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# OVER THE STATE. TAXATION IN NEBRASKA.

State Journal.

Below will be found a table giving the aggregate assessed valuation of our State by counties, and also the number of acres of improved and unimproved land and the average value of the same per acre. Even this condensed statement serves to exhibit many of the idiosyncracies of our system of assessment and taxation. The counties enter into active competition to see which one can get itself believed to be the poorest. The eastern counties seem anxious to rival the "bad lands" of the west for worthlessness, and it appears from these returns as though it would not take very much of a syndicate to buy up the whole state. The returns of personal property have been reduced in a still more scandalous manner by this desire to elude taxation. A county having taxable property the assessed valuation of which is \$1,053,000, claims to have no clocks nor watches at all; another with a taxable valuation of \$1,206,00 has no pianos owned by its citizens. Omaha has lied like the mischief either to the assessors or to the rest of us, for according to the returns in the auditor's office the average value of town lots in Douglas county is only \$442.50, while in Lancaster it is \$506.07. To easterners who cry out in horror at our high rates of taxation. the facts

	Taxable Valuation of Property	LANDS.			
COUNTIES.		Improved		Unimprov'd	
		Acres	Av'rg Value,	Acres	Av'rg Value.
Adams	8 3,022,821	207,572 70,953	\$1 13	108,173	
Antelope	1,256,879	70,953	3 35	223,001	1 87
Boone	1,212,397	71,239	3 19	258,868	1 66
Buffalo	2,661,897	182,535			2 15
Butler	2,206,153	170,486		176,841	3 17
Burt	1,735,543	132,689	4 41	158,090	
Brown	201,448	26,572 276,948			3 88
Cass	8,987,274 1,589,732	51,542	5 00 3 71	\$35,129	2 72
Cedar Chase	81 949	dijota	0 11	16,099	1 28
Cherry	81,962 802,248	930	4 93	21,214	1 85
Cheyenne		22,853			
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lay	2,871,816				
Colfax	1.714.669	98,009	4 24	129,875	3 72
Cuming	1,912,419	107,033		194,582	8 57
Custer	1,131,504	46,109		231,746	1 50
Dakota	1,053,951	27,204	4 84	122,523	3 83
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Dodge	3,636,322 15,638,474	103,137	7 00 16 59	93,408	10 25
Douglas	469,050	868		23,032	1 82
Fillmore	2,510,854	230,333		111,920	
Franklin	974,217	67,059		227,806	1 55
rontier	537,654	450	2.00	154,189	1 76
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	5,124,922	283,938	4 93	215,711	4 00
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Kearney	1,380,039	119,690	2 01	137,490	1 81
Keith	790,306	269	2 63	6,885	1 10
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LIGHTNING struck the main stable on the air grounds at Omaha and the structure was burned to the ground. Five horses were instantly killed and five perished in the flames. An equal number were got out NEB. uninjured. The loss is about \$10,000.

> PROF. BRAYTON made a balloon ascension in Lincoln the other day. It was his intention, if possible, to reach Omaha, but owing to the scantiness of his attire and a premature escape of gas, which greatly inconvenienced him, he was compelled when only twelve miles from Lincoln to descend.

MRS. DR. McCAw, of Belvidere, filled her gasoline stove while the burners were hot. and the result was an explosion which came near resulting fatally to Mrs. McC. Her husband being present she was rendered assistance that doubtless saved her life.

GEORGE HOOKER, of Buffalo Gap, says the Chadron Democrat, was in the city yesterday exhibiting specimens taken from | It had seven rattles. the whetstone quarry near the Gap. He states that the rock has been examined by experts, who pronounce it an excellent quality of whetstone-in fact equal to any found in the world for sharpening tools and polishing marble, and it is the intention of the owners to place it on the market in a few weeks.

ROBERT HAXBY, a Saunders county farmer, while in Fremont on business, was quite severely hurt by one of his horses beregarding our assessment rates should be coming unmanageable. He had his collar bone broken, and received severe bruises

which it is feared may result fatally. DEATH is announced of Mrs. W. C. Ghost, wife of Judge Ghost, formerly of Fremont. YORK is slaughtering all unmuzzled dogs. The price for killing has been raised to one dollar.

