HE TOOK A SHOT AT HIM.

AN ATTEMPTED BURGLARY AT THE HOME OF FRED ROBINSON.

Would-Be Burglar Awakens the Head of the Family and Is Frightened Away —McComb Is Arraigned.

Last night, soon after the town clock had tolled out the hour of twelve and Fred Robinson was enjoying the sleep of the just, he was rudely awakened by some one trying to force an entrance to his domicile through a rear window.

Fred hastily arose and drew on his trousers, and picking up a revolver that was lying near by, he slipped out to see who dared to invade his home at such an unseemly hour. The would-be burglar heard him opening the door and ran like a grayhound, but Fred got a good shot at him as he turned past the corner of the house, which fairly lifted the villain in the air and added greatly to his speed.

An examination shows that an effort was being made to pry up the window, and had less noise been made, the scoundrel would soon have gained an entrance. There was no evidence of blood about the yard so Fred's bullet doubtless went wide of the mark.

People cannot be too careful just now as Omaha and other towns are swarming with burglars and footpads.

McComb Arraigned.

James McComb, the "shootist," who jumped his bail a few weeks ago, was arraigned in district court today on the charge of shooting a man named Rout with intent to kill. He plead not guilty and was remanded back to jail to await trial at the next term of court in March.

W. B. Long, the man who was on McComb's bond, which was forfeited, was in court today and secured the setting aside of the forfeiture, as he had succeeded in bringing his man into court. Long was held, however, for all the costs that had been made in the search for McComb.

More About the Oil Well.

Yes sir, Brother Polk, Elmwood's got an oil well, and if you don't believe it come out and see. About six weeks ago, Lee Horton put down a well on Engelking's farm, and a few days afterward oil was discovered in the well. The well, which is thirty feet deep, contains about two feet of oil and water, which is reported to run in as fast as taken out.

A week ago Sunday, E. M. Jacobs and H. F. Krull went out to the well and procured a bottle of the fluid which they brought to town. When poured on a stick or on the ground and a lighted match applied, it immediately ignited.

Saturday Theo. Shafer procured a barrel of the oil and brought it to town and a large number of our citizens took some and tested it. The results showed that it burned in a lamp as good as any oil in Elmwood.

Where there's oil there's coal, and as we have the oil, in all probability we will soon go after the coal. Just watch our smoke!—Elmwood Leader-Echo.

Were Nicely Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Alshuler entertained a few of their friends in a charming manner last evening with social chat and progressive high-five. Mrs. T. Walling received first prize, a gold hat pin; W. L. Pickett second, a beautiful China pen tray, and Dr. Cummins got the consolation prize—a box of candy. There were present Messrs. and Mesdames Cummins, Pepperberg, Elson, Pickett, Walling, A. Clark, Buttler, Coates, and Misses Lena Fricke and Loretta Clark.

The occasion was the seventh anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Alshuler's wedding day, and the guests, departing after a pleasant evening, hoped they might enjoy many more as pleasant anniversaries.

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.

Some people imagine because a publisher is issuing a certain publication, that there is no good reason why advertisements cannot be run for a song, remarks an exchange. They imagine that the publisher has all his general expenses to meet anyhow, and that an advertisement doesn't amount to much by way of expense. As well might a man step into a bank and say to the cashier: "You have thousands on deposit lying idle. Your expenses will be no more or no less. Why not loan me $10,000 or $20,000 for sixty or ninety days without interest? I cannot afford to pay interest, but I will give you abundant security and you will not be out anything.', Should a man do such a thing, the cashier would have every reason to doubt the man's sanity. Supposing a man should step into a store and say to the proprietor, you must sell me your goods at less than cost or I will deal with and throw my influence to your competitor across the street. This man might well be suspected of a weakness in his upper story, as well as having his moral education sadly neglected.

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.

Mr. C. C. Parmele and Mrs. A. E. Gass were Omaha visitors today.

CITY AND COUNTY.

SATURDAY.

Miss Tressa Hempel spent the day in Omaha.

Commissioner Hayes returned home this morning by way of Lincoln.

Superintendent McHugh was in Omaha today on school business.

Mrs. Henry Tartsch and mother were Omaha visitors this morning.

