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Thanksgiving. See us for Underwear. The Racket. Buy your Gloves at Mitts at L. M. Beeler & Co's.

A party of hunters went to the reservation lake hunting today.

The Wayne orchestra went to Randolph last evening to play for a dancing party.

Mrs. L. W. Cochran has established the Wayne laundry, second door north of the Hotel Love, and solicits your patronage.

The HERALD desires a correspondent in every precinct in the county. If the reader can accept the position let us hear from you.

We give you 10 per cent of your purchase in coupons redeemable in Silverware. This is your chance to secure a nice xmas present free. The Racket.

Charley Baker held the lucky number winning the Winchester repeating rifle raffled by J. Hood last Saturday and Henry Frantzen received a watch.

A large number of turkeys have been raffled the past week at a number of business places in the city, and very few Wayne people are without turkey today.

A. J. Tracy has been secured by the HERALD as collecting agent to whom subscribers can pay their subscription accounts. He will probably call on you soon.

To the ladies and others who prepared the banquet and ball for the band Tuesday evening, the HERALD in behalf of the members of that organization extends thanks.

Thos. McDonald held the lucky number drawing the handsome parlor suite at J. P. Gaertner's furniture establishment Saturday afternoon. It fell to deserving hands.

A charity union is being organized by the ladies of the several churches, which is a move in the right direction. The HERALD will give further particulars next week.

Farmers should try a few acres of beets next year. You cannot lose anything and the chances are that a nice profit may result therefrom. Now is the time to make your contracts.

Miss Cora B. Simmons will give an art recital at the Presbyterian church, at Osmond, this evening. The people of that town will be presented a splendid entertainment, as Miss Simmons has prepared an excellent program.

Very little grain is being marketed at present. Most of the grain in the country will be used by home consumers. A large number of cattle are being fed throughout the county, which creates a demand for all the corn, fodder and rough feed.

The Hose Company meeting occurs next Tuesday night at the department building and the department meeting occurs Thursday evening. All members should attend these meetings. It would be a splendid idea for the department to join the state association.

The Presbyterian church was packed on last Sunday evening for the missionary concert. The program was carried out with but two exceptions. The paper by Mrs. Mears, the exercise by a class of girls representing different nations, in costume, and the recitation by Libbie Ellis were deserving of special notice. A collection of \$25 was taken.

To the Teachers of the county: The Teachers Association meet here on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 30 and Dec. 1. We have been fortunate in securing Supt. Kratz of Sioux City, one of the best known educators of the Northwest for Friday evening and it is hoped that every teacher of the county may hear him. He is a specialist in child study and a teacher or parent can afford to miss this opportunity. W. W. Bauer.

Holiday Headquarters will be at The Racket.

For gloves and mittens call at J. Singer's. Roe & Fortner shipped a car load of hogs to Omaha Tuesday.

J. W. Masqn and Wm. Miller shipped six car loads of cattle to Omaha Monday.

The days of public sales have arrived, therefore remember that the HERALD will print your bills reasonable and on short notice.

A new time table went into effect Sunday. No changes were made except the Norfolk evening passenger which arrives at 4:40 instead of five o'clock.

Quite a number of hogs have died of cholera throughout the county during the past few weeks, but at present the disease does not seem so prevalent as a short time ago.

The HERALD is in receipt of a card announcing that Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Rich (Julia C. Root) will be at home after December 1st, 1242 Woodland Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

Ab. Lash, one of the genial U. P. conductors running out of Columbus, sent Thos. Workings three fine large Canada geese Tuesday. Mr. Lash says the hunting has been fine the past week along the Platte.

Young & Son's grocery and poultry house has been crowded since Saturday. Over 600 turkeys and chickens have been taken in and Mr. Young has been compelled to discontinue buying for a few days for want of a place to put the fowls.

The Wayne orchestra has been reorganized with Otto Voget as first violin; Ed. King, second violin; John Keitler, double bass; Chas. Craven, clarinet; R. W. Wilkins and J. O. Barker, cornets. They have procured the latest dance music and play it in a splendid manner. It is the best orchestra the city ever had. Wayne leads in most things.

The following appeared in the supreme court decisions in the State Journal of last Friday, in which case A. A. Wolch appeared as acting county attorney: "Zielke vs. State. Error from Wayne county. Affirmed. Opinion by Justice Post. Two weeks notice of an application for liquor license is essential to confer jurisdiction upon the county, city or village board to which it is addressed and a license issued without payment in full of the fee prescribed therefor is void."

C. D. Coddington, formerly the efficient editor of the Randolph Times, died of consumption at Denver, Colorado, Wednesday, November 21. Mr. Coddington was a bright star in the newspaper world and his future was full of promise. The newspaper men in this part of the state long with deep regret of the untimely departure into the great beyond of this respected member of the fraternity. To the HERALD the news comes with profound sorrow. To have formed the acquaintance of the deceased was a pleasant thought in the affairs of life and we had come to look upon him as a young man who would attain leadership in the great play of life. But all must yield to the power of the Almighty.

George Hatcher and Elsie Pratt, of Pender, who were recently married here, the couple having eloped, returned to Pender Monday, after having spent a week's honeymoon about four miles southwest of Wayne. Upon returning to Pender the lady's father did not take kindly to the couple but finally succumbed to the inevitable, but the young lady suddenly waded up her mind that she did not care to live with her husband and bade him leave. Cruel world.

LATER—A special to the Sioux City Journal from Pender says: "The elopement reported from here in last Sunday's Journal seems to have been more in the nature of an abduction than a romantic runaway match. Miss Elsie Pratt, the girl in the case, has returned home and tells a somewhat sensational story of the affair. She says she started out a week ago Saturday evening with young Hatcher under the impression that they were going to a dance in the country, to which he had invited her. When they were a short distance from town, however, Hatcher informed her that they were on their way to Wayne, where he proposed to make her his wife. Miss Pratt says she protested strongly and begged Hatcher to take her home again, but he refused, showing her a revolver and otherwise threatening her if she did not go along with him and become his wife. Teaching for her life, Miss Pratt says, she accompanied Hatcher to Wayne where they were married."

## ANOTHER CLOSE CALL

Turner & Brenner's Elevator Saved from a Disastrous Blaze by Wayne's Excellent System of Water Works.

### ORIGIN OF THE FIRE UNKNOWN.

The Fire Department was Promptly on Hand and the Members did Creditable Service. \$25,000 Worth of Property Prevented from Going up in Flames.

Wayne was saved from another extensive blaze early Tuesday morning owing to her excellent system of water works and efficient fire department. About one o'clock the fire was discovered by Marshal Miner and W. Weber. Mr. Miner had gone to the mill and was talking with Mr. Weber when both spoke at once of something something burning. On going outside they discovered that the west shed of the elevator of Turner & Brenner which was used for a barn was on fire. Mr. Weber blew the mill whistle and Marshal Miner shot five shots from his revolver. He then ran to the engine house of the water works and blew the fire whistle.

In a short time the fire department and a large number of citizens were on the scene and in a very little while the fire was under control, although it was difficult to put out owing to a considerable amount of hay in the loft, but this was finally pitched out and the blaze entirely extinguished. The roof of the shed and a portion of the west end of the elevator were burned and the blaze ran up the wheat shoot to the cupola. The leather buckets of the hook and ladder truck came into excellent play here, and by pouring water down the spouts the fire was subdued.

The firemen are to be congratulated over the excellent work accomplished. Several of them were drenched while on duty in spite of the rubber coats, but Mr. Brenner kindly provided means for dispensing with any chance of catching cold.

At least \$25,000 worth of property was saved through the city being provided with water works, and the kickers should now cease kicking, because the elevator of Turner & Brenner and contents, estimated at \$6,000 and the Wayne Roller Mills, \$20,000, adjoining buildings, corn cribs, etc., would have been destroyed without the water works.

The fire originated in the loft and is supposed to have been caused by tramps, as there was no lock on the door, and it is presumed that they had crawled into the loft to sleep.

A valuable horse belonging to Messrs Turner & Brenner, was suffocated by the smoke and was dead when Mr. Brenner entered the building to release him. The animal was not burned a particle not even a hair was singed. A buggy that was also in the shed was not injured in the least, although there was a mass of flames over it.

The loss of Turner & Brenner is estimated at \$800, although it is difficult to tell how much wheat was damaged by fire and water. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

Engineer Coyle informs us that only about eight feet of water was used out of the stand pipe before he got the pumps to working and in a short time he had filled the stand pipe in spite of the fact that two streams of water were turned on the fire.

