

# THE CHANUTE TIMES.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 19, 1897.

## Local News.

Trade picking up some. Painters and paper hangers are busy. J. A. Colaw Sundayed at Cherryvale. L. C. Reece of Earlton called Monday.

Mrs. Clay D. Herod is visiting in this city.

W. P. Hazen of Pittsburg visited Capt. G. W. Johnson and family this week.

Chanute will soon have two blood hounds.

F. B. Jones made us a profitable call Monday.

Ed Lamm, of Earlton, was in town Tuesday.

A new desk adorns the Delmonico hotel office.

C. F. Prange was in town on business Tuesday.

See the ad of L. S. Ribernd in another column.

Mrs. S. S. Warner returned to St. Paul Tuesday.

See the ad of Mrs. C. M. Hurt in another column.

Judge Stillwell is holding court at Iola this week.

Seth J. Wells, of Erie, was a caller Tuesday.

Miss Tennie Thomas returned from Topeka Monday.

Miss Emma Cave returned from St. Paul Saturday.

Rev. Sparks and wife returned from Pittsburg yesterday.

Rev. Bernard Kelly was in town between trains Tuesday.

G. M. Coffman of Galesburg was in town Saturday night.

Delos Johnson of Rollin was in town Wednesday and called.

For fresh bulk garden seeds go to K. C. Cash Store. 3-5 tf.

Miss Ethel Wherritt is visiting relatives at Erie this week.

A number of buildings are going up in different parts of town.

Farmers should sow some tame grass for late and early pasture.

County Surveyor M. Cook was in town Saturday on business.

H. P. Farrelly and M. T. Jones got home from Topeka Monday.

See the statement of the First National Bank in another column.

George Hole and Mary Belle were quietly married Saturday night.

Att'y. J. L. Dennison, of Erie, was in town a few minutes Tuesday.

Arthur Carter made his regular semi-monthly visit to Thayer Sunday.

Attorney J. J. Jones attended court at Iola Monday and Tuesday.

E. F. Maxwell, of Rest, was in town Friday, and made us a friendly call.

J. H. Roe moved up from Erie Monday. He is located in the Third ward.

Dora Herod and family have gone to house keeping on South Depot street.

Mrs. R. C. Rawlings, who has been dangerously ill, is reported much better.

Charles Benedict of Erie came in yesterday to see his son C. E. Benedict.

R. N. Allen attended the M. E. conference at Pittsburg, returning Monday.

Mrs. L. Stilwell, of Erie, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Callahan.

The O. S. F. of this city will have a basket social the first Tuesday in April.

Dr. Brown attended the meeting of the pension examining board at Erie Wednesday.

The Belles Lettres Reading Club met Wednesday afternoon with Miss Ninon Bartl.

Mrs. Susan Mosley, mother of S. A. Wickard left for her home in Sumner county Wednesday.

You can't afford to miss The German Volunteer at the opera house tonight and tomorrow night.

A. Haden, the Vilas section foreman, made us a pleasant as well as profitable call Tuesday.

Mrs. Lyen has rented the Dunham building and will soon occupy it with a stock of millinery goods.

Rev. John Curtis has been secured by the Presbyterian congregation of this place for the ensuing year.

I have an excellent small farm for rent. Call at my blacksmith shop. 3-15 tf. ALEX. BAIRD.

Mrs. Fred Hutchings, who has been visiting the family of Dr. Park, left for her home in Kansas City Wednesday.

C. S. Reed and wife, of Fredonia, passed through town Tuesday, enroute for their future home in Sandusky, Ohio.

Rev. G. W. Stafford returned from Pittsburg Tuesday. Our readers will be pleased to learn that Mr. S. will be with us another year.

From all parts of the state come reports of delegations that will attend the encampment April 21, 22 and 23rd. Let them come, Chanute is amply able to take care of them and treat them royally.

The Fisk Jubilee Singers sang to a cultured audience at the opera house Saturday night. They maintained their reputation of being one of the best organizations of this kind on the road.

## GERMAN VOLUNTEER.

At Opera House Last Night—A Big Crowd Out.

