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NEBRASKA NEWS.

The cattle show at the state fair was a record breaker. Coming county's fair will be held October 4, 5, 6 and 7.

Donne college enrollment shows many new faces this year.

The York county fair was not a success on account of bad weather.

Recent rains have put the ground in splendid condition for fall plowing.

The Otoe county fair was extended one day owing to interference by rain.

A. C. Seldser, of Hebron, was convicted for selling liquor unlawfully and fined \$100 and costs.

Alvin Buckmaster of Tecumseh shot a hole through his finger on his left hand while hunting.

Joseph Kirk, 60 years old, is on trial in Keysa Paha county charged with assaulting a 16-year-old girl.

Three brick and stone business blocks have been built in Louisville thus far this year and three more are contemplated.

J. T. Maynard, a Missouri Pacific Pullman car porter of Kansas City, lost his arm last week by being run over by a passenger coach on the Burlington track at Omaha.

Charley Worrell, a 6-year-old boy, living near Tallin postoffice, Custer county, was bitten by a rattlesnake about ten days ago, and died from the reptile's poison two days after.

Carl Peters, a sewing machine agent of Hastings, met with a bad accident while out hunting, shooting his right forearm off by the accidental discharge of his gun.

Deputy United States Marshal James Allen went to the Omaha Indian reservation and arrested Newton Tree on the charge of selling liquor within the limits of the reservation. He was lodged in jail.

A coyote kept on a chain at the Review Track hotel at Syracuse, broke his chain just as the 3-year-old child of L. Howell, the station agent, was going by, and attacked the little one, biting, scratching and bruising her in a shocking manner.

Mrs. W. J. Persinger, a feeble-minded old woman, was badly burned at Central City. Her clothing caught fire in some manner while she was putting coal in the stove. When discovered she was wrapped in flames. There is little hope of her recovery.

The attorney general has informed the investigating committee that ex-superintendent Armstrong has paid to his successor, the superintendent of the institute for the feeble minded at Beatrice, a further sum of money on account of the shortage which existed when Armstrong turned over. The balance due the state from the ex-superintendent is now about \$32.

A 2-year-old child of James Grady of Columbus died very suddenly under peculiar and distressing circumstances. Grady was given a bottle of stuff by a stranger for polishing metal. He left the bottle in his coat, where it was found by the little one, who drank part of the contents. Dr. Martyn was summoned, but could do nothing. The bottle contained sulphuric acid.

Sam W. W. Wilson of Columbus met with a very painful and probably fatal accident. In handling a shotgun it was discharged and the contents entered his left side, tearing a ghastly wound, out of which the entrails protruded and exposed to view some of the organs. A couple of ribs were also shattered and some of the entrails were perforated with the pellets.

Orie Hefford, a brakeman out of Hastings, on the Rock Island, was very seriously if not fatally injured at Phillipsburg, Kansas. He was making up freight train No. 90 in the yards there, when his foot caught in the guard rail and the engine passed the entire length over his body. His right arm was cut off at the shoulder, one of his feet was badly mashed and several ribs broken.

A bold attempt to rob the general merchandise store of McKibbin Bros. at Douglas was made last week. The burglar entered the store about midnight, lit a lamp and commenced to ransack the store. John McKibbin was sleeping in the back room and was awakened by the noise. He exchanged several shots with the midnight prowler, who succeeded in making good his escape.

News was received at Niobrara by Rev. Henry Hess, living west of that place, that his daughter Lydia, who has been teaching school in Wausau, was found in a pasture deranged. She left for school as usual, but was discovered about 11 o'clock walking aimlessly about the enclosure. She had been acting strangely for a day or two before.

October 8 has been designated as Nebraska day at the Tennessee centennial exposition and arrangements are being made to have as large a delegation as possible go from Nebraska to Nashville on that occasion. President Wattles is endeavoring to organize a large delegation of Nebraska people in order that the proper appreciation may be shown of the interest of Nebraska people in the doings of other sections of the country. An effort is being made to secure special rates and there is every prospect that no difficulty will be encountered in this direction. Governor Holcomb and his official staff will be of the party and it is expected they will be accompanied by Wm. J. Bryson.

Charley Reed, who was brought back to Hebron from Oklahoma a short time ago charged with obtaining money under false pretences from the Thayer county bank, had his preliminary examination before County Judge Hole and was discharged by the court and the case dismissed.

