LINCOLN LETTER.

The developments of the last few days in the case of Bartley's bondsmen at Omaha have wound the toils more and more about the reform governor. Ransom's charges in open court that the governor knew of Bartley,s shortage, coming as it did from a populist senator and the chairman of the free silver republican state central committee. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. silver republican state central committee, aroused such a demand from populists all over the state that the governor, already much embarrassed by the entanglement, was forced to take the witness stand in self-defense. He could no longer stand out against the processing that capa from his party.

But his evidence in the court at Omaha, instead of bringing relief to the embarrassed fusionists, caused the water of ribulation to rise higher and his duty? There have been so many higher around their drowning cause, slips in this reform administration The governor tried to explain to the court that he had done his best, but when it finally developed by his own testimony that he did not count the money, that he had not examined the money, that he had not examined the sentities in the transverse office, that he had utterly failed in his duty, then the people who heard the testimony, smiling at each other, said. "If this is the best that a reform governor can do, then the less we have of it in Nebraska and the reform conventions, both in county and state, refrain from criticism of this state administration, and attempt to set it up before the public as a reform administration, ask ing for it the continued support of the poblic as a reform administration, ask ing for it the continued support of the public as a reform administration, ask ing for it the continued support of the farmer voters, then there is no political home for an honest Nebraskan but in the republican party.

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The church invites the public to attend her services and become a part of the public as a reform administration, ask ing for it the continued support of the farmer voters, then there is no political home for an honest Nebraskan but in the republican party.

J. W. Johnson.

He gular service at 10:30 a.m. next. you did your best when you approved Bartley's straw bond and the Meserve straw bond, are you doing your best now when you permit Meserve to con with several of the principal sureties notoriously bankrupt, and with several other having abandoned the state.

To Dr. Hartman by Cataerh Patients.

The following forever? Are you doing your best now governor?" This is what the people are asking of Governor Holcomb. Did you do your best in the recount fraud? Did you do your best to reform the pass system? With eighteen annual railroad passes and two Pull-man passes bulging out the little morocco book in your vest pocket, with your record in the last six months as a junketer, surpassing the record of all previous junketers in this state, do

you pretend to look the farmers of Nebraska in the face and tell them

In the campang of 1894 the in-

that you have done your best?

In the campang of 1894 the insurance question was prominent. You trank the people in that campaign that the people in that campaign that the oid-line insurance companies had made of themselves a wicked and greedy trust which was oppressing the people with exorbitant rates, and by which, under the law as it was then they were able to prevent theorganization of mutual insurance companies among the farmers. The effect of your teachings in that campaign Governor Holcomb, was to arouse among the people a strong feeling against the greed and over-reaching methods of these old-line companies, to desire a law which would curb their ambitions, which would permit and encourage the organization of mutual insurance companies and thus bring recourage the organization of mutual insurance companies and thus bring recourage the organization of mutual insurance companies and thus bring recourage the organization of mutual insurance companies and thus bring recourse the organization of mutual insurance companies and thus bring recourse the organization of mutual insurance companies and thus bring recourse the organization of mutual insurance companies and thus bring recourse the organization of mutual insurance companies and thus bring recourse the old-line companies and thus bring recourse the organization of mutual insurance companies and thus bring recourse the old-line companies and thus bring recourse the organization of mutual insurance companies and thus bring recourse the old-line companies are the companies and thus bring recourse the organization of mutual insurance companies and thus bring recourse the companies and thus bring the companies and thus bring recourse the companies and thus the best medicine from the best m courage the organization of mutual insurance compasies and thus bring relief to those who were oppressed with exorbitant insurance rates. The same campaign that elected you, Governor, that year, elected a republican legislature recognizing their duty as the representatives of the people, passed a mutual haw, giving the relief which the people desired. The law was exactly in line with what you had advocated on the stump. Now, what did you do to that law, Governor Holcomb? You held it at the close of the session, refusing your assent to it as chief executive, until the session had adjourned, and then you let it die. You championed this you let it die. You championed this law before election, and then killed it after election. Were you doing your best then, Governor? Your action in this was a great surprise at the time. There had been a strong moneyed lobby in the legislature, with head-quarters at the Windsor hotel, during the entire session. It was the business of this lobby to defeat this law. You did at the close of the session for did at the close of the session for those old-line insurance companies what the republican legislature re-fused to do. It was said by some at the time that you veteed the bill because it was a republican measure. That was a poor estimate to put upon a reform governor. There were other reasons hinted at why you let this bill die but I am ashamed to write them. There is a limit to the humiliation that may be put upon a state, even when justice seems to be clamoring for the whole truth. But this is not all: the last session of the legislature passed the same mutual insurance law, and you signed it eagerly. The next day after the law was passed and signed, you, Governor Holcomb, bobbed up before public as president of a mutual insurance company. Would you take the witness stand now, Governor Hol-comb, and swear you did your best in this insurance matter?

