The Mysterions Woman. At a certain town meeting the question came up whether any person should be licensed to sell rum. The clergyman, the deacon and the physician, strange as it seem, all favored it. One man spoke against it because of the mischief it did. The question was about to be put, when suddenly there arose from one corner of the room a miscrable female. She was the room a miscrapic tensile. She was thinly clad, and her appearance indicated the utmost wretchedness, and that her mortal career was almost closed. After a moment of silence, and all cys being fixed upon her, she stretched her attenuated balls to its process height and the ated body to its utmost height, and then ENLARGED AND IMPROVED her long arms to their greatest length. and raising her voice to a shrill pitch, she called upon all to look upon her, "Yes, she said, "look upon me, and then hear me. All that the last speaker has said relative to temperate drinking as being the father of drunkenness is true. All practice, all experience declare its truth. All drinking alcoholic poison as a beverage, in health, is excess. Look upon me. You all know me, or once did. You all know I was once the mistress of the best farm in town. You all know, too I had one of the best, most devoted hus bands. You all know I had fine, noble hearted, industrious boys. Where are they now? You all know! You all

yonder churchyard; all, every one of them filling the drunkard's grave. They were all taught to believe that temperate drinking was safe, excess alone ought to be avoided, and they never acknowledged excess. They quoted you, and you, and you'-pointing with her shred of a finger to the priest, deacon and doctor-"as authority. They tho't themselves safe under such tender teachers. But I saw the gradual change coming over my family and prospects with dismay and horror. I felt we were all to be overwhelmed in one commor ruin. I tried to ward off the blow. tried to break the spell, the delusive spell in which the idea of the benefits of temperate drinking had involved my husband and sons. I begged, I prayed, but the odds were greatly against me, and the priest said that the poison that was destroying my husband and boys was a good creature of God; the deacon (who sits under the pulpit there and took our farm to pay his rum bills) sold them the poison; the physician said a little was good and excess ought to be avoided -My poor husband and my dear boys fell into the snare and could not escape, (there were no Washingtonians then) and one after another they were conveyed to the dishonored grave of the drunkard. Now look at me again. You probably see me for the last time. My sand has almost run. I have dragged my exhaust-ed frame from my present abode, your poor-house, to warn you all, to warn you deacon, to warn you false teacher of EVERYBODY READS IT God's word, and with her arms high flung and her tall form stretched to its utmost, and her voice raised to an unearthly pitch, she exclaimed, "I shall soon stand before the judgement seat of guides, and be a witness against you all."
The miserable female vanished. A dead silence pervaded the assembly. The priest, deacon and physician hung their heads; the president of the meeting put license to sell alcoholic poisons to be sold as a beverage?" The response was unanimous "No."

The Drunkard's Reform.

The following solemn words are from the Christian Secretary:
Facts show that of the vast army of
the intemperate—the five hundred thousand and in our own land who are wending their way toward a drunkard's doomcomparatively few are reformed, only here and there one is saved. The deceptive power of appetite and habit, like some evil spirit blindfolds its captives, leading them speedily on to utter ruin. Companions in dissipation encourage and embolden one another, and present a united front against saving influences. Together the control of the ences. Together they drown the voices of admonition in the cup, together they cheer the way of death with songs of revelry, and fortify their hearts against God and salvation by ridicule of true and serious things. Thus they are held fast under bonds of iniquity. The mother sees her son in the path of the destroyer, and goes after him in prayers and pleading tears, but alas, the bands of sin have already grown too strong for the ties of filial affection. The son revels on, though he knows he is mingling for her a cup of unuterable anguish.— and otherwise greatly improved, and we can now furnish anything, from a are added, but only to be spurned for the cup of intoxication. With all her blessed ministries she cannot lead him

back to life. Excitement and Short Life. The following by an unknown writer accords with our observation: "The deadliest foe to a man's longevity is an tumatural and unreasonable excitement. Every man is born with a certain stock of vitality which cannot be increased, but which may be husbanded or expended rapidly, as he deems best. Within certain limits he has his choice, to live fast or slow, to live abstemiously or intensely, to draw his little amount of life over a large space or condense it into a narrow one; but when his stock is exhausted he has no more. He who lives abstemiously, who avoids all stimulants, takes light exercise, never overtasks himself, indulges no exhausting passions, feeds his mind and heart on no exciting material, has no debilitating pleasures, lets nothing ruffle his temper, keeps his temper, keeps his accounts with God and man duly squared up, is sure, barring accidents, to spin out his life to the longest limit which it is possible to attain; or mental, fatigues his body or brain by hard labor, exposes himself to inflammatory disease, seeks continual excitement, gives loose reign to his passions frets at every trouble and enjoys little repose, is burning the candle at both ends, and is

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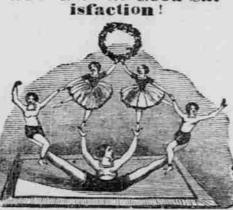
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Said Bonds to be issued as follows, to wit: The entire amount of the said sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50 000) to be issued in bonds of one hundred dollars each, on or before the first day of August, A. D. 1869, and immediately delivered to the County Treasurer of Cass county, to be paid out and used by the said County Treasurer for the purposes herein set forth.

