to Senator Van Wyck, near Nebraska | edicts of the 19th century." It will

HENRY M. STANLEY hopes to visit the United States by the last of this month. He will be able to stay but a short time.

173 nominations. Of these 159 were good doctor. The only excuse that not acted upon.

THE New York Tribune says thirteen young ladies were admitted to the practice of medicine in that city Wednesday night.

ment adheres to the peace preliminaries signed on the 4th instant.

assures a banker that in spite of the incident of Penydeh, the czar hopes delivered from one of the headto preserve peace. Watoo had a fire the other day at the fair grounds, which got away

from boys burning trash in the field, thence to the fence and into the stables, destroying about \$1,200 worth of property. Mr. LAUCHREY, an old man of Kearney, Neb., while out plowing the

other day died suddenly in the field. He was found sitting up in the seat of a sulky plow, leaning against the handle, desd. According to request of government at least 1,000 men were on the

road to Aspinwall last week, sent especially to protect the lives and are still outstanding and to be met. property of American citizens in that | The mails bring to the senior memdisturbed country. NELIGH, NEB., town election fought with great vigor on the license

question, and the board elected were L. George withdraws, throwing all he makes one republic of the five, pledged to carry out the wishes of the the responsibility upon the surviving and floats to the breeze the flag of majority; the result was "no license." partner--poor Boyd! The idea by a large majority.

can. Live within your income. Always have something saved at the end of the year. Let your imports he thinks to get relieved from the be more than your exports, and you'll | consequences of former promises. It never go far wrong."

CHARLES E. STEVENS, a prominent citizen of Arrapahoe, Neb., died suddealy recently of heart disease. He was egaged in painting a house and was found by his son lying partly on the ground and against the house,

THE senate at Washington adjourned wthout a president pro tem. In case of the death of the President and without an executive head, and would remain so until provided for vaccums for fence-posts: by congress.

MISS IDA C. SWEET, pension agent of the Chicago district, declines to resign her office at the request of commissioner Black; placing her case on the faithful discharge of her duties she she will have to be removed as she

THERE was the other day at London a slight renewal of the war feeling on the stock exchange, owing to reports from St. Petersburgh that the chief of staff of the Russian army had obtained the czar's assent to the acceleration of the preparations for war.

JUDGE VAN BRUNT granted the other day the motion in behalf of Mrs. Dudley, who shot Rossa, for a commission to be sent to England to examine witnesses regarding' Mrs. Dudley's sanity. Proceedings in New York are stayed in the mean-

THE primary Oratorical contest of Hastings college came off the other night at Hastings before a large audience, and resulted in favor of Mr. J. H. H. Hewitt, and he will represent Hastings college in the State ed in Nebraska is so sweet and nutri contest to be held at Hastings this tious that the stock would eat them evening.

According to the new method book-keeping at Washington the condition of the treasury, based on the latest returns, shows an excess of available assets over demand liabilities of \$16,418,092. By this statement the net cash is \$206,368,664; net Yes, it is true that Secretary Lamar liabilities, \$189,945,572.

at the mill at Wilber, Neb., became the United States and the feelings of body inflicting wounds from which ing of the mill, and had his arm so has been reported, it was done after a badly crushed that amputation will be necessary. It was not ascertained at the time whether he had received any internal injuries or not.

THE comptroller of the currency at Washington is informed by the examiner in charge of the suspended Exchange National Bank of Norfolk. Va., that the Bank is insolvent and will have to be placed in the hands of sels have been ordered by private a receiver. The amount due the de- gentlemen, just as they might order positors alone is over \$300,000.

THE attorney general has rendered an opinon to the secretary of the interior which holds that the order of President Arthur, opening the lands in the old Winnebago resevation, in Dakota, to settlement is inoperative. because the Sioux Indians hold a title to the lands under the treaty of 1868.

THE close contest in the municipal election in Chicago, has been complicated by the theft of the ballot-box of the Third precipct of the Third ward. A man by the name of Keefe has been arrested by the police charged with stealing the box. Warrants have also been issued for the arrest of three others implicated in the matter.

Not Walt.

