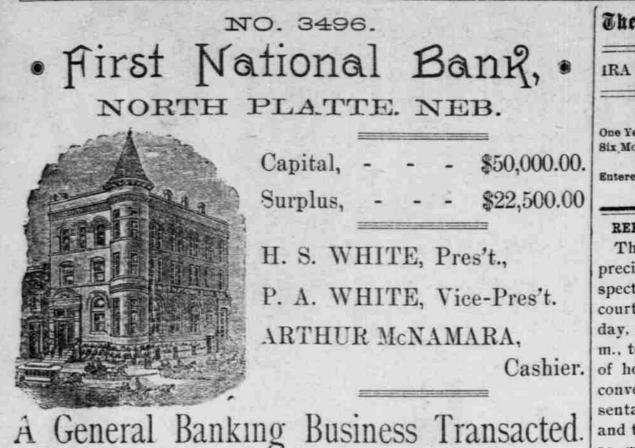
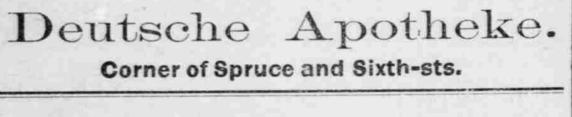
THE NORTH PLATTE SEMI-WEEKLY TRIBUNE: TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 19, 1896.



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m., to designate the time and place Cashier. of holding the republican county convention, to apportion the representation to the several precincts, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the committee. That a representative meeting may by had a full attendance is desirable. G. C. MCALLISTER, Chairman.

Republican Congressional Convention. The republican electors of the Sixth Congressional district of the state of Nefrom their several counties to meet in convention in the city of North Platte, Friday, July 3d, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m.

for the purpose of placing in nomination a candidate for Cougress from said district, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the conven-

representation as follows, the apportiondelegate at large and one for each 100 votes and major fractional thereof: COUNTIES. DEL. COUNTIES. DEL.

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busy providing food for the people who have lived under Cleveland, on fish and other of the cheapest foods; the mines will again be put into operation to provide a coin medium of exchange, and the vast area of the mining industry will, as a natural result, become a hive of busy labor and again be a market for food produce and clothes. Herein are the reasons why the people want McKinley. They have hibernated, economized and been idle while the government borrowed all the money in sight so that but little could be had to afford them em- NYE'S HISTORY ployment. Americans are an industrious people. They have to

work and provide their families with necessities and give their children an education. Under Cleveland Norwegian Fillage Described as bond issues and partial free trade, they could not afford to send their children to school, and the youths of the nation have been held in the bondage of semi-ignorance in con-

sequence. So, McKinley means Olaf Gives Up Fighting, but the Danes everything to the masses, that everything of which they have been deprived these several years braska are requested to send delegates and for which all that is noble, in- [Copyright, 1896, by J. B. Lippincott Company.] spiring and ambitious, our people ever strive-New York Dispatch.

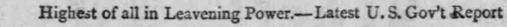
POLITICAL CLIPPINGS.

Nevada republicans resolved in His stepmother, Elfrida, opposed him protection, but did not add that

The several counties are entitled to they would bolt the St. Louis convention if they failed to get what ment being based upon the vote cast for the Hon. Joseph S. Bartley for state they wanted. In this respect they deal of ill feeling, and Edward would bravely and drove the Danes, under treasurer in 1894, giving each county one are in advance of republicans of no doubt have been deposed but for the Canute, back to their own shores. But neighboring western states.

It may be said of McKinley that he began reigning. Sadly poor Dunstan he is the only presidential candidate for a first term since Grant in ing.

President Buchanan gave the re- protected them from the threatening and some under Canute. arce from the Cleveland administra-177 tion will be disposed of with equal ability.





OF ENGLAND.

Allopathic.

TOOK EVERYTHING IN SIGHT.

After Dinner Speaking Inaugurated.

CHAPTER VI.

what's the martyr with him.

Dodge of that period.

pounds of silver.

was, in fact, king of England, while the royal intellectual polyp, known as Ethelred the Unwholesome, fled to Normandy, in the 1013th year anno Dom-

But in less than six weeks the Danish king died, leaving the scepter, with the price mark still upon it, to Canute, his son, and Ethelred was invited back, with an understanding that he should not abuse his privileges as king, and that, although it was a life job during good behavior, the privilege of behead ing him from time to time was and is vested in the people, and even today there is not a crowned head on the con-Continue to Make Night Hideous In a tinent of Europe that does not recognize Coarse, Low Manner-Symposiums and this great truth-viz, that God alone, speaking through the united voices of the common people, declares the rulings of the supreme court of the universe.

