A Farmers' Trust

The Farmers' Alliance managers of Minnesota are said to have made another attempt to induce farmers to hold back their wheat. They say that wheat will soon be worth $1.50 and that all the farmer need do is to let his wheat in the granary and increase five cents a month.

So far as any attempt at cornering the market by holding back the crop is concerned it is doubtful whether enough can be accomplished in that direction to produce any great advance in price. Cornering the market by holding back wheat in accordance with an agreement under direction of an organized body would look very much like a "wheat trust." And the farmers and those Alliance gentlemen themselves are howling their throats, hoarse about "trusts" and their iniquities. They may, however, hold that it is good policy to fight the devil with fire—to oppose trust with trust. It is possible that this attempt to corner wheat may have an effect not in advancing prices but in preventing too much wheat being thrown on the market at once. The wheat crop of the country is enormously in excess of that of former years. To pour this immense bulk of grain directly into the channels of trade would operate to force prices below what they naturally should be. It is possible that the circular reputed to have been issued by the Alliance operators will serve to hold back enough grain to prevent such a condition arising. It does not seem likely that it will do any more, and it is entirely possible that the circular is the work of a clique of speculators.

The Convict Lease System.

The action of the Tennessee legislature has so far been disappointing to those who looked for the speedy legal abolition of the convict lease system that was responsible for the disturbances about Briceville. There is evidently a strong party in the legislature favorable to the lease system. The opposition to propositions for its termination has been fierce and stubborn. When the vote was taken in the lower branch on the question of immediately terminating the contracts made by the state with the prison lessees, the majority in favor of continuing the present system was twelve. This vote discloses a state of affairs that is unfortunate for the cause of humanity and for Tennessee. The practice of herding convicts of various degrees of guilt together in common chain gangs and working them like cattle under the lash not only makes bad men worse, but it debauches and brutalizes public sentiment in the state that sanctions it. The direct evil of convict competition with free labor, of which the Tennessee miners complained, is on the whole probably less injurious to the welfare of the community than the moral effect, of the chain gang system. The age that has seen the curse of slavery destroyed by the strong arm of the nation has no place for the chain gang and the lash of the convict overseer. There ought to be patriotic and sensible men enough in the Tennessee legislature to abrogate the infamous convict lase system without a day's unnecessary delay.

Uncle Sam's Power.

Two events within the past few weeks place in new and strong light the enormous power of this nation. Spain and Germany have changed their policy in important particulars at the desire of the people of the United States. The people's desire was not expressed in threats or with any show of armed force, but in a kindly and rational negotiation. The treaty with spain which recently went into effect involved a surrender of national revenue and a reconstruction of the national policy toward the most important Spanish colony which it would have judged only a year ago impossible to obtain by any means short of successful war and absolute conquest. But Spain admitted products of the United States into Cuba and Porto Rico free of duty, because the one customer upon which the industries of these islands absolutely depend. Germany is in military force perhaps the most powerful of all nations. For ten years the established policy of the German government, as respects imports of hog products from this country, has been maintained against all argument and persuasion, and it was understood that this policy was demanded by a large and powerful part of the German people. But at last the United States reminded Germany that her people sell to this country a quarter of a million tons of beet sugar every year. Loss of that trade would ruin an industry upon which multitudes in Germany depend for livelihood. The president had power, by proclamation which could have been prepared in five minutes, to take from German sugar producers a customer whose purchases amount to $16,000,000 yearly. Thereupon Germany prefered to alter its policy with respect to the admission of American products. The power of the world's greatest consumer of the business and the industries of other nations, and through their business and industries over the policy of their governments, is something never witnessed in the world before.

PRESIDENT POLK of the Alliance says that the negro is allowed to vote and that his vote shall be counted. That is good Republican doctrine. And if he will direct his attention to fighting the Democrats from that standpoint he will secure enough help from the Republicans of the nation to secure the adoption of the right kind of a national suffrage law.

IN a recent interview Jay Gould stated to a reporter that we are now on the eve of a long period of great prosperity. This means that the Republican party will remain in power until business is again depressed by short crops when the calamity howlers will again attempt the organization of a new party and hand the government over to the Democrats for a short period.

Something About Benefactors.

We often read that "He was a real benefactor to the human race." With good reason could this be applied to anyone who contributes to the lessening of the evils to which flesh is heir to. Rheumatism and chronic headache have been classed as impossible of cure, yet science has finally demonstrated that they can be cured. Haller's Pain Paralyzer, taken in conjunction with Haller's German Pills, have effected most extraordinary cures and has made life a comfort to many, who never hoped for relief. For sale by Hinde & Philbrick.

