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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7, 1880.

Nebraska Republicans.

MEETING OF THE STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

The members of the republican state central committee are hereby called to meet at the Commercial hotel in Lincoln on Thursday, the 8th day of April, 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of completing the organization of the committee and transacting such other business as may properly come before the same.

JAMES W. DAWES, Chairman.
Crete, Neb., March 15, 1880.

Nebraska State Fair for 1880.

The State Fair will be held at Omaha September 20th to 25th, inclusive. The premium lists will be ready for delivery after April 1st. Address D. H. Wheeler, Secretary, Plattsmouth, Nebraska.

GEN. GRANT will visit Mobile this week.

ALASKA has been promised a civil government.

MRS. HARRY OVER, of Kansas City, has eloped with a snake-charmer.

SECRETARY Evarts and Ramsey accompanied President Hayes to New York.

LAST week a cyclone in Kansas destroyed seventeen houses and killed two men.

THE public debt statement will show a reduction of about ten millions for March.

A GIRL only 16 years old has been arrested in St. Louis county, Missouri, for bigamy.

SENATOR PADDOCK has introduced a bill intended to prevent fraudulent final proof of homesteads.

PRESIDENT Hayes was in New York on the 30th ult., and opened the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

MISS LAVINA GOODELL, a lawyer of Janesville, Wis., died on the morning of the 31st ult., aged 40 years.

THE Kansas republican delegates to the national convention are understood to be instructed to vote for Blaine.

GEN. GRANT arrived in New Orleans on the evening of the 31st ult., and received a very enthusiastic welcome.

THE Dennis Kearney ticket was defeated last week at San Francisco, by majorities ranging from 2,000 to 3,000 votes.

THE citizens of Marysville, Me., were shocked by an earthquake between 2 and 3 o'clock on the morning of the 3d.

AN Irish mob on the 30th ult., at Cardiff, attacked and dispersed an election torch-light procession, and serious fighting resulted.

ALLEN, the express agent, charged with the bullion robbery at Sidney, has been held in $10,000 to await the action of the grand jury.

THE question of extending the pastoral term beyond three years will be presented to the Methodist general conference at its next session.

THE latest railway rumor at New York is a new line by Jay Gould from Buffalo to Toledo, in direct connection with the Wabash and Pacific.

JAMES CONWAY & Son's immense umbrella manufactory, at Philadelphia, was on fire on the 1st, and will be totally destroyed. The loss will be heavy.

THE elections in England resulted in sweeping Liberal victories, that party gaining fifteen seats. This result will doom the Beaconsfield ministry.

GEN. SHERMAN goes to Chicago this week to hold a consultation with Gen. Sheridan in relation to the measures to be taken for the removal of the Utes.

THE Scotch solicitor general in the recent English election was defeated by a majority of 12,000. Gladstone at Leeds headed the polls by over 11,000 majority.

FOUR electric lights were suspended from a flagstaff on the court-house at Wabash, Ind., one night last week, and dispensed light to the satisfaction of the citizens.

SENATOR PADDOCK'S bill to equalize homesteads by allowing locations in more than one place where necessary to make up 160 acres, passed the senate on the 31st ult.

A HUMAN skeleton was plowed up the other day on the farm of Samuel Hardy, near a Shaker village in Hamilton county, Ohio. The coroner will investigate the matter.

THE vault of the Wesley Methodist Episcopal church at New York caved in the other day, exposing to view a great number of bodies, the rotted coffins being broken by the falling brick.

THE senate in executive session confirmed, to be United States consul, Henry C. Marston, of Illinois, at Malaga; Indian agent, Edward H. Bowman, of Illinois, Pawnee agency, Indian territory.

PRESIDENT HAYES has withdrawn the name of Mr. Balcombe, whom he nominated for the marshalship of Nebraska. This action will leave the office vacant, as the official term of Marshal Daily has expired.

IN England the liberals have elected 235 members, the conservatives 138, and the home-rulers 16. The result of the election has astonished the old administration, and leaves Lord Beaconsfield in a dejected state of mind.

