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WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 1888.

Republican County Convention.

The republican electors of Platte county are hereby called to meet in Platte Center, on Friday, May 11, 1888, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Congressional and State conventions, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. The several townships are entitled representation as follows:

Columbus, 1st ward. 4 G'd PrairieTwp Creston Burrows Butler Bismarck Monroe Shell Creek Woodville St. Bernard Walker The caucuses to be held at the usual

voting places on Friday, May 4th, in the townships between the hours of 4 and 6 p. m., and in the city of Columbus between 12 m. and 7 p. m. By order of the County Central Committee. W. B. Backus, Sec'y. The committee recommend for guid-

ance, the following RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. Delegates to the county convention to elect by ballot. 2. The organization of the primary

election of the republican party in each township of Platte county to be presided over by the township committeeman. 3. To be elected from among the bystanders, three judges and two clerks of election, each of whom shall be a republican having the qualifications of an elector under the laws of the state, and who shall perform the same duties required of judges and clerks at elections

for state and county offices. 4. The polls to be kept open at least one hour.

5. None but republican electors to be entitled or permitted to vote at the primary elections of the republican party. 6. These rules and regulations are adopted and are to be construed in accordance with the provisions of Chap. 40,

GRESHAM and Evarts.

Mr. Ingalls, Mr. Voor-but where is

ILLINOIS republican delegates will cast their votes for Gresham. Congressman Dorsey and wife arrived

at their home, Fremont, Friday last. Illinois republicans in their convention declared for Gresham, California for Blaine.

THE secretary of the treasury accepted on the 3d inst., \$1,277,000 of \$3,701,000 bonds offered.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has approved the act to provide a collector of the port of St. Paul, Minn

It looks as if the republican delegates from California will vote for Mr. Blaine whether he is a candidate or not.

THE Schuyler Quill predicts that the next republican ticket will be Blaine and Harrison; democratic, Cleveland and

JIM HARRIS, of Vicksburg, Miss., colored, who criminally assaulted Mrs.

Summers, Sunday night, was lynched on the night of May 1st. HENRY POPE, colored, under sen-

tence of death for outrageous assault. was taken from the jail at Summerville, Ga., May 1, by a mob and hanged. THE twenty-first annual convention

of the Nebraska Sunday School Association is to be held at York Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 22, 23 and 24. THE greatest grain fleet that ever left

Chicago for the east started one morning last week. It consisted of ninetysix vessels carrying over 4,500,000 bushels of grain. A REPORT comes from Ottawa that the

unanimously adopted the fisheries treaty | they are ascertained the better for everyratification bill and it now goes to the body concerned. governor general for his signature. It was understood at Washington last

week that at an early day Mr. Randall will introduce a bill appropriating army-gun foundry for the manufacture tion of the brain resulting from heart office. This will be an excellent thing Bailey's, and it was thought to be a \$20,000,000 for the establishment of an

York on the La Champaign on the 29th nev and democratic leader in eastern the supreme court of Canada, came to ult. He declined to be interviewed Ohio for many years. His loss will be the senate on the 4th inst. endowed with about politics. He saw Mr. Blaine in sincerely mourned by all who have the power of deputy governor general Paris two months ago and says he seem- known him; his character as a man, his and assented to several bills passed this consciousness and at last accounts he was

road, in the Mullen tunnel was reported tion of all his acquaintances. on the 4th inst, to have been extinguished. It was expected at Helena, Mont. that trains would be running through it in a few days.

It is announced in the Omaha Republican that Mr. J. D. Jones, local manager of the Grand opera house, has tendered his resignation to take the manageyears' lecture tour.

THE Louisville, Ky., republican convention was for W. O. Bradley for vice president. By a vote of 822 to 239 the convention refused to instruct for Sher man. The delegation goes uninstructed but is for Blaine if named.

A FIRE the other day burned the fices of the Daily Leader and Homestead. weekly agricultural paper at Des Moines. Ia., together with Wear's three-story building adjoining. The value of property destroyed will reach \$45,000.

hundred of Lebanon, Tenn., was roused Mrs. J. E. Alexander, the minister's wife to such a pitch by the speech of Senator and Miss Garwood of Bellefountain Ingalls that late on the night of the 3d Probably fifty others are more or less ininst. they assembled and hanged in effigy jured, some of them seriously, who are the Kansas senator. Ingalls can stand it. not expected to live.

Carl Schurz dined on the evening of marck.

