THE JOURNAL.

WEDNESDAY MARCH 19, 1884.

—New spring goods at Kramer's.

—Frank Clark is back from the west.

—The Loupe bridge was taken up yesterday.

—Dance at the rink Friday night, March 21st.

—Theo. Friedhof returned Monday from the east.

—Farm for sale or rent. Inquire of McAllister Bros. 46-3

—For coffins, caskets, and herse, go to J. E. Munger.

—"Jim" Scott returned home from the east Friday last.

—Will Winterbotham was down from Genoa Saturday.

—Prize skating at the rink Saturday night, March 22d. 2p-47-1

—For sale, 10 choice, family milch cows, by D. Anderson.

—Buy a new spring suit for yourself or boy at Kramer's.

—Wm. Lamb and daughter Annie went to Omaha Monday.

—Great bargains in ladies' handkerchiefs at Mrs. Stump's.

—The most and best goods for the money at A. & M. Turner's.

—County Judge Sullivan paid Humphrey a visit last week.

—Mr. King, of Des Moines, Iowa, called at this office Saturday.

—Great bargains, ladies' and children's collars, at Mrs. Stump's.

—Quite a number of communications go over for lack of space.

—Fire, lightning and wind storm insurance at Early & Niblock's.

—E. J. Baker and I. Johnson were in the city several days last week.

—Be sure to go to Gus. G. Becher & Co. for abstract of title to lands.

—Dress silks and silk velvets by the yard, at Mrs. Stump's. 4-47-1

—James Naylor's JOURNAL goes to Duncan. James is an excellent workman.

—Largest stock and lowest prices at Kramer's New York Cheap Cash Store.

—We learn that the Platte bridge south of Duncan has been washed away.

—Harry Magoon, Esq., County Judge of Nance county, was in the city Friday.

—When the Nebraska sun and wind combine against the mud, it has not long to stay.

—Drawing paper and drawing books at A. & M. Turner's book and music store.

—George Davis recently killed a dog in town that had all the evidence of being mad.

—Early & Niblock represent the best line of fire insurance companies in Columbus.

—See James Bell's advertisement of seed corn. You can rely on every word he says. 43-tf

—"Good goods at lowest prices," is the motto at A. & M. Turner's book and music store.

—Insure your farm property in the Glens Falls Insurance Co., Early & Niblock, agents. 3-49-3

—H. M. Winslow arrived in the city Saturday last with a car-load of horses from Iowa.

—In one neighborhood we learn of one farmer losing 15 young calves and of another 28, still born.

—The Mason & Hamlin organ is the best offered for sale here. Call at A. & M. Turner's book store.

—There is no better shoe made than "Selz's hand-made." Kramer sells them and warrants every pair.

—Mr. K. Barcroft, of Iowa came to the city one day last week, and is spending a few days on business.

—For rent, fifteen acres of good land near town, suitable for gardening. Inquire at the Lindell House.

—Will DeMoss won the ring at the one-half mile race at the rink Saturday eve; time 3 minutes, 4½ seconds.

—Wm. Ripp of Humphrey was in town Wednesday with a sore jaw, which he sought the dentist to relieve.

—The Mason & Hamlin organs, as everybody knows, cannot be excelled. For sale by Anna & Martha Turner.

—Al. Rieder was down from Albion Saturday. There are now a great many people in Columbus that he don't know.

—Three first-class coat makers can find steady employment and earn the best of wages at Kramer's Merchant Tailoring Shop. 6-47-2

—All persons indebted to me on account are requested to come forward and settle by the first of the month. V. A. Macken. 2

—James Glynn who is stopping with S. L. Morse, says that Wednesday last, when he left Galena, Ill., the snow was two feet deep.

—The best stock of carpets ever in Columbus can now be found at Kramer's, consisting of body Brussels 3 ply, 2 ply, rags, mats, etc.

—James Pearsall has the contract for fixing up Friedhoff's addition to his store, and is doing the work in first-class style, as is his custom.

FOR RENT.—Farm of 80 acres, with good buildings, 5 miles from Platte Center, 50 acres under cultivation. Inquire of Gus. G. Becher & Co.

—Some of the Indian pupils at the Genoa school undertook to run away last week, but were overtaken, one of them getting as far as Lost Creek.

—The Norfolk and Albion trains are crowded every day with passengers and goods—Nebraska is receiving a great number of new settlers.

