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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25, 1891.


## REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET.

For Mayor,
HENRY RAGATZ.
For Clerk,
E. H. CHAMBERS.
For Treasurer,
E. D. FITZPATRICK.
For Engineer,
A. G. ARNOLD.
For Councilmen,
First Ward, A. L. BIXBY.
Second " P. W. HENRICH.
Third " S. C. GRAY.
Members of School Board,
C. A. BRINDLEY.
CARL CRAMER.

THE legislature of California appropriates $200,000 for the state exhibit at the World's Fair.

GEN. JOSEPH E. JOHNSTON, the last of the eminent confederate generals, has gone to the spirit world.

THE senate indefinitely postponed the house bill fixing the rate for passengers on railroads at two cents a mile.

THE noted Kentuckian, Henry Watterson, should not continue to belabor a man after he is down, as he is doing Governor Senator Hill.

DEATH removed a clerk from among the officials of the World's Fair, and Major Handy at once appointed the man's widow, which tends to show that Handy has the right spirit.

POSTMASTER GENERAL WANAMAKER'S ambition to make the free delivery service universal, is a most worthy one, and one that every good citizen will hope to see accomplished in the near future.

MONEY well spent is never extravagantly spent. Not a dollar was appropriated by the last congress that will not be well spent, as will be plainly apparent before the next presidential election.

A PROMINENT southern paper says: "It is becoming every day more apparent that the vast majority of the negroes are not disposed to take an active part in politics." The same may be said of the Jews in Russia, and the reasons in both cases are the same—they are not allowed to.

EASTERN buyers are in Iowa paying $15 or $20 a head more for horses than ever before. They used to get their supplies in Canada, but the infamous McKinley act has stopped the traffic, and now they have to come west and pay higher prices for horses.—[Clay Center Times.

LAWRENCE BARRETT, the actor, died Saturday, in New York city, of heart failure, superinduced by pneumonia. He was born in Patterson, New Jersey, April 4, 1838. During the civil war he served with distinction as a captain in 28th Massachusetts infantry. Booth and he played together for several years.

MINER GRISWOLD, the "Fat Contributor" is dead. His humor was of a very peculiar sort, and we remember how he once tried to move a Columbus audience and failed utterly, as bad as Tom Corwin at a political meeting of Friends in Ohio. Griswold was not a "historian," as Mark Twain claims to be, but a contrastor and an exaggerator.

SO THE democrats think they should be recognized in the appointment of the nine new United States circuit court judges, do they? Well, that is rich. Pray how many republicans did Grover Cleveland appoint to office during his term as president? No, boys. You needn't waste any time hunting up endorsements for democrats; the new judges will all be republicans.

KENTUCKY seems to have taken its cue from Senator Carlisle, who is himself a candidate, and is announcing in trumpet tones its opposition to the nomination of Cleveland. Watterson having, in his own own mind, effectually disposed of Hill, Carlisle is evidently proceeding in the same manner to dispose of Cleveland. Wonder how these gallant blue grass boys will take their crow next year?

THE intelligence of European countries should create a sentiment adverse to standing armies, and thus save billions of dollars, now more than uselessly spent. Incidental war is one thing; a constant expectation and preparation for war is altogether a different thing. The motive of modern civilization is the good of mankind, and of nations should be, at least, "fair play." Men should no longer be used as mere food for powder.

SUNDAY night week, about 11 o'clock, the barn of W. P. Phillips at Lincoln was discovered to be in flames. The fire was under great headway before being discovered and all that could be done was to save the adjoining buildings. This was the second barn in Lincoln (the other belonging to A. R. Talbot) that had been set on fire the same evening. Mr. Phillips lost two carriages, a sleigh, two sets of harness and a fine horse in the flames.

A WELL pulverized, compact seed bed is the first requisite to a success with alfalfa. It has not been very generally known as yet in Nebraska but even in the southern part of the state it has already shown itself well adapted to the conditions of soil and latitude, and very favorable views are entertained relative to the place it is to occupy among Nebraska forage plants. When the seed-bed is well prepared the seed is best covered by a running over with the roller, which covers the seed lightly. Sow when the frost is well out of the ground.—[Nebraska Farmer.

THOS. E. HILL, author of Hill's Manual, is out in the Farmer's Voice with a new financial scheme.

