

**J. L. M. IREY** succeeds Wade Hampton as United States Senator from South Carolina. Mr. Ireby's election is the first triumph of the Farmer's Alliance in a senatorial contest.

The **Keaney** New Era says: The "honest tracers" who voted recently for "reform" prospered and a revival of trade are silently waiting for the "good times" anticipated.

It has been suggested that if Senator Stanford has really at heart the welfare of the poor tax payers he should loan them money instead of asking the government to do so. Stanfords pile of lucre it estimated at eighty millions.

KANSAS is rapidly gaining a reputation as being the breeding ground for political parties, the latest one being called the Knights of Reciprocity. The title is favorable, but as the organization is a secret one it will probably die young. At present the politics of Kansas is badly disturbed.

C. D. SHRAIDER of Logan county, is an aspirant for the speakership of the lower house and it is said he has a fair chance of being elected. Shraider could handle the farmer legislators about as well as any one there about a few Republican and Democratic members who may make it a little warm for him. However he has our indorsement for the position.

The Logan county alliance passed a resolution last week petitioning the coming legislature to appropriate at least \$500,000 for the purpose of supplying those farmers who are in need of seed, feed and the necessities of life. Such petitions are unnecessary, as the men who are to form Nebraska legislature this winter are acquainted with the needs of the drought-stricken farmers and will act accordingly.

The latest drawback to Gov-elect Boyd taking his seat is that he has never been naturalized. A recent despatch from Zanesville, O., says: "A curious complication has arisen in the case of Governor-elect Boyd of Nebraska. He was born in Ireland in 1834 and came to this country with his father, Joseph Boyd, in 1849. His father filed notice of his intention to become a citizen, but did not take out final papers until November, 1890. The son did not take out papers here, and it is stated that he has never been naturalized in Nebraska. The statutes provide that where a father is naturalized his sons under twenty-one years of age are naturalized. In this case the father filed his declaration in 1849, but did not take out final papers until 1890."

**STAND BY YOUR GUNS.** A great party can survive a defeat. But to crawl back and back down from pronounced convictions and deliberate declarations is to court defeat established by the election two years ago it was that the people of this country pronounced for protection. The apostle of free trade, Grover Cleveland, with the Democratic party of the United States and "all England" at his back, insisted that the issue was distinctly free trade as against protection. The Republican party accepted the issue and a great battle was fought squarely on that issue. The result was a decided victory for protection. A Republican house was elected pledged to pass a tariff bill. The McKinley bill was the result. The assumption that the people passed judgment upon that bill in the late election is entirely wrong. Only in McKinley's district in Ohio, was there a square fight on the tariff issue, and the whole country knows that that gerrymandered district McKinley reduced the Democratic majority from 2,900 at the last election to less than 200. This talk of repeating or restoring a tariff reform bill passed at the last session of Congress by a few weak-kneed Republicans is worse than useless, it is criminal, as tending to unsettle the business of the country for months to come. These wiser-than-they-party Republicans, of whom Senator Padlock appears to be one, had best get into the saddle again and stand by the party that made it possible for them to reach their present position.

**COMMISSIONER'S PROCEEDINGS.** Dec. 10th, 1890. The board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, full board present. E. W. Crane, distributing agent of Lincoln County Relief Committee of supplies from the state relief committee is hereby authorized to employ such help as is needed in unloading coal, groceries or grain that may be shipped to North Platte for distribution. Bill of J. C. Stites to amount of \$30.00 allowed on poll fund. Bill of Bare & Moulton on advertising fund for \$1,883.70. December 11th. Full board present. Consent road No. 130 filed Oct. 30, 1890, signed by E. Kade, H. T. Johnson, and twenty-one others, came up for final action. The petition reads as follows: Commencing at a point eighty rods north of the southeast corner of section 28-13-29, thence north to northeast corner of section 28-13-29, joining public highway No. 7; all

of said road to be on section 28-13-29; and we also petition your honorable body to vacate and abolish the following described road-to-wit: Commencing at a point eighty rods north of southeast corner of section 28-13-26, thence northwesterly to the quarter in the middle of said section 28-13-29, thence west to section line, ending at the northwest corner of southwest quarter section 28-13-29.

The above road being a consent road and the location of the road previously established being prayed for it is therefore ordered by the board that consent road No. 130 be vacated and the same is hereby declared to be a public highway from and after this date. The remonstrance of J. W. Beaton and fifteen others against the establishment of Road No. 130 was not granted.

