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Work to advance the prosperity of Sioux county. A creamery will do much to help along.

The indications are that Omaha will have a fine union depot in the near future. Such a depot has been long needed by that city and will be appreciated by the traveling public.

The Lincoln Call of the 7th inst. contained a write-up of the improvements made in the capital city during the year 1893 and it makes a record of which any city of its size might be proud. The Call is to be congratulated on the success of its undertaking.

When President Cleveland stated in his message that every neighborhood had its well-known fraudulent pensioners he touched a spot of which he little dreamed, for the commander of the national G. A. R. and the various state commanders at once called on the members of the organization to report any one who was drawing a pension to which they were not entitled. The members of the G. A. R. protected the flag when it was in danger and they will protect the national treasury with just as much zeal.

The situation in regard to the office of county judge certainly calls for some legislation which would provide that the duties of that office could be performed by some other officer or enough duties be given to the office of judge so that a living could be had out of it until such time as the office would become self-supporting. It is true that a good many men want office simply for the glory attached thereto and that is all there is to the county judgeship in any of the new counties.

Minister Willis has demanded that the provisional government of Hawaii step down and out and that the deposed queen be re-instated as monarch. So far the demand has not been complied with, or at least no report to that effect has been made public, and if the demand is refused just how it will be enforced is a question, unless the United States navy be called on to act. In that case President Cleveland will be in a very unpleasant position. The attempts of the president and secretary of state to keep all transactions secret do not meet with the approval of the public.

A colony of Polanders will locate near Neligh and pay \$20 an acre for land to be used for sugar beet culture. The beets will be shipped to the sugar factories at Norfolk and Omaha. It is contended by all that this is a very important move in sugar beet industry. The Foles are used to the growing of beets and will make a success of it and will demonstrate what results can be attained under the proper conditions. The people of the state will see this and will be quick to imitate the example if they see that it is profitable. The factory which is to be erected at Omaha is to be much greater in capacity than that at Grand Island or Norfolk.

The Omaha Bee is making a great roar about the state auditor and treasurer. It is an old game with the editor of that paper, when his acts are being shown up to the people of the state to at once discover that some state official is not fulfilling the duties of his office and an attempt is made to kick up a dust which will detract attention from the dictator, but the people of the state are quite well acquainted with Rosewaterism and it will take more than the assertions of the Bee to convince the public that the men in office are all rascals, or that Rosewater is the only man in the state who is unselfish enough to guard the interests of the people.

The inconsistency of the pop leaders crops out whenever they get in a position to run things. In Boone county the pops control the county board and they have purchased a burglar-proof safe and placed it in the office of the county treasurer and instructed that official to keep the funds of the county locked in the safe instead of depositing the cash in the banks. The amount of cash turned over to the new treasurer last week was about \$40,000 so that amount is withdrawn from circulation in Boone county. One of the hobbies of the reformers has been a demand for an increase of the circulating medium. It is safe to say that throughout the state the amount of money in the hands of the county treasurers will average as much as that in Boone county. Should the same rule be applied in all of the counties as that in the county in question it would lock up nearly four millions of dollars. The effect of such a course can better be imagined than described.

At Indianapolis talk has been indulged in by the unemployed that they are themselves and demand work at the point of the bayonet. Matters must be getting desperate in that city.

From the reports of the threats to impeach the president it may be inferred that the chief executive of the greatest nation on earth is not in a very pleasant frame of mind these days. If such proceedings are instituted they will be preferred by members of the president's own party.

The city of New York is looking after the needy as much as possible and there are daily served free of cost 480,000 meals to 240,000 people who are reduced to want because there is no work to be had. The people in the west do not know what hard times are compared to the conditions which exist in the east.

Ever since the election of 1892 there has been more or less talk of Harrison as a candidate for president in 1896, but that individual has given it out that his name must not be considered in that connection. The ex-president is wiser than his friends, and recognizes that it is for the best interests of his party that a new man be made the standard bearer in the next national contest.

The Outlook for 1894.

Chicago Inter Ocean.
There is universal agreement that 1893 was a year of disaster. From all over the land goes up a sigh of relief that it is over. Nor is this feeling confined to our own country. All Europe is suffering hard times, and that vast and populous portion of the British empire, India, is said to have 50,000,000 people who are on the verge of starvation. In the United States we are appalled by the estimate of 2,000,000 working people out of employment.

The truth is that England has not recovered from the gigantic losses incident to the Baring Bros. failure, followed as it was by the still more extensive and distressing series of Australian failures, and as for the continent of Europe, the curse of militarism keeps the working class on the brink of starvation. India has such a dense population that under the most favorable conditions an economy is necessary for the masses which is far more rigid than American laborers have to practice in the dullest of times.

Under the policy of protection our own people were not dragged down by the dead weight of competition with those pauperized countries, but by the time the year 1893 came on the stage of calculation it was known that the protection of thirty years was to be removed—not immediately, but inevitably. This knowledge was the distinctive feature of the outlook of twelve months ago. Throughout the whole domain of business that new factor was the cornerstone of the plans made for the year which has now closed.

In the outlook for 1894 that same fact is the chief factor. There is, it is true, a feeling in the community that perhaps the Senate will come to the rescue, placing the welfare of the people above party consistency. But this hope is too remote to form a safe basis of calculation, and the same caution and retrenchment which were required at the threshold of 1893 are required now, only with the greater emphasis. No amount of optimistic comment would make the enterprise of the country start the idle machinery and light again the quenched fires of industry so long as the menace of the Wilson bill hangs over the country.

It is no small comfort, however, to know that this country has an abundance of the necessities of life for all the people, and that the humane sentiment, the intelligence and versatility of our people will come to the rescue of the poor. Many comforts may be abridged, but the depths of misery chronic in the old world will be temporary here and during the year on which we are now entering the people will have a chance to retrace the disastrous step taken in 1892. No such opportunity presented itself last year, except indirectly, and this is certainly a very great advantage which 1894 will have over 1893.

A Crop Worth Trying.

Alfalfa, according to an article written by a Dodge City man and published in a Kansas newspaper, says the State Journal, was brought to California from Chile about forty years ago. Since that time it has been steadily working its way toward the east, and now has gained a good foothold in Colorado and western Kansas and Nebraska. It is well adapted to the semi-arid region at the base of the Rocky mountains because it drives its roots down into the earth until a reliable bed of moisture is reached, and is therefore unaffected by the ordinary vicissitudes of the seasons. In South America, it is claimed, fields planted a century ago are still bearing three or four crops a year and show no signs of requiring replanting. If the farmers west of the one hundredth meridian will only prepare their ground properly and plant it to alfalfa, this writer guarantees them a regular and paying crop, no matter how the seasons vary or how much moisture is withheld by nature during the summer. If his claim is well founded the farmers of the west may probably let the rainmakers alone and plant their lands in alfalfa.

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OVER 800,000 ACRES

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