SECRETARY SHERMAN visited his home in Ohio last week, and received a warm reception along the line of road he traveled through the State. He made a speech in Mansfield, and frankly avowed himself a candidate for president.

M. J. TRACY, living near Ord, Neb., shot and killed his son on the 3d inst. The son undertook to frighten the father by playing robber and before he made himself known, although the father gave him two opportunities to do so, he lost his life.

A WITNESS before the Vorhees committee last week stated that the election of a democratic president this year would cause the colored people of the south to fly to any place where they were promised freedom in the exercise of their political rights.

ONLY two-thirds the votes of the city election in San Francisco were counted on the 31st, with the following result: Citizen ticket, 11,760; workingmen's, 7,900; James M. Barnes, republican, state senator, 11, 612, and Richard Freud, workingman, 7, 635. Thus far, it is said the vote fairly indicates what the final result will be.

Wool Market.

Chicago—Nothing new to report in this market, except stocks light, and about usual order demand from western manufacturers, prices firm. Tub-washed 58@60c per lb. Nebraska wools sell about 2c per lb. less than this range.

Boston—Advices from all points are favorable for a higher range of prices. Choice Ohio, 55c.; Lower grades 26@38.

WILLIAM LARSON, John Downs and Charles Titus, three small boys of Omaha, last week while playing along the banks of the creek near the military bridge, pulled up and ate a quantity of wild parsnips, from the poisonous effects of which Downs and Larson soon after died. Titus, the other boy, soon after eating of the parsnips, sickened and vomited, which is supposed to be the cause of saving his life, with the aid of medical treatment.

C. K. ALLEN, the former express agent at Sidney, has been taken into custody on the charge of complicity in the recent express office robbery. As he was a well-known citizen, and has held important positions of trust, and a man of excellent reputation, it is not likely that he has been arrested without pretty strong evidence against him. It is likely that one or two other men, living in Sidney, will be arrested. It will be remembered that $125,000, mostly in bullion, was removed from the office while agent Allen was at dinner, but most of it, except about $13,000, was recovered, it being found in a coal pile under the office. It was a very bold deed, and the parties came very nearly getting away with the whole plunder. Further developments are awaited with a great deal of interest.—*Omaha Republican.*

THE citizens of Omaha last week were somewhat excited by reading certain comments in the Sioux City *Journal* and St. Paul *Pioneer*, relative to negotiations reported in progress between the managers of the Sioux City, St. Paul and Omaha line, for the Sioux City and Pacific. The citizens of Columbus feel a like interest in every item of news connected with a line of railroad that shall connect us with Sioux City and the north, which sooner or later is sure to be built. We clip:

"The Sioux City *Journal* made the announcement that the managers of the Sioux City, St. Paul and Omaha line were negotiating for the Sioux City & Pacific, known as the Blair line, which is a line of road running on the east side of the Missouri from Sioux City to Council Bluffs, with a branch extending from Omaha along the valley of the Platte, cutting the Union Pacific at Fremont and thence running in a northwesterly direction to Stanton, Nebraska."

WE learn from the Norfolk *Journal* that the counties of Antelope, Madison, Pierce, Wayne, Stanton and Cuming have formed an association to be called "The Elkhorn Valley Immigration Association." Their plan of operation is to employ a general agent to canvass in the east, and to distribute published pamphlets, posters and circulars containing descriptions of the lands, etc., in the counties embraced within the association. Expenses of the association to be borne by the several counties. For new and sparsely settled counties we pronounce the plan a good one, and can cheerfully recommend it to all localities similarly situated. The Association has completed an organization by the election of the following officers: C. P. Mathewson, of Norfolk, president; I. N. Taylor, of Oakdale, first vice president; J. H. Brown, of Pierce, second vice president; R. B. Crawford, of La Porte, recording secretary; J. W. C. Jones, of Norfolk, corresponding secretary; J. W. Pollock, of West Point, treasurer; J. T. Eberly, of Stanton, general agent. An executive committee, consisting of the chairman of the board of county commissioners and the county clerk of each county, was appointed.

That Homestead Business.

