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NOTICE.

U.S. LAND OFFICE.) Bloomington, Neb. April 25th, 1876.

Complaint having been entered at this office by Charles Sapp, against - The pure Royal Gem Tobacco at Thomas Finney for abandoning his Fuller & Wiant's at Riverton. imber Culture Entry, No. 605, dated June 5, 7874, upon the south-cast with a view to the cancellation of said entry: the said parties are nereby summoned to appear at this office on the 8th day of June, 1876, at 2 o'clock mony concerning said alleged abandon-

WEBSTER EATON, Register,

LEGAL NOTICE.

the District Court of Webster county, Nebraska, praying for license to sell the interest of the heirs of Robert Morrow in and to the following described real estate for the purpose of paying the debts and liabilities of said estate, to-wit: W1, SE1, Sec. 20, township 4, range 12 west; also the Coleman was attable to move her arm. El of NE1, Sec. 14, town. 4 north, The Doctor left them out of danger in range 12 west, except 4 acres off of the the evening. northeast corner of said section; also 4 acres in a regular form along the Sec. 14, situated in Welster county,

And it appearing to me upon read claims and demands against said estate there not being sufficient assets of said and in the estate of sail déceased, Robert Morrow, appear before this court at the Court House in Juniata. in the county of Adams. State of Ne braska, on the 20th day of June 1876 at 9 o'clock a. m., of said day to show cause why a license shall not be granted for sale of said real estate as prayed for in said petition; and it is ordered

weeks, previous to said day of hearing. WM. GASLIN, Jr., 3) 6t Judge 5th Judicial Dist., Neb

Henry Myers, of Riverton was in town this morning on important busilearn to whom. He is champion on the accordeon, and we think he will now go to teaching music.

FOR SALE. 160 Acres of land, 25 seres under cultivation. Well watered by springs cattle, hogs, chickens, etc. This place is only three miles from Red Cloud

teachers of the primary or common chools of the county, at my office in

-Tinware at Centennial prices. ex quart milk page for 23ets apiece, and all tinware in like proportion at Mitchell and Morhacts

-Roll up? Tumble up? any way to get up, just so you do get up to Me-Brides and get a new harness, or have your old one regained.

-Mr. Parker, of Salem, Kausas, Monday's was nearly drowned while fishing in Wednesday's and Friday 7 f m. the river, last Sunday. There have been several similar accidents during the test few weeks.

-Notice Ira Sleeper's new adverand Friday's 51 p. m. Mail closed tisement, all who expect good crops this summer. -H. Holomb, brother of J.

Holcomb of Walnut Creek, and an old compositor on the Chicago Tribune. arrived here last Saturday night. He has a homestead near his brother, and intends to move on it immediately. -If you wint any work done in the

carpenter line, call on Rufus Miksch, -tr. Woods of Riverton was in town lait week, looking well, and cheerful as ever. The Doctor's presence contrallets the rumor that he had left the State on account of his trial. He is ready and prepared to defend himself against the indictment.

-Sleeper has bidered on a complete stock of Harvesting Implements. Ira knows more about machinery than any other man in the county, and he keeps none but the best machines for

-Mrs. Warner and Mrs. J. Q. Potter left last Monday for the east. They take with them the best wishes of the people of Red Cloud. After a pleas- ed. them return still more pleased with their Nebraska homes.

-Mrs. Mazweit was prevented from going east as she contemplated, by her nince's sickness and the news of an infectious disease prevalent among the children of her old home.

