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JESSE JAMES, the outlaw, was in St. Louis the other day.

OAKDALE is to have a Catholic church built this summer.

A VERY large herd of elk were recently seen at North Platte.

A VEIN of coal is reported found in Dundy county, nine feet thick.

FOUR cattle thieves in the vicinity of Deadwood were hanged the other day.

THE steamship Assyria, from New York, lost 105 head of cattle during the voyage.

GEN. ADAMS, with Chief Douglas, the Ute, went forward to Washington last week.

ILLINOIS will hold her republican state convention on the 19th of May, at Springfield.

HUGH J. JEWETT is mentioned as a fit person for the democratic nomination for president.

IT is said that Hon. Ben Butler has his eye again on the governorship of Massachusetts.

Two ladies have been elected stewards of the M. E. Church at Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

THE bill admitting, free of duty, contributions for colored emigrants passed the senate on the 27th ult.

REV. DR. C. P. BUSH, secretary of the American board of foreign missions, died at Albany on the 22d.

THE Ute Indian prisoners in charge of Gen. Adams were to leave Denver last week for Washington.

AN eagle was captured last week in Boone county. He measured seven feot from tip to tip of wings.

ONE-third of the business portion of the village of Brewsters, N. Y., burned on the 24th ult. Loss $160,000.

LUCIUS B. FRENCH, a University student at Lincoln, fell dead on the 23d ult., during devotional exercises.

THE bark Strathnairn, bound to Melbourne from London, was sunk by a collision. Sixteen persons were lost.

MRS. S. M. WEED, wife of the editor of the Valparaiso *Avalanche*, died a few days ago. She had been married a month.

THE creditors of the defunct Mechanics' bank at Montreal have decided to prosecute the cashier and directors for fraud.

THE democratic national committee have decided to hold their national convention at Cincinnati, on the 22d day of June.

THE Chicago *Times* says an old democrat at Boston suggests Hayes and Hamilton Fish as a possible Chicago presidential ticket.

LAST week rumors were freely circulated in London, on both sides of the lobby, that immediate dissolution of parliament is contemplated.

A DISPATCH from Madrid announced that intelligence has been received from Tripoli that 1,500 houses have been destroyed there by floods.

THE wholesale grocery store of Wm Dalton & Co at Trenton, N. J., burned on the 24th ult. Loss very heavy. The insurance was $50,000.

THE *Bee* has made it a little too hot for Dr. Aldrich, and he left the city of Omaha the other day in disgust with the moral teachings of the *Bee*.

THE elevator at Clarksville, Neb., owned by F. George, Sr., was burned on the night of the 25th ult. The building was empty. Loss $3,000: insured for $1,500.

GEN. GRANT called upon President Diaz, of Mexico, on the 24th ult., and in the evening was present at a brilliant reception given in his honor at the palace.

THE New York *Times*, in reviewing the table of delegates to the State convention, sets down a majority of delegates in New York in favor of General Grant.

A NUMBER of the members of the Louisiana senate have been suspended by that body for signing a memorial to the United States senate favorable to Kellogg.

A RESOLUTION was pending before the house committee on foreign affairs last week for an appropriation of $100,000 for the relief of the suffering people of Ireland.

IT is stated in a reliable quarter that fourteen railroads are managed from the Union Pacific headquarters at Omaha. The Omaha *Republican* is responsible for the count.

A RECENT fire in the Galena, Ill., national bank developed the fact that a gang of burglars had been occupying the adjacent rooms and were tunneling toward the bank vaults.

JOHN HARAHAN was shamefully beaten and robbed of $45 last week in the northern part of the city of Omaha. Frank Brown and Thomas Donovan were charged with the crime.

THE Chicago *Times* has been taking lessons in expression from Nebraska politics, doubtless. Here we have the state of Omaha, and the state of Lincoln—the *Times* speaks of the United States of Ohio.

GARFIELD, of Ohio, is spoken of as having as many chances to obtain a nomination for president as some other gentlemen who have been named,—a very modest way of putting it, surely.