A hue and cry has been raised all over Nebraska and Kansas concerning a certain bill before congress, in regard to additional eighty acres to be granted to homesteaders who had taken only eighty acres; it appears that a firm somewhere in Kansas was quietly engineering the matter in congress and making contracts with probable beneficiary homesteaders to pay them $50 each for securing the passage of the bill, and also the additional eighty acres for the applicant. Sub-agents had been appointed or were being appointed all over these two States, and it was probable that a large sum of money would have been gobbled up had not the press got wind of the sly chaps, and ventilated the thing. Senator Paddock, always true to the best interests of the State, and the public welfare, as well, on the 10th of February last reported back to the Committee on Public Lands, the bill *amended*, which we print below. The amendments provide that crops, or forest or fruit trees can be cultivated, and that assignment or transfer prior to the issuance of patent shall be null and void. Of course the further services (?) of the Kansas business (?) Co. in the interests (?) of the dear people will be dispensed with by this bill, and Senator Paddock is entitled to the thanks of his constituency and the country generally for his prompt and efficient action in the matter:

A BILL TO EQUALIZE HOMESTEADS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That every person entitled, under the provisions of section twenty-two hundred and eighty-nine, chapter five, Revised Statutes of the United States, to enter a homestead, who may have heretofore entered, under the homestead laws, a quantity of land less than one hundred and sixty acres, shall be permitted to enter so much land as, when added to the quantity previously entered, shall not exceed one hundred and sixty acres; *Provided*, That when such additional entry cannot be made of lands contiguous to the original entry of the applicant, he may select lands elsewhere, but he shall not be entitled to a patent therefor without satisfactory proof to the General Land Office of the planting and continuous cultivation of *crops or* forest or fruit trees on an area of the same equal to one acre for each forty acres thereof during a period of three years; and all assignments and transfers of the right hereby secured, and all contracts to assign or transfer such right made prior to the issue of the patent, shall be null and void: And provided further, That any person who has entered less than one hundred and sixty acres, may, if he so elect, surrender his original entry to the United States for cancellation, and thereupon be entitled to enter lands under the homestead laws the same as if the surrendered entry had not been made.

Patents Ready.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 29th, 1880.

Patents to lands in Platte county, Neb., have been received at this office for the persons named below. The final certificate in each case must be surrendered before the patent can be delivered.

M. B. HOXIE, Register.

Melchior Jenni, Henry Englebart, John Johnson, Clarence A. Newman, William Wurdemann, Michael Sheedy, Patrick S. Griffin, Hinrich Friedrich Lubker, Henry Barjenbruch, Heinrich Wilke, Jos. Wickham, Julius Hembd, Herman Pieper, Edward Schaad, Elisha D. Judkins, Rody Sheedy, George Henggeler, Phillippe Schroeder, Herman Wurdeman, Orphan Children of Metta Maria Iverson, Gottlieb Krause, Leontine Anson, Frank Anson, John Dorsch, Christian Yeiter, D. Brunken, Henry Herchenhan, Sarelda Ellis, John F. Schroeder, Julius Hoth, William H. Morkert, Nicolas Adamy, Rudolf Jenni, Samuel W. W. Wilson, Alexander T. Simmonds, John Quinn, Edward Roberts, Katharine M. Ahrens, Sarah A. Cunningham, Babara Spoerry, Margaret Cleary, Rudolph Kummer, John Treacy, James Hanna, Edward T. Graham, Michael Konahan, Frank Mielenz, Charles O. Moore, John M. Alderson, John Henry Hellbusch, Bernard Caffery, John Macken, Hugh Gibson, John Eisenman, John Geiser, Paul Klas, Gottlieb Lemp, Nicholas Blaser, William Bacon, Gerhard Gronenthal, Robert A. Taylor, John Hoffman, John Hennessey, Virgil D. Baldwin, Augustus Smith, John Smith, Philip Walker, Dyer W. Olin, John J. Macken, Thomas M. Olin, Samuel Connelly, Albert Rose, William Truelove, William Matson, Sarah Ducey, Chas. D. Tyler, Nils Munson, Peter D. Ceder, John C. Whiteaker, John H. Gogan, David J. Jones, Lars Peterson, Thos. Barnes, George W. McCormick, John Jackson, Joseph Apgar, Herman Bakenhus, Heinrich Robert, Laurence Byrnes, James W. Lockhart, Edward R. Jones, Henry G. F. Kenscher, Phebe Fulton, Nun. M. Lent, John H. Meyer, Wilhelm Schmitz, Silas H. Tucker, Augustus Kountze, Cinthia Rose, Augustus Kountz, Michael Deady, Joseph H. Watts, Michael Dody, Martin Maher, Michael Upton, Charles O. Beddlecom, Cyrus D. Kazen, Reinhold Brandt, William Routson, Friedrich Plagemann, Patrick Morressey, Wilhelm Krause, Peter Reinheimer, Henry Rehbuck, Michael Reagan, E. T. McGehee, Wm. Grant, Lars Spuet, Jacob Jernberg, Patrick Delaney, Johannes Jaun, James Collins, Chas. Alson, Jacob Schudin, Heinrich Haake.

