
Gr. Capt. of the Guard, J. W. Peck.
Gr. Steward, J. S. Carr.
Gr. Sentinel, Fritz Magers.

$4,000 Reward.

The above reward is offered by a bachelor, living within three miles of Tonganoxie, to any lady who can beat him in the art of cooking. The gentleman has plenty of this world's goods, so that sufficient security can be given for the above reward, all of which is unincumbered.

CATHOLIC CONVENTION.

What the I. C. B. U Propose to Do This Time.

Its Origin and Past History

The fifth annual convention of the Irish Catholic Benevolent Union is now in session in St. Louis, and as we have a large number of the Benevolents in this city we quote the following from the Missouri *Democrat:*

To that portion of the population throughout the country that are of Irish birth or extraction and Roman Catholic in belief, the convention is one of immediate concern. In its ulterior effects it is, to all classes of our citizens, of especial interest, in this day of Evangelical Alliances and religious combinations for political agrandisement, since questions are directly involved in the objects for which the convention is assembled, related on the one hand to the Irish Catholic Benevolent Union, and on the other to the general interest of the Catholic Church in the United States.

In explanation of the objects of the Union, and the advantages it affords to the members of the various societies connected with it, an address has recently been issued by the officers of the order to the Catholic benevolent societies of the United States. The address sets forth that the Union was founded, in the language of the constitution, "to create and foster a feeling of fraternity and fellowship among the various Irish Catholic benevolent societies" of the United States, and "to aid in alleviating the sufferings of such members of said societies as are by sickness or other misfortune unable to pursue their usual avocations."

To accomplish these laudable purposes, constitutional provisions has been made for the admission of State and local benevolent organizations into the National Union, upon the conditions, 1st, that they are established upon a Catholic basis; 2d, that they pay a small initiation fee, and a trifling per capita tax—the former being $5 for each individual society, and the latter not to exceed an annual assessment of twenty-five cents upon each member. (The assessment for the current year is only ten cents per capita.)

Any member removing from one State or city to another will also be admitted to membership in any other society of the Union, and be entitled to all the privileges that he enjoyed in the society of which he was formerly a member.

The idea of forming an Irish Catholic Benevolent Union was first suggested at an informal meeting of a few Irish-American citizens, gathered at Piqua, Ohio, on the 6th of June, 1869, but the design then was to embrace only the societies of Ohio and Indiana. The movement, however, met with so much favor that the other societies beyond the limits of those States expressed a desire to become indentified with it, and on the 18th of August, 1869, the first convention was held at Dayton Ohio, and the Union formally established. Since then three annual conventions have been held, one at Cincinnati, Ohio, another at Louisville Ky., and another at Philadelphia, and the 5th annual convention will be held at St. Louis October 15th next. The reports of these conventions impart the gratifying information that within the past four years the Union has progressed with rapidity, and extended the area of its usefulness with a facility far beyond the most sanguine expectations of its founders, and the little germ planted at Piqua has become a splendid growth, whose branches, ladened with precious fruits now spread afar over the land, and shelter thousands under their bright foliage.

In the light of the events which have succeeded the last meeting of the Convention at Philadelphia, these words of hope and confidence of success seem almost prophetic. In the small space of fifteen months the order has increased 23,000 members, and now numbers 30,000 souls—an increase as sudden as it is unaccountable, for all inquiries among the officers of the Convention merely elicit the opinion that it is due to an almost universal recognition of the benefits to be derived from the Union. To this Union belong 219 Irish Catholic Benevolent Societies, scattered in different parts of the Union, and of more or less numerical strength in proportion to the preponderance of that class of the population. Although the idea of the movement originated in the West, with Judge Dennis Dwyer, of Dayton, Ohio, it is believed, it is in the East that the conception has been more generally grasped, and its success the greatest. Pennsylvania takes the lead, filing off with the seventy-five societies belonging to the Union within her borders. New York follows, succeeded by Rhode Island, Connecticut, Delaware, Massachusetts, and the District of Columbia. Maine and New Hampshire, of the New England States, are the only ones, we believe, not represented in the order so far. In the Southern States the Union has extended itself only though Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky and Tennessee, a delegate appearing from their more Southern neighbors. All through the West are scattered societies belonging to the order, especially in Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Iowa, Wisconsin, Kansas and Minnesota. If the order is to extend itself thus rapidly in the next few years, it is evident that its proportions will be rather national than local in their character.

