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St. Paul has thre wheat-buying senatorial fight:

Our state penitentiary has 270 in-

\$250,000 MR. A. E. SEARS, a lawyer of Hall

Harlan county's expenses for the have force enough, when combined; to county is the youngest member of the vear aggregated \$12,000. lower branch of the legislature, being, Valparaiso charges \$500 saloon 26 years old, and Mr. Chas. Cale, a far-

cense and has but one bar. mer of Richardson county is the oldest been placed in the Blue river. MR. H. H. SHEDD, of Ashland, Saunders county, was elected speaker of the house at the convening of the leg-

islature last week. Mr. Shedd is said to be a young man, with plenty of en-A factory for the tools and mining last. ergy, and of a commanding presence, machinery is to be soon erected at and will undoubtedly make a good of- Blair.

Over 180,000 bushels of wheat have The poor Indian may be a person of untutored mind, but in one instance,

at least, has developed a busines ability that would do him credit on the Rialto, and an exalted opinion of the value of real estate which would fit him for active service as salesman or a

Beatrice has an electric telephone, same measure of good fortune will be Pine street agent. Two of the great with about twenty miles of wire and railroads of the northwest are anxious forty instruments. to buy the right of way through the Sioux reservation, and conferences sold twenty head of hogs, averaging

between the representatives of the The postmaster at Schuyler says four turkeys were sent by mail from year, and sets forth in clear light the railroad companies and of the tribes. that town to San Francisco.

which, as was carefully explained to wool clip for 1880 was 250,000. the Indians, was nearly four times The Methodists will soon have what the government received for its churrh edifice at Sidney, having pur- to prosper, and that the year 1881 will wild lands. But one of the chiefs, by chused an old hotel for the purpose. some mysterious process, had fixed upon \$7,000,000 as the sum to be paid Franklin county, realized \$408 for his for the land-perhaps because he crop of broom corn, above all expen-

number seven, and felt sure there were Mr. G. T. Cartwright, of Colfax millions in the speculation-and refus- county, in boring a well, cut through ed to be moved from that magnificent a log of wood at a depth of thirty- by many thousands in its population, three feet. position. At this figure the companies would pay more than \$35,000 a

mile for their lands. Four Bears, who They are a rare breed in that portion made this blood-curdling proposition, of the state. and that aggressive financier, Rattling Ed. Griffin, a Decatur barber delib Rib, who supported him and said in a erately shot himself last week, first sagacious manner that "we must talk rocking his child to sleep and explaining to his wife the disposition he wish-

it over slow," are throwing away their ed made of his property. time as Indian chiefs. They might A Schuyler collector sent a dunning come to New York and speculate in note for \$1.75 to a man living twenty-PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, West Side lots, or take a contract to five miles from town. The next day convince the public that the Inwood the debtor came that distance to pay site has been specially designated by fifty cents-all he had. Providence for the Worlds,-N. Y. A Hastings young lady, who was in-

> has not been seen lately in that locali-The coal drilling at Ponca has stop-

general of the department of Dakota, got out only with great difficulty. action on his funding bill is uncertain received the following telegram. from A shaft will soon be commenced

CAMP POINT, POPLAR RIVER, Jan. 2, ey, has been apportioned to the counmerce bill. Observation in the House via FORT BUFORD, Jan. 3-After my ties of the state. Douglas, with 9,559 talk with the Indians on the 31st of pupils, gets \$,878.40; Lancaster comes December, which led me to believe \$6,943.71. them sincere, they through Chief Crow.

and would fight me. I moved against bones. them to-day, surrounded their camp, A child of Mr. Blessing, of Fairdale, eration. Meanwhile, at least one of shelled them and compelled their sur- Howard county, two years ago, swal- the railroad companies doing business render; killed one and wounded two, lowed a needle. Last week it appearand lost no soldiers. I have now at

the agency about 300 hostiles and inch and a quarter long and much rival company, to the great damage of about 300 and forty guns. They corroded, threatened fight, but showed none. The fish commission have distribu- final action on any bill like that of the They deserted their villages and burn- ted fish as follows: 5,000 to Roberts, of Texas Representative. ed up about sixty of their lodges, Butler county; 5,000 to Tayler, of the

were of great service, and I will give were brought to Webster county. them some ponies. I have Gallas a prisoner, and will have The Crow to- A few days ago your informant visimorrow. These people are in great ted the recently discoverd coal mine

distress for want of food, and I will do in Spicer precinct, and found mineteen what I can for them. The thermome- men actively engaged in taking out coal. Erom 500 bushels of coal are mined daily, yet the demand is not supplied. The main entry to the ator as prospective Secretary of State, mine opens at the foot of a bluff, and makes the story plausible. The following is an extract from a letter written by the editor of Omaha has been driven into it a distance of Bee to his paper from the present 160 feet. Side entries, or rooms, have scene of political carnage, the capital been driven upon each side of the main one a distance of 120 feet. The Last night the Commercial presenvain is twenty-six inches thick, and ted an indescribable scene. Every inch of room in the office corridors, stair- yields a superior article of coal. ways and passages leading to the var- Humbolt Sentinel.

