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## Others...

May have Led in times past,

## But We..

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### Colorado Springs Wins.

In the game of ball yesterday between the Colorado Springs league team and the Union Pacifics resulted in a score of five to ten in favor of the former. The cyclone occurred in the first inning when the locals made three costly errors and the visitors pranced around the diamond six times. But for this unfortunate inning the game would have been an excellent exhibition of fast ball.

The game was somewhat of a slugging match, the visitors making nine hits, two of which were three baggers, off of Pendergraft and the locals ten off of Gaston, one of which was a two bagger and two three-bagger. Gaston struck out six and Pendergraft five. The Coloradoans were chargeable with four errors and the locals with four. The features of the game were fly catches by Maryott, Blaine Kitzmiller and Cope, Burman behind the bat for the locals played a great game.

Some in the audience were inclined to think that the visitors' errors were "hoss" plays, but in this they were mistaken: league players make errors as well as amateurs.

The score by innings:

Colorado Springs—6 0 4 0 0 0 0 0  
North Platte—3 0 1 0 0 0 0 1

Official information has been received of the report that a new company is to be organized for the purpose of consolidating all the Vanderbilt lines under one financial head and under one management. It may be some time, however, before the plan is worked out in all its details and made ready for submission to W. K. Vanderbilt, who has given the matter considerable study. A name has not been selected for the new concern, but it is understood that the "New York Central company" is the name at present most favored. Probably the plan adopted by the Pennsylvania company in April, 1870, whereby all the lines west of Pittsburgh were placed under one control, will be followed by the Vanderbilt people.

A. S. Gregg, who was down from Willard Saturday, says the corn crop in that section will be very light. There is plenty of hay, however, and cattlemen will have feed for stock in case of an extreme winter.

Meil Karth returned Sunday night from a weeks visit in Omaha. The work of setting the poles for the electric light system began yesterday.

Blaine Kitzmiller has accepted a permanent position in Warner's furniture store.

Mrs. Ida Lucas of Springfield, Ill., is the guest of Mrs. A. B. Yates and Mrs. Oscar Lock.

## Fall Hardware

Baker Painted Barbed Wire per cwt.....	3.80
Baker Galvanized Barbed Wire per cwt.....	4.10
Best 6-inch Steel Stove Pipe per joint.....	15
6-in. Common Elbow.....	10
6-in Adjustable Elbow.....	15
6-in Dampner.....	10
6-4 Oil Cloth Binding.....	15
8-4 Oilcloth Binding.....	20
8d Nails, per lb.....	04
Fence Staples, per lb.....	04
Maydole Hammer.....	55
26-in Hand Saw.....	60
Good Brace.....	45
Good Ratchet Brace.....	85
1/2 lb box All Copper Rivets No. 8 Galvanized Boiler.....	18
12-qt Galvanized Pail.....	20
Shot, 3 lbs.....	25
Gunpowder, per lb.....	30
22 Cartridges, per box.....	15
12-Gauge Loaded Shells, per box.....	45
10 Gauge Loaded Shells, per box.....	50
12 Gauge New Rival Empty Shells, per hundred.....	75
10 Gauge New Rival Empty Shells, per hundred.....	80

Store open evenings until 8 o'clock.

**Wilcox Department Store.**

### BETWEEN THE RIVERS.

J. W. Abbot, formerly of Julesburg, is the new day agent at Hershey.

The highways are getting in very fair condition again for travel in the valley.

James Wilson sold a fine team of mules last week to parties at the county capital who were purchasing horses for the St. Louis market.

The democratic county convention held at the county seat last Saturday was not attended by any from up this way. There are a number of anti-fusionists in the populist and democrat parties in this section who will not support the fusion ticket now in the field.

Mrs. Dora Goodwin of Belvidere, Neb., visited relatives and friends at Hershey last week enroute to Washington where her husband is at present located.

J. H. McConnell and wife and Mrs. G. W. Brown of Hershey were shopping and transacting other business at the county seat Saturday.

J. H. Hershey is having lumber shipped from Omaha with which to construct out buildings that were consumed by fire about two months since on his ranch near Hershey. He is also erecting a large addition to the residence on his ranch occupied by J. K. Eshelman and family. Miss Kate Sullivan of Nichols who had been visiting relatives and old time friends in southern Wisconsin for the past year, returned home recently. She reports a pleasant visit at the scenes of her childhood days. Her numerous friends welcome her back to her home in this locality.

Mrs. Mickelsen and daughter Garnett, who had been visiting relatives and friends at Rock Island, Ill., during the past summer, have returned to their home at Hershey. Mr. Mickelsen met them at Omaha and accompanied them home.

Roy Robinson has returned home from a short visit in Geneva.

Miss Anna Schwaiger, who is teaching in the Hershey schools, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in North Platte.

The dance given by Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Trovillo in the Ellison residence on Friday night last was well attended and all those in attendance report a jolly time from start to finish. It was a regular old fashioned affair accompanied by lots of fun for all.

W. T. Wilcox and H. S. Ridgley two able attorneys of the county seat, were up this way on a duck hunt the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Fanny Brooks will have a new frame stable for horses erected this fall on her farm at Nichols.