The Harlan county fair at Alma closed after having the finest exhibition of county products ever shown in Harlan county. Everyone seeing the exhibit pronounced it surprising. The quality cannot be beaten in any state. The ladies held their art and other displays in the opera house, which received unlimited amount of praise.

SITUATION IN SPAIN.

NO ULTIMATUM AS YET FROM UNCLE SAM.

Minister Woodford's Instructions Contain No Threats—The Spanish Government to Be Impressed With the Necessity of a Cessation of Hostilities.

No Threats Have Been Made.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The administration has been informed by cable in the fullest detail by United States Minister Woodford of the conference held with the Duke of Tetuan, Spanish minister of foreign affairs. There is nothing in Minister Woodford's dispatch to bear out in the slightest degree the reports that the American minister has presented an ultimatum to Spain declaring that if war in Cuba is not terminated by the end of October the United States would feel justified in taking measures to secure the independence of Cuba.

Minister Woodford, in the course of his interview, which was preliminary in its nature, laid the foundation for the fuller presentation of the protest of the United States, which he will make to the Spanish court, when it shall remove in October from San Sebastian to Madrid. He will then earnestly, but courteously, insist that the failure of Spain to terminate the war in Cuba has become a source of great solicitude to this country, and which, on account of the enormous American interests involved, makes it imperative that the United States should tender its offices to secure a termination of the war if possible, upon a basis that will prove satisfactory to Spain.

Minister Woodford's instructions, which will be communicated in full shortly, contain no threat against the Spanish government. They certainly are not in the nature of an ultimatum, which would mean war, and they go but little if any farther than the position assumed by Secretary Olney in his report of less than a year ago.

Secretary Sherman believes that the time has arrived when Spain must make such concessions as will close the war, and Minister Woodford has been instructed to earnestly press upon the Spanish government the interest of the United States in assisting to secure such a cessation of hostilities. The prospects are for a change of ministry in Spain and for a cabinet under liberal auspices, headed by Senor Sagasta.

MADRID, Sept. 23.—It is learned upon high authority that the much-discussed interview of last Saturday between United States minister to Spain, General Stewart L. Woodford, and the Spanish minister for foreign affairs, the Duke of Tetuan, were merely preliminary.

General Woodford stated to the duke the gravity of the condition of Cuba and requested in behalf of the United States, that Spain would find a method of speedily ending the war and giving justice to the Cubans. He offered the good offices of the United States in effecting a settlement of the Cuban troubles, which practically gives Spain an opportunity of gracefully ending the war. If she does not embrace it within a reasonable time, notice will be given that the United States must interfere, though General Woodford has not said so yet.

Spain cannot expect the aid of European powers, as the United States ambassadors have ascertained that all the European countries, except Austria, recognize that the interests of the United States justify the latter's interference in Cuba. Austria in this matter, is influenced by the relationship between the two dynasties, the queen regent of Spain being an Austrian archduchess, but it is not likely that Austria will take any part in the question beyond possibly making a diplomatic protest against the intervention of the United States.

A WHISTLING BOY INSANE.

John Brown of St. Joseph Pipes Tunes With His Lips Unusually.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Sept. 23.—John Brown, aged 15, who was sent to the asylum yesterday, whistles all the time he is awake. When the inquiry was made as to his sanity, he whistled all the time, and could not be stopped. When asked a question that could be answered by a shake of the head he would answer it, but otherwise he made no answer at all. The mother of the boy said he fell from her arms when he was three years old and his head struck the floor. That caused him to become insane, she thinks. Soon afterwards he began to whistle, and had kept it up ever since. He whistles any tune he has ever heard, and when his stock becomes exhausted he makes new ones.

RATIFIED BY HAWAII.

Annexation Treaty Unanimously Approved by the Senate.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 23.—News was brought by the steamer City of Peking that the Hawaiian senate on September 10 had unanimously ratified the treaty for the annexation of Hawaii to the United States.

St. Joseph Asks for Protection.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 23.—Congressman Cochran, Mayor Vocies and Frank Freytag, editor of the Gazette, representing the city of St. Joseph, appeared before the Missouri river commission to-day and made an argumentative appeal for Belmont bend. The bend is about a mile above the city of St. Joseph, and at that point the river is about to make a sharp in a straight southerly course, which would leave St. Joseph confronting a river bed of sand, unless something should be done soon to prevent it.

