CITIZENS of Fremont are talking a street railway.

QUEEN VICTORIA last week went to Osborne, Isle of Wight.

Some 30,000 children are living on canal boats in England.

POSTAL CARDS were first used in the United States in 1872-73.

GEO. SQUIRES, of Omaha is fatten-

ing 3,000 sheep at Bellevue. O'Donnell was hanged at 80'clock on the morning of the 17th.

SECRETARY FOLGER Was reported last week to be no better in health. EX-MAYOR STANSBURG, of Baltimore, Md., died on the 19th, aged 92

with two teeth, has never had any ing with the republicans.

MILD as the weather has been, north Nebraska towns complain of being short on eoal.

THE Irish refugees of Paris condemn the execution of O'Donnell, and threaten revenge.

Sixteen buildings burned the other day at Candelara, Nev., upon which the loss is \$80,000. THE Lincoln Journal dubs the Oma-

ha Republican as the original secondhand Arthur man.

Jos. Poole was hanged in Dublin on the morning of the 18th for the murder of Kenny.

MRS. HARRIET BEECHER STOWE with her family recently went to her winter home in Florida.

Can it be a truthful statement that it costs \$13,000 a year to scrub the United States treasury building.

THE Navajo Indians in New Mexico are leaving their reservation and

running off the stock of settlers. THE Lincoln police pulled three houses of ill-fame the other night, taking in seven women and three men.

JOHN W. SCOTT, of Kansas, was confirmed as Indian agent at the Ponca, Pawnee and Otoe agency, Indian T'y.

can wheat has been received at Laube A FIRE at Weeping Water, Neb.,

cial bank and Kleasky's store. Total loss about \$13,000.

and fifty artillerymen recently left London for Egypt.

A GERMAN has computed that from 1802 until 1813 Napoleon I, "consumed" 5,800,000 men, or at the rate of half a million a year. MRS. JOHN HOWIE, of Homerville,

N. B., gave birth to four boys the other morning. One died, but the others are doing well. Seven of the largest English trades

unions have spent in six years \$10,-000,000 for the defense, support and relief of men out of work. P. B. REYNOLDS, president of the State Alliance, announces an annual

meeting of that body at Kearney, January 16th and 17th, '84. ABOUT half the business portion of Rockport, Mich., not far from Grand

Rapids, was burned the other morning. Total loss about \$45,000. WM. WILSON, Percy Truesdale, A. Rollin and S. McFarland were

drowned in St. Andrews bay the other day by the capsizing of a boat. An incendiary burned S. P. Creasinger's residence at Fowler, Mich.,

in cash. The house cost \$21,000. A GRAND TRUNK express train the other day demolished a stage coach

near Cataraquie, Ont., killing three women and wounding the driver. FRANK LIDDLE, assistant postmaster at Ames, Iowa, was arrested at

stealing \$500 from registered letters. It is something out of the usual hang a policeman for murder in Jan-

that drinks beer and chews tobacco. We suppose the man who drinks beer presidency for the term.

that he cannot confront the present situation in Egypt unless his position is secured by the presence of English

Five robberies by the aid of revolvers, were perpetrated at St. Louis the other night by one gang, who used a buggy to facilitate their depre- | Senate adjourned.

HARVEY BUNDY, brakeman, lost his life at Nebraska City on the 20th. He attempted to step on a running engine, lost his balance, and was horribly crushed.

THE Union Stock Yards Company at Omaha will at once commence preparing their yards and packinghouses. \$600,000 stock has already been subscribed.

THE other morning at Duboice, Pa. the American House was discovered to be on fire, and before it could be checked or subdued it destroyed property worth at least \$75,000.

THERE are about 66,000 locomotive engines in the world, and 120,000 passenger and 500,000 freight cars. There are 200,000 miles of track, and the capital invested is \$20,000,000,000.