Labor day and its Lessons.

An unimpressionable man may be unable to discover anything beyond the ordinary in a labor day's procession of wage-workers. A man lacking in keenness and foresight may discover nothing from which to draw a lesson. Shrewder men, more careful observers, the pickets and sentinels, are enabled to discover a great deal. The day and its procession have their lessons. It is well that their teachings be understood and not misinterpreted.

Ten years ago the procession would have been impossible. Then the wage-workers of Chicago were unorganized—a rabble, a mob. Aiming at nothing, nothing concertedly was attempted for the general welfare and nothing was attained. Sporadic outbreaks of self-assertion among independently situated trades were frequent, but they were not parts of any general plan nor calculated for or effective in promoting the general welfare of wage-workers. Within the last ten years the scene has changed with all the startling accessories of a drama. Order has been brought out of chaos. Lines have been formed shoulder to shoulder. The drum has sounded and labor day's procession steps forward, orderly and with precision, to accomplish the conquests of peace, which are greater than the conquests of war.

In this morning's issue of this journal will be found a series of questions addressed to large employers of labor in Chicago. Following the questions will be found a number of replies to them. These questions and answers are printed, not for the purpose of developing or ascertaining the differences that exist between capital and labor, but for the purpose of showing how much the once wide chasm that separated these two contending forces in the field of economics has narrowed and how hopeful are the signs that it may disappear altogether.

Take, for example, the question concerning the sharing of profits with employes. A bank president answers: "Yes, I believe in the profit-sharing and co-operative system." A great foundry and machinery manufacturing firm says: "We believe in the profit-sharing system, but have not worked out the details of a plan." A furniture dealer and manufacturer whose success has been phenomenal says:

I favor the profit-sharing system. There are many such, and our company has adopted one of its own. It is of great benefit to the manufacturer or business man to have about his establishment a number of men who are directly interested in the prosperity of the concern. Our plan is to sell to such men as are worthy stock in this company, letting the holders pay for it out of the profits.

Taken together the answers to these questions indicate that thought and consideration of the matters that most vitally concern the wage-workers are are growing; that it is at last coming to be recognized that the prosperity and well-being of the many are more desirable than the prosperity and well-being of the few; that, with the bandage removed from the eyes of justice, the scales of capital and labor may hang in equal poise and the employer and the employe shall "get together."—Chicago Blade.

The September Crop Report.

For absolutely dry reading a government agricultural report has always been in the front rank. Even the monthly bulletins of the department of agriculture have been looked upon as destitute of vivacity or cheerful interest.

But conditions have suddenly changed. The September crop report is a glittering epic narrating the magnificent conquests of the summer's harvest. The ordinary tree of the forest, the commonplace building of the city, do not excite wonder or admiration. But when they rise in majestic proportions to unmatched heights they awaken a new and fascinated interest.

It is precisely the same with crop statistics.

When it appears that crop averages are normal and destitute of peculiar features they are cast aside as tiresome and unworthy of comment or notice. But when they tower up "out of sight" they take on a new coloring and become majestic because of their revelation of the beautiful prosperity that enriches our common country.

In Russia millions of peasants are now endeavoring to live on soup made of grass and the leaves of trees. Thousands are already perishing from starvation, even before the advent of inclement weather. Death's harvest will not be a failure during the coming winter in Russia.

This misfortune of the Russian peasantry causes all thoughtful Americans to rejoice in their own good fortune enhanced by comparison. It should do more. It should awaken in the hearts of the people a desire to do something toward alleviating the distress of the victims of the capricious seasons of Russia and to help them keep the wolf of absolute starvation from the door.

There is a moral as well as statistical lesson in these erstwhile wearisome crop reports.

THE Prince of Wales, it is said, was baptized when young in water brought from the river Jordon. The water had doubtless spoiled before reaching the shores of England. Recently the Prince had a grand child who also has been baptized in imported water from Jordon Home made water is not good enough for those royal squirts.

What my Beau Says.

"That he was first attracted to me because my complexion was so clear and my breath so sweet and he found out about my breath when—when—when he kissed me, and now girls I'll tell you how I made my complexion so clear; I took just three bottles of Haller's Sarsaparilla & Burdock that's all."

To Tax-Payers.

Notice is hereby given to the tax-payers of the city of Oregon, that the current tax books for the year 1891, are now in my hands, and the city taxes are now due. You are hereby notified to call and settle at once. Can be found at the mayor's office in the VanBuskirk building.

