

THURSDAY, JULY 27, 1871.

The H. & M. Surveyors are surveying a line from Crete southwest, along the Blue river valley.

The people of Richardson, Nemaha, and Oto counties are moving in the Trunk R. R. matter.

Waldo M. Potter, recently of the recent Omaha Republican, has purchased one-third interest in the Davenport Gazette for \$13,500, says a dispatch to the Chicago Times.

The article on Future Amendments, which we give in full to-day, is the only article of the new constitution yet adopted by the convention.

A thousand men and two hundred teams are at work on the west end of the Sioux City and St. Paul railroad.

The County Clerk of Richardson county has recently been impeached and removed from office. The charges were brought by the Treasurer, and the trial was had before the County Commissioners.

There seems to be a laudable rivalry existing between the editors of the Brownville papers as to who has the best voice for singing. Both are trying to "hire out" to the Baker Family.

The Blair Times says that a slight "ompleasness" has recently occurred between E. K. Valentine, of West Point Land office and E. M. Clark, in which revolvers were in demand. That was very naughty.

The Omaha Herald thinks that Mr. Holman, the new President of the Board of Immigration, will be Col. Van Arman of this city, who will be glad to redeem that body from the disgrace which it claims has fallen upon it.

The Brownville Democrat attempts to be facetious over a series of questions propounded by a gentleman who is getting up a book of biographical questions.—Perhaps that is the best method for the editor to avoid an exposition of his former life.

One of the manufacturing houses of this city shipped to-day a large number of fanning mills to Nebraska City, Brownville, and other down river towns.

H. L. R. Stiles, Esq., has purchased the stock of dry goods of White & Spiers, and has removed them to the east room of Mayor White's new building where he will sort them up and "open store." Look out for his big advertisement.

The landlady of the Galt House, Ottumwa, Iowa, recently ordered a female boarder to leave the premises, and assigned her in leaving by wasting a dozen raw eggs on her, at a cost of 15 cents. The boarder did not relish this treatment, entered complaint at the police court, and the irate landlady paid in \$16.70 towards educating the children of the county.

A. H. & G. Back are a "whole team" when they start in to accomplish anything. They propose to keep on hand, as everybody knows, a good supply of fruits, and in order to make a sure thing they have recently purchased the entire crop for this year of one of the largest orchards in the vicinity of Burlington, and have an agent there who ships them the products of the orchard each day.—Such enterprise is deserving of success. Call on them if you wish fresh fruit, at low prices.

We understand Mr. Estabrook thinks the constitutional convention will be able to get through their labors in about four months. Experience has his head (if it is large) filled with the "Warren Historical," which, we think we heard it remarked during the recent impeachment trial in our State "lasted seven years." We would remark "by way of explanation" that there is some difference in the "constituency."

There, now! Omaha should not find any more fault about that immigration pamphlet. Neleich, Bruner & Kipp have issued a "Guide to Nebraska, with map," which will certainly please our Omaha friends, as it will all mankind and the people of West Point. It is issued from the printing House of Redfield and looks nicely, and can be had by seekers after knowledge for the small price of 25 cents a copy; and if one copy does not satiate the desire, you can buy two for 25 cents each.

Illinois papers state that the venerable Peter Cartwright has probably preached his last sermon. He is now rapidly declining in health, at his home near Pleasant Plains, in Sangamon county. He is over 80 years of age and has spent more active years in the ministry than any man now living in the United States.

T. R. Cogwin, Esq., who purchased a large quantity of grain in our city last season, arrived in town last Saturday.—He will remain for a week or two, and probably longer.

Soda water is pronounced by chemists a "harmless beverage," and an exchange states that the person who drinks it will not beat his wife or steal spoons at the hotel table. An excellent quality of this beverage may be found at the drug store of J. H. Buttery, in this city.

Died, at Nebraska City, at 6 a. m., Monday July 24th, Louis Conrad, eldest son of J. D. and Jennie Lauer, aged two years and three months.