—Mrs. H. J. Kneisley, of Trenton, Ohio, who spent the winter with her sister Mrs. G. W. Stevens, of this city, started for her home last week.

—Mrs. Stump has just returned from the east with the largest and cheapest stock of millinery and notions that was ever brought to Columbus.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Krause gave a party Thursday in honor of their newly wedded friends, Paul Krause of Albion and Miss Carrie Falkner of Minnesota.

—Don't forget that Gus. G. Becher & Co. represent the best insurance companies in the world, and have always given good satisfaction in their business. 1

—Nebraska has never had so favorable an outlook for a large spring immigration. The boom has commenced early and bids fair to be unprecedented.

—Mrs. John Scudder has reached her husband in India, after passing through three storms on the ocean, one at the Cape of Good Hope being especially severe.

—Go to Wm. Becker's and see the wonderful lightning lamp, 50 candle power, cheapest, most economical and the *very* best lamp ever offered for sale in this market, 45-tf

—D. Victor Blatter, of Baltimore, Md., has been visiting the family of Mr. G. W. Stevens of this city. He goes to Albion where he expects to make his future home.

—Weather prophets are predicting floods along the Missouri, Platte and Loupe from the breaking up of those rivers above. The Missouri has already broken up at Fort Benton.

—Sioux City is in apprehension of another flood from the same causes from which the great flood of 1881 originated—the breaking up of the Missouri about Fort Benton and a gorge below.

—Our sundown contemporary has failed to state what it knows about gambling, a few paragraphs indicating to the readers between the lines that the s. c. knew a good deal more than it was inclined to tell.

—We notify each subscriber, every week, of just how his account stands for subscription. If you wish the paper sent you no later than the date printed opposite your name, please drop us a postal card so stating. tf

—In our new store we will have better facilities for doing a first-class drug business than heretofore. Will have most complete stock of fresh goods ever brought to the city. Come and see us. Dowty & Chinn. 44-4

—Thos. Keating and family have become residents of the city, having moved in from the farm last Saturday. They are temporarily located in the old Spielman building near the Court House. Mr. K. expects to build soon.

—Charles C. and Alonzo Miller came down from the west Thursday last. They look in excellent health. They have disposed of most of their cattle interest, are, in the phrase of the street, wealthy men, and are seeking for a new location.

—Now that spring time has come, and the house is being overhauled, you will find, perhaps, that you need some article of furniture, for both use and ornament, in which case J. E. Munger would be pleased to show you his well-selected stock. 47

—I often hear of people looking around for good teas and coffees. If you will come to my store and give me a chance, I think I can suit you on either good tea or coffee; I think I carry a greater variety than any other store in town. Wm. Becker. 43-3m

—Judge A. M. Post went up to Fullerton Monday to preside at a session of the Nance county district court which convened on Tuesday. The bar of Columbus is represented there by Judge Higgins and J. G. Reeder, who accompanied the judge.

—At Valley City, Dakota, Mr. Nelson and two children left their cabin in the late blizzard to go to a straw stack half a mile away for fuel, lost their way and perished in the storm. The bodies were recovered and were buried last Sunday.—*Wheeler County Gazette.*

—Messrs. G. G. Bowman and A. D. Walker will enter into partnership for the practice of law under the firm style of Bowman & Walker, and will open an office in the old Baker building, one door north of the State Bank up stairs. They will make an active wide awake firm.

—I would say to my customers and others that I am prepared to furnish you the White Lilly flour, manufactured at Becker & Welch's mill, which is the best flour made from spring wheat and sold in this market. I would like the good bread bakers to try it. Wm. Becker. 43-3m

—About half the central committee for the Third congressional district were present here at the meeting Thursday last, held at the Clother House. As there has been no call for the meeting of the other committee, we surmise that they go upon the theory, To the victors belong the reins.

—Dan. Condon and a young man from Montreal, a friend, who has come to stay in Nebraska, called at this office one day last week. Mr. Condon has just returned from his hard railroad labors in the west, and now talks of giving his attention to stock again. Doubtless it will prove a success in his hands.

—A two years old child of William Frost at West Point met with a singular accident; slipping, it fell on a slate pencil, the pencil entering its head at the corner of the right eye, and penetrating about two inches. Chloroform was administered and the pencil extracted. The remarkable part is that no permanent injury is expected.