FOR CURRENCY REFORM.

The Sound Money Commission Holds Its First Meeting at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—The monetary commission selected by the executive committee of the Indianapolis sound money convention, after the failure of Congress to pass the bill for the creation of such a commission, met this afternoon, with H. H. Hanna of Indianapolis, chairman of the executive committee, and eight of the eleven members of the commission present. It is expected that ex-Senator George F. Edmunds of Vermont will be selected to preside over the deliberations of the committee, which will make a thorough investigation of the currency and financial system and report its conclusions. While the committee has no warrant of law, its promoters hope that it will blaze the way for the passage of a currency measure by congress at the regular session in December.

TO BECOME A DEACONESS.

A Daughter of Ex-Senator Ingalls to Devote Her Life to Church Work.

ARCHSOX, Kan., Sept. 21.—Miss Constance Ingalls, second daughter of ex-Senator John J. Ingalls, will shortly enter the Church Training school in Philadelphia, to prepare herself for a deaconess in the Protestant Episcopal church.

Miss Ingalls will leave Atchison in two or three weeks to begin studying for her life's work. Miss Ingalls' most intimate friends did not know of her intention to become a deaconess until she made the announcement yesterday and it is the subject of much comment. As a deaconess in the Episcopal church, Miss Ingalls' duties will be similar to those of a Catholic sister of charity, except that she does not take the vow of celibacy.

SCORES DROWNED.

Austrian Steamer Ika Sunk in Collision With an English Steamer.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—A dispatch to the Daily News from Vienna says that the steamer Ika, with a crew of ten and carrying fifty Austrian passengers, was entering the port at Flume, on the River Flumana, last evening, when she collided with the English steamer Tiris, which was leaving. The bows of the Ika was stove in, and she sank in two minutes. Boats were hastily put off and saved the captain and seven others, but most of the passengers perished.

The casualty took place in full view of thousands, who crowded the pier in the greatest excitement and alarm.

ARMY OFFICER'S SUICIDE.

Lieutenant Hill, Twentieth Infantry, Cuts His Throat and Jumps From a Train.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—First Lieutenant R. G. Hill, Twentieth United States Infantry, who was attached to the military information division of the War department, committed suicide Monday night. The circumstances surrounding the case were distressing. The officer made an end to himself while suffering from an attack of hydrophobia or from temporary insanity brought on by fear of hydrophobia. He cut his throat and then threw himself from a train while on his way from Buffalo to Washington.

An Ex-Debt Lender a Robber.

OAKLAND, Cal., Sept. 23.—John O'Brien, who was arrested for robbing a saloon till and locked up after knocking down three policemen, came into prominence during the great strike of '93. He founded and edited a radical daily newspaper called the Railroad Man's Advocate, and for a few weeks he coined money. Every merchant was anxious to advertise in it and every body wanted to buy it, but when the strike collapsed the paper went out of existence.

Canada Well Pleased.

OTTAWA, Ontario, Sept. 24.—The secretary of state to-day said the decision of Attorney General McKenna at Washington against section 22 of the Dingley tariff law had been received with much satisfaction. The officials regarded the decision as evidence of friendliness upon the part of the United States toward Canada.

Another Davis Victory.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The President has appointed J. D. Goldsby postmaster at Westport, Mo. Goldsby's principal opponent was V. I. Banta, a member of the Westport city council, who was endorsed by Major Warner, Gardner Lathrop, J. H. Neff and R. C. Kerens. Goldsby had the endorsement of Webster Davis.

Former Cuban Correspondents Wedded.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—George E. Bryson, the war correspondent recently expelled from Cuba in connection with the Cisneros affair, was married here yesterday to Miss Millie Marion Kendrick of Jacksonville, Fla., who was a correspondent in Eastern Cuba while Mr. Bryson was in Havana.

Klondike Nugget for Mrs. McKinley.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Joseph Ladue, the Alaskan pioneer, called on President McKinley yesterday. He was presented by Secretary Alger before leaving the White house. Mr. Ladue presented Mrs. McKinley with a half ounce nugget of virgin gold. Secretary Alger also received a souvenir Klondike nugget.

Unitarian Ideas Spreading.

