

It pays to trade at Kramer's. Fire-works—Ed. Fitzpatrick's. 6-4. Baby carriages at Munger's. 52 tr. New styles bustles at Kramer's. Flags for the Fourth at "Fitz's". 6-4. Misses corsets only 18 cents, at Kramer's. Summer cloaks and dolmans at Kramer's. Fine line of carpets very cheap at Kramer's. Fire crackers headquarters at E. D. Fitzpatrick's. 6-4. Who would ask for more delightful weather? All styles neck-wear, ladies and gents, at Kramer's. A burglary in Norfolk the other night—\$20 missing. Summer silks all the new styles at Friedhof & Co's. Kramer's fine line of laces at greatly reduced prices. After living in Nebraska life elsewhere seems insipid. Fire, lightning and wind storm insurance at Early & Niblock. An entirely new line of carpets, all the late styles at Friedhof & Co. Be sure to go to Gus. G. Beecher & Co. for abstract of title to lands. 200 pieces of embroidery from 2 cts. per yard up, at Friedhof & Co. New lawns at Kramer's. Gus. Schroder came down from his farm Saturday, returning Tuesday. Leave your measure for a suit at Kramer's Tailoring Establishment. The mammoth new safe for the county clerk's office has been received. C. A. Speice has been ill since Thursday last, and has suffered considerably. Early & Niblock represent the best line of fire insurance companies in Columbus. Miss Rose Rieckly intends starting to-day on a visit to friends at North Platte. Big sale at Kramer's from the 21st to the 28th. Look-out for circulars. Big ad. All colors in cashmere at Kramer's. Mrs. Myers, of near Ottumwa, Ia., is visiting her daughter Mrs. C. Sage of this city. Clothing, clothing, new nobby suits for men and boys, a great variety at Friedhof & Co. Summer coats at Kramer's, only 25 cents. Jno. H. Johannes will be thankful to somebody to take up his calf. See description. An adjourned term of the district court was convened by Judge A. M. Post yesterday. Money to loan on real estate on short or long time at a low rate of interest, by Beecher & White. Frice Kramer's white goods. Dr. Thurston has sold his dental practice in this city, and will not do any business after July 31st. 6-4. Look at Kramer's new stock of 4th of July ribbons. One day last week Messrs. Macfarland & Cowdery drove 90 miles; of course they used two teams. No need of the sprinkler Monday morning. Even mud is at times an agreeable sight in Nebraska. Jenny Bros. of Sherman township have established a cheese factory and are doing a lively business. Household goods, such as table linen, napkins, towels and toweling, in great variety at Friedhof & Co's. Fans and parasols at Kramer's. Orders for coffins, caskets, and all kinds of undertaking goods promptly filled by J. E. Munger. Beecher & Co. are in the insurance business to stay and they represent all the leading companies of the world. Kramer—Don't forget him, he has the daisy line of dress goods. A good rain Sunday night made the face of nature glad in this section, including the contentances of the citizens. Dr. Thurston has sold his dental practice to Dr. Trainer, of Bradford, Indiana, who will assume the business July 1st. The ladies of Grace Episcopal Church succeeded in clearing about \$500 for their supper and festival Thursday evening. Kramer sells untrimmed hats from 5 cents to \$1.00. John Timothy, Esq., dealer in school books, stationery, etc., at Platte Center is the authorized agent of the Journal at that place. 5-11. Everybody likes to go to Mrs. Stump's to get their hats and bonnets, for she keeps the latest styles, and a large stock to select from. 2-11. Kill the gophers and save your corn. If you use strychnine, it is best to put it into a squash seed, and throw it into the gopher hole. Mrs. A. B. Coffroth returned home last week. She has many warm friends in this city who will always be glad to hear of her welfare. Somebody's stray mare (bay) straggling round the northern part of the city, fell dead Thursday. Seemed to be afflicted with blind staggers. G. H. Krause, we are sorry to say is no longer a citizen of Columbus. With his estimable family he goes to make his future home in Albion. Call at G. Heitkemper's and see the new 24-hour watches, the first made. They are a marvel worth seeing. Manufactured by the Rock-Watch Company. 1-11.

