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[From Wednesday's Daily.]

Dr. Oakwood visited Alma last Monday, and performed a difficult operation, the nature of which we did not learn.

Judge Smith has moved his quarters from over Kirby's bank to the rooms over Clark's grocery store, corner Spruce and Third Streets.

City Marshal Kirkwood authorizes us to state that he has in his care a lot of second hand—but clean and good—clothing given to him to supply people in need of anything of that kind, and if such will call on him, he will supply their wants free of charge.

Rev. Dr. Welsher sent two of the little boys, who were brought here from New York last fall a year ago to find a home, to Kansas City on the noon train today. They will join another company sent there from New York to be distributed through Missouri.

One of our prominent farmers, from Cheever township, was in the city yesterday, and he waxed warm and eloquent as he pictured in glowing colors the benefits that would be derived by the producer and consumer alike, if a market-house was built in this city.

The REFLECTOR is pleased to state that F. H. Boardman will continue business at the old stand. He has purchased one of the heaviest stocks of farming implements, buggies and wagons ever brought to our city. Mr. Boardman is an energetic, first-class business man, who is bound to make a success in his line of business.

Notice.

From the Postal Laws and regulations, of 1887, under Section 322, relating to first-class postage, we quote the following: "Drop letters shall be mailed at the rate of two cents per ounce or fraction thereof, including delivery at letter-carrier offices."

By the above it will be seen that all drop letters posted at an office where the free delivery is in force require a two cent stamp.

Funeral Notices.

The funeral services of Miss Lillian Junken were held from the Presbyterian church this afternoon at 1:30. The services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. McKeehan, and his remarks were well chosen and expressive of sympathy.

The church was well filled, and the long train of carriages which followed the remains to the cemetery was demonstrative of the esteem in which the deceased was held by our people.

The funeral services of little Clarence Pennington were held at the family residence on West First street this morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Stauffer conducted the services. A large number of relatives and friends were present. The remains were interred in the Abilene cemetery.

Notice of Dissolution.

The dry goods and clothing firm of Sterl & Zahner has dissolved, A Zahner retiring from the business.

G. C. Sterl, the senior member of the firm, has purchased Mr. Zahner's interest, and will hereafter conduct the business under the firm name of G. C. Sterl & Co.

Geo. is well known all over the country, and his ability to carry on the business which he has undertaken needs no comment from us. We will simply say that he intends to make his establishment the leading dry goods house in the city, and that he will carry at all times the best and finest line of goods ever put on the Abilene market. The stock of goods on Buckeye, which he purchased of Chronister & Huntzberger, will be closed out regardless of cost, to close business at that point.

Mr. Zahner, who retires from the firm, has no intention of giving up business in Abilene, but will in the near future be once more classed among the live and energetic business men of the Belle of the Smoky.

All is Well.

A representative of the REFLECTOR called at Mayor Rice's office last evening and asked him what, if any, measures had been taken by the city authorities to ascertain if any worthy unfortunate ones within the city were in a destitute condition, or if any or many were receiving help. The Mayor replied that he had from three to four competent, trustworthy citizens in every ward of the city who had quietly visited such families as they thought might need aid, and that the men above named had been looking after the destitute ever since the cold weather set in. The Mayor further added: "I am pleased to state but very few families need any assistance, and I doubt if there is a city of the size of Abilene in the state, where there has been as little suffering, owing to the lack of having the necessities of life as in this city." When the Mayor's attention was called to one side for a moment, a gentleman who was present during the conversation with Mayor Rice, told the reporter that there was a poor widow in Abilene who felt sensitive about receiving help from the city, and that the Mayor and his estimable wife had sent liberal supplies from their own home.

South Dickinson.

We take pleasure in sending a few items from this part of the REFLECTOR's territory.

Everything is clear along the Missouri Pacific and trains running on time.

Having visited both departments of Banner City schools we take pleasure in saying no better work is being done in the county. Such teachers merit the praise of all and censure of none.

Mr. James Humble, of Griggsville, Illinois, is visiting his sisters at Banner.

Rev. Halbert, assisted by Rev. David Hindman, of Wilson, Kansas, is holding a series of meetings at the Presbyterian church at Carlton.

Watts & Baxter are yet shipping fat cattle and hogs from Carlton, and are always ready to pay the highest market price.