-Last Sunday, Mr. Bealer and quarter, Sec. 30, township 4, range 9 family, with Mrs. Coleman and her west, in Webster county, Nebraska, children, met with an accident which narrowly escaped resulting fatally The parties were driving to their homes in Kansas, and crossing a P. M., to respond and furnish testi- bridge had just begun the ascent of a steep hill at the and of the bridge, when the wag on nammer broke, and EVAN WORTHING, Receiver, the horses dragged Mr. Bealer over the dashboard. The wagon, left to itseit, went backwards down the hill to In the matter of the petition of H. the bridge, from whence it was pre-S. Kaley, administrator of the estate cipitated to the ground below, a disof Robert Morrow, deceased, filed in tance of twenty-five or thirty feet The ladies were severely injured, while the children were uninjured. Br. Tulleys was immediately sent for. He found Mrs. Bealer delirious from a stunning blow on the head, while Mrs

to sell said real estate to satisfy the the sheep in Missouri but found them Pot-dam, T. J. Ward of Stillwate, J. all troubled with the seab in that see- H. Hobort of Oak Creek. state to liquidate the same. It is tion. He will now purchase in New therefore or lered and allowed that all Mexico. Mr. Smith will start with persons interested in said real estate the necessary help to go thither on

> -The farmers of Red Cloud were not very well represented at the Insti-

tute. This wen't do. -Mr. D. Fuller of the firm of Fuller & Wiant, of Riverton gave us a that this notice be published in the pleasant call yesterday. They are the place, and are receiving a large share that they are going to celebrate on a Stillwater is rapidly settling up with a

large scale on the Fourth. class meal on short notice if you are that neighbothood and is farming it government lands for home-teads and pre-

in the shape of eatables or money. materially. Mrs. Lutz was repre ent. all kinds of roots and vegetables, are grown we will have to fall back on our sun- wis made, also, in the name. The growing. Forest trees row rapidly. Cottonnot done much to support us for some | was used. This was our mistake, and large enough for fuel in about three years.

-Garber's dwelling house broke its ariat last Wednesday and scampered over the streets of the town, in a manner that was exciting and exhibarating. Its flight, bowever, was arrested by Messers Miller and Holfridge in the now securely fastened.

-Hon, James Laird and R. Babcock of Juniata stopped in town last an extensive practice in the western part of the State, and already takes rank as one of the first lawyers

of Western Nebraska. bustling appearance the first three travel and attractive in appearance.

Centernial Celebration ON THE

Fourth of July !! Elie Creek, we paid a short visit to THE GRANDEST CELEBRATION IN THE

REPUBLICAN VALLEY ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING THURSDAY EVENING

NO EXPENSES TO DE SPARED Programme of the Exercises on the Coming Anniversary.

The meeting last Thursday evening was attended by a large number of interested and enthusiastic cititens. President Moore balled the association ommittees were read and acted upon. The Committee on Finance reported to the effect that sixty five dollars had been raised to purchase the instruments for a martial band, and that the ustruments had been ordered, and were now on the toad.

The committee on Centennial History reported in favor of the appointment of the following gentlemen to write up the settlement of their rethe loss of mill property by floods last spective precincts A. M. Talbot of Guide Rock.

R. B. Fuftee, "Walnut Creek G. W. Knight, " Inavale. S. B. Bierce, " Harmony, Moses Willson, " Glenwood. Tom. C. Laird, "Oak Creek, Abram Wells, "Stillwater. M. L. Thomas, " Batin.

Chas. Buschow, " Potsda n.

W. E. Jackson of Red Cloud

The report was unanimously adept-The committee on programme re ported as follows :

MORNING EXERCISES 1st. National Salute.

2nd. Martial Mesic. 3rd. Grand Centennial March 4th. Voluntary by the Band. 5th. Centennia! Song by Choir

6th. Prayer. 7th. Realing of the Declaration of 8th. National Hymn by Choir.

9th. Oration. APTERNOON EXERCISES. 1st. Music by the Band.

2ad. Song by the Choir. 3rd. Reading of County History. 4.h. Mu-ie 5th. Toasts.

Evening performances will consist

Professor Snow was requested to

6.h. Marcial Music.

ead the Choir.

