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WE ought to have a lecture course in Plattsmouth this winter.

WHAT's the matter with organizing a musical festival among the singers of Plattsmouth this winter?

THIS is an off year for the republicans. They are likely to lose both New York and Ohio, as well as Cass county.

WELL, election is over, and every Plattsmouth man should do everything he can to assist in pushing forward its best interests.

NEWS from the Utah election shows that the republicans combined with the Mormons and elected the state ticket and the legislature. A democratic congressman, it is claimed, was elected.

THE elections in the eastern states demonstrate in a very pronounced manner that Mr. Cleveland's policy on the finances has alienated large numbers of democrats, while it has not attracted any republican support whatever.

RETURNS from Kentucky are not complete, but the belief is that the gold bug democrats were not able to sell out the democratic ticket there, although they did their worst. Hardin's majority will not be large, however.

THE Maryland democracy has finally broken away from the bossism of Gorman, by joining in with the republicans. It was a fitting rebuke to a most tyrannical political regency, and will place the politics of that state in a healthy condition.

THE pigs—Corbett and Fitzsimmons—were not able to bring disgrace upon the state of Arkansas, and were obliged to flee from that state in order to get free from the minions of the law and the determined action of Governor Clark. The world at large is in hearty accord with the course of the governors of Texas and Arkansas in their efforts to suppress prize fighting.

THE powers of Europe have wrung from the Sultan of Turkey the pledge that the Armenians should be protected, and still the reports come of renewed outbreaks, of murders, massacres, rapine and destruction of these Christians by the bloodthirsty Turks, unawed by the Sultan's armies. The probabilities are that the whole of the Armenian tribes will be wiped off the face of the earth before a stop is put to Turkish brutality.

IT would seem that the Cleveland administration has only the poor satisfaction in this election of having contributed to the republican triumph in Maryland. In Kentucky even, with a platform endorsing Cleveland and Carlisle, the ticket was wholly snowed under. In Ohio, where a gold platform was adopted, and Cleveland endorsed, the republican majority was nearly doubled, and Brice, with his mints of money, was not a figure in the choice of the legislature.

THE men who brought about the defeat of Judge Chapman have done a great work toward securing a reformation of the bench, and they may well rejoice and feel glad, both for having checked the ambition of one who was well along on the road toward an utter disregard of public opinion and of public justice, and for electing a man who, say what you may of him, has always kept well in touch with the people. An autocrat has been succeeded by a democrat, and it is well.

THE gain of 54,000,000 pounds in the American production of tin plate in the first year of the new tariff is a fact of the greatest possible interest to William McKinley. It shows him that he has not labored in vain. The prayers he made for the preservation of the infant tin plate industry have been answered. The democratic tariff law abolished the absurd McKinley duty of four cents a pound on tin ore and reduced the duty on tin plate one half. Twenty-six mills which have begun operation in a single year will come very

near increasing the total annual output to an equality with the total annual consumption.—New York World.

The result of the election in Cass county is not known in detail at this writing, but enough is known to indicate that the county has elected all the republican candidates, in all probability elected most of them by good round majorities. In a county which is republican by nearly 400 it is a difficult feat to overcome that majority, unless a great disparity in the character of the candidates should be presented. In the late campaign this was impossible to do, for it was conceded that the republican nominees on the county ticket were personally men of fair abilities and reputable citizens. The democratic nominees were strong men and the vote shows that the candidates for treasurer, sheriff and clerk of courts were much stronger than their party, but they were not strong enough to win. It is evident to any observer that a party must be united, both in state and county, if it would be in a position to win elections. This was lamentably not true of the democracy this year.

THE gold-bug democrats of the 18th Illinois district have taken savage satisfaction in defeating Mr. Lane, the democratic nominee for election to congress because he favored free coinage. They were encouraged to do this by Senator Palmer who, in the decrepitude of his old age has turned with the bitterness and hatred of a savage against the interests of the common people by whose loyal support he was sent to the senate. He openly advised democrats to vote for the republican candidate rather than support Mr. Lane. Backing that sentiment was a liberal supply of hoolie from the banks—and, as in the time when Wm. R. Morrison was robbed of his seat in the house—the district was bought and paid for.