Hobert, who killed Dupois in a duel at Paris, has been arrested, with four

The new Egyptian loan has been sub-\$2.00 scribed for nearly twelve times the sum The death of Mr. Charles Bright, son

of John Bright, was announced in London on the 4th. Burglars broke into a jewelry store in Munich, May 1, and carried away goods valued at £25,000.

The latest report from Berlin states that the emperor passed a quiet night. His fever had almost subsided.

On the morning of May 6 Buffalo Bill with his troupe sailed from Hull on Wilson line steamer for New York.

A report comes from London, May 1, that Admiral Sir Alfred Ryder had lrowned in the Thames by accident.

A later dispatch from Berlin to Lon- choice were passed. don says the emperor passed a sleepless night the first of May, and that his fever had increased.

The bulletin issued from Berlin on the morning of the 2d inst., states that the emperor passed a good night, and that he feels better. His fever is slight.

News had been received at London from Albert Nyanza to the effect that Bishop Parker and the Rev. Blackburn recently died of fever at Onvoro mis

A meeting composed of Irishmen and Englishmen, held at Aldershop, condemned the pope's decree and resolved to found a branch of the home-rule organization and to cease contributing to Peter's pence.

It was published in London on the 4th inst., that the people of a number of parishes in Ireland warned the priests that if the pope's rescript against the league is read in the chaples, they will protest against it by leaving.

News from Tangier of a late date states that the sultan refuses to submit the differences between Morocco and those who are protected by the right to the United States in reference to men imprisoned at Rabat, to arbitration, and the dispute has been reopened.

Dispatches received in London May 6, from India, state that unprecedented hail storms have occurred at and in the vicinity of Moradabad and Delhi, some of the hailstones weighing pounds. Upof Laws of Nebraska of the session of wards of 150 persons were killed by being struck by the falling globes of ice, and the damage to property is almost beyond estimation.

A report comes from Vienna of a recent date that during the performance of a menagerie at Pague a cry of "fire" was raised and 1,500 persons present made a rush for the exits. Many were thrown down and tramped upon and when order was restored it was found that six persons had been killed and a large number injured. It was later ascertained that the alarm was raised by a pickpocket in order to create a stampede.

The papers of London are outspoken against the decree. The Pall Mall Gazette, commenting on it says: "The pope's blunder amazes us. It will make no difference in the condition of affairs in Ireland, while an alliance with the pope will diplease England." The Star and wanton. If Ireland submits to sacrifice her liberties to base tory intrigue she will be unworthy of freedom which, in a few years, Englishmen will grant her if she maintains her demand.

Attorney-General Leese returned from Omaha today, where he had been investigating the Union Pacific's title to certain lands therein situate. He says the company claims and occupies about \$2,000,000 worth in Omaha to which it has no legal right.

The company is operated under a congressional charter, which only gives the right of way over public lands. Every state and territorial enactment prohibits buildings were unroofed. corporations not chartered by the state authorities from exercising the right of eminent domain. All this property in Omaha was secured by the exercise of

The above appears as a Lincoln special to the Omaha Republican of the 3d. It is very natural that as a country grows older and lands become more valuable, titles are more carefully examined. senate on the night of the 1st inst., If there are serious defects, the sooner

J. M. Estep, Esq., one of the leading to many of the western readers of the and throat troubles having stopped the for the city. passage of blood to and from the brain. Hox. Levi P. Morton arrived at New Mr. Estep has been a prominent attor-THE fire on the Northern Pacific rail- great mental ability were the admira-

THE board of supervisors of Adams county have ordered suit brought against R. B. Tussey and his bondsmen, to recover Tussey's alleged shortage as county clerk. An unsuccessful attempt to settle was made. There is a disposition manifested in several counties of Nebraska to have a general overhauling of ment of George Francis Train for a three | the old books, before the responsibility of officers on their bonds expires. The managing men of this decade want to know what has been for a while past and what is now to the end that they may provide for the near future.