IT is claimed that Mr. Tilden will capture the New York democratic convention.

THE city of Lincoln is bound to put up the telephone wires; the material is on the ground with the exception of the poles.

APACHES were raiding last week in Mexico near the Texas boundary. Eight persons had been killed and considerable stock stolen.

ONLY two men have been arrested at Constantinople for conspiring against the life of the sultan. One of these had an infernal machine in his possession.

BOSTON has the honor of forming a company to construct a railway in Mexico from the capital of that republic to points on the Texas frontier and the Pacific coast.

REV. RICHARDSON, of Long Island was arrested on the morning of the 28th ult., in a steamer about to leave for Texas. He was eloping with his wife's sister and leaving behind a family of small children.

A RATHER singular suit was recently commenced in New York by ex-county Clerk Gumbleton, claiming $5,000 damages against ex-governor Robenson, alleging illegal removal from office.

A DISPATCH from Havana last week says an oscillatory shock of earthquake was felt at San Cristofal, and on the morning of the 24th ult., another violent shock, accompanied by a noise like an explosion.

REV. A. W. PAIGE, of New Haven, Conn., pleaded guilty, on the 25th ult., to the charge of sending obscene matter through the mails, and was fined $200 and costs. In default of payment he was taken to jail.

JAMES E. TEMPLE, a retired merchant of Philadelphia, has given $60,000 to the Pennsylvania academy of fine arts, on the condition that the galleries be free to the public on a certain day of every exhibition.

REV. EDWARD COWLEY, the convicted manager of the Shepherd's Fold, was in court again on the 24th ult., on a writ of habeas corpus. Judge Daniels dismissed the writ, and Cowley was remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

THE report comes from central Russia that diphtheria has been raging to a fearful extent since last November; over 40,000 persons in the province of Clarkoff and Poltava alone, and in the neighborhood of Walki whole villages have almost died out.

THE citizens of Lincoln celebrated the completion of the Omaha & Republican Valley railroad to her limits on the afternoon of the 26th, by the ringing of bells, forming and marching of procession, addresses, &c., &c. A depot is to be built in a few days.

FROM Bismark we learn that recent snow storms in the vicinity of the Northern Pacific road have been very severe, causing a very large loss to the road and to the Black Hills Stage Company. It is stated that but three trains have arrived since the 1st of February.

IT is stated from a reliable source that the Ohio senate is a dignified, slow-moving body, very careful of its ease, and not at all precipitate in its action. Its longest session in any one day in January was three hours, its shortest five minutes. In twenty-six days it has been in session just twenty-eight hours, all told.

LAST week on the investigation by Gen. Adams, special agent of the accounts of post-master Glafcke, at Cheyenne, a deficiency of about $2,500 was discovered. His surities were placed in charge of the office, and will make the deficiency good. The post-master is the publisher of the Cheyenne *Leader*.

JACOB LINCOLN, cousin of the martyr president, was murdered in his mill at Lacy's Springs, Maryland, last week, by two men who struck him on the head with a stone. The deceased was wealthy and highly respected. The men who committed the murder were arrested and confined in jail, which is being strongly guarded.

MRS. CLARK, a respectable married lady living in the Garry neighborhood, Texas, was last week brutally outraged and then murdered. The man who did the crime was arrested and made a confession. He was horribly mutilated by the mob. His clothing was saturated with coal oil and set on fire, and he was afterwards hanged.

KEARNEY's followers have alarmed the business men of San Francisco by their parades and extravagant utterances, and the business men have frightened the sand-lotters by their preparations to resist an attack on Chinatown. It is claimed that on the recommendation of Mayor Kallock, there will be no more processions for the present.

A LARGE surveying party left Omaha last week headed by Robert Blickensderfer, and went directly to Cheyenne, as they have been engaged to survey the contemplated road to be built by the Union Pacific from Cheyenne to the Yellowstone national park, with a branch to the Black Hills. This party will probably be out on this survey all summer, as it is contemplated to finish at least the first 125 miles of the road quickly, and then push on to the Black Hills.

