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## W. M. HAMSHER & CO., MOUND CITY, MO.

Desire to call attention to their large and carefully selected stock of

### Fall and Winter

Goods, consisting of

### Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, GROCERIES AND QUEENSWARE.

And everything kept in a general stock. Also,

### Cottonwood Fencing and Shingles.

We want you to come and see us and examine goods and prices.

## W. M. HAMSHER & CO., Mound City.

# THE BOOM HAS STRUCK MOUND CITY!

And everything is moving along at a 2-12  
1-2 rate, but

## SMITH & NORMAN

Still keep the lead with a full stock of goods consisting of

### DRESS GOODS, NOTIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES, PRINTS, MUSLINS, SHIRTINGS, COTTONADES, ETC.

### LADIES FINE SHOES A SPECIALTY

OUR STOCK OF

### CLOTHING AND PIECE GOODS

Has been selected especially for the trade.

We have a large and complete stock of Hats, Caps, Groceries, Queensware, etc. We also keep the "Singer" and "New Home" Sewing Machines. If you want a machine it will pay you to come 25 miles to see us and learn prices.

The Road is here, Business is good, the trade of the town is increasing, but we want more. Come and see us, no matter what the distance, it will pay you.

## SMITH & NORMAN, MOUND CITY.

### The New Firm to the Front!

# CORSAUT & MEYER,

## MOUND CITY, MO.

With a new and Complete line of

### Staple and Fancy Goods.

We have purchased a most complete line of  
HATS,  
YARNS,  
GLOVES,  
FLANNELS,  
CASSIMERE,  
DRESS GOODS,

CAPS,  
YARNS,  
GLOVES,  
FLANNELS,  
CLASSIMERE,  
DRESS GOODS,

We Handle the Famous

## Webber Boot and Shoe,

The reputation of which is so well known for comment.

Our desire will be to give our customers the fullest value and best satisfaction. Remember the place to buy the Best Boot in the market.

## Corsaut & Meyer, MOUND CITY, MO.

To Contractors.

### PINE LUMBER AT CRAIG.

Hoblitzel Bros. are now receiving one of the best stocks of lumber that can be found in Holt county, embracing all kinds, and they will not be undersold by anybody. They intend continuing the lumber business at Craig, and will carry the largest stock they have ever kept. Farmers will find it to their welfare to give them a call before purchasing elsewhere.

When Don Marco A. Solo became President of the Honduras Republic, he found the country bankrupt, but with a remarkable spirit of patriotism, he used a great deal of his own large fortune in improving its condition. He, moreover, refused to receive any salary for his services.

### Local Jottings.

—We regret to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. D. Pollock of New Point. —A concert will be given by the Fairview Sunday School on Sunday evening, September 4th.

—Miss Ida Riley and Miss Minnie Chaddock returned from their Mound City visit last Tuesday.

—Marion Dryden of West Port, Mo., paid a visit to friends in Oregon last week.

—The New Point Garfield and Arthur Club will meet at Triumph school house next Friday evening, September 2d, 1880.

—Reinhart & Blum, the restaurateurs, have hung a magnificent street banner from Odd-Fellows Hall to Chaddock's corner.

—J. F. Kellogg will again teach the Mount Pleasant school, three-quarters of a mile south of Maitland, commencing about the middle of October.

—Nick Stock went to St. Louis Wednesday, for the purpose of purchasing his fall stock of piece goods and tailor's supplies.

—Mr. Henry Blum, 6 miles southeast of Oregon will have a public sale of live stock on Saturday, September 4th 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M.

—The Rock Port papers are calling for the peach wagons from Holt county to make their appearance and supply the people there with something good to eat.

—Mr. J. M. Rogers, son of J. P., gave us a pleasant call last week. He has been attending Amity college, Iowa, and will graduate next term in the Scientific course.

—The Benton township Garfield and Arthur Club are requested to meet at the office of Col. Wilkinson, in Mound City, to-morrow (Saturday) evening, August 28, 1880.

