THE HERALD.

JNO. A. MACMURPHY, - EDITOR.

PLATTSMOUTH, AUGUST 11, 1881.

Call for a Meeting of the Republican Central Committee of Cass Co.

The Republican Central Committee of Cass County is called to meet at Eight Mile Grove, on Saturday, Sept 3d, 1881, at 1:30 p. m., for the purpose of calling a County Convention, and the transaction of such other business as may legitimately come before them.

J. A. MACMURPHY, Chairman.

THE COMMITTEE ARE:

H. M. Bushnell, 1st Ward; G. W. Fairfield, 2d Ward; M. B. Murphy, 3d Ward; L. C. Stiles, 4th Ward, Plattsmouth; J. Q. Adams, Plattsmouth Precinct; Ben Drost, Rock Bluffs; Jesse Irwin, Liberty; G. W. Adams, Avoca; Sam'l Richardson, Mt. Pleasant; J. F. Polk, Eight Mile Grove; J. T. A. Hoover, Louisville; I. N. Woodford, Centre; J. W. Thomas, Weeping Water; Al Dixon, Stove Creek; S. W. Orton, Elmwood R. G. McFarland, South Bend; M. B. Abbott, Salt Creek; A. Beeson, Greenwood; A. A. Laverty, Tipton. 2014

Tuesday's Bulletins.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, August 9—7:30 a m.—Notwithstanding the effects of yesterday's operation the president slept the greater part of the night without the use of any anodyne. The febril rise of yesterday afternoon slowly subsided during the night. This morning at 8:30 his pulse is 98, temperature 99.8, respiration 19. Yesterday afternoon the small quantities of liquid nourishment given at short intervals have been retained and this morning large quantities are being given without gastric disturbance.

(Signed) D. HAYES AGNEW, D. W. BLISS, J. K. BARNES, ROBT. REYBURN.

OFFICIAL.

WASHINGTON, August 9.—The president remained easy during the day and has continued to take nourishishment without gastric disturbance. The discharge from the wound is quite abundant and it is evident that thorough drainage has been secured by yesterday's preparations. The degree of fever this afternoon differs a little from that of yesterday. Pulse 106, temperature 101.9; respiration 19.

(Signed) D. W. BLISS, J. W. BARNES, J. J. WOODWARD, R. REYBURN.

THE railroad war still continues in the east.

Two cases of yellow fever in New York last week.

ORVILLE S. GRANT, the brother of the ex-President, died in a New Jersey insane asylum, Aug. 6th.

THE Sheridan Post says that laborers on the M. P. R. R. are paid off regularly every Saturday night. Good enough.

HON. CHURCH HOWE and Hon. T. L. Schick, members of the Legislature from Nemaha county, are both very sick and fears are entertained for their recovery.

MR. HOLDEN, editor of the Kearney Press, who had his office seized and closed up, under mortgage held by F. Nye, of the Omaha Republican, has re-issued his paper.

THE case of J. Ossenkopt vs Commissioners of Cass County, for a writ of mandamus to compel them to grant a saloon license will probably be reached some time to-day.

THE citizens of Burt County have organized an Agricultural Society, Mr. A. E. Wells, of Oakland is president; the fair will be held at Oakland the week previous to the State Fair.

The new B. & M. depot at Lincoln is finished; the Journal came out with a three column article about it and a picture of it, Sunday,; it is a fine building and cost the B. & M. $125,000.

MACMURPHY alias "Tiptop" alias "weary brained editor" of Plattsmouth has gone to Colorado to rest his weary brain, and we commend him to the ladies of the Centennial state.—Watchman.

BY dispatches we learn that the business portion of Pawnee City was almost entirely destroyed by fire Tuesday morning. Twenty-five business houses were burned. Cause of fire unknown.

THE Second Annual Field Trial for Pointers and Setters, under the auspices of the Nebraska State Sportsmen's Association, will be held at Norfolk, Nebraska, commencing August 30, 1881, and lasting four days.

BLACK HAWK and Central City, Colorado, were almost totally destroyed by the bursting of a water spout last Monday. The flood lasted but twenty minutes, but over $50,000 worth of property was destroyed and several lives lost.

LONGPREY'S Carriage Factory, in Omaha, burned down Monday night; total loss, to Mr. Longprey, $3,000; there were several other parties' wagons and buggies in the building which were also a total loss. The fire originated in a building used by the water company.

