

CORRESPONDENCE.

MACON, Kan., August 25, 1891.

EDITOR ADVOCATE:—S. M. Scott paid a visit to Wallace county on August 19. Although the farmers were busy taking care of the first large crop they ever raised, there was a fair turnout and all were more than pleased. Brother Scott knows just how to show up the sub-treasury plan, and there is no longer any doubting Thomases in Wallace county. All went home with a determination to stand squarely by the Ocala demands.

A. C. MCCARTHY.

Alliance Picnic.

ESKRIDGE, Kan., August 29, 1891.

EDITOR ADVOCATE:—To-day (Saturday) was the day set for the Elm Creek Alliance picnic to take place, and it did. A large crowd was present. Mrs. Marion Todd was our speaker. Mr. Worley led in prayer. Hull's martial band was to furnish music, but they did not come. The day was fine and a good time was had by everyone present except a few old Republicans, who would not even enjoy themselves in heaven. Don't believe some lying Republican if he tells you the picnic was a failure, for there were about 2,000 people present. Let the good work go on. Right will prevail. Women must vote, and don't you forget it.

HARRY RUBLE.

FAIRVIEW, Kan., August 29, 1891.

EDITOR ADVOCATE:—At the regular quarterly meeting of the First Congressional District Alliance held at Holton, Kan., August 26, 1891, the following resolutions were adopted and ordered published in THE ADVOCATE:

Resolved, That the delegates to the State Alliance be hereby instructed to support the Ocala platform, including the sub-treasury plan.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Alliance be tendered President McGrath for his services rendered today; also approving his official actions.

On motion two delegates were elected to represent us at the State Alliance and the other districts requested so select a similar number of delegates. H. B. Schaeffer of Jefferson and J. C. Stone, jr., of Leavenworth county are the brothers elected. Tonganoxie, Leavenworth county, was chosen as the next place of meeting on the fourth Wednesday in November.

HENRY ISELY, Secretary.

WA KEENEY, Kan., August 25, 1891.

EDITOR ADVOCATE:—After listening to S. M. Scott, assistant state lecturer, I feel impelled to urge everyone to come out and hear Brother Scott. While I realize that this is a very busy time with farmers, I honestly believe that they cannot afford to allow any ordinary business to prevent their attendance when they have an opportunity. In my judgment if everyone understood the sub-treasury plan it would not require any defense. Of one thing we may rest assured, everything that can be done by the politicians of the two old parties to cause a split in our ranks will be done, also to destroy our confidence in our leaders. So far as I can learn they are failing in both. Last year they were in hopes that the hot winds would so discourage us that we would loose our grip, and now they are flattering themselves that we can't stand prosperity. The way the farmers are humping themselves early and late to take advantage of the good season and good prices it looks as though they thought everything too good to last long, and unless they can be convinced that the old parties have secured a sinch on the weather both at home and abroad, it will be very natural to believe the old adage that "God helps those that help them-

selves." Knowledge is power in this conflict. Let us acquire and use it. Hoping that every county in the state, especially Trego, may have an Alliance paper and that the circulation of the Alliance papers may be rapidly increased, and particularly THE ADVOCATE, I remain as ever faithful to the cause. E. D. WHEELER.

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M. P. A.

The Mutual Protective Association will hold meetings as follows. Meetings will begin at 10 o'clock a. m., except at Glasco and Cawker City, which will begin at 1 o'clock p. m.

Minneapolis, Monday, September 7, 1891.
Glasco, Tuesday, September 8, 1891.
Beloit, Wednesday, September 9, 1891.
Cawker City, Thursday, September 10, 1891.
Smith Center, Saturday, September 12, 1891.

These meetings are called for the purpose of explaining the work of the association and to perfect county organization, and will be addressed by Fred L. Bailey, general manager. All members must be present as matters of special importance will come before the meeting. All members of the different labor organizations are invited to attend. Address all communications regarding legal work to Noah Allen, Wichita, Kan.

Alliance Encampments.

Grand district Alliance encampments will be held at the following places on the dates given. Speakers of national reputation will address the assembled thousands at all of these grand rallies. The great economic questions of the day will be discussed by prominent men from the most lofty points of view, and upon the truest, broadest and most civilized plane of Christian manhood and integrity. No man or woman within fifty miles of these meetings should fail to hear these distinguished speakers.

An open rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip has been granted by all roads in the trans-Missouri Passenger Association, and the Kansas City, Wyandotte & Northwestern, to the Alliance district encampments from all points within fifty miles of the place of meeting. Tickets will be on sale the day of the meeting good to return the day following.

Clay Center—September 9. Hon. L. L. Polk and Hon. Jerry Simpson.

Holton—September 11. Hon. L. L. Polk, Hon. W. A. Peffer and Hon. Jerry Simpson.

Emporia—September 14. Hon. L. L. Polk and Hon. W. A. Peffer.

