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COUNTY POLITICS.

Our people are so much absorbed in railroads, crops, and business generally, that so far there has been very little interest manifested in county politics. It is nearly time now to call the county convention and it is difficult up to date to ascertain who would like to be candidates or who the people want for candidates.

The following officers are to be elected the coming fall:

Auditor, Treasurer, Register of Deeds, Sheriff, Court Commissioner, Judge of Probate, School Superintendent, Coroner, County Surveyor, and County Commissioners in the Second, Third and Fourth Districts.

We suppose a meeting of the County Central Committee will be called soon to fix the date of the County Convention and for the information of the public as well as the members themselves we give the names of the committee below, which was selected at the county convention held Sept. 19, 1882:

First District—P. Blaine.
Second District—Wm. Cuff.
Third District—Geo. Slade.
Fourth District—Wm. Wigham.
Fifth District—Geo. W. Wilson, Ch'n of Committee.

Should the proposed constitutional amendment for bi-ennial elections be adopted the officers elected next fall will hold over for three years.

NOBLES VS. ROCK.

As a matter of fact there is no comparison between Nobles county and Rock.—Rock Co. Herald.

True enough. Nobles is the Hub, Rock is a Hub-urb. Nobles has the metropolis, Rock is one of the provinces. Nobles has the railroad centre, Rock is on a branch or side-track. Nobles has the Big ADVANCE, Rock has the little Herald. Nobles has 20 townships of land, Rock only 12 townships. Nobles has six large lakes and numerous small ones, Rock has nothing but a creek called Rock river. Nobles has 24 miles of lake front, lined with stock farms, within a radius of eight miles of Worthington, Rock has no lake front with four tons of hay to the acre.

One-fourth of Nobles was made for stock, having oceans of grass and water, and the other three-fourths is high rolling land made for wheat and all grain. Nobles can take out her lakes and "low, flat lands," and still have more high, rolling, tillable land left than Rock. Nobles can give away four or five townships and still have more left than Rock. Nobles has five railroads now and four or five more on the way, Rock has one branch road and a branch of a branch. Nobles has a county debt of less than $30,000, Rock has a county debt of over $50,000.

These comparisons are not "odorous." They are facts, called out by the attempt of the Herald to make the excursionists believe that Nobles is inferior to Rock.

It is not necessary to belittle Nobles in order to enlarge little Rock. Rock is an excellent county, Luverne is a thriving and a wide-awake town, but every excursionist will see at a glance, read as he runs, that ours is a larger and a better county.

"THE VERY ESSENTIAL SPIRIT OF JUSTICE."

The ADVANCE articles on the infamous "Russell law," of Ohio, copied into the Boston Banner of Light, with a world-wide circulation, and into Man, the organ of the National Liberal League, as well as into other papers of less circulation, have been emphatically endorsed and read by hundreds of thousands of people. We mention this in no boastful manner, but to express our gratification at the fact that an earnest word in the cause of right, although spoken in a corner, may be taken up and made to ring out far and wide over the land. For years we have contended that the country press should be bold and independent in denouncing every wrong, whether in society, in the church or in the state, and that if the country press, which is to a great extent the educator of the country people, and the former of opinion in the country districts, would always do its duty in this respect, great evils could be promptly corrected and progressive movements be promptly carried to a successful issue.

The Banner of Light, of June 23d, prefaces an article copied from the ADVANCE with the following hearty endorsement:

As stated by us in previous issues the indignation at the passage of the infamous bill above named—whereby the mediums in Ohio cities are charged a yearly tax of $300 as a fee licensing such individuals to utilize their soul-cheering gifts—is not confined to the limits of that State, but continues to be expressed in determined language in other parts of the nation. We last week copied from the columns of the Worthington (Minn.) ADVANCE, a manly editorial protest against this bigoted measure; and now give our readers another excerpt from the declarations of the ADVANCE editor, which we submit are filled with the very essential spirit of justice. In his issue of June 7th, Mr. Miller, of the ADVANCE, copies the outspoken letter forwarded to us by Dr. James Cooper, of Bellefontaine, O., and printed in our issue of May 6th, and appends the following comments from his own fearless standpoint.

