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QUITE a responsible bit of prosperity has struck that city, and Omaha is "looking up," as it were. The Armour packing house, to cost a cool million, is now under way and means large things for the packing industry of the state of Nebraska.

THE recent adoption of the gold standard by a large number of nations has stimulated greatly the gold production of the world. Last year's productions were considered phenomenal, but it is now quite apparent that those of 1896 will be far exceeded by those of 1897. Present indications warrant the belief that the mines of the world will this year turn out nearly or quite \$250,000,000 in gold.

IN sentencing Ex-State Treasurer Jos. S. Bartley to twenty years in the state penitentiary at hard labor and pay a fine of \$303,768.90, Judge Baker sought to make the punishment fit the crime. The justice of the sentence will be recognized and admitted by all. The supreme court has granted the application for suspension of sentence and admission to bail, pending a review of the case on error, and has fixed the bail at \$125,000, over the objection of the attorney general.

COLEMAN.

Plenty of new potatoes. Corn up here is very clean. Early cabbage has graced Sam McClain's table for nearly a month. Mrs. Wm. Sharp is the mother of a new boy; weight 12 pounds. It has been too wet to cultivate corn up here since last Friday night. A gentleman from Sioux City, Iowa, was looking over the country here, recently. Thos. Real intends getting a thresher and go to beating out small grain at a rapid rate. H. K. Bixler's people are making preparations for kraut, next winter. Last Saturday they set out 2,000 plants. A lengthy and very interesting program was carried out on Children's Day by the Sunday school at the Coleman school house. B. F. Thomas of Lyons county, Iowa, drove over this county, last Friday. He thought the country and crops were immense. They are about dried up back there. The largest corn not a foot high and burning up already. He said the best crops he had seen were in this county. They were far better than he expected to see. At the school meeting in district 58 H. Wales was elected moderator for three years. A teacher was selected, who should take charge of the school for a six-month term. Preference was expressed pretty freely as to who should have charge of the school. It was so plain that the board can make no mistake as regards the wishes of the patrons of the school. Auntie came very near furnishing the subject for a first-class funeral, the other day. She was on the point of going to the cellar for cream for breakfast when she was unavoidably detained two minutes, and during that time half of the roof of the cellar fell right where she would have been standing had she went after cream. It was a very narrow escape, as the roof was dirt and a foot thick.

NORTH DIVIDE.

The Brady children are recovering from a siege of the measles. A big time is in store for those who can stand the racket at Box Elder tomorrow, if it doesn't rain. Another unusually heavy down-pour of rain Tuesday night will worry those having grain ready for the reaper. W. S. Hanlein writes from Tacoma, Washington that he will spend the summer vacation at Vancouver, B. C. The demand for binders is increasing and owners of threshing machines are preparing for the good time coming. The heavy rains of last Friday night and Monday this week have somewhat retarded the harvesting of the early small grain. George Henderson who has been down in Knox county during the past year returned a few weeks ago being troubled then with rheumatism. News is as scarce as it very well could be. The rain and weather, growing crops and work are demanding the attention of every body. The baptising services at the Willow, under the directions of Rev. Vivian and which were announced to take place next Sunday have been postponed till July 17. Crops in general are now in fine shape. In fact everything is in a more prosperous and flourishing condition than for a long time and everyone is correspondingly gay. Plans are now being made to invade plum thickets of the north "Kentry" this fall where a plentiful supply of wild fruit is usually found and the trip makes a jolly outing. Jennie Goheen will be our next teacher for the Divide school. She taught here several years ago and is remembered here for her amiable and clever manner in the school room. Those pesky little grasshoppers that were so alarmingly numerous during the past month seem to have disappeared almost entirely. Now if the hail goes the other way Red Willow county should harvest the grandest crop since '91. Away over beyond the gulch and the store, up hill and down dale is where James Kinghorn, Sr., lives and has besides other attractions a fine orchard. Several of the young people were invited over there last Sunday and thoroughly enjoyed an abundance of the most delicious cherries that were just in prime condition. "Before meetin' time" a lot of nice cream and cake of the finest order were served and and my oh me such a time. BIXBY of the State Journal is booming our Welty of Furnas for supreme judge. But Bix is fond of fun. THE free silver fellows carried the Ohio Democratic state convention by storm. Grover wept. "They don't make much fuss about it." We are speaking of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation, biliousness, and all stomach troubles. They never gripe. A. McMillen. Buy your fireworks at THE BEE HIVE. Don't nauseate your stomach with teas and bitter herbs, but regulate your liver, and sick headache by using those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. A. McMillen. Western Star Washer, \$4, at Knipple's. Burning, itching skin diseases instantly relieved by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, unequalled for cuts, bruises, burns. It heals without leaving a scar. A. McMillen. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve Cures Piles, Scalds, Burns.