Two men, Harrington and Robison, who left Patterson, Utah, the other day on a shooting expedition, were caught in a snowslide and instantly killed. Harrington's body has been

WHILE playing ball the other day near Paris, Ill., the bat slipped from the hand of the batter, striking a boy named Asa Mapes, 16 years old, bursting his eye-ball, from the effects of The writs of habeas corpus and cerwhich he died.

#### Congress. SENATE.

President and Vice President.

Washington, Dec. 18 .- The following bills were reported from committees and placed on the callendar: Harrison, providing a civil government for Alaska. Hoar, in regard to the election of

Van Wyck offered a resolution calling on the secretary of the interior for copies of mortgages given by the Texas Pacific railway on lands granted by the act of March 3, names of railroad corporations claiming lands not earned during the lifetime of the grant, together with the number of acres claimed by each road. hour Sherman asked for the immediate consideration of the resolution offered yesterday that the Senate proceed to the election of officers, namely, secretary of the Senate, chief clerk, principal executive clerk, chaplain and sergeant-at-arms. Agreed to The division was on strict party A MARYLAND colored man, born | lines, Mahone and Riddleborger vot-

> Sherman moved that Anson G. Mc-Cook be chosen secretary of the Pendleten moved to amend by the substitution of the name of L. Q.

Washington. Lost-yeas 29, nays 32. The main resolution was agreed to and McCook sworn in.

The remaining republican nominees were elected as follows: Chief clerk. Charles W. Johnson, of Minnesota; executive clerk, James R. Young, of Pennsylvania; chaplain, Rev. Elias DeWitt Huntley, of the District of Columbia; sergeat-at-arms, W. P.Canaday, of North Carolina.

The following discussion occurred in the Senate on the 18th inst:

The Senate went into executive

When the doors were re-opened the Senate went into a committee of ing consideration of the new rules. Cameron (Wis.) thought as several senators were absent consideration of the new rules had better be postponed and moved an adjournment. Lost-

The question pending was the adoption of the first new rules in relation to the election of a president pro tem, and his right in case of absence to name a substitute who could perform the duties of the chair three days.

On motion of Garland a division of the rule was agreed to, to permit the first two clauses which were not obiected to, to be voted upon separately. On the question of agreeing to the third clause, which gives the vice debate arose.

A cargo of 100,000 cwt. of Ameri-Bayard stated that he had not been ble to discharge his mind of the in Bohemia, the first ever imported grave objections that existed to this farm in Nemaha county sold the other of the president or vice president. the other night burned the Commer- He thought it placed the question of presidential succession in a dangerous Among the news items from Lon- of argument rests on one side or the don is the statement that one hundred other. It should be placed in such a position that there is absolutely no two vines that were planted two years favored it were at all satisfactory.

Jones (Fla.) and Blair thought it empore with such power. Maxey remarked that this proposed clause was a change of a rule that had

been in force sixty years, and was practically a departure from the theory which the rule defended, for it she wanted .- York Republican. was only meant to fit a temporary necessity, while under the construccould be made three days, it could be extended to thirty days. He opposed

Frye, who reported the cause as said he could not see how by any possibibility the rule could touch the question of presidential succession, nor how it raised a constitutional question, there being no vice-president of the United States, and the vice-president pro tem of the Senate being necessarily the presiding officer for the next two years. The other." question is whether in case of a day's sickness or a day or two absence the United States Senate can transact business without being compelled to oust him from a place where it has the other night, and carried off \$2,100 now stands, if the president of the Senate takes sick the Senate is obliged, under the chairmanship of the secretary of the Senate, to elect a new president pro tem, and that president

will be clothed with the powers which, under the constitution, attach to the office. Bayard stated that the constitution provides that the presiding officer of Lincoln the other night charged with the Senate shall be vice president, and if the vice president be absent and cannot nominate his locum tenenes, the Senate must elect, and it order of doing business, but it is the vice president comes back the stated as a fact that New York will | next day the senator who temporarily presides goes out of office ipse facto. On one occasion the president was in doubt whether the fact that Henry They have a lamb in New York Wilson was in the gallery, and so

