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THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY CASS COUNTY PAPER.

THE POPULISTS OF IOWA who don't play second fiddle to the democratic contingent nominated a state ticket over there yesterday.

A DISPATCH from London says the Cadiz fleet sailed a week ago and is well on its way to Cuba. This may wake up Admiral Sampson and Sibley from the rear some time morning and a fight not down on the boards would result.

If Col Bryan is taken out of the country the smoothest fusion democrat in all the land will be greatly missed when it comes to doing up the old machine this fall. The work of Alfred and Holcomb is very coarse in comparison.

IT IS being made more accident every day that McKelvey knew what he was talking about when he deprecated war because we were not ready for it. Such a complete state of unreadiness could scarcely be imagined as has been shown to exist since war was declared.

NEBRASKA'S COL. BOLE is doing a terrific job, judging from the way he figures to the front. He's now commanding a brigade, and when he's better of real war is had he may become a major general. Col. Bryan will have a hard time trying to keep up with the other Nebraska colonels.

IT HAS been given out at Washington that the next invoice of troops for Manila will all be sent this week, and will consist of 5,000 soldiers. The transports are almost ready now for departure. The Nebraska boys who have lived of camp life are expected to get away on this expedition.

ADMIRAL DEWEY'S fleet has been augmented by three captured gunboats. After the Monterey and Charleston reach him he will be able to give the Cadiz fleet the same kind of a dose he gave the other squadron. His fame has reached Madrid however and no Spanish ships are likely to go after him.

THE CONSCIENTIOUS beer seller does not get even with the new tax by putting a high collar of foam on every glass of the beverage he passes out to his customers. He simply orders a new set of bar glasses with thick bottoms and sloping sides, and manages to get even with the tax without straining any of the social amenities.

THE residents of the Philippines will greatly appreciate the difference between American and Spanish rule when Gen. Merritt takes control of the islands. Under Spanish dominion they are taxed almost beyond endurance, the income of every individual goes chiefly to the government which swallows millions of the poor people's money. Under the new order of things, but slight taxation will be resorted to.

THE BUILDING of new steel mills at Chicago by capitalists from Pittsburg gives another indication of the growing importance of the iron and steel industry in the middle west. The seat of the industry has moved from New England to New York, from New York to Pennsylvania, and now it promises to leave the Pittsburg district set aside, perhaps for all time, on the shores of Lake Michigan, and has from that vast collection of commercial and industrial interests called Chicago.

THE great expedition starts out under most favorable auspices. The architectural beauty of the buildings, and the charming landscape is well worth the price of admission. It shows nothing else to see. While many of the exhibits are not in place, considerable numbers of the Nashville and Atlanta exhibitions which proved successful ventures. The Omaha management has performed wonders in getting up such a perfect show, and every man and woman in the state should attend.

FOR thirty years a stock change made against the republican party was that it paid its soldiers in depreciated greenbacks. The same people who have been making the change are the ones who are now demanding the issue of more greenbacks, in order that the expenses of the war may be met without going into the markets and borrowing good money like any solvent government ought to do. They shed many tears over the poor pay of the soldiers of 1861, but want to give

the boys of 1898 a dose of the same kind of medicine—State Journal.

INFORMATION AND OPINIONS.

Mrs. W. C. Brann announces that she will continue the publication of the Journal. She has hired an editor whose efforts so far to prove a worthy successor to the dead-Idiot snapper are laborious at the attempts of an original sixteen to wanner to explain the present strained relations between wheat and silver. There was but one Brann and the pattern is lost.

An exchange has discovered the special use for which Spanish humor is peculiarly fitted. It fills bright lines beautifully and is good as a counterweight to any gray mind.

Admiral Dewey is a republican in politics and an Epicurean in religion. He is a very good man, but his military matters, but his behavior with respect to Henry at Hong Kong, and with the Spanish admiral at Manila, makes it unnecessary to ask anything about his personal affairs or opinions. He is an American, and that is enough.

Principal Waterhouse of the Lincoln high school will be called for another year to the board of education. He has received the unanimous approval of the high school committee and other committees, including those members who were not favorable to him on the staff. Principal Waterhouse has had the unanimous support of the entire board and the members think he has made a success of his first year. The board is also opposed to frequent changes, hence the reelection of Mr. Waterhouse is said to be assured. State Journal.

There are but six national banks in New Mexico and they have deposits amounting to \$2,000,000, which are steadily increasing. New Mexico is not so far out of the way as it was a few years ago.—Ex.

Governor Holcomb has recommended Prof. A. A. Reed of Crest as the proper man to organize a company of snareshooters in this state, the company to form a part of the regiment that Millhouse, Belmont of New York has offered to equip.