THE Blair canning factory finds the corn crop uneven and short of what was expected. On tomatoes the prospect is better.

A CIRCULAR by Commissioner Sparks modifies his existing relations in regard to cutting timber on mineral lands. Timber, he says, may now be cut for commercial purposes to be sold only to actual consumers who shall be bona-fide residents.

An order issued by the war department places Fitz John Porter on the retired list of the army as a colonel, at his own request.

COMMISSIONER COLEMAN, of the agricultural bureau, has issued a circular of rates and regulations for co-operation between states and the government for the suppression of pleuro-pneumonia. It quotes the act of June 30, 1886, which appropriates \$100,000 for this purpose.

A CIRCULAR has been sent out from the treasury department conveying the information that five-cent nickel and one-cent pieces will be forwarded from the United States mint at Philadelphia for transportation charge, in sums of \$20 for multiples, on the receipt and collection by the super-

# THE Hastings Reds wear the champion base ball belt of the state.

BEATRICE has devised plans for a city building, and bids for construction of the same have been advertised for.

AT Blue Springs, Allie Brown, an inmate of a house of ill-fame, attempted to commit suicide by taking eight grains of morphine. A physician pumped her and she will probably recover. The girl is only 18 years of age.

THE demand for furnished apartments and private board, is far in excess of the supply at Beatrice.

Ar Columbus unknown parties attempted to force an entrance into the Misses Brown's cigar store. Two shots from a revolver in the hands of the plucky ladies dispersed the marauders.

THOMAS WEBSTER, living about five miles south of Madison, killed a very large rattlesnake in his house last Sunday. It jumped at him, and came near biting him.

THE avarice of Omaha real estate agents keeps the county commissioners busy in preventing the roads leading into the city from being platted into lots and sold.

An Auburn barber shop till was tapped the other night to the extent of about \$15.

A MAN named Pinner, representing an Omaha jewelry house, suicided with the pistol in Salt Lake last week. He had been jilted by his best girl, hence courted death as a panacea for his troubles.

THE Omaha fair management announce as the latest attraction a dog race, five entries, one-fourth mile dash. The animals that are to run are the property of an eastern trainer, and are said to furnish a race as exciting as a horse race.

REV. SHRADER, the Lutheran pastor of Ponca, has preached his farewell sermon there, and will go to Grand Island.

THE corn in Pawnee county, says the Republican of Pawnee City, will not be over half a crop, owing to the long continued drouth. There is a good deal of old corn in the county, but it is held principally by the wealthier farmers.

THE Fullerton Journal is urging in strong terms the organization of a county agricultural society and the holding of a fair this fall.

JOHN LINDE, a prominent farmer living near Ainsworth, has been adjudged insane and will be taken to the state asylum. An Omaha saloonkeeper is called upon through the courts to pay Mrs. Maria C.

Johnson \$14,180 for having sold whisky to her husband, making him a common sot, and depriving her of his support.

THE department of Nebraska G. A. R. has loaned to the Norfolk district reunion 196 tents, which have been shipped to Norfolk. From there they will go to Grand Island to be used at the state reunion. The 700 tents which have been rented from a St. Louis firm for use at Grand Island will

# THE Kearney flouring mills, destroyed by fire early in the week, will probably not be rebuilt immediately.

YORK county expects to have the best lair this year within its history.

TABLE ROCK expresses a readiness to furnish a number of men to fight Mexico should our government need their services QUITE a number of Blue Springs blooded horses are training for the races to be held at the fair ground Sept. 21st to 24th.

SINCE efforts have been made to secura the right of way for the Rock Island through Fairbury there has been a great increase in values.

THE Milford "Sanitarium and Health Resort company" has finally materialized. THE prohibitionists of Platte county met n convention at Columbus and nominated

a full county ticket. THERE were 3,353 arrivals at the three principal notels of Hastings for the month

of July. GEO. GUNN, of Adams county, got his hand caught in the belting of a corn sheller

and had it quite badly crushed. A young man by the name of Lawrence, secretary of the Nebraska news associaenemies.

