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Now to get a sugar factory.

The latest report is that Boyd's plu-rality is but 144. A contest is expected.

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The best sugar factory at Grand Is-ad will distribute for raw material and work, in that seighborhood, \$200,000.

It takes considerable gall for a mem or of the democratic county committee sak to be appointed a court commis-mer and to set up that he is a republi-

The latest report is that the independents have retained counsel and will contest the election of Boyd. That action will probably make the marriage of the crats and independents, as proposed by J. Sterling Morton, a failure.

The report that the Louisiana lottery company is about to wind up its affairs and retire from business goes to show that the republicans passed at least one law at the last session which is working to the dimdvantage of the democratic party.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The passage of a bill adopting the Australian ballot system should be one of the first duties performed by the next should be made to apply to the primary work of all parties, and extend to every 1891. There is no question but the suvoting precinct in the state.

Just twenty years ago the first horse flesh shops started in the department of the Seine, and at the present time about ganize a company and put in a portion 20,000 horses are killed every year in of their land as stock and then get in Paris for human food. In Paris the lowing the example of Paris. - Scientific

re is a larger emigration to northorn Nebraska this fall, says a Sioux City, lows, exchange, than there has ever been before. Hundreds are settling on the rich lands in the northern tier of coun-ties. Hundreds are finding homes along the Pacific Short Line. The settlers are of an energetic character, too. Many of them bring with them large possessions of live stock and no small capital.—Lin-

It has been found since election that in one county the name of Capt. J. E. Hill and in another county the name of T. H. oton was omitted on the republican tickets. In both cases it was an over- bit of land in the territory tributary and Reporter. sight. The adoption of the Australia ballot system would put a stop to all age, for the ballots would be by officers who would be held le for errors in their work.

strict are both republican. party will be in the minority in both es of the legislature and it is safe ed by members of the majortwin the line of new laws. we Heath to devote ded laws now prevailing

A demand is already being made that have been to bond, but as two pe he coming legislature pass a better law

ture assessing property at one-fourth or less of its value, when, if all property was assessed at its full value the taxes would be no higher and the showing would be no higher and the showing in all ways, but it certainly would not be right to assess the property of the poor man at its full value and allow the rich to escape by paying taxes on a small portion of their possessions.

A demand appears to be springing up all over the country for James G. Blaine to be a candidate for president in 1892. There is no question that he stands at the head of the list of American statement at the head of the list of American statement and an administration by him would be a brilliant one and would also be satisfactory to the people. A number of obstacles which had to be met in 1894 have been swept away and both Blaine and the republican party are in better shape to make a presidential campaign than they were six years ago. The recent the following attempts of Mr. Blaine met the desires of the poople much better than did the policy of Mr. McKoley. It is advocated by assential to the country for Mr. McKoley. It is advocated by a submit the following the country of Mr. McKoley. It is advocated by a submit the following the country of Mr. McKoley. It is advocated by a submit the following the country of Mr. McKoley. It is advocated by a submit the following the country of Mr. McKoley. It is advocated by a submit the following the country of Mr. McKoley. It is advocated by a submit the following the country of Mr. McKoley. It is advocated by a submit the following the country of Mr. McKoley. It is advocated by a submit the following the country of Mr. McKoley. It is advocated by a submit the following the follo icy of Mr. McKieley. It is advocated by they want, but they indicated or November 4th that they knew what they did not want, and did it in a very forcible manner. And now the people seem to want the plumed knight of Maine as the

The second beet sugar factory in Neeraska has been secured by Norfolk and will be ready to take care of the crop of gar industry will soon develop to a very great extent in this state. The question now is for the people of northwest Nebraska to get ready and secure a factory. then there have been nearly 140 horse It has been suggested that the land owners of this locality get together and or-Paris for human food. In Paris the proper shape to secure capital to estab-price of the meat is less than half that of lish a plant. Although no tests have inary butcher's meat. Berlin is fol- yet been made of beets grown here, there is no question that the soil and climate of Sioux county is eminently fitted to grow beets of a superior sugar producing quality and the only thing needed is to provide a way to get the necessary capi. tal to establish a factory. This is not a work for a few men to accomplish but a united and determined effort should be made to secure a plant to manufacture the products of our soil into sugar. Let a good, strong movement be organized by the people here and it will soon at-tract the attention of capital and the object sought can be attained. Any one of those owning a farm would willingly put in one-fourth of his land if by so doing he could double the value of the remaining three-fourths, and a sugar factory would double the value of every

