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- -It pays to trade at Kramer's. -- The Domestic leads them all. -Oysters and celery at Rasmussen's
- -Ginghama 5 cents a yard at Kra-
- -Blankets 75 cents a pair at Kramer's. -Garrett Rulet is going to echool
- at Omaha. -Three ponies for sale at J. 24-2t. Delsman's.
- -New lot of spinning wheels at Saml. Gass's.
- -Munger, furniture and un dertaking. 20-tf - Best kind of bed feathers at
- Saml. Gass's. -Judge Post held court at Fuller ton last week.
- -- Leave your measure for a suit of clothes at Kramer's. -Clothes cleaned and repaired at
- Kramer's tailor shop. -- Rasmussen wants a contract for
- 200 bushels of onions. -Chesemen at A. & M. Turner' book and music store.
- -1,000 bushels choice wanted at Rasmussen's.
- -The Western Cottage organ sale at A. & M. Turner's. -Three pounds honey locust seed
- for \$1 at J. B. Delsman's. -The best of Flour at the lowest
- prices, at J. B. Delsman's. -Best Indigo blue Calico only cents per yard at Kramer's.
- -Rasmussen pays the highest market price for eggs, in cash or trade. -Buy your boots and shoes at Kramer's and get warranted goods.
- BROOD MARES FOR SALE .-- I have twenty that I will sell. G.W. Elston.
- -Mr. Sage and family have re--- Money to loan on real estate. W
- B. Backue, attorney at law, 12th street, -Monday was a lively day in Col-
- umbus. Plenty of hogs and cattle in the market. -California overalls and California
- fannel shirts and coats can only be found at Kramer's. -Honahan does not sell auction
- goods, but does sell the best boots for the money in town.
- and all dry goods can be bought the ing, he will have three large ice cheapest at Kramer's. -The Domestic, light-running and
- durable, can be purchased of A. & M Turner or G. W. Kibler. -Gus. G. Becher & Co.-Hedd quarters for cheap Steamship
- Tickets, sold on time. -- All kinds of school supplies, at reasonable prices, at A. & M. Turner's book and music store.
- -Go and examine the stock of boots, shoes and gloves at Honahan's before purchasing elsewhere. 24-2t. -If you want a good and well fit ting suit or overcoat at a reasonable
- price, you must go to Kramer's. - It is reported that W. N. Hensley, late editor of the Democrat, has been appointed post-master for this city. -J. W. Byrne has two pieces of Continental scrip issued in 1776 and
- 77. They look aged but well pre--Julius Rasmussen has been paintthings up generally around the
- -- Any book, of general literature, placed in the circulating library at A. & M. Turper's, upon request of
- -Wm. Walker has moved into his new residence, one of the neatest cot- Cowdery, Jno. McMahon, S. S. Mctages in the city, and located near the Allister; 3d, M. Whitmoyer, Carl Monastery.
- -Marble top center tables, lounges and curtain poles, as cheap as you can buy them any place in town. On Gerrard, J. H. Reed, G. W. Wescott, sale at Saml. Gase's.
- -John Timothy, Eeq., dealer in school books, stationery, etc., at Platte Center is the authorized agent of the JOURNAL at that place.
- -Teacher Tedrow has purchased and removed to the nest residence and property, on the south corner of
- of 15th and Olive streets. -Democratic would-be candidates for county offices, are now busy, on
- the wing early and late, giving three additional shakes with all farmers. -A good note paper \$1.20 a ream or 30 cts. a quarter ream, at A. & M. Turner's book and music store, 11th cil a communication was received
- street with Kramer's establishment. -Wanted, a second-hand self-feeding hard coal stove. Must be in good linquish the privileges proffered order. Give lowest cash price and them, provided the City Council deaddress, A. C. Anderson, Creston,
- -The people will again have oceasien to think that coal might be mittee to find out what would probemore abundant and cheaper in Ne- bly receive the sanction of the people, brasks, if railroad transportation and draw up an outline of plans and report to Council next Saturday. wasn't so expensive.

