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BUSINESS CARDS. Augustus Schoenhut, ATTORNEY AT LAW, AND SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY.

DR. D. GWIN, Having permanently located in BROWNVILLE, NEBRASKA.

A. S. HOLLADAY, M. D. Specially instructed in Brownville and vicinity, that he has resumed the practice of Medicine, Surgery, & Obstetrics.

JAMES S. BEDFORD, ATTORNEY AT LAW, AND Master Commissioner in Chancery.

T. M. TALBOTT, DENTAL SURGEON, Having located himself in Brownville, N. T., ten days professional services to the community.

Clocks, Watches & Jewelry. J. SCHUTZ, Would announce to the citizens of Brownville and vicinity that he has located himself in Brownville, N. T., in business, which will be held for cash.

EDWARD W. THOMAS, ATTORNEY AT LAW, AND Solicitor in Chancery.

THOMAS DAVIS, ECLECTIC PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, TABLE ROCK, NEBRASKA.

LEWIS WALDTER, HOUSE SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL Painter, GLAZIER AND PAPER HANGER.

The Newest and Best Music Both Vocal and Instrumental, at the most American and European composers.

New Shoe Shop. W. GRANT, BROWNVILLE, NEBRASKA.

Respectfully informs the citizens of this place and vicinity that he has commenced the manufacture of Hats and shoes in Brownville, and hopes by attention and care to merit a share of public patronage.

J. WILSON BOLLINGER, ATTORNEY AT LAW, General and Collecting Agent.

H. A. TERRY, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Garden, Field and Flower Seeds.

GRAPE VINES, GOOSEBERRIES, Currants, Raspberries, Blackberries, Roses, and Ornamental Shrubbery Generally.

PIONEER BOOK MANUFACTORY, BINDERY, COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

FAIRBANKS' STANDARD SCALES OF ALL KINDS.

IRON. D. A. CONSTABLE, IMPORTER AND DEALER IN IRON, STEEL, NAILS, CASTINGS, SPRINGS, AXLES, FILES, BELLOWS, AND BLACKSMITH'S TOOLS.

SAINT JOSEPH, MO. Highest Price Paid for Scrap Iron.

PREPARE IN TIME AGAINST THE FIRES OF FALL, BY FIRE, A. No. 1 Insurance, IN THE PHOENIX INSURANCE CO. OF HARTFORD.

The Fruits of the Phoenix Are manifest in the following statement of Facts and Figures, showing the amount equalized to public benefit, in the shape of losses paid in the west and south, during the past four years in substantial record of a Well Tried Corporation.

Table with 2 columns: State and Amount. NEBRASKA \$1,167 00, ILLINOIS \$1,167 00, MISSOURI \$1,167 00, etc.

CITY LIVERY STABLE AND Feed Store, BROWNVILLE, NEBRASKA. ROGERS & BROTHER.

THE TRAVELLING PUBLIC Can find at his Stable ample accommodations for horses, mules or cattle.

JOHN L. CARSON, Banker, LAND AND TAX PAYING AGENT.

Money Advanced on PIKE'S PEAK GOLD! I will receive Pike's Peak Gold and advance money upon the same.

J. N. L. CARSON, BULLION AND EXCHANGE BROKER, BROWNVILLE, NEBRASKA.

REAL ESTATE AND Collection Office OF T. W. BEDFORD, BROWNVILLE, NEBRASKA.

PROVISION STORE, AND DRY GOODS HOUSE, No. 11, Main street, BROWNVILLE, N. T.

J. BERRY & Co, Have just completed their new business home on Main Street near the U. S. Land Office in Brownville.

GROCERIES, Dry Goods, Provisions, Choice Liquors, Cigars, FLOUR, CONFECTIONARIES, GREEN AND DRIED FRUITS.

THORN, COLEMAN & Co, is one of the best in every respect on the Upper Missouri river.

Electric Weather Indicator, This neat and curious instrument foretells the weather from 12 to 24 hours in advance.

CALL AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK, Brownville, April 25, 1861.



THE BRIDGE OF SIGNS. Once more Unfortunate, Weary of breath, Heavily importunate, Go to her death!

Look at her garments, Clinging like cements; While she waves constantly; Drops from her clothing; Takes her up instantly; Loving, no feeling.

Still, for all signs of hers, One of Eve's family; Wife those poor tips of hers, Owing to her family; Loop up her tresses; Escaped from the comb; Her hair adorns tresses; While her wretchedness waves was her home?

Who was her father? Who was her mother? Had she a sister? Had she a brother? Or was there a dearer one Still, and a nearer one Yet, than all other?

Also! for the rarity Of Christian charity Under these things! Oh! it was glorious! While a white city full, Home she had none.

Where the lamps quiver Far in the river, With many a light From window and casement, From garret to basement, The stood with amazement, Houseless by night.

The bleak wind of March Made her tremble and shiver; But not the dark arch, Or the black & wintry river, Mad from life's history, Gave to her death's mystery Swift to her ruin! Anywhere around the world!

In the plumed bolton N. matter how coldly The rough river ran, Over the brink of it, Picture it think of it, Picture it but! Leave it, if you can! Then, if you can!

Take her up tenderly, Lift her with care; Put her on a stretcher, Young and so fair; Her hair limbs frigidly; Lay her on a stretcher; Smooth and composed them; And her eyes close them, Starting so blindly!

Deadly starting Through night's impurity, As when with the doting Last look of departing Fixed on futurity.

Fortunate stoically, Sprung by contumely, O! inhumanity, Warning impudently, Into her rest— Cross her hands humbly, Over her breast to; Driving her weakness, Her still behavior, And leaving with weakness, Her side to the Savior!

