

WAYNE, NEBRASKA.

W. S. GOLDIE, Editor and Pub

Bat Masterson is going to be boss of the pug fight in Nevada.

An exchange remarks that Michigan husbands continue to sell their wives for whatever they will bring.

President elect McKinley's only act deserving favorable comment now turns out to be a rank forgery.

Omaha wants the legislature to make a \$350,000 donation to its proposed exposition.

A young female bikist in offering a toast to the wheelers said that she hailed it as the rejuvenator because it had "seized on all classes of society—the tired riding it because it rested them; the dulled and rested riding it because it tired them; the thin because it increased their weight; and the fat because it helped them to get rid of it."

In mentioning the fact that Mrs. Hanna Sherman of Ohio was 100 years old the Pittsburg Times says: "This ought to quiet the fears of those people who have been worrying over the fact that a member of the family who has been chosen for secretary of state is 74 years old."

Howells Journal: Has anyone noticed that the state's credit is destroyed by populist officials? No, our credit is improving.

Sioux City is a good example of what boom exhibitions will do for a town. What benefit did any one ever derive from the Sioux City corn palaces?

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to note the attempts at legislation in this state the past few years. When the board of transportation was organized the railroads doubled rates on many articles.

The populists had control of the legislature from 1880 to 1894 and the only act passed by them for the relief of the people and now in force is the law raising the age of consent.

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Gentlemen of the legislature, wake up and pull the chestnuts out of your whickers. Pass a law reducing local freight rates to one-third of the present schedule.

Finally, gentlemen, if it is true, as the whining goldbugs say, that there is not an ounce of brains in the whole shooting match of you, and that as a legislative body you are no more capable of doing business than a New York dude in a Nebraska barn yard, for God's sake take a sneak to your tax-burdened farms and go to pulling teats and cleaning out cow stables.

Judge Tuley of Chicago has decided that a juror cannot do justice to a case if in performance of his duties he is obliged thereby to change his habit of living.

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Cuba has a name like a barb wire fence. It can be used to repair the Trocha or to corral the Missouri mules lately imported.

Judge Ben S. Baker is writing local politicians of Wayne to endorse him for the federal judgeship. It appears that Judge Munger is not likely to be confirmed. Baker is all right.

The "sound money" press of Iowa call it queer times. One paper says that three good horses were sold for \$1.33 per head while in another town a turkey gobbler brought \$2.40. That is what is queer about it.

Bob Knéebs, the American horseman (?) who has been pitting in time in a German prison, has been convicted of "ringing" and sentenced to 9-months imprisonment and fined 1000 marks. Bob has less than two months time to serve of the nine.

It takes three bushels of the best corn to buy a pair of wool socks now, and the merchants say that already the wholesale stores are quoting higher prices on woolens on the prospect of the McKinley bill being re-enacted.

It is very unkind of President Cleveland to order the war ships into active duty on the high seas.

Already eight ships are disabled and the Brooklyn lost her bottom before she got out of the Delaware river and it took four tugs a week to get her back to the dock.

This Carnegie armor may do to build bird cages of but for ships it is too full of blow-holes. The Indiana, the pride of the new navy, was also disabled by her turrets working loose.

The American congress of the years 1896-97 will go down in history as a body of the most arrogant cowards and cold-blooded unfeeling band of legislators that has ever disgraced Uncle Sam's halls of government.

But what of Cuba? For months the most horrible crimes and blood-curdling atrocities have been of weekly occurrence, but no succor will ever be extended them by the plutocratic bosses of the United States.

face of lawgivers, who can indulge in revelry by night and slumber by day while the death cries of the widows and orphans go unheeded and without even pity.

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Commissioners' Proceedings.

Feb. 4, 1897. All members present. Upon motion the following resolution was passed: The County Treasurer is directed to make out as required by Sec. 155, Chapter 77, Art. 1, Compiled Statute...

PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County court of Wayne County, Nebraska. In the matter of the estate of August Kruger, deceased: Notice is hereby given, that the creditors of the said deceased will meet the administrator of said estate, before me, County Judge of Wayne County, Nebraska...

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THE WEAPON OF THE FREEMAN
The World-Herald recently republished a symposium collected by the Chicago Dispatch in which was sandwiched remarks about the inauguration bull with news items telling of the terrible destitution of the people in the large cities of the country. It was father serious to read of the preparations for a splendid inaugural ball that will cost thousands, and at the same time read of women and children starving to death in New York and Chicago because the natural breadwinners were unable to obtain work. The Hastings Republican takes exceptions to the symposium in question, and asserts that it is plainly the intention of this paper to convey the idea that if these revelings of the rich continue while thousands and starving and freezing the people will rise as did the people during the French revolution. The Hastings Republican may speak for itself, but it must not presume to speak for the World-Herald. The World Herald republished the Chicago Dispatch article in order to emphasize the wide gulf that separates the masses and the classes as a result of special legislation. There is certainly something wrong with the politics of a nation that shows at once the contrasting spectacle of a Bradley-Martin ball and 300,000 starving and freezing people within sound of the revelries. There is little danger that the American people will follow the example of the people who fought the battles of the French revolution. The people of France had no other way of asserting their rights, but the American people have another way, a way of peace, but just as effective as the sword and torch of the French revolutionists. The American people have the ballot, and with this weapon they will destroy the policies that have made the rich richer and more arrogant while thousands who would work if they could find it are slowly starving and freezing in a land of plenty.