—The vote of the school-house-bond proposition was as follows:

Ward.	For.	Against.
First	31	78
Second	64	28
Third	68	28
Total	163	116

If the proposition had received twenty-three more affirmative votes out of the total 279 cast, it would have been carried.

—All who are interested in the antiquities and curiosities of Egypt, will be glad to know that I. R. B. Arnold is to give a course of illustrated lectures at the Presbyterian church commencing Thursday evening, March 20. Among other things he shows how the hieroglyphics were written—how pictures were combined to represent words.

—The Wood River *Gazette* gives a graphic account of a recent contest between John L. Means and a Mr. Hubbell of Hastings over a bridge contract; they are both represented as wasting "heaps of eloquence and bushels of big words to convince the assembled wisdom of the county, but the Hastings rooster had to yield in the end and allow John to get there as usual by an honest push."

—The news items in a local paper are what interest and instruct, but the business locals and advertisements are the profitable feature to the subscriber. Always bear in mind that the merchant who is prepared to give bargains is anxious that everybody should know the fact. A man might as well expect to get to Heaven by some other way as to endeavor to reach his best success in business without advertising.—*Mirror North Loup.*

—A writer in the Loup Valley *Eagle*, it seems to us, has struck a truth in asserting that a good deal of sickness and death to cattle in winter time is caused by a scarcity of water. Having all dry feed, hay or straw and corn, and often dryer corn stalks, they need an abundance of fresh water, "where they can have access to it at liberty, with the trough protected so that they can stand and drink, out of the wind, and even cheap sheds and proper feeding, with salt where they can get it if they choose."

—Possibly with an ambition to emulate the frisky cow boy of the west in becoming a terror to the natives, last Saturday two young men made a raid on the flagman's box at the crossing on Olive street, demolishing one of the lights. The iron grip of the law through its emissary, the chief of police, immediately fastened on to them and but for the interposition of friends who went their security for the fine imposed by the court, they would now be having an opportunity to meditate on the mutability of human events in the cooler.

—Now is the time for those interested in the welfare of the public schools to think of what ought to be done at the annual meeting. The Lincoln *Journal* suggests a category, which might be shortened into—Who shall be elected members of the Board? Who will do most to improve the schools? Does the district need supplies of blackboards, maps, charts, a dictionary? What repairs are needed to make the houses look neat and tidy? Can the district afford to vote a library fund? Shall a day be fixed for all to join in improving the school grounds or shall the Board be instructed to put out trees and shrubbery at the proper time?

—There are four members of the school board to be elected this spring, as follows: one, to fill the vacancy (two years yet) occurring by the resignation of Robt. Uhlig, who was elected in '83, for 3 years—Jno. Wermuth was appointed until election; one, for one year, in place of David Schupbach, whose term expires; one for three years, in place of Chas. A. Speice, whose term expires; one for three years, in place of M. K. Turner, who was appointed to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of John Browner, whose term would have expired this spring. Carl Kramer and J. N. Taylor were elected last year, the term of the former expiring in '85, that of the latter in '86.

—The Wilberforce Concert Company will give an entertainment at the Opera House Saturday evening, April 5th—one night only. This company will need no introduction to the patrons of amusements here, having visited Columbus before, and will undoubtedly be remembered for the splendid entertainment which they gave. The company is made up of colored lady and gentlemen students of the Wilberforce University for colored people, located at Wilberforce, Ohio, with the motive of enlarging their college building and facilities for the higher education of their race. The entertainment will consist of camp meeting melodies, piano and organ solos, dramatic and humorous readings and selections from the best secular music of the day. We bespeak for them a good house.

—The Fullerton *Journal* contains a "puff" for Prof. A. M. Pickett, a lecturer on phrenology and "other kindred topics" copied from the Blue Springs *Motor*. Within the last two years, if our memory serves us right, a man calling himself Prof. Pickett and purporting to lecture on phrenology and "other kindred topics" caused considerable agitation in social circles at David City on account of alleged undue intimacy with other men's wives, and was handed around by the newspapers of this section as a man to be avoided—a fraud in fact and a moral leper who made confiding, foolish women his prey under the guise of private lectures for their sex. The similarity of name and calling is very suggestive, and if the same Prof. Pickett, look out for fresh developments of duplicity in his new field of operations.

