

Mayor's Proclamation.

To the people of the City of Brownville, MAYOR'S OFFICE

Brownville, Neb., Sept. 21, 1881. On the 2nd day of July, 1881, there came flashing over the wires from Washington a telegram announcing to our people that another Chief Magistrate had fallen by the hand of the assassin—that James A. Garfield, our beloved President, had been mortally wounded.

For weeks and weeks our people have anxiously read the official bulletins sent out by the attending physicians, joyous or apprehensive as the news from the President's bedside was encouraging or depressing. That terrible and ever to be remembered Saturday's tragedy has finally culminated and in a way too sad for our language to express.

James A. Garfield, President, statesman, husband, father, and honored citizen has gone to that sleep which knows no waking. His spirit has taken its flight and left behind a mighty nation bowed in grief, dressed in mourning weeds in memory of the departed one. The people of Brownville are sorely afflicted by this sad termination of our President's career, and it awakens in them the tenderest sympathy for the mourning wife, fatherless children, and the president's broken hearted mother.

In harmony with the proclamation issued by the Governor of the State of Nebraska, it is suggested that on the day set apart for the burial obsequies, all places of business in Brownville be closed. It is also recommended that the people of the city assemble in Marsh Opera House or in some other suitable place, and with appropriate religious exercises participate in the nation's memorial service on that occasion.

As a further manifestation of this deep sorrow felt by our people and as a mark of respect for the exalted character of our late President, it is suggested that the public offices and business houses of Brownville be draped with the emblems of mourning for the period of thirty days.

In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand this 21st day of September, A. D. 1881.

J. C. BOUSFIELD, By the Mayor, D. H. MERCER, City Clerk.

LONDON ITEMS.

— "The Lord reigneth; let the earth rejoice; let the multitude of the Isles be glad thereof.

— Weather delightful.

— Haymaking about over.

— Miss Horn, the lady with the beautiful hair, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Ed. Berlin, this week.

— Keep calm, Bro. Henry, the clouds will pass over without much of a storm. We trust you will not be killed, physically or morally. Trust in the Lord, and "fret not thyself of evil doers."

— Mr. and Mrs. John Winters have gone to Peru. They will teach the district school there this winter.

— Geo. Knowlton has left London, and is attending the Normal school at Peru. Mr. Knowlton is a young man of rare worth, delicate in sentiment, sensitive in disposition, practical in idea, aspiring in thought, industrious in habit. May all these elements of a beautiful character never be marred in the battle of life.

— Mrs. Dixon, who has been spending a year with her daughters, Mrs. Warner, of Red Cloud, and Mrs. John Winters, of London, has started for her home in New York. She is an estimable lady.

— A temperance lecturer by the name of Sibley—a very able one, too, by the way—was proposed for a lecture in this city on Friday night this week. But the proposition was not met with favor by our temperance people, as they are not just at this time in a frame of mind to give the matter attention. There is a time when even temperance lectures are inappropriate and untimely, and this is one of them—so far as Brownville is concerned.

— Governor Nance, immediately upon hearing of the President's death, issued a proclamation in appropriate and feeling terms deploring the nation's disaster and suggesting "that on the day set apart for the funeral obsequies, all public offices and other places of business should be closed," and further "that the people assemble throughout the State in their respective places of worship, and with appropriate religious exercises participate in the national memorial services on that occasion."

— The Tanner adultery case, what there was of it, was a very pleasant affair, and drew a large audience. Such cases are enjoyed more than any other kind, except a still fiercer ones.

Fine Groceries

Flour, of all Grades, Selected Teas, Pure Coffee and Spices, Choice Syrups and Molasses, Dried and Canned Fruits in Variety, Glass and Queensware.

Also, a complete stock of Cigars and Tobacco, and a full stock of Candies at SEEMAN'S.

The President is Dead.

Such was the sorrowful news that was carried over the telegraphic wires between half past ten and twelve o'clock on Monday night, 19th inst., and ere the sad tidings are briefly told in the isolated country press, everybody through out this broad land will have heard that their beloved President is dead; that his strong body and powerful mind and will have finally succumbed to the assassin's bullet. While this result has been dreaded, and anticipated, for weeks, yet a shock thrilled the nation to its uttermost parts when the electric battery flashed the news that "Garfield is dead." Men in the hurry of business paused, conversations were broken off, the tender hearted wept, while millions gritted their teeth and invoked curses upon the dastardly author of this National bereavement. But words and eulogies are as impotent to bring the dead President back, as were the prayers of the church or the doctors' medicines, to save him to the country, yet we may express our regrets and join with the people in their manifestations of respect for the great deceased. Brownville, without distinction of party, does not lack in her share of sympathy with the whole country and this was manifested early Tuesday morning by drooping flags and banners, entwined or trimmed in sombre colors, and other appropriate emblems of mourning, over the doors or suspended from the windows of all the principal business houses in the city. This all was just as it should be, having a tendency to allay partisan rancor, bring home to all hearts the feeling that a National calamity may be a common cause of sorrow.

