THE JOURNAL.

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Two hundred and forty-one deaths in Chicago last week.

THIRTEEN new cases of small-pox in Chicago last week.

WATERLOO was badly flooded during the rise in the Elkhorn.

THE Beatrice cheese factory turns out 750 pounds of excellent cheese daily.

THE Elkhorn, during the recent rise at Battle Creek, was over four miles wide.

FOUR companies U. S. cavalry at Fort Riley have been ordered to the Ute country.

JAS. T. FIELDS of Boston, the author, died on the 24th ult., aged sixty-four years.

THE sufferers by the flood at Hamburg, Ia., are in great need, and relief is asked for them.

WHITELAW REID and Miss Elizabeth Mills were married in New York City on the 26th ult.

SIX thousand two hundred and sixty-seven emigrants landed at New York on the 26th ult.

A MOTION was made in the U. S. senate on the 26th to go into executive session—Lost, yeas 24, nays 24.

THE Oriental cotton mills at Providence, Rhode Island, burned on the 25th ult., causing a loss of $100,000.

THE postmaster-general refuses to give any information to the public about the Star service investigation.

A LITTLE daughter of Simon Devour, of Arcola, Ill., fell into a bon fire last week and was burned to death.

MRS. HOWE, charged with embezzling the funds of the Ladies' Deposit of Boston, has been found guilty.

A LARGE number of emigrants recently passed through Albion for the 'Boston Colony' in Wheeler county.

PETER LEMEN of Detroit, was reported last week to be dying from the effects of a live lizzard in his stomach.

THE recent sudden rise of the Fox river not less than half a million of damage was done to property at Elgin, Ill.

THE late flood at Kansas City has left seven thousand people homeless, and there will be much suffering among them.

THE other day ten cars of coal and six filled with oil burned on the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia Railway.

THOS. THOMPSON, superintendent of the stock yards at Des Moines, last week fell between two cars, was run over, and killed.

THE Empress of Russia has been in bad health ever since the assassination of the Czar, and suffers from severe hysteric attacks.

THE latest reports from Washington in relation to the star route frauds, mix several prominent leaders in both political parties.

IT is understood that the republican senators will sustain the Mahone movement in Virginia,—"a free ballot and an honest count."

ETTIE COX, a very handsome young lady of Leroy, Ill., committed suicide last week. She left a letter for her lover. Contents not known.

LYNEN, a care-taker, living on a farm near Clifden, in Galway, Ireland, was shot and killed last week, and his son wounded, by nine men.

IN the Senate on the 27th ult., Senator Harris moved an executive session, stating there were 300 nominations awaiting action. Lost 23 to 23.

Two thousand emigrants sailed from Cork in two days last week for the United States. They were composed mostly of the farming classes.

THE revenue receipts for last month show a marked increase, so much so that the public debt will probably be reduced about $10,000,000.

IT is announced in London that Sir Stafford Northcote will be appointed leader of the tory party and take the place of the late Lord Beaconsfield.

GENUINE trichinæ has been recently found in fish purchased in Cincinnati, O. Dr. Rowe made the examination and pronounced them the genuine article.

THE alleged star-route steal is stirring up considerable unpleasantness among former contractors and late officials in the post-office department in Washington City.

FRANK HAMILTON committed suicide the other morning by shooting himself in Allegheny. The cause for the sad act was his father's refusal to let him attend a ball.

THE wife of Christian Kock, of St. Paul, Neb., cut her own and the throats of her three children with a razor one night last week. No reason given for the horrible act.

THE steamer Victoria arrived in New York the other day with several cases of small-pox on board, and about one thousand passengers who had never been vaccinated.

THE question is being discussed whether an Indian under our present constitution and laws is not a citizen of the United States, and if so, has he not got the right to vote.

THE British steamer Fararua, of Melbourne was wrecked the other day on the reefs off Otago, New Zealand, and eighty persons drowned.

THE printers were on a strike last week at Milwaukee. They demanded an advance of five cents per thousand. By the help of girls and apprentices the papers were got out.