Kramer can show you that he sells lawns the cheapest, and pretty styles. Wm. Matson and O. Oline were were in town Friday, and gave us a pleasant call. Mr. Matson's favorite candidate for president is Blaine, of course. Al. Arnold, C. E. Morse, Lute North, and Ed. North started last week for a trip up into Wheeler county where they expect to locate a cattle ranche. A traveling man who left Dakota about two weeks ago says that corn planting was the order of the day among farmers in the northern portion of the territory. John Elliott attended last week the camp meeting at Beatrice. He had a pleasant time, and says Beatrice is a handsome town, located in a beautiful country. F. A. Smith and family started yesterday for Denver. Frank expects to locate permanently at Lupton, Col. His many friends here wish him good success wherever he may be. Jas. Weatherbee of Lost Creek accompanies his mother to their old Kentucky home this week, whither the JOURNAL will follow to keep them posted on Nebraska news. Stephen Young, father of C. H. and Clark, has returned from Canada to make Nebraska his future home. Some of our readers will remember that he lived here several years ago. You can start from Columbus 7:35 in the morning and be in St. Louis 24 hours thereafter, via the B. & M. through Lincoln. This is 12 hours quicker time than ever before. The board of supervisors adjourned last Saturday having been in session since June 3d. A summarized report of their proceedings is published in this number of the JOURNAL. The West Point Republican says that Jos. Kuecher, a ten-year-old boy of that place was drowned in the Elkhorn Saturday week. He ventured against the warning of his playmates. Thursday evening was quite favorable to the demand for the cooling delicacies provided by the ladies of the Episcopal church at their "family supper." The affair was a marked success. Twenty-eight dollars will pay your railroad fare from Columbus to Denver, Colorado Springs or Pueblo and return, tickets good to Oct. 31st. Individual tickets at excursion rates, on sale till Sept. 15th. Geo. Scheidel has left on our table altogether the best specimen of corn and potatoes we have seen this year; the potatoes are the size of walnuts, and the corn twenty to twenty-four inches high. 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. A couple of gentlemen by the name of McKee, father and son, lately from York, this state, are about to open in the insurance business in this city, having been here several days looking over the situation. Gus. Lockner was up into Antelope county last week, stopping, on the way, at Norfolk. He thinks that the man who is not pleased with land in Platte county had better not go into that country for satisfaction. Capt. Wadsworth met a band boy on the street Monday morning and passed into his hand a five-dollar note. The boys with such friends as the liberal Captain will have no trouble in paying for their uniforms. A. J. Church has ordered his JOURNAL sent to Bellwood, because he cannot get over to Columbus readily; thus Bellwood is deriving considerable business, for which her merchants are correspondingly thankful. F. W. Reimer is quite successful as a bee raiser, and takes pride in a nice little colony of about eighteen hives. They are Fred's petted darlings, but have a "hot end" for all persons not well up in the art of bee conjuring. Mr. L. M. Saley, of this city, presented us the other day with the largest strawberry we believe we ever saw, raised in his own garden. We don't draw on our imagination when we say it was as large as a good sized peach. S. O. Raymond says that a great deal of the south Platte trade that naturally comes to Columbus goes to Bellwood whenever our bridges and roads in that direction are out of order—a fact that all our business men are aware of, but can not always remedy. Charles Sage, conductor on the B. & M. road between this city and Atchison, Kan., recently with his amiable wife removed to this city, occupying the residence on 15th St., lately occupied by banker Anderson. Our citizens should give them a hearty welcome and form their acquaintance. The Fifth Times thinks that the editor who expects to receive much charity or gratitude will soon find out his mistake; why shouldn't he, if he acts with such expectation? What the Times further says is better to the point, viz: "he should go on and do as what he conscientiously thinks right without regard to frowns and smiles." Some of those hot days that are expected to come in late July or August will demonstrate the utility of the cold-air system, said to be inaugurated in New York City, whereby dwellings are furnished through pipes, from a common store-house, with ice-cold air, thus enabling the denizen to moderate the heat to any agreeable degree of cool comfort.

