

# The Holt County Sentinel.

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## JESSE C. FITTS, ONE-PRICE CASH STORE

Having just purchased our Fall and Winter stock from the Eastern Importers and Manufacturers, we are now ready to show you the handsomest line of

Dry Goods,  
Notions,  
Boots  
and  
Shoes

ever shown in Northwest Mo. Our line of

## CLOAKS

is just elegant--that's all--you cannot beat them in price or quality in any foreign market. For all the

## NEW AND

Stylish  
Goods

you want to always come to Fitts', where you are sure to be pleased. We carry all the Latest

## NOVELTIES

Soliciting your trade, I am Resp. Yours,

JESSE C. FITTS,  
ONE PRICE CASH STORE,  
OREGON, MO.

To Tax-Payers.  
Notice is hereby given to the tax payers of the City of Oregon, that the current tax books for the year 1889 are now in my hands, and the city taxes are now due. You are hereby notified to call and settle your taxes at once. Can be found at the Mayor's office.  
HENRY MOLTZER,  
City Collector.  
Oregon, Mo., Aug. 16, 1889.

**Time Table.**  
Below will be found the time of departure of the passenger trains over the K. C. road and also the Denver through trains. The following route:  
GORE, SOUTH:  
No. 1 Leaves Forest City at 2:57 p. m.  
No. 2 Leaves at 1:19 a. m.  
No. 3 Leaves at 1:15 p. m.  
No. 4 Leaves at 1:15 p. m.  
No. 5 Leaves at 1:15 p. m.  
No. 6 Leaves at 1:15 p. m.  
GORE, NORTH:  
No. 1 Leaves Forest City at 1:13 p. m.  
No. 2 Leaves at 1:19 a. m.  
No. 3 Leaves at 1:15 p. m.  
No. 4 Leaves at 1:15 p. m.  
No. 5 Leaves at 1:15 p. m.  
No. 6 Leaves at 1:15 p. m.

Base Ball next Saturday.  
Get your Picture Frames at H. E. Denny's.  
Chris Foster, of Maitland, is at home on a visit.  
If you want to save money buy groceries at Moore's.  
Dr. Maxwell will do office practice at his drug store at New Point.  
Buy your Wall Paper at H. E. Denny's.  
Largest stock in the county.  
Sewing Machine Needles and Supplies for sale by H. E. Denny.  
The largest and best school tablets for the money at the postoffice.  
A School Bag given away at Frank Peter's with each and every pair of shoes purchased.  
Mrs. Mary Curry has returned from a month's visit with relatives and friends in Indiana.  
Salts, Copperas and Sulphur in large quantities and cheap at Dr. Maxwell's drug store, New Point.  
Grandpa Snider and daughter, Mattie, are at the bedside of John Markit, in Liberty township, who is very sick.  
John Stroud has purchased the Henry Smith farm near Fortescue and will take possession at once. Mr. Smith goes to Oklahoma.  
Samuel Stuckey has traded his east livey farm to H. C. Schmidt, taking in part payment Mr. Schmidt's brick building, known as the Master's brick.  
Mrs. Alice Williams, of Cameron, this state, will lecture in New Point, Wednesday evening, October 2nd, at 7 p. m. All are especially invited to attend.  
D. M. Martin will sell you a 4-horse wagon and a lighter running wagon for less money than anywhere. Bait, Fish Bros., St. Louis, Mo., or Jackson, Mo. Don't buy until you have seen him.  
A special election was held in the Lincoln district last Tuesday, to vote upon the proposition to build a new school house. The proposition carried by a vote of 29 to 11 just the required two-thirds majority.  
At the store of Frank Peter a ticket will be given with each and every purchase. To the holder of the greatest number of tickets goes \$200 in gold. To the holder of the second greatest number \$100 in gold.  
Edward and Morris Perry, who have been working on a railroad near Yankton, Dakota, passed through here this week, en route to their home in Bates county, this state. They are distant relatives of our laborer, Cyrus Plumbick, Mrs. Sarah Henry, Elvira Brobeck and Mary Curry.

A very unusual astronomical display was observed here on the morning of the 20th inst., a short time before sunrise. The planets Saturn and Mars were in such close conjunction as to appear as one. They were near the Star Regulus in Leo and above them shone Venus in all her splendor with the moon not far away. No one living now will see this again.  
H. Barney, the popular lecturer, who a few months ago won so many friends in Holt county, will, assisted by his wife, give a Literary and Musical entertainment in the Baptist church, Forest City, Thursday evening, October 3rd, 1889. Mr. Barney will donate half the proceeds of the entertainment to the Forest City W. C. T. U. Building Fund. We hope to see the house filled, as the price of admission has been placed at the low rate of 10 and 20c.  
Miss Donnie Brobeck has been engaged during the past week on plans for a domicile for a prince. The entire work will be constructed of native lumber. The angles of the building will be joined together by means of the outside cuttings of paypaw, wood spun into threads across the knees. Nails will only be used temporarily until the permanent ties of paypaw can be placed. The entire structure will be completed in another week ready for occupancy by his Royal Highness.

Immediately after the game next Saturday at the ball park, a race for a purse of \$500 will be run between two of the fleetest runners, one from each club. Be sure and see this game and make this one of the most interesting and enjoyable affairs ever held in this part of the state. Noted speakers have signified their agreement to be present, among whom are Major William Warner, Past National Commander G. A. R., who has notified the committee that he will be with us on Thursday, 11th inst. Comrades Posegate, Ernst, Lindbergh, Parcher, Beech and others are also expected to be present and participate. Comrade Levi Oren has been especially invited and will relate his experience with the catamount. This reunion is for all old soldiers, and the committee trust every one who can possibly attend will do so. The sons of veterans are earnestly invited to be present. Also all old soldiers. In fact, every body and all their wife's relations are invited to be present.