THE RAILROAD LANDS.

Rumors concerning the sale of railroads lands are thick enough. One is that the Close Bros are about to take a deed for all the lands in the two western tiers of townships in this county. Another is that an English Syndicate are about to purchase all the lands belonging to the land company in all the counties, amounting to hundreds of thousands of acres.

Out of all the rumors and movements we hope to see some sales and some breaking.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

A MUDDLE.

ED. ADVANCE:—The last legislature passed an act requiring every person practicing medicine in any of its departments, excepting those who had already practiced five years in the State, to procure a license as therein provided for, which license is to be recorded in the office of the *County Clerk*. Now, there is no such officer known to our laws, and the act aforesaid will necessarily raise some important questions. Was it intended that the County Auditor should perform the duties therein specified, and if so is the certificate required to be given to be signed by him as County Auditor or as County Clerk. Or, is the Clerk of the District Court to perform them, and how is he to sign said certificate. Or is the entire law a nullity. Or is there a new office created. Reasoning from analogy the Clerk of the District Court should be the officer to record said license and give said certificate, as he records notary public commissions, patent rights, marriage licenses, minister's credentials, keeps on file town clerk, justices and constables credentials, and gives certificates to their official characters, while the auditor does nothing of the kind. The auditor acts as county clerk in so far as he is ex officio clerk of the board of county commissioners, and has charge of the finances of the county, but in no other manner.

It would seem that our legislature should have had more sense than to pass such a law, but perhaps the doctors themselves are to blame. If so, it will serve them just right if the law is found null and void, for the reason that there is no such officer as county clerk.

NOT COUNTY CLERK.

POSTAL MATTERS.

EDITOR ADVANCE:—Your article on Postal Matters in last ADVANCE is all right. There are doubtless dishonest men in the mail service as there is in all other avenues of business. I am positive, however, that nine-tenths of the losses and delays in the mails result from the carelessness of those sending matter through the mails. No one but a postmaster would believe that the general public were so careless. Scarcely a day passes but that parties drop letters into the postoffice without paying the postage or without addressing the envelope or addressed to some town and county without putting on the State. One gentleman came in to our office some time ago and purchased a money order, put it in a letter and dropped the letter into the postoffice without stamping. The envelope did not contain the name of the writer (as it should) but the postoffice clerk knowing from the application for the money order (on file in the office) that this gentleman should send a letter to the point addressed on this letter held the letter until the gentleman came in town again instead of sending it to dead letter office, as was our orders then. The gentleman identified the letter and paid the postage, remarking that he did not think he would do that thing again, and within half an hour mailed another letter without stamping. We had now come to know his chirography and hunted him up and had him pay his postage before he left town.

A gentleman of Worthington desiring to go east sent to his son, a clerk in a St. Paul railroad office, for a ticket. The son bought a limited ticket and mailed it to his father. The father not hearing from his son as soon as he expected wrote him and got a reply saying the ticket was forwarded promptly by mail a week before. The gentleman came regularly for his mail but did not get his ticket, and finally came to me and said he was afraid the ticket was mislaid in our office. I wrote to the son in St. Paul and to the St. Paul postoffice. The son was *positive* he had made no mistake in mailing the ticket, and the St. Paul office could give no clue. A month after the letter was said to be mailed to Worthington the father got a letter from his son in St. Paul which I asked him to open in my presence and it contained the railroad ticket now nearly lapsed and an explanation of the delay. The son instead of mailing the letter to his father in Worthington had addressed him in St. Paul. The envelope containing the letter had the card of the house for whom the son was clerking on it but with no request to return. The letter was held in the St. Paul city delivery for thirty days and then sent to the house, opened and handed to the son, who now properly addressed it to his father at Worthington.

