Weekly Times

THURSDAY MORNING, DEC. 18

CITY NEWS.

THE GREAT OFFER.

We will give for a short time to any one sending us three NEW subscribers to THE WEEKLY TIMES for one year at $1.25 each, a handsome, durable, copy of Webster's Dictionary, elegantly printed, gilt edged. Every boy in the county should have one, and can obtain one by asking three neighbors who *do not now take the paper* to subscribe. Makes a little effort and you can get a dictionary that you will prize highly. Remember, it is new subscribers that we want.

HON. THOS. P. FENLON has been ill for two days.

THE police force is to be armed with new "nippers."

The Topeka *Commonwealth* has gone into its new office.

THE Metropolitan Guards will give another party soon.

ATTENTION is called to the advertisement of the New York *Ledger*, in another column. The *Ledger* is the leading family paper of this country, and has an immense subscription among all classes.

A LARGE proportion of children who die early are those whose brain development is unusually large in comparison with the body. Why is this? Simply because the functions of the body are too frail to supply the waste going on in the brain consequent upon active intelligence. Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites is so prepared that it imparts the vital principle directly to the brain, while it assist in developing a vigorous and robust body.

FROM the Rockport, Ind., *Banner*: There is no medicine in the world which has gained such fame as ST. JACOBS OIL; this is, however, not in the least astonishing, when we consider its wonderful curative powers. Mr. Rodenberg, of Grandview, called at our office last week and related the following circumstance: I suffered with rheumatism for over six years; consulted many physicians, and tried hundreds of remedies, but without avail. Having seen ST. JACOBS OIL advertisement in your paper, and heard of some most astonishing cures, I went to Rockport for a bottle of the oil and used it according to directions. The relief I felt was almost electric. I got better at once, and now there is not a trace of rheumatism left in my body.

Dr. Lyon's Tooth Tablets.

Children should use them daily. wed sat 4w

Acknowledged

Chemists and physicians say that Dr. Price's Special Flavoring Extracts are the purest. They are daily increasing in popular favor. Housewives who desire the most delicious flavor in their cakes, puddings and pastry, will get it by using Dr. Price's Extracts.

The First Result.

In almost every case, the first and immediate result of the use of "Compound Oxygen" is an increase of appetite and a new sense of bodily life and comfort. Our treatise sent free. Address Drs. Starkey & Paleen, 1112 Girard Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Our Progress.

As stages and stage routes are quickly abandoned with the completion of railroads, so the huge, drastic, cathartic pills, composed of crude and bulky medicines, are quickly abandoned with the introduction of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets, which are sugar-coated, and little larger than mustard seeds, but composed of highly concentrated Vegetable extracts and are warranted to cure all irregularities of the stomach, liver and bowels. Sold by druggists.

The New Constitution.

The Charter under which the Louisiana State Lottery Company proceeds was, by the vote of the people of Louisiana, imbedded in the new constitution so that no fluctuations of politics or adverse private interests can hereafter interfere with the regular drawings of the company, the next of which occurs on the 13th of January. This vote of the people shows the confidence felt in the Company at home, where it is best known. Particulars in the advertisement elsewhere, and full ler information obtained by addressing M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, La., or New York.

Convalescent.

The many friends of Mr. Daniel Shire will be pleased to learn that he is, although yet confined to his room, rapidly recovering from his illness, which has kept him housed for five weeks. The streets do not seem the same without his genial face appearing now and then, with a cordial "Good Morning Sir." He thinks he will be out in a few days.

THE reason why medical practitioners do not hesitate to prescribe Dr. F. Wilhoft's Anti-Periodic or Fever and Ague Tonic is as follows: Messrs. Wheelock, Finley & Co., of New Orleans, its proprietors, have published its composition, and physicians have approved it because it contains no dangerous drug, and because it invariably proves successful. It is for sale by all druggists.

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DIED.

CLANCY.—At the residence of her son-in-law, Michael Davoren, No 726 Cheyenne St., December 17, 1879, at 10.30 a. m., MRS JULIA CLANCY, of general debility, in the 76th year of her age.

Funeral takes place from the Cathedral this morning at nine o'clock, when a high mass of requiem will be said. Friends of the family are invited.