Nebraska is not favored with very many democratic newspapers, and the chief of what we have are not so unanimously harmonious as they might be. The fact is that several of them are more than inclined to protest against the autocracy of the Oma-It is reported that a mad dog a few of Dr. Miller's "abdication," he debe remembered that the good Doctor published "a necessary notice" to the effect that he wouldn't sign any more petitions for office for anybody. Mr. Smails proceeds to philosophize upon the subject, and show the inner THE President sent to the Senate springs of motive acting upon the to this subject is the interest that all | of us must now take in our democratic brethren. If they wipe the floor with each other, so to speak, we should soon see in Nebraska not enough of Paris government advices from paign balf-way interesting. The Pekin state that the Chinese govern- democracy must preserve their autonomy, if our wish can prevail, but in the meantime if they wil A LATE dispatch received at Paris fight, we cannot shut our eyes to the from Berlin says Prince Bismarck sight, and our readers should understand something of the casus belli, as quarters. The Fremont Herald further:

"Miller and Boyd set themselves up as the almoners of federal offices in this state (see Boyd letter); transacting their business upon these false pretenses they used the promises of these offices to obstruct and prevent the Democratic party, through its organization, the State Committee, to advise the appointing power in the matter of the bestowal of these offices for the benefit of the party. As usual in such cases one office was promised to a large number of official seekers, while in truth and fact as far as in them lay they had pawned it, each office, to a single representative of the gilded political three-ball shop. The offices are being pawned-'put in eoak;' the many promises for them ber, of the Mrs. Mandlebaum firm, reminders of these obligations. The day of payment draws nigh, and to escape writing twenty letters in favor of twenty men for the same office, M. sought to be conveyed in Miller's open letter is that he is so pressed "GET as much force of mind as you with business that he had not time to give answer to solicitations, under taining offices, and through this plea is easier to promise than to pay, and refusals and neglects to pay are evidence of bankruptcy. An assumption of power and greatness is attended with difficulties and mean-

Our Prairie Post-Hole.

J. D. Calhoun, of the State Journal, who is now sojourning at New Orleans among other items sends the following to his paper, which is a fair illustration of how Nebraskans do Vice President, the country would be away with the laborious exercise of turning a stubborn augur, boring "By the way, Bonnell and I are Penydeh.

> partners in a story that my vanity suggests is worth repeating. At the dinner table one day, surrounded by people from other states, Bonnell said the only trouble and labor involved in making post-holes around a farm in Nebraska was the planting of a beet seed every eight feet along the line where it was desired to build the fence. In the fall when the vegetables were extracted from the ground, there were the holes all ready for business. The assertion was made with that quiet, matter-of-fact air of sincere gravity that always characterizes the resources of the most fertile prairies in the world. A curious sort of silence fell upon the company and the Nebraska hatchet of which Mr.

Thurston told us?" And I replied, "Madame, it is in every respect entirely true and moderately drawn. And the only reason that portion of the beets which grows above the ground is not utilized for posts is that the vegetable as producall to the ground and thus destroy which are that the blockade

A CORRESPONDENT asks whether it s true that Secretary Lamar caused the flag over the Interior Department to be placed at half-mast on account of the death of Jacob Thompson. did this thing, and there is no reasonable excuse for such an affront to the became frightened, ran away and two ed?" from the incoming tide of im-CHARLES NUTT, a miller employed patriotism of the ever loyal people of wheels of the wagon passed over his migration. honest and honorable men. If, as cabinet consultation and with the consent and approval of the President and the rest who sit around his council board, so much the worse. The proceeding is shameful and outrageous .-- Chicago Tribune.

> An order for six fast iron cruisers of the "Esmeralda" pattern has been received at New York. These vessteam yachte, but will be for sale when completed and the offers of only one European government wil! be entertained, which, it is believed, the wicked work of some incendiary. are in pursuit of bim. will be Russia. The cruisers are to The building was valued at \$7,000 have three paramount features-nineteen knots speed, coal-carrying capacity for twenty-five days steaming and buoyancy for three steel cannon of large caliber.

THE other day additional troops for Aspinwall left the navy yard at New York in a quiet manner. There were five companies of fifty men each. under command of Capt. Highe. One hundred and fifty sailors and six not been heard of until found by the guns left the Brooklyn navy yard the same day with the marines, in command of Capt. McCalla.

THE next meeting of the State days ago bit several cattle belonging | clares it "one of the most remarkable | The usual hoggishness of South Platte | is probable. people in public matters was shown on this as it is on most occasions where favors are designated. Time and again the South Platte people have taken to themselves the candidates on state tickets, the meetings of state conventions, the placing of public institutions, &c., simply because they had the numerical numbers sufficonfirmed, two rejected and twelve we can tender our readers for referring | cient to do so, and have had, literally, no realization of the hoggishness of their actions. This will probably continue to be the policy of the South Platte politicians until the north country acquires numbers sufficient them left to make a political can- to compel a just apportionment of such favors.