A lady in Worthington sent to Chicago for some merchandise. Promptly got her bill of it but no merchandise came. She waited some time and then wrote the firm in Chicago. They were positive the merchandise was sent to the lady's address by mail at Worthington, Minn. As a last resort I told her there was a Worthington in Iowa, Indiana, Ohio, Massachusetts and several other States; gave her a list of the Worthington offices and she wrote to the various offices and enquired for her package and it was forwarded from Worthington, Ind., where the Chicago firm had plainly addressed it.

Only a few days ago a business man of Worthington came to me and said he had sent a draft for quite a large sum to a firm in Chicago which they had never received. Only two days afterwards the letter containing the draft was returned to him with the information that no such person could be found at the address. The gentleman had addressed it to the wrong number in Chicago. Had the envelope not been stamped with the address of the sending party and a request to return, it would have been sent to the dead letter office.

Many times a person will buy a money order and thinking the paper we give them (the order) is a receipt for the money and that we will send the money they give us direct put the order in their pocket and then complain to us that the order they have in their pocket is lost. As absurd as this may seem every postmaster will tell you that it is frequently done. If the patrons of the postoffice would comply strictly with the following directions it would do away with nine-tenths of the complaints made to or of the postmaster:

1. Never send anything of value through the mails unless it is by money order or registered letter or package. The cost is nominal. During the past year (1882) only one registered package in 13,250 was lost. During my two years as postmaster not a single registered package has been lost on this route. Money orders, if lost, are reissued and are therefore absolutely safe.

2. See to it that every envelope deposited in the postoffice has on its upper left hand corner your name and address and a request to return in ten days if not delivered. Letters with name and address on as above indicated, if addressed wrong, or if postage is not paid, or not addressed at all, are immediately returned to the writer for correction when they would otherwise be sent to the dead letter office, or if without postage would be detained in office until addresser can be informed and can send stamps to pay the postage.

3. To prevent delay see that your letters are addressed to the Town, County and State, stamped with at least one rate of postage, if a letter, and fully paid if a package, and safely deposited in the postoffice; and finally, if you live out of town and send by Tom, Dick or Harry for your mail, don't blame the postmaster if you do not always get it, as rarely a day passes but that the postmaster picks up mail carelessly left in the public office. Please also to remember that the postmoster is not so much to blame if he does not always remember that the name of John Smith's wife is Susan, one of his daughter's Hannah Jane, another Polly, another Martha, etc., whilst Pelig Smith's wife's name is Patience, one of his daughter's Hannah Maria, another's Dolly, and so on through a list of six to a dozen.

R. D. BARBER, P. M.

FROM MINNEAPOLIS.

Letter from a Former Member of Stoddard Post—The G. A. R.—Forest City—Sons of Veterans—Former Worthingtonians at Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July, 1883.

EDITOR ADVANCE:—I see by your paper that your village is on the eve of a prosperous future. You have waited long and patiently for this and it is no more than fair that you should soon begin to reap the benefits of your labors. In one respect you are now enjoying the benefits of your early labors, and that is in the beautiful trees with which your city is abundantly supplied. I think you can justly claim the name of "Forest City." I think the name more appropriate than Arbor City, as the definition of the latter is "a shady bower; a seat in a garden surrounded by foliage;" while the definition of the word "Forest," is "a tract of land covered with trees;" and I think the word Forest is much more euphonious.

I am glad to see that steps are being taken to re-organize the G. A. R. Post at your place. When Stoddard Post No. 34 was in existence it was a power in Nobles Co. for good, for at that time the people were passing through troubled waters in the way of grasshopper times and many were the homes made glad by means of that organization. By all means, comrades, keep the old name and No., and get together and organize; brighten up your arms and accoutrements; get out your drum and fife, and hold your camp fires as of old; and nights when your business as a Post is over, throw open your doors and let in these of your neighbors and families who were not fortunate enough to have passed through the fire of our great war; and get some old war songs and sing them, such as "The Battle Cry of Freedom," "Marching Through Georgia," and "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp, the Boys are Marching," etc.