ious apartments were jammed with surging humanity, pushing, gesticula-Two mountain lions, a male and feting and full of excitement. The all absorbing topic was the speakership, the male were killed last week by two division of the legislative offices, and hunters, on an island in the Platte rivthe question whether Carns was to er, four miles east of the old military have the appointment of the senate committees. The railroad forces were post, Fort McPherson. These animals on hand with a large lobby of republi- are the most ferocious and dangerous can and democratic cappers. The fed- to be found in America, and are eral brigade is on hand in full force. dreaded, and avoided when possible, The entire postal service is on the ground, with Furay, Siebolt Vander- by hunters acquainted with their savvort and a quintette of postal clerks, age character. It is very seldom Scores of postmasters, land office that the brutes get so far east as were receivers, and other disinterested patriots are button-holing members, pulling them up and down the stairs, whispering promises of reward and in the surrounding country. A promotion into their cars. The vul- Texas steer stands but a poor chance turers and birds of prey are also here for his life against the attacks of these Paints, turers and birds of prey are also here in large numbers. Frank Walters, Hanlon, Thurston, and other shysters and cappers are hovering around the memto have a feast upon him when dis-The grand army of sharks, jobbers covered and shot by the daring hunand middle men is on the ground in full force. Barnacle Barnes, of Cass, who sold out Thayer six years ago; the bland and smiling Bill Stout; the raising a purse for them as a reward

The Thayer county Sentinel gives the following predictions in regard to the

Paddock will lead. But he can not Wolves are numerous in Clay coun- go in on the first ballot, and so not at all. Nance is really in the race, after his usual style, and will eventually

loom up Beatrice was assessed last spring at Van Wyck will start out No. 2, and will hold his forces better than. Pad-Beaver are numerous in the Repub- dock. But it is doubtful if he can unite all the antis, who believe they

elect their man. At first it will be Paddock and Van are now worth \$9 per ton at Indianola, prevent an election. Then perhaps as in the past, but presenting Three saloons were last week it will be Weaver and Dundy or NEW & ATTRACTIVE FEATURES a black horse to win the race, at

THERE is every indication that the been shipped from St, Paul this sea- present year will be as prosperous to the people of Nebraska as the one just growth, and every one feels that the

extended to the present year. Peter S. Dutter, of Colfax county, than ever since reading carefully the find their best mental refreshment in the industries of the state for the past possibilities of the future in all the va-Gage county has 40,000 head of ried details of state, county and munisheep whithin its boundaries. The cipal growth. The reports of the several state institutions also encourage a the belief that the State will continue not be behind the year 1880 in busi-D. A. Delano, of Macon precinct, ness activity and substantial advancement. In fact, if indications go for anything, the present year will be to Nebraska what no other year has ever been before, greater in wealth, greater greater in agriculture and greater in A number of black wolves are substantial improvements. If we mis ranging through Dawson county. take not, the year 1881 will make a

> ever be proud.-Lincoln Journal. OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

record for Nebraska of which she will

WASHINGTON D. C. Jan. 3d. 1881. On Wednesday next, on the reassembling of Congress, it is not believed that there will be a quorum of Representatives present, very few have ar sulted by a "masher," last week met rived so far. If however a quorum him on the street and proceeded to can be had, the committee on approspread him out on the sidewalk. He priations will assert its command of the floor, and push the army bill already reported, and the others made hour to-night Gen. Burke, adjutant ped for the present. The drill stuck ready for report—during the recess. n the bottom of the hole and can be Just when Mr. Wood can secure

Mr. Reagan will fight hard for early The sum of \$132,311.52, school mon- consideration of his Inter-State commakes me confident that five-sixths next, having 7,496 pupils, and geets the members agree that some measure asserting the authority which Reagan's Six hundred car loads of stock have bill recognizes in the Federal governsent me yesterday a very important been shipped from Indianola since ment should be passed. But this is message that they would not move June last; also 3,000 tons of buffalo legislation upon a new line, and both House and Senate will act with delibed under the skin on the hip and it between this city and the east shows was cut out with a razor. It was one by wilfully delaying the traffic of a the public, that it has no fear of early

It is said here that Senator Conkling which will hurt them badly. Will assylum: 5,000 to R. C. Brown, of will during the weeks call attention of start at daylight after the hostiles who Johnson county; 5,000 to Carns of the Senate to the much written about have gone to Yankton. Six of their Seward, county; 5,000 to Alexander, of campaign speech of Senator Bayard, principle men assisted me to-day, and Thayer county, and the other 5,000 but nothing is said as to the form of his reference to it.

Senator Blaine is credited with the intention of making, and the authority to make, of an early day, a speech which will indicate in some respects the policy of the next administration, The prominence lately given the Sen- |-President Hayes is credited, now

that he cannot keep on reassigning one Cabinet officer every ten days to the Navy Department, with the intention of assigning first one and then another to the position. A careful calculation shows that the supply of officers will not quite hold out even although "February has twenty eight" days only this year. There will be a time, perhaps from the second to the fourth of March, when only the six or seven Beareau officers of the Department will be present for duty. It is to be hoped that nothing serious will happen to our gallant but rather limited navy during those two or three

There is no Secretary of the Navy. t has been decided that the President cannot legally appoint Secretary Ramsey any longer, hence the probabilities are that Garfield will be called upon to choose a Cabinet officer in

The weather has moderated within the last two hours, and the thermom ater markes a temperature above the freezing point KNOX.

the bland and smining Bill Stout; the raising a purse for them as a reward turbane Dan Wheeler, are all deeply for killing the beasts and thus saving moved with anxiety to assist our law makers in arriving at a proper understanding of their duty.

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