THE total value of exports of merchandise from the United States during the year ending June 30, 1881, foots up to the enormous sum of $902,319,473. Imports $642,593,219. Balance in our favor $259,726,254. For the year ending June 30, 1880, the balance in our favor was $167,583,712. The balance in our favor in the import of gold and silver, minting gold, during the year just passed, was $91,058,650. For the year previous it was $75,891,391.—[Lincoln Journal.

Secretary Blaine Ill.

WASHINGTON, August 9.—Secretary Blaine's leaving the city has been hastened by his being affected by malarial. He will start for Maine to-morrow unless the president should be worse. Secretary Kirkwood returns to-morrow and Secretary Lincoln on Thursday.

NEW YORK, August 9.—Much surprise was felt here to-day over the announcement that Dr. Agnew had left the White House, while Dr. Hamilton came home last night without any intention of immediately returning. Dr. Hamilton was surprised when the statement was made and said tha the understanding had been that Dr. Agnew should remain until Wednesday night or Thursday, and that he, Dr. Hamilton, would return on Thursday, or possibly not until Friday. He had received no dispatch from Washington, and had had no reason to change any of his plans. The general public has never thoroughly understood the location of the ball from the technical accounts given by the physicians, and this Dr. Hamilton was asked to explain, so that it might be understood by every one. He said:

Medical terms are definite and exact and have nothing exactly corresponding to them in ordidary language. I will state it as fairly as I can and if you are going to quote me you may say this simply. The ball entered the body through the eleventh rib, breaking it, and about four inches in front of his spine. It was then turned downward toward the hips, inside the flesh which composes the loins but back of the liver, kidney and intestines, and probably now lies just within the bares constituting the pelvis about five inches above the groin. The doctor in his willingness to explain the course of the ball and its present location placed his finger at the point a little above the right seam of his vest buckle belt as an entrance point. From that spot the course of the ball was downward and forward amongst the muscles of the back and side. It now lies in the right surface of the body about parallel with the top of the trousers pocket and about an inch to the left of the upper hip bone and about two inches below the surface. "There" said the surgeon, as he thrust his finger in at the point indicated as nearly as possible and which is immediately next the rounded part of the bone on a direct line from the navel, "is where we believe the ball to be and there is where some of the physicians were almost positive they could feel it."

The Coming Reunion.

We learn from the old soldiers who are looking forward anxiously to the coming reunion of the old veterans of Nebraska, who fought for the flag in days gone by, that the reunion in this city will be the largest outpouring of people ever seen in Lincoln. The committee on invitation have received addresses from almost every state in the Union, and they are satisfied that not less than twenty thousand strangers will be in the city during each day of the reunion.

The veterans of the First Nebraska, though a little more sedate than when "the trump of war resounded through the land," are still possessed of that enthusiasm which led them to follow the flag through the weary march and turmoil of battle. Years have rolled away since then. The object for which they fought has been attained, and peace smiles upon our teeming land. Our veteran soldiers will assemble on that day from everywhere to renew once more old acquaintances, and recall the story of the struggle and triumphs of the past. Let every old soldier be present, and let the occasion be one of the most complete and harmonious enjoyment.—[Lincoln Journal.

The Shooting of Spotted Tail.

The Indian bureau, Aug. 9th, received official information of the shooting of Spotted Tail by Crow Dog, at Rosebud Agency, on Saturday. The department here believe that Spotted Tail was killed through some difficulty growing out of his expected trip to Washington. He had been ordered by the Indian bureau to come to Washington with an Indian delegation to be there on the 15th. Spotted tail was coming as a representative of the Sioux Indians, and Crow Dog was jealous of his prominence and influence. Crow Dog wanted to come to Washington. Spotted Tail was to have started for Yankton to leave for Washington the very day he was killed. Crow Dog was captain of the Indian police at Rosebud.

Storm in Minnesota.