Grapes in Cities and Villages. It is surprising, Mr. Editor, that so few farmers raise grapes, even for home use.

Three years ago last Spring I built at odd hours, a rude framework on the southwest side of my house which answered not only as a trellis for the grape vines, but also as a screen to keep off the sun, on hot afternoons.

These holes were filled up with good surface soil obtained from the top soil of a cellar being dug near by.

Some authors are mines; most are miners; those furnish the gold, these the coin.

Every creature knoweth its capacity, running in the road of instinct.

SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT, No. 102. CAPITOL and SURPLUS \$932,302.98. May 1st, 1861.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Cash and cash items \$79,583.75, Loans well secured \$5,253.00, Real Estate \$15,000.00, etc.

For details of investments, see small Cards and Circulars. Insurance may be effected in this and substantial Company on very favorable terms.

JOHN L. CARSON, AGT. Dwellings and Farm Property insured for a term of years at very low rates.

JOHNS & CROSLY, SOLE MANUFACTURERS OF THE IMPROVED GUTA PERCHA CEMENT ROOFING.

IT IS FIRE AND WATER PROOF. It can be applied to new and old roofs of all kinds, and to shingle roofs without removing the shingles.

These materials have been thoroughly tested in New York and all parts of the Southern and Western States, and we can give abundant proof of all we claim for their favor.

510, BROADWAY, (Opposite St. Nicholas Hotel) NEW YORK. JOHN S. CROSLY, AGENTS WANTED.

The Undersigned having opened a shop at the BROWNVILLE STEAM MILL.

Are prepared to put up all kinds of CABINET WORK.

BUREAUS, DESKS, TABLES, STANDS, LOUNGES, CRIB CRADLES, ROCKING CHAIRS, OFFICE CHAIRS, WINDOW CHAIRS, LOUNGES, &c. &c.

We are also prepared to furnish Cotton with the utmost dispatch. We have on hand well seasoned Black Walnut lumber for that purpose.

We will take in exchange for furniture all kinds of farm produce. The highest prices for butter, eggs, and lard will be paid the entire hot season.

Steam Ferry, BROWNVILLE, THORN, COLEMAN, CO., announce to the traveling public that their splendid commodious Steam Ferry running across from

is one of the best in every respect on the Upper Missouri river. The Boat makes regular trips every four so that no time will be lost in waiting.

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Grain-Producing Capacity of the United States. Messrs. TUCKER & SOX—In your paper of Nov. 21st, you quote the remarks of a New York correspondent of the London Mark-Lane Express to this effect:

The next Spring a single shoot from the bottom eye of each stalk was trained up the frame, and grew about 12 feet. About four feet of the tops were cut off in Autumn, and the remaining eight feet simply laid down upon the ground at the bottom of the trellis, out of the way.

In the Spring, when the buds began to swell, the canes were tied up on the frame or trellis. All the eyes sent out one or more side bearing shoots, but where more than one started from the same eye, it was rubbed off. The others mostly set fruit, of which only one cluster nearest the main stem was allowed to grow on the same side shoot.

Keeping Winter Squashes. First in importance, they should be well ripened before harvesting. This will occur in the Northern States about the first of October.

Cost of Tobacco and Strong Drink. There are in the United States thirty millions of people. We will suppose one-third of these chew tobacco, smoke, or take snuff.

Half the people of the United States drink other beverages than water, milk tea, cocoa and coffee. The wines and brandies of many cost daily \$5, others \$2.50, others \$1, others 50 cts., others 25 cts., others 10 cts., others 5 cts., others 1 to 2 cts.

We thus see that these accursed poisons cost the people of the United States, day by day, as much as the war. Do they not cause as much misery, and are they not quite as demoralizing?—G. in the Ohio Cultivator.

Grape Culture in Northern Ohio. Vineyards on Sandy Soil in Cuyahoga and Lake Counties—Notes on New Grapes.

So much has been said respecting the extent and success of the vineyards at Kelly's Island, that some persons may have concluded that the limestone clayey soil of that region (and of Cincinnati) is the only kind upon which grapes can be successfully grown.

While spending a few days in Cuyahoga and Lake counties the first of the past month, I visited a number of vineyards and gardens, and was present at the county fairs in both counties, and nowhere have I ever seen more abundant crops of the finest grapes than was here exhibited.

The largest and most promising vineyard that I visited, is owned by Dr. Pierre Mathierts, near Collamer, a few miles east of Cleveland. It consists of six or eight acres of Catawba vines in full bearing.

Could I get the ear or the eye of the readers of the London Mark-Lane Express, I would tell them, as I would tell all who love liberty and desire a peaceful and happy home of their own, to come to this beautiful and fertile country of ours, where there is room enough and to spare—come and make farms on these magnificent and unequalled prairies, where the productions of an acre are only to be measured by the amount of labor judiciously bestowed upon it.

The Taylor or Bullet Grape, (of Ky.) as shown to me by Dr. Taylor of Cleveland, does not seem to merit the praise that has been bestowed on it at the East. The berries are small and quite too stony for the safety of teeth, while the flavor is no better, to say the least, than several other lights colored varieties, which are superior to it in many respects.

The Cuyahoga I found in fine condition on the large vine of Mr. Wimple, near Collamer, and the appearance of the vine as well as the quality of the fruit, gave me a more favorable impression of this variety than I formerly had. I am now of the opinion, that, all things considered, it is the best native light colored grape as yet known, and hence, deserving of general cultivation.