The county clerk was instructed to notify O. H. Weeks, overseer of Dist. No. 15, that the commissioners had extended the time to April 1st, 1891, for Wm. Grady to remove the fence along the line of road No. 9. The order to C. E. Osgood, county treasurer, refunding all tax paid by the estate of Richard Bascombe, deceased, on east half southeast and southwest quarter 24-14-30, is hereby revoked. The above action was taken upon the opinion of county attorney.

The following orders were given to C. E. Osgood, county treasurer, to refund taxes paid by A. C. Barry on southeast quarter 31-9-20. Also taxes paid by C. P. Dick on southeast quarter section 32-16-29. When the board adjourned to meet Dec. 12th.

**RITNER PRECINCT.**

A very destructive prairie fire passed through our section of the country doing much damage. It seems that the most ill-fated ones for fire have been W. C. Ritter's folks, the fire came out of the hills directly north of their house and burnt in an east and southern course, burning up about \$100 worth of hay for him and a small amount for other parties, but Mr. Ritter was the most serious loser. M. C. Lindsay lost a small barn. It would be a good thing if people of the north side would take more pains to have fire guards; if they would all work together it would be easy for all.

A brother of W. C. and J. R. Ritter arrived from the east recently. The Gleaser wishes him a pleasant visit.

Miss Florence McNeil is at home complaining of a slight illness. We hope she will soon be able to resume her duties as teacher.

Gibson Birdland had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse. Case brothers are still handling baled hay; they are energetic young men.

R. M. Hopkins has removed his cattle from W. Siebold's to his homestead on the south side of the South river in Baker precinct. F. Camble and W. Allen have returned home. As playing "freez-out" in a tent isn't much fun it is not known whether they will bale any more or not.

D. B. McNeal took a bunch of forty-four three year old steers to the city stock yards, for feeding purposes in the eastern part of the state. They were a fine lot and spoke well for the class of cattle handled by him.

S. Hamfield, of the West Birdwood, was through here lately and reports crops up that way good and they have some produce for sale. Mr. Huffer has a party of hunters stopping at his house eating the industrious black and white cat commonly called a skunk. Evidently Mr. H. does not want to do business in town and run a cafeteria in the country, its pretty expensive.

Chint McNeal left for Wisconsin one evening last week. It is the first time we ever heard of a cow boy running away from the Indians. Better come back Clint and redeem your position among the boys. A Sunday school is to be organized in our new school house in the near future, with the assistance of Mrs. W. C. Ritter it should be both profitable and interesting. A good work of the kind is needed.

**GLEASER.**

As nearly all my neighbors have gone to North Platte to attend the law suit, I am somewhat lonesome and I will once more give you the news. The law suit I spoke of is a very important one, as it is two champions who have locked horns - Hingland against America.

The Alliance meets to-morrow night at the lower school house. We are preparing to send a good Alliance man to the White House in ninety-two.

The Birdwood sufferers are getting anxious about that free coal. Every sufferer says there can't be another load of chips found in this country.

My peaceful slumber was disturbed last night by a loud yelling up the creek and to day I learned that it was Mr. Feigin thrashing his yellow corn dog because he would not hunt. Feigin says if that pup goes back on him he will have to accept aid.

Will Somers was up on the Birdwood a few days ago and he told me confidentially, that he had traveled over Hengland, Ireland and art way across America and studied the habits and customs of different nations, but the Birdwood sufferers have the strangest customs of any tribe he ever saw. He says that every sufferer goes around with a law book under one arm and a shot gun under the other.

George Sherman had a curious adventure the other day. He was down to the creek skating on the ice and fell down and bumped a hole through the ice and killed a pike sixteen inches long. Since then George wears his hair pompadour.

Mr. Rupp was assisting the school to-day. I think that he has some notion of getting married again. Who's THAT.

**THE PUEBLO & DULUTH RAILROAD.**

Mr. Hitchcock has returned from his eastern trip, and is well satisfied with the result of his visit. The company he represents is now in good shape for effective work, and railroad men with whom he conferred consider the project one of the very best.