A severe storm swept over the northern part of Minnesota, August 4th, which extended as far as Menominee, Wis. The greatest damage was done in Minnesota. For a time it really appeared the city of St. Paul was to be swept away by a genuine cyclone. A house in process of construction, owned by Frank Lee, was wrecked. Lightning struck the barn of Andrew Paulson, which was totally destroyed. The county surveyor, who was in Brooklyn township when the storm struck that point, states that the sound of the storm could be distinctly heard for some time before its arrival. After its passage it was found that the damage was confined to hay and grain stacks, which were leveled and scattered all over the country. Small grain in fields and stacks was blown down and badly damaged. It is impossible to learn the damage done in the line of the storm, for the wires were wrecked in every direction.—[Lincoln Journal.

ANNA DICKINSON was invited to give an address at the meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union at Ocean Grove last week, and she spoke right out in meeting. She said: "You fail where you can do the most. The woman who has nothing to do, the giddy, fashionable creature who learns to tipple with refinement; the woman who has too much to do, your laundress—who does a day's work getting her husband's breakfast and attending to her children before she comes in the morning—these as well as the woman who drinks to drown despair, are the ones who need but do not receive your ministrations. You raise the man but you spurn your fellow-woman beneath your feet."

These remarks subjected Anna to a pastoral call from Miss Frances Willard, president of the Union, and in the afternoon a Quaker lady publicly prayed for Anna's "conversion."

The Pennsylvania Outlaws.

The search for the McKeesport outlaws continues. Two parties answering the description of Nig and Heenan Lightner were arrested at Hyndman, Pa., and taken to Pittsburg. The report that the desperadoes had fired on citizens of Elrod, Aug. 4th, for refusing them food was a hoax, circulated by the wives and relatives of the murderers in order to throw their pursuers off the trail and give the fugitives a chance for escape. This gang has been organized for over a year, and was known as "The Sons of One Hundred and One." Their motto, which was full of significance, was, "Dead Men Tell no Tales." Ominous talk of lynching is heard, and the opinion is expressed at McKeesport that the men will not get to Pittsburg alive.—[Lincoln Journal.

CROWE NOT THE MAN.

Doubtful if He Made The "Machines Infernal."

Special to the Evening Telegram.

CHICAGO, Aug. 3—2 p. m.—British Vice Consul Warrack, in this city, says that no instructions or papers in regard to Crowe, the alleged manufacturer of infernal machines at Peoria, have been forwarded to him from Washington or elsewhere. The special this morning from Peoria says that the whole affair was a hoax. Crowe is still in that city, and it is considered doubtful if he had any hand whatever in the manufacture of torpedoes. The erroneous reports have been traced to a man named J. F. Hogan, an intimate friend of Crowe's, who was supposed reliable.

PEORIA, Aug. 3—2 p. m.—There has been considerable misrepresentation in regard to the standing character and acts of Pat W. Crowe, the fenian of this city. Crowe has been employed as a lamplighter by the gas company here for the past three or four years He is a shallow-pated Irishman, who inherits all the lingual characteristic of his race without common sense.

Troubled with an itch for notoriety, he will go to unwarrantable lengths to bring his name into prominence. The secret of the infernal machine was disclosed by Crowe himself, who took advantage of the alleged discovery of some of the machines in English ports to air his own importance.

Since the publication of the discovery of the infernal machines in this city Crowe has seized on every opportunity to advertise himself and has succeeded admirably. It is true that there are infernal machines now here that were made here. One of them was taken to the Journal office, of this city, in order to compare them with the description of those discovered in Liverpool. A few hours after it was removed there it was sent for by the maker and was allowed to be taken away.

It is now said that Crowe, acting in collusion with O'Donovan Rossa and four others, obtained control of the skirmishing fund, amounting to about $80,000, and that these castings were made to lead the contributors to believe their money was going to some purpose.

In person he is insignificant looking and the last man in the world to be the prime mover of any revolutionary enterprise. The man's itch for fame, or his desire to absorb a portion of the skirmishing fund has induced him to start these untrue reports. This is all there is to it.

IT is amusing to read the dissertation on civil service reform, as if, under our form of Government, such a thing were possible. It will be time to talk of that reform when a President does not "pipe lay" for renomination the first six years of his term; when United States Senators are not dependent upon State legislators for their offices; when representatives in Congress do not require the aid of postmasters, internal revenue collectors, United States marshals, and appraisers to secure their election; when Governors do not whip in every State officer from penitentiary commissioner to justice of the peace, to aid them in their aspirations. So long as the caucus and nomi-ating conventions are all-powerful, and so long as offices are given as a reward for party fealty, as they always will be while parties exist, civil service reform will be the theme of those who cannot get office to whine about. A party that does not reward those to whom it is indebted for its supremacy will soon cease to exist, and a party controlling all the official patronage of this country is a hard thing to displace.—News.

