WANTING HIS WEALTH.

Heirs of Ray Allison Ask His Estate Probated.

AN ABSENCE OF MANY YEARS

Makes Him Legally Dead—Judge Spurlock Petitioned to Divide His Property—Beet Culture in Cass County—Mr. Brown Agreeably Surprised.

In 1875 Wm. Ray, son of John Allison, a well known farmer and early settler in this county disappeared and nothing was heard of him for some time. Prior to 1883 he visited here and soon after went back to Texas and no trace of him has been had since, and it is thought he is dead. He inherited a nice farm from his fathers estate, and vigorous efforts have been made to find him but without avail. Today the heirs appeared in county court and asked to have the estate probated and distributed.

The heirs are: Jas. Allison, Leroy Allison, Robt. Kendall, Mary Kendall, Mary Swan Davis, Winfield Swan, Clara, James and Ada Swan, (Clark.)

The court took the matter under advisement for a few days, when the estate will doubtless be divided up as prayed for.

Sugar Beets for Stock

A. H. Weckbach & Co. today recieved an invoice of sugar beet seed from Germany. They are endeavoring to sell it to the farmers to raise sugar beets for stock food. Several farmers in this vicinity have experimented on this scheme and found it a profitable experiment. The seed is of a prolific variety and we would urge our farmer friends to try it and test the productiveness of Cass county soil as regards the sugar beet. There is no question as to the succulency and fattening qualities of the sugar beet for feeding purposes and if it can be demonstrated that the vegetable is adapted to our soil it is not at all improbable that in the near future Plattsmouth may be the home of a great sugar plant. It will cost our farmers very little to experiment along this line and it may be a forerunner of a great amount of good.

Surprise on Mr. Brown.

The cosy home of Mr. and Mrs. Logan Brown on North Fourth street was the scene of a delightful and well planned surprise, in honor of Mr. Brown's thirtieth birthday. The evening was spent playing progressive high five until late. Mrs. Harvey Holloway assisted Mrs. Brown in caring for her guests. The honors were won by Mrs. Will Coolidge and Mrs. John Schulhoff. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tartsch, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barker, Mr. and Mrs. John Schulhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Will Coolidge, Mr. and Mrs. Will Tippens, Mr. and Mrs. Will Schmidtmann, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Holloway, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green, Mr. and Mrs. Will Clements, Mr. and Mrs. August Reinhackle, Mrs. O'Brien and MissMarie Karvaneck.

A Pleasing Concert.

The concert given by Mr. Tucker at the Presbyterian church last evening was very good indeed, the room was well filled and the audience appreciative. Mr. Butler's organ solos were extremely fine, and he is deservedly popular wherever he appears. Mr. Tucker, though a young man, has already developed much originality and strength both as a pianist and vocalist. His best number was the "Toreador Song" Mrs. Cook has a lovely voice of great depth and purity and her rendering of Vannah's "Cradle Song" was a beautiful example of vocal expression. Miss Eugenia Getner has a sympathetic voice and her singing is characterized by a delicacy which was especially noticed in "Violets," a charming English song. Mr. Butler and Mr. Tucker are both brilliant accompanists and added much to the vocal numbers of the program.

Malignant Diphtheria.

The number of deaths at Murray and vicinity has created much comment and no little alarm. Several people say the disease is none other than malignant diptheria. People can not be too careful, as a spread of this dangerous disease means many deaths. Two cases with similar symptoms to the Murray cases have proven fatal here.

A Sensational Damage Suit.

W. L. Craxton and wife of Omaha have begun suit in the district court against Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Minor of North Platte, in which the plaintiffs seek to recover $5,000 damages for defamation of character. Matt Gering, the Plattsmouth attorney, is dragged into the case in the petition filed by the plaintiffs. Craxton is an Omaha train dispatcher and his wife has been in North Platte at intervals receiving treatment from a local physician.—Fremont Tribune.

Sending in Gold.

NEW YORK, March 29.—The Produce Exchange bank has taken $200,000 in gold for import. Additional gold engagements have been announced by L. von Hoffman & Co., of $250,000 by the Bank of British North America, $500,000; by Kuhn, Loeb & Co., $500,000; L. Freres, $1,125,000, and by Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co., $500,000.

Two Well Known Statesmen

talked for months, from a front porch and a rear end of a car. Perhaps the use of Foley's Honey and Tar will explain why they could do this, without injury to their vocal organs. It is largely used by speakers and singers. Smith & Parmele.

CITY AND COUNTY.

WEDNESDAY

Mrs. N. H. Isbell is quite sick.

Joseph Tighe of Omaha is in town.

