

[For the Freeman's Champion.]  
One Here.

Lady readers, did you ever wish you were a man? Did you ever wish you had a large, brave heart, a strong arm to endure suffering, to defend the right when danger was near? Did you ever hear, read, or ever see wrongs, darker than the darkness which nature gives to night, and think, aye know, you were powerless because a woman? Have you not often been surprised to see men shrink from a new enterprise or reform, merely because it had not yet become popular? Did you not then wish to take his place, press onward and upward? I hear your response, you have wished it with me. But do not let us think because we are women we cannot do anything; that we must sit and look on during the strife and danger, with our hands folded. No, for we can do something. Let us calculate. Besides our household duties, can we not spare a few hours each week, to teach those who have been less favored than ourselves, teach them to read and write their own name if nothing more; this done, they will not pause; there is more before them; they wish to feast on what they have only tasted. Teach them there is a God who looks upon and judges the deeds of men; a heavenly Father who sees the slave holder and slave and shall judge between them. He will look and weep as the slave master breaks tendril after tendril that has reached out from the slave mother's heart, to the loved ones she bore, to the father of her children. He will gather in his hand the blood drops that trickle from the wound of the lash, to be a witness in the last great day—the master and his victim will be there. He will remember who directed the blow that has mangled so many of the human family—who planted within so many human hearts a bone which poisoned all that was good and noble, which caused them to curse their being, and wonder why they were placed here—no one loves them. O, slave master, of what have you been so long thinking? Are you an intelligent being and know there is a God? "Vengeance is mine, saith the Lord, and I will repay." Deceive not yourselves.—Listen to your own conscience which would fain lead you from evil.—Learn from the bible—not as your ministers would teach you, for they are soothing a troubled conscience, but as you have never heard or thought before; when you are learned, you will not object to those in your power drinking from the same well. Stain no more of the fair fields on God's foot-stool with slavery. You know it is wrong, for deep in the heart, beneath the callous of ignorance and long habit, is a germ of goodness, which will not long be concealed. "None are all evil," you, we cannot except. Try to erase from the world such horrid brutality, and you will find "one here," who will help and encourage you, "one here" who will aid you in poverty, sickness and distress, "one here" who will be a friend to the friendless, while life shall be given. But on the other hand, if you try rather to extend this great evil, there will be enemies here, "one here" with hosts of others, who will try to defeat your plans, "one here" who will try to educate the poor beings of your power, fearless of after consequences, that they may read the bible, which will be a liberty you yourselves will not have. We shall all try to limit to its present bounds that, if no other way, it may die of itself. Think of these things, men of reason. WILHEMINA.  
PHOENIX, N. Y.

The New Orleans True Delta says: Within the last ten days reports from all portions of the sugar growing sections of the State have come pouring in, and all, without exception, convey the most cheering assurances of the prospects of the growing crop. The sharp cold spells and the keen frosts, which have inspired so much apprehension, have left no regretful traces, and on all sides the best feeling is entertained that the crop of this season will far surpass its value, if not absolute yield any heretofore grown in Louisiana.

The M. E. Church of Kansas are to hold a camp-meeting at the mineral springs near Prairie City some time next month.

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Good Templars.

The question is frequently propounded "How shall we procure a charter for a Lodge of Good Templars? Is there a Lodge in Kansas?" The proper mode of procedure is by forwarding to this office a petition signed by seven or more persons asking for a Lodge, and enclosing the fee for charter and books complete, which is eight dollars, and raising, if practicable, some P. W. C. T., residing in the vicinity to be commissioned as special deputy to institute the Lodge. In case no P. W., is named, some acting deputy will be instructed to discharge the duty. Charters have been granted for the following named Lodges in Kansas; No. 1. Iowa Point; No. 2. Fort Scott; No. 3. Tecumseh; No. 4. Dlaware City; No. 5. Oskaloosa. There are probably not less than 1000 Good Templars in Kansas, who would gladly connect themselves with Lodges. It seems highly important that a proper impression should be made on the important subject of Temperance; while public sentiment is forming. "Prevention is better than cure." What agency is more likely to secure this object than the Order of Good Templars. Rev. J. G. Rice, of Tecumseh, N. B. Hope-well of Oskaloosa, Rev. J. H. Pritchell, or P. C. Schuyler, Esq., of Council City, Rev. L. Rush of Liberty Mo., are efficient Good Templars, and would gladly aid in the formation of Lodges. B. H. MILLS, R. G. W. S., of National Lodge, St. Louis, Mo., July 12, 1857.