Geo. N. Morgan Post of this city is recruiting fast. A week ago last Tuesday night, between fifteen and twenty were mustered in, and we had the U. S. Grand Commandant there who, in a very interesting speech, informed us that the organization numbered over 175,000 members, of which 60,000 were mustered in within a year. This shows one thing, viz: that the soldiers of the late war are yet a power in the land if they only work and act together. And another thing I wish to mention, there is an organization of "The Sons of Veterans" here, and there should be in every place where there is a post of the G. A. R., for the time is coming when the men who are eligable to be mustered into the Grand Army will have answered to the final Roll Call, and their sons will have to take their place in some form or other.

I see several of your former residents here in this city every few days, among which are Mr. Farnam and family living on 3d Ave., S.; Mr. Stockdale and family, and Mr. Lackor's people living corner 10th St. and 7th Ave., S.; A. C. Robinson and family living on 3½ Ave., S. I understand Mrs. R. has gone east on a 6 weeks visit. Mr. Leroy Cole and family, also on 3½ Ave.; B. N. Carrier, living in Oak Lake Addition. S. E. Chandler is also here, stopping on 15th St., I believe, his family scattered, a part of his children in New York, and a part in Iowa.

I also see Albert Sargent occasionally, and Mr. Paulson who used to live in the northern part of your county.—Then their is father and mother Pitney, whom all the Methodist brethren will remember. They are passing their old age with Henry Burch, a former Worthingtonian.

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A WIDE AWAKE DRUGGIST.

Mr. C. W. Smith is always wide awake in his business, and spares no pains to secure the best of every article in his line. He has secured the agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, the only certain cure for consumption, coughs, colds, hoarseness, asthma, hay fever, bronchitis, or an affection of the throat or lungs. Sold on a positive guarantee. Will give you a trial bottle free. Regular size $1.00. 3

The new secretary of the state board of corrections and charities, Rev. H. H. Hart, will at once enter upon an inspection of the state poor houses, jails, prisons, insane and other asylums, and we understand will not commit the absurd mistake of giving the persons in charge of these institutions a notice so that they can get up a good dinner and clean up for the occasion, but will drop down on them all of a sudden. That's the way to prevent the possible existence of any Tewksbury crimes in Minnesota.—St. Paul Globe.

We have no doubt of Mr. Hart's integrity, energy and good intentions, and we hope he will be able to act as above outlined. But he has a difficult work before him. He will find that wherever he discovers anything that would reflect upon "the party," or the church, or some minister, it will cost him his good name to make an honest and impartial report.

Frank A. Day, editor of the Fairmont Sentinel, was married July 17th, to Lucia A. Howland. At this rate there will not be a bachelor editor left. Congratulations all along the line.—Let us all sing that good old revival hymn "Happy Day! Happy Day!"

Vennor predicted violent storms about July 19th owing to the conjunction of the planets Mars and Saturn. They certainly got the storm along the Winona & St. Peter road, in this State, and also in Dakota and Wisconsin.

America beats the world on drums.—New Orleans Picayune.

And drummers.

THE ROYAL ROUTE DINING CARS.

On Monday last dining cars were placed on all through trains between Minneapolis, St. Paul and Chicago, on the C. St. P. M. & O. road. These dining cars have been built expressly for service on the Royal Route between these large cities. They are owned and operated by the company, and are the most modern, complete, and attractive dining cars in existence, and will be managed and run entirely in the interest of the traveling public, and without regard to expense in the quality of meals.

In the dining cars on the Royal Route you order from an elaborate bill of fare that comprises all the markets afford, have it served to your own taste, and have all the time you wish to enjoy your meal, that is equal to any served in the best hotel in the land. Passengers not desiring a regular meal will be furnished from the dining car with a lunch of tea, coffee or chocolate, with sandwiches, at reasonable prices.