In six months from the time you commenced your executive duties in your first term, there came to your table the semi-annual report of Auditor Moore. In that report you could have read at a glance that the fees which are required to be paid by insurance companies and other cor-porations into the treasury, were not being paid into the treasury, but into the auditor's office, which had no au-thority to receive them. You should have seen that the auditor was issuing business permits to these insurance companies illegally, because the law requires that the fee money shall be in treasury before the permit is issued by the auditor. With that report in your hand you should have walked straight to the auditors office and said to him, showing him the law: "It is unlawful for you, Mr. Moore, to issue the permits until the money for each one is in the treasury. Now, you put this money into the treasury and show me a receipt from the state treasurer. or I will make it hot for you." Did you do it? Did you make any effort to do is? Will you go on the stand now and swear that you did you did your best? What does your reform amount to, and what do your services amount to to the state if you fail at every opportunity where reform is needed? Why is this semi-annual report required from tue auditor, and why are the people taxed to make and print this report? The farmers understand, and everybody who can read understands, that this report is made to the governer and to no one else becase it

the pressure that came from his party. Did you read any of the reports of the demanding that he make some effort auditor? And if you did, when you to purge himself from the awkward saw but the auditor was issning these certificates illegally, that the money

securities in the treasurer's office, that despise in secret and denounce in pub he had utterly failed in his duty, then lic a wicked act, then it purges itself,

RECENT LETTERS.



leMesr were re- will be used. eeived from H. Macomber, of Fremont, Mich., sionary convention writes: My Hastings this week. husband had eatarrh most dreadfully. He was surprised to find, after taking one bottle of Pe

runa, that he was cured of the catarrh. Mrs. L. M. Hunter of Clifton, Kansas says After taking three bottles of Peru na I am cured of my cataerh.

eatarrh.

Send to the Pe-ru-na Drug Manufac-turing Company, Columbus, Ohio, for Dr. Hartman's latest free book on chronic catarrh, la grippe, etc. Ask your druggist for a free Pe-ru-na almanae for 1898.

LBSTER.

Another pleasant rain.

L. P. Albright and family were the guests of Mrs. I. Frisbie Sunday.

Wm. McKimmey and wife visiting in Cowles Sunday. Al Albright and Miss Lindley of Red

Cloud were visiting the family of C. H Frisbie Sunday. Ida Baker has started to school a

Pleasant Hill. Viola Boner was visiting Maud Mil ler Saturday.

E. A. Terrill was at Cowles Friday. Joe Saladen and family were here Saturday.

Mrs. Frase and children were visit-ing their sister Alta Baker the last of

A. C. Hosmer and wife and Mrs. Cowden attended church here Sunday

Rev. Smith will preach here at 3 o'clock next Sunday. Sunday school at 10:30. Don't forget the hour.

Humors in the blood, boils, pimples, scrofula sores, are promptly eradicated by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the one true blood purifier, nerve tonic and health builder.

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STATE LINE.

Farmers are enjoying the fine rains. Potatoes and pumpkins and winter apples are being gathered in.

Mr. Monia Wells has come back to these parts again. He is husking corn for A. A. Davis.

The Wesleyan Methodists are hold ing revivals at North Branch.

