

Mower Co Transcript

LOCAL MATTERS.

THURSDAY MORNING, SEPT. 28, 1876.

Peaches and cream.

Grapes are good for dyspepsia.

Backwheat cakes—yum! yum!

Let's take a shake over the Maine election.

The mosquitoes have let up on the "old story."

"The winter of our discontent" is approaching.

Peaches are now plentiful, cheap and of a fair quality.

Pullbacks, corsets and money are just as tight as ever.

Stove pipes and ubsters re-appear in the vivid imagination.

The pumpkin pie season begins to loom up in the distance.

"Why do bumpers' noses fade" immediately after a campaign.

Go and see what nice new things may be found at Solner & Morgan's.

Mrs. Sheriff Hall, and Miss Ajida, her daughter, are off for the Centennial.

It is noted as an interesting fact that the wages of a slave have not been cut down.

The hazelnut crop is immense this year, judging from the quantity our young men gather.

The matrimonial market is very much depressed; scarcely any marriage licenses these days.

Rev. Mr. Emerson, formerly pastor of the Baptist church in this city, filled the pulpit last Sunday.

Rev. C. D. Holden will occupy the pulpit in the Baptist church next Sabbath morning at 10:30.

The voice of the ice-man on his daily rounds has the sound of "howl mockery," these cold mornings.

Another new kind of a lead pencil is just out without any lead in it. What is the world a comin' to?

Charley West is at home again, and piles of new goods are being opened at the store of Hall & West.

Business is reviving and there is every indication of a lively trade. For all of which permit us to be duly thankful.

We have had a long and unprofitable session of the court. Some of the business transacted will be mentioned next week.

Ring striped and striped suits are all very well for those who like them, but what is a modest man going to do for clothes?

James Cronin has cigars, tobacco, fruits, &c., &c. which he is selling cheap. He keeps also the latest newspapers and periodicals.

On account of the storm coming tonight, Sunday evening, no services were held in any of the churches except the Baptist and Universalist.

J. Truesdell has a large number of desirable dwelling lots in Brown's addition to Austin, which he will sell cheap and on easy terms.

Prof. Hyde delivered a very excellent address to teachers last evening upon "Practical Education," and was listened to with marked attention.

H. A. Fairbanks' harness shop, which is recently newly destroyed by fire, is now being fixed up, and he will soon occupy it again.

Ira Jones is now fully open, and the trade at his store is beginning to be as usual. It is to be wished that it would be when times were good. Ira is one of those who never fail to draw a large crowd.

This will probably be known as the "drift period" in politics, as there are so many men who seem to be setting their sails without any visible evidences of the possession of a rudder.

James Truesdell has returned again, and following come large inventories of Boots and Shoes, which he has selected with especial reference to the wants of his customers. Go and see what he has.

MONEY TO LOAN

In Mower county on first real estate mortgage, in sums of \$500 and upwards.

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JAMES CHURCH, in addition to the many other attractions at his place of business, keeps the very latest NEWS. All the leading Magazines, Periodicals and Illustrated Papers may be found on his counter.

Messrs. Crandall & French, the enterprising law firm of this city, have had a new sign painted for them and erected in front of their office. It is a neat piece of work, and displays considerable taste in the artist, Mr. Irwin.

If you would like to be surprised go to Gene and examine the new stock of clothing he has just received. You will find that he will sell you a suit lower than it could be bought 100 years ago or 100 years hence. Call on Gene.

JAMES CHURCH still keeps a supply of those excellent cigars. He has also a nice selection of confectionery, and some of the finest fruits in the market. It is no trouble for him to show goods, that's part of his business.

The Paulist Fathers have closed their mission services here after a very interesting session. Absence from home prevents us from giving that attention to the meetings which we should otherwise have given to them.

Rev. A. S. Foster, formerly pastor of the Presbyterian church of this city, but now of Fremont, Nebraska, has recently returned here with his wife to make a brief visit. They have been to see the sights at Philadelphia.

The fair having been postponed until the 11th and 12th of next month on account of the unfavorable weather, let each one prepare to exhibit something, and thereby make this the most interesting and profitable one held.

Rev. H. J. Crist has been returned to the pastorate of the M. E. church of this city. Rev. W. P. Kerr goes to Cedar City; W. H. Barkaloo to Grand Meadow; F. C. Walter to High Forest; and F. L. Tuttle to Blooming Prairie and Lansing.

