Nebraska Herald.

PLATTSMOUTH NEBRASKA.

THURSDAY, FEB. 9. 1871.

Do not forgot that Wm. Stadelmann is determined to close up his business by the first of May, and is selling goods at eastern wholesale prices feb7d&w1t

Already we hear of several new buildings to be erected as soon as the spring opens, and the prospects are that building will be pushed rapidly during the coming season.

The Omaha *Herald* is particularly savage on the Otoe delegation of Democrats, and accuses them of selling out to Butler. It advises them to resign and go home, and tells them they will never again be heard of in this State.

A petition has been circulated, and generally signed in our city, asking the Legislature to authorize the deeding of the present City Park grounds to the School District for school purpose. The grounds are situated on Main street, near the summit of the hill, and are admirably located for school purposes.

Billy Cunningham was brought before Judge Child, to-day, on the charge of larceny, in the stealing of a sack of flour, last evening, from the store of Burrows & Co. The prosecution failed to prove the stealing to the satisfaction of the Judge, and Billy was discharged.

A State exchange asks how they shall induce people to come to their town and settle. We can tell it. The first and great thing—in fact the *essential* thing—is to get up a live paper, advertise your locality, tell all the good things you have and work for more; always advocate every measure of public benefit—in fact, *advertise*—make a noise in the world.—In fact, take the HERALD as a guide.

Heartless men are constantly laughing at the ladies for wearing haystacks (so-called) on the back of their heads; but this morning one of those things proved a great blessing to a lady of this city. She tipped and fell against a hot stove, and the chignon proved a perfect "buffer" and saved her from harm.

No bill relative to the Penitentiary Building Fund has yet been originated, and the *Journal* says that unless something is done to place the Penitentiary fund warrants on a better basis the Gov. will be compelled to pardon all the criminals in the State now sentenced to Penitentiary.

The rip-rap work along the river bank has now reached a heighth which renders the bank comparatively safe against the early rise in the river, and it is the intention to have it completed above high water mark before the June rise. This single job of work has put more money in circulation in this locality than all the business done in all the river towns between this city and St. Joseph.

It is asserted by the Omaha *Herald* correspondent that Brock testified that Butler said to him, "For God's sake do not admit that I received any money from Tichenor," while the *Republican* has it that the Governor said, "For God's sake do not admit that *you* have received any money from Tichenor." Who can tell us the right, as it makes quite a difference.

We were astonished to see the business that Stadelmann was doing, but found out the reason was that he is selling at wholesale prices. feb7d&w1t

A petition signed by a large number of citizens was presented before the County Commissioners to-day, asking at division of Rock Bluffs, Mt. Pleasant and Eight Mile Grove Precincts, and the formation of a new precinct. There is also presented a remonstrance signed by a large number of voters of Rock Bluffs precinct.

The Brownville *Democrat* cries "More Whitewash" in consequence of the voting down of the impeachment resolution. We hope the *Democrat* will not lose sight of the fact, as it goes along howling, that every democrat but two in the House voted against the resolution for impeachment. We are not finding fault with those men for voting as they deemed best, but when "whitewash" is the cry it must not be forgotten who used the brush.

The Omaha *Herald* is applying the lash to the tender parts of the Democracy of Nebraska. Hear it:

"Let no true Democrat be either deluded or discouraged by the course of the political Hessians who are seeking to destroy the Democratic organization in this State. They may hold sway for the time, but honest Democratic instincts will correct the wrongs that are being done by these men, and all will be well in coming time."

At the general meeting of the St. John's Benevolent and Literary Society held February 5th, the following officers were installed for the next term:

P. B. MURPHY. President.
L. MISKELLA, Vice Pres.
J. A. THOMAS, Sec'y.
M. FOGERTY, Ass't Sec'y.
H. BONDS, Messenger.

A correspondent writing from Lincoln thus describes the reception given by the Governor in the capitol.

An excellent band of music was in attendance, and dancing was kept up with spirit until a late hour. In one set we saw an assistant mason, a blacksmith, a preacher, and a United States Senator, tripping together that peculiar kind of a toe called "light fantastic." With the natural bashfulness of newspaper men, we failed to make the acquaintance of the fair portion of the assembly, and cannot, therefore, particularize. Indeed, this would be difficult, where all were so gracefully beautiful."

