The Herald of Freedom.

Lawrence, Saturday, Jan. 3, 1857.

ADDRESS

—TO THE—

Patrons of the Herald of Freedom.

"*Requiescat in pace*," we fix
Upon the tomb of Fifty-Six.
Time's mighty courses twice have run
Their cycle round their parent sun,
Since first the *Herald* in the van,
Spake fearlessly the rights of man,
Advancing, as a "hope forlorn,"
To usher in a brilliant morn,
To win the mind from error's night,
To truth, and love and moral right.
Fair Freedom's standard raise on high,
The cynosure of every eye.
And shield from every servile blast,
This chine of Beauty, unsurpassed.

Thus of our scheme—a brief report—
Pronounced a "nuisance" by a *court*;
But Truth, sedate, with graphic pen,
Has told how brutal, lawless men,
Yclept a "posse," thundered down,
To sack a thriving, peaceful town,
By form of *law*, and potent bones
Of the "immortal" "Sheriff Jones;"
How arson, pillage foul, repress
The dreaded freedom of the press.
Wild havoc and base whiskey strove
To quench the living light of Jove.
How, while fierce ruffians vilely rave,
Our press, in fragments, found a grave,
Meanwhile, ourself and others, shorn
Of every right, are captives borne,
Kidnapped, transferred by ruffians prompt,
From drunken Westport to Lecompte,
From court to "camp," for having bred
"Constructive treason," it was said.
Thus robbed, our "occupation gone,"
The weary months moved slowly on;
While frightful Crime, with bloody hand,
Stalked, grim and ghastly, o'er the land.
O Pierce! what printer's ink shall stain
The Greytown glories of thy reign?
Time's rapid changes kindly throw
Oblivion on each former woe;
And day by day, with slight alloy,
Renew our every source of joy.
From the dark ruins of the tomb
Sprung living light, and fadeless bloom,
And disannulled, the record saith,
The felon league with hell and death.
So shall it be, o'er every ill—
All-potent Truth shall triumph still.

At home again; nor ease, nor rest,
Till foul disorder is redressed.
High o'er our Office, once again,
Obnoxious, to a Ruffian's ken—
Our flag—*our country's* flag, displayed is,
Presented by the Lawrence ladies.
Fair donors, thanks. Your sex no less
Angelic sympathies possess,
"Last at the cross," and thro' the gloom
The *first* to view the opened tomb.

The *Herald* LIVES, with purpose strong,
The friend of Right, the foe of Wrong,
And seeks to shed, by efforts kind,
Reform and polish on the mind.
Thus shall the glow of Freedom's sun
Perfect what Beauty has begun,
And o'er our ocean-prairies pour
A living glory evermore.
Nor shall a tyrant's vicious horde
Give peaceful freemen to the sword—
The rage and wrong of war shall end,
And swords to plowshares mildly tend.
The *Herald* LIVES—two thousand more
Subscribers than in days of yore—
Improves and strengthens its condition
By every blast of opposition,
And, tree-like, holds its lofty station,
By downward force of gravitation.

Our city thrives—to none surprising—
Like Phœnix from its ashes rising;
And soon, where Donaldson and Shannon,
The "posse," and the booming cannon,
Displayed their brazen force, shall be
A College—such the firm decree.

Drop we a tear for freemen slain—
The victims of the "ball and chain"—
Martyrs in freedom's holy cause,
By ruffian raid and bogus laws.
At present, felon darkness wanes,
And we may add, that "order reigns."
Kind Patrons, thanks. Our word of cheer
To all, a peaceful, HAPPY YEAR.
May Hope illume each brow of care,
And write its rosy graces there—
Domestic, social joys impart
Their charms to cheer each aching heart;
Confirm each tie that blandly binds
Through weal and woe accordant minds;
Shed o'er the soul a sweet repose,
And gild life's progress to its close.

Lawrence, January 1st, 1857.

News from Washington.

The truth of the rumor of Judge Lecompt's removal is now confirmed by the nomination by the President to the Senate, of Jas. O. Harrison, of Kentucky, as the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Kansas.

