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WAYNE COUNTY NEWS

Events of the Week in the City and County as Gleaned by the Herald's News Gatherer.

On pursuing the stock dealer and questioning the grain and produce merchants today we find that

- Wheat is 36 cents.
- Oats 10
- Corn 12
- Flax 7 1/2
- Butter 7
- Eggs 6
- Potatoes 10
- Hogs, 2.50.

Cut Prices on Millinery to close out summer stock, at Ahern's.

Prepare to celebrate in Wayne the Fourth.

W. A. Ivory, Dentist, over First National Bank.

F. M. Skeen is building a large addition to his residence.

Children's Duck Suits from 60 cents to \$1.50. Harrington & Robbins.

Ben Wellbaum has accepted a position as pitcher of the Edgar ball team.

The county commissioners have been in session as an equalization board this week.

Steele & Co. shipped a car of hogs Monday, one Tuesday and one yesterday to Sioux City.

A special train of live loads of cattle were shipped by Morris Wadsworth to Omaha Monday evening.

Star West is just recovering from a serious injury sustained by a horse falling on him several days ago.

Rev. Wm. Gorst, of Norfolk, held Quarterly meeting at the M. E. church Sunday morning. He preached an excellent sermon.

Manley of Maine concedes McKinley's nomination on the first ballot, although Reed's name will be presented to the convention.

Mail has been taken from the post office box of Peter Coyle and it will be well for the party taking it to return same, as he is known.

\$80 invested in the Nebraska Central Building & Loan Association will net the investor over \$100 in one year. Everett Laughlin, Agent.

If you want to get a fair rate of interest and have your money where it is safe, invest in the Neb. Cen. Bldg. & Loan Assn. Everett Laughlin, Agent.

Pythian Memorial Day, Sunday June 21, will be duly observed by Lotus Lodge. The memorial address will be delivered by Rev. Millard at the M. E. church.

Thos. Godfrey, boiler inspector, was in Wayne Tuesday and reports the boiler at the water works in the best condition of any in use the same length of time in the state.

The Knights of Pythias social given at Pythian hall Tuesday evening was a decidedly pleasant affair, games and music enlivening the evening. Cake and ice cream were served.

A number of fields of small grain were almost ruined by hail last Saturday morning. The crops of the Gildersleeve boys and others in that vicinity were greatly damaged.

A special train load of stock was shipped to Chicago Saturday evening; H. Graves shipping six cars of cattle, J. R. Manning six cars of cattle and Ran Frazier two double-decked cars of hogs.

There was a pleasant social gathering of young folks at the home of Mrs. Norris on Tuesday evening in honor of Messrs. Ted Philleo and Herbert Hopper, of Wayne, who were visiting here. —Ponca Journal.

One of the young farmers up in Wilbur precinct who had been away from home Sunday imagined on his return late in the night that his house was in the hands of tramps. The whole neighborhood was aroused, but nary a tramp was visible. Who the joke was on is a question, the young man or the neighbors.

In writing up the Decoration Day exercises last week the Herald neglected to give due credit to the committee on arrangements of which A. W. Taylor was chairman. This committee is entitled to a great deal of credit for the excellent manner in which the exercises of the day were carried out and also for the decorations at the opera house.

Hank Peterson, who has been in the employ of Henry Hanson southeast of Wayne was kicked in the abdomen by a colt Saturday, while attempting to mount the animal. The wound is a dangerous one; Dr. Williams and Leisinger were summoned, who found that the lower intestines had been crushed and that an operation would be necessary to save his life.

A THOUSAND TYPEWRITERS
Write to as many as you can
Cauldrip People Peach
An Advertisement in THE HERALD

A few more tomato plants very cheap Thos. Holtz.

The crops are looking very good although the wheat is not in as good condition as the oat crop.

The Womens Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. Bradford on Thursday June 18th at 8:00 o'clock.

Senator Thurston will probably be permanent chairman of the St. Louis convention. Nebraska is all right.

Children's Day will be observed at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning. Exercises begin at 10:15.

\$81 invested in paid up stock of the Nebraska Central building & Loan Association will net you over \$10 interest in two years. Everett Laughlin, Ag't.

J. A. Jones of Carroll, was in Wayne on business Monday and was appointed assessor of Sherman precinct owing to the vacancy caused by the death of Owen Jones.

The wisdom of the republican national convention when assembled will be such as to cause the "free coinage of silverites" to turn colorless. Watch for the event.

Tuesday being Flower Mission Day of the W. C. T. U. the ladies of that organization in this city arranged about 60 beautiful bouquets, and sent them to the inmates of the state penitentiary at Lincoln.

The HERALD wants it distinctly understood that it is for ANSON A. Welch for county attorney and Mark Jeffrey for county commissioner and so are its friends so far as we know, and reports to the contrary are misrepresentations, the same as are many other things where snickers can be found to bite.

The Chicago TIMES-HERALD is perhaps the best and most fearless paper in the west. It attacks crime and fraud in every form; does not flinch in name in its columns the parties who are enemies of the public. It is most ably edited and should be in every household in the land. Such papers, fearless and bold to denounce wrong in any form, are public benefactors. —Raymond Register.

Don't be hoodwinked by talk of forming an organization outside of the newspapers. It's a trick. This is a free country and one persons rights are as good as anothers, and as long as there are newspapers in existence they will probably stand up for their rights the same as banks, hardware stores, jewelry stores, or any other class of business.

The Catholic social held at Pythian hall last evening drew out a large and jolly crowd. The Musical Union orchestra furnished the music, and duets were rendered by Mr. and Mrs. John Coyle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hebert, and a very pretty solo by Hattie Weber. Master Otto Voget, who is fast gaining a reputation as a violinist, rendered a very beautiful violin solo. The program was a delightful and entertaining one at the conclusion of which ice cream and cake was served. During the evening many engaged in dancing. The net proceeds amounted to about \$15.00.

At the annual meeting of the First District Christian Endeavors held at Harrington last week eight delegates were in attendance from Wayne. Every session of the convention was very interesting and much good was received from each meeting by every one of the 80 delegates present. The business houses and also residences were beautifully decorated and the delegates were all superbly entertained. Miss Nelle Spears was re-elected Supt. of the Juniors of the district and Miss Mary Mettlen corresponding secretary. By a unanimous vote it was decided to hold the next meeting at Wayne in June, 1897.

The following persons attended from Wayne: Misses Mary Mettlen, Clara Philleo, Nellie Spears, Lulu Mears, Maude Bressler, Ethel Tucker, Libbie Ellis and Louise Mitonell, and Messrs. Edward Philleo, Herbert Hopper and Thos. Holtz.

Pure Millet Seed for Sale. Call on Philleo & Son.

A light rain fell this morning. Red Rose Perfume at Wilkins & Co's. Ice Cream and Drinks at Farrand & Rundells.

S. B. Soace and son Homer went to Omaha this afternoon.

J. P. Larson's small grain was nearly ruined by hail last Thursday evening.

The Wayne Band has been engaged to play for the celebration of the Fourth. Henry Boyd of Lincoln, Illinois, is visiting with his daughter, Mrs. F. A. Dearborn.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society will serve dinner at the Boyd annex Saturday, July 4th.

Are you saving your money? If not why not invest a little in the Nebraska Central Building & Loan Association. Interest compounded monthly. Everett Laughlin, Agent.

During the severe storm last Saturday, one of the prominent farmers of Plum Creek was standing on a bridge catching posts that were floating down the flooded valley when all of a sudden along came a hay stack and another washed out bridge and in a twinkling the bridge on which the farmer stood floated off and he was compelled to swim for dear life to shore.

County Attorney Welch who has made one of the best officials the county ever had, will undoubtedly be unanimously renominated at the republican county convention as there is no opposition to his candidacy. Mark Jeffrey will undoubtedly be nominated at the commissioners convention in the first district. Mark has made a splendid official and should be renominated.

When in the city July 4th all my customers and friends are invited to make their headquarters at the Star Grocery. A nice large room will be fitted up over the store for your accommodation where you may eat your dinner and be at perfect liberty to go and come at pleasure. Don't forget that you are all invited to make your headquarters with me. P. L. MILLER.

A SMALL TORNADO.
A small tornado occurred five miles west of Pender Thursday night, demolishing the buildings of Wm. Sedow, the barns and out-buildings of Wm. Myers and Henry Hein's, moved the house of Wm. Wittmeyer fifty feet off the foundation and wrecked his barn and out-buildings. The farm residence of John Otterman was demolished and his barn was scattered over a section of land. The house of Mr. Sedow was occupied by the family at the time. Mr. Sedow was stripped of his clothing and when he came to his senses he was fifty feet from the house. One of his sons was injured and forty-two head of hogs, six calves and a mule were killed. Mr. Sedow is a brother of Chas. Sedow who resides seven miles southeast of Wayne.

Council Proceedings.
Council met in regular session Monday evening with the following members present: Richards, Fisher, Piepenstock, Volpp and Olmsted, Mayor Stringer and Clerk Beebe.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were audited and allowed:
P. Coyle Salary and telegram \$50.00
Geo. Miner, Salary, 50.00
Laidlaw Dun Gordon Co. 19.75
Olmsted & Co. hardware, gasoline 11.70
Dan Legan, street grading 14.40
Otto Voget, material and labor 2.05
R. M. Galbraith street grading 19.50
M. Slater burying three dogs 1.50
Sam Short burying two dogs 1.00
Smith & Ellis, Lumber 104.95
Philleo & Son, Lumber 22.40
The election of T. W. Moran as Fire Chief and L. W. Roe Assistant Chief were confirmed.

The report of the Water committee that the bills of Chas. Craven and Ran Frazier for water pipes put in be allowed was accepted and the clerk instructed to notify the Water Commissioner to allow C. Craven city water to the amount of \$36.00 and Ran Frazier to the amount of \$58.20.

The matter of W. C. Bonham in regard to numbering the streets and residences throughout the city was referred to the Finance Committee.

Ordinance No. 95, providing for the annual levy for the year 1896, was introduced and read. On motion the rules were suspended and ordinance passed to its second and third reading and final passage.

The Water Committee was instructed to have the pump at the Water Works repaired and if necessary purchase a new point.
Council adjourned till Monday June 22nd.
Chas. Beebe, Clerk.

ALMOST A FLOOD!

The Heaviest Rain Storm Known Here for Years.—Sidewalks Washed Out and Cellars Filled with Water.

IT CAME DOWN IN TORRENTS.

One Hundred Yards of the Railway Track Washed Out.—Damage to Crop-Slight but Many Fences Carried Away.

