

Aug 3, 1876

President
TUTHERIC
For Vice-President
William
of New York

The Hayes and Wheeler
boiled here contains at
least, and at last
the following officers: Ca-
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change pertinently remarks
is a satisfaction to know that
the man who puts a five dollar bill in
the contribution box, suffers from heat
just as much these days, as does the
one who puts in a counterfeit 25 cent
piece and takes out two ten cent pieces
in change."

The Kearney Press and Lincoln
Journal are just now using the
of Hank Dodge's murder in the
braska City prison, to fill their columns
with, notwithstanding the centennial
and president-making year is upon them.
The Press justifies and the Journal
condemns the deed.

Doublin Jack, a dirty drunken lout
of Lincoln, receives as much notice at
the hands of the Journal's local editor
as does the officers of the Penitentiary
praise. But great men whose reputa-
tion is irreproachable love to see their
names in print.

The republicans of Flag and Spring
creek precincts, Harlan county, have
resolved for honesty and capability in
their coming candidates, and will sup-
port no men who do not possess these
qualifications.

In speaking of the Republican City
News man, the Orleans Sentinel puts it
thusly: "When Flavius comes round
to investigate the farmers of Watson
and other parts of the county, they will
have an opportunity to expede Flavius,
or, in other words "to determine the
size of Flavius by his track."

The Center-Union Agricultural
Omaha, the only paper of the
the State, is recommended by the
Grange, and should, it, continue
chew politics, and fill the missive
name, the farming patron
good one, but this is the rock
many of its predecessors have
and we presume observation has
made by Mr. Brewster. As an
cultural paper it is a success.

It is now conceded, we believe,
nearly the entire State Ticket of
braska will be favorably mention
the State Convention for re-election,
although we are opposed to this re-
ion business on general principle
here are a number of the old off-

beaten to a froth. Stir the
will and drop on pan with a fork
RICE CREAM.—Mix four
ground rice and half a pound of
dered sugar in two quarts of
cream with two raw eggs beate
for a quick fire continually
then strain through
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lin 2; Frontier 4; Furnas 3; Gage 7; Gree
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ton 7; Harlan 8; Hitchcock 2; Howard 3;
Jefferson 6; Johnson 5; Kearney 2; Keith
1; Knox 2; Lancaster 15; Lincoln 4; Madi-
son 4; Merrick 5; Nemaha 6; Nuckolls 2;
Otoe 8; Pawnee 3; Phelps 1; Pierce 1;
Platte 3; Polk 5; Red Willow 2; Richard-
son 9; Saline 7; Sargent 4; Saunders 9; Sew-
ard 6; Sherman 2; Stanton 2; Thayer 3
Valley 1; Wagoner 6; Wayne 1; Web-
ster 3; Wheeler 1.

A trip across the country from the At-
lantic Ocean to Orleans, Nebraska, has
shown us a corn or wheat crops equal
to those in Nebraska, and nowhere in
Nebraska do they excel those crops in
the Republican Valley. Wheat harvest
in this Valley is now in active progress.
The yield will be good and the quality
excellent.—Orleans Sentinel.

The details of the Hamburg massacre
which we present in a condensed form to-
day, are sickening in the extreme. It is
a strange political party that uphold
such atrocious murders, and attempts to
make political capital of them. Yes
the Democratic press at Hamburg men do
look upon it as a party victory.

A good suit of broad cloth may alter
the color of a man's face, but it cannot
change his nature. Disguising
promises may please
the ear, but it remains
power, deceptive; danger-
ous to the public confidence.

Hamburg Massacre.
The brilliant achievements of the
company was the almost cold-
blooded murder of a company of colored
men at Hamburg, South Carolina, on
the 4th of July. The brief particulars
of the company were parading the
streets on the 4th; met by a dandy bug-
le outfit; party ensued, resulting in the
killing of the men giving the road; warrants were
issued for the arrest of officers, who
believing they would receive violence

And By-Laws of the Franklin County
Agricultural Association.