A Card to Whom it May Con-

It has lately came to my ears that one of my competitors is spreading the report that G. Heitkemper is "played out," he has "got to leave town," he is going to "slide out," and he "had his day here," and he is going to Hastings, etc.,etc. Now, then, this is false. I am not going to leave Colum- | Ill., is in the city. bus; I'll stay with you, my dear competiters. It would be foolish for me to leave a community where I have such a good trade. I'll stay and shall make things interesting for you. My prices for the holidays will be

very low, and I think with my large and new stock. I'll try to keep you attending to your own knitting. No doubt you would be glad to see me leave, but I shall not, it would be too soft for you to get me out, and have tention. it your own way, but I don't go worth a cent, I have too good a business to leave it, and don't you forget it. I'li stay with you, boys, I am an old stayer, so I am.

Yours truly, G. HEITKEMPER.

-Fred Blasser's boy Charlie Saturday evening last spilled a pan of boiling tomatoes on himself, scalding him pretty severely over the head, arms

-There will be a board meeting at the M. E. church Saturday afternoop, Oct. 10th, at 2 o'clock. Official mem bers are requested to be present Clark Young, R. S.

-It will pay you to come to Col umbus and buy your flannels, dress goods, blankets, clothing and your winter's applies at Kramer's New York Cheap Cash Store.

-Rev. J. L. St. Clair preached a sermon Sunday evening that ought to have been heard by five thousand people, and as many more as could have got within hearing distance.

-Money to loan at once and without delay on real estate, in large or small amounts, on time to suit. Promptly, quietly and at the lowest possible rates. Apply to Gus. G Becher & Co.

-Mesers. North and Lockner went to Humphrey yesterday to lay out an addition to that thriving burg. Gus has 100 acres adjoining the town site, and will lay off twelve blocks, including a public square.

WANTED .- A young man between the ages of 17'and 25, who can speak German and English, has some experience in general work, taking care and driving horses. Wages fair. Address JOURNAL Office. 24-1t.

-You will find it to your advantage not to buy a sewing machine until you have canvassed the merits -Pride of the Kitchen Soap, for of the light-running Domestic, sold cleaning tinware, at Wm. Becker's. here by A. & M. Turner, only,--G W. Kibler, traveling salesman.

-- There will be no preaching in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath 11th, owing to the pastor's absence moved to the Lamb property on 14th attending Synod at Central City. Sabbath school at the usual hour Services resumed on Sabbath the 18th.

-Hempleman sells from a paper of pins or needles to a suit of clothes and from a pair of mittens or gloves to an overcoat and should you be in want of a stick of candy or a barre of salt, you can obtain the same right at his general store, pays the highest price for your eggs and butter.

-C. C. Miller is bound to see to it that this community is supplied another year, with all the ice it can -Dress plaids, flannels, waterproofs use. When he gets through buildhouses, one at Stevens's, and two or his own place south of the city, with an entire capacity of two thousand tons. Charlie has enterprise in his

> make-up that is worthy of imitation. -Mrs. George would announce to the ladies of Columbus and vicinity that she has a new trimmer, fresh from a wholesale house, also a fine stock of all the leading designs and styles of millinery goods, feathers, flowers and fancy trimmings. Special pains to please customers and satisfactory, low prices. Call and see us, two doors south of Mr. Friedhof's

-The Journal job department is prepared to furnish, on short notice. all kinds of commercial work, such as letter heads, note heads, bill heads, statements, circulars, enyelopes, cards, dodgers, posters, &c.; visiting cards; lawyers' briefe; pamphlets; catalogues; sale bills, &c. Satisfaction guaranteed. Orders ing his grocery store, and fixing by mail promptly attended to. Address, M. K. Turner & Co., Columbus, Nebr.