James A. Garfield was born in Orange, Cuyahoga county, Ohio, Nov. 19th 1831. He died at 10:35 P. M., September 19th 1881, lacking exactly two months of being fifty years old.

The New York Post says, "President Arthur has received from all parts of the country assurances of good will and sincere wishes for his success. The assurances come from journals and from men of all political parties and shades of opinion, who esteem the welfare of a country a higher consideration than the fortunes or fate of any man, and we have no doubt they are sincerely meant. There will probably be no changes in the cabinet until the meeting of Congress, if there any at all. The deceased President was exceedingly emaciated. A man's hand could span his thigh above the knee. Dr. Bliss insisted that an autopsy should be held on the body, and the other surgeons, after some objections, finally agreed to it, and the operation was held at four o'clock on the 20th. President Garfield will be buried in the cemetery at Hiram, Ohio, where other members of the Garfield family are buried.

Just Opened.

The finest line of Cloaks and Dolmans ever brought to this city. Call on McGee & Moore.

At 12:25 a. m., on the night of the President's death the following notification signed by the members of the cabinet, was sent to Vice President Arthur, who was in New York:

"It becomes our painful duty to inform you of the death of President Garfield, and to advise you to take the oath of office as president of the United States without delay. If it concurs with your judgment, will be very glad if you will come here on the earliest train to-morrow morning.

In answer to this Gen. Arthur sent the following telegram, addressed to all members of the cabinet:

"I have your message announcing the death of President Garfield. Permit me to renew through you expressions of sorrow and sympathy, which I have already telegraphed to Attorney General MacVeagh. In accordance with your suggestion, I have taken the oath of office as president of the United States, before John R. Brady, justice of the supreme court of the State of New York. I will advise you further in regard to the other suggestion in your telegram.

[Signed] C. A. ARTHUR.

TROUBLE AHEAD!

J. L. McGEE

Is now at a loss so know where to store the immense stock that is arriving. This stock consists of all kinds of goods suitable for the trade, and contains many

Novelties in Dress Goods and Trimmings, and owing to the short crop I am determined to make prices so low that it will be to the interest of all to give me their trade. By so doing

I Guarantee to Save You Money.

We will take pleasure in showing goods and giving prices to all who will favor us with a call, that you may see and be convinced. Very Truly Yours,

J. L. McGEE.

A. W. Morgan, of Sheridan last week had a severe attack of divine ill-lusus. Feeling as if about to be delivered of something he patriotically absorbed a pint of navy beans and let slide in the Sheridan Post. The following is selected from the droppings of the Judge's facile pencil, as we haven't room for all:

Sheridan in won curse time will undoubtedly be The county seat of nimshaw Kountee.

That's all right Judge but can't you make it six months?

LADIES, For yarns and nice dress goods call on McGee & Moore.

Church Howe & Son, on Wednesday September 28th, will have a public sale, at Walnut Grove Stock Farm, Bedford precinct. The things to be sold consist of agricultural machinery, wagons, horses, cattle—sixty-two head of cattle, 24 of which are milk cows; the balance, 2 year old and 1 year old steers and heifers, and steer and heifer calves. See posters for details.

Saxony and Germantown yarns at McGee & Moore's.

F. P. Ireland, agent, to procure right of way for Missouri Pacific R. R. has made application to William H. Hoover for abstract of title to all the lands which the road passes through, which will require about 80 abstracts.

Jas. C. McNaughton, assistant cashier of First National Bank, on Monday last receiving a dispatch from his mother's home in Pennsylvania that she was dying, at once departed to see her.

School Furniture.

I have received the agency for A. H. Andrews & Co. School furniture of all kinds. Samples at my furniture store, Brownville, Neb.

W. A. JUDKINS.

There will be teacher's institute held at Nemaha City Friday night, Oct. 7, and Saturday Oct. 8. Programmes will be out next week.

Call for Homewood's flour. Try it—and you'll use no other.

Mr. George H. Lanman is entitled to our thanks for the loan of his national flag to display in mourning from our office window.

We thank Gov. Furnas for his excellent letter. Our readers will appreciate it highly. Any like favors in the future from him will be most welcome.

A very disagreeable, cold, drizzling rain set in here Thursday night and continued through Friday.

Corn and oats at Aaron Palmer's feed store.

Geo. Benson has purchased Alex. Snow's livery stable.

Dr. Burroughs is visiting at Creston, Iowa, this week.

The latest styles of picture frames at prices to suit the times. Call at the Photograph Gallery, in Brownville, and be convinced. Also get Tannar to take your photographs and be happy.