PREAMBLE.—We, the undersigned
residents of Franklin county, Nebraska,
for the purpose of mutual benefit and to
promote the agricultural interests of said
county, hereby enter into an association
which shall be known as the Franklin
County Agricultural Association, and do
hereby adopt the following constitution
and by-laws:

CONSTITUTION.

1st. The Franklin County Agricul-
tural Association is organized according to
the provisions of Chap. 2d, Sec. 1st of
the General Statutes of Nebraska, entitled
"Agricultural."

2d. The officers of the Association
shall be a president, vice-president, sec-
retary, corresponding secretary, treas-
urer, and a board of nine directors, all
of whom shall be members of the Asso-
ciation.

3d. All persons over the age of 16
years, may become members of this As-
sociation for life, by paying into the
treasury the sum of ten dollars and sub-
scribing to the articles of incorporation.

4th. Five members shall constitute a
quorum at any meeting of the Associa-
tion.

5th. This constitution may be altered
or amended at annual meetings by a vote
of two-thirds of the members present.

BY-LAWS.

1st. This Association shall hold at least
two meetings in each year: one in Jan-
uary, the day to be fixed by the presi-
dent, who shall advise the secretary,
who shall notify each member of the
board, and the voters, on the last day of
the annual fair.

2d. The annual election of officers
shall be by ballot and shall take place at
the meeting on the last day of the fair,
and the officers then chosen shall hold
their several offices for one year and un-
til their successors are chosen and qual-
ified.

3d. It shall be the duty of the presi-
dent to preside at all meetings of the As-
sociation, to call special meetings, decide
all points of order that may arise, sub-
ject to customary rules, and to have gen-
eral supervision over the affairs of the
Association.

4th. It shall be the duty of the vice-
president to perform all the duties of the
president during his absence.

5th. It at any meeting of the Associa-
tion, it shall appear that neither the
president nor vice-president are present,
the meeting may choose a president pro
tempore, as also in the absence of the
secretary, a secretary pro tem. may be
chosen.

6th. It shall be the duty of the secre-
tary to record the proceedings of all
meetings of the Association, and to take
charge of all papers and documents usu-
ally belonging to his office as secretary,
and also to audit all accounts of the
treasurer, and to certify as to the cor-
rectness thereof, and to present the same
to the directors annually at their meeting
in January, to transact all business of
the Association and shall annually receive
a salary of \$20.

7th. It shall be the duty of the treas-
urer to receive and receipt for all moneys
paid into the funds of the Association,
and to hold the same subject to the order
of the secretary, countersigned by the
president; to open an office on the fair
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election business on general principle
there are a number of the old office
who have, so far as the people are
aware of, filled their trusts with hon-
or to themselves and credit to the State,
and whom we should like to see retained
in their places. Among whom is Gov.
Garber, who, so far as we know, merits
the esteem of his constituency, and has
the explicit confidence of his Valley
friends, as he did when he entered upon
the duties of his office.

Franklin Co. Teachers' Association. Programme for Aug. 12, 1876.

A. M.—Open by singing and roll call.
1—Select reading by John Herbison; 2—
Essay by T. G. Thomas; 3—Miscellaneous.
P. M.—1—Uses of grammar, and best
mode of teaching the same; 2—Select
reading, by Miss Rosa Schlegel; 3—Rec-
itation, by J. A. Van Camp; 4—Theory
and practice of teaching—General dis-
cussion. Singing. L. F. FISH,
Secretary.

The above programme for the next
meeting is printed for the benefit of
those who wish to attend, and it would,
be well, and very appropriate, for many
of our teachers and friends of education,
to attend and be well prepared to co-
operate under the miscellaneous head.
This head embraces many subjects cal-
culated to be interesting to all, and the
more there are who participate the more
encouragement, and the better time can
be had. Teachers should study well
their calling, and not be called by other
motives than the true ones. To do this
attention should be given in all direc-
tions by which a better knowledge of
the public wants and demands for their
children can be had.

