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Of five thousand bills introduced in the House, this session, fourteen hundred are for pensions.

A BILL has been introduced in the Wyoming Legislature to tax bachelors, lawyers and "other animals."

A BILL has been introduced in the Maryland legislature to apportion the state school tax so that colored and white schools may be equalized.

THE death rate among Congressmen has been such, the present session, as to attract very general attention. The decease of Mr. Mackey, of South Carolina, whose funeral was held yesterday in the House of Representatives, was the sixth that has thus far taken place among our legislators.

THE bill for the relief of Fitz-John Porter, which has been occupying the attention of Congress more or less for several years, has at last passed the House, and it will very likely pass the Senate. When this subject is disposed of it will be a relief not only to Fitz-John Porter, but to the whole country.

DAKOTA is almost ready for admission into the Union. Her politicians are calling each other liars, the Governor has been charged with bribery, two Episcopal dioceses have been created, Henry Villard has smashed all to pieces, and the snow is seven feet on a dead level. All that is needed now to qualify Dakota for an equal rank with the border states is an embroidered night shirt and a bonanza vulgarian to fill it.—Bee.

By the House land-grant forfeiture bill that passed the House, if concurred in by the Senate, which now seems probable, 20,000,000 will be thrown open to settlement that would have belonged to the railroad companies had they lived up to their contracts with the government. This is as it should be. It is nothing more than right that those who fail to come up to their contracts in such matters should pay the penalty of their dereliction.

THE "fence" or "free grass" question in Texas has created a great excitement in that state. The owners of large herds of cattle and the land owners have been at war for some time and the Legislature fails to afford relief. To show the extent of feeling upon the subject, State Senator Jewell received an anonymous letter threatening that if free grass was interfered with by the Legislature, all the waters in the state of Texas enclosed in pastures would be poisoned. The mysterious sweeping off of cattle in some sections gives foundation for serious apprehensions.

THE telegraph columns of the Journal have lately contained two awful temperance lectures. A few days ago a man named Anderson was burned to death in his store at Sacramento, this state. Yesterday morning a special dispatch contained the intelligence that Henry B. Holmes, of Bloomington, had met a like fate in his barn. We knew Holmes well. He was not a drunkard. He was a moderate drinker who "knew when he had enough." But at last he drank too much. Not so much but that he could reach home in safety and go to his barn and see about his stock. He had drank enough to dull his intellect and make him careless. He probably struck a match, lighted his lantern, and dropped the blazing lucifer unnoticed upon the hay. The blaze sprang up, and when he, turning from the rear of the burning building, would go out, he found himself confronted with a wall of fire. His sensations during the few awful seconds left to him cannot be contemplated without a shudder. A genial and popular man, a good citizen, he is cut off by the demon of alcohol in a moment, leaving a widow and children to battle with the world alone, the same fell fiend that deprived them of husband and father sweeping away much of their means of subsistence. Young man, the only safety is in abstinence.—Topics.

CARRICO COINGS.

THE TRIBUNE is meeting the ideas of this people.

Measles will soon be a thing of the past. Only one case on the docket.

Stockmen on this portion of the Willow say they find it to their interest to trade at McCook.

Mr. Troth besides buying L. K. Sitter's interest on this creek, has purchased the stock belonging to Dean Wilber. Mr. Troth likes the creek and has come to stay. His family will be here in March.

Miss Braugh has returned from North Platte whither she accompanied her brother. Report says Mr. Braugh will choose a wife from among the North Platte belles and travel through the Southern States for a few weeks.

Carrico, Neb., Feb. 2. W. Fine grazing for cattle. Snow almost all gone.

A. Camp has about 800 head of sheep on his ranch at the head of the Willow.

Schuyler Braugh recently made final proof of his claim on the Willow. He has fine hay land.

E. N. Keeler, who has a good hay land claim at the head of Living Water, is building a turf house on the same.

Geo. Gowring, E. Wheaton and father, are amongst the enterprising men who have claims in the same neighborhood.