Weber Bros. presented the firemen with a check for \$25 as a token of esteem, and the HERALD feels justified in thanking them in behalf of the department.

### BE ON TIME.

Many merchants who deal in holiday goods put off advertising them until their shrewd neighbor has sold most of the presents. Be ahead rather than behind time. The closer the times the more carefully the people buy but they will for Christmas. Get to the front with your Christmas ad.—Western Advertiser.

### Knights of Pythias Officers.

At the annual election of the Knights of Pythias at Castle Hall Tuesday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: T. C. A. P. Childs; V. C. T. B. Heckert; M. of W. R. Q. Warnock; Prelate, George Devine; K. of P. & S. W. H. McNeal; M. of E. W. K. Heister; M. of F. Nathan Chase; M. of A. A. J. Tracy; P. C. A. H. Ellis.

### MARRIED.

The writer is in receipt of a card announcing the marriage of Robert M. Goshorn and Alice Marion Heath, at Manchester, Iowa, Thursday, November 22nd. A large number of Wayne friends will join the HERALD in extending congratulations and best wishes to our former townsman.

Mr. and Mrs. Goshorn will be at home after January 1st, at Kallispell, Montana.

If you want good rubbers and over shoes for a little money, call and get them at J. Singer & Co's.

### PERSONAL.

J. Singer transacted business at Fremont Tuesday. Attorney Fuller transacted business at Carroll Monday.

Das Harrington went to Minneapolis on business Monday. Charley Turner returned from Minneapolis this morning.

Nels Oroutt went to Omaha yesterday to spend Thanksgiving. R. Wadsworth went to Red Oak, Iowa Tuesday morning for a short visit.

Mrs. T. W. Moran went to Dakota City Monday morning for a short visit. L. Pritchard, of Galesburg, Illinois, is visiting at the residence of W. O. Gamble.

J. G. Morrison came up from Lincoln Tuesday to look after Wayne county interests. Miss Leona Hunter went to Winslow to spend Thanksgiving with her friend, Mrs. Myra Fletcher.

Edward Newton and wife, of Ponca, are visiting with the family of O. J. Buffington this week. Miss Bell Tower, of Sexton's River, Vermont, is visiting with her uncle Julius Tower, of this city.

Rolla Oxford of Bloomfield, was a Wayne visitor Saturday and was shaking hands with old time friends.

Judge W. F. Norris and wife will eat Thanksgiving dinner with Mrs. Norris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Phileo.

Mrs. M. N. Conover returned from Iowa Monday evening, her father having nearly recovered from his illness.

L. E. Keeler, Wauss's genial postmaster, formerly of this city, was shaking hands with Wayne friends Saturday.

J. S. Burson, of Waupaq, Wis., father of Oliver Burson of this city, arrived Tuesday morning and will visit for some time with his son.

Harry Dearborn, of Mason City, Ill., arrived on the morning train Tuesday and will visit for several days with relatives in this city.

Dr. R. B. and Mrs. Crawford went to Ponca Tuesday to visit a few days with their son-in-law and daughter. Mr. Crawford is slowly improving and this is his first trip since he became sick.

Return thanks. Pretty cold, thank you. C. C. Bosteder and wife, of Wayne county, are visiting with H. C. Marchant and family, of Millerboro. Mr. Bosteder is a brother of Mrs. Maroham Creighton Courier.

Frank Gaertner is becoming an expert artist, which is demonstrated by his work that can be viewed at the furniture establishment of J. P. Gaertner. Frank is to be congratulated on his achievements.

Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias will meet in the hall over E. P. Olmsted & Co's hardware store tomorrow (Friday) evening, at 7:30, for drill and general business purposes.

By order of Captain Ed. Reynolds. Sunday evening, at about 6:30 o'clock, while Frank Henry was delivering milk, he left the hind end of the milk wagon in the road in front of the residence property of Mrs. Kass. A buggy containing a lady and gentleman came along, and running into the rear end of the milk wagon, caused quite a commotion. The team broke loose from the buggy, breaking the doubletrees and causing a few other minor damages. We did not learn who the occupants of the buggy were.

### WAYNE'S SOCIAL HAPPENINGS.

The senior high five club was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ellis Monday evening.

Hayes Bros. give a dance at the Mellor hall this (Thursday) evening. All lovers of terspichore are invited.

The Early Hour club will give a dance at Mellor's hall Friday evening. Music by the new home orchestra.

The Owl high five club will meet with Mrs. Moran next Tuesday evening and the Ladies' club in the afternoon of Friday.

A few of the friends and neighbors of Mrs. J. J. Williams surprised her Friday evening. The event was a pleasant one as such parties always are.

The ball and oyster supper given the Wayne band at the opera house Tuesday evening, was not as well attended as was expected, but a very pleasant time was had by those present. Dancing and high five predominated. Many were the compliments paid the Wayne Orchestra for the excellent music furnished. At the hour of eleven o'clock about sixty people repaired to the stage where a splendid oyster supper had been prepared by a number of the ladies, after which dancing continued until about one o'clock.

See the inside pages of the HERALD. Note the change in the ad of I. Shane. Oh! for a few feet of snow.

Turkey and Greece will have a tussle to day. Pay up your subscription and receive the gratitude of the newspaper men.

Carroll Independent—Charlie Beebe, the foreman of the Wayne HERALD has purchased a half interest in that live, wide-awake republican paper.

A shooting match was held at the fair grounds yesterday by Hood Bros, which was participated in by a number of Wayne sportsmen. Several of them will fatten on turkey today.

The foot-ball teams of the high schools of Wayne and West Point were to have played at the fair grounds this afternoon, but a telegram was received here this morning that the West Point team could not come. This will be a disappointment to a large number.

Did you ever stop to think that you can buy cheaper than the merchant who does advertise than from the one that does not? You can. If you don't believe it try it. The advertising merchant sells enough more goods to pay for his ad, and can still undersell the other fellow and make money in the bargain.—Western advertiser.

The HERALD has the best equipped job office in Northeast Nebraska, except the Norfolk News. Therefore this is the place to have your work done. The office is also the best equipped for setting attractive ads, and our circulation is 30 per cent larger than any other paper in the county. Our books are open for the inspection of advertisers and you are invited to call at the office and convince your selves.

The Presbyterian Sunday school will give a poverty social at the residence of Dr. J. J. Williams Tuesday evening, December 11. Prizes will be given to the lady and gentleman dressed in the hardest times costume. Fines will be imposed on those dressed in other than hard times costumes, as follows: Ten cents for anyone that comes dressed up; one cent for wearing white apron; five cents for curled bangs; two cents for jewelry; one cent for curled mustache; two cents for necktie; five cents for bolted shirt; one cent for blacked boots.

Supper: Coffee, water, doughnuts and toothpicks, only ten cents. Proceeds for Christmas entertainment. Every body come and have a good time.

### THE BAZAAR.

The Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church of this city will hold a bazaar Friday and Saturday December 14 and 15. The fair will be open during the day and evening and refreshments will be served at all hours.

WANTED—Two girls at the Boyd hotel. Inquire of J. H. Roman. Wrappers ready made at L. M. Beeler & Co's.

Everything in shoes, you know our prices. The Racket. We save you 5 per cent on Millinery. J. Singer & Co.

We save you 50 per cent on millinery. J. Singer & Co., Wayne, Neb. We are still selling 10 cent Gingham for 5 cents a yard. J. Singer & Co.

A nice line of children and boys' suits at Brady's, and at prices that will surprise you.

### NORMAL COLLEGE NOTES.

Miss Niehart was a college visitor the first of the week. Mrs. Beebe was a college visitor yesterday morning.

The Literary society will render a program Friday evening. Prof. Pile gave the students a very interesting talk Friday morning.

Many of the students have gone home to spend their Thanksgiving vacation. Rev. Millard conducted chapel exercises Tuesday morning and gave an instructive address.

The sociable given at the college by Prof. Pile Saturday evening afforded much mirth and enjoyment. After a very interesting program various games were entered into with much enthusiasm.

The Norfolk Beet Sugar company announces that their books are open for making contracts for the required acreage of 1895. They expressly desire only the best of farmers to contract. Blank contracts will be furnished upon application.

As the seed has to be imported from Europe early in December it is important that those who anticipate planting beets should make their contracts immediately, that the proper variety of seed may be ordered, especially adapted to the different localities. 31-6w NORFOLK BEET SUGAR COMPANY.

## Reduced Prices! Great Bargains!

### MISS H. WILKINSON'S.

On Ladies' and Children's Hats. Selling out at cost; now is the time to buy your hats cheap, at Miss H. Wilkinson's Millinery Parlors, over the Racket Store.