The *Land Owner*, for February contains a Cartoon and descriptive article of Plattsmouth.

Spurgeon thinks some ministers would make good martyrs—they are so dry they would burn well.

"INJUN MEAL"

Is the title of the lecture to be given by the "Fat Contributor" on the evening of the 14th. Prepare for a hearty laugh.

A HANDSOME COMPLIMENT.

That was a hadsome and deserved compliment by Prof. Behr to our young musical prodigy when he said that Miss. Lillie Simpson, of this city, was the best pianist in the west. Coming from a man like Prof. Behr this is no unmeaning compliment, but one which comes from a conviction of its justice.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

The bill providing for a constitutional convention has passed the house. Its main features are that one member shall be elected from each representative district, as they shall hereafter be apportioned, giving 39 members of the convention. The time fixed for the meeting of the convention is the first Tuesday in May, the election taking place on the first Tuesday in April. The per diem and mileage is same as that of members of the Legislature.

An amendment providing for thirteen additional members, to be elected a large, was defeated by a small majority.

ANOTHER CIVILIZER.

We learn from Samuel May, Esq., that the good people of Stove Creek—school district No. 51—have succeeded, after various efforts, in erecting a fine school house. It is built of pine lumber, is 20x26 feet, and every dollar of the work was donated by the people of the district. It is located on the south-east corner of Mr. May's farm. School was commenced Monday, with an attendance of thirty-five scholars. All praise to the liberty loving people of Stove creek.

A FRIGHTFUL LEAP.

A Man Jumps from a Railroad Car while under full Headway.

From a gentleman who arrived in the city this morning, via the C. B. & St. Joe Railroad, we learn that when the train was near Forest City last night, a German, who was under the influence of liquor, leaped from the car while the train was under full headway. The train checked as soon as possible, and backed up until the unfortunate and foolish man was found. He had literally crushed one arm to atoms, it being broken in no less than four different places, besides being otherwise injured.

R. R. IN LIBERTY.

We have received no proceedings from the R. R. meeting held at Van Horn's School House last Saturday, but learn, incidently, that the majority of the meeting was opposed to submitting a proposition for voting bonds in that precinct, in accordance of Mr. Joy's proposition, and resolutions to that effect were passed. Whatever our idea may be of the financial view taken by the people of Liberty, we certainly think they should oppose the giving of aid to secure the cohstruction of this road unless they are thoroughly convinced that the road would more than compensate them for the expense under Mr. Joy's proposition. The probabilities are that Liberty precinct will not vote any aid.

—Since the above was in type we have received the proceedings of the meeting which are herewith published.

GONE UP.

The committees appointed by the people of Plattsmouth and Rock Bluffs precinct held a meeting yesterday morning and unanimously agreed as the representatives of the people of these precincts, to ask the county commissions to submit a proposition in substance as follows:

To vote, in acceptance of Mr. Joy's proposition to build the St. Louis & Nebraska Trunk Railroad, on the question of issuing $100,000 in county bonds, $30,000 in Plattsmouth precinct, and $20,000 in Rock Bluffs precinct bonds. This proposition was unanimously agreed upon by the different committees, and was laid before the commissioners in the form of a petition. The commissioners declined to grant the prayer of the petition, and refused to submit the proposition. This would seem to end the Trunk R. R. project, for the present, at least.

FIRE AT VIRGINIA CITY.

Two Lives Lost.

A distructive fire occured at Virginia City, Nevada, Friday morning, Feb. 2d. A dispatch says the fire crossed S street and swept two-thirds of the east side o that street from Ucion to Sutton avenue At one time McSay's stable, corner of E and Union street, was on fire, and the tearing down of the building was commenced to save others. Piper's Opera House, by the superhuman exertions of the firemen, was saved. Along D street on the east and west side, the destruction was sweeping. Loss and insurance not yet ascertained. Pat Lyons and a boot black known as Snorkey, were burned in Mrs. Sherman's house. They were sleeping there, and were not awakened in time to make their escape.

AN ACADEMY.