Last Saturday morning about four o'clock rain began falling in torrents and in less than an hour, nearly three inches of water fell. The gutters along Third street were inadequate to carry off the water and in a short time the cellars of the Love hotel, Bartlett & Heisters' furniture store, Kass Drug store, Miller's grocery, Harrington & Robbins clothing store and The Racket were two-thirds full and pumps were kept going Saturday and Sunday to pump it out. Considerable damage resulted to merchandise in the cellars.

In the draw in the west part of town sidewalks and crossings were washed out along the residence property of Peter Mears, R. Q. Warnock, Herman Mildner, and the coal house at the German church was floated out into the street. Debris was scattered all along the gully. Six pigs of Will Rickabaugh's were found near the railroad track all safe. Water to a depth of six inches ran into the house of Mrs. Lerner on Fourth street, ruining her carpets and causing the occupants to vacate. The sidewalks along the home of J. M. Cherry and the Connable property were floated away and lightning struck the residence of J. Tower but did very little damage. The truck farms of Henry Leyman and Peter Henkle became lakes as there were no outlets for the water, and the garden truck and sugar beet crops will be almost a total loss.

About six hundred feet of track on the C. St. P. M. & O. Railroad three and one-half miles southwest of the city was washed out, requiring two train loads of dirt to repair it.

All the county fences were washed on the farms of I. O. Richardson, David Cunningham, L. Larson, Nels Nelson, Fred Thompson, Phil Sullivan and many others. Although the damage to crops was not very large, Mr. Richardson will probably have to replant about forty acres of corn. Hail did slight damage in a few places, but taken all in all the loss is comparatively small. Five bridges over Plum Creek in Brenna precinct east of Moses ranch, were washed out and the farm house of C. O. Fisher three miles southwest of Winside was moved off the foundation about three feet. Other minor damage occurred in different parts of the county. The rain was undoubtedly a help to the wheat crop.

Plum Creek and Coon Creek overflowed and their valleys for miles presented the appearance of lakes along which the hay crop was damaged more or less, and fences were carried away.

ROAD RACE JULY FOURTH.

A road race will be run July 4th from Winside to Wayne. There will be a large number of entries. The following are the prizes:
1st. Bicycle Suit.....\$15 00
2nd. Gold Ring.....10 00
3rd. Sweater.....7 50
4th. Bicycle Shoes.....5 00
5th. Sweater (Phoenix Cycle Co.) 3 50
Consolation prize, one quart muscle developer.....50
Time prize, Kodak.....12 50
Race limited to Wayne county.

COLLEGE CHAFF.

Miss Newman of Dorsey, enrolled this week.
The Scientists will give a social Saturday night. All invited.

The Crescents had a picnic last Monday. A pleasant time reported.

Mr. Erston and wife of Wausa, have entered school; he expects to complete the scientific course.
Rev. Wight visited chapel Tuesday morning, and Revs. Theobald and Eckhart Wednesday morning. All gave very interesting talks.

Among the new students are Miss Luber of Butte, Miss Everett of Vermillion, Miss Christensen of Hurley, S. D., and Miss Freesterg, of Clay Point.

Program.
For Teachers' Association at the high school rooms at Wayne on June 13th, 1896.
A. M.
Spelling.....Mina Lewis'
History—From Jackson's Administration to and including Causes of the Mexican War.....Chas. Wilson.

P. M.
Reading Circle Work.....Bert Brown.
Percentage.....Prof. H. E. Mason.
Lemonade, buttermilk and a variety of soft drinks at R. W. Wilkins & Co's soda fountain.

PERSONAL.

Bridge contractor Fox, of Norfolk is in the city.
W. F. Carpenter did business in Sioux City Friday.

Fred Weber shipped two cars of stock to Omaha Tuesday.

Dan Harrington was in Wakefield Tuesday afternoon.

Alice Stringer is visiting with friends at Norfolk this week.

Attorney Welch went to Omaha on legal business Tuesday.

Mrs. J. J. Diltz is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. O. H. Miskimen.

Mrs. Larson of Malvern, is visiting with her sister Mrs. D. Haines.

Mrs. A. G. Howard was a passenger to Gothenburg yesterday morning.

Sheriff Reynolds took his prisoner, J. H. Wilson, to Lincoln Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Strahan returned from her Malvern visit Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Whitham of Randolph, visited in Wayne the first of the week.

R. R. Smith the genial grain buyer at Winside was in Wayne on business Saturday.

Rev. Millard rode over to Wisner on his wheel Tuesday morning returning yesterday.

Miss Eva Beebe came up from Stanton Saturday and visited a few days with relatives.

J. L. Thomas and daughter Mrs. Owen Jones, went to Red Oak Iowa, Tuesday morning.

Judge W. F. Norris of Ponca, was in Wayne Saturday, the guest of his father-in-law, R. Philleo.

Mrs. J. L. Winterburn went to St. Edwards yesterday to organize a lodge of the Royal neighbors.

Mrs. Will Ricksbaugh left on Tuesday morning's train for a visit with her parents at Red Oak, Iowa.

Mrs. A. B. Charde returned from Pender Saturday evening, where she had been visiting with friends.

Mrs. L. F. Holtz and Miss Mary Dickey went to Council Bluffs Saturday to spend the summer with their parents.

Mrs. Huse and Mrs. Griffith of Red Oak, Iowa, are visiting this week with Rev. Jones and friends in Sherman precinct.

Miss Clare Stringer, H. E. Mason and W. E. Howard went to Lincoln Monday to attend the summer term at the State University.

Mrs. C. S. Beebe, Edna Sewell and Clyde Winterburn were delegates to the Epworth League convention held at Wisner, the 8th, 9th, 10th inst.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Roman left for Mankato, Minnesota, Monday where they will reside in the future. The well wishes of Wayne friends goes with them.

Pure Millet Seed for sale. Call on Philleo & Son.

Don't be talked into buying an old style binder when you can get the new Champion which is latest improved and up to date machine. Jones & Cook.

Red Rose Perfume at Wilkins & Co's. We repair wheels. Phoenix Cycle Co. Suits to order for \$18. L. O. Mehua. Canada Maple Sugar at W. E. Brookings'.

Bargains in Millinery at Miss Wilkinson's.

A lot of very cheap bed room suits at Gaertner's.

Pants made to order for \$4, \$5, and \$6. L. O. Mehua.

Try Red Roses Perfume, the favorite, at Wilkins & Co's.

Straw Hats for everybody at Harrington & Robbins.

Try Red Roses Perfume, the popular odor. Wilkins & Co.

Buy your butter of P. L. for it is nice and he keeps it on ice.

Ladies! Call and see our ladies gauntlet Gloves. Phoenix Cycle Co.

Suits made to order for \$20. All work guaranteed. L. O. Mehua.
Champion Harvesting Machines for sale by Jones & Cook, Wayne Neb.
For Ice Cream, Drinks and Fruits of all kinds, call on Farrand & Rundell.
The cheapest place in the city to buy Carpets and Lace Curtains; Ahern's.
A beautiful line of HALF WOOL CHALLIES put down to 10c per yard, at Ahern's.
Save your money by buying stock in the N. C. B. & L. Association. Everett Laughlin, Agent.
If you have not tried our 35 cent Tea you are making a mistake for it will please you. P. L. Miller.
Hail storms are reported all around us. Insure your crops with S. H. Alexander at the Wayne National Bank.

Cash Paid For POULTRY

No Cartage or Commission Charged.
Prices this Week.
Hens, 5 1/2 cents; Roosters, 2 1/2 cts.; Turkeys 5 to 6 cents; Ducks, 5 cents; Spring Chicks 12c; Guinea fowl 5c.

RICHARD WEBBER,
SIOUX CITY, IOWA.

GRAND SUMMER Millinery Opening.

The most elegant line of Ladies' and Childrens' Hats ever brought to Wayne. Great Bargains given throughout the season.

MISS H. WILKINSON.

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WAYNE HERALD:
McKINLEY for President,
NEBRASKA for me;
Yours forever,
E. B. KING,
Cincinnati, Ohio.

HANGED!
Some of the nicest jobs of papering in the city have been done by Bonham. Get his prices.

Try the Sodas at R. W. Wilkins & Co's. Suits made to order from \$17 upwards at L. O. Mehua.

BATHS:—Hot or cold, 15 cents at Shearer's barber shop.

Bargains in Ladies Shirt Waists and notions at Miss Wilkinson's.

CUT PRICES ON MILLINERY to close out summer stock, at Ahern's. Boys suits with long pants, ages 10 to 19 at \$3.50. Harrington & Robbins.

Little Boys Suits, also separate Waists and Knee Pants. Very Cheap at Ahern's.

HAIL! Farmers, insure your crops against hail. S. H. Alexander, Wayne National Bank.

Tobacco users will find, in another column, an item of decided interest to them, headed "Don't Stop Tobacco."

The new Champion binder has all the good features that other machines have and then it has several good points that others do not have. Sold by Jones & Cook.

Take Notice.
T. J. Steele & Co. will buy and sell cattle and hogs. Stock cattle a specialty. 11-8mo. Ran Frazier, Agent.

Kindergarten
and Primary School in connection with the College under the supervision of Miss Atlanta Conard, at the Ward school building. Children between four and nine years of age admitted. Tuition \$2.00 for the term, one-half payable on entrance and balance at end of first month. School will open at 9:00 o'clock next Monday, June 15. For other information call at College.
J. M. PILE.

ORDINANCE NO. 95.
An ordinance to levy a tax for the year 1896 for general purposes and for the payment of interest on water bonds. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Council of the City of Wayne:

Sec. 1. That there is hereby levied for the year 1896 a tax of ten (10) mills on the dollar for general revenue purposes.

Sec. 2. That there is hereby levied for the year 1896 a tax of seven (7) mills on the dollar to pay interest on the water bonds and maintenance of the water works.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force upon its passage approval and publication as required by law.

Passed and approved June 8th, 1896.
Mark Stringer, Mayor.
Attest: Chas. S. Beebe, Clerk.

LEE'S MISSION IN CUBA

AMERICANS BREATHE EASIER SINCE HIS ARRIVAL

The New Consul General Has Pleaded Everybody—Finds the Imprisoned Competitor Men in Wretched and Filthy Quarters—Other News Items

Lee's Mission in Cuba

HAVANA. A local newspaper prints an interview with Consul General Lee on the subject of his mission, in which Lee is quoted as saying he came to inform himself on the problem presented in Cuba and would report to Washington with impartiality and justice.

Consul General Lee visited the Americans imprisoned in Cuban fortresses. He found the competitor men very wretched and in filthy quarters. He will apply for their relief at once, it is reported that no formal charges have yet been made in the case of Thomas F. Dawley, the correspondent of Harper's Weekly, who has been in Cuba for some time as a correspondent of Harper's Weekly, and all the recent works on that journal on the Cuban war has been from him.