### THE WORLDS FAIR DESK.

Will be sold at auction for cash on Saturday, December 1st, at the Boyd hotel corner, proceeds to be used for charitable purposes. The desk may be seen at Gaertner's.

### Neckwear.

A Large Line of the Latest Novelties in Four-in-hand and Tecks, just in this week, at Harrington & Robbin's.

Just on time! 20 bales of Cotton Bating, worth 20 cents a roll, get it now for 5 cents, at Singer's.

### Fall Style Hats.

We have just received a new invoice of all the latest blacks. Harrington & Robbin's.

### CLOSING OUT.

Wishing to reduce our stock we now offer our entire line of trimmed and untrimmed hats at cost. CHRISTOPHER & BROCKENHAUER.

### FOR SALE.

My farm southeast of Wayne. For price and terms apply to Eugene Sullivan. Nov 23-3m

FOR SALE—A few Poland China male pigs. Inquire of George Porter. Buy your underwear at Singer's.

T. B. Heckert, dentist, Wayne, Neb. Buy your underwear at L. M. Beeler & Co's.

All kinds of canned goods at W. E. Brookings. Another lot of those 50 cent blankets at The Racket.

Buy your caps, gloves and mittens of L. M. Beeler & Co's. Dress goods, style and prices correct. L. M. Beeler & Co's.

Ask for Silverware Tickets when trading at the Racket. Cabinet photos \$3.00 per dozen at the Wayne Photograph Gallery.

Felt shoes and slippers for ladies. See them—The Racket. Cabinet photos \$3.00 per dozen at the Wayne Photograph Gallery.

Blankets, Yarn and Flannels at Wilson bill prices. L. M. Beeler & Co. For Cream, Brik, Swiss or Limburger Cheese, Shane is headquarters.

FOR RENT—The Alex. Hoita brick residence. Enquire of J. C. Ludcke. OUR SPECIAL this week—Ladies and Children's Winter Underwear and Hosiery. Abern.

Just Received—A new line of Center Tables, quarter oak and curly birch. Bartlett & Hester.

W. E. Brookings carries groceries of every description, and his prices are in accordance with the times.

Ladies, buy your shoes and the children's at L. M. Beeler & Co's. It's a fact they lead in quality and price.

Received a new line of men's and boys clothing and by buying them of us we will save you big money. J. Singer & Co.

Go to Brady's for your school shoes, and all other shoes. He can fit from the Infant to the Giant of Best Grade and Lowest Price.

We are making an effort to close out every yard of our fine dress goods before January 1st, and make a cut in prices on this line from 25 to 50 per cent. Abern.

### WANTED.

A man and wife with a small family to work on a ranch; steady work and good pay. No one need apply without the best of reference. R. Wadsworth, Carroll, Neb.

### It May Do as Much for You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called kidney cures but without good result.

About a year ago he began to use Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to the cure of all kidney and Liver troubles and often gives instant relief. One trial will prove our statement. 50c per bottle at Wilkins & Co. Drugstore.



WAYNE, NEB.

ROSHORN & McNEAL, PUBLISHERS

TO WIPE THEM OUT.

TO EXTERMINATE THE COOK GANG WITH WINCHESTERS.

Missouri River Packers Issue a Protest to the Railroads...

To Exterminate the Cook Gang. PORT SMITH, Ark., special: Marshal Crump has returned from Washington...

OMAHA special: The Meeting of the Missouri River Packers in Omaha...

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., special: A plan to hold up a train on the Kansas and Arkansas Valley Railroad...

WABASH, Ill., special: A dispatch to the Post from Denver says the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor...

COLUMBIA CITY, Ind., special: The case of the state against Thompson Arnold was called in the Whitley Circuit Court...

LOUISVILLE, special: August Schlicker, a laborer in the employ of the city, went into a fire alarm at Fourth and Main Streets...

IN THE EAST.

PITTSBURGH special: In a collision between an electric and cable car on the Avenue the five people were injured...

GALVESTON, Miss., special: Will Hays and his wife, who live five miles south, were murdered by a band of robbers...

NEW YORK special: Storehouse No. 10 E. 12th St. was gutted by fire. The damage is estimated at \$200,000...

WASHINGTON special: The receipts of the Government so far the present month have been \$12,582,072. The expenditures amount to \$22,107,000...

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In a nearby improvement in the demand for cotton. At the same time the price of cotton...

PHILADELPHIA special: The American liner Indiana, from Liverpool for this port, with a crew of seventy men and 140 steerage passengers...

WASHINGTON special: The regular Tuesday Cabinet meeting was not held owing to the absence of the President...

NEW YORK special: The World will give a list showing the number of votes cast by the Populist party in all states at the last general election...

IN THE WEST.

CHICAGO special: A dispatch to the Post from Denver says the annual convention of the American Federation of Labor will be held in that city in December...

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FOREIGN JOTTINGS.

SIERRA MOJADA, Mex., special: Frank Pappson and George Brill, two American prospectors, have just discovered an old Spanish gold mine...

ROME special: Dispatches received from Reggio say that 50,000 persons in the district were rendered homeless by the earthquakes...

WINNIPEG, Man., special: Quite a tempest has been raging here since the exposure of sharp practices on the part of a wheat combine...

BEALIN special: United States Ambassador Ruyun has had a conference with the Imperial Secretary of Foreign Affairs regarding the prohibition against the importation of American cattle and fresh meat into Germany...

CITY OF MEXICO special: The press is publishing sensational stories of the probabilities of war, but from reliable sources it is known that Mexico is determined to await the arrival of the Guatemalan minister...

LONDON special: A dispatch received here from Shanghai stated that the Chinese officials are telegraphing notices broadcast saying the reports of the downfall of Port Arthur are falsehoods...

TIENTSIN special: The Chief of Imperial Customs here, who was recently summoned to Peking to confer with the Government and Wang, the means of raising money to prosecute the war, has left for Japan to arrange for terms of peace...

LONDON special: The Australian mails are to the effect that the Kanakas on all islands near New Guinea are in revolt. Scores of European settlers have been murdered.

SOUTHERN SUMMARY.

TUCSON, Arizona, special: Last April R. E. Robinson, a newspaper correspondent, James Logan, George Plavell and a man named O'Brien, sailed in a sloop from Yuma for San Francisco via the Colorado River and the Gulf of California...

MERIDIAN, Miss., special: Reports from the section visited by the storm are coming in slowly, owing to the prostration of the wires, but so far no loss of life is reported. In the vicinity of Newton, Morton and Hickory the damage to property is enormous...

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A MOTHER'S COURAGE.

RUSHES THROUGH FLAMES FOR HER CHILDREN.

Secretary Holmes Plans to Do Good Work on the Lincoln Jobbers' Excursion—Moshers' Lincoln Gas Stock Awarded to the Capital National Bank.

Courage of a Mother. The residence of Fred Hanaford at Grand Island took fire from the exploding of a lamp and was completely destroyed, with all the contents...

FOR NEBRASKA'S INTEREST.

Secretary Holmes Plans to Do Good Work on Lincoln Jobbers' Excursion.

Secretary O. C. Holmes of the Manufacturers and Consumers' Association at Omaha has left for Lincoln, where he will join the members of the Lincoln Commercial Club...

Last week Secretary Holmes was at Norfolk, where he completed the arrangements for the banquet of the Manufacturers and Consumers' Association, which will be held on Thursday, December 13...

Speaking of the outlook in the state, Mr. Holmes states that it is flattering in the extreme. He states that at Norfolk the beet sugar campaign is fairly on, and that the factory will make a run of five months...

Farmers, however, are preparing to go into beet raising on a much larger scale next year, feeling certain that beets are a sure crop...

Lincoln Gas Stock awarded to the Capital National Bank. In the district court at Lincoln Judge Hall entered up an order releasing from the operation of the injunction obtained by the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Galva, Ill., the 4,875 shares of stock, par value \$487,500...

MONEY FOR MOSHER'S VICTIMS

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TO PROMOTE IRRIGATION.

Nebraska State Association Will Hold a Session at Kearney December 18.

The next session of the Nebraska State Irrigation Association will be held at Kearney, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 18 and 19. President A. Fort of North Platte has been there for a day or two and all necessary arrangements are now being made...

At the convention held at North Platte last year there were only 100 delegates present, now there are over 100 local organizations in the state and six state sectional organizations, with a total membership of over 1,000...

CHINA READY TO QUIET.

China Said to Be Willing to Pay an Indemnity of One Hundred Million Taels Besides All Japan's Expenses—Special Envoy Dispatched.

