

It has been supposed by many that the origin of the society of Odd-Fellows—or rather the organization of that association—was comparatively modern date. It will be somewhat surprising, however, says the Cincinnati Times, "to learn that its origin dates as far back as the time of Nero, and was established by the Roman soldiers in the year 55. At that time they were called 'Fellow Citizens.' The present name was given them by Titus Caesar, twenty-four years afterwards; and they were so called from the singular character of their meetings, and from their knowing each other by night or day by means of mystical signs and language. At the same time he presented them with a dispensation, engraved on a plate of gold, bearing emblems of mortality. In the fifth century the order was established in the Spanish dominions, and in Portugal in the sixth century. It did not reach France and England until the eleventh century. It was then established in the latter country by John De Neville, who, assisted by 5 Knights from France, formed a G. L. in London. This ancient fraternity has now its lodges in every quarter of the globe, and by its usefulness and benevolent character commands the respect and countenance of all who are acquainted with its nature and purposes." Those upon whose information reliance may be placed, give credit to Baltimore for first introducing Odd-Fellowship into the United States, and to G. S. Thomas Wilde, still living among us, belongs the honor.

MASONIC.
The regular meetings of Nebraska Lodge, No. 184, of Free and Accepted Masons, will be held at Masonic Hall, on the second and fourth Tuesday evenings of each month, at 7 o'clock.
L. B. KINNEY, W. M.

I. O. O. F.
The regular meetings of Bellevue Lodge, No. 4, will be held on Saturday evening of each week, at 7 o'clock, P. M. Brothers of the order who may be in our city on that evening, are respectfully invited to attend.
S. A. STRICKLAND, N. G.
F. M. DAVENPORT, Sec'y.

Mail Arrangements.
EASTERN MAIL.
ARRIVES
Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays at 6 o'clock, P. M.
CLOSES
Sundays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, at 9 o'clock, P. M.
WESTERN MAIL
ARRIVES
Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, at 6 o'clock, P. M.
CLOSES
Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, at 9 o'clock, P. M.
SOUTHERN MAIL.
ARRIVES
Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, at 9 o'clock, P. M.
CLOSES
Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, at 10 o'clock, A. M.
NORTHERN MAIL.
ARRIVES
Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, at 10 o'clock, A. M.
CLOSES
Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, at 9 o'clock, A. M.
Office open on Sundays, only from 6 o'clock P. M. to 8 o'clock P. M. This rule will be strictly adhered to.
L. B. KINNEY, P. M.

BELLEVUE MARKET.
Corrected weekly by CLARKE & BROTHERS, Forwarding and Com. Merchants.
Flour—Extra Superfine, \$4 per 98 lbs. 50
do Fine, \$3.50
Meal—\$2 per 100 lbs.
Apples—Green, \$3.00 Dried, \$3.50
Peaches—\$1.00
Butter—New 40¢ 75¢
do Old packed, 25 to 30¢ 75¢
Beans—\$1.50 75¢ bus.
Corn—50¢ bush.
Oats—50¢
Beef—6 to 7c.
Dried Beef—20¢ per lb.
Salt—G. A., per sack, \$3.50.
Eggs—25¢ per doz
Hides—Dry, 7c
do Green, 3
Hay—\$1.00 @ \$6.00 per ton
Bran—30 cents per bush.
Lard—Fresh, \$6 to \$7 per hun.
Lard—15¢ c 75¢
Onions—\$3.50 75¢ bus.
Potatoes—50¢
Pelts—Sheep 50c
do Coon 25c
Wood—Cotton, 2.50, Hard, 5.00,
Lumber—Cottonwood sheath, 25¢ m
do do edged \$30.00 m
do Oak, Walnut, Basewood \$45.00
do Pine siding, clear \$55.00 75¢ m.
do Flooring 2d \$65.00
Boards, \$50 @ \$75.00
Shingles—Pine \$3.50 @ \$9.50 75¢ m.
do Cottonwood \$5.00
Lath—Pine \$12.00 per m
Doors—\$3.50 @ \$4.75 each.
Sash—\$1.00 @ \$2.1-4 per casement.