The removal was contemplated at least forty days ago, of which it was said he was aware, but up to this time nothing has been heard from him in defense of his official conduct. The recent proof and representations of Gov. Geary determined the course of the administration in the premises.

Wm. Spencer has likewise been nominated as marshal of Kansas, Vice Donaldson, and Thomas Cunningham, of Pennsylvania, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Kansas, in place of Burrill, deceased.

A resolution was adopted, in the Senate, on motion of Mr. Dodge, of Iowa, calling on the Secretary of War for copies of all letters addressed to that department, or Wilson Shannon, late Governor of Kansas, by Col. Sumner, relative to Kansas affairs, which have not heretofore been communicated.

Mr. Whitfield introduced a bill in the House, providing for the assessment of damages sustained by the loss and destruction of property belonging to the citizens of Kansas, during the recent disturbances in said Territory. Also, a bill establishing a district court at Leavenworth City, and other places in Kansas, and a bill establishing additional Land Districts in Kansas.

Several Executive communications were read by the Speaker of the House, one transmitting a letter from Gov. Geary, dated the 22d ult., accompanied with the minutes of that officer, which he says he kept hourly, as his best vindication. When he arrived in the Territory he found his predecessor had pronounced the people in a state of insurrection. Since then permanent peace had been restored, without one drop of blood being shed. He had gone ahead, and what was necessary he did, paying all expenses, and he trusted to Congress to reimburse him.

From the Lecompton Union.

Kansas Pioneer.

We are not much in the habit of giving notice to *small* things, but in this instance will depart from our usual rule, and devote a paragraph to the above paper, published at Kickapoo City.

In a recent article, headed Governor Geary, it hits a lick at us, and the Squatter Sovereign, in which it displays such deplorable ignorance of the true state of affairs in the Territory, that it more deserves our *pity* than our *contempt*. A leader of a paper that professes to be pro-slavery, and can see nothing in the Governor's course that should cause the displeasure of any right-minded and rational thinking pro-slavery man, is so far behind the times that we can have no hopes of his ever getting up—he is in a Rip Van Winkle condition, and whilst the party to which he professes to belong is fighting for its very existence against the insidious attacks of an insidious foe, he is *sound asleep*—his eyes are shut, and he *can't see*.

Can he see anything in the ominous dispatches marked "official," that are weekly coming from Washington, and rolling in the dust the heads of our best, truest and bravest men—can he see nothing in the thread suspended sword that is ready to fall upon the head of every official in the Territory that belongs to our party, if he dares thwart the will or oppose the abolition policy of *one* man. Does this Editor see anything alarming in the removal of Lecompte, Clarke, and others, and would he *see* anything in the removal of the best man in the Territory, as is rumored. We would advise this Editor to take the Governor's course from its inception to the present—examine it—lift it, tear it to pieces—turn it over and around—shut one eye on it—get a microscope or a telescope and turn to it the *big* end—and then *see* if he *can* see anything in it that should cause the "displeasure of any right-minded, rational thinking pro-slavery man."

The Pioneer says that it does not, like some others, praise a man one day and condemn him the next—that it does not jump at conclusions, but takes time to make up its opinion. If called upon to act upon some great principle effecting our interests, we would take time and deliberate cooly, and not jump at our conclusions, but when the acts of men are in question we come to our conclusions about them and the men in a very short time.

If the Executive interferes with the Judiciary through ignorance or presumption—no matter how wrong the Judiciary may be—we "jump" at our conclusions and condemn the act as violating a fundamental principal of law. The Pioneer is welcome to its *fogy* doctrines, we entertain no such. The richest part of the thing is, however, the Pioneer says, that it will not express its opinion of an act to-day, because he may have to change it to-morrow—consistency is an evil—but consistency merely for the sake of consistency, is a humbug. An Editor that is afraid to express an opinion about acts because he may be compelled to change them the next day, hasn't an opinion that is worth expression.

