The Nebraska Herald.

PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA.

WEDNESDAY, ... FEB. 6, 1867

CENTRALIZATION.

The cry of "Centralization," which is being extensively indulged in by the copperhead press and orators of the present time, is the most absurd and ridiculous thing of the age, when compared with the facts. They claim "State Rights" as the fundamental principle of the Government, and accuse the Republican party of "Centralization" because we do not recognize the State Governments as superior to the General Government. Let us see who favors "Centralization," and who opposes it. The copperhead party supports Andrew Johnson as against the people, and claim the superiority of State governments over the people's representatives, chosen by a direct vote. We believe, with Mr. Lincoln, that this is a government of the people. Which is most inclined to "centralization," claiming Andrew Johnson and his policies as superior to the direct voice of the people, and State governments as superior to the General Government, which is direct from the people, or *vice versa*? States have certain local privileges, which are guaranteed to them for the convenience of local government; but which are, and always have been, subordinate to the supreme authority of the General Government, whose power is vested in Congress. But this in no case proves that when States rebel against the General Government, and *destroy* their State Governments, that they are entitled to resume full fellowship in the Union in spite of the voice of the people as expressed through their representatives in Congress. If this doctrine of the superiority of the State Governments over the General Government, were to hold good, the war would have been a "failure" indeed, and never should have been commenced.

A RE-LOCATION.

We find the following in the House proceedings of the 2d:

Fuller introduced a petition from citizens of Cass county, asking for the passage of a law that will authorize the people of a county to re-locate their county seat.

This is the old hobby, and is not worth the paper used by the petitioners. The question of locating the county seat was decided by a vote of the people once, and Plattsmouth had a majority over *all* other places. It would be but a waste of time to revive this question, and would only make sectional feeling in the county without changing the county seat. What is the use of agitating this question, when it is well known that not less than four-fifths of the people are opposed to it?

DO THEY "SEE IT"?

The great "hue and cry" with our copperhead brethren against the proposition of Congress in regard to the admission of Nebraska, is, that it is taking away the rights of the people—that the people should decide, and not Congress or the Legislature. They don't appear to understand that this proposition is only that we guarantee to keep the elective franchise *as it is now*.

We have negro suffrage in Nebraska now, and is it taking away any of the rights of the people to say that we shall continue it under State rule? It is not imposing any new conditions upon us; but it is simply asked that our legislature, in behalf of the people, declare to not interfere with any political rights now enjoyed by citizens of Nebraska. Does it make any material difference to our copperhead friends whether we have equal suffrage as a Territory or as a State?

SALINE CITY.

It is with pleasure we record the progress of any portion of Nebraska, and especially do we like to write of the country lying to the west and south-west of us. It is a glorious country, and cannot be appreciated until seen. We have heretofore spoken of the other towns springing up in the Salt Creek country, and our object now is to speak briefly of the town whose name heads this article.

It is situated near the center of Lancaster county, three miles from the town of Lancaster, and is known to many by the name of "Yankee Hill." It is two and a half miles south of the noted Salt Basin, at the junction of Hornes Branch and Salt Creek. It is a beautiful site, is at the junction of the Territorial roads leading west from Plattsmouth and Nebraska City, and is within a half mile of the junction of the Railroad surveys from these points. Messrs. Vetts & Keifer are erecting a large stone flouring mill within a half mile of the town which will be completed in time for grinding the crop of the present season. A large stone Hall Building will be erected during the coming summer, worth $4,000. Part of the material for this building is now on the ground, and it will be pushed ahead early in the spring. It is being built by a stock company, and three-fourths of the stock is already taken. A stone School House worth $1,000 will be built as soon as spring opens, the material being on the ground now. The Methodist denomination of the place are preparing to erect a stone Church, and have got nearly enough subscribed to complete the work. There are other improvements contemplated, but these are only such as are under-way or thoroughly determined upon. The whole country west and south-west of us is being rapidly filled up with settlers, and towns are springing up where eighteen months ago there was nothing but the broad expanse of prairie. Such is Nebraska.

