

THE HAYS FREE PRESS

The Football Season.

The State Agricultural College is all aglow over their football prospects for this year with fifty aspirants for first team, many of them old players, to select from. Their schedule is as follows, and for the first time in the history of the college the team will cross the state line to compete with a team of another state. The schedule for this year is the strongest that ever confronted a gridiron from this school:

- October 10—Kansas at Lawrence.
 - October 20—Oklahoma at Manhattan.
 - October 26—Ottawa at Manhattan.
 - November 7—Creighton at Omaha.
 - November 14—Oklahoma Aggies—Manhattan.
 - November 21—Washburn—Topeka.
 - Thanksgiving—Colorado Aggies—Manhattan.
- The famous St. Mary's club are also up to work with seventy-five men to select from and announce these games:
- October 3—Wesleyan University at St. Mary's.
 - October 3—Campbell college vs. S. M. C. second team at Holton.
 - October 10—Southwestern college.
 - October 17—William Jewell college at St. Mary's.
 - October 21—Washburn college.
 - October 24—Campbell college vs. S. M. C. second team.
 - October 31—Haskell Indians.
 - November 7—Fairmount college.
 - November 21—Kansas State Normal.
 - Thanksgiving day—Cooper College at St. Mary's.

Ellis Review Notes:

"A letter from the Hays High school asks for three football games. The boys have not yet decided to organize a team here. We expect that for the size of the town Ellis has more young people away attending school than any town in the state. They are scattered all over the state and will make good in the studies they are taking. The grain buyers of Hays have been having a nice time and incidentally the farmers have been getting the best of it. They have been paying as high as 92 cents per bushel for wheat and the streets are lined with teams all day long. Considerable wheat has been coming to Ellis and while the price has not been quite as high as at Hays it has been fair, from 88 to 90 cents."

Guns Forbiden.

Pressing with gun or dog on the northwest fourth and south half of section 34 in township 14, range 18, south of reservation is positively prohibited under penalty of the law. Keep off. 44-tf

"Alfalfa."

A unique publication has just been issued by the Kansas Agricultural Experiment Station. It is a bulletin on alfalfa to which nine members of the Station staff have contributed, each in reference to that phase of the subject with which he is most familiar. The bulletin contains summarized re-statements of the contents of previous bulletins on the subject issued by the Station, the supply of which is exhausted, and also includes much new matter as well as some of the more important results obtained by other experiment stations. One hundred sixty-five pages, including sixty illustrations, are required for the subject, which is treated in fourteen distinct articles. The bulletin will be sent free to all Kansas farmers who request it.

A Week's Experience.

The year had gloomily begun For Willie Weeks, a poor man's SUN. He was beset with bill and dun, And he had very little MON. "This cash," said he, "won't pay my dues, I've nothing here but ones and TUES." A bright thought struck him and he said, "The rich Miss Goldrocks I will WED." But when he paid his court to her, She lapsed but firmly said, "No, THUR." "Alas," said he, then I must die!" His soul went where they say souls FRI. They found his gloves and coat and hat, And the coroner then upon them SAT. —Success Magazine.

Increase in Use of Cement.

Four and a half million barrels of Portland cement have lately been bought by the Panama Canal Commission for use on the canal. It is to be shipped at the rate of not less than two thousand barrels a day, and the contractors must ship ten thousand barrels a day if that amount is called for. The cement industry in America is not much more than twenty-five years old. The total product of the country in 1880 was forty-two thousand barrels, or only enough to supply the minimum demands of the canal commission for twenty-one days. Last year nearly fifty million barrels were made here, and the use of cement has only just begun. Some architects are afraid to recommend it to their clients, but others have built large and ornate structures out of it.—Youth's Companion.

LOCAL NEWS.

Ralph Abbott is kept busy now-a-days drilling wells.

Walter Griffith is home from his vacation trip to Dakota.

Ice Cream, pure and delicious. Sodas and Sandaas at HARKNESS' 28-tf

The Ellis autos are here about every day in use by the traveling men.