Every reader must admit that it is good, and far better than existing conditions.

But we think the easier method and the one that will most commend itself to the people, is to amend our existing banking law so that the resident upon his own land can deposit his title, in the shape of a mortgage, with the government to half the value of not to exceed 640 acres, and have currency issued to him just as it is now issued to the National banker.

When the farmer has just as good security to offer as the banker, we think every unprejudiced man will say he ought to get currency just as cheaply. And there are few men who object to the quality of currency now in use.

All that the farmer has to do is to ask that he shall be put in the class most favored.

We would not turn the banker out. The farmer does not need to be legislated into riches; he only asks not to be legislated out of his earnings. If it is fair for any man that wants to go into banking, it is fair for any man that wants to go into farming. If this issuing of currency and paying interest on the bond is fair to the government, why is it not better to issue it on equally as good security that asks no interest? Say, why?—[Monroe Looking Glass.

### The Patent Centennial Celebration.

Elaborate arrangements have been made to celebrate the beginning of the second century of the American patent system at Washington on the 8th, 9th and 10th of April next. All of the railroads leading into the National capitol have reduced their rates for the occasion and a great crowd is expected. President Harrison will open the celebration and the literary exercises will be presided over by some of the most eminent inventors in the country. Twenty addresses upon the different phases of invention will be delivered by men who are famous as masters of the subjects they will discuss. A national association of inventors and manufacturers of patented articles will be organized. There will be a grand reception at the patent office by the secretary of the interior and Commissioner Mitchell, at which it is expected Cyrus W. Field, Thomas A. Edison, George Westinghouse, George M. Pullman and others will assist. There will be a military parade, a grand excursion to Mount Vernon, a planked shad banquet at Marshall Hall near Mount Vernon; and the navy yard, the national museum, the patent office and other interesting national establishments will be open to the visitors.

This is the first time in the history of the Republic that the inventors have celebrated.

THE Newberry maximum freight-rate bill reached its third reading in the senate Friday afternoon. The reading of the lengthy bill was proceeding quietly, when Mattes moved to take a recess till 10 o'clock Saturday. On this there was considerable squabbling, but finally the motion was declared lost. The reading of the bill was resumed and continued for about ten minutes when another motion for recess was made and lost. Again the motion for recess was made, Warner moved a call of the house, which was properly seconded, and resulted in showing that Taylor was not to be found in the building. It was ascertained that Taylor was paired with Brown on the Newberry bill. Up to this writing, the sergeant-at-arms has not been able to find Taylor, who is supposed to be in hiding in Council Bluffs. It is difficult to imagine what the outcome may be.

LATER—The Newberry bill passed Monday night, but doubts are expressed as to the legal formalities having been complied with.

THE Orleans tragedy has called increased attention to the fact that the cities are the festering sores upon the body politic. Intelligence should find a method to at least mitigate the evils that are acknowledged to cling to cities, and which threaten to overwhelm the race of mankind with a flood of wickedness. Immorality of all kinds; crimes of every grade; vice in every conceivable form; some social evils that meet with no opposition, but encouragement, rather, from those who ought to be, in form, and in spirit and fact, the sworn enemies of all crime, to bring it to punishment. The truth is, that (changing an old adage), crime rides in a lightning express train, while detection, conviction and punishment are getting ready to begin to open their eyes to see if they can discover anything that may possibly require their attention in a year or so.

NO GREATER diplomatic triumph has ever been achieved by any secretary of state than that gained by Mr. Blaine in compelling the British government to abandon its position in the Behring Sea dispute and agree to submit the matter to arbitration in the manner proposed by Mr. Blaine. It is a matter of congratulation that a satisfactory agreement has been reached before the opening of the opening of the sealing season this year, to which a great many people have been looking forward with apprehension. The dignity and honor of the country has been maintained, as it always has been and always will be when a republican is at the helm of the ship of state, and it has not been necessary to either bluster or fight.

ISN'T it about time for the democratic press to stop circulating misrepresentations about the reciprocity treaty with Brazil? First they said there would be no treaty. Well, the treaty was negotiated. Then they said the treaty would not be approved by the Brazilian government, which has been proven false by the arrival of the official proclamation of the president of Brazil promulgating the treaty and explaining its provisions. Now, because there is nothing else to say, they are shouting that the treaty will be of no benefit to the United States. Come, gentlemen, this is childish; if you are not willing to drop your partizanship long enough to give the administration credit for having brought about a good thing, at least have the decency to keep quiet.