On the old autograph albums of the Edgar was succeeded by his son Edworld is still written in the dark corward, called "the Martyr," who asners of empires "the king can do no cended the throne at the age of 15 years. wrong." But where education is not repressed, and where that Christianity favor of free silver, reciprocity and and favored her own son, Ethelred. Ed- which is built on love and charity is ward was assassinated in 978, at the taught, there can be but one King who instigation of his stepmother, and that's does no wrong.

Ethelred was succeeded by Edmund, During his reign there was a good called "the Ironside." He fought they got restless in Denmark, where influence of the church under Dunstan. there was very little going on, and re-Ethelred was but 10 years old when turned to England in large numbers. Ethelred died in London 1016 A. D. crowned him, his own eyes still wet before Canute reached him. He was with sorrow over the cruel death of Edcalled by Dunstan "Etheired the Unready" and had a faculty for civing more promptly than any previous king. Having returned cheerily from Ethel-During the remainder of the great prelate's life he, as it were, stood be- red's rather tardy funeral, the people tween the usurper and the people and took cath, some of them under Edmund

Edmund, after five pitched battles,

From the Apocrypha-

It is impossible to exaggerate the immense indebtedness of English poetry and Italian poetry to the Apocrypha. The beautiful lines of Young in his "Night Thoughts"-

But their hearts wounded, like the wounded

Soon close; where passed the shaft no trace is found

are evidently to be traced to the verse in the "Book of Wisdom, " "As when an arrow is shot at a mark, it parteth the air, that immediately cometh together again, so that a man cannot know where it went through." The famous "Hymn of Praise" in Milton's "Paradise" is clearly modeled after the "Benedicite," or the "Song of the Three Children," in the Apocrypha, as in the lines:

His praise, ye winds, that from four quarters

Breathe soft or loud, and wave ye tops, ye pines,

With every plant, in sign of worship, wave. It is also to the Apcerypha as to the book of Proverbs we owe many maxims which have become household words in our language and in the languages of all civilized nations. In the first book of Esdras, for example, chapter iv, 41, we find, as the revisers correctly render it, "Great is truth, and strong above all things." Here the Latin Vulgate has it, "Magna est sveritas, et prævalet," which last word has been in the process of time converted into "prævalebit," and become proverbial in the civilized world.-Gentleman's Magazine.

Still Using Flintlocks.

Some regions are rather slow to adapt themselves to modern game killing implements. A Forest and Stream correspondent got a letter from New Brunswick the other day which said that flintlock guns were still in use up in that country. The letter was from a storekeeper, who said that the store had carried a supply of gun flints ever since it had been started by his grandfather, away back in 1836. Probably he would lose trade if he did not have them in stock. It is not improbable that Indians in the north woods of Canada still use flintlock guns, but to use them so near New York as is New Brunswick is curious.

A flintlock gun beside a modern hammerless gun makes a contrast apt to be remembered. It has been proposed more than once that sportsmen, instead of using such deadly weapons as modern guns, take up the old bow and arrow or some other primitive weapon. The sportsman that had killed a modern deer with that ancient weapon could say that he was as good a hunter as anybody. There are few or none that can boast of such a kill.