In addition to the comforts of taking your meals on the train, the Royal Route also runs the finest of day coaches and elegant sleeping cars, that are provided with handsome toilet and drawing rooms for the ladies, and luxurious smoking rooms for the gentlemen. By this route passengers ride over a smooth steel rail track, without change of cars, make quick time and all through connections, and pass through a country noted for its beautiful scenery.

COMPLIMENTARY NOTICE.

It gives us pleasure to call the attention of our readers to the series of advertisements of the James Boss' Gold Watch Cases now appearing in our columns. This watch case has been on the market for nearly thirty years and has attained a reputation which is second to none, it now being universally conceded to be the standard. The Jas. Boss Gold Watch Cases are made of two plates of solid fourteen karat gold, soldered on each side of a plate of hard nickel composition metal. These plates of gold are thick enough to admit of engraving, chasing, etc., and supply all the gold needed for practical use, while the composition plate furnishes the strength and solidity needed in every watch case, and yet lacking in those made of solid gold. Although these cases are as good, and in some points better than a solid gold case, the cost is only about one-half as much. Many of the James Boss' Gold Cases have been in constant use for twenty-five years without wearing through the gold. The manufacturers furnish a guarantee with each case warranting it to wear twenty years, and this guarantee means just what it says, for unlike other guarantees furnished so often with watch cases, this is signed by the manufacturers of the James Boss' Gold Watch Cases. Purchasers should avoid any watch case unless the guarantee is signed, as otherwise it is not only worthless but is intended so to be, and the absence of a reliable signature is fair indication that the manufacturer lacks faith in his claims or in his goods

Hon. E. P. Freeman, of Mankato, has been appointed Receiver of the Redwood Falls land office. Mr. F. was formerly Register of the land office in this district and is familiar with the business.

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(*To be continued.*)

Songs Never Sung.

"How does that verse run? Something like this, isn't it?

'There are who touch the magic string,
And noisy fame is proud to win them;
Alas! for those who never sing,
But die with all their music in them.'

'Yes, that's beautiful, pathetic and true,' said your representative. 'The poet alludes to people who are somehow suppressed, and never get their allowance of joy and air. Which reminds me of a letter shown me the other day by Hiscox & Co., of New York, signed by Mr. E. C. Williams, of Chapman, Snyder Co., Pa., a prominent business man of that place. He writes:

'I have suffered with asthma for over forty years, and had a terrible attack in December and January, 1882. I hardly know what prompted me to take PARKER'S TONIC. I did so, and the first day I took four doses. The effect astonished me. That night I slept as if nothing was the matter with me, and have ever since. I have had colds since, but no asthma. My breathing is now as perfect as if I had never known that disease. If you know of any one who has asthma tell him in my name that PARKER'S TONIC will cure it—even after forty years.' There was a man who escaped the fate of those whom the poet laments.

This preparation, which has heretofore been known as Parker's Ginger Tonic, will hereafter be advertised and sold under the name of PARKER'S TONIC. Inasmuch as ginger is really an unimportant ingredient, and unprincipled dealers are constantly deceiving their customers by substituting inferior preparations under the name of ginger, we drop the misleading word.

There is no change, however, in the preparation itself, and all bottles remaining in the hands of dealers, wrapped under the name of Parker's Ginger Tonic contain the genuine medicine if the fac simile signature of Hiscox & Co. is at at the bottom of the outside wrapper.

HOW JACK CREEK GOT ITS NAME.

Gen. Sherman is to visit Spirit Lake this summer. When Gen. was but a lieutenant in the regular army, he passed through Emmet county with a squad of men in charge of a train going to Minnesota. The trail can be plainly seen yet, where they crossed the county. They are said to have given names to to our creeks and lakes which they now bear. Jack creek received its name by a mule being drowned in it, and all of the names were suggested by like incidents. This county was wild and trackless then. There has been a great change in both the young lieutenant and the country since that time.—Estherville Mercury.

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