Startling Calculations. Somebody, with a strong antipathy to pigtail and fine cut, has entered into an investigation, which has resulted in this wise: If a tobacco chewer chews for fifty years and consumes each day of that period two inches solid plug, he will consume six thousand four hundred and seventy-five feet, or nearly a mile and a quarter in length of solid tobacco, half an inch thick and two inches broad, costing two thousand and ninety-four dollars! Plug Ugly, sure enough! By the same process of reasoning, if a man ejects one pint of saliva per day for fifty years, the total would swell into nearly two thousand three hundred gallons—quite a respectable lake, and almost large enough to float the Great Eastern!

Truly, there are several things we never dream of in our philosophy.—Whether these interesting statistics will diminish the sale of the juicy weed we are not able to say.

Mr. GEORGE WOLFE very modestly says in our advertising columns of this week, that "he has a number of workmen under his employ, and is prepared to execute all orders in the carpentering line with dispatch." Our citizens will be pleased to know of this fact, for carpenters will soon be in good demand. Read his advertisement, and investigate the merits of its statements by giving him employment when an opportunity occurs.

DOWDALE MARKHAM & Co., of the Washington Foundry, St. Louis, Mo., have a card in our paper, as will be observed by glancing over our advertising columns. We would recommend those of our readers who are in want of such articles manufactured at their foundry, to patronize this firm.

A CREDITABLE WORK.—The mason work of Capt. SMOKE's hotel.—"Uncle JOHNNY" and his "army of masons" are deserving of great credit for the masterly workmanship displayed in the erection of this building. We venture to say that no better mechanics can be found in the Territory, than those under "Uncle JOHNNY's" employ.

From Ohio, we learn that the crops are promising. Wheat is excellent, corn is somewhat short, but with a good prospect for a fair crop, and tobacco promises well. The season has been cool and wet, the same as in all parts of the eastern country; but this has not had the bad effect on the crops that was anticipated.

What time is it? is now rendered: Please extricate your horologe, and indicate the advance of our duration.

Gov. WALKER ON REBELLION.—The proclamation of Gov. Walker, of Kansas, issued in view of a refusal of the town of Lawrence to accept a charter from the Border Ruffian Legislature, seems to have been modelled after the proclamation of the royal governors who withstood the people of the colonies in the days of the Revolution. The Governor evidently acts on the principle that the "divine right" is some how or other embodied in him and the handful of men with whom he acts, and that "squatter sovereignty" means obedience to a few usurpers and the sword of the tyrant.—*Toldos Blade.*

Mr. HARVEY, Marshall of this District, informs us that out of over 700 persons who signed the Topeka Memorial which he carried, there were but TWO who could not sign their own names. This fact speaks well for Kansas and shows the class of persons who are filling up our beautiful prairies.—*Kansas News.*

The Sacramento Times says, in the course of a report of the proceedings at a public dinner: "The mayor of the city, and the ladies, etc., were appropriately and elegantly drunk, and the party separated in fine cheer."

Take Notice. GEORGE WOLFE would announce to the citizens of Prairie City and vicinity that he has a number of excellent workmen under his employ, and is prepared to execute all orders in the carpentering line with dispatch. He is an experienced carpenter, and the people would do well to employ him. He is a bona fide citizen, and will attend promptly to his business, thus rendering entire satisfaction to his employers. 6-1f

ILLUSTRATED EDITION OF IRVING'S LIFE OF WASHINGTON. G. P. PUTNAM & CO., will commence in a few days, a new edition of this great work, in Semi-Monthly Parts. Price, 25 cents each. Each volume will consist of four parts, handsomely printed in imperial octavo. The whole work will be illustrated by about fifty Superior Engravings on steel including Portraits and original Pictorial Designs, by eminent Artists. With numerous wood cuts and maps, each part will contain at least 33 pages and one engraving on steel; every other part will have two Steel Plates.

TERMS OF PUBLICATION. 1. Each semi-monthly part, containing as above specified, 25 cents, payable on delivery. 2. All subscribers must engage to take the entire work. 3. The second and subsequent volumes will be issued in double part—and the whole will be published at regular intervals of two weeks. Among the illustrations already engraved or nearly completed, are the following PORTRAITS ON STEEL. Gen. Schuyler, Gen. Chas. Lee, Gen. Putnam, Gen. Arnold, Gen. Green, Gen. Ward, Gen. Knox, Gen. Sinclair, Gen. Montgomery, Gen. Lord, Gen. Stirling, Gen. Baron Steuben, Gen. Lafayette, Comd. Pulaski, Gen. Lincoln, Gen. Mercer, Gen. Henry Lee, Col. Moultrie, Gen. Wayne, Gen. Clinton, Robert Morris, Gen. Stark, Gen. Hamilton, Gen. Gates, Gen. Glover, Gen. Sir William Howe, Gen. Sir Henry Clinton, Washington from the picture by Peale, Washington from the picture by Trumbull, Washington from the picture by Wurtmuller, Washington from the picture by Stuart. Washington from the picture of Houdson's Statue, Washington from the picture of Brown's Statue, Washington from original profile. Mrs. Washington (early portrait). Mrs. Washington from Stuart, Miss Phillips from original picture.

