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And when in after years you tell Of truth and fiction you know well, Remember us THE PALACE store, Where you've been so oft before.

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Perkins county will in no distant future State of Nebraska. Twenty-one by fortytwo miles and embracing without exception some of the finest land in the State, it will be thickly populated and taxes light. Five thriving, booming towns have already been planted and reached considerable size .- Madrid News .

A new coal field is reported on the Cheyenne line of the Burlington road fifty miles from Sterling. The find is said to be fifty miles square. There seems to be two veins, one fifteen feet below the surface and two and a half feet thick : the ther' is thirty feet down and the so feet a thickness. The coal is said to be of excellent quality and burns as well as Rock Springs or Canon City coal. - Umaha

Wallace is enjoying a quiet, substantial boom-without any smoke or hurrah about it. There are in course of con struction a blacksmith and wagon shop, drug store, hardware and furniture store, esidence and general merchandise store. with three other stores to be built this winter yet. Wallace is destined to be the best town between Holdredge and Holyoke, and her present growth justifies the statement.-Herald.

The north river country has the champion crank. He is a young man who is impressed with the idea that he has been called by the Lord to preach, but fearing he could not resist temptation has applied to a local doctor to have an emasulation performed. If report be correct the doctor sent the ministerial aspirant to Lincoln to consult others more eminent in the profession.-Sidney Telegraph.

Several of the boys from town got after the mountian lion Saturday and run him out of the country leaving him beyond the Cody lake, but we don't suppose it was much farther for him to come back than it was for the boys .- Gandy Pioneer.

After the lapse of a few weeks following the publication of the affidavit of James Wallace in regard to a four-foot potato grewn by him, comes Alva B. Templeton, who lives southwest of Grant and who is a man noted for his veracity with a story which, if it is not as long, is fy the truth of this, Alva says he can winter produce several unbiased eye witnesses. Alva's statement is endorsed unhesitat. ingly by us. We defy Dakota. - Grant Enterprise.

yielding from 30 to 50 bushels to the devil." acre of excellent quality. Those who L. F. SIMON, Mgr. better before summer. There are a great in the Criminal Court. businesses in the county. A failure in democratic orator to make. crops has never been known here and the yield has always been above the average of other localities .- Broken Bow

Leland Stanford, Jr. had he lived, would have reached his majority in May, 1889, and his parents hope to have the university bearing his name ready for its opening at that time. Tee Engineering News of New York

thus punctures Lincoln's railroad scheme. with coupon attachment: "The railroad projects which are gotten up for the pur pose of booming real estate often show a marvelous facility in leaking through the little end of the horn. If the projectors can raise the \$4,000,000 or so required for building their road, among patriotic citizens of Lincoln, they may succeed in their scheme. Otherwise it would be well to consider whether the proposed line has reasonable chance of paying its operating expenses, at fixed charges, when run in competition with its powerful rivals." The following paragraph in the New York Tribune is sufficiently timely to warrant its reproduction. It should have been sent to the president before he wrote the message: "A western congressman. evidently of a mathematical turn of mind. figures out that the surplus isn't so great a bugbear after all. His 'sums' in addition and substraction leave a remainder of only \$45,000,000; and if he could have his own way he would probably have little difficulty in disposing of this triffe. Seriously though, wouldn't it be well to settle all honest claims against the government first, and then find out the balance on hand, before attacking the surplus problem."

Prescriptions carefully compounded. Headquarters for Dr. Duncan. Liniment, There is no pain it will not subdue

The Prince of Naples, who has just day be a power and an influence in the come of age, is pronounced to be the most accomplished crown prince in Eu- the location for the republican national

> California has 20,000,000 pounds of Malaga grapes for raisins this year against 13,000,000 pounds last year.

The prohibitionists of Atlanta took re on Senator Brown by defeating his reelection to the Board of Education because he was on the "wet" side in the recent prohibition fight in that city.

Ex-Senator H. B. Barnum of seven mule fame, says that Blaine and Cleve land will be the leaders again in 1980. Mr. Barnum has prophesied before, and his prophesies were not well-tin Seven high-school girls, at Hammond

Ind., were criticised by the local paper, and meeting the editor on the street Friday evening they threw red pepper in his eyes and then horse-whipped him. The big summer hotel Brighton, a

Brighton Beach, on Long Island, has had its foundations washed out by the ocean sweeping inland, and it will have to be emoved inland to save it from complete destruction.

Fashionable society in San Francisco has been shocked by young Joseph Oliver, one of the richest of the new generation n that city, marrying his sister's g

Belva Lockwood says she does not vant the nomination for the president from the National Woman Suffrage Association next year, but that Miss Anthony and Mrs. Lucy Stone are both fighting for

Mme. Janauschek, the actress, has in structed her lawyers to bring suit for \$25,000 damages against the propretors of the Parker House, Newport. The suit is the result of an accident which happened to Mme. Janauschek while she was guest at the Parker House last summer.

Senator Evart's house in Washington used to be filled with girls, but they have all married now except Miss Mary Evarts and she wisnes to retire from active social life, but her father will not permit it. He takes great interests in her toilets.