FRANK LEE, of Humphrey, presented his petition to the county commissioners ask- seems to be more conservative than either ing that a license be granted him to open a saloon at Neligh. On the same day a petition was presented asking that license be not granted. The commissioners have set a day of hearing. Both sides have employed counsel, and a lively time is expected.

The voters of Oakland ask that the city vote \$7,000 bonds for water-works.

THE Masonic temple which has just been commenced at Beatrice will cost \$30,000. A MAN, named Faldberg, had his foot crushed between the bumpers of two flat cars at Omaha to such an extent that amputation was necessary.

Hastings' base ball club goes by the name of Reds, and they are said to be no slouches with the ball and bat.

THEY ARE GENEROUS BEQUESTS.

The Extent to Which Tilden Remembered

The will of the late S. J. Tilden has been furnished to the press. It begins thus: Mindful of the uncertainty of life and being now in the full possession of all facul-

ties of mind and memory, I, Samuel J. Tilden of Greystone, in the city of Yonkers, county of Westchester and state of New this my last will and testament in the manner and form following:

The document contains forty-three clauses. The first clause revokes all previous wills made by the testator. Clause second names John Bigelow, Andrew H. Green and George W. Smith executors and to Ireland, he answered: "For the presrustees under the will. Clauses 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 contain the usual provisions as to just debts, etc. Clause 9 gives the testator's sister, Mrs. Mary B. Pelton duringher life the use of the house at 38 West Thirtyeighth street, and the income of \$100,000. Upon Mrs. Pelton's death the use of the nouse reverts to the testator's grandneice Laura A. Pelton during her life and if Mrs. Pelton shall not have disposed of \$50,000 of her inheritance by will, that amount also reverts to Laura A. Pelton. If Laura A. Pelton dies leaving children, the house and the \$50,000 goes to her children. If not she may will the house as she chooses and the \$50,000 shall revert to the estate and be managed by the trustees. Upon Mary E. Pelton's death \$50,000 of her inheritance goes to the testator's niece, Caroline Whittlesey with similar provisions for reversion as in the preceding instance. The income of another \$50,000 is also to be paid to Mary B. Pelton during her life. Clause 10 gives the income of \$70,000 to Lucy T. Tilden, widow of the testator's brother, Moses Y. Tilden, with reversion to her adopted daughter, Adelaide E. Buchanan. Clause 11 gives the income of \$50,000 to Susan G. Tilden, widow of the testator's brother, Henry A. Tilden, with reversion to testator's niece, Henrietta A. Swan. The twelfth and thirteenth clauses bequeath to his niece, Caroline B. Whittlesev, the income of one hundred shares of Cleveland and Pittsburg Railroad Co. stock and the interest of the testator in the Delphi Iron company. A special trust of \$50,000 is also to be invested for her benefit. The fourteenth clause gives to his niece, Henry A. Swan, the income of one hundred shares of Cleveland and Pittsburg Railroad stock, and also provides for a widow of Moses Y. Tilden, the dwelling house in which the latter formerly resided at New Lebanon. This clause also proowned by Tilden's father, Elam Tilden, or subsequently acquired by Moses Y. Tilden, with the object of keeping the landed property together and in the family, the same to be applied to the use of his nephews, Geo. H. Tilden and Samuel J. Tilden. The sixteenth clause releases George H. Tilden and Samuel J. Tilden from debts amounting to \$60,000. Clause 18 leaves \$75,000 to S. J. Tilden. Clause 19 leaves \$150,000 eaves \$150,000 to Susan G. Tilden, niece. Clause 21 releases the estates of his brothers from loans of \$300,000. Clause 22 eaves Annie J. Gould \$100,000. Clause 23 leaves Miss M. C. Stauffer of New Orleans, \$100,000. Clause 24 provides that the husbands of legatees shall have no management of the bequests. Clause 25 provides for a corporation to be called the Tilden Trust, and to embrace the residue of the estate. Clauses 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, Labor the order will doubtless be decima-ted somewhat; and so will the membership of the Catholic church. The Catholic 33 gives \$100,000 for a free library at New Lebanon and clause 34 \$100,000 for a free library at Yonkers. Clause 35 pro- church seeks to take away from us the vides that the Tilden Trust may be used for a free reading room and library in New York city, or if the trustees desire otherwise in their judgment they may devote the trust to other charitable, educational and scientific purposes instead. The other clauses are technical down to clause 41, which authorizes such a monument to Mr. Tilden's memory as the trustees see fit. Clause 42 authorizes the publication of Mr. Tilden's writings. Clause 43 provides that any legatee contesting will forfeit his legacy. The will is dated April 23, 1884.