—Some parties were in the city recently negotiating with Wm. Lamb for his store property on Nebraska Avenue. Mr. L. is shaping his personal matters with a view to visiting the land of his birth, "the little green isle," with which he has had but slight acquaintance, having left there when a mere boy. The parties (we did not learn their names) concluded to look a little further before settling down, and left the city on the Norfolk branch and will consider the advantages that some of our neighboring towns of the northwest have to offer to business enterprise. If they are far-seeing and carefully-calculating business men, they will probably conclude that Columbus, a city with a bright future already assured, her business on a solid foundation, with such strides in advance of all competitors as will assure her keeping well in the lead and destine her to become the leading star among the rich and prosperous cities of the North Platte country, should and does offer advantages for permanent location and investment of capital that can't be rivalled by her younger neighbors of the northwest.

—The Seward *Blade* is also making a stand against the gambling den of of that place, and has some remarks applicable in a general way to communities with a like affliction. We select some paragraphs:

It is useless for men to think that they can slip in and out of a gambling den, even if it is in the night, and nobody know it. And when it once becomes known business men will then begin to shut down on supplies unless the cash is planked down.

Referring to the place: There are wives and families in this town who know it to their sorrow, and who are being daily and nightly robbed of their sustenance. We look upon a man who will coolly and deliberately set up an institution of that kind to beat his victims out of money for which he gives absolutely nothing in return, as but little less than a highway robber. It is a dishonorable way of making a living, and any man must be totally lost to every sense of honor that will engage in such a calling. It is a trap for the unwary, and many a man is brought to ruin by a short route when he enters a gambling den.

It is well known and generally remarked on the street, and in places of business, that there are good men in Seward going to destruction at a rapid rate, and that their downward course is due largely to gambling. Men are known to frequent this place who owe the grocers of this town for goods furnished their families, and stake the last dollar they have in the world at the gaming table. Seward is cursed with a few chronic dead beats and worthless characters, who will come down out of this place dead broke and then want somebody to trust them for 10 cents worth of tobacco, a piece of meat or a few groceries. This gambling and drinking business on the part of many is a matter that concerns every business man in Seward. We doubt whether a business man can be found in Seward who has not suffered in an indirect way from the effects of this gambling business. We know that we have, and we also know a number of merchants who can count their loss by hundreds of dollars in some instances.

All this is as nothing though, compared with the misery and want brought into the families of the men who spend a good part of their time at this place, and for this one reason alone the place should be speedily abated.

In speaking thus plainly we have no desire to wound any one's feelings and those whom the shoe does not fit need not put it on. It is a disgrace to the city of Seward that such place is permitted to exist for a single day, and it is the earnest desire of all good citizens that all such places be speedily closed and kept closed in the future. The better class of our citizens will heartily second all legal means employed to rid our city of this curse.

Woodville.

Several strangers are among us looking for farms to rent and buy.

Woodville is rejoicing over many new things both spiritual and worldly.

Wm. Wright has built a very large nice house this winter. A. Fish did the work.

Mr. Wright has a brother just arrived with his family from Ohio to settle. We hope he may be suited in Woodville.

Hugh Smith and his brother Fred have rented their farms and are going to Dakota, with the intention of lengthening out their worldly possessions by getting more land. They will be very much missed by the people, they being among the early settlers here.

Rev. Hatch of Madison county, assisted by Rev. Day of St. Edward, has been holding a series of meetings at the sod school-house in district 97 for the past two weeks. The meeting has resulted in great good; ten have been added to the ranks of those who are trying to serve the Lord, which we record as one of the greatest of blessings in this day of progress and improvement. Improvement in society is what we need most in this new country, and we hope that like signs of improvement may be noticeable in every part of Platte county.

H. G.

A Call.

MR. EDITOR:—Please allow me space in your columns to ask the secretary of the county alliance held in Humphrey, Feb. 2, '84, to publish the correct report of the committee selected to investigate the conduct of the Platte county alliance central committee in the action taken by them in the last campaign, as we have been reliably informed that his report of the committee work, published by him in your issue of Feb. 13th, was not a correct report of such committee?

JOHN MULLENS,
H. B. REDENBAUGH.

School District 44.

The weather is begining to settle down, and farmers are getting ready to commence their spring work.

The school board paid the school a visit last Thursday, to advise with the teacher, and note the progress of the school.

Dan. Sheedy has finally disposed of his dogs, by making the last one bite the dust, to which every one acquainted with them will say amen.