We hear it talked that Prof. d'Allemand will soon commence the erection, in this city, of a fine Academy Building. We hope he may do so, for there is no kind of doubt that we need something of the kind, and that it will pay well for the outlay. Naomi Institute, at Rock Bluffs, is the only building in the county dedicated to educational purposes, aside from the district school houses. Let us have the d'Allemand Academy building, by all means. Let every citizen encourage this enterprise, and we will have it. The Prof. has already a school of over fifty pupils, and he must have a larger room or he will be compelled to advertise that no more pupils can be accommodated.

John Abercrombie has been appointed and confirmed Surveyor of Customs at Burlington, Iowa.

BOLD ROBBERY.

A Whole Drove of Cattle Stolen.

Some four weeks ago Mr. Z. Buckingingham, a wealthy farmer living about eight miles south from Glenwood, Mills county, Iowa, missed a lot of cattle which were being pastured in a stalk field; and on inquiry he learned that three men had been seen driving them toward this city, having taken them from the field in broad day light. He tracked them to this place, and learned that they had been crossed to this side of the river and driven through the city and thence westward. Through the assistance of A. B. Taylor, Esq., an extensive stock breeder and dealer of this county, and one of the earliest settlers of the State, he got track of them on this side, and finally found where the cattle had been sold to a gentleman named Covey, near Lincoln. Mr. Buckingham and Mr Taylor passed through the city Saturday evening with the cattle. We have not learned whether or not they have any clue to the thieves.

THE SCHOOL FUND.

The news from Lincoln during the past ten days leaves little doubt in the mind of any sane man that the school fund has been handled in a manner highly inproper, and that at least a portion of it will never again see the inside of the State Treasury, nor will it ever be of any benefit to the common schools of the State. Whether or no David Butler, Thos. Kennard, James Sweet, N. C. Brock, "Honest John" or "any other man," has been guilty of "high crimes and misdemeanors" in the handling of this fund, we leave for the present to be determined by the Investigation Committee (and the people will hold that committeo to a strict accountability for what they may do). What is of far more importance the people of this State than any or all of these individuals, is the School Fund itself, or whatever may be available of it, and we "suggest" (in the language of one of Nebraska's eminent Statesmen) that this session of the Legislature should not pass over without some action being taken to place this fund beyond the reach of those who would squander it either through design or lack of financial ability. Let a law be passed calling in what is out as soon as possible, and let no dollar of it hereafter be loaned on bond and mortgages, but let every cent of it be invested in U. S. and State securities. Could the money be handled without loss to the State by loaning it in the counties, we should much prefer that way; but as it is, we certainly think our legislators should take no chances upon any method where temptation to speculate is thrown out, but should at once provide for the investment in undoubted securities. They will do the State and the educational interests of the State greater good by providing for the safety of the School Fund in future than by attempting to hunt up any that may have been lost.

"THE YOUNG MEN OF THE AGE."

The above is the title to a very interesting and instructive lecture which we had the pleasure of heaning last evening at Naomi Institute, Rock Bluffs, by our fellow townsman, Geo. S. Smith. Mr. Smith is an earnest speaker, and holds his audience like a master mind. The subject was well chosen for the occasion—the lecture being for the especial benefit of the pupils of Naomi—and was handled very thoroughly by the lecturer. One of the important themes upon which he treated was that the "young men of the age," and especially those who were attending Naomi Institute, were preparing themselves for the active duties of life, and that it was all important to themsalves and to the community generally, that the preparation be thorough and of the proper kind; for as the pupil rated in the school, so would he, in all probability, rate in the outer world when he came out from the school room to battle with the social evils and business realities of life. Mr. Smith spoke in eloquent terms of the Institute and of the self-sacrificing principal—Prof. Patterson—and he earnestly urged, not only upon the pupils and their parents, but people generally of the locality, the great importance of properly supporting Prof. Patterson in his efforts to build up an institution of learning at Rock Bluffs which will some day be looked upon as one of the grandest institutions of our State, and perhaps of the west. He cited the humble origin of Harvard University—"Old Harvard," as it is called—and told them Naomi might yet ocupy as proud a position before the intellectual world as does "Old Harvard" of to-day. But little notice had been given of the lecture, yet the hall was well filled with eager listeners, embracing gray headed men and children who have not reached beyond the primary department, all of whom seemed deeply interested in every word that fell from the speaker's lips. The fair sex was well represented, and assisted in furnishing the audience with some excellent vocal music, both before and after the lecture. A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Smith by the audience, and it was announced by Prof. Patterson that other lectures would follow this one, and that an effort would be made to make this an important feature of the Institute. We shall take occasion, soon, to speak of this institution of learning more minutely than heretofore, for we look upon it as one of the things of which every citizen of the State should be proud.