Wm. Holly was in the metropolis today.

C. S. Polk made a flying trip to Omaha this a. m.

Miss Cora Alexander was transacting business in Omaha today.

Edward Taborsky, of Havelock, was in the city on business today.

Fred Clark and wife of Union took dinner at Hotel de Guthman today.

Dar Johnson returned from a business visit at Weeping Water today.

E. C. Strode, an attorney of Lincoln, is in Plattsmouth today on business.

Ed Fitzgerald is driving a handsome pair of blacks to his hack today, a recent purchase.

Fricke & Co's store room is undergoing a number of repairs and being niceley decorated.

District court held a short session this afternoon to hear an argument in the case of Otto vs Stull.

Mrs. Durkee, wife of the assistant general auditor of the B. & M. at Omaha, is in the city today the guest of Mrs. D. S. Guild.

A few flash light pictures were taken of the people in attendance at the surprise party on Jake Beeson at Mr. Isbell's Saturday night.

Mrs. W. H. Dearing, Mrs. Byron Clark, and Mrs. Stoutenborough were visitors at Weeping Water yesterday and dined at Mrs. Dr. Hungate's.

The Plattsmouth Driving Park association has sold its real estate to Sam'l Patterson. The consideration named in the transfer being $4,000.

The street cleaning brigade did some good work with the fire hose on the lower Main street pavement today which has been out of sight for a long time.

Monte Streight is on the sick list today though on duty at the general delivery window. From the appearance of his upper lip we might infer he has had a bite.

New subscribers to the Evening NEWS continue to come in which shows that the public appreciates a legitimate newspaper which prints the news every day in the week.

Judge Ramsey discharged the jury again this morning until tomorrow. The jury will not be discharged this week but will be held over a portion of next week for the trial of the State vs. Chas. Good.

John Rennie telegraphed his folks here last night from his home in Minnesota, that he had undergone an operation for appendicitis and was getting along nicely, feeling certain of an early and complete recovery.

The funeral of J. Lebersohl's little daughter, who died Monday morning of malignant sore throat, occurred this morning at the Bohemian Catholic church in this city. There was a large attendance of friends of the family.

Joe Gray, foreman in the round house received a bad cut on the right side of the face this afternoon from a side rod of an engine. He was patched up by a physician and will not be seriously discommoded from the bump.

According to the court house records Theodore Heim, a Louisville farmer, loaned $9,000 on Cass county real estate last week. Mr. Heim is one of the farmers who has made his money on the farm, every dollar of it, and not by speculation.

H. C. Dondore, representing Geo. C. Murphy & Co., of East Liverpool, Ohio, was in the city today looking for a building in which to open an exclusive glass and queensware store. He went to Omaha by the afternoon train but will return in a few days.

Frank Davis, a popular salesman with Herold & Sons, has resigned his position, to take effect tomorrow, and has accepted a position at Denver Colorado. Many friends will regret to see Mr. Davis leave Plattsmouth, but wish him well in his new fields.

THURSDAY.

Wm. Edgerton is in Omaha.

Look out for the foot man tomorrow.

Geo. Hansen of Nehawka is in town.

Mrs. D. S. Guild is spending the day in Omaha.

Mrs. C. E. Wescott was an Omaha visitor today.

Mrs. Loss Graves is quite ill at her home near Morse Bluff.

W. J. Hesser was transating business in the metropolis today.

Attorney A. L. Timblin returned to Weeping Water this afternoon.

John Boetel and family departed today for Sumner county Kansas.

H. R. Lessel, of Union, visited this, the best town in Nebraska today.

Mrs. S. P. Holloway is in Omaha visiting her nephew for a few days.

Wechbach & Co. had the first strawberries of the season on sale today.

F. E. White and wife and daughter were visiting in the metropolis today.

The river is said to be lower than it has been for years at this time of year.

Attorney Russell of Weeping Water was here today looking after legal affairs.

S. G. Coglizer and J. A. Hayes, two Weeping Water citizens are in town on biz.

Miss Helen Tolliff who has been quite ill from tonsilitis is very much improved today.

D. S. Guild came home from his Chicago trip. He looks smiling and pleasant as ever.

Miss Dora Moore and cousin, Miss Jessie Oldham, are in Omaha seeing what they can see.

The boys are getting their boats in shape to enjoy themselves with the first appearance of spring.

Fritz Sellhorn of the department store was a visitor in Omaha yesterday, returning last night.

Dan D. Draper, of Omaha, was in the city last evening visiting friends and went down to Mynard by the M. P.

C. J. Hammer of Weeping Water was in the city today looking after court matters in which he is interested.

Col. Thrasher sold the Tom Hicks property today to Oliver Gilson. Plattsmouth real estate is no longer a drug on the market.