Frank Mayo Dead

OMAHA. Frank Mayo, the veteran actor of the Union square overland limited while enroute to this city on the 11th. He had given no sign that he was ill though for a year or more past he had been affected with pains in his chest. These pains generally occurred at night after Mr. Mayo had finished acting. He was examined only recently by a physician, who told him the pains were not to be regarded as serious.

Martial Law in Barcelona

BARCELONA. Martial law has been declared here. The total number of victims of the bomb explosion on the 7th are eight dead, twenty-one dying and eighteen injured.

Kruger Whips His "Little Dogs"

LONDON. A special to the Times from Cape Town says that President Kruger referring to the thanks of the released reforming made a characteristic simile, saying: "If my little dogs are naughty, must whip them, but I am always sorry to do so. The next time I must get hold of a big dog. My little dogs bark; but the big one bites." This reference to Cecil Rhodes and the reformers shows accurately, the Times correspondent says, the feeling of the Boers on the subject. It is rumored that each will be fined \$500.

Printing Office Wrecked by Vandals

KANSAS CITY. A special to the Star from Wamego, Kas., says: At St. Mary's the press and cases of the Journal, a Democratic semi-weekly, were completely wrecked by persons unknown, who ended their work by throwing all the paper and type into the Kansas River. James Graham, its publisher, recently attacked the license collector for his method of receiving money from saloon keepers, and threatened to demolish the office. He is under arrest. Names of others implicated are not known.

A Hero of the Storm

ST. LOUIS. Mr. Ramsey, a sister-in-law of D. G. Ramsey, ex-chief of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, died at her home in East St. Louis. Her death was due to her heroic efforts in rescuing her husband from the ruins of the Van Fleet house on the night of the tornado. Ramsey is still hovering between life and death. Mr. Ramsey's body will be shipped to Vinton, Iowa.

Russian Railroad Into China

LONDON. A Vienna dispatch to the Daily News says a Moscow telegram reports that the Russo-Chinese bank has been organized for the purpose of financing through Manchuria to Peking, with a capital of 100,000,000 rubles. Each country grants a concession and guarantees the capital for the lines running through their respective territories.

Americans Not Wanted

LONDON. A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Lorenzo Marquez, Delagoa Bay, says that Mr. Poiner, an American prospector, has arrived there aboard the Harley Castle from Tarnate, Madagascar, where the English and American Consuls told him that it was useless to remain because the French refused licenses to foreign prospectors.

Retired by Both Countries

LONDON. The proposed convention has been ratified by United States Ambassador Bayard and the Marquis of Salisbury, as minister of foreign affairs.

Completed Her Trust

SAN FRANCISCO. Mrs. Jane Lathrop Stanford has paid in full to the trustees of Leland Stanford, Jr., University the \$2,500,000 willed to the institution by the late Senator Stanford. The payment was made in railroad securities, from which the university will receive an income of \$120,000 a year.

Wilhelm's Yacht Wins

DOVER ENGLAND. In the Royal Yacht Club regatta on the 8th Emperor William's motor yacht defeated the Prince of Wales Britannia.

Go to Gray Gables

WASHINGTON. Mrs. Cleveland and family left Thursday for their summer home, Gray Gables, Buzzards Bay. The President will join her soon after the adjournment of Congress.

Massachusetts Brewery Burns

BOSTON. The Joyland brewery of Hattlemund & Co., Jamaica Plain, burned on the 5th. The loss is \$200,000.

Hungarian Celebration

BUDAPEST. The millennial celebration opened on the 6th with a public exhibition of regalia.

Gen. Quesada Dead

NEW YORK. Gen. Rafael de Quesada, who was preparing to lead the next filibustering expedition to Cuba, died at the Hotel Madison of the effects of a surgical operation that had been performed to remove a cancerous growth in the throat.

Gen. de Quesada was born in Puerto Principe, Cuba, and was 55 years old.

Previous to the last ten years war for Cuban independence he was a colonel of infantry in the Mexican army, and won distinction in the campaign in this war against Maximilian. His brother, Manuel de Quesada, was commander-in-chief of the Cuban forces during the last rebellion, and at the breaking out of hostilities Gen. Rafael de Quesada resigned his commission in the Mexican army and came to New York, joined the Cuban junta and was made director of filibustering expeditions. He took the steamer Salvador to Cuba with a cargo of arms, ammunition and men in May, 1895, and in 1896. He accompanied the Virginus to Cuba on her first filibustering trip in June, 1897. He had been connected with the Cuban revolutionary party since the declaration of the present war, and last fall he publicly announced, at Madison Hall in this city, his intention of taking a big filibustering expedition to Cuba at his first opportunity. Lately he had acted as the principal representative of the Cuban Provisional Government at the Peace Conference. Two weeks ago he came here to undergo an operation and to lead his long promised expedition to Cuba. His body is at present lying in state at the apartments of his sister, Mme. Cespedes, at the Endicott. The latter is the widow of the first President of the Provisional Republic, Gen. Carlos M. de Cespedes.

Corners the Potato Market

KANSAS CITY. James McKinney, of the commission firm of McKinney Bros., has practically cornered the potato market. McKinney is said to have more of the product to sell than all the other potato brokers in the west. Within the past four days McKinney has raised the price of potatoes 25 cents and a further rise is anticipated. Twenty days ago McKinney contracted for the only available potatoes now in the west, at a price of 10 cents from Greeley, Colo. McKinney is said to have cornered the market five years ago when he raised the price from 25 cents to \$1 a bushel. When asked if he could raise the price to \$1, he replied: "No, I don't know that I will. I am making a great deal at present. New home-grown stock is coming in and before it becomes abundant I must move what I have on hand. These markets are dangerous things to play with. I am in control to-day; tomorrow may show a different front."

New Swindling Scheme

ST. JOSEPH, Mo. A man carrying a small valise and wearing a badge on which were the words "State Stone Inspector" has been defrauding the owners of gasoline stoves in this city during the past week. He was arrested and will be turned over to the state authorities. He gave the name of George White. The inspector did not have his authority questioned until he went to a house where the head of the family was at home. He had inspected the stove and had been paid for it when the man of the house happened to go into the kitchen and was informed by his daughter that the state stove inspector had just finished inspecting the gasoline stove. White was held while the police were sent for. He said he was sent out by the State Board of Underwriters, but could not show any authority besides the badge. He had collected quite a sum in silver coin, charging from 15 to 25 cents for inspecting each stove.

To Row Across Atlantic

NEW YORK. Two young men, George Herpo and Frank Sannelson, will start to row across the Atlantic from New York in a boat 18 feet 4 inches long and 5 feet wide, on July 1. The distance is 3,250 miles. The rowers will use no sail. They will carry provisions for sixty days. The little boat lies adjoining the barge office. Herpo and Sannelson are fishermen from Branchport, N. J. They say they are confident of accomplishing the trip, and thus earning the fame of being the first to cross the Atlantic with oars.

Wales' Horse Benton

EPSON. Lord Derby's filly, Canterbury Pilgrim, was the winner of the race for the Oakes stakes, one of the most highly prized honors among British turf events. The Prince of Wales' Thais was second, and J. C. Hill's proposition third. The Oakes stakes is of 4,500 sovereigns for 2-year-old fillies, to carry 126 pounds each; owner of second horse to receive 200 sovereigns, and owner of the third 100 sovereigns out of the stakes. The distance is about a mile and a half.

Girl Dies by Her Own Hand

CHESTERFIELD, Ill. Emma Wheeler, aged 24, committed suicide by shooting herself. Her body was found in the pantry at the home of Gideon B. Loper, where she had lived. The shotgun that she had used lay beside her. Miss Wheeler was a young woman of excellent reputation, and was an officer of the local chapter of the Epworth League. No motive can be assigned for her act, although it is said that at times she was a victim of melancholy.

Slain by Insurgents

ATHENS. A Turkish detachment of ninety-five men, sent to Vozz Crete, to remove war material was cut to pieces by insurgents, only a few escaping.

Gold in the Coal

CHEYENNE, WYO. The owners of the Cambria coal fields have just discovered that coal which they have been selling at \$2 a ton carries \$5 to \$6 of gold per ton.

MARKETS

Table with market prices for various goods in Sioux City, Chicago, and South Omaha. Includes items like Hogs, Cattle, Sheep, Wheat, Corn, etc.

Bradstreet's Review

NEW YORK. Bradstreet's says: General trade conditions are depressed in nearly all lines. The demand is smaller than last year, and the receipts for all offerings of commercial paper have decreased. Mercantile collections continue complained of and the tendency of prices, particularly of cereals, sugar, coffee, iron products, cotton and cotton goods and iron and steel, continues downward.

There is a moderate increase in demand for dry goods at Chicago, but business generally is disappointing. The shock to trade at St. Louis in part the result of delays in distribution of merchandise on account of the late storm. Unseasonably cool weather and rain have interfered with retail territory tributary to Kansas City.

Eastern advices are that wool is as dull and weak as ever with larger stocks of old carried over than for years and very light demand for new clip.

Great supply of cotton fabrics continue to depress prices.

Exports of wheat (four included as wheat) from both coasts of the United States this week have been the largest since the third week in January, 3,209,000 bushels, against 2,064,000 bushels last week.

Fire Shores at the Street Car

MILWAUKEE. A trolley car on the Cudahy line of the Milwaukee Electric Railway Company was ambushed at a point two miles south of the city the other night. Fully twenty-five shots were fired into it. Two men were shot, one fatally. They are:

John E. Breen, motorman of Manistee, Mich., 27 years old, shot through lower abdomen; will die.

Adolph Schwarz, conductor, Milwaukee, shot through the leg; not serious.

The wounded motorman ran the car to the city and both men removed to the hospital. The car left Cudahy at 8:30 p. m. A fat point on the road a log was found across the track and the conductor advanced to remove it when several shots were fired at him and he fell, but was assisted to the car by the motorman.

Hawaii Defies England

HONOLULU. The legislature passed annexation resolutions before adjourning, and 5 feet of the resolutions were in favor of annexation.

Great Britain has made a demand on the Government on behalf of V. V. Ashford, exiled for complicity in the rebellion of 1895. The demand says Ashford's repeated requests that he be allowed to return here must be complied with. Ashford is in San Francisco. It is understood President Dole replied to the demand declining to allow Ashford to come here. It is believed a British man of war will be sent here to land Ashford without respect to the Government's wishes.

Swindled by Circus Followers

A guild of confidence men connected with the Great Synicate circus, which was showing at Fairbury, succeeded in victimizing a lot of suckers with games as old as the hills. Some of the victims "squagued" and were out warrants for the arrest of the swindler, who finally refunded nearly \$100 of the money.

