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ANOTHER colored man-Hon. John R. Lynch, of Mississippi-has been provided with a good office; and it is only . the simple truth to say that there isn't a white Democrat in the State who is better qualified for the duties of any public po-

TALK of changes in the Cabinet is heard every year and under every Administration when news grows scarce, There may be somthing or there may be nothing-probably the latter-in the story as heard now. If there be any truth in the report that Attorney General Miller is to be put on the Supreme bench to fill the vacanav caused by Stanley Mathews' death, that tribunal will gain a member who will be able to meet the most exacting requirements of the post. -Globe Democrat

THERE are two ways of raising the means with which to build public buildings or carry on internal improvements, ion, and three out of every four of the viz: First, by a direct tax upon the real estate and secured by voting bonds and securing each year only so much of a tax as is necessary to pay the interest. Our county commissioners have adopted the second plan and hence the people will be called upon to vote for or against bonds bearing 5% interest with which to pay for the construction of a a county court house. One man asks why a direct tax is not preferable to voting bonds. The answer is, that few men whether they are rich or poor would care to pay out cash which is worth 8 to 10% to them when they can borrow money at 5%. Moreover, the dieect tax scheme is solely in the interest of the rich man who has more money than he knows what to do with. Yet there are but few rich men who would prefer to call in some of their securities bearing 10% interest with which to pay off a debt bearing only 5% The direct tax scheme therefore meets neither the approval of the poor man who would be compelled to borrow nor the rich man who has money outstanding bearing a higher rate of interest than 5%.

SOME SOLID FACTS.

COLLECTED ON THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE BOND QUESTION BY THE BOARD OF TRADE AND ADDRESSED TO THE VOTERS.

PLATTSMOUTH, NEB., May 15, 1889. The county, commissioners of Cass county having called an election to vote for or against issuing \$80,000 twentyyear court house bonds, we desire to lay the actual facts before every property owner and voter in the county, relying upon their intelligent consideration of the same in casting their vote at the coming election, June 8th, 1889;

The total bonded indebtedness of the county is \$100,000. These are the railroad bonds, and the interest has been paid as it accrued. The principal is due \$20,-000 in June of each of the years of 1800. 91-92-93-94. Cash in the sinking fund to pay these bonds is now \$50,000, and sufficient cash in the other funds to pay all current expenses. Bo the real indebtedness of the county is only \$50,000 at the present time.

Total valuation county, 1888, \$4,743,779. Valuation of Plattsmouth City and Precinct, \$1,287,191.

Eighty thousand dollars at 5 per cent will cost annually,\$4,000. Nine-tenths of one mill on the

total valuation will raise \$4,267. - More than sufficient to pay the interest on the bonds.

The average valuation on eighty acres of land in the county as shown by the records is about \$450, so that the owner of eighty acres would have to pay a court house tax of about 40 cents, or less, be the best remedy ever formulated. each year. These figures are based on the 1888 assessment, The valuation will

The Plattsmouth Daily Heraid. be greater in 1888, by possibly \$300,000, and will increase largely each succeeding

> We believe that a new court house should be built, not only for the sake of building the same in our city but for the protection of the records of the county clerk, county treasurer, county register, county judge and the clerk of the district court, in all of which records almost every farmer and land owner in the county is vitally interested.

PLATTSMOUTH BOARD OF TRADE. R. B. WINDHAM, President. WM. NEVILLE, Vice President. A. B. TODD, Vice President. FRED HERRMANN, Secretary. F. GUTHMANN, Treasurer. J PEP-PERBURG, F. CARRUTH, W. S. WISE, J. V WECKBACH, J. G. RICHEY, B. ELSON, S. WAUGH, F. D. LEHNHOFF, F. GORDER.

THE MONTANA MATTER.