within the walls, did not vacate the Frye pointed out that in the House and chews tobacco must be named of Representatives the speaker has power to appoint a substitute for a THE Khedive has notified England | period of ten days, and it is never objected to. He called for a yea and nay vote on the adoption of the

clause. Objected to. Ingalls offered the customary resoution, and it was agreed to, that the President and House of Representatives be notified of the election of the new secretary of the Senate. Pending a vote on the rule the

on which could not be detected by an week. autopsy and offered him \$300 compensation, reluctantly admitting that she wished to get rid of her husband Hans Kofford, so that her husband's brother, of whom she was enamored, and herself might together enjoy the insurance of \$5,500 which her husband carried. After making an appointment to meet both in his office that evening, the doctor arranged with the police and several interested insurance men to be present but concealed. At the interview the whole diabolical plan was made known and they were immediately arrested and jailed. The parties are all Danish. The youngest brother is 60 years of age and the

woman 25. THE supreme court of the United States has decided that the district court of Dakota had no jurisdiction in the case of the Indian Crow Dog, tried and sentenced to death for the murder of Spotted Tail, and the imprisonment of Crow Dog is illegal. tiorari prayed for were granted.

#### Van Wyck and Valentine.

Senator Van Wyck has at last inout patents and pay taxes on their lands. Why did not Senator Van Wyck work for Valentin's bill on the same subject, introduced in the house a year ago .- Republican.

who will not see. Senator Van Wyck introduced a bill to place Pacific railroad lands upon the tax-list a few weeks after he first entered the sen-1871. Also to inform the Senate the ste. The railroads were exempted from taxation because their lands were not patentable until certain survey fees were paid, and by refusing Agreed to. Continuing the morning to pay these fees except on lands they had actually sold they escaped taxation. The senator proposed in his bill to waive the right of the government to exact the survey fees and require the land department to issue patents for the lands that had been actually earned. Valentine threw a sop to his constituents just before the last congress adjourned, when he knew that the bill he introduced would be pigeon-holed in the committee with hundreds of other bills

which could not be reached. It is a piece of impudence to ask Senator Van Wyck why he he did not take up Valentine's bill. It would be a great deal more pertinent to ask why didn't Valentine put through Vay Wyck's bill for the relief of the settlers on the St. Joe & Denver lands. That bill had passed the senate and got into the house in ample time to become a law, and it had been called up by Valentine. Why cant't Valentine's six-dollar clerk explain why his patron saint failed to do his duty the whole for the purpose of continu- towards the settlers who have since been compromised by Jim Laird into paying Knevals, the land shark, three dollars and a half an acre?-O. Bee.

THE Omaha Republican truthfully says: "There are homesteaders in Nebraska who come here twelve years ago and are still waiting to see how fruit will, grow here.' It is not alone in the river counties that fruit does well. As far west as Crete, Mr. Stephens raises yearly 100 bushels of cherrie: As far west as 150 miles, Mr. Stolley, of Grand Island, has twelve varieties of grapes doing nicepresident the power of substitution, a ly, and Hall county's exhibit of fruit at the state fairs are among the very first in quality and quantity. A fruit in honor of the guest. clause, owing to the complications day for \$16,000. Now is the time to that might ensue in case of the death buy and plant. Each year adds to

the value of growing trees and yines." And we can add that in York counposition. This is a matter in which ty we have had a fine exhibit of fruits it will not do to say that the weight | this year. Geo. S. Cook raised over two bushels of the finest grapes on doubt, and he could not see that the ago last spring. E. M. Cheney picked arguments advanced by those who a fabulous number of quarts of raspberries and strawberries from small dangerous to clothe president pro patches of each. John P. Cook gathfrom his orchard and R. E. Leach also had a fine lot of apples and crabs. Mrs. Hammond had all the currents