Wilbour & Son are making up some of the finest cloth ever brought to Austin. Charley knows how to cut, and that is the reason that there are so many well-dressed men seen on the streets now-a-days. Please call and see what they have to exhibit.

Huntly, charged with having stolen a horse from Mr. Mason, of LeRoy, and Mr. Huntington, with being a defaulter treasurer of the town of Dexter, failed to appear for trial at the recent term of the court. It is supposed that they have cleared out.

Mr. Kelley, living east of town, who has within a short time buried five of his children from the effects of diphtheria, was buried from the Catholic church one day last week, Rev. Father Hurley officiating. Truly, Mrs. Kelley has been overwhelmed with affliction.

Dr. Allen, of Portage City, Wis., will be at the Pleck House in Austin, on Friday, October 19th, and remain three days only. All those wishing his services must remember the days. The doctor comes well recommended. Examinations and consultations free.

J. Swan always has a fine assortment of Boots and Shoes. But just after he has stocked up is the best time to call on him, for then he has the best and most stylish articles to be found in the market. Wouldn't it be well to call and look at what he has now in store. You may be surprised!

The advent of dry weather has a tendency to shorten countenances that had become considerably elongated on account of the long continued rains. We hope that grain will come pouring into the market soon, and that the price will be at least adequate to cover the cost of raising, besides leaving a fair margin as profit.

We learn that a telegraph office is soon to be established at Rose Creek. This is a convenience much needed by the people there, and all are glad that they are soon to enjoy it.

We wish we might chronicle another much needed improvement, viz: a depot building. We hope the railroad company will soon find it to their interest to build one.

The following officers have been elected and will be installed at the next meeting of the Sons of Temperance, for the ensuing year:

W. P. J. W. Eldridge; W. A. Josie Jones; R. S. Frank Sterling; A. H. S. Jennie Mitchell; F. S. M. C. Candlish; C. ———— Chandler; C. Charles E. Lord A. C. Marlon Tubbs; C. W. W. Hall; I. S. Eva Eldridge; O. S. ———— Kinman.

Upon the occasion of the birthday party of Miss Mabelle Peterson, held last Friday evening at her home, some fifteen couples invited guests assembled and enjoyed a very pleasant evening. All seemed to feel at home, and seized the opportunity of enjoying a good time together. After participating in an excellent supper and numerous kinds of amusements, the parties retired to their homes. May it long be remembered.

H. O. Bostford of the Register, is to be married today at Winona, and from thence, with his wife, will proceed to Philadelphia and other eastern cities. We question whether the new accession to the editorial staff may not serve to lower the standard of the paper. The public will await with some anxiety the appearance of future issues. The happy couple have our best wishes.

Jas. Nolle weighs 280 pounds, and the babe which his wife recently presented to him kicks the beam at precisely 84. Being a girl, "Jimmy" says that probably she will never be as heavy as her father, but that she is likely to prove a noble specimen of the genus homo. She gives evidences of being a musical prodigy, for she is already a piper of considerable skill.

Messrs. Tallmadge & Ball have just received the largest inventory of canned fruits ever brought to Austin. The cases are cooled up from the floor to the ceiling, giving the store the appearance of a depot warehouse rather than a place for the retail of supplies. They have also a large number of chests of tea just imported, and warranted to be as good as any that the world produces. It is as good as going to the Centennial to take a look inside their store.

PUBLIC SALE.—On Wednesday, October 4th, 1876, the undersigned will offer at public sale at his residence, 315 miles southwest of Austin, the following property: Horses, cow, wagon, harness, raper, sceder, plow, drag, and farming utensils generally. Also, stoves, tables, bedstead, and other household and kitchen furniture too numerous to mention. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock. Terms made known on day of sale. A liberal credit will be given.

N. PATTERSON.

Mr. C. W. G. Hyde, of the Minneapolis business college, is spending the week here giving instruction in the institute.

We have had an acquaintance with him during the last six years, and it affords us pleasure to say that he is in all respects a most estimable gentleman, and that he is besides an accomplished scholar and educator. We were connected with the Manitoba Normal for three years, where he gave entire satisfaction, both to the board of control and to the pupils under his charge. We consider the teachers of Mower county most fortunate in having him as one of their instructors in the institute.