Mrs. LaTourette, accompanied by two McCook ladies and a child, made her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tate of Carrico, a visit recently.

Baily Bros. are feeding their horses and cattle hay this winter. They recently purchased Tomblinson Bros.' ranch at the head of Blackwood.

Widow Braugh, living at the Lake, has ten acres of young timber which looks well. She has a splendid dwelling house and other buildings on her homestead. PHILLO.

February 1st. TERRIBLE STATE OF THINGS among the manufacturers of cheap and adulterated Baking Powder, at the capture of their trade by DeLand & Co., with their Chemical Baking Powder, wherever the two have come together. The American people are able and willing to pay for a first-class article when it is offered to them. Sold by Hayden & Co.

EXPRESS AGENT DYER, at Red Cloud, was held up by masked road agents near town, one evening last week. The haul was not worth the trouble—\$2.75. Mr. Dyer says he "gazed complacently down the barrels of three cocked" revolvers from the wrong end," which alone was worth the price of admission.

This time Baker Pasha receives the compliments of the False Prophet in Soudan. El Mahdi relieves him of about three-fourths of his heterogeneous command in the same old paralyzing manner.

M. N. PARMALIE, ex-B. & M. agent at Juniata, is said to have gobbled about \$200 from the express packages of the company. The tiger and toddy led to it.

NOTICES OF COMPLAINT.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., January 22d, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Abraham V. Olmsted against William R. Brown for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1221, dated North Platte, Neb., July 16, 1879, upon the southeast 1/4 section 19, township 1 north, range 29 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. Land Office, McCook, Neb., January 28th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Anton Probst against Arthur F. Hitchcock for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 710, dated North Platte, Neb., May 26th, 1879, upon the southwest quarter section 29, township 4 north, range 30 west 6th P. M., in Red Willow county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 8th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., January 14th 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by William McIntyre against John Volak for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1223, dated at North Platte, Neb., October 17, 1879, upon the southeast 1/4 northwest 1/4 and lots 3, 4, and 5 section 6, township 3 north, range 29 west, in Red Willow county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 7th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. Land Office, McCook, Neb., January 22d, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Minnie Dyer against William H. Graves for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1227, dated at North Platte, Neb., January 5, 1880, upon the northeast quarter section 10, township 3 north, range 30 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 11th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., January 11th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Michael Duffy against William Carper for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 227, dated at North Platte, Neb., April 20, 1880, upon the northwest quarter section 17, township 1 north, range 29 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of March, 1884, at 1 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. Land Office, McCook, Neb., January 22d, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Minnie Dyer against Stephen S. Roberts for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 717, dated North Platte, Neb., May 27, 1879, upon the south 1/2 southwest 1/4 and south 1/2 southeast 1/4 section 32, township 4 north, range 30 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 11th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. Land Office, McCook, Neb., January 22d, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Mabel Dyer against Moses W. McTynolds for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 961, dated North Platte, Neb., September 3d, 1879, upon the north 1/2 northeast 1/4, southeast 1/4 northeast 1/4 and northeast 1/4 southeast 1/4 section 31, township 4 north, range 30 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 11th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., January 11th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Saxton B. Celtrain against Benjamin F. Kelley for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1029, dated North Platte, Neb., October 6, 1879, upon the northeast quarter section 9, township 1 north, range 29 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., January 11th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Ernest Newmann against Isiah Arnold for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1029, dated North Platte, Neb., October 6, 1879, upon the northeast quarter section 9, township 1 north, range 29 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., January 12th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Ernest Newmann against Isiah Arnold for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1029, dated North Platte, Neb., April 15, 1879, upon the southeast 1/4 of section 7, township 2 north, range 28 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 11th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., January 20th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Tiffany B. Babcock against Austin E. Dixon for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1621, dated North Platte, Neb., June 27, 1880, upon the east 1/2 southeast 1/4 and south 1/2 northeast 1/4 section 21, township 4 north, range 29 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 15th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., January 20th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Tiffany B. Babcock against Austin E. Dixon for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1621, dated North Platte, Neb., June 27, 1880, upon the east 1/2 southeast 1/4 and south 1/2 northeast 1/4 section 21, township 4 north, range 29 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 15th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., January 28th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Rutherford B. Archibald against Harlow W. Keyes for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1173, dated at North Platte, Neb., May 22, 1879, upon the southeast quarter section 17, township 3 north, range 28 west, in Red Willow county, Nebraska, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 7th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. Land Office, McCook, Neb., January 28th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Louis Probst against Wilson B. McClure for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 720th Platte, Neb., May 26th, 1879, upon the southeast quarter section 30, township 4 north, range 30 west 6th P. M., in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 5th day of March, 1884, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., January 11th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Abraham V. Olmsted against Jacob Cripe for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1894, dated North Platte, Neb., October 6, 1879, upon the southeast quarter section 13, township 1 north range 30 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of March, 1884, at 1 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., February 4th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by C. Howard Moulton against Holmes Henderson for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1107, dated North Platte, Neb., October 6, 1879, upon the northeast quarter section 29, township 2 north, range 28 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of March, 1884, at 1 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, McCOOK, NEB., January 11th, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Michael Duffy against William Carper for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry 1061, dated North Platte, Neb., October 6, 1879, upon the southwest quarter section 8, township 1 north range 29 west, in Red Willow county, Neb., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 21st day of March, 1884, at 1 o'clock, P. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. G. L. LAWS, Register.