> let ward, E. Pohl, J. W. Early, W. A. J. E. North, Mrs. Page. McAllister, H. P. Coolidge; 2d. Henry Ragatz, M. K. Turner, B. R. Kramer, G. W. Clother, W. B. Backus, J. S. Murdock and J. Ras-

sr., and Wm. Walker. -The delegates from Lost Creek township to the Republican County Convention are Wm. Loseke, Peter Kettleson Ed. Hoare, L. H. Jewell. Wm. Steinbaugh and Wm. Wilson. The township ticket nominated is as follows: Robert Pinson, assessor: Ed. Hoare, supervisor; Al. Dack. tressurer; Wm. Wilson, clerk; justices. Geo. N. Hopkins and G. W. Shaffer; constable, Wm. Steinbaugh; road overseers, Jno. Keeler, Geo.

-At the last meeting of the Counfrom the Columbus Water Works and Light Association offering to resired to make a contract with other parties. Mesers. North, Whitmoyer and Lockner were appointed a com-

Personal. Miss Carrie Austin left for Omaha

Sunday. D. McKelvey of Schuyler was

town Monday. A. Henry of this city, went down Omaha Monday. Hon. E. L. Merritt, of Springfield,

Miss Annie Rasmussen goes Chicago this week.

to Genoa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Cowdery started Saturday for St Louis. Geo. Murie made a very pleasan

call at this office Saturday. Albert Wilde of Humphrey was i town yesterday receiving medical at-

Geo. L. Brown, of David City, Anderman, \$5; se 34, 20, 20, 1e, 160 passed through town Wednesday on | acres.

his way to Gordon. Bank, went to Chadron Friday last, expecting to be gone a week or so. Allen Vincent was in the city

could hardly say, how do you do? James Steevers, proprietor of the Clarksville Messenger, was in town vesterday and gave this office a pleas-

ant call. Harry Pruitt of Humphrey was i the city Friday, accompanied by his daughter. He didn't forget to make

Dr. T. E. Mitchell came in from the west Saturday. He is much troubled with rheumatism, and loses a great deal of sleep. Mrs. E. D. Jenkins and Mary Tur-

ner returned Monday from Perry, Ia where they had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jno. George. Mr. Anderson, of Wyoming, broth-

er of banker Anderson of this place, came to this city last week and is visiting with his brother. Mr. Miles, a former citizen of Col umbus, now of Kansas, came to the

city Monday. He is looking well and is as cheerful and happy as ever A. H. Potter has returned from his rip as far down east as Vermont state, looking improved in health. He thinks Nebrasks is in the front

C. H. Gillan of President was in the city Friday and made an agreeable call at this office. From such calling we obtain valuable informa-

Henry and Jno. Messmore, of Henry county, Ill., were in town Friday, on their way to Fullerton, where John locates. Henry will look over may be in the way of good invest- lately. nents suitable to him.

G. W. Hulst, who has been in the northwestern country the last two perity. weeks, has visited Deadwood, Custer and Rapid City; he thinks the latter place is going to be the city of the Hills, having now 6,000 inhabitants, and being situated in a good mining, as well as agricultural district. Geo. half miles northeast of Columbus. returned to Chadron (as he went) by tage, and was expecting to start out from Gordon yesterday, on his annual hunt with Mr. Hagland, of Omaha, and Mattewson, of Norfolk.

### Columbus Lyceum.

The meeting Friday evening was largely attended, the high-school room being filled. The lyceum can with proper effort, be made a most excellent institution for the city, and it is gratifying to note an increasing interest in the meetings. The executive committee have now got well down to work, being assured of mem- there is one sure crop,—sand burs. bership, and hereafter, under the rules of the lyceum, will provide a story frame dwelling-house, with program at least three weeks in advance, and present the following:

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9TH. Recitation, M. Hurd; recitation C. A. Brindley; song, Miss Glesson essay, W. B. Backus; recitation, Wil-Turner; song, Lilian Smith; song by small grain up badly. the choir; subject for debate. "Should capital punishment be adhered to? Affirm. W. B. Backus, C. Kramer.