Neligh has been looking after her railroad interests of late, and our people appear to be a unit in favor of an earnest endeavor to secure another through line of communication with the east. A majority of our citizens would not lift a hand to secure any plug road or ordinary cross road, but when an enterprise like the one now under consideration is inaugurated; a line that will give us not only competing lines of travel, but competing markets at the terminal points as well, thus assuring actual rather than nominal and delusive competition, we immediately become a united band of workers for the enterprise. At the public meeting held in court house hall last Thursday evening, the 20th, the feeling was unanimous in favor of doing all we reasonably can to secure the location of the road through our town. A committee consisting of Kryger, Roben, Roche, Coleman, Hatfield and Maybury was appointed to invite all the towns along the proposed road from Concord in Dixon county to Ord in Valley county to send delegates to a conference to be held in Neligh Dec. 11th, 1890, at which Mr. Hitchcock will be present.

In this connection the following letter will be of interest to our readers:

**NORTH PLATTE, NEB., Nov. 13, 1890.**  
Editor Antelope Tribune:—I have only recently learned of Dwight Hitchcock's connection with the proposed Pueblo & Duluth railroad company, and after a personal acquaintance since way back in the 60's I can congratulate the company on having, as one of its incorporators, a man possessed of so much sound judgment and energetic executive ability as I know Mr. Hitchcock to have. I know him to be a man who does not yield to small obstacles, nor allow discouraging circumstances to divert him from the pursuit of the object in view.

I have also the pleasure of an acquaintance with another of the incorporators, Mr. James Hunter, and know him as a successful financier in the great financial center of this country, New York. The connection of these gentlemen with the enterprise should be an assurance of success. Can you send me a copy of your paper containing some history of this proposed railroad in which I take a deep interest?

Yours truly,  
A. D. BUCKWORTH.  
J. P. Price proprietor of "Republican Valley Farm," of Stratton, Hitchcock county, Nebraska, writes to the officers of the Pueblo & Duluth railroad under date of Oct. 29th as follows:

"We are very anxious about the building of the Pueblo & Duluth railroad. We want the lumber from the northeast, and they want our grain and stock and other numerous resources of the south-west, to say nothing of the traffic with Mexico and South America, which country abounds in mineral wealth. We of the southwest think the building of the Pueblo & Duluth railroad one of the grandest railroad schemes of the United States, as it runs the boundary of no other road, and cannot help being a paying road when completed."

**HASTINGS, NEB., Aug. 30, 1890.**  
To the Antelope Tribune:—I have known Dwight Hitchcock Esq., for nearly thirty years. I knew him when we were both young men, each having a few hundred dollars in our respective lines of business, located in a small town in Illinois when we struggled along with more or less success for years trying as best we could to support those dependent upon us and add to our small stock of merchandise. I knew Mr. H. and had intimate business relations with him in after years when he had become identified with prominent railroad projects, and have noticed his course through all these years, and I must say that it gives me great pleasure to learn of his connection with the Pueblo & Duluth R. Co. I know nothing of the merits of the enterprise presents, but have great faith in the ability, energy and judgment of Mr. H., and if the others associated are possessed with the same ability energy and push, backed up by reasonable capital, the project, in my judgment, cannot fail.

I will just add that if the James Hunter whose name I see in the list of incorporators is from New York City and a former associate of Mr. Hitchcock it is a very fortunate alliance, as I have known Mr. Hunter for twenty years and more and could not speak too highly of his ability as a financier.

Respectfully yours,  
A. L. CLARKE.

For the benefit of our readers we would say that Mr. Clarke is president of the First National Bank of Hastings, Nebraska, and mayor of that city. He was president of the State Bankers' convention that met in Omaha last winter. The Mr. James Hunter, referred to by Mr. Clarke is a member of the New York Stock Exchange and vice president and financial agent of the Pueblo & Duluth Railroad Company.

**OLD FOLKS AT HOME.**  
They will be there and expecting a visit from you at Christmas time, and the Union Pacific will sell tickets on December 24th, 25th and 31st, 1890, and January 1st, 1891, to all Kansas and Nebraska points within 200 miles at One and One-Third Fare for the Round Trip, good returning until January 3, 1891.

**WELL-LEST WARBLINGS.**

Our new school house is finished and building. Doc Pulver made a creditable job of it. The Congregational church will hold their services in the morning and the Episcopalians in the evening during the building of churches.

The Standard has moved out to warmer climes and there is now an opening here for a good wide-awake newspaper.

Business is picking up, the result of this glorious weather. Teams are busy at work on the roads, the \$5,000 bonds voted will make good roads and improve the town. Chas. Ross is here surveying the new roads.

