

Local & Miscellaneous.

In the absence of our Religious Reporter, we are unable to state who will officiate at the School House next Sabbath.

THANKS FOR FAVORS RECEIVED.—Week before last, we announced the death of Mr. Cylinder E. Watch, of decline, of this city.

WE STILL PROSPER.—Notwithstanding the hard times, our citizens continue to erect buildings, which shows that they are not to be baffled by a little adversity.

JOHN P. HORN & Co's two story store, on Main Street, is being pushed towards completion, and when finished it will add another to those substantial improvements that have been made on Main Street, this season.

SEATON & ROWLES are erecting two dwelling houses on Warren Street.

WHITMOYER & SHERK have erected a dwelling house on Hancock Street.

MR LEACH has commenced the erection of a dwelling on Jefferson Street.

REV. C. C. GOSS, read portions of the History of Bellevue, which he is preparing for publication, at the School House, Thursday evening of last week.

THE NEW BRIDGE.—The Carpenter work on the Government Bridge, that is to be built over Pappillion Creek, a mile and a half south of this city, on the Wagon Road, which extends from Platte River to the Running Water, is completed, and as soon as the iron arrives, it will be ready for erection.

RIVER NEWS.—The new steamer, E. M. RYLAND, passed up on the afternoon of Oct. 2d.

THE CARRIER arrived Oct. 4, bound for Sioux City. She made our levee in 8 days from St. Louis, which, considering the low stage of water, is remarkable good time.

OMAHAS.—A band of Omahas visited our city, last Friday. They were on their way to the Otoes, who reside in the south part of the Territory.

The weather has been unpleasant most of the time, during the past week. Rain, fog, lowering clouds, mingled with a little sun-shine, now and then, has been the order of the day.

We printed a large extra edition, last week, of the Gazette, for the benefit of the Bachelors, which went off like hot cakes, and the cry was for more. Whether they have an admiration of hoops and cotton, or not, they do appreciate the labors of the printers.

The wife and daughter of Lieut. Herndon, U. S. N., commander of the lost steamship Central America, passed the summer at Newport. Habitués of the Fillmore House will remember the exquisite voice of Miss H., as well as her good natured use of it.

The Atlantic Telegraph Cable is about the size of a dime in diameter. The outside is composed of eighteen strands of small wire; next is six strands of yarn, next three coats of gutta percha; inside of all are seven copper wires for telegraphing.

NEWSPAPERS IN MINNESOTA.—At the present time forty-three weekly and three daily newspapers are printed and published in Minnesota. Of these 17 are Republican in politics, 14 are Democratic, 12 are independent.

DEATH OF A FAMOUS HORSE.—Mr. Felton's famous stallion Ticonderoga Black Hawk, which took the first premium at the recent United States Agricultural Fair, at Louisville, Ky., died a few days since at Govanstown, Md., quite suddenly, and his death was generally imputed to poison.

A SINGULAR DYING REQUEST.—We find the following in that sober and truthful sheet, the Salem Observer:—An old man dying in Boston recently, was asked if he would have a clergyman sent for.

- List of Letters. Remaining in the Post Office at Bellevue, Nebraska, Oct. 1st, 1857: B. James H. Brown, Elial Barnard, Aron Brown, Samuel Boyce, George B. Baird, Barnett Brady, George Baird, A. K. Briggs, Geisse Blakenet, John Bell, 3, Miss A. E. Boegel, J. M. Bell.

- C. Rumsey Coy, W. S. Craig, John F. Calston, Wm. W. Clarke, Miss Reb's Common, Wm. Colt, Rev. T. H. Canfield, Eugene Caldwell. D. Wm. D. Delashmutt, E. C. Davison, Mrs. Zoa Ducharm, Bennett Doeherty, James Day.

- E. David Ekles, Michael Egan. F. Fremant Freeman, D. H. Forman, George W. Fray, John Foster. G. Charles W. Gilmore, Wm. G. Ghrhan, Jr., Wm. Gilmore, Jr., Hudson George, Narcissa J. Gilmore.

- H. Miss Mary A. Hart, Philander Hepson, Mrs. Susan Howag, George W. Hewitt, Mrs. Sarah Howard, T. B. Haycock, Mrs. Elizabeth Hunt, John Hays, Ralph Hall.

- K. James H. Kneland, John Knerr, 3, Wilhelmine Knok, W. Kafsburger, James V. Kirvan, Mrs. Bridet Kibbe. L. Miss A. Linehan, 2, Adwin Lott, James Lamport, 2, O. E. Leighon, 2. M. J. E. Mason, Peter Morris, John McDonagh.