LANCASTER SEMINARY BURNED.

The *News* of Feb. 1st says: The fine stone Seminary in Lancaster Co., erected by Rev. M. Young, was burned to the ground on Monday night last. The building was used for various purposes; County Treasurer and Clerk's offices, store and shoemaker shop. It seems, the roof caught fire from a stove-pipe in the shoemaker shop of Mr. Monteith, and before necessary assistance could be rendered, the entire building was in flames. This is a severe loss to the county and the occupants of the house. We understand the county library was entirely consumed.

RECORDERS COURT.

The City Council have had the matter under advisement for some time, and have concluded that the duties of the Mayor in holding court, etc., should be transfered to the Recorder: and have, in accordance with this decision, drawn up such amendments to the City Charter as they deemed necessary for this purpose. They also suggest a change whereby a special tax is to be levied on saloon keepers for the purpose of supporting a proper police force, the present charter providing that all license money shall go into the school fund. Several other changes are proposed, all of which we believe are for the better. Especially do we commend the proviso for defraying police expenses. We all understand the necessity of having an efficient police, and no one will dispute the fairness of having the expenses paid from the source which makes it necessary. We do not know that a petition, or anything of that nature, is necessary to secure the passage of these amendments; but if it is, we hope it will be attended to speedily.

WHO ARE THEY?

Who are the men that are now trying to injure the credit of the government (thank God, with but little effect)? They are those who aided and abetted the rebellion by the same means, who said greenbacks and government bonds would be used for papering houses, and that the war was a failure. The following from the New York *Day Book*, copied into the Nebraska City *News* without comment is a fair specimen of the way they attempt to do it:

Those who think themselves rich because they have quantities of United States bonds, may some day find that "their riches have taken to themselves wings and flown away." It is only a paper wealth. The man who gets greenbacks and exchanges them for U. S. bonds, is a good deal like the fellow who swapped off a black dog for a monkey. He thought he was driving a sharp bargain, but his experience finally taught him that the monkey was, if anything, a little more troublesome than the dog. Greenbacks and five-twenties will be but one kind of ashes at last.

LET US ACT.

The eyes of the Union men of the nation are directed towards the Legislature of Nebraska. They ask that we, through our Representatives, declare in favor of equal rights to all men.

The following resolution, passed by the Union National committee, at their meeting on the 18th of January, speaks by authority for the entire Union party of the Nation. The resolution was passed without a dissenting voice, and calls upon us to stand by the principles which alone can preserve a Republican form of government. Let us do it, without faltering, fear or favor:

Resolved, That the Union National Committee congratulate the people of Nebraska and Colorado on their admission, by Congress, into the Union as States, and they would respectfully express to the Legislatures of those States their confident hope and earnest desire that the acts of admission by Congress may be promptly accepted by them, placing themselves thereby on the true ground of equal rights to all men as proclaimed in the Declaration of Independence.

SUCH A MAJORITY!

A correspondent in the Omaha *Herald* attempts to figure up how the Democratic party is in the majority. He gives the Democratic vote in the northern States, and then estimates the rebel vote, and makes out a half million majority. If this correspondent would add to his estimate the probable number of rebels killed during the war, and the probable number of Democratic voters now restrained from exercising the elective franchise by being within prison walls, he might swell the number considerably.

THREE MILES.

The Chicago & North-Western road is completed to Council Bluffs, where it connects with the C. B. & St. Joe. road, leaving only three miles of staging between this city and Chicago. Coaches run between this city and the depot twice a day. People in the east desiring to visit the garden spot of Nebraska—Cass county—will make a note of this.

"THE OLIVE BRANCH."