J. S. Gilham was elected orator, and W. H. Brice selected to read the Declaration of Independence.

The following gentlemen were elected officers of the day : President, Mathew Stratton, of Guide ever used, consisting of drills, augers, -Mr. M. S. Maloney, formerly of Rock, P. McNitt of Red Cloud; N. etc. Two men with one of these drills east side of W1 of the NE1 of said Belvidere, Ilis., made us a short but Haney, of Batin; Thos. Kennely of can drill from 40 to 50 feet in one day, interesting call last Tuesday. Mr. Walnut Creek, W. J. Vance, of Ina- through the rock of this country. Maloney is going to bring 4,000 sheep vale, Abram Scott of Harmony, and These drills are warranted to be the ing such petition that it is necessary into the county. He intended to buy Forbes of Glenwood; Sam'l Cade of New York Artesian Drills.

> The meeting veted to appropriate as much money as could be raised to the Restablican is formite west of the Misprovide frewolks. The society then from River and touches the State line on

One feeling pervade all minds. As

this was the first, and probably the last, Centerald Anniversary in their experience, all were determined that at the best ever witnessed in the valley. -We have an interesting communiof the trade. Mr. Faller informs as enion this week from Stillwater

good class of cumigrants. Mr. Fran

town. He can also get you up a first- purchased a large quantity of land in time. There is yet a considerable amount of with energy. -The CHIEF is at last in a wigwam - I cour local notices last week, we it cannot be beaten. It is just suited to that. of his own, and would be pleased to inadvertently made seine mistakes that as the example of feeling is very small. That receive most anything on subscription changed the meaning of the notices corn, out barrier, potatoes, back wheat, and Up to this time we have been able to e i as proposing to order some new to the acre is no thing new. Wheat averages dead-beat our board, but the bot I goods, when in fact she had ordered a about " burbe sto the acre. Fruit does exmen tell us that is "played out," so large supply. A ludicrous mistake tremely well. Every farmer has his orehard porters at last; who, by the way, have plural form instead of the possessive many other sinds of trees grow into timber

that it was a ridiculous blunder.

appointment of United States Court Commissioner for this section of the pevergo dry. The streams of this county are State. We congratulate Mr. Willcox the Republican and its pributaries, which are and the people on this appointment, as follows: on the south side of the river, north part of the town, where it is As yet there are few matters of Fed- Hicks, Ash, and suide Book creeks. On the eral Cognizance occurring in this part north side afe Willow, Elm, Cottonwood, of the State. We are disposed to favor Crooked, Indian, and Farmers creeks. In the the appointment, more because if will north part of the countr is the Blue river be a protection to the people than f r The soil of Webster county is a dark, rich any other reason. The records of the vegetable loam. The wild grasses are nutri-District Court show a disgraceful and tion and abundant, and make most excellent disreputable attempt to injure and will andoubtedly prove a profitable product annoy innocent men by false charges. Gor. Those who have tried them to decide Nearly every criminal case before the -Our streets presented a lively and court, is brought there from a maliwill have a road as soon as we really need cious disposition to harass an enemy, one, But the farmers for years will find ready and creek, plenty timber for firewood, days of the week, and in consequence Men find it convenient to charge a sale for surplus productions in the newer good house and stables, six head of the CHIEV is happy to congratulate neighbor with some petty violation of counties west and to new settlers. By the the people of Red Cloud on its posses the revenue law, or some offense theaper transportation east will be spened. sion of one well graded street. The against the timber of the United Industrial Association, it is hoped, States. The accused is obliged to apwill not stop here. The street running pear at Omaha with his witnesses. east and west on the town line needs where he will find the charge abandon-Notice is hereby given. That I will grading, and we venture the predicted. But the expenses of himself and examine all persons who may desire to tion, that there will be no rest until witnesses, would well nigh ruin a poor offer themselves as candidates for the streets are in a good condition for man. In view of these facts we are -Oh say! have you seen those love- appointed in this part of the State. the information can be obtained from any August, Notember. February and ly hats at Mrs. Lutz? and so chesp which will prevent any such malicious and agent who affective a this paper, or at charges against any of our citizens. I this office.