Misses May Reinard, Emma and Lucy Toland, who are teaching school away, spent Saturday and Sunday at home

Mr. Mendenhall, from the eastern part of Indiana, is visiting his cousin Mr. Rinardt. He is thinking some of

Mrs. Cox of Oregon is here visiting relatives and is now going to Buffalo, New York. She is a W. C. T. U.

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CHURCH NOTES.

METHODIST.

Sunday morning at 10:30 the pastor fill preach on "The Divine Election."

Sunday school at 11:30. Chapel Sunday school at 3 p.m

You are earnestly invited to make your church home with us. free and strangers made welcome.

The conference year opens up with promise of continued prosperity.

Large congregations greeted the pas-tor Sabbath morning and evening.

The Sunday school had a good atrendance and was enthusiastic and interesting.

League moves faithfully forward under the presidency of W. A. Mitchell. The Ladies Aid Society is planning for a prosperous year's work. This is a strong organization in the church life of the city.

Regular service at 10:30 a.m. next Lord's day. In the evening the house will be opened for the overflow meeting for those who cannot get seats at inite grains, and the most defrente stomach the M. E. Church for the W. G. T. U. the wite of coff the M. E. Church for the W. G. T. U. the said 25c per package. Sold by all grocers. service. The evening theme will be of The following an educational nature. A large chart

Afternoon sermon next Lord's day women: Mrs. J at the Amack school house. The pastor and wife are at a missionary convention which convenes at

L. A. HUSSONG, Pastor,

CONGREGATIONAL. Sunday School at 11:45. Junior Society at 4 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m.

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ways helping to make the overland trip a delightful experience. Second class tickets are honored. Berths 65. For folder giving full information, call at nearest Burlington Route ticket office, or write to J. Francis, G. P. A. Omaba, Neb.

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ually, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Notice.

There will be a meeting held in Cowles on Saturday, October 9th, at 8 o'clock p. m., of the Stockholders Cooperative store. A general attendance is requested, also of others who would wish to subscribe for stock. The business will be thoroughly talked up.
Cowles, Nebr., September 28, 1897.
G. A. HARRIS.

Notice to Teachers.

Notice is hereby given that I will examine all persons who may desire to offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the public schools of this county, at Red Cloud on the third Saturday of each month.

The standing desired for 2d and 3d grade certificate is the same—no grade below 70 per cent., average 80 per cent; for first grade certificate-no grade below 80 per cent., average 90 per cent in all branches required by law.
D. M. HUNTER, County Supt.

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GARFIELD.

It is wet and muddy. John Thornton has taken a little German boy to raise.

Chas. Miles has had his orchard fenced in which greatly improves its appearance.

A. B. Wiggins spent several days in Guide Rock last week.

Rob. DeWitt and wife are breathing the pure air of Utah. A fourteen pound boy came to C. H.

Wiggins' house last week. Boy and dad doing well. Mrs, Earner has rented her farm to Will Houchin. Will is getting tired of

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SHERIFF'SSSALE.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of sale issued from the office of James Burden, Clerk of the District Court of the Texth Judicial District, within and for Webster county, Nebraska, upon a decree in an action pending therein, wherein P. K. Dederick is plaintiff and against Sibert Henry, Della Henry his wife, First National Bank of Blue Hill. Nebr., and Stark Brothers, defendant, I shall offer for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the east door of the court house, at Red Cloud, in said Webster county, Nebraska, (that being the building wherein the last term of said court was holden) on the 30th day of November, A.D. 1897, at two o'clock p.r., of said day, the following described pro serty, to wit:

The northeast quarter of section four (4), township four (4), north range nine (9) west of the 6th P. M. in Webster county, Nebraska.

Given under my hand this 28th day of Octo-First publication Oct. 29.

Given under my hand this 28th day of October, A.D. 1897. R. T. POTTER, Plaintiff's Attorney.

PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS. District Coury of Webster County, Nebraska Elizabeth Potter. Plaintiff.

Oscar M. Potter, Defendant.