Miss Nellie Reeder left this week for her school work in Massachusetts.

H. H. Pierce is showing some fine corn raised on his farm in Russell county.

Della Gosser has gone to Monta Ra to join her husband who is stationed there.

More Post Cards at Spratt's Book Store than at all other stores in Hays combined. 44-tf

Dave Lashelle was in town Saturday and tells that his well auger is working every day.

The new barber shop in the Bissing building on South Chestnut street is kept busy all the time.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Missionary Society gave a fine supper at Mrs. Alex Philip's last Friday.

Miss Mable Edwards returned this week to attend our excellent school another year.

Mrs. Walter Paul reports a lovely trip east and was sorry her trip was so soon over.

A few of the celebrated Glenfield Folding Tablets can still be found at Spratt's Book Store. 44-tf

Tuesday the sun passed over the equator. Summer is gone and fall is here for three months.

John Miller has closed his deal, sold his farm and bought the Leiker grocery store on South Main street.

Work at installing the machinery in the new mill will soon begin. A big force of men are rushing the work on the inside.

J. S. Lang, late of Maryland and an experienced hand in postoffice work, has been appointed as deputy postmaster in Hays.

Tablets and all kinds of school supplies are not a side line with us, it is our principal business, therefore Spratt's Book Store is the place to buy. 44-tf

G. M. Cox will now go into the handling of apples, potatoes, etc. in connection with his warehouse and is having a cold storage pit dug near there.

Henry Tholen of Victoria took a spin to Grinnell, eighty-five miles, on Thursday on his Indian motorcycle, making it in a few minutes over three hours.

Gove county had its first Teachers' Association to-day, meeting at Quinter, with Fred Lindly and Miss Alice Freese, Normal school graduates, on the program.

The probate judge has issued marriage licenses to Adam Younger of Hays and Margaret Korbe of Munjor. Philip Kinling and Barbara Ambruster, both of Hays.

Water rent bills went out this week. Next week the sprinkling season closes. If you want to keep your lawn beautiful hand the city clerk an extra dollar for October sprinkling.

There is so much work at the hotel, the boys having done so much better than was expected, that Miss Mamie Mulroy has resigned as the deputy postmaster and will oversee the dining room of the Windsor.

W. F. Cibra of the Holyrood, Kansas Land Firm was here this week in his auto attending to their land work. They have sold much land here and have many more who are anxious to get into this prosperity county.

Kansas are now mourning over the death of Frank H. Snow, the first chancellor of the State University and who made the institution known all over the world. He has been feeble for a year and went to Wisconsin for his health where he died Sunday.

Have You a Farm? We have customers for Ellis county land. Send us a description of your farm and lowest price and we believe we can find you a customer. Our charges are reasonable. Address: CIPRA & STRATHMAN, Holyrood, KAN.

The Grinnell Record tells of a nice rain that section had last week. Also this news of our Walker people of the Angeles colony:

"A baby boy was born Friday to Herman Robben, Jr. and wife of Angeles. Parties from Victoria were in Grinnell this week looking over the Royal hotel property with a view to making some sort of a deal for the hotel, fixtures, etc. The prospective purchaser bears a good business appearance. Dick Tholen was instrumental in bringing him here to consider a deal."

This is the best hotel in that town. It is Mr. Benton of Walker, the merchant, who is talking of buying.

Soda Water of Quality at HARKNESS' 28-tf

Frank Stent was in town last Saturday on business.

The Methodist church last Sunday evening was crowded.

Mrs. J. L. Loutzenhiser has a sister here attending our public school.

If you want a family auto see the chance offered in another column.

The inside of the new mill is now being sprayed with a waterproof wash.

Mrs. Isaac Zeigler and son George visited friends in Kansas City this week.

Wm. Butts has finished the plastering of the Shively cottage on Normal avenue.

Every thing in Musical instruments from a piano to a jew's harp at Spratt's Book Store. 44-tf

Burning rubbish and grass is the general order of work in the yards around town.

G. H. Robben of Victoria has traded his stock of goods for some lots on Normal avenue.

Candidates are now beginning to hustle around and are handing their cards to the voter as a reminder.

