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OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

LOCAL NEWS

County Fair Sept. 26, 27 and 28. Owosso vs. Corunna on Thursday. Republican county convention to-morrow.

Several hundred old papers for sale at this office.

Miss Jessie Lyon is visiting in Detroit this week.

Mary, daughter of B. W. Brewer, is seriously sick.

Democratic county convention on Friday of next week.

How about the Gregory & McHardy elevator? Who is to occupy it?

Owosso 7; Browns, of Pittsburg, Penn., 7; 13 innings; game then called.

An elegant lot of new style stiff and soft hats just received at McBain's. The very latest.

The Bennington concert was a success so far as the musical programme was concerned.

The band boys will give an open air concert in the band stand Tuesday evening next.

Mrs. D. M. Estey and daughter, Miss Dora, returned Tuesday evening from their eastern trip.

Mr. William Cromie, of Shiawassee, died on the 22d of August, of dropsy. Aged 62 years.

E. L. Brewer was at Jackson on Thursday in attendance at the State convention of the Michigan State Alliance.

The Bancroft Advertiser: "Improvements on the Chicago & Grand Trunk railroad, are still going on all along the line."

Rev. Mr. Matrau expects to return to his charge here, in time to officiate in Christ Church on the first Sunday in October.

McBain has just received fresh invoices of fall and winter suitings for custom suits. Call and see them. New and novel.

Our readers will find our New York letter again in its proper place. Its non receipt for the past two weeks is unexplained.

There is to be a degree meeting of Owosso Lodge No. 810, I. O. G. T., this evening at their hall. A full attendance is requested.

The excavating is being done for the new building at the Estey factory, and the Railroad Co. and others are conforming to the new plan.

Remember the meeting of the Shiawassee district lodge of Good Templars, at Owosso on the afternoon and evening of Wednesday next.

Wheat, No. 1, \$1.00, corn 45c per the bushel, oats 25c, apples, No. 1, per bbl., \$1.25, potatoes 35c, beef 4 to 6c by the side, pork \$8 per hundred.

The Demo-Green Conventions at Flint, yesterday, nominated for Congress in the 6th District, Edwin B. Winans, of Hamburg, Livingston county.

We trust there will be a full attendance at the Republican county convention to be held to-morrow for the nomination of candidates for county officers.

We are requested to say that the Mission Band will give a "Kate Greenway Tea Party," at the residence of Gilbert R. Lyon, on Tuesday evening, Sept. 5th.

Mr. Herman, late proprietor of the clothing store on east side of Washington street, has taken his goods to Escanaba, and will soon engage in business there.

Messrs. Williams & Hartshorn invite the special attention of the public to their extensive and valuable stock of farming implements, wagons, buggies etc. Give them a call.

Williams & Hartshorn are putting in machinery to run their elevator by power from White Bro's factory. Wire cable between the two buildings will be used. Mr. Gray is engineering the business for them.

Mr. A. S. Cody, of the Excelsior Telephone Co., is in the city making arrangements to put up telephones in this city, and will call on our citizens, to ascertain their wants and wishes in the matter.

Our foreman, Mr. John Euvris, is absent this week, visiting his brothers at St. Johns. This has prevented the prompt filling of some orders for job work, and delayed the issuing of THE TIMES a few hours.

We specially invite the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mr. E. M. Brooks, published in this weeks TIMES. We trust Mr. B. will find the investment a paying one, with lots of business.

Corunna 3, Owosso 1, was the result of yesterday's game. The Corunna club was assisted by three of the Cass club, Weiss and Gainsy forming their battery, while Kearns and Hangerford constituted the Owosso battery.

Round trip tickets to Muskegon will be sold to those wishing to accompany the ball boys for \$4.00. Those intending to go should leave their names with Mr. John Beckwith. All who go will be certain of having a royal good time.

Among the officers of the Republican State convention Shiawassee was represented by Messrs. Wm. M. Kilpatrick on the State central committee, Dr. O. W. Teck as one of the tellers, and the editor of THE TIMES on the committee on resolutions.

This morning Frederick Moore, charged on complaint of Michael Strable, for breaking into the German church and stealing the funds from the contribution box, was brought before Justice Taylor, plead guilty, and gave bail in the sum of \$300.

A Republican Convention to nominate a candidate for Representative in the State Legislature, from the First Representative District of Shiawassee county, will be held at the Court House in the City of Corunna, on Saturday, September 9, 1882, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The members of Owosso Lodge No. 88, I. O. O. F., will do well to remember that the stated meetings of the lodge are held on Friday evening of each week, and that their attendance at the stated meetings is very desirable, and is specially solicited by the N. G.

