THE ADVERTISER.

THURSDAY, OCT. 7, 1875.

Republican State Ticket.

(Under the proposed New Constitution.)

For Justices of the Supreme Court,
GEO. B. LAKE, of Douglas,
DANIEL GANTT, of Otoe,
SAMUEL MAXWELL, of Dodge.

For Regents of the University,
C. A. HOLMES, of Johnson,
S. J. TUTTLE, of Lancaster,
J. W. GANNETT, of Douglas,
S. P. MOBLEY, of Hall,
E. M. HUNGERFORD, of Harlan,
WM. ADAIR, of Dakota.

Second Judicial District Ticket.

(Under the proposed New Constitution.)

For Judge—S. B. POUND.
For District Attorney—GEO. S. SMITH.

Republican County Ticket.

For County Judge,
HENRY M. JONES.

For Probate Judge,
HENRY M. JONES.

For County Clerk,
WILSON E. MAJORS.

For County Treasurer,
A. H. GILMORE.

For Sheriff,
JOHN STRAIN.

For Coroner,
E. E. EBRIGHT.

For Surveyor,
JAMES M. HACKER.

For Commissioner—3rd District,
GEORGE A. CLAPP.

For School Superintendent,
J. H. DUNDAS.

Bishop Augustus Martin of Natchitoches, La., died Oct. 1st.

At Memphis, Tenn., there was a light frost on the morning of the 2d.

The elections of Ohio, Iowa and Nebraska will take place next Tuesday.

An exchange says: "What this country really needs is a good five-cent cigar.

The court house at Winterset, Ia., which cost $110,000 was completely destroyed by fire on the 2d.

A fire recently occurred in Washington Mills, at Lawrence Kansas, by spontaneous combustion. Loss $50,000.

The Bank of California was reopened on a sure basis on the 2d inst., and San Francisco is happy.

The celebrated trotter, American Girl, fell dead at Elmira, New York, on the 2d in the first heat of a race she was contending for.

On the evening of the 3d there was a heavy frost in Winnebago county, Ill. A telegram says, "It is now estimated that at least one-half the corn in Winebago county has been destroyed. Of 73,000 acres planted the yield will not amount to 35,000 acres."

Near Scimook, N. H., a Miss Long made while going to school through a wood was murdered and dragged a distance from the road. When her body was found the head was severed from the body. The murderer has not been detected.

Hallo's opera house in Lincoln, Neb., a splendid building and the only one of the kind in the city, was entirely destroyed by fire on the night of the 4th. Loss about $40,000 and no insurance. The house was built in 1872. The building caught from a gas jet that was in too close proximity to a curtain. A play was in progress at the time and when the alarm was given the rush for the doors was frightful, but the people all got out, not a life being lost. The post office was in the same building but the valuables of the office were saved.

President Grant is now in the West. While stopping at DesMoines, Iowa, he made one of his brief but most pertinent and patriotic speeches. Amongst other things he said:

"Let us all labor to aid all needful guarantees for the security of free thought, free speech, a free press pure morals, unfaltered religious sentiments, and of equal rights and privileges to all men irrespective of nationality, color, or religion."

There is a platform in a nut shell, and one that will endure forever, and it is purely and peculiarly Republican.

Certain of the Ohio Democrats are resorting to rough and outrageous methods to carry their ends at the coming election. A dispatch says that as a special train, on Friday last, filled with the Hayes Republican clubs of Akron was passing by Cuyuga Falls on its way to Hudson, several volleys of rocks and stones were fired into the open cars filled with men from an ambush at the side of the track. Several men and a little boy eleven years old were seriously injured, receiving deep and ghastly wounds in the head and face. Many others were struck and more or less injured. One or two pistol shots were fired into the train, but fortunately missed their aim. A scene of the wildest excitement ensued. The train was stopped and a large body of men started in pursuit of the miscreants. They had taken to flight, however, and the train came on to Akron, where the news had aroused the deepest indignation.—*Omaha Republican.*

We cannot reasonably expect anything more decent from a party who receives their political incentives from newspapers and leaders that uphold the white league and the Ku Klux, and give smiles and winks and nods of approval for the slaying of Republicans in cold blood. The idea that prevails in the South that every "radical" killed white or black, is one vote less against the Democracy is approved by the Ohio orators, silently if not openly, and therefore the ignorant vicious masses resort to the same style of carrying elections in the North. The time is gone when Democracy gains victories by fair argument and the investigation of party principles.