Deny. J. E. Munger, W. A. Mc-Allister. FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16TH. Song: essay, M. K. Turner: recitawoman suffrage be introduced into appreciated by farmers. the United States?" Affirm. C. A. -The Columbus delegates to the Speice, G. G. Bowman, Mrs. H. P.

> FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23D. Mamie Mullen; recitation, J. C. of this vicinity. Martin, Miss Anderson; reading, Mrs. Page; song, Mary Turner; reading, Mrs. W. A. McAllister: song by the choir; debate. "Should Chinese immigration be prohibited?" Affirm. W. M. Cornelius, Jno. Wigthis week. gins. Deny. J. C. Martin, L. J. Cra-

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### Creston Caucus.

full town ticket. By order of TOWN CLERK. Clark.

Real Estate Transfers. Reported for the JOURNAL for the

week ending last Saturday, by Gus. G. Becher & Co: Western Stage Co to John O Bogan, \$1085 : lots 8 and 9, section 30, 17, 1e,

108.81 acres.

Will S Motter and wife to Fannie H Lightner, \$2200; e %, ne %, 4, 17, 3w, 87.41 acres. L D Richards and L M Keene and

wives to John Davenport, \$1070; a Louis Kramer made a busines trip 1/4, ne 1/4 and n 1/4, se 1/4, 30, 20, 3w, 160 acres.

U S to Robert Compton; nw 2, 17, 1e, 158.15 acres. William B Veasey to Fred Terms

\$1175; • ½, •e ½, 14, 26, 1w. F W Anderman and wife to Ruth M Drake, \$5; se 14, 20, 20, 1e, 160

Mrs. Ruth M Drake to Sarah D

U P Ry Co to Stan Tomasieurez O. T. Roen, of the First National \$280; nw 1/4, se 31,17,1w, 40 acres. US to Fred Anderman; w %, se

4, 20, 20, 1e, 80 acres. Mary E Spooner and husband to Saturday, so busy with business he Susan Benson, \$300; n 1/4, lot 3 and 4, block 161.

John Loseke and wife to August Boettcher, \$1; a 1/4, se 1/4, 10, 18, 1e. A B Chaffee and wife to B T Whipp, \$8000; n 1/2, and sw 1/2 of 35, 17, 3w, 480 acres.

E H Leach and L H Geer and wife to F Colfetzer, \$500; T C Robinson's with light tax in '84, then it looks as additional lots 7 and 8, block 4.

U S to Michael Tischer; e 14, ne for he is the first man that has made 26, 20, 2, 40 acres. US to Ignaz Steiner; w 14, ne

18, 19, 1e, 80 acres. US to Jacob Swygert; e 14, se 14. 6, 18, 4w, 80 acres. U S to Jacob Swygert; e 1/4, ne 1/4

U S to John Boss; e 16, sw 24, 17, 3w. 80 acres. U S to John A Wilson; se 10, 20, 1w. 160 acres.

6, 18, 4w, 80 acres.

U S to Charles E Roscoe; nw. 6. 20, 1w, 148.43 acres. U P Ry Co to Marshall Voorhees, nw ¼, nw ¼, 31, 18, 2w, 36.79 acres. U P Ry Co to Max Gottberg, \$360;

e 14, sw 14, 1, 18, 1w, 80 acres. U P Ry Co to George Gunderman, \$160; ew 14, ne 14, 29, 19, 4w, 40 pensive machine, without an under-

Wm Anyan to Sam C Terry, \$4; e | we propose to return it. It was said 14, se 14, 4, 18, 3, 80 acres.

\$91.55; e ½, se ¼, 27, 20, 3w. CB&QRRCo to Andrew T Wenell, \$509.50; se 14, 1, 19, 4.