"HURRAH for Governor Hogg of Texas," one is inclined to yell upon learning that he is opposed to the gerrymandering of the congressional districts in that state, believing that a congressional district ought to be a compact, square thing, but one's ardor is slightly dampened upon reading the editorial comment upon the Governor's views, in the Baltimore Sun: "With a democratic majority of 200,000 it is probably possible to heed the Governor's advice without imperilling a solid democratic delegation." That is always the policy of the democratic party, willing to do right when it can be done without political loss.

### Tariff Pictures.

The British linen industry, according to last summer's returns of the board of trade, pays average annual wages of

$121.66.

☞ The Massachusetts linen industry, according to the state bureau of labor statistics, shows average annual earnings of

☞ $302.29.

—[New York Press.

### Washington Letter.

[From our regular correspondent.]

The president signalized his return to Washington from his short hunting trip by an act of justice that entitles him to the praise of all fair minded men. During his absence one Albert Ordway, who manages to make a very good thing, a "snap" indeed, out of being brigadier general of the national guard of the District of Columbia, indexer of the old Congressional Record and the holder of several other sinecure positions for which kind old Uncle Sam foots the bills, issued an official order disbanding the two battallions of colored troops attached to the District national guard for the alleged reason that the appropriation made by congress for armory rents was insufficient for all, and that the two colored battallions, being unattached to regiments, could be best spared.

This order of course raised a rumpus in the city; it was talked of everywhere and by everybody, and it was generally condemned as unjust, because of the good record of the colored militia. As soon as the president returned the matter was laid before him, and he said: "This shall not be carried out; if it shall be shown that it is absolutely necessary to disband a portion of the District militia no color line shall be drawn in selecting the commands to be dropped." Now little Ordway, small in size and smaller in intellect, is trying to "explain" his action, which may be the cause of his losing some of the "snaps" he has enjoyed so long that he has reached that period, almost certain to come to men who have for years drawn big money for nominal services, of believing that the places belong to them personally.

No president ever had a higher idea of the rightful prerogatives of his position, or was quicker to resent any invasion of them than is Mr. Harrison, although he does it always in an inoffensive manner. Here is a case in point: There is a vacancy in the office of surveyor general of Minnesota and Col. Buckley of that state is a prominent candidate therefor. The other day several Minnesota representatives, headed by Mr. Hall, who acted as spokesman, called on Mr. Harrison in behalf of Col. Buckley. After praising that gentleman highly, Mr. Hall closed by saying: "I do not ask you to make the appointment, for I know that it is a senatorial appoint"—meaning that it belonged to the class of appointments usually made on the recommendation of the senators. The president looked at him quizzically for a moment, stepped up close to Mr. Hall and placing his arm around that gentleman's shoulder said: "I beg your pardon, Mr. Hall, it is a presidential appointment.

There is no doubt about where Senator Cullom stands as to the republican nominee next year. He had just come from a private conference with the president when he was asked for some political views. He replied: "I have just had a talk with the man who will be nominated by the republican party next year, and who will be elected."

It is expected that the programme for the president's Pacific coast trip will shortly be announced. Invitations are pouring into Washington from cities all along the expected route that desire the honor of entertaining the distinguished party.

### Synopsis of the Proceedings of the Board of Supervisors.

(Official.)

COLUMBUS, Tuesday p. m., March 17, '91.

Board met pursuant to adjournment at 3 o'clock p. m., Hon. W. J. Irwin chairman, presiding, G. W. Phillips clerk. Roll called and all the members of board present.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

The following official bonds were presented, examined and approved:

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| M. E. Clother treas. | Lost Creek twp. | |
| " " | " " extra bond. | |
| Wm. Gentleman, road overseer | Gd. Prairie | twp. |
| J. R. Smith, " | Lost Creek | " |
| Carsten Petersen, " | " | " |
| Chas. E. Chapin, " | " | " |
| J. E. Fischer, " | Joliet | " |
| Pat Dugan, " | " | " |
| John Wolf, " | Burrows | " |
| Peter Bettinger, clerk | St. Bernard | " |
| Theo. Odenthal, justice peace | Gd. Prairie | " |

A communication presented and read from John Reagan, and on motion, same was referred to Lost Creek twp.