BARTLEY.

Orrie Murray of Cambridge was in town, Tuesday. Weather permitting this place will be largely represented at the celebration in Indianola, tomorrow. A ten and a half pound girl came to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Hodgkin, Tuesday, the 29th. E. Joslin and two of his daughters left, Tuesday evening, for a week's visit with friends at Franklin, this state. E. E. Smith had two cars of cattle and one of hogs on the South Omaha market, Tuesday, returning Wednesday morning. O. Frost spent a couple of days here, first of the week, and left again, Tuesday evening for the eastern part of the state. M. W. Duncan, formerly in the grain business here and now at Unadilla, this state, visited friends briefly here on Monday. E. Hopt witnessed the drama Esmeralda, given by the class of '97, of the McCook schools at that place, Friday evening of last week. Unconscious contact with poison ivy was the cause of Freem. Utter carrying an arm about as big as a fat man's leg, a couple of days this week. At the school election, Monday afternoon, J. E. Hathorn was elected director for the full term and S. W. Clark treasurer for two years to fill vacancy. Mrs. H. F. Tomblin went to Beatrice, last Friday morning, and returned, Sunday morning, with her son Earl, who has been attending the institute for feeble minded at that place. Miss Lizzie Williams returned from Imperial, Wednesday evening of last week, and left on Tuesday evening of this week for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Bently at Edgar, this state. Responding to a telegram from his father stating that his mother was not expected to live, S. W. Clark departed on 4, Wednesday evening, for their home at Council Bluffs, Iowa. A new Moon came to town, Monday the 28th, and owing to its popularity the other little Moons are suffering a partial eclipse. It is of the gentler persuasion and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Moon have undertaken to keep it in the path good Moons should tread. Members of the Masonic lodge, with their families, participated in a picnic in their hall, Thursday of last week, and they report a very pleasant time. After dinner the annual installation of officers was held and the following were inducted into office for the ensuing year: A. G. Keys, W. M.; W. F. Miller, S. W.; J. M. Brown, J. W.; S. Grisell, chaplain; A. L. Cochran, secretary; E. E. Smith, treasurer; J. H. Keys, S. D.; C. W. Keys, J. D.; F. F. Tomblin, tyler. On last Saturday morning, Dr. J. M. Brown was thrown from the top of his windmill tower to the ground, a distance of about twenty-three feet, and was picked up unconscious with his right hip dislocated and evidences of being injured internally. The doctor had mounted the tower to repair the wheel and as it revolved a broken section knocked him from the platform to the ground. He did not recover consciousness until afternoon when it was found that his internal injuries were not so serious as at first supposed. Dr. W. V. Gage of McCook was telegraphed for and on his arrival in the evening set the dislocated hip, and at present the doctor is doing as well as could be expected.

