

The Nebraska Herald.

LOCAL NEWS.

J. Sterling Morton was in the city yesterday, on his way to Omaha.

Our Territorial Legislature will convene on next Wednesday.

The weather for the past few days has been remarkably pleasant.

Park is selling at 5 and 5 1/2cts., gross, in Des Moines, Iowa.

Rev. Professor Miller will preach upon "The Mode of Baptism" on next Sabbath, at half-past 10 o'clock at the M. E. Church.

The Glenwood Opinion says that F. G. Palmer, who was reported killed by the Indians, has arrived at home. Probably not killed.

Mr. Chas. Wolcott has our thanks for a fine fowl for our Christmas dinner. "He that giveth to the printer lendeth." Well, you all know the balance.

A large number of our citizens attended the supper and ball, given by the Old Fellow's, at Rock Bluff, on Christmas evening. They report having had a few rebels in that locality.

COLORADO STYLE.—One of the leading ministers of the Territory relates that on one occasion he was conversing with a Colorado lady on the vital question of religion, and she asked him whether the consolations and ministrations of the church were as precious to her in her new home as in the States. To which query she responded, in no irreverent spirit, but simply from the force of habit, "You bet!"

SATISFACTORY ANSWER.—The Colorado Mining Journal, published at Central City, contains the following dispatch from Denver and the answer in relation to election news:

Telegram—All one way down here; send us your vote.

Answer—Can't be did. Gave it through a window to another feller, and expect it's lost."

BIRTHS.—On the 20th inst., at Rock Bluff, Nebraska Territory, the wife of Joseph Shera, Esq., a son.

MARRIED.—On Monday, the 25th inst., by A. Carmichael, Esq., Mr. JAMES W. CRAVEN, of Cass County, and Miss Gertrude T. Johnson.

At the residence of F. E. Caldwell, at Bellevue, N. T., on the 20th inst., by Rev. Mr. Monhall, Mr. H. M. Turke and Miss Henrietta Irwin.

The printers were remembered.

Any number of men, from one hundred to ten thousand, can find profitable employment in Nebraska, early next spring.

Two returned soldiers, while passing along the streets of Nebraska City, last week, were fired upon by a couple of "constitutional Democrats" of the bushwhacking persuasion. The assault was without provocation, except that of wearing the national uniform, which is sufficient to raise the ire of a good many of those who responded to the call of the *New* last fall. The "boys in blue," however, were used to fighting just such scoundrels—having been engaged in that business for several years—and immediately turned on their assailants and made them double-quick behind their entrenchments—each of them having a bullet hole in his miserable hide. If they don't quit shooting at men in Nebraska City merely because they wear Uncle Sam's uniform, murdering people, stealing horses, calling on citizens to "stand and deliver," voting down "blue coated" brass button abolitionists," etc., etc., people that don't know any better will soon begin to think that perhaps there *may be* a few rebels in that locality.

The ordinance of baptism was administered to five candidates yesterday afternoon, by Rev. Mr. Dungan, of the Christian denomination.

Messrs. Fessenden, Grimes, Harris, Johnson and Williams, have been appointed as the Senate Committee on reconstruction.

The Festival, Fair and Supper, on Saturday evening under the auspices of the Episcopal Church, was a complete success. The receipts, we learn, were about \$400.

Read the advertisement of E. H. Eaton in to-day's paper. Mr. Eaton is known to many of our citizens as a superior workman, and one well deserving the patronage of the people.

Win. H. Lemke, Merchant Tailor, makes known his business to the public this week. Those in need of his services will find him an excellent workman and a man to deal with. Do not forget the place—one long east of the P. O.

A Washington dispatch says that Hon. Allen G. Bradford, Delegates from Colorado, and formerly of Nebraska City, was run over by a street car in that city on the 21st inst., and seriously injured.

Last Saturday was a long day in town. Everybody and his wife were in buying Christmas presents for the little folks. What is there that gives more pleasure to the parent than to hear the layons sing and see the sparkling eyes of their little ones on Christmas morning, when they find that "Santa Claus" has not forgotten them in his annual visit to the good children.

An avinsane man was recently found wandering about in Mills County, Iowa, and taken care of by the authorities. He had been sleeping in barns and hay stacks for about a week, getting little, if anything, to eat during that time. He gives his name as Lewis Musper, and says he comes of Greek blood. We learn from the Glenwood Opinion.