Polk County Mortgage Record

The record in the Polk County clerk's office shows that during the month of May there were ten farm mortgages filed amounting to \$6,977; released, nine, \$10,145; town and city mortgages filed, five, \$2,145; released, six, \$2,867; chattel mortgages filed, \$20,230.89; released, twenty-one, \$8,577.

Used Dynamite on a Postoffice Safe

The postoffice at Shubert was broken into the other night and the safe blown open with dynamite. The robbers secured about \$50. The mail and stamps were not injured. About \$13 of private letters lying in one corner of the safe was not taken in their haste to get away.

Farmer Finds Life a Burden

A prosperous German farmer by the name of E. Euenaga, who has lived in Hanover Township for a good many years, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a pocket knife. Family troubles supposed to be the cause.

Injured in a Runaway

A few days ago while Simon Ullrig of Kearney was out driving, his team ran away and he was thrown out, breaking three ribs and sustaining other severe injuries. He has been in a critical condition since.

Purchase 10,000 Sheep

B. F. Carter and J. B. Tenney of Gordon started for Oregon a new venture to purchase 10,000 sheep, to be shipped to this place and sold out in small lots to farmers and ranchmen.

Stone Cutters Strike

The stone cutters at work on the new Methodist Church at York struck, and have left that city. The trouble arose over the inability of the contractors to secure the necessary stone. The quarry which furnishes the stone, failed to furnish the supplies. No notice was given by the workmen of their intention to leave.

Favors Prof. Nelson

The junior class of the Normal School at Peru passed resolutions favoring the retention of Prof. Norton by the board of education of that institution.

DEATH IN THE CELLAR

YOUNG GIRL DROWNED IN A CYCLONE CELLAR.

Loup City and Vicinity Visited by a Destructive Hail and Wind Storm—Water Fell to the Depth of Ten Inches in One Hour.

Drowned in a Cyclone Cellar

The worst wind and rain storm in the history of Sherman County struck Loup City on the evening of the 5th. Hail fell for a period of fifty-five minutes at the largest measured seven inches in circumference. All window lights in north side of houses were demolished. Over ten inches of water fell in one hour and water running from one to two feet in depth ran down all the east and west streets.

The family of Joseph McCoy went into the cyclone cellar and when it began to blow with water they all got out except the little girl, Nellie, 7 years old. She was drowned in the flood.

The Catholic church was blown to pieces. The Baptist church was moved three feet off of the foundation. The barns and outbuildings of T. L. Pilger and Mrs. Bower are sprung out for forty rods. The school house roof and the roof of Mrs. Bower's residence were taken off.

The sixty-foot bridge across Dead Horse Creek leading to the fair grounds was carried bodily over 1,000 feet and is lodged near the B. & M. water tank. In answer to the Burlington and Missouri and the Union Pacific Railroad bridges are washed out and it is reported that a half mile of the B. & M. track is gone between there and Ardenia. Six or eight windmills and the fire bell tower blew over.

The family of John Ohlsen were compelled to cut a hole in the ceiling of their house and crawl into their attic for safety.

YORK CHURCHES IN COURT.

A peculiar controversy has been commenced in the York circuit court. While the action is between the Lincoln Creek Christian Church and the First National Bank of York, the main matter is between the Christian Church and the Church of Christ, lately organized.

Several years ago the Christian Church sold its church building, which was located near York, and built a church in the city. The money from the sale of its church was deposited in the bank. A few days ago, when the trustees of the Christian Church went to draw out the money the bank was enjoined from paying it by Joseph Wohlzhamut, one of the trustees of the Church of Christ. The Christian Church then began suit against the bank and made Wohlzhamut a party to the action. Wohlzhamut, in answer to the petition of the plaintiff, alleges that the Church of Christ is entitled to the money deposited in the bank, as it is the direct successor to the old church which was sold, as the Lincoln Creek Christian Church had departed from the doctrine of the Church of Christ, and therefore states that it is entitled to the money, as it is the true church of the kind in the county.

Horses and Hog Escape

Dan Pouch had a lively runaway while on his way to Hastings. He had a fat pig in the wagon and soon after he crossed the railroad track east of Junction a B. & M. train coming west scared his team. The horses whirled around and threw Mr. Pouch out and ran away, recrossing the track just in front of the train. The engine struck the wagon, smashing it up quite badly, breaking the harness of several, but, strange to relate, not injuring either the hog or the horses.

Drowned While Bathing

Ed McKinley, aged 85, was drowned while bathing in a pond four miles east of Lowrie. Two boys were near the pond wading when the deceased dove up and removing his clothes went into the water. After swimming about half way across he turned toward the starting point, sank and did not rise again. After five hours dragging the body was recovered. McKinley leaves a wife and four children in destitute circumstances.

Bonds for Bridging the Platte

The Cass County commissioners have granted a petition from the residents of Eight Mile Grove Precinct to call a special election to vote on the bonds for the erection of a wagon bridge over the Platte River at Cedar Creek. The election will be called July 7. The total cost of the bridge will be \$8,000, half of which will be voted by the precinct and the other half furnished by popular subscription among the farmers of Sarpy County and merchants of South Omaha.

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A NEBRASKA HURRICANE.

Considerable Damage in the North-eastern Part of the State.

The farming section about five miles north of Pender was visited on the evening of the 4th by a hurricane, accompanied by a severe hailstorm. The trees were blown down, the roofs of houses destroyed, the wires being strewn across the public highways to such an extent that they are impassable. The residence of Wm. Sydnor and a large number of granaries and cattle sheds are scattered over several sections of land. Several members of Sydnor's family are seriously injured.

All of James Kinzell's buildings except his residence were wholly destroyed and his stock and horses are running at large. At Albert Chamber's place, about one mile north of Kinzell's, the buildings and fences were blown from the premises. The house was left standing, but was twisted about half way around.

A number of Pender citizens and several doctors left at 9:30 for the scene of the storm's ravages.

Lightning damaged the residence of W. T. North in Pender, totally wrecking the chimney, tore the plastering from the walls and some household furniture was broken up. No other damage was done in town.

Several bridges south of town are washed out and about 100 feet of track on the line of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway washed away about four miles north of Bancroft. Reports received state that John Osterman's residence, barns and other buildings were totally destroyed. \$25,000 of property was lost.

Lightning during the storm at Randolph struck the dwelling house of C. E. Black. The bolt went down the chimney, through the stovepipe and into the room, where it struck the little daughter of Mr. Black and injured her leg somewhat. No serious results are reported. Bancroft was also visited by the storm and the residence of W. Watson damaged by lightning.

Appropriation for \$50,000.

The river and harbor bill passed recently provides \$50,000 for the improvement and protection of the Nebraska bank of the Missouri River at South Sioux City. The following are extracts from the law:

Improving the upper Missouri River between Stubb's Ferry, Mont., and the lower river to the mouth of the Missouri, of which, in the discretion of the Secretary of War, \$50,000 may be expended in the protection and completion of works at Sioux City; \$50,000, or so much as may be necessary for the protection of the caving bank at a point 300 feet above the upper to the lower river already constructed on the South Sioux City front, as recommended in House document No. 43, Fifty-third Congress, third session; \$50,000 in the reclamation of the river at Pierre and Fort Pierre, \$20,000 for the protection of Bismarck harbor and the reclamation of the river to prevent erosion of the banks and cutting a new channel at or near that point; \$20,000, in the Great Falls, in Montana, and Stubb's Ferry, in Montana; provided that, subject to such conditions as the Secretary of War may prescribe, any person, company or corporation may construct a dam or dams across said river above Stubb's Ferry, with necessary canals and improvements to develop water power and for other useful purposes; \$40,000 at Yankton, and \$20,000 for the improvement of the river at Elk Point, which shall be immediately available.

There is another item which reads:

For the improvement of the upper Missouri River by snagging, \$50,000.

Walter C. Faye Found Guilty

The jury in the case of Walter C. Faye, charged with forging and uttering a certain bond for \$1,000 of the La Grange Precinct, District of Cook County, Ill., which was given to the Omaha Brewing Association in 1891, in part payment for a saloon in Omaha, returned a verdict finding Faye guilty of both passing and uttering the bond. He was remanded to jail for sentence. This bond is one of eight of the same description which Faye presented to his bride as a wedding gift, the bond in question being the only one in evidence.

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SENATE AND HOUSE.

WORK OF OUR NATIONAL LAWMAKERS

A Week's Proceedings in the House of Congress—Important Measures Discussed and Acted Upon—An Impartial Resume of the Business.

The National Solons

The Senate Tuesday, by a vote of 32 to 25, passed the Butler bill to prohibit any further issue of bonds without the consent of Congress. The debate was sharp and bitter, but all the amendments were defeated and then the final vote taken, on which the bill was passed. The filled-chess bill was taken up and made the unfinished business. Mr. Allison introduced a joint resolution for a scientific investigation of the Bering sea seal fisheries.

At 7 o'clock Mr. Hill moved to adjourn, and at 7:15 the motion was carried. Mr. Hill exclaimed: "And may God save the country." The House devoted itself to passing the river and harbor bill over the President's veto and to unsetting by a vote of 162 to 39 John J. Walsh, the Democratic member from the Eighth New York district, whose place will be filled by John Murray Mitchell, Republican. Both of these actions were foregone conclusions, so that they excited comparatively little interest, although there was a full house to vote on the river and harbor bill. It was passed by 256 to 90; many more votes than two-thirds necessary to override a veto, and it was passed without debate, although Mr. Dickey (Mo.) protested vehemently that debate had been promised. Thirty-nine Democrats voted to override the presidential objections and twenty-six Republicans stood by Mr. Cleveland.

The Senate Wednesday followed the lead of the House and passed the river and harbor bill over the President's veto by the following vote: Yeas—Republicans: Aldrich, Allison, Burrows, Cannon, Carrier, Chandler, Clark, Cullom, Davis, Dubois, Elkins, Gallinger, Gear, Hale, Hansbrough, Hawley, Lodge, McBridge, Mitchell (Oregon), Nelson, Perkins, Pettigrew, Platt, Prater, Quar, Sherman, Shoop, Smith, Teller, Warren, Wetmore, Wilson, Wolcott; Democrats: Bacon, Berry, Brice, Faulkner, Gibson, Gorman, Jones (Arkansas), Lindsay, Mills, Mitchell (Wisconsin), Morgan, Pasco, Pugh, Tillman, Turpie, Vest, Wall, White—109; Populists: Jones (Nebraska), Butler, Peffer, Stewart—4; total 56. Nays—Democrats: Bate, Chilton, Hill, Smith, Vilas—5. The House began clearing the decks for final adjournment by extending the length of the daily sessions. A partial conference report on the general deficiency bill was agreed to and the bill sent back to further conference.

