The Nebraska Herald.

LOCAL NEWS.

From Thursday's Daily.

Streight has some very fine eating apples. The HERALD has tried them.

Streight will have an immense stock of toys in a few days.

Mr. J. E. Holland, "mine host" of the City Hotel, has our thanks for substantial favors.

Several new buildings are under way in the north part of town that we have not ascertained who the builders are.

A large quantity of bridge timbers have come over, and will be hauled west as fast as possible.

It is with pleasure we note that some of Nebraska City's shrewdest business men are coming to Plattsmouth.

Will some gentleman who is willing to make a fortune without labor be so kind as to start a coal yard in this city immediately?

There appears to be no end to the string of immigrant wagons coming into Nebraska. Every day they continue to come.

We learn that H. N. Orr has rented his house in the south part of town for the very moderate sum of $100 per month. It is to be occupied by a large family of grown up girls.

The first seventeen miles of railroad West from this city, will be ready for the iron next week, and the track will be put down as soon as possible. The cars will probably reach Ashland before winter.

There is very little corn gathered yet this fall. Laborers are exceedingly scarce, and should stormy weather set in soon a large quantity of corn would be destroyed. We know of farmers who have been trying for two weeks past to hire help, and have as yet been unable to find any. More laborers are needed in the vineyard in Nebraska.

N. J. Bond & Co., under the HERALD office, have some splendid Fall Wheat Flour, which they are selling at the very moderate figure of $3 50 and $4 00—only 50 cents higher than Spring Wheat. That is very cheap for good Fall Wheat Flour, and we can vouch for it being of the very best quality—"the proof of the pudding," etc., you know.

We are indebted to Comp. J. N. Wise for the following list of officers elected by the Grand Chapter, R. A. M., of Nebraska, on Monday evening last, at Nebraska City:

R. C. Jordan—M. E. Grand High Priest; E. A. Allen—M. E. Dep. Gr. High Priest; John Reed—R. E. Grand King; J. F. Gardner—R. E. Grand Scribe; Geo. B. Graff—R. E. Grand Treasurer; R. W. Furnas—R. E. Grand Secretary.

From Friday's Daily.

A man giving his name as Brown, recently stole a pair of horses and carriage at Beatrice and drove towards Lincoln.

The next session of the Grand Lodge, A. F. and A. M., also of the Grand Chapter, will be held in this city, June 21st, 1870.

Prof. Mueller, of Council Bluffs, has been in the city several days. He is selling a large number of Pianos in this region.

We predict a warm time for garroters in Plattsmouth shortly. This locality has never been considered the safest in the world for scoundrels. Look out for a large sized garrote, with one end attached to a bridge timber or a tree.

Rev. A. Right, Army Chaplain at Ft. Laramie left the city this mornig to resume his duties at the Fort. He has been in the city for a couple of months, with his family.

The people of Pawnee and Richardson Counties are wide awake over their railroad interests. They look at the Burlington and Southwestern line as the one of greatest benifit to them.

Maj. D. H. Wheeler is in the city attending the Masonic Grand Lodge which is now in session. As Mayor of Plattsmouth he wears his honors meekly, and seems in excellent health and spirits.—*Chronicle.*

A man named John Reeves was arrested in Hamburg, Iowa, a few days since, for the murder of a man named Stevens about a year ago. The murder was committed at Terre Haute, Indiana.

Coal is selling at $12.50 a ton. Those who ought to know say it is cheaper than wood at the ruling prices. In a very short time Iowa coal can be unloaded from the cars in this city.

John Wallinger, who we mentioned a few days since as having suddenly disappeared from the city, has been heard from, and he is not in the "spirit land," as was feared by some. He has written a letter back to Mr. Kohrell, informing him that he is now a servant of Uncle Sam's, having enlisted for the term of five years in Co. "A" Ninth U. S. Infaintry, at Omaha Barracks. This was a much more sensible thing than to kill himself.