Irish World and New York *Sun* please copy.

The deceased was known to many in the city, and her many virtues, added to an accomplished and educated mind, had endeared her to all. The pure and beneficient life she lived leaves its impress upon her children and relatives, who are filling honored, useful spheres in life. Many will mourn her while feeling that her sleep is that of the blessed.

WHOOPING Cough is successfully treated by separating the patients beyond hearing distance of each other, and by the employment of Fellows Hypophosphites. Hooping cough is a nervous disease of so sympathetic a nature, that a paroxysm may be produced in one susceptible by simply hearing the cough of another person. The above named treatment has been found singularly effective.

AMUSEMENTS.

PROF. FOWLER.

Prof. O. S. Fowler, the head of Phrenology for fifty years in this country, delivered his second and last lecture to a large and appreciative audience, last evening, and gave some most excellent advice as to the mangement of children and self-culture. It is needless to dwell upon the subject as to his ability of giving some useful advice to both old and young. At the close of the lecture he made a phrenological examination, as a test before the audience, of Mr. Plowman, justice of the peace, which was remarkably correct in all its details, and to the satisfaction of the whole audience. The Professor will remain two days longer at the Planters' house, where he can be consulted professionally.

ABROAD.

We are in receipt of an invitation to attend the fourth annual peace dance of Paniokee Tribe No. 2, Independent Order of Red Men, at Girard, Kansas. The English of the time set, is Christmas eve, but the translation into the heathen tongue reads: "24th Sleep Hunting Moon, G. S. D. 388." The officers give the usual outandish names. We may not be there, but the Great Spirit will be with the party.

ST. JOSEPH TRAVELERS.

We are in receipt of an invitation to attend the annual ball to be given by the Commercial Traveler's Association of St. Joseph, at their Opera house on the evening of January 2nd. These balls rank higher than any given in the West. The Secretary encloses a very handsome $5.00 ticket.

AT HOME.

Several of our prominent singers are practicing on a three act Operetta, which will be produced in the new theater at an early date.

MINOR NOTES.

—Patti sang in Topeka last night.

—The Atchison Turners are to have a Christmas tree and party.

—"As You Like It," was on the stage in St. Joseph night before last.

—The St. Joseph Hook and Ladder company is to have a ball soon.

—There will be a grand Christmas ball at Tonganoxie Christmas night.

—The Saville English Opera company will be in St. Joseph Dec. 23d and 24th.

—Red Ribbon Hall is the name of a well-patronized establishment in St. Joseph.

—O'Neil and Brandon's minstrels give a performance at Easton to-night. The troupe contains much good talent and the program selected is an excellent one. The orchestra is one of the best in the country.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One house and lot, or three houses and five lots, for improved land in the country. This property is convenient to the Rock Island Depot.
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HOUSE AND FARM.

Four Seasons.

I.

In the balmy April weather,
My love, you know,
When the corn begin to grow,
What winks we took together,
What sighs we breathed together,
What vows we prayed together,
In the days of long ago!

II.

In the golden summer weather,
My love, you know,
When the mowers went to mow,
What home we built together,
What babes we watched together,
What plans we planned together,
While the skies were all aglow.

III.

In the rainy autumn weather,
My love, you know,
When the winds began to blow,
What tears we cried together,
What mounds we heaped together,
What hopes we lost together,
When we laid our darling low!

IV.

In the wild and wintry weather,
My love, you know,
With our heads as white as snow,
What prayers we prayed together,
What fears we shared together,
What heaven we seek together,
For our time has come to go!

THEODORE TILTON.

—The average size of an Irish farm is 20 acres.

—Never let a cow go into winter quarters in a poor, thin condition.

—A man in Easton, Me., has this year harvested 10,000 bushels of potatoes from 45 acres of ground.

—A hog fifteen months old, raised by Mr. T. H. Lewy, of Uniontown, Fayette county, weighs 755 pounds.

—A strong decoction of peach tree leaves is reported to be a specific for chicken cholera: dose, one-half teaspoonful.

—The farmers of the Northwest have made from $70,000,000 to $100,000,000 by the raise in the price of grain this season.

