We Have no Closing-Out Sale

To advertise. Never had such a run of trade; in fact its a regular land-slide. It's our spot cash knock-out prices that has done it. We have new goods arriving daily. We are in a position to supply all and every want of our customers at prices never thought of by our competitors who advertise "closing-out sales." "out of business in 90 days," etc., etc.

NOT	TION DEPA	RTMENT.
German Kni	tting yarn	15e a skeit
		.3 papers for 5 cent
Adamantine	Pins	1 cent a pape
Best Needles		4 cents a paper
Curling Iron	, nine inch	3 cent
Twin Dress S	Stays	d cents a sel
7-inch metal	back combs	T cents each
Side Combs		4 cents a pai
Baby Ribbon	1	6 yards for 5 cents
Men's Cellule	oid Collars	10 cents each
Men's Linen	Collars, four ply.	12 cents each
		25 cents a pair
		4 pairs for 25 cents
Men's Cotton	Rockford Hose,	heavy 3 prs for 25 cts
		21 cents a garment
		x heavy .50c a garmen

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

Men's all-wool Cassimere Suit for \$ 6.50

Men's all-wool Cheviot Suit for \$ 6.50 Men's all-wool Clay Worsted Suit for \$ 8.00

Men's all-wool Clay Worsted Suit, satin lined ... \$13.00

Men's all-wool Clay Worsted Suit satin lined ... \$15.50

Men's all-wool Beaver Overcoat for \$ 9.00

Men's all-wool Melton Overcoat for \$ 9.00 that will give the boys good wear. Boys' Chinchilla Reefers at..... When in need of Clothing visit our store and inspect our stock.

The Hub, . . W. T. Banks, Prop.

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

January 10, 1898. Board met, present full board and county clerk. The following accounts were allowed.

Thomas Hanrahan, overseer road district 32, certificate issued on and Floyd See returned to their fund of said district for \$29.00, Jas. home at Crab Orchard after a weeks Sykes overseer road district 54, cer- visit with their sister Mrs. Elmer tificate issued on said district fund Fuller. for 26.00; Jacob Rosenburg overseer road district 15, certificate is- Gandy. sued on fund of said district for 30.00; Sam H. Bowers, overseer sick list the past week. We trust road district 10 certificate issued he will regain his health soon. on said district fund for 28.00; Walter Connolly overseer road II, certificate issued on said disteict fund North Platte Saturday. for 27.10; Wm. LaRue overseer road said district fund for 30.00.

Jacob Rosenburg claim for 9.00 for Mr. and Mrs. Null were North road work, warrant ordered drawn Platte visitors Saturday. on bridge fund for said amount.

Official bond of F. G. Haller, assessor for Willow precinct, ap-

Commissioner Hardin attended Maywood Thursday. the meeting of South Side ditch A Mr. Mayberry was in town company for the purpose of repre- Thursday trying to rent a farm. senting the interest of Lincoln Alex Green has purchased a span

January 11, 1858. Board met. present full board and preached at the Ash Grove school county clerk. The following claims house Saturday and Sunday. were allowed: Curtis Hinman. road overseer for district 2. certificate Platte Monday. issued on fund of said district for for district 12, certificate issued Platte Saturday and Sunday. on fund of said district for 30.00.

quarter approved. The report of The Baptists of this community the county judge for the year 1897 have called Rev. Stinnett, of Mooreapproved.

amount claimed 36.00.

On motion of Garrison the salary time. of Bertha Thoelecke, county superintendent is fixed at \$1200 per an-

Clerk was instructed to advertise

for lease of poor farm. January 12, 1898.

county clerk.

S. G. Diehl road overseer district connection. 40, certificate issued on said disovereer district 23, certificate is- returned Wednesday.

sued on said district for 30.00. Report of the overseer of poor for third quarter ending Sept. 30, 1897, Geo. Parsons place. approved; also his report for the fourth quarter ending Dec. 31,1897.

Bond of deputy clerk was presented and approved.

Advertised Letters.

List of letters remaining uncalled for day. in the post office at North Platte. Neb. for the week ending January 14, 1898.

Adkina S M Armstron A J Hill W S Hall James

Mingus Frank Miller John A US Marshall Smith L M Scanian Claude2

Courtney Miss J Dugan Mrs M Beckett Miss K Gambsell Mrs N E Persons calling for above will please say "advertised." M. W. CLAIR, Postmaster.