**WE HAVE**  
an immense stock of goods, an elegant line of Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Dress Goods, Hats, Gloves, Carpets, Trunks, Hardware, Grass Seed, Wagons, Harness, etc., etc. We thank you for the patronage you have given us, and ask the pleasure of showing you our Fall and Winter Stock. J. M. FORD & CO., Forest City, Mo.

**Notice to the Public.**  
Do not purchase a certain note dated about May 1st, 1888, due two years after date thereof, for the sum of one hundred dollars with interest at 10 per cent, per year, in favor of the Farris good and signed by myself, as I do not intend to pay same.  
HENRY MOLTZER,  
September 27th, 1889.

**To All Whom it May Concern.**  
Notice is hereby given, that one by the name of Wm. M. Reedy, no longer employed by the Maryville Nursery as agent for same, and his appointment is hereby cancelled. Save your orders for responsible agents. C. M. MOSENER, Gen. Agent for Maryville Nursery.

**Attention Comrades!**  
All comrades of Meyer Post are hereby notified to assemble at their headquarters on Saturday evening, September 28 at 7:30 o'clock. Every comrade is expected to be present as business of great importance requires your presence. D. ZACHMAN, Commander.

Base Ball next Saturday.  
For bargains in groceries, call on L. I. Moore.  
School supplies of all kinds at the postoffice.  
New and Second hand wagons at H. C. Schmidt's.  
J. C. Morris has \$1000 to loan. Address at New Point.  
Greer Caskey, of New Point, is visiting in Sioux Falls, Dakota.  
Go to Dr. Maxwell's drug store at New Point for School Books.  
Miss Leona Holbitzell, of Maitland, is visiting friends in our city.  
Grandma Guthrie, of the Union neighborhood, is still very low.  
Silas Pierce is visiting his daughter, Mrs. H. L. Allen in Logan County, Kansas.  
For the Light Running Domestic Best Sewing Machine made. See H. E. Denny.  
Meyer Post meets this Saturday evening 28th inst. Let every member be present.  
Mrs. Melinda Drove, of the bottom near East White Cloud, is very low with pneumonia.  
A. W. Greeley's signature is about as hard to decipher as that of the late Horace Greeley.  
M. V. B. Finckler, of Manfield, Ohio, was visiting his mother Mrs. Hayes, of this city, last week.  
Life Douglas is laid up by a severe cut on the right hand received in a scuffle with Wm. Ferguson.  
Rev. Kiser is conducting a series of meetings at the Harmony school house. Considerable interest is being manifested.  
Charles Wylie, who has been in Falls City, Nebraska, sick all summer, has returned to his home with his health much improved.  
Rev. T. M. Hillman, of Albany, Missouri, will preach at the Highland school house next Sabbath, September 29th, at 11 o'clock a. m.  
F. H. Rowley & Co., chicken buyers, will be at the store of Emil Weber, Forest City, Friday, Saturday and Monday, October 4th, 5th and 7th.  
John Ahlmann, of New Point, left at our office a half dozen ears of corn that are world beaters. They measure 14 and 15 inches in length.  
Rev. T. D. Roberts will be absent next Sabbath, assisting in the installation of the Rev. H. M. Spaldenstrom of the Presbyterian church at Hamilton, Mo.  
The following Holt county have corn exhibits at the St. Joseph exposition: J. V. Nevin, A. C. Ware, J. M. Kenyon, B. L. Nicholas and R. G. Medsker.  
Daniel Zook of this city, has been chosen by Governor Francis as the Holt county delegate to the Deep Water Commission which meets at Topeka next week.  
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The various farmer's alliances of Upper Holt have recently had their stock coal shipped to them several car loads in all. They will make their order for the second car load of salt next week.  
Cattle sold remarkably cheap at the Hahn sale last week. Some of the dry cows only brought from \$8 to \$12 a piece, while cows with calves brought from \$16 to \$20 a piece. This should not be, when corn is so plenty and beef steak 10 cents a pound.  
Thomas Nelich, a young farmer living in upper Holt, shot himself Saturday evening last at the home of his brother-in-law, Galeb Sefer, who lives on the Neil Holbitzell farm near Mound City. The weapon used was a .38 calibre revolver, the entering the right side passing around the breast and penetrating the lower part of the heart causing death instantly. No good reason is given for the deed, and it is thought by his nearest friends and relatives, that the shooting was purely accidental. The deceased was born in Beardstown, Illinois, September 16, 1850 and died September 21, 1889, aged thirty years. His remains were brought to this city on Monday last and laid to rest in the Maple Grove cemetery.  
Ex Postmaster General Thomas L. James has prepared an explanation of needed postal reforms, which will appear in the October Forum. Mr. James declares that the railway mail service is twenty years behind the times and ought to be very greatly improved; that small offices near to one another ought to be consolidated under one management, so as to save expense; and that ocean postage ought greatly to be cheapened. Senator Callon, of Illinois, will have an article in the same number on "Protection and the Farmer," to show that the farmers are benefited by a protective system more than any other class. Mr. Edward Wakefield, a member of the Australian Parliament, who has been elected and defeated many times under the Australian ballot system, will contribute to this number an explanation of the practical workings and of some defects of the system which has been so much discussed in this country. Prof. William T. Harris, United States Commissioner of Education, writes a critical examination of Edward Bellamy's "Looking Backward."

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