Said bonds to run five years from the date of their issuance, with interest, payable annually, at the rate of ten per centum per annual.

Said bonds and the interest thereon to be payable at the office of the County Tr asurer of Cass county, Nebraska. The enlire amount of the said bonds, in the sum of fifty the usand dellars (\$50,000), or so much thereof of said sum of flity thousand dollars as shall be paid out and used by the County Treasurer for the purposes herein set forth, to be due and paya-ble five years from the date of the issuance of said

for the purposes herein set forth, to be due and payable five years from the date of the issuance or said bonds.

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The proposition will also be submitted to the legal volets of said Plattsmouth precinct at the said election to authorize and require the County Commissioners of said Cass county, Nebraska, to levy an annual tax on all the real and personal property within the bounds of said Plattsmouth precinct to next the said special bonds of said epatements, and after the expiration of four years from the date of the issuance of said special bonds to levy such additional tax on all the real and personal property within the bounds of said special bonds to levy such additional tax on all the real and personal property within the bounds of said Plattsmouth precinct as shall be sufficient to pay and redeem the whole amount of said special bonds which shall have been paid out and used by the County Treasurer as herein provided, and to apply the amount of such additional tax to the entire payment and liquidation of said special bonds.

The question submitted to said voters at said election will be 'For Special Bonds and Tax, No.''

The polis at said election will be opened at 8 o'clock a. m. of said day, and will continue open until 6 o'clock in the afternoon of said day.

By order of the Board of Courty Commissioners.

In witness whereof I hercunto set my hand [seal] and official seal at Plattsmouth on this 2d day of June, A. D. 1869.

B. SPURLOCK,

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Clerk Cass county, Nebraska.

Administrator's Sale. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a de

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decretal order made by His Honor George B. Lake, Judge of the 2d Judicial District Court, within and for Cass county, State of Nebraska at his Chambers in Omaha City, on May the 7th, A. D. 1869, I will, on the 19th day of June, A. D. 1869, offer at public vendue, at the Court House door in the city of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Nebraska, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., to the highest and best bidder, all the right, title and interest of Ephraim Colow, deceased, in and to the northwest fractional quarter of section No. 6, in township No. 12, north of range No. 13; and ten (19) acres off of the west side of the northeast quarter (14) o' the northwest quarter (14), in section No. 6, in township No. 12, north of range No 13, situate and lying in Cass county, State of Nebraska. Said sale will remain open for hids from 10 o'clock, a. m. until 11 o'clock a. m. of same day

May 25, 1868.

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The southeast quarter (M) of section No. nine (9), in town-hip No. ten (10), north of range No. eleven (11) east of the 6th p. M., in Cass county, Nebraska, Given under my hand t is 19th day of May, A. D. 1869.

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Clerk Case county Nebroka May 13, 1869. PROBATE NOTICE In the matter of the estate of Samu-1 J Librate of Cass county, Nebraska. William L. Webbass made application to the Probate Court to be appointed Administrator of said estate; now then the Court has ordered this application be published in the Plattsmouth Herald for three weeks and the on the 36th day of June at 10 o'clock a me of had day at the office of the Probate Judge in the city of Plattsmouth. He will hear and determine the said application, all persons interested will appear a that day.

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OFFICE OF STATE AUDITOR.
LINCOLA, NEB., April I, 1869

Whereas, Abram B, Covall, Eq., State April the Missouri Valley Life Insurance Compant, incated at Leavenworth City, in the State of Kanasa, has fied in this office a copy of the act of incurpration of said Company, and a statement under eshowing its condition, as required by the fifth estion of a law of the State of Nebraska, entitled distance in Relation to Insurance Companies," approved February 15th, 1864; approved February 15th, 1864; approved February 15th, 1866; and whereas, said Company has furnished the undersigned satisfactory evidence that it is possessed in stocks of at least par value, or in books of mortgages on real estate worth double the amount for which the same is mortgaged; and whereas, said Company has filed in this office whereas, said Company has filed in this office which instrument, under the seal of the Company signed by the President and Secretary thereof, all thorizing the said Abram B Covalt to acknowledge service of process for and in helpife facility. thorizing the said Abram B Covalt to acknow service of process for and in behalf of said Co

service of process for and in behalf of said Company consenting that service of process upon him shabe taken and held to be as valid as if served upon the company, according to the laws of this state of any other State, and waiving all claims of errors by reason of such service; and whereas, Abram B. Covait has funnished satisfactory evidence that he is the authorized Agent of said Company;

Therefore, be it known by these presents. That is pursuance of the aforesaid act. I. John Gillespie. Auditor of the State of Nebraska, do hereby certify that Abram B. Covait, Esq., has full authority that Abram B. Covait, Esq., bas full authority that as state Agent for the said Missouri Valley Life Insurance Company, in the State of Nebraska and to do and perform all acts for and in behalf of said Company authorized by his appoints eat as seed Agent, and by the laws of this State, until the Bist day of January, A. D. 1870.

In witness whereof, I have subscribed my name, and caused the Seai of the Anditor's [L. S.] Office to be affixed this ist day of April, A. D. 1869.

JOHN GILLESPIE.

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J. W. MARSHALL, Agent, Plattemouth, Not.