Miss Rheda, the magician who spent two years in India, is with Manager McMullen advertising a novelty in handkerchiefs at Morgan's.

The Ladies Aid society of the Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Anna Carrigan, Friday, April 1. A good attendance is desired.

Miss Viola Spices departed this morning for Lesabon, Kas., for a visit with her parents. The Semi-Weekly NEWS HERALD will follow her.

Union is making an effort to become strictly metropolitan. They are preparing to organize a brass band and a base ball club. Now if they would get out a base ball team their glory would be complete.

John Seberg, who is quite an artist with the paint brush, is decorating the interior of F. G. Fricke's drug store in fine style. It will be one of the handsomest rooms in town when finished.

Miss Rheda an expert and entertaining magician gave an entertainment in one of Frank J. Morgan's show windows. A large crowd of citizens on the street witnessed the performance. She will appear again tomorrow.

We are creditably informed that the city hose did not break at all, but that the new aluminum couplings are too soft to stand a 400 pound pressure and that they blew off. The hose is reported all right with the brass couplings.

L. P. Sine, of Lincoln, the genial traveling man for the Carpenter Paper Co., was in town today and bought a new sewing machine for his wife, for which he paid spot cash to Mr. Street, the enterprising agent of the Singer company.

An Omaha jury Tuesday returned a verdict of guilty in the case of the United States against G. H. Fitch, charged with the embezzlement of the pension money belonging to John H. Chapman, an old soldier, for whom Fitch was guardian.

Mrs. John Murray, living near Eight Mile Grove, is seriously ill, and fears are entertained that she cannot recover. Dr. Gilmore is in attendance with Dr. Cummins of this city in consultation. Yesterday she was in convulsions and suffered intensely.

Z. T. Brown, who some time ago visited Colorado, Wyoming and Utah in search of a location where he could improve his health, is back in Plattsmouth again. He has not yet decided as to whether he will move west or not. Mr. Brown is still suffering from a very sore hand caused from lead poisoning.

Ed. Fickler, of Hay Springs, was in town today and made a pleasant call on the NEWS. He is still traveling for the Grinnell Glove company and makes no secret of the fact that prosperity is abroad in the land and that business is better than it has been for four years, if he did vote for Bryan. As further evidence of all round prosperity Ed. says he has a new boy at his house that's a clipper.

The NEWS stated that Theodore Heim, our neighbor farmer at College Hill, had loaned $9,000 on Cass county farm land, which money Mr. Heim made while living on a farm. Yes, Mr. Heim is well-to-do, he sold his home farm lately for the above amount, but Mr. Heim had the wherewith when he landed in Cass county years ago to buy and stock his farm with money he brought with him from Wisconsin. It was different with most of the farmers then, they bought their land on time and everything else the same way and had a hard struggle to keep the sheriff away. C. S.

Another Death At Murray

Norval the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Kennedy, died at the parents home in Murray last evening at 5:45. It will be remembered that several days ago the NEWS contained an item to the effect that an operation had been performed upon the throat of the little fellw while suffering from membraneous croup. An incision was made in the trachae and a silver tube inserted to afford the sufferer temporary relief and prevent the child strangling from the croup. The operation in itself was succesful but the boy was later seized with lung fever from which he was a sufferer but a few days. The funeral will occur tomorrow at 11 o'clock from the Presbyterian church in Murray.

I desire to attest to the merits of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as one of the most valuable and efficient preparations on the market. It broke an exceedingly dangerous cough for me in 24 hours, and in gratitude therefor, I desire to inform you that I will never be without it and you should feel proud of the high esteem in which your Remedies are held by people in general. It is the one remedy among ten thousand. Success to it.—O. R. DOWNEY, Editor Democrat, Albion, Ind. For sale by all druggists.

You should know that Foley's Honey and Tar is absolutely the best remedy for all diseases of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Dealers are authorized to guarantee it to give satisfaction in all cases. Smith & Parmele.

A VERY THANKLESS KID.

Destitute Boy Attempts to Beat a Benefactor.

COULDN'T STAND PROSPERITY

And Deserted What Might Have Been a Good Home to Him—Strange Ending of a Lawsuit—Stopped a Runaway Team—Robbed.

