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Grand Island is in the throes of numerous hold-ups and sand-baggers.

Gibson for like eause.

result is not binding on anybody?

Uncle Joe Cannon promises to be congress in the coming session. But is this one of those common pre-elec-

Loup City, Nebraska Do you really think the people pick took two people to take Root for they don't fall down.

years hence. Mr. Pollard should take branch.-- Ex. Office up stairs in the new State something for his ailment. something for his ailment. There

tween distributing office and patrons.

If a farmer wishes to find out the amount of corn he has on the ear, and divide by two and one-fourth. The easy way to divide by two and their private matters aired in public, afternoon mail. Such a change would toward the improvement of olive culone-fourth is to multiply by four and divide by nine.

Brother Charley put \$110,000 in the campaign to elect Brother Bill to the presidency. There is a Brother Bill and Brother Charley in the writer's F. F. Dray and Brother Charley in the writer's family, but there's no chance for history to repeat itself with us, is there, Brother Charley.

> The Iowa legislature last week the late Wm. B. Allison as U. S. senator from that state. Following Oregon plan is meeting with a great almost a day later. We sincdrely the election of Mr. Cummins, Lieu- deal of favor. It provided that the hope that so far as this change is contenant Governor Garst was sworn in nominee of each party for senator cerned, the railway people will leave governor, vice Cummins resigned.

last week passed through two coun- way, the people may give a majority

It seems Mr. Bryan has not had while waiting to hear the presidential

Last week, Cooley, chairman of the Howard county republican central committee, published over his affielectrical illumination, sensa- davit the receipts and expenditures of moneys handled by the committee hibits. Consult the agent or during the campaign. If it would not be asking too much, will the chairman of the Sherman county republican central committee please make affidavit as to moneys received and disbursed by him and his com-

Why did candidate for county atmonth to the Big Horn Basin torney, Fsher, file his campaign expenses in one lump sum, instead of that effect.

his succeeding Bailey as senator, and

in more than one state as well. letters last week to all newspapers every week for mother to bank for the country were saying nothing, but thousand in 18 months. having transportation contracts with me. It pleases her and I don't miss had firmly made up their minds never it to surrender the contracts and all it. Got a raise the first, so I blew unused mileage, pending the action myself for some new rags-one of of the courts, which has issued a re- those flossy overcoats all covered with fact." straining order against the road, en- buttons and pockets. Did you miss joining it from issuing any advertis- me Sunday, little girl? I was out for ing contracts, and prohibiting said the day with a swell bunch and company from observing in any form simply could not break away. I must the terms of such contracts. The ring off and go to bed. I'm dead Northwestern abrogated its contract sleepy. Being out every night till with the road as soon as the supreme two gets away with me-but I haven't court passed upon the law relating to seen any girl that has made me forget the same and sustaining the action you. Write every day to your honey ment.-Beecher. of the legislature some weeks since. boy.-State Journal.

Bank clearings for November show an immense increase as compared with one year ago.

The United States supreme court has upheld an order of the railway commission of Virginia enforcing 2-cent railroad fares in that state. Little by little the props are being taken from under the railroad con-Residence 'Phone, - 2 on 108

Gov. Sheldon closed the agony over the appointment of the four new supreme judges in this state by appointing this week Monday the following Congressman Kinkaid put \$40 into lucky jurists: Jacob Fawcett of the Howard county campaign. How Omaha, W. B. Rose of Lincoln, Jesse much did he place in the hands of L. Root of Plattsmouth and J. J. Sullivan of Columbus, the latter being a democrat, thus giving both lead-Several cases, widely separated, ing parties representation as per reseem to make it pertinent to ask sult of the amendment. Sullivan and why a primary should be held, if its Fawcett get the one-year terms; Rose and Root three years.