Nebraska's Voice.

The custom of instructing delegates to national republican conventions is still, it appears, to be strictly observed in the coming contest. The propriety of this course has long been questioned, and the bitter, lasting feuds it has created among the friends, and in some cases among the candidates themselves, is a strong proof against the custom. The object of the mass of the republican voters, who are not influenced by the hope of office in their action, is to secure the nomination of the *best qualified and most available man for the position.* How would it be possible for the delegation from Nebraska, for instance, to vote for such a man when their instructions were in an opposite direction and for a different candidate? The custom for instructing appears to us about as wise as it would be to select a general to conduct a battle, and then, without accurate knowledge of the movements yet to be made by the enemy, proceed to lay down a cast-iron programme. The United States comprises a large territory, and it is next to impossible to ascertain the wishes, desires and opinions of the people from the multiciplicity of localities from which delegates are sent to the national republican convention, until the delegates assemble, and hear from each particular locality, everything that ought to be considered and weighed by the convention in making its unbiased decision. We sincerely hope that the republicans of Nebraska will act the part of wisdom and refrain from imposing upon their delegates to the national republican convention instructions which in any way may tend to interfere with the free action of that body, in selecting the best qualified and most available man as the republican candidate. Let large-minded, honest men of ability, representative Republicans, be chosen; further than this, they should, in their preferences, represent the preference of their party in the State, that is to say: if Nebraska republicans, in State convention, shall prove to be the same as we judge they are, out of convention, the State will be overwhelmingly for Blaine of Maine, second, probably for Grant; in no case for any one but a thorough-going, well-known, staunch Republican and patriot. In other words let the will, the wish and the longing of Nebraska Republicans be represented at Chicago by men of like mind with themselves.

MR. HANSON, who stands at the head of the land department in Omaha, recently stated to the Omaha *Bee* that never, in his whole experience has immigration in February been as heavy as it is during the present year. He says he is perfectly overwhelmed with inquiries from prospective buyers and land men. He predicts that March will see such a tide of emigration to the state as will seriously tax the resources of the company to transport them. On the 25th ult. 85 land buyers went west on No. 3, and four extra coaches were added to the train in order to accommodate the crowd of second and third-class passengers. The great majority of land buyers thus far in the season are Americans. A large colony of Pennsylvanians went west in the afternoon of the same day, and Pennsylvania and Ohio seem to be furnishing the greatest number of those going out along the line. Among the passengers of whom we have made mention and who purchased land tickets, was a Maine farmer who is looking for a large tract on which to locate a colony from the Pine Tree state. He told the agent that he wished to purchase about 12,000 acres.

IT is very evident from the proceedings of the Republican convention of the State of New York, that its delegation to the national Republican convention, will cast a unanimous vote for Gen. Grant. Among other resolutions the convention adopted the following:

Resolved, That the republicans of New York believe the renomination of Ulysses S. Grant as a presidential candidate of urgent importance, and delegates are called upon and instructed to use their most earnest and united efforts to secure his nomination.

A delegate moved that in case Grant is not nominated at Chicago the delegation be instructed to vote as a unit for James G. Blaine. Mr. Conkling moved to table the motion, which was carried.

THE Nebraska university, normal and school lands sold and leased by Land Commissioner Frank Davis in the year 1879, and the amounts realized: Number of acres sold for school 22,282.19, realizing $168,829.35. Number of acres sold for University 280, realizing $1,960. Number of acres sold for Normal School, 1,520, realizing $12,040, making a total of acres of 24,082.19 and a total of money realized of $182,829.35. The number of acres leased in 1879 in the same interest were 151,242.32 and the number leased in 1880 amount to 27,320.00 acres.

THE Union Pacific railroad it is reported has seized the Western Union telegraph lines between Cheyenne and Denver, and the Western Union gets even by refusing all commercial business for Colorado points not on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad.

The New Road.