Tuesday evening a boy about fifteen years of age called at the home of B. O. Bay, a shop man living in the southern part of the city and put up a sorrowful tale. He was somewhat deformed in body, though seemingly all right in mind, shabbily dressed and bore unmistakable evidence of having bumped up against adversity in no limited degree. He gave his name as Fitzgerald, claiming that he was a relative of Ed Fitzgerald, (which was false) the liveryman, and said that he had called upon Ed for assistance, but received no encouragement and no aid. Mr. and Mrs. Bay's hearts were touched by the pinched face, the shrunken form, the tattered garments and the well-formed story of the boy and decided to take him in for a time, at least, and, if there was anything in him, would exert their influence and their means to help him on in the world.

He was recordingly taken into the bosom of the family, given a good, warm supper, a comfortable bed and dressed in a bran new suit of clothes, which Mr. Bay purchased for him. Yesterday morning Mrs. Bay told the boy to put on some old clothes and do some work about the house. He did so, and worked well until after dinner. Then, when the lady's back was turned for a brief spell, the young charity object gathered up the new suit and made tracks as speedily as possible for the bridge. Mrs. Bay went to the shops and informed her husband that their young protege had fled and with him the new suit of clothes, which was intended for a brother of Mrs. Bay in case the boy proved unworthy their confidence and aid. Mr. Bay crossed the bridge last evening and found the boy carrying water for the fill gang at the east end. He succeeded in recovering the clothes and left the young ingrate to shift for himself.

It would have been many, many days before this bread cast upon the waters would have returned, if left to its own course.

An Unusual Proceeding.

Hammer vs Coglizer, suit against a constable for not levying an execution had a funny ending in district court today. The case was set for trial this morning at 9 o'clock and A. L. Timblin attorney for the defendant was on hand promptly with his witnesses who had come in the night before from Weeping Water. After waiting for a time for the plaintiff and his attorney, A. M. Russell, to appear, a jury was impanneled. Mr. Timblin read plaintiffs petition, then read his owp answer which was a general denial, that placed the burden of proof all on the plaintiff. There being no witnesses to testify, defendant's attorney asked the court for instructions to the jury to bring in a verdict for the defendant. The court so instructed, and while the verdict was being arranged, in came Attorney Russell with his client. He looked on until the verdict was handed up and read, then he tried to stop the proceedings, but Judge Ramsey indicated that Cass county could not pay jurors to sit and wait for lawyers, and he promptly entered up judgment for the defendant. After Mr. Timblin had won his case the members of the bar had a good laugh over the unusual proceedings, and each attorney filed up and congratulated the attorney with a handshake. Col. Russell was not in a very amiable frame of mind and failed to see anything funny in the proceedings. He will know next time that when a case is set by the court for 9 o'clock that 9 o'clock is what is meant.

Hairbreadth Escape.

"Where duty calls or danger be never wanting there" is a motto long since adopted by Milo Briggs and he never allows an opportunity to pass without showing his faith by his works. His latest daring deed was performed this morning in front of his tonsorial parlors in stopping a runaway team which started to move off down Main street at a lively gait, having been left untied. Mr. Briggs was standing on the sidewalk soliloquising on the vicissitudes of being a middle of the roader when he saw the frightened steeds coming down the middle of the road toward him. With a valorous, and daring heroism surprising in one so young, Milo threw off his coat, spit upon his hands and with one agile bound he sprang to the rescue and stopped the half-frightened, half-moving animals thus saving perhaps a number of broken "felloes," a paralyzed "tongue," a broken neck-yoke and possibly considerable other damage to man and beast. His acrobatic girations were so neatly and quickly performed as to call out the admiration and the plaudits of the bystanders. Milo gracefully acknowledged the compliments and retired to the shop to quiet his nerves and get the hair to lie down on the top of his head. Candidly it was a neat and daring performance but Mr. Briggs is too modest to admit it.

Hard and Soft Coal.

John Waterman is sole agent for the famous Mendota soft coal. Also carries the best grades of hard coal, wood, lumber, laths, shingles, lime, cement, etc. If you are going to build, it will pay you to see Waterman. Office at the rear of Waterman block on Fifth street.

The County Institute.

Special Correspondence.

WEEPING WATER, Neb., March 30.—If the first day of the county institute was a success, the second was even more so. Mr. Skinner's work in the Spear method in arithmetic, having a class of primary pupils with which to work. In reading, he used the little folks to illustrate his work of interpreting "hints," or effects.

Dr. King's work in the forenoon was continued to tone culture to bring out the sounds of the various vowels and consonants.

The afternoon was given to Dr. King and Captain Eli. The Dr. kept his audience in good humor and yet made some very telling points. He dwelt upon the tones of voice used in expressing mere knowledge, feeling and will power.

Captain Eli is a jolly old tar, having spent many years in the whale fisheries. He told about the capture of the great sperm whale. This lecture was something unique and yet very instructive.

