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Sherman Township News. Otto Wenck is suffering with a bad knee. Dr. Lowery of Leigh is attending. smiles. Henry Wurdemann who attends Com-

mercial College at Columbus spent a few days vacation with home folks. Miss Lizzie Luedtke attended Teach-

ers meeting at Lindsay Saturday.

Miss Lucy Lucschen is visiting with her brother J. H. Lueschen at Clarks was the guest of Miss May Reed Saturfor a few weeks. John Marol was in Columbus on in Polk county.

business, also O. J. Lueschen.

Route 1.

left for Millard, Neb. Mr. Freese's new calf coats have already advanced \$2.00 appointment. The congregation of the Others are sure to follow on account of Loseke Creek church of which Mr. raw materials advancing. I have a fine Freese has been pastor for twelve years, assortment in prices from \$10 to \$30. It gave him and his estimable family a will pay you to look them over. farewell reception Tuesday night.

I am going to close out my entire stock

of Toys before Christmas in order to

devote all my space to Candies, Baker,

I have marked goods down below cost

in order to sell them quick. Every arti-

WM. POESCH

Goods and Ice Cream.

cle must go.

W. T. Ernst and two sons killed 32 rabbits and a number of squirrels along this route the first of the week.

C. G. Moore has completed an addition to his house.

R. F. D. No. 2.

There are a large number of broken wagons along this route as a result of he rough roads.

Route 3.

Joe McCarville who has been seriously ill from typhoid fever is recovering Theo Kramland who had his leg burt

by a road grader is out again. Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Beblen, November 27, a son.

Henry Goedeken went to Kepublican City last Thursday to busk corn for his

Henry Tehlo has completed a new

granary, corn crib and cattle shed. Peter Semidt has kept the roads bot this week hauling flour for his Omaha

lavish with the cigars as he is with his Jolls was well liked in railroad circles.

Harry Newman, jr, has entered the Columbus Commercial College.

Miss Birdie Dodds, after a vacation has assumed her duties as teacher in Max Gottberg's district.

Miss Katherine Brown of Madison day night, on her return to her school

Fur Coats.

Now is the time to buy your Fur Rev. A. W. Freese and family have coats before they advance. Russian

F. H. Rusche, 11th Street.

Creston Miss VanDusen of Blair is visiting her sister Mrs. Gammel this week.

Miss Nell Brown gave a shadow social at her school house last Monday night. Dick Gammel was in Omaha two

Ellsworth Dixon and family had a sale and will on Tuesday move to Idaho. Jake Ludwig sprained his ankle last Saturday and is now walking on crutches.

H. M Jolls.

H. M. Jells, who for years has been a fireman and engineer for the Union Paefficantil a year ago, died at his home in this city Monday.

Henry Mason Joils was born in Genesee county, New York, September 10. 1848. He came west and retiled in Ne bracks in 1880 residing for a time in Omaha and also in Norfolk, and later, about twenty years ago took up his residence in Columbus. Mr. Jolls was married November 18, 1896 to Mrs. Josie 1. D. Clausen is the happiest man on Leslie, his first wife having died some Rome 3 with possibly one exception, years earlier. He died December 4, at His wife presented him with a bouncing 5 p. m. His tenains were boy on November 27 and Henry is as taken to Genoa for buria. Henry

A nice line of watches, clocks, rings and jewelry, suitable for Christmas presents, at Carl Fromel, 11th St. Co-

The Victor Talking Machine received highest award grand price at the World's Fair For sale by Carl Froemel, 11th St. Columbus.

Alice Morrissey has filed foreclosure proceedings on some lots in Columbus to collect a mortgage note of \$,1000 against August Johnson, et al.

Judge Ratterman issued license last week for the marriage of Loraine Hollingsworth and Louise Herrick of Shelton: and Edward Bakenhus and Metta Bu-s of Columbus. The Shelton parties were married by Judge Ratterman.

"Jail birds as a rule are not good ongsters. But there is a marked exeption to this rule in the Platte county ail. Never before in the Listory of Platte county have such sweet strains of vocal music floated through the barred windows of the juil. The source of this sweet music is a quartette of prisoners consisting of the two Browning boys, Jorgensen and Fout who will be tried in district court on various charges next week. These voices, though brought together by chance, harmonize like the voices of a trained quartett and the county officers have good excuse for being charmed from the of Indian ownership. The government routine of their office work.