The excavation for the cellar of the new Telephone building on Fort street is completed.

Try a little WANT ADVER in this paper and see if it does not bring results. They always do.

The regents of the State Normal School met here this Friday to transact their general business.

FO-TO-KO, the perfect picture holder, better than an album for your photographs at Spratt's Book Store. 44-tf

Farmer Frank Slaughter, who lives near Ellis, was here on Thursday arranging to place his son in the State Normal.

We offer for sale a range almost new at our house on Fort and Juniata St. 44-tf

John Devore has returned from his trip to Kiowa county and is back on the Saline to help out in the feed crop gathering.

A petition is being circulated for the release of young Thurston from the Hutchinson Reformatory, his father being in feeble health.

News comes that our former residents, John Gerken and family are now nicely located in Lawrence and that Frank Motz is rooming there.

John Hall this week shipped two cars of cattle to the Kansas City market, the Moore brothers of Lookout township three cars and Beale of the Saline five cars.

The Ohio House that Mrs. Bannister fitted up for Normal students to room in has been rented as a hotel again. The students evidently preferred private houses.

The weather still being dry farmers are taking advantage of the time by bringing their wheat to town and our streets are daily crowded with wagon loads of wheat.

Rosa Hoffman, the Manhattan butcher who bought the Frank King meat market is now in full charge and Frank is preparing to take charge of the Wagner restaurant next week.

If you want to sell something—if you want to buy something, chip in a quarter and try this paper and you will find the notice will bring results. Try it. Others have and have succeeded.

Last Saturday while James Westbrook and another boy were out hunting the gun suddenly went off and put some shot into Westbrook's foot, causing him to use crutches for a time. Lucky it was not worse.

Bulletin No. 155 from the Experiment Station at Manhattan, Kansas, is entitled "Alfalfa." The subject is discussed by nine authors, each in his own field, and Kansas farmers who desire the bulletin may obtain it free of charge. It is a handsome pamphlet of one hundred sixty pages, including sixty illustrations.

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"Dolly Varden" Chocolates at HARKNESS' 22-tf

It's the grocer's goods marked Lee that sell quickly. 38-tf

Miss Susie Mullen is now clerking in the Racket Store.

Frank King made a business trip to Ellis Thursday.

John Adkins has gone east on his annual vacation.

Don't take chances on food products—Use Lee Brand. 38-tf

Another cottage is to be built at the Experiment Station.

Mrs. W. B. Brown visited friends in Kansas City this week.

John Freese of Hays was a Salina visitor Friday.—Salina Journal.

Miss Boise entertained her girl friends at six o'clock tea on Saturday last.

"If it isn't an Eastman, it isn't a kodak." HARKNESS has kodaks and supplies. 21-tf

Many farmers are now cutting their fourth crop of alfalfa and each crop is a good one.

A view from the top of the new mill shows new houses being built in all parts of the city.

Look for the brand on canned goods and see that what you use bears the Lee Trade Mark. 38-tf

Joe Ryan is again attending the State University, having enjoyed his summer vacation.

Mrs. Helen Strohmer went to Junction City Thursday night to make a visit to her daughter.

Word comes that O. H. McQuarry, Jr. will be here in a few days with men who want Ellis county land.

Father Wood of Plainville was here Sunday with his little runabout auto taking his friends for a pleasure ride.

Spratt's store has added a post-card rack that is complete and shows over 7000 cards at this time to select from.

The World's Scrap Book will hold and index for ready reference 500 to 1000 clippings. See Spratt's Book Store. 44-tf

Mr. and Mrs. Gerhart leave for their home in Pennsylvania this Saturday night after a pleasant visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Trinkle and son left on Monday night for their home at LeCygne, Kansas, after a pleasant visit at the Schwaller home.

The ironing of the outside of the new mill much improves its appearance. Asbestos fire proof paper is being put under the iron.

A large crowd was in attendance at the Lutheran Ladies' Aid Society supper served at the home of Mrs. H. B. Kohl Thursday evening.