A County Alliance will be held at Platte Center, Saturday, July 5th, 1884, at 10 o'clock, a. m., as there will be important business. All alliances are requested to have a full set of delegates present. Farmers are cordially invited to be present. N. Olson, Sec'y. 8-3. Carl Kramer stands high in the estimation of the brass band boys. At their ball the other night, finding they would be a little short of funds with which to pay for their uniforms, he presented them with a ten dollar note. Such acts of kindness will not be forgotten by the boys. Speice & North have an application from an Iowa man to exchange an improved farm there for wild land here, his reason for removing to Nebraska being that his wife has asthma, and the doctors recommend our climate. The merits of Nebraska air as well as Nebraska soil are becoming known abroad. The JOURNAL, having added a number of new fonts of type of the latest patterns, is better than ever equipped to furnish all sorts of commercial printing such as envelopes, letter heads, note heads, bill heads, statements, business cards, labels, programmes, wedding stationery, posters, doggers, lawyer's briefs, sales bills, etc., etc. The public school will close this week on Friday. The greater part of the week will be devoted to examinations. On Friday afternoon the written work will be exhibited in the various rooms. Friends of the schools are invited to visit rooms at this time and inspect the work. Coaches will run between the buildings on Friday afternoon and convey visitors free of charge. J. Dalrymple of Wisconsin has formed a very favorable opinion of Nebraska. One day last week he was on the table land north of Shell Creek, and says that it reminded him of the famous blue-grass region in Kentucky, which he visited a few years ago. We would like to see Mr. Dalrymple locate with us—just the kind of men Nebraska needs and will welcome. Two young boys of this city entered Wm. Lamb's grocery one night last week, shortly after he had closed up for the night and carried off with them a number of light, valuable articles. These are the same boys that took A. J. Arnold's jewelry show case some days previous, and we should say that it would be better for all concerned and probably save the lads from the commission of a still greater crime, if they were sent to the Reform School. Our band has had a good offer to go to Grand Island to make music on the Fourth, but of course their services will be needed at home as we are to have a big celebration ourselves. We do not know that any arrangement has been made with them as yet, but the firemen are undoubtedly wide enough awake to look to the matter and see that the band have a proper inducement to stay at home and help to make the great American eagle scream on the glorious Fourth. There is a bar tender in Ainsworth, Brown county, who is a respectable member of the Young Men's Christian Association, can lead in prayer, plays any game, including pool, parts his hair in the middle, can wait on thirty-seven customers at a once, train a trotting horse, doctor a colic-dog, mix drinks in seven different languages and give the Sioux war whoop to perfection. In fact he is a little "pansy blossom." So says the Western News. J. G. Ronison returned Monday from his visit to the gold fields of Stanley Basin, Idaho. John has a checked experience to relate, of gold dug from mother earth with his own hands and his first meeting with a grizzly. The meeting took place at the banks of a river. John on one side, the bear on the other—the bear lives. He also graphically describes his first hot-spring bath, which he emphatically affirms will be his last. Ask him about it. The Bellwood Monitor rejoices at the turn of affairs in Butler on the liquor question. It was proposed to start a saloon at Bellwood, and quite a number of interested citizens visited David City to enter protest against granting the license. The application for license was rejected and a resolution passed by the Board of Supervisors that it is inexpedient and detrimental to the best interests of the people of Butler county for the supervisors to license the sale of malt, spirituous and vinous liquors as a beverage within the county. The Boone Co. News devotes a bit of space to those citizens who are opposed to a newspaper speaking out concerning local evils, on the ground that they are injuring their locality in the eyes of the outside public. Says the News: "They refer to the bird that fouls its own nest; but we would remind them that there is a wide difference between the bird that devotes itself to cleansing its nest, although some dust may be raised in the operation, and the bird that is content to remain in a soiled abode and keep quiet for the sake of making believe that his nest is in good condition. A town is not a movable institution, and cannot escape deliberate inspection, and must be known for what it is." Further, that a town stands for what it really is, and not for what it is reported to be. The News very wisely suggests that there be united action with a determined spirit to make theirs a model town, noted for its enterprising, public-spirited business men, and its law-abiding and law-enforcing citizens. We take occasion to say that these sentiments apply with equal force to this community, and we desire to make the language of the News our own.