Broke Jail.

Three convicts escaped from the penitentiary at Lincoln last Monday morning. Their names are George Davis, who was sentenced for grand larceny, from Douglas county; Samuel M. Goddard, alias S. A. Duke, who was sentenced for horse stealing, from Lancaster county; and James Kennedy horse thief from Richardson county. A reward of fifty dollars each is offered for heir arrest and return.

An Episcopal Church for Oakland.

We are pleased to learn, this week, that the Episcopalians of this place had secured $1,000 for the erection of an Episcopal church in Oakland, and that the building will soon be erected This proves that the visit of Dean Millspaugh and Rev. Jacobs, to this place, last Friday, was not in vain, and we are greatly pleased with the result. —Oakland, (Neb), Independent.

A Wonderful Feat.

NEW YORK, August 8—William Gale, the English pedestrian, at 6:40 this evening completed the wonderful task of covering 6,000 quarter miles in 6000 consecutive periods of ten minutes. He did not stop until after 9 o'clock by which time he accomplished 6,014 quarter miles in as many consecutive ten minutes. He looked as well at the finish as when they began the walk.—Bee

Commissioners' Proceedings.

MONDAY, Aug. 1, 1881.

Board met pursuant to adjournment; present, Sam'l Richardson, Isaac Wiles, and James Crawford, Commissioners; J. D. Tutt, Clerk; after which the following was done, to-wit:

The following claims were then allowed on general fund:

R W Byers, jailor's fees, July	$45 50
J R Polin, boarding prisoners	26 50
J D Tutt, salary and expense account for July, 1881	43 42
H M Bushnell, sundry printing	15 00
J A MacMurphy, printing road notices, etc	67 75
J A MacMurphy, sundry printing as per bill	69 75
C G Herold, goods for paupers	1 50
W H Schildknecht, med. treatment for paupers	25 00
J C Eikenbary, board'g paupers	52 17
Jos. Leuchtweiss, rent of jail lot to July, 1881	12 00
State Journal, blanks	4 78
Inquest case, L. Scott Bates	30 90

Ordered that the Clerk be and hereby is instructed to place the following levy, as made by the State Board of Equalization, on the tax list for the year 1881:

Total valuation, $3,483,206 00.

General Fund, 4 mills	$13 932 80		
Sinking " ½ "	1 306 20		
School " 1 "	3 483 20		
University " ⅜ "	1 306 20		
5½ mills	$20 028 40		

Board then adjourned to meet August 2d, 1881, at 9 a. m.

TUESDAY, Aug. 2, 1881.

Board met pursuant to adjournment; full board present; after which the following was done, to-wit:

Ordered that the order heretofore made allowing Mrs. C. Kennedy $1.00 per week in merchandise of J V Weckbach, be and the same is hereby revoked from and after this date.

Ordered that an order be drawn in favor of J. M. Patterson, Co. Treasurer, for the sum of $16.47, to be applied in full payment on the tax of the following real estate: Lots 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17, in block 13, Duke's addition to the City of Plattsmouth, for the years 1878, '79 and '80, the same being owned and occupied by a County pauper.

Order allowed on E. G. Dovey & Son for the su... of $5, for the benefit of R. A. Kirk and family.

On petition of A. M. Rose et al, an order is allowed on General Fund in favor of Henry Taylor, to be used for the benefit of John Ash, a destitute person.

On motion of Mr. Richardson, H. L. Clapp is appointed road supervisor of road district No. 47.

Petition of D. D. Martindale et al, for the granting of a permit to J. A. Hasemeier to sell spirituous and malt liquors as a druggist, at Louisville, Neb., was again taken up and upon consideration of the matter license was granted and bond approved.

Order allowed Robert Welburn, supervisor of road district No. 1, for 432 feet of lumber on H. A. Waterman & Son, and 100 lbs of spikes on U. V. Mathews, for use of district.

Order allowed G. M. Flower, sup'r road district No. 39, for 1,000 feet of lumber on H. A. Waterman & Son, for use of district.

