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### THE LARGEST GIRGULATION Of any Cass County Paper.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1900.

IT IS estimated that there are 3,500 buttermakers in Lincoln.

THE buttermakers are right after the oleomargarine fellows.

THE English are doing better, having been victorious in several small engagements.

THE Fremont Tribune says the democratic party is s'ill having trouble with its tail.

AT \$25 a share three-fourths of the stock for a \$2,000 creaming station at Elmwood has already been sold.

SOUIX FALLS has been selected for the place of holding the national populist convention. May 9 is the time decided upon.

stitutional and void.

government bill extending the immigration laws to that island.

BOTH tobacco smoke and factory smoke are offensive to Mr. Bryan. The former loses him daily bread, while the latter loses him votes.

She thinks they want to "use" her.

THE middle-of-the-road populists voted to call their national convention | would have been folly to put him in in Cincinnati May 9. What fun there George Washington's place.

GENERAL SHAFTER, in a speech at Detroit, yesterday, declared himself an ardent republican and predicted that Washington, Oregon and California would give the largest republican majorities in their history.

SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE, WILson, delivered an address last night before the butter-maker's convention, now in session in Lincoln. Today, in addition to the regular program, Senator Thurston will address the associ-

AT THE second annual meeting of the association of agricultural students, held at the state farm at Lincoln yesterday, Secretary Wilson gave a very able address in the interests and cause of agricultural education in Nebraska.

THE position of the democratic party in 1896 on the money question drove from its ranks thousands of its brainlest men and its strong anti-expansion views, together with its free silver heresy, will cause another exodus of brains this year.

LIEUT. GOVERNOR WOODRUFF of New York, is an active candidate for the nomination of vice president on the republican ticket, and has started for the west. He will attend the Washington day dinner of the Union League club of Chicago tomorrow.

THE citizens of Weeping Water or ganized an anti-saloon league recently with a membership of 250. The people are evidently preparing for the spring election. The temperance people are in the saddle and are likely to of the mica guard is such that it comstay there. The past year has been pletely shields the lamp from contact the best one that city has had for a with any flimsy material used in the long time. The new mill has been built, several brick buildings have been constructed and many other substantial improvements have been tralia for the sake of their webs, the who acknowledges his faults is more the good intent of the writers, but he made and all has been done without a filaments of which are made into than half-way up the ladder. saloon. Weeping Water stands for education, culture and good morals and the majority of its citizens are than canvas. Each tarantula yields convinced that a saloon is of no mater- from twenty to forty yarns of filament, ial assistance in the promotion of any of which eight twisted together from of these-nor for business, for that a single thread.

SEVERAL first-class men have been mentioned as excellent timber for the state legislature, but THE NEWS can not say that any of them are avowed candidates. They are not disposed to push themselves onto the market. The concensus of opinion among republicans seems to be that such men should be brought out as can be elected. Republicans feel it their duty to send a delegation from Cass county who will vote for men for the United States senate who will support President McKinley in this most criti- electro-pneumatic interlocking system cal period in the history of the country. Clean, honest men, who can get signaling aveter in the near to comb her hair so that it look try. Clean, honest men, who can get signaling aveter in the near it. the votes, will be chosen, regardless signaling system in the new station of how many there may be who, under would cripple the enormous traffic, and ordinary circumstances, might feel would probably affect 100,000 suburban girls figure that after paying \$25 for "called." From what townlot or cornfield, from what ward or precinct the test is evident. Pumps were used on spend on the girls. seld, from what ward or precides the three locomotives for the test. The The first time that a husband goes morning fire broke out in the assembly

Cass county, says the State Journal. there will ever be occasion to resort to books were all saved. Loss, \$3,000; inlook upon the conversion of an infidel. Mr. Pollard was in Lincoln the other the use of locomotives.

