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Every person subscribing to or renewing their subscription to the REFLECTOR, and paying their subscription in advance, will be supplied with the KANSAS CITY WEEKLY JOURNAL, free during the Campaign of 1888, that is, until November 15.

Some fine artificial walks will be laid around the new jail.

A. G. Buchanan, postmaster, has been allowed a pension.

The public schools of Atchison are closed on account of diphtheria.

Of the 472 students of the State Agriculture college at Manhattan, 126 are natives of Kansas.

You are losing money every day if you do not accept our offer of the Kansas City Journal free.

Geo. W. Winans was re-elected superintendent of the Junction City schools; salary, \$1,500 a year.

All over the state delegates are being appointed to attend the State Sunday School convention June 6-7-8.

We want a regular correspondent in Herington, and one in Enterprise. Good inducements to the right parties.

A doorway is being cut in the north side of the store occupied by Gleissner and recently purchased by Rev. W. D. Christian.

Hon. J. G. Lowe came in Saturday evening for a conference with local Democrats regarding his chances for deleg at-at-large to St. Louis.

The kid base ball club proposes to hold Abilene's banner in the front ranks of the procession this year. Send in your challenges, outsiders.

John J. Cooper and family went out last Thursday on the C., K. & W. for Ohio, where they will spend two or three weeks visiting relatives in Springfield and Uhrichsville.

An application to change the name of Clay Center to Clacine has been signed by 95 per cent of the business men of that place and will be submitted to the court about May 25th.

Rev. Dr. W. H. Bishop, Salina, stopped off before trains to call on friends. He is on his way home from Minneapolis. The doctor made a pleasant visit to the REFLECTOR office.

Davis county pupils will take an examination next week, by the result of which will be decided the bestowal of three scholarship prizes, \$15, \$10 and \$5, offered by the superintendent, T. S. Harkins.

W. P. Robinson and C. M. Teats, of Hope, have been mentioned in connection with the nomination for Representative in the 69th district. Neither has as yet consented to allow his name to be used.

The graduating class of the high school this year numbers nine. The members are: George Upshaw, Ralph Jones, Levi Humbarger, John Mustard, Homer Ellison, Hattie Rice, Sarah Hinton, Ella Thornton, George Bright.

The Bartell House, Junction City, is getting a general roasting for its exorbitant charges during the recent convention. It has played the same contemptible trick before. The Clay Center Times calls upon the public to starve the institution into decency if possible.

Wheat, in many parts of the county, is beginning to head out. This means an early harvest and a full, unshrivelled berry. When the wheat does not ripen until July, there is a tendency to dry up and shrivel from the extreme heat, which an early harvest prevents. In '75 wheat was harvested in this county in May, and it looks now as though the first or second week in June this year would see the binders in the field.

Probate Court.

The case of the State, vs. John Bell, is being tried before Judge Seeds on a writ of habeas corpus.

Later—Case heard. Prisoner remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

Missing Youths.

Information is wanted by John R. Palmer and James Ford concerning the whereabouts of their sons, Chas. B. Palmer and James Ford, aged respectively seventeen and eighteen years. The boys left their home in Creswell, Marion county, Kas., together April 14, and took with them a hand satchel, a double-barreled shot gun, and each had a watch. Palmer wore a white canvas hat, and Ford a white hat with a shoe string through the brim. The fathers of the missing boys offer a liberal reward for authentic information of where they are. Exchanges requested to copy.

A Lively Corpse.

A corpse of fine men passed through placing another wire on the M. P. telegraph line this week.—[Banner Register.]

More Good Words.

The Abilene REFLECTOR now reaches this office with a new head, and great improvement: orally and mechanically.—[Marquette Monitor.]

The Abilene Weekly REFLECTOR came to us last week with a new and attractive head and the paper in manly ways puts on an attractive appearance.—[Banner Register.]

THE COLLEGE SURELY COMING.

Abilene to Have Another Institution of Learning.