C. C. Despain, has sold out his street sprinkling and water hauling business and apparatus to Walter J. White, who took possession this morning and will continue the business.

Mr. W. D. Blackburn, of Brownville, who has lately been commissioned Immigration Agent for Nebraska, was in the city last night. Mr. Blackburn informs us that he expects to start east in a few days to travel through Ohio, Pennsylvania, and other eastern States, after which he will proceed to Europe.

When a pick-pocket pulls at your sleeve, tell him plainly that you have no time to spare.

WHY?
A democratic exchange asks "why should a man be a democrat?" and after wrestling with the conundrum for some time, endeavoring to find some apparently good reason, gives it up in disgust, and decides to take the "new departure" chute.

STATE BOARD OF IMMIGRATION.
At the meeting of the State Board of Immigration yesterday, the President, J. W. Pearson, and the Secretary resigned their respective positions, and Mr. Holman, of Lincoln, was elected President, and I. N. Taylor, of Columbus, was chosen Secretary.

BILL FLYNN ARRESTED.
Bill Flynn, who shot and killed Mulen, on School Creek, an account of which has already been given in the HERALD, was arrested in Council Bluffs, Thursday night, by Marshal Burghart, where he is now confined in jail awaiting a requisition from the Governor of Nebraska.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.
As Mr. Brewer, of Omaha, was hitching his horse into the carriage, this morning, at the residence of J. R. Porter, Esq., of this city, the horse became frightened, and ran, dislocating Mr. Brewer's shoulder. Himself and wife and a little child of Mr. Porter's were about to start for Omaha when the accident occurred.

DEDICATION.
The dedication ceremonies of the United Brethren Church near the residence of Hon. Samuel Maxwell, two and a half miles south of the city, will take place at 11 a. m., Sunday July 30th, Rev. Mr. Dixon, of Pennsylvania, officiating. This church has but recently been completed, is 30x40, and cost about \$2,000, mostly donated by the congregation.

While at Louisville yesterday, we had the pleasure of meeting Capt. J. T. A. Hoover. The Captain is one of our good men; is the merchant and postmaster at Louisville, has a splendid stone quarry and a force of hands working it, and is also engaged in farming. Mr. Hoover reports things in a flourishing condition in that vicinity. Also met Mr. E. Noyes, one of our thorough farmers, and had a few minutes conversation.—Mr. Noyes thinks that wheat and oats in that part of the county will be considerably short of a full crop; but corn, potatoes, etc., never looked better, and the probabilities are that the late storm did not injure crops near as much as was at first feared.

Did't the Brownville Democrat rather overshoot the mark when it attempted to write Prof. McKenzie down as an ass? The Prof. is reasonably well known in this State, and it will require a better man than Calhoun to make people believe he is not a gentleman. Better try something else, Mr. Democrat—you have evidently run your head against something too solid for you.

We find the following going the rounds of the press:
Mr. Colfax has written to a friend and states in his letter his irrevocable intention to retire from public life at the close of his present term of office. "It is not," he says, "that I am unambitious of serving my country, but a large part of my fortune is invested in my manufactory at South Bend, and I desire to give my time and energies to supervising the more extensive production of my recently patented congealed, cast iron dentifrice for the hair."

Mr. Colfax "is not unambitious of serving his country"—ergo, he is desirous of serving it. Should his innumerable admirers insist on his doing so, we opine there will be more cast-iron hair in certain promontories of these United States than any "patent congealed dentifrice" will ever make.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE.
At a meeting of Plattsmouth Lodge No. 6, A. F. & A. M., held at the Hall Sunday July 23d 1871, for the purpose of paying the last tribute of respect to a deceased brother, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the Universe in the dispensation of His Providence, to call from this life, after a lingering illness, our worthy and beloved Brother, James Murphy; and

WHEREAS, We deem it appropriate to express the sentiments of affection entertained for him by every member of this Order who enjoyed his acquaintance while living; and especially of the members of this Lodge, of which he was an esteemed member; therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Brother James Murphy we recognize that inscrutable Providence which, while it removes from us an esteemed brother, from the domestic circle a kind husband and father, and from society a good citizen and neighbor, admonishes us, not only of the uncertainty of human life, but of the utility of practical virtue, which he exhibited in his daily intercourse with the world, and in his attachment and devotion to the principles of his profession as a Mason.