The following are the leading topics to be presented and discussed at the State Congressional Conference to be held in this city October 12th to 15th:

- 1. A Congregational church in Minnesota: the true ideal of its character, organization and work.
2. The practical life and management of a church, as seen by a layman.
3. The civil aspect of the Sunday question, and the proper observance of the Lord's day.
4. The ideal of ministerial character.
5. The attainment and practical value of the deeper spiritual experiences.
A cordial and earnest invitation is extended to the citizens of Austin and the surrounding country to attend the exercises of the conference.

EYE, EAR AND DEFORMITIES.—One of more of the Surgeons of the Central Surgical Infirmary, of Indianapolis, Ind., will visit Austin professionally, at the Day-tison House, Thursday and Friday, September 28th, and 29th. All afflicted with any disease of the Eye or Ear, Catarrh, Cross-Eyes, Club-Foot, Spinal Curvature, Flattening Anus, Piles, Epilepsy and Chronic Diseases can consult them free of charge. Artificial Eyes inserted. Remember the dates.

A recent trip from here to Racine, Wis. consoled, over the line of the Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, enables us to say that the track is in the very best condition, equal to that of any of the great roads of the east, and that the trains are managed with great care and skill. Persons going east can reach Chicago by this line earlier than by any other, and its unexceptionable management secures to passengers almost absolute immunity from accidents of any kind.

The largest audience that ever assembled in Jones' hall greeted Rev. Father Dwyer last night, who, by request of many leading citizens of all denominations, gave an exposition of Catholic doctrines. We heard but the closing portion of the address, and hence cannot express any opinion as to its merits, other than that it was able and interesting, but whether logical and consistent we have not the data from which to form a conclusion. The audience appeared attentive, and at the close burst out with expressions of hearty applause.

Messrs. Tallmadge & Ball are just beginning to find out that the constant advertising of their business is bringing about its legitimate results. Their store is thronged from early morning until late at night with eager customers. The fact is people have learned where they can obtain groceries, fruits, etc. of the best quality at the very lowest prices, and they are flocking to that place in large numbers. It should be remembered that Messrs. T. & B. keep a first-class grocery house in all respects, and that anything in their line of trade may be had at their store.

Mr. M. C. Canfield has obtained the Sole Agency for the sale of Mrs. Ewing's Improved Tailor system of cutting Ladies and Childrens' clothes,—something which is the result of fifteen years labor and study. Mrs. Canfield will teach ladies the system and supply them with a full set of scales and measures, whereby they can do all their own cutting and fitting. She is also prepared to do dress-making in all its varieties and in the best manner. She has rooms over J. Truesdell's Boot & Shoe Store, on Main Street, and will be glad to meet as many of the ladies of Austin and vicinity as may favor her with a call.

Hon. M. H. Dummell, the Republican candidate of the First district for congress, will speak at Jones' hall in this city next Monday evening, at 7 1/2 o'clock. Mr. Dummell's ability as a campaigner is such that a bare notice of his appearance is all that is required to insure a crowded house. Ladies are especially invited to be present. It is expected that the concert band will enliven the occasion with some of their choicest selections, and that some of the most popular plays will be rendered by at least a quartette of excellent singers.

The following attorneys are in attendance upon court: Judge Bissett, Preston; Judge Murray, Preston; Judge Baxter, Fairbault; J. Q. and S. D. Farmer, Spring Valley.

Mrs. Fleck and daughter, Mrs. Bell, left for Rochester Tuesday morning on a visit to friends.

D. B. Smith and wife are "doing" the Centennial, starting last Wednesday.

Parker Goodwin and wife started yesterday for a month's tour. They will go to Philadelphia, and thence to Maine to see relatives and friends. We wish them a pleasant trip and a safe return.

James McGrath, the popular and efficient depot agent, with his wife, returned last Saturday from the Centennial and the east generally, feeling well pleased with their trip.

Geo. B. Hayes returned to-day from a two month's visit in the east.

BASE BALL.

SATURDAY'S GAME.—The game of ball last Saturday afternoon between the Blue Caps and Gopher nine, resulted in a victory to the latter mentioned. There was a great deal of dissatisfaction between the two clubs as to the management of the game and other things connected therewith. This should not be. The players on both sides should adhere to the wishes of their captain, and not allow themselves to become angry.