The written opinion of the county attorney in reference to abstracts made by the county clerk was read, and on motion, same was ordered placed on file.

Affidavits of circulation filed by publishers of the Columbus Telegram and Platte Center Argus were now opened and read.

Motion by Sup'r Freeman that the Argus be declared the official paper of the county. Roll called for vote: Burrows, Byrnes, Dineen, Doody, Freeman, Kenscher and Pollard voting yea—7. Asche, Campbell, Hudson, Johnson, Moran, Murphy, McAllister, Olson, Otis, Rickert, Welch and Mr. Chairman voting nay—12. Motion declared lost.

On motion, affidavit of publisher of Telegram was referred back with request that he show circulation in Platte county by postoffices.

On motion, board now took a recess until 9 a. m. tomorrow.

WEDNESDAY a. m., March 18, 1891.

Board met at 9 o'clock as per adjournment, Hon. W. J. Irwin chairman, G. W. Phillips clerk. All members present except Kenscher.

On motion, John Graham, August Hedrick and Sup'r Campbell were appointed appraisers to report upon and recommend a private road for the relief of John Bojai, who petitions the board that he is entirely surrounded by land the owners of which refuse to allow him ingress or egress.

A communication from D. F. Davis, publisher of Columbus Telegram, was presented and read.

On motion of Sup'r Hudson, the whole matter regarding the circulation of the various newspapers in Platte county was indefinitely postponed.

The official bond of John A. Graham, constable for Loup twp., was presented, examined and approved.

Petition of Joshua Van Blaricom and others for a public road was, on motion, rejected.

In the matter of the location of the "Quiawa Road" and vacation of part of the "West Loup Road" as petitioned for, on motion of Sup'r Byrnes, the prayer of the petitioners was granted, and the location and vacation declared so made, and the county surveyor instructed to survey the said "Quiawa Road" and file his report with the county clerk.

In the matter of the "G. M. Loseke Road" the report of appraisers was adopted and John H. Wilke allowed $37 as damages, the same to be charged to account of Bismark twp. and road declared duly located and county surveyor to perpetuate government section corners, and file report.

The "A. G. Johnson" Road was declared duly located and county surveyor instructed to survey and file his report with county clerk. No action taken on vacation part of petition.

On motion, the bills were referred to the several committees.

The board now took a recess until 2:30 p. m.

COLUMBUS, Wednesday p. m., March 18, '91.

Board convened at 2:30 p. m., Hon. W. J. Irwin chairman, G. W. Phillips clerk. Members all present but Sup'r Keuscher.

On motion, the committee appointed to confer with co-county clerk Stauffer were given until the July meeting to report full result of their conference.

Bond of Joseph Linaber, as constable of Granville twp. was presented, examined and approved.

Petition of John A. Graham and others for a public road approved and clerk instructed to advertise according to law.

Bond of M. K. Turner & Co. on contract for furnishing blanks to county for year 1891 was accepted and approved.

On motion of Sup'r Asche, a warrant for $1.30 was allowed Sherman twp. and same charged to account Bismark twp., the same being for warrant issued Siebert Heibel on the "G. M. Loseke" road appraisement.

On motion, a recess was now taken until 9 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

COLUMBUS, Thursday, a. m. March 19, 1891.

Board met at 9 o'clock a. m. Hon. W. J. Irwin, chairman; G. W. Phillips, clerk. Roll called and all present but Sup'rs. Dineen and Keuscher.

The board now proceeded to select sixty names from which the regular panel of jurors will be drawn for next term of district court.

The bill of Thomas McTaggert, constable, for serving official papers in various state cases, as per itemized bill rendered was upon motion rejected as said cases were simply misdemeanors, and no funds provided for payment of that class of bills.

The bill of Wm. O'Brien, justice of the peace, for justice's and sheriff's costs, State vs. Dollie Cummings, same action.

Supervisor Freeman presented the following resolution:

Whereas, several town treasurers have been appointed quite recently and have not had time to notify the tax payers of the amount of their personal taxes before the same became delinquent, therefore be it

Resolved, That the board of supervisors remit interest on all personal taxes collected prior to the first day of May and that the clerk be requested to notify the different collectors of this action of the board.

On motion of Supr. Murphy the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

Supr. Kneen now entered and took his seat with the board.