Becker's mill on Shell Creek has been idle for about two weeks on account of too much water and floating ice; the large grists keep accumulating and the mill is almost one solid mass of wheat. Mr. Welch the miller is engaged in putting up a pair of new stock scales west of the mill.

J. H. DRINKIN.

Humphrey.

One week of mud.

Town meetings will soon be in order; is there any preparation being made to make them a success?

P. H. O'Rourk went to Platte Center on Saturday evening to try a law suit. I believe it was adjourned.

We are sorry to announce that we had no preaching at the school house Sunday last, owing to the illness of Rev. Pangborn.

We hear that Miss Mary Clark, a sister of G. W. Clark, was married at Norfolk on Thursday last to Rev. Mr. Williams, of Pierce, Neb. Her many friends wish her joy and happiness, with a long life.

Quite a lively time at Dr. A. W. Trout's Saturday eve. Nearly the whole town met to give him a grand surprise. Mr. Trout has sold his drug store to the Hinman Bros. and is going to Perry, Iowa.

The teachers association as announced met at the school house here Friday evening last and were welcomed in a neat and appropriate address by P. H. O'Rourk one of our successful teachers, after which they proceeded to business, and we believe that our people who were in attendance were greatly profited by (to our town) this new enterprise, and I heartily believe that I am but endorsing the wishes of all interested citizens of this place when I say we hope that these teachers of Platte county will decide to come often to Humphrey to hold their meetings and they will always find a welcome

C.

Shell Creek Items.

March has not changed its lion nature yet into the temperature of a lamb, but will no doubt do so gradually. May this Tuesday the 11th be its last northwesterner!

Mr. P. Erickson has his father-in-law, Mr. Sallach, from Iowa here on a visit. The old gentleman was taken sick here, but has the best of care.

Mr. A. Heinemann also has two new comers direct from Germany at his house. Another German with a house full of stalwart sons and daughters has arrived at Platte Center from Illinois, looking for land.

We hear of quite a number of experiments made with '83 corn. Kernels from selected ears planted in boxes are growing finely, some sprouts being 3 to 4 inches high. Farmers feel loath to pay $1 for seed corn when they can select it from their own cribs where it is scarcely worth 20 cents. Now, gentlemen, step down a little with your prices for seed corn—it is not as scarce as it seemed to be. Mr. Bell's 10,000 bushels alone advertised in the JOURNAL will plant nearly 100,000 acres. Another point is, Mr. Editor, that hands will not be as scarce and high as last year. If we cannot say as Abe Lincoln had to say "three hundred thousand more!" we see at least a number more coming and inquiring for work, and "still they come!"

Mr. Henrich's sale was well attended, prices reasonable, horses very cheap.

Many farmers are thinking of fencing in pastures. If they do so, let them keep out Missouri mules. The writer of this saw how, a few years ago, at the Missouri state fair, they paid premiums for mules that could jump a bar. Knowing that the feet of Missourians are said to measure 18 inches, he thought they might have a good *understanding*, but lacked *understanding* of mulery, else they would, as Nebraskans would, rather pay a premium for a mule or horse or cow that would *not* jump a bar. Speaking of mules, Mr. Editor, will you allow me to enlarge upon their praise, and also give you a chance to admire my poetry?

Take it as a rule,
A mule will be a mule
Always and everywhere,
Be it a male or a mare.
They will bite you and will kick
Unawares and mighty quick;
They will land you ten rods behind
All smashed up, lame and blind.
Yes, may be as dead as a stone;
Therefore, friend, leave the mule alone!

X. Y. Z.

Letter List.

The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the post-office, in Columbus, Neb., for the week ending March 15, 1884:

A—Niels Anderson.
B—Fred B. Bernds.
C—Thomas A. Croaks,—2.
D—Thomas Duggin.
G—Mr. Herm. Gerke, J. M. Kill, Klemes Gessur.
H—Mr. H. A. Hines, Wm. Hawke, Adam Hoester.
J—Ole Johnson.
M—Dan Ramsey, R. M. Rumsey.
S—Barthana Sherlit, R. Sheperd.

If not called for in 30 days will be sent to the dead letter office, Washington, D. C. When called for please say "advertised," as these letters are kept separate.

H. J. HUDSON, P. M.,
Columbus, Nebr.

Seed Corn.