The Democratic Record.

Since the war closed, says a cotemporary, the Democratic party has been ceaseless in its efforts to embarrass and defeat the Federal Goverment in its work of restoration, reconstruction and re-establishment of the nation upon the principles of equal rights, common justice and honor. It has been identified with the South in its resistance to law, order and right since the Confederate States surrendered to the Federal power. When Congress attempted to throw protection around four millions of new born freemen and citizens, the Democracy stood solidly enlisted in the work of embarassment, its hands full of impediments to be cast in the way of reconstruction and the re-establishment of law and order where revolution and open disorder were struggling for the ascendency. Nowhere in our recollection, can an instance be cited where the Democratic party has openly rebuked the rebellion, the efforts of the Ku Klux and the White Leagues to keep it alive, or the indiscriminate massacre of black and white Republicans in the Southern States. The embers of rebellion have been fanned into new life by Democratic breath. Instead of rebuking, it has applauded the massacre of the negro for opinion and color sake. It regards negro blood as the seed of the Democratic church, and it encourages the demon-like pursuit and murder of the black race as an important agency in re-establishing itself in power in the Federal Government. Down to this moment, all the disorders, outrages and murders that have been perpetrated by the late insurgents in the South have the unqualified open or tacit indorsement of the Democracy of the country.

Politics in Massachusetts.

The Republicans State convention met at Worcester on the 29th. Hon. A. H. Rice, was nominated for Governor and the third ballot. Horatio G. Knight was nominated for Lieutenant Governor; Chas. Eudicot, Treasurer; Julius L. Clark, Auditor; Chas. R. Train, Attorney General; Gen. H. B. Price, Secretary of State.

Hon. Henry Wilson was President of the convention. On taking the chair Mr. Wilson made a political reform speech. The following is his referance to finance:

"In the stress of war when creditors and armies were unpaid, the government issued its promises to pay and made them legal tenders. When that enactment was made the government in good faith intended that these notes should be redeemed in gold or in interest bearing bonds, but ten years have passed and the promises to pay still remain unfulfilled. The greenback has indeed been largely appreciated, and we are justly proud of the credit of the nation in the markets of the world, but we do not and cannot as Americans take pride in the singular fact that a stray note from an unknown bank in one of the British provinces can be sold in State street for a premium of more than 12 per cent. over one of our legal tender notes with all the wealth of forty millions of people behind it. The plighted faith of the nation, the honor of the Government, the enduring interests of the people, of the rich and of the poor, of capital and labor, all demand that the Government, by wise and prudent legislation and administration, should, at the earliest practicable period, make its notes equal to and convertable into gold.

From Lafayette—Geo. A. Clapp.

LAFAYETTE, Oct. 2, 1875.

Editor Nebraska Advertiser.

I wish, through your paper, to say a word to the Republican voters of this county in favor of the Republican candidate for County Commissioner, Geo. A. Clapp, as he is a stranger to most of the voters of this county.

Mr. Clapp came to this county from Illinois four or five years ago. He is a man well respected by his neighbors, and is well qualified to fill the office for which he is nominated, and is the superior of his opponent in education and general intelligence. I would say that Mr. Clapp is a genuine Republican, which ought to commend him to the Republican voters, everything else being equal. I would also state that Mr. Clapp served in the 125th Illinois volunteers; was mustered out at the close of the war in Washington City, receiving an honorable discharge as 1st lieutenant. That he made a good officer may be inferred from the fact that he rose from the ranks, made the famous march with Sherman to the sea, and of course was known as one of "Sherman's bummers." This fact will not commend him much to the opposition, but ought to gain him a good vote from Republicans, and especially from soldiers. I would therefore say to all who value good county officers, vote for Geo. A. Clapp.

C. F. HEYWOOD.

A Present to Jeff. Davis.

We now know why Jeff Davis left town so suddenly. During his sojourn at the Grand Central he was presented with a handsome hoopskirt, enclosed in a small box, on which was written, "Mr. Jefferson Davis. Compliments of lady friends." This is a fact, as we are trustworthily assured, and the gift was meant as a reminder of the little promenade he took, some years ago, in borrowed crinoline. The ladies, while they were, about it, ought to have presented him with a sleeping car, as a reminder of that other little affair, down in Tennessee.—*Denver News.*

And then he would have wanted those skirts filled. Old Jeff is no fool.