It must be conceded, of course, that the Democrats have a good chance of electing the two Senators and one Represenative which that State will send to Congress this year. The Territory, it is true, chose a Republican Congressional Delegate last fall by a large Majority, and this gave some hope to the party that as a State it would take place perminently in the Republican colum. In preceding election, howevever, it had usually gone Democratic, and in the selection of delegates a few days ago to the Convention which is to frame its Constitution it showed that it had not yet decidedly and definitely cut loose from the Democracy.

The Democrats fourteen years ago in voting for the admision of Colorado, acted on the assumption that as a State it would be found in the Democratic fold. Promises to that effect, indeed, are understood to have been made by Colorado statesmen before the admission act was pased. It has never, however, given an electoral vote to that party. In 1876, when it became a State, its vote gave Hayes the majority of one which he had in the Electoral College. Had Colrado's admission been delayed until after that vear Tilden would have been made Presi dent, A similar hope of partisam aggrandizement may have influenced some Republicans last winter in voting to admit Montana.

It is not at all certain, of course, that the Democrats will carry Montana in the election for members of Congress. Partisan lines were not drawn so rigidly in the canvass last week as they will be in that which is to take place next fall. Besides that place is in a Republican regimmigrants which it will secure will come from Republican localities. All these conditions are in fayor of the Republicans. But even if it cast its lot permanently with the Democratic States the Republican Congressmen can hardly be censured, as some Republican papers are now doing, for the voting for its admission. Montana must have almost, if not quite by this time, the 151,000 population which forms the ratio of representation in the House of Representtives, and the Republicans could hardly have kept it out without showing some of the partisan injustice and tyranny displayed by the Democrats in keeping Dakota in the Territorial stage for so many years when it stood ahead of several of the States in number of inhabitants, intelligence and progressivness .- Globe Democrat.

Jewels and Laces. "Oh girl with the jewelled fingers,

Oh, maid with the laces rare!" What are your jewels and what are laces worth to you? You would give them all if you could get back your health. Well you can and you can keep your jewels and your laces too. Thousands of women know by happy expeirience that Dr. Peirces Favorite Prescription restores the health. It is a positive remedy for those derangements, irregularities and weaknesses so common to woman. In fact it is the only medicine for women, sold by all druggists, under a positive guarantee, from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every ease, or money will be refunded. This guarantee has been printed on the bottle wrapper, and faithfully carried out for many years.

IMPORTANT TO THE CITIZENS.

A Traveling Man Greates Great Excitement in the Empire House INDEPENDENCE, IOWA, Oct. 14, 1888.

Rheumatic Surup Co., Jackson, Mich: GENTE:- Your Mr. Brooks came here tonight and registered as agent for Hibbard's Rheumatic Syrup, and as he did so it awakened in me an interest never before realized in a guest at my house. You will not wonder at it when I tell you the story. For years I have been greatly afflicted with inflammatory rheumatism, the pain and soreness of the joints at times being almost unbearable; could move about only with the aid of crutches. In addition to this my stomach became badly diseased, and neuralgia set in, which threatened to end my day. ' A traveling man stopping with me gave quite a history of your Syrup, and the peculiarities of its combination, which induced me to try it. I have taken six bottles and no act in my life affords me greater satisfaction than in writing you I am a well man.

It will be a pleasure for me to answer

A. S. Bowley, Proprietor, Empire House, Independence, Iowa.

THE WESTERN MULE.

PECULIARITIES OF THE BURRO USED IN THE MOUNTAINS.

How They Are Broken to Pack Carrying-Strange Infatuation for Horses-Interesting, Amusing and Aggravating Characteristics

"A man who has roughed it out among the mountains," it was said at a Broadway sales stable the other day, 'remembers the mules about as well and as long as anything."