> CONCERNING the new debt statement just issued by the new hands at the treasury bellows, not to-go into de tails, which just now might seem annoying to democratic friends, it is enough to remark that a few months ago, during the presidential campaign, scores of democratic statesmen. great and small, including conspicuously Mr. Randall, were going up and down in the land declaring that the treasury held a surplus of more than diately to employ in paying debts. surplus of less than \$12,000,000 -- up to the police.

containing a proclamation and decree of Gen. J. R. Barrios, whereby | ious parents by the next train. the "Republic of Central America," pledging his talents, fortune and life to defend it; declaring all traitors who oppose the common cause and threatening destruction to those governments who fail to join in the regenerating movements.

In the house of commons the other day Gladstone confirmed the in telligence of a battle between the Russians and Afghans and said From information which the government received of the fight, the Russians have apparently been guilty of an unjustifiable attack on the Afghans. England has demanded from Russia full explanations in regard to the affair." He also stated that the government had received no information corroborative of the report that the Russians had occupied

ARTHUR J. KEYES, living near Wahoo, Neb., died suddenly the other afternoon in Dr. Lamb's drug store from an overdose of strychnine in medicine improperly compounded. The coroner's inquest decided that he came to his death by a prescription improperly compounded by Dr. Lamb. who used two grains of strychnine, wife and several children.

THE Tribune, at Salt Lake, is authority for the assertion that a leading the Nebraska man when exploiting | Mormon Bishop has declared that the priesthood has concluded that it would be cheaper to buy a statehood for Utah than endure the annoyances the land-lady turned to me, "Is that the polygamists are now being subreally a true story, or is it a chip from | jected to by the enforcement of the laws. Among the laiety this is now considered to be the plan of the Mor-

mon campaign. Peace negotiations between France and China have been suspended, but recent news from London reports that the Chinese legation here has forwarded to the agent at Paris renewed peace proposals, the basis of Petehili and Formosa shall be raised; that Tonquin shall be ceded to China

W. H. FORTH, of Blue Springs, Neb., while engaged in hauling hay on War Bonnet Creek, Sioux county. the other day, slipped and fell from a few days ago, to discuss the questhe load between the horses, which tion of "What shall we do to be say he soon died. He had only been in the state a short time, and leaves wife and several children.

GOTTLIEB COOK the other evening thirty new cases occurred and seven at Kearney, jumped from a Union Pacific train and started north on the run. He had a ticket for San Francisco. He was captured by farmers fifteen miles away and brought back to the city. The Sheriff placed him in jail, and is very anxious that his friends find him. The man is evidently insane.

THE B. & M. freight depot at Omaha burned the other morning beand the freight, in storage, at about \$2,000. It is the intention of the B & M. company to supply its place with a new building.

THE body of Wm. O'Grady was discovered the other day by some boys while fishing in the Nemaha. He left Falls City, Neb., last November to go to Sabetha, Kan., and had boys. He was in the habit of getting drunk and must have fallen into the river and drowned.

A RECENT dispatch from Huron, D. Teachers' Association for Nebraska T., states that F. G. Small an attorney has been fixed for March 26-28, '86, at of Harold, mysteriously disappeared Lincoln. Superintendent Moncrief, from that place last December. The of this city made an effort to have the | murderers have just been found and meeting of the Association held at | are two prominent citizens, J. H. Bell Fremont, but the majority voted in and F. Bennett, both attorneys. Benfavor of Lincoln. For the ensuing nett has confessed the murder, and ha Herald, chief among which is the year the Association elected the fol- says Bell killed him with a hatchet. Fremont Herald, edited by Nat. lowing officers: President, W. W. They then took him twenty miles W. Jones; Secretary, Hattle Snod- north of Harold and buried him crat of independent mould. Speaking grass; Corresponding Secretary, Miss where he was found the other day. Anna Gray : Treasurer, H. N. Blake. Both are in fail at Pierce and lynching

THERE is no longer any doubt that gold quartz has been discovered on T. Convey's farm, in the range hills about twelve miles west of the British. Papillion, Neb. Samples of the rock have been assayed by Omaha, St. Louis and Chicago experts, and in every instance have been pronounced worth working. Steps have been taken by C. Behrendt and J. Zimmerman, of Papillion to put in machinery and work the lead. Future developements will disclose its rich-

THE first cyclone of the season struck Waverly, Missouri, the other night, tearing things up generally and spreading destruction in its path, lifting up and dashing to pieces a large number of buildings; among others the Christian church was picked up and dashed to the ground, reducing it to kindling wood. In this storm no lives were lost, all having sought safe places a moment before. The damage to property will amount to \$100,000.