Parents' communication, intended for last week's JOURNAL, is published in this. An editor is supposed to be able to answer or answer at every question that comes up, and there is no disputing the fact that the subject is important not only to parents, but to teachers, as well as to the little children, upon whom the pain is inflicted. The JOURNAL is of opinion that there is no more responsible work than that of the teacher, more especially, teacher of the younger children, and also that character, moral character, integrity, uprightness, an evident purpose to do right and the ability to do right, in and out of the school-room, are of more worth than the mere knowledge of text-books. Our laws contemplate the union of these qualities of character and these scholarly attainments in the teacher, and, for one, the writer hereof is very free to say that he believes Nebraska generally makes too weak an attempt to comply with the law on our statute book which demands that license to teach in public schools shall be issued to persons who "on thorough and full examination, are deemed qualified in respect to good moral character, learning, and ability to instruct and govern a school." To state the matter briefly, as our space is brief, the method that provides good teachers will secure good schools; employment of bad or inferior teachers will result in bad or inferior schools, and no amount of work by directors or oversight by superintendents or discussion by pupils and parents will supply the deficiency. It would not be right to allow any pupil to interfere with the proper work of the school, and the law expressly says that the district board "may expulise or order the suspension or expulsion from the school, whenever in their judgment the interests of the school demand it, of any pupil guilty of gross misdemeanors or persistent disobedience, but such suspension shall not extend beyond the close of the term." This is all the statute law on the subject that we are aware of. We may remark, here, that some lawyer of this city who feels an interest in this subject, would confer a favor on his fellow-citizens by preparing for publication a brief summary of such court decisions as would be applicable to affairs in Nebraska. We believe that the courts would not hold a teacher guilty of even assault and battery, if punishment was "moderate," "reasonable," and for violation of the rules of the school, and for this state of affairs, no one man or person is particularly responsible. We may add that there is no doubt but the tendency of the times, and of court decisions in conformity thereto, is towards a very moderate use of the rod in schools. Let us have a free expression of opinion on this subject, now that it has been broached. City Council. The City Council have held several meetings lately to further the business of the city, the results of which will appear in due time. We print elsewhere the estimate of expenses for the ensuing fiscal year, from which it will be seen that the Council are determined to administer an ordinance was passed Monday evening opening the streets on the Meridian line. The committee have been authorized to procure a car load of stone to lay at street crossings. The repair of the fire wells has been under discussion, but bids not having been completed, the work has not yet been let. An Answer Wanted. Can any one bring us a case of Kidney or Liver Complaint that Electric Bitters will not speedily cure? We say they can not, as thousands of cases already permanently cured and who are daily recommending Electric Bitters, will prove. Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Weak Back, or any urinary complaint quickly cured. They purify the blood, regulate the bowels, and act directly on the diseased parts. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale at 50c. a bottle by Dowty & Chinn. [1] Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Dowty & Chinn. June 18-84. The following item, which will interest our firemen, is from the Schuyler Star: The Schuyler fire department and citizens desire to return thanks to the Columbus fire boys whose assistance rendered great relief to our worn out firemen on the occasion. They had their engine loaded on the train and would have brought it with them but for countermarching orders. Grand Celebration. At Platte Center, the 4th of July, 1884, \$100 in prizes given away. Come one, come all, and see the grand display. Horse racing, foot racing, base ball playing, etc. The grandest time Platte Center ever witnessed. Look-out for the fire works. 8-3. Notice. Under the new law all taxes not paid before January 1, 1885, five per cent. penalty and ten per cent. interest will be added. All tax payers will please take notice and act accordingly. C. A. NEWMAN, County Treasurer. 2-11. Carpets: Carpets: Ingrains, hemp, Brussels, body Brussels, crumb cloths, &c., at Friedhof & Co's. Girl Wanted. One who can give satisfactory references can find steady employment, by inquiring at the JOURNAL office.