Matt Hook has got his collar bone out of joint from a kick by his stallion. High five is the order for the coming winter.

We don't need to depend on an outside dentist now to remove our teeth, as Mr. Harrison, a new arrival from England, is proficient in this respect and has already had occasion to try his skill here.

Prospects are good for an open winter. Attorneys Al Davis and Head are busy this week before Squire Bishop.

**BAKER PRECINCT NEWS.**  
The school house in District No. 84 is finished and it looks quite genteel. School began last Wednesday with Mrs. Carlow as teacher. She is a competent teacher and we predict the children will advance rapidly.

Miss Annie English was a visitor in this neighborhood recently, coming out to see her mother.

A shooting match is announced to occur at J. S. L. Brown's on the 24th of December. All are invited to be present and try their skill. Mr. B. has a good supply of turkeys.

R. M. Hopkins has just erected a wind mill and pump and dug a large cistern. He is making his place look well.

Gottlieb Biele, who lives on the 26-11-31, would like to form the acquaintance of the fellow who broke into his house and decamped with his tableware and furniture during his absence. If certain parties need dishes bad enough to steal them the people of this precinct would be glad to donate them instead of having them stolen.

**NEBRASKA WHISKEY.**  
Did you ever buy a horse and not have some misgivings as to his points till they were fully tested? Not so with Ayer's Sarsaparilla; you may be sure of it at the start. It never disappoints those who give it a fair and persistent trial.

**GENERAL HUMPHREY** of Kansas says the Farmers' Alliance people are not as wildly erratic a crowd as has been represented. He does not expect that they will attempt any really crazy legislation in his State this winter. In fact, he intimates the opinion that there will be sense enough among the Farmers' Alliance members to insure the reelection of Mr. Ingalls.—Denver Times.