Our cornet band will furnish music for the celebration at Cambridge, tomorrow, the 3d. It will be assisted by Wm. Boucher of Kearney and W. Geo. Sheppard of Indianola. The strawberry and ice cream social by the Christian Endeavor society, Wednesday evening of last week, was a pronounced success from a financial as well as social standpoint. PLEASANT RIDGE. Several of our farmers are laying by corn, this week. Marvin Jones and family are visiting his brother Frank at Trenton, this week. News scarce this week as everybody is busy watching crops grow and thinking about the good time coming in the fall when they gather their crops. Revs. H. H. Berry and J. M. Bell will preach at the Pleasant Ridge school house on Sunday, July the 11th, at 11 o'clock A. M. and at the Everist school house at 3 P. M. There are plenty grasshoppers on the small grain in this vicinity. Some of farmers here say they are not doing any damage and some predict that they will soon be numerous enough to destroy everything green. We think THE TRIBUNE had better send the artist to school awhile, as that old gentleman that buys his stationery from THE TRIBUNE is decidedly ugly, to say nothing of the other photograph in last week's paper. I'd hate to be an editor, and have my picture took, by a newspaper artist, if that's the way they look. Buy your fireworks at THE BEE HIVE. Vim, vigor and victory: these are the characteristics of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation, biliousness and all stomach troubles. A. McMillen. PROSPECT PARK. Fine showers, Monday and Tuesday. Rye is about ready to harvest, and is generally good. C. E. Boatman went to McCook, Monday, to get a binder. O. L. Thompson and family visited friends near McCook, Sunday. Grasshoppers are damaging the wheat badly in this neighborhood. Austin Dutcher and family of Vailton visited at J. H. Wade's Sunday afternoon. On account of sickness and death in the neighborhood the Children's Day exercises were postponed until last Sunday, when an excellent program was rendered to a full house. Last Thursday about twenty of the neighbors treated R. M. Wade to a regular old-fashioned surprise party, in honor of his 69th birthday. All brought well filled baskets and a general good time was enjoyed. Buy your fireworks at THE BEE HIVE. It heals everything but a broken heart may be said of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Piles and rectal diseases, cuts, burns, bruises, tetter, eczema and all skin troubles may be cured by it quickly and permanently. A. McMillen. Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE. A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

NORTH COLEMAN.

Lee Sommers killed three coyotes, recently. D. J. Osborn has harvested a good crop of alfalfa. Some of M. L. Brown's corn on the Willow was under water. The Willow was out of its banks in some places after the rain, Saturday morning. The farmers are delayed somewhat in their corn cultivating on account of wet weather. Henry Carothers and son Frank have purchased a harvester in partnership for the coming harvest. Rev. E. J. Vivian of Box Elder will hold service at Zion Hill church one week from next Sunday night. Let the correspondents not forget THE TRIBUNE in their busy time but put forth every effort to find some item of interest for its many readers. Another good rain, Monday. Crops are looking fine. Rye harvesting has begun. R. Traphagen is cutting his rye, and A. Prentice will commence soon. There were 2½ inches of rainfall, Saturday morning last, and during the storm lightning struck the house of G. Phillips doing but small damage. No one was living in the house. School meeting in district 74 passed off very quietly, reelecting E. Carothers as treasurer for term of three years. There will be six months school for the next year, commencing the first of Sept. Mrs. W. H. Epperly gave her onions such a hoeing during the dry weather that it came near losing the crop, but with a barrel or two of water for irrigation and with the rain, they will be saved. If you want Fruits go where they are kept. At Knipple's, of course. There is a time for everything; and the time to attend to a cold is when it starts. Don't wait till you have consumption but prevent it by using One Minute Cough Cure, the great remedy for cough, colds, croup, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. A. McMillen. INDIANOLA. The Electric Belt show is still here. The Loomis sisters visited their last teacher, Miss Lena Beck, Saturday. The Fourth comes on the 3rd this year. Come to Indianola and stay all day. Bennie Beck is spending this week with the Rogers family at Shadeland farm. Wheat is fine in these parts; so is corn. Let us be happy and stand up for Nebraska. At the school meeting, Monday night, J. W. Dolan and C. S. Quick were elected trustees for 3 years. Leon, son of C. H. Russell, was taken very sick, last week. Dr. Given of Wymore was wired for counsel. We are glad to report that he is better. Dr. G. A. Hobson died, last Saturday morning, the funeral being held on Sunday afternoon. The Masons had charge of the services. The sermon was delivered by Rev. Turner. Mrs. Babcock and Mrs. Davis of Lincoln, directors of the Home for the Friendless, were here on Saturday, on business connected with the home. They returned on 2, Sunday morning. Our people are expecting a big time the 3rd. With the McCook Band it will be a success if we have nothing else. Capt. Adams is expected to deliver the oration. In the afternoon there will be a game of ball and other amusements.



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