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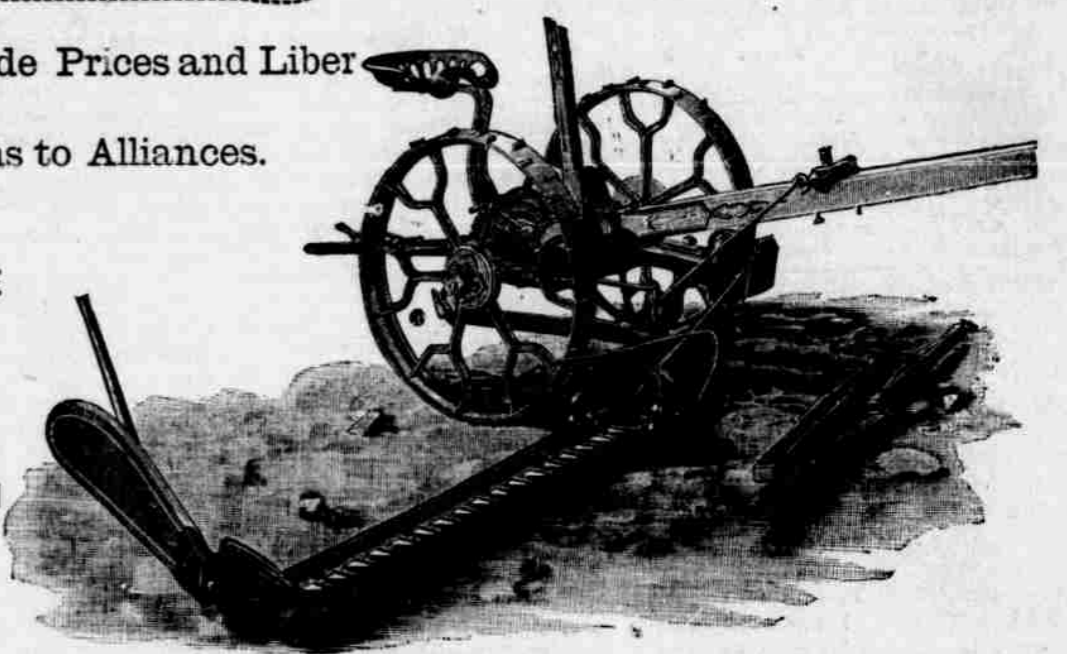
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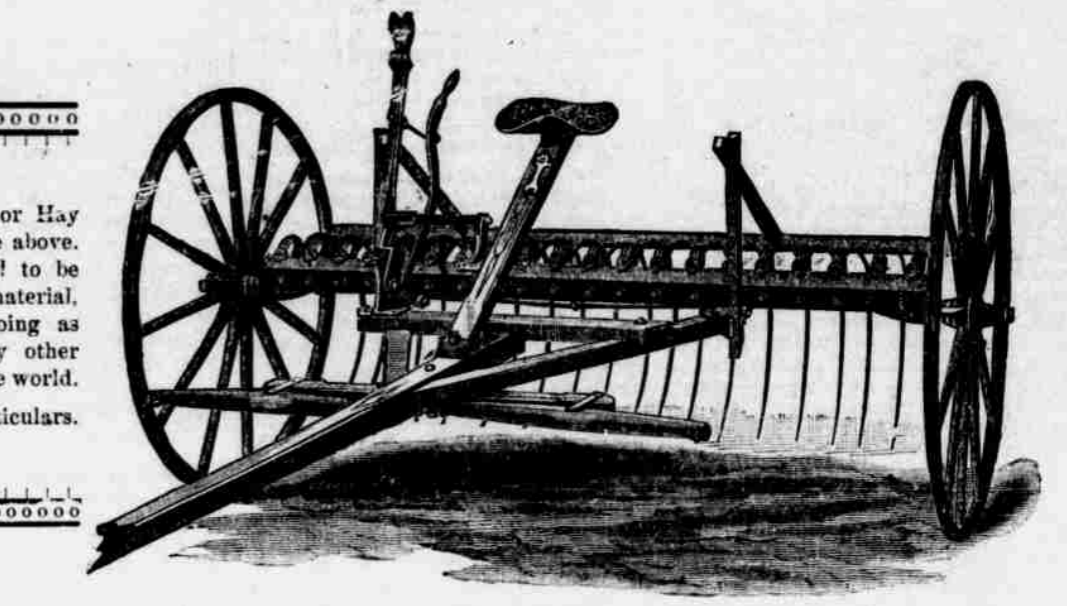
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Oxford's Ancient Epitaph. The oldest epitaph in English, which is found in a churchyard in Oxfordshire and dates from the year 1370, to modern readers would be unintelligible, not only from its antique typography, but from its obsolete language. The first two lines of which run as follows, and may be taken as a sample of the whole: "Man com & so how schal alle deile be: wen yow comes bad & bare: noth hav en we away fare: all ys werines yt vo for care." The modern reading would be: "Man, come and see how shall all dead be, when you come poor and bare; nothing have, when ye away fare: all is weariness that we for care."

