

GEN. JOHN M. THAYER who has been quite ill for the past two weeks in New York is improving.

The gala season at the court of Japan is in early November, when Indian summer weather reigns.

Not less than 50,000 trees were planted in Berks county, Pa., on Arbor day; Nebraska example is being followed.

At Milwaukee several of the largest furniture factories have closed in consequence of the strike by three hundred or more furnishers.

BRO. GEN. RUGER has been assigned to the command of the department of Dakota and Brig. Gen. Potter to the department of the Missouri.

Word comes from Washington that Rev. Dr. Leonard, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, has been summoned to New York to see ex-President Arthur.

HAMME MILLER, in returning home from Axtel, Neb., with a party of friends fell out of the wagon under the wheel and broke his neck. He was an old and respected citizen.

At Pittsburg the other morning about three hundred men struck for an increase in wages of 10 to 15 per cent. in Olive Brothers & Phillips' south Tenth street rolling mills, and the mill has been closed.

The dailies of yesterday were filled with strikes, here and there. Communists created a disturbance at Chicago. Four or five men were shot and the heads of others badly beaten, and yet the country needs workmen.

SMITH, a little boy, living at Matamoras, N. J., was bitten by a dog some five weeks ago, but said nothing about it. He was reported one day last week as quite ill and suffering from symptoms of hydrophobia. It is believed he will die.

SENATOR KEMP, republican, in the Ohio Senate, said the other day that after he was elected he was visited by a certain person who told him he could have money enough to purchase a farm if he would vote against John Sherman for United States Senate.

A MYSTERIOUS and fatal disease has broken out at Rowlesburg, W. Va., and the physicians are powerless to save the lives of those attacked. The victims are first seized with a severe pain in the head and die within twelve hours. After death the body turns spotted.

In New York the Third Avenue road ran an increased number of cars on its various lines, and many strikers' pickets were driven off the street by them. It has been decided by the company to fix the day after which none of the strikers will be taken back under any consideration; also to run night cars.

RECENT news from Cairo, Ill., states that three men got on the Illinois Central passenger train while lying on the incline bound south one night last week and robbed two or three passengers. One passenger is supposed to have been shot by them. Two of the robbers have been arrested and identified.

The most exciting criminal trial perhaps that has ever been investigated in St. Louis, Mo., is that of Walter H. Lenoix Maxwell, alias Hugh M. Brooks, charged with murdering C. Arthur Prollier in the Southern hotel and placing his body in a trunk, to come up for trial in the criminal court next Monday.

At St. Louis the other morning seventy-five boys employed in the works of the Great Western Glass Company who struck, have returned to work. Thirty-five more of the employees of the Missouri Car & Foundry company returned to work the other morning. About two-thirds the entire number of men are now at work.

Mrs. EPHRAIM LAWSON, of Erie, Pa., locked her children in the house while she went out shopping. In her absence the children started a fire in the house and her body perished in the flames; two other children were seriously burned. Three firemen, in rescuing the little ones, were also badly burned.

The other day at Arberville, L. S. Loomer and Chas. Curtis met, between whom an old feud existed, and without any warning Curtis drew a self-cocking revolver and commenced to shoot. Mr. Loomer jumped on him and seized the revolver and disarmed him. Curtis was arrested and bound over on a charge of shooting with intent to kill and carrying concealed weapons.

RUNNING a railroad isn't a very soft job, after all. On the one hand is the laborer demanding an increase in pay, and on the other hand is the farmer demanding a reduction in shipping rates. No wonder the monopolist does not know which way to run. He does not want to accede to either demand, but if the present agitation keeps up he may be compelled to grant both or get out of the business.—C. C. Nonpareil.

The Ohio legislative investigation committee have forwarded their findings in Senator Payne's election case to the United States Senate for further action. The report of the U. S. Senate was submitted to that body on the 27th ult., and after some remarks by Mr. Payne the report was referred to the committee on privileges and elections of the senate. Senator Payne charged the legislative committee with unfairness, and secured a most emphatic denial of the charges against him.

No Class Legislation.

