

NEBRASKA INTERESTS.

The Michigander who killed Josh Billings \$5,000, must have died from a "bad spell."—Norristown Herald.

Crete nurseries, Crete, Neb., are working between fifty and sixty hands getting up stock for their wholesale trade. They will be ready for retail trade April 1st. The season promises to be very favorable for tree planting.

The body of John Kirsh was found floating in Oak creek, near Lincoln, one day last week. The coroner's jury returned a verdict that he came to his death by drowning by his own hand while of un-mind.

Mrs. John Lee, wife of a well-known lumber dealer of Crete, died a few days ago from the effects of poison, either strychnine or arsenic. It is not known as yet how she came to take it.

At the request of the board of regents of the state university, L. R. Thompson, professor of agriculture in the industrial college, and S. Culbertson, professor of agriculture and superintendent of horticulture, handed in their resignations, which were accepted. E. P. Savage, of Custer county, was appointed to take charge of the farm work and stock.

Harlan county invites comparison in the matter of heavy babies. Sappa township was heard from a few days ago with one weighing fourteen and a half pounds, and now Pleasant Ridge, near by, comes to the front with twins weighing eight pounds each.

A. B. & M. brakeman named J. D. McCune was arrested at Wymore for stealing freight from the company's warehouse. He pleaded guilty and was fined.

Sheriff McLean, of Dawson county, took Vette Cornet, aged 17 years, to the state insane asylum, he having been adjudged insane by the county board of insanity. About ten years ago, says the Plum Creek Pioneer, the young man was bitten on the cheek by a rabid dog, and at periods since that time he has shown signs of mental derangement which have increased each succeeding year until the boy became dangerous to his friends, and his father was compelled to have him sent to the asylum.

A gentleman from Norfolk has bought the famous Severn spring near Long Pine, and in the near future will erect an extensive flouring mill and factory on the east bank of the ever hurrying Pine.

Jefferson county, although not getting as much immigration as had been anticipated, is securing a class of settlers that come well provided with means. Land has so advanced in price that the man with but limited means is compelled to push farther west.

Antoine Christiansen, of Omaha, mysteriously disappeared from his home a few nights ago, leaving a wife and young babe to whom he was devotedly attached. It is feared he has been foully dealt with.

The citizens of Waterloo, Douglas county, propose inaugurating a canning factory enterprise. At a recent meeting facts were presented showing that with an expense of \$2,000 there can be prepared a building and complete outfit with capacity for putting up 10,000 cans per day.

An old man whose name was not learned, was relieved of \$235 by confidence men just as the train left Plattsmouth a few days ago. He was on his way from his home in the east to Grafton, where he has a son keeping a grocery.

At Liberty, according to the Journal, Mr. Kedson's cow went to a neighbor's and put her head into a barrel, and when she tried to take her head out, but could not, so she began bawling and bawling and backed against the door, burst it open, went against the bed.

Commissioner Vining of the tripartite pool, has decided that in order to prevent the shipment of freight from Long Pine, Neb., via the C. & Q. railroad to Kearney, freight from that city should be contracted and billed to St. Paul, Neb., at the Kearney rates.

The State Teachers' association opened at Lincoln on the 20th at the university chapel with an address of welcome by Regent C. H. Gere, and response by A. W. Vandeman, of Wahoo, and an address by the president, P. W. Jones, of the state superintendent. The association opened with a good attendance, and it was thought the session would prove instructive as well as entertaining.

After an inquisition continued for nearly two days, the jury empaneled to hold an inquest on the body of Mrs. John Lee, at Crete, rendered a verdict that "death was caused by poison, but not self-administered nor taken by accident, but by whom administered the jury, from the evidence, are unable to decide."

In the district court at Lincoln George Newton was fined \$50 for gambling and James Shaw \$30 for renting him the room.

Wednesday, the 16th of April, will be observed as Arbor Day, in accordance with the provision of the government, wherein he says: "This work is one of present blessing, as well as one of future benefaction. Let all who can engage in the good work. Plant Trees, Plant Trees! Plant the Vine! Plant Shrub, and Flower!"

Three boys, at Wahoo, sons of Dr. M. W. Stone, W. Kilmont and Thomas Biddle, poisoned themselves by eating wild raspberries or some other noxious root. The poison was not fatal in any case.

The Presbyterians of Kenesaw have decided to erect a house of worship the coming summer to cost about \$1,500. The German Evangelical society of the same place are also taking steps to build.

The people of Beatrice are so well pleased with the manner in which Mayor McConnell has filled the office during the past year, that a petition has been signed by about one hundred of the leading citizens, asking him to accept the position another term.

In all sections immigrants are putting in an appearance both by cars and wagons. The prairie schooner can be seen any day, with a few extra horses, a herd of cattle, a coop of chickens, and implements of husbandry, making for some vacant land to carve out a home for the future.

The annual sheep-shearing festival of the Nebraska wool growers and sheep breeders' association will take place at Beatrice, May 7 and 8.

Hon. A. S. Paddock has returned from attendance upon the Utah commission at Salt Lake to his home in Beatrice. It is rumored that he will resign from the commission at an early day.

The anti-monopolists met in convention at Lincoln on the 26th and appointed delegates from the three congressional districts to the national convention. Ben Butler was declared the committee's choice for president.

The state teachers' institute elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, W. W. Jones; Lincoln; secretary, Ed. Healey; Crete; treasurer, H. M. Blake; Beatrice; corresponding secretary, Ann Gray; superintendent of Polk county.

A party of eighty people arrived in Omaha from Vincennes, Indiana, a few days ago. They have come to Nebraska bag and baggage for permanent location. The party will form a colony in the northern section of the state, taking advantage of the cheap lands and the unsurpassed resources thereof.

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FOREIGN.

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S BIRTHDAY. March 22d was the eighty-seventh anniversary of Emperor William's birthday. Buildings throughout Berlin were decked with flags. Thousands of people thronged around the palace. Nearly all the German princes were present.

The first congratulatory telegram received was from Queen Victoria. The emperor appeared at the window of the palace, whereupon the multitude that thronged the streets greeted him with enthusiastic and long continued cheers. Bismarck drove to the palace through the cheering crowds, at the head

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Fencing the Public Domain.

Secretary Teller sent to the house a report relative to the unlawful fencing in of public lands in Nebraska. The report is a special one by United States Deputy Surveyor G. W. Fairchild, who says: "The whole country embraced in the act of fencing (northwestern Nebraska) is occupied and run by capitalists engaged in cattle raising, who have hundreds of miles of wire fence constructed which enclose all the desirable land, including water courses, to form barriers for their cattle and prevent settlers occupying the land. They also represent that they have desert and timber claims upon the land they have enclosed. Upon their fences they have posted, at intervals, notices as follows: 'This fence has been better look out for his scalp.'"

The fences are built often so as to enclose several sections in one ranch, and the ranches are joined together from the mountains clear round to the mountains again. Persons going to the land to settle are also notified that if they settle on the land the ranchmen will freeze them out. They will not vote for a man that settles on or claims land, and he cannot get employment from any cattle man in the whole country.

The chief object for addressing you is to report the wholesale destruction of valuable timber on government land in this whole region by cattle men, who pretend to own and raise it. There are acres after acres of bare stumps, which but a short time ago were growing timber. There were thousands of logs cut last summer and laid out to accessible points to be used for fences, corals, branding shutes and houses, in Nebraska and Wyoming.

He who prologues the honesty of today till to-morrow, will probably prodigy his to-morrows to eternity.—[Lavater.