

The Union.

JUNCTION, SATURDAY, JAN. 17, 1863.

The Council Grove Press is to be re-located by Sam Wood about the first of February.

On the 4th of January, hay was cut in this vicinity. On the 13th, insects incident to spring time were seen.

The Kansas Tribune, published at Lawrence, by John Speer, has made its appearance. It is a large, interesting, and good looking sheet.

To-day is the 157th anniversary of the birthday of the Printer Philosopher and Statesman, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN.

Lieutenant Heddens, who was stationed at this place last winter in the recruiting service is now in command of a company of the Fifth Regiment at Helena, Arkansas.

A ferry-boat has been placed in the Solomon, which will expedite traveling greatly. It was built by Fletcher, Cobb, and Marvin, who are a "hull team," consequently it must be a "hull" boat.

A number of Indians graced our town again the other day. "Tis refreshing to behold them. The last two "incursions" have not resulted in a general missing of loose property. Which denotes an improvement.

LEGISLATIVE REPORT.—We have secured the services of a reliable and competent gentleman at the State Capital, who will keep our readers posted as to the doings of the Legislature, during the coming session.

Good.—To have such news as the fall of Springfield come one mail and be contradicted the next. It draws out the hearts of some—they'll be more reserved another time.

BULLY FOR COBB.—Our townsman, Captain Cobb has been chosen Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Representatives. We can congratulate both the House and the Captain.

We have received from "Junius" an appeal by the Order of "Free and Easy Drunkards" against the incursions of the Good Templars. No attention will be given contributions without a name.

The City Council met last Tuesday evening, and counted the votes polled at the recent election. Luther Hall was declared elected Mayor. Considerable talk was had regarding the City debt, but nothing satisfactory arrived at. It meets again to-night. The functions of our City organization are not "regular"—an emetic and physic are both necessary.

We always gave the Conservative considerable credit for "blowing"—sometimes imagined "Web." the possessor of an exceedingly enthusiastic temperament. But the invitation card to the Printer's Ball and Banquet, which we have received, dispelled such notions. It is the neatest specimen of fine printing we have seen in the West. It was executed in the Conservative office by WILLIS EMBERT, whose artistic skill is far above the ordinary.

SALT.

Kansas pays, annually, to other States for the article of Salt alone about One Hundred Thousand Dollars, while the same amount could be made within fifty miles of this place for one-sixth of the sum. This money is taken from the people and from the State for an article that ought to be made here. It is a cash drain on the State of a sum that, if one-half of it was judiciously expended in Salt Works on the strong Salt Springs of Salt Creek, or the Saline, we should be able to supply Iowa, Missouri, Illinois, and half the valley States, with all their Salt, and thus bring into the State, to be scattered among its people, millions of dollars. Why send our money out of the State for an article abundant within its limits? Kansas can manufacture for the Mississippi Valley, and thus cause other States to build us up.

But to do it, our salines must be developed. They should receive the prompt encouragement of legislative action. Let the State pay a small sum, say two mills per pound, to the manufacturer, and let the State salines be free to manufacturing companies for a term of years. Better, far better, pay one of our citizens two mills per pound to make Salt than to pay the people of other States ten. We trust this question will receive the attention of the Legislature at once.

This number of the Union closes our first year's experience in the journalistic field, other than as "journs." It has lost considerable of its romance. We find ourselves nothing more or less than the pack-horses of this whole region—responsible for all that has been said, and all that has been left unsaid; alternately, the recipients of favors and kicks—kicks generally. We have done all manner of work—ground out "able" editorials and chopped wood; run churches, whiskey-shops, and temperance societies, and trafficked in buffalo tallow. The end of the year finds us with "nary red"—but not discouraged; we are full of determination to run the machine according to correct principles or "bust" the traces trying. We flatter ourselves that we are sufficiently "fast" to keep up the dignity of the institution—can run her to any gauge. Have escaped hosts of "thrashings," "raw-hidings," and such like. Still further flatter ourselves that we are at bitter war with every rebel sympathizer, horse-thief, rum-seller, and other pests of society, within our bounds—glory in the supposed term of reproach, "Police Gazette." Shall continue to run her upon the same "high pressure" principles, improved as experience suggests, and our new fonts of type, a bill of which we received the other day, will permit. Deinquenqs could aid us surprisingly in this matter.

A Cairo dispatch of the 9th says, we have nothing later from Vicksburg than has already been sent forward. The Jackson Appeal of the 3d has been received. It treats the Vicksburg fight as a trivial affair, and places their loss at a very small figure. It says the Federal loss must have reached 2000 in killed and wounded. It does not like Sherman's falling back in the rear of Vicksburg, and regards it as a trap suggesting no good to the confederates.

J. C. KENNETT, County Surveyor, Kenton, Davis County, Kansas. Will promptly attend to all kinds of Surveying on terms to suit the times.

DANIEL MITCHELL, LAND AGENT, SURVEYOR, AND CIVIL ENGINEER, JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS. LAND WARRANTS for sale for CASH, and on time. Land Warrants located. Collections made and Taxes paid for non-residents. n1f

LORENZO DOW, JOHN G. OTIS, DOW & OTIS, ATTORNEYS, AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW, Topeka, Kansas. n1n3

NOTICE! TO ALL OUR WESTERN FRIENDS, And others, as you come to mill, will want to buy some Goods, Cheap for Cash, call at the FARMER'S STORE, at the old stand, No. 353 Poyntz Avenue.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED FROM THE Philadelphia market, a large assortment of Goods, consisting of Dry Goods Clothing Hardware, Queensware, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, GLASS, WINDOW CASH, TOBACCO, TEA, SUGAR,

SOAP, COAL OIL, and Candles, and other things too numerous to mention. ALSO, Agents for Ayer's Celebrated Medicines.