—At a recent potato show in England, where nearly 1,400 plates were shown, a large number were of American varieties.

—The *Prairie Farmer* states that Holstein cattle are continuing to attract more and more a condition in the West and South.

—Machines for shearing sheep and milking cows have not proved successful. These processes are best performed in the old-fashioned way.

—Buckwheat is one of the most staple articles of poultry food. It is very fattening, an egg-producer, and very much relished by poultry.

—A writer truly says that there is no need to go beyond the farm yards and stables to estimate the condit on of the farm or to judge of the success of the owner.

—The French farmers do not take kindly to scientific agriculture, as the savants understand the term. They cultivate well, and saved in every possible item of cost.

—One hawk has destroyed for Mr. Charles Miller, of Chester county, Pa., over thirty chickens in one month. It is of the kind called ice long-tailed pimpan black.

—It is stated that on James I. Ray's farm, in Lewis and Clark county, Montana, this season, one acre yielded 62 bushels of wheat, the largest yield of wheat ever recorded.

—A farmer cannot work his farm safely without knowing all about his soil. Every field should be studied as to the results of certain methods with fertilizers upon it.

—November returns show that the wheat yield this year will be 260,000,000 bushels greater than it was last, while the increase in the corn crop reaches 200,000,000 greater.

—Here is a rare specimen of the profits of horticulture worth striving for: The orainator of a new white outdoor grape, suited to our climate, is said to have sold the "copyright" of the same for $30,000.

—Rot among the sheep is a late disaster announced to have overtaken English flocks. It is laid to the deluge of rain there for the past year, keeping the ground so wet as to be unwholesome for sheep pasturage.

—*The Rural New Yorker* says that Sutton's Magnum Bonum potato has proven so productive and so disease-resisting in England and Ireland that it is proposed to import a sufficient quantity another season to give it a trial here.

—Professor Sheldon, in his new work on dairy farming, assumes that 250,000,000 gallons of milk are annually made into cheese in England, and 250,000,000 gallons of butter. The quantity of the former product made is 126,000 tons, and the latter 89,285 tons.

—Oats should be bruised for an old horse, but not for a young one, because the former, through age and defective teeth, cannot chew them properly; the young horse can do so and they are thus properly mixed with saliva and turned into wholesome nourishment.

—A good test of the hardiness of any variety of forest trees is found in the ripening of its seeds (fruit). If a variety does no perfect its seeds in a given locality, it is regarded as very good evidence that it is not sufficiently hardy to be generally cultivated in such sections.

—This is a good season to haul the wood to the house for the whole year. It can then be cut for the stove and fireplace in stormy weather, when nothing else can be done. It will make the women folks pleasant to have plenty of good, dry fire-wood cut and put away for the year.

—The Lancaster county, Pa., farmers, report that the wheat crop looks well, with the exceptions where the fly and drought have been. The young clover sowed last spring is said to be very poor, and some of it is so bad that it will have to be turned under to make room for corn.

—Fasten a short piece of a log chain—say five or six links—by means of a light strap to his leg just above the knee (in the stable of course), and see how quick that pawing horse will leave off the habit. In most cases a few days will be sufficient to effect a cure. So says the *Tribune* correspondent.

—Good carriage horses, for which there is always a demand, are produced by crossing staunch thoroughbreds upon large, handsome, roomy mares. There is money in this class of horses. To fill the requirements of usefulness the horse must be of good temper, well broken to work, sound and honest.

—Kind treatment and every care are fine to an animal from whose service man derives such important benefits; but too often does man forget that he has a duty to perform, not only towards his fellow-man, but toward those domestic animals which Providence has intrusted to him for his welfare.

—A cow that belongs to Curtis McQuillin, of Wharton township, Fayette county, Pa., some time ago experienced difficulty in calving. Amos Sybert made an incision in the cow's side, extracted the calf, sewed up the wound, and although this was done in May last both cow and calf are living and doing well.

—Good things to have handy where there are horses: White lead, for bruises or breaks in skin, saddle galls, etc. Bathing whisky, with about two ounces of turpentine, two ounces of hartshorn and a little camphor, for sprains, stiffness, etc. Leaf lard, for cuts. Coal oil applied to a slight sprain is also good.