Mr. A. H. Buell succeeds Dr. Brooke in editing and publishing the Rulo *Register*.

The "Russians," at the Y. M. C. A. Hall to night will be one of the features of the season. Gentlemen in our city who have heard them say they have no superiors before the public.

Tickets to the "Fat Contributors" lecture, on the evening of the 14th, can be had at the Post Office.

Tickets to the Fair and Festival, for this evening will be only 25cts.

THE GRAND OPENING.

A FULL HOUSE AND A HAPPY TIME.

A Perfect Feast of Music.

At an early hour last evening the people began to assemble at the new Hall, and before the hour arrived for commencing the evening's entertainment there were at least a thousand people within the Hall. The hall is 48 x 80 feet and 20 feet in height, and is finished in a style not surpassed in the West.—The stage and scenery occupy about ten feet off the south end. The Hall was lighted up by three elegant chandeliers holding two dozen lamps, and the stage was lighted by three single lamps. The evenings entertainment commenced with the "Venus Waltz," by the Johnson Bro.'s Band; and right here let us say that the universal sentiment was that this band has no superior west of the Missouri, in which sentiment we fully concur. Next came the oration by Hon. J. B. J. Ryan, of Omaha. His subject was entitled "Shamrock Leaves," and consisted mainly in a fine tribute to liberty loving Irishmen, and demonstrating by passing events, that the day of Ireland's liberation is not far distant. The speaker was frequently applauded by the enthusiastic audience. Next came the musical entertainment; and of this we would like to speak in detail, but the great number of pieces executed, and songs sung that were not on the published programme renders it impossible to do so. The audience are largely indebted to the kindness of Prof. Behr, of St. Joseph, Mrs. O'Neil, Miss Anna Murphy and Miss Johanna O'Connor, of Council Bluffs, and the Misses Agnes and Mary McGinn, of Omaha, who assisted in the entertainment Mrs. O'Neil's "Ave Maria" and "Thou art so near, and yet so far," were rendered with a power and pathos not often heard except from singers of great renown. Miss Annie Murphy, and Miss Johanna O'Connor each sang in a manner highly creditable, as also did the Misses McGinn, and they will long be gratefully remembered by the audience assembled in the Hall last evening. Prof. Behrs talent as a pianist and his great familiarity with concerts of this kind rendered him invaluable to the success of the entertainment. Of our home talent connected with the concert we are unable to speak in terms of sufficient praise. They far surpassed, in point of excellence, the hopes of their warmest friends and most enthusiastic admirers: Miss Ella Crocker was suffering from a severe affliction of the throat, yet her "Shepperd and Cuckoo" Solo was given in a way to effectually demonstrate, (if any further demonstration were needed before a Plattsmouth audience) that she has few equals aside from professional singers. Misses Lillie Simpson, Carrie Schlater, Nettie and Katie Johnson, gave the "Riding in a Sleigh" in a superior manner. They will soon be equal to the best and even now show an understanding of music which many person of more mature years might well be proud of. The duet by the Misses Maggie and Jennie Robertson, entitled "What are you crying for, Nellie," brought down the house. It was executed to the life, and created a perfect furore of applause. In the line of instrumental music, the crowning effort of the evening was, undoubtedly 'The March of Tauhenseo," by miss Lillie Simpson, It is one of the most difficult pieces written, and is rarely attempted except by Professors of renown. It was executed by Miss Lillie with all ease imaginable, and convinced the audience that Prof. Behr was not mistaken when he said she was the finest pianist in the West Taken all together the concert was a brilliant affair, and did honor to the occasion and the participants. At the close of the Concert supper was announced; and while the throng was refreshing the inner man the floor managers were busy removing seats and preparing for the "light fantastic" part of the programme. The hall will be open to-night and to-morrow night, during which time a perfect round of pleasure is anticipated.