Instead of the regular evening lecture, the teachers had a reception and social last evening. Music, refreshments and recitals by Dr. King were the principal features.

Last evening the teachers were given a reception at the Congregational church. Music, refreshments, fun and frolic were the order of the evening.

This afternoon Mrs. Stoutenborough of Plattsmouth will talk to the teachers on the subject of Ethics. This evening there is to be a lecture by Prof. Barbour of the state university.

Superintendent W. R. Jackson, of Lincoln, was here last evening. He says the educational exhibit at Omaha this summer is to be grand.

High Handed Robbery.

B. L. Kirkham, the Jouneral man, always a hustler, is getting a double action on himself today to buy the baby a dress, himself a new shirt and sunury and divers other articles of wearing apparel, too numerous to mention, but in no wise too numerous for the average newspaper man's pocket book, thank you. Last evening while the family washing was waving in the evening breezes from the said family clothes line, some fiend incarnate, without the fear of man or love of other people's babies in his degenerate heart, stealthily and with malice aforethought, entered the family dooryard and appropriated the coveted family washing to his own use, in our code, robbing the newspaper man of his last shirt is high treason while robbing the newspaper man's babies is an unpardonable sin. Mr. Kirkham pretends to have the laugh on the robber, to some extent, however, by contending that he has another shirt, but we are from Missouri.

The Relief Work.

Funds for the Cuban sufferers are coming in daily and the total contribution by Saturday will amount to at least a car load—not a small car, but a 40,000 pounder. The committee has now 28,000 pounds and the fund will easily be swelled to the amount stated above. It is always easy to touch the generosity and loosen the purse strings of Plattsmouth people, and the present laudable cause is no exception. While neighboring towns are making vigorous efforts to raise a car load of provisions and apparently not meeting with the best of success, Plattsmouth will win out in her undertaking with hands down. The contributions consist of flour, bacon, corn meal, oat meal, beans, etc. If you have not donated to the cause you should do so at once.

Veterans to Man Interior Posts

UTICA, N. Y., March 28.—A letter from the department commander of the Grand Army of the Republic, Colonel A. D. Shaw, to Secretary of War Alger, suggests that in case of need the veterans he could put into the field could be used to man stations where federal troops are now located that all regulars might be free for use at the front in case of war. This would obviate the necessity of holding regulars at such places as Buffalo, Sacketts Harbor, Plattsburg, etc. Secretary Alger thanks Colonel Shaw for his offer and says he is much interested in the suggestions, but hopes the future turn of events may make it unnecessary to adopt it.

Dr. Marshall, Graduate Dentist.

Dr. Marshall, fine gold work.

Dr. Marshall, gold and porcelain crowns.

Dr. Marshall, crown and bridge work

Dr. Marshall, teeth without plates.

Dr. Marshall, all kinds of fillings.

Dr. Marshall, all kinds of plates.

Dr. Marshall, perfect fitting plates.

Dr. Marshall, all work warranted.

All the latest appliances for first-class dental work.

A man stands on chance of being elected to the mayorship of a city unless he enjoys the confidence and esteem of his neighbors. Geo. W. Humphrey is the popular mayor of Swanton, Ohio, and under date of jan. 17, 1896, he writes as follows: "This is to certify to our appreciation of Chamberlain's Cough Semedy. My family and neighbors have tested it, and ew know it is an excellent remedy for coughs and colds.—GEORGE W. HUMPHREY," Sold by all druggists.

On the morning of Feb. 20, 1895, I was sick with rheumatism, and lay in bed until May 21st, when I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The first application of it relieved me almost entirely from the pain and the second afforded complete relief. In a short time I was able to be up and about again.—A. T. MOREAUX, Luverne, Minn. Sold by all druggists.

Seed Potatoes.

For sale fine early rose, early Ohio and other choice seed potatoes at

A. H. WECKBACH & CO'S.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

Notice of Sale.

In the district court of Cass county, Nebraska.

Henry Eikenbary, et al, vs. The Citizens Bank of Plattsmouth, Neb., et al.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the decree of the Honoraide Basil S. Ramsey, judge of the district court, made upon January 28th, A. D. 1898, in a suit pending in the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, wherein Henry Eikenbary et al. is plaintiff, and The Citizens Bank of Plattsmouth, Nebraska, et al, defendants, and which decree ordered and directed the receiver of the said bank, undersigned, to publish for thirty days, and then sell the real estate hereinafter described. That pursuant to said order the undersigned receiver will on the 21st day of March, A. D., 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the south door of the court house in the city of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, offer for sale the following described land, viz: The northwest quarter [NW¼] of section eighteen [18], the southwest quarter [SW¼] of section seven [7], the west half [W½] of the southeast quarter [SE¼] of section seven [7], the northeast quarter [NE¼] of the southeast quarter [SE¼] section seven [7], the northwest quarter [NW¼] of the southwest quarter [SW¼] of section eight [8] all in township eleven [11] north range fourteen [14], in Cass county, Nebraska, being a part of the assets of said Citizens Bank, defendant. Subject to all liens and incumbrance. At said sale bids will be received either for cash, or not less than $12,600 conditioned that the purchase price shall be applied upon the principal of claims now entitled to dividends, the highest of which bids on each class will be reported to the court for directions, which of said bids will be accepted.

