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Last Monday's daily papers said that Iowa had seventy-one hours of continuous rain fall and that it was still raining.

The re-counting of the amendment ballots by the pop legislature in the hope of seating the two pop judges who were elected contingent, was a dismal failure. Two thirds of the time of the legislature this winter has been spent wrangling over this recount and the nearest they could get to seating them was within 15,000 votes.

J. M. Snyder, of Sherman has been heard in the legislature to lift his voice and cry out "gentlemen be a law abiding body and do not defy the order of the courts." Now the facts are that this is not good populist doctrine but J. M. doesn't seem to care. More than once during that re-count on the amendment ballots the stench from the rottenness which has been practiced has been to much for the nostrils and he has been heard to cry out and enter a vigorous protest against the high handed manner in which the re-count was being done.

It is an undeniable fact, to whatever cause or causes it may be attributed, that there has been a great improvement in business since the election. The most marked changes occurred last month, when the steel rail and beams industry started on a new basis and took orders that will keep all the mills running for more than a year. We have had in the last few weeks reports of the starting of new textile factories in many places, and of largely increased operations in many of the old mills. But the most encouraging fact has just come to hand in the shape of an official statement by Factory Inspector Campbell, of Pennsylvania, that there are 100,000 more persons at work in that state now than there were six months ago. This means that in a single commonwealth nearly half a million persons have a much better chance to live in comfort than they did six months ago.

It is far easier to slide down than to climb a hill. One day of panic will do more devastation to business than a year of intelligent effort can undo. The blasting effects of the panic of 1893 are not all removed; the hard times have not been changed to good times; labor is still calling for and needing work. But the process of recuperation appears to have begun, and we have good reason to believe it will go on. Our material resources, natural and acquired, are still the wonder and the envy of the world, and we have just begun to appreciate and utilize them.—National Recorder.

While rummaging through a trunk Monday afternoon Mary Dvoracek, a 14-year-old girl living with her parents in the Bohemian settlement east of the Union Pacific tracks, found an old revolver with which she a few moments later sent a bullet through the body of her baby sister. Childlike and little dreaming of the danger that lurked within the rusty weapon, she playfully pointed the muzzle at the 3-year-old babe, when suddenly there came a deafening report and the gun performed its deadly mission.

The ball entered the stomach of the child and lodged near the backbone. Medical assistance was at once summoned but was powerless to ease the awful sufferings which racked the little body from the time

of the accident about 5:30 p. m., until merciful death came at 3 o'clock in the morning.

The family is naturally almost prostrated with grief over the terrible affair, Joseph Dvoracek, the father, is a tailor by trade and in the employ of Joseph Dery.

The funeral was held this morning from the Catholic church, the remains being interred in the cemetery south of town.—St. Paul Republican.

In 1887 the legislature ordered a re-count of the vote on a proposed constitutional amendment to increase the length of the legislature session, and the pay of the members. According to the returns made by the official canvassers the amendment lacked something like 2,000 votes of a majority. The vote on the amendment was on the same ballot with the names of the candidates for office and it was ascertained that in some voting precincts the election boards had neglected to count and return the vote on the amendment. Judge M. B. Reese, then on the supreme bench, and some others thought, the discrepancy being so small, perhaps enough of these omissions had occurred through the state to change the result and the legislature re-counted the votes. It was done by the legislature itself, in public, and the result was publicly announced every day as the count progressed, and transpired that in fact the amendment had carried but the votes had not all been returned. It was not a political move at all. All parties took part in it and were equally interested in the result. In the case now before the legislature the vote on the amendments was taken upon a separate ballot, and there is no reason to suppose that any election board in the state failed to count these ballots. The shortage is 30,000 and to suppose that even a tenth part of that number had been over-looked under the circumstances was ridiculous. But the extraordinary inducement of seating the governor's old partner and relative on the supreme bench was enough to induce the populists to undertake it. Such a thing could never be accomplished if it was watched, and so the board sat with closed doors and never announced the result, but pledged themselves to absolute secrecy, no penalty was attached to any amount of fraud or tampering with the ballots and they were shut up in a room to emerge with enough votes, by hook or by crank, to warrant the governor in declaring the amendment carried. If there is any parallel in one single circumstance between this high-handed outrage and the re-count of 1887, we have failed to discover it.—York Times.