ILLUSTRATIONS ON STEEL. Historical scenes, (chiefly from original designs.) Sight of Washington's birthplace, Mt. Vernon, (8 views.) Washington as a surveyor. Washington at Fort Mifflin.—Washington surveying the dismal swamp Washington at Winchester. Washington's field sports.—Fortifying Bunker-Hill. Fort Ticonderoga. Lake George. Fortification at West Point in 1780.—Washington quelling a riot, [from a contemporary drawing.] View of New York 1776. Boston from Dorchester Heights, in 1776. Announcement of Independence. Battle of Trenton. Battle of Germantown.—Battle of Monmouth. Braddock's battlefield. Washington going to Congress, etc. "Must always remain, par amient, THE OF THE FATHER OF HIS COUNTRY."—Philadelphia Bulletin. N. B.—It is intended that the illustrations in this edition shall be worthy the subject and of the author. The best artists have been engaged to make original drawings, and the most eminent engravings are secured. No expense will be spared to make the engravings creditable to American Art, and fully satisfactory to amateurs of fastidious taste. AGENTS AND CARVERS supplied on liberal terms. This edition is published exclusively for subscribers.

ST. LOUIS ADVERTISEMENTS. From the Newspaper Advertising Agency of J. E. DUBBERIDGE, Corner of Main and Olive sts., St. Louis.

DOWDALE MARKHAM & CO., WASHINGTON FOUNDRY, Engine and Machine Shop, CORNER OF SECOND AND MORGAN STREETS, ST. LOUIS MO. Manufacturers of Steam Engines, Saw and Grist Mill Machinery, single and double Circular Saw Mills, Tobacco Screws and Presses, Lard Keelers, Lard Screws and Cylinders, Wool Carding Machines, Building Castings, Young's Improved Patent Smut Mills, &c. Agents for the sale of James Smith & Co.'s Superior Machine Cards. 6 ly

TRUSTEES' NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that Stockholders of the Prairie City Association failing to comply with the requirements of the Association in regard to making certain improvements before the 1st of October, their interests shall be declared void. "A word to the wise," &c. Per order of 6 to 1 TRUSTEES.

Trustees' Notice. THERE will be a meeting of the Trustees of the Prairie City Association at the corner of the FREEMAN'S CHAMPION, on Saturday morning, 8th inst., to transact such business as may come under their jurisdiction. Persons interested will please observe.

New Goods! New Goods! WINTON & WILLETTS CHEAP CASH STORE. We are not quite in the new store, but nevertheless we can offer as good an assortment of goods, and probably better than is kept in any trading house in this part of the Territory. Our stock consists of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Queensware, Tinware, Woodware, Hats, Boots and Shoes—and in fact we can please the most fastidious, having on hand FINE DRY GOODS, such as Challie Delains, Berage Delains, Debeiges, Lawns, Merinos, Alapacas, Gingham, Prints, Tweeds, Gloves, Cassimeres, Mohair Cloths, Summer Cottonades, Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs, &c. Also Sash, Glass, Putty, Linseed Oil and Turpentine. Call before purchasing elsewhere. You will always find John R. and O. P. obliging and willing to sell, at prices that will retain their old customers, and get a great many new ones. Prairie City, June 20th, 1857.

BLACKSMITHING. JOHN GRIFFITH would respectfully inform the citizens of Prairie City and vicinity that he is now prepared to execute all orders in the line of blacksmithing that may be given him. Having nearly recovered from the "ager," he can now promptly attend to his business, and will not only do his work in the best style, but will do it IMMEDIATELY. His terms are CASH. Prairie City, June 25th 1857—1-f

Carpenters Wanted! WANTED immediately, six good House Carpenters, to whom steady employment and good wages will be given. Inquire in Prairie City, of WM. SOWERS.

WILLIAM GRAHAM, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Prairie City, Kansas. Respectfully returns his thanks to the citizens of Prairie City, for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, and hopes to merit a continuation of the same. He will devote his entire attention to the profession, and will pay particular attention to operations in surgery. 1 y Office on Main street.