We complimented Governor Geary immediately after his arrival here, because he did no act of a serious nature that could command the disapprobation of our judgment—on the contrary, he acted in such a manner as met our approval. He acted pretty much through policy, because a Presidential election was on hands, and as we felt interested in the result we acquiesced in his policy, expecting that he would after the election, raise the curtains behind which he had acted—he has raised them, and shows to our view an animal with which we can have no sympathy, and we will oppose him to the utmost of our ability, notwithstanding he is backed by the Leavenworth Journal and Kansas Pioneer.

P. S. It is rumored, upon the authority of one E. G. Garvey, that the Gov. intends resigning in the Spring or Summer, and run upon the Free State ticket for Congress, from the *State* of Kansas. Can the Pioneer see anything in that?

☞ We observe that Clark, the murderer of Barber, advertises a runaway negro woman, and offers a hundred dollars for her recovery. Had Clark read the papers closely he would have made the discovery, that she had made her way to a land of freedom, several weeks ago. In passing through Iowa, she was reported to have said, that her master beat her over the head with a chair, for some imaginary dereliction of duty, and nearly killed her. That it was this brutality, characteristic of the man, which induced her to flee from Kansas.

Social Parties.

We almost regret at times that we are not ubiquitous. We have been favored with invitations—complimentary of course—to attend New Year's Parties at Topeka, Kansas City, Camp Newby, and Leavenworth, yet we were tied down in our office, and prevented from attending either. We hope each of the parties had a good time generally. That at Kansas City had claims on us which we could hardly resist.—Among the managers we observe several whose acquaintance we made at Westport, last Spring, while detained there as a prisoner; among others that of Col. *E. M. McGee*, as floor manager, who played the part of a highwayman, stopping us on our route to Lawrence, making us a prisoner, and robbing us of a horse, saddle, bridle and a pair of revolvers, and then forcibly carrying us out of the State, and still detaining us as a prisoner while a contemptible charge was brought against us for *treason!*

☞ We can spare a few copies of the *Herald of Freedom* this week, which are put up in wrappers for mailing.—We have, also, a few copies of last week's issue still on hand, with the proceedings of our College meeting, and much other valuable information.

A Choice Document.

We clip from the Lecompton *Union* the following choice communication, dated at Tecumseh, and directed to that journal. Though our columns are already filled with clippings and communications to the exclusion of our own editorials, which were prepared, yet we cannot withhold this from our eastern readers:—

TECUMSEH, K. T. Dec. 22d, 1856.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—The *Union* of the 18th exhibits a state of things in this Territory, that we had no expectation of witnessing under the powerful administration of our Law and Order Governor. The outrage upon the person of the Rev. Mr. Tuten; the threats upon Mr. Spicer; the proclamation of *Governor* Robinson, ordering an election to fill a vacancy in the Topeka Legislature, which is to resume its treasonable labors on the second Tuesday in January next; the conduct of the *Master of convicts*, the Governor's *pet-official*, are alarming signs, and it behooves every lover of his country in Kansas to awaken up, and be on the alert. It is time that the press of the country should speak, and in tones loud, and strains long enough to be heard and harkened to, in every quarter of this Union. What means our Governor? Is this the way in which he intends to fulfil his promises made to the assembled citizens under arms, at Franklin. Does this state of things comport with his inaugural? Where now, are his solemn pledges to maintain the Territorial organization of Kansas? He has permited notorious outlaws to remain in Lawrence, defying writs, sheriffs and marshals. He has strained his influence for merciful moderation towards the traitors. He has shown his strong sympathies for the repudiators by hunting up and arresting law and order citizens without writs; while he has set free those who were arrested under writs, and finally the repudiators of the laws of this Territory claim him as *their friend*.