REAMER & COLE.

Complimentary to the Great Dry Goods Firm.

From the Grasshopper *New Era* we copy the following truthful and [illegible] notice of one of our most enterprising and progressive firms:

Leavenworth can boast of a live class of enterprising business men, and among the many good firms in the place, Reamer & Cole stands in the front rank. Our attention was attracted immediately after entering the Exhibition Hall, on the fair ground, by the large display of both foreign and domestic goods, by this live firm. They manifested excellent taste in the arrangement.

After returning to the city we walked down to Delaware street, with the view of looking at the stock in their warerooms. On entering the door we were soon convinced that our better plan was to press our way out and return after the nocturnal curtains of the night were drawn around, as both the proprietors and their hosts of clerks were so completely surrounded by customers that it was impossible for us to have even a minutes conversation with either of the proprietors. Mr. Cole in passing us whispered, "call this evening, you see how we are now situated." In the evening we returned, and to our astonishment all hands were still busy, though not quite so much crowded as in the day time. The next morning we called in again and the throng had just commenced gathering, but in less than a half an hour the room was again full.

Now, there is some reason for the immense trade of this firm, and the question is, what is that reason? The answer is at hand. The proprietors are trained business men. They know just when and what to buy for the market. They rely upon their own judgment in the purchase of goods and never buy an articles that has the appearance of being unsaleable. They buy for cash, and buy very largely, from first hands, so that they can really afford to sell low. They depend more upon the amount of goods sold than upon large profits. Again, they have but one price, they don't ask a cent or two more on a yard of calico than they intend taking, but will give you at once the positive price. The people have found out that they can be trusted, hence they go there to get their goods.

It is with pleasure that we speak of this firm, for we know that they are men we can speak of in the highest terms with safety.

There has been considerable trouble over the awarding of the special premium offered by one of our citizens for the best specimen of fruit cake exhibited at the late fair. Mrs. Sarah Chapin and Mrs. O. J. Badders both claim the blue ribbon. It seems there was some mistake in the numbers on the entry tags, and after several meetings of the committee the matter was finally brought before the Board of Directors who decided that Mrs. Badder was entitled by the decision of the committee to the premium.

OSBORNE CITY, KAN., Oct. 12, 1873.

Editor Times:

The Osborne county Convention nominated Hon. Calvin Reasoner for Representative by a vote of 23 to 5, on the 11th inst.

Truly, R. C.

Mr. Reasoner is one of the best men Osborne county could send to represent them. He is a credit to his neighborhood and the State, and we trust will receive the unanimous support of his section.

QUEENS OF THE KITCHEN.

The Troubles of the Housewives Commence Anew.

"Clearing up week" has almost passed away with all its attendant contretemps and mishaps; the debilitated chinaware has been fed upon Chinese grip and restored to health, the furniture has been rearranged for the last time, and the "head of the family" is gradually getting the soreness out of his own individual caput. But from the rear premises arises a cloud which threatens trouble—presages a sort of domestic cyclone. It is the old trouble with servants, breaking out afresh. "New places" are plentiful, and the housemaid, and the cook, and the coachman think that a change of quarters and diet would materially contribute to their longevity. Notice is served upon "the madame," of their intention to emigrate into the rear domain of another household, and the gathering together of their little possessions absorbs the larger share of their attention. They take every occasion to give audible criticisms upon their present quarters, and to indulge in exuberant adulation of "the new folks" they are henceforth to serve. Of course this is tantalizing and aggravating, and it is no wonder that the mistress of the house gets fretted, and finally sums up the pedigree and past careers of "those horrid servants," in language of polite sarcasm and invective.

