

STATE ITEMS.

(Omaha Bee.)

—Venison is plenty and cheap in the Kearney market.

—Extensive shipments of locomotives are being made from Joplin.

—The Nebraska City distillery will feed 800 head of stock this winter.

—The Pawnee merchants have a large trade from Atchison county Mo.

—Wild cats are quite numerous in the timber near Nelson, Nuckolls county.

—Silver Ridge Seminary Dixon county, was dedicated on Friday the 4th inst.

—The immigration into Wayne county is greater now than any time this season.

—There is considerable inquiry for houses in Leup City, but there are none to let.

—The block in Hastings, known as the public square, has been decided to the county.

—The erection of buildings in Lincoln is increasing, but not fast enough for the demand.

—A large grading force is at work on the new branch railroad four miles west of Riverton.

—There are two steam threshing machines in Merrick county, both doing excellent work.

—The new Presbyterian church at Papillion will be dedicated on Sunday next, the 20th.

—Large numbers of Germans continue to arrive at the Friedmann settlement, Thayer county.

—Fourteen immigrant teams, from one town in Wisconsin, went into Far nee county last week to settle.

—The new extension of the O & R. V. railroad was completed to the east line of Polk county, last Wednesday.

—Wild geese are so numerous in the neighborhood of Kearney that they are working injury to the corn fields.

—The immigration by wagon during the past week has probably exceeded that of any previous week for years.

—Sixty-three teams loaded with lumber and merchandise, left Kearney Friday forenoon, for the country south of there.

—Woods & Neff, of Syracuse, are erecting a grain warehouse at that point, and will go extensively into the grain business.

—A Jackson (Dakota county) baby took the highest premium at the late Dakota territorial fair, for beauty and good behavior.

—A prairie fire near York on Tuesday last, swept a number of farms clear of grain and haystacks, and injured corn fields.

—Thirty new comers arrived at Edgar, Clay county, in one day recently and dispersed into the country to take up homes.

—Boone county shows the shortest delinquent tax list of any county in the State—only seventy pieces of land and five town lots.

—The town site of Genoa, on the Pawnee reservation, is being surveyed and planted. It is twenty-two miles west of Columbus.

—Howard county has about 70,000 acres of government lands, much of it suitable for farming and all good for grazing purposes.

—The citizens of Hastings, warned by the late fire in that city, have under consideration the purchase of a steam fire engine.

—Cusic & Kendall are building a new elevator at North Bend. The Bend is growing and prospering more than ever this fall.

—A section hand, named John Connelly, was killed at Ashland, Friday evening, in a collision with the hand car and construction train.

—The B. & M. in Nebraska, are paying \$1.40 for hands to work on the Republican Valley extension, and furnish transportation.

—Depositors in the State Bank of Nebraska, at Brownville, are requested to come and get their money, as the bank wishes to close up its business.

—A Bohemian named Josef Creadle, while under the influence of liquor, fell from his wagon, five miles from Exeter, the other day, and was killed.

—A small colony of people from Houston county, Minn., are soon expected to locate in the rich country about Syracuse, Unadilla and Palmyra, in western Otos.

—Geo. Thompson, of Falls City, accidentally shot a Miss Michaels, of that town, on Wednesday with a revolver. The ball passed through her neck and may prove fatal.

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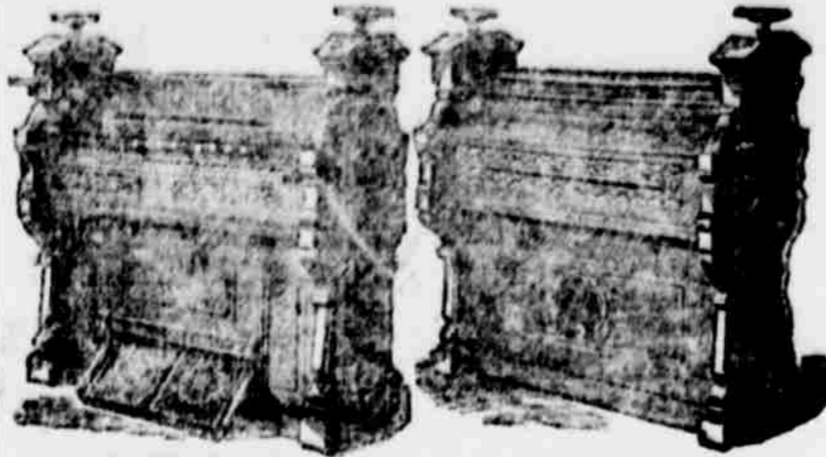
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