County option spokesmen are now good and insists he will not obstruct claiming that their forces will control both the house and senate in the coming legislature. A canvass has tion promises more often made than been made of the house membership by A. G. Wolfenbarger of Lincoln, and he reported it as favorable to county the U. S. senators? Maybe, some- option. Up to the present time, the times, but over in New York it only general impression has been that the liquor element would dominate the that purpose-Taft and Woodruff, if house and that the balance either way in the senate would be very slim. If the county optionists are able, as Pollard, rep., who lost out in the they assert, to organize the house it first Nebraska district, wants to try is not improbable that they will also conclusions again in that district two gain the whip hand in the upper

They say there is a skeleton in give them two trains a day, instead Fourth Assistant Postmaster Gen- Bryan's closet seems to be the time ago that they had but three destruction of its rival across the eral P. V. DeGraw recommends in- marriage of his daughter Ruth to trains a week, and they got along all Mediterranean. creased usefulness of rural free Artist Leavitt. A few days ago re- right. They receive the mail by train delivery service by delivery of pack- ports were to the effect that Mr. and also each day by stage from ages not to exceed eleven pounds be. Bryan had sent a lawyer over to Paris Ravenna. The change they ask for to arrange for a divorce of the daugh- is that the mixed train which leaves ter from Leavitt, and later comes the here in the morning, and makes the news that the artist will soon return trip to Loup City and return, shall to this country and the couple will start from Loup City in the morning multiply the length of crib in feet, live in Denver. The fortune of and make the trip out there in the prominent people, it seems, is to have afternoon, so that they will get the and ever since Miss Bryan was seriously interfere with the traveling ture. married to Leavitt in Lincoln eight facilities here in this part of the or ten years since, the lime-light of country and cut off the interest of publicity seems never to have been the many for the interest of a thrown off them.

well, the democrats this year pos- coming in here in the afternoon sess a fine opportunity to change the would connect with nothing until six election laws so that the people of o'clock at night, causing the east selected Gov. Cummins to succeed the state may vote directly on candi- bound freight to lay here until afterdates for United States senator. The noon, making it arrive at Loup City selected at the primaries shall have it as it is .- St. Paul Republican. his name placed on the ballot at the A tornado in Tennessee one day general election following. In this and is confident of securing its enact- as recreation, and not live so fast .ment into law .- Lincoln News.

Got His Wires Crossed. itemized, as the law commands? He other day from her sweetheart who says: is a lawyer (!) and can hardly plead is a Holt county boy, with a position ignorance: besides, as we understand in an Omaha whelesale house. Opena never-failing water supply it, ignorance of the law can not be ing it, her happy smile froze on her under government irrigation plead in defense of any action. Or, face as she read: "Dear Mother, I'm personally, but plunged in darkness, is his non-compliance the result of feeling pretty blue and homesick. It Write D. Clem Deaver, Burlington the teachings of his boss, who is re-Landseekers' Information Bureau, ported to have said "Some laws are Everybody holds me up. Could you ported to have said. "Some laws are Everybody holds me up. Could you made not to be kept," or words to send me ten? I'm home every evening by eight and in bed by nine. Think I'll have to get my old rain- the result of the voting was a "mys-It is announced that Wm. J. Bryan | coat | pressed and wear it, though all | tery." He says with truth that the has purchased landed holdings in the other guys have swell new togs. Texas and contemplates building a I haven't written to a girl since I've home in that state. A Texas paper, been here but want to write to you a drift to the democracy, that the in jubilating over the fact, talks of every day. Your affectionate son.', On the same day the mother got a thinks it a mistake in Bryan staying letter from the boy too. She read: in Nebraska. Perhaps Bryan is think- "My Own Dearest, Sweetest Honey ing of following the example of Girl: I know you were disappointed General Weaver of Iowa, who, while at not receiving my daily letter yes- the returns were in. The uncertainty confining his operations to his own terday, but I was up so late last state, tried possibilities for congress night that I was half dead all day toin more than one district, but going day. Say, but I'm having the time Weaver one better by taking chances of my life down here. It costs a small fortune but you only live once. See? I have never gone broke yet vote. Thousands and thousands of The Union Pacific people sent out and I manage to send a little home

He Was a Darling.