MR. McMILLAN in a street car the other morning in Newport, Ky., met \$200,000,000, which it ought imme- John L. Cummings, clerk in the First National Bank of Cincinnati, and And Tommy Hendricks talked about | fired three balls from a revolver into \$400.000.000. But now the first debt | the victim's chest, causing instant statement issued by a democratic ad- death. He killed Cummings in reministration officially informs the venge for the ruin of his daughter. world that the treasury has on hand a McMillan immediately gave himself

THE Sioux City Journal states that GEN. T. B. BUNTING, of New York, an emigrant on reaching Hoekins recently received a letter from an rounded up his brood to find one mis-American residing in Guatemala, sing. Hastily telegraphing ahead of which gives some light on the Cen- the train the conductor found the tral American troubles. With the innocent, tow-headed darling curled letter the American friend sent a up in a seat sweetly dreaming. He his bed.

the other day. The heavy declines London and Berlin produced a panic, and all international stocks fell heavily. Sales were forced to secure any price obtainable, owing to fears that many engagements will go unmet and that prices must recede much further still.

G. S. Mayo, who is known as the editor of the Chicago Post and Courier, also the Illinois Agriculturist, has been arrested by the postal authorities. Cleveland's postmaster general will do the country an excellent service if he would deprive all the fraudulent or would-be fraudulent papers of the use of the mails.

RECENT news from Phoenix, Arizona, states that Mormon Bishop Stewart and Elder C. J. Robinson, indicted for polygamy, were permitted to plead guilty in a lesser court to the indictment of unlawful cohabitation. The judge sentenced them to ninety days in the territorial pen-

EDWARD LAMBERT of Chicago the Mrs. Ann A. Mulligan, his mother- in wages. in-law, to see his wife, from whom he had been estranged, and while there when only one was prescribed, and shot and killed Mrs. Mulligan and improperly mixed it. He leaves a also shot and dangerously wounded his wife and then killed himself.

IT is stated at London that the Queen will return to England immediately, in view of the crisis in the relations between Russia and England. Sixty thousand men from the army reserves and the whole militia will be called out. The naval reserve will be used for home defense.

ONE of the strikers at the McCor- the least damage. mick reaper factory the other day attempted to stop one of the compa- day in marriage near Trenten, N. Y. ny's busses at Chicago on its way to the works, and A. S. Pinkerton, a "keeping company continously for detective inside the buss, shot the man dead. Trouble is feared.

So FAR the prince and princess of Wales and their eldest son Prince Albert Victor have been everywhere received by the people on their visit cornice of the building. and that no indemnity shall be exacted to Ireland with demonstrations of kindness and loyalty. A MEETING of cattlemen was held

> THE latest report from Madrid gives forty new cases of supposed cholera

at Jativa last week and twenty deaths.

That subsequently on the 7th inst.,

THE new singular common gender pronoun "thon" already adopted by several Eastern school boards, has brought out no less than eix others, the last one being from the Spanish

"zyhe." H. N. CARPENTER, Minden, Neb., under sentence to the penitentiary for one year, made his escape from the tween 4 and 5 o'clock believed to be guard the other night. The officers night at San Francisco, a hundred

> WM. H. CARROLL, the originator of miner's unions throughout Pennsylvania, fatally shot Henry Taylor, a business rival, the other day at Wilkesbarre.

It is charged that Joseph W. Carson died the other day at Elkhorn, all the houses in the vicinity. Neb., from the effects of iodine, which he had used for a malignant sore

Exposition. It weighed 216 lbs.

News Notes.

One cattle ranch in Wyoming embraces a million acres. O'NEILL has voted \$4,200 in bond

or a new school building. THE United States controls threequarters of the cornfields of the whole

SCIENTI-TS hold seventeen distinct theories as to the cause of earth-

THE Grand Army post of Creighton s building one of the finest halls in

THIRTY-FOUR female Arab soldiers were killed in a recent battle with

THE making of orange wine is proving a successful business on the Pacific coast. ROBERT INGRAM was held up in the

robbed of \$13. Tours has adopted the electric ight, the first city in France outside

of Paris to do so. THE King of Siam, although not yet thirty years of age, has 1,000 wives and 263 children.