LARRY MCGANN, the Chicago congressman, and as fine a specimen of an honest and successful Irish-American as the "ould sod" ever sent across the sea, is entitled to a monument. At last fall's election he was given the certificate of re-election to congress, was put on the rolls and his salary began last March. A contest, however, showed that he was falsely counted in by the election board. He promptly notified the authorities that he would not accept pay nor make a further contest. While he might have taken Uncle Sam's cash for at least a whole year, and probably could have served most of the term, he would do nothing of the sort. It is the first case of the sort on record.

IT is now an evident fact that the Nebraska Australian ballot law should be amended so as to present the ballot in a different form. When it came to voting for the democratic state ticket many of the voters were apparently so confused that they did not know how to express their convictions. In every ward of the city ballots were cast for both Phelps and Mahoney and all four of the candidates for regents. In other cases men voted for Mahoney and for Blackburn and Kittle, and others for Phelps and for Ames and Ashby. This result was purposely connived at by the republican secretary of state and the supreme court. It was a scandalous outrage on the ballot.

EUGENE FIELD, who died of heart failure, at his home in Chicago the other day, was one of the most entertaining writers and successful authors of the time. A member of the celebrated Field family, of which Cyrus W. Field, Supreme Court Judge Field and Marshall Field are noted characters. Eugene Field, like his sister, Kate, chose a literary career, and, although he died before reaching the full fruition of a well-rounded life, he has added many choice gems of verse and prose to the literature of his time and to the language. No pang of harsh criticism has been left behind. Those who knew him only by his writings have nought but a sincere regard for his memory.

An Important Decision. Heretofore in cases of foreclosure of mortgages, where the mortgaged property has failed to sell for enough to satisfy the judgments, the mortgagees have been allowed personal judgment against the debtors for the balance. Now comes Judge Foster of the United States court, who, in proceedings had before him at Leavenworth, Kansas, reversed former practice.

The northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company of Milwaukee went before Judge Foster asking for confirmation of sale of a block on Sixth street. The judgment was for \$9,874 and the property had been bid in by the mortgagee for \$9,000. Personal judgment was asked for the unpaid balance. Roby presented affidavits showing the property was worth the

judgment, whereupon Judge Foster decided point blank that he would not confirm the sale until the mortgagee should waive claims for balance.

**A Growing Business.**

Two years ago last March the Heisel mill, rebuilt and furnished throughout with new machinery of the latest and best pattern, was reopened for business, and it has been running every day since, Sundays excepted, and most of the time at night, also. It is now full of business, and beside furnishing flour for all the grocers in town, has built up a splendid trade with the farmers. This will probably bring more farmers to town from a distance than any other agency. Men come to the Heisel mill to trade wheat for flour from Otoe county, from within two miles of Weeping Water, from around Louisville and from beyond Glenwood, Iowa, and they frequently load up with merchandise before they go home. And, when they come once, they are sure to come again. The merchants of Plattsmouth have no better drawing card for their business from out of town than the Heisel mill, as they will learn by and by.

The proprietor, Conrad Heisel, is a man in whom every confidence can be placed, and the farmers have learned this fact by their business contact with him. The flour made by the mill is as good as the best, and the merchant who sells the most will find himself gaining in custom.

This mill is a great institution for Plattsmouth, and the chances are that before long it will have to be enlarged to accommodate its growing business.

**Rich gold Fields.**

Excitement over the Milford gold find, which has in the last few days died out in Lincoln, has been revived and increased manifold by a report of a mining engineer who had been employed by some of the land owners to investigate the matter, says a dispatch from that place. This man is Prof. Herbert Bartlett, who was for a time connected with the United States geological survey in Colorado and has had experience with gold mines in South Africa, Australia, Honduras and other lands. The substance of the report to his employers is that they have a bonanza. He says he found a gravel gold bearing vein of several miles in extent, greater in extent and depth and richer than any similar deposit in the world.

The two great fields of this class have been the Middle Australia field and one in Honduras. Millions have been taken from each of these. As compared to them Prof. Bartlett says that the Australian deposit yielded gold at from \$1.25 to \$2.90 per ton, while the tests of the Milford gravel show from \$2 to \$3. Bartlett's own tests, made over several miles of territory, show a smaller range of from \$3 to \$90. He says that with water the gravel can be worked for twenty-five cents per ton. This water, his observation leads him to conclude, can only be obtained from artesian wells. All that remains, he says, is to get the gold out—tests have established the fact that it is there. There is another plan for getting the water to the gold fields which the projectors have been considering for several days, and which they are satisfied is possible.