A Beautiful Idea.

Away among the Alleghanies there is a spring so small that a single ox in a summer's day could drain it dry. It steals its way among the hills till it spreads out into the beautiful Ohio.—Thence it stretches away a thousand miles, leaving on its banks over a hundred villages and cities and many a cultivated farm, and bearing half a thousand steamboats. Then joining the Misisissippi, it stretched away and away some twelve hundred miles more till it falls into the emblems of eternity. It is one of the tributaries of the ocean, obedient only to God, and shall roll and roar till the angel with one foot on the sea and the other on the land shall lift up his hand and swear that time shall be no longer. So with moral influence. It is a rill—a rivulet—a river—an ocean—and is boundless and fathomless eternity.

AT NIGHT.—Here is one of Thackerary's pleasant touches:

"It is night now: and here is home. Gathered under the quiet roof, elders and children lie alike at rest. In the midst of a great peace and calm, the stars look on from heaven. The scene is peopled with the past: sorrowful remorses for sins and short comings, memories of passionate joys and griefs raise out of their graves, but not alike calm. Eyes, as I shut mine, look at me that have long ceased to shine.

The farmer who has raised produce for a distant market is limited to a few articles, such as wheat, corn, rye, etc., which greatly exhaust the soil—while he who has a market near at home, can cultivate almost any product for which his soil and climate are adapted, and can have a thorough rotation of crops, so necessary to preserve the vitality of the soil.

A BEAUTIFUL SENTIMENT.—We have not for a long time seen a more beautiful sentiment than that by James Russell Lowell, where he says: "I am satisfied that I am on the right path so long as I can see anything to make me happier, anything to make me love man, and therefore God, the more. God is not far from that heart to which man is near."

THE KIDNAPPING CASE.

Full Particulars of the Affair.

The kidnapping case, of which we made mention last evening, occurred at Weeping Water Falls, where it has created no little excitement. As the matter is to undergo legal investigation we refrain from any comment, and shall only state the facts as they appear to be generally conceded. Some years ago, Mr. Lewis Barrows and his wife separated, and were divorced. He is a Baptist minister, and resides at Percival, Iowa. His former wife lives at Davenport, Iowa, and is reported to be living in adultery with a man named A. K. Gould. They had two daughters, named Louisa and Inez, now aged respectively 17 and 15 years. The daughters were given to the care of the father, who sent them to Weeping Water to reside with an uncle, named Simon Barrows, a Congregational preacher. It would seem that the mother was anxious to have the girls with her, and that such was their desire, but the father was opposed to the arrangement, and sent them to Weeping Water with a view to keeping them away from their mother, and influences surrounding her.

The girls have lived with their Uncle since last November. Not long since Mr. L. F. Reed, the P. M. at Lincoln, received a letter from the man Gould making him liberal offers if he would see to getting the girls aboard the cars at this city—which of course Mr. Reed did not see proper to accept. A few days ago a letter came directed to the girls, which the Uncle thought proper to examine himself, his suspicions having been arroused by the letter to the Postmaster. This letter seems to have detailed a plan for the escape of the girls It stated that at about 11 o'clock on Sunday a carriage would drive to the house (after the family had gone to church) and that a gentleman would present a card with the name of A. K. Gould thereon, whereupon the girls were to immediately get into the carriage and flee. This letter was kept from the girls, a warrant was issued, and the good people of Weeping Water patiently awaited the arrival of the Sabbath and the gentleman in the carriage. Sunday came, so did 11 o'clock, so did this strange gentleman in the carriage (procured at the famed livery stable of J. W. Shannon, and you know that he keeps the best of rigs,—just such as would be likely to entice any young girl to ride). The girls had gone to church (not having received the letter), and the stranger went thither and sought an interview. He met the eldest girl, presented her the card with the name of Gould thereon, but she did not seem to comprehend. About this time the constable who was in waiting and watching developments, stepped up to the strange gentleman and arrested him in the name of the law, for attempting to kidnap the girls. He was taken before Esquire Jenks, where he waived an examination, admitting that he came for the girls, but denying any attempt to kidnap them. He was brought to this city and lodged in jail, in default of $1,500 bail. He was brought before Judge Child, this morning, on a writ of *habeas corpus*, but the hearing was postponed until to-morrow, to await the arrival of a transcript of proceedings before Esquire Jenks.