Ex-Speaker James W. Husted is likely quite as large in other respects. Alva to get left in his race for the Speakership declares that from seven hills he dug no of the New York Assembly for the first less than two bushels of potatoes and that time in his life. Assemblyman Fremont from the roots of one potato vine he Cole has the pole in the race, and will plucked seventy three potatoes. To vere- perbably wield the gavel at Albany this

The South Carolina Methodist Confer ence has resolved that "an attendance upon the theater or circus, or an professional or amateur dramatic or impersonat-The farmers that planted large fields of ing exhibition, is inconsistent with the corn last season are now reaping their obligations of a Christian profession to harvest. The corn crop on an average is 'renounce the world, the flesh, and the

Magistrate Smith, of Philadelphia, does have been here long enough to have hogs not temper his justice with mercy when to \$4.50 per hundred for them, which is from home to their ruin, and when Joseph equivalent to 35 or forty cents a bushel Van Dorn Kelly appeared before him for corn. Those that are marketing their | Friday to answer to the charge of eloping corn are now receiving 25 cents a bushel with a young girl while he had a wife at for it with prospect of prices being much home, \$5,000 was the bond that held him

many feeding cattle at present which will There is a slight discripency in the figconsume the surplus by early spring and ures somewhere. During the campaign make corn scarce through the summer of '84, Senator Vest and other Democratic for home use. With the amount of graz- leaders charged that the Republican ading lands the county affords it will always ministrations had squared since the war be well stocked with cattle which will \$400,000,000 in repairing the eld ships of assure a home market for corn each the navy. Secretary Whitney says the year. Farming and especially raising figures are only \$70,000,000. But then corn is certain to be one of the best \$330,000,000 of a stretch isn't much for a

> Nothing indicates perhaps more clearly the growing greatest of the west than the new departure in the matter of fas trains on the trunk lines of railway west of the Missouri river. Three years ago the most vivid imagination would hardly have pictured eight passenger trains flying daily through the Republican valley; much less one of these a "flyer," with a schedule time of fifty miles an our and making only three or fou stops in the entire State of Nebraska.

Senator Palmer, of Michigan, will introduce during the session a bill prepared for the purpose of regulating and restricting immigration to the United States by keeping out persons who seem likely to be undesirable citizens. The bill will provide that all persons coming from for eign countries for the purpose of residing here shall be provided with a certificate from the United States consul for the district of his residence, setting forth the said consul is satisfied that said person a suitable and desirable person for citizenship in the United States, and that n certificate shall be granted to any convict except those convicted of political offenses, nor to any lunatic, idiot, or any person unable to take care of himself or herself without becoming a public charge. nor to any anarchist, nihilist or any person hostile to the principles of the consti tution or form of government of the United States, nor to any believer, professed believer, in the Mormon religion, who fails to satisfy the consul upon examination, that he or she intende to and will conform to and obey the laws of the United States.

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FARM LOANS

The Chicago people think that t selection of that city for the third time as convention will make it the perman home of such gatherings, particular with its fire proof hotel with 500 roo Every member of the national con admitted that Chicago was the best equipped city in America for national gatherings, treatment of the convention next June will settle the question of future therings there.

arently substituted another gas is a grand success both for fuel purposes and as an explosive. Its pro to go off at random and all in a heap, with the attendant result of general denoralization to all concerned, provide the Pittaburgers occasionally with entertal

One of the rushers of New York, who is a forced patron of the barbers, has computed the time he spends every year in a barber's chair. He is shaved three times a week, and says the average time spent in the shop is twenty minutes. He feels willing to let it pass. "That figures up just and hour every week," he resumed making fifty-two hours in a year, or two and one stath days, spent by me every year in being shaved. Say my shaving life' is thirty years. I loose over two months in a barbers chair. Too much, altogether, too much time."-New York

A recent phenomenon in Central Illinois puzzles scientific and other people. After weeks of drough the streams and wells becoming exhaused, abundant water suddenly appeared witout rain or other visible source of supply. Water flowed freely in the streams, and even the shalowest wells were replenished. Where his water comes from, and the cause of its sudden appearance, are mysteries which no man can find out. Some religious people believe it was an answer to prayer. It is probable, however, that the effect was produced by a subterranean disturbance similar to that of an earthquake shock.

The increased activity in all commercial, manufacturing and industrial directions is a matter of surprise to the general business interests, says the Omaha Republican. The speculative tendency at work has helped to harden values and to stimulate demand among a great many consumers who find themselves without material enough to complete the contract work in and. The upward tendency in prices says the same paper, will not probably go very far. Manufacturing interests gener ally, are too nervous to secure a large sides, the producing capacity in all branches has been increased to such an extent that there is no occasion for fear as to supplies. In fact, the wonder is that the consumptive capacity of the country can absorb the total output.

Says the Omaha World: Congresss Laird's proposed bill to establish in Nebraska experimental stations to develop the silk and sugar industry should be heartily endersed by the people of Nebraska. The development of a new agricultural industry will be of immense benefit to our agricultural interests and it is generally admitted that the state is well adapted to the raising of silk and sugar. At present the farmers of Nebraska do not know how to understand these new industries, nor does any one until the the experiment has been thoroughly tried. It can hardly be expected that private individuals will risk their money in what may prove a failure. What can be done by the government in such experimental stations has been proved by the successful manufacture of sugar from sorghum accomplished at an experimental station in

New York Mail and Express: Editors laugh over the shots they give and receive nowadays. In the days when the World was owned by Manton Marble and the gifted Ivory Chamberlain was its chief editorial writer, the paper often contained the flercest invective against the Tribune, as well as the most caustic personal criticism of Mr. Greeley, and yet Mr. Chamberlain and Mr. Greeley were personal friends. There never was a more pathetic lament, never a more remarkable editorial than that which Mr. Chamberlain wrote for the World on the death of Mr. Greeley-a wild outburst of grief, a touching revelation of self-reproach for not having more deeply sympathized with Mr. Greeley on the death of his wife and his other sore trials—the manly grief and tears in print of one of the most scholarly of editors taking the reader into his confidence in the moment ary disregard of editorial forms. And I belive it was the attention that this remarkable editorial attracted that led Mr James Gorden Bennett to retain Mr. Chamberlain for editorial duties on the Herald at a salary of \$1,000 per month.

beast it stands without parallel. Ladies who hemorrhages its effects are surprising and won- and the feeling of bagaor will leave you, your