# INTERIOR GREASERS FOR WAR.

## They Want Revenge for Palo Alto, Monterey and Buena Vista.

City of Mexico dispatch: A party in northern Mexico is in for crossing swords with the United States. It is reported on good authority that General Casas, who has recently depredated in the vicinity of Sabinas, has offered to join hands with the federal government and clean out the Yankees. Government dispatches from Victoria, the capital of the state of Tamalipsas, received in Muevo Laredo, are to the effect that the town is much excited over the El Paso and Eagle Pass complications. Public opinion as to the justification of Mondragon is divided, some claiming his acts were justifiable and others condemning him. The governor of Tamalipsas is said to have asserted that if he were in the position of Governor Bornat, of Chihuahua, he would never give Cutting up. The people of his state appear to uphold him in

his opinion. From Parras Lineras news comes that the prospect of war with the United States is hailed with delight as many in that seetion wish to aid in wiping out the remembrance of their defeat at Palo Alto, Monterey and Buena Vista. Their inborn antition, has been arrested on a charge of for. pathy and intense hatred for Gringoes gery. He claims that it is the work of his creep out daily, as is shown by their insulting and annoying t reatment of Americans who are so unfortunate as to be living in their midst. The governor of Coahuila

of those of Tamelinas or Nuevo Leon, and is said to be in favor of peace and conciliatory measures. A private telegram from Saltillo save

that a brigade of infantry arrived in that city this morning. Their future destination is not known. Stock men arriving from Mexico state that news of the trouble with the United States has just reached remote regions in the interior, causing great excitement and making it dangerous for stock buyers to stay in their midst. Importers in Nuevo Laredo are countermanding orders for goods in contemplation of trouble, as they are confident Cutting never will be given up. The present suspense is paralyzing business on the border.

# THE SITUATION IN IRELAND.

As Set Forth by Mr. Davitt, Just Arrived in America.

New York dispatch: Michael Davitt arrived Saturday by the Germanic after a voyage devoid of incident. He was accompanied by James Rourke, one of the owners of the Dublin North City Milling company and business partner of Patrick Egan, president of the Irish National League of America.

Mr. Bourke will make only a brief stay in this country, as his visit is purely on business. Mr. Davitt will remain several months, will attend the Chicago conven-York, do hereby make, publish and declare tion and afterward will deliver a series of lectures throughout the country. Mr. Davitt found time to answer a few questions concerning the present situation in Ireland

and what prospect there was for an early settlement of the home rule question. Being asked what he thought would be the first move of the tory ministry in relation ent, at all events, we can scarcely expect

### THE NANCE COUNTY HORROR.

4 New Theory Concerning the Murders Two Years Ago.

It is now nearly two years since the details of the shocking quintuple murder known as the Fullerton, Nance county, horror, were published. It was in the early part of the winter of 1884. Four adults and one child were found murdered. The perpetrator was, and still is, unknown, but suspicion now is firmly settled upon the man who in all probability did the deed, and who for a long time, it was thought, had also fallen a victim in the butchery. This is the man Furneval, who has not been heard of since that time. The theory of the crime held up to the present time, is that Percival, who was the third to fall in the bloody work with his wife, had been gotten out of the way in order to remove the possibility of his ever laying claim as heir to immense estates in England. That theory has now fallen to

the ground, and another has taken its place. It is held, says the Omaha Bee, by everybody in the vicinity of the scene of the murder, and bears a plausibility which the other lacked. It makes its first appearance in the Bee, and was received through Honorable John Rush from John Whithey, the next neighbor of Furnival." Furneval owned 160 acres in Nance county. He was living with a man named Meyer. E ch took turns of a week in attending to the domestic duties of their home. In that home were certain chattels upon which Furneval had given a mortgage for \$200. The time of the payment of this sum was near at hand, and Furneval was anxiously expecting money from the east to satisfy it. He went several times to Central City and Fullerton to see if the money had arrived, but only to find that it had not come. This made him nervous and irksome. He even requested his neighbors to inquire for the desired letter for him when he was unable to go to either of these towns himself. On the Saturday

night before the murder Furneval inquired of Mr. Gates if he had brought a letter for him, but was informed that nothing had arrived with his address.