A. L. Timblin, the Weeping Water attorney, was in town today attending court.

S. A. Milgrim, who used to reside here, but now resides at Hooper, has had his pension increased from $6 to $12 per month.

A. C. Loder, whose monument will some day grace the court house lawn, was in the city today from Greenwood on legal business.

O. M. Carter of Denver, who used to reside here and who is a brother-in-law of the Thomas boys, was in town on business today.

Mrs. Scott of Lincoln is here for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Logan Brown, her husband having gone to Chicago on a brief business trip.

Col C. H. Quereau, superintendent of motive power on the Denver & Rio Grande with headquarters in Denver, arrived in town this morning for a brief stay of a few hours.

The Tuxedo Dancing club held one of their regular semi-monthly dances at Waterman's hall last evening and a good time is reported, though the crowd was not so large as usual.

A. L. Shewey was in the city yesterday representing the wholesale grocery house of Bradley, DeGroff & Co. of Nebraska City, he having resigned his position with the Omaha packing house.

E. P. Hovey, the expert accountant from Lincoln, is engaged in checking up the books in the county treasurer's office. As his work extends back several years it will require about three months to finish the job. Mr. Hovey is accompanied by his wife and for the present they are stopping at the Hotel Riley.

Several important changes about town are contemplated. It is reported that Robt. Sherwood will erect a building on his lot next to the Elkhorn saloon early in the spring which he will occupy with one of the best shoe stores in the state. J. H. Haldeman will vacate his present offices in the Union block in March and will take the suite of rooms in the Wettenkamp block, formerly occupied by Judge Ramsey.

MONDAY.

Wm. Neville and Frank Dickson are the members of the next federal jury from this county.

James Hartshorn of Louisville and Joe Brodback of Cedar Creek are in town today on business.

Colonel John A. MacMurphy of Omaha is in the city today shaking hands with his old-time friends.

William Chalfant, guardian of William Albin, incompetent, is in town today settling with the probate court.

Henry Gering has two sty's on one eye which gives him the appearance of having been out at an Irish wake.

Deputy County Clerk Will Coolidge returned this morning from a week's visit at Lead City, S. D., with his brother.

Notwithstanding the hard storm east of us, the old Burlington route trains from the east have all been on time today.

H. R. Gering, George M. Spurlock and others have made up a sleighing party that will go out to Charles Vallery's this evening.

The affable and urbane police judge has been on the sick list for several days and we are glad to know that he is reported convelescent.

Increased cloudiness with probable snow, is what the weather bureau predicts today for Nebraska, and so far the bureau seems to have guessed rightly.

Old man Doty was in town today trading as has been his custom for forty years. He says the ice is getting rotten, but it will last for several weeks yet unless a rain should set in.

Rev. F. W. Witte, of Beloit, Wis., sends us his annual contribution this week to have THE NEWS continue its weekly visits to his home for another year. His Plattsmouth friends will be glad to know that he is still interested in Plattsmouth.

Natives Fear the Eclipse.

BOMBAY, Jan. 23.—The eclipse of the sun caused a rapid fall of temperature here. An earthly odor pervaded the air and the scene resembled a landscape under the English wintry sun. The period of totality was two minutes, with a marvellous co ona of pale silver blue. The conditions were favorable at both Professor Lockyar's camp near Viziadzoog (on the Malabar coast) and at Professor Campbell's camp near Joum. The native astrologers predicted terrible calamities. The natives swarmed to devotional exercises and there was general fasting, though no great alarm. The nizam of Haderabad liberated fifty prisoners, giving each a gift of money and clothes.

For Sale.

The cheapest printing press in the state, in fair condition, will print an eight column folio, hand power.

Address NEWS office, Plattsmouth, Neb.

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.

FRENCH MARRIAGES.

MATRIMONY THE GREAT OBJECT TO ALL GIRLS OF FRANCE.

Customs In This Particular Have Changed Radically—At the Present Time the Personal Inclinations of Young Women Are Considered.

