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Finally, we wish you all to call and examine our Grand Prize Buggy, and see for yourself that it is of the best make. Remember, it only takes **ONE DOLLAR** to entitle you to one chance in the Grand Drawing.

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CITY AND COUNTY.

Solomon is preparing for a grand firemen's ball, Oct. 5th.

The admission to the races, Oct. 10-12, has been reduced to twenty-five cents. Everybody can afford to go.

The G. A. R. post is getting out a handsome little volume containing a complete history of the post, a roster, roll of honor, W. R. C. and S. of V. rosters, etc.

Bills are out for the October race meeting, the 10th, 11th and 12th of next month. The premiums amount to \$2,500 and a successful series of races is assured.

Mr. Westcott, a large land owner near Solomon, is contemplating the task of sinking an artesian well, 3,000 feet deep, on his ranche—just to see what there is down there.

J. T. Hornaby and Harry Shadiner killed an immense rattlesnake north of town yesterday afternoon. We are afraid to tell how long it was as this is the season to be accused of campaign lies.

The southeast Dickinson county teachers hold their first institute next Saturday at the Maple Grove school house, district 51. A good program has been prepared and a profitable time will be enjoyed.

The A. O. U. W. of Solomon will give a banquet and entertainment week after next. Lieut. Gov. Riddle, Hon. J. M. Miller and others will speak. There will be music, singing and a supper. Everybody invited.

A young gentleman who has plenty of cash offers to deposit with the REFLECTOR \$100 as a wager that no town in Kansas can show forty as handsome young ladies as were seen in the Trades Display last week and have as many left as appeared in the audiences.

Stole a Load of Hay.

A Jefferson township farmer came into town yesterday in a very much agitated frame of mind. Some rascal had deliberately and with malice pre-pense, abstracted from the said farmer's hay field a large load of hay and had started for Abilene. The farmer had been absent from home for a day or two and was both surprised and angry upon his return to find several nice "wind-rows" cleaned up. When last seen he was threatening vengeance and looking for a man with a load of hay.

A MUSICAL TREAT.

Col. H. M. Rogers, the Famous Singer Delights a Large Audience of G. A. R. Boys and others.

Every seat in the court house was occupied last evening and a large number were standing up, so great was the desire to hear Col. Rogers, of Pueblo, Colo., who was announced to sing at the open meeting of the G. A. R. Post. The meeting was entirely informal, the gifted Colonel entertaining the people for a short time before the regular Post meeting.

Hon. J. R. Burton introduced Mr. Rogers and the singer gave several patriotic and war songs in a style that held the audience spell bound and won hearty applause. His rendition is so touching, so clear and tender as to stir the hearts of all.

Mr. Burton was loudly called for but excused himself from speaking as he did not wish to have the meeting assume a partisan or formal appearance.

Dr. J. M. Hodge spoke briefly upon G. A. R. topics, Col. Rogers sang some more songs and the outsiders were dismissed, while the Post held a business meeting.

All present were charmed by the music and expressed a hope that another similar treat might be given them.

Taken Home.

The little child of R. J. Warnock, of Sutphen Mills died last Thursday of summer complaint. The little one was eleven months and six days old. The funeral services were held Friday and the interment made in the Chapman cemetery.

Cupid's Coils.

Judge Seeds has issued the following marriage licenses: William M. Beveny and Agatha Hoffman, both of Abilene. Henry T. Snyder and Florence O. Pollock, both of Abilene.

A Pair of Criminals.

A young couple who have been living at one of the Abilene hotels as man and wife were today discovered to be unmarried. The lady had written to her father in California to send money. Instead, the old gentleman came here, arriving on the noon train today. In company with Marshal Kirkwood he sought the runaways and found them in their room at the hotel. Tears, protestations, confessions and upbraidings were indulged in and finally the guilty man was allowed to escape, going east this afternoon and the father and wayward daughter leave for the Pacific coast tonight. Out of respect for the high standing of all the parties we do not give the names.

Hard(?) Times.

Every day you hear people grumbling that this is a hard year, that times are so close and devastation is just at hand. Now, here in Dickinson county, such a cry is the merest folly. Times, to be sure, are not at their flush, but we are by no means so badly off as we might be, or so badly off as some people think we are. Indeed, excepting those chronic sufferers, the Union Laborites, people are living along much the same as usual.

In Abilene enough new buildings are going up to prove that the city is advancing rapidly in growth. The stores are all doing a good fall business and merchants are by no means complaining.

The other towns of the county report substantially the same state of affairs, except one or two which were started where no town was needed and which were bound to go backward sometime.

The farmers are not as lacking in crops as they were last season and everything they have this year will bring them a good price.

When we compare our condition with that of the dwellers in the extreme western part of the State or in the fever-stricken South, we have much to be thankful for. Kansas is yet a new State with less than a third of her land under cultivation, and she must not expect the economic conditions of commonwealths which were fully developed long before her boundaries were established.

Will Pay Up.

A certain wayfarer named James Reed, residing in the south part of town, had an idea last year that he could exercise the rights of citizenship without paying either by work or cash his poll tax. A warrant for his arrest was issued Sept. 30, 1887, to compel him to come to time or else lodge at the expense of the city.

Since that time he has either been absent from town, working in the country or has dodged the officers. Today Marshal Kirkwood spied him and in his well-known lightning style corralled him and escorted him jailward.

Mr. Reed probably regrets that he spent so much time trying to save two or three dollars. He also, no doubt, has an increased reverence for the detective skill of W. J. Kirkwood, C. M.

A Birthday Party.

Misses Grace and Lena Thialer entertained a number of friends at their home east of the city Friday evening. The occasion was Miss Grace's sixteenth birthday anniversary and the many pleased guests pointed in wishing her many happy returns of the day. Abilene's society was well represented.

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