The Toledo *Catholic Review* is authority for the following: "That the Catholic vote should be cast solely for the Democracy at the coming election, is undoubtedly true. *It is the only possible hope to break down the school system.*"

So far as known 170 lives were lost by the terrible cyclone at Indianola, Texas.

TO THE REPUBLICAN ELECTORS OF NEMAHA COUNTY.

Editor Nebraska Advertiser.

Remember that next Tuesday will decide the question who shall be the officers of this county for the ensuing year. On the Republican Ticket you will find men "good and true," who have stuck to their colors through the times that "tried men's souls," in "good repute and in evil repute," never flinching or giving back a single inch from their duty. Men consistent in all things, and in whom you can place implicit confidence. On the Independent Ticket you will find men who have been consistent in office seeking from their earliest advent in the county to the present time. Men who have been blatant, open-mouthed denouncers of Democracy in all its different aspects, but are now seeking to curry favor with their former opponents with the hope of getting their votes this fall. Men who deserted the Republican ranks because they could not obtain the positions their ambition desired, and who will again desert the party they now claim to belong to after election day.

I have heard people say it is the man and not the party I am going to vote for this fall.

Well, let us see if *our* ticket will not favorably compare with our adversaries. For Clerk we offer you Mr. Majors, a gentleman well known and respected, who has been tried and found to be a most capable man and well deserving the tribute of respect you will pay him by a re-election. On their side they offer you Mr. Meader, a gentleman who is no doubt an estimable private citizen but totally untried, and will have to suffer like poor dog Tray "for being found in bad company."

For Treasurer we offer Mr. Gilmore, who needs no reference here from me as he is well known to be the most efficient Treasurer that ever performed the duties of that office in this county. They offer you Mr. Brush, a standing candidate for any office the people may choose to give him.

The County Republican Convention did me the honor of giving me the nomination for Probate or County Judge, and without egotism I can safely say that I am fully competent to discharge the responsible duties devolving on that office, and fearlessly invite comparison with either of my opponents, having received a liberal education, and spent many years in the practice of law in the State of Iowa. They offer you Mr. Church a gentleman no doubt of liberal education, and who has also practiced law in this State, but obtained more notoriety for his political summersaults in this county than for either of his accomplishments. Mr. Church has also been a "standing candidate" for most every office, from that of Assessor of Brownville, which office he filled, to that of Governor, which he did not fill. As a man's public action while in office are public property, I may be excused for doubting Mr. Church's ability as a good judge, from the fact that the Legislature of this State impeached Gov. Butler for offences of which Mr. Church as a member of the "Investigating Committee" totally exhonerated him.

My other opponent is Mr. McComas the present incumbent, who has held this office for two terms. Mr. McComas is a thorough-bred Democrat, and to be consistent with the Democratic howl about "third terms," &c., ought to "step down and out." He claims the office again I understand on the ground that he has "done his duty;" but he does not also tell you that he has been paid, aye, well paid for doing his duty. This is a novel kind of plea. I was not aware that the people elected men to neglect their duties. If you elect me to the office of Probate or County Judge, and I can give you no better reasons for asking your votes a second time than this of "having done my duty," I do not think I will be a candidate for re-election. But this much I will promise you; if you elect me I will do my duty thoroughly and promptly without fear, favor, or partiality of any kind whatsoever.

For Sheriff we offer you John Strain, a gentleman highly respected, and one of the oldest settlers in this county, and who if elected will discharge all the duties of his office in a manner creditable to himself and to his supporters.

They offer you Dave Plasters. Dave has made a good officer; but that is no reason why Mr. Strain is not his equal; besides Dave promised his friends, two years ago, that if they would elect him once more, he would not be a candidate again.

For Coroner, we offer you Mr. Ebright; for Surveyor, Mr. Hacker; for School Superintendent, Mr. Dundas; for Commissioner 3d District, Mr. Clapp; all well known gentlemen, above reproach.

Whilst they offer you for Coroner, Mr. Leeper; for Surveyor, Mr. Gilbert; for Superintendent, Mr. Pierson; for Commissioner, Mr. Higgins. Now if any Republican can reject either of the above named Republican candidates and substitute the name of his opponent it is more than I can see any good reason for, as our candidates are infinitely superior and untainted with political tergeversation.