Real Estate Transfers. Reported for the JOURNAL for the week ending last Saturday, by Gus. G. Beecher & Co: Mary E. Beecher to John H. Behrens, w. d. \$800; n 1/2, nw 1/4, 31, 3w. Henry Schroder and wife to Wellington S. \$200; lot 5, 18, and 19, block 64. O. N. & B. H. R. Co. to P. J. Nichols, w. d. \$1000; s 1/2, nw 1/4, 18, 1w, 80 acres. O. N. & B. H. R. Co. to P. J. Nichols, w. d. \$223.00; part w 1/2, s 1/2, 19, 20, 1w, 22.80 acres. P. D. Gatward and wife to James Austin, w. d. \$800; lots 3 and 4 block 64. Israel Gluck and wife to Carl A. Har-napp, w. d. \$640; s 1/2, sw 1/4, 15, 19, 80 acres. Nancy Huber and husband to Amelia Wolf, w. d. \$425; lot 2, block 15, Olds add. S. W. Macfarland and wife to O. E. Green, w. d. \$400; sw 1/4, s, and se 1/4, s 1/2, 7, 17, 3w, 200 acres. Amalia Krause and husband to Emma A. Austin, w. d. \$1000; lot 5, block 145. Henry Gass and wife to Paul Hoppen, w. d. \$800; lots 17, 18, and 19, block 6, Columbe Square. Paul Hoppen and wife to Henry Gass, w. d. \$200; w 1/2 lots 5 and 6, block 114. Rosetta Schneider and husband to J. M. Macfarland, w. d. \$300; s 1/2, s 1/2, 5, 118. P. D. Ranken and wife to School District No. 35, w. d. \$100; 1/2 acre in se 1/4, s 1/2, 6, 18, 1e. Josiah Richards to Henry Bakenhus, w. d. \$500; s 1/2, se 1/4, 11, 18, 1w, 80 acres. K. M. Ahrens to Martin Albers, w. d. \$480; s 1/2, sw 1/4, 2, 18, 1w. J. W. Hammond and wife to Jennie S. J. M. Macfarland and wife to John Huber, w. d. \$700; lot 7, block 36. George Zimmerman and wife to William Weber, w. d. \$300; e 1/2, se 1/4, and s 1/2, ne 1/4, 19, 20, 3w. James E. Monerief and wife to George W. Brown, w. d. \$300; n 1/2, ne 1/4, 20, 18, 2w, and s 1/2, se 1/4, 17, 18, 2w. J. M. Macfarland and wife to John Huber, w. d. \$700; lot 7, block 36. George Zimmerman and wife to William Weber, w. d. \$300; e 1/2, se 1/4, and s 1/2, ne 1/4, 19, 20, 3w. Patrick Murphy and wife to Right Rev. Bishop O'Connor, w. d. \$100; 20 acres in sw 1/4, s 1/2, 18, 1w. Edward Roberts and wife to Right Rev. Bishop O'Connor, w. d. \$100; 20 acres in nw 1/4, nw 1/4, 18, 1w. U. S. to Lyman Trumbull, patent; e 1/2, se 1/4, 21, 17, 1e, 80 acres. A. T. Simmons and wife to John Heupelman, w. d. \$1000; lot 8, block 128. Thomas Otis to Annie Disken, w. d. \$250; lot 8, block 6, Otis addition. John Shanahan and wife to Edward Rogan, w. d. \$800; ne 1/4, sw 1/4, and nw 1/4, s 1/2, 4, 18, 2w. Eleanor Applegarth to Russell D. Crossett, w. d. \$400; ne 1/4, s 1/2, 1, 17, 3w. U. S. to Oliver Feamer, patent; ne 1/4, 12, 19, 1w, 160 acres. U. S. to Carl Labens, patent; w 1/2, se 1/4, 22, 18, 1e, 80 acres. Carl Jansen, patent; ne 1/4, s 1/2, 19, 4w, 160 acres. U. S. to Henry G. Lueschen, patent; n 1/2, ne 1/4, 18, 1e, and e 1/2, 32, 19, 1e, 160 acres. U. P. Ry. Co. to John McGuinn, w. d. \$400; e 1/2, se 1/4, 1, 18, 2w, 80 acres. U. P. Ry. Co. to Patrick Murphy, w. d. \$200; sw 1/4, nw 1/4, and w 1/2, sw 1/4, 7, 18, 1w. U. P. Ry. Co. to Carl Labens, w. d. \$300; sw 1/4, nw 1/4, 23, 18, 1e, 40 acres. U. P. Ry. Co. to Israel Gluck, w. d. \$700; w 1/2, ne 1/4, 1, 19, 1w, and s 1/2, s 1/2, 19, 1e, 150.00 acres. U. P. Ry. Co. to John Sweeney, w. d. \$800; se 1/4, 19, 3w, 160 acres. U. P. Ry. Co. to Patrick Murray, w. d. \$650; se 1/4, s 1/2, 19, 2w, and n 1/2, s 1/2, 11, 18, 2w, 120 acres. U. P. Ry. Co. to Hugh Gillespie, w. d. \$720; s 1/2, se 1/4, s 1/2, 3, and w 1/2, nw 1/4, 3, 18, 4w, 210 acres. U. P. Ry. Co. to C. Barnum and B. A. Bayne, w. d. \$30; lot 1, block 19, Jackson. U. P. Ry. Co. to Henry G. Lueschen, w. d. \$200; nw 1/4, nw 1/4, 19, 1e, 40 acres. Shell Creek Items. Editor JOURNAL:—Small grain promises well in this section of the country. Corn is all the way from A. No. 1 to the very bottom of the ladder. Replanting has been going on almost up to date (June 13th). The nomination of Blaine and Logan gives general satisfaction to the Republicans in this neighborhood, and has taken all the gas out of the Democrats, for it augurs a great Republican victory next fall. The surveyor has been busy in this neighborhood; called in by Messrs. Burrows, Wolf and others, he commenced work on the east side of Shell