were up against a Darling character, a crop of cobless corn on his farm in the person of a fellow calling him- last summer. A year ago Mr. Sconce self by that precious title, who pur- and Garlough, of this county purchased perhaps \$50 worth of mer-chased a quantity of seed corn in chandise from various firms, having Illinois. In the shipment was a freak the same charged, with the promise ear, which instead of the ordinary of settlement in a week or ten days. cob, was composed of a core of husk, After he had made his purchase of the grains being neatly wrapped up tention against 2-cent fares all over J. M. Czaplewski, the manager of the on the soft foundation like peas in a firm, Louie Spahr, became suspicious, pod. Mr. Sconce was impressed and and with Jeweler Jeffords, who had decided to plant all the kernels found also been stung, went to Ashton Fri- on it. To his surprise the ears proday and the fellow gave up their duced this fall were found to be the goods, and virtually acknowledged in exact reproductions of the single ear. a sweating process that he had intend- The ears produced this year yielded ed getting away with the swag with- as much corn as those provided with out paying therefor and if the boys a cob and the kernels were large and had not interviewed him that day solid. The ears were filled, kernels would have kissed the accounts good- even growing among the silk. As a bye forever. The Darling had been result of this discovery, the corn cob teaching in Dist. No. 26, and on the may disappear. day referred to had urged Director Oltmann to give him the \$22.50 due him at that time, saying he had to go Lincoln for medical treatment, but John had been put next and the contalk did not go. Besides Jeffords and Czaplewski, some half dozen mer- the capital of the kingdom of Catachants had been found kind of easy in lonia and when its hardy mariners various amounts, but will no doubt take care that the unpaid salary of Darling will in part at least recupe them. We understand some of the St Paul merchants were also con- the foundation of the present shipping fidenced, one of them to the extent laws of every country. of a suit of clothes, and others to merchandise of lesser value.

A Change Asked For. The people of Pleasanton are asking that the Union Pacific change go." their time card in such manner as to a comparative few. Besides that it

The Football Craze. ties, making a track half a mile wide, vote to the candidate of one party over the country seemed to really run destroying many thousands of dollars and at the same time elect a legis- to seed. We are in favor of athletics worth of property and causing the lature containing a majority for the but not "exthetics" if we be allowed loss of ugwards of fifty lives. Isn't other party. Members of the legis- to coin the word. From indications it a little early, or late, in the season lature are given the opportunity to at such times it would seem that the pledge themselves that if elected high schools and colleges and univerthey will vote for the man who is the sities were not for the purpose of popular choice for senator. A law of brain development but for the manienough of defeat, and it is reported that kind, democratic leaders think, festations of an abnormal physical he will again make a try for Taft's would result in sending Mr. Bryan to condition alike detrimental to good seekers' excursion rates, first shoes in 1912. In the meantime, like the senate no matter if the state health and longevity. It is a matter and third Tuesdays, to the the old maid, who mistook the hoot should return to the republican colof history that the overstrain too of an owl, and insisted "Any one, umn. They believe he would get often indulged in but marks the fail-Lord, so it is a man," Mr. Bryan is enough republican support under a ure in exams, and a premature old also a receptive candidate for U.S. direct system of voting to give him a lage, as is found among pugilists. December 9 to 19. Visit senator to succeed Elmer Burkett, majority, just as republican votes in The correction of the abuses to proper the recent election helped him to holding of these contests seems much carry Nebraska as a presidential can-like the correction of the liquor traffic didate. It is their expectation that and is increasing rapidly the number republican candidates for the legis- of people who think the only correclature would in many cases sign the tion will have to be its prohibition. pledge to support Bryan if he had a This is hastened by the so called popular majority. Representative- efforts among its devotees to make it elect Fred B. Humphrey of Lancaster a safe game. The tendency to overdo county, is engaged in drafting a bill is an American failing and we will modeled after the Oregon law, which | welcome the time when there is more he will introduce in the legislature. of a willingeess to put proper re-Humphrey intends to press the plan straint on all lines of business as well C. H. Burleigh in Hemingford Journal

> There are none so blind as those who won't see, said a wise man. On An O'Neill girl got a letter the this line the New York Evening Post

> > "Mr. Bryan's detailed comment upon the election, in the Commoner, shows him in a very amnable light, politically. He takes his defeat in manly fashion, submits cheerfully to the popular verdict, and says that no one need worry about his future. But then he goes on to argue that campaign was reparded as uncertain; that there were many indications of republicau managers were worried, than the previous year. These aniand really had no basis for their extravagant claims. Hence the "mystery" of a sweeping republican victory. But there was no mystery after before the election was wholly about the silent vote; but the result showed that it went almost wholly against Bryan. In some districts in this city he did not get half of even Parker's democrats and independents all over owner boasts of having killed several to vote for Bryan. The only mystery about it all is that he cannot see the

Consciousness of Strength. It is not fear which makes us peace able, but the consciousness of our strength.-Bismarck.

