



[From Wednesday's Daily.] Piscatorial fiends are in their glory now, suckers are ripe.

Mac Barnes and J. C. Walker are numbering the residences and business places in the city.

Knox's ice and coal office is being fixed up. Richard believes in the old adage that cleanliness is next to godliness.

The Solomon base ball club have notified the Abilene boys that they will be on hand tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock to play ball.

The Rock Island graders have reached the city, and will commence grading through the city at once. They are camped on Buckeye Avenue.

The petition to admit the last will and testament of James E. Paul, deceased, to probate was filed in the Probate Court today. The hearing on the petition will be held the 15th inst.

We made a mistake in the residence of Dr. McManis, a member of the new examining board of surgeons, yesterday. Our account made him reside in Hays City when it should be Hays twp. in this county.

The Armstrong Bros. have just returned from Illinois where they have been to attend the funeral of their brother, who came to his death by reason of a runaway. They say that everything is dried up there and that scarcely any corn will be harvested.

Jacob Corn, of Newbern township, has recently returned from a visit to Wisconsin. He reports everything burned up as far as vegetation is concerned. He says that farmers there are obliged to feed their stock upon the old hay and straw that has been used for years as a cover to their old sheds.

Speaking about music boxes, reminds us of one we see at C. C. Shalers drug store, on Second Street, this forenoon. It is, without doubt, the finest instrument of the kind ever brought to the city. It plays eight very fine selections and is supplied with the drum, chime bells and bones attachments. It is a beauty, and is well worth one's time to go and see it. It stands away over anything in the country.

All for the Sake of Water.

Mr. McCarthy, a farmer residing about six miles south of Enterprise, made a contract with a Rock Island contractor to furnish water for his teams. Mr. McC., however, became weary of his bargain, and when the water came Sunday morning as usual to water their teams, McCarthy ordered them not feel disposed to retreat without the water they came after, and informed the farmer of their decision, when he pulled "a pop" and attempted to scare them off. The result was that the five rail-roads charged upon the farmer, who beat a hasty, but quite orderly retreat to the cover of his house. The graders watered their animals and departed; but Mr. McCarthy went to hope and had them arrested for trespass. The case was called yesterday and continued until Friday. The trial is before a Hope judge.

The Festive Fakir.

The results attending the oily efforts of the jewelry fakir on our streets last night is another striking illustration of the dampfulness of human nature. Men who ought to know better, in fact did know better, stood in the crowd and recklessly threw their money away for fire gilt jewelry of no value, and the man with the smooth and oily tongue and female advertiser, drove off at the end of an hour's talking with no less than \$300 of the suckers' money who surrounded the vehicle. There were men in that crowd who bit at the bait of the sharper and paid their money for nothing; whose families and creditors needed the money he so recklessly expended in the vain hope of receiving something for nothing. When people will learn that there is no man that will give away anything of value just because he wants to "advertise his goods," the sooner the occupation of these swindling soundrels will be gone. In this instance, however, the man made no false pretenses, as he never claimed that there was any real value attached to his goods, and he assured the crowd that they would get no more money when he told them they would. The whole thing was a clear case of disgusting foolishness. The only consolation lay in the fact that the suckers who "bit," is, you are old enough to know better. The only advice we have to offer is, go off to some secluded spot and kick yourself until your wife's folks won't recognize you as the poor deluded fool that bucked "another man's game."

The New Bank.

We apprehend that the importance and benefit to the city and county that the new bank which opens its doors for business tomorrow will be, is not fully realized by many of our people. The Abilene National Bank is not merely a local institution nor a condensation of local capital; but on the contrary, if we have been correctly informed, it is rather a combination of foreign capitalists, largely, who seek an investment for their money, and have, through the solicitation of some of our business men, been induced to bring it to this city, and it must necessarily benefit this section of the state to the full extent of the amount of money it places in circulation in this vicinity.

Abilene Stock Yards.

Several car loads of stock will leave the yards tonight. Among the number we learned that C. Roughtan, John Blivens and C. Hoffman will be shipping.

patrons with the funds that they require to carry them over the temporary stagnation in finances, caused by the partial failure in crops this year, and the assistance that will be rendered by the new enterprise will be inestimable.