HENRY MOLTER,
City Collector.

Oregon, Mo., Sep. 2, 1891.

Still in the Field.

The old reliable freight and transfer line of H. Molter & Son, is still in the field, notwithstanding all reports to the contrary. Orders left at King & Proud's drug store, will receive prompt attention. All goods delivered promptly.

H. MOLTER & SON.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Holt County, Missouri, made on the 7th day of September, 1891, the undersigned, has taken charge of the estate of Thomas B. Curtis, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within one year after date of said order, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if said claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

This 7th day of September, 1891.

JACOB BUCHER,
Administrator.

Personal and Otherwise.

—Orla Davis is at home on a visit.

—Charles Howell has returned from a visit in Iowa.

—R. L. Hascock was buying goods in St. Joseph, this week.

—C. Hoblitzell transacted business in St. Joseph, last Monday.

—Miss Bessie Curtis is attending the Cameron Conservatory of music.

—Prof. Keplinger, of the Fairview district, made us a pleasant call, last week.

—Mrs. Mina Curry and children have returned from their visit in St. Joseph.

—Col. F. Libby and James T. Howell are attending the Rock Port fair, this week.

—Mrs. Lona Holtz and child, of Kansas City, are the guests of relatives in Oregon.

—Ada and Ida Meyer left Wednesday for Mt. Vernon, Iowa, to attend Cornell college.

—O. A. Walling and wife of Knightstown, Ind., are visiting their son, G. A., and wife.

—Misses Mayme Ryan and Maude Springer, of White Cloud, Kan., are visiting friends in this city.

—"Reddy" Baker, who is making his headquarters in Craig, was down this week visiting his parents.

—James Plummer returned this week from a weeks' visit with his brother Ben and wife in Clarinda, Iowa.

—Madison, Mollie and Minnie Casey, of Johnson, Neb., are the guests of their aunt Mrs. Daniel Kunkel, Jr.

—Frank Allen has returned from Chicago, and accepted a position in the dry goods house of J. Watson & Co.

—Josie Berres has entered the millinery shop of Mrs. Belle Watson, with the intention of learning the business.

—Dr. Frank M. Greene, of Mound City, under the care of mayor Porter of the same city, Sundayed in Oregon.

—We are sorry to learn of the illness of Ransome, son of Jas. N. Hodgins, of Hickory township, from typhoid fever.

—Rev. T. D. Roberts is in attendance, this week at the re-union of his old regiment, the 62nd Illinois, at Kansas, Illinois.

—L. R. Knowles was called to Taney county, this state, last Monday morning on legal business. He will be absent all week.

—Wilbur Thorpe was visited this week by his brother-in-law, E. R. Stinson, train dispatcher of the C. St. P. & N. W. R. R., at Omaha.

—Sam Husatt is buying fruit, principally apples, for St. John at Watson. Sam is a rustler and thoroughly understands the business.

—Dr. William Hobson, of Millerton, Kan., a former citizen of this county, was called here this week by the sickness of his father, uncle George Hobson.

—Rev. John Bower will preach next Sunday, Sept. 20 at Nickell's Grove at 10:30 a. m., Mayflower 3 p. m. and at Oregon, German M. E. church, at 7:30 p. m.

—Rev. J. T. Moreman, of Mound City, has been returned to this charge, we are glad to learn. He will preach in Forest City, next Sunday at 11 a. m., and at 8 p. m.

—The little baby boy of C. R. Edwards and wife has been quite low with summer complaint, but at this writing is considered out of danger, we are glad to learn.

—Harrison Casebolt and daughter, who have been spending the past year in Harrison county, returned to this county on Tuesday last, and are now with friends in Hickory township.

—Tonight at the court house Mrs. Clara Hoffman, state president W. C. T. U. will deliver a free lecture to our citizens. A cordial invitation extended to everyone to be present.

—Joseph Kendall, wife and children, of Braddyville, Iowa, are in the city the guests of J. C. Philbrick and wife, Mrs. Philbrick being an aunt of Mrs. Kendall. Mr. Kendall is here for the purpose of buying peaches.

—Grant Holtz, of Kansas City, was visiting relatives in Oregon, this week. He is now "on the road" for Cosack & Co., lithographers and publishers of Buffalo, N. Y., one of the oldest lithographing and publishing firm in the country.

—Ira Peter left last Wednesday for a trip of several weeks in the west. He will visit relatives in Peublo and Denver, Colorado, and before his return will "take in" the sights of salt Lake City, and visit with his son, Bryant, and other relatives in Butte, Montana.