Creek. There, he told the writer, he had one day, among others, three Wolf's and two Lamb's around him, and we should not wonder if also a number of young Wolf's and Lamb's were there. But let not the strange reader unacquainted with men and things here suppose that with so many Wolf's and Lamb's some biting, tearing and devouring was unavoidable, for he it known to him that all these Wolf's and Lamb's are not ferocious animals but well known, highly respectable and respected citizens. Of course the surveying did not please everybody. Some land was surveyed out of the hands of present owners. The mounds in some places having been obliterated, crocks and timber intervening, it was a rather difficult thing to get to the right points for new mounds. Mr. Heustler lost a little land and Mr. Evan Davis on the farm heretofore owned by Mr. John Williams (deceased) lost quite a good deal. Mr. Williams was one of the first settlers, and as a man on an eighty generally has but one or two mounds to go by he might without intention have plowed a little too far. But he that as it may, some seem determined that the surveying must be done over again. Well, if it's only done peaceably! For while none of us are any better than we ought to be, we are not quite indisposed to look down a little on our northeastern neighbors, the Humphreys, who begin to quarrel in the JOURNAL. But its of course none of our business. Seed Blackwheat. Ten bushels for sale. Call on S. C. Longshore, Columbus. 8-2. For Sale. First-class mill site and mill in Platte county, by Beecher & Co. 5-11. BALE. At Decker, Platte Co., Neb., evening of July 4, 84. All cordially invited. S-P-3 MICHAEL WISENPLUTH. Milk Cows. A nice lot of milk cows for sale, also calves belonging to S. H. Tucker and G. W. Kibbler, Creston, Neb. 4-6. Stock for Sale. I have 1,000 good clean, healthy sheep and 100 young ewes for sale. J. M. HILL, Genoa, Neb. Wanted. The undersigned will take 100 head of cattle to herd at \$1 per head for the season. W. and F. JEWELL, Platte Centre. Pasture for Cattle. I will take a limited number of cows into my (partly blue grass) pasture where they will have good grass, shade and plenty of good spring water. 51-x A. HENRICH.

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It has never failed to cure the most severe colds I have had, and invariably relieves the pain in the chest." Trial Bottles of this cure for all Croup and Lung Diseases may be had free at Dowty & Chinn's Drug Store. Large size, \$1.00. [1] One Chance in a Lifetime. Owing to my increased grocery trade, and urgent need for more room I shall offer for the next thirty days my entire stock of Crocker, Lamps, Table Cutlery, Silverware and Glassware at net cost. This stock will invoice \$1,500 in all new and complete, and in finer lines, embraces all the latest designs of Decorated Ware. Shall positively close out the entire stock, so call early and make your selections. I-G-COW. JULIUS RASMUSSEN. Lessor List. The following is a list of unclaimed titles remaining in the post-office, in Columbus, Neb., for the week ending June 8, 1884. B—Mr. J. H. Behrens, Miss Nora Bell, P. Prenti Frothing, Mr. J. Forrester. C—Mr. H. Helms, Mr. Charles Hase, Mrs. Eliza Hawk. J—Anton Jajza, W. J. Johnson. M—E. F. Morris. N—Mr. C. J. Raikin, John J. Ryan, J. W. Lowe. S—Julius Kim, E. H. Schmidt. T—E. M. Todd. W—Dane Winter, Mr. C. H. Walker. If not called for in 30 days will be sent to the dead letter office, Washington, D. C. When called for please say "advertis-tised," as these letters are kept separate. H. J. HUNSON, P. M., Columbus, Neb. MARRIED. FERGUSON—GARDNER—At Columbus Nebraska, June 12th, 1884, by Rev. J. W. Little, Mr. Wm. Ferguson and Miss Sineva Gardner, both of silver Creek Neb. BIRTHS. SAGE—To Mrs. C. Sage, Monday night, June 10th, 1884, a son. RUCHER—To Mrs. Wm. Bucher, Sunday, June 16th, '84, a son. HOCKENBERGER—To Mrs. Henry Hockenberger, Saturday, June 14th, '84, a daughter. LOCAL NOTICES. Advertisements under this head five cents a line each insertion. Call and examine the new stock of men's and boy's clothing, just received at Galley Bros. 4-17-x. You can always find a good stock to select from at Mrs. Drake's millinery store. 