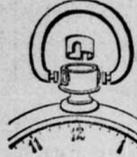


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LAND OFFICE AT MCCOOK, NEB., May 31, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final homestead proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, July 15, 1897, viz:

**ROBERT T. ALLAM,** who made H. E. No. 8842 for the southeast quarter of section 3, in township 1, north of range 30, west of the 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Edward P. Duffey, Richard M. Wade, John H. Wade and Andrew Anderson all of McCook, Neb. J. P. LINDSAY, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT MCCOOK, NEBRASKA, June 12th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Nebraska, on Saturday, July 24th, 1897, viz:

**JOHN HOUGE** who made H. E. No. 8529 for the southwest quarter of section 21, in township 5, north of range 29, west of the 6th P. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Colbein P. Viland, of McCook, Nebraska; William E. Ketch, of Box Elder, Nebraska; Hubert Beach, of Box Elder, Nebraska, and James Spaulding, of McCook, Nebraska. J. P. LINDSAY, Register.

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A NICE menu for an "at home" breakfast given at 11 or 12 o'clock consists of grape fruit, creamed chicken in scalloped shells, with rolled bread and butter; a third course of French chops, broiled or breaded, with creamed potatoes, lettuce salad, if you can get that which is choice, and strawberries served with half a lemon on each plate. Serve coffee and tea with the second course. In preparing the grape fruit cut it in halves cross-wise, cut out the hard core, and fill in the space with powdered sugar. A teaspoonful of sherry or rum is often added. Serve very cold half of one fruit on each plate. Sometimes the rum or sherry is passed when the fruit is served. This is apt to be the case if one has a handsome little flagon of choice glass.

If you are looking for a menu for a wedding feast one sufficiently elaborate consists of scalloped lobster in individual shells, chicken salad, jellied tongue, rolled bread and butter, finger rolls filled with minced chicken. Cut the rolls open, scoop out the inside, and tie with a narrow ribbon. For beverages have hot or iced coffee, Russian tea and lemonade.—New York Evening Post.

THE London Lancet is making a crusade against the "byke" on account of the prevalence of the new disease that the doctors have dubbed "Kyphosis Bicyclistarum." It is a peculiar hump-back caused by doubling up the spine over the wheel. It must be a dangerous disease if there is anything in a name, and the Journal holds it up for the admonition of its young friends of the wheel. There isn't any need however, of getting hump backed on the bicycle. It is easy to be seen that people can sit up straight and get along just as well on the wheel as by trying to make letter Cs of themselves. It is suggested that most speeders adopt this posture rather from imitation than from necessity. If this be the case the sooner the cyclers straighten themselves up the better.—Lincoln Journal.

GOVERNOR ALTGELD astounded the citizens of Chicago tremendously recently when he granted a pardon to the three remaining anarchists in the Illinois penitentiary. Two of the three pardoned anarchists were sentenced to death Fielden and Schwab, and the other Neebe to fifteen years. The former two escaped the noose by having their sentence changed to a life sentence, and now all three are free. It was hinted at the time that Altgeld ran for governor that he would grant these pardons, but few believed it. They now know where his sympathy lies and where it would very likely be if the bomb throwers resumed their murderous work again.

THE closing of the India mints to the coinage of silver takes away an open market for about 35 million ounces of silver annually and still further complicates the silver question. The urgency for some decided action on the part of the United States Government is measurably increased thereby, and the consideration of what action shall be taken raises the most important and perplexing problem which confronts the American people.

A little passenger rate war has broken out in Texas. It is a story that is bound to be a familiar one before the close of the summer. The roads were attempting to hold up the world's fair rates, when one line was discovered in a little intrigue to take business on the side at less than schedule figures. The best way to avoid this sort of thing is to cut at once to a rate of one fair for the round trip. Then there will be so much business that it will not be necessary to scramble for traffic, even in Texas.

GOVERNOR ALTGELD of Illinois acts like and talks like a disciple of the red flag himself. Doubtless the people of that state are now heartily sorry that Private Joe Fifer was defeated.

THE effort to boom "Buffalo Bill" Cody for Governor of Nebraska savors strongly of the ridiculous; the idea should not be seriously entertained by the politicians or the people of Nebraska.

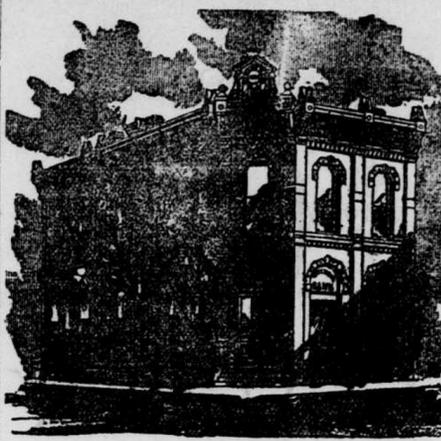
THE laxity of the divorce system in the United States has again been made ridiculously apparent by the decision of a Philadelphia judge, who gravely announces from the bench that a man living with one wife in Pennsylvania cannot be convicted of bigamy because he happens to have another wife in Ohio from whom he has not been divorced. There is evidently an urgent demand for a national divorce law in the United States.

THE small debtor who owes less than \$20 has a potent influence upon the financial condition of the country. If all of them would pay up, the retail merchant would be able to meet his obligations to the jobber, who in turn could then satisfy the importer. The banks would not be called upon for such heavy loans, interest would come down, money would seek investment, real estate would be in demand, new enterprises would be inaugurated, the demand for labor would be increased and times would be good. A great deal thus depends upon the smaller debtor class.

THE eighth wonder of the world is this: "Two pounds of ironstone purchased on the shore of Lake Michigan and transported to Pittsburg, two pounds of coal mined in Connellsville and manufactured into one and one-fourth pounds of coke and brought to Pittsburg, one-half pound of limestone mined east of the Alleghanies and transported to Pittsburg, a little magnetite ore, mined in Virginia and brought to Pittsburg, and these four and one-half pounds of material manufactured into one pound of solid steel and sold for one cent. That's all that need be said about the steel business."—Andrew Carnegie.

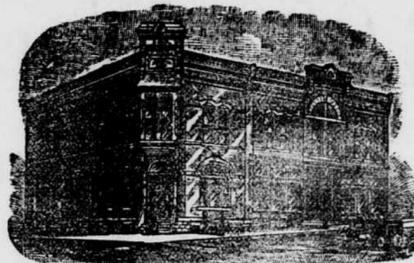
JUDGE ROGER A. PRYOR, once the noted confederate statesman and soldier, now of the common pleas court in New York, caused something of a sensation by an announcement he made from the bench the other day. After having given the usual instructions to the jurors not to allow anybody to approach them about the case, defendant's lawyer requested him to also charge them not to read the newspapers. This the judge declined to do. "They should read the newspapers," he said; "they are intelligent men." We are told that, as indicating that the decision was in accord with the popular spirit as well as with sense, it was received with a burst of applause. Judge Pryor's admonition, if generally recognized, will render it less difficult for courts to select a jury than heretofore while the intrest of justice will be even more substantially served by being entrusted to the consideration of intelligent jurymen.

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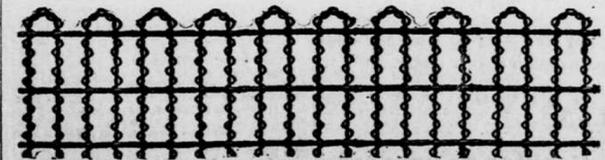
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