And, now, they are committing with impunity outrages similar to those which so recently inflamed the land with the horrors of war. Once more Governor Robinson brandishes his scepter, organizes his legion of traitors, and throws the gauntlet in our faces. *Who* is Governor? Robinson or Geary? The former rules in the hearts of his partizans—he *is* Governor to a certain extent. Geary is Governor by virtue of President Pierce's parchment. If Rome could not abide two Cæsars, she flourished under two Consuls; and Kansas is experimenting under two *Governors*. How have the mighty fallen! Geary's advent in Kansas was heralded by a brilliant meteoric shower; the scintilations of his glory penetrated the remote parts of the Republic. With his host of marshals; his corps of scribblers, the army at his heals, he proclaimed himself the *Ruler* of Kansas. Judges and Marshals were commanded to bow to his cap; the troops to march at his beck, to retire at his nod. These attributes of the mighty *Ruler* have melted like snow on a sunny day before the rising prestige of Gov. Robinson. The Law and Order Governor is *non est;* the Repudiator now fills the public eye. While the latter is organizing his party of resistance, the former is setting quiet in his Executive Chamber, patiently waiting for the inauguration of March next, when he doubtless expects to be called to exercise his great talents on a more enlarged sphere, and his *confidential adviser*, whose gratuitous services as *Assistant* Governor, will qualify him to assume the Gubernatorial duties in Kansas—a post far more potent than that of Minnesota.

But, Messrs. Editors, in the meantime what is the duty of every Law and Order citizen of Kansas? Is it not that each should come forward, at this critical period, and enroll under his party banner? It is time for us to meet and counsel—to organize—consolidate against the foul treason, which is again rearing its head in our beloved land.

It is your duty, Messrs. Editors, standing as you do, sentinels on the most important post, to cry the time o'night. You should hail every suspicious passer—scrutinize every act of public interest that passes under your notice—expose and denounce every movement that tends to destroy the integrity of the Territory organization. You, who have the confidence of the people of the Territory, must watch and pray—strike and spare not.

ANTHONY.

The New Year.

The year 1856 is just expiring, and the new one is opening upon us as we indict these lines. The past year has been eventful to residents in Kansas, as it has to many of our readers in the States. But the past is lost among the sands of Time. Let us look forward with hopefulness to the new year, and let each of us labor to make it all it should be—*an era of peace and general prosperity*. To you, gentle reader, for your kindness and confidence in the past, we send you our friendly greeting, and wish each and all a HAPPY NEW YEAR.

☞ We attempted to close up the list of our receipts for 1856, in this number of the *Herald of Freedom*, but were unable to do so. Those who are desirous of seeing our journal closed for want of support, are earnestly requested to examine our actual cash receipts for the last week, and, in fact, for each preceding one since the paper was revived, and take fresh courage.

☞ Our friends in Kansas, who wish to do their relatives in the States a favor, should subscribe for the *Herald of Freedom*, and forward it to them for one year, as a New Year's present.

☞ Be sure and read *all* the new advertisements and business cards this week, of which there are a large number.

☞ Mr. CHRISTIAN wants to be elected to the Council. See his advertisement.

Acknowledgment

Of Receipts for subscriptions to the *Herald of Freedom*, from Dec. 25, to Dec. 31, 1856.

Brought from 4th page,	$301	00
C S Wright, Baldmountain, N Y	2	00
Edward Jenkins, Lawrence, K T	2	00
J W Chaffin, Wilmington, O	2	00
Rob't Way "	1	00
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Everett Colburn, Manhattan, K	2	00
Rev S Pomeroy, Huntsburgh, O	2	00
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Henry Campbell, Lawrence, K T	2	00
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Mrs Rhoda Salisbury "	2	00
Wm Burnham "	2	00
H H Waldo, Rockford, Ill	7	50
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Geo W Dittemore "	2	00
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J A Simonds "	1	00
A H Hovey "	2	00
J W Squires "	1	00
Bradford R Wood, Albany, N Y	2	00
J Collamore, Jr "	2	00
J S Terry, Lowell, Mich	1	00
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Dr A Cornell "	2	00
W P Thompson "	1	00
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Edmund Steers, Centreville, Mich	1	00
G L Stearns, Boston, Mass	2	00
Dr Wm R Lawrence "	2	00
Edward Harris, Woonsocket, R I	2	00
B Lapham, Centreville, R I	2	00
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Dr Seth Fish "	1	50
Chas Cooley "	1	50
A C Marshall "	1	50
Ebenezer Wiley "	1	50
John Hobart "	1	50
Jonathan Cowles "	1	50
Gunn & Howard "	1	50
John B Ward, Hendrysburg, O	15	00
L J Simonds, Lawrence, K T	1	00
S E A Palmer, Florence, N T	1	00
Total,	$746	75

Prices Current.