> pers contracting debts in excess of the levy in 1889 are beginning to take shape. On last Friday Samuel Wessel, of Lincoln, filed a petition in the supreme court asking that a writ of mandamus be issued commanding the county commissioners of Sioux county to include in the estimate and levy for 1891 a sum sufficient to pay claims held by him amounting to \$1,075.77. The papers in the case were received by Sheriff on last Monday to be served by him on the proper county officials. The Bank of Harrison holds several thousand dollors' worth of claims of the same kind and H. Y. Conley has been retained by the bank to look after the matter and that gentleman has gone to Lincoln court and ask for a similar writ to that saked by Mr. Wessel. During the pre ent year the county commi voters of the county. The first was at pecial election and was for liftee eve paid all outstanding claims and also the unpaid warrants which are now drawing 7 per cent interest, and have put the county on a cash basis, the bonds to draw 6 per cent interest. That prov sition was voted down. A petition

tions have been defeated it is not likely regulating the assessment of property, and the people should see that the demand is complied with. Care should be taken in framing the law that no loopholes be left through which corporations. It is a question that has got to be met banks and capitalists can evade taxation Those claims were allowed by the old while the burden will fall on the poorer board of commissioners and the county classes. It is absurd to go on it the fu- has got to pay them in some way. The ture assessing property at one-fourth or situation is not at all pleasant, but if

the people much better than did the polagainst that fund to the amount of ome that the people do not know what \$46.00. The bridge fund levy was 4 mills on the dollar of assessed valuation, which makes \$2,077.05, and not one warrant has been drawn against that fund. The general fund levy was 9 mills want the plumed knight of Maine as the on the dollar of assessed valuation which standard bearer of the republican party makes \$4.673.38 and there have been warrants issued against that fund to the amount of \$3,944.79. The law provides that warrants can be drawn against a fund to the extent of 85 per cent of the levy for that fund, so it will be seen that 85 per cent of the general fund levy has not yet been issued and only \$46,00 drawn on the road fund and the bridge fund remains untouched.

The above figures are as they appear on the records and it is but justice that the taxpayers know just the facts in the case, and it is also but justice to the county officials, especially the commisoners, that they be set right before the

## Congratulatory.

Hugh Conley, formerly of Seward, was elected county attorney of Sioux ounty, at the late election, on the ublican ticket.-Secord Blade.

The Leader is pleased to know that its old friend, H. T. Conley, formerly of Ansley, was elected county attorney of Sioux county at the recent election, on the republican ticket, and sends congratulations. - Broken Bow Leader.

A private letter from Harrison form us that H. T. Conley was elected county attorney of Sioux county, after a hard campaign, with three candidates in the field. We congratulate Mr. Conley on his success, and are confident that he will make an excellent officer.—Scu-

will be pleased to learn this bit of good news, and they tender their congratulations to Hugh. He is a brilliant young man and an able attorney, and Sioux county will never have cause to regret her action in choosing him as her county prosecutor.-Ansley Chronicle.

School Book Legislation. The discussion on the question of legteelf. The Friend Telegraph says on the subjec that parties who are compelled to pay the exorbitant rate for school books should understand that it is not on account of any high profit made by the re book trust entered into by all the pub book as well as for their publication unler the authority of the state, at as near reap the benefits of our splendid free school system simply on account of their nability to procure the necessary books. To procure the necessary books for a good sized family at this time and under pires a small fortune. This matter illated by every newspaper in the state. The newspapers are the rightful guar-lians of the public interest.

## Railroad Becords.

Lincoln Journal.

The report of the inter-state commission of the statistics of the railroads of the United States for 1889 is out. The aggregate mileage of the roads at the end of the year was 156,805,18. Thirty-three roads, each 1,000 miles or upwards, under one control. Sixty-nine companies so operated 98,636 miles, or 64.82 per cent of all the mileage. The average gross revenue of these sixty-nine roads was \$7,450 per mile, and the net povenue was \$2,547 per mile.

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