J. H. McMurtry, real estate and loans, abstract and notary. McMurtry block, adjoining Alliance headquarters corner Eleventh and M streets.

Mrs. C. J. Evans of Buffalo, N. Y., has been spending a few days with her cousin, B. S. Littlefield.

DAIRY FARM for sale or rent. My well improved farm adjoining Rushville; and in connection with milk and ice business, alone worth \$1200 a year. Will sell cheap and on easy terms. For particulars address W. J. LEAVITT, 6-41 Rushville, Neb.

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Strictly in it. At Baker's clothing house 1125 O Street. Men's, youths' and boys' suits will be sold regardless of cost for the next ten days. Mr. Baker is the authority for the statement that they can't "score him with their \$5 suits; nor, with their \$10 bills." Call and look over his immense stock. Low prices and square dealing is his motto.

An Old Soldier Bids Farewell to Soup and Hash. Mr. F. P. McMillon, of Frontier county, an old soldier who was getting very thin and poor in consequence of his teeth. He had been unable to eat anything but spoon victuals and hash for several years. After exhausting the dental skill of the west he came 200 miles to Dr. Burrus and got a fine set of teeth that he could eat with, and went home 30 years younger.

Leese & Stewart, 231 S. 11th St.

Sheriff Sale. Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an order of sale issued by the Clerk of the District court of the second Judicial District of Nebraska, within and for Lancaster County, in an action wherein A. H. Weir & Company is plaintiff and William H. Turner, D. L. Bruce and George E. Biglow partners as Bruce & Biglow; Ezra T. Vance, Milton L. Trester, William J. Hittler, John E. Graham, Baird Brothers, T. T. Timmons, N. Dietz and John Forberger are defendants, I will at 2 o'clock p. m., on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1891, at the East door of the court house in the City of Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska, offer for sale at public auction the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot nineteen (19), in block three (3) in Madison Square addition to the city of Lincoln, Lancaster County, Nebraska. Given under my hand this 28th day of July, A. D. 1891. SAN MCCLAY, Sheriff.

MONEY TO LOAN On improved farms in south eastern Nebraska from three to five years at 6 per cent interest. I also want to purchase school bonds. Call on or address, JOSEPH J. KELLY, Richards' Block, 9-3m Lincoln, Neb.

The Western School Correspondence, Fairfield, Neb. Farmer's boys and girls attention. You can take lessons in arithmetic, algebra, book-keeping, shorthand, grammar, etc., through the U. S. mail. Tuition only \$3 per term of twelve weeks for any branch. Send for circular.

The University of Nebraska Opens September 15. Courses in Agriculture, Botany, Chemistry, Civil Engineering, English Literature, Economics and Political Science, Geology, Greek, History, Horticulture, Latin, Mathematics, Military Science, Modern Languages, Philosophy, Physics, Zoology and Earth Music. Libraries of 10,000 volumes and 30 periodsicals.

Sell your own GRAIN. Arrangements are now made with B. Fowler & Co., of Omaha, Chicago and St. Louis for handling Alliance grain. Will also buy on the truck subject to inspection and shrinkage. Commission, Wheat 1 ct. per bushel. Corn 3/4. Oats 1/2. Bill to ALLEN ROOT, in care of B. Fowler & Co., Omaha, Neb.

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DEATH BRAVELY MET. A Recent Military Execution in One of the Mexican States. Monterey and the state of Nuevo Leon has been the theatre of many military tragedies, but the shooting of Salvador Escobedo, second lieutenant of the Mexican cavalry, May 19, was the saddest that has ever darkened the annals of the state. A brief history of the event which led to this execution is necessary to a proper understanding of the case, says the Globe-Democrat.

Last December a company of the Thirteenth Regular Cavalry was ordered to do special duty at Cadereyta, a small town on the Gulf road. The company was in command of a first lieutenant and the deceased.