On Election morn in November.
Arise and dress yourself with care;
Don a "biled shirt" and comb your hair,
Go to the polls and stay right thaire;
Sean each voter with zealous cair
Don't let him scratch from the small papaire
A single name that it may baire:
See that it has each electaire.
That votes for Hayes and Bill Wheelaire.
Be sure the man, if a foreignaire.
Has his citizenship papaire,
And if you doubt, just make him swaire
He's a right to vote at that poll thaire;
Go to bed early—go sobaire,
And in the morning your papaire
Will tell who's won—Hayes and wheelaire.

...of a compa... colored
at Hamburg, South Carolina, on
the 5th of July. The brief particulars
The company were parading the
on the 4th; met by a dandy bug-
outfit; parley ensued, resulting in the
giving the road; warrants were
issued for the arrest of officers, who
feeling they would receive violence
used to appear before the justice, who
returned court. On the 8th, red-hot
rods for miles round came in armed and
demanded the surrender of arms of the
colored men, who were at their armory,
which they refused to do. Then a dead-
ly fire was opened upon the building,
with a piece of artillery. The blacks
attempted to escape by the back door,
and a number were killed, twenty-five
of them captured, and next day five of
the number were called out, one by one,
and deliberately shot dead in the presence
of a large assembly of people.

Board Meeting.

The Board of Directors of the Frank-
lin county Agricultural Association met
at Bloomington, July 22d, 1876. Pres-
ent, Messrs. Deary, Worth, Dorsey,
Peery, Light and Haynes.

On motion Mr. S. Peery was called to
the chair.

Mr. James Greenwood, the Treasurer
presented his bond according to
law and was approved and accepted.

It was carried that a committee of
three be appointed by the chair to look
up a location for permanent grounds,
the terms upon which same can be se-
cured, etc., and to report at next meet-
ing of the Board. Said committee con-
sist of Messrs. Worth, Deary and Haynes.

It was moved and adopted that the
Secretary be authorized to procure the
printing of 200 certificates of member-
ships and procure 200 promissory notes
for the use of the association.

It was also moved and adopted that
the Treasurer be instructed to collect the
several accounts subscribed on member-
ships on or before the 1st of September,
1876—one half cash and one half in notes.

It was further moved and carried that
a committee of three be appointed by the
chair to prepare a premium list for the
forthcoming fair, and also to construct a
series of rules and regulations for the
governance of the Association, to be sub-
mitted to the consideration of the
Board at next practicable period.

Upon the Board adjourned to
Bloomington at 7 o'clock p. m.,
Sunday July 29, 1876.

S. PEERY, Chairman.

F. VAN DER BEEK, Secy.

7th. It shall be the duty of the treas-
urer to receive and receipt for all moneys
paid into the funds of the Association,
and to hold the same subject to the order
of the secretary, countersigned by the
president; to open an office on the fair
grounds during the annual fair, and col-
lect all moneys due the society for ad-
mittance, both rents, etc., under the
supervision of the board of directors.
Previous to entering upon his duties as
treasurer he shall give bond in the sum
of two thousand dollars for the faithful
application of all moneys coming into his
hands by virtue of his office, said bond
to be filed with the secretary of the As-
sociation with two approved surties,
and it shall further be the duty of the
treasurer to submit his accounts with
proper vouchers in writing annually at
least two days before the meeting in Jan-
uary to the secretary to be audited and
approved by him, and the treasurer shall
receive for such services the sum of one
per cent on all money collected.

8th. It shall be the duty of the board
of directors to have a general supervis-
ion of the affairs of the organization sub-
ject to the order of the Association when
in session, the laws of incorporation and
these by-laws.

9th. No person can enter articles or
animals for exhibition or compete for
premiums except as provided by regula-
tions.

10th. All life membership certificates
are transferable.

11th. All members of this Association
and their families shall have free admis-
sion to the fairs held under the direction
of the Association, and shall be entitled
to make entries and exhibits free.

Published by order of directors.

Articles of Incorporation of the Franklin Co. Neb. Agricul- tural Association.