The Shiawassee Journal says: "The wool clip of the United States is about 3,000,000 lbs. valued at about \$100,000,000." This would be about \$33 1/3 per lb. Guess friend Ingersoll is not in the wool trade, and hence does not keep very well posted on prices.

Prof. Graves' singing class will soon give a grand social and instrumental concert assisted by Meyrelles' orchestra. Among the pieces to be sung with orchestra accompaniment arranged for the occasion by J. Meyrelles will be either a grand Polonaise or a selection from one of Donizetti's Operas.

At the Republican Caucus held last evening the following gentlemen were elected delegates to the County Convention, viz.: Dr. C. McCormick, Oscar Wells, Geo. M. Dewey, E. R. Hutchins, H. L. Lewis Jr., M. C. Dawes, B. S. Retan, G. W. Loring, Henry Woodard, Geo. W. Devereaux, Wm. M. Kilpatrick, N. McBain, and G. R. Lyon.

Frieske Bros., in four and a half days, made 125,000 brick with one of their machines. They are shipping by railroad nearly all the brick they can manufacture, and are now able to burn one million brick at a time in one kiln; and have shed room for that number, also have space in their large retort for burning a large number of brick or tile.

The State Temperance Alliance held a somewhat stormy session at Jackson yesterday, approved the action of the Republican, Prohibition and Greenback conventions on the question of a prohibitory amendment to the constitution of the State and recommended that "friends of temperance" support Sagendorf or Governor Willis Cook, of the township of Shiawassee, was brought before Justice Taylor, last Saturday, charged with burglary, in breaking and entering the residence of Mrs. Susan C. Fenner, of Bennington, and stealing therefrom some articles of female apparel. He plead guilty, and in default of bail in the \$500, was committed to jail for trial at the Circuit Court.

The Shiawassee Journal has a correspondent who signs X, who says, "The coming sheriff,—who is he? Where does he live? And what is his name?" The Republican County Convention will answer those questions to-morrow, but the name will not be Andrew J. Kelso, nor will his residence be either Corunna or Owosso, in our opinion.

Mr. A. McHardy received to-day a self propelling steam engine manufactured by the Upton Manufacturing Co., of Battle Creek. This engine draws the separator and tank and does away with horses entirely. Mr. McHardy sold the engine to Messrs. Bensingor & Wright, of Hartwellville, who will use it threshing till winter and then running a saw mill.

On Wednesday evening, at the residence of Mr. J. L. Wright, was solemnized by Rev. L. B. Platt, the marriage of W. M. Howe, of Chicago, and Lizzie Kelley, of San Jose, Cal. The bride is a grand daughter of Dr. Barnes, and was a native of Owosso, though for some years she has resided with her parents in California. Amid the warm congratulations of their many friends, the happy couple left the same evening for their future home in Chicago.

We think our readers will very generally appreciate the spicy, historic letters that are now being published in THE TIMES from Colorado. They are written by a gentleman thoroughly competent, who is "doing" that wonderful section of country, for the sole purpose of furnishing through the press reliable information concerning things; there, as he finds them, without fear or favor, and hence they can be depended upon with absolute certainty as only facts will be given.

The Corunna correspondent of the Post and Tribune took us to task last week for criticising his telegrams about Owosso people. Well here is one that speaks for itself, and of course must be true. He says:—"Nearly SEVEN-FIFTHS of the population of Owosso came to Corunna to-day to behold the Owosso Blue Sox artistically remove the scalps of the Corunna club." Concerning the veracity of his dispatches we have no more to say,—only that this one is like "seven-fifths of his others, and the public will correctly estimate their reliability.

School Opening. On Monday, Sept. 4th, the Perry school will open. Foreign pupils are requested to be present the first day or as soon afterwards as possible.

Information concerning tuition, board, etc., can be obtained by addressing Gilmore Monroe, Principal, or Mr. H. W. Spalding, chairman, Perry.

Arrangements will be made with foreign pupils desiring special branches or a limited course.

Card of Thanks. Mr. O. E. Bell and family desire to return their sincere thanks to the friends who so kindly aided them in their late affliction, the death of their son James.