We learn from Elam Parmele, Esq., that a letter has been received with the sad intelligence of the death of our former townsman, Robert Smith. Mr. Smith was a resident of the city for many years, and only left here a few weeks ago to visit his childhood's home. He had been declining in health for the past year or two, and had little hope of ever again seeing Nebraska, when he left here; in fact, he said to friends before he left that his great desire was that he might get home to die. His disease was consumption, and he died within a week after arriving at his father's house in Otisville, Orange Co. New York.

The follwing are the officers elected by the Grand Lodge, A. F. & A. M., for the ensuing year:

Harry P. Duel of Omaha, W. G. M.
W. E. Hill, Nebraska City, D. G. M.
A. P. Coggswell, Brownville, . S. G W
H. O. Hanna. Falls City, J. G. W.
G. B. Graff, Omaha, G. Treasurer.
R. W. Furnas, Brownville, G. Secretary.

In another column of to-day's paper will be found an article stating Rev. Mr. Alexander, of Nebraska City, has been appointed Commissioner of Immigration for the State. We hope every facility will be given Mr. Alexander for laying before the people of the Eastern States and Europe a complete and truthful statement of our section of country, and especially of the vast region lying west of Plattsmouth and Nebraska City. It would be a great help in this direction for people in the various localities to write short letters, containing facts in regard to to their localities, for publication in their respective newspapers. The columns of the HERALD are free for this purpose, and we hope they may be used to a greater extent than heretofore.

From Saturday's Daily.

Jason Streight is putting an addition to his brick residence on Sixth street.

Mr. Schnasse, of the firm of Wiggenhorn & Co., is erecting a neat residence at the south-west corner of the public square.

The Omaha *Herald* has commenced pitching into "the boys" around the *Republican* office. The *men* have proved too heavy for the D.

Mr. Highee, the most popular landlord Omaha ever had, has been in the city two or three days. He has an eye on Murphy's new hotel building.

Mr. Hallowell informs us that the foundations for the Railroad Machine shops will be completed by the middle of the comeing week. The timbers are all ready to put together.

The steamer Sully was snagged and sunk thirty miles below St. Joseph on the 22d. She was on her way from St. Louis to Omaha. She was valued at $15,000, and insured for $10,000.

The present indications are that the Sioux City & Columbus Railroad will secure the benefits of the act passed by the State Legislature last winter, by constructing ten miles of road prior to the 15th of February next.

The St. Joseph *Herald* has an extended account of a man whose name is supposed to be William Duncan, having been found dead in a room in that city, on Wednesday, and his person horribly mutilated by rats. The room was in good order and neat and clean, and circumstances point to the fact that he died of intemperance and exposure.

We learn from Mr. Wilcox, Agent of the Great Western Telegraph Company, that he is meeting with great success in our city. He has nearly enough stock subscribed to guarantee the building of the line west from this city. We feel almost certain of its early construction, and the consequent decrease in the price of telegraphing.

The Red Oak *Express* says:—"The B. & M. R. R. is rapidly approaching. The track is laid within 2 or 3 miles of this place, and it was expected that a construction train would be in this evening. Some unlooked for obstacles have presented themselves, which occasion a delay of a few days, but then we may look with certainty for the advent of the cars by the middle of next week."

An attempt was made on Tuesday night of this week to poison the inmates of a house of ill fame in Omaha. The wine of which they were partaking was drugged, and every one of them had partaken freely before it was discovered. A physician was called, and emetics administered, thus saving the lives of all who had partaken of the poison. It was unknown who poisoned the wine, but the authorities are hunting up the case.

The Omaha *Herald* got badly sold recently by a "bit of a wag" who gave their reporter material for a sensation article. It may have been fun for the wag, but it is rather an unjust and dangerous way of getting at a little fun.—Newspaper reporters are like other people—they are compelled to gather news from different parties, and if they are imposed upon, it is the man who lies to them that is at fault if an incorrect statement is published. If men would always tell the truth to reporters there would be less complaint of misstatements being published.

From Monday's Daily.

Gov. Butler has issued his proclamation setting forth the 18th of November as a day of Thanksgiving.

Contractor Fitzgerald arrived from the West yesterday. He has been out as far as Salt Lake.

Judge Mason has adjournnd the District Court for Richardson county until Monday November 22d.