LAWRENCE, Jan. 3, 1857.

FLOUR—Superfine, $4 50 ℔ hundred.
WHEAT—1 50 ℔ bushel.
CORN—50@60c. "
CORN MEAL—$1 00. "
WHITE BEANS—$2@3 00 ℔ bush.
POTATOES—$1 25@1 50 "
" SWEET—$2 00 "
GREEN APPLES—$1 25@2 00 "
DRIED " —$3 "
CRACKERS—15c. per lb.
FRESH BUTTER—50@35c. ℔ lb.
CHEESE—20@ 25c. "
SALERATUS—12½c. "
BROWN SUGAR—16⅔c. "
WHITE " —18@20c "
RICE—12½c. "
TEAS—75c.@$1 00 "
COFFEE—16⅔@20c. "
BEEF—5@8c. "
BACON—11c. "
CODFISH—10@12½c. "
MACKEREL—12@18c. "
TOBACCO—30@50c. "
MANILLA ROPE—25c. "
SOAP—10c. "
CANDLES—Star, 35c. "
" —Sterine, 25c. "
TALLOW—12½c. "
BEESWAX—20c. "
COTTON BATTING—15@20c. "
IRON—7@10c. "
NAILS—7@10c. "
CASTINGS—9c. "
LOG CHAIN—12½c. "
STOVE PIPE—16⅔c. "
SAD IRONS—10@12½c. "
HIDES—Green, 4c.; dry, 8 @ 10c. ℔ lb.
SALT—℔ sack of 200 lbs., $5 50.
AXES—New England pattern, $1 35.
SAWS—Cross cut, ℔ foot, 75@$1 00.
OX BOWS—℔ piece, 25c.
SOCKS—℔ pair, 50c.; in large demand.
BOOTS—Stogies, ℔ pair, $3@3 75.
" Fine, " $3 75@4 50.
" Calf, " $4 50@5 50.
SHEETINGS—Brown, ℔ yard, 10@12c.
" Bleached, " 12½@20c.
PRINTS—℔ yard, 8@15c.
DELANES— " 25@30c.
OIL—Linseed, ℔ gal., $1 75.
" Lard, " $1 25@1 50.
" Fish, " $1 60.
BURNING FLUID—℔ gal., $1 25.
MOLASSES— " $1 00.
SYRUP " $1 30@1 50.
WOOD—Hard, ℔ cord, $3 00.
COAL—Stone, ℔ bushel, 30c.
SADDLES—$7@15.
HARNESS—Per set, $16@25.
GLASS—8 by 10 per fifty feet, $3 00.
" 10 by 12 " $3 25.
" 10 by 14 " $3 87.
LUMBER—Per thousand, $30@35.

Special Notice.

The Kansas Central Committee have, at the present time, over $5,000 in their possession, which they have received from the National Kansas Committee, with which they were instructed to purchase and distribute provisions to the destitute settlers in Kansas. It is hoped that the citizens of the Territory will see that this fund is properly appropriated, to relieve the suffering inhabitants with fidelity and despatch.