Motion by Supr. Murphy that Supr. McAllister be, and is hereby authorized to purchase all stationery and supplies of whatever character, needed for use of the county, including bait dockets. Carried.

Supr. Hudson presented the following:

Resolved, That all bills or claims against Platte county, necessary to be referred to a committee of this board, be required to be filed with the clerk on or before the first day of session of said board. All claims not so filed to be laid over until the next regular meeting of the board. Carried.

The committee on Finance presented a report recommending the transfer of various funds, which recommendation upon motion was adopted.

Bill of S. T. Crans, of Humphrey Democrat, $12.50 was upon motion referred back to him for itemizing.

The following bills were allowed and warrants ordered drawn for same.

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| Humphrey Democrat, merchandise etc. per sheriff (claim $8.00) | $ 4 75 |
| State Journal Co. merchandise for county (claim $14.75) | 2 80 |
| Lincoln News Co. merchandise for county (claim $34.00) | 20 75 |
| E F Davis, brgd ptg. etc. (claim $62.50) | 85 81 |
| E Pohl, mdse for county (claim $6.75) | 6 35 |
| State Journal Co. mdse for county | 3 10 |
| T E Maher, care glanders horses | 10 00 |
| State Journal Co. mdse per Stauffer | 27 54 |
| Gus G Becher, treasurer, account M K Turner & Co. | 46 27 |
| Columbus World, advt, legal printing | 22 52 |
| E D Fitzpatrick, mdse for county | 3 10 |
| Gus G Becher, cash adv for county | 41 15 |
| John Elliott, bailiff, District court | 12 00 |
| John Huber, " " " | 8 00 |

The claim of O. C. Shannon for $12.00 as bailiff was on motion rejected.

On motion board now took a recess until 1:30 o'clock p. m.

THURSDAY P. M. March 19, 1891.

Board met at 2 o'clock p. m. pursuant to adjournment, Hon. W. J. Irwin, chairman presiding, G. W. Phillips, clerk. Roll called and all present but Sup'r Keuscher absent from sickness, and the finance committee, Sup'rs Dineen, Murphy and Otis, who were excused on account of official visit to St. Mary's hospital.

Supervisor McAllister presented the following:

Resolved, That the county attorney be, and is hereby instructed to commence action against all parties owing from four or more years of personal taxes and prosecute the same to a judgement that it may hold as a lien against their real estate. Carried.

In the matter of the vacation of part of the Schilz road, and location of Hoppen road, upon motion further consideration was postponed until the next meeting of the board.

The bill of Charles W. Pearsell for two reams of type writing paper, $3.20 for clerk of district court office was on motion rejected.

The following bills were allowed and the clerk instructed to issue warrants for same:

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| Jacob Louis, collecting delinquent personal taxes | $ 8 00 |
| John Galley, excessive assessment, claimed, $1.30 | 1 65 |
| August Boettcher, mdse for county | 24 90 |
| G W Phillips recording official bonds | 104 50 |
| C B Pollock & Co. mdse paint per sheriff | 17 50 |
| Pollock & Schroeder meals for jurors | 9 10 |
| S R McCoy board of four indigent pers. | 4 00 |
| Warwick Saunders legal printing, claim $44.00 | 43 99 |
| C D Murphy, expert work on records | 25 00 |
| W J Leech, same | 35 00 |
| G W Phillips preparing assessment bks | 200 00 |
| G B Speice, clerk dist court, postage, etc | 8 74 |
| Same, cond of insanity | 56 80 |
| Same, fee bill Perry, et al, habeas corpus | 4 95 |
| John Gisin, mdse for county | 9 00 |

The committee on finance, Supers Dineen, Murphy and Otis, who had been excused on account of official work, now entered and took their seats with the board.

