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TATE SPRINGS, TENN., July 4, 1888. The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.: During the spring of 1871, while working in the field at my home in Morgan county, Ga., I pulled off my shoes to give my feet a rest. Unfortunately, I walked into a clump of poison oak, and in a few days my feet were in a terrible condition, and I could not put on a shoe because of the soreness and swelling. I was treated as poison oak cases usually are, and everything was healed up. About the same time the following spring, 1872, my feet became sore again, as at first, and every succeeding spring for five years brought back the same condition of the disease, only each time it became more disease, only each time it became more disease. tressing, because I began to think it was a lifetime trouble. Finally, I was induced to try Swift's Specific. I took six bottles, and to-day am entirely well. My improvement was gradual from the first, and no evidence of the disease remains. I shall take pleasure in testifying as to its curative properties. It is the greatest blood purifier in ex-

istence. Yours truly, J. L. Morgan. The foregoing certificate is taken at random from thousands of letters in possession of the Swift Specific Co., and presented simply as a sample. It is a voluntary statement, giving facts and results of the case. Its accuracy and genuineness are

beyond question. A valuable Treatise on Blood and Shin Diseases mailed free. Address THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.,

A NUMBER of fine farms in one of the richest agricultural counties of Pennsylvania have recently been knocked down under the ham-mer. This would indicate that agriculture in the Keystone state is on the decline. The frugal Dutch farmers of Pennsylvania should come out to Nebraska instanter.

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Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, New ark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an Incurable Consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest nedicine ever made."

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Red Willow, Neb.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

INDIANOLA, Neb., Feb. 15th, 1883.

Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Stephen Bolies, Henry Crabtree and C. T. Blackman, commissioners, and Geo. W. Roper, clerk. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Petition of Lincoln Land Co., Perley L. Moore and sixteen other resident free holders of the village of Danbury, Neb., read and considered, and on motion same was granted, vacating the west 20 feet of Fairpoint avenue in the village of Danbury, Red Willow County, Nebraska.

Road No. 209.—Petition of P. J. Hickman, Enos Morris, et. al., for a consent road, read and considered; it appearing to the board that all owners of land along line of proposed road have given their consent in writing, on motion same was granted, establishing a public road as follows, to-wit: Commencing at N. E. Cor. Sec. 6, T. 2, R. 26, thence west on Sec. line to N. W. Cor. said Sec. 6, and terminating thereat.

at.

ROAD No. 210.—Petition of Isaac Beeson, J.
R. Young, et. al., for a consent road, read and considered; it appearing to the board that all owners of land along line of proposed road have given their consent in writing, on motion same was granted, establishing a public road as follows, to-wit: Commencing at S. E. Cor. Sec. 31, T. 3, R. 26, thence north on Sec. line to N. E. Cor. said Sec. 31, and terminating thereat.

On motion the annual settlement of road overseers was examined and clerk directed to draw certificates as follows: 

were appointed, and their bonds approved as follows:
W. T. Henton, assessor for Beaver precinct.
S. B. Rowe, assessor for East Valley precinct.
Ephraim Green, overseer road district No. 16.
J. C. Lafferty, overseer road district No. 27.
Henry Colling, overseer road district No. 22.
Geo. J. Frederick, overseer road Dist. No. 9.
E. E. Devoe, justice for Lebanon precinct.
E. M. Pearson, justice for Lebanon precinct.
B. W. Seeley, constable for North Valley precinct.

Charles G. Holmes, constable for Driftwood John Ling, constable for Danbury precinct.
J. W. Hoppe, constable for East Valley pre.
On motion the following claims were audited and allowed, and clerk directed to draw warrants on county road fund levy, 1888, as follows:

rants on county general fund levy, 1888, as fol-

Gibson, Miller & Richardson, blank books, 25.50
Huddleston Lumber Co., coal for jail, 6.35
Highbarger& Lumm, blank case for judge, 20.00
Julia A. Fox, board pauper Skow, 12.00
A. C. Aruntage, building office for C. D. C, 26.50
C. S. Quick, stove for C. D. C, 15.00
C. S. Quick, rent house for pauper Herr, 24.50
Ludwick & Trowbridge, taking up corpse
for inquest, 25.00
C. T. Brewer, coroner inquest Bert Johnson, deceased, 6.50
C. B. Hoag, carriage for Robt. Adams, 2.00
J. W. Dolau, insurance on court house, 30.00
G. W. Curfman, medical attendance pauper Carter, 8.50
J. T. Conlon, calcimine jail, 3.58
Gazette Journal Co., supplies clerk district court, 26.00

trict court,...
W. H. Powell & Co., pauper supplies,....
Bat McDonnell, care prisoner Dunn,.... 

ary 16th, 1889.
Attest: Stephen Bolles,
Geo. W. Roper, Clerk. Chairman.

INDIANOLA, NEB., Feb. 16th, 1889.

Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Stephen Bolles, Henry Crabtree and C. T. Blackman, commissioners, and Geo. W. Roper, clerk. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

In compliance with the law in such cases made and provided, the Board on motion selected from the various precincts of Red. Wilmade and provided, the Board on motion selected from the various precincts of Red Willow county, Nebraska, the names of 60 persons from which to draw the Jurors, for the March (1889.) term of District court, whereupon the Clerk of the District court was furnished with said list, and the following named persons were drawn for Jurors for the March (1889.) term of District court:

C. A. Dibble,

A. Nelson,

A. B. Lincoln.

Richard Johnson.