O. WILMARTH, BOOK SELLER & STATIONER. 30 Mass. street, Lawrence, K. T.

MACKEREL, Nos. 1 and 2, for sale at W. & W's.

FLOUR, Meal and Bacon, for sale at W. & W's.

LADY'S Under Sleeves for sale at W. & W's.

[Advertisement.] Matrimony. The advertiser is anxious to obtain a partner to participate and share with him in his joys, and sympathize with and soothe him in his afflictions. His age is 28; is considered passably good looking, and has enough of this world's goods to enable himself and partner to live comfortably. The lady of his choice would be one between the ages of 18 and 25, of an amiable disposition and sympathizing heart, a healthy constitution, with at least an ordinary education, and a thorough knowledge of domestic duties. He is not particular in regard to looks, though he would, of course, prefer one as handsome as himself! Such a lady, wishing to link her destiny with one of the sterner sex of his description, will please address "Johnson," Prairie City, Kansas.

[Advertisement.] Matrimony. "It is not good for man to be alone." Thus said the apostle, and how emphatically and forcibly is that wise saying illustrated in Kansas.—Here, where man is deprived in a great measure of the elevated and refined influences of the better sex, man becomes careless, indifferent in regard to his demeanor and personal appearance, and degenerates into a state but a few degrees above the brute. The undersigned, having arrived at that age when single blessedness has lost all its charms, desires to venture into the order of benedicts. He wants a woman with a kind and affectionate disposition, accomplished in music and dancing, handsome, between the ages of 15 and 20. As it is a wife that he wants; and not money, he is not particular whether she is favored with the "dimes" or not, though if she fully meets with his requirements, and happens to be troubled with "filthy lucre," he will not consider it a very serious objection. The advertiser is 24 years of age, is considered good looking, neither indulges in the use of ardent spirits, nor tobacco, has enough property and an income sufficient to comfortably maintain a family, and is possessed of a warm and confiding heart. He wants a tendril to cherish. If this meets the eye of a lady answering his description, who wants a companion of this stripe, she will please address him through the post-office at Prairie City, K. T. ORSEMUS POE. [Advertisement.] Matrimony. DEAR COLONEL:—Will you please to announce me as a candidate for Matrimony? You can state that my age is 21; used to be considered good looking by the girls when I lived in the States, though somewhat uncouth in my appearance now; am hale, hearty, strong, and full of fun and frolic; have been, and am sometimes now, a little wild, but think I should be steady as a deacon, if I had a congenial partner to love and protect—I am not rich, nor in indulge in no expectation of ever falling heir to a legacy, though my prospects for the future are as flattering as the generosity of young men at my age, who have kicked their own way through the world alone. I am anxious to correspond with a handsome, witty, intelligent young lady, between the ages of 16 and my own age, with the view of forming a matrimonial alliance. I don't care whether she is worth a cent, pecuniarily, or not, if she has the accomplishments of a lady, and is pretty. Your friend, NED BOWERS.

HARPER'S NEW MONTHLY MAGAZINE. Each number of the Magazine will contain 144 octavo pages, in double columns, each year thus comprising nearly 2,000 pages of the choicest miscellany of the day! Every number will contain numerous Pictorial Illustrations, accurate Plates of Fashions, a copious Chronicle of Current Events, and impartial Notices of the important Books of the month. The Volumes commence with the Numbers of June and December; but subscriptions may commence with any number. The Magazine may be obtained of booksellers, periodical agents, or from the publishers, at Three Dollars a year, or twenty-five cents each. Thirteen volumes are now ready, bound in cloth at 2 1/2 dol. each, and also in half calf, at 2 3/4 dol. each. The publishers will supply specimens numbers gratuitously to Agents and Postmasters, and will make liberal arrangements with the n for circulating the Magazine. They will also supply a club of two persons, at five dollars a year, or five persons for ten dollars. Clergymen and teachers supplied at two dollars a year. Numbers from the commencement can be supplied. Also the bound volumes. The Magazine weighs over seven and not over eight ounces. The postage upon each number, which must be paid quarterly in advance, at the office where the Magazine is received, is 3 cents.

Medical Notice. The undersigned respectfully tenders to the citizens of Prairie City and vicinity, his services as a practitioner of Medicine and Obstetrics. In his practice he never bleeds or blisters; never prescribes Calomel, Opium, Arsenic, or any other poison, and invariably has better success than those who use those agents. A supply of genuine Vaccine Virus on hand, and inserted and warranted. Office and residences on Aurora street, East side of Eden Park. H. J. CANNIFF, M. D. Prairie City, June 20th, 1857.