Blamark Precinct. Mrs. Daisy Burns was visiting her Nebraska a little, to see what there parents Mr. and Mrs. Swartsley

> Bismark is still increasing in the number by its citizens, and in pros- the machine to work in any condition Mrs. Karline now has a new two- under the wheels should make no

John G. Dreher has advertised his farm for sale; it is located six and a

George Hodel bought twenty-five head of steers; it is his intention to fatten them for the spring market. Almost every one is putting up might as well be out of the world as

out of the fashion." Potatoes are a very poor crop in bridge. most parts of the country, owing to this season being an exceptionally dry one. It is the dryest since 1880.

Mr. Sheldon has erected a tworock foundation, also a large horse north of Columbus.

We have been very fortunate in not having any bail-storms this year to destroy the corn. Last year there lie Coolidge; select reading, Anna were quite a number which cut the

A few years ago the crops of small grain were destroyed by chintz-bugs, but for the last two or three years I have not seen a chintz-bug, and it is to be hoped that they will not return

to this country. tion. Helen Foster; reading, Miss the died in this vicinity from the ef- little light in the future, but in the at the coming election. Canavon: recitation, Robt. O'Brien; fects of the black smut on the ears of meantime advises the supervisors to essay. L. J. Cramer; reading, Mrs. corn; this year, so far as I have no- scan closely the signatures or char-W. B. Backus; song; debate. "Should ticed, it is very scarce, a fact to be acter of the petition, &c. Now, I

Mr. Bartle, the enterprising young farmer who removed to this state last county republican convention are: Coolidge. Deny. C. A. Brindley, spring, and bought a half section of land southwest of O. D. Butler's, has converted a large piece of prairie desires to attack the official record or Song, scholars; essay, Clara Weav- into the "tilled soil," which shows honor of ex-commissioners, I will say ter, good feed and wind mill. Water er; recitation, Mate Wadsworth; that he means to succeed, an example for my individual self that I am able, in corral. J. K. McFarland, essay, Mrs. C. A. Brindley; reading, worthy the notice of all good farmers

CHAS. D. WILSON.

Humphrey. Bank is on the sick list. D. T. Dickinson will move to town

are changing hands. Our hog buyers commenced buying hoge again, believing that the epi-

demic is nearly over. Corn is a good crop. Humphrey will probably ship more than double the grain of former years.

Grainville republicans held their with furious and uncarthly yells at primary for the purpose of electing the Yankee devils, and swing their 15th street. Remember and ask your grocer for delegates to the county convention, at rebel rag with but little shooting, the office of Cookingham and Bender, that all they had to do was to scare on Saturday last according to call. us into a retreat. It was usually un-Cancus called to order by W. H. Sel- derstood by us at such times that they A meeting of citizens of Creston sor, Dr. W. A. Hampton elected chair- were short of ammunition and all we will be held at Center Creston school man, J. I. Robison elected secretary. had to do was to wait till they got at house. Saturday, Oct. 17, '85, at 7 p. The following were elected by ballot close range, then give them Hail Com., for the purpose of nominating a to attend the county convention; J. lumbia in Dixie's land. I. Robison, W. H. Selsor and G. W.

Letter List. The following is a list of unclaimed etters remaining in the post-office, in Columbus, Neb., for the week ending

A-Young Artrek.

B-Mr. Andrey Bazmum, Mr. F. H.
Britterfield, Mrs. Adell Brenneman.

C-Mrs. C. C. Clam, John Craft, Mrs. Laura Crause, Paul Peter Cristimsus,

Mr. Patrick Cudaheen.

D-Enos Davis, Olliver Dean.

G-George Genbering, Mr. J. J. Girrue, A. M. Greerily.

H-George Hasken 2, Mr. Alvin Heler 2. Mrs. : Mary Ann Heny, Mrs. Rose

M-Mr. E. J. McGurr, Flax & Tow Mill Co, Joseph Miteza, Prof. W. M. Myers.

P-Ludiny Petariki.

S-John Stanvan, C. M. Savage.

W-George Wagner, W. J. Wellsin.

If not called for in 30 days will be sent
to the dead letter office, Washington, D.