- P. W. F. Piper, James Tiernan, H. M. Freed, John Pope. R. Paul W. Rockey. S. W. W. Stewart, 2, William Stewart, Joseph B. Strickland, Annie D. Smith, Michael Sawyerheffer, Dr. Sherward, Dr. Wm. Street, Samuel Stewart, 2, D. Sawyer, J. W. Sattan. T. John A. Thomas, R. Thomas, Miss Harriett Parpte, T. J. Torry, 2, John Taylor, 2, Michel Tiernan, Frank Turner, William Taiper, Robert Tompson, Miss A. Tozier. V. John W. Vanetter. W. Fred. Wille, 2, E. C. Warner, James T. White, Herrmann Weis, Henry T. Windiate, Stewart Wilson, Miss E. Walbridge, John Ward.

Hold for want of proper direction:—Mr. Eden Sandeliff, Box 216, K. T., in care of Mr. Berthow or Mr. Youngsland. Persons calling for any of the above letters, will please say "advertised." L. B. KINNEY, P. M.

THE CHICAGO CITY INSURANCE COMPANY. OFFICE: Room No. 1, Masonic Temple, Dearborn Street, Chicago. CAPITAL, \$150,000. DIRECTORS: EDWARD CANFIELD, HENRY CHAPMAN, ISAAC COOK, H. S. MONROE, H. A. WYRCOOP.

OFFICERS: Edmund Canfield, Pres., Wm. S. Bates, Sec'y, Henry Chapman, Treas. THIS Company was organized on the 27th day of March, A. D. 1855, under a special charter from the Legislature of Illinois, and business commenced under the most favorable auspices.

- REFERENCES. Messrs. Stone & Witt, Cleveland, Ohio. 11 Williams & Avery, Chicago, Ill. Norton & Brother, Stone & Bonmer, H. S. Durand, Pres., Racine & Miss. R. R. Co. Northrup, Cash., Racine Co. Bank. Wm. P. Lind, Esq., Milwaukee. J. G. Conroe, Esq., Racine. Ashley Gilbert, Cash. Com'l Bk., Chicago. Henry Faruham, President Chicago & Rock Island Rail Road. Daniel P. Rhodes, Esq., Cleveland, Ohio. Thomas Campbell, Esq., Springfield, Ill. Hon. R. Chamberlin, St. Louis, Mo. Messrs. Wadsworth, Wells & Seymour, Chicago, Ill. Messrs. I. H. Burch & Co., Chicago Bank. Messrs. G. W. Sizer & Co. Chicago, Ill. Wm. Blanchard, Esq., Morris, Ill. Messrs. H. C. & O. G. Cook & Co., Rockford, Ill. Messrs. H. Wheeler & Son, Aurora, Ill. Messrs. Judd, Smith & Pratt, Dixon, Ill. Nehemiah Case, Esq., Buffalo, N. Y. Wm. B. Fandy, Esq., Springfield, Ill. Gen. L. Corn, Springfield, Ill. Richard Ivers, Esq., St. Louis, Mo.

JOHN J. TOWN, Agent at Bellevue VARIETY STORE.

THE undersigned have opened, near the Printing Office, in Bellevue, a large and varied assortment of Goods. Among the variety may be found

DRY GOODS, Such as Brown Moolin, Calico, Sheetting, Shirting, Hosiary, &c.

HARDWARE, KNIVES, FORKS, SCYTHES, WOOD-SAWS, SHOVELS, HAY-FORKS, SPADES, TEA-KETTLES, GRIND-STONES, CHAINS, &c., Together with a quantity of

Boots & Shoes Segars, Rakes, Ropes, Horse-collars, Carpets, Window Sash, Doors, TEAS AND SUGARS, Tobacco, Queensware, Glassware, Flour, Crackers and a great many more articles.

Wines and Liquors, Warranted the best quality; cheap for cash. J. P. HORN & CO.

Land Warrants CONSTANTLY on hand and for sale by the FONTENELLE BANK. Pre-emptors can make a handsome saving by using Warrants. All Warrants sold by the above Institution are guaranteed. JOHN J. TOWN, Cashier. Bellevue, June 27, 1857.

BRICK AND LUMBER. A LARGE quantity of first rate Brick and Lumber for Sale, at reasonable rates. Enquire at my Office near the Benton House. JOSEPH E. PRAY.

STOVES! STOVES!! STOVES!!! The undersigned takes this method of informing the citizens of Bellevue, and vicinity, that he has just received the LARGEST and BEST assortment of Cooking, Parlor & Office Stoves, ever brought to this Territory. He would respectfully invite all in want of Stoves, to call and examine for themselves. I am also manufacturing

TIN-WARE of all kinds, such as BUCKETS, COFFEE POTS, PANS, STRAINERS &c., &c., and all articles in my line of business. Particular attention paid to ROOFING, SPOUTING, and every kind of Tin-work. All work warranted to give satisfaction. Orders solicited. My place of business is opposite the Printing Office, Bellevue, N. T. SAMUEL SNYDER.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP. NOTICE.—The subscribers hereby give notice that the copartnership heretofore existing between them under the name and style of Todd & Smith, this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or against the firm will be settled by Burton W. Todd. BURTON W. TODD, E. P. SMITH. Bellevue, August 12, 1857.