As much complaint has been made with regar to the *partial* and *political* appropriations of that Committee, it has been deemed necessary, in future, to have all contributions that pass through the hands of the National Committee, placed in hands that will equitably distribute it for the purposes intended. We have, therefore, appointed CHAS. STEARNS, Esq., of Lawrence, to assist the undersigned in disbursing the provisions, &c., contributed by the friends of humanity in the East; and Rev. E. Nute, Rev. S. Y. Lum, Rev. C. H Lovejoy, Rev. G. W. Hutchinson, and A. Wattles, Esq., have been appointed a committee to enquire into the wants of the people, and give orders for their supply. Local agents appointed by THADDEUS HYATT, Esq., or the undersigned, as also those appointed by the people in the various districts, are requested to report to the above gentlemen any cases which may require relief in their respective neighborhoods, and, as far as the funds will justify, they will be supplied with provisions, &c.

Several thousand dollars worth of clothing have been shipped by the National Committee, which, we regret to say, have been detained by the unexpected close of navigation. Every effort will be made to have them in the Territory as soon as possible.

All persons who have received information of money or goods having been forwarded to them through the National Committee, and who have not received them, are requested, in the absence of the undersigned, to communicate any information they may have in regard to them, to G. W. Hutchinson, at Lawrence, so that we may take measures to have them reach the owners, as soon as navigation opens.

W. F. M. ARNY,
Gen'l Ag't Nat. Kansas Com.

Lawrence, Jan. 3d, 1858.

A Card.

The Teacher and Pupils of the school at Bloomington, desire to express their thanks to Mr. BROWN, the editor of the Herald of Freedom, for his generous donation of books to replace those which were recently consumed, in the burning of the school house, in that place.

P. P. FOWLER, *Teacher.*

Bloomington, Dec. 25, 1856.

MARRIED.

At Wakarusa, on the 31st of July, by Rev. S. Y. Lum, Mr. CHAS. SMITH to Miss ELIZABETH EGER, both of the former place.

On the 9th of September, by the same, on the Shawnee Reserve, Mr. *S. B. VAN SYCLE* to Miss SUSAN PASCAL FISH.

DIED.

In Sumner township, near Lawrence, on the 14th of Dec., Miss ELMA HERRICK, of dropsy, aged 43 years. The deceased was formerly of East Corinth, Maine.

New Advertisements.

Snow's Imported, Self-adjusting Wind Engine, for grinding, drawing heavy machinery, and other purposes.

THE SUBSCRIBER being largely engaged in the erection of Wind Grist Mills in the State of Illinois, is prepared to execute orders for his Wind Engine, and all parts and portions of the machinery for Flouring Mills, on the shortest notice.

Wind Mills, on this patent, are built by the subscriber so as to secure from one to one hundred horse power in a moderate breeze. This Mill, being perfectly automatic, or self-adjusting, runs perfectly steady, no matter how the wind blows; is perfectly under control; can be depended on, in a prairie situation, nine months in the year, at absolutely no cost whatever for power, and requires no especial attendance.—It is impossible for steam to compete with it for milling. Numbers are now going up under the subscriber's direction, in the State of Illinois.

The *entire* machinery for a mill of two run of four-feet stones, including power, right to use, bolts, stems, elevators, conveyors, curbs, drivers, and all essentials of a mill, delivered at Alton, or St. Louis, on two months' notice, for $4,750.

The same for mill of three run of stones, for $5,750.

TERMS.—Half cash on shipment, balance in not s of six, nine, and twelve months, secured on mill, with legal interest. Proper drafts and specifications for building, &c., accompany each shipment. When desired, a competent millwright will be sent with the machinery, at four dollars a day.

Circulars and particularized information given, by addressing the subscriber, at Dixon, Lee Co., Ill.

WILLIAM D. SNOW.

REFERENCES.

Ward & Bro., Bankers, Rochester, N. Y.
A. W. Snow, No. 187 Fulton St., "
Brewster, Hoyt & Co., Bankers, Chicago, Ill.
Thomas & Reeves, "
S. W. Lewis & Co., Dixon, Ill.

Jan. 3, 1857.—3m

The Great War,

WHICH the ladies of Lawrence declared against "Fuller's Grog Shop," has ended with a victory on the side of Temperance, and the building is now used by the subscribers as a store room for Dry Goods, Groceries, and Provisions; and a cordial invitation is hereby extended to all—but especially to the LADIES—to give us a call, and we will do the very best for them that we can. One thing is certain: they will not be annoyed with the poisonous influence of whisky.