A large crowd greeted Col. Saphar and his assistants at the opera house and witnessed one of the best and funniest plays given in our city this season. All of the characters except Mr. Saphar are Chanute people and their parts were well rendered. The prices are 25 and 35 cents. As the proceeds are to be used by the encampment committee toward defraying the expenses of the encampment, every one should attend. The show is well worth the money, besides the proceeds are kept right here in Chanute to be used for the benefit of all our citizens.

The G. A. R. Executive Committee made a contract with O. H. Coulter, editor of the Western Veteran, to give in the next issue of his paper, a two-page write-up of Chanute, showing her facilities for entertaining the visitors to the Encampment, the railroad facilities, connections, pictures of our public buildings, etc. For all this space in his valuable paper, Mr. Coulter charges practically nothing—only \$20—which is little more than the cost of setting the type, and for the blank paper. As his paper has a circulation of about 8000 copies, 4000 in Kansas, and as he has agreed to send a copy extra to each post, circle, camp and society in the state, this will be one of the best possible modes of getting before the people of Kansas.

Owing to India's famine, and the Argentine Republic's failure, there will not be one-fourth of a crop of flax seed raised. The northwestern states, the Dakotas, Minnesota and Iowa will not seed one-half their usual acreage on account of the price of wheat being higher than that of flax. America will not have to exceed one-half a crop and there will be but a small surplus. The price of oil is advancing, so flax seed will be much higher than last season. Call early and leave your order for choice, clean seed on better terms than you ever had before. For sale or loan at the old reliable office, Bacon Block.—S. A. Wickard. 4-2

Chas. F. Leech, of Arkansas City, representing the Odd Fellows' Mutual Accident Association, was in town Saturday afternoon. Mr. Leech is National President of the A. H. T. A. and is acquainted with some of our ex-members of said organization. In his talk with some of the brethren Saturday evening, he found that the boys here anticipated re-organizing. A meeting was hurriedly called and he proceeded to organize a sub-order of the A. H. T. A. at this point.

On account of having to clear the ground, parties wanting four or five hundred apple trees three or four years old, can get them at the Neosho Nursery, one and one-half miles west of Chanute at \$4 per hundred, and responsible parties can have all the time they want. Any quality at five cents each. All kinds of stock for sale, don't wait too late come in March. City sale grounds just east of Santa Fe depot. 3-26.

Bert Colaw and Harry Light went out to Rest Wednesday and got eight muskets to be used by the German Volunteer people at the opera house to-night and tomorrow night.

Farmers wanting flax seed can call on my agents as follows: C. P. Swank, Vilas, Kan.; R. V. Myers, Earlton, Kan.; Will Fling, Urbana, Kan.; C. R. Fanatia, Shaw, Kan., for terms and prices and see sample of flax, as we have the choicest seed that can be had in any market. 4-16 S. A. WICKARD.

Judge Stillwell rendered his decision in the fifth ward matter yesterday to the effect that the ordinance that the city council attempted to pass was not valid, consequently Chanute is now as heretofore, a city of four wards.

L. T. Baker, who had a job with Bruce Lynch at Lansing for the past two years, has moved to Chanute to make his future home.

The Chanute Building and Loan Association will loan you money at a lower rate of interest, at less expense and in a shorter time than any foreign association. Investigate your local association before making a new loan or renewing an old one. Funds now on hands.—A. N. Allen Secretary at First National Bank. 4-9

Mrs. G. W. Rush, who lives east of Shaw, was in Monday. Mrs. Rush raises Plymouth Rock chickens, and they are as fine as can be had in the country.

Rev. T. A. Nichols, the new pastor of Chanute circuit will preach next Sunday at the usual hours for service at Big Creek and Mount Pleasant churches.

Seed potatoes for sale: Minnesota Early Ohio seed potatoes grown here last season. Enquire of I. C. Mann at office of Chanute Lumber Co. 3-26.

D. W. Matsler has invented a furrow opener to be attached to corn planters. It is said to be a dandy. See his ad in another column.

L. S. Ribernd and daughter Miss Edna left yesterday for Bolivar, Mo. for a short visit.

John Preston, who formerly ran the Oriental livery stable is in town on business.