## Correspondence.

C. When called for please say "adver-

tised," as these letters are kept separate.

[In this department the people talk, and not the editor. Each writer must hold himself ready to defend his principle and his statements of facts. "In the multitude of counsel there is wisdom."—ED. JOURNAL.

Township Organization.

My friend Truman spilled a little water, in his effort to prove that he did not pay one-half 'more tax in '84 under organization than he did the year previous, by trying to compare it to some other years. If he got off if he had tampered with the assessor. the assertion. I should like to hear from others in Monroe on this point, but believe we can run, a good machine with less oil, although we have a rough township. But to undertake to run a snide machine on 7 gills of oil, "outside limit," it "can't be did." And this beautiful amendment or improvement, illustrates well how it pans out tojundertake to remodel one of these bogus machines, while in use. The thing wants to be thrown into the fence corner and a new machine built that will do the work.

My friend thinks; my machine lustration not very good, but puts the question to me as a business man whether I would buy a new and ex-UP Ry Co to Frank Gunderman, his agent, that if it did not accom-\$160; nw 14, ne 14, 29, 19, 4w, 40 plish what it professed to do, it might be returned. I answer no, and by those who read the contract that CB&QRR Co to Sim Brown, there was a provision for its return and so understood, but it seems there was not, so the manufacturers added that proviso to it last winter when they made that beautiful 7 mill improvement along with some others just as good, that I would like to notice, but I do not want to crowd the argument. If the illustration is not good, don't use it. We bought of ground, sticks and dirt in and

story frame dwelling-house with rock | difference with its work. In reference to the cast-off bridge that Monroe got when I was commissioner I will say that I have raised a large family and was poor as "all large families are," and had a pair of pants too small or had a hole in the unmentionable and was fair material otherwise: I had the wife to remodel them to fit some of the smaller ones; new buildings, for you know "you if too short, splice them, whether colors corresponded or not; they were whole, warm and good. So the

The resolution of the Sherman board that was so quietly snubbed by the supervisors spoken of, related to There is one consolation to the the pay of assessors. A protest farmers of this vicinity, and that is against the payment of assessors by no matter how dry the season is, the town, as there was no law requiring the town to pay it, but a plain law requiring the county to pay it and as they finally had to do this last year. The law was never changed, barn on his cattle-ranch four miles and the money paid to assessors the previous year should be refunded to the reasons. If there is good or the respective towns. That was the substance of the resolution, and it was expected the supervisors would back it and protect their constituents, but they did not, and no one in the county showed any disposition to

claim their rights, not even my friend. Finally, my friend says that one of the most remarkable features of this crusade against town organization is the number of ex-commissioners engaged in the movement, and says Last winter quite a number of cat- perhaps he may be able to shed a wish to inform my friend that the farm. A. Henrich. supervisors have nothing to do with thrown out insinuations about the honesty of ex-commissioners; if he

ready and willing to defend my own There are numerous reasons why the ex-commissioners should be arrayed against town organization under our laws; among these is the Ira Briggle, cashier of Citizens fact that they can see the outrageous defects and enormous expense our county is put to. Some eight or nine years ago we had unpaid warrants to Real estate business is brisk. Many | the amount of \$9,000, or \$10,000, now good farms and desirable town lots it is about \$40,000, and the indications are good to increase it much of Chas. A. Speice. more, and I can assure my friend that the men who are put into power to run the finances of the county have years old, for sale cheap for cash or no pic-nic if they do their duty.

I remember that during the late war, on some occasions, the rebels would make a charge on our lines close range, then give them Hail Columbia in Dixie's land.

Now, in conclusion I will say, that
in the course of human events, there

In the western part of the city. Those wanting to pay all cash or exchange horses or cattle for part of the
consideration, address D. O., care of
Journal office.