Order allowed Owen Marshall, sup'r road district No. 27, for 1,000 feet of lumber on Quackenbush Bros., Greenwood, for use of district.

Order allowed Rob't Reddy, sup r road district No. 53, for 1,000 feet of lumber, and 4 pieces, 4x6, and 16 feet long, on Dennis Dean & Son, South Bend, for use of district.

The following claims were then allowed on general fund;

W L Wells, surveying Co. road	$21 00
J C Wiswell, locating Co. road	3 00

Application of Albert McCoy for license to run a ferry boat across Platte river, at or near the B. & M. bridge, presented and granted, at the rate of $250 per year, and the following rates for ferriage established: Two horses and wagon, $1; one horse and wagon, 75 cts; man and horse, 50 cts; horses and cattle, 25 cts per head; footmen, 10 cts.

Ordered that Fred Gorder be and is hereby awarded the contract for furnishing coal the ensuing year for the use of the Court House, Jail, Poor Farm, etc., at the following rates:

Best hard coal, per ton	$12 00
Best soft coal, per ton	6 50

Ordered that the Clerk be and is hereby instructed to advertise for the rent of the Poor Farm, and the boarding of and caring for the County paupers of Cass County. The same will be let to the lowest and best bidder. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

Claim of J. V. Weckbach was then allowed—mdse for paupers.....$48 00

Board then adjourned to meet at 9 a. m., August 3d, 1881.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 3d, 1881.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, full board present; after which the following was done, to-wit:

The following claims were then allowed on general fund:

R W Byers, prisoners' register	$ 22 11
On Bridge fund;	
H A Waterman & Son, lumber for road districts	296 97
Dennis Dean & Son, ditto	89 15
Dennis Dean & Son, ditto	168 25
Geo. A Hay, nails, etc., for road districts	12 20
J S Binks, ditto	4 65

Board then adjourned to meet at 9 a. m., August 4th, 1881.

THURSDAY, August 4, 1881.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, full board present; after which the following was done, to-wit:

Order allowed M L Tennant, sup'r road district No. 12, on H. A. Waterman & Son, Louisville, for 500 feet of lumber for use of district.

Bids were then opened for the building of wooden bridges for Cass County for the ensuing year, and awarded to W. J. White for the sum of $6 per lineal foot, and bond and contract were executed.

Board then adjourned to meet the first Monday in September, 1881.

Attest: S. RICHARDSON, J. D. TUTT, ISAAC WILES, } Co. Comrs
Co. Clerk. JAS. CRAWFORD,

THE HERALD acknowledges the receipt of a complimentary ticket to the St. Joseph Inter State Exposition. Big preparations are being made, large bills are being posted up all over the country; their premium list has been enlarged, premiums in the speed ring are increased and they are sanguine of an increased attendance.

E. H. ROGERS, of Fremont, died at Vera Cruz, Mexico, on Aug. 1st Mr. Rogers was one of the earliest settlers in Nebraska, a man of prominence in political circles, and a banker of excellent reputation. He had lately been appointed U. S. Consul at Vera Cruz, in the hopes his health would improve.

ONE of the pumps of the Omaha water works was set in motion Monday morning, and commenced filling the reservoir, preparatory to supplying the city with water on that plan. The working of the huge engine proved a perfect success, and water will flow through the pipes in a few days.

THE Greenbackers of Cass county met at Weeping Water, last Tuesday, for the purpose of electing additional members of the County Central Committee. Quite a number from Plattsmouth were in attendance. They mean business this fall.

"Our Temperance Column."

EDITED BY THE WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

"For God, and Home, and Native Land."

A Good Sign.

One good sign of the times is that our colleges and high schools are planting themselves squarely and publicly upon the side of temperance.

Temperance is no longer a tabooed subject at college commencements. This was demonstrated at the late commencement of Knox College. John Y. Ewarts, the valedictorian of his class, in his closing address to the citizens of Galesburg, made a stirring appeal to them for the sake of the college to banish saloons from the city. All thinking people voted this a great improvement upon the meaningless platitudes frequently indulged in upon such occasions. A similar appeal, even more impassioned and earnest, was made by Miss Emma Everest in her address to the Alumni upon the relations of Knox College to the Community. The best essay of the Galesburg High School also gave no uncertain sound for temperance.—Chicago Signal.

Why We are Prohibitionists.