"Oh, it is deadful!" we hear them exclaim, as they ponder over "the ills that flesh is heir to," from the hands of the peripatetic Modocs of the kitchen and stable-yard. The endless search. Then comes the never-completed labor of hunting up new servants of a suitable stripe. Did you never notice how isolated are those housewives who are perfectly satisfied with their servants? They are even scarcer than honest members of Congress. They are always searching around for some one better able to please them than the stipendiaries they already have. But, now, they are put upon the rack by pressing necessity. They must hail every wandering vagabond, speak to every lazy-looking loafer in the market, shove into dirty intelligence offices, "call" at filthy cabins and prowl through dismal back alleys, in search of that jewel—a good servant. "The head of the family" already begins to make discouraging remarks about the style in which dinner is prepared, and the children grow fretful and rebellious over the unsatisfactory manner in which the laundry work is done, and there a thousand and one little things pressing upon the time of the harrassed matron. But the end will come, when all the operations of the kitchen will drop into order from the hands of "the new girl," and the ruffled tempers of the family relapse into their usual state of placidity.

"DUTCH BILL."

He is Released from Custody

And Promises Henceforth to Lead a Better Life.

Yesterday morning William Morgan alias "D[illegible] slinger," who for eighteen days has languished in the calaboose awaiting trial for the shooting of Gilday, the "Chicago kid," was released from custody, as Gilday had recovered and left the city, refusing to prosecute his assailant. After his release we interviewed "Bill," who seemed to be in excellent spirits, and condescended to give us a full history of his adventures, a detailed account of which would fill a volume.

It seems that he was originally from the State of Pennsylvania, and went from there to New Orleans, where he became connected with a circus. Here he first became acquainted with Gilday *alias* "The Chicago Kid," who was then busily plying his trade as a pickpocket. From New Orleans "Bill" went to Omaha, and for the last few years has been operating with a gang up and down the river, with headquarters in Omaha. He came here from Topeka just before the shooting took place, and intended to operate here during the fair. The "Kid" hailed from Kansas City the same day, and the particulars of their melee we have already given to the public. "Bill" has relatives living in Kansas, who are respectable people and deeply regret the disreputable profession he has followed. One is an honest well-to-do farmer, residing in Atchison county, and the other is a merchant in Ottawa. The "Kid" has survived his terrible shot, and returned to Chicago. He swears that he will yet "give Bill a game, and stated that the only reason he did not prosecute "Bill" was that he wanted to wipe out the score himself. It is probable that another shooting affray will take place should they ever meet again, and if we take "Bill's" statements as a criterion, it will be "to the death."

Bill, however, seems disposed to keep clear of his rival, and attempt to lead a better and less hazardous life, and if his relatives have any influence over him a change for the better will take place. He left on the 1 o'clock train for Atchison, to visit his friends. His unconditional release was something quite unexpected to him and he fully appreciates the great and glorious boone of liberty.

BOLD ROBBERY.

A Thief Runs off a Carriage and Pair of Horses, and is Captured.

Yesterday at noon one of the boldest attempts at horse stealing we have ever been called upon to record, took place in the Second Ward. The horse and carriage of Mr. Fairchild was standing before his residence, corner of Elm and Third streets, and Mr. Fairchild was eating his dinner, when a man walked up, unhitched the team, and drove off in the direction of the river. A colored man in the employ of Mr. Grayham gave the alarm, and Mr. Pierce, who was at the table with Mr. Fairchild, started off in company with several others to capture the thief. The man seeing he was pursued lashed the horses to a run down Third street and turned into Vine, with the evident intention of reaching the ferry boat which lay at the landing. The street, however, has no connection with the ferry road, and after driving over several gullies the man and team was captured by Grayham's colored driver, who held the rascal till the others came up. He was then placed in the buggy and taken to the calaboose, where he gave the name of Chas. Lane. The scamp is an old offender, and this is not his first attempt to run off other people's property.

A SAD SUICIDE.

Death Beneath the Waters.

From the Platte City *Landmark* we learn that Mrs. Munnier, the widow of Victor Munnier, who died last spring at Farley, in this county, disappeared from the house where she was residing, about two weeks ago, under circumstances that attracted attention and caused the citizens thereabouts to institute a search for the missing woman. Her body was found in Platte river, near Farley, last Thursday, and an inquest was held which induced a verdict that the poor woman committed suicide. Since the death of her husband she has been living off the charity of her neighbors. Of late her name and character have been tarnished by disreputable stories. This last, coupled with her other misfortunes, probably drove her to seek peace and rest in the waters of Platte river.