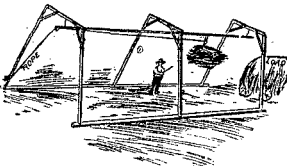
The Senate Thursday passed the filled-chess bill. Manufacturers of filled cheese are taxed \$400 annually; wholesale dealers, \$250; retail dealers, \$120. In addition to these taxes, the product itself is taxed 1 cent per pound, and imported filled cheese is taxed 8 cents per pound in addition to the import duty. All packages must be branded, and dealers must display a big black sign on white ground, bearing the words "Filled Cheese Sold Here." The conference over the number of ships remains open. Mr. Quay's motion that the Senate recede from its amendment reducing the number of ships from four to two being defeated—17 to 33. The Senate also defeated by a vote of 17 to 31 a motion by Mr. Lodge of Massachusetts to recede from its amendment relating to sectarian Indian schools. Bills were passed as follows: Granting 1

FACTS FOR FARMERS.

HELPFUL SUGGESTIONS FOR THE AGRICULTURISTS.

Handy Device for Stacking Hay—Three Serviceable Pruning Tools—Cost of Raising Strawberries Should Not Exceed Two Cents Per Quart.

Frame Hay Stacker.
The frame for stacking hay, shown below, consists of two sills, 2 by 6 in, 22 ft long and placed 10 ft apart. Upon these sills rest three frames made of 2 by 4 timbers 20 ft long for the uprights and joined to the top by means of 2 by 6 in boards 8 ft long and braced at each of the upper corners with a 2



STACKING HAY FOR WINTER USE.

by 4 in scantling. From the cross piece is suspended a track for a hay fork. Hay is brought up at the end of this frame and by the proper arrangement of the pulleys, the hay is easily lifted from the wagons and transferred to the stack which can be made, of course, as high as the frames. When it is desirable to move this from one portion of the field to another, simply hitch a horse to the end of each sill and pull it wherever desired. Make the sills rounding at one end so it will slip over the ground like a sled. The upright timbers are mortised firmly into the sills, thus making the whole strong and durable. If larger and higher stacks are to be built, the size of the frame can be varied accordingly. It is a very handy device if made properly, and for those who have a great deal of field stacking to do is worthy of trial.

Cost of Strawberries.
Any intelligent farmer can grow ripe, luscious strawberries, ready for picking, at 2 cents per quart. With good cultivation, at least one hundred bushels per acre should be grown, says

Thayer's Berry Bulletin. Two hundred bushels per acre is not an unusual yield, and three hundred are often produced. Fruit that can be grown so cheaply and will yield so much should be considered a necessity in every family. No one can so well afford to have berries every day in the season as the farmer. No one can have them so fresh from the vines, so ripe, so delicious and at so little cost as the farmer, and yet, as a class, none have so few.

The cost of placing berries on the market depends somewhat on locations and the manner in which it is done. For good berries, carefully picked in clean, new boxes, well packed and honestly measured, it may be estimated by the quart as follows:

	Cents.
Cost of growing ready for picking.	2
Picking.	1/2
Boxes, packing and delivery.	1
Freight or express charges.	1/2
Commission for selling.	1

Actual cost on market, per quart. 8
The commercial grower must receive his profit, after all these expenses are paid. The farmer may have his berries at first cost. He saves expenses of picking and provides a pleasure for wife and children. He saves boxes, cases, packing, freight, express and commission. Every farmer in the country and every owner of a house in the village should grow "big berries and lots of them" for family use. He may thus have them fresh from the vines in summer, and canned, dried or preserved for winter. There is no better food than ripe fruit. There is none more healthful, and at two or three cents per quart there is none cheaper.

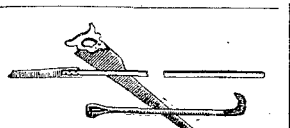
Carrots for Horses.
However cheap oats may be, the horseman will not neglect getting a supply of carrots to feed with them to horses in winter. Only a few daily are needed. A gentleman of our acquaintance once remarked to us that he would rather feed two quarts of carrots and four of oats to a horse at a feed than six quarts of oats without the carrots. There is not so much nutrition in the roots as this would indicate. Our friend believed there was oil in the carrot, because feeding them made the horse's coat shine just as feeding linseed meal would do. But it was the good digestion, which either feed helped to secure that promoted this sleekness of coat. The food of most horses in winter is entirely too constipating. Ordinary hay is very much so. Clover hay is not open to this objection. An occasional feed of corn stalks for horses not at work is better than exclusive feeding with any kind of hay.

The Chaff of Grain.
Whenever a grain is threshed the larger part of the chaff will usually be found under the carrier. The tined forks will not take up all the chaff as it drops through between the tines. It is at this place in the stack that stock will always begin to eat into the stack. Very often they will eat so far as to endanger the stack tipping over and burying them. It is a wasteful way to feed stock this way. Careful farmers will throw the chaff aside at the foot of the stack while threshing, and when the barn is cleared of grain gather as much of it as they can save in the barn for winter. It is an excellent supplement to the hay and corn fodder, and will be eaten to some extent by animals that have grain as part of their ration. The chaff of grain is the part farthest from the root and the

part that turns to woody fibre last. In this, while it is growing, is concentrated the nutrition that is afterwards changed into grain. When grain is cut part of this nutrition remains in the chaff, which is, therefore, richer in nutritive value than the portion of straw near the root.

Enjoy Life as It Comes.
One great cause of failure in any agricultural specialty is that the farmer may not only fail to understand the business but is not in love with it. As J. H. Hale well says, you must plant your trees in your heart as well as in the soil if you expect them to thrive and be profitable, both in money and in pleasure. The two go together. How much there is to think about in this. The man who loves his business gets some fun out of it, even when he fails to make money. And it is this enjoyment of life that we need to give more attention to. The almighty dollar is all right in its place, but we need not warp our lives in the struggle for it. No dweller on the farms or in the rural homes of this continent need be so poor as to deny himself or his family the pleasures of art and literature, which in these days of cheap prices can be had for a song, or the satisfactions of religion which no money can buy, or the happiness of a sunny disposition which can be acquired by persistent training if not inherited.—Farm and Home.

Three Devices for Pruning.
Numerous have been the inventions for enabling a person to stand upon the ground and prune small branches from the tops of trees, or from other situations out of reach. Some of these machines work fairly well when the branch is small and easily cut off, but they fail more or less in the case of more serious pruning. A simple device is shown in the engraving that is easily made at home, and that will do good work, even if the branch to be cut out is quite large. It is a square, or round, pole of any desired length, of hard wood, with a narrow, sharp little saw fitted firmly into one end of it. Such a saw can be made out of a thin strip of steel, or a piece of an old narrow saw can be utilized. The other saw-figured is an ordinary handsaw, with a portion of the back cut out to permit easy working where the space for using a saw is limited. No one will realize until he uses such a saw how much of a convenience it is in this



SERVICEABLE PRUNING TOOLS.

shape. The other device is for use in cutting out blackberry and raspberry canes. A thin bit of steel, or a scythe point bent into the proper shape by a blacksmith, is firmly fastened to a short wooden handle. With a stout buckskin or calfskin glove, or mitten, upon the left hand and this implement in the right, one is well equipped to rapidly remove all undesirable canes from the blackberry and raspberry rows.

Good Stock Will Always Pay.
With the present low prices for farm animals and farm produce in general can higher prices be expected for blooded stock? This is a difficult question, yet can anyone explain why such fabulous prices (\$600 to \$1,000 per head) are paid for Poland China breeding stock when fat hogs are selling so very cheaply? Is it unreasonable to suppose that other breeds of stock may also be profitable provided they are really useful? Good stock, well bred and possessing individual merit, can scarcely be raised at a loss, unless a craze seizes breeders and a great number begin producing one breed? The good cow is the only one that pays a profit in these days of low prices for the best quality of butter. The average cow that yields only 100 to 150 pounds of butter a year makes her owner poorer every day she lives; the 200 to 300-pound cow makes him richer every day. Which sort are yours? The best blood was never cheaper and in our judgment will not be as cheap again for years to come.

The Extravagance of Putting Off.
In no line of business does the habit of procrastination work greater havoc than in farming. Last winter's reading, study and attendance upon farmers' institutes, says the National Stockman, convinced many a man that he should, by all means, have some improved implements for his spring operations. Just then was the time to decide upon the ones to be used, and then the time to place the order. Those who delayed until spring was at hand found their orders delayed in the filling, causing loss of time, and, perhaps, were compelled to work the entire season at a disadvantage. A year's time lost was the result of the delay. And your wife may have decided that in the interest of comfort and economy you would put a furnace in your house for the coming winter. Have you done so? If not, better do so at once, or you will have yourself again among the list of procrastinators.

Missing Trees in Orchard.
It is very rare that a bearing orchard has its full complement of trees. It is best that it should be so. Most orchards are set with the trees too closely together, and the thinning out by destruction of an occasional one leaves the remainder with a better chance for sun and air and a larger range for their roots. It is very hard to get a new tree to grow thrifty, when surrounded by those in bearing. Their roots fill all the vacant spaces, and if the attempt is made to mature the young tree heavily and so give it a better chance, it only results in a greater concentration of the feeding roots of its rivals at that point.

THIS IS THE MAIDEN ALL FORLORN.



Miss Democracy—Oh my, but men are scarce in Chicago this summer. I'm afraid I shall have to go to Europe. There's no encouragement here for a Party like me.

"DOUBLE-FACED" DEMOCRACY.

Charge Republicans with Lack of Principle Which They Practice.
The Democratic clamor for a gold standard is of such recent date that we may well inquire whence its origin. It was not the Democratic policy of 1892, when the platform of the Democratic party, adopted at Chicago on June 22, 1892, read as follows:
We hold to the use of both gold and silver as the standard money of the country and to the coinage of both gold and silver without discriminating against either metal or charge for mintage, but the dollar unit of coinage of both metals must be of equal intrinsic and exchangeable value, or be adjusted through international agreement, or by such safeguards of legislation as shall insure the maintenance of the parity of the two metals, and the equal power of every dollar at all times in the markets and in the payment of debts; and we demand that all paper currency shall be kept at par and redeemable in such coin. We insist upon this policy as especially necessary for the protection of the farmers and laboring classes, the first and most defenseless victims of unstable money and a fluctuating currency.
This is a strictly bimetallic platform. It was the choice of the Democratic convention of 1892. It calls for "both gold and silver as the standard." It calls for "the coinage of both gold and silver without discriminating against either metal." The Democratic party has never authorized any change from this desire for a bimetallic standard, upon which it elected a President and a majority of both branches of Congress. Yet the Democratic administration has entirely repudiated its party platform, and a handful of Eastern Democratic papers, and utterly regardless of the Democratic platform, clamor for a gold standard exclusively.