W. O. Davis, of Rest, was in town a short time Wednesday and called.

## Installation of Officers.

Temple Commandery No. 44. K. T. held an Election and Installation of Officers last night at Masonic Hall. The following were elected and installed to serve the ensuing year.

Sir F. F. Coulson, Eminent Commander.  
Sir M. D. Henry, Jr. Generalissimo.  
" H. C. Ford, Captain General.  
" Rev H. M. Carr, Excellent Prelate.  
Sir L. A. Royster, Senior Warden.  
" L. B. Kelfer, Junior Warden.  
" J. H. Light, Treasurer.  
" G. W. Reed, Recorder.  
" J. N. Taylor, Standard Bearer.  
" W. R. Smith, Sword Bearer.  
" H. W. Price, Captain of the Guard.

The installation ceremonies were conducted by Past Eminent, Sir Geo. N. Lindsay, in a very able and impressive manner. A very large number of Sir Knights were in attendance and a general good time was enjoyed by all.

## Galesburg.

Wednesday March 17, 1897.—Mrs. Maye Bowers, Mrs. B. M. Shaw and Mrs. D. B. Clum attended the W. C. T. U. convention at Chanute last Wednesday.

Ed Mills leaves for Nebraska today. Albert Darr was in Parsons last Friday.

J. A. Kaylor of Parsons spent Sunday with J. R. Chrisman.

Mrs. Elcher who has been visiting in Morantown, returned yesterday.

Wm. Cebolt is erecting a new residence in the north part of town.

G. M. Coffman and wife were transacting business in Parsons Friday.

J. M. Green of Erie is visiting his daughter Mrs. J. C. Bell this week.

Only a very few have begun sowing oats, and the rain last night stopped them.

Mr. Gregg and wife of Parsons spent Sunday with the family of J. R. McNabb.

Rev. W. J. Hannan of the Brethren Faith preached in the M. E. church Sunday night.

Albert Darr went to California last Tuesday. He leaves many friends who wish him well.

G. M. Coffman assisted in the organization of an A. H. T. A. in Chanute last Saturday.

The M. E. Conference sent Rev. J. B. McNabb to Mound City, and Rev. Simmons comes to take charge here.

G. N. Jacobs and Fred Eagles were in Neodesha last week as delegates to the Christian church and Endeavor.

Miss Belle Francis closed a 6 months' term of school at Oak Grove in Grant Twp. last Friday and has come home, and Frank is all smiles.

Mrs. J. C. Bell returned from Chanute last Thursday where she had been visiting with H. B. Bell's, Chas. Braden's, and other friends.

Don't fail to see me before securing your flax seed to sow and get our terms. I will sell or loan flax for less price and better terms than ever before given. 4-16 S. A. WICKARD.

## Buy a Ticket.

There are many people who it is impossible for the soliciting committee of the G. A. R. Encampment to see although they are trying to do their best to do so and to these good people we wish to say please do not feel as though you had been intentionally slighted because this is not so. The committee will see all they can but any person wishing to contribute for this purpose any small sum they can do so by leaving the money with any member of the committees or any old soldier in the city. Another way in which any one can aid materially in helping Chanute to win a good name by this Encampment being held here, is to donate as much as you can in the purchase of tickets for the play "The German Volunteer." The tickets have been put at a price that all can reach, 25cents for general admission and 35 cents for reserved seats. If you desire to make a donation and at the same time get the full worth of your money buy a few tickets and thus help Chanute and the committee.

## LADIES:

— Mrs. C. M. Hurt has just re-

turned from the City with

a nice, new stock of spring millinery goods.

She has no old, shelf worn goods on hand, but everything is fresh and new. She has employed Miss Deppen.

An Experienced Trimmer Just from St. Louis.

and is prepared to give the latest eastern styles.

MRS. C. M. HURT.

## Wanted.

Wanted: One thousand bushels of cane seed in ten days. Bring seed or sample. Highest market prices paid. I have millet seed, timothy, clover, blue grass, Johnson grass seed, flax seed and castor bean seed. Call and see my seed and get prices before buying. 4-2 Office, Bacon Block, S. A. WICKARD.

