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It will be impossible to describe all we have for sale, so drop in and convince yourself that there is no place like it on earth.

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I am now located in the store room lately vacated by Mrs. T. Nelis, on Main Avenue, where I will be pleased to see all my old customers and many new ones. My stock will be larger and finer than ever, and my prices as low as the lowest.

H. H. BERRY.

1888. -:- Fall Season. -:- 1889.

The fact that my efforts in the past to produce none but of the highest standard of excellence have been appreciated by friends and customers, as shown by my large and rapidly increasing business, has encouraged me to still greater exertions for the Fall and Winter season.

My Collection of Fine Fabrics

For gentlemen wear, is now complete, and it will give me pleasure to have you see my stock, which is as large and handsome an assortment of new goods as can be shown by any of the best houses in larger cities. I am better prepared now to execute all orders promptly, and give the trade stylish and perfect fitting garments.

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MCCOOK, NEBRASKA.

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THE NEWS.

That rain, last Thursday night, was No. 1. Mrs. W. T. Stone expects soon to go for a few weeks' visit on the Medicine.

Frank Fewell's people intend to move to town, the last of the month.

Mrs. C. H. Jacobs has returned from her eastern visit and C. H. is happy once more.

Roth, Hileman has bought about 20 head steers, paying \$20 per head, a decided improvement over last year's price.

Corn husking has commenced. Corn is good in quality and fair in quantity. Taking all in all, crops will average up with the rest of the U. S.

A republican club was organized at the Pickett school house, last Friday night, the 7th inst., by H. H. Berry and J. Byron Jennings. The following are the officers elected: President, John Whitaker; Treasurer, Perry Stone; Secretary, M. C. Maxwell; Executive Committee, Wm. Gillespie, C. H. Jacobs, Alex. Johnson, H. W. Eaton, D. C. Babbitt. They will meet again, two weeks from that time, and all good republicans are cordially invited to come forward and join.

For First Places.

A great amount of political engineering will be done by friends of candidates for office for their man the first place on the ticket, and the best man will probably secure the coveted place. Then if endorsed by the people, the election is assured. Electric Bitters has been put to the front, its merits passed upon, has been endorsed, and unanimously given the first place, among remedies peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all diseases of kidneys, liver and stomach. Electric Bitters, being guaranteed, is a safe investment. Price, 50 cents and \$1 per bottle at A. McMillen's drug store.

BANKVILLE and VICINITY.

Haying is on the boom at present.

Camp meeting is in progress at Cedar Bluffs. It is reported that John Miller has left home, as he has not been seen since Wednesday.

Harry Kennedy, Miss Richardson and others disposed of sundry watermelons at W. H. Benjamin's on Sunday.

BASE BALL.—Bankville vs. Ridge, on the 8th. Score 16 to 34 in favor of Ridge. Will play again in two weeks.

What's the matter with the U. L. P. nominee for county attorney? Oh, nothing! Only he would vote for a horse thief for president; would beat a poor widow out of \$200, and would keep a saddle when given him to carry to a neighbor. Good man. Vote for him.

CYCLOPE JIM.

Their Business Booming.

Probably no one thing has caused such a general revival of trade at A. McMillen's drug store as their giving away to their customers of so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. Their trade is simply enormous in this very valuable article from the fact that it always cures and never disappoints. Coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis, croup and all throat and lung diseases quickly cured. You can test it before buying by getting a trial bottle free, large size \$1. Every bottle warranted.

The Charms of an Editor's Life.