What Americans Want.
Uncle Sam ought to charge enough for the privilege of coming into his markets to yield him enough to pay all the expenses of the Government, with a handsome surplus each year to apply to the extinguishment of the national debt. Less than this should satisfy no true American.—Times-Herald, Chicago.

How Manufacturers Flourish.
Talks with woolen manufacturers do not bring to light an encouraging situation. The consensus of opinion seems to be that it is not now a question of figuring profits, but of figuring losses.—Wool and Cotton Reporter.

Consumption of Corn.
Year per capita.
1892, McKinley protection. 30.83
1895, "Tariff Reform" 16.88
Democratic loss of corn market per capita of population. 13.95

The Poverty Party.
The Democratic party is the party of the poor.—New York Herald, Nov. 10, 1892.
So "poor" in fact that the Herald had to collect and distribute free clothes in the following year.

A Good Reason Why.
Mr. Cleveland's election will mean an end of squandering.—New York World, June 20, 1892.
Because his tariff for deficiency only has given him nothing to squander.

Exports of Cheese.
Year. Pounds.
1892, McKinley protection. 82,100,221
1895, "Tariff Reform" 40,800,934
Democratic loss to farmers. 41,299,287

Democratic Prosperity.
Manufacturing failures, during twenty-three days of April, amounted to \$4,602,558 in liabilities against \$3,614,736 last year and \$2,987,220 in 1894.

A Strong Campaign.
Work and wages is the workingman's issue in this campaign.—San Francisco Call.

Rebelleed at Last.
"I've worked for this man ten years," soliloquized the mule, "for my board and lodgings, and the board has been mighty cheap. I've furnished my own clothes, all except shoes. I never have had a day off. In all these years I've never made any complaint about the way I'm treated, but this thing of driving me down the avenue with a load of garbage in broad daylight at my time of life is a little too much, and I'm going to kick!"
Whereupon he kicked, and it rained garbage all over the neighborhood for fully half a minute.

Peers Created by Victoria.
During the reign of Queen Victoria, according to a London Journal, 333 peers have been created, of whom 215 were radicals and 118 conservatives. Of the 571 members of the upper house, 173 formerly sat in the commons, 230 had served in the army, navy or reserve forces, 21 were distinguished lawyers, and 21 had been in the diplomatic service.

Why He Kicked.
"I hardly think," said the lawyer, "that you can get a separation from your wife on account of her making a practice of throwing things at the dog."
"But, great Caesar, mister," said the man with the haggard look and the black eye, "nigh every time she throws at the dog she hits me!"

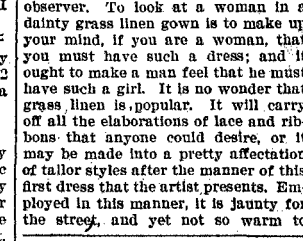
WORN BY THE WOMEN

SOME OF THE VERY LATEST IDEAS IN DRESS.

June Modes that Present an Appearance of Coolness—The Grass Linen Gown a Joy to Both Wearer and Observer—Jaunty Costumes.

Early Summer Styles. New York correspondence.

UNE brings into use many devices of dress that present an appearance of coolness, and furnishes few days in which that appearance is not borne out by facts. July and August may prove that those same cool-looking accessories and stuffs are far from comfortable, but at present they are a joy to both wearer and observer. To look at a woman in a dainty grass linen gown is to make up your mind, if you are a woman, that you must have such a dress; and it ought to make a man feel that he must have such a girl. It is no wonder that grass linen is popular. It will carry off all the elaborations of lace and ribbons that anyone could desire, or it may be made into a pretty affectation of tall styles after the manner of this first dress that the artist presents. Employed in this manner, it is jaunty for the street, and yet not so warm to



COOL EFFECTS THAT MAY INDUCE WARMTH.

weather looks fresh and crisp as a summer breeze on the tips of the waves, so for the sake of the effect reds and rose colors are being set aside for grays and blues.
A touch of crisp and spotless white always makes a dress seem cooler than it is. A gown that is unbearable may be made a comfort to look at by the addition of a crisp double tuft of fresh lace at the base of the collar and a fall of frosty lace from it to the waist. This device is employed in the third gown presented to-day, which is made from bluish gray chevot, with a vest of white mull and lace, and with button trimming and leather belt. We won't discard big sleeves when they are so comfortable. One woman is reported as experimenting with the lining to her sleeves by having them all perforated. She says she has little breezes blowing about her shoulders all the time, no matter what her gown is, but her enthusiasm may color her report of the matter.
Much attention is being spent on getting cool effects. There is the white tulle ruff seen in the next illustration, for instance. It is made of the crispest tulle, very full and frosty white, and the tulle edges are finished with a tiny gleaming satin line, which adds to the frosty effect. Such a ruff is set on a narrow ribbon and when adjusted it comes away up about the ears. If then makes a woman look as if she had stuck her head through a snow wreath, but while she looks so refrigerated it is very likely that rivers of perspiration are trickling down her back and throat. It is the same way

look at or to wear as would a gown of such model be in almost any other stuff. Be sure to have the stuff shrunk if you want to get wear out of it. Be warned by the experience of the bride who had one of her prettiest dresses of grass linen made over a delicate mode-colored silk, with a touch of brighter color at the panels, vest and collar. She decided to wear the gown for traveling—they were taking just a little trip—but they were caught in the rain on their way to the hotel. Before they could get a carriage the bride was wet; the dress shrunk then and there fill the seams began to give, and the skirt-vest, her ankles were pretty and her stockings silk, but she had to keep to her room till her trunks came. Then as she walked over the hotel piazza people said: "See what a pretty daughter that old gentleman has." Think of having that said to you on your wedding trip!

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MADE TO LOOK COOL BY ADDING WHITE.

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knots are pretty; if not put on with a view of effect, they are merely chunky and unbecoming. Many of these pretty silk gowns are being made with the adjustable gumpes or chemisettes, the chemisette shown being white chiffon. The gown is not supposed to be worn without the gumpes, but they add much to the dressiness of the rig and give the look of coolness that is a boon to all observers. Many a dress that is really not a bit comfortable for warm



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Trains Going East.	
Black Hills Passenger	7:55 a. m.
Way Freight	8:10 a. m.
Trains Going West.	
Overland Passenger	9:25 a. m.
Black Hills Passenger	9:30 a. m.
Way Freight	9:15 a. m.

BLOOMFIELD LINE.
Accommodation & Pass 7:50 a. m. 9:30 a. m. 1:25 p. m. 4:45 p. m.

CITY OFFICERS.
Phil Kohl, County Treasurer, Wayne.
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CHURCHES.
Y. M. C. A. Meets at Mellor's Hall every Sunday at 4:30 p. m. S. H. Alexander, Corresponding Secretary.

CATHOLIC. Services every Sabbath at 8:30 a. m. and every alternate Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Vespers at 7:30 p. m. each Sunday.
J. F. McGrath, Pastor.

DEUTSCHE LUTHERAN KIRCHE. Services each alternate Sunday at 8:00 p. m. Sunday School at 2:00 p. m. Services are in German. Rev. Emil Abrandt.

EPISCOPAL. Services at the Episcopal Mission of the Holy Comforter will be as follows: Sunday Matins and Morning Prayer at 8:00 a. m., Sunday School 12:00 m., Evensong and Sermon 7:00 p. m. Rev. Jason, Pastor.

LUTHERAN. Services every Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Rev. W. O. Eckhart, Pastor.

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Road Notice.
Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the office of the county clerk of Wayne county, Nebraska, by David McLuttre et al., asking that a public road be vacated and opened as follows:
1. All of that section of road No. 2, commencing at the northeast corner of section 34 township 25, range 4, running thence south-west to the half section line, and thence west on said half section line to the center of said section, thence south on the half section line to the south line of Wayne county, to be vacated.
2. That said road No. 2 be extended by the opening of a section line road as follows: commencing at the northeast corner of said section 34, thence running south on the section line to the south line of Wayne county. All objections thereto, or claims for damages to be filed with the county clerk on or before the 18th day of June, 1896.
S. B. Russell, County Clerk.

Sheriff's Sale.
May 14-3 w.
By virtue of an order of sale to me directed from the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne county, Nebraska, on the 8th day of May, 1896, in an action wherein Everett & White were plaintiffs and Boucher was defendant. For the foreclosure of a mortgage upon the real estate hereinafter described and upon which the plaintiff has a lien in full force and effect, I will sell to satisfy said decree amounting to \$151.38 and \$20.00 costs of suit, and that said premises be sold to satisfy the same, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from April 6th, 1896, the real estate described in the said order of sale to-wit: One (1) and two (2) in block twelve (12) in College addition to the town of Wayne, Wayne county, Nebraska, to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the building used as a court house in Wayne, in said county, that being the building wherein the last term of court was held on the 10th day of July, 1896, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, when and where due attendance will be given by the undersigned.
Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 14th day of May, 1896. ED. REYNOLDS, Sheriff of Wayne county.

Sheriff's Sale.
June 11-5 w.
By virtue of an order of sale to me directed from the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne county, Nebraska, on the 4th day of May, 1896, in an action wherein Fenwick, Miller and Plaintiff are plaintiffs and Herman, Ruth were defendants, for the foreclosure of a mortgage upon the real estate hereinafter described and upon which the plaintiff has a lien in full force and effect, I will sell to satisfy said decree amounting to \$1250.05 and \$20.00 costs and accruing costs, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum from the 6th day of April, 1896, the real estate described in the said order of sale to-wit: The southeast quarter (S. E. 1/4) of the southwest quarter (S. W. 1/4) of section twenty-eight (28), and the north half (N. 1/2) of the southwest quarter (S. W. 1/4) of section thirty-three (33) all in township number twenty-five (25), north of range two (2), east of the sixth (6) st. in Wayne county, Nebraska, to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the building used as a court house in Wayne, in said County, that being the building wherein the last term of court was held, on Monday, the 10th day of July, 1896, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when and where due attendance will be given by the undersigned.
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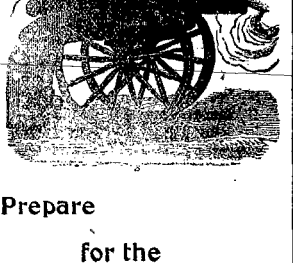
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CALL FOR CONVENTION.