ACCUSED OF GRAVE ROBBERY.

Anatomical Demonstrator and Six Medical Students Arrested at Lincoln. Six students and the dean of the medical faculty of Cotner University at Lincoln are under arrest, charged with grave-robbing...

DISASTROUS PRATIE FIRE.

A prairie fire about three miles north of Fremont caused considerable damage. It was started by a tenant on the Gibson farm, who was burning stubble...

MISFORTUNES OF A FARMER.

A barn at Superior belonging to W. Fontz, containing nine head of horses, some cows, pigs and a number of farming implements, burned. It is believed to be the work of an incendiary...

WILL TEST THE LAW.

Ex-County Treasurer W. F. N. Houser at Nebraska City has brought suit against the county for \$1,000 with interest from January, 1890, as balance due on salary...

HASTINGS RESIDENCE BURNED.

The residence of Aaron Ransom at Hastings was burned to the ground.

STATE NOTES.

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TRAVELING men have made arrangements to give a grand ball at the Oxbow Hotel at Norfolk on the night of January 4.

DICK YOUNG of Nemaha City accidentally shot himself in the leg while on a visit to Stella. The ball shattered his leg, and it is likely that the man may have to be amputated.

J. H. ROGSA of Courtland will remove to Beatrice in the spring and operate a tannery and shoe factory in the building that was originally built for an overall factory.

THE dynamo for the new incandescent light works at Grand Island have arrived, and the plant will soon be in operation. There will be from 1,200 to 1,500 lights attached.

A PRAIRIE fire in Cheyenne County swept dangerously close to the town of Bayard and the place was saved from destruction only by the greatest efforts of the inhabitants.

THE farmers in the vicinity of Wakefield have finished husking their corn, and are surprised to find that they have more grain than they anticipated. Some of them will have new corn to sell.

COURTLAND young people have gone into the theatrical business and will give an entertainment at the opera house during Thanksgiving week. The proceeds will be used for the purchase of an organ for the schools.

W. F. HELLMAN of Foster is one farmer in Pierce County who doesn't think that the summer of 1894 was such a terrible one after all. He raised ten hundred sugar beets, which, when the crop time came, yielded him the factory, yielded him ninety tons almost ten tons to the acre.

WILL OPEN PEACE NEGOTIATIONS DIRECTLY WITH JAPAN.

China Said to Be Willing to Pay an Indemnity of One Hundred Million Taels Besides All Japan's Expenses—Special Envoy Dispatched.

Bears an Olive Branch.

De Ting, the chief of the imperial customs at Tien Tsin, who was recently summoned to Peking in order to confer with the government as to ways and means for raising money for the war, has left for Japan in order to arrange terms of peace. The departure of the Chinese customs chief for Japan is regarded by officials in Washington as the result of Japan's demand for a direct offer from China.

Although Japan shows no signs of exhaustion, fiscal or military, her Government and people ought to be satisfied with the magnificent progress already achieved in humbling a power ten times more formidable as to military resources than the most aggressive imperial sovereignties of Europe and Asia.

China will bear watching in all states of negotiation for peace. Shameless in treachery, recent to pledges, savage to captives, barbarous in all respects in which she has not been partially civilized by force, her diplomats will not hesitate to cheat even their own agent in the negotiations.

KILLED LIKE BEASTS.

Two Thousand of the Unprotected People Butchered in Sassan.

A dispatch to the London Times from Vienna says that a letter has been received there from Smyrna reporting that Zeki Pasha, a Turkish marshal, with a detachment of Nizams and a field battery, massacred 2,000 Armenians at Sassan. The bodies of the dead were left unburied and their presence has caused an outbreak of cholera.

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# UNCLESAM'S CASH BOX

## TREASURER MORGAN SUBMITS HIS ANNUAL REPORT.

Total Fiscal Receipts on All Accounts Were \$724,006,538 and the Total Expenditures \$699,908,552—Insufficient Revenues Impair Gold Reserve.

The Treasurer of the United States, Hon. H. D. Morgan, has submitted to the Secretary of the Treasury the annual report of the operations and condition of the treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1894. The report shows a decrease of \$297,722,919, a decrease of \$88,097,609 as compared with the year before. The net ordinary expenditures were \$367,525,270, a decrease of \$15,462,874. The total receipts on all accounts were \$724,006,538, and the expenditures \$699,908,552.

At the close of business on June 30, 1893, there stood on the books of the department charged to the treasury a balance of \$788,467,555. Added to this receipts on all accounts gives \$1,432,474,098 as total to be accounted for, and deducting the expenditures leaves a balance of \$753,535,540 on June 30, 1894. In addition to these balances, however, there were other liabilities, arising from the postal revenues, from disbursing officers, and from other sources, which brought the total to \$776,941,898 at the former date, and to \$854,753,433 at the latter. After setting aside the amounts treated as unavailable, the principal of which are the deposits made with the States under the law of 1890, there remained the sum of \$740,538,055 in 1893 and the sum of \$775,310,559 in 1894 represented by live assets in the several offices of the treasury and mint, together with deposits in national banks. Of these balances the sums of \$584,593,920 and \$612,250,000, respectively, were on deposit for the redemption of outstanding certificates and treasury notes, leaving \$161,994,735 and \$159,154,739 as the balances on account of the general fund.

### Impairment of the Gold Reserve.

The treasurer remarks that the impairment of the gold reserve rendering necessary the issue of bonds in February, was caused chiefly by the depletion of the treasury resulting from insufficient revenues. Even when the supply of paper had become so reduced that the treasury was obliged to pay out large sums of gold in the ordinary disbursements the coin was freely returned in the revenues. The proceeds of this loan were \$58,000,000 in gold coin and certificates, but during the month of February there were redeemed \$10,200,000 of gold, presumably to meet subscriptions to the loan, so that the net gold proceeds were about \$38,500,000. This, with a gain of \$1,500,000 in gold from ordinary sources, brought up the reserve during the month from \$65,000,000 to \$106,500,000, while the net assets of the treasury, with an excess of \$7,000,000 of expenditures over receipts for the month, increased from \$125,000,000 to \$177,000,000. During the succeeding months the amount of the net work in August the reserve was affected by deficient revenues and withdrawals of gold for export, the movement abroad having been stimulated by the necessity which the treasury was under of furnishing to exporters new full weight after the supply of old pieces had become exhausted. The lowest point touched by the reserve was \$52,158,500 on Aug. 7, 1894.

Prior to July, 1892, the gold reserve was but little less than the amount of bonds of coin there never having been any considerable demand for the redemption of notes. Even when gold exports were heavy the metal was furnished by bankers from their vaults, or was obtained from the treasury for gold certificates, of course without impairment of the reserve. During the last two years, however, the treasury has been called upon to furnish nearly the whole of the payment for exportation and there have recently been considerable withdrawals for other uses. To the end of September last the total redemptions of United States notes in gold since the resumption of specie payments were \$181,300,000, and the total redemptions of the treasury notes in gold from their first issue were \$68,500,000. The two important events of the year affecting the condition of the public debt were the issue of \$50,000,000 of new bonds to replenish the gold reserve and the stoppage of the purchase of silver bullion by the issue of treasury notes.

### Retirement of Treasury Notes.

With reference to the retirement of treasury notes the Treasurer says that prior to August, 1893, the treasury had been able to provide for the redemption of treasury notes in silver dollars out of the holdings of free silver, so that there had not been, up to that time, any impairment of the total amount of the silver fund accumulated under the act. On the 3d of that month, however, the silver dollars and bullion in the treasury had become reduced to \$100,000,000, and by law to be retained for the payment of outstanding treasury notes and certificates, and the demand for the redemption of notes continuing in consequence of the scarcity of the small denominations of currency, it became necessary to draw upon the dollars coined especially for that purpose. The silver fund being thus impaired, the notes so redeemed were needed in order to preserve the required equality between the silver in the treasury and the notes outstanding. The total amount of the notes retired in this way, up to Oct. 31, was \$4,790,434. The amount of the new issues of United States paper currency put into circulation during the year was \$350,959,100, having been exceeded but once, in 1892. The amount of worn and mutilated notes redeemed was \$319,000,000. This also has total paper circulation reached its highest point in May last, when it stood at \$1,175,000,000. Since then there has been a slight contraction, caused chiefly by the gradual redemption and retirement of gold certificates, the issue of which was suspended, as the law requires, when the gold reserve of the treasury fell below \$100,000,000.