—B. O. Cowan and daughter, Cora, returned last Friday from a six weeks' visit in the west, principally in Montana, where they were the guests of his brother John and other relatives. His wife and other children will not return for several weeks yet. He reports a delightful time, having visited Yellow Stone Park (National Park,) and many other points of interest in that wonderful country.

—Elmer C. Trueblood, of Maryville, mustering officer for the Missouri Division, Sons of Veterans, will be here next Saturday evening, Sept. 19th, to muster in the camp recently organized here. Every member is requested to be at the Odd Fellow's Hall on this evening at 7 o'clock, sharp. By order of George F. Seeman, secretary. A cordial invitation extended to all members of Meyer Post G. A. R., to be present.

—Messrs. Carr & Curnutt, the genial proprietors and hustlers of the Mound City Times, were in Oregon last Friday getting data and advertisements for the Harvest Home pamphlet which they will publish for that occasion, and also as an advertisement for our county, as it will contain much interesting information for the home seeker. The boys deserve great credit for their efforts and should receive a liberal patronage.

—G. J. Spencer, formerly one of the proprietors of the St. Joseph Evening News, has "struck it rich," so says the St. Joe Gazette He is now part owner of the "Lost Silver Mine," or the "Las Vegas" for which there has been so much search, the mine having been discovered near Harshaw, Arizona, by a couple of Mexicans, who imparted their secret to a brother-in-law of Mr. Spencer who in turn took Mr. Spencer in, and these gentlemen will at once go to work on the mine. It is said to be the richest silver mine in the world. Success to you, Judd.

—The largest sale of wool ever made in Worth county by one man, we feel safe in saying, was made by J. K. Jones and delivered at this depot last Tuesday, the amount being 1½ car loads or 13,700 lbs. J. K. knows how to handle sheep. Bad as the season has been he has raised over five hundred lambs this year.—Sheridan Advance. We can see no reason on earth why our Holt county farmers should not make as much wool yearly as this Worth county farmer. Holt county, and especially the southern portion, has the soil, the farms, the capital and the energy.

—Texas is growing rapidly, in proof of which we may say that Mrs. McGriffin, of McGregor, who gave birth ten months ago to triplets has just added four more. If at the end of another ten month Mrs. McGriffin should add five to the population of McGregor, and this increase for each period of ten months during the remainder of her life, that town will outship Chicago and the McGriffins be more numerous than all other Macks put together

—Hezekiah Acton, now of Old Mexico, is here on a visit with his aunt and uncle W. R. Vining and wife. He is a son of Benedict Acton who, in the 60's, resided in Richville, and removed to Ohio for a time and then returned to this county and died at the residence of Mr. Vining some six years ago. This is Hez's first visit since his departure with Gen. Price in 1861, and since the close of the war he has been residing in Old Mexico. He will return to his home in a few weeks in company with his mother, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. R. Vining, who will make her home with him.

—We were shown, this week, by Edwin A. Welty, of this city, a magnificient book of poems which bore the title "Poets of America." The book is of the finest binding and paper, and is certainly a gem of the "Art Preservative"—the printing and illustrations being almost perfect. This book contains over 600 illustrations and biographies of the leading poets of America, our Ed's picture and one of his poems, "The Hollow Oak," adorning its pages. Mr. Welty takes rank as a poet of considerable ability, as his writings contributed and published in the leading magazines—Lippincott's, Aldyne, Century, St. Louis Magazine and other standard publications—from time to time, go to attest.

Wedding Chimes.

On the balmy air of autumn's first born floats the sweet chime of wedding bells. Nature had been touched with the breath of fall. Delicate tints and mellow harmony spread over the distant landscape. The hills and valleys assumed an air of completeness and the season was summing up its prodigality This climax of nature seemed a fitting emblem of the maturity of heart and plain, that life had reached in four of Holt county's fair daughters and sterling sons.

It was the climax of a sacred principle, planted in the human heart by the Hand Divine by which four lives were blended into two.

At the M. E. church in Mound City, at 8 a. m., on Wednesday, Sept 16, 1891, by Presiding Elder, O. Deshler, Miss Nellie Montgomery and Mr. Will McRoberts. The bridal party being attended by Mr. Hi Montgomery and Miss Winnie Hoblitzell, of this city. Mr. Geo. McRoberts and Earl Montgomery acted as ushers.

At the M. E. church in this city, at 8 p. m., Sept. 16th, by Presiding Elder Bently, Miss Winnie Hoblitzell and Hiram Montgomery, took the sacred vows at the marraige altar.