There is a Class of People who are injured by the use of coffee. Re cently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN O, made of pure grains, that fire. takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without dis tress, and but few can tell it from coffee It does not cost over 1/4 as much. Chijdren may drink it with great benefit. 15 Ask for GRAIN-O.

Joe Brunk accompanied by his sisters, Mrs. Schrambling and Mrs. Smith attended the ball at Gandy, New Years eve.

Mrs. O. Beal and Miss Rozilla

Will Baley attended the ball at

R. J. Menzie has been on the Alex and Jennie McNicol at- John Kellher tended the teachers' convention at

Ellis Burns returned from the district 18, certificate issued on west recently and says his folks are coming back in the spring.

SOMERSET.

Messrs. McConnel and McDermott earch marketed a load of hogs at

of horses of Wm. Parcel.

Rev. E. T. Stinget, of Moorefield

W. A. Latimer was in North

Miss Bessie McDonald and Miss 10.00. Fred Edelman, road overseer Nora Latimer visited in North

Masters Fred and George Griffiths and Ed Willerton were in Report of county judge for third North Platte Saturday and Sunday.

field, to preach for them half the

BRADY ISLAND.

December 31 and royally rung in \$25,000 ot county warrants out-

The first public installation Board met.present full board and lodge officers for Brady will occur friend Cheyney ever gets. Whether Saturday night when Camp 2008, Claims were allowed as follows: M. W. A., will give a supper in to his ignorance or knavery we

Wm. McIntire, who has been trict fund for 8.00, W. A. Latimer away threshing all fall and winter,

cosily ensconced in their home, the places the total 5,000.

Miss Agnes Costin came up from Willow Sunday.

Cassius Parsons is in Cozad.

Nello Cover is home this week. Miss Lucy Sullivan came down Sunday to commence school Mon-

That spry corn husker, William Stone, is picking for F. George. A number of Brady folks drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clapp to spend the evening Satur-

The Woodmen's Christmas dance netted them about \$12.

Miss Salinah Holcomb attended the funeral of her grandmother at Gothenburg Tuesday.

The village board of Gibbon has ordered a fifteen-horse power gasoline engine, which will be placed in the fire house for use in time of Pacific to points in Missouri, Arkan-

Clinton Grant, a 9-year-old boy New Mexico, where the minimum of Hayes Center, was seriously in- round trip rate is \$7.00 or over. at jured by a horse falling on him. one fare the round triy plus 2.00.

For exact territory and full in-When found he was unconscious and formation or tickets call on or adcts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. is supposed to have been lying in that condition for several hours.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE

Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Keliher was the occasion of a most pleasant surprise party, instigated by about fifty of the friends of this worthy couple. The evening was passed in dancing and card playing, music A. E. Pool's orchestra. During the evening refreshments were provided which added greatly to the enjoyment of all. The merrymakers

Jas Daiy Joe Schatz John Murray

Lena Schatz

Mary Rebhausen Minnie Sorenson Frances McNamara Ella Jeffers Ella Sullivan Louise Weingand Abbie Shaman Alice Grace Will Sullivan Dick Grace Walker Hainline Henry Rebhausen Frank Brazelton John Keliher Jas. Daly

THE ERATIC ERA.

The Era exposes the ignorance of its imported editor when in its last issue it claimes that as there is \$75,641.21 taxes for 1895 and 1890 unpaid and \$40,000 of county warrants outstanding, that if these taxes were paid these outstanding warrants could be paid and leave balance in the treasurery of \$35,000.

If the above were collected fifty per cent of it would be paid over to the school districts and twenty-five per cent to state and precinct. The remainder only after deducting collection fees could only be applied in payment of county warrants, so that if every dollar of these taxes were paid, instead of a balance in The bell for the church was hung | the treasury, there would be at least standing with no funds to pay them. But this is as near the truth as our these mistatements of fact are due leave the public to decid.

An estimate of the number of cattle now being fed in Antelope county made by men thoroughly in-Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sullivan are tormed upon the whole subject.

> A 25c VIAL LEADS TO A DOLLAR FLASK. "77", the dollar flask is popular. It is flat, easy to carry and economical, containing 120 doses. The value of having "77" at hand when needed. cannot be overestimated. "77" cures Colds, Grip, Influenza.

> Catarrh. Pain in the head and Chest, Cough, Sore Throat and Fever. For sale by all druggists or sent on receipt of price. Humphreys' Medicine company. Cor. William & John Sts., New York.