Our dispatches announce that Gen. Grant favors an extra session of our Legislature for the purpose of adopting the 15th amendment.

De Forest Porter, formerly of this city, has been appointed Assistant Assessor for the sub-district in which Brownville is situated.

W. D. Blackburn has retired from the Nemaha *Journal*, and W. S. Stretch now becomes sole editor and proprietor.

A letter from Col. Irish, says that fruits and flowers abound in Saxony.—He says he can see more in one hour there than he ever saw before in his life.

We notice some large timbers at the Railroad landing. They are sixty feet in length, and about twenty inches square. They look huge in this prairie country.

E. A. WIGGENHORN. D. SCHNASSE.

GREAT RUSH! LARGE CROWDS!!

Everybody, and more too, are going to

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Are now on exhibition at the New York Store, at greatly reduced prices. We call particular attention to our new styles of

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BROWN SHEETING,
BLEACHED COTTONS,
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CLARK'S NEW THREAD,
COTTON YARNS, BOOTS AND SHOES

of all kinds and prices to suit our numerous customers. A large stock of

GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
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HATS AND CAPS,

We have a large stock of the celebrated GARDEN CITY GLIPPER PLOW, STUBBLE and BREAKING PLOWS, and all kinds of CULTIVATORS, REAPERS, SEEDERS, HAY RAKES, &C.

Plattsmouth, April 22d, 1869.] E. A. WIGGENHORN & CO.

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A LARGE STOCK OF

Dry Goods, Groceries, Clothing,

FURNISHING GOODS,

HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES

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HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID

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Kinds of Country Produce.

John Fitzgerald.

Plattsmouth, Nebraska, August 5th, 1869.

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Plattsmouth, - - - Neb.,

We have an extensive general stock of Goods that we are constantly assorting up, which we offer to the public at prices that we know must give entire satisfaction.

We purchase the very best Goods at the head of Market and strictly for cash, and are prepared to compete with the trade at any point on the Missouri river.

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E. T. DUKE & CO.,

Wholesale and Retail dealers in

Hardware and Agricultural Implements,

STOVES, TIN, SHEET IRON, BRASS,

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STEEL PLOWS

Of all kinds and sizes, which we warrant the best in the market.

JOB WORK!

Tin Roofing, Gutters and Spouting Done on Short Notice.

Are exclusive Agents in this county for the sale of

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Give us a call—we will not be undersold—Main street, next door east of the Masonic Block,

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INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, - - - - $500,000.00

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ALL POLICIES NON-FORFEITING.

Dividends on the Contribution Plan,

Securing the Greatest Pecuniary Advantage to the Policy Holders.

REASONS FOR INSURING IN THIS COMPANY:

1st. This is a Western Company, managed by Western men, whose known finanancial character, ability and position, afford ample guaranty for its careful and successful management.

2d. Its Polices are all **non-forfeiting.**

3d. Premium all **cash.** It receives no notes and gives none. Policy holders have no interest to pay, and no outstanding notes as liens upon their policies,

4th. Dividends and losses are paid in cash.

5th. It insures at lower rates than any Eastern company.

6th. Its risks are in the West, where the rate of mortality is lower and the rate of interest higher than in the East; hence the accumulation of dividends to the policy holder is greater than in any Eastern Company.

7th. It has no restriction upon travel.

8th. Its dividends are made upon the contribution plan.

9th. Its business is exclusively life insurance.

DIVIDENDS

Are the accumulations of interest upon premiums paid, hence the Company that loans its assets at the highest rate of interest can give you the largest dividends. Eastern companies invest their moneys at 6 per cent., while this makes its investments at twelve per cent. or more.

☞The advantage of Western investments to the policy holder appears in the following startling figures: The amount of $1,000, invested for fifty years at

6 per cent. compound interest, is		$ 18,420.14
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H. D. Mackay, President,
E. Henseley, Vice-President,
Geo. A. Moore, Secretary,
E. W. Eaves, Treasurer,
D. M. Swan, General Agent.
J. L. Wever, M. D., Consulting Physician.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

H. D. Mackay, George R. Hines, E. Henseley, H. Edgerton, D. W. Eaves.

This Company Insures at lower rates than any Eastern Company.