LEGAL NOTICE.
The Peoples Bank is in attachment, in the County of Sarpy, and Territory of Nebraska.
George Jennings, Plaintiff.
Reuben Lovejoy, Defendant.
To George Jennings, You are hereby notified, that on the twelfth day of January, A. D. 1857, the Peoples Bank of the City of New York, by their Attorney, filed in the office of the Clerk of the First Judicial District Court of Sarpy County, Nebraska Territory, their petition, claiming of you the sum of Five Hundred and Sixty-one (\$561) Dollars, as money due them upon a certain promissory note, made by you in writing, dated August 15th 1857; and payable ninety days from the date thereof.
You are also notified, that attachment issued on said office, in the above cause, to satisfy said claim, according to the prayer of the plaintiff.
Now unless you appear and answer said petition on or before the second day of the next term of the District Court, to be begun and held in the City of Bellevue on the second day of March, A. D. 1858; judgment will be taken against you for the above amount with interest and costs.
JAMES G. CHAPMAN, Attorney for Plaintiff.
Ordered to be printed in the Bellevue Gazette four successive weeks.
J. W. PADDOCK, Clerk of the First Judicial District Court of Sarpy County.
By Stephen D. Bangs, Deputy Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICE.
William H. Smith, Plaintiff, vs. William H. Brown, Defendant.
In attachment in the First Judicial District Court, in and for the County of Sarpy, and Territory of Nebraska.
WILLIAM H. BROWN, the defendant in the above entitled cause, who is a non-resident of the Territory, will take notice, that William H. Smith, the plaintiff, did on the 7th day of January, A. D. 1858, sue out of the said Court, a writ of attachment against the property and effects of said defendant, claiming that there is due from the defendant to the plaintiff, the sum of one thousand dollars, on a promissory note, made in writing, and signed by the said defendant, on the first day of July, A. D. 1857.
And that unless said defendant appear on or before the next term of said Court, to be held on the second day of March, A. D. 1858, in the City of Bellevue, judgment will be taken against him, for the above amount, with interest and costs.
T. B. LEMON, L. L. Bowen, Att'ys for P.Pt.
Ordered to be published in the Bellevue Gazette, four successive weeks.
4111 J. W. PADDOCK, Clerk of First Judicial District Court, for Sarpy County.
By STEPHEN D. BANGS, Dep. Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICE.
Crow, McCreary & Co., vs. John Chase.
In attachment in the First Judicial District Court, in the County of Sarpy, and Territory of Nebraska.
To JOHN CHASE—Sir—You are hereby notified, that on the 12th day of January, A. D. 1858, Crow, McCreary & Co., filed in the office of the Clerk of the First Judicial District Court of Sarpy County, Nebraska Territory, their petition, claiming of you the sum of seven hundred dollars, as money due them upon a certain promissory note, made by you in writing, dated May 5th, A. D. 1857, and payable at six months from date thereof, to the order of the said defendants. The original notice in said cause, has been returned to this office by the sheriff of this county, not served, that you could not be found in the county.
You are also notified that attachment issued out of the said office, against your property, in the above cause, to satisfy said claim, according to the prayer of the plaintiff. Now unless you appear and answer said petition, on or before the second day of the next term of the District Court, to be begun and held in the City of Bellevue, on the second day of March, A. D. 1858; judgment will be taken against you, for the above amount, with interest and costs.
T. B. LEMON, Bowen & Strickland, Att'ys for P.Pt.
Ordered to be published in the Bellevue Gazette, four successive weeks.
4111 J. W. PADDOCK, Clerk of First Judicial District Court, for Sarpy County.
By STEPHEN D. BANGS, Dep. Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICE.
Margaret Gates, vs. Samuel Gates.
Petition for Divorce, in the District Court, First Judicial District, within and for the County of Sarpy, Territory of Nebraska.
The defendant, Samuel Gates, will take notice, that Margaret Gates, the petitioner, on the 2d day of February, A. D. 1858, filed her petition in said court, praying that the bonds of matrimony existing between petitioner and defendant, may be dissolved; giving cause, abandonment and wilful absence for more than two years, last past; and that unless said defendant appear and answer said petition, on or before the second day of next term of said District Court, a decree will be taken in accordance with the prayer of said petition.
By Bowen & Strickland, her Attorneys.
J. W. PADDOCK, Clerk of said court.
By S. D. BANGS, Deputy Clerk.
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Legal Notice.
Cyrus K. Mark vs. Coffman & Stoddard.
In attachment, in the First Judicial District Court, in and for the County of Sarpy, and Territory of Nebraska.
To George Jennings, Sir, You are hereby notified, that on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1857, Cyrus K. Mark, filed in the Office of the Clerk of the First Judicial District Court of Sarpy County, and Territory of Nebraska, his petition, claiming of you the sum of Five Hundred and Fifty-eight Dollars, as money due him, upon a certain promissory note, made in writing and signed by Coffman and Stoddard, on the 7th day of April, A. D. 1857; and payable to your order, on or before the first day of November next thereafter, and the said note being by you endorsed, and the payment thereof guaranteed at maturity.
You are also notified, that attachment, was issued out of the office of the Clerk of the said Court, against your property, to satisfy said claim, according to the prayer of the plaintiff. Now unless you appear, and answer said petition, on or before the second day of next term of the First Judicial District Court, in said county, to be begun and held in the City of Bellevue, on the second day of March, A. D. 1858; judgment will be taken against you, for the above amount, with interest and costs.
T. B. LEMON, L. L. Bowen, Att'ys for P.Pt.
Ordered to be printed in the Bellevue Gazette four successive weeks.
4111 J. W. PADDOCK, Clerk of the First Judicial District Court of Sarpy County.
By Stephen D. Bangs, Deputy Clerk.