THE next meeting of the State Allition now, he held that if the time ance promises to be more than usually interesting. We quote the following

Judge A. W. McKeighan, of Webchairman of the committee on rules, ster Co .:- "Wealth as a political

> Hon. John Barnd, of Buffalo Co. :--Hon. R. S. Malony, Sr., of Richard-

son Co. :- "Rail and River Transportation, and their relation to each

and National Politics." Other distinguished anti-monopolists have been invited, among whom are Hon. F. B. Thurner of New York, Hon. E. P. Ingersoll, and Hon. C. H. Van Wyck of Nebraska, and Hon.

Benj. F. Butler of Massachusetts. THE editor of the Omaha Republican turned prophet in his Wednesday's issue and gives utterance to the following prediction relative to our

recent beautiful sunsets: It will not be long, perhaps, before the scarcely controlled flames of internal earth will be shooting out at different points, soon to be followed by great shafts of fire reaching from earth to heaven. Then indeed the spectacle will be grandly beautiful. At this time we hope that the sunsetular hypothesis of this journal will be remembered, and credit be done to the | ment was agreed to. spirit of inspirational prophecy which has suggested it.

A RECENT telegram received by Secretary Chandler from Minister Hunt, of St. Petersburg, announces that he arrived from Jakutsk in nineto the bodies of DeLong and party on the departure from Jakutsk. The On the 18th, Mary Kofford called | bodies were received here by the city Leadville, Col., and made the startling of East Siberia. They were to leave equest that he furnish her with pois- with their remains on Friday of last

Venus, and on the 14th inst. was her since she made her famous transit across the sun a year ago.

SAM'L MELICK, deputy sheriff Lancaster county, this state, made three important arrests last week. Sheriff Ensign received a telegram from him stating that he had captured Ben E. Glazier, Thos. G. Doyle and Thos. Mitten in the Cascade mountains in Oregon, and was on his way back with them by way of San Fran-

to visit Brooklyn and Philadelphia, and will attend the annual banquet of the New England society of Philadelphia, and then return to Washington some of that superintendent's eloto spend the Christmas holidays.

of the common pleas court held at sensational works. An entire year of troduced a bill to make railroads take | Cambridge, Ohio, sentenced twelve | the little child's life is generally given saloon keepers to fines aggregating to the reading of one book, not much \$4,400 and imprisonment in the county thicker than my little finger. Let a iail 400 days, for violation of the Scott law. There are seventy cases times, and he knows every word by There are none so blind as those

yet to be tried. THE senate has confirmed the nomnation of Walter Evans, commissioner of internal revenue; Albert A. Wyman, treasurer, of the United States; Edward O. Graves, assistant treasurer; Richard Gibbs, of New York, minister resident consul general for Bolivia.

A RECENT Huntington, Oregon, special says: Seven desperadoes, at the point of the pistol, robbed J. Tyfer, merchant, of \$15,000 cash and drafts; also, the paymaster of the railroad construction of \$12,000, and others of amounts from \$200 to \$500.

THE death of Hon. D. C. Haskell. representative from Kansas, was announced in the house on the 17th. Mr. Anderson offered the customary resolutions, which were unanimously adopted by the house as a tribute of respect to the deceased. A RESOLUTION in the house making

inquiry into the alleged murder of several citizens of Danville, Va., and whether it was done in controvention fiction. In my experience, it is the to the provisions of the municipal easiest of all problems to lead chillaws of the state of Virginia and the dren to read, and to love to read, the laws of the United States.

Another Fenian scare seems to have struck London, and the police books, children would never feel the are closely watching the houses of necessity for the trash they read, leading Irish nationalists. The Lord whose baneful influence is immeas-Mayor received anonymous letters threatening to blow up London bridge and Newgate.