Miss Anna L. Bicknell is an English lady who has had most unusual opportunities for studying French life. For a number of years she was a governess in the household of Napoleon III and resided in the Tuileries. For The Century Miss Bicknell has written an article on "French Wives and Mothers." Miss Bicknell says:

The old mariage de convenance, which caused so much sorrow and consequent evil in former days, when a girl was taken out of a convent to be shown the man to whom she was about to be married, is now a thing of the past. It must be acknowledged, however, that marriages are still made up, often too hastily and superficially, by nicely balanced family arrangements and by the intervention of friends. Nevertheless, attraction and repulsion are now taken into consideration, and a girl is no longer forced to marry a man whom she positively dislikes. I could quote instances in the very highest (historical) aristocracy where, at the last moment, after the trousseau had been sent in (marked, according to custom, with the united initial letters of the two names elaborately embroidered) and all the social preparations made, the marriage was broken off because the bride had declared that she could not "get accustomed" to the bridegroom nor endure the idea of seeing his face in her home during her natural life. In one of these instances the family lamentations over the initials of the trousseau were really amusing. Fortunately a substitute was soon found whose name, like that of the rejected suitor, began with an X, and the complications were thus happily settled.

The great object of the French girl's life is marriage. From the time of her birth her parents have prepared for this event, and in many cases they have considerably straitened their income and curtailed their enjoyments to make up her dot. Every girl in every class is expected to have something. Those who have nothing are exceptions and constitute a minority of old maids. The girls who from choice do not marry generally become nuns, usually much against the wishes of their parents. The old tales of young women being forced into convents to improve the position of their brothers are forgotten in these days, when, while no child can on any pretense be deprived of a share in the father's inheritance, monastic vows are not recognized by law. Nuns and spinsters are exceptions; marriage is the rule.

When a girl is of age to be introduced into society, her friends and relatives immediately look out for a suitable husband, whom it is considered highly desirable to obtain before she has reached the age of 21, that she may not be proclaimed fille majeure when the banns are published. The principal considerations are equality of birth, of position, of fortune, and in the last particular the scale is usually expected to weigh rather more on the side of the young lady, especially if the young man, in addition to sufficient present advantages, can bring forward a number of relatives not likely to live long. This is called having hopes (des esperances—beaucoup d'esperances). If the young lady with a substantial dot can also show a satisfactory background of invalid uncles and aunts, then everything is as it should be, and the young people are brought together with every prospect of a favorable conclusion. It happens, however, too often that they do not know each other sufficiently, and that they are persuaded to believe that the mutual liking is greater than it really is. Sometime this sort of undefined attraction ripens into a deep and devoted love. When this occurs, there are no more affectionate wives or more faithful widows than Frenchwomen.

More frequently, especially in the higher classes, a sort of cool friendliness springs up, where they see but little of each other, and freedom is enjoyed on both sides. The authority of the husband is less felt than in an English household. There is a sort of understanding that in her home the wife is queen and settles matters as she pleases.

But their best and warmest feelings are awakened by all that concerns their children. French parents are perhaps the most affectionate in the world. The interests and welfare of their children are their first consideration, and wonderful sacrifices of their own pleasure and enjoyment are made in favor of their sons and daughters by the most worldly men and women. These are taken as a matter of course; no one thinks of doing otherwise or of seeing any merit in such acts.

The mothers especially are unequaled. Nothing will stand in the way of a Frenchwoman where her children's interests are concerned. This love is so engrossing that it swallows up every other. They are more mothers than wives, and if called upon to choose between allowing a husband to go alone on a foreign mission or leaving their children they would not hesitate. "Mes enfants avant tout."

More Proof.

O'Hoolahan—Countin the two min yesterday, there's been 13 kilt so far on the noo buildin goin up across the street.

O'Callahan (impressively) — Thot's another proof av the unluckiness av the number 13.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Oysters after they have been brought away from the sea know by instinct the exact hour when the tide is rising and approaching their beds, and so of their own accord open their shells to receive their food from the sea, as if they were still at home.

Persons who are troubled with indigestion will be interested in the experience of Wm. H. Penn, chief clerk in the railway mail service at Des Moines, Iowa, who writes: "It gives me pleasure to testify to the merits of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. For two years I have suffered from indigestion, and am subject to frequent severe attacks of pain in the stomach and bowels. One or two doses of this remedy never fails to give perfect relief. Price 25 and 50 cents; sold by all druggist.

AN INCIDENT OF THE LATE WAR.