The management of the Columbian Exposition having finally declined to defray the expenses of receiving the Columbian half-dollars, which have found their way into the treasury, they have been offered to the public at par in exchange for gold or gold certificates, and a considerable sum, for which has been distributed in that manner. The Isabella quarters in the treasury are retained for the requisition of the board of lady managers of the Exposition. The amount of counterfeit silver coins

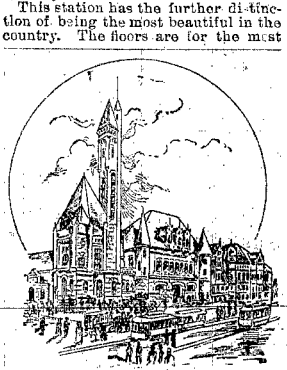
and fractional currency detected at the offices of the treasury during the year was \$10,700, an increase of \$900 over the year before.

There was an increase during the year of \$1,352,250 in the face value of the bonds held on account of the sinking funds of the Pacific railroads, which amounted, on June 30, to \$18,900,000. Notwithstanding a change in the regulations, whereby senders of national bank notes for redemption were required to bear the charges for transportation, the redemptions were the heaviest since 1888, amounting to \$105,000,000, or more than half of the average circulation.

### ST. LOUIS' NEW STATION.

The Most Beautiful Railway Building in the Country.

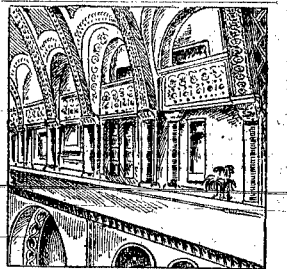
Probably the most costly railway station in the country is that which has been lately built at St. Louis. It is the largest station in the world. The train shed covers 42,000 square feet of ground; there are 30 tracks capable of holding 600 cars under shelter and the whole place is illuminated by 126 arc lights. The station building proper covers an area of 8,500 square feet.



NEW UNION STATION AT ST. LOUIS.

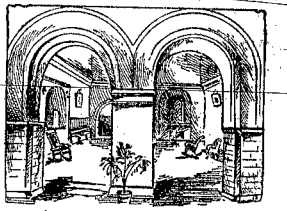
part composed of mosaic bricks imported from Holland, and ornamented with fleur-de-lis or some such dainty design. The sides are either of enameled brick, scagliola or tiling. The ceilings are usually ornamented by some graceful design or other, a wreath of roses or a group of cherubs. In fact, the ornamentation, under the direction of J. D. Millet, whose work at the fair was so highly praised, has but served to emphasize more strongly the talents of this artist.

In the rotunda ornamentation is at its height. At each end, grouped in the form of a semi-circle, are seven



THE NORTH ARCADE, GRAND HALL.

maid-like figures, delicately interwoven with the design, whose extended arms bear torches glowing with ornamental electric lights. Along the south side, high from the ground, extend seven large stained-glass windows that, especially in the late afternoon, cast a mild orange light over the hall, harmonizing perfectly with the other ornamentation, and imparting a delicate richness of effect that one might expect to find in an eastern mosque.



LADIES' WAITING-ROOM FROM GRAND HALL.

but not in the railway station of an American city.

### NUMBER OF ARRESTS MADE, 687

Work Done by the Secret Service Department of the Treasury.

William P. Hazen, the Chief of the Secret Service of the Treasury Department, in his annual report shows that during the year the total number of arrests made was 687, nearly all of which were for violations of the statutes relating to counterfeiting United States money. Of these arrested about 300 were either convicted or pleaded guilty, and 120 are now awaiting the action of grand juries. The fines collected amounted to \$5,947. The amount of altered or counterfeit notes captured during the year was \$21,300; coins, \$10,755. There were also captured 134 plates from which counterfeit notes had been printed, 33 dies, 156 molds, and a large quantity of miscellaneous matter, consisting of tools, melting pots, etc.

### WHOLE CITY WAS IN DANGER.

Shelbyville, Ind., Was a Narrow Escape from Burning Down.

At Shelbyville, Ind., by mistake the natural gas was given high pressure in the low pressure mains, and at midnight it was discovered that over 500 stoves and heaters in all parts of the city were melting under the intense heat, and buildings were igniting in every direction. The fire alarm was turned in, bells were rung, whistles sounded and the citizens were aroused from their slumbers to discover themselves in the midst of a general conflagration. The flow of gas was arrested and only three houses were burned. The destruction of these buildings amounted to considerable loss to the owners. If the alarm had been twenty minutes later nothing could have saved the city from destruction.

Elmore Knight and Sam Dunn were killed and Charles Seal and Andrew Mage were horribly mangled by an explosion of dynamite at Huntington, W. Va.

# IDLE FLOUR MILLS.

## RESULT OF ABOGATION OF RECIPROCIY TREATIES.

The Loss of Reciprocity Causes Loss Demand for Our Farm Products—Defeat of the Father of the Free Trade Tariff Bill.

Petition by Merchants. A special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Merchants' Exchange of St. Louis was held last month. The representatives of the city mills and general flour dealers appeared before the board and asked the board's indorsement to a petition which they had gotten up. The petition, which was read, was as follows:

St. Louis, Mo.—The Hon. Walter Q. Gresham, Secretary of State, Washington, D. C.: Dear Sir:—The undersigned merchants, manufacturers and millers of St. Louis desire to respectfully call your attention to the condition of trade in our respective branches of business between the United States (especially the Mississippi Valley States and the city of St. Louis) and Cuba and other Spanish-



SWEEP OFF THE FACE OF THE EARTH.—Minneapolis Journal.

American countries, since the abrogation of the reciprocity treaties by the passage of the Gorman bill during the last days of August.

While these treaties were in effect we were able to do a very large business with these countries. It is estimated that during the twelve months previous to the abrogation of the reciprocity treaties about 3,250,000 barrels of flour were shipped from the United States to the West Indies alone—mostly to Cuba—equal in consumption to about 15,000,000 bushels of wheat. About 1,000,000 barrels of this flour were shipped from St. Louis, and from mills owned and controlled in this vicinity; about 1,500,000 bushels of corn, besides large quantities of hog products together with agricultural implements and other manufactures.

It is estimated that the value of American exports to the countries in question during the year ending June 30, 1894, amounted to nearly \$22,000,000. On account of cheap water transportation from the Mississippi Valley and the establishment of a line of steamers from Pensacola to Havana and other Spanish-American ports, the trade was exceedingly profitable and satisfactory, giving a new outlet for our surplus production, and we may say that it has been entirely cut off by the abrogation of these treaties.

From information at hand we are satisfied that these countries with which we have been trading are suffering as much as we are on account of the interruption of mutual commercial intercourse, and we believe them to be as anxious as ourselves to have such treaties again entered into as will enable all interested to proceed with their commercial intercourse as heretofore.

We may say that under the reciprocity treaty the duty on a barrel of flour was about 92 cents, and since its abrogation it is about \$4.75 per barrel into Cuban markets, and on corn and other grains it is prohibitory. Under the circumstances which we have narrated, would you allow us to urge the importance of the negotiation of commercial treaties, particularly with Spain and Brazil, to renew the business made possible by the reciprocity treaties; or to make such new commercial treaties, or urge these countries to make such tariff reductions, as will enable us to re-establish our commercial relations?

The Board of Directors of the Exchange adopted a resolution indorsing the petition.

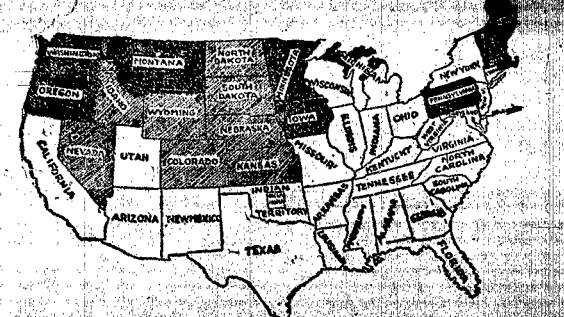
### Where Are They?

Among the many glorious results, which, according to our free trade friends, were to be attained by tariff reform was the opening to us of the "markets of the world." Over those "markets of the world" the free traders have waxed eloquent and their auditors became enthusiastic, just what the "markets of the world" stood for in dollars and cents was not enlarged upon; just how they were to be secured by tariff reform was not clear. The free traders are as weak in giving reasons as they are strong in giving promises. According to their belief their elevation to power was to be an "open sesame" to the "markets of the world." To others than the elect it looked as though the throwing down of the barriers of protection would give our market to the world instead of giving theirs to us. But the voters in 1892,

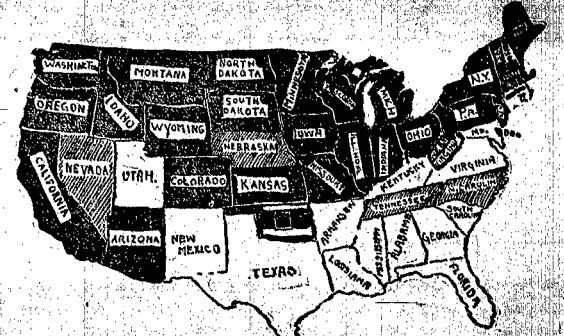
apparently believing that "we walk by faith not by sight," placed the Democratic party in power. The "open sesame" has been tried, but where are "the markets of the world?"