No sooner was Columbus's south-eastern connection with the principal commercial marts of the west an assured fact than attention was drawn thitherward from Sioux City to the northeast as a natural consequence. The pineries have long felt the urgent need of a direct line straight into the heart of Nebraska, and south, west and southwest throughout this vast agricultural region, supplying it with lumber for its immense improvements in the shape of dwelling houses on farms and in cities, elevators, mills, factories, barns, &c. While the pineries are pouring their wooden wealth upon us the cars will not go back empty, but will carry a goodly share of our surplus products—millions of bushels of wheat and corn, thousands of head of cattle and hogs, etc., and thus the corporation which has projected this line and which means to push it right through, will find work both ways and profit withal. We cling to the proposition of manufactures for Columbus; the raising of sheep, cattle and hogs, and the pushing of the dairy interest for Platte county, but of course we can not but welcome any competing line of railroad that may be turned in this direction. We don't purpose putting a single obstruction on the track, but on the contrary would welcome them with all the paraphernalia of public rejoicing, with enthusiastic processions, streaming banners, loud-mouthed music, and a general "feast of reason and flow of soul." Let them all come, and let us go to work with a will, every land-owner, every property owner, every resident in central Nebraska, to secure a good family of workers for every quarter section of land, to the end that here we may have all the benefits of an advanced civilization in the few remaining years of our existence,—the good schools and societies which come of close proximity of large numbers. New railroads will help us to these ends, and a populous country will benefit us in untold ways. From Rev. J. A. Reed, who recently had a talk with one of the officers of the new company, we have important information which will be public in due time.

THE reception of Gen. Grant at the City of Mexico last week was a grand affair. The depot was illuminated with Chinese lanterns and decorated with American flags. When Gen. Grant moved forward in the carriage a magnificent arch came into view illuminated by Bengal lights, on which appeared the word "Welcome." Five hundred rural dragoons with lighted torches illuminated the procession to Mineral college. An immense procession formed and marched past Gen. Grant's apartment, paying him marked honors.

THE notorious Kearney is stirring up a good deal of bad feeling among the working men of San Francisco, which may end in a serious disturbance of the peace of that city, if not in some legal way checked soon. Every large city should have on hand an organized force capable of supressing outbreaks intended to bring about a disturbance of the public peace, and jeopardize the property of citizens; and also a legal way of punishing the blatherskites who incite such unlawful gatherings.

ON the 23d ult., the house committee agreed to report favorably on representative Valentine's bill for the relief of settlers upon public lands. It provides that when a pre-emptor of homestead or timber culture shall file a written relinquishment of his claim in the local land office the land covered by such claim shall be held as open to settlement and entry without further action on the part of the commissioner general of the land office.

A COMMITTEE of the eastern and western Trunk lines met the other day in Chicago and decided to reduce rates on grain between Chicago and the seaboard five cents per hundred pounds, to take effect on March 1st. A corresponding reduction on other articles was agreed on, to take effect March 8. The Chicago *Times* says the reduction is a niggardly one, and it is doubtful if it will move a bushel of grain.

J. C. CRUMP, a drunken colored man of Douglas county, Colorado, being refused liquor by Nelson Johnson, a saloon keeper, thereupon drew a razor, assaulted Johnson, and soon killed him by cutting his throat. The deceased was only twenty-one years old and unmarried, and was murdered on the 23d ult. His remains passed through this city last week to Marshaltown, Iowa.

A COMPANY has recently been formed in New York with a capital stock of $30,000,000, for the purpose of building a railroad from Hoboken along the Hudson to Schenectady, thence along the Mohawk to Utica, and by way of Syracuse to Buffalo. The project is said to be in the interest of the Great Western railway of Canada, which is seeking an outlet on the Atlantic coast.

THE drop curtain at the Madison Square theatre, New York, valued at $3,000, was burned on the evening of the 26th ult., just before the opening of the doors.

THE secretary of the treasury at New York on the 25th ult., accepted double the amount of bonds for the sinking fund which he advertised for, taking $2,000,000 instead of $1,000,000. The purchases were all confined to the sixes. This action of the secretary has given an ease to the money market, and strengthened the stock market, which advanced ½ to 2¾ per cent.