Dated this 16th day of February, 1898.

CHARLES C. PARMELE,
As Receiver of The Citizens Bank of Plattsmouth, Nebraska.
Byron Clark, Attorney.

Notice of Publication.

John M. Kiser, Plaintiff, vs. John Kiser, John W. Amick and Laura A. Amick, his wife, and Esther S. Heller, defendants.

The defendants, John Kiser, John W. Amick and Laura A. Amick, his wife, and Esther S. Heller, will take notice that on the 3rd day of February, 1898, John M. Kiser, plaintiff, filed his petition in the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, against John Kiser, John W. Amick and Laura A. Amick, his wife, and Esther S. Heller, the object and prayer of which are to have a certain quit claim deed which was made by John Kiser, defendant in this suit, who had no title, right or authority whatsoever, and delivered to Esther S. Heller, defendant in this suit, on the following described real estate, to wit:

Beginning at a point (24) twenty-three feet west of the south east corner of lot number eight (8), block number sixty five (65) in the City of Weeping Water, Cass county, Nebraska, and running thence north sixty-five (65) feet, thence west twenty-one (21) feet, thence south sixty-five (65) feet, and thence east twenty-one (21) feet, to the point of beginning, set aside and declared null and void, and the cloud upon the title of plaintiff, caused thereby removed, and for judgment for costs in this suit, and for such other relief as justice and equity may require.

You are required to answer this petition on or before the 21st day of March, 1898.

Dated February 7, 1898. JOHN M. KISER,
By M. S. Briggs, his attorney.

Probate Notice.

In the county court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the guardianship of Miles K. Smith, an incompetent person. To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given to the said Miles K. Smith, incompetent, to Eli M. Smith, guardian, and to all other persons interested, that George W. Holmes filed herein Feb. 14, 1898, a petition alleging among other things that the surety on the bond of the said Eli M. Smith, that neither the said Eli M. Smith nor any of his predecessors, as guardian of said incompetent, have ever made a settlement with the court of probate, that by reason of alleged negligence, there is danger of liability to the wards on said bond.

Petitioner prays that Eli M. Smith may be cited to appear in county court and render a full account in said premises; that petitioner be discharged from liability upon said bonds, that the said Eli M. Smith be required to furnish a new bond, or, in default thereof that said Smith be removed from his trust as guardian and that another be appointed in his place; that the accounts on file be settled and approved and for other equitable and proper relief in the premises.

You are hereby notified that a hearing will be had on said petition March 22nd, 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m., and that if you fail to appear upon said date and contest said petition, the court may grant the prayer of said petition and make such other and further orders, allowances and decrees as to this court may seem proper in the premises.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this, the 1st day of March, A. D. 1898.

GEORGE M. SPURLOCK,
(Seal) County Judge.

Chattel Mortgage Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a chattel mortgage, dated on the 22d day of June, 1897, and duly filed in the office of the county clerk of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 3rd day of June, 1897, and executed by J. S. Good to I. V. Davis, to secure the payment of seventy-five dollars, with interest thereon from the 1st day of June, 1897, at the rate of ten per cent per annum from said day, and upon which there is now this 22nd day of February, 1897 due the sum of $80.00. Default having been made in the payment of said sum, and no suit or other proceeding at law having been instituted to recover said debt, or any part thereof, therefore, I will sell the property therein described to wit: Three fifths interest in twenty-five acres of corn on the west half of the northwest quarter of section 19 in town 11, range 13, Cass county, Nebraska, which corn is divided, picked and cribbed on the southwest quarter of section 18, in town 11, range 13, Cass county, Nebraska, and amounts to about 435 bushels, at the crib and in the crib at said place in Rock Bluffs precinct, in Cass county, on the 21st day of March, 1898, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., to satisfy said debt, with the costs of advertising, caring for and selling said property. I. V. DAVIS.

Tuesday, March 1, 1898

Legal Notice.

In the district court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of John B. Holmes, deceased.