ARTICLE 1st; The undersigned resi-
dents of Franklin County Nebraska, do
hereby associate themselves together and
propose to become incorporated under
the law of the state of Nebraska.

ART. 2; This association shall be known
as "The Franklin Co. Agricultural As-
sociation.

ART. 3; The principal place of trans-
acting the business of this Association
shall be at the town of Bloomington. In
Franklin County Nebraska.

ART. 4; The general nature of the busi-
ness to be transacted by this Association
shall be the improvement of agriculture
and the promotion of the interests of
Agriculture and horticulture.

ART. 5; The amount of capital stock of
of this Association shall not exceed five
thousand dollars.

ART. 6; The highest amount of indebted-

mail arrives from the east (Kearney) daily at 4:30 p. m., and departs at 7:00 a. m. Mail arrives daily from the west at 9 a. m. and departs at 5 p. m. Office hours from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. SOL, MALES, POSTMASTER.

RELIGIOUS—Methodist Episcopal services at the school house in Bloomington, the 1st Sunday of each month, at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. C. R. TOWNSEND, Pastor.

Preaching at the school house, in Bloomington, by Rev Thomas Maxlow, Baptist, on alternate Sabbaths, receding from the first Sabbath in March, at 11 a. m., and the third Sabbath at 7 p. m., and on Rebecca Creek alternate times of said days.

I. O. O. F.—Pioneer Lodge No. 45, meets at Riverton Neb., every Saturday evening. Transient brethren invited to drop in. A. J. WESTON, N. G. C. B. CHILDS, Secretary.

A. F. AND A. M.—Riverton Lodge, A. F. and A. M., U. D., regular meetings 3d Saturday night of each month, at Masonic Hall, in Riverton Neb. Brethren in good standing cordially invited to meet with us. J. R. McDONALD, W. M. J. D. GAGE, Secretary.

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Thursday, Aug. 3, 1876.
LOCAL MATTERS.

NOTICE.—Hereafter the GUARD will be printed EVERY WEDNESDAY EVENING. All matters for publication should be handed in not later than Tuesday night, for that week's paper. By this change we can reach most of our readers the same week the paper is printed, which we can not do on Saturday.

Not quite so hot as has been.
Corn is King this year on the Valley.
Bring in your Centennial products now.
Death has robbed us of a valuable citizen.
The road is traveled straight down to the bridge now.
Cucumbers and cholera morbus will be plenty in a few days.
Wheat is still being harvested—is of good quality and great quantity.
Muxlow & Gage took charge of the Turkey Creek mill last week.
The Franklin Co. delinquent tax list will be issued as a supplement this week.
Mr. Bagwell brings us a half bushel of the nicest new potatoes we have seen.
Bran splinter new threshing machines are introducing themselves for business.
A No. 1, well broke yoke of 4 year old cattle for sale. G. W. SHEPPARD.
A corn field, on the Kastor place east of town, is as good as any we have seen this season.
Bring in your vegetables, no matter how small the amount, every cent will be properly credited.
Mr. Worth has kindly furnished us with samples of bundled wheat for the centennial exhibition.
Base ball is banging up our boys' fingers and thumbs considerable lately, but the game goes on all the same.
J. J. Shaffer, of this county, has some of as fine clover grass, of the second year's growth as you can wish to see.
The permanent Agricultural Association is receiving a great deal of encouragement from different parts of the county.
We hope to visit nearly every part of the county during the next few weeks.

Hon. Evan Worthing Drops Dead in the Land Office.

On Thursday near one o'clock p. m., the citizens of this place were started by the receipt of the news that Mr. Worthing was dead, or apparently so, as strenuous efforts were made to bring him to life, but all to no avail—life had departed from the first. He was sitting on a chair behind the counter, conversing part of the time with Mr. Eaton and Marshal, who were engaged in writing at the time, upon some minor topic of the day, completed his sentence and dropped in a reclining position on his chair—dead!—the vital thread of life had parted, and he passed to another existence, instantly, quietly and without the least struggle.