It is important that the people of the county should be making arrangements to be fully represented at the forth coming County Fair. There is no one festival during the year of so much real value to the farmer or the manufacturer as the County Fair. Competition is the life of business. Fair completion is promoted by the exhibition side by side of the articles you produce, or manufacture, and the stock you grow. Shiawassee county farmers have some exceedingly fine stock, that is their pride, that they are raising, on which the profits are large. This stock should all be on exhibition at the County Fair. It affords these who desire to make sales a very favorable opportunity to place their animals on general exhibition. To those who desire to purchase pure bred stock this ought to be the time and place where they can find the best there is on exhibition, and where they can fairly compare the merits of different animals of the same breed and the different breeds of animals so that intelligent selections may be made. To these ends, if from no higher motive, the really valuable stock in the county should all be entered at the forth coming fair. But there is another consideration that should induce our farmers to interest themselves in the County Fair. It is their festival. The fairs generally, and especially as conducted at this time, the County Fairs, are for their especial benefit, to aid each the other so far as may be practical in bringing the standard of Agriculture to the very front, just where by right it actually belongs, but a position it has not occupied, simply for the reason that those interested have not done the things necessary to make many callings, and its true worth, and the sturdy value of the men engaged in it appreciated. Let this be done, and the public influence of the farmer will be America's potential power.

The Saginaw Herald. The Saginaw Herald under the able editorial management of Hon. Charles V. DeLand, is soon to be enlarged, and otherwise decidedly improved. It is now and has for a long time been edited with decided ability. It is the only daily Republican journal in the 8th Congressional District, and ought to have a wide circulation. In politics it is a stalwart, never lowering the old flag one inch, and fills a place in the Saginaw Valley which makes it decidedly important that the working Republicans should give it a generous support. We hope to see many callings, and the Herald taken in our city. During the campaign we believe our people will find it almost indispensable as a party organ.

Jerome Eddy, 2:16 1-2. From the N. Y. Sportsman.

Although a loser of the memorable race which took place at Buffalo last week, Jerome Eddy has the honor of being second in matter of record to the great Smulger. It was a grand race; indeed the greatest that ever took place between trotting stallions. What makes the victory doubly brilliant is the fact that the winner, Black Cloud is afflicted with stringhalt in both hind legs. Jerome Eddy lost the race, but nevertheless showed himself to be a racehorse of the first order. His defeat was mitigated by the record made in the first heat. Whether he can better it in the near future will determine, as we understand the two will trot for special purses the remainder of the circuit. Jerome Eddy was foaled in 1875, got by Louis Napoleon, son of Volunteer, sire of St. Julien, 2:11; dam Fanny Mapes, by Alexander's Abdallah, sire of Goldsmith Maid, 2:14. He was bred and owned by Messrs. Dewey & Stewart, Owosso, Mich. His maiden essay on the turf was made in 1881, starting at Jackson, Mich., in the 2:34 class, winning a heat in 2:27. At East Saginaw, Mich., he won another heat in 2:27 1/2, being beaten by Big John. He next appeared at Grand Rapids, where he succumbed to J. B. Thomas, getting one heat in 2:30 1/2. At Ionia he again lowered his flag to Thomas, with a heat to his credit in 2:28. At Grand Rapids, Aug. 24, he scored his first victory, beating Dan Davidson and Indicator in 2:31 1/2, 2:30 1/2, 2:28 1/2, in the 2:25 class. For the present season he started at Jackson, but was beaten by Mattie Graham. Next he was at East Saginaw, winning his race in straight heats, in 2:30 1/2, 2:27 1/2, 2:26 1/2. He next appeared at Grand Rapids, again winning straight in 2:25 1/2, 2:24 1/2, 2:27 1/2. July 8, at Ionia, he scored another victory beating Aldine and King William in 2:30 1/2, 2:30, 2:29. At Chicago he won a good race, getting a record of 2:21. By this time people began to believe that the horse had some speed. At Cleveland he again achieved a victory, winning in straight heats, cutting his record down to 2:15. His last performance we have referred to. In breeding there is no better horse in America. He is by a son of the sire of the fastest gelding, and out of a mare by the sire of the famous Goldsmith Maid. Trot is in every vein of his body. With such a lineage, with perfect form and action, the horse could not help being fast.

Council Proceedings.

COMMON COUNCIL ROOM, OWOSSO, AUG. 28, 1882.

Regular meeting of the Common Council, of the City of Owosso.

Present—The Mayor, Clerk, Ald. Wells, Hershey, Boyers, Frieske, Bedford, Lewis, Matlock, and Axford.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Ald. Lewis presented the following petition which was referred to committee on Opening Streets and Alleys.

A petition to cause the alley to be opened from West Elizabeth street, north to River street, across block 3, Lucy L. Comstock addition. Signed by Lucius L. Barnum and four others.

The following accounts were presented and referred to committee on Claims and Accounts:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes P. M. Howell, H. B. Gates, T. J. Hornsman, C. A. Baldwin, J. J. Farnely, Parker & Bedford, The Times, Osburn & Sons, L. E. Woodard, O. Wells, F. Elwell, W. Rooker, C. Young, A. McDonald, H. Paul.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. Includes H. Simpson, labor, C. Mathews, C., R. Johnson, E. Wood, Geo. Love, W. Rooker, L. Clark, J. Wiswold, C. Young, J. Smith, A. McDonald, H. Paul, Henry Hall, David Parker, W. Clark, C. Mathews, M. Retan, F. Sophis.

