

managed to get control of some votes those
simon pure republicans very much needed.

This combination could have been defeated
had not Rev. Johnson and Taughton frightened
some of the Leavenworth delegation, by telling
them that Roberts as a Wyandott man,
was opposed to them and that it would not
do to give him too much prominence.

On Sunday, the Sargalier men became
frightened on account of their endorsement of Del-
abay. He was too impure for any man to swal-
low, so by Monday morning they concluded to
drop him and probably arranged with Mitch-
ell to vote for Agnes, his partner, as clerk, if
Mr. would vote for Sargalier.

If I had not been from Lawrence
I could have secured the clerkship. I should
have been chosen assistant clerk on the 1st
ballot, had Wright not made, as he says, a
bull, and voted against me. As it was I
should have been elected, had not the 19
counties, made a personal appeal in behalf of
their candidate, saying, it was all they asked.