Notice is hereby given that a convention of the Republican electors of Wayne county will be held in the court house at Wayne on June 20, 1896, for the purpose of electing delegates to the State, Congressional, Senatorial and Representative conventions as each are in turn called; for nominating a county attorney and for transacting such other business as may come before the convention. To the above conventions each precinct in Wayne county shall be allowed one delegate at large and one delegate for every 20 votes cast for T. S. Norval for supreme judge, as follows:

Brenna	3	Plum Creek	3
Chapin	3	Sherman	3
Dear Creek	3	Strahan	3
Hancock	2	Wilbur	3
Garfield	3	Winnside	2
Hoskins	5	Wayne	10
Hunter	4	1st Ward	3
Leslie	2	2nd Ward	3
Logan	2	3rd Ward	4
Dorr H. Carroll		Nelson Grimsley	
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It's nip and tuck between Northrop Hammond and Norris for congress. Somebody's liable to be nominated by acclamation?

It looks very much like as if Alf Barnes had a notion to take in the nomination of Attorney General by acclamation. Alf is all right.

There are places in Nebraska where it is impossible to find the irrigation ditches without taking a boat and a long pole.—Sioux City Journal.

You just keep your eye on the course of events and you will notice the right Hon. C. C. McNish grasp the nomination for State Treasurer with ease and forethought.

The HERALD is of the opinion that it will be a more difficult task to elect a republican congressman in this district than one would naturally expect, and great care should be used at the congressional convention.

The republican congressional nomination is not going to be a walk-away for any candidate and it will require many more than one vote before the story is told, and the man who fails to see the possible nomination of Northrop cannot see right.

The candidacy of Hon. Eugene Moore for gubernatorial honors meets favor wherever that gentleman's personal qualities are known. Those who know him best are his staunchest supporters, and they are the ones best enabled to judge of his fitness for the governorship.—North Nebraska Journal.

I have voted for Cleveland three times, and since my great disappointment in his administration, I have been laboring very hard in the direction of re-education on the question of Tariff, etc., and I think that by the time McKinley is nominated I will be settled in my conviction.—M. H. Weir, La Porte, Ind.

Said another who always reads comic events as he does his evening paper: "Do you know that I'll bet my money now on Eugene Moore's nomination. He is dead sure to win. I know that his star is a lucky one. He will have two delegates to Meiklejohn's one from the Third district. Some say he will have three."—Lincoln Daily Call.

Blackburn is now dancing on the prostrate corpus of Calise in Kentucky and will set the pins to get even with him. Colonel Waterson, however, warns the combatants that the republicans will attend the obsequies of both factions next November after beating them with a majority bigger than that which snowed Col. Free Coinage Hardin under last fall. Colonel Waterson understands the Kentuckian better than most natives and knows whereof he speaks. He will probably vote for McKinley himself to help fulfill his justly celebrated prophecy that Grover Cleveland would lead the Democratic party into an open grave. It has even now arrived at the brink of the excavation.—State Journal.

The United States Senate.

It takes at least three branches of Government in this country to put any kind of a political measure through; and at present the Senate and the President are against the House. I will not rail at the Senate. If it had not been for the fact that it requires three branches of legislation to do business in the United States, the programme of Free-Trade would have come to fruition in this country twenty years before it did. For all these years the Senate alone stood between the people and the impending threat, and for four of those years, from 1885 to 1889, the Senate alone steaded the business of the American people in the midst of Free-Trade proclamations from the White House and Free-Trade majorities on this floor.—Hon. J. P. Dolliver, M. C. of Iowa.

It is true, as Mr. Dolliver said, that the United States Senate has been useful in checking the advance of the Free-Trade enemy, and we wish that it had been equally useful in dislodging the present session of Congress. Disagreeable and unsatisfactory, however, as the work of the friends of Protection has been, the country has learned that the will of the majority of the people will always be kept in check, as their will may change from time to time, until Senators are elected directly by the votes of the people. Whether it is desirable to make any change in this respect is yet doubtful. While it may sometimes be advisable that one party or the other should be in exclusive control of the national Administration and thus be directly responsible for all legislation that it enacts, still, as events have proven, it is even more desirable that one branch of the Executive should be in a position to check mischievous legislation that is opposed to the best interests of the country, as was particularly the case from 1885 to 1889.

The failure of the Republican Senators to enact the Dingley revenue bill may yet prove a blessing to the country by impressing still more deeply, upon the minds of the people the fact that Democratic Tariff legislation is both a failure and a fraud. The longer the Gorman bill remains in force the more apparent is the hypocrisy of "a Tariff for revenue only," which fosters no industry so much as it does that of the sheriff."

The worst of this un-American piece of legislation has now, let us hope, passed. While we cannot look for an immediate restoration of the prosperity experienced during the McKinley Tariff period, we may confidently expect an improvement that will be more beneficial than the Democratic "improvement" which followed the repeal of the Sherman silver purchasing bill or the enactment of a Democratic Tariff, and more beneficial even than the great "business improvement" of 1896.

It is deeply to be regretted that fully a year must elapse before the Gorman Tariff can be repealed, because the interval will permit foreign manufacturers to load up our markets in advance of the passage of a Protective Tariff. Let us hope, though, that there will be no obstruction to the speedy enactment of such a bill in 1897, and that the conflicting elements in the United States Senate, both of which are earnest in their desire for an American policy of Protection and Prosperity, may then work in harmony for the general public welfare.—American Economist.

The democrats of Kentucky are pretty fair humorists themselves. After declaring themselves to be in favor of "an honest dollar, a dollar worth neither more nor less than 100 cents," they proceed to declare that "we favor bimetalism, and to that end we demand the free and unlimited coinage of both gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1."

Are the democrats of Kentucky lying or are they merely joking when they make a declaration like that? Or do they really think that 50 cents worth of silver will become worth 100 cents through legislative enactment?—Lincoln Journal.

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CHAPTER XXIV.

After leaving the doctor's house Federal walked slowly and thoughtfully along in the direction of Park Lane. He seemed to have grown much older within the last few days, for the one aim and purpose of his life was about to be fulfilled—he was about to meet face to face the man who had wrecked his life, and driven his beloved wife into an early grave.

He proceeded at once to the duchess's residence. He was admitted without question of any kind, but when he asked to see the duchess, the footman gravely informed him that both she and Miss Greybrook had left the house.

The man led the way to the duke's study. During the two preceding nights the duke had had no rest, and the want of sleep as well as the mental anguish which he had endured had left strong traces upon him. He spent the whole of one night arranging his papers, and at early morning the next day, his Spanish servant entered the study, only to find his master still busily at work. He handed him a note found in the rooms of the duchess. It read:

"After what has occurred, you cannot expect me to remain longer in your house. I am, therefore, returning to the home from which you took me. Meanwhile let me assure you that whatever step you may choose to take will not be opposed by me, as my sole wish now is to be free from the degradation of bearing your name.

"CONSTANCE HOWARTH."

Crushing the letter in his hand, the duke returned to his study; all his desires seemed altered now. If Constance wished to be free—if by obtaining a divorce he would be acceding to her wishes, he no longer seemed to desire it. He had regarded this act on his part as a means of revenge; he believed it would be torture to her to be branded as infamous before the world, but since this was not the case, he determined to think of some other means of gaining his end.

He was so lost in his meditations that he did not hear the gentle rap at the door. When the door was opened, however, he started up and faced his enemy.

"My lord," said the latter, with something of his old airiness of manner, "I have come to inform you that all my arrangements are made, and that I can place myself at your disposal at any time you may be pleased to name."

The duke, who had resealed himself, looked up angrily.

"I must request you, Mr. Feval, said he, 'not to thrust yourself upon me unannounced. At present I am too busy to attend to you. Be so good as to leave me.'"

"Sorry to be compelled to refuse," returned Feval, taking a chair; "you have agreed to fight me, and until you do I shall remain your constant companion."

The duke stared; was the man mad or drunk? Feval, finding his arms, calmly returned his companion's gaze.

"You are astonished," said he, "yet I see no cause for astonishment. As I said, you accepted my challenge. I do not mean to let you escape."

"Escape! what do you mean? Do you think I fear you?"

"It looks like it," returned Feval, still sitting with folded arms and preserving an untroubled demeanor.

For a moment the two looked into each other's eyes, then the duke returned to his desk. He made no further attempt to rid himself of his companion, but tried to continue his work. It was a difficult task, however; the strange nervousness which had taken possession of him was increased ten-fold by the fact of his enemy's presence in the room, silent and unobtrusive as he was. Whatever he did, he felt that Feval was watching him, more that he had power to read his inmost thoughts.

He had intended to leave that evening for Avondale Castle; he now changed his mind, and resolved to defer his journey until the next morning, hoping by that time to have shaken himself free of his tormentor.

But though he retired to his room, he did not go to rest, but sat hour after hour gazing into vacancy, and thinking. As the hours passed on the house grew quieter; all the servants had retired. One o'clock struck, and the duke started from his seat. A sudden thought occurred to him; Feval must be sleeping; there was a chance to escape from this man!

CHAPTER XXV.

The duke moved noiselessly forward to the room which had been formerly occupied by Feval, and of which he believed the secretary had retained possession. He tried the door gently, and found it locked. Perfectly satisfied now, the duke continued his way, noiselessly passing along the corridors and down the thickly carpeted stairs; when he reached the door he found it securely fastened, but he noiselessly drew back the bolts and bars and turned the key in the lock. The door yielded to his touch, it opened, he stepped across the threshold, and was met face to face by a man.

"Ah, my lord," said he, "I see I was not the only one who was restless to-night. Moonlight and fresh air are certainly preferable to stuffy rooms and sleeplessness; at least, I thought so, and so I came forth—and see how beautiful everything looks beneath the calm silver light!"

He paused; the duke made no reply; at first it was surprise, now it was shame which kept him silent. Had he remained a moment longer he would most assuredly have tried to strangle the man, so great was his rage and sense of humiliation; with one quick movement he stepped back

is dead."

That same evening Alice left London for Avondale Castle, but before starting she had heard from Feval the whole story of the duke's death.

While all these terrible events had been taking place, Constance, utterly ignorant of what was going on, had been living quietly with her grandmother.

Life to her was virtually over; she believed that all happiness for her was ended, but she was glad to escape the degradation which would have come upon her had she been compelled to return and live with her husband. The only consolation for all her sorrow was the knowledge that her cousin lived. Day by day she waited and watched in feverish eagerness for the letters which came to her from her friend, always bringing her some comfort and making her miserable life a little less hard to bear. When Alice arrived she rushed to embrace her friend; then she saw that her face was pale and troubled.

"Alice, what is the matter? why have you come?" she cried, in alarm.

"Lord Harrington is almost well," said Alice, quietly taking her friend's hand. "I have other news for you, Constance."

Then she told her as tenderly as possible the whole of the story, which she had heard from Feval, and Constance, listening to her, realized that she was free.

Early the next morning the three ladies left Avondale Castle for London. By that time the news of Constance's widowhood had spread. They reached London early in the day, and drove at once to Park Lane. One glance at the house, and Constance began to realize for the first time that the news was really true. It seemed to her as if the shadow of death hung over the place. All the birds were drawn, and she felt almost suffocated by the feeling of intense stillness which reigned everywhere.