The next day, Sunday, was the day upon which Meyer was to commence to take charge of the household affairs for the following week. That day furneval had spent playing cricket. On his way home e stopped at Gates' and asked the latter if he had seen Meyer that day, and was told that Meyer had not been around. Although naturally an easy-going man, when aroused it was known that Furneval was possessed of most resentful and violent feelings. These he began to show before he left Gate's place by bitter denunciation of his companion who neglected his uty. He then started for home. Later Meyer made his appearance at Gates' and sked if Furnaval had been seen. He was nformed that Furneval had just left and was in a very angry mood. "Yes," said was in a very angry mood. Meyer, "I suppose he'll make it warm for me," and then started for home. Furneval quarrelled, and later, when the former had retired to bed, Furneval shot him through the chin and top of the head.

Percival was one of the nearest neighbors. Early in the morning a man of his, named Baird, who was a friend of Meyer's, called to see the latter, while Furneval was digging a pit to bury him in. Baird discovered the murder and was hastily running

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#### UNION PACIFIC LANDS.

G. M. Cummings, general land commissioner of the Union Pacific Railway company, has just issued the following circular, which will be of interest to many:

Holders of contracts for the purchase of lands or lots from this company are reminded that these contracts are subject to cancellation without notice if the payments are not made promptly when due. Interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum is charged on all delinquent payments of principal and interest from the time when such payments become due until paid. Contracts may be paid up in full at any time before maturity, and if so paid interest will be charged only to the date of settlement, and no discount will be allowed under any circumstances.

Extensions of time for the payment of the principal on land and town-lot contracts will be made only where the land and lots have been improved by the purchasers, and there are special circumstances justifying the concession. The interest must be paid when due, except in cases of extraordinary hardship.

"Assignments of contracts are not recognized by the company until recorded in the land department, and assignments will not be recorded until all arrears of principal, interest and taxes have been paid. The wives of purchasers must join in the assignment of contracts for lands and lots in Nebraska. If the purchasers are unmarried, that fact should be stated in the assignment. The full names and postoffice addresses of the assignees must be given in every case. A fee of 50 cents is charged for recording each assessment and the amount of the fees must accompany the contracts when presented for record.

The department will not recognize the subdivision of any contracts or the sale or assignment of any contract in part. The action of any land or town lot agent is not binding upon the company until approved by this department.

# MISCELLANEOUS STATE MATTERS.

The Gibbon people have not been disconraged by the suspension of the Baptist college at that place, but with their usual energy have sought out another denomination, who are fitting up the old building and will open with over fifty students September 1st. The United Brethren church, with Dr. Bardshear, of Iowa, as president, now controls the college.

ROSEBUD agency will soon be connected with Valentine by telephone.

THE track of the Driving Park association of Hastings has been completed.

from Carthage, Mo., came to the city last number 1,382 to original number 1,385, YORK water bonds were defeated at the WASHINGTON special: Judge J. C. Craw-39.04 40 night in company with Conductor Ben both inclusive; \$100, original number 1,-OATS-Per bushel..... ings teams have been barred. 27 64 28 second election. This election was made ford of West Point, Neb., has arrived at Brown of the Pacific, and was taken by 678 to original number 1,729, both inclu-Hogs-Mixed packing...... 4 35 @ 475 necessary by the illegality of the first one, THE Hastings base ball club played six the National hotel and will remain a week. which was in the affirmative. In the meangames in Iowa in one week, winning all of He will endeavor to have the two land young lady, humiliated by the disgrace she had brought on herself, procured a pistol and sent a bullet through her heart. The lady leaves several letters addressed to trionde and box several letters addressed to trionde addressed to trionde trionde trionde trionde trionde trionde to trionde tr time the contract has been let for the conoffices designated and the four officers apthem. J. K. HONEYWELL of Lincoln lost a very pointed in Western Nebraska or ascertain struction of the works, and interesting liti-63% valuable Caffrey colt from the bite of a rat-tlesnake a day or two ago. The long dry spell seems to have made these reptiles gation will result. CORN-Per bushel ...  $\frac{34}{27}$ 33%@ ONE of the new counties to be sliced from OATS-Per bushel .... 26 304 Cheyenne will be called Cody, after Buffalo against Conductor Brown. inclusive; total, \$10,000,000. Bill, of Wild West show fame. the state. more venomous than usual. SHEEP-Common to good.. 2 75 @ 4 85