The above is the title of a new paper issued by the Good Templars order in this city, and devoted exclusively to the advancement of the temperance cause. If properly supported it will be the means of much good in Nebraska and western Iowa. The friends of Temperance should rally to its support from every quarter. It is to be issued semi monthly. Price $1.00 per annum. In their introductory the publishers say:

THE OLIVE BRANCH will be published semi-monthly, at one dollar per annum. It will be under the care and supervision of Olive Branch Lodge, No. 2, I. O. of G. T., and will be devoted exclusively to the interests of the Temperance cause

There being no paper of this kind published on the Missouri Slope, we feel confident of obtaining a liberal patronage, and thus being enabled to make our little sheet a credit to the Order in Nebraska.

Our population is rapidly increasing, and with the growth of the country, our field of labor will be extended, and we are inclined to flatter ourselves that our little sheet (though small and unpretending) is destined to act an important part in the great work of spreading the Temperance reform.

We ask that all members of the Order, and all friends of the Temperance cause will look favorably upon this enterprise; give us a liberal patronage, and we will endeavor to make our paper worth more to you than the cost of subscription. As soon as our circulation shall be large enough to warrant it, we will enlarge, thus increasing the amount of reading matter and giving you a paper that you cannot afford to be without.

Let us hear from all the Lodges in the shape of good subscription lists.

DOINGS AT OMAHA.

In the Council, on the 2d, the bill to incorporate a Nebraska Deaf and Dumb Asylum was read third time.

Wordell moved to strike out "Omaha" and insert "that it shall be located in such county as will subscribe and pay the largest amount for its support." Motion lost.

Steward moved to so amend that it shall be called the "Omaha" instead of "Nebraska" Institute.

A spirited and somewhat captious and curt little debate took place on the motion. Carried. "Nebraska" was struck out and simply left "An Institute for Deaf and Dumb." Bill passed.

In the House on the 4th Waldter introduced a memorial for the location of a new land office at Columbus.

Parmelee introduced a bill to amend the election law by defining the qualifications of voters and to prevent certain persons from holding office. Bill ordered printed and made special order for Thursday.

Waldter introduced a bill to amend the law relative to estrays. Read second time and referred.

In the Council on the 4th, Doom presented a petition from the citizens of Plattsmouth asking for an act enabling them to raise money for erecting a high school building. Also, a petition asking amendments to the city charter of Plattsmouth.

Council went into Committee of the Whole on the bills on the Speaker's table.

The bill making it the duty of the Prosecuting Attorney to examine all bonds given to the county before their acceptance by the Commissioners.—Passage recommended.

Bill to defray expenses of the Legislature of last July. Passage recommended.

Memorial and joint resolution for sundry mail routes, to wit: from St. Johns, Iowa, to Fremont, Neb., also, an extension of mail route from Plattsmouth to Salt Creek to the mouth of Plum Creek; also, from Plattsmouth to Milliville. Passage recommended.

The Committee arose.

A negro who had given offense to a rebel outlaw in Obion county, Tennessee, a few days since, by testifying against him, was shot dead at his own door soon after.

OMAHA, Jan. 29th.

FRIEND HATHAWAY:—An article appeared in the *Democrat* of your place, Jan. 4th, referring to the Speaker of the House, and also the "President of the Council," as "an employee of the Union Pacific Railroad, and fostered by that institution."

"The President of the Council," Mr. E. H. Rogers, of Dodge county, is not an employee of the Union Pacific Railroad company, either as Attorney or otherwise, and is not "*fostered* by that institution," in Nebraska or elsewhere.

BY AUTHORITY.

The House passed a bill this p. m., striking the word *white* out of the election laws. The House bill, making no distinction on account of race or color in the School laws will pass the Council to-day.

ANOTHER MASSACRE.

We find the following in the telegraph news, under date Junction City, Kansas, Feb. 2d.