WEDNESDAY'S GAME.—The following is the score of the game played yesterday:

Table with columns: Blue Caps, Champions, O. R., and scores for various players like Fuller, Hanson, Andrews, etc.

The game of ball yesterday between the Champions of LeRoy, and the Blue Caps of this city, ended in a victory to the latter. The playing was good except in one or two instances. Both sides had about an equal number of their regular players upon the ground. This makes the third game played, our boys being successful twice, makes them the champions of southern Minnesota.

GRAND MEADOW, Minn., July 12, 1876. We, the undersigned, do hereby recommend to those suffering from the effect of diseases, R. L. Wolcott's Great CATARRH ANNIHILATOR, as the best remedy in use for Catarrh, Neuralgia, Erysipelas, Sore Eyes, Headache, Toothache, etc.

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THE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE. At 2 o'clock, p. m. Monday, the Teachers' Institute convened, and the formal opening was made by Rev. R. R. Goudy leading in prayer. After an enrollment, which attested the presence of thirty-six members, Prof. C. W. G. Hyde, of Minneapolis, was introduced as the principal instructor. He made some appropriate remarks, extending a friendly greeting to all, and then commenced regular work by giving a lesson upon the subject of "Arithmetic," illustrating his methods of teaching in the most familiar way.

Supr. Holbrook then gave a lesson upon "Orthography and Orulpoey," and Prof. Hyde closed the work of the afternoon by a lesson on "Pennauship." G. L. Dingman was appointed to prepare a report of the half day's session.

DEVOTIONAL EXERCISES conducted by the Superintendent. Mr. C. E. Barbour, of Brownsdale, presented the subject of "Geography" in a very practical and interesting manner, and Mr. Hyde followed with a discussion of "Arithmetic," treating the subject in a scientific manner, and yet making it very easy.

After recess, Mr. Barbour gave a lesson in "Grammar," illustrating the subject with very lively interest. Mr. Hyde then resumed "Pennauship" for a half hour. The last exercise of the forenoon was conducted by the Superintendent, his subjects being "Spelling and Pronunciation."

Miss Hattie Bowers was designated as reporter.

Singing and devotional exercises were followed by Miss Bowers' report, which was very complete and well prepared.

Mr. Barbour continued his discussion of "Geography" with happy illustrations and descriptions, aiming all the time to make his lecture a model for the study of teachers.

Mr. Hyde made "Fractions" the subject of his next address, in which he applied the same new and interesting methods. He succeeded in holding the close attention of the entire class.

Mr. Barbour then gave a lesson in "Language," which was sensible and practicable. Supr. Holbrook then had a "Reading Exercise," from which the teachers derived special benefit.

Mr. Hyde again discussed the science of "Pennauship" in a sensible way. During this exercise the teachers of the Austin Graded school were present.

Mr. Smealley, Mr. Dingman, Mrs. Hoy and Misses Bowers and Brown, were appointed a committee to examine spelling books, and recommend their choice for introduction.

WEDNESDAY MORNING. Mr. Hyde conducted the devotional exercises—the institute joining with him in a repetition of the Lord's prayer.

Mr. Barbour continued the subject of "Geography," explaining zones, circles, parallels, etc. "Arithmetic" was then further presented by Mr. Hyde.

"Grammar" was the subject of Mr. Barbour's next effort, and it was nicely discussed. The dry subject of "Pennauship" was invested with life and interest by the skill of Mr. Hyde.

The report will be continued next week from the East bringing with him a fine and extensive stock of ready-made clothing suitable for men and boys' wear. His long experience in the business, and his facilities for making advantageous purchases, enables him to meet the wants of his customers fully, and he will be glad to have them call and see what he has subject to their disposal. He has bought his goods to sell, at a will be glad to talk quality and prices to all who want to make themselves comfortable for the winter.

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SEWING MACHINE SALES FOR 1875

MACHINES.

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Well, conformably with their settled practice, the practice we mean of increasing their sales each succeeding year, THE SINGER MANUFACTURING COMPANY, last year (1875), brought their sales up to the astonishing figure of 241,679, beating their most formidable competitor 181,822, but the sales of that competitor for a falling off in 1874 as compared with 1873, of over 25,000 machines; where, as already stated, The Singer Company shows an increase year by year, and the sales of the other companies, for several years at least, show a decrease.

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