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WAR! WAR!! Against High Prices! PRAIRIE CITY AHEAD! No use of going to Lawrence or Leavenworth to do your trading, when you can get as good bargains at home. New Firm—New Goods! at the GREAT WESTERN SQUATTER STORE SAMUEL T. SHORE WOULD most respectfully inform the good people of Prairie City and vicinity, that the firm heretofore existing under the name and style of Shore & McManus, has been dissolved by mutual consent, and that a new firm has been established under the name and style of SHORE & MEWHINNEY. Who are making preparations to drive business on a more extensive scale than has ever yet been done in this region of country. They receive their goods DIRECT FROM ST. LOUIS, And are therefore enabled to sell them as low as the merchants of Leavenworth or Lawrence, and they invite the people to bear witness that they will sell them as low. They are constantly receiving new supplies of GROCERIES, HARDWARE, DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS, &c. And soon will be able to supply the entire wants of the people in the mercantile line. PROVISIONS. Everything in the line of provisions kept constantly on hand. OUR TERMS ARE CASH! N. B. Will our customers, who have accounts standing with us, please call immediately and settle the same, so as to enable us to purchase more supplies of new goods. SAMUEL T. SHORE, WM. MEWHINNEY, and Co. Prairie City, July 18, 1857—4tf

Hauling! Hauling! We have two teams, which we hold in readiness to do hauling. Our terms are moderate. [4tf] S. & M. and was

BEWARE OF THE POPE! The old seven-horned monster is busily at work with his infernal machine to undermine our American institutions, is ever with his insidious smight and zealous interest which he manifests to our people, he is rapidly gaining ground in our country; but in PRAIRIE CITY, so long as JOHN GRAHAM, with his army of masons are at work, the "old rip" can never obtain a foothold. Mr. Graham is now prepared to do all kinds of work which is done with stone, brick, lime and sand. He has in his employ some of the best workmen the country affords, and consequently can do all work entrusted him in the most workmanlike manner. Buildings constructed by the job or the day, according to the fancy of the people. He may always be found at Prairie City. JOHN GRAHAM. Prairie City, June 25th 1857—1-1f

A FIRST CLASS FAMILY NEWSPAPER. HARPER'S WEEKLY. A JOURNAL OF CIVILIZATION. Neither labor nor expense will be spared to make it the best FAMILY NEWSPAPER in the world—one whose cheerful and genial character will render it a welcome visitor to every household, while its constant devotion to the principles of right and justice shall win the approbation of the wise and the good. Its object will be to set forth sound views on political, social, and moral questions; to diffuse useful information, and to cultivate the graces and amenities of life. HARPER'S WEEKLY will contain a full and impartial summary of the political, social, religious, commercial, and literary news of the day. It will chronicle the leading movements of the age, record the inventions of genius, the discoveries of science, and the creations of art. It will, in a word, aim to present an accurate and complete picture of the age in which we live. It will also give a due share of attention to the taste, the imagination, and the feelings. Its regular contents will embrace tales, incidents of travel and adventure, sketches of character and social life, and essays upon art and morals. The publishers have made arrangements with the best American writers who will contribute to the various departments of the paper. The large space at their disposal will enable the Conductors to avail themselves of ample selections from the best and most healthful selections of the old world. The first number will contain the commencement of Mr. Thackeray's New Serial Tale the publication of which, from early sheets purchased of the author, will be continued from week to week, until its conclusion. In addition to this they will keep a vigilant eye upon the issues of the English, French, and German Periodical press, the best productions of which will be transferred to the paper under their charge. Harper's Weekly, is not intended, in any way, to supersede or take the place of Harper's New Monthly Magazine. Each periodical will confine itself to its own proper sphere; and no portion of the contents of the one will appear in the other. Harper's Weekly will contain six pages of the size of the London Illustrated News, each number comprising as much matter as an ordinary duodecimo volume.—It will be printed in a form and upon suitable paper for binding; and as the pages will be electrotyped, the back numbers can always be supplied, so that subscribers can be able at any time to complete their files. At the close of each volume, neat and appropriate covers will be prepared for the convenience of those who wish to bind the paper. TERMS. Harper's Weekly will appear every Saturday morning, and will be sold at five cents a copy. It will be mailed to subscribers at the following rates, payment being invariably required in advance: One Copy for twenty weeks . . . \$1 00 One Copy for one year . . . 2 50 One Copy for two years . . . 4 00 Five Copies for one year . . . 3 00 Twelve Copies for one year . . . 20 00 Twenty-five Copies for one year . . . 40 00 HARPER & BROTHERS, Franklin Square, N. Y.

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