The other great feature in the enterprise that should be a cause of congratulation, is the fact of interesting so many eastern capitalists in our city and Dickinson county. The officers as elected are all first-class conservative and successful business men, and our people may be assured of fair treatment, accompanied by security of the highest order. The following is the list of officers which have been elected: President, Hon. Clark H. Barker; vice-president, W. P. Rice; cashier, E. D. Humphrey. The directors are W. S. Hodge, Frank L. Parker, George W. C. Rohrer, Hiland Southworth, E. D. Humphrey, Clark H. Barker and W. P. Rice.

The following stockholders, who are non-residents of the city, show to some extent what an influence for the welfare of our city and county may be expected will be exerted:

- Hon. T. B. Reed, Portland, Maine, Member of Congress.
Hon. Frederick Robie, Gorham, Maine, Ex-Governor.
Hon. Geo. N. Seiders, Portland, Maine, County Attorney.
Hon. H. G. Briggs, Portland, Maine, President Board of Aldermen.
Edwin L. Dyer, Portland, Maine, Recorder Municipal Court.
Hon. Nathan Cleaves, Portland, Maine, Ex-Prosecutor General.
Hon. Henry B. Cleaves, Portland, Maine, Ex-Attorney General.
Hon. J. B. Burdett, Portland, Maine, merchant.
A. Hunt, Esq., Portland, Maine, retired merchant.
Hon. A. F. Moulton, Portland, Maine, Attorney.
Hon. J. S. Palmer, Portland, Maine, Postmaster.
H. R. Sargent, Portland, Maine, Deputy Sheriff.
C. S. Carth, Waterbury, Maine, merchant.
Hon. J. R. Bodwell, Hallowell, Maine, Governor of Maine.
Hon. E. C. Burleigh, Augusta, Maine, State Treasurer.
Hon. T. G. Bradstreet, Gardiner, Maine, capitalist.
W. W. Bradstreet, Esq., Gardiner, Maine, capitalist.
Hon. A. P. Whiswell, Ellsworth, Maine, ex-Trustee National Bank Examiner.
Hon. J. H. Barker, Ellsworth, Maine, manufacturer and capitalist.
Hon. E. L. Lowers, Saco, Maine, ex-mayor.
Hon. S. A. Holbrook, Freeport, Maine, ex-estate treasurer.
Henry Gran, Freeport, Maine.
L. M. Bailey, Esq., Freeport, Maine.
Rev. J. P. Weston, Deering, Maine.
George B. Brown, Dexter, Maine, president First National Bank.
Warren H. Carr, Dexter, Maine, capitalist.
George W. Lowell, Gorham, Maine, manufacturer.
Ceylon Rowe, Bethel, Maine, merchant.
Captain W. S. Higgins, Bangor, Maine, capitalist.
Stephen F. Shaw, Biddeford, Maine, manufacturer.
Hon. A. P. Whiswell, Ellsworth, Maine, ex-Trustee National Bank, Biddeford, Maine.
York County Savings Bank, Biddeford, Maine.
Hon. M. A. Son, Lewiston, Maine, banker.
Mrs. Emery, Alfred, Maine, capitalist.
George Brown, Brandon, Vermont, capitalist.
T. B. and G. Briggs, Brandon, Vermont, capitalists.
Jarvis M. Ketchum, Brandon, Vermont, capitalist.
J. W. Parker, Quebec, Vermont, manufacturer.
Wm. Lindsay, Quebec, Vermont, manufacturer.
W. S. Dewey, Quebec, Vermont, manufacturer.
Hon. B. B. Smalley, Burlington, Vermont, secretary national Democratic committee.
Burlington Trust Company, Burlington, Vermont.
M. E. Wheeler, Rutland, Vermont, manufacturer.
Geo. Sheldon, Pawlet, Vermont, manufacturer.
Hon. W. C. Dutton, Rutland, Vermont, attorney.
C. E. Bush, Orwell, Vermont, cashier first national bank.
J. A. Mizer, Marshall, Michigan.
H. P. Churchill, Kansas City, Missouri, president Kansas City Savings Bank and Safe Deposit Company.
Geo. C. Farmer, Cawker City, Kansas, merchant.
W. H. Branch, Cawker City, Kansas, Secretary Security Investment Company.
A. P. Sage, Cawker City, Kansas, cashier First National Bank.
Hon. Clark H. Barker, Abilene, ex-postmaster Portland, Maine.
W. P. Rice, Kansas City, Missouri, president Investment Company.