CAMPBELL & COSEBONE.

☞ 5,000 pounds of Pork on hand and for sale. C. & B.

Lawrence, Dec. 29, 1856. tf

To the Voters of the First Council District, Kansas Territory:

FELLOW CITIZENS:—I take this method of announcing myself a candidate for the Council, from this District, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Edward Chapman.

I deem it unnecessary to say anything in regard to the course that will be pursued by me, if elected to that body, as there are few voters in this District, but know the position that I have occupied ever since I have been a resident of this Territory—now nearly two years. But as there may be some who wish a more definite expression, I will say that I am a Buchanan Democrat; and I will endeavor, to the utmost of my ability, to carry out the principles of the Kansas-Nebraska Bill, both in the *letter* and the *spirit*, as I heartily approve the principles of that Act, and consequently will exert my influence to *alter*, or *repeal*, any Act passed by the last Legislature, that may not harmonize with the principles set forth in that Act, or the Constitution of the United States, as I understand them.

Your fellow citizen,
JAMES CHRISTIAN.

Lawrence, Jan. 3, 1857.—tf

Lost!

ON the 23d of November last, between Lecompton and Westport, a Hand Trunk, with the name of "John McAlpin, Pittsburg, Pa.," distinctly marked on the brass plate over the lock. A liberal reward will be given for its delivery to any Stage Agent on the line. E. A. PHILLIPS & CO.

Lawrence, Jan. 3, 1857.-1t*

Central House.

BY B. JOHNSON, Vermont street, Lawrence, Kansas Territory. Board by the week, by the day, or meal, at fair prices.

Jan. 3, 1857.-tf

The Teeth! The Teeth!!

DR. S. A. MARSHALL, DENTIST, would respectfully inform the citizens of Kansas Territory, that he has permanently located in the city of Leavenworth.

All operations in his line performed in the latest, neatest, and most approved manner. With an experience of sixteen years in a city practice, and a close observation of all the latest improvements in the profession, he feels prepared to pledge himself to give entire satisfaction to all who may consult him.

☞ Teeth examined, and advice given, free of charge.

Office on Delaware street, opposite McCracken's.

Leavenworth City, Jan. 3, 1857.

Land Agency.

JOHN B. WOOD respectfully informs the public that he has taken an office in Mr. C. Stearns' store, opposite the post-office, Massachusetts street, where he will be happy to assist those who may wish to buy or sell real estate in this city or Territory. To his large circle of acquaintance in New England he trusts no recommendations on his part are necessary, and to such of them and others, in different parts of the country, as wish to invest money in Kansas, he tenders his services, and assures them that all business entrusted to him shall be attended to with fidelity and despatch.

Persons addressing him will please write "*Kansas*" on their letters, and not "K. T."

Wanted. 10 acres of land in the immediate vicinity of Lawrence, for a fruit and flower garden.

1 Share Lawrence Stock.
1 do Grasshopper Falls Stock.
5 do Manhattan, do
1 do Quindaro, do
1 do Topeka, do
1 do Tecumseh, do
1 Prairie claim, near Lawrence.
1 Timber claim, do do.

Also, a few low priced lots in Lawrence.

FOR SALE.

8 lots on Indiana street.
4 " Mississippi street.
4 " Pennsylvania street.
2 " New Jersey street.
8 " Connecticut street.
1 " Ohio street.
1 " Kentucky street.

A credit will be given for a part of the purchase money, on some of the lots.

Lawrence, Kansas, Dec. 27, 1856.

Town Site Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to owners of city lots in Lawrence, Kansas, that it is necessary that their evidences of title, connecting back to the deeds from the Trustees to the original shareholders, should be immediately placed in the hands of the Register of Deeds of said town, in order that the necessary affidavits may be filed in the Land Office, and also, that titles may issue directly to those who shall be the real owners when the title shall be obtained from the Department.