be shipped August 20. intendent of the mint of a draft on New York or Philadelphia payable to his order.

THE chief of police of Columbus, as a Union Pacific train arrived the other day, arrested a man on the charge of stealing a team of horses in Platte county. When taken in charge he confessed his guilt.

THOS. J. WALKER accompanied by Wm. Thompson and W. F. Warne, of Washington, D. C., all connected with the office of commissioner of railroads, have arrived in Omaha to examine the books of the Union Pacific railroad company, to see that all is straight in regard to the 25 per cent of the net earnings that goes to the government. It will take the next two weeks to look over the figures.

ONE hundred cars of material for the Rock Island have been delivered at Beatrice.

A commission has been issued to T. O. Shea, as postmaster of Madison.

A FLOATER was picked up in the river at Nebraska City the other day. The corpse was that of a boy about thirteen years old and was not identified.

THE temporary bridge for the crossing of cars at Rulo is about ready for business. J. H. Foxworrny of Lincoln, fell on the sidewalk in Hastings last winter and broke his hip. He now sues that city for \$20,-000 damages.

THE Hastings ball club costs 1,150 per month.

A MAN named Stone, who stole 100 pounds of bacon from a farmer near Salem, got thirty days in jail for the offense. A NEBRASKA City correspondent says some wretches threw dynamite into Geo. Elke's fish pond, killing four-fifths of the fish. Mr. Elke offers a reward of \$50 for the conviction of the perpetrators of the outrage. This is quite a loss to him, as he has spent a great amount of time and money in fish culture.

THE W. C. T. U. ladies of York have engaged Mrs. Henry to deliver 'a series of temperance lectures there. Mrs. H. is said to be a forcible and eloquent speaker.

JAILER JOE MILLER, of the Douglas county jail, has turned out thirteen of the city east Nebraska and northeast Kansas reprisoners which were sent up by the police judge to serve out sentence for minor offences, such as drunkenness, vagrancy, etc. These fellows were released in accordance Columbus south and from Superior east, with the terms of the state law, which says and reach into Kansas two counties deep that a prisoner shall be confined one day from Concordia eastward. From this wide for every \$3 of fine.

DURING one of the hot days last week two of the horses on the Lincoln street car line laid down and died. The weather was too much for them.

NEAR Omaha the other day twentythree freight cars, some of them loaded, and all standing on the Union Pacific track, started on a down grade run. They turned onto a switch and ran into a culvert, where they were all piled up promiscuously. Most of the cars were smashed into kindling wood condition and the company sustains a very heavy loss. Rascally boys loosened the brakes.

PLATTSMOUTH has raised \$400 to be distributed in prizes at the base ball tournament during the county fair next month. The Fremont, Omaha, Lincoln and Hast-

LINCOLN is building two huge packing houses-Nos. 1 and 2-which will get in operation in the early months of autumn THE North Bend Flail says the Standard Cattle company will soon bring about 3,500 head of cattle to their new station for feeding during the winter. One hundred men are now putting up hay for the company.

STATE FISH COMMISSIONER MAY, of Fremont, has returned from the east, where he secured a large collection for the fish exhibit at the fair.

THE Nebraska press association were given a hearty reception as they passed through on their excursion to the west.

THERE will be two county fairs in Cass county, and it is expected that success, in point of exhibits at least, will attend both. THE Presbyterians of North Bend are

building a \$3,000 house of worship. ONE Brandt was tried in the Platte coun-

ty court and bound over to the district court for running a Sunday garden south of Columbus. It is understood that fourteen more complaints will be filed.