Trumps.

I have always noticed when an individual hain't got the ability to criticise judiciously he dams indiscriminately.

New York is fast a place. If a man pulls out on a funeral procession, just as like'y as not the whole procession, led by the herse too, will strike a 2:40 gait and leave him to take their dust.

Ambishun is like hunger—it obeys no law but its own appetite.

There is no medicine like a joke—it is a silver coated pill that frolics and physicks on the brain.

Beauty is a morning dream which the breakfast bell puts an end to.

The man who never makes enny blunders will never rise in the esteem of the world abov the reputation ov a good guideboard.

Making an entry of charitys on our worldly ledger is a sure way to have our whole account thrown out at the great judgment day.

I don't want enny better proof of a good hod carrier than to hear another hod carrier say, "He is a cussed phool and don't understand his business."

Poverty and riches are mere imaginative distinctions. The man who can eat his bread and be happy is certainly richer than he who can't eat unless it is spread with butter.

Fortune is like a mirror, it don't alter men, it only shows them as they are.

Dandys are hybred, a cross between a fashion plate and a taylor's bill.

Debt is a trap which a man sets and bates himself, and then deliberately gets into it.

One good way I know of to find happiness is not by boring a hole to fit the plug.

A lie is like nitro-glycerince, the best of judges can't tell when it is going to bust and skatter confusion.

A kicking cow never lets drive until just az the pail's full, and seldom misses the mark; it is just so with men's blunders.

As the flint contains the spark unknown to itself, which the steel alone can make into life, so adversity often reveals to us hidden gems which but for prosperity or negligence would forever lay hid.

Most people when they cum to you for advice, cum to have their own opinions strengthened, not corrected.

Men seem to me nowadays, to be divided into slow Christians and wide awake sinners.—*Josh Billings.*

GOOD LUCK.—Some young men talk about luck. Good luck is to get up at six o'clock in the morning. Good luck, if you only have a shilling a week, is to live on eleven pence, and save a penny. Good luck is to trouble yourself with your own, and let others' business alone. Good luck is, fulfill the commandments, and to do unto other people as we wish them to do unto us. We must plod and persevere. Pence must be taken care of because they are the seeds of guineas.—To 'get on in the world,' we must take care of home, sweep our own doorways clean, try to help other people, avoid temptations, and have truth and faith in God.

A Portsmouth N. H. firm just completed the contract for furnishing 200,000 pumkins, to be delivered at Portsmouth within the next 12 months. The purchasers propose to can them.

What Killed Artemus Ward.

I thought I ought not to conclude this article without letting the reader know why this bright and genial spirit is no longer here to add to the world's harmless amusement. Well, this is the reason:

Whenever he lecoured, whether in New England, California or London, there was sure to be a lot of young fellows to gather round him, and go home with him to his hotel, order supper, and spend half the night in telling stories and singing songs. To any man this will be fatal in time; but when a nightly carouse follows an evening's performance before an audience, and is succeeded by a railroad journey the next day, the waste of vitality is fearfully rapid. Five years of such a life finished poor Charles Browne. He died in London in 1867, aged thirty-three years, and he now lies buried at the home of his childhood in Neine.

He was not a deep drinker. He was not a man of strong appetites. It was the night wasted in conviviality, which his system needed for sleep that sent him to his grave forty years before his time. For men of his profession and cast of character, for all editors, literary men and artists, there is only one safety, that is tetotalism. He should have taken the advice of a stage driver on the plains to whom he once offered some whisky, and I commend it strongly to the countless hosts who see this paper every week:

"I don't drink! I won't drink! and I don't like to see anybody else drink. I am of the opinion of those mountains—keep your top cool. They've got snow, and I've got brains; that's all the difference."—*James Parton.*

The La Crosse Leader is responsible for the following:

"Not long since, while one of the river boats was taking on some live stock among the lot was one large gray mule, that refused to walk the staging. The mate sang out to a roustabout to 'twist his tail and he'd come.' A coroners jury decided that the man came to his death 'by obeying orders'"

Rev. Peter Stryker, D. D., Pastor of the North Broad Street Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, says of "Our Father's House": The same facinating style which characterizes the "Night Scenes" is apparent in "Our Father's House." Dr. March's publications are evangelic, practical and popular. Full of choice matter, and arrayed in the most beautiful garb, it is not surprising that the intelligent public, sick of the insipid literary which floods the country, are grasping, with avidity, these books. "Our Father's House" is food for the mind and the soul.