—An Indian tried the softness of feathers by laying one on a rock and scratching himself upon it. There are some who try the virtue of advertising on the same plan.

—Now-a-days it is impossible to listen to the conversation of half a dozen young "society" people, without feeling that the American language should be more appropriately called the American language.

—Married, on the 13th instant, by the Rev. C. Herrmann of the German M. E. Church, at the residence of the bride's father Mr. F. S. Rostock, Sr., Mr. Walker Vogin and Mrs. Mary N. Gilbert.

—A Garfield and Arthur Club was organized at New Point on last Saturday evening. Some fifty names were enrolled. Levi Orea was elected president and Clark Barnes, secretary. Mr. James Limbird of Oregon made a stirring address, on Sunday, August 22d, 1880, by Rev. Charles Powers of St. Joseph, Mr. E. R. Stone of Atchison county to Miss Anna Lee Rogers, daughter of J. P. Rogers of Holt county. Congratulations.

—We are indebted to Col. A. P. Morehon, Secretary, for a complimentary ticket to the ninth annual fair of the Nodaway County Agricultural and Mechanical Association, which opens Sept 13th and continues six days. The association offers a splendid array of premiums.

—Last Monday night we had a rain; a great big dashing, splashing rain; such an one as the pious old darkey prayed for after contemplating his dusty potato hills and parched melon vines—"Not one o' dem dar wishy-washy sizzle-sozzle showers, but a regular old-fashioned gully-washer and trash-mover!"

—The railroads seem to appreciate the fact that the people are dissatisfied with the present arrangement, and that they will make an effort in the next Legislature to throw off the burdens that now oppress them. As a consequence, in some counties there are railroad candidates for the Legislature, who will make a canvass at the suggestion of the railroad managers. It may be well for the people to watch this matter closely.

—The river is some distance from Amazonia, now the greater part of the water is going through the "cut-off," which is constantly deepening and widening. Amazonia lake is a pretty body of water, six or eight miles long, in the form of horse shoe. The water is beginning to get clear. There is a beautiful island of several hundred acres just opposite the town occupied by the owners of the families. There are also a number of fine groves, and farms, not down in any map, and waiting to be named.

—There is a wonderful man in Harrison county. His name is Pleasant Wishon. He had been prominently before the people as a candidate for County Judge. He really is a road overseer, and the roads must be worked, and if he worked the roads as they should be, he would not have time to make the canvass for County Judge. His name ought to be deeply etched on every road finger board in Harrison, O., that we had a few road overseers like Pleasant Wishon in Holt county.

—The man who ceases to advertise with the advent of hot weather, should bear in mind that the needs of the public for staple articles never lets up, and it is necessary to blow their horns that it is necessary to know on all hands that the fact may be known on all hands that goods are cheap, and that now is the time to secure bargains. The fact is undeniably that those who do advertise do the most profitable business. People do not like to go where they are not invited; in other words they feel on entering a business house which does not advertise that they are looked upon with suspicion.

—Miss Lou Willis is book keeping at the East Forest mills.

—John Patterson, of New Point, will shortly remove to Craig.

—Wm. Dawson of Craig, proved to be the best shot at Bigelow last Saturday,—breaking thirty-nine out of forty balls.

—J. R. Brink of Graham is experimenting with a new plan for a windmill. His machine work was done at Foret City.

—Rev. D. B. Lake will deliver a free lecture at the M. E. church in this city this (Friday) evening. Subject: "What can Women Do?"

—J. A. Demuth of the Forest City machine shops has concluded to enlarge his establishment, and will put up additional buildings of brick to accommodate his rapidly growing business.

—David Gelvin has purchased an interest in the mercantile house of E. F. Weller, at Maitland, Mo. The firm will hereafter be known as Weller & Gelvin.

—Wm. Kancher has distributed a small quantity of Centennial Black Bearded wheat among the farmers of Holt county. This variety of wheat originated in New South Wales.

—John W. Haigler's crop of winter wheat for this year averaged twenty-six and one-half per acre, his spring wheat 21 bushels. Mr. Haigler lives in the bottom near mouth of the Big Tarkio.