SARASOTA, N. Y., Sept. 23.—The national conference of the Unitarians, and other churches was called to order to-day by the president of the association, United States Senator George F. Hoar, in a few words of welcome. Chairman of the council, Rev. M. J. Savage, D. D., of New York, then read the address presenting the subjects to come before the conference. The greatest hindrance to the multiplication of Unitarian churches, said the address, is the spread of Unitarian doctrines in other churches.

LAND LAW IN DOUBT.

TEST SUIT TO BE BROUGHT IN PAWNEE COUNTY.

Contention is That a Man Holding a Lease of School Land Under the Old Law Had the Right to Purchase—What the New Enactment Has Provided.

Leasorholder's Right to Purchase.

The constitutionality of the new school land law is to be tested in the courts, the preliminary steps to that end having been made by Conley & Fulton, attorneys of Pawnee City. They will bring the case in the name of T. Patterson of Pawnee county, who resides on some school land and desires to buy it. Their contention will be that a man holding a lease of land under the old law also had the right to buy the land from the state, and that so long as he holds the lease the right to purchase cannot be taken from him by legislative enactment. The new law provided that after July 9, 1897, the sale of school lands should cease. When the new suit was brought to the attention of the land commissioner it was ascertained that the land held by Patterson was in another man's name, an assignment made some years ago not having been recorded, and the full record will have to be made before Patterson can go ahead with the suit. It is learned similar cases have been talked of from other parts of the state, but the Pawnee parties are the first to make a decided move toward testing the new law.

Mortgages Filed and Released.

The office of the bureau of labor statistics had collected from the county officers of the state records of the mortgages filed and the releases entered during the first six months of the year 1897. This record shows the mortgages in three classes, those on farm property, those on city real estate, and those on chattels. The record is complete on farm mortgages filed from all the counties of the state, except Arthur, Banner and Grant.

In the office of the register of deeds the sales under foreclosure are entered and when the district court clerk certifies that a mortgage has been foreclosed it is counted as a mortgage released. Thus the reduction of mortgage indebtedness has these foreclosures included in the gross sum.

Several of the counties, including the large ones of Douglas, Lancaster, Gage and Cass, with others, have not reported the amount of these mortgages foreclosed. There are twenty-six of these counties not reporting this item, and Chief Clerk Edgerton has estimated by a system which proves to be approximately correct, the amount of foreclosures in these counties. All counties report the number of foreclosures on both farm lands and city and town lots.

The six months' record shows that the farm mortgages filed are less than the farm mortgages released in the amount of \$954,306.14, and that the foreclosures on farm mortgages amounted to \$1,310,178.69. The total number of farm mortgages filed during the six months was 6,589, and the total number released, whether by foreclosure or otherwise, was 8,001.

The total number of city real estate mortgages filed was 2,182, amounting to \$1,883,173.58, and the total number released was 2,996, amounting to \$3,198,173.35, while the foreclosures on city real estate numbered 741, and amounted to \$1,012,321.95.

The total number of farm mortgages foreclosed in the state during the period was 1,048.

Will Come to Omaha Next Year.

Ex-Senator Manderson has received an answer from the navy department at Washington to his request, made some time ago, that parts of the old battleship "Omaha" be sent to that city for exhibition at the Trans-Mississippi and International exposition and for permanent keeping in the city public library after the close of the exposition. Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy, has given the matter careful consideration, and as a result of his investigations, the bill-head and the bell will form a part of the army and navy exhibit of the exposition next year.

In his letter to General Manderson Mr. Roosevelt states that the bill-head and the bell are the only parts of the old battleship, which now does duty as a quarantine station at Mare Island on the Pacific coast, that are feasible to exhibit. As for the permanent exhibition of these parts in the public library, the navy department suggests that it would take a special act of congress to authorize the transfer. General Manderson thinks that this could be secured without difficulty.

Fruit Display at the Fair.

The State Horticultural society made a larger and better exhibit than last season—about 3,000 plates of excellent quality and great variety. In addition to the usual display of apples, pears, peaches, plums and grapes, in tempting quality and form, they had pawpaws from Nemaha county, butternuts and chestnuts from Washington county. Buffalo county sent in a fine display of peaches, showing that the area suited to peaches is not limited to the eastern or southern portions of the state.

Horses Dying of a Peculiar Disease.

A great many horses are reported dying in the vicinity of Rising City from a spinal disease of peculiar fatality. Dr. Foster, a prominent veterinarian of Galesburg, Ill., who has lately visited that section, says that this disease is fatally prevalent in Illinois, more horses being lost in that state by reason of it than from all other diseases combined. There seems to be no cure for it.