39-11. Choice quality of Nebraska winter apples at Galley Bros. 41-11. The finest line of fancy shirts are being just opened at Galley Bros. Wm. Schiltz makes boots and shoes in the best styles, and uses only the very best stock that can be procured in the market. 52-11. For good young breeding stock of all kinds, call at Bloomingdale stock farm. A. Henrich. 39-11. We also carry a good line of white shirts, both handkerchiefs and undies, at low prices. Galley Bros. For McCormick, everybody's machine, and the boss Osborne Binder No. 11, call on Newell South, Humphrey. 3-11. Don't forget to look over our line of cambric, percale and cheviot shirts before buying, if you wish to save money, at Galley Bros. A commodious building, for sale or rent in the village of Humphrey. Can be used for dwelling or business. Apply to F. M. Cookingham, Humphrey. 5-11. 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. 46-11. We have made arrangements to furnish to the subscribers of this paper, that excellent agricultural and stock journal, The Nebraska Farmer, for the small sum of \$1.00 per year. The Farmer is published at Lincoln, Neb., O. M. Druce, Editor, and is devoted to agriculture and stock growing in the west. Every farmer should take it. Send \$1.00 to this office and we will have the Farmer sent to you. Seed Blackwheat. Ten bushels for sale. Call on S. C. Longshore, Columbus. 8-2. For Sale. First-class mill site and mill in Platte county, by Beecher & Co. 5-11. BALE. At Decker, Platte Co., Neb., evening of July 4, 84. All cordially invited. S-P-3 MICHAEL WISENPLUTH. Milk Cows. A nice lot of milk cows for sale, also calves belonging to S. H. Tucker and G. W. Kibbler, Creston, Neb. 4-6. Stock for Sale. I have 1,000 good clean, healthy sheep and 100 young ewes for sale. J. M. HILL, Genoa, Neb. Wanted. The undersigned will take 100 head of cattle to herd at \$1 per head for the season. W. and F. JEWELL, Platte Centre. Pasture for Cattle. I will take a limited number of cows into my (partly blue grass) pasture where they will have good grass, shade and plenty of good spring water. 51-x A. HENRICH.

1884 SPRING 1884 ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAORDINARY Having spent the last three weeks in the best markets of the east, we are now prepared to show you THE LARGEST LINE OF Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots & Shoes, Carpets, Etc., EVER IN COLUMBUS. AT THE— FRIEDHOF & CO. In connection with the old store, we have secured the store formerly occupied by Dowty & Chinn, where with Increased Facilities We can accommodate all who may favor us with a call. 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. Call Lost. On June 4th or 5th from my place, 4 miles west of Platte Center, a red bull calf, a little white star in face, some white on belly and end of tail, good size for a spring calf. JNO. H. JOHANNES. Sale of Estray. On Tuesday the 8th day of July, 1884, at the residence of L. Magnuson, in Monroe township, one mile west from Matson post-office, one black mare, taken up as an estray. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m. Terms cash. 6-p-5 S. ALEXANDER, J. P. Dr. McAllister. Has secured the assistance of Dr. Hartwell (a dentist from Iowa) and is fitting up dental parlors in Early's building, formerly occupied by H. J. Hudson. First-class work is guaranteed. Photograph rooms will be built soon and help in that line procured, where first-class work will be done. Dr. McAllister's work is too well known to need further comment. White at Humphrey, Shop at the Green Hill Hotel. Mr. Jacob Steffs 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. 21-11. Auction Sale of Millinery. Mrs. M. S. Drake, after having ordered a large line of new goods, finds that she has not room for both the old and the new. She will therefore sell at public auction on Saturday, June 21st, both afternoon and evening all the stock she now has on hand. Mrs. Drake has about \$1,000 worth of goods which must be disposed of at once. She will sell all goods of wool after Monday, June 23d, until July 3d.