-Last Thursday with a view to ob ta'n some reliable information concerting the new mill, to be stricted on the seens of operations. Work has already commended and is being pushed forward with energy. The parties building the mill are Mysers-Roberts and Polly, old and expericared millers, they had from Nelson, near which prace they had previously built a mili and placed it in successful operation. Messes. Roberts and Polly have purchased the farm of Z. P. Earle, near the mouth of Elm creek. This mill is to be built near the site of Earle's house. They are at work now, digging out the race. order and the reports of the various which begins almost opposite the residence of George Ball. The parties are confident that they will have one of the best and most valuable water powers in western Nebraska. They head water, which is sufficient run all the necessary machinery, and possesses in addition the advantage of i A. M

> ear demonstrated too practically. The mill is expected to be ready for grinding next winter. When this mill is constructed our advantages for oltaining flour will be better than those of any of the adjoining counties. We are glad to welcome Messrs. Roberts and Polly as citizens of the county, and wish them the most abundant success in their efterprise.

being readily controled, which is not !

the case with the larger streams, as !

-Foller & Winot of R.verton keep the best tobacco and tex in the valley. Their motte is "low prices and quick!

SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE

By a virtue of an order of sale issued out of the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District in and for Webster county. Nebraska, in an action wherein Barnabas E. Swift is plaintiff and Lee S & Bell B. E-tell defendants. I will offer for sale at public auction at the front door of the Court House, in Red Cloud, Webster county Nebraska, on the 8th day of July, 1876, at 2 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, situated in Web ster county, Nebraska, to wit; the north one-half of a tract of land couveyed by Edward Kellogg to Bell B, Estell by deed dated June 24th, 1874. commencing at a point 50 chains west of a section corner between sections 35 and 36, town 2, range 11, thence west along the f line Va. 13" 20", 6,33 chaids thence south Va. 13 11', 464 chains thence east Va. 13° 20°, 6.47 of a magnificent display of fire works. chains more or less to corner of J. On motion, J. Q Petter was select- Casebier's lot thence north Va. 11" ed to take charge of the singing of the | 464 chains to place of beginning, containing 71 acres more or less.

Given under my hand this 31st day of May, 1876. H G. BILL,

43. Sheriff and Master Commissioner. MACHINES. WELL BORING.

N. C. Clark of Guide Rock, has for President, A. M. Talbot, Vice sale the best Well-boring apparatus

Webster County Condented.

adjourned until next Thursday even- the South. Winters are mild and dry very little rain or snow falls in that season so litspring and suffiner. The summers are not disagreeably warm, as there is always a conl breeze especially in the evanlage. The county first began to se tie in 1870. In 1871 no expense should be spared to make the county was organised with a population of 45. Its population is now between 2500 and 3000 and is flipidly increasing. There are at pressent 3 organised school districts therefore ample better than there in some Eastern States. The apportionable attrool fund 'urnishes nearly enough money to pay teachers' waged. Farmers can buy R. R. -Geo. Zeiss has the best eigars in cis, a man of considerable means has land from \$1.50 to \$6 per acre with ten years emptions. As a stock raising country it is hard to excel. Cattle do well, and for sheep Fortunes can be easily made by raising sheep wood, boxalder, whitewood, soft maple, and we have no apology to make, except Osag orange plantado web and in a few years year live fences can be made. Mestrato and employment and fair sages. The -J. R. Willcox has received the very best and purest water is obtained by small when the well is bored .- These wells Walnut, Dry, Buffale, State Pegry, Colar,

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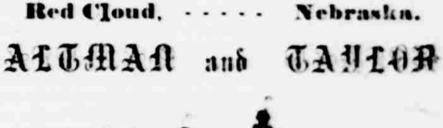
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ness. He is married, (but we didn't Wednesday. Mr. Laird is working

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