Democratic County Convention.

In pursuance of the action of the Democratic Central Committee of Dickinson county, a delegate convention of the Democratic electors of said county will be held in Abilene, at the court house, on Saturday, Sept. 3, 1887, at 2 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices: County Treasurer, Sheriff, County Clerk, Register of Deeds, Surveyor, Commissioner 1st District.

Very Sad.

The following telegram received by W. L. Upshaw today fully explains itself:
MANROT, COLO., August 11, 1887.
W. L. UPSHAW, Abilene, Kan.
Baby died at eight o'clock this morning. Will be home with her tomorrow noon. Arrange for short service from the house at six o'clock tomorrow.
W. S. STAMBAUGH.

From Sunshine to Darkness.

Mr. R. F. Russel, of this city, receiving the following message last evening:
CANTON, KAN., Aug. 10, 1887.
Jewett died today at 1:30. Funeral Friday.
CHAR. RUSSEL.
Charles Russel is a brother of R. F. Russel, of this city, and father of the late Jewett Russel. Many of our readers will remember Jewett Russel, during the months of May and June he canvassed this city for a book called the "Home Physician," and made many friends by his manly and courteous ways. On the 12th of last July in the state of Illinois, he was married to Miss Ida Peabody, and about the 14th of July Mr. Russel and his bride arrived in this city, and after a week's visit with relatives they left for Canton, McPherson county, where Mr. Russel's parents reside. A few days after arriving at his father's house he was taken sick with the typhoid fever, and the message above tells the sad result. It is a sad ending of their short married life. On the 12th of July Ida Peabody gave her hand in the holy bonds of wedlock to Jewett Russel. The young couple were both the picture of health, and how many happy and pleasant plans they made for their future life. But that solemn and ominous warning "in the midst of life we are in death" has again been verified. Just one month from the day that he was a proud husband and his wife a happy bride, she will stand beside his grave and see buried with the one she loved better than any other earthly being, all the fond hopes and pleasant anticipations that for a time makes life seem a path strewn with roses without the thorns. Attorney J. A. Russel, of this city, a cousin of the deceased, left this morning for Canton to be present at the funeral.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

And thus how oft death life and death twice hand and hand together. And the funeral shroud and bridal wreath how small a space they sever.

[From Thursday's Daily.] Miss May Brown, of Industry, is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. A. Cooper.

The Doris & Colvin advertising car No. 1, passed through the city west on the early morning train.

A better selection could not have been made than "Capt." Dave for mail agent on the Santa Fe route.

Claude Swigart, nephew of Col. Swigart, has accepted a position in G. F. Worley's harness shop.

The Santa Fe is enlarging its yard and side track facilities at Hope, and a large force of men and teams are at work making the necessary excavations and grading.

The Hope fair this year promises to be nothing less than simply immense. Extensive preparations are being made, and everything boomed in this favored and "Hope-ful" city.

Music boxes are becoming quite numerous. Barnes & Northart have a fine one that plays eight very fine selections, consisting of waltzes, duets, quartets, marches, etc.

C. W. Pitts, a musician from way back, has made an indefinite engagement with Col. Buckley, and will assist the Colonel in disposing of his stock of organs and pianos.

Miss Lizzie Jolly, a niece of our esteemed townsman M. P. Jolly, arrived in the city this morning from her home in Scio, Ohio. She will visit with her uncle's family for several weeks.

George Holzworth is still on the sick list. Malarial fever has the best of the "Duke" at the present time. He luckily reached the best place under the whole canopy of heaven, the paternal rock, before he succumbed.

The "Official Atlas of Kansas," illustrated, is being delivered to subscribers in the city today. It is a large comprehensive work, and the book weighs twenty pounds. There is a magnificent cut of the Abilene Carriage Works of which "Maj." L. B. Johns is the substantial genius.

Matrimonially Inclined.