The Pilgrim Press of Washington, D. C., publishes the following as its "temperance creed:"

1. It is the only tenable position. The traffic is a sin against God and a crime against man To legalize it is a sin and a crime.

2 It is the only consistent position. If no true christian can sell liquor, no true christian can license it.

3. It is the only practicable position. The attempt to regulate the sale of liquor is a farce.

4. Any other position makes the Government partaker of the crime of selling.

5. Any other position makes every citizen both a partaker of the crime and a protector of the criminal

The only way to regulate fire in a conflagration is to put it out; the only way to regulate water in a flood is to turn it off; the only way to regulate yellow fever is to quarantine it. The only way to regulate liquor manufacture and liquor dealing is to stop it. That is our temperance creed

Church Temperance Society.

The Temperance Society recently organized in connection with the Episcopal church appears to be getting on, some twenty of the more important Bishops having given it their sanction. In some of the Dioceses societies have been organized, and there is every prospect that with the opening of fall the work of the organization will be prosecuted with vigor. According to the resolution passed at a recent meeting, Mr. R. Graham, of the Church of England Temperance Society, is to be invited to become a special agent of the Society in this country for one year at a salary of $4,000 provided the money can be previously guaranteed by gift or pledges. Of this amount nearly half is already promised. Provided, also, a special fund is contributed and placed in the hands of the society's treasurer for the purpose of derraying expenses. It was, by resolution, thought expedient to publish a monthly paper, at least for one year, for the purpose of advocating the Society's work and giving information respecting its progress. The committee on publication is empowered to issue the publication as soon as they may think advisable. All parties in the church are joining in the movement though the High Church men appear to come into it with less eagerness.

The Fascination of Drink.

There is a deadly fascination about drinking. "What is fascination?" asked a little girl of her science master. He replied, "Dr. Malachi Foot would say 'fascination is the power to awaken feelings of pleasure so great as to absorb or swallow up all other feelings, and even fears, and that too at what seems to be the most trifling cost.' This feeling goes on little by little, enfolding the person in a delightful but numbing trance, till one is lost in forgetfulness, and often it ends in death. Thus a snake captures its prey by 'fascination.' It fixes its glittering eyes with hungry hope on a lark singing in mid-air. It then throws its body in graceful curves and raises its tail, and makes a constant waving motion, soft and inviting. The bird sees and is interested. Its eyes once caught becomes ensnared in the endless waves of motion. Little by little it loses control of itself and draws near the ground overcome by simple delight. Then it flutters helplessly into the serpent's folds, where it is stung and devoured. Precisely so it is with the fascination of drink. Do you know any words that can prove it?" "Oh, yes," replied the girl. "Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging; and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise. Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, when it giveth its color in the cup, when it moveth itself aright, at the last it biteth like a serpent and stingeth like an adder." "Very good," said the master. "How can we best avoid the fascination of drink and its craving?" "I shall, anyhow, said Mary, "abstain from drink all my days, and try and lead others to do the same." "Nobly resolved, and God help you to keep your resolution.—Rev. William Ross.

Temperance Notes.

Rumshops make murderers, and apathetic Christians make rumshops.

The buildings formerly used in Kansas for breweries are being turned into factories, pork-packing establishments, and the like.

The General Life Insurance office of Canada has instructed its agents as follows: "In consequence of the excessive mortality experienced in the case of innkeepers whose lives have been insured with the Company, it is hereby notified that from this date the directors will not undertake these risks on any terms."

Here is a fact as frequent as it is sad; a few days ago, in New York a man complained of his wife as a common drunkard. When they were married, and for years afterward, she was provident, tender and loving; but she had lately given herself up to drinking, and had destroyed his business, his home and his peace. She had sold everything of her own and his, that she could lay hold of, for whisky; and while in drink she was a perfect fury, abusing him and their child as only a drunken maniac could. After hearing his testimony, the magistrate asked the woman if she would promise to drink no more and go home and be a peaceful wife and mother. Her answer was made with streaming eyes "No! I shall drink till I die! I cannot help it." It was a sorrowful sight—the husband holding the wife in his arms, both of them weeping and sobbing as if their hearts would break and yet with no hopes for the future.

SPOTTED TAIL, the oldest and most influential of the Sioux chiefs, was killed last Friday by Crow Dog, a rival chief.