It is just about at this time, the speaker told, when asked why the mind should be particularly impressed by the familiar quadruped, that a good many are rounded up for the summer's work after being turned out all winter. As natural to expect, a mule that has had no restraint for several months is inclined to show the worst side when the hand of a would be master begins to be felt. A drove of 100 or so in a corral fresh from the plains will carry just about as much downright "cussedness" as can be found in any brute collection under the sun. The first thing is to have them shod. Such a thing as one of them consenting to the job is unknown, but frontier blacksmiths have no fear or hesitation, and in a trice the mule is fied up and ironed.

The pack mules are smaller and inferior in every way to the riding mule, except in toughness and rascality. Like Joey Bagstock, the packers are sly. Most of them are sired by Indian ponies and are born on the open plains. A wild horse is gentleness itself beside them, but as they are usually used for carrying packs their wickedness does not so much matter.

PACKING THE "CRITTER." The first time the pack saddles are put on a young mule the excitement surpasses description. The green beast, strong and wiry, is lassoed and led into a small open space. Before he knows what it is all about a noose of the lariat around his neck is slipped over his nose; this gives him a shock, as it were, and he makes a start for liberty. But the more he pulls the tighter the pinch on his nose, so he finally gives it up and

More ropes are brought into use, and he is finally brought to have a leather binder put over his eyes. The next step is to put the pack saddle on. The great kicking is done when the crupper is slipped under the tail. Words cannot tell the way that mule's heels flash through the air in all directions. But strategy wins and mules do tire. The pulling up of the "sinch," as the girth is called, brings out a new struggle, but it is soon over and to an extent the mule is

conquered. Mules always like company, and work especially well with a horse. With a horse on the lead they will follow steadily, and keep in the horse's company at night without attempt to wander away. They will even fight among themselves to get near a horse. At night the mules submit without moving a muscle to having the packs removed. A good roll on the grass is the first thing when relieved. and then they go to eating. At any hour of the night, if they are looked at, their noses will be seen on the ground, with their jaws industriously in motion.

"Packing" a saddle is an art in itself. In former years the Mexican sawbuck saddle was used. This invariably cut and chafed the mule's back; but now the California stuffed aparejo is the thing. This is fastened by two men, one on either side, who brace themselves v one foot against the mule's ribs and pull on the lash rope with all their might. The load is balanced properly, and the lash rope twisted and looped in a sort of network. When all is ready for the final tightening the men "give it to her." The poor mule actually groans under the pressure, but even under this tightest of tying the loads quite frequently slip out of place.

A CONTINUAL REVELATION. The mountain mule is a continual revelation. New phases of character are continually unfolding in the most positive manner. One, for instance, will be amiable and pleasant until led up to be saddled, when all at once he will apparently be possessed of the evil spirit itself. Another will resist all attempts to saddle and pack until the others have been attended to, when he will be as docile as could be wished for. Another, perhaps used for riding, will not let a match be lighted by any one on his back without an outbreak, but will not object to smoking. Some will wade through a stream without hesitation, and another will vigorously object to wetting his feet. When in the water, if one falls down and any water gets into his big ears, he will lie and drown without a struggle. They are very private and particular about their ears, objecting to having them handled.

It is not easy to gain a mule's confidence. They are absurdly timid, and if one of a drove is scared the rest are also panie stricken. An old black log always makes a mule shy. Snakes terrify and bears paralyze them. On the plains no spurring or whipping can drive a mule up to an Indian. Take a number of mules and throw their reins over some of the others' ears and they will stand all day in the belief that they are securely tied .- St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Forest Restoration. Systematic planting on a national scale must wait, and will be sure to wait, until the little remnant of our forests shall be administered economically, and at such a profit on costs of exportation as will justify the outlay required to cover costs of replanting, but meantime millions of acres of denuded forest land may be preserved from the destruction of its soil by fire, or its erosion by water. for the trifling cost of collecting and scattering the seed over their surface. The winds and the birds annually redeem any communications, for I believe it to thousands of acres in this way, and we need only open our eyes to the importance of their labors to realize how much may be done in the same way by systematic, intelligent eibrt.-Forest and Stream,

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