Resolved, That as members of the Plattsmouth Lodge No. 6, we offer our condolence and sympathy to the bereaved family and friends of our deceased brother in this hour of their affliction.

Resolved, That the secretary be requested to furnish the family of the deceased with a copy of the foregoing resolutions, under the seal of the Lodge, and also, that a copy thereof be furnished to the local papers for publication.
H. D. HATHAWAY,
M. B. MURPHY,
A. R. G. ALLEMAN,) Committee.

The citizens of Nebraska City were so much interested in Dr. Bement's Lectures that they solicited him to remain another week, and he has consented to do so.

See the article on music teaching in today's paper. It is written by a person who is good authority upon music teaching and music matters generally.

THE EXCURSION.
Mr. J. R. Dilley's school (2d ward) having closed the spring term last Thursday, celebrated the event with an excursion yesterday over the B. & M. in Nebraska as far as Louisville. Very little notice had been given previously, and we were astonished at the number that turned out. Almost the entire school, which is considerably over one hundred, (and, by the way, the attendance has averaged over one hundred regularly for the entire term), accompanied by a large number of the parents and friends, marched down to the depot, at about half past nine, a. m. where a special coach was furnished for the party, but as one coach would not accommodate all who were anxious to go the over-land route, B. & M. officials issued half-price tickets, and allowed them the use of the regular through coaches. Some few minutes delay occurred, through what cause we are not sure, but think it was owing to the eastern mail being a little behind, but we were soon speeding away over the splendid track, at a rate that was truly exhilarating, to both old and young.

Arrived at Louisville Station, a distance of 19 miles from Plattsmouth, (which was run in about 30 minutes, including the stoppage at Omaha Junction) the special coach was switched off upon a side track and left. No programme for passing the time that we should remain here having been previously arranged, (the ride out and back being the principal object) the party broke up into squads as suited their several tastes or convenience, and repaired to the shades of the adjacent grove where the huge baskets were unpacked and all proceeded to enjoy a hearty repast in the primitive style.

We were unable to obtain an accurate count, but estimate that over 150 took part in the excursion. Our space will not permit of individual notices of the numerous ladies and gentlemen, nor can we attempt to notice the various amusing incidents, but will only say that all seemed to enjoy themselves, and the occasion will long be remembered with gratitude to Mr. Dilley and his able assistant Miss Gertrude Borders, by both pupils and parents. At 3 p. m. the down train came along, and the excursionists were soon whirling along toward Plattsmouth, where we arrived without any accident to mar the pleasures of the day, owing to watchful care and foresight of Mr. Dilley, who took the precaution to post a man at each door to prevent the little ones from getting on the platform during the passage both ways, and otherwise looking out for their comfort and welfare during the entire day.