Filings in the Supreme Court.

Attorney-General Smyth has filed a motion in the supreme court asking for dismissal of the proceedings in error in the case of Benjamin D. Mills against the state and an order directing the district court of Harlan county to carry out the judgment and sentence for the reason that the plaintiff in error has failed to file his brief within the time prescribed by the supreme court. Mr. Mills was sentenced to the penitentiary for violating the banking law. A similar motion was filed by the attorney-general in the appeal of ex-State Treasurer Hartley.

NOT EAGER FOR WAR.

Spain Looking for Quiet Settlement of Difficulties.

MADRID, Sept. 24.—The Correspondencia De Espana asserts that pour parlours are proceeding between the United States and Spain for a friendly settlement of affairs in Cuba.

El Epoca, after denouncing as "sensational" the story of an ultimatum, points out that the Cubans have not been at war with Spain without the moral and material co-operation of the American people.

There is a great deal of comment as to the origin of the ultimatum report. It has been attributed to a foreign ambassador, but all the ambassadors deny responsibility for it.

The people do not think that war is inevitable. It is asserted that the Liberals will soon form a cabinet and that on the return of the queen from San Sebastian to Madrid, Captain General Weyler will be recalled from Cuba and autonomy established in the island, thus leaving no pretext for the intervention of the United States.

The minister of marine Admiral De-Berangol, says that three cruisers will shortly be finished and ready for service.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—A dispatch to the Standard from San Sebastian says: "Fresh communications have passed between United States Minister Woodford and the Duke of Tetuan confirming the views of the United States as stated by the American minister last Saturday. Both press and public received the intimation of the attitude of the American government with surprise and incredulity. Even now most Spaniards are loth to believe the United States is in earnest in offering in the middle of September mediation, which is certain to be followed in November by a declaration that it is too late to stop American action because opinion in the United States calls for a decisive policy and because the Cubans will accept nothing short of independence. The Spaniards cannot realize that President McKinley had finally made up his mind before he entrusted Minister Woodford with precise instructions, polite but clear, and peremptory. All this places the government in a most difficult situation, and especially as it has not achieved the desired reorganization of the Conservatives and has become involved in equally troublesome conflicts with the bishops and clergy."

"It is strange to notice how the Spaniards are already discussing whether Sagasta and the Liberals are not likely to come to an understanding with the United States and the Cubans, and, failing such a conciliatory course, whether patriotic conditions might induce all conservatives to gather around a strong administration presided over by General Azarraga or General Campos to defend Spanish rights."

NO USE FOR DEBS.

American Federation of Labor Issues an Address to Trades Unions.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—The executive council of the American Federation of labor met yesterday at the headquarters of the organization in this city, to discuss the mining situation.

The council issued an address which, in part, follows: "A call has gone forth to the trade unions and public for a labor convention in Chicago next Monday. The ostensible objects are to take measures in aid of the miners' strike and to offset the sweeping powers of the courts in granting injunctions in defiance of popular rights during labor disputes. These objects are very commendable and worthy the active, practical support of every trades unionist and every lover of his fellow man. But conditions have somewhat changed since that convention was agreed upon. This week, fully 75,000 miners have gone to work on terms fixed jointly by the miners and operators. It is the greatest victory gained by trades unions in years. It was won against the combined power of wealth, judicial usurpations and inhuman tyranny."

"We can see no need for the labor convention in Chicago next Monday. We advise our unions not to be represented there. The money it would cost to send delegates would better go to help the suffering miners and their families."

"It is not by conventions, with irresponsible talk, inflammatory declaration and revolutionary buncombe that the cause of labor can be advanced. Violent appeals to the passions of the multitude can serve no good purpose. It is only by systematic organization of the working people in trades unions, with united hearts and united funds and a fraternity of purpose which knows no bounds of creed, color, nationality or politics, that will uplift the masses."

New Window Glass Trust.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 24.—A new window glass trust, to be known as the American Window Glass association, was organized here to-day. The new combination represents a capital of \$4,000,000 and includes all of the principal plants of the United States. It is very probable that a decided advance in prices will soon follow.

For Assaulting His Niece.

