Thanksgiving Proclamation. in accordance with a custom long recognized, and smored in its observance, by all States and Territories of this Republic, and in consonance with the preclama apart from all others of this year of unexampled pros-parts; to be devoted to prayer, praise and thanksgiv no to Almight; God for the innumerable blessings re-ceived at his hands. And I do earnestly request all tilens to investife their avent avecations on that day tive thanks to the Great Ruler of the Universe for his Done at the city of Oceaha, Nebraska, this 19th day. November, 4. D. 1886. ALGERNON S. PADDOOK.

resident's Thanksgiving Proc lamation.

Washington, Oct. 8 .- By the President of the United States- Proclamation : Almighty God. our Heavenly Father, has been pleased to vouchsafe to us as a people, another year of national life, which if an indispensable condition of peace, security and progress. That year moreover, has been crowned with many peculiar blessings. The civil war that was so recently among us has not been anywhere re-opened. Foreign inervention has ceased to excite alarm or apprehension. Intrusive pestilence has been benignly mitigated; domestic tranquility has improved; sentiments of conaffection of loyalty and patriotism have hovering over Europe. been widely renewed; our fields have War is freely discussed in Washingyielded abundantly; our recovering insystem for into the interior of the countomary activity in foreign seas. These national blessings demand a national ac-

Now, therefore, I, Andrew Johnson, ommend that Thursday, the 29th day of November next, be set apart and be observed everywhere in the several States, by the people thereof, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer to Almighty apprehended that France will demand God, with due remembrance that in His temple doth every one speak of His honer. I recommend also that on the same emn occasion we do humbly and deroutly implore Him to grant to our national councile, and to our whole people, divine wisdom, which alone can lead any nation into ways of all good.

In offering these national thanksgivags, praises and supplications, we have the Divine assurance that the Lord remaineth a King forever; those that are meek will be guided in judgment, and way; the Lord shall give strength to his people; the blessing of peace.

In witness whereof, I have hereunt set my name and caused the seal of the States to be affixed. Done at the City of Washeton, the eighth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and of the Independance of the United States the ninety-first.

ANDREW JOHNSON. By the President, WM. H. SEWARD, Secretary of State.

Public Land Operations.

The following operations of the different Land Offices named-except our own, which we get from the Land Office books in this city-for the month of Octeber we find in the Washington Star of

Number of acres entered at St. Paul, Minn., 3,688

At Detroit, Mich., 8,576 acres. At La Cross, Wis., 4,334 acres.

At Winnebago City, Min., 8,210 acres

At Greenlief, Minn., 7.631 acres.

At Sioux City, Iowa, 8,024 acres. At Denver City, Col., 4,562 acres.

At Tokoka, Kas., 9,594 acres. At the Land Office in this city there

were entered during the same period 14,035 acres.

The only way to judge of progress or growth is by comparison, and we submit to those Eastern folks who may be thinking of emigrating West, if the above is not proof positive of the advantages of this Land District over all others?

1,500,900 Acres

Of most desirable Land in this Dis wiet, heretofore set apart for the use and benefit of the Kansas Branch of the Pacific Railroad, has just been restored suffrage." to the District by reason of a change in the route of that road from the Republisan to the Smoky Hill Fork. This ressores all the odd sections of land in the District, but the bulk of it lies mainly in the Walley, of the Republican and is said to be the finest land anywhere in Nebreska, hs many advantages has made it much desired, and we have heard badreds, who had prospected over the entire Territory and Kansas, regret exw that it was bound up by this d. Of this incubus it is now relieved, and a majority of it is now open for homstead settlement, private entry or private sale. The extreme western portion, not yet having been offered at publie sale, is not subject to homestead or of the best bodies of hand in the West, which must in time become very, wealthy

From the Omaha Republican of the 23d, we learn of a terrible combination any soil that will produce good wheat or thank God. and surely I ought to bless of crimes committed in that city about 1 corn, but a dry sandy loam is preferable. His name that He does not require me to o'clock last Friday morning. About that Prepare the ground the same as for corn. be willing to be lost myself, or that this time the store of Wm. R. King & Co., A good fall plowing then spring cross should be the end of any whom He has corner of Farnham and 13 h streets, plowing and harrowing pays best. was discovered on fire. The front door the land is inclined to be wet, the ground was locked, and as the police breke it open should be left with a dead furrow to every you all with a reward multiplied as much to get at the fire, O. P. Baker, the por- twenty feet for drainage. ter, who slept in the store with G. D. Higgins, a clerk, appeared outside near five feet each way, leaving to every sixth exceeds that in value. May the hearer the door. After the fire was extingush- row one wide enough to admit of a team ed the full crime was discovered. G. D. passing through to gather the beans as Higgins was found terribly butchered and they ripen. The seed should be soaked dead. He had been killed with a hatchet in hot water-not boiling-twenty-four or ax, and was hacked about the head hours previous to planting, the hot water in a shocking manner. The safe was to be only once applied and allowed found open and robbed of about fifteen to cool. This assists them to germinate the of his Excellency the President of the United hundred dollars, books and other papers early. As the cut-worm sometimes dein it were undisturbed. The loss irre- stroy many of the young plants, many commend that the people of this Territory shall ob-

