Elk County Advocate

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THURSDAY, JUNE 5, 1873.

MEETING OF THE REPUBLICAN COUNTY COMMITTEE.

The members of the Republican County Committee, are requested to meet in Ridgway, on Tuesday, June 10th 1873, to transact such business as may come before them.

By Order,
E. SOUTHER, Chairman.

The Game Law.

We have received with the compliments of Governor Hartranft, a pamphlet containing the General Laws of the last session of our Legislature. It contains only 104 pages, while the special laws will no doubt make a large volume. This law provides that squirrels shall not be killed between January 1st, and July 1st; hares between February 1st and October 1st; wild turkey between January 1st and October 1st; plover between January 1st and August 1st; snipe between April 20th and September 1st; woodcock between January 1st and August 1st; quail between January 1st and November 1st; ruffed grouse between January 1st and September 1st.

Trapping grouse, quail or woodcock, is prohibited under a penalty of ten dollars.

Salmon or speckled trout can be killed only during April, May, June and July, and the first fifteen days of August. Black bass, pike or pickerel cannot be killed in March, April, or May. Set-nets and seines are prohibited.

It is made the duty of the Mayors and police of towns to proceed against persons having game or fish in their posession during the periods prohibited it this act.

We copy the entire first section relating to deer as follows. It provides:

That no person shall kill or pursue in any part of this State, any elk or wild deer, save only from the first day of September to the first day of January, in any year; no person shall have in his or her possession, or offer for sale or transport any elk, or wild deer, or fresh venison, save only from the first day of September to the first day of January, in any year; no person shall, at any time, kill any fawn when it is spotted coat, or have the fresh skin of such fawn in his or her possession; no person shall pursue any elk or wild deer with dogs in any part of this State, or shall kill in the water any elk, or wild deer, or fawn which has been driven thereto by dogs; no person shall, in any part of this State, set any trap or other device at any artificial salt lick, or other place, for the purpose of trapping any elk, deer or fawn, and catch or kill the same except for consumption in his or her family; any person offending against any of the provisions of this section, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be liable to a fine of fifty dollars for each elk, wild deer or fawn so killed, pursued or trapped, or fresh elk, wild deer or fawn skin had in his or her possession, and may be proceeded against in any county of the State wherein he may be arrested having in his or her possession: *provid d however*, That any person may sell, or have in his or her possession, the elk, or wild deer aforesaid, between the first day of December, in any year; and the first day of February next following, without liability to the penalty herein imposed: *Provided*, He shall prove that such game, if killed in this State, was killed within the time allowed by this act, or was killed outside the limits of this State, and at some place where the law did not prohibit such killing; dogs pursuing elk, wild deer or fawns may be killed by any person, and any constable or town official may kill any dog that habitually pursues elk, wild deer or fawns, and the owner of such dog shall be liable to a penalty of ten dollars for each elk, wild deer or fawn killed by such dog: *Provided*, That so much of this section as prohibits the running of deer with dogs shall not apply to the counties of Contre, Clinton, Fayette, Schuylkill and Wyoming.

A tornado, the like of which has never before been heard of, swept over Washington and Keokuk, Iowa, May 23rd, ult. In the line of the storm everything except here and there a mile or two over which the whirlwind seems to have jumped, is desolate-looking. Scarcely a house, barn, shed, or granary is left. All were swept away. The exact starting point of the storm is not known, but it is believed to have been in Keokuk county, probably a few miles west of Lancaster, which town, it it said, is totally demolished. It approached the line of Washington, where it jumped a distance of about eight miles. It swept along the ground for six or eight miles and then disappeared in the middle of the township as suddenly as it had appeared. Those who witnessed it saw timber, cattle, sheep, mud, fences, trees, and human beings, whirled into the air with terrific force. Many saved their lives by going into cellars. Some who considered themselves safe intheir dwellings found themselves sprawling on the ground in an instant, the houses being thrown over by the tornado. Boards and heavy timbers were driven into the ground so firmly as to be unmovable. About fifty people were killed. Nothing so terrible or violent has ever befallen this section of country, and it is considered a miracle that many more lives were not lost.

GENERAL NEWS.

Lavabedonins is the latest for Modocs.