The annual meeting of the Interstate Swine Breeders Association at Red Cloud has been postponed from January 11 to February 1 and 2.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONN. Tickets will be sold on the first and third Tuesdays of January, February and March via the Union Texas, Louisiana, Arizona and

N. B. OLDS.

retend life. The. Sic. Fredund me

REAUTY GETS A SQUARE SHOW. Judge William Neville of North Platte, vice president of the exposition for Nebraska, is in his glory to the "beauty contest." which he has instituted among the handsome had managed to accumulate a fair share women of Nebraska in order to se-cure the picture of two of the hand-somest women in the state to form Nebraska's contribution to the com- with a commercial acquaintance and posite picture which is to form the had need of certain documents. He rang model of the reverse side of the exsays he is receiving pictures by the Mr. Files, and the boy harried as if he causing him any uneasiness is the eye and a double chin. He gazed listfact that a large number of the lessly at the ceiling while Mr. Files inhandsomest pictures yet received are structed him to get a key from one not profile views of the subjects. and cannot be considered. He says he is afraid he will be limited in his choce if the women do not comply more strictly with the rule requiring the picture to be a full profile of the head and shoulders.

Judge Neville announces that he will receive pictures until February 1, at which time the lists will close and the process of picking out the handsomest women in the lot will comence. Asked if he would make the selection himself or call in others to assist in the operation, the Judge's face assumed a wounded expression and he answered in a most positive manner. This is a most important matter responsibity of deciding the question. This case is being tried without a jury and I think the question for the occasion being furnished by of fact involved can be passed upon by the court without the assistance of a jury. I shall make my decision shortly after the evidence is all in my hands and the decision will be made public to the newspapers of the state."

There is a measure of satisfaction in store for those women who may not be chosen as the represent-Neville announces that be will have all the pictures handsomely framed and hung in the rotunda of the Nebraska building, so that all comers may see for themselves the counterfeit presentment of the thousands of beautiful women in Nebraska. The Judge believes that this display will have a strong effect on immigration to Nebraska, especially among the young men of the east, and that, as a result, the matrimonial market will experience a about thousands of desirable matrimonial alliances. In the opinion of the honorable vice president, this prospect should arouse the patriotism of Nebraska women, especially those living in a state of single blessedness, and result in a still greater number of pictures being received. - Omaha Bee.

-Henry Gibbons was appointed postmaster at Kearney yesterday. Editor Brown was an applicant but t seems the other fellow had the best "pull."

A special agent of the land office has been in Kimball county investigating complaints that private parties have been fencing in government land.

The great naphtha torches, with their however, when seen moving. In laying be spread upon the roadway, the naphtha torches are moved along to light the work. They are carried on wheel-The economical way of buying is brought up in this manner from a "77" with those who appreciate distance of half a block. It is not the greatest spectacle in the world, but it is certainly a curious and interesting sight to see a man wheeling one of these torches along the sidewalk, with another man walking beside the barrow and the time the two foot flame is flaring out at right angles with the pipe from under its hood above. - New York Sun. Platte, Neb. Cheap.

Royal makes the food pure,

As Mr. Files was not quite clever enough to attain the knowledge of hua bell, and a frightened looking office

position souvenir medal. The Judge boy appeared. "Tell Spriggs to come here," said man, a tin box from another and some stationery from a third. Spriggs had difficulty in catching the names of the men, and at last had to have them written on a piece of paper. As the young man departed Mr. Files made a gesture in his direction and said:

"There goes my most trusted em

quired the visitor. "No. He came day before yesterday."
"He hasn't learned much about the

"Not a thing. That's the reason he's a trusted employee." And Mr. Files laughed for the firs

In a little New Hampshire village there lives an old lady who has such a world that she is unable to comprehend and I shall take upon myself the the entire lack of that spirit in some

other people.

Not long ago one of her granddaugh-

"I can't bear to pass a man like that," she said vehemently at the end of her

"I know just how 'tis, dear," said the old lady, laying one of her soft, wrinkled hands on the girl's head. "It does seem as if you'd got to stop and speak with the poor creatures just a minute, doesn't it? I never can bear to atives of Nebraska beauty. Judge pass 'em by without a word. It doesn't

The gay little granddaughter was cuite disturbed by this misinterpretation of her words, but she did not undeceive her grandmother as to her meaning. For some reason she felt ashames -Youth's Companion.

Sweetest of the Sweet. Framed and hung up in the Agricultural bank of Paris, Ky., is a check which was made payable to "Sweetest of the Sweet," and so indorsed.