ON PIANO, ORGAN, AND MUSIC TEACHING GENERALLY.
What an immense amount of money this branch of study costs, and yet there is not one-half the interest taken in it that there should be; for there is no study that is more elevating to humanity. But nine-tenths of the money paid for the study of this enabling science is squandered; because nine-tenths of the music teachers do not understand their business, or, if they do understand, they are more willing to work for present appearance than they are for the real good or benefit of their pupils. They commence drilling their pupils on music that is a dark, impenetrable blank. They drill and drum one lesson after another; talk and explain to their own satisfaction, but with their pupils everything is confusion. It is impossible for them to understand, let them be ever so bright, for there has been no beginning, and there will be no ending. With this kind of teaching the pupils will always be bound to the teachers. They have learned to go through with a few pieces under a fashion of their own, with no taste, no tune, and but very little time. When they want to learn new music they must have a teacher, because they have not learned the principles of music, nor, in fact, have they learned anything of this kind of teaching makes a good outside show. Most people think pupils of this class are progressing rapidly; but they are mistaken—they know no more about music than they did before they commenced, and a thorough teacher will always choose their pupils from those that have never struck a note, rather than accept any from this class. How different from all this is the proceeding of a thorough teacher, and how different the result. They commence with the simple exercises laid down by some good master, leading their pupils gently, but firmly, higher and higher, through a regular course of progression, never skipping over a lesson that is not thoroughly understood, explaining intelligently everything connected with it—relying wholly on their own judgment as to how much pressure their pupils can stand; and when they are competent to commence on music, letting no outside pressure deter them from their duty, however discouraging that may be.—Such teachers are a blessing to the world; and such pupils are (comparatively speaking) sound independent of their teachers.

REMOVED.
Bennett Bros. have removed their stock of Groceries, Fruits, etc., to May or White's new building, immediately opposite their old stand, where they are prepared to wait on customers and sell them anything in their line at reasonable figures. July 24th.

FOR RENT.—The basement under the Herald office. Inquire at this office, or of C. H. Parmelee. je21d1f

A country editor, upon receiving a very ragged twenty-five cent note, (that wouldn't pass for beer), for a wedding notice, became indignant, and appended the following toast to the publication: "Here's hoping the happy pair may skip down life's flowery path—a quarter's worth."

FOR SALE.—Two first-class Sewing Machines. Inquire at the Herald office. my24d1f

Nebraska State Fair will be held at Brownville, Sept. 26th, 27th, 28th and 29th, 1871. Liberal Premiums offered. Open to the World. For particulars address the President at Brownville or the Secretary at Plattsmouth. All papers in the State friendly to the Society, will please copy. d&wtf

A. H. & G. Back will receive ten barrels more of those superb apples this evening direct from the Burlington orchard. We neglected to state that some of their apples in this orchard are summer and fall varieties, and that those wishing to purchase will find the present the most favorable opportunity.

The Omaha Tribune is in favor of a resolution in the Constitutional Convention prohibiting any member of said Convention from holding office for the term of one year from the date of the adoption of said instrument. It is evident that the Tribune's candidates are not members of the Convention. Again as in the case of the same position taken by the Omaha Herald, we must enter our protest against any such foolishness on the part of members of this Convention.

ON MUSICAL EDUCATION.
How few there are who understand the necessity of communicating this branch of study at an early age. Parents who are desirous of giving their children a musical education could save great labor and expense by taking their children in time. But instead of this, they put the matter off (in most cases) until it is too late to accomplish any satisfactory results; thinking there is time enough for this after other studies have been mastered. In order to make musicians all of our children we must have the influence of music around them from their infancy. Where parents are musical, even if they have no musical instrument to perform on, but are good singers, and spend some of their leisure hours at home singing and hymns, although these are most beautiful and appropriate, but very refined music when either sung or played, is praise to Him), the children are not only more attached to their home, but even if there is no particular pains taken with them, they are musical, and their happy, sunny faces show to the world that it is a great blessing. On the other hand, how often do we see families where the parents are not musical at all, who have taken some pains with their first children,—bought a musical instrument and procured a teacher for them, they become (if taken in time) good musicians, and the younger children natural ones—singing and playing readily with but little teaching. It is the influence that has been cast around them from their infancy that has done it. From this it is clear that it is not necessary for parents to be musical in order to have musical children; but by taking them in time, almost every child, cannot only be made musical, but also be made happier and better; not only in this world, but in the world to come, by this most holy of all influences.

GERMAN SABBATH SCHOOL.
Every Sunday at half past 9 o'clock, at the German School House, north of this city. The teachers and pupils will please remember that Tuesday's and Saturdays, at 7 P. M., are the days and hours appointed for practicing singing. Miss Charlotte Valley, who has returned to-day, after an absence of nearly two years, will preside at the organ.

