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KEARNEV's latest freak is a two headed calf that is alive and bids fair to live out its full time.

THE democratic party of Nebras ka is the proud possessor of a live mascot. It's name is Rosewater.

THREE Nebraskanewspapers died last week. They were the Anselmo Press, Gaudy Pioneer, and the Rose dale Reporter.

GOVERNOR THAYER honered this city with his presence yesterday. The governor is hale and hearty and will no doubt continue to administer the duties of the executive office with credit to himself and satisfaction to the people of Nebraska

"EARLY times and Pioneers," is the title of a very able and interesting address recently delivered by Hon. J. Sterling Morton before the members of the State Historical Society at their last meeting. It could be read with interest by every Nebraskan.

The Bee still remains in mourning for its own beloved governor Boyd, while the State Journal is beginning to hedge beautifully and now talks as though Thayer might make a good enough official, and that they were really for Thayer all the time under the hat.

THE Mirror scens to have stirzed | Constantly keeps on hand everything ip a hornets nest in its onslaught against the police force. The chairman of the police committee h ag already called on the editor for his proof which he has agreed shall be forthcoming. The next meeting of the council will undoubtedly be a lively affair.

THE latest news from the Charleston and Itata indicates that the latter will be hailed by some one of the three Yankee ironclads within the next twenty-four hours, and a fight it is thought will be the result. The other insurgent ironclad, the Esmerelda, is at Acapulco off the coast of Mexico and will, it is believed, take a hand in the

THERE seems to be a posibility of the United States supreme court hearing an argument in the governor contest before the adjournment which takes place May 25th. Ex-Senator Garland of Arkansas has taken hold of the matter for Boyd John Fitzgerald. and as he has great influence the case will be pushed to an early hearing. THE HERALD is still of the opinion that the judgment of the Nebraska court will be affirmed.

ANOTHER SUBSIDY LINE.

The Hungarian Diet has autho-PLATTSMOUTH, NEBRASKA rized the Minister of Commerce of Hungary to enter into an agreement with the Adria Steamship Navigatian Co., to extend its service to Brazil and the River Platte countries, for which it will receive an annual subsidy of 750,000 florins per year. The capital of the company will be increased to 5,500,000 florins, of which 3,000,000 florins will be invested in new ships.

PRICE OF BINDING TWINE. A correspondent writes as fol-

before. The McKinley bill reduced the duty on it. The argument used in the case of the reduction in the case of sugar does not hold here. Please explain.

It seems to us that the reduction in the price of binding twine can be | GROCERIES. explained by the reasoning applicable to the case of sugar. We produce sugar in this country in the same sense that we produce binding under the old law, although in each case only part of our consumption of the raw material was grown at stituted, therefore, a revenue tariff. The McKinley bill abolished these revenue duties, which are always taxes, on the raw material and reduced the duty on the finished products, refined sugar and binding twine, thus reducing the price to the consumers. For remember that

refined sugar still bears a duty just Plattsmouth Daily Herald as binding twine does. The reductions in the duties on fibers will be indicated by the following table: Old law. New law. Sunn and sical grass.... \$15 a ton. Free.

> Istle or Tampico fiber 15 " These fibers are largely used in the manufacture of the twine, and the removal of the duty on them should operate just as making raw

sugar free has operated. As a mat-

shown a tendency to decline in price since the passage of the bill. Some time ago the Economist quoted from the price list of the Cable Flax Mills of Schaghticoke, near Troy, N. V., and showed that a reduction had been made on 85 out of 150 grades and sizes embraced, but not a single advance in the whole list. American Economist.

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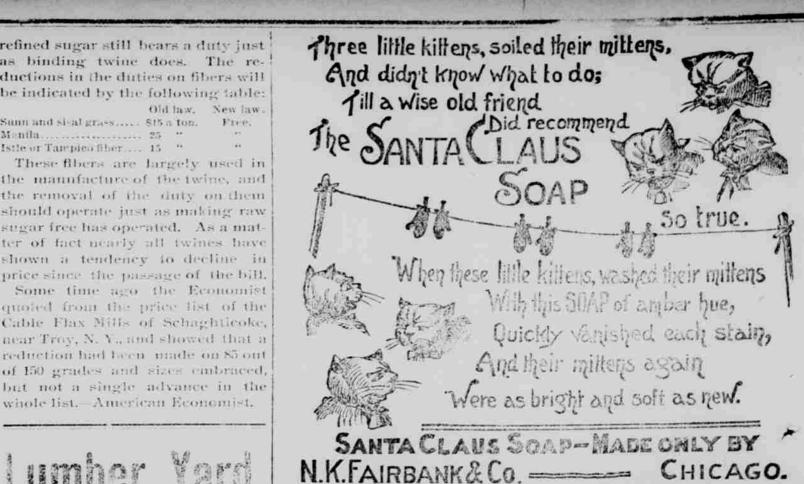
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