We learn that some of our subscribers at Weeping Water Falls complain of not getting the *Herald* regularly lately. We are unable to account for the failure, as the paper is regularly furnished from this office. Whose fault is it? There are but two or three offices between here and Weeping Water. Let our Post Masters to a little more careful in overhauling the mail, and probably there will be no room for complaint of this kind.

Our "Salt Creek" correspondent seems to think it is our duty to oppose State organization. We would say to him that we think it our duty to oppose it whenever we are thoroughly convinced that the measure is in opposition to the interests of the people of the Territory. We are glad to see a disposition on the part of the people to discuss this matter, as it is an unwise policy for any people to rush headlong into a measure of such importance as organizing a State Government before it has been thoroughly discussed in all its bearings.

The people of Nebraska City, after calling a public meeting for the purpose of organizing a Vigilance Committee, and appointing three persons to select suitable men to compose said committee, have concluded to try it a little longer under the rule of civil law. The calling of the meeting will undoubtedly have the effect of driving out a goodly number of the "ruffians" from that city; and our farmers will do well to keep a sharp watch and well primed shot-guns for fear some of them may travel in this direction in making their exodus. We have but little fears of their visiting this part of the country, as they will either go back to where they came from or travel farther west; but it is well to be ready and on the watch for such characters, and give them immediate justice should any straggler make his appearance in these parts.

I have thousands of good appliances in the Plattsburgh nursery, of good size, and good varieties. Also a variety of other fruit, ornamental trees, shrubbery evergreens, &c. Anything in the nursery line not to be had in my nursery, will be furnished to order as early in the spring as the first of April. See advertisement in another column.

Not. 15 ff. Wm S. Wm.

Legal Notice.
In the District Court of the 2d Judicial District of Nebraska, on the 1st day of April, and for the county of Cass, in Chancery of the same, James Bailey, complainant, against William N. Shlaughter and Martha Shlaughter, his wife, defendants.

To William N. Shlaughter and Martha Shlaughter, defendants,
You are hereby notified that the above named complainant has filed in the District Court of Cass, in Chancery of the same, on the 1st day of April, 1865, a complaint against you, the defendant, for the recovery of the sum of \$1,000.00, being a certain mortgage on the following described real estate, to-wit: one-half acre of land, situated in section 14, range 13, and the west 1/4 of lot no. 10, in the town of Keene, in the county of Cass, in the state of Nebraska, containing 1/2 acre, and valued at \$200.00 per acre, and bearing date May 21, 1858, and for the sum of the said mortgage, promises to satisfy and clear, and discharge the defendant, of all claims and demands, and to pay the sum of \$1,000.00, to the plaintiff, on the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1866, the same will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree made accordingly.

James BAILEY, Complainant.
By J. C. N. SHLAUGHTER, his Solicitor.
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J. F. Fox vs. William Boxley

You are hereby notified that an order of attachment was issued against J. F. Fox from the Justice's Court before J. H. Allison, Justice of the Peace in and for Cass County, Nebraska, on the 1st day of April, 1865, and for the sum of \$1,000.00, and for the amount of attachment was issued on the 29th day of November, 1865, and you are required to appear and defend on the 16th day of January, 1866, at 1 o'clock p.m., at the office of the Clerk of the Court, in the County of Cass, in the state of Nebraska.

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J. W. CONN, Plaintiff.

Estray Notice.

Taken up by the subscriber, living on the farm of R. G. Dunn, 4 miles south of Plattesmouth, on the 6th day of December, 1865, one cow and calf, the cow is large, red, with white hairs, both hind feet white, supposed to be about 14 months old, and the calf is about 10 months old, and both ears black, one left ear, also one black and white, and the right ear, also one black and white, and the right ear, also one black, 1 year old, and 1/2 of full growth. Also one black calf, white with black spots on right hip. The owner is requested to call, prove property, pay charges and take away.

B. C. WEST, Estray Master.

December 11th, 1865. 18 5w

Estray Notice.

Taken up by the subscriber, 1 mile west of Rock Bluff, Cass County, Neb., on the 1st day of Dec., 1865, one mule, black, pale red, saddle cloth, 14 hands, tail white, and upper half up in the tail, ears, also one black and white, and the right ear, also one black and white, and the right ear, also one black and white, and the right ear, also one black, 1 year old, and 1/2 of full growth. Also one black calf, white with black spots on right hip. The owner is requested to call, prove property, pay charges, and take away.

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