The Semi-Weekly News-Herald day and his frie as told him that he DOINGS AT WASHINGTON. ought to reconsider his determination not to be a candidate for re-election \$5 00 not care to ask the people of his county | was shot freely express the doubt that 2 50 for a third election. Besides the care the shot was fired from the Taylor 10 of his large fruit interests really de-5 mands his attention during the fall any sympathy is wasted on the Goeb !months, when the campaign will be One Year, in advance, . . . . \$1 00 on. It was urged upon Mr. Pollard that his training in the legislature much to the people of his county as an inexperienced man, and that the state needs sober-minded, experienced men to do the work of reapportioning the that will come up next winter. Mr. Pollard still declined to be a candidate. It is evident, then, that unless Cass county is to throw away the capital it has accumulated in the experience of this young man, the people down there must call upon him to make the race. Pollard has the recounty gains prestige for itself by sending such men to the capital.

### HIS RECORD FORBIDS. Fremont Tribune.

A few republican newspapers of the state are urging the wisdom of selecting D. E. Thompson, as chairman of the republican state central committee, to fight the party's great battle in Nebraska this year.

that Mr. Thompson is a good organizer, a man of force and well calcu-THE supreme court of Missouri has and anscrupulous a chairman as J. H. declared the department store law, Edmisten, of the "reform" forces. But passed by the last legislature, uncon- in the light of what happened in the senatorial fight a year ago it cannot be consistently urged that Mr. Thompson SENATOR FAIRBANKS has introduced is the man for the occasion. Had he an amendment to the Puerte Rican at that time come out of the fight with honor, he would now be an excellent general to place in charge of the militant republican forces of Nebraska. But Mr. Thompson then, as soon as he was overthrown in his own household, undertook to overthrow the house itself. He at the last moment treacherously connived with the enemy for his GERMANY is not disposed to join election at their hands, by which he France and Russia for the purpose of forfeited the confidence of his own intervening in the South African war. party. Then was when he committed the sin which forbids the placing of

party leadership in his hands. Benedict Arnold was an able genwant neither fusion nor Bryan. They eral, but after his unpardonable sin it

### INFORMATION AND OPINION.

The fusion party is in no condition to go before the people next fall on the plea of reform. When they went into power they promised all kinds of reformation. Have they carried out their promises? We leave the people to determine. Look at Mr. Holcomb's record; look at Mr. Cornell's record, and tell us if you can what the chief executive has done. Tell if you please what any of them has done to merit the suffrages of the people whom they have deceived .- Falls City Journal.

The proposed experiments to be made on a large scale in western Kansas during the coming summer by the Campbell system of subsoil culture are attracting wide attention. The outlook for that section of Kansas and Nebraska is not favorable to anything but cattle raising and investors with hundreds of thousands of acres of land consider themselves at the mercy of the stock raisers in leasing or selling their property, secured under foreclosure or by forced sale, in manager of the large experimental farms, H. W. Campbell, has given out some facts as to the success he has attained in the great subarid belt of the western Mississippi valley. He has during the last season investigated the soil of western Kansas and previously noted some excellent results in tree

In Germany an engineer has brought out a type of mica guard for incandescent lamps, to be used in connection with shop-window Hghting. The size shop windows.

Tarantulas are being used in Austhread for balloons. They are lighter than silk, and when woven, lighter

So successful has been the operation of the automabile hose cart, used for some months by the fire department of the city of Paris that other automobiles have been ordered. In every run in which this cart took part it was the first to reach the fire. It was built after plans by the chief engineer of the

At the new Boston terminal station a test was recently made with the air pumps of locomotives to operate the of switches and signals. As the Railper square inch, and 122 cylinders, 148 good-bye, she wonders that he did his ney. The building was of stone, but very foundation and forces out every ONE of the cleanest, most vigorous semaphores and 283 switches were work well enough to retain his job. the roof and interior burned rapidly. taint. It is purely vegetable, and is 

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 21 .- (Spenext fall. His answer was that he had cial Correspondence.)-Visitors here already served for two terms and did who were in Frankfort the day G ebel Bill Before the House for Tarites the full facts ought to be known Some say that the drama was played by the Goebelites as if it had been will make him worth four times as carefully rehearsed-that Goebel fell while reaching for his revolver, that Jack Chinn tragecall cried "We will all die with you,"and that the wounded man was hustled into the house before districts and other important things anyone could see how and where he was struck. Nobody saw the smoke of the gun and nobody could tell where the shots came from. No inquest or post mortem was held to ascertain the direction and angle of the firing. None but Goebelites were allowed to know anything about the wound. Many thought it possible that Goebel's spect of the people of the state, and a friends had fired the shot for political they intended.