THE RECEPTION.
The Eclipse Music Reception last evening, at Pacific Junction, was a fine affair—so say all those who were present. There were over two hundred people in attendance, and all enjoyed the occasion as one not met with often in a life-time. The supper was excellent, the dancing elegant, and the music superb. The success of the Reception is but a fair index to the standing of the House. We predict that inside of six months, Mr. Nye will be the most popular landlord in the west.

MAN DROWNED.
About 11 A. M. to-day the body of a man was seen floating in the river at the foot of Main street, and skills were brought into requisition to obtain it.—The body was brought to shore at the ferry landing, and a Coroner's jury was immediately summoned to hold an inquest. Upon examination the body was found to be that of a man of middle age, was clothed in a pair of ducking pants and a blue blouse, was barefoot, and had the general appearance of having been a deck hand on a steam boat. The body had evidently been in the water for several days, as it was so badly decayed as to preclude any very close examination. The verdict of the jury was that the deceased probably came to his death by drowning, as no marks of violence were discovered. The body was properly buried by the Sheriff (acting Coroner)

TERRIBLE DEATH OF A CRAZY WOMAN.
She Bore her Child to Death with a Rock.

A Mr. Anton Aueling, who lives six or eight miles northwest of Nebraska City, has been known to be partially demented for some time past, but was not considered unsafe to be at large. His wife was believed to be perfectly rational, though supposed to be at times much distressed in spirits in consequence of the insanity of her husband. A few days since, however, she gave most horrible evidence of her own insanity, as follows: She took her three children and started to Bennett's mill pond where she proceeded to camp for the night in the brush adjacent to the pond. In the night she took the youngest child down to the water, beat his head fearfully with a rock, and then threw the body into the water, where it was found the next day and interred.

This was during the absence of her husband from home. She left a note (written in German) telling the husband she had gone to the river, and requesting him to join her there, and saying that they would both die together. The man and woman were both taken charge of by the proper officers of One county, and they have both been sent to the Lunatic asylum at Lincoln.—This insanity is believed to originate largely from the credence given to the story of a strolling fortune-teller who visited them a little more than a year ago and told them they would die within a short time. Mr. Aueling was one of the early settlers of One county, an industrious, honest well-to-do farmer, and was generally esteemed by all who knew him.

MUSIC IN CONNECTION WITH COMMON SCHOOL STUDY.
People generally think that the study of music retards the progress of their children with other studies; and this, perhaps, is one great cause of neglect of this study, but here again they are mistaken. The school where music—both vocal and instrumental—is taught, will invariably be the most successful in every branch that is taught. The hour of musical practice is looked forward to by the pupils with high anticipation and great joy. It soon becomes their highest source of recreation from their other more wearisome studies, and actually gives a zest to all that is not attainable in any other way. It makes school days joyful and happy. It drives the prison lock out of the school room; where before you have seen wearisome looking little faces and little aching hearts were throbbing in freedom, on now behold faces smiling, and happy little hearts are throbbing in little bosoms overflowing with joy. Such a state of things is desirable, and is attainable—in fact, has been attained. We have such schools here in Plattsmouth, where the Professor has been to great expense; has two good pianos in his school room, and has in his services one of the very best of Music Teachers.

Pass Them Along.
We clip the following items from the "Saline county Post":
Our town has this month, been relieved by the departure of two of its citizens, whose absence is greatly preferable to their presence. C. E. Egan, having contracted to plaster a dwelling house had received his pay in advance in a lot. Obtaining the deed therefor, he exchanged the lot for a pair of horses and decamped, leaving the work unfinished and the builder of the house no security.

