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We are bound to keep up the reputation we have Acquired, Of being "the place" to buy good seasonable merchandise at the lowest prices. This pertains not to one or two articles but to all the goods in the store.

- The imitation French Flannels are very prett this season. They are usually sold at 15c yd. We place them on sale at 10c yd.
- We have another shipment of those regular 10c Gingham. This sale they go at 6c yd.
- Dress Flannels, 27-inches wide, colors dark red, green, blue and brown, our low price 30c per yard.
- Shetland Floss, our stock is large, 12 skeins for \$1.00.
- Standard Calicoes, 64-64 thread, 10 yards for 32c.
- Percalles, short lengths, 5 to 12 yards, 8c yd.
- Fancy all wool Waist Flannels, in patterns 45c to 90c yd.

A Rush In Our Furniture and Carpet Room.

- We are making room for another car and our low pricss are creating a big rush.
- Bed Room Suite, 3 pieces, hard wood \$14.80
- Cane Seat Dinners, set, \$4.80.
- Cane Seat Rockers, \$1.25.
- Small Size Bed Springs, regular \$1.50 at \$1.25.
- Small Size Bed Springs, regular \$2.00 at \$1.50.
- Moquettee Carpets, made, \$1.00 per yard.
- One pattern all wool Ingrain at 42c yd.

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will look neater, set and wear better. WILL NOT SPOT NOR SHRINK. If the goods are SPONGED by the SPOTLESS STEAM SPONGER. High Class Work its Specialty.

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It is now fully demonstrated that sponging is a necessity, and a convenience to have it done where the dress is bought.

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AT THE

Bob Barkley & W. F. Lodge Barber Shop.

First door south of Star bakery and restaurant.

All kinds of barber work executed promptly and satisfaction guaranteed.

GIVE - US - A - CALL.

The Chief, 1\$ A Year.

THE PRESIDENT WORSE I

McKinley Takes Sudden Change for the Worse This Morning about 2 o'clock.

CONDITION IS SERIOUS.

At Last Reports About the Same With a Slight Indication of Improvement.

At 6.30 p.m. today (Friday) a report from Buffalo says: The President's condition much worse and unless he can get relief he will not last long.

At 7.45 President McKinley was unconscious.

At 8.05 he rallied and asked for Mrs. McKinley. Very little hope entertained.

Since the shooting of President McKinley last Friday, the people of this community have been kept well posted as to his condition and everyone was pleased with the way he was improving until this morning when the news was spread throughout the town that at 2 o'clock this morning he had taken a sudden change for the worse and that the end was likely to come at any time. This report spread gloom wherever it went and further reports were anxiously awaited, but none came until about 11 a.m. when another phone message announced his condition about the same. Nothing further was heard until 2.50 when another message came over the phone that the president was holding his own and if anything improving a little.

Today's State Journal confirms the report and in a bulletin issued from the Milburn residence at 2.50 this morning says, "The president's condition is very serious and gives rise to the gravest apprehension. His bowels have moved well, but his heart does not respond properly to stimulation. He is conscious." From that time till 4 a.m. the physicians remained at his bedside and administered digitalis and strychnine but no word of encouragement came until about 4 a.m. when an improvement in the patient's condition was noticed. At 4.02 Drs. Mann and Myer left the house and the latter said: "The president is in better condition than he was an hour ago. We have not given up hope. He has rallied somewhat and we are going home." Dr. Mann also said that the president rallied, but both physicians declined to go into detail concerning the character of the heart stimulants administered or the cause of the collapse.

Populist Convention.

The populist county convention met at the court house in this city Tuesday at 11 o'clock, and organized by electing R. B. Thompson temporary chairman and O. C. Teel temporary secretary. The chairman appointed a committee of three on credentials, a committee of three on resolutions and a committee of three on permanent organization and order of business.

The convention then adjourned till 1.30 p.m. at which time it was again called to order. While waiting for the report of the committee on credentials the convention listened to some short speeches on fusion. A visiting reformer from Omaha vividly portrayed the beneficial effects and success of fusion but a few minutes afterwards J. F. Grimes made a speech against fusion with a result that the democrats can vote for their own ticket this fall or can

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who neither sands his sugar nor waters his milk—who believes in the best, and is particular to please his patrons. That's the grocer who recommends and sells **Lion Coffee** Coffee that is coffee—unglazed—unadulterated.

vote for either one of the others that suits their choice. After the above talks the convention accepted the reports of the committees on credentials and permanent organization. The report of the committee on resolutions was next read and to say the least, with the exception of the last clause, the resolutions were very antique. Here again Mr. Grimes took issue with the committee for inserting a plank in the platform that it was against the party principles to take a railroad pass. Mr. Grimes informed the delegates that with possibly two exceptions all the fusionists, pops, demos and free-silers in the last legislature rode on passes, and that they were censuring their own good men as well as the republicans, and finally wound up by saying he considered a pass a bribe and insinuated that he would not ride on one. At this point another delegate had the temerity to ask him how much the pass he rode on to Illinois cost him, and he got real mad. The chairman then called the house to order and the clause in the resolutions referring to railroad passes was blotted out, the resolutions adopted, and populists of Webster county given to understand that whatever they got from a railroad corporation in the way of passes was clear gain.