—The *Rural New Yorker* recently published an engraving which burlesques the enormous weight hogs have been made to reach. This engraving shows a porcine specimen as round as a dinner, labelled 1,969½ pounds, and revolving to the draft of two horses like a wheel. This called the modern way of taking fat hogs to market.

—The farmer cultivates his farm in summer, and it yields a bountiful crop of grain. In winter he should improve his leisure time in cultivating his mind, so that it may yield a bountiful crop of thoughts. Neither the farm nor mind will be productive without cultivation. Rank weeds will grow up and smother all that is valuable.

—A Bucks county farmer indorses the following receipe for the foot disease in cattle: Take one pint of fish oil (lard oil will answer); add two ounces of oil of vitriol; let it stand until the vitriol and oil are one liquid; then add a half pint of turpentine. Be careful to pour in a little of this at a time or it may explode the bottle; had better set in a bucket of cold water when this is added.

Weaning Pigs.

The following plan was furnished for weaning pigs by a New Jersey farmer: When the pigs are a proper age to be taken from the sow shut them in the pen in the morning; let them out a little while at noon and again at evening. The second day let them out only at morning and evening, keeping them up at night. This will insure the sow's drying up at once.

Water for Cattle.

[S Lafayette, Indiana.]

I often hear advice given to salt cattle often. Now, I believe that cows should have salt at least once a week—twice is really not too often—but care should also be taken that they have access to water. My experience is that salt, unless soon followed by water to dilute it, has injurious effects. It produces alone a fever in the stomach, and creates a burning thirst which is bad for the animal.

The Feeding Value of Potatoes.

Henry Stewart, of New York, says it is pretty certain that potatoes are worth 25 cents a bushel to feed to hogs, cows or horses. They contain 15 or 16 per cent. of starch and some albuminoids; 2½ pounds of starch are worth 1 pound of fat or oil for feeding. Potatoes are cheaper for stock 50 at 25 cents a bushel than cottonseed meal is at $25 a ton. As raw starch is only partially digested in an animal's stomach, potatoes ought to be cooked. If it will pay to cook anything it will pay to cook potatoes.

Measuring Hay.

[Michigan Farmer.]

To find the number of tons in long or square stacks, the following is the rule: Multiply the length in yards by the width in yards, and that by half the altitude in yards, and divide the product by fifteen. To find the number of tons in circular stacks: Multiply the square of the circumference in yards by four times the altitude in yards, and divide by 100. The quotient will be the number of cubic yards in the stack. Then divide by 15 to get the number of tons.

At Milking Time.

[Farm and Fireside.]

At milking time we do not want so much talking and running around the "pound" or yard. We want all of those who are not milking to either stay away or to act quietly and sensibly. We do not want the cattle chased all around the yard with a stalk or a heavy stick, until they are "tired enough to stand still now, are you?" but by being uniformly kind we want each cow to know that we come to relieve her of her milk, which we intend to do quietly and quickly. We want her to understand that we are her best friend and not intent on injuring her in any way. By having only quiet, experienced milkers, you will, reader, be surprised at the great difference in the daily yield of milk. It is scarcely necessary to caution cleanliness at milking-time, for all should know it its great importance; but we must speak of the habit of moistening the cows' teats to make the milking easier. This may be the case, but when this is persisted in the teats are apt to harden and crack. The best plan is to sponge them off just before milking with pure water—warm in winter, cool in summer—and, when they have dried off do the milking and the teats will always be nice.

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OSAWATOMIE, KAN., Dec 6th, 1879.

SEALED PROPOSALS in duplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached thereto, will be received at the institution for the blind, at Wyandotte, Kansas, until o'clock p. m., January 12, 1880, at which time the bids will be opened for furnishing the Insane Asylum at Osawatomie and Topeka; the Institution for the Blind, at Wyandotte and the Institution for the Deaf Dumb, at Olathe, with dry goods, groceries, fuel and miscellaneous supplies.

Separate bids will be received for dry goods, groceries, fuel and miscellaneous supplies.