Caution.
THE public are hereby cautioned, not to purchase or trade for a certain promissory note, signed by the subscriber, about the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1857; and made payable to the order of L. B. Kinney, Sixty days from the date thereof, at the Fontenelle Bank, for the sum of three Hundred Dollars. There being no consideration whatever, the same will not be paid by me.
L. B. KINNEY.

Flour.
FOR sale, a good quality of Flour, at \$3.75 per sack, at the store of
BARTELS & METZ.
W. H. Longsdorf, Graduate of Penn. College of Dental Surgery, respectfully announces to the citizens of Bellevue, and vicinity, that he is now prepared to practice Dentistry, in all its various branches.
Office hours from 2 till 5, P. M.

GREAT SACRIFICE
—IN—
Store Goods.
W. C. AVERILL & CO.,
Having determined to close out the balance of the stock, will offer until the 1st of March, their entire stock at
COST.
Great Bargains may be Had in
BOOTS & SHOES.
Four Drawer Bureaus,
Mahogany Front, for only \$10.
WILL OFFER

FURNITURE,
Without Regard to Cost.
LADIE'S
Fine Shoes.
Fancy Groceries at Cost.
FANCY GOODS.
DRY GOODS
Hardware.
Queensware AND GLASSWARE
HATS & CAPS,
AT HALF THE USUAL PRICE.
Any one in want of really cheap goods, will do well to defer buying until they attend this sale.
TERMS, CASH.
Bellevue, Jan. 28, 1858.

Notice.
ALL persons who are indebted to the late firm of Palmer & Averill, will please call and settle the same with
GEORGE P. AVERILL.
N. B.—All accounts not closed within 30 days, will be sued.
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Notice!
THERE will be a meeting of the Stockholders of the Bellevue Printing Press, at Bowen & Strickland's office, on Saturday evening, at 7 o'clock, A. M., Jan. 23rd, 1858. All the stockholders, will take notice, that those refusing, failing, or neglecting, to represent said stock, and pay back assessments if any there are, and such assessments as shall be made at said meeting, will forfeit their amount of stock in said press.
SILAS A. STRICKLAND, Director and Acting Agent.

Notice
To the Public.
THE undersigned having purchased the entire stock of Jewelry, formerly owned by Alex. Kemp, is prepared to sell the same at 25 per cent less than was ever offered in this city before, as room must be made for a large spring assortment. The stock consists of GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, Clocks, Sets of Cameo, Coral, Enamel, Painted, Gold Stone, Masonic and Mourning Jewelry, Brooches, Ear Drops, Cuff Pins, Shirt Studs, Lockets, Bracelets, Rings, Gold, Silver, and Plain Guard, Fob and Vest Chains, Gold and Silver Spectacles. Also a splendid assortment of MORTON'S CELEBRATED GOLD PENS. Also Musical Instruments, Cutlery, Port Monies, Pouches, Card Cases, &c., &c.
A fine stock of Rifles, Shot Guns, Revolvers, &c., will be sold at a small advance above cost, as the subscriber wishes to go out of the gun business.
All kinds of repairing done with neatness and dispatch by competent workmen.
I still continue to take Omaha Scrip, Western Exchange, Nemaha Valley, eastern money, or gold and silver, in exchange for goods.
Store on 12th Street, one door from Farrahman, and directly opposite the Western Exchange Bank, Omaha, N. T.
Please call and examine goods and prices.
T. W. WOODS.
Omaha, Jan. 12th, 1858.

