

KANSAS STATE NEWS.

Kansas Crops. Statistics lately gathered show that the prospects of good crops this season are quite flattering.

Department Appointments. The G. A. R., has appointed the following comrades as aides-de-camp upon his staff: Ira D. Brougher, Great Bend; George Sharpe, Washington; J. W. Crowley, Salina; J. F. Brozley, Girard; G. T. Wood, Hamilton; W. L. Ham, Lansing; L. V. B. Taylor, Frankfort; J. H. Durko, Burlingame; J. Lee Knight, Topeka; J. H. Mellugin, Larned; W. T. Humphrey, Bellefonte; G. W. Wood, Topeka; H. F. Leib, Oberlin; L. S. Walp, Eskridge; H. B. Sivers, Winfield; William H. Avery, El Dorado; Samuel Melison, Hays City; J. L. Daugherty, Emporia; W. S. Nader, Atchison.

Senator Perkins has introduced a bill directing the secretary of war to place on file in the war department the names of the officers and members of the Frontier Guards of Kansas, an organization of Kansans regularly mustered into the volunteer military service of the United States at Washington on April 16, 1891, and issue discharges to such of them as shall furnish satisfactory proof that they rendered military service and were honorably discharged.

Col. Moonlight's Claim. The house committee on war claims has presented a favorable report on the bill for the relief of Col. Tom Moonlight, of Kansas. The committee finds that Col. Moonlight served five years in the regular army and was discharged in May, 1858.

People's Party Convention. The people's party state central committee met at Topeka the other day and called a state convention of the people's party to be held at Wichita June 15 to nominate a state ticket, elect delegates to the national convention which meets at Omaha July 4, nominate a congressman-at-large and ten presidential electors. One delegate is allowed for each 250 votes. On this basis the convention will number about 500 delegates.

Guilty of Manslaughter. In the federal court at Wichita the jury in the trial of J. C. Adams for the murder of Capt. William Couch, the noted boomer, brought in a verdict of guilty of manslaughter. The clerk of the court put the papers mixed in some way and read out a verdict of acquittal. When the right verdict was read, the convicted man broke completely down and his condition was critical.

A Bad Youngster. At a country church, four miles northeast of Fort Scott, the other night during a fight, Charles Bell threw a stone, striking David McManaway on the head just over the left eye, fracturing the skull and causing concussion of the brain, from the effects of which he died next morning. Bell, who is but sixteen years of age, was arrested on the charge of murder in the first degree.

State University. The faculty of the Kansas university at present numbers forty-four instructors. The estimated value of the entire material equipment of the university is \$619,000, \$358,000 in the building and \$261,000 in department apparatus, including the general library of 16,217 volumes. The natural history cabinet contains 150,000 specimens of botany, history and zoology.

Naughty Women. A post office inspector from St. Louis was in Valley Falls the other day and arrested two prominent married women, sisters, on the charge of sending obscene literature through the mails. On Valentine's day the women sent the missives in the form of Valentines to a number of the most respected ladies of the place.

Minor State News. John Carmichael was held up and robbed at Atchison the other night of \$165 in cash. A bill has been introduced in the senate by Mr. Perkins of Kansas, authorizing the Union Terminal Railroad Co. a corporation of the state of Kansas, to build and maintain a bridge across the Kansas river at Kansas City, Kan.

The two-year-old child of Mrs. Charles Lardner, of Topeka, was so badly burned by gasoline the other day that it died soon after. The mother was filling the tank of the gasoline stove when the oil ignited and burned the little one, who was sitting near.

The case of Oscar Rice against Jane Sanger, taken to the United States supreme court by Eugene Ware, attorney for Rice, was recently dismissed for want of jurisdiction. It involved the title to valuable property in Fort Scott, and the dismissal of the case gives the property to Mrs. Sanger.

Charles Shepherd, clerk at the depot at Ellis, while recently intoxicated, crawled under a switch engine and was crushed to death. A cyclone raged over Salina the evening of the 31st. The regular funnel-shaped demon was visible, but too high in the air to do a great amount of damage.

MARKET REPORTS.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Table with columns for CATTLE, HOGS, SHEEP, and various grades of stock with prices.

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GRAIN.

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Chicago Grain and Provisions.

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Kansas City Grain.

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Chicago Closing Cash Prices.

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New York Grain.

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Kansas City Produce.

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Wheat and Corn in Liverpool.

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Eggs and Butter in New York.

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Flax, Rye and Barley.