The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Will McRoberts, who but a few hours previous had uttered that final "yes" that said "husband and wife ye both shall live." The large and elegant audience were seated by Buzz Pinkston, Guy Cummins, Earl Montgomery and Sol Meyer. The piano was presided over by Prof Thorpe and Miss Gertrude Cummins.

Miss Hoblitzell's trousseau was very eleborate and complete in every detail. She was most becomingly attired in a rich, neat fitting gown of cream crepe dechine, trimmed with chiffron, cream Swede gloves, cream kid shoes, cream gauze fan, tulle veil and carried Marshal Neil roses.

Mrs. McRoberts was richly, but modestly robed in a dress of canary crepe, cut decolette; gloves and shoes to match; bridal roses.

The gentlemen were attired in full conventional.

The churches were palaces of beauty and exquisite taste.

The decorations consisted of a pagoda bedecked with golden rod and from the roof was suspended a large "M-H" in tube roses and sweet elesium. The sides and back of the altar were a mass of potted plants of the choicest flowers. The chandeliers and pillars were also handsomely and exquisitely bedecked with flowers.

A dim religious light sifted through the adornments and a spirit of solemn grandeur settled down upon the assembled friends as these worthy young men bore the fairest flowers of among our counties most charming homes, down the aisles. These young ladies have moved among us from their childhood. They possess those traits of character which have made them cherished daughters and which will make them charming wives. They have long been leaders in society in their representative cities—modest, unassuming, cultured; suited for the gilded circle of gaiety or for the sacred realms of the home. The domain of single-blessedness has lost two worthy members, but society will still [illegible] them among us. May heaven guide them in their new relations and [illegible] their gilded hopes into a crown of felicity.

The young men are stalwarts among their fellows. They are enterprising, talented young business men—Mr. Montgomery has charge of a set of books in the banking house of Montgomery & Roecker of this city, and Mr. McRoberts is interested in the Roecker Milling Co., of Mound City.

They branch out in life with brilliant prospects. Having led upright lives, they carry into their business relations the confidence and best wishes of all who know them. With clear brains and honest motives nothing short of calamity can thwart their progress or mar their career. At the threshold of their new relations THE SENTINEL hopes that their lives will be full of harmony, happiness and prosperity.

The array of presents received by these young brides were rich, useful and ornamental, and included almost everything needed in a well regulated home, among which is a handsome residence by Mr. Hoblitzell to his daughter, Winnie.

An elegant reception was tendered the bridal parties at the residence of C. Hoblitzell, father of the bride, immediately after the ceremony where the immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties gathered and offered congratulations, and partook of an elegant luncheon. Mr. Hoblitzell and his excellent wife have a wide reputation as entertainers, and fresh laurels were won by them on this occasion.

The happy couples left on the Burlington midnight train for an extended tour west—Denver, Pueblo and other cities.

CASH WINS!

As you are aware we adopted the **CASH SYSTEM** of selling goods on the first of July last. We find the plan works satisfactorily both to ourselves and patrons We have purchased the largest and most extensive line of

BOOTS & SHOES

every brought to New Point, which we propose to sell at prices that will astonish the champions of the credit business. In **OVERSHOES** we can suit your fancy to a "T." We are also have the most complete line of

DRESS GOODS

GINGHAMS, CALICOS, FALL and WINTER DRESS GOODS that we ever carried. In the better grades of these goods we have some choice bargains that you should inspect before making your fall purchases. Remember we buy for CASH and sell for CASH, and **WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD** by any one. Call and get our prices, which are the most convincing argument we can produce.

OREN & MEYER,

The leading exponents in the CASH business, and **Leaders in Low Prices,** New Point, Holt Co., Mo.

Administrator's Sale

OF

Stock, Farm Implements,

Household Goods, Etc.

17 Head OF HORSES!

Fourteen HEAD OF CATTLE

Fifty-Five HEAD OF HOGS!

Notice is hereby given that I, Jacob Bucher, Administrator of the estate of Thomas B. Curtis, deceased, will sell the following described property at public auction, on the premises of the late deceased, 3½ miles northeast of Oregon, Mo.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1891.