Fourteen thousand dollars has already been pledged and the erection of a \$10,000 building will be commenced as soon as pre liminary arrangements can be made. MANAGERS of the Globe coffee company, doing a sort of lottery business at Lincoln,

were arrested and fined \$200. A young man at Lincoln while asleep,

fell through a second story window to the sidewalk and was seriously injured. THE eleventh annual convention of the

Otoe County Sunday school association. was held at Nebraska City last week. The attendance was liberal.

THE Union Pacific will erect a new depot at Mead, Saunders county.

OMAHA is about to put to death all dogs without the regulation tab.

PROHIBITIONISTS of Dodge county held a meeting for placing in nomination a ticket, but the attendance was so limited that the matter was deferred for a time.

THE Lincoln Journal is in receipt of special advices from forty-six points in south garding the corn crop outlook, and taken as a "job lot" they are far from encouraging. The reports cover Nebraska from territory reports of half crops come from twenty-two points, seven localities report less than half crops, ten report prospects for two-thirds the usual yield, two hope for three-quarters of a harvest, and five send word of full crop prospects. Columbus is the one Nebraska point that reports fair prospects for average crop, the other four points so reporting being in Kansas.

In the county jail of Lancaster county there are eighteen prisoners whose cases will come before the next term of the district court.

Goop brick, tile, and potter's play has been found near Fullerton.

DANBURY, Red Willow county, wants a good barber and a lumber yard. Two good openings in these lines.

### SHE LOVED NOT WISELY.

Denison (Tex.) special: A terrible tragedy was enacted in this city this morning at

they will rush forward with a home rule bill -that is, a home rule bill on the line of compensation of executors, discharge of Gladstone's. Our hopes must be rather of a negative than of a positive character, and this makes our people anxious to find out whether or not anything in the shape of a coercion bill will be introduced-I don't say passed-for with the present actual majority for the liberals on all questions outside of home rule, it is hard to see how any bill doing away with the application of the ordinary law could be got through the house of commons. While, therefore, the conservative ministry must be conservative in not going beyond the ordinary law to carry on the government as it is, I cannot see how they can remain passive in relation to the national demand. They must, and probably will, offer some kind of a remedy, for the country is at present stirred from one end to the other as it never was before and the whole people in obedience to their leaders, not to speak of the law abiding spirit which is born in them when they are let alone, are refraining from acts of violence. Why, you must ave read in the dispatches from the other side that criminal calendars which came under the notice of the judges of the assizes who are on the circuit throughout the country present almost a complete blank as far as any serious offenses, in fact as far as any offenses at all, are concerned. As a consequence the judges are compelled to compliment the grand jories on the peaceful state of the country.'

### THE POPE'S EDICT.

Baltimore special: The dispatch bulletined at the United Press office to-day stating that Pope Leo XIII had condemned the Knights of Labor, and inspecial trust of \$50,000 for her. The fif- structing the bishops to proceed against it teenth clause conveys to Lucy F. Tilden, as against all secret societies under the papal ban, has created a great stir in this city, not only among the members of the vides for the conveyance to the executors organization, but the general public. and trustees of certain lands formerly Prominent knights were interviewed this evening and they all share in the belief that the pope has issued no such edict as applying to the United States.

"I don't believe," said a Catholic master workman, "that His Holiness has taken a hostile attitude against the Knights of Labor, for if he has examined the constitution he must see that there is nothing in it antagonistic to the church. Besides, the to his niece Ruby S. Tilden. Clause 20 hierarchy of this county have significal their approval of it.

One of the most prominent Catholic knights in the city was asked for his opinion as to the probable result of the pope's decision.

"Granting that it be true," after a few moments silence the gentleman said, "and I love my church well; if it be true that the pope has decided to fight the Knights of Labor the order will doubtless be decimaof the Catholic church. The Catholic Knights of Labor have always been obedient to the laws of the church, but if the only means we possess of resisting the encroachments and oppression of capitalists, it is time to call a halt. A month ago Cardinal Gibbons spoke in approbation of the order, saying that as long as it confined its interests to peaceable men it need apprehend no opposition from the church.