\$4,000, covered by insurance. then thrned and made his escape out at

This terrible crime has cast a gloom over that community.

Prussia and Russia have entered into an alliance offensive and defensive. England, France and Austria are very uneasy over this and may form a combination. The Eastern question-which the Crimean war left only half settled-is ciliation have largely prevailed; and being revived. There is a war cloud

y has been richly renewed, and we ton. The Administration will insist on have been allowed to extend our railroad England's paying the Alabama claims; and England orders the border defenses try; our commerce has resumed its cus- of Canada strengthened becauses of its present dubious relations with this counry. Gen. Sherman and our Minister to the Liberals have gone to Mexico. Max-President of the United States, do hereby imillion attempted to leave Mexico, but is reported to have been arrested by the French General Bazaine and compelled to publicly abdicate in his favor. It is of the United States security for the debt for which the war was ostensibly waged, which will not be given. France must retire from this continent bootless and hatless. Troops are concentrating on the Rio Grand. A fareign war it is hoped at Washington will burn the smell of brimstone from off the Admin-

> Washington dispatches say the President will make consessions to Congress that is, make no more removals for opinions sake! This is rich when we consider that those removals now made amount to

nothing unless confirmed by the Senate The sincerity of the old hypocrite i plainly shown in the fact that during the four days previous to the 22d over one hundred and thirty postmasters were removed, all of that class which do not require comfirmation by the Senate !

Says Andy to Congress: "My dear fellows, just let me do as I please always

From the Omaha Republican, of the ed from \$2.00 to \$5.00 per bushel. 23d, we learn that "the Western Stage tablished, has already assumed the arrotravelling public.

The Railroad Packet line from St. Joseph to Omaha has laid up for the season.

Many prominent Democratic journals are endorsing the Chicago Times position on negro suffrage. The fact is the prejudice, called conservatism, is now a useless vessel against the iron-clad universal freedom ship Radical, and the crew are deserting in a terrible panic. Even the rats in this section are swiming to the solid ground of "universal

Negotiations are now pending between | purpose. the Pope and the Patriarch of Constantinople for the union of the Greek and Catholic churches.

On Saturday night last the store of A. Heffly, in Nebraska City, was broken nte and robbed of fifteen hundred dol-

There are already ten Congressional contests on this Fall's elections. This number would be less did not Congress pay milage and expenses to the loser.

By reference to the time table of the This is a sure chance now at one place on Sunday next, the 18th inst. On and aftea that date, the Express train will leave here at 7 P. M., and the Mail and Express at 4:30 A. M.

Under the present time table the North that asketh, and and and and Petitions calling for an impeachment Mo. R. R., via St. Louis, affords travelthe President are in circulation in ers quicker time East than can be made have no doubt, a goodly number of you broken off left horn, 7 years old.

Taken up on the 21th day of October by way of Chicago or any other route. have, and it shall be my constant prayer

so that in case the first crop is destroyed The porter has been arrested upon sus- by the worm the dry seed coming latter picion of having committed this triple will be germinating and save the necescrime of robbery, arson and murder .- sity of re-planting. The seed should be His story is that he was first awakened planted as soon as all danger of frost is by the crackling of the fire, and immedi | passed, as they are as tender to frost as ately sprang out of bed, put on some of the common bean. In this section it his clothes, and was going down the would not be safe to plant until after the cellar stairs when he ran against some- first of May. A half bushel will plant body who shot him through the arm, he eight or ten acres, giving from eight to ten seeds to the hill, which is about the

> number which should be planted. Its culture consists mainly in keeping down the weeds and keeping the soil dry and loose. To do this it should be several times plowed over with a cultivator or small plow both ways. It is also well culture is necessary to a good crop. After the plants are a foot high they should hill, and many farmers leave but one. - N. Y. Tribune. When the plant is two feet high it may be safely left to itself, as it grows very fast and thrifty.