His sudden death was of that nature peculiar to many of his temperament, not a very rare occurrence in a populous community, but exactly what was the cause, whether paralysis, dropsy of the chest, or something else, there was a difference of opinion, and is doubtless a case which would puzzle the scientist.

Mr. Worthing has not enjoyed good health for some time, and a trip up the Valley lately in the heat, doubtless hastened his death many days, if not years, as he showed signs of great fatigue on his return.

The entire community feel that they have met with a great loss; everybody feels as though they had lost a friend—a brother, almost—for, in truth, beside being a good, honest and upright citizen, he was almost universally a friend to everybody. No one worthy of confidence, that we know of, was ever refused a reasonable favor at his hands.

Though an Englishman by birth, he had thoroughly Americanized views, and a true western man, having been a citizen of this State for the past twenty years.

Evan Worthing was born in old Radnor Walton near Kingston Herfordshire, England, in the year 1830, and is consequently 46 years old. He came to America when at the age of twenty years; resided some time in Chicago, thence to Wisconsin, Omaha and Brownville, Neb., arriving at the latter place in 1856, where he has resided most of the time until appointed Receiver of the new U. S. Land Office at Lowell in 1872 and moved to Bloomington in 1874. He was married in Brownville in 1860, and now leaves a wife and eight children to mourn his untimely death. The oldest of the children is 14, and there are four boys and four girls. His family, however, he leaves in good circumstances, financially. His remains were buried north of town, for the present, on Saturday last, with appropriate ceremonies, and at 11 a. m., on Sunday, Elder I. N. Grout preached the funeral sermon, at the McGowen building, to a large audience. A good citizen, kind husband and indulgent parent has thus been taken from our midst, and while we realize the fact, let us extend a hearty sympathy to the bereaved family.

Personal.

Elder Martin was in town Tuesday. Hon. Webster Eaton and lady were in Kearney over Sunday last. Chas. E. McPherson, of Republican City, spent last Friday in town. Mrs. C. H. Walker has gone on a visit to the eastern part of the state. Mr. Allen took a spin around to Smith Center, Kansas, one day last

Mrs. deClerey will be in attendance upon the State Normal Institute, at Hastings, which convenes this week; as also will others from this county.

W. C. Holden, of Harlan county, was down Saturday, last, and interviewed our town. He is now a happy grainger and a new pa.

J. S. Gillham, of the Red Cloud Chief, took us by the hand while in town Saturday. Mr. Gillham, beside wielding a Fabar on the Chief, is one of the promising young attorneys of that place.

Miss Ida Presson returned Friday evening last week, from Neb. City, where she has been during the past year attending school. She is to remain during the summer and will be heartily welcomed by her former friends.

Mr. J. C. Delano, of Macon, dropped in for a chat the other day, very much to our gratification. He is enjoying renewed health since his abstinence from the use of tobacco, and tells of a visit in that precinct lately, where five generations were present, including himself, his wife and mother, they being the oldest. We doubt if any one else in Franklin county can beat this visit.

Mr. F. A. Harman returned last Tuesday evening. After assisting to nominate his man at the St. Louis convention, he made the round trip to the Centennial exhibition and his old home in the East. The exhibition, he says, is immense, as also is the heat in the cities, being several degrees more oppressive than here when the thermometer indicates the same figures, and the mean temperature all over the country is the highest on record. He brings a few curiosities, among which is a cane from the Turkish department, and a rose of Jerico—a little dried up root and branch, which, by placing in water, can be brought to life and bloom repeatedly.

Democratic Co. Central Committee.

The Democratic County Central Committee will meet at Bloomington, Saturday, Aug. 12th 1876, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of calling a county convention to elect delegates to the State Democratic Convention. The following is a list of members: Turkey Creek Precinct, Eli Brown and Samuel Hisey. Ash Grove, Geo Thayer and Jas Jackson. Macon, Robt Douglas & D. W. Stevenson. Bloomington, Frank M. Vance and John W. Deary. Grant, D L Eastwood and Chas Lohff. Franklin, Thos Ashby and J T. Beams. Oak Grove, O. E. Barber and Fred. A. Harman. North Franklin, W. Thompson. A full attendance is requested. F. A. HARMAN, Chairman, I. V. SMITH, Secretary.