## The Brother-in-Law in the Case

A case is to be tried at the coming May term of court which may be of considerable interest to the public, was filed last week, being an action of divorce brought by Chas. S. Fisher vs. Martha E. Fisher. The parties in interest reside at Benedict. The plaintiff in his petition charges his wife with gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty, and as some of the grounds for such allegations, states that owing to an unlawful attachment formed for Dr. W. M. Johnson, of Benedict, his brother-in-law, the defendant has become estranged from her husband and family during the past two years.

The verified petition cites a number of occasions when the defendant was seen in public places, submitting to Johnson's carresses and reciprocating the same. It is stated that anticipating the bringing of the suit, Johnson has fled the country, supposedly because of his wrong doing.

It is not yet known whether the defendant will contest the suit brought by her husband. The plaintiff asks the custody and control of the three minor children, and that he be adjudged the sole owner of the real and personal property accumulated by the couple in Benedict.—Fredonia Citizen.

## Flax Loan.

OUR SOWING FLAX IS NOW READY FOR DELIVERY, AND WILL BE PUT OUT ON VERY LIBERAL TERMS. WE HAVE CHOICE SEED, AND INVITE FARMERS TO CALL AND EXAMINE IT AND GET OUR TERMS.

OUR STOCK OF GARDEN AND FIELD SEEDS IS QUITE COMPLETE.

2-26tf MOREY & WINFIELD.

All a fellow has to do to run a newspaper is to be able to write a poem, discuss the tariff, umpire a baseball game, report a wedding, saw wood, beat a lawyer, describe a fire so that the reader will shed his wraps, make a dollar do the work of ten, shine a soiree, measure calico, abuse the liquor habit, test whisky, subscribe to charity, go without meals, attack free silver, defend bimetalism, sneer at snobbery, wear diamonds, overlook scandal, minister to the afflicted, heal the disgruntled, fight to a finish, set type, mould opinion, sweep the office, speak at prayer meeting, and stand it with everything and everything, and tell the exact truth, no more nor no less, as in the foregoing.—Neodesha Derrick.

Progress, Early Kansas, Older, Gregg and Nemaha Raspberry plants for sale at prices to suit the times. Humboldt Kansas. 3-26. J. A. HEATH.

A W. C. T. U. was organized at Buffalo last week with the following officers: President, Mrs. Emma McCann; corresponding secretary, Miss Mable Whittaker; recording secretary, Mrs. Jehnie Blackwood; treasurer, Mrs. Phoebe Hisey.

Usher Bros., the marble men can and will sell you monuments cheaper than any traveling agent, and you can see the work at their shop. No guess work about it. 3-5 tf.

H. P. Farrelly attended to business at Erie Wednesday.

## Flax Seed To Loan.

This will be a good year to sow flax. For choice seed and best terms call and see me. 4-16 S. A. WICKARD.

## POULTRY

I will pay you the following prices for poultry:

Chickens,	40c
Hens,	45c
Ducks,	60c
Geese,	50c
Turkeys, hens,	70c
" young toms,	60c
" old toms,	60c

John F. Barkley.

## HIE! OH!

They are here at last.

Those noted Budd's Baby Shoes in sizes from 2's to 11's, for which so many have been waiting. The prettiest and most durable shoe in the market for the money. Come at once and see them.

VISIT OUR FISH POND....

The finest kind of white fish can be caught for 5c per pound Columbia River red salmon, 7c per pound. 10-lb kits full weight mackerel for only 75 cents. Elegant bay fish at 4 cents per pound. Heinz' pint bottle catsup at 20 cents.

If you want high grade goods at lowest prices buy where they

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FOR SPOT CASH.

The Mammoth Racket

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Just Received another car load of

O. K. and Fancy Patent Flour

Our customers tell us it is the best they ever used. A choice lot of

Dried fruits just received,

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The Regulator

SHOE & CLOTHING HOUSE

are now receiving their new spring goods and are offering the best line of suits, both in black and mixtures, for less money than they were ever bought for before.

A number one black suit for \$8. All wool guaranteed.

A new spring style plad suit for \$8. Latest out colors guaranteed.

Give us a friendly call and look us over.

C. P. Garvin & Co.

S. W. STURDEVANT, President.

J. L. LYEN, Cashier.

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