LETTER LIST.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the Post Office at Plattsmouth, Cass county. Nebraska.

LADIES' LIST.

Amsbery Mrs C.	Harley Miss Hannah
Bidwell Miss Ella	Myers Miss Alice
Barten Mrs Sarah	Mathews Mrs. Malinda
Craig Mrs L	Ogden Mrs Julia
Dean Mrs Mollie	Stephens Mrs M T 2
Ellsworth Miss Jessie	Wright Sarrah J

GENTLEMANS' LIST.

Anderson L	Keehler J L
Adams E H	Little Thomas
Adams J	Lonnam L
Benett James	Lampman L B
Blessington G W	Longs F
Babcock E D	Miller A T
Bell H W	McGlim Wm
Beardsleig G W	Maguire John
Beall J W	McCuise Edward
Brooks Paul	Miller A E
Beverage John	McCane G F
Beverage C N 2	Morris J C
Beverage G W 3	Osburne Henry
Cadwell J T	Odell G C 2
Chase E S	Peterson Olof
Chillbery Joseph	Patts J H 2
Conn J W	Patteo J W
Coburn A 2	Reed J L
Decker A	Simpson James
Donavon T	Smith Wm
Denniston G H	Simpson S.
Ellison H	Smith Dr D
Ely E J	Stephens J D
Filch James	Sendell J
Fowlen F M	Star M S
Gray Alex	Tuttle S
Graus C	Tumer Henry
Gaebel Chas	Trush Phillip
Gordon A W	Varner G
Hedges G E	Williams S
Hannon Wm	Wethers G B
Hamilton Oscar	Weiss Phil
Keogen M	Weaseintine J
Hanson W R	White C
Hays James	Young T T
Holbrook J G	

Persons calling for any of the above please say "advertised." J. W. MARSHALL, P. M.

Local Notice.

☞ Pimples and brown spots on the face, Eruptions, Blotches, Scrofulous diseases, and all sores arising from impure blood, are cured by Dr. Pierce's Alt Ext. or Golden Medical Discovery. As an Anti-Bilious, or Liver Medicine, and for habitual Constipations of the Bowels, it works wonderful cures. Sold by druggists. Pamphlets on the above diseases sent free.—Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

SOZODONT.—All denterifics had their drawbacks, until the salubrious bark of the soap Tree was brough from the Chilian valleys, to perfect the fragrant Sozodont, the most wholesome reliable and delightful article for the teeth, that a brush was ever dipped into.

"Spalding's Glue," always up to the sticking point.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned will please call, settle, and save further trouble.

WM. STADELMANN.

Plattsmouth January 30, 1871. jan30d2tw2t

HOME ILLS, SOUTH WEEPING WATER, CASS CO. NEB—This mill is in thorough repair. Two run of stone will grind wheat and corn on toll or exchange, as parties prefer.

WM. E. SHELDON, JR.
JAMES B. FOLDEN,
Jan. 5th—wtf. Lessees.

NOTICE—All accounts due us and unsettled by the 12th of February, 1871, will be placed in the hands of an officer for collection according to law.

jan9d 1m PRICE & MILLS

FOR SALE VERY CHEAP.—A farm of 160 acres, all fenced and 60 acres in cultivation; 8 miles from Plattsmouth, and 5 miles from Rock Bluffs. House and other improvements. Enquire of

jan 23—3m BARNES & POLLOCK.

Great bargains are to be had now at Doom Bro. & Co.'s, as they are going out of business and will close out cheap. Everybody give them a call, and get a cheap bill of goods. jan19tf

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January 12th—w5. J. H. BUTTERY.

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