The committee reported back the above accounts, and recommended that they be allowed.

Unanimous consent was given, the accounts allowed, and orders ordered drawn for the same. Ayes 7. Nays 0.

The Clerk presented the following report from the Board of Health, which was accepted and ordered placed on file. Ayes 6. Nays 1.

OWOSSO, MICH., AUG. 21st, 1882.

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council, of the City of Owosso:

GENTLEMEN:—At a meeting of the Board of Health, held at the office of the Secretary, on Saturday evening, August 19th inst., the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be and he is hereby directed to notify the Honorable, the Common Council, that the alleys in the rear of the brick blocks on both sides of Washington street, from Main to Mason streets are in a very bad condition, and that they be requested to direct the City Marshall to have the same cleaned. Also, that some of the privy vaults on the lots adjacent to those buildings should be at once cleaned out or otherwise purified, and that they be, also, requested to direct the Marshall to cause the same to be done without delay.

The Board also, directed the Secretary to present to the Council the bill of Dr. A. J. Robb, for medical services in case of Wm. Sax \$18.00, with the recommendation that the same be paid. Also, the bills of H. Axford, \$3.15, and A. T. Thomas, \$3.89, for supplies furnished Wm. Sax during the time he was in quarantine, with the request that the bills be disallowed, the contraction of the same not having been authorized by any member of the Board of Health.

Very Respectfully, GEO. M. DEWEY, Sec'y Board of Health.

The committee on Grading and Sidewalks made the following report which was accepted and adopted. Ayes 7. Nays 0.

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council, of the City of Owosso:

Your committee on Grading and Sidewalks to whom was referred the petition asking that Exchange street be graded and guttered, so as to allow the water to run off, from Washington street west to Ball street, would recommend that the street be guttered only on the south side from Washington street to Ball street.

GEO. H. BEDFORD, } Com. H. L. LEWIS, } H. H. BOYERS, }

Also, the following report which was accepted and adopted. Ayes 7. Nays 0.

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council, of the City of Owosso:

Your committee on Grading and Sidewalks to whom was referred the petition asking for a sidewalk to be constructed on the east side of Hickory street, commencing at the north corner of Hickory and Williams streets, and running south to Mason street, would report favorable and that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.

GEO. H. BEDFORD, } Com. H. L. LEWIS, } H. H. BOYERS, }

Also, the following report which was accepted and adopted. Ayes 5. Nays 2.

To the Hon. Mayor and Common Council, of the City of Owosso:

Your committee on Grading and Sidewalks would most respectfully recommend that sewer pipe of not less than nine inches be laid along the east side of Hickory street from the north line of Exchange street to the north line of Main street and thence west along the north side of Main street to the east line of Saginaw street to intersect with sluice across Main street and thence south to connect with present drain. Said drain to be done under the supervision of City Marshall.

GEO. H. BEDFORD, } Com. H. L. LEWIS, } H. H. BOYERS, }

Ald. Frieske moved that the committee on Grading and Sidewalks be instructed to open the Owosso City drain according to the ordinance presented last year, which motion was carried.

Ald. Lewis presented the following resolution which was referred to the committee on Ways and Means:

Resolved, By the Common Council of the city of Owosso, that the sum of six thousand dollars be raised by tax for the contingent expenses for the year 1883 and that the said amount, six thousand dollars, be levied and assessed on all the real and personal property of the first, second, third and fourth wards of the said city of Owosso, for that purpose.

Ald. Lewis moved that the matter of the Copas drain be referred to the committee on Nuisances, which motion was carried.

Ald. Lewis gave notice that the ordinance for a sidewalk on the east side of Hickory street, and for paving the gutter on Exchange street would be presented at the next meeting.

Ald. Wells moved that the matter of a drain on east side of Pine street be referred to committee on Grading and Sidewalks, which motion was carried.

On motion the council adjourned for one week.

E. A. TODD, JR., City Clerk.

WHAT ALEXANDER MIGHT HAVE DONE

The late Czar of Russia was eminently a great man, as his action in liberating thirty-six million serfs from slavery qualified him to be. Yet with all his greatness, Alexander left it to Dr. Swayne to liberate the world from the annoyance and pain of scores of skin diseases, by producing Swayne's Ointment. Think of the tens, hundreds, thousands it has cured, and then remember it is economical, effective, reliable, and pure, and if you will only try it you will have a cure.

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