Democratic Convention.

Two hundred and fifty-seven delegates assembled in State Convention, in this city, on the 31st ult. The convention was permanently organized by the election of C. V. Gallagher of Douglas, president.

The convention was addressed by S. R. Calhoun, Dr. Miller and Hon. J. P. Irish.

A motion was made to sustain the two-thirds rule in the national convention, which was adopted by a vote of 88 to 67.

The resolutions adopted by the convention were brief, and principally complained of the wrong done the party in 1876 by the theft of the presidency.

Also resolutions of thanks were passed to the citizens of Columbus for their hospitable entertainment and courtesies to delegates.

The convention made the following appointments: J. S. Morton; G. L. Miller; J. E. North of Platte county; J. W. Pollock, Cumming county; F. A. Harmon, Franklin county; and A. J. Mahoney, Richardson county, delegates to the Cincinnati convention, with F. B. Parker, E. H. Bone, W. H. Platte, S. G. Goves, Dr. Englehart and F. W. Calhoun, as alternates.

The state central committee was chosen by judicial districts as follows:

First—Tobias Castor, T. W. Johnson, G. P. Marvin.

Second—H. C. Lett, J. S. Morton, J. N. Wise.

Third—Geo. E. Pritchett, S. F. Burtch, S. G. Glover.

Fourth—Miles Zentmyer, N. W. Smails, T. J. Hamilton.

Fifth—J. D. Calhoun, S. L. Brass, B. I. Hinman.

Sixth—J. C. Crawford, J. I. Leas, H. D. Rogers.

The delegates are understood to be a unit for Tilden.

Newman's Grove.

Prairie fires have recently been raging south of Newman's grove. Considerable damage was done on the divide between here and the head of Looking-glass. The fire originated down the creek from burning a straw stack.

E. M. Squires's stable, grain bin and hog pen, with all his feed, seed oats, some harness, saddle and a good many small tools, &c., were burned on the 26th ult. The fire originated from burning a straw stack on his own place. A sudden change of wind soon put the fire beyond control.

Sickness still continues to a considerable extent. There are several cases of measles in the neighborhood.

Farmers are vigorously pushing forward their spring's work, but are a little behind, owing partly to the large amount of plowing to do this spring. It was so dry last fall that the usual amount of plowing was not done. There will be much more ground cultivated than last year. They are getting more favorable to corn, and the proportion of that crop will much exceed any previous year. Our people feel much interested in the Columbus packing house enterprise, and are preparing for that market.

Emigration is slowly moving this way, some stopping in this vicinity and some passing on westerly. Several prairie schooners passed, on the 1st, bound for the Niobrara.

A fine rain Friday will very much facilitate farming. ***

BISHOP ANDERSON, of M. E. church refused last week, at Boston, to ordain Miss Oliver, to the ministry. The delegates to the general conference were instructed to use their influence to abolish all distinctions of sex in regard to ordinations.

MORTGAGE SALE.