THREE hundred pounds of giant powder, which miners were warming the other day around a stove at Lyon Mountain, Clinton county, exploded. Considerable damage was done the company's building, and many miners narrowly escaped death.

GEN. W. S. HANCOCK and wife are visiting the west. They spent a day or two last week in Salt Lake City. He spent a delightful day at Fort Douglas as the guest of General Mc-Cook. A salute was fired at the fort

MRS. MURRAY, the wife of Rev. W. H. H. Murray, recently returned from Europe with a diploma from the Vienna Medical College, both as physician and surgeon, being, her friends say, the only woman in the country with this certificate.

THE clerk of the house of representatives has made the following appointments: John A. Palmer, of Virginia, index clerk; F. H. Richardson, of Georgia, assistant clerk; J. W. ered over a hundred bushels of apples Blackburn, of Kentucky, foreman of

MR. LAIRD is in favor of abolishing the duty on lumber. In that his views coincide with the interests of his constituents. Senator Van Wyck proved that conclusively on the floor of the senate eleven months ago .-Sutton Register.

RECENT news from Laredo, Tex., says Pablo Quintana, mayor of New Laredo, Mexico, was arrested by a detachment of forty Mexican cavalry on charge of instigating the recent train robbery on the Mexican National railway.

DR. C. C. SYMONDS of Clay county, Hon. Alien Root, of Douglas Co. :-- Ill., was held the other day in \$5,000 "Political Numbers and the duty of bail at Springfield for collecting and appropriating a pension belonging to Hon. E. Rosewater, of Douglas the heir of a dead veteran. The Docelected him. Under the rule as it Co. :-- "The Corporation in Nebraska tor was captured in Arkansas, whither he had fled.

THE warehouses of the Baltimore Warehouse Company burned the other morning. About 2,000 bales of cotton stored in the building, much of it badly damaged and a great deal destroyed. Loss \$75,000. GEN. MILLOT was to leave Paris

take command of the French troops. It is stated that eight thousand officers have themselves in readiness for service in Tonquin.

SENATOR VAN WYCK'S resolution calling on the secretary of the interior for information regarding lands granted to railroads, was called up Thursday and after a slight amend-

What do our Onildren Read?

The JOURNAL in a recent issue quotes from an exchange some timely remarks about cultivating a taste for good reading in our children. The following is an extract from one of teen days. Military honors were paid W. F. Parker's (America's foremost

"A fact very much bemoaned and bewailed in these times, is, that chilon Dr. Rose, a prominent dentist of authorities and Geographical society dren love to read trashy literature; remember that the "Western Horse and Cattle Insurance Co." of Omaha is the that they read dime novels, sensational newspapers, and stories like "The Robber of the Bloody Gulch; or ABOUT this time anybody who The Red Handed Pirate of the Spanwatches the southwestern sky just ish Main." This unwholesome, and after sunset will see a brilliant star vicious tendency, is almost wholly gleaming in the twilight very near caused, I believe, by the neglect of the point on the horizon where the school authorities to furnish a genersun disappeared. It is the planet ous supply of pure, interesting literature, to the schools under their charge. first appearance before the public I know a superintendent of schools. who often waxes eloquent over the vices engendered by such reading. once visited his schools, and found his pupils learning to spell column after column, and page after page, of words one-tenth of which they probably never would use in their lives. satisfied myself that these poor victime hardly knew the meaning of one word, the forms of which they were struggling over. The money expended for those spelling books would have purchased a rich supply, of ex-PRESIDENT ARTHUR last week was cellent reading; and the time thrown away in conning that fearful book, if est, handsomest best book ever sold for used in reading the best literature. would have rendered unnecessary its to agents. All intelligent people want