A man from Saline, 9 miles west of here, came in yesterday and reported a frightful massacre of white men, by Cheyenne Indians near Smoky Hill River, a few days since, under the following circumstances:

Wallach's train with about 60 men were in camp near the head of the river, when 14 Indians came in and began begging. The teamsters refused to give them anything whereupon the Indians fired upon them but without effect. The teamsters returned the fire and killed 8 Indians. About 8 o'clock at night the camp was surrounded by 200 Indians who massacred 59 out of 63 men. The man who brought the news had an arrow hole in his shoulder and was also wounded in the hip. He claims to be one of the 4 men who escaped.

A party of Omahas and Kaws made a raid on the Cheyennes a few days since, on the Salina, and captured several head of Cheyenne stock, one Kaw being killed and 2 Omahas.

Comstock, the famous interpreter, Gov't scout and guide, says the Cheyennes and Arrapahoes of the Arkasas and Smoky Hill appear friendly, but part of the northern Indians are moving south and have already commited many murders, and other outrages. He believes they mean war.

Only Two Parties.

The immortal Douglas, at the beginning of the rebellion, made the memorable declaration that there could be but "two parties, patriots and traitors." General Palmer, of Kentucky renown, improved this by asserting that there can now be but two parties, "Radicals and Rebels." During the rebellion the question before the country was, not how the Government should be administered, but how it should be preserved—not as to what it should do, but whether or not it shall live. The question before the country now is, not what policy shall prevail—not the manner in which it shall be administered, but shall it exist? The questions now before the country are all ethical, relating to organic law. They are whether or not the people of the United States shall accept or reject the fruits of the victory which they have won—whether or not they will have the country as it comes to them, baptised by the best blood of the nation, or have it return again to its vomit, and re-embrace those relicts of barbarism and ligaments of slavery which have so nearly led it to the brink of destruction. These present no middle or conservative grounds. They present but two extreme poles, *for or against*.

He who is in favor of the principles upon which our Government is existing, and is willing to fully accept the conditions provided by the war for our national existence, can be nothing else but a Radical. He who opposes these can be nothing else but a Rebel, or at least, opposed to the present genius and spirit of our Government.—*St. Joe Union.*

DUST RETURNING TO DUST.—It is asserted by scientific writers that the number of persons who have existed on our globe since the beginning of time amounts to 36,627,843,272,075,256. These figures when divided by 3,095,000—the number of square leagues on the globe—leave 11,350,689,732 square miles of land; which being divided as before, give 1,314,623,086 persons to each square mile. If we reduce these miles to square rods the number will be 1,853,174,500,000; which divided in like manner, will give 1,283 inhabitants to each square rod; and these reduced to feet, will give about five persons to each square foot of terra firma.

It will thus be perceived that our earth is a vast cemetery. On each square rod of it 1,283 human beings lie buried, each rod being scarcely sufficient for ten graves, with each grave containing 128 persons.

The whole surface of our globe, therefore, has been dug over 128 times to bury its dead! How literally true the declaration of the poet:

> "There's not a dust that floats on air
> But once was living."

NEBRASKA TOBACCO.—A farmer by the name of Wood, residing within two miles of this city, raised last year, a fine article of Virginia tobacco. He has been selling it on the streets by the sled load at the low price of 15 cents per pound retail. When crushed, it resembles the famous Virginia smoking tobacco; it has a pleasant flavor and smokes delightfully. This is further evidence, that our soil and climate will compare favorably with any other on the Continent.—*Press.*

☞ The English language is spoken by 75,000,000 of the human race, including "the greatest nation in all creation."

NEWS ITEMS.

A dinner was given near Paris the other day, of which the principal dishes were shark, horse, dog and rat.

Seventeen bales of choice Tennessee cotton, raised on a part of the battle ground of Stone River, enriched with the blood of so many soldiers, sold in Nashville on the 4th, at 30 3-4, tax paid.

Gen. Pillow is running half a dozen different plantations in Tennessee and Arkansas, and employs about 1,000 negroes.

Gen. Forrest, of Memphis, was caught napping by a thief who entered his house the other night and relieved him of gold watches and other valuables, in all worth $571.