FINAL PROOF NOTICES.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 22d, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Monday, March 10, 1884, viz: John P. Swanson, homestead 751, for the east 1/2 southwest 1/4 and southwest 1/4 southeast 1/4 section 11, and northwest 1/4 northeast 1/4 section 20, township 2 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Joseph S. Newcomb and George Newcomb, of McCook, Neb.; John Kolb and Louis Foss, of Valton, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 23d, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Friday, March 7, 1884, viz: George P. Foisman, homestead 67, for the southeast 1/4 southwest 1/4 section 17 and east 1/2 northwest 1/4 section 20, township 3 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Mary E. Orme, William Anderson, C. E. McPherson and Richard Congdon, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 23d, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Friday, March 7, 1884, viz: George P. Foisman, homestead 324, for the northeast quarter section 17, township 3 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Enyart, George Leland, C. E. McPherson and M. E. Orme, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 23d, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Friday, March 7, 1884, viz: George P. Foisman, homestead 324, for the northeast quarter section 17, township 3 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Enyart, George Leland, C. E. McPherson and M. E. Orme, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 25th, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Friday, March 7, 1884, viz: George P. Foisman, homestead 324, for the northeast quarter section 17, township 3 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Enyart, George Leland, C. E. McPherson and M. E. Orme, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., February 5th, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, March 15, 1884, viz: William N. Redfern, homestead 800, for the east 1/2 northeast 1/4 section 22 and west 1/2 northeast 1/4 section 23, township 1 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: B. B. Duckworth, Stephen Boyer, Joseph Murphy and Solomon Dixon, all of Danbury, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., February 5th, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, March 15, 1884, viz: Solomon Dixon, homestead 743, for the southwest 1/4 northwest 1/4 section 27 and east 1/2 southeast 1/4 and southeast 1/4 northeast 1/4 section 28, township 1 north, range 28 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: B. B. Duckworth, Stephen Boyer, Joseph Murphy and William N. Redfern, all of Danbury, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., February 4th, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Friday, March 14, 1884, viz: Jacob Long, homestead 885, for the south 1/2 northeast 1/4, lot 3 and southeast 1/4 northwest 1/4 section 6, township 3 north, range 28 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Binkley, Frank Simpson, Royal Buck and Martin Rinck, all of Red Willow, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., February 6th, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, March 22, 1884, viz: Joseph A. Schneider, D. S. No. 9, for the southwest 1/4 section 17, township 3 north, range 29 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Page T. Francis, William Mitchell, John Evert and Chas D. Eranbrack, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 28th, 1884. 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 Register and Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, March 8, 1884, viz: John R. Coleman, D. S. No. 10, for the southwest 1/4 southeast 1/4 section 25 and east 1/2 southeast 1/4 and northwest 1/4 southeast 1/4 section 26, township 4, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: George Whitely, Michael Weick, William Coleman and Ella M. Coleman, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 28th, 1884. 