A TERRIBLE accident occurred at Bellefontaine, Ohio, on the night of th 27th ult., while a school exhibition was in progress, in a hall on a second fico that would seat 400 people, and it was crowded at the time. Suddenly, and without warning, the floor gave way with a terrible crash, and the entire audience went down in a mass to the ground, a THE public indignation of about two distance of twenty feet. The dead are

A REPORT comes from Harrisburg, Pa. on the morning of the 2d inst., that it the 5th at the residence of Prince Bis- was pretty well settled that a big mail robbery occurred on the Northern Central railway near Baltimore that morning, but the postal authorities refuse to furnish any particulars. It is said registered letters containing about \$10,000 were taken. A pouch with a long slit came to the Harrisburg post office. De-

> tectives are at work. and publishing an objectionable article during the progress of the tally sheet trials, at Columbus, O., he was sentenced to pay a fine of \$200 and was given three months in the county jail. The sen tence was suspended to give the defense an opportunity to carry the case to the supreme court.

THE republican First district convention was held at Portland, Me., one afwas nominated for congress by acclamation, Col. M. Wentworth, for presidential elector. For delegates to the national convention, C. A. Brown and W. Tobie were chosen. Resolutions strong ly endorsing Blaine for first and last

A REPORT from Birmingham, Ala., was received one day last week stating that city, buildings and lands to the value of at Warren a miner named Morton shot \$100,000. and killed a deputy marshal. He was arrested and put in jail, and because of threats of lynching was put aboard of the caboose of a freight train. The mob followed and cut loose the caboose. They hung Morton and filled his body with

REPRESENTATIVE BURROWS, of Michigan, has introduced in the house a bill authorizing the secretary of the interior to place upon the pension rolls, upon application, the names of surviving, honorably discharged soldiers and sailors who served at least ninety days in the late war, the rate of pension to be one cent per month for each day's actual

THE senate on May 2d passed Ma Paddock's bill providing for the opening of the Fort Sedgwick military reserva tion to actual settlers under the home stead laws. Mr. Paddock explained. during debate, that it protected the rights of all settlers on the reservation prior to the first of January last and make a second entry.

JAMES H. HUNTING, a stock broker New York, who had lost money in bucket shop speculations, shot himself dead in the Washington building on the 4th, after leaving a note to Cyrus W. Field, favor you will send my body home for burial as cheaply as possible, as I have no friend but you. Jim."

THOMAS G. WOOLFORD, chief clerk in the state comptroller's office at Annapolis, committed suicide on the evening of the 4th inst. at the Barnum's hotel in Baltimore, by cutting his throat with a razor. He had been melancholy for the past few weeks. He was forty-three years old, unmarried, and had been chief clerk for nineteen years.

Democratic Opinion.

"Well, Cleveland is sure to be nominated," said a prominent democrat yesday, "and the democrats will get such a licking as they have not had since 1872. This is undoubtedly the opinion and expectation of thousands of the most ntelligent democratic politicians in all parts of the country.-[New York Sun.

A FREIGHT train on the Philadelphia & Reading railroad was passing through denounces the decree as cruel, perilous Locust Gap, six miles from Shamokin. Pa., about 11 o'clock at night on the 5th inst., when a car loaded with dynamite exploded, killing seven people, wounding twenty, some seriously, burning eight houses, leveling four blocks to the ground and wrecking a hundred others.

> A storm of wind on the afternoon the 3d inst., struck the little village of Lacons, Warren county, Iowa, demolishing a two story building used as a store, and burying in the ruins a farmer named Leonard Wilson. Two boys in the store just before it fell, are missing. Two men were slightly injured. Several

GEN. WIRT ADAMS, postmaster Jackson, Miss., and John Martin, editor of the New Mississippi, on the afternoon of the 1st inst., fought a street duel, and in the head, and Martin was hit twice. An article published in the morning in the New Mississippi was the cause of the

the erection by the government of a Bailey living a mile northeast of town post-office in every city where the gross had found a dead man on his farm.

SIR WILLIAM RITCHIE, chief justice of patriotic course during the war and his session. Among them was the act to on a fair way to recovery. Mr. Miller ratify the fisheries treaty, which becomes a statute of the dominion.

THE heaviest earthquake shock ever experienced at Biggs, Cal., occurred on on the evening of the 28th ult. at 8:40.

Four steamships landed at New York on the 29th ult., bring and leaving at Castle Garden 3,990 immigrants. The number landed during the week was 21,772, of whom two-thirds are from Italy. Another arrival was expected on the 30th of 1,690.

THE Bee of Tuesday gives facts going Arlington came to their death at the hands of Louis Groteluschen, their kinsman, a butcher knife being the weapon Fred, it seems, owned 160 acres of land near Columbus.

NEBRASKA NOTES.