WHEREAS, on the 23d day of July, 1879, J. N. Reynolds executed to Charles McIntire his chattel mortgage on the following named chattels, to wit: One brown mare, about nine years old; one buckboard and one new sett of single harness, to secure the payment of his ten promissory notes in the sum of ten dollars each, due respectively August 1st, 1879, September 1st, 1879, October 1st, 1879, November 1st, 1879, December 1st, 1879, January 1st, 1880, February 1st, 1880, March 1st, 1880, April 1st, 1880, and May 1st, 1880, and whereas, on the 4th day of August, 1879, said mortgage was duly filed in the office of the County Clerk of Platte county, Nebraska, and whereas, on the 4th day of August, 1879, said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Charles McIntire to Hatz & Ragatz, and whereas, default has been made in the payment of the last six of the afore-mentioned notes and there is now due on the same the sum of sixty dollars, with interest at ten per cent. from date.

Now therefore, we, the assignees of said mortgagee, by virtue of the aforesaid premises, have taken the aforesaid property, and will offer the same for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the west door of the Court House, in Columbus, Platte county, Nebraska, on Wednesday, the 21st day of April, 1880, at 1 o'clock p. m. Terms of sale, cash.

Dated at Columbus, Nebraska, March 26th, 1880.

HATZ & RAGATZ,
Assignees of Mortgagee.
By BENJ. SPIELMAN,
Sheriff, Platte Co., Neb. 516-4

PROBATE NOTICE.

THE STATE OF NEBRASKA, } ss.
COUNTY OF PLATTE, }

In the County Court, in and for said county.

In the matter of the estate of John Strasser, deceased, late of said county.

At a session of the County Court for said county, holden at the County Judge's office in Columbus, in said county on the 20th day of March, A. D., 1880, present, John G. Higgins, County Judge. On reading and filing the duly verified petition of Maria Strasser praying that letters of administration be issued to her on the estate of said decedent.

Thereupon, it is ordered that the 17th day of April, A. D., 1880, at 2 o'clock, p. m., be assigned for the hearing of said petition by publication in THE COLUMBUS JOURNAL for 3 consecutive weeks.

(A true copy of the order.)
JOHN G. HIGGINS,
515-4 County Judge.
Dated, Columbus, Neb., March 23, '80.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, on the 9th day of February, 1880, Jackson Boggs, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note for the sum of $60.00 with interest at ten per cent. per annum, given by him to Petersen & Robinson, executed a chattel mortgage to the said Petersen & Robinson upon the following described property, to wit:

Two dozen wooden chairs, two dozen patent bottomed chairs, one sofa, eight bedsteads, four wool mattresses, four husk mattresses, sixteen sheets, sixteen pairs pillows, sixteen pairs of pillow cases, thirty-two comforters, sixteen pairs blankets, two extension dining tables, one cooking stove, two round stoves, which mortgage was duly filed in the office of the County Clerk of Platte county, Nebraska, on the 10th day of February, 1880, and whereas, the said mortgage contains a power of sale therein of said property and provides that if the mortgagees shall deem themselves unsafe or insecure they shall have the right to declare the said note due and take immediate possession of and sell the said property, and the said mortgagees deeming themselves unsafe and insecure have declared the said note due, and at the time of the first publication of this notice, there is due upon said note the sum of $60.83.

Now, therefore, we, the undersigned, will expose for sale and sell for cash at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the office of the "Columbus Independent," in the city of Columbus, Platte county, Nebraska, on the 22d day of April, 1880, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of the said day the aforesaid mortgaged property for the payment of said note and costs of foreclosure.

Dated Columbus, Nebraska, March 30th, 1880.

PETERSEN & ROBINSON,
Mortgagees.
GEO. G. BOWMAN, Att'y. 516-4

LEGAL NOTICE.