Four 3/4 blood Norman Mares, in foal by Libby's fine Shire Stallion, Dauntless II, and 5 No. 1 Mares, a part in foal; 1 two-year old Norman Gelding; 3 yearling Colts past; 2 Colts sired by Dauntless II; 2 suckling Colts, 9 head of good Milk Cows, consisting of Full Bloods and High Grades; 5 Calves; 55 head of Brood Sows and Stock Hogs; 800 bushels of Corn in field, to be gathered at gathering time and measured from crib; 150 bushels of fine Oats; 10 tons of timothy Hay; 1 good farm Wagon; 1 good Cart; 1 combined Lister and Drill; 1 Turning Plow; 1 Harrow; 1 Mowing Machine; 1 Hay Rake; Household Goods, and many other things too numerous to mention. Mr. Jacob Bucher will sell his fine five-year old Percheron Stallion at private sale on day of sale.

TELMS OF SALE:—All sums under $5 cash in hand; all sums over that amount a credit of 12 months will be given, purchaser giving note with approved security, bearing 8 per cent. interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with. Sale to begin at 9 a. m.

Everybody Invited. Lunch Counter on the Ground.

R. C. BENTON, Auc. JACOB BUCHER,
Administrator Estate of Thomas B. Curtis, Dec'd

PUBLIC SALE!

I will sell at public sale on my farm 3 miles north and 1 mile west of Oregon' on Mound City road, on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1st, 1891,

The following described property to-wit:

9 HEAD OF HORSES and 5 HEAD OF MULES!

2 half Clyde mares, 10 years old; 1 work Horse, 4 years old; 1 work horse, 3 years old; 1 three-quarter Clyde Mare, 2 years old; 1 three-quarter Clyde Mare, 1 year old; 1 suckling mare Colt; 1 mare Colt 2 years old this fall; 1 suckling horse Colt, Shire and Clyde; 1 3 year old Mule; 2 2 year old Mules; 1 yearling Mule; 1 suckling mule Colt; 75 head of Hogs, as follows: 9 fine brood Sows; about 50 head of May Pigs; the rest young Hogs about ready for market; Farming Implements, such as Plows, Corn-drill, Harrow, etc.; 1 Wagon; 1 Cart; single and double Harness; hand Corn-sheller; 1 Woods' Self Binder, which has been used 2 years; some Hay; Corn in Field. Everything will be sold as advertised, as I have made arrangements to move to town.

TERMS:—All sums of $5 and under cash; over that amount a credit of one year from the first of next January will be given, purchaser giving first-class security, and 8 per cent interest. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock, a. m.

R. C. BENTON, Auctioneer. J. W. KREIDER.

Public Sale

OF

Horses, Hacks, Buggies,

Sleighs, Bob-Sleds, Harness, Etc.

I will sell at public sale at my livery barn in Oregon, Mo.,

Saturday, September 26, 1891,

My entire livery outfit, consisting of

16 head of No. 1 work Horses; 1 good thoroughbred Stallion; 4 Hacks; 3 Carriages; 4 Buggies; 8 sets of Harness; 3 Sleighs; 4 Bob-Sleds, Etc., Etc. Also by another party the following to-wit: 14 head of Shoats; 3 Sows with pigs by side; 1 fine Short-Horn Bull Calf.

TERMS OF SALE:—All sums under $5, cash in hand; all sums over that amount, a credit of twelve months will be given, purchaser giving note with approved security, bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of srle are complied with. Sale to begin at 12 o'clock, noon.

R. C. BENTON, Auc. N. J. KYGER

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110, 112, 114, 116 NORTH THIRD ST. ST. JOSEPH, MO.

RELIABLE GOODS. HONORABLE DEALING

We Manufacture our own Parlor Goods.

New Point.

—W. W. Price spent Sunday in town.

—J. G. Cowan and M. P. Miles are on the sick list.

—Bessie Collin is suffering with an attack of malaria fever.

—T. L. Price and family, of Oregon, visited with his brother, John, Sunday.

—James Tucker and family passed through town Sunday enroute for Savannah.

—B. O. Cowan and daughter Cora returned last Friday from an extended stay in Montana.

—Lafayette Kunkel spent Sunday in Oregon, the guests of his cousins, Ada, Alice and Ida Kunkel.

—Mrs. B. J. Hilley and her sister, Miss Laticia Ramsey, of Oregon, were visiting in Fillmore over Sunday.

—Mrs. J. Q. Trimmer and William Shull, of Shiloh are reviewing scenes of youth in the Buckeye state.

—The F. & L. U. had a meeting Saturday night. They talk of having a public speaking in the near future.

—E. S. McDonald and John Lentz will soon begin the erection of a handsome dwelling for George Hornecker.

—Elders Siberell and Davis, of the Christian denomination, have closed a very interesting series of meetings at the Fairview church.

—Mrs. James Ham returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit in Maitland. She was accompanied on her return by her niece, Miss Sophia Paschal of Graham.