A NEW DODGE.

The Lost Letter Confidence Game.

How to Get a Drink at Another's Expense.

The latest and most popular confidence game is the lost letter dodge. From the Kansas City *Times* we learn that it is being played pretty successfully in that moral town. The *modus operandi* is as follows: Two of the party enter a saloon and order drinks. While they are being prepared the dropper enters the room and after a few careless antics accidentally drops a letter just as more of the party file into the room. The letter is opened after the loser has left the room, and a dollar bill is discovered. One of the crowd takes the bill, remarking that he will compel the loser to pay for the drinks, if he returns. After the money is taken out, the letter is given to the barkeeper to hold in case the owner returns. He soon returns, looks all over the floor, and enquires anxiously for his lost letter. The bar-keeper invariably produces the lost letter, and asks the loser to identify it by its contents. The loser or "capper," for he is nothing else, asserts that there is a dollar bill in the letter. The saloon keeper, or some one not in the secret, who has seen the dollar bill taken out, contradicts the "capper's" assertion. The latter offers to bet a treat for the crowd that there is a dollar bill in the letter. The sucker, whoever he is, is always eager to bet when he supposes he has a sure chance of winning. The letter is opened, the sheet of paper is unfolded, and nothing found in the outside fold. The "sucker" laughs at the pretended surprise of the "capper," who at once opens the inside fold of the letter, and there between the inside pages of the letter is found another dollar bill.

INCREASING PROSPERITY.

A Word to Our Business Men

There is no fact in connection with the prosperity of THE TIMES more gratifying than the constant and rapid increase in subscriptions and advertising patronage. The columns intended for editorial and miscellaneous reading matter are being pressed by advertisements sent in by the live and enterprising business men of the city.

We do not disguise the gratitude we feel for this manifestation of confidence and practical support. It will stimulate us to merit its continuance in the future. In regard to our subscription list, it is increasing every day, and neither labor or expense will be spared in further extending it.

We are endeavoring to complete and perfect our route system, which will enable us to serve the paper in any part of the city early and promptly. This work is specially in charge of competent men, who have the management and control of the entire city circulation.

In conclusion we would like to answer a question, that many of out merchants seemed to be troubled with. That is *when* to advertise.

The experience of the most successful business men supplies but one answer to this question, and that is, constantly. Notoriety is a condition of success in all employments which demand the support of the public; and there is no way in which this notoriety can be so surely gained as by advertising. When trade is dull, advertise. When the blood in the human body is sluggish, brisk exercise is resorted to, to quicken it. When the public appetite for your wares is dull, stimulate it by the recital of their flavor and richness. A man may be made hungry by hearing an eloquent description of "good things" which a moment ago he had not a wish for. Moreover, the fundamental principle of keeping your name and your business before the people has special force in dull seasons. In the oil regions, when a well is discharging a comparatively liberal stream the owners bore into it and double the oleaginous volume. So when customers are coming in crowds, "bore into" them with advertisements, and you will treble their numbers.

DILIGENCE.

The Duty of a Lover Toward His Sweetheart.

A "breach of promise" case came off before one of our county Justices in Alexandria Township, day before yesterday, which gave rise to quite an animated discussion between a couple of pettifoggers, as to what would consist a sufficient cause for the annulment of a marriage engagement on the part of a sighing swain. In the case in question the allegation in defense was, that the man had discovered an "incompatibility of temper." He had discovered that the being he had once supposed to possess all possible and impossible angelic attributes, had in reality a large share of the Old Harry in her—was, in short, a common scold. The counsel for plaintiff attacked this ground of defense very bitterly. He became eloquent. Said he: "See where that doctrine leads to. If that is a good defence, then it would be a good defense for him to allege that he was deceived in other particulars. That the beautiful skin and complexion of his affianced was nothing but paint and rouge; that the glittering row of white teeth were false; that the long and graceful curls that floated around her alabaster neck were loose at both ends—in short, a wig; that the beautiful rounded limbs was mostly muslin and sawdust; that the heaving bosom was nothing but a patent spring palpitator and cotton wads; that—" "Hold on," interrupted the attorney for the defense. "There is no parallel. I would simply call the attention of the court and counsel to the fact that the most ordinary dilligence on the part of the lover would render such deception utterly impossible. The supposition is unreasonable." The court coincided, and counsel for plaintiff subsided.