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couragement from different parts of the
county.

We hope to visit nearly every part of
the county during the next few weeks
and speak of the crops and improve-
ments, etc.

We are requested by the Superin-
tendant to announce that the Teachers'
Association will be held on the 12th
day of August at this place.

Four persons will be initiated into
the Good Templar's lodge at this place
Saturday night, and yet there is room
for more.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. A. K.
Kinnear, of Riverton, received a paral-
ytic stroke Saturday last, the particulars
of which we have not obtained.

The "County Agricultural Society"
and the "County Agricultural Associa-
tion," are two flourishing institutions in
the county at present.

Two or three fine showers of rain this
week has made a wonderful improve-
ment in the appearance and prospect of
growing vegetation, and corn will be a
great success on the Valley this year.

A good race track has been fitted up
just north of town, where the boys try
the speed of their equines frequently,
and those around the country who want
a little sport can have it by putting in
an appearance with their stock.

The board of directors of the Agri-
cultural Association met last Saturday
and made provision for issuing certifi-
cates of membership Monday last, and
appointed Deary, Worth and Haynes a
committee to buy grounds for the As-
sociation.

We go east for goods Aug 1st and
would be pleased to have those who we
have accommodated by book account
accommodate us by calling and squaring
up their accounts.

Buck & Greenwood.

H. B. Holmes received, a short time
since, 200 pounds of maple sugar, of
the nicest grade, from the east. Of
course we haven't had any but maple
syrup and wafers biscuits ain't bad to
take, and we speak from experience. If
you doubt it ask H. B.

farm - We will have for sale an A No. 1
water, good improve-
ments and splendid
trains, very cheap.

City, spent last Friday in town.
Mrs. C. H. Walker has gone on a visit
to the eastern part of the state.

Mr. Allen took a spin around to
Smith Center, Kansas, one day last
week.

The editor was in Lincoln last week,
as member of the Republican State Cen-
tral Committee, which met on the 26th.

A brother-in-law and his family, to
our townsman, Mr. Geo. Sheppard, are
visiting here now.

Mrs. Males presents the editor with a
beautiful bouquet of tame flowers, but we
are too full for utterance in this issue.

Capt. R. B. Presson, of our town, is
spending a few days at Beatrice and oth-
er points in Gage county.

Elder. J. N. Webb, of Ashland Neb.,
preached in this place, Sabbath evening
last, to a fair audience.

D. L. Ashby, "took in" Red Cloud
Juniatta and other points this week, but
for just what purpose we do not know.

Thos. Connelly and lady and their
two bright eyed children, from Republi-
can City, were in town Tuesday. Thos
is just as jolly and enjoys life to the full-
est as usual.

General C. J. Dilworth, present Dist.
attorney in this district, from Phelps Co,
was in town last week, but we were gone
and did not meet him. We are told
that the Gen'l is a candidate for re-elec-
tion.

Gov. Garber and Hon. H. S. Kaley,
the former from Lincoln and the latter
from Red Cloud, were in town this week,
and made us pleasant calls. The Gov.
finds a great increase in our settlements
since his last visit to this part of the val-
ley, some four years ago. His health
has been poorly for the past few weeks,
and this trip will no doubt, prove very
beneficial, as well as pleasurable. Mr.
Kaley has just returned from Cincinnati,
having visited Philadelphia and other
cities, while absent.

Hon. Thomas Harlan, of Rep. City,
was down last Saturday, and called on
the GUARD. He is to be the valley's
contingent congressman candidate, we
are told, and if a long residence in the
state, good ability, and earnest work, are
qualifications, the choice is a wise one.

The GUARD has received many words
of praise lately, from its patrons at
home and abroad.

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prices and quality of goods and invite the
people of this and adjoining counties

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