A fine Odd Fellows hall is to be erect ed this spring at York. It is said that Sutton imposes a license of \$2,500 on its saloons.

A new paper has been started at North Bend called the Protector.

Mead's \$100,000 capital state bank has begun its corporate existence at York Ex-Senator Van Wyck will deliver the address at the Holt county fair this year, September 12.

Proceedings in injenction were com-Sunday base ball playing in that city. The passenger business of the Union In the case of Allen O. Meyers, charg- Pacific, through and local, has been

ed with contempt of court in writing greater the past month than ever before. Thad Williams, a farmer living east of Beatrice, had on the morning of the 3d inst., three horses struck by lightning and killed.

H. M. Crane has sold his paper, the Republican Valley Echo, to Mr. Carson Hildreth, of Bloomington, to which place it has been removed.

C. W. Hoxie at Lincoln one day last week, had his leg broken in an attempt ternoon last week. Hon. T. B. Reed to get out of a wagon which was drawn by a span of run-away mules. Boyer's packing house, at Lincoln,

> mall institution in the west part of the town, burned on the night of May 1. Value of property burned \$2,500. The Nebraska Baptist state college denomination receive, as a gift from the

Eighteen men at Lincoln May 1st, enployed in Keys & Bullock's stone cutting yard, struck for \$4 a day of nine hours work, and the abolishment of all

Hastings is talking of constructing a eanal from the Platte river to the Blue through Hastings, a distance of twentyfive miles. There may come up a question of down-stream rights.

William Francis, a prominent farmer of Otoe county, near Palmyra, during a thunderstorm one day last week while stretching a barb wire on his farm, was shocked by lightning and prostrated for about three hours.

Gen. J. C. McBride, well known to many of our readers, has been elected president of the board of trade of Lincoln. Mc is a rustler, and will help the enterprising men of Lincoln push their business interests to the front rank.

Martin Beem, who committed suicide last week at the Case ranch near Stanton, it seems, from further particulars, was not, at the time of the shooting him self, in his right mind. His remains will be shipped to Alton, Ill., for in- if not break down, the industries that we

Butler county republicans have prought forward the name of Mr. John Harper as a candidate for state treasurer. He has served two terms as county ir., in which he said: "It seems almost treasurer of Butler county, and proved impossible for me to succeed. As a last | honest and capable and they ask for him a place on the state ticket.

> and mumps in the city. Many families are afflicted with them and quite a number of bad cases are reported. Care should be exercised by the school teachers to keep the diseases from spreading among the scholars.- [Schuyler Quill. W. P. P. Moore, alias E. L. Bliss, alias

Quite a number of cases of the measles

Ray, pleaded guilty to the charge of forgery at Seward, on the 1st inst., in the district court and was sentenced by Judge Norval to five years in the penitentiary. Moore was arrested in Arkansas and was preaching. He had a stolen horse in his posession also. The democratic party of the state of

Nebraska in convention assembled at Omaha on the 2d inst., settled the delegation to the national convention by appointing James E. Boyd, James E. North, J. Sterling Morton and Tobias Castor. The democracy of the state have thus honored some of their best party workers.

At least 5,000 workingmen of Omaha parded the streets of that city in grand procession on Monday of last week. It was one of the grandest labor lemonstrations ever witnessed in the west, and after a splendid parade and nusic Exposition Hall was packed until out our course, turning from the seduct would hold no more, to hear the address of Secretary McGuire, who is of lowing the advice of the practical and the American Federation of Labor.

Mrs. Geo. Fields, of Platte Center, died last Saturday evening, after an ill- now in the treasury by purchasing and ness of two months, although she had been an invalid for four years. The remains were brought to Madison Monday | held for the redemption of the legal for interment, the following Platte Center gentlemen acting as pall bearers: W E. Kent, L. B. Harmon, Geo. Brown, W. H. Tedrow, Warwick Saunders and A. G. Quinn. There were also present from the Center, besides the family, Albert Fields, John A. Kehoe, Geo. N. Hopkins both were killed. Gen. Adams was hit and Mrs. George Brown. The deceased leaves a husband, four children and a the interests that have been developed large circle of friends to mourn her loss. She was a neice of Mrs. E. F. Prince, of ten. If we could place lumber, coal and this city.- [Madison Chronicle.