The board of trade held a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting Monday to consider the proposition submitted Saturday by Rev. T. F. Stauffer to locate here the Reformed college now at Wichita. Several persons, Col. Bigger, C. H. Lebold and others addressed the meeting, urging the necessity of securing this institution for the city. A committee was appointed to consider the proposition of the college board of directors.

This afternoon another meeting was held. Several offers equal to the requirements of the directors were submitted by Abilene parties and were referred to a committee to determine which one should be accepted.

It is almost a certainty that the college will be located here and Abilene will have one more institution to be proud of.

A definite decision will be reached inside of two or three days.

Decision in the Poker Players' Cases.

Judge Dewey Thursday rendered judgment in the poker players' cases tried in the police court. The sentence was \$10 fine and costs, amounting to \$36, against Harry James, who was tried on two counts. Only one count was proven, that of permitting playing. Failing to pay up, James languishes in jail. All the other prisoners were dismissed and so acquitted.

The case was a victory for Frank A. Smalley, the counsel for the defendants. Mr. Smalley conducted the cases with admirable judgment against almost overwhelming evidence, and yet was able to win nine of the ten counts and get a light sentence on the other. Mr. Smalley is coming to the front rapidly as an attorney.

Probate Court.

A marriage license was last Saturday issued by Judge Seeds to Chas. Gardner and Margaret Branson, both of Solomon City.

Assistant Marshal Appointed.

W. E. Applegate, formerly on the night force, is acting as day marshal during the illness of W. J. Kirkwood. Friday evening Mayor Rice appointed W. A. Loupee assistant marshal, to take Mr. Applegate's position as night watchman.

Free Methodist Meeting.

The first quarterly meeting of the Free Methodists in Abilene, will be held at their usual place of meeting, on the Southside, beginning Friday evening, May 18, 1888, continuing over the following Sabbath.

Everybody is cordially invited to come and help make this meeting a success. All who come will be made welcome. FRED SCOTT, Pastor.

Wild Oats.

The five young men who were arrested Friday for stealing oats at Supten's Mill, were brought before Judge Quinn, last night, and their cases were continued until May 17.

Another warrant was issued last night and a sixth man pulled in today by Constable C. F. Collier. The man was brought to the city and languishes in jail.

Monday's Excursion Party.

A party of River Brethren, under the leadership of Isaac Shockey, went out over the Rock Island to Gravelton, Ind., where they will attend the General Conference of the River Brethren church to be held there next week. A special car will carry them over the round trip. The car is one of the Rock Island's elegant chair cars, just out of the shops, and is for comfort fully the equal of a Pullman sleeper, being Pullman built and supplied throughout with every elegance that can be devised.

The party was in charge of C. B. Sloat and W. H. Firth, traveling passenger agents of the Rock Island. The passengers were: Bishop Samuel Zook and wife, Bishop Jesse Engle, Bishop John Mellinger, I. Shockey and wife, Rev. B. H. Brechbill and wife, Mrs. Peter Good, Miss Susan Hoffman, Miss Julia Wingert.

County High School.

The county high school board met last Monday to consider bids for the county high school building. The following bids were made: J. H. Speer, \$15,597; S. R. Hoag, \$12,000; Paul & Jacobs, \$15,440; Fellows & VanSant, Topeka, \$12,924. Upon a vote, the latter firm were awarded the contract, with the provision that they give satisfactory bonds.

This action of the board insures to Chapman the immediate erection of the long looked for county high school building, the first of the kind in the state.

Salina's Courtesy Acknowledged.

The fire department of the city of Abilene, in special meeting assembled, to resolve:

That we extend to the Salina fire department the assurance that we sincerely appreciate their kind treatment of us during the late tournament, and that we will cherish the memory of the event with the hope of being able to reciprocate soon. W. E. STICKEL, J. J. BRADFIELD, J. W. MONROE.

The River Brethren's love feast held at Bethel church on last Saturday and Sunday was largely attended.

An attractive feature of the occasion was the ordination of D. H. Brechbill to the ministry and B. L. Brubaker, of Abilene, to the deaconship. They will hold another feast in Hope township, June 10th and 11th.—[Chapman Courier.]