All persons desiring to invest Cash for good Goods will please call and look through our stock. JOHN PIPER & Co. Manhattan, Dec. 25, 1862.

WATSON & BRACE, Wholesale Dealers in DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING AND OUTFITTING GOODS, No. 12, Delaware Street, Leavenworth, Kansas.

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S. B. WHITE, ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR At Law, JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS. WILL PROMPTLY ATTEND TO ALL business entrusted to his care in Western Kansas. n1f

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NEW DRY GOODS HOUSE AT LEAVENWORTH! The undersigned has opened a new Wholesale & Retail DRY GOODS HOUSE At the Old Established Store, No. 50 Delaware St. bet. 2d & 3d.

Our Stock will be ENTIRELY NEW, and, without enumerating, we would say that it comprises Everything in this Line! Merchants and Settlers of WESTERN KANSAS Will do well to give us a call when they visit Leavenworth. R. C. BRANT & Co.

THOMPSON, WOODRUFF & Co. Exclusively Wholesale Dealers in FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS, AND YANKEE NOTIONS! To the Merchants of KANSAS, COLORADO, AND NORTH-WESTERN MISSOURI. We are now opening direct from the manufacturers,

A LARGE STOCK OF GOODS ON MAIN STREET, BETWEEN SHAWNEE AND DELAWARE, (Old Stand of Lucas & Donaghy.) LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS. We would call the attention of all to our Mammoth Stock before making purchases elsewhere. In our stock will be found all grades of BROWN SHEETINGS, DENIMS, STRIPES, CHECKS, and the latest and most desirable styles of PRINTS, Delaines & LAJNS. A very extensive stock of STAPLE NOTIONS, All of which we offer at Unprecedented Low Prices!

WE WILL NOT RETAIL, hence offer to dealers the benefits accruing from AN EXCLUSIVE JOBBING STOCK! THOMPSON, WOODRUFF & Co., Main Street, bet. Shawnee and Delaware, Leavenworth, Kansas.

LEWIS KURTZ, MANHATTAN, KANSAS. DEALER IN Groceries, Provisions, Clothing, Dry Goods, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, together with everything usually kept in a first class Country Store.

WILL receive every description of Country Produce in exchange for goods, such as wheat, corn, oats, pork, tallow, hides, potatoes, turkeys, onions, in fact nearly everything that a farmer raises. Missouri money taken at par presented soon. n1f

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DRAKE BROTHERS, BOOKSELLERS, Stationers and PAPER DEALERS, every description of PRINTING AND WRAPPING PAPER, PRINTERS' Furnishing & Paper Warehouse 67 DELAWARE STREET, bet. 3d & 4th, Leavenworth, Kansas. THE HIGHEST PRICE PAID FOR RAGS.

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WE MANUFACTURE OUR OWN Goods in Philadelphia, and can compete in QUALITY AND PRICES with any house west of Cincinnati. The attention of buyers is invited to our stock, and a call solicited before purchasing elsewhere. S. FECHHEIMER & CO.

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MRS. S. M. STRICKLER, of Junction, Agent for Wheeler & Wilson's SEWING MACHINES. Wheeler & Wilson's SEWING MACHINES HAVE WON THE HIGHEST PREMIUMS at the Fair of the U. S. Agricultural SOCIETY.

And at the State Fairs of Maine, Vermont, New York, Pennsylvania, Mississippi, Ohio, Illinois, Michigan, Connecticut, New Jersey, Virginia, Missouri, Indiana, Kentucky, Wisconsin and California. We prefer them for Family Use.—N. Y. Trib. They are the Favorite for Families.—New York Times. There are 85,000 Machines in use in this country and in Europe. This Machine is Profitable and Available a Life Time. It is equal to Ten Sewing-machines. An Annual Dividend of 100 to 500 per cent (on its cost) may be obtained in use—by its possessor. This is the only Sewing Machine in the world making the Lock-Stitch with the Rotating Hook and using the Glass-Foot. The Sales of the Wheeler & Wilson Machine in the single year of 1861 amounted to 10,727; being 3082 more than the combined sales of all other Sewing Machines.

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Instructions will be given to all persons wishing to learn the use of the Machine, whether they become purchasers or not. For the Ministers of the Gospel and for Charitable Purposes, the Machine are sold at reduced prices. PRINCE'S MELODEONS! From the Celebrated Manufactory of George A. Prince & Co., Buffalo, N. Y. 24,000 Of Prince's Melodeons have been finished and are now in use. The First Premium has uniformly been awarded to these instruments wherever exhibited in competition with others.

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Wanted.—Wholesale Agents for our Maps in every State, California, Canada, England, France and Cuba. A fortune can be made with a few hundred dollars capital. No commission. J. T. LLOYD, No. 134 Broadway, New York. The War Department uses our Map of Virginia, Maryland, and Pennsylvania, cost \$100,000, on which is marked Antietam Creek, Sharpsburg, Maryland Heights, Williamsport Ferry, Ithorsville, Nolan's Ford, and all others on the Potomac, and every other place in Maryland, Virginia, and Pennsylvania, or money refunded.

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