In conclusion let me again impress upon you the necessity of "concert of action." Should the Independent ticket, or even a portion of it, unfortunately be elected, it will be heralded throughout the State as a Democratic gain, the consequence of which would be our enemies would be elated and encouraged to attack us with renewed energy next Fall; whilst our friends would in a corresponding degree be discouraged and despondent, and less able to resist their attack. With a clear Republican majority of over two hundred in this county, our opponents disgusted and dissatisfied with the trickery of their acknowledged leader, it will be a lasting disgrace on this county if the entire Republican ticket is not elected. Then Republicans of Nemaha County throw away the foolish idea, so fraught with mischief to your best interest, of the "man not the party," but let your cry be "the principles and not the men" shall be our guide.

I have shown you that we have the best men, and now let me ask you who are the most likely to advocate the true Republican principles of "progress and reform." The men who have consistently acted with the party that first instituted these great principles, or the men who, for the sake of office, have basely deserted us, and try to cover their shame and disgrace with a portion of our platform? There can be but one answer to this question.

Then vote the straight ticket and be sure you examine it carefully before voting; our opponents are crafty, wily and unscrupulous, and will resort to all kinds of electioneering schemes to secure the election. And be sure that the name of "Henry M. Jones, for Probate or County Judge" is printed on your ticket.

One more remark and I have done. I see that scurrilous sheet the *Granger* still harps upon the story of the Probate Judship having been sold to Mr. McComas. Republicans of Nemaha county how do you like the idea of being bought and sold? Do you not, like me, hold the opinion that its only foundation in fact and in truth is in the base licentious imagination of its foul originator. Base inuendo is the subterfuge of cowardice, and the man or men who could willfully and maliciously slander his or their fellow-citizens as to insinuate that they could be bought and sold like so many slaves is only worthy of the most unmitigated contempt.

Arouse then, fellow-citizens, and give the lie to the foul libel by rolling up one of the largest Republican majorities ever given in this county.

Respectfully,
HENRY M. JONES.

FROM IRELAND.

The South of Ireland—Queenstown—Cork.

Correspondence Nebraska Advertiser.

I am making a little tour in the south of Ireland. I see so much that is novel and interesting to me I have fancied that even a hasty sketch of it might be interesting to some of your readers. I hope it will be understood that this sketch was written late at night after a busy day's sight seeing.

The first I saw of Ireland was the barren coast on the south, from the southwestern point around to Queenstown. The view from the ocean is, at least to a sea sick passenger from America the first trip, very interesting. Much of the coast is beautifully picturesque, then the old square tower on every prominent headland used by the coast guard in days gone by give it quaintness that awakens interest.

We reached Queenstown at dusk and came into the harbor when the city was lighted. It was an exceedingly beautiful sight. The harbor is one of the finest in the world. It is capable of holding the whole British fleet and is perfectly protected from the gales of the open sea.

The city is the chief port of the south of Ireland. It is situated on shore of an island, facing the harbor—or rather up against the island. It extends quite along the southern shore of the island, and reaches from the water up the steep slope of the hill. Back of the hill the island is cultivated. The streets are very narrow, irregular and often very steep. One principal street follows the bends of the shore, and others lead off from it anywhere, at any angle except a right one, and slope up the hill. These are crossed in the same way by others and so the city is laid out without any plan discoverable. But it is very pretty view from the harbor. There are palatial residences up on the hillside, with walls covered with vines and an abundance of trees and flowers about them. The population is about 14,000. It is wholly a commercial town, and is of no consequence except as a seaport.

From Queenstown I went to Cork. It is up the river Lee fifteen miles from Queenstown. You may go by rail, but I went by steamboat, much the pleasantest way. The scenery along the broad, gently winding stream, is very beautiful. A strong stone wall extends all the way on each side. All along the slopes are beautiful grounds and buildings, walls covered with vines, trees and towers. The dense foliage just deepening into autumn colors, looked very rich.—Along the margin of the river and flying over it were flocks of white and grey gulls. Great long legged storks stood in the water or waded about. If you go to Cork don't fail to go from Queenstown in one of those opendeck steamers.

Cork is very Irish. I can't begin to tell you how excruciatingly Irish it is. It is quite an old town and not a progressive one. It seems as if it had been finished a hundred years ago, and not an improvement had been made in it since. It is situated on both sides of the river Lee, the chief business part on the level ground, but it extends up the slope on both sides. The buildings are all stone and very small and compact. But few houses are more than four stories high and the architecture is very plain. It is the third city in Ireland and has a population of 90,000. It exports more butter than any other city in the empire. In irregularity of the plan, or rather utter absence of plan, it rivals Queenstown. The idea of regularity does not appear at all in any town I have seen in Ireland.