—For the office of Constable of Lewis township, James E. Cummins this week announces himself a candidate. He is perfectly qualified; is well acquainted with every body; and would certainly make an excellent officer.

—For Treasurer of Holt county, Daniel Schultz last week announces himself a candidate. He is a young man of good character and first-class qualifications, and would undoubtedly fill the office to the entire satisfaction of the people.

—By reference to our column of Announcements it will be seen that S. W. Morrison offers himself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Collector. Mr. Morrison filled this office for two years to the entire satisfaction of the people, and, if re-elected, would undoubtedly discharge his duties faithfully and well.

—All communications published in the SENTINEL in the interest of candidates for office are charged for at the rate of three cents per word. Let this fact be remembered; and we will thank persons who send communications of that character to send the money along with the manuscript. They can easily calculate what the amount will be, by simply counting the words.

—An attractive advertisement in today's SENTINEL should be read and thought over by the people of the northern and central portions of Holt county. These gentlemen are reliable dealers who carry a large stock and sell as cheap as the cheapest. No one who visits Mound City should fail to call at their establishment and examine their goods and prices.

—The little clique of Democratic politicians and office-seekers in Oregon, who undertake to boss that party throughout the county, are now pitching into "Coo-Coo" of Bigelow, because that gentleman uses the columns of the SENTINEL when he wishes to address the Democracy. But "Coo-Coo" knows what he is about. The SENTINEL has more Democratic subscribers than any other paper in Holt county, and that's what hurts the clique. The people, regardless of politics, take the SENTINEL, because they know it is a fair and honest paper; and the clique cannot cut off "Coo-Coo" or any other deceit citizen from communicating with the people by refusing him the columns of the ring organ.

—One of our correspondents a week or two ago gave some very excellent advice to farmers in regard to cider making. On the same subject the last number of the Scientific American says: "To prepare good cider, choose ripe, sound apples, wash them in small heaps for a few hours, and wipe dry. Then grind them, place the pomace between layers of clean straw, or preferably hair cloth, in a suitable screw press, and apply the pressure. As the juice runs from the press strain it through a hair cloth sieve into a large open cask capable of holding all the juice to be expressed in one day. In a day, or sometimes less, the pomace will rise to the top and grow very thick. When little white bubbles break through it draw off the liquid through a spigot placed about 3 inches above the bottom, leaving the lees behind. The cider must be drawn off into very clean casks, and repeatedly racked off until the fermentation is over, which is known by no more of the white bubbles, being mentioned, forming. Then add a gobbet of sweet oil to each cask, fill it up with cider in every respect like that contained in it, and bung up tight. Sugar or glucose is sometimes added at this stage—8 to 10 pounds to the barrel, according to the character of the apples used—sweet or sour. When the cider has attained the proper taste, add one-quarter to one-half pound of isinglass dissolved in some of the cider, and then about one-quarter pound (or more) of freshly prepared sulphite of lime (common preserving powder), and draw off, after shaking and allowing to settle, into very clean barrels, or bottles. The sulphite which must not be mistaken for sulphur) preserves the cider perfectly."

—You can buy the best horse rake in the market at cost by calling at Hershberger & Anderson's.

—Elder Maupin will preach at the Christian church next Sunday morning and evening.

—The SENTINEL was favored with a call last Wednesday, from M. Earl, J. M. Bodrie, and Louis Hensdorf, of Corning.

—Jim Haley of Forest City has just completed an extensive job of boiler plating for James B. Payne of the State Factory.

—W. H. Clark of Kinsey Creek is about to begin building a story and a half house on his farm, 1632 feet W. W. Hill of Forest City has the contract.

—Chancellor Duff of Bigelow illuminated the SENTINEL sanctum on Wednesday,—as did also L. P. Graham of the same place.

—A good safe, suitable for a merchant's or lawyer's use, warranted fire proof, for sale at a bargain. For particulars enquire at this office.