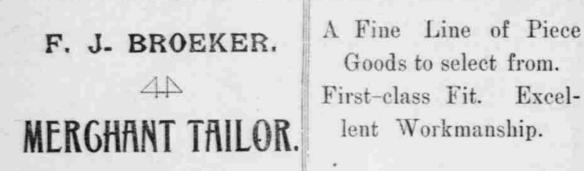
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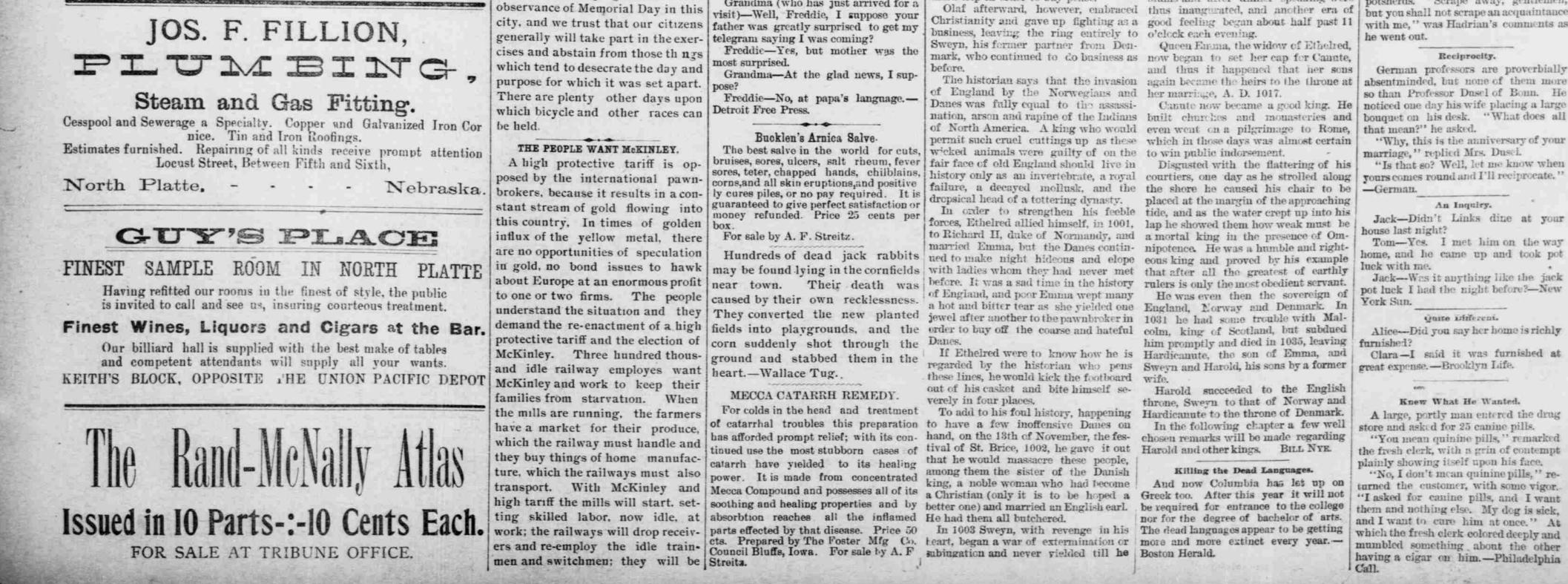
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Greely 4 Holt.....11 Hooker1 Total Howard8 It is recommended that no proxies be admitted to the convention and that the

delegates present be authorized to cast the entire vote of the delegation of the county which they represent. Е. А. Соок, Vice Chairman.

P. T. LAMBERT, Secretary.

THE populist county central committee held a rather slimly attended meeting at the Hotel Neville Saturday and decided to hold the county convention on July 11th. J. W. Ellingham tendered his resignation as secretary of the committee and Editor Cheyney was given the position. THE democratic party in its com-

ing national platform will be able to point with pride to the fact that, though the public debt has been increased some \$260,000,000 during

the four years of the Cleveland admintstration, the increase does not. so far, amount to as much as the reduction of that debt in the four years of the Harrison administration. This is something .- Ex. MEMORIAL DAY was set apart for

the purpose of showing reverence to the nation's departed defenders to whom we owe a debt of gratitude

we can never repay. Instead of folks, being turned into a day of sports and games, as is too frequently the

case, it should be observed in the manner in which it was intendedthe strewing of flowers upon the mounds which cover the dust of those now camping upon the eternal camp-ground, the enlogizing of deeds of valor and the installing of true patriotism into the minds and hearts of the younger generation. The local G. A. R. Post and the Cincinnati Enquirer. Woman's Relief Corps have prepared a suitable programme for the

What the Bicycle Has Done.

States 4,000,000.

Riders in New York City 200,000. Riders spend each year in caring for their wheels and on excursions, \$200,000,000.

Reputable wheel manufacturers n the country, 250.

Capital invested in these plants 560,000,000.

Persons employed by these facories, 70,000.

Persons employed in making bi-cycle sundries, 50,000. pioneer in cherishing the fine arts, Wheels turned out this season,

.000.000 Gained by riders in health and in aving of doctors' tees, untold mil

lions .- New York Herald. of peace.

All on the Outside.

Speaking of libraries reminds me of a story I heard of a certain rich man who did build himself a new mansion, and wishing to set up a bookroom there he simply went to a real library, put down the names of the volumes and had them painted on boards that assimilated a library.

"Oh, it doesn't matter," he said. 'You see, folks will never read 'em, an they look just as well."

The man who told me this story pointed to a couple of meaningless married

"They are just like Mr. --- 's library," he said. And they were.-New York Recorder.

A Mugwump.

"Maw," said the little boy, "Johnny is such a Magwump that I don't want to sleep with him any more."

"A Mugwump?" "Yes, mamma. Didn't you tell me that a Mugwump was some one who would not take either side? And that's the way with Johnny. He always wants to sleep in the middle of the bed."-

A Surprise All Around.