It is pretty nearly time for Americans to alter their phraseology in speaking of those who labor as "the laboring class"—there is no class or order in this country, such as is meant by that word, and it is a slight put upon any independent man to fix him as in a class of any kind. Every man here, takes his place of work according to his faculty and his own wishes, and not according to an assumed, fixed state of public opinion in reference to him, his ancestors and descendants. Some American citizens are ambitious for office and public honors; some for wealth; some for fame in different directions; some to "act well their part," wherever duty calls and their talents indicate. Each person has his work and the rewards of it. It so happens that, under our system of government, one man may in the course of his life, work for an opportunity, then for wages, then for wealth, honor, fame, and the good of his fellow-beings. He can be limited to no "class," "order" or "rank." Every man is entitled to the fruits of his labor, and mankind will readily recognize his degree of worth, and to merit, whether it be the generosity and public spirit of a Cooper, the accumulative selfishness of a Vanderbilt, the sturdy patriotism of a Wade, the honesty of a Lincoln, the weakness of a Jefferson Davis, or the unly ambition of a Jay Gould. A man's words and deeds are the exponents (plain, undeniable and true) of his character,—the outer, visible fruit of the inner, hidden life, and literature should conform itself to fact. The man who labors, toils with hand and brain, needs no patronizing from anybody, and the airs of superiority assumed by the "unworthy" are not becoming.

GEN. G. E. GRAHAM, of Springfield, Mo., the self-confessed wife murderer, was taken from the jail at Springfield by a mob of 200 or 300 men on about 2 o'clock on the morning of 27th ult., and lynched. The mob was well organized and heavily armed and went to work as if everything had been thoroughly arranged before hand. The Sheriff refused all demands for the surrender of Graham. The mob then went to work, battered the doors of the jail in and secured Graham. They tied his hands behind him and marched him in a northerly direction about two miles out of town, and there hanged him to the limb of a scrub oak tree until he was dead. The rope by which he was hanged was handled by a dozen strong arms at one end, Graham at the other hanging in mid-air. It is believed he was literally strangled to death. Readers of the JOURNAL will remember that this is the murder case in which Mrs. Emma Molloy and Cora Lee were implicated. The murdered wife of Graham was found in an old well on the farm of Mrs. Molloy, where Graham and Cora Lee, his second, made their home.

So much has been said about the President's bride and his approaching marriage in June that the people are becoming used to it, and begin to believe in the truth of the report. If he should marry, Mr. Cleveland will be the first President since Tyler to take a wife during his administration, and there will be an immense amount of gossip and public interest in the event. Although Miss Folsom has reached the sober years of twenty-three, she will be a youthful bride for the President, when it is remembered that he is more than twice as old as she. But what has that to do with the case? Senator Beck said once in a speech in the United States Senate Chamber that the older a man got, the younger he wanted his wife to be. He did not even except the gray haired, bald-headed Senators around him, but said all men were alike in this respect.

The forty-ninth Congress is slowly but surely drifting towards failure. Four and a half months of the session have already passed, and practically nothing has been accomplished. The outlook for the new tariff bill is defeat. About twenty-five adverse votes from the Democratic side of the House with the Republican opposition that may be counted upon, would do the deed, while clear sighted students of the situation predict that nearly forty Democrats will vote against it. It is thought the debate will begin about the first of May and that it will run for several weeks unless the bill is killed by amendments on the outset, as will be attempted. In case of such an accident, however, we will have another long siege of "tariff for revenue only" since there are already over fifty names on the Speaker's list for speeches on this bill.

J. L. PUTNEY, a prominent citizen, and editor of the Oskoda Journal, charged by Mary Anderson, a Swede girl, with being her seducer and the murderer of her illegitimate child, had his hearing one day last week, and was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$1,000, giving security for his appearance. Miss Anderson stated on oath that after the child was born, Putney took it away. He threatened to kill her if she told who was the father, and promised if she did not indicate him that he would marry her.

JAMES FORRESTER, an engineer on an Anchor line steamer, while riding on a street car the other day at Jersey City, offered his seat to a lady, but before she could take it an Italian named Corvase seated himself in it. Forrester explained and expostulated without avail and finally took the man by the collar to put him out, when the Italian drew a knife and plunged it into Forrester's back, inflicting a fatal wound. The Italian was arrested.

GERONIMO was heard from the other day by a special report in the Call's Geyser, Mexico, stating that he and his band attacked a number of ranches near Imuru, completely destroying all the buildings at Casita, the Sonora railroad, all Mexicans. A company of soldiers were sent after them, and two of the soldiers killed. The Indians were moving in the direction of Nasori, Sierra Madre mountains.

The law and order league of Lincoln report that in six months they have prosecuted a house of assignation, two saloons for keeping open on Sunday, six gamblers, two keepers of houses of prostitution and one saloon keeper for obstructing his saloon windows.