A Historical Parallel. The sweeping defeat of the Democratic party at the polls has but one parallel in the history of this country. That was the election of 1840, when similar causes to those which recently have been in operation worked out the same result. The compromise tariff of 1833 provided for a steady, gradual reduction of the import duties year by year during the following decade. Immediately after the passage of the law the manufacturers and merchants of the United States began to do business upon a steadily falling market. Every year they had to mark down the selling values of stocks on hand at the time when the tariff reductions for that year went into effect. After a few years of an effort to carry on business under these disastrous conditions the panic of 1837 came upon the people. In one respect it was worse than that of 1893. The industrial panic of last year was preceded by a bankers' panic due to

# HOW THE LANDSLIDE LOOKS ON A MAP.



Political Map of 1892—White States Democratic, black States Republican.



Present Political Map.—White States Democratic, Black States Republican.

### MISS WILLARD CHOSEN.

Woman's Christian Temperance Union Again Elects Her President.

There was a slightly decreased attendance at the convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, held at Cleveland, Tuesday. Immediately after the devotional exercises Mrs. Campbell, of Wisconsin, gave notice that at the next annual convention she would move to amend article 4 of the constitution by the substitution of the words "Vice President at large" after the word "President."

After this notice was given Mrs. E. Sturtevant Peel of California, arose and announced that Miss Jessie Acherman, around-the-world missionary of the union, was seated with the California delegation, and Mrs. Peel desired that she be given a seat on the platform. Miss Acherman was by vote made a member of the convention and was escorted to the platform. After this reports from the Woman's Temperance Publishing Association were called for. The first given was that of Miss Margaret Suddeth, of Ohio, who reported that she had appointed a corresponding secretary to fill the place of Mrs. Stevens, who had just been elected Vice President at Large.

Samuel Dickey, of the Prohibition party, then spoke briefly and humorously. After Mr. Dickey had concluded the election preliminaries were begun by the appointment of tellers by the chair. Each teller represented different sections of the country. Just before the tellers began to pass about the audience Miss Alice Harris took a seat at the piano and began to sing, "Best Bo the Tie." Instantly the convention arose and joined in the singing of the hymn.

The first ballot taken was for President, and resulted in the unanimous choice of Miss Frances Willard. The President was then presented with two gavels sent by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Churchhill, N. Y., the wood being taken from the house where Miss Willard was born. Miss Willard then nominated Mrs. L. H. N. Stevens for Vice President at Large, and she was also unanimously elected to that position. The same election of a Corresponding Secretary to fill the place of Mrs. Stevens, who had just been elected Vice President at Large. Of the 380 votes cast, Mrs. Katherine Leat Stevens received 280, and was declared elected. Afterward her election was made unanimous. Mrs. Clara Hoffman was unanimously elected Recording Secretary, and she followed with a brief address of thanks for the honor. Next came the election of Treasurer and Mrs. Helen E. Barker was promptly re-elected by a rising vote. After a short address by Mrs. Barker the convention took a recess.

The feature of the afternoon session was the exercises in memory of Mrs. Mary A. Woodbridge, late Recording Secretary of the national organization, who died about a month ago.

### MEET DEATH IN A MINE.

Seven Men Killed and Many Injured by an Explosion at Colliers, W. Va.

A most appalling mine disaster occurred Tuesday shortly after noon at the Blanch coal mines on the Panhandle Railroad at Colliers' Station, W. Va. A new miner, an Italian, put off an overcharge blast, which ignited the coal dust in the mine and a fearful explosion followed, causing death and destruction in death. There were forty-eight men in the mine at the time and seven are known to be dead.

After the explosion there was a terrific whirlwind in the mine, carrying everything before it. Miners Donnelly and Toony were in the mine some distance from and going toward the mouth. The force of the explosion drove them nearly 100 yards out of the mouth of the mine and landed Toony on the railroad track, killing him instantly. Donnelly landed in a gully, striking his head against a post. His brains were washed out and scattered for yards around. His wife was the first to find him, and she swooned away. There is little hope that she will recover.

The news of the disaster quickly spread, and in a few moments hundreds of people were crowding about the mouth of the mine. Many heart-rending scenes were enacted. The wives and children of the miners were frantic and strong men were overcome. In a short time a rescuing party was organized and went into the mines after the bodies. Prosecuting Attorney Colton and Coroner Walkinsaw of Wellsburg were soon on the ground and took charge of the bodies. They will conduct a rigid investigation. This is the second accident of the kind which has

occurred at this mine. Just two years ago a similar explosion occurred, in which three were killed and several injured. The miners charge that the accident was due to the inexperience of the Italian miners and declare they will not work with them any more.

### CORN YIELD VERY LIGHT.

Present Indications Are that It Will Average but 19.7 Bushels Per Acre.

The November returns to the Department of Agriculture of the rate of yield per acre make the average of corn 19.7, which is about 1/4 bushels above the yield indicated by the condition figured on October. This is the lowest rate of yield that has occurred since 1851, when it stood at 18.0 bushels per acre. Last year the yield was 22.5 bushels upon a much larger harvested acreage. The rates for the years 1836, 1887 and 1890, which were years of comparatively low yield, were respectively 22, 20.1 and 20.7 bushels.

The yield for the present year, which must be regarded as a preliminary and not final estimate, is less than the average for the ten years, 1870 to 1879, by 7.4 bushels, less than the average for the succeeding decade, 1880 to 1889, by 4.4 bushels, and less than the average for the four years 1890 to 1893 by 3.7 bushels, only 79.4. The result is in harmony with reported indications during the growing season. The rates of yield of the principal corn States are as follows: New York, 23.2; Pennsylvania, 32; Ohio, 25.3; Michigan, 23.2; Indiana, 23.0; Illinois, 23.3; Iowa, 15; Mississippi, 23; Kansas, 11.2; Nebraska, 11.2.

The average yield of buckwheat is 13.1 bushels per acre. The average yield in 1893 was 14.7, and in 1892 14.1 bushels. The average quality 00.3, 100 being the standard. The average yield per acre of potatoes is returned as 62. In 1892 the yield was 1.32 and 1892 1.17 tons. The quality is high, as shown by the percentage of 94.5. The crop of apples is reported as 41.7 per cent of average production. The returns relative to the feeding of wheat to stock are not sufficient to justify a report at that date. The department hopes to be able to make a special report on this subject in the near future.

### JAPAN STATES TERMS.

Cannot Accept the Offer of Mediation by the United States Government.

It is learned that the Japanese Government has sent its reply to the note of the United States Minister Dun asking whether a tender by the President of the United States of his good offices in the interest of restoring peace in the East would be agreeable to Japan. Before reaching a conclusion the ministry gave the matter consideration for several days and finally stated to Mr. Dun that although the friendly sentiments which prompted the Government and people of the United States were deeply appreciated, the success of the Japanese arms had been such that China should approach Japan directly on the subject. In view of the absence of Japanese and Chinese diplomatic representatives at Peking and Tokio respectively, this would imply that any communication between the two governments would be made through the American ministers to China and Japan, who, since the outbreak of the war, have had in charge the interests of the two countries.

### FIVE CRUSHED UNDER A TRAIN.

Miners Most Death While Riding Home on Cars Loaded with Coal.

Pittsburg dispatch: Five men lie at the bottom of Brush Creek, Westmoreland County, with sixteen cars and their loads of coal piled on top of them. The killed are: Wilson Brown, 40 years old, married; Thomas Jenkins, 60 years old, married; William Jenkins, son of the above, 25 years old, single; Owe Owe, 35 years old, married; Martin Polkey, 30 years old, single. A train of twenty-five cars of coal pulled out of the Westmoreland Coal Company's works, three miles from Larimer, Pa. Just before reaching the main line, the trucks of one car broke down. The impetus of the train carried it onto the bridge across Brush Creek, and broke down the structure. The disabled car went through and was followed by fifteen more cars, all loaded. A number of miners employed by the Westmoreland Coal Company were riding on the train to their homes at Larimer. The men on the other cars jumped and escaped with a few bruises.