—Mr. B. A. Dunn of Maryville delivered an excellent address at the Court House in this city on Tuesday night of last week. We regret that sickness prevented us from seeing him.

—In addition to our local bar, the following attorneys are in attendance at our circuit court: Mr. White, Mr. Dunham of Maryville; J. S. Crosby, T. W. Collins, C. A. Moorman, B. F. Loan and J. C. Hedberg, of St. Joseph.

—We learn that Elder T. L. Cartright, formerly of Forest City, died at Winfield, Kansas, and was buried at Joplin, Montgomery county, Mo., last Sunday, the 15th day of August, 1880. His death was caused by falling from a wagon.

—We are waiting to receive from "Coo-Coo" an expression of opinion in regard to the nomination of the great political gymnast, Craig, for congress. Will he allow himself to be wallowed into supporting Craig, or will he vote for Ford, who is a much better man every way?

—J. P. Adams, Secretary of the East Forest Mills, and Wm. Kancher, millwright of Oregon, have been experimenting on a new millstone driver and have succeeded in contriving one that answers their expectations fully and overcomes many difficulties heretofore encountered by millers. A patent will be applied for.

—In our mind the Republican township meetings to be held on Saturday, September 4th—one week from to-morrow. Let there be a large attendance of voters, in order that men of sound discretion and good judgment may be selected as delegates to the county convention, which will be held on Tuesday, September 7th.

—Campaign subscribers to the SENTINEL continue to come in at a lively rate. Twenty-five cents. This is the last reduction we shall make; so send in the names promptly. Only a quarter of a dollar for the SENTINEL from now until after the election!

—We were pleased to receive a long and pleasant call last Monday from Hon. John H. Glenn of Mound City. He is a staunch Republican and a man of most excellent judgment. He is wide-awake, too, and has probably done more than any other man to build up the Geographical Centre. We wish a few men possessing his enterprise would locate Oregon.

—He opened the door cautiously and poked his head in, in a suggestive sort of a way as if there was more to follow, and inquired "Is this the editorial room?"

"The what, my friend?" "Is this the editorial room—sanktum or some such place where the editors live?" "This is the editorial room, yes, sir. Come in."

"No, I guess I won't come in. I wanted to see what a rinkum was like, that's all. Looks like our garret, only yuss. Good day."

—It is a singular fact that the only office about which there seems to be much of a contest this year is that of Assessor. Our columns already contain several announcements for that office, and we hear of at least half a dozen more who are thinking of submitting their names to the Republican convention. We hope the contest will be a good natured one and that no one will permit himself to be soured by defeat. If six candidates go before the convention, five of them are bound to be defeated; and the best plan is to expect defeat in advance; then, if nominated, the pleasure will be all the greater.

—The September number of Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly is calculated to sustain its well-deserved reputation. The contents are remarkable for comprehensiveness, variety, instructiveness and entertainment. There are 128 quarto pages in each number, and over 100 illustrations; the present number has a handsome colored plate of frontispiece, the subject being "The Bridegroom's Stirrup Cup in Andalusia." The price of a single copy is only 25 cents; the annual subscription, \$3, post-paid. Address, Frank Leslie's Publishing House, 23, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

—The tremendous demand for the cheap books published by the American Book Exchange renders it impossible for them to keep up with their orders, and they were unable to send us all the books we recently ordered from them,—a list of which we published last week. A small supply of the following were all they were able to send us: Light of Asia, five cents; Manliness of Christ, three cents; Mill's Essays, three cents; Munchausen, five cents; Private Theatricals, two cents; Stories and Ballads, five cents; and Leaves from a Lawyer's Diary, three cents. We will furnish these at the prices named, as long as our supply lasts.

—Foot fills many a bottle, and the bottle like many a best.

### Highland.

EDITOR SENTINEL.—Everything lively. Health good.

We are glad to note Mr. Lewis Poynter and family have returned home and since their arrival he is on the mend. We hope are long to see him again out circulating among his friends.

Miss Ella Stephenson of Iowa, is visiting relatives here, and at present writing the guest of John Stephenson.