New supply of nice cakes and pies at Aaron Palmer's.

"Wine is a mocker, and strong drink is raging." Take PRICKLY ASH BITTERS. It is not a beverage, but a remedy for all the effects of an excess of intoxicating stimulants. Don't take a drink before breakfast "just to wake you up," because you feel so stupid and languid. You are sure to feel worse as soon as the effect wears off. Take a half wine glass of PRICKLY ASH BITTERS. It will brighten you up for the whole day.

Gold Coin makes the whitest and best bread. Try it.

Dr. Collins, Dentist, is absent from his office in Brownville on Wednesday and Fridays only.

Best Bread in the city at Aaron Palmer's—and don't you forget it.

Wanted.

By a gentleman and wife, two or three good rooms, in house with another family, with or without board. Apply at this office.

There will be a meeting of the farmers at the M. E. church, London, Saturday evening, Sept. 24, to consider the propriety of placing a full farmers ticket in the field this fall. Don't fail to come. Every farmer is especially requested to be present.

Notice

Is hereby given that I will examine all persons who may desire to offer themselves as candidate for teachers of the primary or common schools of this county, at the Court House, in Brownville on the first Saturday in each month. Philip Crother, Co-Superintendent.

THE BROWNVILLE MARKETS.

Following are the quotations at noon on Wednesday, the time of going to press:

LIVE STOCK CORRECTED BY R. M. BAILEY, STOCK DEALER AND SHIPPER.

Hogs..... \$5 50 to 75 Steers, fair to choice..... 64 75 Cows, fat..... 2 00 to 2 50

GRAIN MARKET. CORRECTED BY D. E. DOUGLAS, GRAIN DEALER.

Wheat No. 2..... 1 00 Wheat No. 3..... 80 00 Rye..... 75 00 Barley..... 40 00 Corn—in the ear..... 40 00 " shelled..... 45 00 New corn, in the ear..... 35 00

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that bids will be received up to noon of Tuesday, the 10th day of October, 1881, for the publication of the proceedings and legal notices of the County Commissioners court.

By order of the board, August 2nd, 1881. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. SAMUEL CULBERTSON, Co. Clerk.

Commissioner's Sale of Real Estate.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of Nemaha county, Nebraska, and to us directed as referees and commissioners in the case hereinafter mentioned, upon an order and decree rendered by the said court, in a certain action therein pending, whereby Bryant Cobb is plaintiff and Martha Finley, Nancy Allison, Clark Cobb, Williamson Cobb, Pinkney Cobb, Clay Cobb, David Cobb, Catherine King, Martha Gomer, Francis Cobb, Seymour Cobb, Nancy A. King, Williamson E. W. Cobb, Newton C. Worley, Louisa Inman, Martha N. McCollin, Eliza Nelson, Martha C. Keel and John A. Irwin are defendants, we will offer for sale at public auction at the door of the court house, in Brownville, in said county, on

Saturday, October 15th, 1881,

at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day the following real estate in Nemaha county, to-wit:

S. W. 1/4 sec 13, town 6, range 13, E—160 acres. N. E. 1/4 sec 13, town 5, range 13 E—160 acres. S. E. 1/4 sec 35, town 5, range 12 E—160 acres.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third cash, balance in three equal payments, payable in one, two and three years, with interest at eight per cent per annum, payable annually, from date of sale.

WILLIAM H. HOOPER, Referee and DAVENPORT PLASTER, J. Con'rs. JEFFERSON H. BROOKLY, Atty. 1383

NEMAHA CITY.

B. BELL ANDREWS, M. D., PHYSICIAN & SURGEON, Nemaha City, Neb.

Calls in the Country Promptly Attended, day or night.

SPECIAL ATTENTION given to surgical diseases of women and surgical diseases of the eye. Patients from abroad can be furnished with pleasant rooms and accommodations.

City Hotel,

LEVI JOHNSON, PROPRIETOR, NEMAHA CITY, NEB., Centrally located; Good fare, and no trouble spared to make guests comfortable. Good barn for horses and

Charges Reasonable.

JOHN S. MINICK GENERAL MERCHANDISE,

Nemaha City, Neb.,

J. B. REES, LIVERY AND FEED STABLE.

Good buggies and horses, charges reasonable. Best of care taken of transient stock NEMAHA CITY, NEB.

ATTENTION, FARMERS!

For your Agricultural Implements, go to

DAVID A. MORTON, Farm and Spring Wagons, Sulky Plows, Stirling Plows, Corn Planters, Harrows, Reapers, Mowers, Cultivators, Corn Shellers, and the Ross Tongueless Cultivator.

J. P. Crother. BOOTS, SHOES, AND HARNESS.

Made and repaired as well as can be done anywhere, and at short notice

AND VERY REASONABLE TERMS