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

In the matter of the estate of John Williams, of Platte county, Nebraska, deceased.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of said court, by the petition of Ann Williams, Administratrix of the estate of said John Williams deceased, that there is not sufficient personal estate in the hands of said Ann Williams to pay the debts outstanding against said deceased, and the expense of administration, and that it is necessary to sell the real estate of said deceased, to wit:

The west half of the southwest one-fourth of Section No. thirty, in Township No. nineteen north, Range two west, in Platte county, Nebraska, and the east half of the southeast one-fourth of Section No. twenty-five, in Township No. nineteen north, Range three west, in Platte county, Nebraska.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear, before the undersigned, Judge of said court, at the court house in the city of York, in York county, Nebraska, on the 15th day of May, 1880, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to show cause, if any they have, why license should not be granted to the said Ann Williams, Administratrix aforesaid, and it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the COLUMBUS JOURNAL, a newspaper printed in said Platte county, for at least four successive weeks previous to the hearing of the said application, the last day of publication to be at least fourteen days before the day of said hearing.

March 18th, 1880.

GEO. W. POST, Judge.
S. S. MCALLISTER, Att'y. 515-5

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SE ¼ and W ½ of SW ¼	9	"	"	240
NE ¼ of NE ¼	13	"	"	40
SE ¼ and E ½ of SW ¼	25	"	"	240
NE ¼ and SE ¼ of NW ¼, E ½ of SW ¼ and W ½ of SE ¼	27	"	"	360
N ½ and W ½ of SW ¼ and N ½ of SE ¼	31	"	"	472
All	33	"	"	640
NW ¼ also E ½ and NW ¼ of SW ¼	11	17	"	280
S ½ of NE ¼ and N ½ of NW ¼	15	18	1W	160
E ½ of NW ¼ NE ¼ of SW ¼ and SW ¼ of SW ¼	17	"	"	160
E ½ of NW ¼ and NW ¼ of NE ¼	23	"	"	120
SE ¼ of NW ¼ and NE ¼ of SW ¼ and N ½ of SE ¼	33	"	2W	160
NE ¼ and E ½ of NW ¼	5	17	"	242
N ½ and E ½ of SE ¼	17	"	"	400
W ½ of SE ¼	10	"	3W	80
Lot 1	15	"	"	
NW ¼ and SE ¼	3	"	"	320
W ½ of NE ¼, NW ¼ and S ½	23	"	"	640
NW ¼	28	19	1W	160
SW ¼	8	16	2W	160
NE ¼ of NW ¼, W ½ of NE ¼, S ½ of NW ¼	20	20	"	162

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FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 31st, 1880.

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, before the Clerk of the Court of Platte county, Nebraska, at the county seat, on Thursday, the 6th day of May, 1880, viz:

Nils Peterson, Homestead No. 4782, for the S. E. ¼, Section 11, Township 19 north, Range 4 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Charles Stone, John Anderson, Peter Nilson and Peter Swenson, all of Looking-glass P. O., Platte Co., Neb.

516-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

Final Proof.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 24th, 1880.

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 on Thursday, April 29th, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk, Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof, viz:

Andrzei Paproski, Homestead No. 5629, for the W. ½, N. E. ¼, Sec. 22, Township 19 north, Range 2 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Andrew Debany, Mathias Schneider, Thomas Herman, Joseph Krings, all of St. Anthony, Platte Co., Neb.

515-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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 on Thursday, the 8th day of April, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk, Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

Carl F. Kaul, sr., Homestead No. 4496, for the S. E. ¼, Section 2, Township 20 north, Range 3 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Christian Schwank, of Madison, Madison Co., Neb., and Theodore Beltz, of Kalamazoo, Madison Co., Neb., Ernst Nathan and David Blank, of St. Bernhard, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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Carl F. Kaul, jr., Homestead No. 4494, for the N. ½, S. W. ¼, S. ½, N. W. ¼, Section 2, Township 20 north, Range 3 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Christian Schwank, of Madison, Madison Co., Neb., and Theodore Beltz, of Kalamazoo, Madison Co., Neb., and Ernst Nathan and David Blank, of St. Bernhard, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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 on Thursday, April 15th, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk, Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

Michael Kusz, Homestead No. 5406, for lot 2, N. W. ¼, S. E. ¼, Section 30, Township 17 north, Range 3 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Valentine Spiece and John Whittaker, of Woodburn P. O., Platte Co., Neb., and Lawrence Quiawa and Joseph Rosua, of Cherry Hill, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and on Thursday, April 15th, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk, Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