The hope of the duke had not arrived from France, but was hourly expected. Hugo had telegraphed that all must be in readiness for its reception.

The story of the duke's death was a nine days' wonder. The papers took it up and discussed it in their columns, the ladies in their drawing rooms. Various stories were circulated, and certain wisps concerning the duchess were set afloat, but none of these could be substantiated, since the only man who could have given credence to these reports was dead.

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Three weeks passed thus. At the end of that time Constance, yielding to the entreaties of her friend, consented to take a trip abroad. She was in her room one day, giving orders to her maid, when Alice came to her, and asked to speak to her alone.

"Constance," said Alice, "whom do you think I have seen to-day? Some one who wishes to see you."

In a moment Constance's face flushed; for she thought of Frank, and Alice noted for this, continued hurriedly:

"It was Mr. Feval, dear."

"Mr. Feval?" exclaimed Constance. "Alice, have you forgotten he killed the duke?"

"He killed the duke; yes, in fact, and open fight. Oh, do not look startled, dear. I do not wish to condone a murder—but this was not a murder, and there are some wrongs which only blood can wipe out. He came to me to-day while I was walking in the park, and my heart bled for him, he was so changed."

Half an hour later, when Constance was again in her sitting room, the door of the room was opened, and Feval was shown in.

Mr. Feval!—Could this indeed be he—this grave, gray man? Although only a few weeks had passed since she had seen him, as many years seemed to have been added to his age; the mask which he had assumed while in the service of the duke had been cast aside, and she saw instead of the plotting spy a weary, heart-broken man.

"Mr. Feval," she said, "I sent for you—yes; and now that you are here I do not repent of my action. I could not speak because I am so sorry to see you like this—you are so changed."

He smiled sadly. "I have no longer a part to play," he said; "my work on earth is done. All I pray for now is death. My one joy in life has gone from me, and I have lived to avenge her; that was all I craved for, to see the man who had killed my wife and wrecked my happiness dead at my feet."

"You have suffered so much," she said; "I am sorry for you."

She held out her hand; he took it, held it in both of his, and the next moment was gone.

Since that day two years have come and gone; the London season is at its height again, and the tragic story of the death of the Duke d'Azzelegio has passed entirely from every mind.

The spring has come on with unusual brightness; so thinks Sir John Priestly as he sits at the window of his study gazing out upon his garden, where his wife is busy amongst her flowers.

His wife, none other indeed than our old friend, Alice Greybrook, looks up and beckons to him, and he obediently rises and goes down.

"I have news," she said, brightly. "Constance is coming home."

"You don't say so?"

"Not I do. Just listen."

She produced from her pocket a letter—and commenced to read:

"We are coming back, dear, and would like to stay with you for a few days before taking possession of our home. Frank has managed to dispose of my old house in Park Lane, so I think heaven I shall have nothing now to remind me of that one terrible episode in our lives. Frank and I are as much united as if we had never been parted; and I shall try to forget that there was ever a time when I was not his wife."

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That same evening a happy party gathered in Sir John Priestly's dining room, where was Alice, fulfilling the duty of hostess; near to her, was Constance, and on her right was Frank, looking handsomer than ever. The talk was flowing merrily, when it was interrupted by Alice.

"Do you know what to-day is?" she cried. "It is the anniversary of the day on which we were all married."

"Then let us drink a toast," cried Frank.

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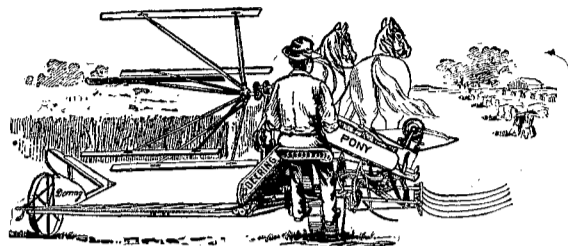
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COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS.

WAYNE, Nebr., June 8th, 1896.

Commissioners met pursuant to a call of the Clerk, for the purpose of appointing an Assessor for Sherman precinct in said County to fill vacancy caused by the death of Owen Jones and transact other business same as regular meeting. All members present:

On motion J. A. Jones was appointed Assessor for Sherman precinct for the year 1896 to fill vacancy, also

Call Ritehey, overseer dist. No. 9
Geo. Culler, " " " 31
B. P. Peterson, " " " 35
Eli McConoughey " " " 1
O. W. Milliken, " " " 21

The following official bonds were approved:

J. A. Jones, Assessor, Sherman pre't.
Eli McConoughey, overseer dist. no. 1
O. W. Milliken, " " " 21

On motion the County Clerk was ordered to notify Lumber Dealers that sealed bids will be received for county lumber for the coming year, said bids to be filed with the County Clerk on or before 12 o'clock noon June 15th, 1896. Board adjourned until June 9th, at 8 o'clock.

Attest: S. B. RUSSELL, Clerk.

WAYNE, Neb., June 9, 1896.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, all members present. On motion E. O. Martin was appointed road overseer of Dist. No. 8.

This being the day set for letting the contract for repairing the county bridges for the ensuing year, the bids filed were opened and the board having carefully considered the same, the bid of W. P. Agler & Son was accepted at the following prices:

Building bridges, 20 ft. span and over, per lineal ft. \$1 25
Building bridges 16 ft. span and under, per lineal ft. 1 40
Driving piling, 18 ft. and over, per piling 2 75
Driving piling, under 18 ft., per piling 2 50

Said W. P. Agler & Son to do all work including painting and hauling material. The county to furnish all material at nearest railroad station to bridge.

On motion the bond of F. O. Martin, road overseer for Dist. No. 8, and bridge bond of W. P. Agler & Son approved.

Attest: S. B. RUSSELL, Clerk.

Special meeting of the Board of Education Friday, June 5, 1896. Members present: President A. A. Welch, C. O. Fisher, A. H. Ellis, J. Tower, and R. C. Osborn, Sec.

On motion the following bills were allowed and orders drawn for the amounts:

Smith & Ellis Co., lumber and coal \$58 10
McNeal & Beebe, printing programs 3 00
A. T. Wittar, drayage 1 25
Frank Gaertner, work on diplomas 2 50
R. W. Wilkins, chemicals 50
R. J. Armstrong, hard coal 10 25

On motion secretary was instructed to certify to county commissioner's estimate of expenses, \$8,120, for the ensuing year.

I wish to attract the attention of the Ladies to our late arrival of semi-porcelain dishes in white. It is a beauty and will please you; call and see it. Remember I carry the largest line of Crockery and Glassware to be found in this section of the state. P. L. Miller.

Precinct Caucuses.

The republican voters of the first Ward of Wayne are requested to attend a caucus to be held at Gaertner's furniture store, Friday evening, June 12, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting three delegates to the county convention. J. P. Gaertner, committeeman.

The republican voters of the second Ward of Wayne are requested to attend a caucus to be held at the court house hall, Friday evening, June 12, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting four delegates to the county convention. Chas. S. Beebe, committeeman.

The republican voters of the third Ward of Wayne are requested to attend a caucus to be held in said ward, Friday evening, June 12, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting four delegates to the county convention. Frank Fuller, committeeman.

The republican voters of Brenna precinct are requested to attend a caucus to be held at the Moses school house at 8 o'clock, Saturday evening, June 13th, for the purpose of selecting three delegates to the county convention. Archie Ludsay, committeeman.

The republican voters of Wilbur precinct are requested to attend a caucus to be held at the usual voting place on Thursday evening, June 18, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting three delegates to the county convention. A. B. Jeffrey, committeeman.

The republican voters of Strahan precinct will hold their caucus for the purpose of selecting three delegates to the county convention at the Strahan school house on Friday evening, June 19th, at 8 o'clock. B. Cunningham, committeeman.

The republican voters of Hoskins precinct are requested to attend a caucus to be held at the school house, Saturday evening, June 13th, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting five delegates to the county convention. George Harrigfield, committeeman.

CARROLL NEWS.

Mr. Shannon of Hoskins, is in the vicinity buying hogs.

Mrs. John Morris is enjoying a visit from her sister of Red Oak.

George Cook and son Bert, were in town from Wayne yesterday.

Miss Jennie Frans of Wayne, is visiting at the home of B. W. Wineland.

Five car loads of stock was shipped from the Wadsworth ranch Monday.

Mrs. Owen Jones and father returned to their home at Red Oak, Iowa, yesterday morning.

Our jolly grain buyer Mr. Buttler and our affable ticket agent have been trading horses again.

Oh! Such pleasant and beautiful rains. Let them come so long as we don't get any of those twisters.

A very heavy rain occurred last Saturday morning; no damage resulted except the bridge at C. Goodman's being washed out.

A daughter of Mr. Joe Taylor, living two miles north, was bitten by a rattlesnake Saturday evening and at last account she was getting on nicely.

Mrs. Wilcox and her sister met with quite a serious accident last Wednesday. While coming to town their horse stumbled and fell and threw them out injuring her sister seriously.

J. R. Manning left for Chicago this week with a train load of stock. Major White accompanied him and will visit at his old home in Jolliet, Ill., a short time. Mr. Brown of Randolph will take his place in the lumber yard until his return.

The republicans of Deer Creek precinct will hold a caucus at the usual voting place Friday evening, June 19th, at 8 o'clock, to select four delegates to the county convention. H. S. Merrill, committeeman.

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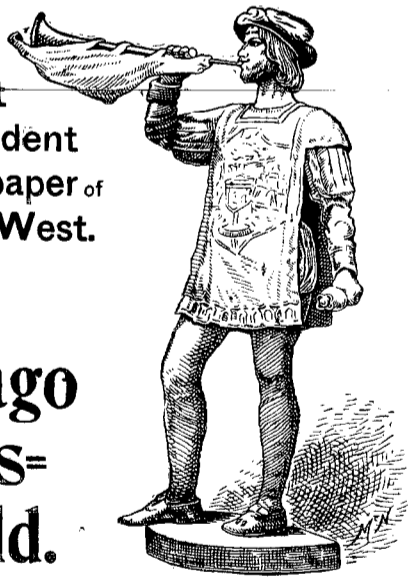
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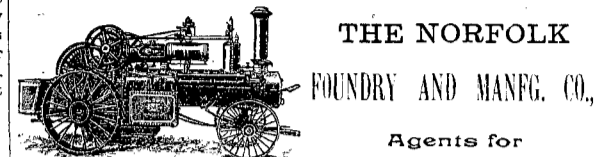
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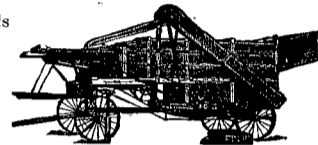
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