Harry P. Myers and Charlott Coats, of Herington, have got it into their heads that they were made especially for each other, and asked Judge Seef of if they might not indulge their preferences in the matrimonial business, yesterday. The Judge knows how it is himself, (his wife is away) and said they might. The license was granted.

Poor Junction.

Junction City is of so little importance that the passengers do not think when they get there. Yesterday a whole family of genuine Swedes, enroute for that place, was carried by to Abilene. The "old man" said he did not see anything between here and Manhattan that looked like "a city," or even a "Junction," until he got to Abilene. The family retraced their footsteps last night, mighty sorry that they had not been ticketed to Abilene instead of Junction City.

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California Excursions.

The Union Pacific will run cheap excursions to California throughout the present month, from Kansas City. These excursions will leave Abilene every Wednesday, on the 3:50 train. The rate for the round trip is \$60 00, good for six months, stop-over privileges at any point on the route, going or coming.

ABSTRACTS!

I have a complete and reliable set of Abstracts of lands and lots in Dickinson County, which are brought up to date every day. If you want an abstract call and see me.

J. H. BRADY.

Insurance That Insures

May be had by calling at my office, and taking a policy in any one of the companies I represent.

G. W. CARPENTER.

Organ for Sale Cheap.

Enquire of L. L. Looker, South Second, between Spruce and Cedar.

46-1f.

To Farmers.

We have money at six per cent. Our commissions are liberal. Mortgages can be paid off at payment of any coupon, but to your interest to see us before giving application. Room 1, over Palace Drug store, Abilene, Kansas.

JOLLY & CRANSTON.

Patronize the PALACE BARBER SHOP

for a first class shave, haircut, shampoo, &c. under Citizens Bank.

D. G. Smith says his drug store is headquarters for mixed paints, white lead and linseed oil.

Your Best Interests

Will be furthered by seeing me if you wish to BORROW MONEY on land.

37f.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

WANTED.—A man and wife to do the work on a farm; the man to take care of stock, etc., and the woman to do the housework. Address

A. M. Solomon, Kan.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Dickinson County, State of Kansas in a case pending therein, wherein Edna W. Johnson is plaintiff, and W. C. Johnson, Edna D. Johnson, Mattie V. T. Johnson, B. F. Johnson, George A. Rogers and W. T. Harris, partners doing business under the firm name of Rogers Bros. & Henry J. Latschaw are defendants, I will, on Saturday, September 3d, A. D. 1887, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Abilene, County of Dickinson, State of Kansas, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate, to-wit:
Lots twenty-one (21), twenty-three (23), twenty-five (25) and twenty-seven (27), on Third Street, in the City of Solomon, Dickinson County, Kansas. Said lot 21 sold separate, in Dickinson county, State of Kansas.
The said real estate will be sold pursuant to the judgment of the Court in said cause recited in said order of sale.
Witness my hand this 5th day of July, A. D. 1887.
J. J. MILLER, Sheriff of Dickinson County Kan.

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UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Dickinson County, State of Kansas in a case pending therein, wherein Edna W. Johnson is plaintiff, and W. C. Johnson, Edna D. Johnson, Mattie V. T. Johnson, B. F. Johnson, George A. Rogers and W. T. Harris, partners doing business under the firm name of Rogers Bros. & Henry J. Latschaw are defendants, I will, on Saturday, August 20, A. D. 1887, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Abilene, County of Dickinson, State of Kansas, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day sell to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate to-wit:
The northwest quarter of section twenty-three (23), in township eleven (11), south of range two (2), east of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Dickinson County, State of Kansas.
The said real estate will be sold pursuant to the judgment of the court in said cause recited in said order of sale.
Witness my hand this 14th day of July, A. D. 1887.
Sheriff of Dickinson County, Kansas. 47-5f

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Made for all lands and lots in Dickinson County, at Reasonable Rates.

HILAND SOUTHWORTH, Abilene, Kas.

STEWART'S HEALING POWDER. CURES ALL OPEN SORES, CUTS FROM BARBED WIRE FENCE, SORA FENCES, BRUISES, CUTS, &c. Sold Everywhere. 15 & 30 cts. a box. STEWART HEALING POWDER CO., ST. LOUIS.