The Second Iowa Cavalry Wanted to Protect Him.

An amusing scene occurred during the war, to which the editor was a witness, remarks the Greenwood Record. In September, 1861, there was at Cairo, Ill., a large theater built of pine boards, and had a seating capacity of several thousand. It was called the Defiance theatre. The audience was composed principally of soldiers. We saw in the audience General Grant, who was then a brigadier general, Colonels John A. Logan, R. J. Ogiesby, Buford and many others who became distinguished during the war.

The play in the afternoon performance was "Jessie Brown or the Siege of Lucknow." The Arabs attack the fort and Jessie Brown, the heroine, rushes on the stage and exclaims, "Who will protect me?" A large number of the Second Iowa cavalry, and many of them had been drinking, occupied the front seats, one of them became excited at Jessie Brown's appeals, and jumping up, he exclaimed, "The Second Iowa cavalry will protect you, by G—d." His remarks brought down the house. At the same time he made the remark he made a rush for the stage—his comrades, however, pulled him back and it took some time before order was restored.

BURLINGTON WORK IN WYOMING.

Improvements In Roadbed and General Track Equipment.

The Burlington railroad is doing a great amount of work on the Wyoming division. The road bed from Morsland to Alliance, on the west, is being widened and the track for the entire distance is being ballasted. From Whitman on the east to Morsland on the west, trains loaded with ore are being freely run, and new, heavy steel rails are being distributed. As soon as the weather will permit this distance will be relaid with this heavier steel. The gravel trains are run from the west and hundreds of men are employed in this new work. When this work is completed the Burlington route through to Billings will be in good condition and the division prepared for heavier engines and faster running.

The officials of the system have recently been over this part of the line and General Manager Holdrege on Thursday left for another inspection trip on the west end. There is considerable speculation regarding the building of a new piece of road from Deadwood across to Cheyenne, connecting with the Cheyenne Northern at the junction near Douglass. The business done on this division has been enormous since the early part of last summer. When the stock season closed the coal trade from New Castle and Sheridan began, with greater demands than at any previous time in the history of the road and it seems that the demand does not diminish. These mines are now being worked to their full capacity and the output is not less than 120 cars daily. This means 120 cars of thirty-ton capacity.

Mothers whose children are troubled with bad colds, croup or whooping-cough will do well to read what Dr. R. E. Robey, of Olney, Mo., says on this subject. He writes: "For years we have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and always keep it in the house. It is regarded in our family as a specific for all kinds of colds and coughs. The 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by all druggist.

IN THE COURTS.

District Court.

After hearing motions argued pro and con in sundry matters Saturday, Judge Ramsey adjourned court until Saturday afternoon January 29, when it is expected that all work for the term will be closed up. No opinions were rendered on Saturday last.

Ella Lewton vs Rose Soreve; defendant given leave to file answer on or before February 1, 1898.

First National bank of Fairfield, Ia., vs M. Traver; sale of property confirmed and deed ordered.

Henry Eikenbary, et al. vs Citizens' Bank of Plattsmouth. Ordered that all persons inteaested in said matter show cause by January 29, at 10 a. m., why real estate and assets of bank should not be sold as prayed for.

S. S. Southard vs John Behrns; motion for judgment on mandate argued and submitted.

A. N. Sullivan vs Wm. Neville; decree of foreclosure for $975 and property ordered sold.

"My daughter, when recovering from an attack of fever, was a great sufferer from pain in the back and hips," writes Louden Grover, of Sarcis, Ky. "After using quite a number of remedies without any benefit she tried one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and it has given entire relief." Chamberlain's Pain Balm is also a certain cure for rheumatism. Sold by all druggist.

Take Off the Horns.

The undersigned is now ready with a good portable chute and tools, to remove the weapons of horned cattle at 10 cents per head for a herd of cattle, 25 cents for a single animal. It never gets to cold to deborn cattle. Any time after fly-time, until the first week in April is the right time. After that it is too late. If those who wish to have such work done will address me at Rock Bluffs, Neb., they will be promptly answered.

S. L. FURLONG.

Bargains In Fine Hogs.

Thoroughbred Poland China male hogs, eight months old, for sale. Call on or address J. G. Richey, Plattsmouth, Neb.