THE South side street railway company in Chicago have decided to put in the endless chain system on three of their lines, and will commence the work sometime in this month.

LORD BEACONSFIELD'S will leaves Hughenden manor and all his other property to his nephew, Coningsby Ralph Disraeli. His letters, papers and manuscripts he leaves to Lord Rowton.

SOME of the drivers of the street cars at Louisville, Ky., are on a strike. They or some incendiary on the night of the 28th ult. set fire to six different stables, by which a number of horses were burned.

RECENT news from St. Petersburg announces that for the complicity of Grand Duke Nicholas in plots of the nihilists having been made clear, he has been sentenced by a decree of the emperor to imprisonment for life.

THE public schools of Cincinnati celebrated on the 26th ult. the birthday of Alice Cary. The exercises were in honor of the Cary sisters, and were composed of readings, recitations and singing their poems.

THE coroner's jury in the case of Alice Montgomery, who recently died in Chicago, returned a verdict reciting the fact that the girl's death resulted from strychnia, taken by mistake, and exonerating the druggist.

CHAS. STOCKLEY last week shot and killed a farmer named John Weeker, living near Batavia, N. Y. Stockley wanted to marry the latter's daughter, but could not obtain his consent. The murderer was captured.

THE effects of the flood below and above Yankton were disastrous and two thousand people are left without homes, clothing or food. Those competent to judge estimate the loss between Pierre and Sioux City at $2,000,000.

A REPORT from Washington shows an excess of exports over imports of merchandise for the twelve months ending March 31, $243,445,899; excess of imports of gold and silver coin and bullion, for the same time, $78,943,769.

FOREST fires were burning last week in Woodsocket, Cumberland and the adjoining towns in Rhode Island. In Andover, Mass., near Lawrence, six hundred acres have been burned over and a large amount of property destroyed.

AN inquest was held on the men killed in the affray at Klogher, Ireland, some days since, resulting in a verdict of willful murder against four of the constables, and of manslaughter against a fifth. One of the constables was killed.

IT is said that the reason Miss Anna Dickenson so suddenly abondoned the stage was because the announcement of the marriage of Whitelaw Reid was too suddenly made to her. It seemed, as the old saying goes, they had notions.

THE colored citizens of Omaha in public meeting pass resolutions endorsing the stand taken by Senator Mahone in the U. S. Senate in favor of a free people and a free ballot and an honest count for colored American citizens in the Southern States.

THE grand jury at St. Louis last week, found seventeen indictments against Robert L. Lindsay for connection with the big Missouri land swindles, and nine against John Brady, and one against Herman Schuster, also concerned in the land frauds.

IT is stated that W. A. M. Grier, the original Garfield man of Pennsylvania, has visited Washington, and become disgusted with matters there, and has returned home, it is thought with the intention of declining all office, or at least the office of Third Asst. Postmaster General.

THE President has appointed the following government directors of the Union Pacific railway company for the ensuing year: S. T. Everett, Cleveland, O.; R. H. Baker, Racine, Wis.; Chas. B. Peck, Port Huron, Mich.; George W. Frost Omaha, Neb., and A. Koutze, New York.

THERE is no necessity whatever for the Secretary of the treasury to force all the small greenbacks and the national bank notes out of circulation, as great demand exists among western business men for small bills. All small notes should be permitted to remain in circulation, and if necessary more added to the volume. Gold and silver are good enough, but very inconvenient.

HARPER'S WEEKLY puts it thus: "We do not think that we are mistaken in saying that the present impression of the country is that some kind of arrangement has been made which gives the Republicans the majority, and that the Democrats, acting within the rules of the Senate, are preventing the Republicans from turning out seventy or eighty Democratic clerks and messengers and other minor officers, and putting in as many Republicans, and one Democratic Sergeant-at-arms."