F. M. Wolf, of the firm of Wolf & Moran, Attorneys at Law in the absence of his partner, packed up the books of the firm, and others which they had borrowed collected money from several citizens to the amount of one hundred and fifty dollars or more, which he was to carry out for them in Pleasant Hill and Lincoln, and then departed for parts unknown. The amount of property stolen by him is variously estimated from two hundred to five hundred dollars. The goods have been traced to Keosauqua, Indiana, but the entering operator has not been heard from.

One hundred and twenty-nine applications for divorce, for *divorce reasons* in Chicago last week.

A Missouri partner, hunted long for a brave party, proved to be a large yellow dog that had got loose.

A writer on school discipline says:—"Without a liberal use of the rod it is impossible to make boys smart."

A man has invented a new and cheap plan for boarding. One of his lodgers mesmerizes the rest, and then eats a hearty meal—the mesmerized being satisfied from sympathy.

A postmaster by the name of Goodale, when he is in a hurry signs himself XX.

ROCK BLUFFS.
The Town—Naomi Institute—Educational Advantages, etc.

ROCK BLUFFS, Neb., July 24.
The town of Rock Bluffs is situated on the west bank of the Missouri river, thirty-one miles south of Omaha, twenty miles north of Nebraska City, and six miles south of Plattsmouth. This place bears a singular notoriety, gained in the previous political history of Nebraska, and its importance at that time was not by any means confined to the "immense" of most every Protestant Kingdom in Europe. The army of the Jameses made up of Frenchmen to whose country he had been compelled to flee after an unsuccessful attempt to Romanize England, and refugee Irishmen. Although William of Orange gained a brilliant and decided victory, the question was by no means settled, and was kept up for a century in irregular but fairly as long as the "Ribbomun" or "Defenders," the organizations of Irish Catholics, the Protestants banded themselves together in a body officially designated as the Loyal Orange Institution. The number of its members to become an Orangeman it was necessary that the candidate should be a Protestant, and the rule is still preserved.

The site of this place is one among the most beautiful in the State of Nebraska, and being at the opening of a small valley, through which flows the waters of the Rock Creek. On the north and south numerous bluffs, undulating in appearance, and covered with a dense growth of native forest trees, give a picturesque and somewhat romantic appearance to the place. To the south, with its base washed by the waters of the Missouri, towering above all others, arises the bold promontory, appropriately appellation "King Hill"; upon whose summit may be seen a little mound, which, according to tradition, marks the last resting place of an aboriginal.

The moral tone of this place is good—those extending influences which usually affect towns and cities—those haunts of vice which beggar man and woman and child, which in the past have long since been displaced from churches and schools; and the most noteworthy among the latter is

NAOMI INSTITUTE.
This institution was erected under the auspices of Prof. J. D. Patterson, during the Summer of 1870, and was opened for students in September last. The first academic year closed in June of the present year, and during that time it has gained a popularity that would reflect upon an other place, as well as upon the institution. The building of this institution is most beautifully located on an eminence commanding a fine view of Rock Bluffs, as well as of the Missouri river, which, discharging its waters into the base of King Hill, renders the situation of Naomi not the least romantic.

PROF. PATTERSON.
The worthy Principal of this institution, being among the best educated of our country, and an experienced and successful teacher, has secured for the Naomi Institute the highest reputation which it has ever attained. He is a devoted zeal with which he performs his arduous labors justly entitles him to that large patronage which he is rapidly gaining.

The citizens of this town and precinct are settling the question of donating aid to secure the location of colleges or universities at this point. Twenty-five hundred dollars have already been subscribed, and the present proposes to vote \$15,000 in bonds, said bonds to be issued to the building committee, trustees, or any other authorized body, and to be used for the purchase of land, and the erection of a building, and the purchase of a college, to receive a hand some donation, and no point in the State, geographically, is better located for such than Rock Bluffs. It is but a short distance from the city of Omaha, and is situated on the St. Joseph and the Burlington and Missouri—and is easily accessible to all points East, West, North or South.