**SLEEPLESS NIGHTS**, made miserable by that terrible cough, Shiloh's is a remedy for you. Sold by J. Q. Thacker.

**SHILOH'S COUGH** and Consumption Cures in 5-10-15-20-30-45-60-90-120-150-180-210-240-270-300-330-360-390-420-450-480-510-540-570-600-630-660-690-720-750-780-810-840-870-900-930-960-990-1020-1050-1080-1110-1140-1170-1200-1230-1260-1290-1320-1350-1380-1410-1440-1470-1500-1530-1560-1590-1620-1650-1680-1710-1740-1770-1800-1830-1860-1890-1920-1950-1980-2010-2040-2070-2100-2130-2160-2190-2220-2250-2280-2310-2340-2370-2400-2430-2460-2490-2520-2550-2580-2610-2640-2670-2700-2730-2760-2790-2820-2850-2880-2910-2940-2970-3000-3030-3060-3090-3120-3150-3180-3210-3240-3270-3300-3330-3360-3390-3420-3450-3480-3510-3540-3570-3600-3630-3660-3690-3720-3750-3780-3810-3840-3870-3900-3930-3960-3990-4020-4050-4080-4110-4140-4170-4200-4230-4260-4290-4320-4350-4380-4410-4440-4470-4500-4530-4560-4590-4620-4650-4680-4710-4740-4770-4800-4830-4860-4890-4920-4950-4980-5010-5040-5070-5100-5130-5160-5190-5220-5250-5280-5310-5340-5370-5400-5430-5460-5490-5520-5550-5580-5610-5640-5670-5700-5730-5760-5790-5820-5850-5880-5910-5940-5970-6000-6030-6060-6090-6120-6150-6180-6210-6240-6270-6300-6330-6360-6390-6420-6450-6480-6510-6540-6570-6600-6630-6660-6690-6720-6750-6780-6810-6840-6870-6900-6930-6960-6990-7020-7050-7080-7110-7140-7170-7200-7230-7260-7290-7320-7350-7380-7410-7440-7470-7500-7530-7560-7590-7620-7650-7680-7710-7740-7770-7800-7830-7860-7890-7920-7950-7980-8010-8040-8070-8100-8130-8160-8190-8220-8250-8280-8310-8340-8370-8400-8430-8460-8490-8520-8550-8580-8610-8640-8670-8700-8730-8760-8790-8820-8850-8880-8910-8940-8970-9000-9030-9060-9090-9120-9150-9180-9210-9240-9270-9300-9330-9360-9390-9420-9450-9480-9510-9540-9570-9600-9630-9660-9690-9720-9750-9780-9810-9840-9870-9900-9930-9960-9990-10020-10050-10080-10110-10140-10170-10200-10230-10260-10290-10320-10350-10380-10410-10440-10470-10500-10530-10560-10590-10620-10650-10680-10710-10740-10770-10800-10830-10860-10890-10920-10950-10980-11010-11040-11070-11100-11130-11160-11190-11220-11250-11280-11310-11340-11370-11400-11430-11460-11490-11520-11550-11580-11610-11640-11670-11700-11730-11760-11790-11820-11850-11880-11910-11940-11970-12000-12030-12060-12090-12120-12150-12180-12210-12240-12270-12300-12330-12360-12390-12420-12450-12480-12510-12540-12570-12600-12630-12660-12690-12720-12750-12780-12810-12840-12870-12900-12930-12960-12990-13020-13050-13080-13110-13140-13170-13200-13230-13260-13290-13320-13350-13380-13410-13440-13470-13500-13530-13560-13590-13620-13650-13680-13710-13740-13770-13800-13830-13860-13890-13920-13950-13980-14010-14040-14070-14100-14130-14160-14190-14220-14250-14280-14310-14340-14370-14400-14430-14460-14490-14520-14550-14580-14610-14640-14670-14700-14730-14760-14790-14820-14850-14880-14910-14940-14970-15000-15030-15060-15090-15120-15150-15180-15210-15240-15270-15300-15330-15360-15390-15420-15450-15480-15510-15540-15570-15600-15630-15660-15690-15720-15750-15780-15810-15840-15870-15900-15930-15960-15990-16020-16050-16080-16110-16140-16170-16200-16230-16260-16290-16320-16350-16380-16410-16440-16470-16500-16530-16560-16590-16620-16650-16680-16710-16740-16770-16800-16830-16860-16890-16920-16950-16980-17010-17040-17070-17100-17130-17160-17190-17220-17250-17280-17310-17340-17370-17400-17430-17460-17490-17520-17550-17580-17610-17640-17670-17700-17730-17760-17790-17820-17850-17880-17910-17940-17970-18000-18030-18060-18090-18120-18150-18180-18210-18240-18270-18300-18330-18360-18390-18420-18450-18480-18510-18540-18570-18600-18630-18660-18690-18720-18750-18780-18810-18840-18870-18900-18930-18960-18990-19020-19050-19080-19110-19140-19170-19200-19230-19260-19290-19320-19350-19380-19410-19440-19470-19500-19530-19560-19590-19620-19650-19680-19710-19740-19770-19800-19830-19860-19890-19920-19950-19980-20010-20040-20070-20100-20130-20160-20190-20220-20250-20280-20310-20340-20370-20400-20430-20460-20490-20520-20550-20580-20610-20640-20670-20700-20730-20760-20790-20820-20850-20880-20910-20940-20970-21000-21030-21060-21090-21120-21150-21180-21210-21240-21270-21300-21330-21360-21390-21420-21450-21480-21510-21540-21570-21600-21630-21660-21690-21720-21750-21780-21810-21840-21870-21900-21930-21960-21990-22020-22050-22080-22110-22140-22170-22200-22230-22260-22290-22320-22350-22380-22410-22440-22470-22500-22530-22560-22590-22620-22650-22680-22710-22740-22770-22800-22830-22860-22890-22920-22950-22980-23010-23040-23070-23100-23130-23160-23190-23220-23250-23280-23310-23340-23370-23400-23430-23460-23490-23520-23550-23580-23610-23640-23670-23700-23730-23760-23790-23820-23850-23880-23910-23940-23970-24000-24030-24060-24090-24120-24150-24180-24210-24240-24270-24300-24330-24360-24390-24420-24450-24480-24510-24540-24570-24600-24630-24660-24690-24720-24750-24780-24810-24840-24870-24900-24930-24960-24990-25020-25050-25080-25110-25140-25170-25200-25230-25260-25290-25320-25350-25380-25410-25440-25470-25500-25530-25560-25590-25620-25650-25680-25710-25740-25770-25800-25830-25860-25890-25920-25950-25980-26010-26040-26070-26100-26130-26160-26190-26220-26250-26280-26310-26340-26370-26400-26430-26460-26490-26520-26550-26580-26610-26640-26670-26700-26730-26760-267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