THE statue of Admiral Farragut was unveiled with imposing ceremonies at Washington City on the 25th ult. President Garfield was present and delivered the following brief and appropriate address:

Fellow-Citizens—It is a singular province of art to break down the limitations which separate generations of men from each other and allow those of past generations to be the comrades and associates of those now living. This capital is silently being filled up with heroes of other times. Men of three wars have taken their places in silent eloquence as guardians and guards of the nation they loved so well, and as years pass on these squares and public places will be rendered more popular—more and more eloquent—by the presence of dead heroes of other days. From all quarters of the country, from all generations of its life, from all portions of its service, these heroes come by ministry and mystery of art to take their places and stand as permanent guardians of our nation's glory.

Senator Voorhees also delivered an address. Mrs. Farragut, widow of the Admiral, was present, and given the position of honor next the President, and the artist, Mrs. Vinnie Ream Hoxie, was seated next to him on the left.

MR. ROLLIN H. N. KELLEY, Clerk in the general ticket office of the Burlington & Missouri River railroad, was arrested Friday last at the U. P. Depot at Omaha, charged with the embezzlement of a large sum of money from the B. & M. Co. Part of the money was found in his possession and he confessed to the offence. He was taken before the police courts, where he waived examination, and he was committed. He had been in the employment of the Co. eighteen months. He was formerly a farmer in Saunders county, and was a man of very genial temperament and formed many friendships. When found at the depot he was apparently intending to take the U. P. train for the west. He had a package under his arm containing the funds, amounting to about $1600, which he was about to carry off. When arrested, he exclaimed "Oh! my wife and children!" He was held for trial, in a bond of $4,000.

Don't Risk it.

It would seem like good law that when a stranger offers for sale, to a banker or broker, at a great discount, a note upon a thoroughly responsible man, that the very fact of the low offer ought to be enough to put the would-be purchaser upon his inquiry as to the relative rights of original parties to the note. If a good sound horse is offered at a very low price, suspicion at once enters the mind that he was stolen. We believe that an Iowa court has passed upon this subject recently, but to what length the decision runs we are not aware. We would caution farmers, however, against the whole tribe of traveling tricksters and note-takers. Deal with men you know. Buy of regular dealers, whether it be dry-goods, jewelry or wire-fence. Sign no paper to a stranger, and then it will not be necessary for a court to pass upon the validity of your note.

THE recent high waters of the Missouri and Mississippi have overflown millions of acres of land, destroyed immense amounts of property and made thousands of families homeless. The bottoms between the bluffs at Nebraska City, from eight to ten miles wide, were one sheet of water. Farms are ruined, houses destroyed and stock gone. Alex. Noble, a farmer living near Hamburg, was drowned while endeavoring to save his family. The town was partially inundated. At the time of the flood 100 families of Brownville were perched like birds in the trees, and on house tops, waiting and praying for relief. Every man and boat was engaged in the work of rescue. The river at that point was two feet higher than during the big flood of 1867, which was the highest water ever known in this country.

THE river at St. Joseph on the 27th ult., was twenty-two feet six inches above low water mark, and rising slowly. Many families have been rescued from their inundated houses in the bottom lands, where the people are generally in destitute circumstances. All available flat boats have been in use removing people and stock. An old man and his wife, seventy or eighty years old, were rescued from the Elmwood bottom, where they were living in a one story house, having been two or three days surrounded by a swift current, a mile from land, with the water two feet deep in the house. Two men with a skiff discovered them and brought them to the city. They had been in the water until their limbs were cramped and they were helpless.

Tax Payers' Association.

The idea of an association, without respect to party affiliation, that would look a little after the public interests in the matter of assessing, levying and collecting the taxes, and then as to how the money thus raised is spent, by whom, and for what purposes, gains ground. A correspondent hands us the following:

"A good time to organize a tax-payers' association is right now, and be ready to look over the assessment when returns are made, attend the meetings of the board of equalization in June, see who pays taxes for what they own or don't own, examine books, and see where the money goes, &c., &c. A move that should have been made in years past, is an interesting study for those of an industrious disposition and investigating mind."

