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The overwhelming Republican victory in Ohio knocks Gen. Gordon out as a Vice Presidential aspirant.

The republican loss of one United States Senator from Virginia in the Fifty-first Congress will be neutralized by the republican gain of one from New Jersey.

HENRY GEORGE calls his defeat on Tuesday last his Bull Run. Whether it is a Bull Run or an Appomattox, however it appears plain enough now that, as a political factor, he is pretty thoroughly eliminated.

At a desk in his office the editor sat, and wrote up an excellent screed, telling farmers the way to do this and do that from plowing to sowing the seed.

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A DEMOCRATIC LIE NAILED.

PLATTSMOUTH, NEB., Nov. 11. EDITOR HERALD.—Dear Sir: In the Plattsmouth Daily Journal of today are the names of eight republican foremen of the B. & M. shops that are accused of supervising the votes of the workmen under them.

let me be a silent witness. I am an employee under Mr. Smith as are several other democrats, and am sure that each and every one in our department voted as he desired and no force was used directly or indirectly, to make him vote to the contrary.

A FOREIGN CITY.

Belleville, Ill., special: Within twenty minutes' ride of St. Louis and I can readily imagine myself in Europe! But then this is not strange, come to think about it, with St. Louis in the consideration.

But this is a good town and the inhabitants are good citizens. There are more householders here—more people who own the homes in which they live—than in any other town in the west approaching its size.

Here is a town larger than Galesburg, almost as large as Bloomington, that is virtually without a hotel. There are scores of places here called hotels.

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I stopped here principally because there is a stable in the rear of the house where I could put my horse. The hostler is no Joe; he is an old German peasant and is dressed like one, and he carries a Dutch lantern if ever there was one.

General Grant's

Fame will always grow brighter with age. Bileyeat's Fig Tonic requires on a trial to illustrate whether the feeble constitution will change to one of stout or robust form and the ruddy glow of perfect health will appear where disease once was.

FOR SALE—On reasonable terms my residence on the N. W. corner of Elm and 11th streets. Said property consists of 1/2 block with a good story and a half house of six rooms, two wardrobes and one pantry; good well and city water; twenty-seven bearing apple trees, and an abundance of small fruit of all kinds.

AUTUMN LEAVES.

The flowers spoke all summer as they chose: They said in colors what they sweetest thought. They seized the jeweled dews, light's latest glows, And into living signs swift splendor wrought.

ATMOSPHERE OF ALASKA.

Dense Growth of Vegetation—An Almost Incredible Statement. Lieut. Schwatka, in making the inland passage to Alaska, at one point went ashore among the wilds of the Alexander archipelago, and he describes the vegetation which he encountered as being most rank and luxuriant.

At the feet of the evergreens clothing the land grew a dense mass of tangled bushes and vines, and at the roots of these was a solid carpeting of mosses, lichens and ferns, which often ran up the trees to a height greater than a man's reach.

It is almost impossible to realize the dampness of the region without having experienced it. Water drips from overhead like an April mist and oozes up beneath the foot as one walks.

As an example of the luxuriance of the vegetation, take the Indian's "totem poles," which, although they are dead timbers standing on the ground, are so saturated with the moisture of dripping mosses and lichens at heights varying from ten to thirty feet from the ground.

How Men Buy Overcoats. A salesman in a State street store says that the overcoat season is the worst in the year. "Men are worse than women when it comes to buying overcoats."

How the Old Egyptians Worked. Arnauld publishes in The Revue Scientifique an essay upon the question how the ancient Egyptians managed to transport and lift the immense rocks found on top of temples and how they raised their obelisks.

An Unfortunate Heroine. Omaha Dame—How proud I am to know you. You are a true heroine and everybody is talking about you. Brave Girl—I wish it had never happened.

The baseball umpire's wife. To all dread is now a stranger. For the baseball season's over. And her husband's out of danger.



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POINTERS ABOUT PLATTSMOUTH.

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