Certain it is that the three men who were walking accross the state house grounds were not angels. Goebel had killed one man and driven the widow to the insane asylum. Jack China was a notoriou fighter with gun and knife, and had several victims to his credit. Eph Lillard had also "killed his man." All were armed and looking for trouble.

After the shooting Jank Chinn It will be pretty generally conceded guarded the sick chamber and gave out the news. Here is what he gave lated to meet and cope with so wily to the reporters. It was printed in the Louisville Journal, the New York World and Journal, the three principal Goebel organs, and must be accepted as authority:

"He was very game. He smiled often in his weak wan way, and his mind drifted out into the dark and nebulous regions of semi-delirium, when the syllables which dropped from his loosed tongue shows where his mind was wandering. It was always in the same direction-war, viclence-the accomplishment of the daring object on which he had staked his all, and for which he was paying the penalty he had exacted from anotherthe penalty of his life.

"'Give it to 'em, Jack,' he would ery. 'Lay 'em low my lad. Your gun has done many a good job before. I'm going to give you an office that will thought be was addressing Jack Chinn, his devoted body-guard."

"Horrid visions crossed his brain. He fought imaginery battles. He led with the militia. He shot down men, and ordered others to shoot. 'Kiil! his wounds bleeding afresh."

That was the sort of news that was the "martyr" in Kentucky. Law-abiding citizens in civilized states like Ne braska will not waste much sympathy on victims of the civil war. Yet, all must deplore a state of civilization which admits of the leadership of men Hank Botts stripe.

### F. A. HARRISON. POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

From the Chicago News.

Experience never teaches fools any

You can frequently judge a man by the fool friends he has.

A good aim in life is of little benefit

unlees you can shoot. When a man dies who owes his tailor

Every man knows better than to go ing like it occurred." up against another man's game, yet The counterfeiter doesn't care for

expenses if he is allowed to pay in his

twixt the cup and the lip by drinking | ments. out of the bottle.

There is something wrong with the patiently for his dinner.

No man is absolutely perfect, but one

and if he is lucky then he worries because he is afraid his luck will change. "How to Select a Wife" is the title of a recent magazine article. Prob. quest. ably the safest is to wait until she be-

### comes a widow. ATCHISON GLOBE SIGHTS.

Well did you get a valentine? You

are not so old if you did There is no use denying that there is pleasure in telling a great secret. · There is one advantage in being old: the old are never as hungry as the

If you don't believe that men are neater than women look at the old shoes left at a shop to be repaired.

It takes a girl of fashion at least an

hour to comb her hair so that it looks

look upon the conversion of an infidel. surance, \$2,200.

iff Against Porto Rico.

headquarters. They say that before And Several Who Are Opposed to the Measure-Eight Votes Would Defeat It Names of the Men Classed as Opposed -No Agreement on the Finance Bill-Reply to Macrum's Charges-Evidence day.

in the Clark Case. Washington, Feb. 21 .- The Repub- maid in Jensen's livery barn for a few lican leaders are becoming nervous days. over the fate of the Porto Rican tariff They have only a majority of fourteen over the opposition, which is solidly opposed to the measure. iEght last week. votes from the Republican side would therefore defeat it, and there are from twelve to fifteen Republican votes in doubt. A movement for a Republican Monday, caucus is being agitated, and although no call had been issued up to the time of adjournment last night the general understanding was that one would be scarlet fever, but nothing very serious. held tonight. The Republicans re- C. D. Quinton and W. M. Roland ported to be opposed to the bill are McCall of Massachusetts, Littlefield effect, and had struck harder than of Maine, Powers of Vermont, Tomp- Marshall ice house for their own use. kins of New York, Bromwell of Ohio, Lorimer of Illinois, Heatwole of Minnesota, Tongue of Oregon, Loud of church preached to a large audience California, Jones and Cushman of Sunday night. Subject was "The Washington, and Crumpacker of In- Devil in Robes."