John S. Fineh, T. D. Pollock, A. P. Day, Moses Weaver, I. N. Callett, A. D. West, M. Pennington, J. Evans, J. Chrysler,

A. Nelson,
Richard Johnson,
Will McCool,
C. E. Hinman,
Page T. Francis,
Jacob Corb,
S. L. Miller,
Hampton Norton, Jr.,
John Baker John Baker, W. H. Smith, F. Cain, I. J. Spaulding. On motion the following claims were reject

Wm. Murphy, coffin for pauper,...... \$40.00 Jas. H. Goodrich, clerk hire for year 1888, 350.00 On motion the following claims were audited and allowed, and clerk directed to draw warrants on county general fund levy 1888, as

follows:
Page T. Francis, surveying roads, .....\$10.00
F.W.Eskey, medical attendance prisoner
Dunn .....\$5.15
John Real, surveying roads, claim \$8.00 allowed 6.00
Stephen Bolles, services as Commissioner 10.40
Henry Crabtree, services as Comr. 13.25
C.T. Blackman services as Comr. 8.00 STEPHEN BOLLES,

ATTEST: GEO. W. ROPER, Clerk.

"I have used St. Patrick's Pills," says Mr. J. Reynolds, of Mayfield, Ky., "and pronounce them superior to any I have ever before used. I do not hesitate to recommend them, knowing them to be reliable." They are thorough, yet gentle in their action and leave the system splendid condition. As a cathartic, or for disorders of the liver St. Patrick's Pills have no equal. For sale by all druggists.

VAILTON NOTES.

The cold wave has passed. We notice considerable farming in progress. Herman Meyers has returned to his eastern

Stock in this section are in better condition

than ever before at this time of year. C. S. Ferris is building an addition to his house, which will be quite an improvement in

the way of room and convenience. into a good pasture. Mr. Esher is engaged in nursery work. Now is time for orders.

Stock sales are the order of the day. John Crutz adjourned his sale till the 5th, and Frank Evarts, to the 8th of next mouth, we are in- Cash in Banks and Trust Com-

Old friends of Archie Speers' family were visiting friends, last week, they reside near Oberlin. Mr. Fair was wonderfully pleased with the country around Vailton. RALPH.

The following from the pen of Mr. L. P. Bard | 1886... well, editor of The Marion (Iowa) Pilot, will 1887..... we believe, be of interest to many of our readers. He says: "It is with pleasure that I certify Remedy. I have used it in my family for years and have always found it most excellent, and especially for colds, croup and sore throat. It is safe and effective." For sale by all drug-

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are fully equal in durability, service and appearance to any \$50 Watch. We sell these Watches for \$25 spot cash, and send to any address by Express or Registered Mail; or by our Club System at \$1 per week. One good reliable AGENT WANTED in each place. Write for particulars ing papers on various subjects by the leading educators of the state. State Superintendent Lane wili hold examinations for state certificates during the meeting. The executive committee have made arrangements for reduced rates with the railroads and hotels, and will leave nothing undone to make the coming meeting the most eventful one in the history of the association.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous, for is prompt and effectual cures of coughs and colds. The most severe cold may be loosened and relieved by a few doses of this valuable remedy. For sale by all druggists.

There is no danger in giving Chamberlain's The BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, ordises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilbiains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. McMillen.

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## LOWMAN & SO

Come and get a Butterick Pattern sheet for March.

THE Nebraska Editorial association contem plates a most enjoyable ex cursion during the month of July. It is understood that the boys will go to St. Paul, thence to Tacoma, Wash ington, over the Northern Pacific, and from there to Portland, Oregon, thence home over the Union Pacific. Editor Wessel has arrange ments well in hand, and the trip is a sure

Persons troubled with rheumatism should try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. One applicahas cured many cases of chronic and inflammatory rheumatism, that had resisted other remedies and even the treatment of the best physicians. Price, 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all druggists.

SENATOR KENNA of West Virginia finally succeeded Saturday in coercing ; the entire democratic delegation in the state legislature to vote for him and the dead lock is broken. Kenna succeeds himself, but only through the grossest frauds in the election of last Novem-

STATEMENT

The Mutual Life Insurance Co.

RICHARD A. MCCURDY, PRESIDENT. For the year ending Dec. 31, 1888.

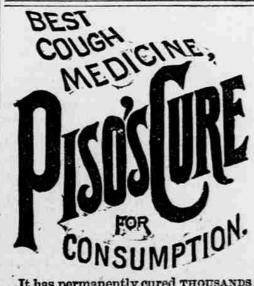
Total Assets, - - \$126,082,153.56 Increase in Assets,.....\$ Surplus at four per cent...... Increase in Surplus,..... 1,645,622.11 Increase during year,..... 17,626.00 Policies written,..... Increase during year,.... 10.301.00 Risks assumed, ..... Increase during year,... 54,496,251.85 26,215,932.52 Receipts from all sources,. Increase during year,...

Paid Policy-Holders,.... The Assets are Invested as follows:

Bonds and Mortgages, .........\$49,617,874.02 United States and other securities 48,616,704.14 Real Estate and Loans on Collat-2,813,277.60 ferred and in transit, etc.,.... 3,248,172.46

Bisks Assumed. Risks Outstanding, Surplus. ...\$ 34,681,420.....\$351,789,285....\$4,743,771 46,507,139.... 368,981,441... 5,012,634 56,832,719... 393,809,203... 5,643,568 69,457,468 427,628,933 6,294,442 163,214,261 482,125,184 7,940,063 ROBERT A. GRANNISS, Vice President.

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