PLATTE COUNTY LANDS! THE TIFT & GRAFF LANDS ARE NOW FOR SALE AS FOLLOWS. Description. S. T. R. Price per acre. S. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4, 13 17 1 12 50 S. 1/2 of S. E. 1/4, 13 17 1 12 50 S. 1/2 of S. E. 1/4, 14 17 1 12 50 S. W. 1/4, 15 17 1 12 50 S. W. 1/4, 15 17 1 12 50 S. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4, 21 17 1 12 50 S. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4, 22 17 1 12 50 S. W. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4, 23 17 1 12 50 S. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4, 24 17 1 12 50 S. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4, 25 17 1 12 50 S. E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4, 26 17 1 12 50 Terms—One-third cash, balance on time let suit purchaser at 8 to 10 per cent. interest. Apply to J. W. LOVE, Fremont, Neb. COLUMBUS MARKETS. Our quotations of the markets are obtained Tuesday mornings, and are correct and reliable at the time. GRAIN, &c. Wheat 63 Oats, new 22 Corn, new 30 Flour 2 50/25 50 Butter 82/10 Eggs 100/15/10 Potatoes 20/00 MEATS. Hams 100/15 Shoulders 86/10 Sides 100/14 LIVE STOCK. Fat Hogs 4 60 Fat Cattle 3 50/45 Sheep 3 00 COAL. Iowa \$ 5 00 Hard 14 00 Rock Springs lump 7 00 Carbon 6 00 Colorado 6 For Sale. The property known as the Strasser hotel and saloon at Duncan, Neb., comprising nine lots with building suitable for hotel and saloon or mercantile business also good stables, corn crib, windmill and 2 pumps (water 40 ft. from surface), some fruit and forest trees. Also 100 acres, 120 under cultivation, 7 acres of forest trees. Both tracts are first rate stock range, and road facilities. \$2,500 for each tract, on easy terms. R. MACKENZIE. Adjournd Town Meeting. The special town meeting that was held at Reed school-house in Columbus township May 24th, by reason of there not being one-third of the freeholders of the township present to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, the meeting was adjourned to meet at the same place Saturday, 14th day of June, 1884, at 2 o'clock p. m., and as there are questions of importance to discuss and urgent business to transact. The taxpayers of the township are earnestly requested to be present. Given under my hand this 30th day of May, A. D. 1884. (SIGNED) A. W. CLARK, Town Clerk. CATTLE SALE. At my place at Lindsay on Upper Shell Creek, SATURDAY, JUNE 22nd '84, at 10 o'clock, a. m., I will offer for sale, 20 calves, 23 yearlings, 35 cows, 8 three-year-old steers, 11 two-year-old steers and heifers, 40 shoats, 20 sows with pig, 3 geldings, 2 mares, 14 sheep; also 2 good stirring plows, nearly new, and 1 walking cultivator. The auctioneer desires to say that he has seen this stock; they are all in fine condition, and some of them now fit for the butcher. TERMS—\$10 and under, cash. Above that sum, eighteen months credit on bankable paper, 10 per cent. interest, 10 per cent. off for cash. JEO. HURER, JNO. WALKER, Auctioneer. A Word for the Piano. As the season for purchasing binders and general farming machinery approaches it behooves the careful farmer to look about him considerably for the best and most available machinery with which to commence his harvest, remembering that the best is the cheapest. I feel confident that I have the best and cheapest machine at present in the market. On Thursday last the first binder delivered at this city this season was sold to C. A. Morse, at whom a test will be made in a field of rye as soon as the same will do to out to which I respectfully invite all interested, and hereby extend a special invitation to my implement dealer friends to be on hand with their binders for a trial of merit. If there is a machine that will beat mine—the Piano—I shall be pleased to know it, but will wager \$100 that it will cut more acres and miss less bundles than any machine in the market here. The Piano machine is the old, time-tried MacFar Harvester, with the Apple-Tree Binder. GEO. W. YALE, 7-33 Columbus, Neb. GROCERIES! ALWAYS ON HAND A FULL AND NEW LINE OF GROCERIES WELL SELECTED. FRUITS! CANNED AND DRIED, OF ALL KINDS, GUARANTEED TO BE OF BEST QUALITY. DRY GOODS! A GOOD & WELL SELECTED STOCK, ALWAYS AS CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST, ALSO. BOOTS & SHOES! THAT DEFY COMPETITION. BUTTER AND EGGS. And all kinds of country produce taken in trade, and all goods delivered free of charge to any part of the city. J. B. DELSMAN. 10-11