IT turns out upon investigation that Albert L. Anfin, the son of very respectable parents, and who was an employee in the post-office at Wisner, is the man who robbed the office last week of about $700. Most of the money has been recovered and the young man is now confined in the Omaha jail, having been brought down by mail agent John B. Furay.

CHARLES ERLING, now of Philadelphia, who was born in New Jersey, has a head six times the ordinary size. He is twenty-eight years old, and has been compelled to lie in bed continually. Around the head, at the middle of the forehead, is thirty-three inches, while the line passing over the crown and under the chin is forty-four inches.

THE Cass County *Sentinel* believes the iron men are over-doing their "boom" as well as the paper manufacturers, and that if they don't stop advancing prices every other day, before long something will happen to them. It is not very healthy in this country to be too greedy.

Broke Up a Meeting.

LONDON, February 25.—A large tenant-right meeting near Port-a-Donn, county Armagh, to-day, was attacked by 3,000 Orangemen armed with bludgeons, who stormed the platform and dispersed the meeting. Twenty tenant-righters were severely injured. The Orange party considered the meeting seditious.

LEGAL NOTICE.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, } ss.
PLATTE COUNTY,

In the District Court within and for Platte county, State of Nebraska.

ON the petition of Charity Kelly of said Platte county, to said court, setting forth that on the fifth day of June, A. D., 1879, Edward W. Arnold, then in full life, executed a bond wherein the said Edward W. Arnold obligated himself to convey to said Charity Kelly the following described real estate situate in the county of Platte, State of Nebraska, to wit: The northwest quarter of section No. thirty-four (34), in township No. eighteen (18) north, of Range two (2) west, upon the following terms to wit: For the sum of seven hundred and ninety-two dollars, due and payable on the first day of June, 1880, together with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from the date of said bond, &c., and upon failure to convey said premises to said Charity Kelly upon payment of said consideration, the said Edward W. Arnold to stand bound unto the said Charity Kelly for the payment of the sum of one thousand dollars. That on the 11th day of October, 1879, the said Edward W. Arnold died without having executed a deed for said premises to the said Charity Kelly; that Othman A. Abbott and Thomas J. Hurford were duly appointed administrators of the estate of the said Edward W. Arnold, deceased, and the said Charity Kelly offers to pay said sum of money named in said bond as the purchase price of said premises to said administrators, and is ready to perform all the conditions on her part to be performed to fully entitle her to a conveyance of said premises, and therefore prays that a decree may be made by the court authorizing and directing the administrators of the estate of the said Edward W. Arnold, deceased, to make and execute a deed of conveyance in fee simple of said real estate to said Charity Kelly upon complying with the terms named in said bond.

It is ordered by the court that all persons interested in said estate are directed to appear in court, before the Judge of the said court, on the 16th day of March, 1880, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the court house at Columbus, Platte county, Nebraska, to show cause why the decree above prayed for, authorizing and directing the administrators of said estate to make and execute a deed of conveyance in fee simple of said real estate to said Charity Kelly shall not be made, and that a copy of this order be published in THE COLUMBUS JOURNAL, a paper published in said Platte county, six successive weeks before the hearing of said cause.

GEO. W. POST,
Judge 4th Judicial District of Nebraska.
Dated January 7th, 1880. 505-7

PUBLIC SALE OF MORTGAGED PROPERTY.