The Burlington (Iowa) *Hawk Eye* mentions the case of a young man, an employee in the Express office in that city, who after his father's death married his step-mother. Such cases are rare.

An oil well in Uniontown, Pennsylvania, one day last week suddenly began to throw up stones and water to the height of more than a hundred feet, the phenomenon continued for an hour.

☞ A correspondent of the London *Journal* treats at some length on the best way to treat hydrophobia. A wag, in reply suggests that he once prevented a case of this dreadful malady by getting on a fourteen rail fence and staying there until the dog left.

☞ An eastern exchange has the following: "The citizens of Chicago, now the Lake Tunnel is done, propose to build a range of mountains near the city, to save the trouble of having to go to the White Mountains, in the summer season. A joint stock company for the purchase of New York is talked of in Chicago.

☞ Gen. Sheridan, in refusing to allow civic honors to be paid to the body of the rebel Gen Johnson, has a new claim upon the respect of the nation. In his brief letter to the Mayor of Galveston, Texas, he says: "I have too much regard for the memory of the brave men who died to preserve our Government, to authorize Confederate demonstrations over the remains of any one who attempted to destroy it."—These are noble words, and will ring through the land.

A romance of love and larceny has just come to light in the Police Court of New Orleans. A lady in bridal array waited vainly in a church, while he who should have officiated as bridegroom was selling her diamond cross, worth $3,500, to a pawnbroker. The recreant lover, a well known dry-goods clerk of the city, attempted to commit suicide after his incarceration for the crime, but was prevented by a public-spirited jailor, who thought the city could not spare a citizen so enterprising.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—Impeachment Investigating Committee makes no progress.

The tariff bill is to be referred to the Ways and Means Committee to be considered in connection with the tax bill until both are ready to be reported.

TORONTO, Feb. 1.—Total number of Fenians tried here since June is 107 cases, which were disposed of as follows:

22 convicted, 20 acquitted, 49 dismissed for want of evidence, 13 discharged on bail and 3 condemned to be sent to the Kingston Penitentiary.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—A rumor in Wall street has it that a crisis of a threatening nature hangs over many Insurance Companies, owing to the very heavy losses during the past year. Yearly statements were published by some of the most prominent Companies yesterday, which show that many of them cancel all the capital represented by scrip.

The Tribune's Washington special says there is another side to the Chevas plantation outrages, in South Carolina, than that presented by the Associated Press. The trouble on Savannah river was easily settled by Gen. Scott.—Some officer sent a squad of soldiers to the plantation, under charge of an ex-rebel officer, and the negroes took exception to being killed by U. S. soldiers under rebel officers.

The Judiciary committee are satisfied from testimony already adduced, including that of Gen. Butler, is sufficient to warrant articles of impeachment. There has been no testimony yet on behalf of the President, and when this is offered it may entirely change the minds of the committee.

The Times special says a strong vote was given in the House on the provision in tenure of office bill, that Cabinet officers shall not be removed except by advice of the Senate. It was brought by a statement, privately made, that in no other way could Sec'y Stanton be retained.

It is reported that Senator Saulsbury has determined to resign.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Phillip Johnson, member of Congress, died Thursday night.

Washington Hunt died last night.

The World's special says there is foundation for the report that in the new plan of restoration, the President has asked the views of leading Southerners, and will submit them to the 40th Congress in his message, which it is thought will commend itself to the liberal elements of the Republican party.

Burned Out,

BUT NOT DISCOURAGED.

T. W. Skyock is again at the old stand prepared to wait upon his former customers, and the public generally. If you want anything in shape of Furniture or Chairs, give him a call. 3rd street near Main, Plattsmouth, N. T. may17,dtf.

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EDITORS

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COTTONWOOD TREES

Early in April.

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Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons not to trust my wife, Elizabeth Smith, as I will be in no way responsible for any debts of her contracting (she having left my bed and board without just cause.