TERRITORY OF NEBRASKA, } SS. COUNTY OF SARPY. NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Commissioners of Sarpy County, will meet on Monday, Sept. 21st, A. D. 1857, at the house of Maj. Watson, at 9 o'clock, A. M. to view and locate a public road from the city of Bellevue, on the best route to the corner of Sections 2, 3, 10, and 11, in Township 13, north, Range 13, east; thence west in the line between Sections 3, 4, 9, and 10, in the same Township and Range; thence westerly on the most practicable route through Anderson's Grove; thence westerly to the Platte or Elkhorn Rivers. Said Commissioners will meet on the evening of said day, at 4 o'clock, at the Benton House, Bellevue, to hear all parties interested in locating and establishing said road of highway.

By order of the County Commissioners. [s.] STEPHEN D. BANGS, Clerk of Sarpy Co. Bellevue, Aug. 18, 1857.

NOTICE! ALL persons indebted to Clarke & Bro., will come forward immediately and pay up. "A word to the wise is sufficient." CLARKE & BRO. Bellevue, Aug. 12, 1857.

PALMER & AVERILL'S COLUMN. PALMER & AVERILL. Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

CHINA, GLASS AND Queensware,

MIRRORS, And Fancy Goods,

LAMPS, WATERS, TABLE CUTLERY,

BRITANIA WARE, &c. Our stock is entirely new, very large, and carefully selected, and by adhering strictly to the cash system, we are able to offer very great inducements to all who may favor us with a call.

PALMER & AVERILL, THE LARGEST Drug & Chemical House IN THE WEST. OMAHA CITY, NEBRASKA TERRITORY JONES & WOOD, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Dye-Staffs, Window Glass, Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Tobacco, &c. &c. &c.

Having purchased the entire stock of DRUGS and FANCY GOODS formerly belonging to C. A. Henry & Co., together with our own full purchase, we are now enabled to offer the public as complete an assortment of DRUGS and FANCY GOODS as can be found west of the Mississippi river. Our stock is of magnitude enough to supply the whole Nebraska trade; and having been purchased under the most favorable circumstances, we feel assured in our statements that if Fine Goods, as regards quantity, quality and price, are any object to those dealing in DRUGS and MEDICINES, we can offer these inducements to a greater extent than any other house in the West. Country Merchants and Physicians are requested to examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. JONES & WOOD. NO MORE HARD TIMES. S. M. PIKE. HAS established himself in a NEW GROCERY STORE, in Bellevue, on Mission Avenue, east of Main Street, where he will keep constantly on hand, all kinds of fresh Groceries. Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, Rice, Fish, &c. He has also a choice lot of liquors, and every other article usually kept in a Grocery Store. A meat market is kept in the basement story, for the accommodation of the citizens of Bellevue, and vicinity. 33 3/4

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PRO BONO PUBLICO. BELLEVUE Commercial Emporium!!

THE undersigned respectfully solicit the attention of the citizens of Bellevue and vicinity, to their extensive assortment of goods, embracing every variety usually kept in the west. The attention of the ladies is particularly called to our large assortment of Dress Goods, consisting in part of silks, French and American Jaconet and Organdy Laines, Berages, De Laines, &c. Figured and Plain Swiss, Jacquet and Book Muslin, Calicoes, Ribbons, Artificial Flowers and Wreaths, Dress Trimmings, Hosiery, Bonnets, Flats, &c.

BOOTS & SHOES. Ladies fine morocco slippers, kid and morocco buskins, parodi ties, and Jenny Lind, kid, nameled and calf skin lace boots, black and colored gaiters, &c. Gent's fine morocco and calf skin boots, fine cloth, calf skin and patent leather gaiters, sew'd and peg'd morocco slippers, &c. Children's shoes,—a great variety.

HATS. Men's and boys' fine felt, wool, Panama, curracon, seaneite, Lughorn, palm,—a great variety.

CLOTHING. The largest stock ever opened in this county, consisting of coats, pants, vests, shirts, collars, overalls, &c. of all sizes, styles, and quality, for men, boys and children.

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY. A great variety of both English and American manufacture, Carpenters' tools, &c. House keepers and builders will find it to their advantage to call before purchasing elsewhere.

Also, a large stock of choice Groceries. All the above articles, together with a great variety not mentioned, will be sold low for cash. All kinds of merchantable country produce taken in exchange for goods. Also Dry Hides, Furs, &c. Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to us by the citizens of this county, we earnestly solicit its continuance. SEATON & ROWLES, Main Street.