Wichita—September 15. Hon. L. L. Polk, Hon. W. A. Peffer, Hon. Jerry Simpson and Hon. W. H. Utley.

Parsons—September 17. Hon. L. L. Polk and Hon. W. A. Peffer.

Ottawa—September 17, 18 and 19. Hon. Jerry Simpson, September 17; Hon. W. H. Utley and Lecturer S. M. Scott, September 18; Hon. L. L. Polk, September 19.

Hutchinson, September 21 and 22. Hon. L. L. Polk and others.

Beloit—September 23. Hon. L. L. Polk and Jerry Simpson.

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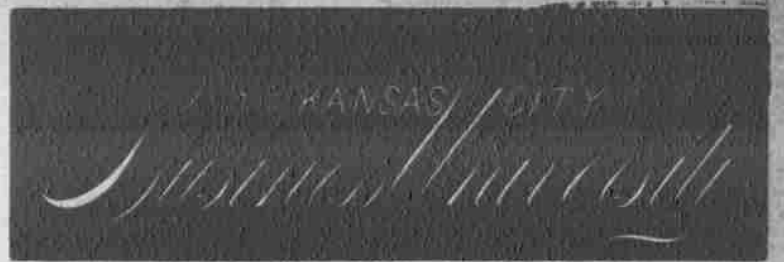
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MARKET REPORTS.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

St. Louis, August 31.
CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000; shipments, —. Market strong. Natives, \$2 75@55; Texans and Indians, \$2 30@3.25.
HOGS—Receipts, 1,000; shipments, —. Market steady. Heavy, \$5 10@5.25; mixed, \$4 70@5.70; light, 5 00@5.20.
SHEEP—Receipts, 100; shipments, —. Market strong, \$2 75@4.75.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, August 31.
CATTLE—Receipts, 9,238. Calves, 534. In the Texas division 95 cars, 20 of which were cows. Quality common. Most of the receipts in the native division were composed of Texas, Indian and westerns. Good beef steers were scarce, and the general market slow and weak. Dressed beef and shipping steers, such as on sale, were weak to 10c lower, strictly choice would sell about steady. Best cows and heifers steady to a shade lower, others 10c lower. Stockers and feeders slow and weak. Texas steers weak and 10c lower; cows about steady. Quotations are as follows: Dressed beef and shipping steers, \$3.15@4.75; native cows and heifers, \$1.50@2.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.30@3.45; bulls, \$1.40@2.40.
HOGS—Receipts, 792—Too light to make a regular market. Those sold went about steady. Extreme range of sales \$3.30@5.17 1/2; bulk at \$4.00 and above.
SHEEP—Receipts, 5,836. Mostly western stock. Market steady; few stockers sold. Sales: 30 muttons, 88 lbs, \$4.00; 16 bucks, 88 lbs, \$2.00.

Kansas City Grain Market.

KANSAS CITY, August 31.
WHEAT—Receipts at elevators since last report, 108,491 bushels; withdrawn, 87,406 bushels; in store, 624,069 bushels.
There was a weaker tendency again today for hard wheat. On the call No. 2 hard cash sold at 85 1/2c against no bids Saturday when 88c was asked. For August 86c was bid with no offer; against a sale Saturday at 88c. No. 3 hard sold at 82c against 88c asked Saturday, when there were no bids. For No. 2 d bids were 90c for cash and 91c asked against offers of 90c Saturday.
No. 3 red winter wheat—Cash 86c bid, 87 1/2c asked; August 86c bid, 88c asked.
CORN—Receipts at elevators since last report, 6,335 bushels; withdrawn, 3,223 bushels; in store 81,525 bushels.
There was about a steady market on the call today. No. 2 mixed cash was bid at 55 1/2c and 55 1/2c bid against Saturday's sales at 55 1/2c; August sold at 55 1/2c, the same price as Saturday. No. 3 for August sold at 54 1/2c, Saturday's figures. No. 2 white was nominal at Saturday's bid, 66c, while it was offered at 57c, to less than Saturday.
No. 3 white corn—Cash 54 1/2c bid, no offerings; August 54c bid, 54 1/2c asked.
OATS—No. 2 cash, 27 1/2c; August, 27 1/2c bid, 27 1/2c asked; September, 27 bid, 27 1/2c asked; October, 27 bid, 28 1/2c asked. No. 3, cash, 26 1/2c; August, 26 1/2c bid, 27 asked.
RYE—No. 2 cash, no bids, 80c asked; August no bids, 80c asked; September, no bids nor offering; No. 3, cash, no bids nor offerings; August, 73, closed, at 74 bid, 77 asked.
HAY—Receipts, 18 cars. Market firm. Timothy, \$8.00; strictly fancy prairie, \$6.00; good to choice, \$4 50@5.50.
FLAXSEED—Market steady at 98c per bushel for spot cash on a basis of pure.

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