THE greatest height of an ocean wave is said to be about thirty-five feet above the level. A LICENSE fee of \$1 a day is said

now to be charged skating rinks of ill kinds in Newark, N. J. TEN-SEVENTEENTHS of all the voters

in the United States are said to b engaged in farming pursuits. On a farm near East Aurora, N Y., was discovered recently a belt of

solid salt sixty-five feet thick. Most of the streets of Delaware and eastern Maryland towns are graded

and ballasted with oyster shells.

THE custom of decorating rooms by strewing roses on furniture, bedding and floors is extending in Paris.

NEARLY six bushels of wheat to each inhabitant is the average consumption of the United States an-

AFTER the death of a man at Bid deford, Me., over \$10,000 in cash and bonds were found concealed in

both sexes, waifs and strays, who are in need of help from the benevolent

A PUBLIC speaker recently made the statement that no Connecticut regiment ever lost a flag during the

It is estimated that half the wheat crop of Kansas will prove a total loss. Farmers are plowing their wheat fields and sowing other grain.

Among the 1,200 laws regulating the French press is one, centuries old, which threatens the proof-reader with death for even one blunder. THE largest prune orchard in the

world contains 16,000 trees. It is located one mile from Saratoga, Cal., and was recently sold for \$75,000. SPECKLED trout come up in the

water of some artesian wells in Nevada. The supposition is that else. If we were going to be deprivthey came from subterranean lakes. MISS S. WEEKS recently took the oath as Deputy Register of Deeds for Osborne county, Kansas. Her appointment gives general satisfaction.

A REPORT comes from London stating that forty thousand coal miners are now on a strike in Yorkshire other day called at the residence of slone, against a 10 per cent reduction THE mother of the first child born

in Eagle City, Arizons, received a present of \$5,000 in gold dust from the enthusiastic miners of that region the other day. MRS. L. B. STEVENS, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, owns and controls two

first woman president of a bank in the United States. WHILE a heavy storm was passing over Washington the other day the great monument was struck three

banks. It is believed that she was the

A Long courtship ended the other -that of a couple who had been

twety-eight years." A TROY, N. Y., undertaking establishment was set on fire the other day by the ignition of a match carried by a sparrow into their nest under the

THE area of Lake Erie is said to be 6,000 square miles. Its greatest length is 250 miles: greatest breadth, 80 miles, mean depth, 84

feet; elevation, 555 feet. A WATER spaniel owned in Bridgewater, Mass., goes to the evening her, but she said, "You needn't look train every day to get a Boston paper | surprised, Sam, for I saw you take it

A BED quilt on exhibition at New Orleans cotains 100,584 pieces. It is and poker." made of small bits of tape three-eighths of an inch square, and at a short distance very much resembles worsted embroidery.

THE power of Niagara Falls, exclu-

day comes and remains at home.

sive of the velocity with which the water reaches the brink, is calculated to be 5,000,000 horse power, or nearly one-fourth of the whole steam power All kinds of Repairing done on of the earth. MISS LILLIAN SMITH, a California

girl aged fourteen, broke the other glass balls with a Winchester riffle in two minutes and thirty-five seconds. Also sell the world-famous Walter A This beats all records.

LIGHTNING exploded the Hazard Powder Company's magazine, containing eight and a half tone of powder, at St. Joseph, Mo., the other morning. The concussion wrecked

It is stated that the reports to be published relative to the crop pros-A Nebraska man exhibited the largest pumpkin at the New Orleans last year, but the severe winter largest pumpkin at the New Orleans has destroyed much of the grain.

The Blue, The Grey, and Gran

They sat together side by side, In the shade of an erange tree; One had followed the flag of Grant, The other had fought with Lee.

The boy in blue had an empty sleeve, A crutch had the boy in grey; They talked of the long and dreary march,

They talked of the bloody fray.

My chief is dead," the Johnny said, "A leader brave was he; And sheathed fore'er, at Lexington,

Doth hang the sword of Lee 'My leader lives"—the boy in blue Spoke low, and with a sigh— But all the country waits in fear

That he to day may die." 'God bless our Grant!" the vet'ran said And dropped a tear, and then In heartfelt tones the answer came.