OMAHA ADVERTISEMENTS. WOOLWORTH'S NEBRASKA IN 1857. THIS work will again be ready for delivery by the 15th inst. The first supply was received last week and was immediately sold. A new County Map, corrected by Mr. Byers, according to the county boundaries established by the Legislature last winter, has been engraved expressly for the work, and will appear in the next edition. Besides a history of the Territory, its condition and prospects, the work contains the claim laws of Nebraska, and a digest of the United States pre-emption laws, making a complete pre-emptor's guide. Every person interested in Nebraska should have a copy of the work. Price, with the map, 75 cents; without the map, 50 cents. Single copies mailed, postage paid, on receipt of price, to any part of the country. C. C. WOOLWORTH, Omaha, June 11, 1857.—32 1/2

BOOKS, STATIONERY AND PAPER HANGINGS. A complete assortment at WOOLWORTH'S Bookstore, Omaha City, N. T. Special agent for Scribner Books. J. A. JONES. GEO. W. WOOD. THE LARGEST Drug & Chemical House IN THE WEST. OMAHA CITY, NEBRASKA TERRITORY JONES & WOOD, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN Drugs, Chemicals, Paints, Oils, Dye-Staffs, Window Glass, Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Tobacco, &c. &c. &c.

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SPRING ARRANGEMENT. Regular Packet for Kansas, Leavenworth, Weston, St. Joseph, Savannah, Iowa Point, Nebraska City, Bellevue, Council Bluffs, Omaha and Florence. THE new and elegant Passenger Steamer Florence, J. Throckmorton, Master, J. E. Gorman, Clerk, will commence her trips as a regular packet in the above trade, on the opening of navigation in the spring, and will remain in it throughout the season. The Florence having been built under the superintendence of the undersigned, expressly for the trade, is of extraordinary strength, and well adapted to it in every particular. A reasonable share of the patronage of shippers, and the public generally, is respectfully solicited. J. THROCKMORTON, Master. 25-s J. E. GORMAN, Clerk.

SEASON ARRANGEMENT. Regular Packet for Kansas, Nebraska City, Bellevue, Council Bluffs, Omaha, and Florence. THE new and elegant Steamer Min-n-a-ha-ha, Capt. Charles Baker, Master, — Hutchinsan, Clerk, will run as a regular packet, to the above and all intermediate points on the Missouri river, and persons can rely upon her continuing in the trade regularly during the season. The Min-n-a-ha-ha is an entirely new boat, built expressly for the Missouri River trade, and being fitted up in the latest and most approved style, her officers feel confident, that strict attention to the comforts of Passengers, and to business, will make her the favorite boat in the trade. CHAS. BAKER, Master. — HUTCHINSON, Clerk. H. T. Clarke, Agent. 26-s

Tailoring! Tailoring! The undersigned begs leave to inform the citizens of Bellevue and vicinity that he is prepared to do custom work, in the latest fashion and most approved style. He feels confident that his work is unsurpassed East or West; and by moderate prices respectfully solicits a share of the public patronage. He will always be found ready to receive orders at the Bellevue House. JOSEPH BRAY. Bellevue, N. T. March 11th 1857.

Charles E. Watson, CIVIL ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, Bellevue City, Nebraska Territory, professes to be "posted" in the lay of the land in this vicinity, and offers his services to such as may need them, on reasonable terms. He will also act as agent, for the purchase or sale of Real Estate, in the Territory, or Western Iowa. Information furnished upon application. Declarations filed and pre-emptions obtained. 4-tf

THE MISSOURI RIVER AND IOWA STONE COMPANY. AT ST. MARYS, MILLS CO., IOWA. ARE prepared to furnish Western Iowa and Nebraska with SAND, GRAVEL, LIME, ROCK, & BUILDING STONE of every variety, size and shape. They have facilities for quarrying ANY QUANTITY, that may be needed, and also intend to make BRICK, WATER LIME, &c. 100 Laborers. WANTED. REFERENCES: P. CHOUTEAU Jr. & Co., St. Louis, GREENE, WHEAT & BENTON, Council Bluffs. All orders should be addressed to JNO. W. ANTHONY, SECRETARY. St. Marys, March 15th, 1857. 21-tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE. 30 LOTS IN BELLEVUE. Also SHARES BELLEVUE STOCK. do ELK HILL ADDITION do JUNCTION CITY. For further particulars enquire of T. M. McCORD, At the Fontenelle Bank. Bellevue, April 18, 1857. 26-tf

PLATTE RIVER FERRY. THE Platte River Ferry Company have their Ferry in successful operation at the MOUTH OF PLATTE RIVER. This route is six miles shorter than that by Cedar Island, and is a much better route. EXPERIENCED AND CAREFUL MEN will be in attendance at all times to accommodate the traveling public. Rates of Passage as low as any other point. W. M. SLAUGHTER. Plattsmouth, Aug. 1, 1857. 3m-10