Oswald Baker traded his large stone building and stock of goods last week to Charley Brandt for a well improved 200-acre farm, over near Avoca, and the latter has taken possession. Mr. Baker has been in business here since the town was started about ten years ago, but on account of falling health decided to dispose of his store. The new firm starts out under suspicious circumstances.—Nebawka Register.

When the tea dealer announces an increase of 25 cents per hundred, simply quit tea and drink hot water and you'll beat the tea man and the doctor.

In a conversation with congressmen Strode recently we learn that congress will adjourn as soon as the war appropriation measure and land bill are passed. Washington is a disagreeable city to live in during the months of June, July and August on account of the heat and humidity of the atmosphere. The Northern congressmen are already anxious to get home.

Col. Bryan's private soldiers will receive \$15.00 per month while the Colonel himself will receive \$29.77 per month. As a patriotic move the state provides no uniforms.

When Admiral Cervera pulled out of the neck of the Strait ago he saw our flying eagles and there to must have been surprised as well as pained to discover that "Yankee pigs" can fly.—Ex.

All had the horses of Claymont, Besana de la Fabra, Mission Ridge, Atlanta, Cherry Creek, Galesburg, Maoria, Cademas, San Juan, Santiago and Havana. Three generations of soldiers. What a mighty history your Uncle Sam is getting, anyway.—Fremont Tribune.

It is said that the new state can take care of her great men without any assistance from Missouri. The gov. runs of that state may be well wadded.

W. H. Newell makes daily trips to Cedar Creek just now where his firm have nearly fifty men employed getting out and loading from 15 to 25 cars of stone per day. The stone consists of all grades of crushed rock for concrete purposes, as well as the finest limestone for window cases and door sills. A large sum of money is left at Cedar Creek in the course of the year for the one-third of labor alone.

England's new battleship will cost \$20,000,000, of which \$2,000,000 is for her guns. The navy of the year 1900 will be a striking contrast with those of a century before.

Give the Children a Drink called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it because when properly prepared it tastes like the finest coffee but is free from all its injurious properties. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about one-fourth as much as coffee. 15 and 25c.

CARRY WAR TO SPAIN.

The Board Contemplates Involving that Country.

BEARD THE BREEZY BUZZARDS

Upon Their Native Soil—Spanish Torpedos Boat, Sunk by the Oregon—Some Events of Local Import.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 5.—The usual war board is discussing a plan of carrying the war into Spanish waters. The formation of a flying squadron was talked over this morning. The following vessels were named: New York, Brooklyn, Minneapolis, Columbia, St. Louis, St. Paul, Harvard and Yale.

After Santiago and San Juan have fallen the Division of Spain may be taken up in earnest.

It appears the last day of the month a long war will be on the cards. The ship and the fleet are being sent to the sea. The signals were jumping and the war, when the Oregon and the fleet are sent to the sea. The signals were jumping and the war, when the Oregon and the fleet are sent to the sea.

A large number of you of ambition and high spirits are being sent to the sea. The signals were jumping and the war, when the Oregon and the fleet are sent to the sea.

Thirty-five years ago the signals were jumping and the war, when the Oregon and the fleet are sent to the sea.

School will close the signals were jumping and the war, when the Oregon and the fleet are sent to the sea.

There's no better time than the signals were jumping and the war, when the Oregon and the fleet are sent to the sea.

It is a great leap from the signals were jumping and the war, when the Oregon and the fleet are sent to the sea.

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Children like it, it saves their lives. The signals were jumping and the war, when the Oregon and the fleet are sent to the sea.

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Raising the Bryan Regiment.

LINCOLN, June 5.—Adjutant General Barry today issued the following circular letter:

Persons named on general order No. 17, A. G. O., are hereby informed that the Third regiment, Nebraska Infantry, has been organized in service by the president of the United States, and the several companies composing this regiment will be created to the maximum number prescribed by law, viz: 106 enlisted men.

Company officers will be as follows: Captain, one; first lieutenant, one; second lieutenant, one; first sergeant, one; quartermaster sergeant, one; sergeants, four; corporals, twelve; musicians, two; artificer, two; wagoner, one; privates, eighty-four. Total strength of company, 106.

It is suggested to all recruiting officers, as well as to the temporary company commanders, that the various companies adjacent to the headquarters of the several companies as designated in general order No. 17, A. G. O., be permitted to recruit their men in the nearest company territory as available hours. All recruiting officers and company commanders are advised to be on duty at their respective headquarters from 8 o'clock a. m. to 6 o'clock p. m.

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Commissioners Prceedings.

PLATTSBOUTH, May 17th, 1898. Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, when the following business was transacted: Resolved, That the following be the members of the Board of Commissioners: J. C. Hayes, Geo. W. Young and J. P. Felter, county commissioners, and James Robertson, county clerk.

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