BY VIRTUE of a chattel mortgage executed by Heiken & Seburg to "The J. M. Brunswick & Balke Company," dated the 22d day of October, A. D., 1879, and filed of record in the office of the County Clerk of Platte county, State of Nebraska, on the 23d day of October, 1879, to secure the payment of twelve promissory notes dated October 22d, 1879, each for the sum of seventeen and fifty-eight hundredth dollars given by said Heiken & Seburg to said "The J. M. Brunswick & Balke Company," and upon which default has been made. The amount remaining due and unpaid upon said notes and mortgage, at date of first publication, is one hundred and eighty-one and ten hundredth dollars ($181.10.) Also, by virtue of a chattel mortgage executed by said Heiken & Seburg to said "The J. M. Brunswick & Balke Company," dated the 5th day of December, A. D., 1879, and filed of record in the office of the County Clerk of Platte county, State of Nebraska, on the 5th day of December, 1879, to secure the payment of sixteen promissory notes, dated December 5th, 1879, each for the sum of twenty and ninety-four hundredth dollars ($20.94) given by the said Heiken & Seburg to said "The J. M. Brunswick & Balke Company" and upon which default has been made. The amount remaining due and unpaid upon said sixteen notes and mortgage at date of first publication, is three hundred and forty-two dollars ($342); the mortgagee will expose for sale at public auction on

THURSDAY, MARCH 11TH, 1880,

at the brick building called the Capitol Saloon, on Eleventh street, in the city of Columbus, Platte county, Nebraska, the property mortgaged, to wit: Upon the mortgage first above described, one complete 4 by 8 Eclipse six-pocket pool table No. 2321, also one set of 2¼ Hyatt pool balls, one dozen of cues, one cue rack, set of counters, one bridge, one mace, one set of 2¼ billiard balls, and one brush, and upon the mortgage last above described two 4 by 8 light and dark Monarch carom tables complete, Nos. 11075 and 11214, also one set of 2¼ billiard balls, one dozen of cues, one cue rack, two sets of counters, two bridges, two maces, one pin-pool set complete, with framed board, one private cue rack, one dozen fancy cues, two Eclipse lamps, one brush and three Berger fancy cues with names. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock P. M. on said day. Terms of sale, cash.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of an order of sale directed to me from the Clerk of the District Court of Platte county, Nebraska, on a judgment and decree obtained before the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District in and for Platte county, Nebraska, at its February adjourned term to April, 1879, in favor of Sarah B. Canfield as executrix of the last will and testament of Philo Canfield, deceased, as plaintiff, and against George P. Shattswell, Julia A. Shattswell and Aultman, Miller & Co., as defendants, for the sum of two hundred and sixty-four dollars and twelve cents, and the further sum of twenty-six dollars and forty-one cents, and costs taxed at $16.18 and accruing costs, I have levied upon the following real estate taken as the property of said defendants, to satisfy said order of sale, to wit:

The east ½ of the northwest ¼ of Section 22, in Township 17, Range 3 west, in Platte county, Nebraska, and will offer the same for sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1880, in front of west door of Court House, that being the building wherein the last term of court was held, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day, when and where due attendance will be given by the undersigned.

Dated Columbus, Feb. 3, 1880.
BENJAMIN SPIELMAN,
508-6t Sheriff of said County.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of an order of sale directed to me from the Clerk of the District Court of Platte county, Nebraska, on a judgment and decree obtained before the District Court of Fourth Judicial District in and for Platte county, Nebraska, on the 21st day of April, 1879, in favor of Sarah B. Canfield, as executrix of the last will and testament of Philo Canfield, deceased as plaintiff, and against Carolus G. Hickok, Sophia C. Hickok, John N. King and John Wiggins, as defendants, for the sum of four hundred and twenty-four dollars and seventy-two cents, and the further sum of forty-two dollars and forty-seven cents as attorney's fees, and costs taxed at $15.53 and accruing costs, I have levied upon the following real estate taken as the property of said defendants, to satisfy said plaintiff, to wit:

The east ½ of the southeast quarter of Section No. 2, in Township 17, Range 1 east, in Platte county, Nebraska, and will offer the same for sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, on the sixth day of March, A. D. 1880, in front of west door of Court House, that being the building wherein the last term of court was held, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, when and where due attendance will be given by the undersigned.

