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For County Assessor
J. W. CAWLFIELD.

☞ It will be seen by referring to another column, that there will be a Union County Convention at Osawkee on next Monday, Oct. 22d, for the purpose of nominating two candidates for Representatives in the Territorial Legislature.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK for November is a superb number of this best of fashionable magazines. Though the "Lady's Book" has many imitators, it has *not one equal* in the channel of usefulness it was the first to launch into. A woman's education is not finished when she quits the Boarding School; and every lady should have a copy of Godey as an auxiliary in many of the branches she has yet to learn. $3 a year, in advance.

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THE OHIO CULTIVATOR for Oct. 1st, is a model number of this excellent agricultural and horticultural work. We would be glad to see it in the hands of every farmer in Kansas. It is issued semi monthly, at $1 a year in advance. Address S. D. Harris, Editor and Proprietor, Columbus, Ohio.

Townsdrow's Conveyance Guide.

We have received No. 3 of Vol. 1 of a work entitled "Townsdrow's Conveyance Guide, in and about New York, and fifty miles around, showing railroads, steamers, stages, ferries, expresses, telegraph lines, &c.," which is designed for the use of "merchants, shippers, hotel keepers, express men, travelers, and pleasure-seekers." It is corrected and published every week by Schonberg & Co., No. 80 Beaver St., New York, at $3 per annum, or $1 for four months. The publishers have in preparation, which will soon be published in connection with this Guide, a superbly executed "Map of New York and fifty miles Around," a copy of which annual subscribers to the "Guide" will be entitled.

THE PRINTER for September is an excellent number of this valuable monthly. It contains much instructive reading matter for printers, and not a small amount that would be of interest to all classes. No member of the "craft" should be without it. $1 a year in advance, or ten cents per number. Address Henry & Greason, Publishers, No. 11 Spruce Street, N. Y.

THE FESTIVAL last week was a complete success, and every body was delighted at the result. It was decidedly the finest entertainment we have ever attended in Jefferson County. About forty dollars, clear of all expenses were made with which to furnish the new church.

ESCAPED.—On Wednesday night of last week, James M. Johnson and William H. Irish, by means of some instruments that were doubtless furnished to them by some one from the outside, filed off their irons, unlocked the jail door, and escaped. Nothing has been heard of them since that has led to their arrest. The next morning, before any one suspected that they had absconded, Lafayette Wendell, who was also a prisoner in the jail with them came leisurely up to the Dutton House "to get a warm breakfast."

Dedication.

The new Methodist Episcopal church in Oskaloosa, Jefferson county, Kansas, will be dedicated to the worship of Almighty God on Sabbath October 21st, 1860, by Rev. JAMES SHAW, of Leavenworth district. Services to commence at 11 o'clock A. M. The ministers of adjoining charges are invited to attend.

S. BROOKS, Pastor.

We direct attention to the card of A. J. FRANCIS, attorney at law. Mr. F. proposes to practice law in all the courts of the territory.

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THE subscriber wishes to inform the citizens of Oskaloosa and the surrounding country, that he is now prepared to manufacture to order, all kinds of
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Come north, come south; come east, come west
For here's the place old soles can rest:
Come poor, come rich, come hardened sinner,
And help along the new beginner.
NORMAN MACUMBER.
Oskaloosa, Kansas, Sept, 24th, 1860. 12-3m

SHERIFF'S SALE.
Territory of Kansas, }
County of Jefferson. }
Seligman & Stellheimer,
vs.
Springer & Fries.
By virtue of an order of an alias and pluries execution to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the First District Court sitting in Leavenworth County, Kansas territory, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Samuel H. Springer and Chas. Fries, had to the following described Real Estate, to wit: The north west quarter of section eight (8), township eight (8) of range twenty (20), in Jefferson County, Kansas Territory; which I will offer for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash in hand on Friday the 19th day of October, A. D. 1860, at the Court House in the village of Oskaloosa, County and Territory aforesaid, between the hours of one o'clock P. M. and six o'clock P. M. of that day.
Sheriff's Office, Oskaloosa, Kansas.
J. F. HINTON, Sheriff.
JOHN L. PENDERY, Att'y for Plff. 11-3