Good sleighing at Negauriee, Wis., is reported.

Senator Sumner's health continues to improve.

Water is as expensive as wine in Santiago de Cuba.

The word "immortal" occurs but once in the Bible, 1 Timothy, 17.

The yellow fever is raging at Uucatan, Mexico.

The price of coal has been advanced at New York.

The Cuban insurgents have sustained another defeat.

Train is to undergo another examination as to his sanity.

Another railroad war is in progress at Youngstown, Ohio.

Petroleum has been found in small quantities near Chicago.

Chicago hotel waiters are on a strike. The guests are waiters now.

Portland, Oaegon, expects to put up 3,000,000 cans of salmon this year.

A Minnesota hen has got into the newspapers by laying thirty-six eggs in sixteen days.

Stokes' suspense will not be relieved for several weeks, the Court of Appeals having postponed the case.

A decree has been promulgated in Spain prohibiting the use in official documents of titles of nobility.

The awards of the Indian Commission for annuity goods have been approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

During the year ending April 1st, 316 boys and 317 girls were born in Portland, Me.

Potatoes are to be raised at the frontier army posts to give a mealier-ration to the soldiers' fare.

No wonder our Indian affairs look squally—we look to the squaw for all our diplomacy.

Another peril seems to have broken out in New York in the revival of the mysterious air-gun.

Attorney General Williams has given no opinion whatever as to what should be done with the captured Modocs.

Mrs. Hedden, a respectable elderly lady, committed suicide at Hawesville, Ky., Tuesday, because of ill health.

In the English libel case of O'Keefe vs. Archbishop Cullen, the plaintive was awarded one farthing damages.

A thousand singers are to participate in the Saengerfest at Dubuque on the 20th and 21st of June.

A youth in a Hampton, Conn., school has been working on the alphabet eight years and hasn't mastered it yet.

Efforts are being made to have the Constitutional Convention of Ohio adjourn from Columbus to Cleveland.

A Louisville man had to pay $50 for clipping hair from a child's head for his daughter to make hair flowers with.

A young woman at Fall River attempted to cowhide a young man the other day, and came out second best.

At wooden weddings in Montana, clubs are among the gifts to the married pair.

A man at Wolcottville, Conn., has a wind-mill 70 feet high and of ten horse power.

They are encouraging indigestion in Northern Iowa, by offering prizes for mince pie at the fair.

The fourth Gospel set to music has been found among some fourteenth-century relics in Holland.

A man in Otsego, Minn., lately had an orchard of 100 fine apple trees all cut in the night by some high-minded enemy.

There are 321 convicts in the Kansas State Penitenary, which speaks well for the increase of population in that young State.

The "Gherka" is a new and popular brand of California wine, a few glasses of which never fails to "jerk" a man off his feet.

A reverend gentleman in Wheaton Ill., thinks he sees in the Granges "a flank movement of the Masonic lodges to rope the farmers."

Many professional theives have left New York since the passage of the act authorizing their arrest as suspicious characters.

Internal revenue receipts for the year will probably exceed the estimates by $3,000,000 or $4,000,000. They were expective to reach $110,000,000.

Twenty-five thousand bushles of wheat were bought on the Southern Minnesota Railroad, May 17, at prices ranging from $1 to $1.18 per bushel.

The extensive condensed milk factories in Switzerland use 20,000 quarts of milk daily, and four-fifths of the products, are exported to England.

A colored convert in Georgia got a religious conviction at a revival one morning last week, and a secular conviction for theft at a police court in the afternoon.

Some idea of the lumber trade of Puget Sound may be formed when it is stated as a fact that the average of forty acres of land are denuded of their forest each day.

According to Methodist statistics, the increase of their denomination in the United States for twenty years has been fifty per cent. greater than the increase of population.

An eminent citizen of Boston once boasted that at the age of sixty he had never slept out of Boston, been in a railroad car, or seen a skunk. A man of four score in Eastern Massachusetts claimed that he had never been sued, drunk, or voted for a Democrat; and now comes along a Vermont veteran of eighty-eight winters, who never has had the doctor but once, never had the headache, and never was a candidate for office.

Mercantile Appraisment.