Many of our citizens are planting trees again this season. It seems that the severe hail storm of last June did not entirely discourage them, although all of the fruit trees in town were greatly damaged and in several instances young promising orchards were entirely destroyed.

While Richard Bausch was working a disc last Thursday afternoon, the team started to run away, throwing him in such a manner that the disc passed over one foot, splitting the ankle bone and badly mutilating the limb. Dr. Palmer, the attending physician, says the injury is of a very serious nature.—Litchfield Monitor.

There has been a way of prosperity recently struck the Oltman farm. On Sunday last John Oltman and J. T. Hale went out to the farm to doctor a cow which had fallen in a well and dislocated her hip. After performing the surgical operation they looked about the premises and discovering that the old sow had a fine litter of pigs, that the best milk cow had twin calves, that the fine brood mare had a colt, and that Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oltman are the happy parents of a bouncing ten pound baby boy. All of these events took place within 24 hours. Grandpa John says that the walve has surely come.

The legislature played horse with the Scotia Normal School last week. They can put in an extra Soldiers' Home, on a siding that can be reached a little oftener than once a week, by rail, when an establishment of that sort is worse than useless. There is no state school in this part of Nebraska, and a Normal in this territory would accommodate an immense number with school privileges. The western and northwestern portions of the state will be heard from yet and they may be blessed with a re-creative memory, keeping in mind favors received.—Leader Independent.

Mr. Fulton, the Union Pacific mail clerk was compelled last week to lay off several days on account of sickness. A gentleman from Grand Island took his place during his absence.

Notice is hereby given that John Oltman did on the 23 day of March 1897 filed with the village clerk of Loup City, Nebraska, in the County of Sherman, in said State, his petition and application for a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in said village for the fiscal year of 1897 beginning on the first Tuesday of May 1897 and terminating on the first Tuesday of May 1898. Such application being the petition of more than 30 of the resident freeholders of said village of Loup City, and dated this 23rd day of March 1897.

M. H. MEAD, Village Clerk

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANTS.

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NOTICE OF SALE UNDER CHATTEL MORTGAGE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of chattel mortgage dated on the 25 day of May, 1895 and duly filed in the office of the county clerk of Sherman county, Nebraska on the 29 day of May, 1895 and executed by Samuel C. Fletcher and James M. Fletcher to Thomas B. Reed to secure the payment of the sum of \$65.00, and upon which there is now due the sum of \$65.00 with interest at ten per cent per annum from May 25, 1895, said mortgage being collateral to the mortgage hereinafter described. Default having been made in the payment of said sum and no suit or other proceedings having been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof, therefore I will sell the property therein described to-wit: One Piano mowing machine, 4 feet 6 inch cut, one iron frame harrow, part of one riding cultivator, part of one horseless cultivator, one steel beam 12 inch stubble plow, at public auction, at the south east corner of the public square in Loup City, Sherman county, Nebraska, on the third day of April, 1897, at 1 o'clock p. m. of said day.

Also that by virtue of a chattel mortgage dated on the 10 day of June, 1895 and duly filed in the office of the county clerk of said county, on June 10, 1895 and executed by Samuel C. Fletcher and James M. Fletcher to secure the payment of the sum of \$75.00 and upon which there is now due from Samuel C. Fletcher and James M. Fletcher the sum of \$75.00 with interest at ten per cent per annum from June 10 1895. Default having been made in the payment of said sum and no suit or other proceedings having been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof, therefore I will sell the property therein described to-wit: One Piano mowing machine, 4 feet 6 inch cut, one iron frame harrow, part of one riding cultivator, part of one horseless cultivator, one steel beam 12 inch stubble plow, at public auction, at the south east corner of the public square in Loup City, Sherman county, Nebraska, on the third day of April, 1897, at 1 o'clock p. m. of said day.

Dated this 27th day of March, 1897. T. B. REED, Mortgagee

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