Jupge Frazier, at a recent term to the miscries caused by reading child read a selection twice or three beart. He can read his lesson with the book upside down after that. I NEW GOODS! once tested one of the best schools in this country. The pupits read very well indeed. I asked them to close their books; and as soon as they understood what I wanted, they repeated every word, verbatim, with great gusto, simply by my reading one word, anywhere in the book. They knew that book from beginning to end, and yet, following the course of study, they must repeat those words over and over again, for five long months! We are paying millions of dollars in this country for such worse than stupid repetitions. A class will read a primary reader through in a very short time. The cost of a dozen series of books (bought by the school authorities) is not so great as the price paid by children, for the readers TINWARE, CUTLERY. of a single series. Every school can and should have a good library, made of sets of different books, embracing the best readers, works on natural history adapted to children, such as Prang's little books, Little Folks in FARM IMPLEMENTS Feathers and Fur. Life and her Children, and The Fairvland of Science, primary geographies like Our World and Guyot's Introduction, histories, books of travel, poetry, and the best very best literature. If the hours devoted to the spelling-book, to useless repetition of words already learned, were spent in the perusal of the best

urable.'

Application for Druggists Permit. Matter of application of Edmond F. Pow ell, for Druggist's permit. Y F. Powell did upon the 14h day of tion to the Board of Supervisors of Platte county, Nebraska, for a druggist's permit to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors, at Platte Center, in Lost Creek precinct, Platte county, Nebraska, from the 25th day of January, 1884, to the 25th day of January, 1885. If there be no objection, remonstrance or protest filed within two weeks from December 19th, A. D., 1883, the said ii-

> EDMOND F. POWELL, PROBATE NOTICE.

In the County Court for Platte county, NOTICE is hereby given that on Miller, deceased, filed his final report in said court as such administrator and thereupon it was ordered by the court that the said report be heard at the County Judge's office in said court on the 29th day of December, 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that notice of the time and place of such hearing be given by publication at least one week prior to said day of hearing in the COLUMBUS JOURNAL. Dated Dec. 17, 1883.

JOHN G. HIGGINS,

County Judge. FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., Dec. 5th, 1883. 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 the Clerk of the District Court of Platte county, at Columbus, Nebraska, on January 19th,

Daniel Mock, Homestead No. 7514. for the S. E. 1/4 Section 6, Township 19 north, of Range 3 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John Hammond, Peter Plant, of Columbus, Platte Co., Neb., John W. Clark, of Postville, Platte Co., Neb., and Michael McCallen, of Lookingglass, Platte Co., Neb. 33-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

S. Land Office, Grand Island, Neb. Dec. 12th, 1883. 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 C. A. Newman, Clerk on the 2d day of February, 1884, viz: Patrick Condon, Homestead Entry No 8238, for the W. ½ S. W. ¼, Section 2, Township 19 no:th, Range 2 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Nils Peterson, Patrick Carney, James Tate and Fremont Tate all of Platte Center, Platte C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

U. S. Land Office, Grand Island, Neb. Dec. 17th, 1883, 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 District Court one day last week for Tonquin to for Platte county at Columbus, Neb., on January 24th, 1884, viz: Luther M. R. Pepper, for the S. E. Section 22, Township 19, Range 4 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John M. Pearce, Nils Berlin, August Abrahamson and James Dickinson all of Cone, Neb. C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., Nov. 14th, 1883. NOTICE is hereby given that the fol-lowing-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 the Clerk of the Disrict Court at Columbus, Neb., on Dec. 27th, 1883, viz: Isaac Mead, for the W. ½ of N. W. ½, Section 34, Township 19, Range 4 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and culti-

hamson, Jacob Keith, John H. James and George Saunders all of St. Edwards, Neb. 30-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register. A WORD OF WARNING. FARMERS, stock raisers, and all other interested parties will do well to lattle Insurance Co. only company doing business in this state that insures Horses, Mules and Cattle against loss by theft, accidents, diseases, r injury, (as also against loss by fire and ightning). All representations by agents of other Companies to the contrary not-

withstanding HENRY GARN, Special Ag't, Columbus, Neb. 15-y ESTRAY NOTICE. Came to my premises in Platte county four miles east of Genoa, one mile west of Matson P. O. on the Columbus road

on the 16th of November,

ONE BLACK MARE, guessed to be about 12 years old. The right hind leg is either swollen or per-manently thick; mare in fair condition Owner will prove property, pay charges and this notice and take the animal away LARS MAGNUSEN.