AUDITOR OF STATE OFFICE.
TOPEKA, KANSAS, February 26th, 1869.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENCE: That I, A. THOMAN, Auditor of the State of Kansas, do hereby certify that the

Missouri Valley Life Insurance Company,

organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Kansas and Missouri, has furnished the undersighed satisfactory evidence that it has invested One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars of its capital in United States Government Bonds, of the denomination of Five-Twenties (5-20s) and are possessed of the same. And I do further certify that said Company has set apart One Hundred Thousand Dollars of said United States Bonds for the benefit of ALL POLICY HOLDERS of said Company; and that I hold in trust and on deposit for the benefit of said policy holders the security above mentioned, and I am satisfied that such securities are worth One Hundred Thousand Dollars lawful money of the United States of America.

In witness where I have hereunto subscribed my name, and caused the seal of my office to be affixed, the day and year above written.

{Seal of Auditor of State.} A. THOMAN, Auditor of State of Kansas.

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY TO DO BUSINESS.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF THE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT OF MISSOURI.

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED, That the Missouri Valley Life Insurance Company, a Life Assurance Company, organized under the laws of the State of Kansas, and its principal office located at the city of Leavenworth, has complied with the requirements of the thirtieth, thirty-first, thirty-second, thirty-third and thirty-fourth sections of an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, entitled "An act for the incorporation and regulation of Life Assurance Companies," approved March 10th, A. D. 1869, so far as the said requirements are applicable thereto. And pursuant to the thirty-sixth section of said Act, the said Missouri Valley Life Insurance Company is hereby authorized to do business as a Life Assurance Company within the said State of Missouri, subject to the several provisions and requirements of the Act aforesaid, until the first day of February, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and seventy.

In testimony whereof, I, WYLLYS KING, undersigned, Superintendent of the Insurance Department of said State of Missouri, have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal of office, at the city of St. Louis, Missouri, this 20th day of July, A. D. 1869. (Signed) WYLLYS KING,

{Seal of Insurance Department of State of Missouri.} Superintendent of the Insurance Department of the State of Missouri.

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY.

(To expire on the 31st day of January, 1870.)

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF STATE AUDITOR,
LINCOLN, Nebraska, April 1, 1869.

WHEREAS, Abram B. Covalt, State Agent for the Missouri Valley Life Insurance Company, located at Leavenworth, Kansas, has filed in this office a copy of the Act of Incorporation of said Company, and a statement under oath, showing its condition, as required by the fifth section of a law of the State of Nebraska, entitled "An Act in Relation to Insurance Companies," approved February 15th, 1864; approved February 12th, 1866; and whereas, said Company has furnished the undersigned satisfactory evidence that it is possessed of

Five Hundred Thousand Dollars

of actual capital, invested in the stocks of at least par value, of in bonds or mortgages on real estate worth double the amount for which the same is mortgaged; and whereas, said Company has filed in this office a written instrument, under the seal of the Company, signed by the President and Secretary thereof, authorizing the said Abram B. Covalt to acknowledge service of process for and in behalf of said Company, consenting that service of process upon him shall be taken and held to be as valid as if served upon the Company, according to the laws of this State or any other State, and waiving all claims of error by reason of such service; and whereas, Abram B. Covalt has furnished satisfactory evidence that he is the authorized Agent of said Company.

Therefore be it known by these presents, that in pursuance of the aforesaid Act, I, John Gillespie, Auditor of the State of Nebraska, do hereby certify that Abram B. Covalt, Esq., has full authority to act 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 appointment as such agent, and by the laws of this State, until the 31st day of January, A. D. 1870.

In witness whereof, I have subscribed my name, and caused the Seal of the Auditor's office to be affixed this 1st day of April, A. D. 1869. [L. S.] JOHN GILLESPIE, State Auditor.

GOOD TRAVELING SOLICITORS WANTED.

A. B. COVALT,

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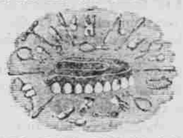

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And dealer in all kinds of

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Repairing and Varnishing neatly done.