Since Berry Bros. have taken charge of the two stores at Banner, we see the smiling countenances of Francis and Pat Berry, Jr., and occasionally Tommy Curry's. The boys are always ready to do honor to the name and sell goods cheap as the cheapest.

While we deplore the misfortune which came upon the dry goods merchants of Banner City, we are glad to say that some of the statements of their financial trouble are erronious in the extreme.

We notice a great many parties from the north part of the county coming down into "Egypt" for corn. 'Tis well that Southern Dickinson and Marion can do so much for their unfortunate neighbors.

The most notable event of the week will be the wedding on Wednesday evening, of W. W. Ward to Miss Laura Fornham, both of Carlton. Mr. Ward has a hardware store in Carlton and Miss Fornham is the accomplished daughter of A. A. Fornham, the leading dry goods merchant of the same place. HOOSIER.

Streets of New York.

Those of our people who attended the above play last night with the expectation of witnessing a fine show was not disappointed. Taking it as a whole it was the best that has visited our city, with the exception of Minnie Maddern, this winter.

Geo. C. Boniface as the irrepressible Tom Badger, carried the audience right along with him, and notwithstanding it was extremely cold in the Opera House, every time Badger showed himself there seemed to be a genial warmth thrown about the hall, and the people forgot the condition of the atmosphere in admiration of his acting.

Miss Laura Palmer, as Alida Bloodgood, the banker's daughter, was beyond reproach. Her delineation of the codfish aristocracy that inhabits our large cities was true to life. Miss Evelin Pollock, as Lucy Fairweather, Mrs. Palmer as Mrs. Fairweather, and W. G. Horton as Paul Fairweather, sustained their parts in a creditable manner. Reared in affluence and luxury, they became suddenly poor through the treachery of Bloodgood, the banker. Their portrayal of suffering and futile attempts to obtain honest employment was indeed touching.

Harry Gilfoil as Dan, was inimitable. His facial expressions and imitations of the saw mill, etc., were fine, and tickled the audience as well as the boys on the front seat.

The rest of the characters added strength to the performance and carried their different parts well.

We hope that Manager White will have no further trouble with his heating apparatus, for the Opera House last night was simply disagreeable, and most of the audience were seated with their overcoats and hats on. If it hadn't been an unusually good show it couldn't have held the crowd.

[From Thursday's Daily.

The Carlton Advocate comes out this week in favor of the State Capital removal, and gives a long string of reasons why Carlton would be a good location.

Dr. Felty and family yesterday moved into their new residence on West Third street. The Doctor's office is now located over the palace drug store.

At the monthly shoot of Co. D, K. S. G., held last Tuesday, the first medal was won by C. S. Crawford and the second by John K. Crie, making the second time they have won the same prizes.

Another Benefit.

The Grace Reformed church has gotten up a benefit in the shape of a lecture by Eli Perkins. He will appear at the opera house next Thursday evening, and will entertain the people with one of his original lectures.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our kind friends and neighbors for their help and kindly expressions of sympathy during the sickness and death of our little Clarence, and assure them that we shall ever hold them in grateful remembrance.

H. PENNINGTON AND FAMILY.

Abilene National Bank Officers.

At an election held yesterday the following officers and directors were chosen to manage the affairs of the Abilene National Bank:

President, Clark H. Barker; vice-president, W. P. Rice; cashier, E. D. Humphrey; assistant cashier, A. K. Perry; board of directors: C. H. Barker, W. P. Rice, E. D. Humphrey, Hiland Southworth, F. Robie, W. S. Hodge and F. L. Parker.

Abilene Alumni Resolutions.

WHEREAS, In view of the loss the Abilene Alumni has sustained by the death of its two beloved members, Minnie Nicolay and Lillian Junken, and the greater loss sustained by the relatives; therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is due to their memory to say that we deeply regret their removal from the Alumni, as dear friends and companions, and as honored members of the association.

Resolved, That we sincerely sympathize with the relatives of the deceased members.

Resolved, That these resolutions be forwarded to the families of our departed friends.

FRANCES BAKER, Secretary.

[From Friday's Daily.]

Sheriff Naill yesterday appointed Marshal Kirkwood deputy sheriff. This is a good appointment and one that will meet with the approval of the citizens in general.