Make Miscalculation of Time.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—A perplexing problem has presented itself to the Chinese residents of this city. They have not been able to make up their minds whether their New Year's celebration should begin today or tomorrow. The Chinese minister at Washington has issued a proclamation declaring that tomorrow shall be celebrated instead of today, and that the Chinese residents in this country have for the past forty-eight years begun celebrating a day too soon. Why it has taken forty-eight years to make this interesting discovery is not set forth, but there is no doubt that the children of the Celestial empire have been laboring under a sad delusion.

The difference in time between this country and China was the cause of the mistake. The proclamation to the Chinese residents of the country to change the date of the celebration has been sent to the Chinese consuls, who have transmitted it to the leading Chinamen of the cities where they are stationed. The proclamation has created a good deal of excitement in Chinatown. Some of its residents have decided to ignore it entirely and begin celebrating today, and last night they were hard at work making their preparations. Others intend to show their respect for their country's representative by postponing their festivities. The result will be that there will be two Chinese New Years this year.

Their Silver Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Timmis celebrated their silver wedding anniversary Saturday evening in an elaborate manner. Many of the best people in town were invited and notwithstanding the unpleasant weather, a large crowd of neighbors and friends were in attendance.

The refreshments could not have been surpassed and included a big supply of everything eatable which the market affords. The supper table looked like a banquet prepared in the most sumptuous manner. Choice wine and plenty of beer were to be had by all who desired. The host and hostess were recipients of numerous nice presents and it was not till long after midnight that the last guests bid adieu and with best wishes departed for home.

He Put Up His Watch.

Frank Murphy was the name given by a Glenwood blacksmith who could not stand an over-dose of Plattsmouth whisky. He was gathered in by the police last evening and slept in Jailor McBride's hostlery. This morning he was taken before Judge Archer on the charge of P. D., which translated, means plain drunk. The judge fined him $5 and costs and threw in one of his lectures on the side. The fellow's cash had melted like an April snow, and the chances of his having to return to jail seemed good, but he carried a pretty fair watch, which he was allowed to put up until he could get home and secure the money. He took the first train for Glenwood this morning.

New Utah Sugar Factories.

PROVO, Utah, Jan. 23.—Utah will soon have two sugar factories in addition to the one at Lehi. One will be built at Ogden, with a capacity of 700 tons of beets per day, to be completed in time for this season's crops, which is now being contracted for. Another will be built by the Mount Nebo Land and Irrigation company, in Juan county, about thirty-five miles north of Provo. This company owns a fine reservoir irrigation system and about 18,000 acres of land, and will build a factory with a capacity of 500 tons per day. This factory is not, however, expected to be completed before 1899, in time to work up the 1899 crop.

Attending a Cooking School.

Mrs. Harriet S. MacMurphy is now in Boston, Mass., where she has been to attend the Boston Cooking school, and by invitation of Mr. H. D Perky of Worcester, Mass., who is the president of the Cereal Machine company, now making the shredded wheat breakfast food, which is becoming quite popular.

When Mrs. MacMurphy returns there will probably be a school located at Omaha, Mr. Perky is going to make shredded corn and introduce it at the exposition and Mrs. MacMurphy will be agent therefor.

Death of Mike Brodback.

Mike Brodback, a well known quarryman at Cedar Creek, died at his home Sunday night after an illness with stomach trouble of only a few weeks. A few years ago he was a giant in strength and was unquestionably the strongest man in the county. He was addicted to the drink habit and has been on the decline for some time. His trials of muscular strength would scarcely be believed true if told, as his muscles were not only large, but seemed like iron. He will be buried at the Walradt cemetery at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Woodmen of the World.

The following is the program of the Woodmen of the World entertainment to be given Thursday evening, February 12, at Fitzgerald's hall, to which the public is invited:

Music	Misses Kessler and Kauble
Selection	Male Quartett
Short Talks	Messrs. Windham and Root
Music	Messrs. Humphry and Neiman
Recitation	Miss Waybright
Music	Miss Webber
Recitation	Miss Mauzy
Music	Petersen Sisters
Recitation	Will Coolidge
Music	Miss Kessler

From Charley Beach's report Schuyler has evidently drifted down into the banana belt. Although only forty miles away, yet the ground, he says, is bare up there and has been for several days.