A sensation was caused last Friday SENATOR PADDOCK'S bill providing for about noon by the report that Mr. receipts of the office have amounted to The coroner hastened to the scene as citizens of Cadiz, Ohio, and well known \$3,000 annually during the past three also did Messrs. Long and Reese. Upon vears, is very likely to become a law. If examination it was found to be the per-JOURNAL, is not expected to live, conges- so, Columbus will get a \$25,000 post- son of James Miller, who lives near Mr. case of poisoning. Upon him was found a slip of paper on which was written that his death was caused by having trouble with his wife. At first it was thought that he would die, but the med ical man finally succeeded in restoring brother to their home near Gibbon, this state.—[Schuvler Herald.

A fire was discovered on the morning of the 4th inst., in the barn of Widow the 28th ult., at 8:55 p. m., lasting Freeze, one mile and a quarter northseventy-five seconds. The vibrations east of Arlington. The people as they were east to west. Plastered buildings hastened to the fire were horrified to were cracked. Four distinct shocks of learn that the entire family of Mrs. earthquake were felt at Stockton, Cal., Freeze, (except one daughter), and consisting of Mrs. Freeze, her son-in-law. Fred Groteluschen, wife and three children, and Louis Groteluschen, a brother of Fred,had perished in the flames, while it is supposed they were trying to liberate their stock. Twenty-one head of If we have confidence in their integrity cattle and horses were destroyed. The daughter, Emma, who is absent on a visit, is the only surviving member of right of the people to know what their the family. The coroner of Blair held servants are doing, yet I consider the an inquest. The verdict was that death

unknown, but supposed from a tobacco-Dorsey Against Free Trade. Representative Dorsey of this district gave his views May 1st, in a speech on the Mills tariff bill. In opening he said: "As one of the representatives of one

the country. This bill has not been six or seven papers published in the prepared upon any principle whatever, county of which three receive pay for the prepared upon any principle whatever, but it is an emergency or expediency bill, patched up by the democratic majority of the committee on ways and means without giving a hearing to those Now I would make a suggestion which interests which are vitally affected by the changes proposed. The framers of the bill claim that they have followed in the line recommended by the president work at a specified price without regard Proceedings in injenction were com-in his recent message, in which he poses to "legal rates" including a sufficient menced last week in Omaha to suppress as the friend of the farmer, and we have number of supplementary sheets to furpresented to us a bill which, in my judgment, injures every man engaged in agicultural pursuits in this country. It would certainly increase the publicity of would directly injure 1,000,000 of our the proceedings without adding much if farmers because it proposes to put wool on the free list, and it would indirectly injure every farmer in the country, be-MONROE, May 1, '88. cause it proposes to reduce the duty or place on the free list so many articles that are now manufactured here, and destroy so many important industries, BY MRS. PAGE. and thus drive the operatives to agri-

bill is the most vicious ever presented to Mr. Dorsey then gave an epitome o the different tariff acts from 1816 to the present time that relate to wool and woolens, and showed that when protection was given the wool growing industry the flocks increased and the weight of fleece also increased, and the industry was remunerative and prosperous. He also showed that under an insufficient tariff the number of sheep in the country decreased and the industry was seriously crippled, that this, like all other industries, needs stability; how, has been located at Grand Island. The under protective tariff and the building value of the products of the farm has greatest number of manufacturing industries, showing that in those states labor is better paid and the farmers more prosperous.

cultural pursuits. In this respect the

"I have lived long enough in the west," said Mr. Dorsey, "to see the western portion of our continent change from a region wholly given over to the production of wheat and grain to sta es with diversified industries; towns that have heretofore been distributive points for eastern manufacturers changed into centers of productive industry and distributing the manufactures of their own furnaces, mills, factories and workshops. First came the cultivators of the earth. whose business it is to feed the many next came those whose occupation it is to clothe such workmen and their families and to shelter them; then comes the manufacturers of implements of all sorts, and as a consequence of this diversification come improved homes for the people, schools, churches, and every instrument of a higher civilization. There are hundreds of growing young cities throughout the west whose enterprising people are today offering to any firm or corporation that will establish a manufacturing plant within their borders both lands and money as a donation, thus to encourage the development of manufacturing industries. The representatives of these people are asked to support a measure in this congress that will injure, e west are striving to build up. now say to those enterprising citizens, either stop trying to build up your cities or vote down the party that will bring