Many novel sights presented themselves to me in the streets. Everything is in such striking contrast with the same thing in an American city. For instance the most common vehicle in Cork or any Irish town is a cart drawn by a donkey scarcely larger than a new foundland dog. Then for carrying passengers there are the inside and outside cars, carriages with two wheels drawn by a single horse, the former opening behind with seats facing each other, the latter with no top but two seats with the backs together. Women appear much more conspicuously than in our cities. At every corner sits an "apple-woman" and other poor women are seen constantly walking the streets carrying jars of water, large baskets or other burdens. The greater number by far of clerks and salesmen are women, and on the streets even at night there are as many women as men, and you see them promenading alone as boldly as men.

The business houses are chiefly closed at dark, but the streets are full of people till a late hour. They do not seem to be doing any business, but are more lively and active than in daylight. I was surprised to see so many children on the streets romping and playing as freely as on a village green in America. I was very much amused in passing a little group of them to hear them singing—not "The Wearing of the Green," nor "St. Patrick's Day in the Morning," but—"Shoo Fly."

I intended to write chiefly about some old castles I visited, but I have exhausted my time writing what I fear is not of much interest. If possible I will write again in a few days giving some account of some ruins and of the Lakes of Killarney.

W. E. WILSON.

Lakes of Killarney, Ir.,
Sept. 15, 1875.

SHERIDAN SHORT-STOPS.

— Not so much sickness about here as there was sometime ago. Dr. Oppermann and family are better although the Dr. is not able to be out yet.

— Quarterly meeting of the M. E. Church at Sheridan next Saturday and Sunday. Elder Lemon will be present.

— When the Tammany Democrats stole so much that the people took the government of New York City out of their hands and some of them went to Europe and some to States Prison, Tammany issued an address to the people giving a vivid picture of the corruption and dishonesty of the Republican party, urging the people to repudiate the party and place the government in the hands of themselves as honest men. If any of our readers never read that address just go and hear Howe, he has learned it and can speak it good.

— Wesley Dundas says he has some Boots left yet, although going fast. Every man who sees them says they are cheaper than anywhere else.

LONDON LISPINGS.

— The frost has come too soon for all the corn to ripen, yet most of it is doing finely.

— Mr. Esau Smith has another added to his family; the boy is a week old.

— Mr. Kesterson and family have started on a visit to friends in Illinois. May they have a pleasant trip.

— H. P. Manning is still very low with Pneumonia.

— It is said they had a very pleasant time at the Sunday School Pic-Nic last Saturday week. Was not there, do not often go to pic-nics. The religious education of the children is of great importance.

— I send another "feeble petition" for the ADVERTISER. An excellent paper, and never better edited than now. Its merits plead its own cause. Yet "one sinner destroyeth much good," and one unlucky article was causing much displeasure, therefore the "petition." Don't see, Brother Glen Rock, where the "thinness" is. No one finds fault with the ADVERTISER but those who have been throwing filth and it rebounds back upon themselves. All who cry "dirty paper" of the ADVERTISER are dealers in smut, and are smutty.

— I was not aware I was telling anything the people did not know when I said my "name is Jennette." I was merely giving some of my early history which was repeating itself in my pen skirmish with Bro. Deroin. But then Bro. D., I do not think we had better have any controversy about it.

— Some people are whining because some of the poor little children cannot go to school this winter; thus making an argument against the Republicans, because an appropriation was made, for an Asylum for the Blind. They have no tear for the poor little children whose sightless eyes will never look upon the beauties of creation, nor see father or mother, brother or sister. God will bless those who remember those life-long unfortunate ones; if men curse them thus. The blind chilren have as much claim upon public money as children that can see, and they must have an institution of their own; they cannot be educated in other schools. Then must they be neglected for fear children with all their faculties should miss a term of school.

— Mr. Joseph Loveless, having once more tried the perils of the plains, is now again in London, looking well, hearty and, we hope, happy. He reports the Black Hills rich in promise, to the brave and adventurous. Indians from all parts of the nation are gathering there, to see what can be done about a treaty. If a treaty is effected with them, Mr. Loveless intends to return to the Hills, just as soon as he can with any degree of safety. Mr. L. has endured many hardships, and seems to have had a stormy life. May he gather enough of the glittering dust, to make his last days quiet and comfortable, until he takes the last journey to the land of rest, where there is fullness of joy, and pleasure forevermore.