I have fifteen thousand bushels of prime old ear corn for sale, in lots to suit purchasers, at $1 a bushel. It was cribbed in October, November and December, 1882, is under tight roof, bright, and well cared. This corn is unquestionably superior for seed to any new corn raised the past year. Upon application, I will promptly forward samples taken from different ears, to parties who wish to test its growing qualities. Apply to

JAMES BELL,
43-tf David City, Nebraska.

The Largest and Finest Assortment of

WALL PAPER,
CEILING DECORATIONS
AND
WINDOW SHADES

IN THE CITY AT

GEO. N. DERRY'S
PAINT SHOP.

Orders for Store Front Curtains Filled.

You will also find a good line of Brushes, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Curtain Loops Pulls, Cord, Tassels and Curtain Fixtures at bottom prices. All orders for house, sign and carriage painting, kalsomining, glazing and paper hanging promptly filled.

DECORATING A SPECIALTY.

Call and see goods and prices before buying elsewhere. Shop always open from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. ☞ Don't forget the place,

13th Street, opposite Firemen's Hall, Columbus, Neb.

DIED.

ELLIS—March 11th, 1884, of asthma, Jacob Ellis, aged 39 years and 23 days. The funeral took place from the M. E. church in this city, March 13th, Rev. Flaherty officiating.

The deceased was born at Canton, Fulton county, Ill. He had been a resident of Nebraska several years, but wonderfully afflicted in the almost total loss of his voice.

JEWELL—On Sabbath morning, March 9th, Mrs. Jennie Jewell, died at the residence of Mr. Walter Jewell near Platte Centre, Neb.

She was the wife of Mr. Fred Jewell and daughter of Mr. Henry Marsh and Mrs. Sallie Marsh of Richmond, McHenry Co., Ill. Last fall Mr. Jewell removed to this state for his wife's health, but in vain. Consumption had fixed on her its pitiless grasp. In one week from the time of their arrival they buried their only child, and now Mr. Jewell is alone. The Friday before her death, when I visited her, she said: "I want you to know that I pray to my Saviour every day and trust in Him." Saturday night she said to her husband: "I shall die to-night and I want to die in your arms," and so she did. She had the comfort of her parents' presence in her last hours. About the last thing she said was: "I am dying; but I do not fear death." She was a professor of religion, and acquaintances testify to her consistency. Her relatives "sorrow not, even as others which have no hope."

J. W. LITTLE.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Advertisements under this head five cents a line each insertion.

Pens, inks, papers, slate pencils, at Turner's.

The finest line of fancy shirts are just being opened at Galley Bro's.

J. B. Delsman is still selling salt a $1.90 to farmers and stockmen. 10-t

All kinds of ground feed at Wm. Becker's. 41-mo-2

☞ Forty young cows coming in for sale by A. J. Arnold. 45-4

New maple syrup for sale at Herman Oehlrich & Bro's.

Piano to rent. Inquire of Wells & Walker.

All those who are lovers of good flour should go to J. B. Delsman's.

Call and examine the new stock of men's and boy's clothing, just received at Galley Bro's. 4-47-x

You can always find a good stock to select from at Mrs. Drake's millinery store. 39-tf

The finest assortment of hanging lamps and China tea sets at H. Oehlrich & Bro's.

Choice quality of Nebraska winter apples at Wm. Becker's. 41-tf

Wm. Schiltz makes boots and shoes in the best styles, and uses only the very best stock that can be procured in the market. 52t

For good young breeding stock of all kinds, call at Bloomingdale stock farm. A. Henrich. 30-tf

We also carry a good line of white shirts, both laundried and unlaundried, at low prices. Galley Bro's.

Choice yellow seed corn from 1882, and the best quality of hay from 1883, for sale by George Flodel, one mile east of Bucher's mill. Respectfully George Flodel. 46-2

—Geo. Yale, at the old Wiggins corner, carries a full line of everything in the shape of machinery needed on the farm. Call and examine his implements and get prices before you buy. It will pay you well. 1p

Our enterprising druggists, Dowty & Kelley, are giving sample bottles of Beggs' Cherry Cough Syrup, *free*. We advise all sufferers to call and get a bottle which costs nothing. 31-6m

For books, stationery, slates and pencils, also the renowned American sewing machines, call on F. M. Cookingham, the authorized agent for the COLUMBUS JOURNAL and job work, Humphrey, Neb. 46-tf

Don't forget to look over our line of cambric, percale and cheviot shirts before buying, if you wish to save money, at Galley Bro's.