That Herd Law.

EDITOR JOURNAL: In the Schuyler *Sun* of a recent date there is a communication on the subject of Senator Turner's amendment to the herd law, over the signature of "F." I should be sorry to give an unfair definition to the capital, but it seems to stand for Fault-finder, for I cannot believe any person who will give the subject the thought it demands, or even deserves, but will see its wisdom for the future, and its imperative justice for the present. As a matter of public policy, independent of its individual right of protection to our meadow lands, shows the wisdom of its enactment. Prior to the adoption of the general herd law in 1871, the statute books were covered all over with local herd laws, enacted to suit the neighborhood in which it was desired, and were as often as varied in their operation as the locality diversified in penalties and restrictions, fostering bitterness of feeling and angry litigation. The enactment of the general law wiped out the feuds of the past, and has worked so admirably that nearly every agricultural writer who has visited our state for the purpose of learning the operation of the herd law, has commended it as a grand advance in economising the expenditure of opening up new farms. It is no surprise, then, that the herd law, with Senator Turner's amendment, "receives so much approval on the part of newspaper men;" they are the faithful heralds of our advantages, and are ever on the alert to discover and proclaim to the enquiring thousands seeking the state that offers the best inducements to the industrious and intelligent immigrant. The amendment now incorporated with the general herd law was a part of the original law, but for prudential reasons was stricken out; it was endorsed in spirit, but the country was not considered sufficiently settled to require it, but the increase of farms and farmers in the past ten years, has made it imperative that meadow lands be protected. Hay is becoming one of the most profitable and essential products of a Nebraska farm; the prudent and thoughtful man that plans his work beforehand, will utilize the plowed strip and not let weeds be the only purpose for its use that the correspondent "F." seems to take alarm at. It will be the best safeguard from sweeping fires, and may be made to check the drifting snows by the cultivation of timber, and thus add largely to the value and beauty of the farm.

No, no, friend "F.," the advantages to be gained by the amendment, in a few years, will far outweigh the present burden or expense of plowing annually the bugbear of a strip around 160 acres of meadow land. H.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION.

NOTICE is hereby given to the legal voters of Columbus Precinct in the County of Platte and State of Nebraska, that a special election will be held at the place of voting in said Precinct, hereinafter named, on the

28th day of May, A. D. 1881,

for the purpose of voting upon the following proposition, to wit:

Shall the County Commissioners of said Platte County issue and give to the OMAHA, NIOBRARA AND BLACK HILLS RAILROAD COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Nebraska, coupon bonds of and for said Precinct to the amount of Twenty-five Thousand Dollars, to aid in the construction of a Railroad commencing at a point on the Union Pacific Railway, in the City of Columbus, in said Platte County, and extending thence to Lost Creek Station, also in said Platte County. Said bonds to be issued in sums of One Thousand Dollars each, to be made payable to bearer, to be dated on the First day of July, A. D., 1881, and to become due twenty years from the date thereof, with interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, payable annually on the first day of July of each year upon interest coupons thereto attached, both interest and principal payable at the fiscal agency of the State of Nebraska in the City of New York.

And shall the said County Commissioners cause to be levied on the taxable property of said Columbus Precinct, an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on the said coupon bonds as it becomes due, and after the expiration of ten years from the date of said bonds, shall the County Commissioners cause to be levied in addition to all other taxes, upon the taxable property of said Precinct, a tax sufficient to create a sinking fund for the payment at maturity of said bonds, and shall said tax be continued from year to year until the said bonds are fully paid; *Provided*, that the said Precinct shall only be liable to pay interest on the said bonds from the time the said Railroad Company shall be entitled to receive the same, and upon the delivery thereof, sufficient coupons shall be detached from said bonds to cause them to draw interest from the time when said Railroad Company shall be entitled to receive them; and, *provided further*, that the said bonds shall be issued and delivered to said Railroad Company only in the manner and on the conditions following, to wit: when said Railroad shall be built and completed from the City of Columbus to the town of Lost Creek as aforesaid.