—Have V. L. Graham to show you the difference between an "honest farmer" and a "Shylock merchant." He has the necessary apparatus with which to illustrate it.

—School opened Monday with J. H. Fickes, of Mound City, at the wheel. He is a very pleasant gentleman, and we have very sanguine anticipitations as to the fruits of his labors.

—Mrs. V. L. Graham will return from the east this week or next. Upon her return Mr. Graham will combine business with a trip in quest of health and go to southern California to spend the winter.

—Mrs. Shanklin, (nee Saeger), of Trenton, was visiting relatives and old friends here last week. She is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. John Kyger, of Union, who, we are sorry to learn, is quite sick.

—The level plot of ground lying south of town has been rented and a race course laid out thereon, and the champions of blooded animals can now be accommodated to the full extent of their ambitions. This enterprise will be a good thing for our town and we hope to see it kept up.

Bluff City.

—Miss Ada Elder is on the sick list.

—Two of William Foster's children are very low with fever.

—There was a crazy tramp seen on our streets one day this week.

—Mr. Peter Sipes is remodeling his house, Mr. Weber, of Forest is doing the work.

—Mr. Davis is having his wood hauled to the switch, preparatory to shipping it to St. Joseph.

—John Elder is building a barn. When finished it will be a grand improvement to his farm.

—Several of our people are attending church at Forest City. Rev. Craig is conducting a protracted meeting at the Christian church.

—The school boys were greatly excited over two Italians with a couple of trained bears that passed up the railroad one day this week.

SHORTY.

Forest City.

—L. H. Luckhardt, wife and children accompanied by C. B. Canon are visiting with relatives in Atchison county, Kan

—Our school opened up Monday morning. Prof. Bennett, principal; Miss Ella Claiborne, intermediate and Miss Eva Hitt, primary.

—Mrs. G. W. Quick and Mrs. J. R. Wilson, of Forbes, left Tuesday for Chicago where they expect to spend a month visiting with relatives.

—The public sale of Michael May advertised to come off Tuesday, the 15th, did not materilize to any great extent. Under the circumstances it was thought best to postpone the sale to a later date.

COMO.

Craig.

—Frank Ryan has been quite sick the past week.

—John Kruser was in Mound City Monday night.

—J. L. Cunning, of Bigelow, was in our burg Tuesday.

—Rev. Moreman was the guest of Dr. Bain on Monday last.

—Hamilton Riffe who has been sick for several weeks is now convalescing.

—Bob Price has gone into the "pony pacer" business. He says that his pony can make better time than the "flying childer."

—Rufus Guilliams is putting up a fine new residence. This will make the eighth new building put up in Craig this year.

—Craig is making a fine record this year in the way of buildings, sales of real estate and general advance ment in values. The shipping from this point this year is simply immense.

—The Baptists are holding their association in the New Liberty church this year. It met on Wednesday and will close Sunday. The attendance is large and enthusiastic. The Baptists of this association have been doing grand work.

—The revival meeting at the M. E. church will likely close this week. While not much visible effects have followed the efforts put forth, undoubtedly much good has been done in awakening the churches and bringing them into closer sympathy.

—Mrs. T. M. Hunter went to Michigan about two months ago to visit friends and relatives and the scenes of the "auld lang syne." She returned Wednesday morning much improved in health and appearance and reports a most delightful season's visit.

HERMES.

Humane Society's Work.

In all large cities are branches of the Humane Society founded by Berg. A horse is discovered badly galled, or is cut or injured, at once a society member commands its rest and the immediate application of Haller's Barb Wire Liniment, which experience has shown is the best remedy made. For sale by Hinde & Philbrick.

—Address D. H. Moss, Forbes, Mo., when you want a first-class auctioneer to sell anything you may have for sale. Terms reasonable. Will sell in Holt or adjoining counties.

NONE BUT TAYLOR.

The Only Big Show To Exhibit In This Vicinity This Year.