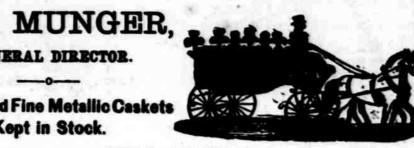
In the western part of the city.
Those wanting to pay all cash or exsmall white spots, and 2 heifers, two
years old, mostly red, some with
small white spots, and 2 heifers, two
years old, white and red. The owner
will please prove property and pay damages and expenses.

B. W. Young.

C. in the course of human events, there Journal office.

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petition.

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will be ex-town boards, and in all probability will be a great storm after that event, for I remember a short time ago I heard a low, deep, ominous ther particulars inquire of or address rumbling west of us that forebodes r. Keating, Columbus, Neb. a great storm, and I exhort my friend to have his house in order, and be prepared against the day of wrath. JOHN WISE.

Township Organization. Having noticed in a number of the sck Journal's this subject agitated, feel somewhat interested in the matter. As a tax-payer and as a lover of justice and right it looks to me as if the subject is being agitated at the present for the purpose of try- call at Bloomingdale stock farm near ing to overthrow the organization, as Postville. it is claimed in the interest of taxpayers and I will, through the columns of the Journal, ask some one rent. Improved or unimproved farm who knows and will, to answer the land, hay land, pasture and wood following questions, and I desire land. Reasonable terms. Call at and reliable at the time. figures:

How much money did Walker, Wise and his colleague receive for services as commissioners? I desire figures, no guess words. And how much more money is paid our supervisors the last year? How much more is our county levy, I mean mills on the dollar, for the year 1885, than for the years of 1879, '80, '81, '82? How much money has been lost yearly in taxes on personal property by parties liable for tax who skip city, have a large quantity of No. 1 out without paying? How much of that money has been collected by the They will sell at the kiln; delivered lows. several town boards making known to our county treasurer where these delinquents reside? To be plain, readers, I am in favor of township organization, and can also state my reasons which are truly American, but believing that these parties in the ing one-third the fair value of the opposition must have some good reasons to put forth the efforts that they are doing, to-wit : telling people that they pay more taxes now than they did in 1881, (reader so do I for had no taxable property in Nebraska be sold, owing to the death of one of that year) again having their papers the firm. It is one of the best in the circulated as has been done in St. Bernard township, getting signers, the man getting the signers cannot read (writes his own name with a mark "x") carries the paper to church and after services gets other signatures by telling them that this paper is for township organization and the man is honest in this as he thinks. say men that will put forth such inste township officers to be elected efforts have or ought to have good reasons for so doing, and I ask for economy in the movement, let ue

know it plainly, so we can consider it yet before election. F. M. COOKINGHAM.

# LOCAL NOTICES.

Advertisements under this head ents a line each insertion.

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I desire to announce that I am candidate for Sheriff of Platte county MARTIN POSTLE.

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rade. Inquire of Geo. E. Barnum. For Sale Cheap. good 5 roomed house and 2 lots with barn and other buildings. Inquire of Mrs. W. Smith, west end of 22-tf

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vember. By order of Town Clerk.

Stock Nale. Will be sold at public auction a our residence, 12 miles north of Columbus, and 3 miles east of Stearns's old place in Grand Prairie township in Platte county, on the 19th day o October, 1885, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m., the following stock: 20 milch cowe, 16 two year old heifers, 20 spring calves, 50 shoats, and one I year old colt. Terms-Fourteen months credit on all sums over

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port of his claim, and that said proof will

made before Clerk of District Court

885, viz: William H. Dean, (or the S. 1/4, of SE. 14, Section 10, Township 20, Range 1 cast. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Frank Anson and John Anson of Columbus, Nebr., Chas. Heitsman and Samuel J. Wheeler of Creston, Nebr.

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To whom it may concern:
Notice is hereby given that Mary J.
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Judge of Platte county, Nebraska, to adopt, as her own children, Alvira M. Rogers and Myrtle M. Rogers. Said application is set for hearing on the 24th of October, 1885, at 10 o'clock a m. at my office in said county.

JOHN J. SULLIVAN,

22-3 County Judge of Platte Co., Neb.

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