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A GOOD CHANCE

FOR A

GOOD BARGAIN!

Having completed the platting and recording of my (DUKE'S) Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, I am now prepared to sell

400 LOTS

in the Addition at reasonable rates. Terms are one half cash down; the other half payable in one year, at ten per cent. interest per annum from date of purchase until paid. To be secured by mortgage on the property.

S. DUKE.

Donation to Churches.

I will give to the following religious denominations, viz:

To the Baptist Church, lot 12 in block 27;
To the Congregational Church, lot 20 in block 28;
To the Methodist Church, lot 1 in block 12;
To the Catholic Church, lot 6 in block 20;
To the Episcopal Church, lot 12 in block 19;
To the Presbyterian Church, lot 1 in block 21;
To the Christian Church lot 12 in block 5;
To the Lutheran Church lot 1 in block 23;

in my Addition to the City of Plattsmouth, upon the following conditions, viz: That they shall erect on said lots, as above donated, a suitable building for public worship, within five years from this date; and, in case of failure on the part of said Church or Churches to comply with above condition, then and in that case the lot or lots shall revert to me.

S. DUKE.

Donation to Public Schools.

I hereby donate for the use of Public District Schools, Lot 10 in Block 6, on the north side of Main street, and Lot 10 in Block 22, on the south side of Main street, in my addition to the City of Plattsmouth. S. DUKE.

5,000 Acres of Land for Sale

in this county. Also, Houses and Lots in this city, at low prices.

Particular attention given to the buying and selling of real estate, examining titles, and paying taxes for non-residents. S. DUKE,
Real Estate Agent.

Lot for Ten Dollars.

I will sell to parties desirous of building and improving, any of the lots in the subjoined list in my addition to Plattsmouth, at ten dollars per lot, under the following conditions, viz:

The person purchasing will be required to build on the lot purchased a dwelling house of the following dimensions, to-wit: The house to be not less than 14x24 feet, with story not lower than 8 feet. The frame must be good and substantial; house well shingled; foundation either of brick or stone. There must be a kitchen, of not less than 10x14. Building must be completed on or before January 1st, 1870. Will give a bond for a deed to the party who buys as soon as purchase is made, and upon complying with the above conditions, will give a good and sufficient Warranty Deed.

Selections may be made from the accompanying list;

Lots 3 and 8 in block 3; Lot 8 in block 4; Lot 14 in block 12; Lot 9 in block 18; Lot 12 in block 20; Lots 2, 9 and 14 in block 21; Lot 8 in block 22; Lots 2 and 8 in block 23; Lots 3 and 11 in block 26; Lot 5 in block 27; Lots 15 and 17 in block 28; Lots 4 and 7 in block 29; Lot 2 in block 30.

S. DUKE.

Plattsmouth, Aug.26tf. Office in Court House

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For further particular enquire of or address

GEO. W. COLVIN,
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READ

The following from the CINCINNATI TIMES, one of the most reliable newspapers in the United States. What can be more convincing?

HOME TESTIMONY.

THE CINCINNATI DAILY TIMES of March 21, 1861, says:

The Scandinavian remedies appear to be growing in favor with the public, if we may judge by the testimonials constantly received by the proprietor. A letter from Wisconsin, to be found in our advertising columns, announce that among the physicians of the locality it is becoming very popular, and what is very unusual, is being adopted by them in their practice, as a cure for many diseases which they can not treat effectually in any other way. We understand that the immense trade carried on for several years in these medicines has during the present year nearly doubled.

Their process of operation is by a thorough purification of the blood, and a consequent eradication of disease.

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FACTORYVILLE,

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FIVE THOUSAND BUSHELS OF

Good Wheat Wanted.

Exchange of Flour for Wheat as usual.

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OF FACTORYVILLE, ON THE WEEPING WATER,

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from New York, which are offered at the lowest price for cash, or in exchange for produce of all kinds.

Golden Syrup for $1 per ga.

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The only complete Knitter in use. Will knit anything from a

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Can be seen at Clark & Plummer's Dry Goods Store. Respectfully R. HEISER, Ag't.