OUR CITY.

The Opinion of a Visitor.

Among the many strangers in town during the Fair was Mr. Weaver, the editor and proprietor of the Kansas *New Era*. After he returned home he wrote a most excellent account of our Fair, and came to the following conclusions in relation to the thrift and enterprise of our city:

The time will come when Kansas can boast, as many other States do, of having one great commercial centre. Ever since we have been a resident of Kansas, we have contended that the location of Leavenworth made it the natural point for this great commercial emporium. The growth of this city is not as rapid in proportion to her population as some other places, but what building is being done is of a permanent character. The people of Leavenworth build with a view to the future greatness of the city. The buildings that have been erected within the last year, which can be named by the hundred, would do honor to St. Louis or Chicago. The growth of this city is fully up to the demands of the country, and it seems to be the aim of the leading men to keep pace with the improvement of the country, not to run ahead and then flatten out for the want of support, as others have done. The late panic was scarcely felt by the business men of the city. They admit that trade was a little dull for a few days, but not so much as to produce any serious effect.

MAPLE WOOD SEMINARY, a boarding and day school, embracing classical, scientific, preparatory and primary departments. Fall session opens September 3d, 1873.

For particulars apply to

ORPHA E. CLEMENT, Principal.

At it Again.

A large delegation of farmers met in this city yesterday to consider the propriety of calling another convention to offset the late abortive attempt to nominate honest men at High Prairie. Their deliberations did not amount to much beyond a determination to call a meeting of the Granger council one week from to-day to make definite arrangements. Handbills have been ordered, and they will be distributed throughout the county calling upon the farmers to organize for the conflict. The working men and mechanics will have no possible show this time, and the agriculturists mean to have it all their own way.

MEDICAL.

THE WONDERS OF MODERN CHEMISTRY.

SARSAPARILLIAN AND ITS ASSOCIATES.

CHANGES AS SEEN AND FELT AS THEY DAILY OCCUR after a few doses of

DR. RADWAY'S Sarsaparillian Resolvent,

THE GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER.

1. Good spirits, disappearance of weakness, languor, melancholy; increase and hardness of flesh and muscles, etc.

2. Strength increases, appetite improves, relish for food, no more sour eructations or waterbrash, good digestion, calm and undisturbed sleep, awaken fresh and vigorous.

3. Disappearance of spots, blotches, pimples; the skin looks clear and healthy, the urine changed from its turbid and cloudy appearance to a clear sherry or amber color; water passes freely from the bladder through the urethra without pain or scalding, little or no sediment; no pain or weakness.

4. Marked diminution of quantity and frequency of involuntary weakening discharges, if affected that way, with certainty of permanent cure. Increased strength exhibited in the secreting glands and functional harmony restored to the several organs.

5. Yellow tinge on the white of the eyes, and the swarthy saffron appearance of the skin changed to a clear, lively and healthy color.

6. Those suffering from weak or ulcerated lungs, or tubercles will realize great benefits in expectorating freely the tough phlegm or mucous from the lungs, air-cells, bronchi or wind pipe, throat or head; diminishing the frequency of cough; general increase of strength throughout the system, stoppage of night sweats and pains, and feeling of weakness around the ankles, legs, shoulders, etc., cession of cold and chills, sense of suffocation, hard breathing, paroxysms of cough on lying down or arising in the morning. All these distressing symptoms gradually and surely disappear.

7. As day after day the Sarsaparillian is taken, new signs of returning health will appear; as the blood improves in strength and purity, disease will diminish, and all foreign impure deposits nodes, tumors, cancers, hard lumps, etc., be resolved away, and the unsound made sound and healthy; ulcers, fever sores, syphilitic sores, chronic skin diseases, gradually disappear.