The Omaha Republican has been criticizing the management of the Home for the Friendless at Lincoln, concluding that the discipline is too strict in several particulars, and that the fare provided is too light.

About thirty boycotters were arrested the other morning in New York on warrants issued by Recorder Smythe for interfering with the business of Cranagh, Sanford & Co., manufacturing clothes.

A DESTRUCTIVE wind, rain and hail storm visited Ft. Smith one night last week. Stores were unroofed, and stables and shops blown down in several parts of the city. Damage estimated at \$20,000.

HANK LOTSBERG, who has been running a boot-leg saloon in the vicinity of Belvidere, Neb., has been indicted at Hebron, and in default of bail has been committed.

M. H. FALGASE, of Harvard, Neb., committed suicide by hanging. He was a bachelor, age about forty-two years. The body will be shipped to his brother at Freeport, Illinois.

A GARDENER near Baltimore has sold his gooseberry crop from thirteen acres in full bearing for \$7,000. This is more than five hundred dollars an acre.

JOHN FLEETWOOD voluntarily returned from Kansas to Mattoon, Ill., and surrendered to the authorities. He is charged with complicity in the murder of his parents.

CONGRESSMAN DORSEY is bound to keep us well supplied with public documents. We shall have to call on some dozen or more to help read them.

THERE are no less than seventy-five Aztec ruins in the Salt River, California, besides the old canals and waterways of the Aztecs people.

ANNIE E. G. PHILLIPS, widow of the late Wendell Phillips, died at Boston Saturday April 24th.

A RED WILLOW county Nebraska farmer brings forth the first new potatoes of the season.

THE boys of Shenandoah, Pa., gather sulphur diamonds and sell them for \$40 a pound.

On the 27th ult., at New York two firms offered \$350,000 in gold bars each for shipment.

The average weekly income of women in New York state is \$2.90, and \$6.10 for men.

THERE is more undeveloped land in the state of Maine than in any western state.

NEVADA gets \$10,000 from the government this year for public surveys.

JAPAN, according to the last census, has a population of 38,500,000.

Two hundred and sixty newspapers in Nebraska.

EUROPE has an available military force of 9,000,000.

Correspondence.

[In this department the people talk, and not 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. JOURNAL.]

Ed. JOURNAL.—It is not my purpose to condemn the board of supervisors, but, on account of my friend, I desire to caution, explain, advise and instruct them, in order that their record may be in such shape that it will bear investigation, when exposed to the view of the public. My friend being a member of that board, makes me particularly anxious that their record be correct. I admit that I have taken a large contract, and may fail, but I know that perseverance will prevail. "While the lamp of life holds out to burn, the vilest sinner may return." But now I wish to ask my friend in all candor, by what process was the relation of the assessor, judges and clerks of election severed from the county when we adopted town organization? Before we adopted town organization they were county officers and were paid by the county. I defy my friend to show law that says or implies that their relation is changed; and the law in relation to their duties and pay reads and is the same now as before we adopted organization. My friend says that at their annual town meeting and explained it to the entire satisfaction of that body, and he has heard no word of complaint. Would my friend be good enough to explain the matter to the public so that there may be no further complaint? I have at numerous times pointed out and referred to law for the special benefit of my friend, but he ignores my instruction and says that the expounder of law of Sherman township should make his quotations correctly, and seems to fall back on some attorney's opinion that he regards as better than my own, and then proceeds to ask me if I employ counsel on any matter about

which I am in doubt whether I did not abide by that counsel. I answer, "yes, most assuredly." But I undertake to say here, that he or the board of supervisors have not now or ever had in their possession, an opinion from their county attorney that will justify their action on these questions, and I insist that the board be required to make a return of those fees to the respective towns.

JOHN WISE.

Pasadena. LOS ANGELES CO. CALIF. APRIL 20, 1886.

Ed. JOURNAL.—I thought a few lines from this place would be interesting to some of the readers of the JOURNAL.

This place is in Los Angeles county, in the San Gabriel valley at the foot of the Sierra Madre range of mountains, the foot of the mountains touching the valley, and their tops only ten or a dozen miles away in the distance. They are snow-capped the year round. The valley is gently rolling for many miles and here in a dozen short years there has been built up one of the most beautiful valleys of California, which pleasure seekers and tourists pronounce one of the loveliest places in the world.