The beans begin to ripen in August, and ripen gradually from that time until frost. The pods must be gathered from brown, or else the beans pop out on the ground. This can be done by driving in the wide rows with a wagon and cutting off those which are begining to turn, repeatseem to ripen.

A space of ground is then cleared on a south hill side, just slanting enough to get the full heat of the sun; this should in a Territorial condition." be rolled down hard as possible and wide boards placed on their edge around the plat cleared to prevent the beans pop ping outside the clearing. Here the pods are placed, the heat of the sun drying the pods the beans pop out, are then gathered, sacked and are ready for market. The pods should be turned occasionally; the beans should be guarded against rain as it blackens and to some

extent damages them. The yield averages from fifteen to twenty bushels to the acre. We are not advised as to the present price, but the scarcity can be estimated from the fact that last Spring we wrote for a friend to Plant & Bro., St. Louis, to obtain seed and the reply was there none in that market, that the last sale they had made was at \$6.50 per bushel and at that they and you can do as you please afterwards." could not fill our bill before planting time. For the past three years they have rang-

It is one of the most fertilizing crops Company have put on the west side of the that can be planted, eastern farmers estiriver route between this city and St. Jo- mate this benefit at several dollars per seph, a line of four horse post coaches in acre. Another great advantage in Neopposition to the Kansas and Nebraska braska would be-and this fact has been Stage Company Line." This is a good demonstrated in Illinois and other prairthing. The old line, though recently es- ie countries-the driving away of that greatest of pests, to the prairie farmer, gance of a monopoly. We have heard the Gopher. This in itself would seem several complaints from below and here, to us a great inducement to plant a small and are satisfied that the new line will patch in or around an orchard wherein meet with a hearty welcome from the Gophers delight to work. The crop we believe will pay in many respects.

A Response to the Donation Party who visited the writer on the 22d of No-

vember, A. D., 1866 : My DEAR FRIENDS-In writing this pleasure but discharge, in some measure, Democratic ship having so long sailed at least, by this acknowledgment, a debt "around the circle" of ignorance and of gratitude I owe. Your presents and the manner in which they were bestowed will never be forgotten while memory serves me. I regret that it is not in my power to employ language that would express fully how much I appreciate your betwo years old past. kindness. Were I to write until my pen fell from my hand, it would be to no

"O, how shall I with equal wormth,

The gratitude declare, That glows within my ravished heart." Let none say in the future that the citizens of Brownville and vicinity are not sociable, kind and benevolent.

But what shall I now render to you all for these benefits: I have, I confess, scarcely anything within my gift. If I could transmit to you the garment of salvation I should indeed be able to recomrense you fully, though not half so fully as if you received it from the Author of Salvation. This is a gift which is enhanced by the dignity of the giver, and Brownville, Nov. 3 1866 He has therefore reserved it to himself Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R., it will be to bestow. This gift, however, will not seen that a change of time is to take be yours in the same way that your gifts became mine, for He requires that you should ask in order to receive it and has only promised His Holy Spirit to him

Castor Beans will do well in almost to God that the rest may obtain it. T If put under my care.

May the Lord, whom I serve, reward beyond the recompense promisee to a cup The ground should be laid off in rows of cold water as your substantial gifts of prayer realize to you my hearts desire, and fill you all with all the fulness

N. B .- I will preach a discourse at McPherson's Hall on the 2d Sabbath in December, at 7 o'clock, P. M. Theme 'Love one another." You will all remember a card that accompanied certain articles bearing this inscription.

M. F. WILLIAMS

Nashy gets off some pretty sharp things, often dressing up a subject in the most ludicrous and most truthful style.

"I attriboot the decline uv Demokrisy to the bleachin' out uv the Afrikin, and that's why I oppose amalgamashen. You FULLER, FINCH & FULLER, Chicago. \ Agenta can't hate a mulatter only half ez bad ez A. S. HOLLADAY & CO., and W. H served that the intensity uv Demokrisy General Agents. has decreased precisely in proportion to the scarcity uv pure blacks. Thus Demokrisy is commitin' suicide, it hez bin the means uv its own destruction."

