

STATE NEWS
Meetings polled 168 votes at the last municipal election.

Brewer City voted \$111,000 for school purposes the coming year.

Sidney contains a population of 1,000, according to the census, soon.

The commissioners of Adams county have passed the liquor license at \$400.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cody Stanton will make a lecture tour through Nebraska this spring.

The director of Fairmont school district, Nemaha county, receives a salary of \$100 per annum.

The Presbytery of the South Platte met at Nebraska City on Tuesday of last week.

A large party of immigrants, after looking all over Kansas location, settled last week in vicinity of Lyons, Bent county, this state.

It is expected that the Nebraska City distillery will be started up this spring by parties from Peoria, Ill. It will consume 1,000 bushels of corn per day.

Two thousand eight hundred and forty-three acres of Otoe reservation lands were entered at the Bourne land office in March. It was principally bought on two years time payment and third cash.

Brownville shipped 25 car loads of cattle and hogs the past week, besides a great deal of wheat and corn. Two new warehouses will be built in the city this spring.

A free dinner was served in each ward to the voters of Falls City on election day. One hundred and six dined in the first ward and two hundred and ten in the second.

A monstrous catfish, weighing 89 pounds, was caught in the Missouri river near Ponca one day last week.

At the recent municipal election, Falls City elected the entire temperance ticket with the exception of mayor.

During the month of March there were sold through the office at Hastings, 8,500 copies of the St. Joe & D. O. railroad lands, representing some thing like \$25,000 cash.

Plattsmouth Herald: Prof. Aughey examined our coal mine Saturday and pronounced it the best coal found yet. The vein is from 13 to 17 inches.

The next annual meeting of the Nebraska state optometrist's association will be held at Fremont the 21st of May. Extensive arrangements are being made. Among other things there will be a dog show.

The state board of education have fixed the valuation per mile of railroads in this state as follows: Union Pacific, \$10,000; Burlington and Missouri River, \$6,400; Nebraska Railway, \$4,000; Atchison and Nebraska, \$4,743; St. Joe and D. C., \$4,842; Sioux City and Pacific, \$4,278; Omaha and Rock Island Valley, \$2,012.

The railroad bond question is one which if the women had the right to vote upon could be submitted with out fear as to the result. Many a wife would testify to the hardships endured at home, while the husband is necessarily absent for three or four days at a time, taking a single load wheat to market. In all consider gentleness we ask you would not the railroad be a convenience worth fully the cost to you aside from the additional profits you would derive from the increased value of your lands.

Another Railroad East.

Denver Daily Times
Articles of incorporation of "The Boulder, Plate and Republican Valley Railway Company" were to day filed in the office of Secretary of State. The object is to construct and operate a railroad from Boulder, Boulder county, to Greeley, Weld county, and from Greeley down the Plate valley, and on the most direct and practicable route to the valley of the Republican River, as or near where it crosses the east line of the State into Nebraska; and thence down the valley of the Republican to a connection with the various roads approaching Colorado from the east. The capital stock is placed at \$300,000, to be divided into shares of 100 each. The principal office of the company will be kept at Boulder, and the principal business carried on in Boulder and Weld counties. The incorporators are Junius Berney, T. W. Moffat, E. G. Lyman, John J. Bush and Louisa McIntosh, who also form the board of directors for the first year. This road is designed as a connection between the Denver Central & Utah (being under the same management) and the first line that comes up the Republican.

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