Hon. Don Cameron of Pennsylvania, remarked that this caps the sheaf of Orange groves by the hundred acres, laden with golden fruits and fragrant blossoms, the lemon and the fig, the banana and the prune, pomegranate, olives, grapes of all kinds, peaches, pears, apples, apricot, all kinds of berries and garden vegetables that can be grown anywhere, are to be seen here. Pears, cabbage, new potatoes and cauliflower were among the bill of fare for dinner. Corn is from 3 to 6 inches high. It is very common to raise two crops of potatoes and other garden vegetables in one season, and by the ton.

The weather is beautiful.

My friend, W. T. Knight, my former neighbor of Iowa, is cultivating his orange orchard and as I am a farmer, I drew my coat and stepped between the cultivator handles. I found it pretty warm work. If the Platte county orchards had one-fourth the oranges that lie under the trees here and go to waste, they would certainly have an orange feast.

The thermometer seldom goes above 100 degrees and seldom down to freezing. The breeze from the ocean makes the nights cool and the heat of the day is not so great as in Nebraska.

Our stay here has been made very pleasant and on our return we shall take in the immense San Fernando valley and the great fruit and wheat growing counties of Tulare and Fresno, the magnificent San Joaquin and Sacramento valleys, the towering Sierra Madre mountain range, and along the changing panoramas which charms the traveler between Sacramento and Ogden, from thence God knows where, but we hope to turn up in Columbus within our limited time.

Respectfully, W. N. HESS.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

District 34 and vicinity.

There will be some corn planted this week.

The winter hereof was well acquainted with the doctor.

Mr. O. Quinn was on the sick list a couple of days last week.

So far as we are able to learn the severe storms of last winter smothered all the quails in this vicinity.

A fine colt belonging to A. C. Pickett ran into a barb wire fence one day last week, and only lived a few days.

Dr. Hiram Nance, father of Ex-Governor Nance of Nebraska, died at his home in Wethersfield, Henry county, Illinois, a week ago last Tuesday, aged 64 years; in his profession he took rank with the highest. R.

Memoranda.

N. S. Hyatt lost a fine cow of the Holstein breed.

Mr. C. Netchard has removed from the farm known as the Bunker farm.

We notice a good many are gathering corn which has lain out during the winter, but it is badly damaged.

Robert Sutton is at present in the Box Butte country, prospecting for land; we learn that he is much pleased with the country and will probably locate there.

C. D. Tyler, one of the pioneers of Platte county, has just returned from Dawes county, where he has taken land, and will move there soon, to try pioneer life again.

Farmers have about finished seeding, and grain is coming up well; wheat is looking fine, but owing to the backward spring, not so much has been sown as usual.

We are glad to notice so much interest being taken by our new superintendent in our country schools, for it is too apt to be thought that anything was good enough for the country. We see no reason why farmers children should not have the benefit of first-class schools, inasmuch as they are deprived of so many other advantages possessed by the more fortunate ones of town, even with good teachers the furniture of the school rooms is so deficient as to make it almost impossible to properly explain and illustrate the lessons. There are school houses in this township, without a map, chart, globe or even a blackboard suitable to illustrate the lessons, and a coal scuttle (even with a hole in the bottom) is an unthought of luxury. Would it not be a good plan for our superintendent, as he visits the schools, to note the condition of the furniture, and advise the school board as to what is necessary for the good of the school?

T. D. X.

Council Proceedings.

An adjourned meeting of the Council was held April 28, at which were present his honor Carl Kramer, and Councilmen Hughes, Lockner, North, Ragatz, Schwarz and Whitmoyer.

On motion of Lockner, the report of the special committee on waterworks—Ragatz, Whitmoyer and North, as follows, was adopted: "We, the committee, find that on investigating the different bids for a system of waterworks for the city that so many of the bidders go outside the plans and specifications adopted by the City Council that we recommend any and all bids be rejected, and that the city advertise over again for bids."

On motion of Lockner, the following report of the special committee was also adopted, touching the petition of the citizens to reconsider the proposition to build waterworks, if practicable: "Your committee, find so small a percentage of the city voters have signed the same that we recommend no action be taken on the same at present, further than to place it on file."

The following resolution by Council North was adopted: "Resolved by the mayor and council of the City of Columbus; That the City Atty., together with the committee on printing, be and are hereby requested to prepare a new advertisement for the purpose of receiving bids for the construction of the waterworks in the city according to the plan and specifications and submit the said advertisement to the regular meeting of this Council, Sat. May 1st. That said advertisement shall be so plainly worded as to give due notice to all bidders that no bids will be considered except such as conform to the plan and specifications, and that each bid shall state the price for each different portion of the work, as well as for the whole system."