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Department Commander's Order Regarding Its Observance.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF KAS., GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC. The department commander calls attention to general order No. 7, from National headquarters, accompanying this order, in reference to Memorial day, Wednesday, May 30, 1888.

For twenty years this day has been observed by the loyal people of this country, in a spirit of reverence and gratitude for the brave men who laid down their lives in the Nation's cause. It is a day of hallowed memories; a day when a grateful people pay floral tribute to the Nation's honored dead and testify their devotion to the principles for which they died.

It should be observed in a loving and reverent spirit in which all should unite, keeping in mind the fact that by God's mercy and the blood of our brothers, we are today enjoying the blessing of a re-united country.

To this end your commander recommends that each Post attend divine service in a body on the Sunday preceding Memorial day, as a fitting preparation for the solemn duties of that day. That on Memorial day the comrades assemble at their respective Post rooms and march in procession to the cemeteries, and where practicable, that the exercises there be conducted in accordance with the form prescribed in the service book.

The department extends a cordial invitation to all fraternal and military organizations and Sabbath schools, as well as to all loyal men and women of Kansas, to join us in sacred observance of that day. By command of O. H. COULTER, J. W. FEIGMAN, A. A. Gen'l. Dept. Comdr.

COMMUNICATED.

To the Farmers of Dickinson and Adjoining Counties:

We wish to call your attention to the fact that, owing to the flattering prospects for an abundant harvest, we have secured the sole agency for the D. M. Osborn Twine Binders, and Mowers, and the Centennial W. d Mills, all of which are guaranteed to be superior to any other goods in this line. Don't place your orders until you have seen our machines. Our agent will call on you soon representing a full line of the above machines, also the best line of Pumps in the west. We are now running a pump wagon, having had years of experience in the pump and wind mill business. Our work is guaranteed to be first-class.

You will also be able to gain some valuable information, if you will insist upon it, from our agents in regard to Gasoline Stoves, the Brommel Washer, Clothes Wringer, Hardwood Refrigerators, and the old reliable Charter Oak Cook Stoves, all of which we handle in large quantities.

We are also ready at all times to do tin work in the country, such as eave troughs and roofing. Good work and reasonable prices is our aim.

We undoubtedly carry in stock the largest line of General Hardware of any store in Western Kansas. Remember we are leaders in this line.

We defy competition.

DUNLAVY & ROE.

Councilman Myers says: "I have used the Farm and Home mixed paint and can recommend it to anyone." 36-1m

The best Cultivators on earth can be found at Berry Bros. Mettle Co.'s. 37-3

Sweet potato plants for sale at Chas. C. Young's, one-half mile west of the cemetery. 36-4f

D. G. Smith is selling Farm and Home mixed paint for \$1.25 per gallon. 36-1m

Go to J. W. Jenks' for German mill. 270-2tw-29-1f

Mr. Zwick says: "I like the Farm and Home brand of mixed paint. I used it three years ago on my house and it is alright yet." 36-1m

For Harvesting machinery be sure and see the new Simple Knotter at Berry Bros Mercantile Co. 37-4f

We have Money to loan at 6 1-2 per cent. interest, with privilege of paying in multiples of \$100.00 at any interest payment. LEBOLD, FISHER & CO.

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South American Nerve.

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THE CHILD RECOVERED.—My little girl, aged seven years, was afflicted with a severe cough and cold. She could not sleep but coughed almost incessantly. I was induced by a friend to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and was astonished at the immediate relief it gave her and the cure it produced. I would not be without it in the house for any price. I have tried many remedies for coughs and colds, but this is superior to anything I have ever tried. Prof. J. M. Mehan, Capital City Commercial College, Des Moines, Iowa. Sold by BARNES & NORTHCRAFT.

Ich, Mange and Scratches of every kind on human or animals cured in 30 minutes by Wolford's Sanitary Lotion. Sold by J. M. Gleissner, Druggist, Abilene.

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D. G. Smith is selling the popular Barb Wire Liniment. See the advertisement in another part of this paper. 36-1m

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