An exchange says that the coldest weather experienced in Kansas was at or near Beloit, where on Sunday morning last, it was 33 degrees below zero, the coldest weather ever known in that section.

David Blake, of Cheever, died Wednesday evening at the home of his son-in-law, C. B. Young, of old age. Mr. Blake was in his 81st year, and was highly respected and beloved by all. The funeral was held from Center school house, Cheever township at 11 o'clock this morning.

The committee in communication with the Hollow and Pressed Brick and Tile Company, of Akron, Ohio, are expecting a letter on every train, which will determine the question as to whether the above company will locate in our city. As the committee here have agreed to the terms set forth by the company there, we have no fears as to what the contents of the letter will be.

We are in receipt of Vol. 1, No. 1, of "The Kansas Miller and Manufacturer," a monthly journal, containing sixteen pages, and devoted to the interests of the industrial development of Kansas. The mechanical work was done by Wakefield & Page, of the Antimonopolist and speaks well of their ability to do first-class work. This journal is one that should be taken by every household.

Married.

Christopher C. Spangler and Miss Pamilla Weyant were married last evening in our city. They will leave tomorrow for a short wedding tour, after which they will return to this city and make their home here. Miss Weyant is well known throughout the community as "The Little Captain" of the Salvation Army. Mr. Spangler has been engaged in the livery business, but of late has been feeding a lot of stock near the city.

Death of Sarah A. McMillan.

Mrs. Sarah A. McMillan, aged 64 years, died at the residence of a son-in-law, near Industry, Wednesday afternoon last, and was interred at the Livingstone cemetery yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. McMillan was born in Davie county, N. C., Sept. 14, 1834, but lived in Tennessee nearly all her life. She leaves four children to mourn her loss; two sons in Tennessee, one a Baptist minister, and two married daughters living in this county.

Mrs. McMillen had been a consistent church member for 50 years, and died blessing her Redeemer, with a faith in a blessed immortality. Her life was pure and noble; her death calm, peaceful and without fear.

"Could her sightless eyes,
Closed beneath the soft, gray hair,
Could the mute and speechless lips,
Move again in silent prayer,
Still, aye, still the words would be.
'Let me hide myself in Thee.'" 'K.'

T. B Wilson to the Front.

John R. Schneider has resigned his position as justice of the peace, for this precinct, and T. B. Wilson has been appointed in his stead, by the county commissioners. Boys, you can look for justice oiled and greased, and regulation length, now! "Great day!"—Logan Co. (Col.) Advocate.

Shake, Thomas. Your old friends in Dickinson county would rather see you Governor, though we are glad and sorry at the same time; glad that hereafter you can be known as Esq. Wilson, but sorry that we can't be familiar any more, and call you "Tom." But slot dignity for this once. Tom., old boy, if you make as able and bright a J. P. as you are a newspaper man, all the courts in the Union will sustain your decisions. But now that Lamar has been confirmed, here's a pointer, you had better let up on the old man, or he may lay for you, and wreak vengeance on your decision of some case carried up to the U. S. Court.

Benefit Concert.

Thursday evening, February 2nd, has been set as the time for giving the concert, the proceeds of which are to go to the family of R. C. Markee, who lost all his effects at the Berry Bros. fire.

The ladies and gentlemen (whose names are given below) who have taken hold of this benevolent affair comprise the best musical talent of the city, and we may look for something exceptionally good in the line of concerts. Great preparations are being made to have the entertainment a good one, so that all who pay their money to witness the performance will not only be assisting in a worthy cause but will receive in return what is fully worth the price of admission.

Mr. Markee deserves all the assistance that can be given him, and we trust that our citizens will take an interest in the matter and fill the opera house to overflowing on the above named date, thus assisting the following persons, who are to take part in the concert, to give Mr. Markee a rousing benefit: The Mesdames W. G. Cowles, C. F. Mead, W. S. Stambaugh, J. B. Case, H. J. Hodge and E. D. Humphrey; Miss Mamie Hoisington, and the Messrs. Hewitt, Gilbert, Hough, Hilon, Sumner, Emil Sutter, H. J. Hodge, Hargreaves and McCormack.

The above names are a sufficient guarantee that the concert will be a good one.