Committee on Fire was granted further time to report on an ordinance to re-organize the Columbus Fire Department.

Council Schwarz suggested that something be done with the fire bell on the Engine House, as the same was in a dangerous condition. North moved the matter be referred to Committee on Fire, with power to act. Lockner moved an amendment to refer to committee on public property; amendment lost.

MAY 1st.

Regular meeting, Present, Mayor Kramer and full Council.

A communication from the city treasurer was submitted and ordered filed, stating that he had been unable to prepare his report for the month of April because he had had no report from County Treasurer.

The application of C. A. Beardsley for exemption from poll tax was referred to committee on claims.

A communication was read from T. C. McMahon wherein he offered to do police service for \$40 a month and waive all claims for additional salary.

On motion of Whitmoyer, the same was placed on file.

The committee on Fire reported adversely to the passage of an ordinance to reorganize the Fire Department. Report adopted.

The Committee on Streets and Grades, Sidewalks and Bridges submitted a report showing the names of those delinquent on poll tax for 1885. It contained 42 from the 1st ward, 14 from the 2nd, and 19 from 3d. On motion of North the report was accepted and referred to City Treasurer, and that he be instructed to notify all delinquents and collect all he could from same and report to Council at first meeting in June.

City Attorney reported on official bond of J. B. Delsman that same was correct; bond approved.

Council Whitmoyer moved that Printing be instructed to prepare an advertisement for bids for the construction of waterworks and have the same published forthwith, setting time for receiving bids up to 7 o'clock p. m., May 25, 1886.

On motion of Council Whitmoyer resolution offered by Council North and adopted April 28, was so modified as to allow committee on printing to include in advertisement for bids, bids for iron or steel stand pipe and smoke stack, and also that the time for contract with companies to furnish the city water, be not less than 15 years.

The following bills were allowed, and Clerk instructed to issue warrants for same:

Jas. Nickel, police service for April..... \$ 50.00
Thos. McTaggart do..... 50.00
Ira Mullen, hauling lumber S. E. Cushing "..... 35
J. E. North, salary as councilman..... 25.00
Jno. Rickly do..... 25.00
J. E. North & Co., coal for City and Paupers..... 51.35

The following bills were referred to Committee on claims:

J. G. Routsom, plans and Specifications..... 300.00
R. P. Brigham, hauling manure..... 3.00
Do, driving traps..... 2.00
Erast S. & Co., hardware..... 8.10
St. Mary's Hospital, boarding paupers..... 75.84
Dougherty Bros. repairs on street tools..... 4.35
Rosa Blasser, horse rent for John Drane, hauling dead hogs..... 1.50

The bill of Hugh Hughes lumber of \$66.48 was reported to committee on claims.

Bill of C. H. Young for dirt placed on streets of \$41.98, and bill of John Rickly for services as assistant street overseer, of \$51 were, on motion of Council Whitmoyer, rejected.

On motion of Council North, M. E. Clothier, assessor, was instructed to prepare the poll tax list for 1886, and that his salary for same shall not exceed \$15.

T. D. X.

The appointment of John Elliott as street overseer was, on motion of Ragatz, confirmed.

Council Ragatz moved that appointment of James Nickle as Chief of Police be confirmed. Not decided; Councilmen Hughes, North and Ragatz voting aye, and Councilmen Lockner, Schwarz and Whitmoyer voting no.

Appointment of Thomas McTaggart as night police confirmed, Lockner voting no.

Adj. to May 10.

Annual Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of the City of Columbus and a Statement of the Financial Condition of the City April 29, 1886.

RECEIPTS.

From taxes collected..... \$234,50
Poll taxes collected..... 32.50
Total..... \$267.00

EXPENDITURES.

Mayor..... \$51.00
Clerk..... 200.00
Treasurer..... 150.00
Councilmen..... 150.00
City Attorney..... 131.25
Overseer of streets..... 185.25
Police..... 1253.68
Jailor..... 81.50
Waterworks..... 206.89
Improvement of streets..... 338.33
Sprinkling streets..... 263.25
Fire Department..... 81.50
Stationary and printing..... 641.80
Miscellaneous including support of poor..... 453.76

Taxes delinquent and unpaid to April 20, '86..... \$223.52
Poll tax delinquent..... 345.00
Fire Department..... \$480.55
Approximate interest..... 800.00
Floating indebtedness not evidenced by warrants..... 57.50

Totals..... \$1051.61 \$2885.61
Attest, CARL KRAMER, Mayor, DAVID DOWTY, City Clerk, May 5-1

Notice for Bids for Waterworks for City of Columbus.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Columbus, Nebraska, in the city of Columbus, county of Platte, State of Nebraska, until six (6) o'clock p. m. of the 29th day of May, 1886, will receive sealed proposals for furnishing all the necessary materials, and for the construction of a system of water-works for said city, in accordance with the plans and specifications for said system now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said city.