A fine assortment of briar wood and fancy pipes very cheap at Spies' cigar store.

OVER THE STATE.

Ponca is falling in line with the prevailing idea of building a creamery.

About 1,800 distress warrants for the collection of personal taxes for the years 1893, 1894 and 1896 have been placed in the hands of the sheriff of Lincoln county for collection.

The officers of the Burt county agricultural society deem it not advisable to hold a fair next fall on account of the exposition at Omaha, but they favor making the best possible county exhibit at the exposition.

Special Agent Matthews of the Interior department has ordered removed fences constructed around government land by the Club ranch in Cheyenne county, by the Bay State Cattle company in Banner county and by other smaller outfits.

Tom Huteson of Central City furnished "grub stake" for a Klondiker a while back, and a few days ago the latter came back with a gold mine in his pocket. It was worth something like $50,000, and Tom is going to take a little pleasure trip on his profit from the investment, leaving next Saturday for the sunny skies and soft breezes of old, historic Italy. His destination is Naples.

WOMAN'S CLUB NOTES.

The Woman's club held their regular meeting last evening at their pleasant parlors on Main street. The "Travel Course" department furnished the program for the evening, Mrs. Howland acting as leader in the absence of Mrs. Parmele, who was detained by illness.

After the routine business was disposed of, Mrs. Wise read an interesting letter from the Denver correspondent in last week's Lincoln Courier. The Denver club numbers 800 members, and is doing wonderful work in the way of educating and bringing forward the best talent of the children of club members, giving free instruction in music and art and also practical education in household economics and other branches, thereby enabling children to become proficient in those things and enable them at some time to join the great army of bread winners, and at some future time assist others in the same manner. It is an inspiration to smaller clubs to know what these large clubs are doing, and stimulates them to more active exertion.

The papers last evening were of more than usual interest. Mrs. Atwood's on the "Old and New South," and Mrs. Snyder's on the negro question being especially interesting.

Mrs. Herold spoke about the "Resources and Advantages of the South," her paper being carefully prepared and most interesting. The topic, New Orleans' Education, Jetties, Yellow Jack, Birmingham and the Gulf Stream," were introduced by Miss Porter, Mesdames Cole, Newell, Snyder, Rawles and Wescott, and the discussion following was participated in by most of the club members.

The next program will be "Child Study," Mrs. Atwood, leader. Mrs. Heller from Omaha is expected to be present.

FARM GLEANINGS.

Out of a total of 2,143,000 sheep in the Maranoa district of Queensland, Australia, the loss from wild dogs is estimated at 428,000.

Great Britain is said to have spent more than $20,000,000 on imported eggs and poultry last year, while France, during the same period, exported $70,000,000 worth.

Potatoes deteriorate in cooking qualities when exposed to light probably more than any vegetable grown, and should strictly be kept in perfect darkness if the highest quality is to be preserved.

Sometimes scions for grafting are cut in the fall. They may be kept through the winter by putting the butt end into a potato and placing in the cellar. The potato will supply the needed moisture. Be very careful in labeling them.

Runaway horses are unknown in Russia. No one drives there without having a thin cord with a noose around the neck of the animal. When an animal starts the cord is pulled, and the horse stops as soon as it feels the pressure on the windpipe.

The roots of currants run near the surface, and, therefore, shallow cultivation is advisable. Now is a favorable time for pruning currant bushes, if it has not been done before. A large part of the old wood may usually be trimmed away to advantage. There is no better time than in the fall to supply manure around the currant busnes, and there is little danger of applping to much.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of la grippe, and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is put it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form. The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by all druggists.

Dr. Elster, Waterman block, for painless dentistry.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued by George F. Houseworth, clerk of the district court, within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 10th day of February, 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 lands and tenements, to-wit:

The west half of the northeast quarter of section 18, town 11, range 10, the southeast quarter of section 13, town 11, range 9; the east half of the southwest quarter of section 13, town 11, range 9; the east half of the northwest quarter of section 18, town 11, range 10; and the north half of the southwest quarter of section 18, town 11, range 10, all 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 P. F. and H. R. Waldron, defendants, to satisfy a judgement of said court recovered by Bank of Eagle, plaintiff, against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Neb., Jan. 5, A. D. 1898.