Blue Grass, Clover, Millet and Hungarian Seeds

At Herman Oehlrich & Bro's. 38c12

Found.

A half dozen drills. The finder asks $2 reward. Owner, call at JOURNAL office.

Closing Out.

A lot of ladies serge shoes. 75 cents a pair at J. B. Delsman's. 10-tf

For Sale.

A single buggy, nearly new. Inquire at this office. tf

Citizens of Columbus.

My Jersey bull, Captain Jack, will stand for service at my stock yards. 22-6mo D. ANDERSON.

Good Girl Wanted.

A good girl can get a good home and good wages at Julius Rasmussen's. 47-tf

Seed Corn.

Farmers in that neighborhood, can get some of H. M. Winslow's seed corn for $1 a bushel, of John H. Meyer, 15 miles north of Columbus. 44-tf

A Nice Home for Sale.

I will sell my residence property at a fair price, and on liberal terms. A comfortable house, large barn, good garden and shrubbery; 2 acres in all. 34-tf D. ANDERSON.

For Sale.

A choice lot of yellow seed corn, cut early and dried in the shock. Can be purchased at the old Senecal farm, two and a half miles northwest of Columbus, at $1 a bushel.

42-8 H. M. WINSLOW.

Brick!

Thos. Flynn has on hand a large number of brick for sale. Those who know now that they will need brick in the early spring, had better secure them early.

Seed Corn.

No. 1 seed corn for sale at my farm on Prairie Creek, Platte county. 1882 corn one dollar, 1883 corn, seventy-five cents per bushel. Has all been kept under dry cover, and will be hand picked for purchasers. Address Robt. Taylor, Silver Creek P. O., Nebraska. 45-9

While at Humphrey, Stop at the Grand ville House.

Mr. Jacob Steffis has completed his large and commodious hotel and will be pleased to see all of his former patrons as well as new ones. First class rooms and beds as well as first class table. Farmers and traveling men call on him. He has every facility for making you at home. A good livery attached to hotel. 21-tf

Land for Sale.

In Colfax Co., near Platte Co. line, 80 acres, 70 of which are under the plow; frame dwelling, horse and cow stables, cow sheds and corrals, corn cribs, windmill and 2 pumps (water 40 ft. from surface), some fruit and forest trees.

Also 160 acres, 120 under cultivation, 7 acres of forest trees. Both tracts have first rate stock range, and road facilities. $2,500 for each tract, on easy terms.

15-x R. MACKENZIE.

Farm for Sale.

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COLUMBUS MARKETS.

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GRAIN, &C.	
Wheat	65
Corn, old	35
Corn, new	23
Oats new	20
Rye	28
Flour	3 00@4 50
PRODUCE.	
Butter	13@15
Eggs	18@20
Potatoes	20@25
MEATS.	
Hams	18
Shoulders	10@12
Sides	14
LIVE STOCK.	
Fat Hogs	5 25@5 75
Fat Cattle	3 50@4 50
Sheep	3 00
COAL.	
Iowa	$ 5 00
Hard	14 00
Rock Springs nut	6 50
Rock Springs lump	7 00
Carbon	6 00
Colorado	6 00

NOTICE OF CONTEST.

U. S. Land Office, Grand Island, Neb., March 8th, 1884.

COMPLAINT having been entered at this office by Mary A. Lalor against Michael Lalor for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 6951, dated July 9th, 1877, upon the S. ½ S. E. ¼ Section 10, Township 18 north, Range 4 west, in Platte county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 5th day of May, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. Deposition in above case will be taken before Albert D. Walker, at his office at Columbus, Neb., on April 30th, 1884, at 10 a. m.

46-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

NOTICE TO REDEEM.

State of Nebraska, Platte county, ss:

To Samuel Hiese, owner.

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for taxes on the 26th day of June, 1883, by the treasurer of said county, lots 11 and 12 in Columbia square, block C in the town of Columbus, Platte county, Neb., for taxes assessed in 1870,-'71,-'72,-'73,-'74,-'75,-'76, '77,-'78,-'79,-'80,-'81 and '82, in the name of Samuel Hiese, were sold to Henry Gass on the 26th day of June, 1883, and that the time for redeeming said lots will expire on the 26th day of June, 1886, and unless redemption from said sale be made by said time a deed will be made to the said purchaser. HENRY GASS.