Sealed proposals will also be received at said place until said time for furnishing the material and for the construction of the different parts of said system, as follows:

For the engine and boiler-house; for the distribution system; for the stand-pipe; for the pumping engine and boiler, and for the water supply.

Said system to be complete within one hundred days from the time the contract for its construction is awarded, and every part thereof shall be complete and ready for use within such time as to reasonably admit of the completion of the whole system within one above limited period.

The furnishing of material for, and the construction of said system or any part thereof according to said plans and specifications must be guaranteed by bond with sufficient sureties in the penal sum of \$20 per cent. of the contract price of such system or part thereof.

The cost of said water-works as estimated by the City Engineer is \$242,000, and no contract for the same for a larger amount can be awarded. The Council of said city reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Printed copies of said specifications may be had by applying to David Dowty, City Clerk of said city.

At said time and said place, sealed plans and proposals will also be received for the erection of a stand-pipe for said city, either of iron or of steel, or of both iron and steel.

At said time and said place proposals to furnish the city with water for fire, street sprinkling, and other public purposes for a period of 15 years will also be received from any person, company or corporation, who will construct, own and operate the system of water-works, provided for in said plans and specifications, such person, company or corporation to have the exclusive privilege for a term of 15 years to lay down in the streets and alleys of said city, water-mains and supply pipes, and to furnish water to the residents of said city under such regulations as to price, supply and rent of water meters as the Council of said city may, from time to time, prescribe by ordinance.

Said proposals should also state at what price the city will be furnished with such additional hydrants as it may require, from time to time, and which are not provided for in aforesaid plans and specifications.

By order of the City Council of said city, CARL KRAMER, Mayor, DAVID DOWTY, City Clerk, May 5-1

LEGAL NOTICE.

Henry Schmitzel and Carl Netschert, defendants, will take notice that on the 29th day of April, 1886, M. W. Bunker and C. H. Bunker, plaintiffs herein, filed their petition in the District Court of Platte county, Nebraska, against said defendants, the object and prayer whereof is to obtain judgment against them for the sum of \$750.50, with interest on said sum, at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, from December 26th, 1885, now due to said plaintiffs from the defendants upon a promissory note for the sum of \$1,000, dated July 24th, 1884, and becoming due November 24th, 1884; and that an order of attachment was issued in said action and return of said writ of attachment is to be made on the 10th day of May, 1886, in Platte county, Nebraska. You are required to answer said petition on or before the 10th day of May, 1886. M. W. BUNKER and C. H. BUNKER, By SULLIVAN & KERRICK, Attorneys, May 5-1

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JOHN REIDEN, COUNTY SURVEYOR.

Parties desiring surveying done will address me at Columbus, Neb., or call at my office in Court House, OMAHA, Neb., May 5-7

HERMAN NATENSTEDT, BLACKSMITH AND WAGON MAKER, 12th street, east of Abt's barn, April 7, '86-11

LEGAL NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern: THE COMMISSIONER APPOINTED to locate a public road commencing at a point where the county road as now located crosses the section line between sections 25 and 26, township 19, range 2, west, running thence on the said section line to the section corner common to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26, in said township, thence on the section line south, between sections 25 and 26 to a point where the county road already located crosses this section line, has filed his report in favor of said location; and the said county road that runs diagonally across the corner of section 26, township 19, range 2 west, the said commissioner reports recommending the vacation thereof, and all objections thereto, or claims for damages, must be filed in the County Clerk's office on or before noon of the 21st day of June 1886, or the above described road will be established, and the vacation made as recommended, without reference thereto.

JOHN STAUFFER, County Clerk, Dated this 29th day of April, 1886, April 29-7-4

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WM. BECKER, W. T. RICKLY & BRO. Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Fresh and Salt Meats, GAME, POULTRY, And Fresh Fish.

STAPLE AND FAMILY. All Kinds of Sausage a Specialty.

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Teas, Coffees, Sugar, Syrups, Dried and Canned Fruits, and other Staples a Specialty.

JACOB SCHRAM, DRY