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The British lion is running a foot race with the African lion with good prospects of coming out ahead.

Lady Smith has quit eating mule meat and the price of sausage in Paris is resuming its normal status.

The Porto Ricans will receive just treatment at the hands of Uncle Sam as long as Oom Bill continues to live at the white house.

Mr. Bryan attributes his good health to his active life. If the claim holds good he might be called the man with the iron jaw.

Even the Kentucky Democrats are growing ashamed of the Goebel law, and a movement is on foot in their own ranks for its repeal.

Bryan has concluded to do up Oregon next and will turn his mouth loose on the shores of the father of waters this spring. Poor Oregon.

The Kansas City Journal says that Mr. Gorman has requested all self-respecting democrats to overcome their disgust and attend Mr. Bryan's funeral this fall.

The editor of the Times purchased a descendant of Balaam's steed at the sale last Saturday. He says he has made a success as an amateur photographer and now has concluded to take up vocal music.

The Democrats announce that there will be 290 silver Republicans from Nebraska in attendance at their national convention, July 4th. If such be the case we predict an exodus to their first love after a few days association with the unwashed.

The Topeka, Kan. Capital, will be run for one week by the Rev. Sweden, "as Jesus would run a paper," and now the Atchison Champion announces that for one week it will be run "as the devil would run a paper." Kansas will never stop bleating.

The average farm value of corn in 1894-1896 was 24.6 cents per bushel. Last year when the crop was 195,000,000 bushels larger, the average price was 30.3 cents per bushel on the farm. During McKinley's prosperity there has been a great demand for this leading product of the farmers and at much better prices.

Not a single failure was recorded last month among the manufacturers of iron, cotton goods, or hats. There were only five failures among all the earthenware, brick and glass manufacturers; and in woolen and leather manufacturers they were smaller than in any other year except one. And still the democrats are not happy.

Carl Swensson of Lincoln, Kan. says while he was riding a long in the train the other day he became interested in a little six year old boy who continued to propound questions to him of the usual juvenile character. Finally he asked, "are you an American or a Bryan?" There is a question coming from a little six year old that should set to thinking the worshippers of the "boy orator." "Are you an American or a Bryan?" The question is so significant that even Mr. Bryan should realize its importance before the fall campaign is over.

Industrial Ireland rejoices over existing conditions in Cuba. Under the Spanish miracle of that island it was impossible for the Belfast linen manufacturers to do any business there owing to the preferential tariff in favor of Spain and the extra cost of gold for London bills of exchange, for Irish goods over Spanish currency payments. Cuban merchants are now buying where they can get the best goods at most reasonable prices and are remitting promptly. A Belfast linen merchant attributes this "to the wise, able, and enlightened government of that country by the United States."

Europe is cutting political capers just now that is hard to fathom by the best posted. Russia, Germany and France each seem to imagine that the world was made for them and if it was not for the fear of each other new maps would be made daily. In the mean time England is plodding along saying nothing but is sawing wood diligently and when the continent finally stops her circle war dance each around the other and the dust settles, they will observe that John Bull is firmly settled in south Africa, is the owner of the Transvaal and has been resting and recuperating while they have been wearing themselves out keeping up a noise. England has lost less than three thousand men in south Africa in killed, those wounded will mostly get well and the prisoners will soon be returned to her and when peace is declared she will have an army mobilized and equipped in perfect condition that are veterans. She will have a quarter of a million men with even their hard tack provided and an experience that makes them nearly invincible, leaders more competent than Xerxes and if Russia has pushed her Cossacks too close the Afghan frontier to suit Mr. Chamberlain he will most likely strike while he is ready.

CLEAR CREEK NEWS
If the weather continues warm the farmers will be at it again. There will be a small acreage of wheat sown.
O A. Clark is feeding cattle for South Omaha market. Mr. Clark lost a yearling by the straw stack process. The stack fell on it.
Henry Haller is recovering for a severe attack of typhoid pneumonia.
Mr. Sinderson has left this part of the country. Just where he has gone no one seems to know.
Harry Stueley is back from North Dakota who has been on a tour to hunt a new home. He thinks this country is good enough for him and so has paid a large price to get his old farm back.
The pops will vote next fall to elect a democratic president. Won't that be nice?
Cows are selling at from \$35 to \$45 per head. Looks like this ought to be changed. Another democratic administration will do it.
Dan Mowery and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a new baby girl.

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ASHTON ITEMS.
Rev. Boyd of St. Paul occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church at this place Friday evening.
Mr. S. D. Lamphere and family returned from an extended trip through eastern Nebraska and Iowa.
Mr. G. D. Bales of Sterling, who has been acting Agent during Mr. Lamphere's absence, left us Monday morning for Elyria, Neb.

Ignac Nowicki made a flying trip to St. Paul and back Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Howard drove over to Boelus Friday evening and spent Saturday.
J. O. Wakenight of Boelus was seen on our streets Monday.
Henry Reasland of Ravenna was doing business here Tuesday.
G. W. Marvel and W. M. Smelser spent Tuesday night with friends at Loup City.

The new creamery reports that everything is going along smoothly, and new customers are daily coming in and everything gives promise that it is going to be a grand success.

Carl Trafer of Rockville, was in our city Wednesday.
The report just came in that a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Niels Jensen of Danneverke, on March 14, 1900.
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Ordinance No. 37.
SEC. 1. That the Nebraska Telephone Company be, and are hereby granted right of way for the erection and maintenance of poles and wires, with all the appurtenances thereto, for the purpose of transacting a general telephone and telegraph business through, upon and over the streets, alleys and public grounds of the village of Loup City, for the period of twenty (20) years: Provided, That said company shall at all times, when so requested by city authorities, permit their poles and fixtures to be used for the purpose of placing and maintaining thereon any wires which may be necessary for the use of the police and fire departments of the village, and further Provided, Such poles and wires shall be erected so as not to interfere with ordinary travel through such streets and alleys, and Provided: Whenever it shall be necessary for any person to move along or across any of said streets or alleys, any vehicle or structure of such height or size as to interfere with any poles or wires so erected, the company using and erecting such poles and wires shall upon receiving twenty-four hours notice thereof, temporarily remove such poles and wires from such place as must necessarily be crossed by such vehicle or structure.
SEC. 2. Any person who shall interfere with, cut, remove, injure, break or destroy any of the poles, wires, fixtures, instruments or other property of any telegraph or telephone company or association within the corporate limits of this village, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not exceeding one hundred (100) hundred dollars.
That this ordinance shall take effect on and after its publication.
Approved and passed the 2nd day of March, 1900, and published the 9th day of March, 1900.
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