District court will convene next Monday to take up the criminal cases on the dockets. Among the cases of more or less general interest are the assault and battery case of the Browning brothers; the suit against Jorgensen for maintaining a house of ill fame; the rape case in which Fout is defendant; and the burglary suit against Harry Edwards, the young fellow from Butte, Mon, who last week got away with 890 worth of goods rom the Burlington depot.



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H. Hockenberger and E. H. Chambers returned lest Thursday from their trip to Indian Territory and they are delighted with the conditions they found there from the investors point of view So well pleased were they that Mr. Chambers will return in a few weeks to make more extensive investments. Concerning conditions of the red mar, Mr. Hockenberger made the following interesting statement to a Journal reporter: "We expected to find land prices lower. Land sells there from \$15 to \$40 an acre. We spent most ef our time at Bartellsville where Louis Pollock lives and at Telsa some distance south. These towns are both situated in the heart of the oil country and have made rapid growth along with the development of the oil wells. Telsa has grown to a city of 8000 people within four years and Bartelleville has grown as rapidly. There are no "Omahas" in the Territory but there are more cities of from 3000 to 10,000. These cities have regular municipal organization the same as the cities in the states and you find in them the same business development public utilities and sanitary conditions. But in the farming country it is different. The one crying need is statehood. Under territorial government the per-

ple cannot levy taxes to bui'd roads and echoolhouses. And without goo! roads and good schools in the country, the best class of farmers will not enter Another very serious handicap to the country is the breaking up of the farms into small tracts as a result has refused to permit the Indians to sell acre allottment. Therefore the only means by which a settler can secure a quarter section is to buy 120 acres and lease the other 40 acres for five years. Some of the Indians prefer to live on their 40 acre tracts. Of course all improvements on the leased land remain there at the termination of the lease. Naturally therefore, the improvements are cheap and unsubstantial and they make the country look uninviting to people who are accustomed to see the well improved Nebraska farms. Many of the Indian holders are only one thirtysecond part Indian, some of them occupy high places in social and professional life, and they want the government restrictions removed to enable them to sell their land. One of the leading lawyers and one of the leading doctors of Tulsa are one sixteenth part Indian and they are proud of the fact. As soon as statebood is secured and the Indian restrictions removed, this country will go forward with leaps and bounds For the land will produce everything that Nebraska land will produce with cotton and fruit added. And with an unlimited supply of oil and an abundance of natural gas for manufacturing purposes, the new state promises to be one of the wealthiest in the United

The Kansas City "Journal" says of 'Dora Thorne": "If those who are regular attendants of the Gillis want to enjoy a melo-drama that has much that s of true dramatic worth and given by company that bring out the production in a most interesting manner, they will do well to see 'Dora Thorne' adapted from Miss Clay's novel of the same name. The piece has one tragic situation, the murder of "Lord Earl', which occurs early in the play. But is forgotten in the events that crowd one another and go to make up one of the best constructed and interesting stories that has been presented at the Gillis. Take a melodramatic audience, especially a Sunday audience, and a play that does not contain a dozen thrills in at least three acts, comes pretty near losing attention. The play is full of good lines that strikes home, has a lot of excellent business and the situations and climaxes are well brought out. Strange to say it did not' take any buzz-saw acts, or train robberies or even the timely arrival of a Hawkshaw to awaken the demonstrations of approval which were generously given. The cast and production are far above the average. At the North Opera house Wednesday December 13th.

C. J. Gorlow sued Mrs. Emma Mc-Allister for an attorney's fee of \$25 in county court Tuesday. The plaintiff claims that he earned the fee in assisting Allen & Reed to resist a divorce suit brought several years ago by Steve McAllister against the defendant. The defendant declared that Mr. Garlow "butted in" and that she never employed him. Mrs. McAllister tried her own case. The jury found for the plaintiff

and assessed the amount at \$10. Mrs. A. C. Boone returned Saturday evening from Firth, Neb., where she attended a family reunion. There were 12 children and their parents, and 21 grandchildren present. She reports an enjoyable time.

Mr. aud Mrs. Lloyd Swain are moving into the Geitzen property on west Four-

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NOTICE is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final poof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before clerk of district court at Columbus. Neb., on January 1., 19 6, viz: Joseph McCarville, homestead No. 17509 for the set, sec. 31, twp. 17 north, range 2 west, 5th P. M.

Said land viz: Abner La Bre of Genoa, P. O. Nebr., John Buggi, of T. n. P. O., Neb., Frank Buggi, of Occase P. O. etc., Matthew Morr.s. of Duncan P. O. Nebr.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such eros, or who knows of any proof should not be allowed, will be given opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in r-buttal of



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