"One of our depositors gave his wife wave of prosperity which will bring | ularly filled out and duly signed, except that it was made payable to 'Sweetest of the Sweet.' When the lady presented the check for payment, I innocently in-

'Why, it's me,' she replied. "I told her to indorse the check, which she did and handed it back.

est of the Sweet." "She snatched up the pen and wrote the words below the name, and I paid the money. "-Chicago Chronicle.

Tomtom-That was a funny experience of Dr. Pillbox. When Jingo's safe got out of order, he called the doctor in

Tomtom-Why, he said its system was all run down and that it needed change. - New York World.

FOR SALE.

package. Sold by all grocers.

ing the pipe to steady it, while all quarters Sections 15, township

B. A. Malony ROCK ISLAND, III.

D. M. HOGSETT

+ Contractor and Builder, +

AND AGENT FOR

WINDMILLS.

NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

"Has he been with you long" in

business yet, has he?"

time in weeks. - Detroit Free Press.

Different Reasons. sweet spirit of kindliness toward all the

ters, a gay young city girl, was paying her a visit and one day told her of a ragged and intoxicated man whom she had seen on the street just before leav-

President McClure of the bank tella the story of the check as follows: check for \$10, the check being reg-

"'But, madam,' I said, 'you must indorse it just as drawn, to the "Sweet-

An Expert Opinion.

Buzzfuzz-What did Pillbox sav?

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O! Ask your grocer today to show you package of Grain-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The chil dren may drink it without injury as well asphalt pavement, as load after load of GRAIN-O has the rich seal brown of asphalt for the first layer is dumped to Mocha and Java, but it is made from

Southeast and southwest 1 range 34, near North

2428 Seventh Ave.,

ECLIPSE and FAIRBANKS

Prior to taking Inventory we are offering several lines of goods at greatly

Cut Prices!

Next week we will give you prices on beauty. The only thing that is mind and cut off escape. Mr. Spriggs be pleased to have you call and take advantage of some of the

> **Decided Bargains** We are offering.....

The Fair.

RICHARDS BROS.

First National Bank,

NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

CAPITAL, \$50,000. SURPLUS, -- \$22,500. H. S. White. - - President. P. A. White, - - · Vice-Pres't.

> A general banking business transacted.

Arthur McNamara, - Cashier.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Lanu Office at North Platte, Neb.,

JOHN F. HINMAN, Re

es Winner, John Hansen, Jan Waters, all of Wallace, Neb. JOHN F. HINMAN, Register

Land Office at North Platte, Neb.,

U. S. Land Office, North Platie, Neb.,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

November 28th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before the Register and Re-

ver at North Platte, Neb., on January 15th

and Office at North Platts, Neb.,

JOHN F. HINMAN,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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Land Office at North Platte, Neb.,

Legal Notices.

C. Ritner and Helen M. Ritner, his wife, to the Lombard Investment Company dated June 13th, 1888, now owned by plaintid, and covering the following described real estate, situated in said County of Linesin and State of Nebrasia, to-wit: The North one hundred and forty (140) acres of the southwest quarter of Section thirty-four (34) in Township afteen (15) north, range thirty-one (31) west of the Sixth principal meridian.

Said petition further prays that the rights, titles and interests of said defendants be determined and settled, and that said land be appraised and

the statements and allegations therein con will be taken as true, and a decree will be res will be taken as true, and against you as therein prayed.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, by me affixed, this ith day of January, 1898.

W. C. ELDER.

PULSIFER & ALEXANDER. FOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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JAMES M. BAY, County Judge.

-STATEMENT-ASSOCIATION

WILSON A. CRANDALI.

H. E. No. 16273 for the W 1/2 N E 1/2 N 1/2 S E 1/4 of

Section 14, Township 9 N, Range 30 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his
continuous residence upon and cultivation of,
said land, vir. William Elder, Alfred H. Davis, of
North Platte, Neb., Charles A. Giane, John H.
Savage, of Wellfleet, Neb.

11-30 JOHN F. HINMAN, Register. of North Platte, Nebraska, on the 31st day of cember, 1897. 1.975 98 \$120,014 58 8130,051 58 TATE OF NEBRASEA, SS.

Claims against the Estate of John O. Lindh, de-cased, will be filed in County Court of Lincoln 22,195 00 county, Nebraska, within six months from this December 31, 1897. Such claims will be heard in said Court on June 1, 1898, and bu July 1, 1898, at 1 p. m., each day. The Administrator will settle said Estate within eighteen months from the James M. Bar, County Judge NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at North Platte, Neb.,

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.