Miss Jennie Ware, who is teaching in the North Platte schools, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents west of Hershey.

Owing to a shortage of seed there will not be as large an acreage of tall grain sown in the valley as was at first anticipated.

A number of corn binders are being used in the valley this season for cutting up that article for feed. It makes the best of coarse feed when handled in the proper way.

### The Schley Board of Inquiry.

To many the real question to be decided by the navy board of inquiry appointed by Secretary Long, on the request of Rear Admiral Schley, are not known, or they are not fully understood. A brief summary of the important features of the case at this time may not be amiss. Briefly stated the questions which the court faces are as follows:

- (1) What was the conduct of Rear Admiral Schley during the Santiago campaign?
- (2) When the Colon was sighted in the entrance to Santiago harbor, did Schley make a proper effort to capture or destroy her?
- (3) Were the ships under Schley at proper ranges when the attack on the batteries at the entrance of the harbor and the Spanish vessels lying inside was made?
- (4) What was the reason for de-

laying the flying squadron off Cienfuegos?

(5) Why was the retrograde movement from Santiago ordered?

(6) Was the blockade of Santiago harbor made by Schley adequate?

(7) Regarding the famous loop made by the Brooklyn during the battle of Santiago—Was this loop a proper movement?

(8) Was Schley's controversy with Lieutenant Hobson regarding this loop proper?

(9) What was the propriety of the ensuing correspondence regarding the subject?

(10) Why was so much time consumed in going from Cienfuegos to Santiago?

(11) What was the condition of the squadron in regard to the coal supply, was there any reason for going to Key West for coal, and did Schley afterward make accurate reports concerning this subject?

### WESTERN NEBRASKA NEWS.

The Cheyenne county fair opens at Bayard today.

Bayard has just completed a new school building 44x52, two stories high, and the people are justly proud of it.

The Burlington railroad has reopened the station at Lowell, which had been closed for several months. Increase of business in that locality is assigned as the reason.

A barber at Scotts Bluffs named Miller expressed delight at the news of McKinley's death. He was promptly railroaded out of that village and upon reaching Alliance found a reception committee of two hundred who had fifty feet of rope. Miller at once took to his heels and is supposed to be still running.

### STATE NEWS.

According to late reports the Nebraska corn crop report for this year is estimated at \$25,400,000.

The first white settlement in Nebraska was made at Bellevue. The town received its name from a Spaniard.

The stockholders of the Farmer's Telephone company at Scribner find it necessary to borrow \$700 before they can complete their line.

Farmers in Cherry county are making large cisterns in which to store water in case of another dry season like the one this year.

A small boy at O'Neill defines a lie as being "an abomination in the sight of the Lord and an ever present help in time of trouble."

When a ball game is pulled off at Bancroft every business house in the town is closed and a sign out the postoffice reads: "Closed until after the ball game."

Coyotes killed sixty chickens in one hencoop near Caldwell, in Scotts Bluffs county, the other night, and some of the local preachers are talking of having a wolf hunt soon.

During the temporary absence of the Tamora postmaster a few days ago, a sneak thief entered the office and stole over \$1000 in cash, negotiable notes and certificates of deposit.

Maggie Bird, a twelve year old girl, who was working in the Nebraska City canning factory, caught her hair on one of the revolving shafts and was nearly killed before she was rescued.



## Surprised?

At the size of last month's grocery bill were you? Better pay cash and be surprised at the saving made. Every month opens the eyes of a few more. Are you next?

## We Sell....

Tomatoes, per can.....	10c
Snider's Catsup, pints.....	23c
Snider's Catsup, 1-2 pint.....	14
Searchlight Matches per box	04
Gold Dust, 4-lb pkg.....	18
Pearline per pkg.....	04
Sapolo per pkg 9c. 3 for.....	25
Lewis' Lye per can.....	08
Merry War Lye per can.....	07
Schilling's Best Soda, per	
pkg.....	08
Arm & Hammer Soda, per	
pkg.....	08
Dwight's Soda, per pkg.....	08
1/2 lb can of Chipped Beef.....	10
Walter Bakers' Cocoa 1/2 lb	
cans.....	25
Veal Loaf 1 lb can.....	20
Lemons per doz.....	25
Silver Gloss Starch.....	08
Kingsford's Corn Starch.....	08
Yeast Foam 2 pkgs.....	05
On Time Yeast 2 pkgs.....	05
Granulated Sugar 15 lbs for	
1.00	
Kerosene Oil per can.....	10
Sage, 1/4 lb pkg.....	05
Hops, 1/4 lb pkg.....	04
Vinegar, per gal.....	24
Arbuckle's Coffee 2 pkgs.....	25
Lion Coffee 2 pkgs.....	25
XXXX Coffee 2 pkgs.....	25
Rock Salt per hundred.....	80
Salt 140-lb Sack.....	95
Table Salt 2 sacks.....	05
Gothenburg Best Patent	
Flour per sack.....	\$1.10
Snow Flake Patent Flour	
per sack.....	\$1.00
Red Seal Patent Flour per	
sack.....	1.10
Jewel Patent Flour per sack	
1.00	
Corn Meal, 25 lb sack.....	35

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