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CALVERT. NEBRASKA.

During the months of January and  
February, 12,055 persons left Ham-  
burg for the United States.

Sargent, minister to Berlin worked  
ten years as a practical printer. That's  
the way he got his "raise."

David Navarro, who has been exhib-  
ited through the country as the fat boy,  
recently died at Pittsburg of smallpox.  
He was 21 years old and weighed 700  
pounds.

The man who invents some new pa-  
tent car-coupler will be a benefactor of  
his race. Last year, as the statis-  
tics show, 2,000 men lost their lives in  
coupling cars.

Governor Cullum, of Illinois, has called  
his legislature to meet 23d inst.  
One of the items of business named is  
the redistricting the state into congres-  
sional districts.

Mary Sigman and her mother, fancy  
women, were murdered in their house  
at Roundstone, seven miles from  
Louisville, Ky. James Bishop, whose  
brother was killed at the same house,  
some time ago, was arrested for kill-  
ing the women.

A swindler is now going about the  
country swindling the farmers by buy-  
ing produce of them, writing receipts  
with a lead pencil, breaking off the  
point, and handing the farmer a foun-  
tain pen to sign his name with. They  
rub out the pencil writing, make a note  
over the signature, and sell the note.—  
Rockport Journal.

The residence of Dr. Corda Drake,  
near Chillicothe, Mo., was recently  
burned down, and it was afterward as-  
certained that Dr. D. and a boy living  
with him were burned to death in the  
building. He had near \$1,000 in mon-  
ey in the house, and murder is suspec-  
ted.

The gambling dens, and other hell  
holes of the worst character, of Chic-  
ago, after a vigorous exposition by the  
Inter Ocean, are being broken up and  
closed by the Mayor. It seems to be a  
fact that Mayor Harrison is in earnest  
about the matter and he has already  
closed the worst places in that city—  
assignment houses, gambling and rob-  
ber dens—and has positively revoked  
the licenses of some of the lower order  
of saloons. The courts of Chicago,  
however, seem to be obstructing the  
due course of the law in punishing  
offenders.

Another election was held in Atchi-  
son county Missouri, on the 7th inst.,  
on the proposition to appropriate \$40,-  
000 to build a new court house at  
Rockport. The vote for, was 2,104;  
against, 1,107. Lacking 37 votes of  
two thirds, the proposition failed. The  
Journal seems to weaken on the court  
house business, and says, "We don't  
want a Court house," but that Rock  
Port wants and means to have a rail-  
road. That's "business"—let Rock  
Port get a railroad and the court house  
will come to her with little effort.

Senator Alvin Saunders, on the 8th  
inst., introduced a joint resolution pro-  
posing an amendment to the constitu-  
tion which will enable an election to  
be held by the people for the offices of  
postmasters, United States marshal,  
district attorneys, United States col-  
lectors of internal revenue, and other  
officers whose duties are to be per-  
formed within the limits of any State  
or part of a State, except judges of the  
supreme and interior courts, and pro-  
vides that all civil officers of the  
United States, heads of departments,  
and officers whose duties are of a tem-  
porary character, shall hold office for  
four years, unless a longer term be  
fixed by law. The amendment em-  
powers the president to remove any  
officer elected for any cause affecting  
the incumbent's character, habits or  
other qualifications, excepting political  
or religious opinions. The officers are  
to be elected in the manner prescribed  
by the State legislature. The people  
will adopt such an amendment most  
greedily, and unanimously, if they  
ever have a chance to vote on it. And  
that would be civil service reform that  
would be some sense in.

INSANE BUT RESPONSIBLE—"Reasoning  
Mania."

Dr. Hammond recently lectured, or  
rather, read a paper, before the Medi-  
co-Legal Society of New York, having  
special reference to Guiteau's mental  
condition. He spoke of the manner in  
which the assassin conducted himself  
while being tried for his life; his abuse  
of his friends who were endeavoring  
to save him; his praise of judge and  
jury and opposing counsel at one time,  
and fierce denunciation of them at  
another; his speech in his defense; his  
entire lack of appreciation of the cir-  
cumstances surrounding him, and his  
evident misapprehension of the feel-  
ings of the people toward him; his be-  
lief in the intercession of prominent  
persons in his behalf and of his event-  
ual triumph, ect., as evidence of what  
the Dr. termed "reasoning mania," and  
although its possessor is a lunatic, held  
him responsible for his acts. He said:  
There is not an asylum under the  
charge of any one of the medical ex-  
perts for this prosecution that does not  
contain patients less insane than he.  
It is a source of satisfaction to me to  
find that the views, which for nearly  
ten years past I have endeavored to  
promulgate, have at last received prac-  
tical indorsement by the conviction  
of Guiteau. The emotional philoso-  
phers, desiring him to be sane, still en-  
deavor to persuade themselves that  
their wishes and facts are the same  
thing, and to the disgrace of American  
psychological medicine, they are sus-  
tained by certain physicians who ap-  
peared as witnesses for the prosecu-  
tion. The charge of Judge Cox shows  
what he thought, and it is doubtless  
to his very emphatic declaration that  
insanity unless of such an extent as to  
destroy the knowledge of right and  
wrong, or prevent the accused know-  
ing the nature and consequences of his  
act, does not absolve from responsibil-  
ity from crime, that a verdict of guilty  
was rendered. Let Guiteau suffer the  
full penalty for this crime, but let him  
be executed with the distinct under-  
standing that he is a lunatic deserving  
of punishment. To shut our eyes to  
his exact condition, and to try to flatter  
ourselves that he was of normally  
constituted mind when he shot the  
President, is not only cowardly but is  
impolitic. The conviction and execu-  
tion will not be without the force of  
an example upon hundreds of others  
of unsound minds who may be contem-  
plating the commission of crime, and  
it will lessen the conclusion that there  
was a sane man, in the full possession  
of his mental faculties, capable of  
killing the President of the United  
States for the purpose of uniting the  
two wings of the Republican party,  
when both never failed to show their  
contempt for the assassin. Was there  
ever a more insane motive  
than this, and was there ever a man  
whose whole career from childhood to  
the present day has afforded a more  
striking example of mental derange-  
ment called reasoning mania?

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