The convention then proceeded to the order of business as reported, the first being a candidate for the office of treasurer. The candidates were Geo. R. McCrary and Ed. Gilford. McCrary was nominated on the second ballot.

To secure a nominee for sheriff took four ballots and resulted in J. A. McArthur of this city being named.

For county clerk the candidates were numerous, but the balloting finally resulted in the nomination of George H. Payne of Guide Rock.

I. W. Edson was nominated for county judge on the second formal ballot.

Miss Lizzie Marker was made the nominee for county superintendent.

For surveyor F. A. Kuehn was nominated and for coroner Dr. Swigart. For commissioner, First district, F. H. Gerlach; Third district, C. H. Wilson; Fifth district, Archie Campbell.

LINE.

Somewhat cooler since the rain. Grandma VanDyke and Lina VanDyke were the guests of Harris Noble this week.

The meeting at Jos. Rocher's Wednesday night was not very large on account of the threatening storm. Those who were there report a good meeting. John Rocher treated the crowd to watermelons which were enjoyed by all.

Rev. Eddy of Inavale will preach at Dist. 8 on September 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank VanDyke and Miss Melva VanDyke were the guests of F. D. Hutchison Sunday.

J. Rosencrans of Buffalo Creek was the guest of L. Aubushon this week.

Percy Anderson and Leach Hutchison are working for Amos Gust this week.

Mrs. Richard Keagle of Wyoming reports rain and sleet every day and says she would rather live in Nebraska.

Mrs. Fred Wilder is on the sick list this week.

L. Aubushon and Wm. Rosencrans each lost a fine cow by their getting in the corn.

W. J. Haskins and S. C. Shuck have engaged Mr. Nelson of Cowles to do their threshing this week.

Mrs. John Tomlinson was transacting business in Line this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beauchamp were the guests of Frank VanDyke this week.

Last week I went about, Full of trouble and of doubt, Now I'm smiling and dance with delight, I had some Rocky Mountain Tea last night. C. L. Cotting.

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

Not Afterward.—"Does it hurt to be lynched?" asked the tenderfoot, timidly. "Not after it's over," replied Lariat Luke, sagely.—Ohio State Journal.

Attorney (for the defense)—"Now, what time was it when you were attacked?" Complainant—"I don't know; ask your client—he took my watch."—Fun.

She—"I love this excessively hot weather! Don't you, Mr. Boreham?" He—"No! I can't stand it. I shall go away if it continues!" She—"I do hope it will!"—Punch.

The Chief Cost.—Askit—"And so you have given up your summer trip to Westport-by-the-Sea?" Tellit—"Yes, I had to. I had money enough for expenses, but not enough for tips."—Baltimore American.

Economy.—Mrs. Newbride—"How much are your spring chickens?" Boulterer—"Dollar a pair, ma'am." Mrs. Newbride—"Well—er—I've got to be very economical, so just give me the very smallest pair you have."—Philadelphia Press.

Doctor—"There's nothing serious the matter with Michael, Mrs. Muldoon. I think a little soap and water will do him as much good as anything." Mrs. Muldoon—"Yes, doctor; an' will Oi give it 'him befor or after his mame?"—Glasgow Evening Times.

Reproving a Topper.—"It is astonishing, Jim Bangs, that you don't know enough to come home before daylight! Why can't you imitate the moon?" "What's the matter with moon?" "Why, the moon knows enough to drop out of sight when it's full."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Proper Feeling.—Magistrate—"I am told that you have already been convicted 14 times on this same charge. Aren't you ashamed to have to acknowledge to that?" Prisoner—"No, your worship. I don't think no man oughter to be ashamed of 'is convictions." Magistrate—"Two months, without the option of a fine."—Pick-Me-Up.

Saved by His Ugliness.

One of the conscripts appearing recently before the Nimes (Belgium) board of military examiners was disqualified on account of his extraordinary ugliness, which one of the officers held would make his comrades laugh and thus be subversive of discipline. His ugliness exonerated him from three years' service with the flag.—N. Y. Sun.

Lunch Stations in Sweden.

In Sweden the traveler may learn at which railway stations meals are served by huge signs, bearing a crossed knife and fork, which are posted along the road on each side of the stopping place.—N. Y. Sun.

AFTER MANY YEARS

Of suffering from kidney disease, Miss Minnie Ryan, of St. Louis, Mo., found a complete cure result from the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery.

It is such cures as this which establish the soundness of Dr. Pierce's theory: "Diseases which originate in the stomach must be cured through the stomach." Every other organ depends on the stomach for its vitality and vigor. For by the stomach and its associated organs of digestion and nutrition the food which is eaten is converted into nutriment, which, in the form of blood, is the sustaining power of the body and each organ of it. When the stomach is diseased the food supply of the body is cut down, the organs are starved, and the weakness of starvation shows itself in lungs, heart, liver, kidneys or some other organ.

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