HARVEY HOLLOWAY,
Sheriff. Cass county, Nebraska.

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Lot three in the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 2, town 10, range 11, 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 B. A. Gibson, defendant, to satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by John N. Carter, plaintiff against said defendant.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, January 5th A. D. 1898.

HARVEY HOLLOWAY,
Sheriff, Cass County, Nebraska.

Probate Notice.

In county court, Cass county, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of Emilia Wurl, deceased. Bertha Lange, Henrich Mittelstadt, Carl Mittelstadt, Wilhelm Mittelstadt, Bernhardt Wurl, Richard Wurl, Auguste Martens and all other persons interested in said matter, are hereby notified that on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1898, a petition was filed in said court alleging, among other things, that Emilia Wurl died on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1897, leaving a last will and testament and possessed of real and personal estate and that the above named constitute all the persons interested in the estate of said deceased, and praying for the probate of said will and for administration of said estate. You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear at said court on the 25th day of January A. D. 1898, at 9 o'clock a. m., to contest the probate of said will, the court may allow and probate said will and grant administration of said estate to Henry Martens and John Buttery, or some other suitable person, and proceed to a settlement thereof.

Witness my hand and the seal of said county court at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this the 3rd day of January 1898.

(Seal) GEORGE M. SPURLOCK,
County Judge.

Probate Notice.

In the county court of Cass county, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of Mary Rieckmann, deceased. Henry Rieckmann, Emma Rieckmann and all other persons interested in said matter are hereby notified that on the 3rd day of December, 1897, a petition was filed in said court, alleging, among other things, that Mary Rieckmann died on the 5th day of May, 1897, leaving no last will and testament and possessed of rights in action of unknown and uncertain value, and that the above named constitute all the persons interested in the estate of said deceased, and praying for administration thereof. You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear at said court on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m. and contest said petition, the court will appoint Milton D. Polk or some other suitable person administrator, and proceed to a settlement of said estate.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, this, the 7th day of December, A. D. 1897.

(Seal) GEORGE M. SPURLOCK,
County Judge.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Burlington & Missouri river railroad company in Nebraska will be held in the office of the company in Plattsmouth, Neb., on Thursday, February 24, 1898, at 12 o'clock, m.

The meeting will be held for the election of nine (9) directors, to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before it.

Omaha, January 17, 1898.

W. J. LADD, Secretary.

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 5th day of February, 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 one (1) in the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirteen (13) in township eleven (11) range thirteen (13) in Cass county, Nebraska, and containing twenty-seven (27) and 54-100 acres; also lot two (2) in the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the said section thirteen (13), and containing seven (7) and 74-100 acres, a total in both of said lots of thirty-five (35) and and ¼ acres, all 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 Richmond Good and Emily J. Good, 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; against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, Jan. 4, A. D. 1898.

HARVEY HOLLOWAY,
Sheriff, Cass County, Nebraska.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued by George F. Houseworth, clerk of the district court within and for Cass county, Nebraska, and to me directed, I will on the 10th day of February, 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:

The southwest quarter of section 11, town 11, range 13, except 6 and 12-100 acres, being Omaha Southern Railroad right-of-way; the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 12, town 11, range 13, except one acre of cemetery; beginning at the north side of section 11, town 11, range 13, at a point on the west side of the Omaha Southern Railroad right-of-way, where said right-of-way crosses the north line of said section, thence running west 526 feet to the northwest corner of the northwest quarter of section 11, thence south along the section line to the southwest corner of the northwest quarter, thence east 840 feet to the Omaha Southern Railroad right-of-way, thence north a little to the west along said railroad right-of-way to the place of starting, containing 41 and 15-32 acres more or less, it being that part of the northwest quarter of section 11, town 11, range 13, lying west of the Omaha railroad right-of-way, all in Cass county, Nebraska, together with the privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appurtaining. The same being levied upon and taken as the property of F. M. Young and D. A. Young, et al., defendants; o satisfy a judgment of said court recovered by C. J. Martin, plaintiff, against said defendants.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, January 4th, A.D. 1898.

HARVEY HOLLOWAY,
Sheriff, Cass County, Nebraska.

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