BUILDING MATERIAL.
Such as brick and rock, can be procured here in almost any quantity, and "cheap as the cheapest." The former manufactured by W. G. Green, and is pronounced by competent judges of the best quality known in the State. A good quality of rock is here in superabundance. Upon the west side of Rock Bluffs presents many advantages for the erection of institutions of learning that might well be taken into consideration by those seeking to establish such institutions.—Let trustees come and take a view of this among the most beautiful locations in Nebraska before locating elsewhere.

FIDELITY.
A lawyer in St. Louis got even with a life insurance agent, and this is the "how" of it:
For the thousands time the agent dropped into a lawyer's office, and went over the well-worn story of the superior character of the life insurance. "I have no time to talk to you," said the lawyer. "I must go down to Jack's and attend to an unlawful detainer case. Good morning."

"Just the place I'm going," said the drummer; "I am entirely at leisure, and will tell you all about our system as we go along."

So the two went to Justice Jack's office, where they found a crowd of men and women from Georgetown, and the constable in the act of summoning a jury to try an assault and battery case. An idea struck the lawyer. Taking the constable aside, he pointed out the life insurance man, and begged him to put him on the jury. The constable was glad to find a juror so near at hand, and forthwith selected him and dragged him to the jury box. The drummer remonstrated, stating that he had business of vital importance which demanded his immediate attention; and he referred to the lawyer to substantiate his statement. The attorney, however, declined to do so, and reminded the juror, that he had, a few moments before, declared that he was entirely at leisure. The insurance man was put on the jury, and was kept there, sweating in the heat, for several mortal hours. He has not troubled the lawyer since.

Some one is mean enough to assert that Dick Yates is building a new house at Jacksonville, Illinois, out of brick which he formerly occupied his last.

"Will you have me, Sarah?" said a young man to a modest girl. "No, John, but you can have me if you will."

A shark caught off Charleston is said to have had a pair of boots, a scalp, two cannon balls, and a package of Sunday school tickets in his stomach. He must have kept a submarine pastime school.

A man in an ecstatic mood, exclaimed: "Woman is the preferred cause of all happiness; when a bystander remarked: "No doubt, for she is the prime evil herself."

An Omaha paper advises the people not to "make such a fuss about the shooting of a prudent cause of all happiness; when a bystander remarked: "No doubt, for she is the prime evil herself."

FOR THE GREAT SHOW
July 24th and 25th
Dissolution Notice.
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between James Steich and M. R. Murphy, in the social & barrow business, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the above firm, either by note or account, will please call and settle the same within ten days, or their accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney. JAMES STEICH, M. R. MURPHY.

THE COLOSSAL Atlantic and Pacific CIRCUS
Lee & Pratt, Proprietors.
Now making the tour of THE CONTINENT
Ocean to Ocean!
Will arrive at Plattsmouth, Aug. 2nd 1871.
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Stone Tube WELLS.
Having purchased of B. F. Duffenbaker the right to use
J. W. Heath's PATENT WELL AUGER
In Cass county, Iowa prepared to bring wells for all who may order them. I am very

CEMENT TUBING
In the Water, which Insures PURE, SWEET WATER,
at all times, and is indestructible.
Having run one of these Augers FOR TWO YEARS
In Nemaha County, I understand the Business and guarantee satisfaction. Orders left at White & Spiers' will be promptly attended to.
J. W. HEATH, J. GARRETT & CO.

Sheriff's Sale
Notice is hereby given that I will offer for sale at public auction, on the 28th day of August, 1871, by virtue of a writ of Sale issued by the Clerk of the District Court of the Second Judicial District, and in and to me directed at the front door of the court house in Plattsmouth, Mo. at 10 o'clock P. M., of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit: The east half of the southeast corner of the township numbered thirty-three (33), in the township numbered thirty-three (33), in the county numbered thirty-three (33), in the State of Nebraska. Situated in said County of Nebraska.
Given under my hand this 26th day of July, 1871.
J. W. JOHNSON, Sheriff

Professional Cards.
R. R. LIVINGSTON, M. D.
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON—specializes in professional services to the citizens of Cass county. His residence is at the corner of 1st and 2nd streets, in Plattsmouth, Nebraska. Private residence, 1st and 2nd streets, in Plattsmouth, Mo.