ESTRAY NOTICE. Came to my premises, four miles south west of Humphrey, on the 16th,

ONE BAY PONY about ten years old, one white foot, and very thin in flesh. Owner will prove property, pay charges and this notice and take the animal away.

C. M. Swezey.

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Town 18, Range 2 west.

To all whom it may concern: The County Commissioners of Platte county, Nebraska, have declared the following section lines open as public Section 29, Town 18, Range 3 west, running thence due east on section line and terminating at S. E. corner of Section 25 Town 18, Range 3 west. Also a road commencing at S. W. cor ner of Section 8, Town 18, Range 2 west. running thence east on section line and erminating at S. E. corner of Section 11

All objections thereto and claims for damages must be filed in the office of the County Clerk at Columbus, Nebrasks, or or before noon of the 29th day of Janu ary, 1884. By order of County Commissioners. Columbus, Neb., Nov. 9, 1883. JOHN STAUFFER,

County Clerk.

NOTICE. To all whom it may concern.

The Commissioner appointed to vacate a road commencing at southeast corner of the S. W. 1/2 of S. W. 1/2 of Section 29, Town 19 north, of Range 1 east, and running thence north through Section 29 and Section 20, and terminating at the southeast corner of Section 17, Town 19, Range I east, has reported in favor of the vacation thereof, and all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the County Clerk's office on or before noon of the 29th day of January, A. D. 1884. Columbus, Neb., Nov. 24, 1883. JOHN STAUFFER,

FINAL PROOF. Land Office at Grand Island, Neb.,)

Dec. 10, 1883. NOTICE is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make tinal proof in support of his claim, and that said proo will be made before Clerk of the District Court at Columbus, Neb., on January 17th, 1884, viz: Robert E. Jones, Homestead No. 6151, for the S. W. 1/4 Section 14, Township 20, Range 3 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous resi lence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Patrick Coleman, S. E. Morgan Andrew O'Donnell and Isaac Jones, al

> C. HOSTETTER, Register. FINAL PROOF.

of St. Bernard, Neb

U. S. Land Office, Grand Island, Neb., N lowing named settler has filed notice support of his claim, and that said proo will be made before C. A. Newman, Clerk of the District Court, at Columbus, Ne braska, on the 26th day of January, 1884

viz:
John N. Hoffman, Homestead Entry
No. 7492, for the E. ½ S. E. ½ Section 4,
Township 18 north, Range 4 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and culivation of, said land, viz: James Kiernan, Arnold Schmidt, Daniel Shuckers and John W. Nelson, all of West Hill

P. O., Platte Co., Neb. 33-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register. FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., Nov. 16, 1883. JOTICE is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice THE THROAT AND LUNGS, CATARRH KIDNEY of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk of the District Court, at Columbus, Neb., on December 28th, 1883, viz:

August Eckman, for the S. E. 1/4 Sec 22, T'p 20, Range 4 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: O. W. Ohlson, A. F. An derson, Peter Matson and Lewis Jacobso all of Lookingglass P. O. Nebr. 30-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF. Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., Nov. 19th, 1883. JOTICE is hereby given that the fol-N lowing-named settler has filed notice f his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk of Dist. Cour t Columbus, Nebraska, on January 3d

Frederick Papki, Homestead No. 8205 for the E. 1/4 N. W. 1/4 Section 20, Town-ship 19, Range 2 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: James Burrows, George Thom-azin, Wm. Patterson and John Edwards, all of Platte Centre, Neb. 31-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

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