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

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| Ed Maher, petit juror district court | $ 5 00 |
| Nels Christensen, same | 20 00 |
| Fred Asche, same | 16 00 |
| Ludwig Swanson, same | 20 00 |
| W Yates, same | 13 00 |
| Wm Berg, same | 18 20 |
| Andrew Swanson, same | 15 70 |
| J H Galley, same | 8 00 |
| J Fetre, same | 20 20 |
| J F Carrig, same | 3 50 |
| Harry Newman, same | 8 00 |
| Fred Meedel, same | 17 40 |
| Theo Jonsson, same | 9 70 |
| H Murdock, same | 8 00 |
| John Pilger, same | 22 00 |
| Gus G Becher, treasurer, account John Pinscher | 10 00 |
| Same, John Kellom | 12 80 |
| Same, W C Jackson | 13 70 |
| Same, George Lehman | 4 00 |
| Joseph Micek, wit insanity P Micek | 2 00 |
| J G Reeder, cons of insanity | 20 00 |
| C B Stillman, " " | 45 00 |
| Mrs Mary Hamer, care of Chas Hamer | 30 00 |
| L J Cramer, Co Supt, salary for J'n 1891 | 100 00 |
| " " Feb. " | 100 00 |
| G W Phillips, cash adv for county | 15 90 |
| Gus G Becher, treas, acc't A Berger | 1 50 |
| St Mary's Hospital, care paupers for Jan and Feb 1891 (claim $192.00) | 95 00 |
| (The $24.00 disallowed in above bill was for case of Wm Bramley and that part of claim was referred to the county attorney for his advice, opinion and report.) | |
| Dan Hopkins warden state penitentiary for expenses in producing L L Gray as witness in case of State of Nebraska vs Barr and Butterfield | 3 52 50 |
| W O Pugsley services as supervisor | 11 00 |
| J H Goedeken illegal taxes | 4 25 |
| J C Caldwell sheriff fees, fees, etc | 170 50 |
| Same attendance district court | 34 00 |
| Same railroad fare to Lincoln, etc | 32 45 |
| Same janitor quarter ending March 31 '91 | 50 00 |
| Same house rent quarter ending March 31 '91 | 37 50 |
| J F Dineen, services as supervisor | 10 00 |
| J C Byrnes, same | 9 70 |
| Jonas Welch, same | 9 00 |
| P Doody, same | 10 50 |
| Joseph Otis, same | 12 80 |
| J S Freeman, same | 11 50 |
| W J Irwin, same | 18 00 |
| James Burrows, same | 19 40 |
| H J Hudson, same | 9 00 |
| D E Campbell, same | 11 40 |
| N J Johnson, same | 12 00 |
| O S Moran, same | 11 00 |
| W A McAllister, same | 9 00 |
| Nels Olson, same | 13 00 |
| Henry Rickert, same | 10 00 |
| F Bering, same | 11 60 |
| C D Murphy, same | 11 00 |
| G Asche, same | 11 50 |
| W M Pollard, same | 11 70 |
| Columbus Lumber Company acct City of Columbus (claimed $34.65) | 66 55 |
| Hugh Hughes, same (claimed $118.70) | 103 30 |
| A G Arnold, same | 8 50 |
| Geo W Westcott, acct Columbus Twp | 2 30 |

(Continued next week.)


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Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 6th, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court, at Columbus, Neb., on April 27th, 1891, viz: Frederic E. Davis, Homestead No. 19644, for the N.E. ¼ of section 8, township 19 north, of range 1 east.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Herman G. Luschen, Herman Luedtke, Theodore Wenck, of Bohnet, Neb., and Henry Wurdeman, of Columbus, Neb.

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Dated Columbus, Neb., March 18, 1891.

G. W. PHILLIPS,
25mar4t County Clerk.

FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Grand Island, Neb., March 20, 1891.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before clerk of the district court, at Columbus, Neb., on May 5th, 1891, viz: George C. Smith, homestead No. 14464, for the E. ½, N. W. ¼, of Section 32, Township 18 North, of Range 2 West. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Henry Clayburn, of Platte Center, Wallace W. Mannington, of Monroe, Charles E. Chapin, of Oconee, William W. Wilson, of Oconee, Nebr.

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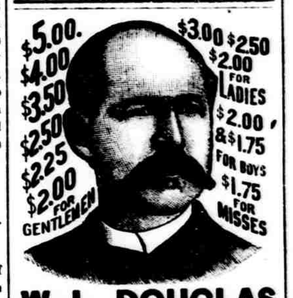


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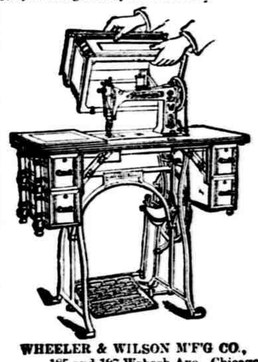

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