Mortgage Sale
NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue, and in pursuance of a Deed of Mortgage executed by Alfred Kellum, to the under signed, dated December 18th, A. D. 1857, to secure the sum of Fifteen Hundred and Forty Six Dollars and Eighty-four cents, in the following manner, to wit: \$500 on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1857, \$500 on the 9th day of January 1858, and the residue on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1858, and Recorded in Book B. of Land Records, of Sarpy county, N. T. Page 291, 2, 3; one of the conditions in the said mortgage is, that default being made in the payment of, either of said notes, the whole should immediately become due, and payable, and default having been made in the two first named notes, and interest thereon; and this being the third time, said mortgage has been renewed; now therefore, by virtue of the authority in me vested, by said Deed of Mortgage, I will proceed to sell, according to the conditions therein set forth, to the highest bidder for cash, at public sale, in the City of Bellevue, N. T. before the door of the Bellevue House, on Saturday, the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1858, at 10 o'clock, A. M. all the following described property, to wit: the undivided one half of Block No 113 in the City of Bellevue, Sarpy co. N. T. according to survey made by S. W. T. Schimonsky in 1856; and also, all the undivided half of the certain piece or parcel of Land situated and lying in the County of Sarpy and Territory of Nebraska and known and described as follows, to wit: commencing at a post 8 1/2 rods North, 81 1/4 East of the S.W. corner of sec 13, township 13 range 13, E of the 6 principal meridian. Thence North 47 1/2 west 23 1/2 rods to a cotton wood stump, thence N 34 E 9 1/2 rods to a post thence S 47 1/2 E 23 1/2 rods to a post, thence S 31 W 9 1/2 rods to place of beginning; also all the improvements & buildings, consisting in part, of one steam saw mill and the treatment hereditament and appurtenances thereof, subject nevertheless, to a Deed of Mortgage, to secure the payment of Two Thousand Two Hundred Dollars, (\$2200) it being a prior mortgage and having precedence over all others.
12-3 V. A. GWYER, Mortgagee.

Notice.
IS hereby given, to Charles Van Alstine, and all others, when they may concern, to appear at the Land Office, in Omaha city, on Saturday the 23rd day of January 1858 at 11 o'clock, A. M. Then and there to offer such evidence, as you may have in support of your respective claims, to the N. half of the S E quarter, section No 32; and the W half of the S W quarter sec 33, Township 11, Range 13, E. The entry having been returned, for investigation, by the Commissioner of the Land Office.
ENOCH Mc CARTY.

Little Giant CORN & COB MILL.
A Penny Saved is Worth Two Pence Earned.
THE subscriber has one of the Little Giant Corn Mills, where any one can come, and grind corn in P., for every tenth bushel. You can make a very good meal in 1-2 for stock, grind your corn of the cob, by so doing you will make a great saving, as one bushel, so ground is worth two to feed to stock without REUBEN LOVEJOY.
Jan. 14th 1858

Flour AND CORN MEAL.
THE best of Flour for four dollars per sack, corn-meal for two dollars per sack. For sale by
RUBEN LOVEJOY.
Bellevue, Dec 29th, '57

Notice!
THE citizens know and feel this cold weather; and those that are sleeping, awake! if awake, walk! if walking, run! if running, fly! to the Tin and Stove Store of Sam'l Snyder, and provide yourselves with such articles in line, as you may want, before it is too late. Come all that are suffering from the cold, and I will sell you stoves that will comfort you, in this cold region. Now is your only chance, as I am selling goods, cheaper than they can be bought in St. Louis.
Ponderelle Money and country produce, taken in exchange for the same.
I have a house and lot, which I will sell cheap. Read and run to
SAMUEL SNYDER.
1st. Bellevue, opposite the printing office.

Grocery
—AND—
PROVISION STORE.
MR. S. M. PIRE, still continues to keep at his old stand, on Mission Avenue, east of Main Street, fresh Groceries, of all kinds, of the best quality. Also, a choice lot of Liquors.
He has fitted up, in the rear of his store, a first class
RESTAURANT,
Where he will furnish warm meals, or cold lunch, at all hours of the day, including the following dishes:
Roast Beef, Oysters, Corned Beef, Sardines, Pickled Tongue, Wild Game, Potted Tripe, Hot Coffee, Pies Feet, And Tea.
His customers, and the public generally, are invited to give him a call.
Nov. 20.

A New Watch
—AND—
Jewelry
Establishment in Omaha
W. M. FRODSHAM, having retired from the late firm of Kemp & Frodsam, has opened a new store at No. 3, Capt. Down's building, between the Methodist Church, where he invites his old patrons to give him a call. Time pieces and Jewelry, of every description, neatly and expeditiously repaired. 6ml

Notice
I hereby give, that I will not pay a certain promissory note given to Mr. Miller, dated at Bellevue, N. T., on or about the 19th Nov. 1857; and due 90 days from date, for nineteen dollars and eighty-seven cents, or thereabouts. I hereby warn and notify any and all persons, from purchasing said note, as I was deceived by said Miller, and have not received any value, for the same.
E. N. UPJOHN.
Bellevue, N. T. Dec. 22, 1857.