A dispute arose between the officers, and Lieutenant Estuperron fearing, as his friends say, that his life was in danger, drew his pistol but did not shoot at his superior. It is claimed that he snatched the pistol, but it missed fire. For this offense he was placed under arrest and tried by a general court-martial and sentenced to death. There were extenuating circumstances admitted and the case was carried to the highest federal courts. Pending a decision the first officer of the company was shot dead at the portals at Monterey by one of his soldiers, and the soldier, while yet the smoke was curling from his weapon, was shot down by the captain of the company. Whether these deaths affected the pardoning power or not will never be known, but the finding of the court was approved, and powerful personal appeals by persons intimately associated with President Diaz were unavailing.

The time of the shooting was kept a profound secret. The cathedral clock chimed 4. There was a sharp bugle call, a hurrying of mustering feet, quick commands and rapid evolutions, and in a few moments the garrison fell into line. The gate in the rear of the barracks was opened, and the Thirteenth Cavalry, in full marching order, on foot, issued forth, followed by their band with muffled instruments. The Fifth Cavalry followed, and then the Fifth Infantry. They formed a square, three sides of which consisted of the respective regiments. The fourth was the wall of the barracks. The general commanding the department, and staff, took up a position in the center. When the troops halted the commanding officer cried, "Attention! Fix bayonets!" He then announced the sentence, and added:

"If any man moves in the ranks or gives any expression of sympathy with the prisoner or fault with the sentence, he shall be committed to prison from one to five years, depending on the gravity of the offense."

The silence, as of death, fell upon the soldiers and the few spectators who were allowed to be present. It is now 4:15. From the gate issued a company of the Thirteenth, at its head a prisoner, and by his side a priest. With a firm tread and a proudly lifted head he marched, never faltering or halting, but with a bright smile upon his face, he looked the least concerned of the party. He halted at a small marked elevation twenty feet from the barracks wall. His company filed past and formed in front. Four files deep. Two lines advanced, halted and one still advanced. There were six men in each line. The firing party thus consisted of six men. In the front line, within ten feet of the prisoner, and the second line within fifteen feet. The other two lines formed a reserve. The death knell tolled and the clock struck 5. The officer advanced to bandage the eyes of the prisoner, but the latter waved the officer aside and said:

"I have looked too often in the face of death to fear him now."

"It shall be as you wish," said the Captain, as he took his place at the left of the firing party. Taking off his hat, the prisoner surveyed the assembled troops, looked once at the sun-tipped hills, and said to the firing party: "Shoot straight for my heart, but do not strike my face. Adieu." And bringing his hands to the position of "attention," he awaited the end. There was a slight flash of the Captain's sword. The guns came to "Ready!" Another flash. "Aim!" The blade drops. Six sheets of flame dart toward the prisoner, who sprang into the air with three bullets in his heart. The surgeon took his wrist. The Captain gave a quick command, a soldier stepped from the ranks and, placing his rifle to the prisoner's head, fired. In less than fifty seconds from the drop of the sword Lieutenant Estuperron was dead.

HER HAIR GREW AFTER DEATH. Heavy Braids Ten Feet Long Found in a Coffin Twenty Years Buried. A prominent citizen of Warren Summit, N. H., recently caused the body of his mother to be disinterred for the purpose of burying it in another spot, when it was found that the coffin was completely encircled with the strands of the lady's hair, even the grave being filled with the silky masses, which had to be cut through before the coffin could be removed. Upon opening the coffin the remains, with the exception of the head, were found to have perished, but the skull was wonderfully preserved, and even the skin intact, and from this had grown a quantity of hair, such as no living person could carry. The lady had been dead twenty years, and at the time of her decease her magnificent suit of hair had been clipped short, so that there is no doubt of all that was found in the coffin having grown after death.

Her son says, however, that his mother's hair was of a beautiful bright golden hue, whereas, the post-mortem growth is of a pale, colorless tinge, dingy and coarse, though retaining a sort of vitality. It had forced its way through the seams of the coffin, and twined about it like the tendrils of a vine, and was so thick as to hide it completely, while it filled the coffin as entirely. It was calculated that there were nearly seventy-five pounds of it in all, and that the strands were fully ten feet in length. The lady on whose head this grew died at the age of 27, and after an illness of only a few hours, consequently retaining her robust and full-blooded figure, which may possibly account for the extraordinary growth. When it was removed from about the coffin the latter fell apart, showing that it was held together by the hair.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Our City. There is probably no city in the entire west that affords such an unlimited number of honorable citizens as does the prosperous and wealthy city of Lincoln. Even a modest recital of her many advantages may seem to strangers an overdrawn tale, yet to one who has lived here and enjoyed her prosperity and witnessed her growth, we can say that it is marvelous. Lincoln is bound to be the leading city in the west. Surrounded by the most fertile acres on the face of the globe, land on which failure of crops is seldom known; a delightfully healthy climate with an abundance of the purest water; peopled by hardy, industrious and progressive citizens, all combined to make an aggregate of features which render anything but success impossible. In architecture there is no city of thirtee size that can boast of as many palatial residences, elegant churches, public buildings and fine business blocks. In this feature Lincoln stands pre-eminently in the west, and it is not only a source of pride to the people but a surprise to strangers.