8. In cases where the system has been salavated, and mercury, quicksilver, corrosive sublimate, the principal constituent in the advertised Sarsaparillas, associated in some cases with hyd. of potass. have accumulated and become deposited in the bones, joints, etc., causing caries of the bones, rickets, spinal curvatures, contortions, white swellings, varicose veins, etc., the Sarsaparillian will resolve away these deposits and exterminate the virus of the disease from the system.

9. If those who are taking these medicines for the cure of chronic, scrofulous, or syphilitic diseases however slow may be the cure, "feel better" and find their general health improving, their flesh and weight increasing, or even keeping its own, it is a sure sign that the cure is progressing. In these diseases the patient either gets better or worse—the virus of the disease is not inactive; if not arrested and driven from the blood, it will spread and continue to undermine the constitution. As soon as the Sarsaparillian makes the patient "feel better" every hour you will grow better and increase in health, strength and flesh.

The great power of this remedy is in the diseases that threaten death—as in Consumption of the lungs and tuberculous phasis is scrofula, syphiloid diseases, wasting, degeneration and ulceration of the kidneys, diabetes, stoppage of water, instantaneous relief afforded where catheters have to be used, thus doing away with the painful operation of using these instruments; dissolving stone in the bladder, and in all cases of inflamation of the bladder and kidneys, in chronic cases of leucorrhea and urine diseases.

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Louisville, Ky., Oct. 8, 1866.

DR. JOHN BULL—Dear Sir: Many kind thanks to you for the medicine you have so kindly given me. I have been a great sufferer for years, and had the advice of various physicians. Some pronounced my spine, some my lungs, and some my heart to be the seat of the disease. I have been burnt, blistered and cupped until I have become disheartened. Several very eminent physicians who have examined my spine informed me that I was threatened with paralysis or apoplexy any day and that nothing but a seaton would relieve me. I had a perfect horror of this, and was hesitating about having one inserted, when you kindly sent me your Sarsaparilla which I immediately begun to take three times a day. I had suffered terribly with a most acute pain in the right side of my head especially when I would read or write for any length of time, and on rising to my feet I would be perfectly blind for some minutes, and would have to hold to something to prevent falling.

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CAPT. C. P. JOHNSON.
St. Louis, Mo

P. S.—The following was written April 3, 1866, by Mrs. Jennie Johnson, mother of Capt. Johnson

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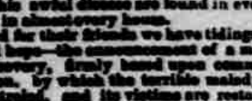

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To the Constitution of the State of Kansas, Submitted by the Legislature at Its Last Session, for the Ratification or Rejection of the Electors of the state at the Next General Election.

[Substitute for House Joint Resolution No. 17, providing for an amendment to the Constitution.]

Be it Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas, two-thirds of all the members elected to each House concurring herein:

SECTION 1. That section two article two, of the Constitution of the State of Kansas, be amended so as to read as follows: The number of Representatives and Senators shall be regulated by law, but shall never exceed one hundred and twenty-five Representatives and forty Senators. From and after the adoption of the amendment the House of Representatives shall admit one member from each county in which at least two hundred and fifty legal votes were cast at the next preceding general election; and each organized county in which less than two hundred legal votes were cast at the next preceding general election, shall be attached to and constitute a part of the representative district of the county lying next adjacent to it on the east.

SEC. 2. This amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State, for adoption or rejection, at the next general election.

SEC. 3. The ballots used at said election shall be written or printed as follows: "For amendment to section two, article two, of the Constitution;" or, "Against amendment to section two, article two, of the Constitution."

SEC. 4 This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the "Kansas Weekly Commonwealth."

I hereby certify that the above Joint Resolution originated in the House of Representatives February 5, 1873, and passed that body February 26, 1873, two-thirds of all the members elect voting therefor.

JOSIAH KELLOG,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ALEX. R. BANKS,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

I hereby certify that the above Joint Resolution passed the Senate March 6, 1873, two-thirds of all members elect voting therefor.

E. S. STOVER,
President of the Senate.

GEO. C. CROWTHER,
Secretary of the Senate.

Approved March 6, 1873.

THOMAS A. OSBORN, Governor.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original enrolled Joint Resolution now on file in my office, and that the same was published in the "Kansas Weekly Commonwealth" April 10, 1873.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the great seal of State. Done at Topeka this 31st day of July, A. D 1873.

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