Mary Kusz, Homestead No. 5468, for the E. ½, S. E. ¼, Section 30, Township 17 north, Range 3 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Valentine Spiece and John Whittaker, of Woodburn P. O., Platte Co., Neb., and Lawrence Quiawa and Joseph Rosua, of Cherry Hill, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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William J. Browson, Homestead No. 5940, for the N. ½, N. W. ¼, Section 26, Township 19 north, Range 2 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Joseph Krings and John Greisen, of St. Anthony, Platte Co., Neb., Jacob Greisen and P. W. Schmitz, of Columbus, Platte Co., Neb.

514-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 17th, 1880.

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 on Tuesday, April 20th, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk, Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

Phillipp Greisen, Homestead No. 5109, for the N. ½, N. E. ¼, Section 28, Township 19 north, Range 2 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Gerhard Grouenthal and Peter Ripp, of Platte Center, Paul Hoppen and Heinrich Greisen, of Columbus, Platte Co., Neb.

514-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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 on Thursday, the 8th day of April, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk, Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

Heinrich Greisen, Homestead No. 5560, for the N. ½, S. E. ¼, Section 28, Township 19 north, Range 2 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Phillip Greisen and Paul Hoppen, of Columbus, Platte Co., Neb., Peter Ripp and Gerhard Grouenthal, of Platte Center, Platte Co., Neb.

514-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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 on Thursday, the 8th day of April, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk, Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

Peter Laughlin, Homestead No. 4907, for the N. E. ¼, Section 34, Township 19 north, Range 1 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: S. J. Slattery, John Hammond and Henry S. Redenbaugh, all of Columbus, Platte Co., Neb., and Peter Snyder, of Grand Prairie, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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 on Thursday, the 8th day of April, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk of Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

Robert Gentlemen, Homestead No. 4357, for the N. ½, S. W. ¼, Section 32, Township 19 north, Range 1 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Patrick Carney, of St. Mary, Platte Co., Neb., Nells P. Larson, Patrick Reagan and David Murphy, of Platte Center, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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 on Thursday, April 15th, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk, Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

Michael McDonnell, Homestead No. 5658, for the E. ½ N. E. ¼, Section 8, Township 19 north, Range 3 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: John W. Clark, Edward Rogan, James T. Ferree and Henry McCabe, all of Postville, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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 on Thursday, the 8th day of April, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk of Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

John Brugger, Homestead No. 4879, for the S. ½, S. W. ¼, Section 26, Township 19 north, Range 1 east, and names the following as his witnesses, to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Jacob Held, Ephraim Pilling, Melchior Brugger and Benjamin Spielman, all of Columbus, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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Peter Swanson, Homestead No. 4313, for the N. E. ¼, Section 11, Township 19 north, Range 4 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: John Olson, Peter Matson, Nils Olson and Charles Stoan, all of Looking-glass, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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 on Thursday, the 8th day of April, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk of Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

Michael Kusz, Homestead No. 5406, for lot 2, N. W. ¼, S. E. ¼, Section 30, Township 17 north, Range 3 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Valentine Spiece and John Whittaker, of Woodburn P. O., Platte Co., Neb., and Lawrence Quiawa and Joseph Rosua, of Cherry Hill, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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 on Thursday, the 8th day of April, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk of Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

Peter Plant, sr., Homestead No. 6733, for the N. E. ¼, Section 10, Township 19 north, Range 4 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: Charles Stoan, Peter Mathison, Fredrich A. Haney and Torstin Neisson, all of Looking-glass, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 10th, 1880.

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 on Thursday, the 8th day of April, 1880, before John Stauffer, Dist. Clerk of Platte Co., at Columbus, Neb., secure final entry thereof viz:

John E. Dack, Homestead No. 4239, for the W. ½, N. E. ¼, Section 14, Township 18 north, Range 3 west, and names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said tract, viz: James A. Baker and Robert Wiley, of Monroe, Platte Co., Neb., Robert Nicholson and Edwin Hoare, of Lost Creek, Platte Co., Neb.

513-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

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