forth such a measure as the bill under consideration. Then Mr. Dorsey answered the charge that agricultural progress and development was greater under a low than high tariff, showing by statistics the ncrease in number and values of horses. mules, cattle, sheep and swine, showing a gain of over 100 per cent from 1870 to the present; also the increase in number and value of farms. The depreciation that has taken place in free trade Eng-land in agricultural lands and the price of labor, etc., were pointed out; the conlition of the agriculturists in England compared with those in this country which, he said, could not be answered by the advocates of the Mills bill. He also showed that the passage of this bill would not benefit the consumer of manufactured articles upon which the tariff is reduced, but is wholly in the interest of the manufacturer and importer; how very little tariff affects the prices of manufactured articles in common use, and the benefit directly the farmers of the country derive from a protective tariff. He showed further the indirect injury resulting to farmers from the closing up of manufacturing industries and driving to the cultivation of the soil so many thousands of laborers now

engaged in the factories. Mr. Dorsey closed by saying: "We all agree upon these propositions, namely: That the surplus should be reduced and our revenue laws revised, but that these questions should be dealt with in a business like manner and that those things should be done which are for the best interest of the country; that we should be guided by the experience of the past which has so plainly marked tive pleadings of the theorists and folsuccessful business man of the country. In my judgment it is the duty of the president to at once expend the surplus retiring our bonds. Then congress hould authorize the disbursement of the \$100,000,000 of gold now in the treasury, tender notes. By using the surplus and the \$100,000,000 of gold, we could pay off \$200,000,000 of our obligations. To prevent such accumulations in the future we should have a fair, just and equitable revision of our revenue laws, which should be done after careful investigation and patient hearing of all the interests affected by the proposed changes. The principle of protection to in this country should never be forgotsalt on the free list and reduce the duty on sugar and molasses so that the revenue arising therefrom shall not exceed \$10,000,000 per annum, and use a portion of that sum necessary to encourage sugar growing in the country, the revenues would be reduced to the extent required and the people of the country benefited and no industry injured. This country is not ready to take first step in the direction of free trade; it will make glad the hearts of those who for the past thirty years have been working for the markets of the great republic.

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:-In a recent number of your paper I notice that John Walker proposes for consideration the question of publishing itemized accounts of the receipts and expenditures of the county. Now, with all due deference to him, I must express my dissent, and as briefly as possible will give my reasons therefor. The business of the board of supervisors is largely transacted through its committees, to whom all transactions requiring examination are referred, before action by the board; all bills are required to be itemized and properly authenticated before approval and presentation to the board for final action (and if we have not the remedy is easily applied) it ought to rest here, for though I am satisfied with friend John in the present system adopted by the board as to prove that the Freese family near was caused by fire, the origin of which is so great an improvement on the old one under the commissioners when we knew nothing without seeking for it, that I do not believe that the people would con-sent to the increased burden which the publication of itemized accounts, etc. would entail upon them, for I hazard the assertion that this increased expense would more than pay the salaries of the supervisors. The present system of pubof the great progressive agricultural states of the west, I feel it my duty to oppose this bill on the ground that I believe it to be a measure injurious alike out materially enhancing the expense, to the agricultural and labor interests of and if so it ought to be done. We have

those of their subscribers may warrant. may remedy this inequality. Let the board contract with the lowest responwork at a specified price without regard nish each paper in the county for dis-tribution with their paper; such a mode GEO. S. TRUMAN.

MUSICAL.

The "Ladies' Musical" at the residence of Mrs. J. M. Macfarland this evening. Chorus work the program.

A first-class tonic, sol-fa teacher for our public schools and we shall have gained another step upward and onward.

"Il Bacio," when little Adele came running and begged to be placed at the piano, where, to the astonishment of the family she repeated the entire waltz, up of manufacturing industries, the giving the correct bass with her left hand. She was a pupil of Liszt for seven increased, as well as the value of the years evidently, talent does not do land; grouping the states having the away with labor. Many there are with little talent who by continued application and study finally reach the heights. Many are there who have great talent that waste it from lack of application.

EDUCATIONAL HINTS.

BY KARL MERZ. Not all seeds spring up and not all your instructions are productive of good results. It would be foolish for the farmer to fret himself because some seeds go to waste, and why should the

Unless the pupil has a clear conception of the piece he is to perform, there can be no clear expression. There is two fold study, namely, that of the spirit and that of the technique. Many are satisfied with the latter, neglecting al together the former.

teacher be less wise and reasonable?

Let pupils search for the mistakes they make. Some teachers never let the pupil do anything in the line of correction which they themselves can do. The true way is never to do anything the pupil can do. This course is slow and tedious, but it is full of good results to the pupil.