President's Message on Porto Rico. The president's early position on the subject is being used by the opposition in the argument. Yesterday Swanson of Virginia began an argument Mother and child are doing well. against the bill by reading from the president's message to congress anto abolish all customs tariff between crowded house Tuesday night. Every publican party since this message had they will appear again in the near entirely changed its policy in dealing future. with this matter. The change, he declared, was solely on account of political exigencies.

the house debate. Discussion of the Philippine question was resumed for the Filipinos be accorded the right to govern themselves.

Finance Conferrees Not Agreed. day, but it was announced at the adjournment that no agreement had been reached upon any point, although prosment vesterday the house conferrees consulted leading members relative to the bimetallic amendment adopted by tired barself out the senate, to see if there would be conference yesterday was consumed entirely in discussion.

the allegations that ex-Consul Macrum's mail had been opened by the (Mo.) Capital, November 24, 1899 Kill!' he cried, and awoke screaming. British censor at Cape Town. The an-It will show, in brief, that the department has no official knowledge whatever that there was any interference given from the bedside and printed by with the ex-consul's mail, as he made TWO STORIES FOR ANGLERS. the Goebelites to paln sympathy for no complaint to the department on the

## LAWYER WELLCOME'S EVIDENCE,

He Appears in the Clark Case and Contradicts Whiteside Point Blank.

of the Jack Chinn, Eph Lillard and on elections, but his testimony did not was taken by a good-sized trout that attract as much attention as that of other witnesses who were heard during the day. The other witneses were late, and his examination-in-chief was the boat he espied in ten or fifteen feet

Day admitted having accepted a present of \$5,000 from Clark, and said he hooked by the fly he had grabbed. monial and as compensation for his Rowing ashore the angler stripped and understood that it was given as a testiservices. The oath of office as member | dove for his prize. He secured it and of the house was read and seemed to a piece of the branch, and to-day has produce quite an impression upon some the stuffed trout with hook still in his All men are auxious for fame, but of the committee. This oath prohibits faw and the other hook embedded in growing in the northwest part of the many are willing to accept money as a a member receiving anything of value the broken branch mounted as a piscafor performance or non-performance torial study and souvenir of the inciof any duty. Corbett and Justice Pig-Nothing pleases a man more than to ott were confronted for a brief period hear that a neighbor has lost all of his early in the day and in a rather dramatic manner. They both testified concerning a mortgage held by Corbett Many a man has avoided the slip and there was a direct clash in state- McElroy, the tailors. Call and ex-

Request of the Turkish Minister. Washington, Feb. 21.-The Turkish minister, Ali Ferrouh Bey, recently reappetite of a small boy who can wait turned from Constantinople accompanied by his wife and sister, and this led to several references to them in the press. The minister does not question requested yesterday that the press respect the customs of his country in If a man is unlucky it worries him this particular and refrain from reference to affairs personal to his own ness would readily appreciate this re-

Janesville Mid-Winter Fair. Janesville, Wis., Feb. 21. - Janesville's mid-winter fair opened yesterday morning. Fully 1,000 farmers from all portions of the county were in attendance. At the large rink building, the main exhibit nan, is to be round all the farm produce that one would expect to find at a county fair held in the month of June. The fair in every respect is identical with the summer fair, only not on such a large scale.

She Left Her Happy Home for Him, Vincennes, Ind., Feb. 21.—Miss Ellen Yoder, the 16-year-old daughter of Quincy Yoder, ran away from her home at Plainville, Ind., to meet her lover, Charles Roach, in this city. Her sweetheart met her at the train and

That medicine at once made a speedy and complete cure. She is now a young lady, and has never had a sign of the disease to return.