Tickets will be kept on sale at Mr. Markee's barber shop, and Geo. Upshaw will canvass the city for their sale. Admission, 35 cents, reserved seats 50 cents.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Interesting News.

The following items from the Hope Herald will be of interest to all our readers:

A FATAL FALL.

An old gentleman named Snyder, who is the father of Mrs. Martin Spencer and lived with his daughter and her husband on the A. M. Crary farm, three miles northwest of town, met with an accident last Sunday which resulted in his death a few hours after it occurred. Mr. Snyder, who was 68 years old and very feeble, went to the well after a bucket of water and, slipping on the ice which had accumulated about the curb, fell, striking on the back of his head and causing concussion of the brain. He was found about twenty minutes after the accident and carried into the house. Dr. Hunter was summoned and attended him, but the unfortunate man was past human aid and after lingering, unconscious, for several hours, died. He came, with the daugter and her husband, from Dillon, only a few weeks ago. The funeral occurred Tuesday afternoon.

HOW THE BRUISE CAME THERE.

The defense in the Reynolds case will rely much on the discoloration which appeared on the right hand of Bert Duggan, on the Sunday of his burial, to establish a case of self defense. That this is the case is proved by the introduction, at the preliminary trial, of evidence to show its presence. But admitting that the hand was discolored—for it really was, it does not follow that the bruise resulted from a blow given by Duggan. It will be shown, on the contrary, at the proper time that the discoloration was the result of a kick from a horse, received by young Duggan on the morning of the day he was so brutally murdered. It was but natural that this bruised place would be the first to discolor after death, though Drs. Ketchersid and Hunter and several others who attended the postmortem examination will testify that it was not visable on the day preceeding the burial.

These facts will knock Murderer Reynolds' strongest prop for his self-defence claim clear from under him.

SAYS HE IS NOT ZULLER.

The Herald is in receipt of a letter from a party in Louisville, Ky., signing himself M. D. Reynolds and claiming to be a brother of M. M. Reynolds, the murderer of Bert Duggan, in which he denies that "Doctor" M. M. Reynolds, Dr. "John" Reynolds and Frank Zuller are one and the same person, as stated in the article from the Louisville Commercial, reproduced in this paper recently. The writer also says Reynolds was not born in Paoli, Ind., but in Louisville, was never arrested in Georgia, etc.

Mr. Reynolds promises to send a complete history of his notorious brother's life, properly sworn to, for publication, just as quickly as it can be prepared, and "trusts that the Herald will print it in justice to the accused." We will, of course, give the communication all the space it deserves, hoping at the same time that Reynolds' bad deeds, as well as his good ones (if he has any to his record) will be duly mentioned. M. D. Reynolds, so we are informed, is a glass blower employed in one of the Louisville glass factories.

FOR SALE.

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37-tf

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 butter, too, is not neglected,
When the same is worked and well perfected;
But when assailed 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. 40-tf

Publication Notice.

U. S. Land Office, Salina, Kas., Dec. 10th 1887. } No. 6710

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge or Clerk of District Court, at Abilene, Kansas, on January 20th 1888, viz: George Kuhn, H. E. 21788, for the N. ½ N. W. ¼, Sec. 6, T. 16, S. R. 4, E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Charles Fisher, and Charles Albrecht, both of Aroma, Kas.; Earl Robinson and Charles Chalker, both of Hope, Kas.

S. M. PALMER, Register.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will sell at public sale at his place on section 24, Willowdale township, 8½ miles northwest of Abilene, on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31st, 1888,

sale to commence at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following described property, to-wit: 8 head of horses consisting of 6 work horses and 2 colts, 2 mares with foal; 4 head of milch cows; 1 two-year-old heifer, and 4 spring calves. 2 farm wagons, 1 single buggy with pole, 1 barrow, 1 John Deere walking plow, 1 new Adams riding cultivator, walking cultivator, 1 new corn sheller, 1 fanning mill, 1 Cassidy sulky plow, two sets double harness, 1 stack of hay and 1 of millet, 1 grindstone, a lot of household and kitchen furniture, and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $5.00 and under cash, all sums over that amount a credit of one year will be given, purchaser giving note with approved security bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum. If not paid when due 2 per cent. interest will be charged from date of sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

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