Said bonds shall be executed and issued by the proper officers of said County and delivered to said Railroad Company within sixty days after the completion of said Railroad; and if two-thirds of the votes cast at said election shall be in favor of the proposition hereby submitted, then said County Commissioners shall be authorized to execute and deliver the same accordingly.

The form in which this proposition shall be submitted shall be by ballot, upon which ballots shall be printed or written or partly printed or written, the words: "For Railroad bonds and tax,—Yes" or "For Railroad bonds and tax,—No." And if two-thirds of the votes cast shall have thereon the words, "For Railroad bonds and tax, Yes" then said proposition shall be declared adopted, otherwise they will be declared lost: said election to be held at the following place in said Precinct, to wit: At the Court House, in the City of Columbus, Platte County, Nebraska.

The polls at said election shall be open at eight o'clock on the morning of said day, and shall continue open until six o'clock in the afternoon thereof, and said election shall be conducted in all respects as provided by law.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of Platte County this 21st day of April, A. D., 1881.

JOHN WISE,
MICHAEL MAHER,
JOSEPH RIVET,
County Commissioners.

JOHN STAUFFER,
County Clerk. 572-5

NOTICE.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, } ss:
PLATTE COUNTY,

To S. A. Bonesteel, L. Gerrard, M. Whitmoyer, E. A. Gerrard, M. Weaver, Thomas Durant, Jared H. Orr, Sidney L. Holman and A. J. Arnold, Amanda M. Arnold, Jane Mullen, Ira Mullen, Nellie North, James North, Edward Arnold, jr., Guy Tripp, Albert Tripp, Earnest Tripp, heirs of Maria Arnold, resident and non-resident owners of the following described real estate, all owned in the county of Platte and State of Nebraska:

M. Weaver and S. A. Bonesteel, a part of the west ½ of Section 19, Town 17, Range 1 east of the sixth principal meridian, and further described as out-lot number seven (7), city of Columbus.

L. Gerrard and M. Whitmoyer, the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section twenty-four (24), Township 17, Range 1 west of the sixth principal meridian.

E. A. Gerrard, southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section (24), Town (17), Range 1 west, and the north one-half of the northwest quarter of Section (8), Town (17), Range 1 west of the sixth principal meridian.

Thomas C. Durant, trustee, any interest he may own in the real estate above and hereinbefore described.

Jared H. Orr, the south ½ of N. E. of S. E. of S. E., Section 14, Town 17, one west of the sixth principal meridian.

Sidney L. Holman, north ½ of N. E. S. E. S. E., and north ½ of N. W., S. E., S. E. Section 14, Town 17, Range one west of the sixth principal meridian.

A. J. Arnold and Amanda M. Arnold, Jane Mullen, Ira Mullen, Nellie North, James E. North, Edward Arnold, jr., Guy Tripp, Albert Tripp, Earnest Tripp, heirs of Maria Arnold. The west ½ of the southwest quarter of Section thirteen (13), Town 17, Range (1) one west of the sixth principal meridian.

And you are hereby notified that the Omaha, Niobrara & Black Hills Railroad Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Nebraska, has located its line of road and right of way one hundred (100) feet wide, across the above described tracts of land, and that unless within thirty days after the publication of this notice, you make application to the County Judge of said county to have the damage by reason of said location assessed, said Railroad Company will procure an assessment of the same in the manner prescribed by law.

This notice to be published for four (4) consecutive weeks in THE COLUMBUS JOURNAL, a newspaper published at Columbus, Platte Co., Neb., and of general circulation therein.

Dated, Columbus, Neb., this 2d day of May, 1881.

THE OMAHA, NIOBRARA & BLACK HILLS RAILROAD COMPANY,
By DARWIN C. LOVELAND,
573-5 Right of Way Agent.

LEGAL NOTICE.