MEMPHIS, Mo., Sept. 24.—The grand jury returned a true bill against Thomas Conley, charged with assaulting his little 17-year-old niece, Miss May Winn, daughter of a prominent farmer of this county. Conley is in jail.

Tolono Elevator Fire Costs \$75,000.

TOLENO, Ohio, Sept. 24.—The old Backus elevator, at the corner of Water and Adams streets, burned last night. The loss will aggregate \$75,000.

Hangman Does a Bad Job.

KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 25.—Sylvanus Johnson was hanged here at 11:30 o'clock yesterday for criminal assault. The hangman bungled the execution, the knot slipping under the chin. Johnson struggled violently for ten minutes, and was still alive at the end of twenty-five minutes. He confessed his crime, professed conversion and died forgiving and blessing his enemies. An orderly crowd witnessed the execution.

Night Trains in Texas Off.

DALLAS, Texas, Sept. 25.—On account of the yellow fever scare and rigid quarantine regulations by state, county and city authorities, all night trains on the Houston & Texas Central road and other Huntington system lines have been ordered taken off and the day service has been largely curtailed. Travel over the state is almost paralyzed.

Alaska Customs Inspectors Named.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The secretary of the treasury has appointed Thomas S. Luke, T. A. Marquam, Emanuel Hermann and Charles I. Roth as customs inspectors at Sitka, Alaska, at \$5 per day each. These appointments were made necessary by the exodus to the Klondike regions.

Troops Off for Alaska.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—A telegram was received at the war department to-day from Lieutenant Colonel Randall at Seattle, Wash., announcing his departure upon the steamer Humboldt for St. Michaels at 8 o'clock last night. The party consists of thirty-two men, including officers and men.

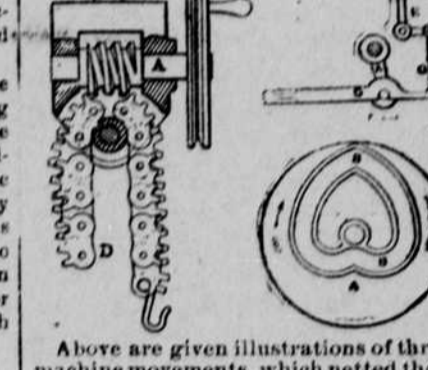
Miss Beem Welcomed at Hutchinson.

HITCHCOCK, Kan., Sept. 25.—When Miss Eva Beem, formerly mine order clerk in the postoffice here, returned last night from Wichita, Kan., where she had been acquitted of embezzlement, a large crowd welcomed her with a brass band, and she was drawn in an open carriage to her home.

Indiana Miners Secure Concessions.

WASHINGTON, Ind., Sept. 25.—The Monigonyery coal miners went to work in a body to-day. The price paid for mining will be the same as before, but the miners will be charged less for their powder and oil.

Worm Machine Movements.—Copyrighted 1897.



Above are given illustrations of three machine movements, which netted their originators fortunes. This is especially true of the worm and chain gear. A mechanism for disengaging the eccentric rod, A, from the valve rod, D, is shown, as is also an ordinary groove heart cam. Inventors and others desiring information as to inventions and patent, should address Sues & Co., patent experts, Bee Building, Omaha, Neb.

Iowa Patent Office Report.

Thirty patents were issued Aug. 31, to one inventor, F. H. Richards, of Hartford, Conn, for thirty different weighing machines.

The secretary of a company in Lake View, Iowa, says: "We recorded our assignment in the county where we do business," and asks, "Should it be recorded anywhere else?"

Answer: Recording any paper that affects the title to a patented invention in a county or state is not a legal notice to the public. The following is the law upon the subject:

Sec. 4836. Every patent, or any interest therein, shall be assignable in law by an instrument in writing and the patentee or his assigns or legal representatives may in like manner grant and convey an exclusive right under his patent to the whole or any specified part of the United States. An assignment, grant or conveyance shall be void as against any subsequent purchaser or mortgagee for a valuable consideration, without notice, unless it is recorded in the patent office within three months from the date thereof.

THOS. G. AND J. RALPH ORWIG, Solicitors of Patents.

Des Moines, Ia., Sept. 15, 1897.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKET.

Quotations From New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Omaha and Elsewhere.

Table with multiple columns listing market prices for various commodities like Butter, Eggs, Hens, Turkeys, Pigeons, etc. across different locations like OMAHA, CHICAGO, and NEW YORK.