Why He Couldn't.

"I have stood this just as long as I can!" exclaimed a citizen as he entered a Woodward avenue grocery.

"Why, I sent your goods over an hour ago."

"Well, then, discharge that driver. Either that or I'll never trade another dollar with you."

"I shall be sorry to lose your custom."

"Then you won't discharge him?"

"Alas! no! on the contrary I must even raise his wages. Fact is, he is engaged to no less than twenty-six cooks on the Cass farm, and if the firm above hire him away I lose twenty-six customers. Ah! sir, be moderate—bear with me—overlook some delinquencies on account of the situation in which I am placed."—*Detroit Free Press.*

The Southern Pig.

One ought to see what the ground work of all this pork business is. A wild hog down South is a wonderful creation to a northerner, who is accustomed to see hogs so fat that they can hardly walk. Well, I don't know as they can walk here, but they can run. See one broadside to, and you would think it weighed two hundred and fifty pounds, but let it turn about head on, and it looks like a strip of sheet iron stood upon the edge. Nearly all the live ones I saw were black, and about as thin as a board, but when it came to annihilating space, I could see how they were made so thin. The air offers no more resistance to them than a tub of lard does to a cheese knife.

I saw one run along by the side of the railroad track, keeping up with the train for about a quarter of a mile, when he suddenly thought that he would show us how he could run when he was so inclined, and, gathering himself up, he darted along by the car, overtook the tender, gained a lap on the engine, and crossed the track ahead of it, and ran into the woods. If he had kept that gait until we got into Washington, he would have been half-way through Alaska. Probably next to the carrier pigeons, the southern wild hog is the swiftest bird in the world.—*Belfast Journal.*

Truth Stranger Than Fiction.

It was fourteen years ago that a Maine man got up from dinner, took his hat and walked out of the house, leaving his wife and little girl at the table. He did not come back again. Two or three years thereafter he was eating his bacon and beans alone in a hut by Table Mountain, California, when, on looking up, he saw a woman and a young lady standing in the doorway. "Ye've got here at last, have ye?" said he, and went on eating. Two years later the woman and the girl disappeared, leaving him alone. The other day the mother was found in a San Francisco walking match, and the daughter, forsaken by a lover, tried to drown herself. Let Bret Harte beat that!

A logger employed in the mountains near Truckee was attacked by a large lynx, which tore his clothing from his person and lacerated his flesh considerably before it could be driven away. It is recorded as a strange circumstance that a single animal of this kind, without being first assailed, should attack a man. The logger was armed with a hatchet, but this was of no avail. After escaping he fled to the camp, from which two men soon started out with rifles and killed the lynx.

The Methodist camp meeting commenced last Tuesday. It is being held at Bennett, Lancaster county.

Be Wise and Happy.

If you will stop all your extravagances and wrong notions in doctoring yourself and families with expensive doctors or humbug cure-alls, that do harm always, and use only nature's simple remedies for all your ailments, you will be wise, well and happy, and save great expense. The greatest remedy for this, the great, wise and good will tell you, is Hop Bitters—rely on it. See another column.

A Traveler's Story.

After spending months at Europe and American watering places and thousands of dollars looking for health I returned home disheartened and wretched. I had consulted the best physicians and traveled far and near without benefit, and expected to die. A friend urged a trial of Parker's Ginger Tonic. Three bottles and careful diet have worked wonders and brought me excellent health and spirits, and you may publish my experience for the benefit of similar sufferers.—A Cincinnati Lady. 2014

THE MARKETS.

HOME MARKETS.
GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

Wednesday, Aug. 10, 1881

Wheat, No. 2	93
Corn, car	35
" shelled	@30
Oats	25
Barley, No. 2	40@55
Rye	65
Native Cattle	3@4 60
Hogs	4 50@4 65
Butter	20@25
Eggs	12½@15
Potatoes	1 00@1 25

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Aug 10, 1881.

Money—2@3.	
Wheat	$ 1 30½@1 30
Rye	92½
Corn	56
Oats	47

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 10, 1881

Flour	$ 4 50 @$5 00
Wheat	24¾
Corn	51½
Oats	33⅝
Rye	88
Barley	94

LIVE STOCK.

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Cattle, "	3 45@ 4 50
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[Extract from a letter.]

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