P. J. SMITH.

February, 1st, 1867. 3w

Notice.

The subscriber offers for sale 135 SHEEP

SAMUEL MAXWELL.

Plattsmouth, Feb 5, 1867 dawlw

Estray Notices.

Taken up by the undersigned, one mile east of Mt. Pleasant, Cass county, Nebraska, one steer calf with pale red spots, and crop and slit in right ear, no crop in the left ear. LUTHERAN OLIVER.
January 2d, 1867. 5w

Taken up by the subscriber at his residence in Oreapolis Precinct, Cass county, N. T., about 4 1-2 miles north-west of Platts mouth, on the 31 day of December, 1866, one two year old heifer of a roan color, with red and white spots. No marks or brands perceivable. JACOB HORN.
Dec 3, 1866 19w3*

Taken up by the subscriber, living three miles west of Rock Bluffs, four yearlings;
One white yearling bull, notch in left ear.
One yearling steer, white and red on fore quarters, hind quarters white, crop in left ear.
One red yearling heifer, crop in each ear.
One dark brown yearling heifer, line back. No other marks or brands perceivable.
dec 19 w5* J. B. HOLMES.

Taken up by the subscriber, two miles south west of Platt mouth, two heifers, one a deep red, no marks, the other a pale red, horns broken off; each supposed to be two years old.
dec 19 w5* WM C. WOODRUFF.

Taken up by the subscriber, at his residence in Louisville Precinct, Cass county, N. T., about 15 miles west of Plattsmouth, on the 8th day of December 1866, one dark brown heifer, supposed she be 2 years old, has a white star in forehead, no marks or brands. GEO. SHOWMANN.
dec 12 1866 19w5*

Taken up by the subscriber, living in Mt. Pleasant Precinct, one two year old red bull, white under the belly, rather small in size. No other marks or brands perceivable JOHN GEO. HANSON.
dec 13 w3*

Taken up by the subscriber, at his residence in Louisville Precinct, Cass county, N. T., on the 22d day of January, A. D. 1867, one steer Calf, not quite a year old; no marks—is speckled white and black.
January 31 4, 1867. 5w JOHN INHELDER

Taken up by the undersigned, in Plattsmouth precinct, Cass county, N. T., on the 11th of December, 1866, one white Cow, supposed to be 5 years old, marked crop off right ear, small red spot on left hip.
feb6 6w A. B. TODD.

NOTICE.

Samuel L. Cannon vs Sallia J. Cannon } Petition for Divorce.

Sallia J. Cannon, of the State of Missouri, will take notice that Samuel L. Cannon, of the county of Cass, and Territory of Nebraska, did on the 24 day of January, A D 1867, file his Petition or Bill in Chancery, in the District Court of the 2d Judicial District of Nebraska, in and for Cass county, against her, the said Sallia J. Cannon defendant, setting forth that she, defendant, by false and fraudulent representations, induced him to marry her, the said defendant, and that said Sallia J. Cannon was guilty of extreme cruelty towards said complainant, and also that the said Sallia J. Cannon is and was at the time of said marriage, physically incompetent to perform the marriage relation; and praying that the said marriage contract entered into between the said Samuel L. Cannon and the said Sallia J. Cannon be declared null and void, and that the said Samuel L. Cannon be divorced from the said defendant, and that the said Sallia J. Cannon is required to appear and answer said petition on or before the third Monday after the 29th day of January, A D 1867 (which will be on the 18th day of February, A D 1867).

Dated this 9th day of January 1867.

SAMUEL L. CANNON.
By W. POTTENGER, his Solicitor jan9 4w*

Legal Notice.

In the District Court, 2d Judicial District, Nebraska Territory, in and for Cass county.

Calvin Russell, age 18 vs The unknown heirs of Stephen Russell, deceased. } In Chancery.