This cause came on for hearing upon the petition of Frank M. Young, as administrator of the estate of John B. Holmes, deceased, and the return of said administrator to the former license issued herein, and application of said administrator for an alias license to sell the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 13, in town 2, range 22, in Furnas county, Nebraska, to pay the debts of said estate in the sum of $2,200 and the costs of administrating said estate, there not being sufficient personal property to pay said debts and costs of administration.

It is, therefore, ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at the office of the clerk of the district court in the court house in Plattsmouth on the 16th day of April, 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m., to show cause why an alias license should not be granted to said administrator to sell so much of the above described real estate of said deceased as shall be necessary to pay said debts and expenses.

It is further ordered that notice of said application and of the making of this order be given all parties interested in said estate by publishing a copy of this order for four successive weeks before the day of hearing in the Semi-Weekly News-Herald.

Dated this 8th day of March, 1898.

BASIL S. RAMSEY,
Judge of the District Court, Second Judicial District.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by Geo. F. Houseworth, clerk of the district court, within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 26th day of April, A. D, 1898, at 1 o'clock p.m. of said day at the south door of the court house in the city of Plattsmouth, in said county, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate, to-wit: The northeast quarter [n e ¼] of the southwest quarter [s w ¼] and the north half [n ½] of the southeast quarter [s e ¼] of section thirty [30] township twelve [12] range thirteen [13] east of the 6th p. m. in Cass county, Nebraska. Together with the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Leonard C. W. Murray and Rebecca A. Murray, defendants, to satisfy a judgment and decree of said court recovered by F. G. Dovey & Son, cross petitioners against said defendants in the case of May N. Martin vs. Leonard C. W. Murray et al. together with the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Leonard C. W. Murray and Rebecca A. Murray, defendants to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by the said F. G. Dovey & Son as aforesaid, against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, March 26, A. D. 1898.

W. D. WHEELER,
Sheriff, Cass County, Nebraska.
By J. D. McBride, Deputy.
R. B. Windham Attorney for F. G. Dovey & Son.

Notice to Creditors.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, County of Cass. } ss.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Stoll, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the claims and demands of all persons against Henry Stoll, deceased, late of said county and state, will be received, examined and adjusted by the county court at the court house in Plattsmouth, on the 20th day of September A. D., 1898 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon. And that six months from and after the 19th day of March, A. D., 1898, is time limited for creditors of said deceased to present their claims for examination and allowance. Given under my hand and seal this 21st day of February A. D., 1898.

[Seal] GEORGE M. SPURLOCK,
County Judge.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by George F. Houseworth, clerk of the district court, within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 26th day of April, A. D, 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day at the south door of the court house in the city of Plattsmouth, in said county, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate to-wit: The northwest quarter (n w ¼) and the northwest quarter (n w ¼) of the southwest quarter (s w ¼) of section thirty (30) township twelve (12) range thirteen (13) east of the 6th p. m. Cass county, Nebraska, together with the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Leonard C. W. Murray and Rebecca A. Murray, defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by Samuel Waugh as executor of the last will and testament of John Black, deceased plaintiff, and a judgment recovered by the Bank of Cass county cross-petitioner against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, March 26, A. D. 1898.

W. D. WHEELER,
Sheriff, Cass County, Nebraska.
By J. D. McBride, Deputy.
R. B. Windham, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale issued by George F. Houseworth, clerk of the district court, within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 19th day of March, A. D., 1898, at 11 o'clock a. m. of said day at the south door of the court house in the city of Plattsmouth, in said county, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate, to-wit:

Lots one and two [1 and 2], in block eleven [11], in Carter's addition to the city of Weeping Water, Cass county, Nebraska, together with the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of Alice G. Sperry, et al, defendants, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by Francis N. Gibson, plaintiff, against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Neb., Feb. 19, A. D. 1898.

W. D. WHEELER,
Sheriff, Cass County, Nebraska.
By J. D. McBride, Deputy.
L. H. Wooley, Attorney for Francis N. Gibson.

Legal Notice.

In the district court of Cass county, Nebraska.

John Johnson, jr., by his guardian, Elijah E. Phillips, vs. Zerna M. Skinner and husband, George J. Skinner.

Defendants will take notice that upon the 14th day of December, A. D. 1897, the plaintiff filed his petition in the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which was to set aside a deed from plaintiff to defendant, Zerna M. Skinner, which pretended to convey to her lot two (2) in block sixty-three (63) in the city of Weeping Water, Cass county, Nebraska, and to set aside and annul said deed and the record thereof, as it appears in book 31, page 604 of the deed record of Cass county, Nebraska, and for an accounting of rents collected by said defendant and to revest the title of said lot in plaintiff.