Constable B. B. Williamson interfered in a drunken row at Sandborn, Ind., and was fatally shot. Ed Lanford has been arrested.

Thomas Samuel, aged 30, a switchman, was killed by a train at Peters, Ga.

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For United States Senator, JOHN M. THURSTON. The next thing is the legislature.

The Japanese are great at the decorating business. They have been busy for some time past, painting China crimson.

Governor elect Holcomb can profit if he will take cognizance of the complexion of the legislature and the will of the people in that respect.

The name of Jack MacColl is mentioned for U. S. Senator. However, Jack is wanted as the next candidate for governor, and John M. Thurston will go to the senate.

If Cleveland is a millionaire there is more than one reason for issuing bonds. He believes in large sums for interest but not a farthing for protection to Americans. But the people will turn his picture to the wall in '96.

A. A. Kendall, republican, defeated Joseph W. Edgerton, pop-demo, by 195 votes for judge of the Eleventh Judicial district, to fill the unexpired term of Judge Harrison, who was elected to the supreme bench a year ago.

Foot ball is forging fast to the front and is now leading race ball. Let it be so, and as the Chicago Inter Ocean says: "May the best interests of foot ball continue to be conserved by good sense, stout hearts, and the chivalry of gentlemen."

If it was the stay at home vote how can you account for the 210,000,000 republican gain in the late election. 'Fess up. It was just because the voters made up their minds to post the account on the right side of the ledger if they could not balance the account in full at once. See!

Secretary Curdiss accepted the proposals Monday submitted by a syndicate represented by John A. Stuart, of the United States Trust company, and others. The bonds, including premium, will amount to \$58,500,000, and the gold reserve will be increased to about \$116,000,000.

The HERALD would not be sorry if T. E. Szigwick of the York Times, or H. E. Swenson of the Pender Republic, should become secretary of the incoming senate of Nebraska. "Tim" is away up when it comes to mirth, grit, business, sense, worth and all the other necessary ingredients, and he could transact the business as few of the fellows could transact it, and Harry wouldn't be so slow.

If Jack MacColl had been nominated for governor, where would Silas have been when the light went out—Pullin' the teats of that old roan cow, Speck, and slavin' the hair from off that old black boar pig, for plasterin' purposes? For plasterin' Bryan's aspirations for the senatorial "posish" which was so terribly shattered by the volcano. We omit landslide, because that signifies naught in comparison with what happened, and besides it's a little worn.

The State Journal finishes a \$200 check that it has the largest circulation in Nebraska of any daily in the state. If it fails to establish the truth thereof the money is to go to the poor and needy. Up to date not a word is heard from the Journal's contemporaries. The HERALD is of the opinion that if the Journal made the same gain during the past three months all over the state that it made in Wayne, its \$200 is perfectly safe.

It is amusing indeed to note populist papers spouting about the increase in the populist vote at the recent election, and yet they elected nothing. The true cause is plain; democrats voted with the populists in a number of states in order to defeat the republican party, but in this they signally failed. The populist party has had its day, because democrats will leave it as republicans have who were led into it by the mewling of demagogues whose platforms will not stand.

It is sad to note the Chicago Record placing Nebraska among the states (with 6 votes) that would have cast their electoral vote for a democrat or populist president if the recent election had been a presidential election. The meanest thing that can be said of such a statement is, that it is unfair to add insult to injury, because our injury is mild, and Nebraska is not in the category of populist states, thank you. Her recently elected legislature says so with a vehemence that bears no mistake whatever, it, as the Record says, they would just have 223 electoral votes for

a republican president had the recent election been presidential, against 120 for the combined forces, Nebraska would have made it 332 and don't you forget it.

Thomas J. Majors declines to contest the election of Judge Holcomb and sends the following to Hon. C. H. Morrill, chairman of the republican state central committee:

"During the twenty days that have elapsed since election I have preserved complete silence in regard to the question of contesting the election of Judge Holcomb, which has been so widely discussed by the press and by the people of all political parties. I am not now, nor have I been at any time since election, favorable to a contest. I would not under any consideration be governor of the state of Nebraska under circumstances that would warrant any honest man in even holding a suspicion that there was the least question in regard to my title to the honorable position."

"Nor would I for a moment allow my personal ambition to in the least mar the glory of the republican party, nor cast over a passing shadow over its fair name. For thirty-five years I have affiliated with a political party which advocates a free ballot and a fair count, and now neither I nor any of my friends will undertake any proceedings that may even have the appearance of violating that exalted principle of the republican party."

"I tried to make, and believe I did make an honorable and fair canvass as the nominee of my party. The thousands of loyal republicans who supported me as such nominee, and the thousands of personal friends whose zeal was greater than mere party loyalty, have reason to expect of me a ready and hearty acquiescence in the expressed wish of the people, and they shall not be disappointed."

"The disgraceful scramble for office through unwarranted contest proceedings and in deliberate defiance of law which was witnessed in this state four years ago will, I trust, never be repeated. It certainly will not be done by the republican party with my consent. I was fairly nominated; I made a fair canvass for the election, and now submit cheerfully to the apparent will of the majority, as shown by the official returns, as I have always done and as every good republican should do."

"To the great republican party which honored me as its chief standard-bearer in this state I owe much; to my many friends, who were as true and loyal as friends ever were to any man, I owe more than I can repay; to the boys in blue, many of whom were my comrades in the war, and who have been my friends in many a contest since, and who will continue to be my friends as long as we remain on earth, I feel an affection and sense of gratitude more than words can express, and which has not been corroded or embittered by any disappointment on my part as to the result."

"In the sweeping victory throughout the state and nation I find so much cause for rejoicing that my own personal defeat seems a mere incident. I am, sincerely yours, T. J. MAJORS."

There will be just thirteen democrats in the next house of representatives from distinctly northern states. They will have an opportunity to form a thirteen club if they are specially inclined. The thirteen will represent six states. Five of them come from New York, two from Pennsylvania, two from Illinois, two from Ohio, one from Massachusetts and one from California.—Sioux City Journal.

Thomas Dunn English, author of "Ben Bolt," who was a candidate for congress on the democratic ticket in New Jersey, was hopelessly left. Every county in the state except Hunterdon went republican. The idea of 48,000 republican majority in New Jersey makes 800-volt shiver run down the democratic spine.—Inter Ocean.

The poppers have popped their last pop, and the floppers have flopped their last flop. Both the poppers that popped and the floppers that flopped can be found in the soup where they dropped.—York Times.

Labor's old friends again demand Protection and relief; They have just rights in this free land. The "poor law" will be brief.

Cheer up my friends, the world still moves; But two more years of blight. We then will run on broader grooves; We see the dawn of light.

The late November fierce cyclone Has level'd Gotham's Hill; And Tammany is overthrown; It did not fill the bill. J. B.

The country newspapers of Nebraska are a little bit handsomer and better than those of any other state in the Union. State Journal.

PUBLIC SALE. Ang. Hein will sell at public sale at the farm of June Conger, 4 miles southwest of Wayne, Friday, November 30, a head of good horses, 20 head of shoats and farming implements, etc. Terms of sale 11 months. Ed Reynolds, Aucr.

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## IN THE VALLEY.

To-day, when the sun was lighting my house on the pine-clad hill,  
The breast of a bird was ruffled as it perched on my hand,  
And a leaf was chased by the kitten on the breeze-worn garden walk.  
And the daisy bent  
A dash in red  
Was stirred on its slender stalk.  
Oh, happy the bird at the rose-tree, unobscured  
The threatening storm!  
And happy the least-chaser, rejoicing in  
sunshine warm!  
They take no thought for the morrow—they  
know no care for the future things  
And the roses and things  
Are a blank to such as they.  
But I, by the household ingle, can interpret the  
booming clouds  
For the wind "a-c'ross" through the keyhole,  
And I know the house, as I know  
And I know the wind, and go  
down to the vale below.  
For my house is still  
On the windy hill,  
When the autumn tempest blows.  
My mind is forever drawing an instructive par-  
tial view of all.  
'Tis a temporal that perishes and eternal things  
that follow.  
When billows and waves surround me and  
waters swirl and eddy.  
I depend on hope  
From the mountain top  
To the sheltering vale below.  
I go down to the valley of silence, where the  
world is never met;  
I know there is "vain and healing" there for  
the weary, and the  
And I find, in its sweet seclusion, gentle solace  
for all my care.  
'Tis the valley pure,  
With its shelter, pure,  
Is the heavenly vale of prayer,  
A chamber's joy and!