To the heirs of Stephen Russell, deceased:

You are hereby notified that on the 24th day December, A. D. 1866, the complainant, Calvin Russell, did file in the office of the Clerk of the 2d Judicial District Court, in said county of Cass, on the Chancery side thereof his bill of complaint, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose a certain mortgage bearing date the 5th day of March, 1859, executed by Stephen Russell, the defendant, to said complainant upon certain real estate, situated in Cass county, Nebraska, to wit: The east half of the south-east quarter of section five (5), in township eleven (11), north of range thirteen (13) east of 6th P. M., containing 80 acres: To secure the payment of a certain promissory note made by Stephen Russell, for value received, delivered to the said Calvin Russell, for one hundred and eighty-five and 33-100 dollars, payable two years after date with interest from date at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and for the sale of said mortgaged premises, and for the payment of said sum of $185 33-100 with interest thereon from the 5th day of March, 1859, at ten per cent per annum, and to foreclose all equity of redemption of you in and to said premises. You are therefore hereby notified to appear, plead answer or demur to the said bill of complaint on or before the 11th day of February 1867, or the complainant will take decree against you as prayed

MARQUETT & CHAPMAN,
Solicitors for Complainant.

Ordered that the above be published in the Nebraska Herald newspaper, for four consecutive weeks

J. H. BROWN,
Register in Chancery.
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Sheriff's Sale.

James M. Armstrong, and by review Nov. 1st, 1866, Wm. J. Armstrong, et al, vs Harvey E. Hills.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution in the above entitled cause, issued out of and under the seal of the District Court of the 2d Judicial District, in and for Otoe county, N. T., and to me directed, I will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, in front of the Court-House, in the city of Plattsmouth, Cass county, N. T., on

Saturday, the 9th day of February,

A. D. 1867, between the hours of 1 and 2 o'clock p m of said day, all right, title and interest of the above named defendant, Harvey E. Hills, in and to the following described real estate, to wit: The north east quarter of section 28, in township 11, north of range 13 east of the 6th p m, in Cass county, Nebraska Territory, and containing 160 acres.

Given under my hand this 7th day of January, A D 1867.

A. B. TAYLOR, Sheriff of Cass county, Nebraska.
By G. W. Fairfield, Deputy. jan9 4w

Sheriff's Sale.

James J. Monroe, vs Samuel H. Elbert, Robert M. Clarke and Joseph McCune.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution in the above entitled cause, issued out of and under the seal of the Clerk of the District Court of the 2d Judicial District, within and for Cass county, N. T., and to me directed, I will offer for sale at public auction to the highest and best bidder, at the front door of the Court-House in the city of Plattsmouth, on

Saturday, the 23d day of February,

A. D. 1867, between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock p m of said day, all right, title and interest of the above named plaintiff James J. Monroe, in and to the following described real estate, to wit: The south east quarter of section 30 and the southwest quarter of section 29, all in township 11, north of range 13, east of 6th p m, in Cass county, N. T., and containing 320 acres. Given under my hand this 7th day of January, A. D. 1867.

A. B. TAYLOR, Sheriff of Cass county, Nebraska.
By G. W. FAIRFIELD, Deputy.
W. Pottenger, Att'y for Pl'ff. jan9 4w

CHANCERY SALE.

Simpson C. Bebel and John H. Crouton, Compl'ts. vs Frederick Kockerhans, Def'dt. } In Chancery.

In pursuance and by virtue of a decretal order to me directed from the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the 2d Judicial District in and for Cass county Nebraska, made in the above cause, and bearing date on the 25th day of October A. D. 1866, being the adjourned October term of said Court, I, the subscriber, Master in Chancery of said Court, will offer at public vendue for cash to the highest and best bidder, in front of the Court House in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on

Monday March 4th, 1867,

at 12 o'clock noon of said day, all the certain tract or parcel of land known and described as follows: The north half (1/2) of the north east quarter (1/4) of section No twenty-nine (29) and the south half (1/2) of the south-east quarter (1/4) of section twenty (20) in township No. twelve (12) north of range No. ninteen (19) east, lying and being in Cass county N. T. and containing 160 acres.