Apples, Flour & Salt.
30 BARRELS Apples, 50 Sacks of Fancy City St. Louis Flour, 50 Sacks A G Salt, \$3.00 per Sack, for sale for cash, by
CLARKE & BRO.

School.
MRS. J. E. NYE, will again open her School, on Wednesday, November 4th. Grateful to the citizens of Bellevue, for past patronage, she asks its continuance, hoping she may be able to retain the approval and confidence, that has been kindly extended to her. There will be two terms of twelve weeks each, the ensuing winter.
For the first rudiments of reading and spelling, \$1.00 a term.
Common English branches, Arithmetic, Grammar and Geography, \$3.00 a term.
Higher English branches, or French, \$6.00 a term.
L. L. BOWEN, General Agent of F. L. C. A.

VARIETY STORE.
THE undersigned have opened, a large and commodious new store, on the corner of Main and 21st Streets, in Bellevue, where a varied assortment of Goods may be found Among them are
DRY GOODS,
Such as
Brown Muslin, Calico, Sheetting, Shirting, Hosiery, &c.
HARDWARE,
KNIVES, SCYTHES, FORK-SAWS, SHOVELS, HAY-FORKS, SPADES, TEA-KETTLES, GRIND-STONES, CHAINS, &c., &c.
Together with a quantity of
Boots & Shoes
Saddles, Hakes, Ropes, Horse-collars, Carpsacks, Window Sash, Doors,
TEAS AND SUGARS,
Tobacco, Queensware, Glassware, Flour, Crackers and a great many more articles. They keep constantly on hand, a large assortment of good
Wines and Liquors,
Warranted the best quality; cheap for cash.
J. P. HORN & CO.
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LOUIS F. BARTELS. FRANK METZ
BARTELS & METZ,
WOULD respectfully announce to the inhabitants of Bellevue, and vicinity, that they have opened a store, on the corner of Main and 21st Streets, and now offer for sale, a variety of goods, which are entirely new, consisting of
Dry Goods and Clothing,
Boots and Shoes,
Groceries, Liquors,
Drugs, Medicines,
Paints and Paint Brushes,
Oils and Varnish,
Window Glass of all sizes,
China and Glass Ware,
Hats and Caps,
Buffalo Shoes,
Blankets and Fur Gloves.
The above articles are of the first quality, and as above it remains constantly in stock. Louis, selecting goods, and watching the market, we feel confident that we can sell as cheap, or cheaper, than any one else in the west.
The public are invited to give us a call and examine the goods for themselves.
We will buy farmer's produce at the highest prices.
Give us a call, at the new store, corner of Main and 21st Streets, Bellevue, Nebraska Territory.
Bellevue, Sept. 10, 1857.

Furniture.
JOS. W. LOWRIE, practical Cabinet Maker, informs the people of Bellevue and vicinity, that he is now prepared to repair, varnish, or to make to order, in the best manner, any article of furniture, which they may desire to have, at his shop, in Chase's building, in Bellevue.
Coffins made in any style, at the shortest possible notice.
J. W. L.

New Firm.
THE undersigned, having purchased the stock in trade, of Palmer & Averill, do business will be carried on, as heretofore, at the old stand, under the same and style of
W. C. AVERILL & CO.
W. H. LONGSDORF.

Meat Market
Changed Hands.
MESSRS OLIVER & STONE, have purchased of H. Cook Griffith, his entire interest in the butchering business, and will hereafter be found at his old stand, on Mission Avenue, east of Main Street, under S. M. Pike's Grocery and Provision Store, where they will be happy to wait upon his old customers, and all others who may choose to favor them with their patronage.
GEORGE A. OLIVER.
Oct. 29, 6m51 CHARLES STONE.

MISSION SHARES LOST.—CAUTION.
LOST in transit by mail, between New York, and this place, 4 Certificates of Stock, in the Mission property, numbers not recollected. The said Certificates were made out in the name of Christopher Gwyer, and were not endorsed by him, or made payable to any party. The public are cautioned against purchasing said Shares, as no title to property will be conveyed by them.
3150 W. M. A. GWYER.

HOOPER & DAVENPORT.
MERCHANT TAILORS.
WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Bellevue and vicinity, that they have commenced the TAILORING-BUSINESS, in the building formerly occupied by J. M. Bartels, corner MAIN street and FIFTH AVENUE, and intend keeping constantly on hand CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES, &c.
Which will be made up to order with neatness and dispatch.
Also, FURS and HIDES bought or taken in exchange for goods.
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