We are happy to note the arrival of our much esteemed friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. Campbell of Scotland county, Mo., in our midst. Mr. Campbell will teach the Woods school this winter. He will open his school the first of September.

Rev. J. Tritt will hold a series of meetings at the Stone church in Andrew county on October. It is expected he will reach at the Woods school house soon, of which due notice will be given. Everybody is talking of taking in the Fair at St. Joseph.

The Sabbath school at Highland is in fine condition, under the supervision of Mr. Laughlin.

We recently had the pleasure of sampling some of Mr. S. Murray's different varieties of grapes, which were very fine. He has one entirely new variety, a seedling, a white grape, and as large as the Concord, the finest flavo ed grape we ever saw.

Threshing is the order of the day, wheat averaging about 19 bushel to the acre.

Mr. George Allen of Oregon, will teach the High school this winter. He is a number one boy and we know he will give good satisfaction. We are glad to note the Directors as well as the patrons of schools have at last ascertained that it pays to pay good salaries to good teachers, and we hope the motto will hereafter be: "When you get a good teacher, stick to him."

Peaches are legal tender here.

J. P. R.

### Corning.

Who will be our next P. M.?

Newton Williams is dangerously ill with bilious fever.

Another fine rain in upper Holt forest part of this week.

Rev. Mr. Hall preached a fine discourse to a small audience in the M. E. church last Sunday.

One building—a little barber shop, about two by twice—is the only structure that has been erected at Corning since the railroad boom struck us.

Look out for wedding announcement soon. Last Sunday a young man had one of our belles out buggy riding, and later in the day he had the girl's father in the buggy whispering something in his ear.

Mr. John Cameron's father and mother are with him during his sickness. We are sorry to hear that he is sick. We are sorry to hear that he is sick. We are sorry to hear that he is sick.

Mr. Hogue is out in Kansas looking for a location to open a general merchandise store.

Doctor Daily is attending court, in the Corning "murder" case. It is thought that Morris will be acquitted if all the facts in the case are presented to the jury.

P. C. Scholz, our popular druggist, has employed Mr. Hazard of Fairbury, Neb., to assist him in dispensing medicine. Mr. Hazard comes well recommended as a druggist and people may feel sure of having their prescriptions properly compounded.

The members of the German Evangelical southern church have decided to build a house for their teacher, and establish a permanent German school, in which will be taught German Literature, Theology and Mathematics.

Berger's.

If you want a square meal go to Reinhart & Blum's.

We have just opened our new stock of Clothing; you should call and see it—Hershberger & Anderson's.

Our new stock of Prints have arrived, beautiful and cheap.—Hershberger & Anderson's.

Dwelling for Sale.

A good two story frame dwelling, six rooms, cellars, well, cistern, chicken house, fruit trees, lot 25 feet front, on the west side of the public square, Oregon, Mo., offered for sale at a low price. For particulars call on one of the following parties for some one to get a good home in the city. There is also one house on the lot to erect a business house. For further information apply to the editor of this paper.

The Best Bread and Cakes at Reinhart & Blum's.

You can buy a Cider Mill really cheap at Hershberger & Anderson's.

If you want a neat job of repairing done on a watch, clock or any kind of jewelry at reasonable prices call at C. M. Sarber's jewelry store, Oregon, Mo., where you will find a neat line of silverware, clocks and jewelry. Those in the north end of the county can be accommodated by calling at my branch house at Garnett & Swopes's, Maitland, Mo.

C. M. SARBER.

Our stock of Hardware is complete Call at Hershberger & Anderson's.

The Buckeye Drill is for sale at Hershberger & Anderson's.

If you want to be made happy, just call in at E. P. Hostetter's and partake of the many luxuries spread upon this table. Boarding and lodging; reasonable during circuit court.

Reinhart & Blum's is the only first class Bakery, Confectionery and Restaurant North of St. Joseph and don't you ever forget it.

A complete new stock of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, etc. can be found at Hershberger & Anderson's.