Grandma (who has just arrived for a

But in 991, shortly after the death of offered to stay bloodshod by personally Dunstan, a great army of Norwegians fighting Canute at any place where they came over to England for purposes of could avoid police interference, but pillage. To say that it was an allepath. Canute declined, on what grounds it is ic pillage would not be an extravagant not stated, though possibly on the Polo statement. They were extremely rude grounds. people, like all the nations Europe at

A compromise was agreed to in 1016 that time, Rome being the Boston of by which Edmund reigned over the re-Bicycles Riders in the United the old world, and Copenhagen the Fort gion south of the Thames, but very shortly afterward he was murdered at

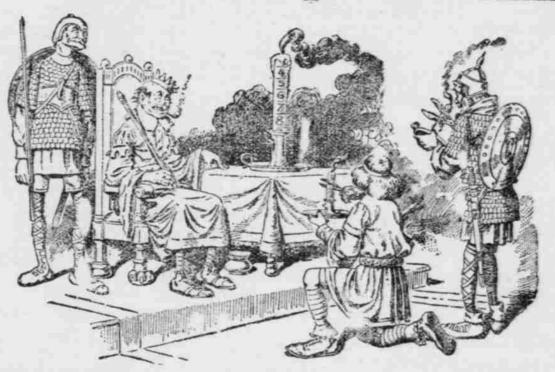
The Norwegians ate everything that the instigation of Edric, a traitor, who did not belong to the mineral kingdem was the Judas Iscariot of his time. Canute, or "Knut," now became the and left the green fields of merry England looking like a baseball ground. So first Danish king of England. Having wicked and warlike were they that the appointed three subkings and taken sad and defeated country was obliged charge himself of Wessex, Canute sent to give the conquering Norske 10,000 the two sons of Edmund to Olaf, requesting him to put them to death, but

Dunstan died at the age of 63 and Olaf, the king of Sweden, had scruples, years afterward was canonized, but and instead of doing so sent the boys to firearms had not been invented at the Hungary, where they were educated. time of his death. He led the civiliza- Edward afterward married a daughter tion and progress of England and was a | of the Emperor Henry II.

Cannte as king was, after he got the Olaf, who led the Norwegians against hang of it, a great success, giving to England, afterward became king of Nor- the harassed people more comfort than way, and with the Danes used to ever they had experienced since the death of and anon sack Great Britain-i. e., eat Alfred, who was thoroughly gifted as a everybody out of house and home and sovereign. He had to raise heavy taxes in order

then ask for a sack of silver as the price to 'squire himself with the Danish lead-Ethelred was a cowardly king, who ers at first, but finally began to harmo-

liked to wear the implements of war on nize the warring elements, and prosper-



UAME TO THE THRONE AT REGULAR PERIODS TO SET THEIR CANDLES BY THE ROYAL LIGHT.

holidays and fears to creenet and tat ity fellowed. He was roud of old ballad in time of war. He gave these invaders and encouraged the wandering min-10,000 pounds of silver at the first, 16, - strels, who entertained the king with 000 at the second and 24,000 on the topical songs till a late hour. Sympothird trip in order to buy peace. siums and after dinner speaking were

Unfortunate Change.

The substitution of one word for another or the omission of one word is frequently enough to spoil the effect of an orator's eloquence.

Years ago there was a military celebration, in the course of which various popular military organizations and regiments were made the subjects for orations, eulogies and toasts. One enthusiastic admirer of the "Salem Light infantry" had carefully prepared a toast which he was sure would swell the hearts of these connected with the company in question with pride and joy.

He proposed to begin as follows: "To the Salem Light infantry! Let the enemies of our country look on such troops and tremble!"

Unfortunately, when the time for the delivery of his toast came, his wits deserted him.

"The Salem Light infantry!" he faltered. "The Salem Light infantry! Let our country look on such troops and tremble!"'-Youth's Companion.

The Code of Patches.

The old code explaining the significance of a patch on a certain part of the face was as follows: The "impassioned" patch was fixed at the corner of the eye, the "gallant" in the middle of the cheek, the "receleuse," or receiver of stolen goods, on a spot or pimple; the "effrontee," or bold faced, on the nose, and the "coquette" on the lips. A round patch was called "the assassin." The great Massillon preached a sermon in which he anothematized patches. The effect produced by his discourse was rather unexpected; patches were worn in greater number than ever and known as mouches de Massillon.-New York World.

To Scrape an Acquaintance.

"To scrape an acquaintance" was originated by the Emperor Hadrian. Once when visiting the public bath he found an old veteran scraping himself with a piece of broken crockery in lieu of an iron or copper scraper. Hadrian gave him a sum of moncy to provide the necessary materials for a bath, and on his next visit to the institution found it full of veterans scraping themselves with potsherds. "Scrape away, gentlemen, but you shall not scrape an acquaintance with me," was Hadrian's comments as

Reciprocity.

German professors are proverbially absentminded, but none of them more so than Professor Dusel of Boun. He