CALLED FOR TEN MILLIONS.

Acting Secretary Fairchild issued on the 12th a call for ten million 3 per cent bonds, payable September 15 next.

The bonds included on the call are as ollows: Fifty dollars, original number 124 to original number 132, both inclusive; 11:30. A young lady named Lelia Brown, number 1,388, both inclusive; and original

to spread the alarm, when Furneval him from behind. The body was not found for some time, and was then supposed to be that of Furneval. That night, Monday, Percival had just got back from town, and had driven his horses to the barn, where Furneval asked if he had any news for him from town. Percival stated that he had not. Whereupon Furneval, who had now become a demon in heart, in search of money to make his escape, shot Percival as he was carrying his arms full of hay to feed his horses. The murdered man tropped upon the hav he had been holding and never stirred. Furneval then went to e Percival house. He knew the latter ad a tin hox containing \$100. He dermined to secare its contents. To do this killed Mrs. Percival, who was enceinte the time, as also her child who was but teen months old. He then rifled the box, nd with the blood of six human being, as t were, dripping from his hands, made his scape. His tracks have been so effectually vered that he has not been approhended. Mr. Gates' opinion as to his whereabouts that he has either already committed nicide, or that he has gone on a surveying spedition to Alaska. He is rather inclined the latter theory, in fact is almost cerin that he is up north, because Furneval

veral times spoke to him of going. The one hundred and sixty acres belongg to Furneval are now used by ex-Lt .ov. Carns, while the mortgage upon his diattles was purchased by Central City ocople.

BEN HITCHCOCK, a gay and festive young man of Lincoln, was before the courts the other day to answer to the charge of adultery with one Mrs. Mary A. Johnson, a married woman.

# THE MARKETS.

# OMAHA.

WHEAT-No. 2	57	(A)	57%
BARLEY-No. 2		66	525
RyE-No. 2	37	60	37%
Corn-No. 2 mixed	28	100	28%
Oats-No. 2			20%
BUTTER-Choice table		100	
BETTER-Fair to good	7	64	8
Eggs-Fresh	: 3i	0.66	10%
CHICKENS-Old per doz	2 50		3 75
CHICKENS-Spring per doz	2 00		2 50
LEMONS-Choice, per box4.	9.50	tin.	00.01
APPLES-Choice per bbl	3 00	(a)	3 25
BEANS-Navys	1.40		1 60
Oxions-Per barrel	3 50	(di	4.00
POTATOES-Per hushel	50	6a	60
Tomatoes-Per bu, box	1 50	· Cost	1 75
WootFine, per fb	10	day	14
SEEDS-Timothy	2 20	64	2.50
SEEDS-Blue Grass	1 30	die.	1.40
Hay-Baled, per ton	5.50	fer,	6.25
HAY-In bulk	6.00	644	7.00
Hogs-Mixed packing	4 35	64	4.45
BEEVES-Choice steers	4 20	(it.	4.35
SHEEP-Fair to good	2.00	(a)	3 50
NEW YORK	ζ.	(37)	
WHEAT-No. 2 red	841	Ga.	85
WHEAT-Ungraded red			844
Cons-No. 2	50	Gai	50%
OATS-Mixed western	36	in.	38
Porg			10 75
Larp			7.05

WHEAF-NO. 2 red	8-1 100
WHEAT-Ungraded red	82 205
Cors-No. 2	50 (a)
Oats-Mixed western	36 69
PORE	10.500.10
LARD	7 00 6 7
CITE CO.	

#### CHICAGO.

Froun-Winter	4.05	G.	4.10
FLOUR-Patents	4.30	las	4 60
WHEAT-Per bushel	7.13	1024	7.43
Conx-Per bushel	42	(et)	425
OATS-Per bushel	27	114	28
Pork			
LARD	6.90	124	6 925
Hoes-Packing & shipping.	2 50	(a)	3 60
CATTLE-Stockers			
SHEEP-Natives	4.00	C	4 25
ST LOUIS			

WHEAT-No. 2 red. 76564 Conn-Per bushel ..