Go to Hohlitzel and Jesse for your Lime, Hair, Cement and Plaster. They sell at the Lowest Prices. Give them a call in Mound City.

### Circuit Court.

The August term of the Holt circuit court convened last Monday, Judge H. S. Kelley, presiding.

The following jurors were impaneled:

Grand Jurors.—Charles Wylie, John B. King, Jacob Oren, Leander Allison, Peter Christian, Wm. Kerns, F. C. Hennen, George Hubbard, Moses Bennett, John Seyfert, John Patterson and John Schranz.

Mr. Schranz was elected foreman of the grand jury.

petit Jury.—W. A. Springer, M. May, R. Hahn, Emil Wolger, W. A. Gardner, Levi Oren, M. Dehob, W. P. Jones, Eli Meek, C. C. Titus, Jacob Book, Martin Edge, Wm. Drury, Thos. Drury, Thos. Storey, Jas. Anderson, H. C. Miller, W. H. Patterson, Sol. Loffer.

The following cases were disposed of up to the hour of our going to press:

1. State vs John Davidson.—Stricken from docket.

2. Same vs Wm. Melan.—Continued by agreement.

3. Same vs Wm. Lewis.—Same entry.

4. Same vs Jacob Varnes.—Same entry.

5. Same vs Wm. H. H. Simpkins, disturbing family, sold personal.

6. Same vs J. Williams, setting figure to suitors; plead guilty; fined \$50.

7. Same vs Same; sold personal.

8. Same vs Frank Foster; carrying concealed weapons; plead guilty; fined \$20.

9. Same vs Wm. Hensdorf; setting figure to suitors; plead guilty; fined \$20.

10. Same vs Wm. Nash; grand larceny; plead guilty; fined \$20.

11. Same vs Jacob Limpe; setting figure to suitors; plead guilty; fined \$20.

12. State vs Calumns M. Slaughter; setting figure to suitors; plead guilty; fined \$20.

13. Same vs Wm. Banks; obstructing public road; plead guilty; fined \$20.

14. Same vs Wade Johnson; carrying concealed weapons; fined \$5.

15. City of Oregon vs Seth Miller.—Dismissed.

16. State vs Collector vs Maria Dickerson; plead guilty; fined \$20.

17. Same vs Abby & Geo. A. Bush; same entry.

18. Same vs Malinda Winkler et al; same entry.

19. Same vs Wm. Winkler et al; same entry.

20. Same vs Wm. H. Chase; same entry.

21. Same vs Mary J. Orr et al; same entry.

22. Same vs Paul Brown et al; same entry.

23. Same vs Martha D. Archer et al; same entry.

24. Same vs A. & Brown et al; dismissed.

25. Same vs Wm. E. Arnold; plead guilty; fined \$10.

26. Same vs D. Thornton & Malinda Varrel; same entry.

27. Same vs Charles Cornin et al; proof of satisfaction filed.

28. Same vs J. B. Devoirs, J. D. Richardson; same entry.

29. Same vs A. T. Norris & Henry Crasler; same entry.

30. Same vs Henry Crasler; same entry.

31. Same vs Jas. Coan & Henry Crasler; same entry.

32. Same vs Barney Fleen; same entry.

33. Same vs Wm. Brock; same entry.

34. Same vs Elizabeth Brown et al; same entry.

35. Same vs James Ramsey et al; same entry.

36. Same vs James Gardner; same entry.

37. Same vs James A. Nimmo; same entry.

38. Same vs Mary Dugland et al; same entry. Judgment.

### Craig Nominated.

The Democratic Congressional Convention, held at St. Joseph last Tuesday, nominated General James Craig for congress. At the hour we write this we do not know what action has been taken by the Republican Congressional Committee, which met at St. Joseph on Wednesday, in regard to playing a Republican candidate in the field; and, as much will depend upon their decision, we reserve comment until next week. Craig was nominated on the fifth ballot, beating Dawson of Nodaway only one vote; and considerable dissatisfaction exists over the result among the better class of Democrats. We think it cannot be gained that Craig is the weakest man the Democrats