For the rebel said-"Amen!" - Commercial Gazette The War Cloud Again Gather-

Berlin, April 8 .- The belief bitherto attained in official circles that streets of Omaha the other night and peace would be maintained between England and Russia has undergone a distinct change. The dispatches from St. Petersburg say the war party is getting the upper hand and that the czar has agreed to appoint General Gourks and General Kouropotkine to leading commands in the Afghan campaign in the event of war. Each will head an army corps of 50,000 men. Prince Dondoukoff Korsakoff governor of Caucasus, takes a staff of military surveyors to Mery to report upon the progress of the massing of troops and the condition of the com-

> In some of the German cities it stated that a bell is placed above the public receptacle for the dead, and the hands of the corpse fastened to the rope, so that it may be rung by the chance victim of burial before

missariat. He will command the

third army corps.

A Young lawyer of Sylvania, Ga., went through that town the other day driving a portion of his first law fee a yearling steer. The fee consisted of \$8 in money, a stack of fodder, a silver watch, an old sow and the yearling.

Correspondence.

[In this department the people talk, and of the editor. Each writer must hold himself ready to defend his principles and his statements of facts. "In the multitude of counsel there is wisdom."-ED.

inst. resulted in a victory for the anti license party of two to one; as a consequence the temperance men are a.m., to respond and furnish testimony jubilant, and the liquor interest smart final hearing at this office May 16to, 1885, under their defeat. Now if Columbus had only followed her younger sister in the march of reform she would not to-day be lamenting over the low state of morality and the plague spots in her midst, which owe much of their strength to the free use of intoxicating liquors. Now that the State has seen fit to require that the trict Court of Platte county at Columphysiological laws governing this matter shall be taught in our public schools, let us see that the law is complied with in spirit as well as in

Tabke and Herman Wurdeman, all of Columbus, Platte County, Nebraska. Life is dearer to us than anything C. HOSTETTER, Register. ed of it we would not be happy because we would want life. If we had no life we would not know anything. It is life that makes us happy and life alone. What would this world be if there was no life? It would be desolate and no man would want to live here. Guiteau's life was was so dear to him that he and his friends and relatives tried to make believe that he was crazy to save it. But he did not think that Mr. Garfield's life was dear to him, at least he did not act as if he did. Every man prizes his life above every thing else. If there was no other world and we were going to be deprived of life in a way that it would not hurt us, we could not be happy. Why? Because we would not want to die, we would want life. But if we knew that we had done good all our lives and we were dying and we knew that times by lightning without causing | we were going to heaven I think we could be happy. God gave us life to work, be useful and obey his commandments, but not to steal and take the life of our fellowmen. If we had sinned and we were going to die we would want life because we would want to live longer so that we would not be punished for our sins so quickly. But there is another world and when we sin we will get punished for

"Papa what is the name of that book?" asked a little boy of his father who had just returned from his office. "That, my son, is a bible." "Yes, my son," said the fond wife, "but remember it was only by accident that he reference thereto. found it out." Her husband stared at for his master. He knows when Sun- up this morning and open it, you was, you were looking for the book entitled how to play cards, billiards CHARLES D. WILSON.

it after we die ; and some times before.

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NOTICE. WALTER S. WELLS,

A. D. WALKER. A. D. Walker, non-resident defendant: Said A. D. Walker, defendant, will take notice that on the 16th day of February, 1885, Walter S. Wells, plaintiff, filed his petition in the District Court of Platte county, Nebraska, against said defendant, the object and prayer of which is to recover possession of one hundred and two volumes of certain law books of the value of about \$241.75, the property of said plaintiff and wrongfully detained by said

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 1st day of Nebr. Dated Columbus, Neb., April 15th, 1885. By REEDER & HENSLEY.

HOMESTEAD NOTICE.