Through an arrangement entered into between the proprietors of the Leading Shows of the country the Great. F. J. Taylor Show, which appears in Oregon, Wednesday, Sept. 30, will be the only tented exhibition of any importance that will visit this section of the country this year. Already the circus loving portion of this community is on the tip toe of expectancy over the coming of the old reliable F. J. Taylor's aggregation; and it can be set down as a certainty that it will attract tremendous crowds. The proprietor of this well known establishment is one of the acknowledged leaders of the circus business of America, and is said to have out done all previous efforts in this line, both in novelty of entertainment and in the wonderful features exhibited. The securing of the famous umbrella eared elephant, the only one in America, at an enormous outlay of cash, is evidence that manager of this great show is bound to exhibit to its patrons something new and worthy the great name and reputation it already has. The parade one mile long of gold and glitter, beautiful ladies and noble knights in brilliant armor. Dens and vans containing wild animals, a herd of camels and marching elephants, blooded horses from Asia, England and Kentucky, bands of music filling the air with melody, will take place at noon, which is a most commendable step, and it gives those living at a distance an opportunity to take in everything. After the parade a grand free exhibition will be given on the show grounds, which is said to be the best ever given outside.

We confidently predict enormous crowds on Wednesday, Sept. 30.

Maitland.

—Mr. Henry Gilbert returned from Indiana Monday.

—Mrs. Offutt, of St. Joseph, is visiting her sister Mrs. Harmon.

—Dr. Hull returned last week, accompanied by his father, who will visit for a few days.

—Messers Smith and Perry went to Mound City Monday night to see the famous Swedish play, "Ole Olson." They report a "purty gude time."

—Mr. Perdue, brother of Mrs. Bennington, who has been canvassing this county, returned to Keokuk Iowa, to pursue his course in classics.

—Grigsby & Roberts, proprietors of the City Drug store, have sold out to D. P. Snell, of Mound City. Mr. Snell takes possession as soon as inventory is taken.

—Master Willie Zook, nephew of our townsman, O. Graves, who has been spending his vacation in our midst returned to his home at St. Joseph last Friday.

—A petition, asking the village board to build a sidewalk to the school house was circulated last Friday. The board acted favorably at the called meeting and soon we will leave the much needed improvement.

—Hotel de Commercial has a boarder who is noted for his "Piety." Editor Hart, of the Maitland Herald, knows more about the matter than he is willing to acknowledge, and would unload the responsibility upon an innocent party. He waxeth poetical.

—M. V. B. Bennett, the temperance cyclone of Kansas, will lecture in this place from Sept. 15th to 20th, inclusive. The management have secured a large tent which they have raised in the M. E. church yard. Plenty of comfortable seats for all. Good music by a choir of mixed voices. Come everybody and listen to the famous orator.

—The long winter evenings will soon be here, and the young people will want something to do to pass the time away We would suggest a reading circle. Plenty of talent to organize a flourishing society. The Chautauqua course is fine. We would make that as a suggestion. Some one agitate the matter and let us develop our faculties along the line of literary work.

REPORTER.

Sharps Grove.

—William Young is now confined to his room with rheumatism.

—Threshing is about over in this vicinity and the farmers are now busy making hay.

—Mrs. B. W. May was quite sick the fore part of the week with neuralgia, but is now better.

—Married, at the home of the bride's parents on Tuesday the 10th inst., Miss Emma Browning and Daniel Bartram by Rev. Rhodes. That joy and happiness go with them is the hearty wish of the SENTINEL scribe.

—There is now strong talk of a bridge being built over big Tark between Holt and Atchison counties. A bridge has long been needed at that point and it will be a great benefit to the surrounding country should it be built.

—Wm. Adamson, a former citizen of this place, but lately of California and Colorado, has returned to the Grove with his children, who will attend the Star school here this winter. Mrs. Adamson is still in Colorado on account of her poor health.

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—Dr. J. L. Minton is shipping wood to a party in Tarkio.

—Threshing has been the order of the day for the past few days.

—Farmers are compelled to quite plowing on account of dry weather.

—Farmers are trying the virtue of the saying, "make hay while the sun shines."

—School is in session at Walnut Grove, under the able management of Miss Polk.

—Last week J. H. Lynds and Captain Cannon shipped two car loads of walnut lumber to Chicago.

—Harvey Shimer's folks, who have been quite sick for some time, we are glad to note are convalescing.

—Alex Babb started to Oklahoma the 15th inst., on a prospecting tour, wishing to procure a part of the public domain.

—Mrs. Annie Bergman was at Mr. Banks' this week and last, called to the bedside of her little niece, daughter of Mr. Banks.

—R. L. Heck, who expected to start to Oklahoma the 15th inst., was unable to get away on account of the company being short of agents.

—Jno. Birmingham returned to college in St. Joseph last Monday, he having attended there the past success four years except last year.

—The household of Mr. Wm. Ba has been rendered sad and desconsolate by grim death laying hold of their infant babet hat had survived but a few [illegible] and took from them a source of pleasure. A host of friends joining in extending their sympathy to the [illegible] the hour of their sad affliction