And for further equitable relief you are required to answer said petition on or before the 25th day of March, A. D. 1898.

JOHN JOHNSON, JR.,
By his guardian, Elijah E. Phillips.
By his attorneys, Byron Clark and O. A. Rawls.

Dated February, 18, A. D. 1897.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued by Geo. F. Houseworth, clerk of the district court, within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1898, at 11 o'clock a. m. of said day at the south door of the court house in the city of Plattsmouth in said county, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate to-wit:

Lot four [4] in block one [1] in Stiles' addition to the city of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, together with the privileges and appertenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining; the same being levied upon and taken as the property of John Swoboda, defendant, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by Charles C. Parmele as receiver of the Citizens bank of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, plaintiff, against said defendant and John Rotter.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, February 19 A, D., 1898.

WM. D. WHEELER,
Sheriff, Cass county, Nebraska.
By J. D. McBride, Deputy.
Byron Clark, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Notice of Indebtedness.

The Plattsmouth Water Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Nebraska.

The Plattsmouth Water Company hereby give notice that the following is the list and amount of all the existing debts of said corporation on the first day of February, A. D. 1898, namely:

First mortgage 6 per cent bonds of the Water Co., interest payable semi-annually, Oct. 1st and April 1st,	$125,000.00
Accrued interest on the same	14,106.26
Floats	1,755.00
Total	$140,861.26

This notice is given in compliance with the provisions of chapter 16 of the compiled statutes of the state of Nebraska.

CHAS. E. EDDY, President,
HENRY M. PLUMB, Treasurer,
T. H. POLLOCK, Secretary.
Edward B. Martin,
Edward F. Allen,
Majority of Board of Directors.

Probate Notice.

In county court, Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate of Nels C. Aagard, deceased: Johanne O. Dean, formerly Aagard, Nels Clifford Aagard, minor, and all other persons interested in said matter are hereby notified that on the 9th day of March, 1898, J. C. Petersen filed a petition in said county court, praying that his final administration accounts filed herein be settled and allowed, and that he be discharged from his trust as administrator, and that if you fail to appear before said court on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1898, at 9 o'clock a. m., and contest said petition, the court may grant the prayer of said petition, and make such other and further orders, allowances and decrees, as to this court may seem proper, to the end, that all matters pertaining to said estate may be finally settled and determined. Witness my hand and the seal of said court at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this the 21st day of March A. D., 1898.

(Seal) GEORGE M. SPURLOCK,
County Judge.

Legal Notice.

In the district court of Cass county, Nebraska.

In the matter of the estate, of Nelson McKeynolds, deceased.

This cause came on for hearing upon the petition of Andrew Pittman, administrator of the estate of Nelson McKeynolds, deceased, praying for a license to sell the southeast quarter (S. E. ¼) of section thirteen (13), township twenty-six (26) north, range forty-nine); the northeast quarter (N. E. ¼) of section nineteen (19) township twenty-six (26) north, range forty-eight (48) in Box Butte county, Nebraska, and the west half (W ½) of the east half (E. ½) of the southeast quarter (S. E. ¼) of section eight (8) in township ten (10) north, range thirteen (13) Cass county, Nebraska. The land, above, described in Cass county, Nebraska, being subject to a life interest of William McKeynolds, or a sufficient amount of the same to bring the sum of, $715 for the payment of debts allowed against said estate, and the costs of administration, there not being sufficient personal property to pay said debts and expenses.

It is further ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at the office of the clerk of the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, and to show cause why a license should not be granted to said administrator to sell so much of the above described real estate of said deceased, as shall be necessary to pay said debts and expenses.

Service of this order by publication in the SEMI-WEEKLY NEWS-HERALD for at least four successive weeks prior to date of hearing.

Dated this 5th day of March A. D. 1898.

BASIL S. RAMSEY,
Judge of the District Court.
Byron Clark and C. A. Rawls, Attorneys for Estate.

Legal Notice.

In the matter of the estate of James Grove, deceased.

This cause came on for hearing upon the petition of Arthur L. Munger as administrator of the estate of James Grove, deceased, for a license to sell real estate as follows: The west half [w ½] of the southeast quarter [s e ¼] of section two [2] township ten [10] north, range nine [9] Cass county, Nebraska, or a sufficient amount of the same to bring the sum of $972.40 for payment of debts allowed against said estate, and the costs of administration, there not being sufficient personal property to pay the said debts and expenses.

It is further ordered that all persons interested in the said estate appear before me at the office of the clerk of the district court of Cass county, Nebraska, on the 7th day of May A. D. 1898 at 2 o'clock p. m.