## DUTIFUL DAUGHTER.

It was romantic, but impossible. She was the fifth daughter of Dr. Pillingham of Curzen street, Mayfair, and he the third son of the Earl of Broadmoor, with an allowance that kept him in neckties and cigarettes, together with a bedroom and "the run of his teeth" at the family mansion in Grosvenor square.  
Lord Broadmoor had put down his golf-club as heavily as he dared and thundered "No!" and, in addition to his lordship, Lady Broadmoor claimed Dr. Pillingham's attendance for five minutes every morning at a guinea a visit, they were not patients to be offended rashly.  
So Miss Dorothy Pillingham and the Hon. Guy de Woking had one meeting to say "good-by" after which they were to meet as strangers. No one quite knew how they had ever met at all.  
"You will neither write to him nor hear from him," said Dr. Pillingham sternly.  
"Father, I cannot promise," said Dorothy, sobbing.  
"I don't care whether you do or not; I'll see to that," said Dr. Pillingham, and from that day every letter into and out of the house was scrutinized, and every walk poor Dorothy took was in the company of some one stern and severe.  
"If I hear of you communicating with that girl you go with a shilling," said the Earl of Broadmoor to his son.  
"All right, governor, keep your hair on. You've got to hear of it first," said Guy de Woking under his breath, but his father fortunately did not hear, and soon after sounded Dr. Pillingham as to how parental discipline worked in the case of Dorothy.  
"A charming nature, Lord Broadmoor," said the old doctor, "a charming nature; our affectionate intercourse is uninterrupted. Every morning she is up on my overcoat, just as usual, brushes my hat, sees that my stethoscope is in its place—I used to be continually forgetting it—and, though I'll be bound she knows where I'm going, says not a word."  
"I am delighted to hear it," said Lord Broadmoor. He had not watched his son's correspondence, trusting rather to the watching on the other side, and also to the fact that he had never seen Guy read anything but a sporting paper, or write at all, except under compulsion.  
"Very satisfactory," said Lord Broadmoor, recurring to the subject ten months later. "All blown over and ended."  
He had been telling Dr. Pillingham of an excellent appointment in a Government office which he had obtained for Guy.  
"I should not have got him a billet in London," continued his lordship. "If they had not forgotten one another."  
"I hope he likes his work," said Dr. Pillingham.  
"It's the first thing he has ever persevered with. There he goes to his office," said Lord Broadmoor, as the front door banged loudly; "but he ought to be earlier all the same. How late it is! You, too, must be later than usual, doctor, I think."  
"I fancy I am," said Dr. Pillingham. "Is her ladyship ready to see me?" and he followed a powdered footman out of the room. When he came downstairs Lord Broadmoor was standing in the hall. "I should be obliged, Dr. Pillingham," he said, "if you would take a hurried written line from me to Lady Honoria Shafter, to condole with her on Sir Patrick's accident."  
"Certainly," said Dr. Pillingham, slipping the little three-cornered note into the lining of his hat. "I will put it here, with one corner projecting; I cannot forget it then."  
"By the way," said his lordship, "I hope Miss Dorothy does not regard me as a terrible ogre."  
"Not at all," said Dr. Pillingham. "She has forgotten everything, and we have restored her liberty; she has been quite civil lately to young Dr. McGregor. He never would speak to him before. In fact, I really hope—"  
"Quite so. A very suitable connection. Thank you," said Lord Broadmoor, as he reached his study, while the footman closed the door on the doctor.

## DEFIES HEAT AND COLD.

A New Kind of Glass Unhurt by Violent Atmospheric Changes.

The new German glass is a new and singular departure in that line, disregarding as it does the ordinary principle that good glass must contain, together with silica and a divalent or trivalent metallic oxide, the oxide of monovalent metal—an alkali metal or thallium—but while thus free from alkali can be worked before the blowpipe, and has a small coefficient of expansion. The inventor, says the New York Sun, was led to the production of this compound glass by studying the state of strain in ordinary glass vessels and tubes cooled in contact with air. As a hollow glass vessel, cooled in contact with the air, has its outer skin in a state of compression, while the inside is in a state of tension, it is easily damaged on the inside, but is resistant on the outside; a hollow glass vessel, if introduced when cold into warm air, has its outer skin thrown into a state of compression, but if when it is hot, it is exposed to cold air, its outer skin is thrown into a state of tension—this being the reason why cold air causes glass to crack more readily than hot air does. The inventor succeeded in throwing the outer layer into a permanent state of compression by covering the glass vessel with a thin outer layer of glass which has a small coefficient of expansion. The flasks made of such glass can be filled with boiling aniline and immediately sprinkled on the outside with cold water—glass dishes too can be heated over the naked Bunsen flame without cracking. Pressure tubes of this compound glass are also made to meet all the requirements of practice and have been kept in continuous use on locomotives for five months.

## Do White Savages Exist?

The Mongol tribes, which inhabit the tundras, or frozen swamps of Northern Siberia, and who in ethnography are known as the Samoyedes, would be the first to suggest themselves as an answer to the question. In complexion they are whiter than the inhabitants of Spain, Italy, or the Grecian Archipelago—yet they are savages of a type so low in the scale of humanity that they might almost be described as the northern counterpart of the Puggans in the South. They live mostly on raw flesh and fish, and their institutions are even more primitive than those of the savages of Central Africa. Far removed from them, however, are the Mayonaras of the mountain region of Eastern Peru. They inhabit the district between the Ucayali and Yavari rivers. These are described by Markham as the most ferocious of all the tribes of Central South America. Unlike most savages they have thick beards, and are described as "tall and very war-like, given to naked, armed with clubs, spears, and blow-guns." A peculiar interest attaches to them in consequence of the belief that they are the descendants of Spanish marauders, who are supposed to have lost themselves in the wilds of Peru in the time of Pizarro, A. D. 1537, and to have mingled with savage tribes and so reverted to savagery.

EVERY woman develops into something of a singer when she has a baby to put to sleep.

CITIZENSHIP should not be conferred so indiscriminately.

Honoria, smiling at the old doctor graciously as she opened it. "How different the country grace and dignified style of our day from the slang familiarity of the present time." She gave a sudden gasp and sank back upon the sofa. "This from Lord Broadmoor?" she moaned. The note fell to the floor; the commencement, written large, caught his eye at once.  
"My own little Dolly Diddlecum's!"  
"To me of all people!" gasped her ladyship.  
"Certainly not," said the doctor—she would have turned the scale at nineteen stone, so "little Dolly Diddlecum's" was obviously inadequate.  
"Written in a foreign hand, and meant for whom I know not," she groaned. "Poor Lady Broadmoor; but stay, you must not read it."  
"I have read it," he said, putting it in his pocket, "and you may take it from me, Lady Honoria, it was not from Lord Broadmoor," and he bowed hurriedly and left the room.  
"Take this to your mistress," he said to the butler in the hall, putting on his hat, "and say that if the note I should have given her," and to his coachman he said, sharply, "Home!"  
Ten minutes later Dorothy stood before her father in his consulting room, plaint and submissive, her hands folded together.  
"And how long, miss," he exclaimed, "has this attachment been revived? How many of these infamous missives have I borne in my hat, to and from my patient's house?"  
"It's a year since you said we must break it off, father, a year yesterday; you must have carried—exactly," and she made a mental calculation, "subtracting your month's holiday and the day you wore your white hat unexpectedly, and allowing for leap year, 674."  
"And this," he exclaimed, "was your filial solicitude. You have disgraced my name."  
"I changed it yesterday."  
"What?"  
"For the first time for twelve months he saw her smile."  
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In 1822 Mr. Labouchere, a relative of the present member of Parliament of that name, was clerk in the banking house of Hope, of Amsterdam. One day he was sent by his patrons to Mr. Baring, the celebrated London banker, to negotiate a loan. He displayed in the affair so much ability as to entirely win the esteem and confidence of the English banker.  
"Faith," said Labouchere one day to Baring, "your laugh is a charming remark. I wish I could persuade you to give me her hand."  
"Young man, you are joking, for seriously you must allow that Miss Baring could never become the wife of a simple clerk."  
"But," said Labouchere, "if I were in partnership with Mr. Hope?"  
"Oh, that would be quite a different thing; that would entirely make up for all other deficiencies."  
Returning to Amsterdam Labouchere said to his patron:  
"You must take me into partnership."  
"My young friend, how can you think of such a thing? It is impossible. You are without fortune, and—"  
"But, if I became the son-in-law of Mr. Baring?"  
"In that case the affair would soon be settled, and you have my word."  
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