Following is the report of the Mercantile Appraisment of Elk County for the year 1873:

VENDERS OF MERCHANDISE.

Class.	Tax.
Benezette.	
14 Miles Dent,	$ 7 00
12 E. Fletcher & Bro.,	12 50
12 Wm. Johnson,	12 50
14 John VanVolkenberg,	7 00
13 E. C. Lewis & Co.,	10 00
14 John Dailey,	7 00
Fox.	
13 P. W. Hays,	10 00
12 P. W. Hays,	12 50
12 Koch & Entz,	12 50
12 J. J. Taylor,	12 50
9 Koch & Son,	25 00
14 M. Mohan,	7 00
Horton.	
12 N. M. Brockway,	12 50
11 C. A. Wilcox,	15 00
Jay.	
13 B. E. Morey,	10 00
10 Thos. A. Riley,	20 00
13 David Kunes,	10 00
14 James A. Burke,	7 00
12 A. J. Avery,	12 50
14 J. S. Thomas,	7 00
Jones.	
4 Wilcox Tanning & Lumber Co	80 00
11 Aldrich & Patton,	15 00
13 Martin Sowers,	10 00
14 J. C. Malone,	7 00
14 Dr. A. M. Straight,	7 00
Millstone.	
11 Staib & Co.,	15 00
14 Moore & Bro.,	7 00
Ridgway.	
Keystone State Circus	7 00
14 J. R. Nanny,	7 00
14 Jos. M. Heard,	7 00
14 G. T. Wheeler & Co.,	7 00
11 Horton & Miller,	15 00
14 Hartley & Young,	7 00
7 Powell & Kime,	30 00
13 W. S. Service & Co.,	10 00
13 Charles Holes,	10 00
12 McGloin & McGeehan,	12 50
10 James Penfield,	20 00
12 J. V. Houk,	12 50
13 Thayer & McCracken,	10 00
14 Cummings & Brendel,	7 00
12 James H. Hagerty,	12 50
13 E. K. Gresh,	10 00
9 W. H. Osterhout,	25 00
8 J. S. & W. H. Hyde,	30 00
13 Hyde & Cody,	10 00
7 W. H. Schram,	5 00
13 Mrs. A. Ruhlman,	7 00
12 G. G. Messenger,	12 50
12 Grant & Horton,	12 50
14 S. May,	7 00
Spring Creek.	
14 Wilson Caise,	7 00
St. Mary's.	
14 Henry C. Hendricks,	7 00
12 James Sneeringer,	12 50
13 Weidenbroener & Whitman,	10 00
12 Chas McVean,	10 00
12 Lyon & Bro.,	12 50
14 A. Loeffler,	7 00
14 H. M. Bolte,	7 00
10 Weis Bros.,	20 00
14 Soesenheimer & Son,	7 00
10 Walker & Son,	20 00
5 Jos. Wilhelm,	60 00
11 Ad. Foehtman,	15 00
13 L. L. Putzel,	10 00
10 L. B. Cook,	15 00
14 M. E. McNally,	7 00
7 Gifford, Hall & Co.,	40 00
14 James Blakely,	7 00
6 J. B. Coryell & Co.,	50 00
11 Charles Lubr,	15 00
12 Phillip Wilhelm,	12 50
14 E. McBride,	7 00
11 J. E. Weidenbroener,	15 00
14 J. D. Spafford & Bro.,	7 00
14 John Misel,	7 00
13 Reynolds & Garner,	10 00
14 C. L. Beayer,	7 00
RESTAURANTS AND EATING HOUSS.	
Ridgway.	
7 Enbody & Converse,	5 00
6 Robt. Warner,	12 00
St. Mary's.	
5 Thomas Zimmett,	20 00
7 George Schaut,	5 00
7 Chas. Klausman,	5 00
7 Jacob Kraus,	5 00
7 Joseph Windfelder,	5 00
6 Wm. Geis,	12 00
7 Auson Showers,	5 00
7 John B. Hindle,	5 00
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BREWERIES.	
St. Mary's.	
9 Geis & Griebel,	15 00
9 Joseph Windfelder,	15 00
8 F. X. Sorg,	15 00
8 Wm. Zelt,	15 00
8 Elizabeth Volk,	15 00

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