J. H. BENNET,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
General and Real Estate Agent,
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Commissioner for Ohio.
Collections made; taxes paid. Practical Surveyor. Business entrusted to my care will be attended promptly.
10-tf J. H. BENNET.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
Territory of Kansas,
County of Jefferson.
John R. Grist,
vs.
J. L. Speer.
By virtue of an execution to me directed, issued by the Clerk of the First District Court sitting in said County for the trial of causes arising under the laws of said territory, I will on Saturday, October 13th, 1860, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at the Court House door in the village of Oskaloosa, in said county offer at public sale to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following real estate to-wit: the undivided one half of the South West quarter of section twenty (20), in Township nine (9) of range nineteen (19) of the Delaware Trust Lands, in Jefferson County, Kansas Territory, levied upon as the property of J. L. Speer, to satisfy said Execution.
J. F. HINTON,
Sheriff's office Oskaloosa Kansas.
JOHNSTON STINSON & HAVENS Att'y for Plff.

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A liberal share of public patronage is solicited.
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August 29th, 1860, 8-tf

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Oskaloosa, Kan. July

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July 15th, 2-3m JOHN N. HALL.

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OSKALOOSA, KANSAS.

Territory of Kansas, }
First District, } In the District Court of said Territory sitting in said County for the trial of causes arising under the Laws of said Territory.
County of Jefferson. }
George Bert vs J. L. Speer and John Speer.
APPRAISEMENT NOTICE.
To John Speer, one of the defendants.
You being a non-resident of Jefferson County, are hereby notified that I will, on the 25th day of October A. D. 1860 between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P. M. of that day, at the North-east corner of the tract of land herein after, in this notice, described, cause to be appraised according to law, the following described tract of land to-wit: the North East quarter of Section thirty-two (32) in Township No nine (9) of Range No Seventeen (17) of the Delaware Trust Lands in said County of Jefferson and Territory of Kansas, the said land to be sold by me as directed by an order issued in the above entitled cause out of said District Court.
J. GILL SPIVEY,
Master Commissioner of said county.
Oct. 2d 1860. 13-3w

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OILS, DYES, WINDOW GLASS,
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All business entrusted to my care will receive prompt attention on reasonable terms.
COUNTY SCRIP always on hand for sale at current rates. -tf.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
Territory of Kansas, }
County of Jefferson. }
John P. Norris,
vs
David Schiller and Joseph E. Haddox.
By virtue of an order to me directed issued by the Clerk of the First District Court sitting in said county for the trial of causes arising under the Laws of said territory, I will, on Saturday, the 6th day of October, A. D. 1860, between the hours of one and three o'clock P. M. of that day, at the Court House door in the Village of Oskaloosa, in said county, offer at public sale to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following real estate to-wit: The North West quarter of Section thirty-two (32) in Township eight (8) of Range eighteen (18), except 2½ acres, appraised at Five Hundred Dollars; also, the North East quarter of Section thirty-two (32) in Township eight (8) of Range eighteen (18), appraised at Five Hundred Dollars, and levied on as the property of David Schiller and Joseph E. Haddox to satisfy said order.
J. F. HINTON, Sheriff.
Sheriff's office, Oskaloosa, Aug. 30, 1860.
JOHNSTON, STINSON & HAVENS,
3w-36 Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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Until the undersigned arrives at his future home, to take charge of the office, the business and local interests of the paper will be conducted by JOHN W. DAY, Esq., Oskaloosa, Kansas, to whom applications should be made or letters addressed.
J. W. ROBERTS, Proprietor.

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Fever and Ague is not alone the consequence of the miasmatic poison. A great variety of disorders arise from its irritation, among which are Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Gout, Headache, Blindness, Toothache, Earache, Catarrh, Asthma, Palpitation, Painful Affection of the Spleen, Hysteries, Pain in the Bowels, Colic, Paralysis, and Derangement of the Stomach, all of which, when originating in this cause, put on the intermittent type, or become periodical. This "CURE" expels the poison from the blood, and consequently cures them all alike. It is an invaluable protection to immigrants and persons travelling or temporarily residing in the malarious districts. If taken occasionally or daily while exposed to the infection, that will be excreted from the system, and cannot accumulate in sufficient quantity to ripen into disease. Hence it is even more valuable for protection than cure, and few will ever suffer from Intermittents, if they avail themselves of the protection this remedy affords.

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