The pupil who imagines that a superior teacher will carry him through without doing hard work for himself is sure to be disappointed. Learn to stand over every foot of the road that leads to success. There are no stage coaches or bicyles that will take you there. If you covet success as a musician you must fight to attain it.

what we will the rosebud takes its own time to unfold. The same is true of the fore invoicing. human mind. We may press the rose bud and force it open but the flower will not be as beautiful or as fragrant as it would have been had it unfolded in its own slow process. Neither will it be a healthy and enduring flower. Do not hasten the young mind for this is a dan-gerous, unhealthy process. Give the child time for development.

LEGAL NOTICE.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Herman Ibsen, defendant, will take notice that on the 20th day of April, 1888, C. W. Rollins, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the district court of Platte county, Nebraska, against said defendant, the object and prayer of which was to have an attachment issued and placed in the hands of the sheriff of Platte county, Nebraska, who on the 23d day of April, 1888, attached the following lands as the property of the said Herman Ibsen, defendant in this action: The southeast quarter (S. E. ¼) of section thirty-five (35), in township seventeen (17), range three (3) west, in Platte county, Nebraska, to secure the payment of two promissory notes, dated July 5th, 1884, for the sum of \$146.00 each, with interest at 10 per cent. per annum; one of said notes was due and payable July 5th, 1887. Said notes were made, executed and delivered by the said defendant to one A. B. Choffee, and for a valuable consideration, and before maturity sold and delivered to this plaintiff, by the said A. B. Choffee, and the plaintiff is the owner thereof at this time. There is now due and payable on said notes the sum of \$292.00 with interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from July 5th, 1884, for which sum, together with costs plaintiff prays for a decree that defendant be required to pay the same or that said premises be sold to satisfy the amount found due.

You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday, the 28th of May, 1888.

Dated April 30th, 1888.

C. W. Rollins.

By Higgins & Garlow, his Atty's. SHERIFF'S SALE.

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By virtue of an order of sale, directed to me from the district court of Platte county, Nebraska, on a judgment obtained in the district court of Platte county, Nebraska, on the 15th day of March, 1888, in favor of William D. Mead, jr., and David Jamieson as plaintiffs, and against John A. Pearson and Lewis P. Hammond as defendants, for the sum of eleven hundred and sixty-eight dollars and eighty-eight cents, and costs taxed at \$21.00 and accruing costs, I have levied upon the following real estate taken as the property of said defendants, to satisfy said order of sale, to wit: The southeast quarter of the southeast quarter, the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section number three (3), township number sixteen (16), range number two (2), west, all in the county of Platte and State of Nebraska. And will offer the same for sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, on the

in front of the Court House in Columbus, Platte county, Nebraska, that being the building wherein the last term of Court was held, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, when and where due attendance will be given by the undersigned.

Duted Columbus, Neb., April 12, 1888.

M. C. BLORDORN,
18apr5t
Sheriff of said County.

LEGAL NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern:

The special commissioner appointed to view and report upon the practicability of vacating that part of a public read commencing at the S. E. corner of the N. E. & of section 27, town 17, range I west, thence east to the bank of the Loup river, thence anythersteely and terminating at range I west, thence east to the bank of the Loup river, thence southeasterly and terminating at the S. E. corner of the S. E. & of section 25, town 17, range I west, and of the re-location of the same, as follows: commencing at the S. E. corner of the N. E. & of section 27, town 17, range I west, thence running due south on section line to the south line of said section 27, thence due east on section line three-fourths of one mile and intersecting the west Loup Fork road at station No. 4, as designated on the plat and field notes of record of said road, has reported in favor of the vacation and the re-location thereof.

Now all objections thereto, or claims for damages caused thereby, must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before Noon of the 19th day of June, A. D., 1888, or the said vacation and re-

June, A. D., 1888, or the said vacation an location will be made without reference the Dated Columbus, Neb., April 20, 1888, JOHN STAUFFER, Proposals for Bridge. Bids will be received at the office of the town elerk of Bismarck and Shell Creek townships, Platte county, up to

for the erection of one bridge for Bismarck and Shell Creek townships, the bridge to be one span with two approaches, across Shell Creek on the Sixth Principal meridian road six miles due north of Columbus, plans and specifications at the offices of the township clerks. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

J. F. DINEEN,

28apr3

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