Mrs. Ruth Berkeley. was given an affectionate greeting by Miss Yoder, but their happiness was soon interrupted by the chief of police, and is beyond the reach of the average When a man gets \$50 a month the who arrested the girl on request of blood medicine. Swift's Specific her father. Yoder came on the next train and took his daughter home.

High School Building Burned. Depere, Wis., Feb. 21.—Yesterday

## AVOCA ITEMS.

Fred Rubge made a trip to Omaha one day last week.

Chris Nutzman was a passenger for Manley last Saturday.

Joe Graham shipped a carload of brgs to Nebraska City Monday. Bert Jamison and Mable Johnson were guests at the Hotel Oxford Sun-

Walter Norvel is acting as chamber

C. F. Lau of South Bend, was visiting his old chum, J. C. Marquardt

O. C. Clark of Grainger Bros., Lincoln, was calling on his customers

Claude, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hollenberger is down with were putting up ice last week in the

Rev. Chamberlain of the Christian

John Herman is stepping around pretty lively now and has a smile on his face that can't be beat. It is a boy.

The Brown-Perkins Comedy comnouncing that it was "our plain duty" pany, a home talent, played to a the United States and Puerto Rico. part was carried out fine and was ap-The conditions in Puerto Rico had not preciated by the audience. It is boped

### "McCarthy's Mishaps."

On no previous occason this season The senate was also engaged in dis- has such hilarious fun prevailed at cussing the legal question involved in Wood's as last night. Barney Ferguson's "McCarthy's Mishaps" tickled a time in the senate, Kenney speak- the crowd and the crowd stormed. Se ink against the retention by the United dalia audiences are inclined to want States of the islands and urging that all they can get of a good thing, and encores are not infrequent; but not in the recollection of the regular theate The conferrees on the finance bill goer has such a demonstration been were in session several hours yester- made here as that given Grace Passmore in her "coon" songs last night. Grace is not the star of the company, pects were that an agreement might but the audience made a particular be finally reached. After the adjournstar of her, and refuse 1 to permit the performance to preceed until she had

warm your heart, old man.' He ay great objection to allowing it to re- monstrative over the Irish song of main a part of the bill. The time in Nellie Fillmore and they went wild with enthusiasm when Barney and Hay's Reply to the Wheeler Resolution. Dick Ferguson did their billet act. imaginery mobs in bloody contests preparations for the reply to be made for much applaus, and her dancing was something wonderful.-Sedalia

At White's opera house Monday, swer will be sent to the house today. February 26. Prices 25, 35, 50 cents. Reserved seats on sale at Lehnhoff's.

Front Caught Twenty-Four Hours After

It Took the Fly. A well-known Albany angler had a unique experience this summer trout fishing up in Canada. He was sent out Washington, Feb. 21.—Senator Clark from camp to catch a mess for supper. esterday continued and completed his He was fishing with three flies on a testimony before the senate committee single leader. At the first cast his fly leaped from the water to grab it. He evidently got the leader on a "slack" Frank Corbett, of Butte, recalled; E. before the line was tightened from the C. Day, who was the Clark leader on rod, as he snapped it off and went the floor of the Montana house of rep. swimming away with the two flies resentatives, and John B. Wellcome, and broken leader trailing behind. who was a general manager for Clark. Next day the angler revisited the lake, Wellcome did not take the stand until and as he was looking over the side of not completed when the committee ad- of water the big trout that had taken He made a general and specific denial of all the allegations made by examination reveal.

Whiteside and others. Denials were ship was safely hitched to the dead whiteside and others. Denials were ship was safely hitched to the dead whiteside and others. Denials were ship was safely hitched to the dead made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions by branch of a tree which had fallen into made in response to questions and the water. In swimming about one of the branch He made a general and specific de- his leader the night before. A closer order to protect their rights. The it's a case of the survival of the fittest. Faulkner, and the witness uniformly the water. In swimming about one of the migrations of the trout still firmly dent .- Albany Argus.

> A fine line of new samples for spring suits has been received by Hudecek &

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the disease.

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Scrofula is an obstinate blood disease.

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