DR. J. W. THOMAS.
Having previously located in Waterloo Falls, and been professionally successful in the treatment of various diseases, he is now located in Plattsmouth, Mo. at the corner of 1st and 2nd streets, in Plattsmouth, Mo.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.
I will hold a public examination in the City of Plattsmouth on the first Saturday in August, 1871, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. W. A. PATTERSON, d&wtf Co. Supt.

KIMBALL'S LINE.
This popular Stage Line is now in full operation between Plattsmouth and Fall Platte—fare only fifty cents. Passengers for Omaha via O. & S. W. Railroad, can save 25 cents by taking this line, which makes close connection with all trains.
L. KIMBALL, Proprietor.
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THE BEST IS ALWAYS THE CHEAPEST.
By KIMBALL'S LINE.
This is the class of Pictures that Carroll makes in his Gallery (corner 4th and 5th streets), and is the best and every style from life size to the smallest Gem. Prices always as low as any other first class Gallery in the Country. Samples furnished free those wishing Pictures. All work warranted satisfactory. June 26th. L. KIMBALL.

CATTLE FOR SALE.
The undersigned having had his crops destroyed by the late heavy rains, wishes to dispose of a lot of cattle, viz: 11 head of 3 year old steers; 8 head of 1 year old steers; 14 head of milk cows; also 1 span of 6 year old mules, as well as a pair of mules, my farm is 5 1/2 miles west of Plattsmouth.
M. W. PROBST, July 14th & 25th

Fresh Orange seed for sale by J. D. SCHNEIDER & Co.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!
AT THE NEW STORE, JUST OPENED IN
BARGAINS! BARGAINS!
A Stock of Dry Goods, Notions, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes,
Which the Undersigned proposes to sell VERY CHEAP For Cash. All my old friends, and as many new ones as can find room, call in and satisfy yourselves in regard to LOW PRICES.

H. L. R. STILES.
H. L. R. STILES, Esq., who purchased a large quantity of grain in our city last season, arrived in town last Saturday.—He will remain for a week or two, and probably longer.

Soda water is pronounced by chemists a "harmless beverage," and an exchange states that the person who drinks it will not beat his wife or steal spoons at the hotel table. An excellent quality of this beverage may be found at the drug store of J. H. Buttery, in this city.

Died, at Nebraska City, at 6 a. m., Monday July 24th, Louis Conrad, eldest son of J. D. and Jennie Lauer, aged two years and three months.

C. C. Despain, has sold out his street sprinkling and water hauling business and apparatus to Walter J. White, who took possession this morning and will continue the business.

Mr. W. D. Blackburn, of Brownville, who has lately been commissioned Immigration Agent for Nebraska, was in the city last night. Mr. Blackburn informs us that he expects to start east in a few days to travel through Ohio, Pennsylvania, and other eastern States, after which he will proceed to Europe.

When a pick-pocket pulls at your sleeve, tell him plainly that you have no time to spare.

THE COLOSSAL Atlantic and Pacific CIRCUS
Lee & Pratt, Proprietors.
Now making the tour of THE CONTINENT
Ocean to Ocean!
Will arrive at Plattsmouth, Aug. 2nd 1871.
WAIT FOR THE GREAT SHOW
July 24th and 25th
Dissolution Notice.
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between James Steich and M. R. Murphy, in the social & barrow business, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the above firm, either by note or account, will please call and settle the same within ten days, or their accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney. JAMES STEICH, M. R. MURPHY.

Stone Tube WELLS.
Having purchased of B. F. Duffenbaker the right to use
J. W. Heath's PATENT WELL AUGER
In Cass county, Iowa prepared to bring wells for all who may order them. I am very