This office has gotten out for Cox & Son some very complete duplicate sale tabs. See them and let us get you out a bunch for your store.

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Something new for Elks and Eagles.

If you are an Elk you want an Elk Vest.
If you are an Eagle you want an Eagle Vest.
They are all the rage amongst the members of these Orders. Call and see them.
HAVE YOU SEEN my new fall line of Suiting and Overcoating, etc. They Are Handsome.

A. M. McKIE

THE HAYS TAILOR
PHONE NO. 90
OPP. 1ST NAT. BANK.

Mr. & Mrs. Zeigler have been back east, visited the largest of the wholesale stores and saw beautiful goods.

They have bought the handsomest ever brought to Hays, all styles and prices will be reasonable. Come inspect the goods.

ZEIGLER'S

Remember our store is the Largest in Hays City. Our prices low as the lowest. Come see our goods before buying elsewhere.

Watch for the notice in this paper when the goods arrive and our display ready. Don't miss it.

"Success Magazine" for October.

"Success Magazine" for October contains a significant political article by Henry Needham, entitled "Why the President is for Taft," in which Mr. Roosevelt gives his own reasons for wishing Taft to be his successor. In the same number Alexander Irvine tells of a social experiment in a New York Fifth Avenue church. Walter Weyl describes "The Extraordinary Street Cars of New York" and Charlotte Perkins Gilman discourses upon "The Woman of Fifty."

The stories of the month are "A Lodge in the Wilderness," by Sir Gilbert Parker; "The Campaign Back Home," by Eugene Wood; "A Father by Purchase," by Elizabeth Payne; "The Jelly of Madam Dorpat," by Jennette Marks; "As the Drummer Told It," by Charles Battell Loomis, and the second part of "Diana and the Duke," by Emery Pottle.

There are poems by Strickland W. Gilliland, Mary Roberts Rinehart, Edna S. Valentine, Edmund Vance Cooke and John Kendrick Bangs.

Orison Swett Marden's editorial is entitled, "We Do What We Have To." The cover design is by J. C. Leyendecker.

Police at the Hall.

Lately the back row fellows at the G. A. R. hall have become exceedingly noisy, often insulting to the ladies and patrons of the hall until some have stopped attending entertainments.

The management have now put a policeman there who will remove from the hall at once all future offenders or if need be let them appear before the Police Court for "trimmings." This is a proper move and will help the attendance accordingly.

Church Notes.

The Sunday Schools and young people's societies will meet in their respective churches as usual. The other services will be held in the Tent.

It is in the Tent. It begins Sunday morning. They are evangelist Conoley and Singer Grant. It is you who are invited.

New Craft.

There seems to be a new graft. An outfit in Kansas City agrees to pay \$10 per ton for old newspapers and \$17 per ton for magazines. The ladies of two churches recently undertook to gather up a car load of old papers and magazines, and succeeded in collecting all told about twelve or thirteen tons. They hardly realized how much it took to fill a car to even pay the freight.

List Your Farms.

I have several customers for farms in this county. If yours is for sale let me know, a reasonable price will bring a buyer. See C. W. MILLER, 43-3t Hays, Kansas.

A Big Sacrifice.

\$1367 buys a '06 5 passenger Franklin Touring car; fully equipped, top, lamps, speedometer, glass front, chain grips, extra tires and tire cases, inner tubes, cost new \$3150; guaranteed and will accept first offer. G. D. ADAMS, 44-2t Topeka, Kans.

Senator Wells started for Kansas City Tuesday morning with a couple cars of cattle from his ranch.—Hill City Republican.

He must be getting ready for his campaign, which costs money, to serve the dear people at \$3 a day.

Hays City Book store

is the place to buy your School Books and School supplies.

Everything in the Book and Stationary line.

Stationers' sundries, Cigars, Tobacco, Pipes and Smokers supplies. We also carry in stock PIANOS and all kind of musical instruments of the Salina Music Co.

Don't forget the Place,
First door north of Post Office.
Phone No. 96.

J. H. SPRATT