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Our journalistic brethren of the Arapahoe papers are having a monkey and parrot fight as to the authorship of an article recently copied by them from THE TRIBUNE sans credit.

DENVER, Colorado, has been posturing before the country as the fortunate abode of countless millionaires who scatter their riches lavishly for the good of the community.

THE Burlington proposes to contest with the Northwestern for the trade of the Niobrara country. Both roads will tap that country next summer.

PROF. PERRY, the economist, predicts that the Republican party will be missing when the roll is called in 1888. We fear the professor has been too economical with that sterling principal called truth—or absurdly ignorant of the qualities of the average Republican.

CHICAGO bases its claim as the sanitarium of the world on the fact that its death rate per 1,000 population is 16.8, the lowest of the leading cities of the world.

AN Arizona Democratic editor flings this little pleasantly to the editor across the road from his office: "The miserable humpbacked scarecrow who tries to edit the hog-wash sheet on the other side of the street, is a lying dead-beat.

It is announced from the seat of war in Soudan, that El Mahdi will cease his efforts to bag Gordon in Khartoum, admitting at last that he has a charmed life and cannot be taken or killed, and will concentrate his efforts upon Dongola and endeavor to defeat Wolsley before he can effect a junction with Gordon's forces.

SENATOR COLQUITT of Georgia is of the opinion that the South will be prohibition before another presidential election. May the senator's voice be truly prophetic.

OUR democratic brethren, by the by, will hang up their stockings, this year, with rather more confidence than they have suspended them before their political hearth stones for these many years.

THE Postmaster General recommends and the President approves the suggestion, to reduce the rates for local letters from two to one cent.

NEW YORK is going to ask congress to complete the pedestal for the Bartholdi statue by an appropriation of \$100,000.

ACCORDING to the computation of the Revenue department, there were consumed in this country from June 1883 to June 1884, fourteen gallons of beer for every man, woman and child in the United States.

A bill has been introduced into the Georgia Legislature to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquor in that state. Its course will be watched with much interest, and it will probably become a law.

THE popular vote for the Cleveland ticket at the recent election was 4,913,901; for the Blaine ticket, 4,847,659; for the Butler ticket, 133,880; for the St. John ticket, 150,632.

CORRESPONDENTS at the national capital are profuse in their writings about the peculiarities of various and sundry Senators, Congressmen, et al., and they now claim that David Davis is so fond of machinery that he spends hours turning a coffee-mill and wondering how it can be provided with return flues and a cut off.

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GENERAL GRANT has certainly been very unfortunate in his business ventures. Besides all his other misfortunes, it will be remembered that the \$450,000, raised for him while he was general of the army was invested by him in Long Branch real estate, and lost it all; and the Grant & Ward failure is still fresh in the public mind.

It is suspected that Captain Howgate, the defaulting signal service chief, is somewhere in Nebraska, and two detectives and a signal corps officer have been sent from Washington to discover his whereabouts and arrest him.

CALIFORNIA is the greatest wheat state in the Union, and her crop this year is the largest ever known. She has increased her wheat acreage 1,000,000 acres in one year, and this season she raised 58,420,188 bushels, an average of 16.4 bushels to the acre.

What is the reason that Indo-China, which is more than half as large as British India, contains only 34,000,000 people to the latter's 250,000,000? In harbors, minerals and soil, Indo-China is the equal of British India.

It is not perhaps in part for a similar reason, that railroads running north and south rarely prosper? The Hudson river and its railroads which at first sight seem an exception to this law, are in reality examples of it.

District Court—Special Term. I hereby fix December 30, 1884, as the time of holding a special term of district court in and for Red Willow county, Nebraska.

Blank Deeds, Real Estate Mortgages, Leases, Bills of Sale, Bond for Deed, Quit Claim Deeds, Contracts for Building, Mortgage Deeds, Release of Mortgage, Official Bonds, Soldiers Discharge, Petition for License, Notes, Receipts, etc., at THE TRIBUNE office.

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Our 10 Horse We guarantee to furnish power to saw 8,000 feet of Hemlock boards in 10 hours. Our 15 Horse will cut 10,000 feet in same time.

What a Kentucky Burgoo is. (Washington Cor. Philadelphia Record.) "If you should go out to Kentucky about this time," said the old judge, "you would probably be invited to a burgoo. You don't recognize him by that name, do you? Well, a burgoo (pronounced on the first syllable, is a grand, good thing. It is an all-day picnic in the woods, with a feast which throws the clam chowder and the barbecue into the deep shade of obscurity.

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On motion, claims were audited and allowed on the road fund levy for 1884:

On motion, the following claims were audited and allowed on the county insane fund levy for year 1884:

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Commissioners' Proceedings. INDIANOLA, NEB., Dec. 1st, 1884. Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment of November 1st. Present, Henry Crabtree, S. L. Green and E. J. Allington, commissioners, and C. D. Cramer, county clerk.

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FINAL PROOF NOTICES. LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., December 10th, 1884. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, January 11th, 1885, viz: Charles H. Pate, Homestead Entry 673, for the northeast quarter of section 8, township 2 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: George H. Starbuck, Chester C. Newman, George H. Starbuck and Alpheus Starbuck, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

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LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., November 28th, 1884. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Friday, January 10th, 1885, viz: Harry C. Shurtz, D. S. 50, for the southwest quarter of section 20, township 1 north, range 29 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: John Reip and William Reip of McCook, Neb., Reuben Gervey and Henry Gervey of Stoughton, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

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LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., November 12th, 1884. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Saturday, December 21st, 1884, viz: Alfred S. Hider, D. S. 506, for the east 1/2 northwest 1/4 and lot 2 of section 30, township 3 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Vance McManigal, John J. Dunbar, William M. Rollins and Hiram Waldo, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.

LAND OFFICE AT McCOOK, NEB., November 3rd, 1884. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at McCook, Neb., on Friday, December 19th, 1884, viz: Charles H. Pate, D. S. 615, for the west 1/2 southwest 1/4 and west 1/2 northwest 1/4 section 10, township 3 north, range 30 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William Boggs, George Bowman, George W. Foster and George Puh, all of McCook, Neb. G. L. LAWS, Register.