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Sugar in New York.

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The Missouri Reaches Liban.

LIBAN, April 4.—The steamer Missouri from New York with food for the famine sufferers was enthusiastically welcomed on her arrival here.

It would often be very hard to convince a young man deeply in love with a delightful girl that the time will ever come when he will refuse to eat her pie.—Somerville Journal.

ENGLAND AND HER ENVIRONS.

SOUTH AUSTRALIANS use coal oil cans filled with concrete for weighting silos. A loop of wire is inserted into the soft concrete, thus affording a handle to the weight.

The sword and bloody dagger taken from the body of James IV. of Scotland, on Flodden Field, are, with Queen Victoria's permission, to be deposited in the restored parliament hall, in Edinburgh.

The two largest lunatic asylums in England have combined accommodations for 4,500 patients. One of these is at Prestwick, Lancashire county, and the other at Colney Hatch, six miles from London.

During the English protectorate over Egypt irrigation has been extended in almost every direction, thus increasing the agricultural productions to a wonderful extent. Last year Egypt raised 100,000,000 pounds of cotton, or nearly one-fourth of the entire quantity consumed in Great Britain.

There is a scheme for a communistic experiment in Africa, in English territory, near Mount Kenia, in the equatorial highlands, in a region described as an earthly paradise. Most of the colonists will be Germans and the attempt will be made whenever sufficient capital can be collected.

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LICENTIOUS Danes—Going out between the acts.—Union Standard.

A MAN in a brown study must have some object to give color to his thoughts.—Fiasco.

IN case of too much money—start a newspaper.—Texas Sittings.

MANY of the applicants for divorce acknowledge that they have made a poor man.—National Weekly.

AOE should make a woman beautiful.

PLENTY of tall men are "short," loose men "tight," cold men "warm" and big men "small."—Philadelphia Record.

"THIS is my death blow," remarked the while as he came up for the last time.—Elmira Gazette.

SOME AMERICANS.

MR. WISANS, the state superintendent of public instruction in Kansas, was formerly a bricklayer in Atchison.

WILLIAM WINT HENRY, of Richmond, is said to be a grandson, though it would seem as if he must be a great-grandson, of Patrick Henry. He is a lawyer and an authority on all matters pertaining to the history of Virginia.

A COASTING party in Guilford, Me., recently consisted of Orman Cimpher, aged five years; his mother, his grandfather and his great-grandfather, aged ninety-four. The party coasted down the long hills for an hour, and then enjoyed a hearty backwoods breakfast.

WILLIAM TULLIVER and Minnie Stackhouse were recently married on horseback in the rain at night at Paoli, Ind. The minister stood on the door-step. The couple said they were rain-soaked and had too far to go to lose time. Truth is sometimes as strange as fiction.

TUNZU is an immense garden in China that embraces an area of 50,000 square miles. It is all meadow land and is filled with lakes, ponds and canals. Altogether it is as large as the states of New York and Pennsylvania combined.

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A Shining Mark for Rascals.

To aim the arrow of spurious imitation at the Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Sometimes the shaft strikes, but rebounding destroys like the fatal shot in Der Freischutz, the evil marksman. Beware of all local bitters with or without labels which are colorable imitations of that of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, or which are represented to equal the great curative and preventive of malaria, dyspepsia, constipation, liver and kidney trouble and nervousness. Insist upon having the genuine.

Trust men and they will be true to you; treat them gently and they will show themselves great.—Emerson.

The only time a man is absolutely sure of getting his name right in the paper is when he gets in jail.—Elmira Gazette.

If you will be truly happy keep your blood pure, your liver from growing torpid by using Beccam's Pills. 25 cents a box.

"Yes," said Mrs. Beaconsfield, "my father made his fortune by the perspiration of his forehead."—Harvard Lampoon.

FORGET Pepple Lungs Against Winter with Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar. Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute.

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Advertisement for SYRUP OF FIGS, featuring an illustration of a woman holding a bowl and text describing its health benefits.

Advertisement for HALL'S CATARRH CURE, featuring an illustration of a man and text describing its effectiveness for various types of catarrh.

Advertisement for CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO., featuring an illustration of a bottle and text describing the product.

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Advertisement for EVERY FAMILY, School, Library, and Office S-H-O-U-L-D Have a Dictionary, featuring an illustration of a dictionary.

Advertisement for F. J. CHENEY & CO., TOLEDO, O., featuring an illustration of a man and text describing the company.

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