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"Whom the gods wish to destroy, they first make mad.'

Up to the present writing the Herald has not told of anything of a public na. ture in the interests of the county which was done by the old administration that was done legally and economically. It is evident that the outfit cannot make such a showing.

General Land Commissioner Groff has resigned. Since he took charge of that mee he has done most excellent work and the settlers in the new counties will always feel that he aided them in the work of securing homes. Judge Groff is in poor health and unable to stand the work that devolved upon him in the

Judge Cobb, of the supreme court, is being talked of to fill the vacancy in the office of general land commissioner. caused by the resignation of Judge Groff. The appointment of Judge Cobb would be an excellent one, as he is one of the most eminent jurists in Nebraska and beknows what the settlement of a new country means and would handle the affairs of the office in good shape.

It is reported that elevator companies are arranging to supply the farmers of South Dakota with seed grain. If the for the reds. farmers of western Nebraska could get seed in that manner, a large proportion of them would prefer to do that rather than accept it as a gift from any source. Of course there are some who figure that all they can get for nothing is clear gain, but those who feel that way form but a very small per cent of the settlers.

The last issue of the Herald contained another howl against Commissioners Grove and Green in regard to the county printing matter, and, as usual, ignores Commissioner Knott. That paper speaks of the action of the board as being "a job to throw a few hundred dollars to their pet." THE JOURNAL publishes the proceedings of the board at 831 cents per square, the same as the Herald offered to do the work and how it makes any extra cost to the county is a question which it would be interesting for the Herald to explain.

A Sings occurs in the Chadron Demc. crat, C. W. Allen retires and W. L. Bailey takes the helm. The political complexion of the paper changes to republican so that in future Chadron will have ho democratic paper. Mr. Allen has con- Senator Manderson's amendment to the

of police of the city of New Orleans was murdered and the deed was found to have been done by a gang of Italians. Arrests were made and a trial lasting wenty-five days had, but the jury, whom it is charged had been tampered with, failed to convict. The result was that on last Friday night the leading men of the city organized and proceeded to deal out swift and terrible justice to sleven Italians who were known to have een connected with the conspiracy to murder the chief of police. Numerous organizations of that city have passed of the general government is over all. esolutions endorsing the actions of the people. There are some cases where it seems necessary for the people to take the law into their own hands to prevent criminals from riding rough shod, and as a rule a long to be remembered lesson is usually taught evil doors when the people arise in their might.

an article signed "Alex C." bearing un-mistalcable indications of being a proction of the editor of that paper, which a curious mixture of an attempt to be owl. The article speaks of the excelet financial condition of Sioux county, nd compares it with Dawes county description that the papers of Dawes county do not how! about official dishonesty. If the writer of that article will take the amine the files of the papers of sty he will find that a gang ty and my the county into debt long, bard and hot fight was

The senate went to Denver last week to visit the senate of Colorado, and the representatives visited the sugar factory gray hair by using Ayer's Hair Vigor. at Grand Island. The session will likely end next week.

The proprietors of the Crawford Bacesand S. M. B. Stuart filed a petition in the and allow examination. district court of Dawes county asking that the court forcibly dissolve the copartnership sell the plant and divide assets The petition set up that the plaintiff find offered to purchase or sell the undivided half interest in the concern, but his partner, H. C. Webb, refused to do either. The value of the material, fixtures, good will and accounts was placed at \$300. After the suit had been commenced an arrangement was made whereby Mr. Stuart secured the interest of Mr. Webb. and will conduct the paper in future.

The article from the Washington, (D. C.) Post, which appears in another column of this issue on the Indian question is a good statement of the duty of the government to the Indians. It is necessary for a policy to be adopted which will show that civilization is a more pleasant state of existence than that in which the Indians have been living. The Pine Ridge Indians have arrived at a condition where they desire to name the man who is to be placed in charge of their interests at that place and it is to the interests of all that the government heed their request. The early settlers of the colonies rebelled against Great Britian appointing rulers over them, and if the same privilege is denied the Indians it will make them suspicious, restless and oneasy. If self-government and the right to say who shall rule is a good thing for the whites, there is no reason why it should not prove equally good

Just a Fit.

If a person sees a coat that fits him be sometimes puts it on before he knows it, or we may say the same thing in other words: "A guilty conscience needs no accuser."

Two school boys had quarreled and finally had engaged in a real stand up fight. The teacher got wind of the affair and called the combatants before him.

"He struck me," said one of the boys "He said I stole his knife," said the other. "I said somebody stole it," said the

"Well, you meant me," replied the

"Why, Charlie," said the teacher, "if

Willie had told me that somebody had stolen his knife, it would not have made me angry. I should not have thought that he meant me." "Well, but you don't steal," was the

ready answer.

Fair Play by the "Friendlies." Washington, (D. C., ) Post.

ducted a newsy paper and has many Indian appropriation bill is in the line of 8. Land Office. Business riends in Chadron who will be sorry to justice and sound policy. Many of the care will receive prompt attention see him retire. His successor has had a Indians who remained faithful and loyal, good deal of experience in newspaper as a result had their buildings burned work in northwest Nebraska so that he and most of their other property lost or knows what is in store for him and will destroyed. To recompense them with conduct himself in a manner to merit promptness would assure the friendly L. O. HULL, tribes of the sufficient power and protecting care of the executive, would con-On the 15th of last October the chief firm them in the feeling of good-will and would beget a confidence in their minds which might some day be found worth millions to the government: 'thereas, to DR. LEONHARDT deal with them parsimoniously, tardily or not at all, would justify suspicions of international neglect, and would strengthen their too ready belief in the unwillingness of the government to keep faith with the Indian. To repay them for their losses would have its due effect on the "hostiles" also, because it would show that the friendship of the "whites" is worth something, and that the power

For the time, the Sioux uprising has been quelled, but a sullen unrest, like a pall of gloom, hovers over the Indians of the frontier country. Even the friendly Indians are not satisfied. So many treaties have been broken, and so many promises are unfulfilled, that it is natur al for them to scan the horizon carefully and to watch for any sign of delinquency. The last issue of the Herald contained The war is not really over. On the Nebraska frontier and beyond it is a drawn battle, perhaps waiting for spring to begin once more. Congress cannot wish to favor a renewal of the fight or encour age the continued jeopardy of the lives B. E. Brewsren, and interests of western settlers.

And yet this is precisely what congre will do if it does not promptly appropriate the comparatively insignificant sum required to rehouse the Indians who remained true, and to make good to them what they lost. There is no job in this appropriation. The losses are simple and appropriation. The losses are simple and can be easily proved and definitely computed. No political patronage will arise from this simple act of justice. But the honor of the nation will be saved. The tribes will get a new lesson on the equities of governmental obligation, and the families provided for will take new heart and hope.

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The said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 4 day of May 180, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

Testimony of witnesses will be taken be-

failure.
Testimony of witnesses will be taken be fore S. H. Jones, a notary public, at his office in Harrison, on the 27th of April 1861, at 19 a. m. T. F. Powars, Receiver.
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