You sometimes hear men telling with foolish conceit of how hard they overwork and that they neglect their health in the pursuit of money. There are thousands of men who admit these things with a sort of pride, and slap themselves on the chest and laugh at the idea they will some day regret their carelessness and neglect. They laugh at Death, but in a short while, a very short while, the laugh is on the other side. Death waits while they laugh. He who laughs last, laughs best, and in due time Death dances on the prostate body of the laughers. There are many funny things in this world, but death is not one of them. Neither is ill health for it is one of Death's weapons and the most effective.

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necessity at the same time, are certainly the result of vicious policies. And the policies which have made these conditions possible are to be continued for a while. Money is to be made the valuable commodity, and property is to be as nothing. Under the guise of protecting the American workingman the tariff is to be raised to a prohibitive point to further enrich the men who can dance and revel while the unemployed starve and freeze. But the American citizen will suffer with patience for two years, and then, with the weapon of the ballot, he will capture the outposts in the congressional campaign of '98, and capture the fortress in 1900.

Chicago Chronicle: Remarkable reports are current about a new kind of steel invented by Samuel Maxim at his experimental laboratory at Wayne Me. The inventor believes it to be identical with the ancient steel of India, which is alleged to have been far superior to any steel known to metallurgists in modern times. It is said that a small blade made from the Maxim steel possesses the power of cutting glass with as much ease as if it were chalk.

As Omaha contains all the Millionaires in the state, and as they are mostly sound men, why don't they go down into their clothes and fish out that extra \$250,000 for their exposition? And why should the rest of the state be taxed to boom the town lots of a set of Plutes like Kountze, McShane and Dr. Miller? Would it not be much more to the interest of the state if the legislature should borrow \$250,000 from the permanent school fund (to be

Chicago Chronicle: It is announced that the house ways and means committee will put a prohibitory duty on wheat and corn for the protection of the American farmer. Of course no wheat or corn has been imported for years, but few of the farmers will stop to think of that, and so the dishonest republican politicians will continue to bamboozle the tiller of the soil as of yore.

A mill is to be opened at Nevada and still there will be some sore heads in that state when the pugs walk out.

Past the statute of Horace Greeley, in Park Row, goes every day an army of men who have adopted the reverse of the benignant philosopher's advice of year ago. Go west, young man, were alluring words, and the current that set in for the west carried hundreds of youths to the land of promise. The tide ceased five or six years ago, and now it has begun to ebb and eastward is trooping an army large enough and strong enough to conquer a nation. Hard times meant the death of the boom spirit, and since 1893 the hope has gone out of scores of communities. When the east stopped sending money out to the west to be loaned on farms the west found itself out of capital to keep things going. There was an immediate and alarming scarcity of ready money, and all business was paralyzed. Then it was that young men began to depart for the east, where the money comes from. This eastern movement has assumed almost startling proportions. Most of them come from the section between the Mississippi and the Rocky mountains. It is estimated that over 25,000 men have come to New York from the west in the last year and a half. The Goldbug papers of the

We are printing the above and crying because it is true. They should have thought it last fall before election.

Bellair, O. Feb. Fifty families living at the Belmont coal mines near ~~Wayne~~ absolutely destitute and today a committee of men from the mines went about the city soliciting food for the starving families. When the mines shut down four months ago, supplies were refused to the miners at the company's store.

TO HELP MR. MOODY.

Rev. Mr. Meyer, the Great English Evangelist, Comes to America.

It is expected that the arrival of the Rev. F. B. Meyer, the noted English evangelist, will give new life to the revival which Dwight L. Moody has been endeavoring to stir up in New York and Boston. Seldom has a man crossed the ocean on a religious mission and made so short a stay as will Evangelist Meyer. His visit will be the only ten days' duration, but within that time he expects to hold ten meetings in Boston and ten in New York, leaving the last one to take the steamer for England. He is to return Feb. 12.

The Rev. Mr. Meyer is comparatively well known in this country, for he attended the Northfield conference in 1891 and created something of a sensation by the power, originality and directness of his preaching. Although he is now pastor of the rich and fashionable flock of Londoners which worships



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When Moody and Sankey made their famous European tour years ago, Mr. Meyer assisted at one of their revivals, and then began the friendship between the two evangelists which is responsible for Mr. Meyer's present trip. He is known here not only as an exponent of his pastoral work, but as the author of several notable books. "Revivals and Realities," one of his best works, is a graphic description of his life and work in London. He has also written several other books of a similar character.

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