The board of trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or to accept or reject any part thereof.

A deposit of $500.00 certified check for that amount, must accompany each proposal, payable to A. P. Riggs, Treasurer of Charitable Institutions, as a guarantee that the contract, if awarded, will be faithfully complied with.

Circulars containing full information for bidder, as to kind, quantity and quality of goods required, terms of contract and date of payment, and other details can be had by addressing RUBEN SMITH, Steward, State Insane Asylum, Osawatomie, Kas.

By order of the Board of Trustees,
EDWIN KNOWLES, President.
C. E. FAULKNER Secretary. decthlowx3t

Sheriff's Sale 127.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under and by virtue of a judgment rendered in the District Court in the county of Leavenworth, in the State of Kansas, in an action wherein the German Bank, of Leavenworth, Kansas, is plaintiff, and John Baker, and others, are defendants, and an execution issued on said judgment, to me directed and delivered. I will on Monday, the 12th day of January, A. D. 1880, at 11 o'clock a. m., of that day, at the south front door of the Court House in the city of Leavenworth, in the County of Leavenworth, in the state of Kansas, offer at public sale and sell to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described tracts of land, situate, lying and being in the county of Leavenworth, in the State of Kansas, namely: The undivided half of lots one (1), two (2) and three (3), in block one (1), in Leavenworth City, proper, as per plat of said city on file in the office of the Register of Deeds for Leavenworth County, Kansas.

Dated this 11th day of December, 1879.
P G LOWE,
Sheriff of Leavenworth Co., Ks.
LUCIEN BAKER, Attorney for Plaintiff.

FOR SALE OR TO EXCHANGE—For improved Leavenworth City property, four lots in Tonganoxie, Kansas, with the following improvements thereon: Two story building 25x40 feet, suitable for store or boarding house, at present used as blacksmith shop and dwelling house; also one story building 20x30 feet, used at present as wagonmaker shop. Enquire on the premises of H. C. John or H. Epsen, Leavenworth, Kansas. d2twnov29

Administrator's Notice.

THE STATE OF KANSAS, } ss.
LEAVENWORTH COUNTY,

In the Probate Court in and for said county.

In the matter of the Estate of Francis Zedon, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Letters of Administration have been granted to the undersigned on the Estate of Francis Zedon, late of said county, deceased, by the Honorable, the Probate Court of the county and State aforesaid, dated the eighth day of December, A. D. 1879. Now, all persons having claims against the said Estate are hereby notified that they must present the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year from the date of said Letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and that if such claims be not exhibited within three years after the date of said letters, they shall be forever barred.

S. SIMMONDS, Administrator
Of the Estate of Francis Zedon, deceased.
Thursday Dec. 11, 1879. w3t

In the Probate Court of said county and State. In the matter of the estate of Wm. S. Gable, deceased.

TO creditors and all other persons interested in the aforesaid estate, are hereby notified, that at the next regular term of the Probate Court, in and for said county, to be begun and held at the court room, in the city and county of Leavenworth, State of aforesaid, on the first Monday in the month of January, A. D. 1880, I shall apply to the said court for a full and final settlement of said estate, and that I will at the same time apply for an allowance for services; reasonable compensation as administrator, be allowed by court upon due hearing therefore had; also for necessary attorney's fees and other expenses deemed reasonable and necessarily incurred, to be ascertained upon like hearing during the administration of said estate.

B B. MOORE,
Administrator of the Estate of Wm. S. Gable, Deceased.

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Dated this 11th day of December, 1879.
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Sheriff of Leavenworth County Kansas.
H. W. IDE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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LEAVENWORTH COUNTY,

In the Probate Court in and for said county

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Henry Pierson, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that letters of administration, with the will annexed, have been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Jacob Henry Pierson, late of said county, deceased, by the Honorable, the Probate Court of said county and State aforesaid, dated the 16th day of October, A. D. 1879. Now, all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified that they must present the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and that if such claims be not exhibited within three years after the date of said letters, they shall be forever barred.

WILLIAM H. LEWIS,
Administrator, with will annexed, of the estate of Jacob Henry Pierson, deceased.
Thursday, December 11, 1879. w3w.