Dated this 26th day of January, 1880.
BENJAMIN SPIELMAN,
507-6 Sheriff of said County.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of an order of sale directed to me from the Clerk of the District Court of Platte county, Nebraska, on a judgment and decree obtained before the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District in and for Platte county, Nebraska, on the 21st day of April, 1879, in favor of Sarah B. Canfield, as executrix of the last will and testament of Philo Canfield, deceased, and against Carolus G. Hickok, Sophia C. Hickok, John N. King and John Wiggins, defendants, for the sum of four hundred and forty-three dollars and twenty-four cents, and the further sum of forty-four dollars and thirty-two cents, as attorney's fees, and costs taxed at $15.53 and accruing costs, I have levied upon the following real estate taken as the property of said defendants, to satisfy said order of sale, to wit:

The west ½ of the southeast ¼ of Section 2, in Township 17, Range 1 east, in Platte county, Nebraska, and will offer the same for sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, on the sixth day of March, A. D. 1880, in front of west door of Court House, that being the building wherein the last term of court was held, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, when and where due attendance will be given by the undersigned.

Dated 26th January, 1880.
BENJAMIN SPIELMAN,
507-6 Sheriff of said County.

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the District Court in and for Platte county, Nebraska.

DAVID L. MILLS, Plaintiff,
vs.
MARY V. MILLS, Defendant.

Mary V. Mills of Wabash county, Indiana, will take notice that David L. Mills of Butler county, State of Nebraska, did, on the 26th day of February, A. D., 1880, file his petition in the District Court within and for the county of Platte, and State of Nebraska, against the said Mary V. Mills, defendant, setting forth the marriage between the parties thereof, the residence of the plaintiff and the prayer of David L. Mills for a decree of divorce from the said defendant, Mary V. Mills, on the grounds of ill temper, abusive and cruel language and actions, amounting to extreme cruelty. And the said Mary V. Mills is required to appear and answer said petition on or before the 12th day of April, A. D., 1880.

DAVID L. MILLS.
By J. M. MACFARLAND, his Att'y.
Columbus, Neb., March 1st. 512-4

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of John Williams, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased, will meet the administratrix of said estate, before me, County Judge of Platte county, Nebraska, at the County Court-room in said county, on the first day of April, 1880, on the first day of July, 1880, and on the first day of September, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims, and one year for the administratrix to settle said estate, from the first day of March, 1880.

Dated, March 1, A. D., 1880.
JOHN G. HIGGINS,
512-5 County Judge.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of John Shaughnessey, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased, will meet the administrator of said estate, before me, County Judge of Platte county, Nebraska, at the County Court-room in said county, on the first day of April, 1880, on the first day of July, 1880, and on the first day of September, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims, and one year for the administrator to settle said estate, from the first day of March, 1880.

Dated, March 1, A. D., 1880.
JOHN G. HIGGINS,
512-5 County Judge.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Henry Ripp, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of said deceased, will meet the executors of said estate, before me, County Judge of Platte county, Nebraska, at the County Court-room in said county, on the first day of April, 1880, on the first day of July, 1880, and on the first day of September, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M. each day, for the purpose of presenting their claims for examination, adjustment and allowance. Six months are allowed for creditors to present their claims, and one year for the executors to settle said estate, from the first day of March, 1880.

Dated, March 1, A. D., 1880.
JOHN G. HIGGINS,
512-5 County Judge.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof on the 19th day of March, 1880, before John Stauffer, Clerk of the court of Platte Co., at Columbus, Nebr., viz:

Swen Johnson, Homestead No. 5166, for the N. E. ¼, Section 4, Township 19 north, Range 4 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Thurston Nelson, Peter Matson, Peter Bower and John Olson, all of Palestine Valley, Platte Co., Neb.

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FINAL PROOF.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof on the 18th day of March, 1880, before John Stauffer, Clerk of the court of Platte Co., at Columbus, Nebr., viz:

Arthur Miles, Homestead No. 5974, for the S. E. ¼, Section 28, Township 20 north, Range 1 east, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: W. B. Williams, F. W. Anderman, Wm. Longwith and E. A. Sage, all of Creston, Platte Co., Nebr.

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