Above named defendant will take notice that on the 14th day of October 1897, plaintiff above named filed her petition in the above entitled court against him, alleging their marriage, subsequent extreme cruelty by defendant to plaintiff and desertion and failure to support by defendant and praying for an absolute divorce from defendant and the custody of their children. Defendant is required to answer on or before November 22d, 1867, or petition will be taken as true and judgment rendered accordingly.

BLANDERM MONTY, Plaintiff's Attoristy.

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Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of sale issued from the effice of Jas. Burdeu, Clerk of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District, within and for Webster county, Sebraska, upon a decree in an action pending therein, wherein The Gorman Insurance Company is plaintiff and against Bert Tippetts, Lutie Tippetts, Pauley Tippetts, Israel Chartler, Clarance Tippetts and Lottle Tippetts are defendants, I shall offer for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder for eash in hand, at the east door of the court house, at Red Cloud, in said Webster county, Nebraska, that being the building wherein the last term of said court was holden) on the 30th day of November, A.D. 1897, at one o'clock p. m. of said day, the following described property, to wit:

The north half of the southeast quarter of section thirty-one, township four (4) range twelve (12) west of the 6th P. M. In Webster county, Nebraska.

Given under my hand this 28th day of October, A. D., 1897.

J. W. Runcher, Sheriff.

A M. Waltess, Plaintiff's Attorney. SHERIFF'S SALE.

The doctor's prescriptions without getting relief. I recently bought some of Hoobs Sparagus Kidney Pills at Sprague's drug store and used them thoroughly. I never had such relief from kidney weakness as I have now. Yours truly, J. L. Eno, Beatrice, Neb.

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J. W. RUNGHEY, Sheriff,

SHERIFF'S SALM.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of sale issued from the office of James Burden clerk of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District, within and for Webster county. Nebraska, upon a decree in an action pending therein, wherein Albert Whiteside is plaintiff and against Abraham Hartman. Buchanan Wind Mill Company and Milwaukee Harvester Company are defendants. I shall offer for sale at public vendue, to the highest bidder for each in hand at the east door of the court house, at Red Cloud, Nebraska, (that being the building wherein the last term of said court was holden) on the 23d day of November. A. D. 1897, at one o'clock p.m. of said day, the following described property, to wit:

The southeast quarter of Section twentyfour (26) in township three (8) north of range twelve (12), west of the 6th P. M. in Webster county, Nebraska.

Given under my hand this 20th day of October, A. D. 1897.

J. W. Runcher, Sheriff. SHERIFF'S SALN.

J. W. Runchet, Sheriff. Griggs, Rinaker & Bibe, and Charey & Walmers, Plaintiff's Attorney. PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS. District court of Webster county. eorge W. Cunningham, Plaintiff.

J. Lowell Moore and
Moore his wife first name

Moore his wife first name unknown.

Defendants.

The above defendants will take notice that on the 14th day of October. 1897, plaintiff filed his petition in the above entitled court against them the prayer whereof is for the foreclosure of a tax deed covering the northwest quarter of section twenty-four, township three, range twelve, Webster county. Nebraska, and a tax deed covering the southeast quarter of section fourteen, township three, range twelve, in said county and state, given to James L. Brittain upon surrender of tax certificate by the treasurer of said county upon the 16th day of November. 1892, by said Brittain and assigned by quit claim deed to plaintiff, certificates having been issued to Jumes L. Brittain upon public sale of said lands for the unpaid taxes of 1899; and for the recovery of subsequent taxes assessed against said land for 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, paid by said Brittain and this plaintiff by virtue of said tax aleeds are recorded in book R of the deed records of said county at pages 320 and 325 respectively; said petition prays for a sale of said lands, an accounting of the amount deeds, and the application thereto and to the plaintiff on account of said tax certificates and deeds, and the application thereto and to the payment of costs and attorneys fees herein of the amount derived from such sale. Defend ants are required to answer said petition on or before the 22d day of November, 1887, or the allegations will be taken as true and decree rendered accordingly.

RANDOLPA MENTET, Plaintiff's Attorney.

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