FOR SALE BY

G. F. WORLEY

Dealer in and Manufacturer of

HARNESS

Of all Grades, Styles and Finish.

Saddles, Lap Robes, Flynets, and

Everything kept in a First-Class Shop

G. F. WORLEY,

Corner Cedar and Third Sts. 3m

MONEY!

I have money to loan as low as the lowest.

J. H. BRADY.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

For cheap rates on real estate loans, apply at Kirby's Bank.

Wanted

A girl to do general housework. Inquire at 74 west 5th street, Abilene.

39-1f

We have been in the real estate business for a number of years and think that the largest number of deals are made by trading, and therefore we are prepared to make all kinds of land trades for stock or city property. If you have anything to trade call and see us.

J. H. BRADY & CO.

Several nice rooms to rent,

furnished or unfurnished, apply at Kirby's Bank.

On Farm Loans.

I can make rates AS LOW as the lowest, and can give some SPECIAL ADVANTAGES.

37f.

We have \$100,000

to loan on farm and city property at the lowest rates. Loans closed promptly. No delay.

ABILENE INVESTMENT CO.

Rear room First Nat. Bank.

The highest market price in cash paid for poultry and eggs, delivered in Abilene. Inquire at the office of the Crane elevator.

Z. DENSMORE.

The cash for chickens—eggs—is found

just over south on railroad ground. Close attention there is paid. For just the things the hens have laid. The better, too, is not neglected. When the same is worked and well perfected; but which assisted with axle-grease I cannot hardly hold my peace. But come to me, for sure you must. I'll quickly count you out the dust.

46-1f

EDMUND MORSE,

Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

Special attention to Office Work.

Post-Office Block. - Abilene, Kansas.

CHARLES HOFFMAN,

Abilene, - - Kansas.

Repairer and Rebuilder of Sewing Machines.

All kinds of machines cleaned and repaired. The best oil, needles, shuttles, and other sewing machine parts always on hand. Also cleaning and repairing organs.

Drop me a postal card, and I will call on you. Shop at present at Fleischer's boot and shoe shop.

472-2-48-4f

6 per ct.

I now have money to loan at SIX per cent. Call and see me.

HILAND SOUTHWORTH.

TRASK'S MACKEREL

THE CHEAPEST EATING ON EARTH! ASK YOUR GROCER FOR THEM! TRASK FISH COMPANY, ST. LOUIS, MO.

PICKWICK CLUB

HAND-MADE SOUR MASH WHISKEY,

The Cream of Kentucky Distillation.

We will furnish this excellent brand in any quantity at the following strictly distiller's prices:

3 year old per gallon, \$2.00

5 " " " " 3.00

7 " " " " 4.00

10 " " " " 5.00

No extra charge for packing, etc. Send us a trial order, and we will guarantee you entire satisfaction.

KANSAS CITY LIQUOR CO.,

412 Delaware Streets, KANSAS CITY, MO.

472-2-48-4f

Out in the Street

Don't think because we are located in the street that we are not prepared to do business.

OUR STOCK IS Larger and More Complete

Than Ever Before, and as our building and location are so unattractive, we will, until we get in our new building, make

Special Inducements in Prices.

CALL AND SEE OUR Bedroom Suits, Parlor Suits, Lounges, Willow Rockers, Camp Rockers, Parlor Tables, Book Cases, Side boards and Office Desks.

UPSHAW

Furniture and Carpet Co.

New Store!

South of Shockey & Snider's, on Broadway!

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!! In Glass and Queensware.

The Largest and Cheapest Stock In the City.

Bird Cages, Lamps, Flower Pots, At half the usual price.

Chamber Sets Lower than the Lowest.

Over fifty different styles of Library, Hanging and Hall Lamps.

Special bargains given in Frames, Mirrors, Wall Pockets, Chromos, Boys' express wagons.

Fruit jars of every description. Children's Carriages at cost.

Baskets of every description, at less than half price. My prices on tinware will astonish you.

All kinds of Woodenware. Hundreds of useful and ornamental articles consisting of novelties, notions and fancy goods, at bed rock prices. Call and examine my stock whether you buy or not.

D. D. HORNADAY.