Notice of Final Settlement.

THE STATE OF KANSAS, } ss
LEAVENWORTH, COUNTY.

In the Probate Court in and for said county and State.

In the matter of the Estate of John Maloney, Deceased.

CREDITORS and all other persons interested in the aforesaid estate, are hereby notified, that at the next regular term of the Probate Court, in and for said county, to be begun and held at the court room, in the city and county of Leavenworth, State of aforesaid, on the first Monday in the month of January, A. D. 1880, I shall apply to the said court for a full and final settlement of said estate, and that I will at the same time apply for an allowance for services; reasonable compensation for my services as Administrator of said estate, and for necessary Attorney fees.

JOHN BUCKLEY, Administrator
Of the estate of John Maloney, deceased.
by Taylor & Mann, his Attorneys.
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Assignee's Notice.

THE creditors of Sparrow & Jones, and all persons interested are hereby notified that the undersigned assignee of the estate of said Sparrow & Jones will, on Saturday, the 6th day of December, A. D. 1879, make application to the District Court of Leavenworth county, Kansas, for a discharge from his said trust, and will on that day file his petition for said discharge in said court as provided for by the laws of the State of Kansas.

Dated October 23, 1879.

GEORGE D. FARR,
Assignee of Sparrow & Jones.
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Publication Notice.

THE STATE OF KANSAS, } ss.
LEAVENWORTH COUNTY,

In the District Court of Leavenworth County.

F. P. Goddard, Plaintiff,
vs.
Jane A. Coulter Sarah F. Farrow, William H. Goddard, M. T. Goddard, Mary Ann Strode, John S. Goddard, D. P. Judd, James R. Judd, Joella T. Judd, Samuel N. Judd, Laura F. A. Judd, Phebe J. Nower, and William H. Judd, Defendants.

You Jane A. Coulter, Sarah F. Farrow, William H. Goddard, M. T. Goddard, Mary Ann Strode, D. P. Judd, James R. Judd, Joella T. Judd, Samuel N. Judd, Laura F. A. Judd, Phebe J. Nower, and William H. Judd are hereby notified that you together with John B. Goddard have been sued in the above named court by the above named plaintiff, and that the said plaintiff has filed his petition against you and unless you answer said petition by the fifth day of January A. D. 1880, said petition will be taken as true and judgement rendered against you and the said John B. Goddard for the partition of the following described lands and tenements, situated in the County of Leavenworth and State of Kansas, to wit: The east 50 acres of the north one half of the north west quarter of section twenty-seven, in township seven, of range twenty-one, and the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-seven, in township seven, of range twenty-one containing forty acres; and the southeast quarter of section twenty-eight, township seven, and range twenty-one, and also a piece and parcel of land beginning ten rods west of the northeast corner of section thirty-three (33), Township seven (7), range twenty-one (21), thence south twenty chains and a half (20½), thence west twenty chains (20), thence north fourteen and a half chains (14½), thence north seventy-one and a half degrees (71½), west three and 84-100 chains, thence due northwest six chains and sixty links to the section line, thence east twenty-eight chains and twenty five links to the place of beginning, containing forty-four acres according to surveyor's certificate, (subject however to the conditions of a lease which the said Jane A. Coulter and Julia M. Marvin have given Union School District No. 31, Leavenworth and Atchison county to the use of land in the northeast corner of said tract.

And adjudging the plaintiff to be the owner of one undivided eighth part of the above described lands and tenements, and the said defendents Jane A. Coulter, Sarah F. Farrow, William H. Goddard, M. T. Goddard, Mary Ann Strode, John S Goddard, each to be the owner of one undivided eighth part of the above described lands and tenements, and the said defendant D. P. Judd to be the owner of one undivided sixteenth part of the above described lands and tenements, and the said defendants James R. Judd, Joella T. Judd, Samuel N. Judd, Laura F. A. Judd, Phebe J. Nower and William K. Judd each to be the owner of one undivided ninety sixth part of the above described lands and tenements, and for such other proceedings and relief as are provided for by the laws of the state of Kansas in cases in partition.

SPRINGER & SPRINGS,
Attorneys for Plaintiff