March 5, 1884. 45-3

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 8th, 1884.

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 Judge of District Court, at Columbus, Neb., on April 24th, 1884, viz:

Edward Walker, Pre-emption No. 5050, for the S. W. ¼ N. E. ¼ Section 29, Township 20 Range 3 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: James Butler, E. T. Hayward, John Walker, Patrick Duffey, all of Lindsay, Neb.

46-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 4, 1884.

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 District Court, at Columbus, Neb., on April 21st, 1884, viz:

Patrick J. Coleman, Pre-emption No. 5909, for the W. ½ N. W. ¼ Sec. 22, Tp 20, Range 3 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: August H. Westphal, Gerald Humpbert, Robert E. Jones, Wm. Blank, all of St. Bernard, Neb.

46-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 7th, 1884.

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 District Court of Platte county, at Columbus, Nebraska, on Thursday, April 24, 1884, viz:

Johann Zimmermann, Homestead No. 7811, for the S. ½ S. E. ¼ Section 34, Township 19 north, of Range 4 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Nickolas Koch, Cornelius Koch, George Han, of St. Edward, Boone Co., Neb., and James Kiernan, of West Hill, Platte Co., Neb.

46-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., Feb. 27th, 1884.

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, for Platte County, at Columbus, Nebraska, on Friday, April 18th, 1884, viz:

Sven Svenson, Homestead No. 8228, for the E. ½ S. E. ¼, Section 14, Township 19 north, Range 4 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Nels Munson of West Hill, Platte Co., Neb., and Nels Peterson, Christian Peterson, and Ludwig Swanson of Looking Glass, Platte Co., Neb.

45-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., Feb. 29th, 1884.

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, Neb., on Saturday, April 12th, 1884, viz:

Richard Olmer, Homestead No. 8248, for the E. ½ N. W. ¼, Section 24, Township 20 north, of Range 2 west, and additional Homestead No. 11687, for the W. ½ N. W. ¼, Section 24, Township 20 north, of Range 2 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jacob Fisher, John Pfeifer, Anton Pfeiffer, Leonhard Widholm, all of Humphrey, Platte Co., Neb.

44-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

TIMBER-CULTURE NOTICE.

U. S. Land Office, Grand Island, Neb., Feb. 8, 1884.

COMPLAINT having been entered at this office by Nathaniel H. Adams against Herman M. Schaeffer for failure to comply with law as to Timber-Culture Entry No. 4119, dated August 5th, 1882, upon the N. W. ¼ Section 20, Township 19 north, Range 3 west in Platte county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that the said Herman M. Schaeffer has not broke or plowed any part of above named land since his entry, in the years 1882, 1883 and 1884, as required by law. The said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 27th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. Depositions in above case will be taken before Albert I. Walker, at his office in Columbus, Neb., on March 18th, 1884, at 10 a. m.

43-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 7th, 1884.

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 Friday, April 18th, 1884, viz:

John H. Wilks, Homestead No. 8577, for the S. W. ¼ N. E. ¼ and N. W. ¼ S. E. ¼ and S. E. ¼ N. E. ¼ Section 12, Township 18 north, of Range 1 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Charles Gertsch, John H. Lutjeluschen, of Shell Creek, Colfax Co., Neb., Henry Rickert, of Columbus, Platte Co., Neb., and C. Cornwell, of Schuyler, Colfax Co., Neb.

46-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

U. S. Land Office, Grand Island, Neb., March 11th, 1884.

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 for Platte county at Columbus, Neb., on Thursday, May 1st, 1884, viz:

Peter Jaixen, Homestead No. 7127, for the N. ½ N. W. ¼, Section 22, Township 19 north, Range 2 West. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Joseph Krings, Emil Krings, Henry Greisen and John Greisen all of Platte Center, Platte Co., Neb.

47-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., Feb. 9th, 1884.

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 G. Heitkemper, Clerk of the District Court, at Columbus, Nebraska, on the 26th day of March, 1884, viz:

Thomas Masilouka, Homestead Entry No. 10633, for the S. ½ S. E. ¼, Section 18, Township 19 north, Range 2 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Wilhelm Herman, Andrew Debuey, Adam Worsal, and John Kaputska, all of Platte Center P. O., Platte Co., Neb.

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