To Karolina Bader, widow, and Henry Bader, Josephina Bader, Charles Bader and Katharina Bader, children and minor heirs of Karl Bader, deceased, non-resident defendants:

TAKE NOTICE that Nannie O. Moffit has sued you in the District Court in and for Platte county in the Fourth Judicial District of Nebraska, and that you are required to answer the petition filed by said Nannie O. Moffit, in said court, on or before the

Sixth day of June, 1881.

The prayer of said petition is for the foreclosure of a mortgage given by said Karl Bader, deceased, in his lifetime, and Karolina Bader, to one Charles P. Dewey, on the twenty-second day of March, 1878, on the north half of the northwest quarter of Section Twelve, in Township Eighteen north, Range one west of the Sixth Principal Meridian, in Platte county, Nebraska; said mortgage was given to secure the payment of six several promissory notes, all dated March 22d, 1878, five of said notes being for the sum of fifteen dollars each and payable severally and respectively in six months, one year, eighteen months, two years, and thirty months after the date thereof; the other or sixth note being for the sum of two hundred and sixty-five dollars and being due and payable in three years after the date thereof, all with interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum from maturity till paid. Made and delivered by said Karl Bader, deceased, to said Charles P. Dewey, and by said Charles P. Dewey duly assigned to plaintiff, and plaintiff also prays in said petition that you, the said Henry Bader, Josephina Bader, Charles Bader, and Katharina Bader, children and minor heirs as aforesaid, be made defendants in said action. An attorney's fee, and general execution for any balance that may remain unpaid, and such other and further relief as equity may require, is also prayed for.

NANNIE O. MOFFITT,
571-5 By CHAS. A. SPEICE, Att'y.

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the District Court, Fourth Judicial District, in and for Platte County, Nebraska.

Annie M. Martin, Plaintiff,
against
Salathiel L. Barrett, Alice B. Barrett, Joseph N. Taylor and Annie E. Taylor,
Defendants.

THE above named defendants, Salathiel L. Barrett and Alice B. Barrett, non-residents of the State of Nebraska, will take notice that on the 18th day of April, A. D., 1881, the said plaintiff, Annie M. Martin, commenced an action in the above named court, and filed her petition in the above entitled case, the object and prayer of which said petition is to foreclose a certain mortgage given and duly executed by said last named defendants, Salathiel L. Barrett and Alice B. Barrett to said plaintiff, dated November 22d, 1880, given on the following described premises, lands and tenements, to wit: Lots (1) one, (2) two and (3) three, in block No. two, in Turner & Hulst's Addition to the city of Columbus, all in Platte county, State of Nebraska, said mortgage being given to secure the payment of four certain promissory notes of even date therewith for the sum of fifty dollars each, that there is now due on said notes and mortgage the sum of two hundred dollars and interest thereon from November 22d, 1880, at ten per cent. per annum, and also an attorney fee equal to ten per cent. of the amount due, that unless you answer said petition filed in said court, on or before the 30th day of May, A. D., 1881, judgment will be taken, that said premises be sold to satisfy the amounts so due on said notes and mortgage.

MCALLISTER BROS.,
571-4 Att'ys for Annie M. Martin.

NOTICE IN ATTACHMENT.

MINNIE BELL will take notice that on the 26th day of February, 1881, G. B. Bailey, a justice of the peace of Columbus precinct, Platte county, Nebraska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of $25.00 an action pending before him, wherein W. H. Randall is plaintiff and Minnie Bell defendant; that property consisting of one feather bed, bedding, clock, carpet, flat-irons, books, etc., has been attached under said order; said cause was last continued to the 10th day of May, at one o'clock p. m., 1881.

W. H. RANDALL,
Plaintiff.
Columbus, April 18, 1881. 571-3

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., April 2d, 1881.

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 that said proof will be made before John Stauffer, Clerk of the District Court, at Columbus, Platte Co., Neb., on the 7th day of May, 1881, viz:

Pre-emption Declaratory Statement No. 4695, Elias Stowe, for the N. W. ¼, Section 8, Township 20 north, Range 4 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George McCormick, William Winand, George Lymath, Robert Holden, all of Platte Co., Neb.