— The Independents held a meeting here last Saturday evening week ago. An attempt to meet their low scurrilous, senseless talk, with argument would be like breaking a nest of empty egg shells. The gist of it all was *Dear farmer*, every thing on the earth belongs to you; you ought to have it; but these corrupt Republicans down in Brownville, where the d—l has his headquarters, are grabbing it all from you. Elect us, *dear farmer*, (we don't wan't office, oh, no!) but for your sakes we will bear the burden. Dear farmer, elect us and we will see if the deaf, dumb, insane, criminals, Normal schools, universities, Indians, niggers and women all have a grab at Uncle Sam's treasury. Elect us, *dear farmer*, and we will have a nice little ring of our own, and we will crawl in it, and the corrupt Republicans may shiver ouside of it.

— Joseph Dysart, aged 52, departed this life Oct. 1st, from his residence in London. Furnal service at the Methdist church. Words of comfort were spoken to the family of the deceased, by Rev. F. L. Britt, and words of admonition to all which it will be well to heed. The Masonic Brotherhood attended to his burial with the ceremonies of their order, which were interesting and impressive.

Mr. Dysart was a peaceable citizen, an obliging neighbor, a good husband and an affectionate father. As to his religion it can be truthfully said he lived and died with "a conscience, void of offence toward God and man." What more could he said of any one. He expressed a wish, a few hours before his death to be spared a few years more to his family, if it were God's will, yet had no fear in dying. He said he had not one hard feeling toward any person, and had always dealt honestly with his fellow-beings, this was a comfort to him in his last hours. His funeral was quite largely attended by deeply sympathising friends for his bereaved family. May God and his pitying angels, guide, guard and care for them; may they all do life's work well, and meet at last in that beautiful world, where there is no parting, no death.

A Greenback Club.

TERRA HAUTE, IND. Oct. 2—The Court House was crowded this evening with an assemblage of both political parties, for the purpose of organizing a greenback club, the call having been signed by 600 citizens. Resolutions were adopted calling for the retirement of the national currency and the perpetuation of the legal tenders made interchangeable with the 3.65 bonds; urging organization and co-operation among all greenback men, and indorsing W. D. Kelly.

The Boston *Journal* reports that Mr. Henry H. Faxon, of Quincy, and Mr. Henry D. Cushing, of Boston, who have furnished the most of the funds for the temperance people in years past, are decidedly opposed to the Prohibitionists nominating a candidate for Governor in Massachusetts this year.

Senator Carpenter should not have written that letter about Buell. It has actually attracted some attention to the little fellow. Too much like taking a trip-hammer to kill a flea.

Geo. Miller and Wm. Smith, convicted of murder at Boston, Mass, has been sentenced to be hanged January 14th, 1876.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 12th day of October, A. D. 1875, at the usual place of voting in the several precincts of Nemaha county, Nebraska an election will be held for the adoption of the New Constitution, for the adoption of the article relating to "Seat of Government," and also the article "Allowing Electors to express their references for United States Senators," and for the election of the following officers, to-wit:

Three Judges of the Supreme Court,
District Judge for the Second Judicial District,
Prosecuting Attorney for the Second Judicial District,
Six Regents, composing the Board of Regents of the University of Nebraska,
Probate or County Judge,
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County Treasurer,
County Sheriff,
County Coroner,
County Surveyor,
County Commissioner Third District,
County Superintendent of Public Instruction,
Two Justices of the Peace in each Precinct,
Two Constables in each Precinct,
One Assessor for each Precinct,
One Supervisor in each Road District,
Three Judges of Election in each Precinct,
Two Clerks of Election in each Precinct,

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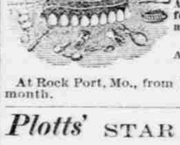
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PROBATE NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Susan Lash, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sealed envelope has this day been filed in the Probate Court of Nemaha County, Nebraska, purporting to be the last will and testament of Susan Lash, deceased. The said envelope will be opened, and its contents be before said court, at the court house in Brownville, Nebraska, on the 2nd day of October, A.D. 1875. All persons interested will be and appear before said court, and show cause, if any there be, why said instrument should not be allowed to probate.

Dated October 4th, 1875.
15w3 E. M. McCOMAS, Probate Judge.

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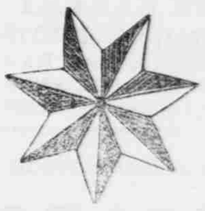
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