**Resolutions of Respect.**

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the universe to remove from our midst by death our beloved brother and co-laborer, Carl W. Carlson; therefore, be it

Resolved, That by his death Evergreen camp, No. 70, of the Modern Woodmen of the World, has lost a worthy member and a faithful brother, the city a worthy and patriotic citizen and the wife and family a faithful and loving husband and father.

Resolved, That this camp extends to the bereaved family its deepest sympathy and condolence in their hour of affliction.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records, a copy be presented to the bereaved wife and children and given to the city press for publication.

A. G. BROBACK,  
H. H. KUHNLEY,  
HERMAN RICHTER,  
Committee.

**A Natural Wonder.**

The most wonderful piece of natural sculpture in the world may be seen by any visitor to the Cape Verd islands. This specimen of natural art work is without doubt the most colossal and marvelous freak known to the geologists and geographers. San Vicente is the principal town of the islands. As the ship enters the harbor of the above named place one sees a bold ridge of dark volcanic rocks lying in the distance. The crest of this ridge forms an exact likeness of Washington, the figure lying apparently face upward, as if in sleep. The large, bold features, the backward wave of the hair, the rotund form of the massive shoulders, and even the frills on his colonial shirt are reproduced on a scale of such magnitude and grandeur as to be absolutely startling. The fidelity of the outline is such that the freakish forms assumed by the stalactites and stalagmites in the well known natural caverns are not suitable comparisons.

**NEBRASKA NEWS.**

Norfolk has a cemetery association composed of ladies.

Broncho breeders of Custer county are finding a market for the bucking brutes in Georgia.

W. W. Haskell of the Ord Quiz is now recognized as the leading poet of northwest Nebraska.

The Methodist brethren of Chadron have set about the good work of building a parsonage for their able pastor.

Several farmers north of Burwell neglected to make fire guards around their hay stacks, and now they have none.

Mrs. Henry Abl, living near Milligan, Fillmore county, gave birth to three girls, and all parties bid fair to live long and prosper.

B. Mickman of Dodge county has broken the record. He pulled a beet the other day that weighed almost twenty-nine pounds.

The sons of a farmer in Chase county unearthed a den of rattlesnakes and in three days put 125 of the "pizen" reptiles out of their misery.

Dudley Trusdell of Fremont, while playing shinny, got a rap over the head that "put him to sleep." The doctor thinks he will be all right in a few days.

A Mrs. Brandt of Erina, Garfield county, while going about with her household duties, suddenly fell to the floor and expired. Heart disease was the cause.

One of the best farm houses in Madison county, belonging to Chas. Lauch, burned to the ground with most of its contents. The insurance of \$700 will scarcely cover one-third of the loss. A defective flue was the cause.

Most of our readers, says the Atkinson Graphic, have had more politics than they wanted in the past five weeks. The women and children have said, "confound the paper! there is nothing in it but dirty old politics." We can't help it, the country must be saved once every year.

**Lamps! Lamps!**

Bennett & Tutt have just received a new supply of banquet, stand and hanging lamps of the very latest patterns and designs. They are beautiful. Call and look at them.

They have also been adding to their already large stock of china and queensware many new patterns.

**The Atlanta Exposition.**

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W. L. PICKETT, Agent.

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\$2.99.

**Sheetings,**

Pillow cases, Muslin of all kinds; Cotton Batten, all purchased previous to the big advance.

**Cheap Cotton.**

To get such uncommon goods to be sold at less than common prices, when everything was increasing in price, was a problem.

Table Spreads at 99 c.

**Shoes.**

The advance in shoe leather makes no difference to us. We made our purchases previous to the advance and are receiving new lines right along. In job lots we have only a few odd sizes. Best ladies' 2½ to 4, 50c to \$1; child's shoes, 11 to 2.50 c.

**Hosiery.**

For Ladies and Children in black and Tan. Boys' bicycle hose at 25c—all sizes.

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Anything you want from an ingrain carpet at 25c to a fine Brussels or Moquette, with handsome borders to match. Also Matings, Oilcloths, Linoleums, window Shades and Rugs in this department. A special purchase of Moquette rugs, 36 inches wide by 72 inches long, \$3.50. The same rug used to cost you \$6.

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