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THE LARGEST CIRCULATION

Of any Cass County Paper.

THE way Norris Brown is skinning Bill Greene up in the Sixth district, is making the popocrats color blind up there, so that when they go to the polls to vote, its Brown instead of Green that will receive their support.

JUDGE M. B. REECE goes after the only democrat on the ticket, Mr. Smyth, and fairly flays him alive in a brief filed before the supreme court in the Irvine case. Smyth has plenty of mouth but it has long been known that he was a little shy on brains, and Judge Reece shows him and his record no mercy. As a kid glove attorney-general he might do, but in this practical age the dudes usually get crowded to the rear, and that's where Smyth will find himself after November 8.

THE Only Time There Was. The necessity that there shall be only one man who "has the say" in a military command is thoroughly recognized in the United States army. A story is told of General Shafter which illustrates the punctilio of the regulars in this regard.

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"Oh, no!" said a lieutenant. "By my time it's eight minutes past 3." A third young officer drew his watch out of his pocket. "I know my time is exactly right," he said, and my watch says two minutes past 3."

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A Useful Coffin. It may not be generally known that the Dutch Boers at the Cape, especially those living in remote districts where material is expensive and labor difficult to obtain, frequently purchase at least one coffin beforehand which is placed in a conspicuous position in the "workman" or principal sitting room and utilized as an article of furniture, for ornament or as a receptacle for clothing and other oddsands.

One farmer well known to the writer possesses a beautifully finished article of this sort which he purchased about 50 years ago. During that period he has buried three wives each of whom had to be content with coffins of the commonest material and roughest workmanship while his own awaiting his possessor stands in all its luster of polished teak and silver mountings.

For the present the old gentleman uses it as a couch for his holiday nap in order as he sometimes remarks with grave humor, that he may get accustomed to it.—Cape Times.

Dates of Republican Dates.

The republican meeting in Cass county have been arranged as follows:
Pollard and Root—Taylor's school house, October 22.
De Sota school house, October 23.
Manley, October 31.
Pollard and Strode—Eagle, October 26.
Pollard—Murdock, October 27.
Pollard and Tefft—Aivo, October 23.
Pollard and Spurlock—Cedar Creek, October 29.
Avoca, November 2.
Pollard and Chas. Graves—Victoria school house, November 3.
Pollard and Windham—Murray, November 4.
Pollard and Burkett—Greenwood, afternoon, November 5.

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The man lives in New York and the physicians say he will probably die, but the fellow is resolute and can't stand so much nose.

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He is a prominent educator and is said to be well up on international law.

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A Tricky Butcher.

"The greatest business mind I ever ran up against was possessed by the former proprietor of a meat market out in Germantown," said a street car conductor the other day as his car was waiting on Front street. "This butcher had a fine, sneaky voice, which you could hear a block away. Tricky? Yes, that's just what you would call it. I used to watch him sometimes when he was waiting on customers, and it was positively amusing to see the apparent ease with which he would make a two pound steak weigh apparently three or more pounds."

"He would take a couple of pounds of meat and throw it on the scales so that the pointer would show four pounds and then take it off before the scales could register the true weight. 'There's just four pounds exactly,' he would say to the customer in that sneaky voice of his, and then continue with the statement quickly made: 'Four times 13 is 52. Call it 60,' and unless the customer was watching him closely he would always get even change."

"He was in the meat business only a few years and amassed a competency. Then he left it. What worries me is how he is going to get along now. I understand he is in the real estate business, and I wonder how he works it when he sells a piece of land. The scales won't help him much there."—Philadelphia Record.

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