Ungodly Refinement. Refinement which carries us away from our fellowmen is not God's refine

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Our business men last Saturday P. J. Sconce, Lake City, Ia., raised

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Cato's Refrain.

It was Cato who always ended every speech he made in the Roman senate with the words, "Delenda est Cartha-"Carthage must be destroyed." It made no difference what subject he was discussing, Cato always used this every closet. If so, the one in W. J. of one, as now. It was only a short the Roman empire depended on the warning, claiming that the safety of

> Olive Oil Culture. Owing to the strict government inspection, practically all Italian export spection, practically all Italian export clive oil is pure on leaving Italy. For home consumption there is hardly a sufficiency, from year to year, necessitating large imports of cotton-seed oil from America; and this has induced

Wit with a Sting. The French are undoubtedly a humorous and humor-loving people; would cause the moving of seven only, sometimes, this blithesome, ef-Controlling both houses of the legis. families from here to Loup City and fervescing quality goes astray. Inlature and having the governor as add not a single thing. The train stead of the sparkle in the glass of champagne, it turns, by some subtle chemistry, into an acid sort of drink, which leaves a disagreeable taste in the mouth.-Pall Mall Gazette.

> Goat Ranch in Kentucky. Sam Jett of Winchester, Ky., has a thousand-acre goat ranch in Breathitt county. It is a mountain land and is inclosed by a wire fence. His specialty is the Angora breed. The fleece of this goat is what is known in trade as mohair, and is very reliable. The ranch is proving quite a success.

Car Trace Storms for Ages. Terrific sand storms occur in the Shantung provinces of China. Around tombs and other places where the soil is not disturbed the annual deposit of these storms can be distinctly traced being the minimum for any season.

A Venerable Turtle.

A Massachusetts boy, Nathan Sampson, has found a venerable turtle which bears markings made by his grandfather, now 81 years old, which were put on in 1840, and by his greatgrandfather, who marked the same turtle in 1816.

Temperature Causes Trouble. The electric locomotives used in the Simplon tunnel are troubled with excessive condensation, affecting the insulation, due to the difference in temperature in the tunnel and out-

The Best Friend.

A good man is the best friend, and therefore soonest to be chosen, longer to be retained, and indeed, never to be parted with, unless he cease to be that for which he was chosen.-Jeremy Taylor.

Few and Far Between.

An employe of a matrimonial bureau in Chicago testified on the stand that only ten photographs of men and women out of 10,000 are of sufficient merit to attract.

Ownership of Submarine Cables. England owns 60 per cent. of the mileage of submarine cables, the United States coming next with 18 per cent. and France next with nine E. G. TAYLOR,

Parisians Fond of Horseflesh. In Paris last year 49,298 horses were killed for food, which was 5,000 more mals yielded 26,600,000 pounds of

Bright in Land of Fog. Although but a few miles from the mouth of the river Thames, noted for its fogs, the atmosphere of Herne bay, England, is rarely obscured.

Kangaroos Still Plentiful. Kangaroos are still plentiful in some parts of Australia. One flock

Aim High. Try to be something in the world and you will be something; aim at excellence, and excellence will be attained.-Boileau.

A Busy Waterway. One-seventh of the foreign commerce of Great Britain passes through the Suez canal.

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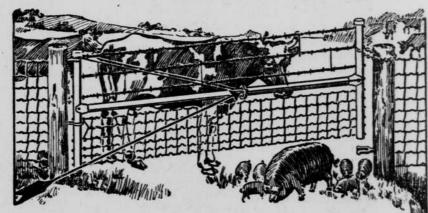
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