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 Register and Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, March 8, 1884, viz: Henry H. Pickens, D. S. No. 110, for the southeast quarter section 3, township 2 north, range 29 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John Whitaker, Cary D. Eaton, John Eaton and D. H. Babbit, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 28th, 1884. 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 Register and Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Monday, March 10, 1884, viz: Robert Johnson, homestead 2847, for the lots 2, 3 & 4 section 24, township 3 north, range 29 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Charles W. Roper, Thomas McIntroy, William W. Fisher and Charles A. Fisher, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 10th, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Friday, February 22d, 1884, viz: Adolphus P. Pohl, D. S. 2880, for the east 1/2 southeast 1/4 section 22 and north 1/2 northwest 1/4 section 27, township 3 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: George Pohl and Herman Thiele, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., December 29th, 1883. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Thursday, February 14, 1884, viz: Nathaniel Myers, D. S. 2968, for the south 1/2 northwest 1/4 and north 1/2 southwest 1/4 section 10, township 2 north, range 29 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Bloomer, Carl Wilbert, C. A. Wilson and Charles Roper, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., December 29th, 1883. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, February 9, 1884, viz: Mary E. Ostrander, D. S. 84, for the south 1/2 southeast 1/4 section 19, township 4 north, range 29 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Daniel Doyle, James Porter, Irving Spaulding and Thomas Scoble, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 31st, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, March 15, 1884, viz: Louis E. Paine, homestead 3584, for the lots 2, 3 and 4 of section 19, township 2 north, range 30 west, and southeast 1/4 southeast 1/4 section 24, township 2 north, range 31 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Joseph Newcomb, John P. Swanson and John Kolb, of Valton, Neb., and August Anderson, of Driftwood, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., February 2nd, 1884. 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 Register and Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Tuesday, March 18th, 1884, viz: Charles W. Roper, D. S. 14, for the east 1/2 southeast 1/4 and east 1/2 northwest 1/4 section 11, township 2, range 29 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Nathaniel Myers, Allen A. Phillip, John Johnston and H. Pickens, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 8th, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, March 15, 1884, viz: William N. Redfern, homestead 800, for the east 1/2 northeast 1/4 section 22 and west 1/2 northeast 1/4 section 23, township 1 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: B. B. Duckworth, Stephen Boyer, Joseph Murphy and Solomon Dixon, all of Danbury, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 19th, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Tuesday, March 4, 1884, viz: Nchemiah Burtless, homestead 758, for the east 1/2 southeast 1/4 section 24 and east 1/2 northwest 1/4 section 25, township 2 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Charles W. Roper, Valde Grange, Neb., and John Eaton, Joseph Newcomb and C. L. Nettleton, of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., January 23d, 1884. 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 Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Tuesday, March 4, 1884, viz: Joseph Dudek, homestead 930, for the south 1/2 southwest 1/4 section 29 and north 1/2 northwest 1/4 section 32, township 3 north, range 28 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Frank D. Hess and William W. Fisher, of McCook, Neb.; Charles Ebert and Alexander Jones, of Red Willow, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

ATTENTION, LAND ATTORNEYS.

We have in stock "Cash Application" and "Proof" blanks, under act approved June 15, 1880. Same are put up in \$1 and \$2 packages, ready to mail. Send in orders to THE TRIBUNE, McCook, Neb.