569-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

Final Proof.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., April 25th, 1881.

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 that said proof will be made before Clerk of Court of Platte county, Nebraska, at county seat, on June 1st, 1881, viz:

John Koop, Homestead No. 8388, for the W. ½, S. E. ¼, Section 32, Township 19 north, Range 4 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Henry Guiles, B. F. Baird, Oliver Guiles, Jacob Swiggart, all of St. Edwards, Boone Co., Neb.

572-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., April 14th, 1881.

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 that said proof will be made before Clerk of court of Platte county, Neb., at county seat, on June 8th, 1881, viz:

Frank Wassenberg, Homestead No. 6451, for the S. ½, N. E. ¼, Section 6, Township 19 north, Range 1 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George Minten, William Kleve, Steven Vandorn, Joseph Widhalm, all of Humphreys, Platte Co., Neb.

571-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., April 25th, 1881.

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 that said proof will be made before Clerk of Court of Platte Co., Neb., at county seat, on June 1st, 1881, viz:

John A. Wilson Pre-emption declaratory statement No. 3884, for the S. E. ¼, Section 16, Township 20 north, Range 1 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Elbert McGhee, John Brooks, Edgar D. Leach, and Robert Harper, all of Humphreys, Platte Co., Neb.

572-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office, Grand Island, Neb., April 9th, 1881.

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 that said proof will be made before John Stauffer, Clerk of the District Court, at Columbus, Nebraska, on the 14th day of May, 1881, viz:

Heinrich Reese, Homestead No. 6114, for the N. ½, N. W. ¼, Section 20, Township 19 north, Range 1 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Herman G. Luschen, Julius Hembd, Henry Meyer and Mathias Gorden, all of Columbus P. O., Platte Co., Neb.

570-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., April 25, 1881.

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 that said proof will be made before Clerk of the Court of Platte Co., Nebraska, at county seat, on June 1st, 1881, viz:

Alva E. Smith, Pre-emption Declaratory Statement No. 3535, for the S. ½, N. E. ¼, Section 28, Township 18 north, Range 3 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Hudson Murdock, William Little, John Hurley, Joseph Murdock, all of Genoa, Nance Co., Neb.

572-5 M. B. HOXIE, Register.

I HAVE RECENTLY PURCHASED THE STOCK OF

HARDWARE, STOVES

—AND—

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS!

—OF—

MR. ROBERT UHLIG,

And will continue the business at the old stand, where I will be pleased to see the old customers—(no objection to a few new ones). I have on hand a large stock of

STOVES

—AND—

RANGES,

ALL STYLES, SIZES AND PRICES.
☞BOUGHT! VERY LOW!☜

NAILS, PUMPS,

Rope, Glass, Paint, Putty,

BARBED WIRE,

(bought before the monopoly price)

Agricultural Implements!!

OF ALL KINDS.

The John Deere Goods a Specialty.

PLOWS, HARROWS, RAKES.

THE CELEBRTED

Buckeye Cultivators,

DRILLS AND SEEDERS.

—:o:—

CLIMAX MOWERS

—:o:—

ELWARD HARVESTERS AND CORD BINDERS.

EUREKA MOWERS,

wide cut and lightest draft machine made. Come and see this machine if you don't look at any thing else.

THE OLD RELIABLE

Chicago Pitts Thresher,

with Steam or Horse power.

The Iron Turbine Wind Mills,

The mill that stands all the storms and is always ready for action. Agent for

DAVIS, GOULD CO'S

Buggies, Carriages, and Platform Spring Wagons,

which I can sell cheaper than you can go on foot. No trouble to show goods or talk prices.

If square dealing and "live and let live" prices will secure a share of your patronage, I shall be pleased to receive it.

GEO. D. FOSTER.
565 Successor to R. Uhlig.

E. J. & J. A. ERNST,

(Successors to SCHUTTE & POHL),

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