Together with all and singular the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, to be sold as the property of the defendant to the above entitled cause, to satisfy said decree, the amount of which is the sum of $1873 55 and interest from the date of said decree and costs of suit and sale.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, 29th January 1867.

F. M. DORRINGTON, Master in Chancery.
W. POTTENGER, Sol for Compl'ts. j31w4

STRAYED.

From the undersigned, Nov. 24th 1866 one BAY HORSE COLT, 8 months old, black mane and tail, small star in forehead a little white on one hind foot. A liberal reward will be paid for said colt.

JAMES WOOD,
Wyoming, Otoe Co., Neb.
jan2w4

F. M. DORRINGTON,

Real Estate AGENT,

OFFICE IN MASONIC BLOCK,
PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA.

FOR SALE

Lot 8, in block 156, containing an excellent story and a half residence, nearly new, also a well, outhouses, etc. A very desirable property and will be sold at a bargain.

Lot 14 in block 157, with a large store-room and warehouse thereon—choice location for business, and offered very low.

Lot 6 in block 47, good residence, well and outbuildings.

Lot 12 in block 62, a good two-story residence, brick basement, well, barn and other outbuildings. A rare chance for a good investment.

Lot 11 in block 173, building with two rooms and cellar. Good chance for a small capital.

Lot 10 in block 27, good residence, with all the necessary outbuildings.

West half of section 35, town 12, range 13, together with 30 acres of timber. One hundred acres under cultivation. Eight miles from Plattsmouth near Platte river.

An improved farm of eighty acres, good house, well, etc., with five acres of good timber.

Eighty acres of land, partly improved, two and a half miles from the city.

160 acres of partly improved land, with 40 acres of young timber, situated 4 miles south of town.

Dress-Maker.

MRS. L. B. JONES,

Of Nebraska City, would respectfully inform the ladies of Plattsmouth that she has taken up her residence in this place for the purpose of

CUTTING, FITTING and MAKING

If required, Ladies and Childrens' Dresses, Cloaks, Basques, etc. *MACHINE STITCHING* done also. All work will be executed with neatness, and will receive prompt attention. She will endeavor to give satisfaction, and therefore solicits the patronage of the ladies of this place and vicinity.

Residence, corner Vine and 4th streets, in Adams' brick. nov23d6m

NEW JEWELRY STORE

The subscriber having purchased the Red Store on 2d street, lately occupied by Surpy and others, would respectfully inform the citizens of Plattsmouth and vicinity, that he has refitted the store and opened a large stock of

JEWELRY

AND

FANCY ARTICLES

For Ladies, Gents, Children, and the rest of mankind, and is prepared to do all kinds of

WATCH, CLOCK AND JEWELRY REPAIRING

In the best manner, and would be happy to serve his old and as many new customers as may give him their patronage, assuring them of their work well done, at moderate prices, and on short time. The stock, embracing every variety of goods usually kept at a first class Jewelry Store, will be sold at low prices, and warranted of best workmanship and material. He has also a small stock of

FAMILY GROCERIES,

which will be replenished from time to time, and sold at the lowest figures. Having permanently located in this city, I respectfully solicit a share of patronage, and cordially invite all to call and examine the stock on hand, as we would be pleased to serve you, and do not ask you to buy unless we can make it for your interest to patronize us.

dec27tf E. H. EATON.

LAND FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale 40 acres of land, from which the timber has been cut from 4 to 10 years, situated 1 1-2 miles south of town on the Missouri river. It will be sold in a body or in tracts to suit purchasers. SAMUEL MAXWELL.
Dec. 18. w4

C. H. KING

Carpenter and Joiner

CONTRACTOR and BUILDER,

Will do work in his line with neatness as dispatch, upon short notice.

The place to get cheap Lamps and Lamp Chimneys is at BLACK, BUTTERY & CO.'S.