Be sure that the original deeds from the Trustees, and all transfers since made, be handed in, as the titles will issue to those who *appear* to be the owners.

By order of the Trustees.
E. D. LADD, Register of Deeds.

If sent by mail, the fee for recording, 15 cents per hundred words, in postage stamps, must accompany the deed.

Lawrence, Dec. 27, 1856.

$10 Reward.

STRAYED or stolen, from the vicinity of the mouth of Washington Creek, about the last of November, one large yoke of red and white spotted oxen. The near one girts about seven and a half feet, stands high at the shoulders, buffalo like, with a white spot over the rump; horns shortish, and turn in, one droops a little; left horn marked "J. L." with a knife; age seven or eight; has ear markod. His mate is lighter by two hundred pounds; a very handsome ox, trim leg and head, handsome hornes, white spot on the forehead, and on the rump, also one on the left, running from one shoulder to the other; age nine or ten years; both have other white spots not described.—Communicate with me through the post-office at Lawrence, Kansas.

ALFRED F. BERCAW.

Dec. 27, 1856.

Kansas United States Mail Stages,

Between Lawrence and Leavenworth.

S. SUTHERLAND'S daily line will leave the above points every morning at half past seven o'clock, (Sundays excepted.)

Passengers will register their names for seats at the Cincinnati House, Lawrence, and the Planters' House, Leavenworth.

☞ Express packages will be carried between the two points.

S. SUTHERLAND, Proprietor.

Lawrence, Dec. 27, 1856.

Claim Notice.

I hereby request all persons not to interfere with the south-east quarter of section number eleven, in township number fourteen south, in range number nineteen east, as I intend preempting the same for a home, although my life is threatened by a person who is holding an adjoining claim, and laboring to hold mine, so as to preclude me from enjoying quiet possession for the present, and making the improvements I desire. JUNIUS A. JONES.

Lawrence, Dec. 13, 1856.—3m*

Osage Orange Seed.

120 quarts of the above article for sale by the subscriber. This seed was received direct from the New Orleans agent, Mr. Pithin, and is warranted the genuine article.—Now is the time to procure it, as it is necessary for it to undergo the freezing process before planting. C. STEARNS.

Lawrence, Dec. 27, '56.

DAVIS & CURRIER,

FORWARDING and Commission Merchants, Leavenworth City, K. T.

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KEEP posted on Kansas affairs. To do this subscribe for the HERALD OF FREEDOM.

POTATOES.

JUST received by the subscriber, not from the "Border Ruffians," but from beyond the Wakarusa, 250 bushels splendid Meshannock and Pink Eyed Potatoes,

Nov. 5, 1856. C. STEARNS.

ALMANACS, Almanacs, for 1857—Free, gratis. Call and get one at the CITY DRUG STORE.

"MEMOIRS OF REV. E. P. LOVEJOY," who was slain at Alton, and copies of the "Alton Trials," for sale at the office of the HERALD OF FREEDOM.

G. W. Brown,

COMMISSIONER of DEEDS, and other Instruments of Writing under Seal, and Depositions for Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Vermont, Iowa, Illinois, Ohio, New York, Wisconsin and Maine; will attend to the duties of his office on application at the HERALD OF FREEDOM office.

Lawrence, Dec. 12, 1856.—tf.

Business Cards.

H. I. & F. G. Adams,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW and Land Agents, Leavenworth City, Kansas, will buy and sell real estate, locate land warrants, invest money in Kansas lands, &c., &c.

All business intrusted to them will receive prompt attention.

Leavenworth City, Dec. 20, '56—1y

A. C. Swift,

GENERAL LAND AGENCY. — Having opened a General Agency Office, will attend to all business intrusted to my care. Buying and selling lands and land warrants—land warrants located at reasonable rates—will negotiate the loan of money. Money loaned—taxes paid. Particular care in making investments for those wishing to settle in Kansas.

Leavenworth City, Dec. 20, '56.

John Hutchinson,

LAWYER AND LAND AGENT, Office No. 36 Massachusetts street, Lawrence.