The report that Gov. Wells intends to reconvene the Louisiana Convention of 1864 is not improbable, as its members are desirous that its legality should be to use the hoe upon weeds which cannot tested, not by a Rebel mob but by the be reached with the plow. Thorough Courts. If the Convention should reas- as quick as semble we shall await with anxiety Mr. Johnson's course, and it is to be earnestly hoped that he will not again permit be thinned out to not more than two in a the massacre of its members and friends

> Of our admission as a State the Chicago Republican says :

"It is now pretty thoroughly under- who have used it in their practice, and given it the stood among leading Republicans that mission of Nebraska, as a State, on ac- but time to time as soon as they begin to turn count of the right of suffrage being restricted by its Constitution, and of its alledged deficiency in population, will be withdrawn on the re-assembling of Congress, and that the new State will be promptly admitted. The rapidity with ing this every third or fourth day as they which the Union Pacific railroad and its connections are being completed, and the and speedy in its operation, vast tide of immigration now pouring into Nebraska, render the entire region dren of any age. of too great importance to remain longer In cases of Croop

List of Freight remaining in the which Will be sold for Freight and Charges, if not called for within thirty days. 7. Palmer.

2 Box Sundries. 1 Bal Sundries, W Miles. 4 Boxs H H Goods O.burn.

W Kerns. 2 Bal Apples W Allison

1 Bal H H Goods Burfee & Co., Rockport, Mo. 28 Chair Frames 1 Bat H H Goods.

Brownville, Neb. Nov. 29, 1886. STRAY STEER.

recinct, in Nemaha county, Nebraska, on the 10th day f November, 1866, one red steer, with motley face bout three years old lsat spring

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. In the master of the estate of Joab A. Thornburg, Whereas the Probate Court in and for Gage Count Nebraska Territory, did on the 23d day of November, . 1866, fix and appoint the 28th "day of January, A 1867, as the day for the flual settlement of the ceased. Now, therefore, all persons indebted to the said estate will come forward and make ammedia payment. All creditors of said estate, and all perresponse, I not only do myself a real on or before the 28th day of January, A. D. 1867, the same will be forever barred. It is ordered by said Probate. Court that notice of the

> WILLIAM CRAIG, Beatrice, November 23, 1886.

STRAY NOTICES.

Taken up by the undersigned, living one and alf miles above Long's Bridge, on the 23d day of October, 1866, one Red Steer, with white face, hind egs white, half way up, white belly, supposed to

Taken up by the undersigned, living in Nemaha County on the 25th day of October, 1866, one Red steer, supposed to be three years old last spring, with a crop off of the right lear and a small streek of white on the right shoulder, JOHN HANNA,

E. SIMPSON,

Taken up by the undersighed, living one mile East of London, in Nemaha Wrought and Cut Nails, of all size County Nebraska, on the 15th day of Spades, Shovels. Brooms, Sewing Twine November A. D. 1866. One brindle and Scoop Shovels at Heifer, branded with J. L. on left hip about two years old, N. COLEMAN.

Taken up by the undersigned, living three and a half miles North West of Brownville, on the 23d day of October, A D 1886 Che red and white spotted Cow., crop off of oft ear and swallow fork in the right ear, branded 'S." on the hip dew-laped, about 9 years old. One red and white spotted Cow, underbit in each ISBABL COTTON,

Taken up by the undersigned, fiving four miles North West of Brewnville Nebraska, on the 3d One red and white Cow (speckled) awallow fork n right ear, nine years old

Taken up by the undersigned, living 6.1-2 miles South West from Aspinwall, nemaha County Nebraska, One brindle Steer, crop off each ear brin-But, my dear friends, this garment, I dle face, 6 years old, One red and white steer, drop off each ear, and

PROBATE NOTICE Monday, June 10th 1867, is the time set for hearing claims against the Estate of Samuel Ross, de ceased, and the place the Probate Court Room in the City of Brownville, Nemaha County, Nebraska

Territory, all persons having claims against said barred from the collection thereof, by order of Pro-bate Court. GEORGE W. FAIRBROTHER, Probate Judge. 4,50 Nov. 22nd 1856

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before buying elsewhere. v-10-n-4 ly. Bay Mare Colt.

Taken up by the undersigned, living in Glen Rock, in Nemaha County Nebraska, on the 20th day One Bay Mare Colt, one year old last Spring, no marks or brands. Brownville October 29th, 1866.

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East of Glen Rock, in Nemaba County, Nebraska, On the 21st day of October, 1866, One Sorrel Colt with white face, hind legs white, with Watch eye two or three years old October 27th 1866 AR PHILLIPS MASTER'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an or braska Territory, in Chancery, in the case of John

Henry M. Atkinson, made at the Spring term A.D. lage, and to me directed, I will on tion, to the highest bidder for cash, at the front County, Nebraska Territory, (the place where the the South East quarter, of the South West fractional gurrter, of Section nineteen (19) in Township four (4), North of Range fifteen (15), East, in said Nemaha County, Nebraska Territory. Given under my hand this 25th day of Outober,

CHARLES G. DORSEY, xl-4-4t pf\$9, bf\$9 Master in Chancery

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