U. S. Land Office, Grand Island, Nebr.,) March 16th, 1885. COMPLAINT baving been entered at triet Court at Columbus, Nebraska, on this office by Patrick Gilligan against the 23d day of April, 1885, viz: William A. Demony for abandoning his 10th, 1884, upon the East 1/2 Southeast 1/4. Township 19 north. Range west, in Platte county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry: appear at the office of J. M. Macfarland, a Notary Public, at Columbus, Nebraska,

is o'clock a. m. C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF. Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., NOTICE is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the Disbus, Neb., on Saturday May 16th, 1885, viz: Friederich Mackenstadt, Homestead No. 8426, for the S. E. 1/4, of S. E. 1/4, Section 12, Township 19 north, of Range I east. He names the following witnesses to and cultivation of, said land, viz: Ger-hard Asche, Herman Pieper, Henry

ROAD NOTICE. THE COMMISSIONER appointed to bility of vacating a public road mencing at S. E. corner of Section 20, in names the following witnesses to prove Township 18, Range 1 west, and running his continuous residence upon, and culti-E. k. of N. E. k. of said Section: thence in a northwesterly direction to the mid- all of O'Kay P. O., Platte Co., Neb. dle of Section 17, Townsnip 18, Range 1 also reported in favor of the location of a ection 17, in Township 18, Range 1 west, and running thence due south on the or claims for damages, must be filed in the office of the County Clerk on or before noon of the 1st day of June, A. D. 1885, or the said roads will be vacated or located as called for, without reference

Dated, Columbus, Neb., March 26th,'8 JOHN STAUFFER,

ROAD NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern: THE COMMISSIONER appointed to lo the northeast quarter of section 24, town ship 17, range 1, west, and running thence west one-half (1/4) mile, thence north one-fourth (1/4) mile, thence west to intersect the public road as now traveled. and thence on said road, and terminating on the west line of section 14, at a point where the Columbus and Genoa road intersects said line, has reported in favor of the location thereof. And the said Commissioner also reported that the old survey of the county road from the west line of section 14, township 17, range 1, west, to Columbus, in favor of the vaca-tion thereof, and all objections to either the location or vacation of the above described roads, or claims for damages, must be filed in the office of the County Clerk on or before noon of the 18th day of May, A. D. 1885, or said roads will be

located and vacated as called for, without Dated, Columbus Neb., March 14, 1885. JOHN STAUFFER, County Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICE STATE OF NEBRASKA, PLATTE COUNTY, SS

Lowry, an insane person. ON THE FILING of the petition of J. J. Graves, guardian of Matthew Lowry, an insane person, and inhabitant of Platte county, Nebraska, praying for a icense to sell the real estate of said Matthew Lowry, for the payment of his debts and the costs of guardianship, it is debts and the costs of guardianship, it is considered and ordered by the Court that the 9th day of May, A. D. 1885, at 1 o'clock p. m., of said day at the Court House in the City of Columbus, Platte County Nebraska, is hereby fixed for the time and place of hearing said petition, and that notice of the same be published in the Court and I am a published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same be published in the Court and I am a power of the same because of th the COLUMBUS JOURNAL, a newspaper published and in general circulation in said County of Platte for three successive weeks prior to said hearing, notifying the next of kin of said Matthew Lowry, and all persons interested in the estate ot said ward to appear at said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why said license should not be granted as prayed for.

Judge of District Court.

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Court, at Columbus, Neb., on Thursday May 7th, 1885, viz: John Bade Homestead No. 9637, for the N. W. 14, Section 2, Township 19, north, of Range 1 east. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Henry Huntemann, John Hossel, Wendelien Brauner, and Theodor Wenk, all of Columbus, Platte Co.,

C. HOSTETTER, Register. FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Nob., March 11, 1885. OTICE 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 Judge of the Dis-

James T. Maclean, Homestead Entry William A. Demony for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 15232, dated Sept. No. 16765 for the S 1/2, of the N. E. 1/4, 16th 1884 upon the East 1/2 Southeast 1/2. Section 20, Township 19, north of Range nesses to prove his continuous resiland. P. O., Platte County Neb., hood, J. W. Clark and J. M. Robinson, of Postville P. O., Platte County, Neb.



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

March 10th, 1885. JOTICE is hereby given that the follow ing 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 the 25th day of April, 1885, viz:

Samuel C. Terry, Homestead Entry No. view and report upon the practica- 9506, for the E. 1/4 S. E. 1/4, Section 4. Township 18 north, of Range 3 west. H vation of, said land, viz: J. J. Judd, Sol. Dickinson, R. E. Wiley and Jas. A. Baker 47-6 C. HOSTETTER, Register.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 23d, 1885. OTICE is hereby given that the folsupport of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court of Platte county, at Colum-

Charles Gertsch Homestead No. 8251, for the E. 1/2, of S. E. 1/4, 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: Herman Wilke and Henry Rickert of Columbus, Platte County Nebraska, Henry Welch and Frederick Lutgeluschen, of Shell Creek, Colfax County Nebraska.

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