To us it seems as though this is the most beautiful spot in this part of the country for residences, and our citizens have all the advantages of metropolitan life. The streets are well paved, and lighted by gas and electricity. Street car service extends over a large part of the city making almost any portion of the suburbs desirable as residence property and easy of access.

We have the churches of every denomination pointing their spires heavenward, the finest public schools in the state, presided over by the ablest and most competent educators, thus enabling the youth to obtain that priceless boon—a thorough education.

Lincoln affords unparalleled inducements to capitalists seeking investment, and to manufacturers looking for desirable locations from which they can reach the great trade of the west and northwest. Manufacturers will find a hearty welcome, a ready market for their produce and plenty of good, honest men to do their work. Our banks have by far a larger capital than any city of its size in the west, and they are always ready to accommodate the merchants and manufacturers, by reason of which failures in Lincoln are rare indeed.

Among her other features Lincoln possesses the largest and finest fair grounds in the country, a feature that has done much to increase the growth and stability of the city.

Eastern capital seeking investment in the west desirous of quick and sure returns will find it to their interest to give careful attention to the claims of this city. Merchants and others seeking homes in a thrifty, orderly and prosperous community should bend their steps Lincolnward. The sober, honest and industrious in all walks of life are given a cordial invitation to come and reside here in this, the handsomest and most prosperous city in the west. A city whose future is filled with golden promises and whose proud record of the past, filled with successes along all lines, is sure to be eclipsed by the certain successes which awaits the shrewd and wise investor.

The game of ball at the park Saturday between the coal dealers and lumber merchants resulted in the defeat of the merchants. A large crowd was in attendance and everybody enjoyed themselves.

The work on the new opera house is moving along nicely, and Lincoln can soon boast of having one of the finest operas in the west.

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Buckner at University Place was celebrated Saturday by friends and relatives.

The committees from the different local assemblies met Sunday morning in the K. of L. hall and submitted some very encouraging reports. The committee on speakers reported that they had secured Hon. J. E. Sovereign of Des Moines, the labor commissioner of Iowa. Also a prominent labor orator of Boston. The laboring men are becoming greatly enthused over the promise of these speakers.

The Bazar is now offering special inducements to the farmers and laboring men who wish anything in the dry goods line. Everything in stock must be sold in order to make room for the fall goods which will soon be here.

The Lincoln Street Railway Company are now selling twenty-four tickets for a dollar, at their office at Lincoln Hotel.

The mid-week prayer meeting at the Church of Christ is growing in numbers every week, and is becoming one of the strong holds of the church work.

There will be a meeting held by the eight-hour league Wednesday night in Bent's hall. All who are interested in the enforcement of this law should be present and lend a helping hand.

The report of Health Officer Bartram shows the number of deaths in Lincoln for July to be fifty-six.

The union printers are making a grand kick against the state work being done by "Rats."

Word has been received from the Alliance of Saunders county that they will send a thousand people to this city Labor Day to participate in the celebration to be held at Cushman Park.

The executive committee of Labor Day celebrations is called to meet to make further arrangements. Wednesday night at the office of J. Y. M. Swigart, 11th and M Street.

Dr. Crim has returned home from his visit to the mountains.

P. E. Beardsley, stenographer for the state board of transportation, returned home Saturday from a visit among friends in Denver.

Treasurer Hill, Attorney General Hastings and Secretary Allen visited Genoa Saturday in the capacity of a state board of public lands and buildings.

The journeymen bakers of this city met Sunday and signed an agreement in the nature that ten hours hereafter be considered a day's work instead of sixteen as it is at present.

There were about 800 persons assembled at Cushman Park Sunday afternoon to listen to an entertainment given by the Saxoniens. It was an attractive performance and highly appreciated by all.

Chris. Rocks, the genial proprietor of the St. Charles hotel, is spending a few weeks in Colorado, looking after his mining interests.

The salary of S. J. Kent, secretary of the school board, has been raised from \$500 to \$1,000.

Mr. A. H. Biglow spent Wednesday in Omaha looking after the establishment of a K. of L. paper in that city.

A. H. Hurber is spending a few days in Detroit, Michigan.

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