One of the beauties and charms of an editor's life is in his dead-heading it on all occasions. No one who has never tasted the sweets of that bliss, can begin to take in his glory and happiness. He does \$100 worth of advertising for a railroad company, gets the "press" for a year, rides \$25, and then he is looked upon as dead-head, or a half blown dead-head. He "puts" a concert troupe \$10 worth, and gets \$1.00 in "complimentaries," and is thus padded "free." If the hall is crowded he is begrudged the room he occupies, for if his complimentaries were paying tickets, the troupe would be so much more in pocket. He blows and puffs a church free to any desired extent, and does the poster printing at half rates, and merely gets a "thank you" for it. It goes as part of his duty as an editor. He does more work gratuitously for the town and community than all the rest of the population put together, and sets cures for it all, while in many instances where a man donates a few dollars for the 4th of July, a base ball club or a church, he is gratefully remembered. He pusses "free," you know.—Utica Observer.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is the most successful preparation ever produced for Summer Complaint, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Diarrhoea, Bloody Flux and Chronic Diarrhoea and thousands of persons will certify that they believe their lives have been saved by this great remedy. It is the one preparation that every family and every traveling man should be provided with, especially during the summer months. Many cases of Chronic Diarrhoea that had resisted all other treatment and baffled the skill of good physicians have been permanently cured by it. Sold by all druggists.

THE prohibitions of Arkansas claim that the ballot box stealing done in that state the other day was done for the purpose of defeating prohibition, that being one of the questions at issue. They claim that license was defeated in forty counties in the state.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no cure required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. McMillen.

"I WANT to be at home with my wife," said Mr. Thurman plaintively, and the whole country will sympathize with the old gentleman's wish. His place is in the chimney corner.

A merchant, after selling and using an article for years, knows something of its merits. Mr. W. B. Haller, druggist, Bill, Neb., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and do not hesitate to say that I think it the best of all medicines for diarrhea and bowel complaints generally." Sold by all druggists.

INDUSTRY, economy and sobriety will accomplish more for the toiler than statutes, politics and all other influences of similar character combined. Besides there is no other way.

DR. CADY'S Condition Powders. They tone up the digestive organs, free the system of worms, give the horse a good appetite, causing them to shed freely and putting them in good shape for hard work. For sale by druggists.

THE Nebraska Farmer, publisher at Lincoln, comes to our table, this week, enlarged and vastly improved throughout. It is a handsome and highly creditable agricultural publication that every farmer can have in his home with pleasure and profit. We felicitate the publishers.

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A specialty of fine residences, school houses, churches, etc. All work done with dispatch and satisfaction guaranteed. Shops, corner Dodge and Manchester streets.

THE last four years have enabled the voters to see what the Democratic party actually is. Men who never can read history, or if they read can not get at the meat of it, see daily events and understand them. They take a look every day at the sort of men who hang round the postoffices and other places held by the party in power. They read enough of the story of current events to know what sort of men have been selected for important places of trust. They know that Garland is in the Cabinet and Lamar on the Supreme bench. They know that appropriations are larger under this administration of sham economy than ever before. They know that the foreign interests and honor of the country are being recklessly and madly risked in the game of partisanship. They know that every year the party in power under the control of fanatical Southern Free traders has threatened and disordered the industries of the whole Nation in its desperate efforts to overturn a system which has made the growth and prosperity of the United States the wonder of the world. Having seen Democracy tried they are disgusted. That is the meaning of the returns thus far, and it is likely to be the meaning of the returns in November.

CLEVELAND'S retaliatory message and his sudden conversion from a do-nothing to an active war platform reminds one of the story of the man who was bitten by a rattlesnake. The story in short is this: The old man Beaver and several grown-up sons lived in Pennsylvania. The mother and wife was a good woman, and the pastor of the old country church had often labored with old Beaver and the boys without effect. But one day a rattlesnake bit Bill and he was about to die, and they sent for the preacher in haste. He came, and, seeing the broken, penitent family, he said: "Let us pray," and wound up with the expression: "Oh Lord, we thank Thee for rattlesnakes. Send one to bite Tom, and one to bite Jim, and a big one to bite the old man, for nothing but rattlesnakes will ever convert the Beaver family." It was doubtless only a great emergency in Cleveland's life which induced his sudden conversion.

SECRETARY VILAS let loose his vocabulary at Milwaukee, the other night with astonishing results. Here is one sentence, seething hot from the powerful brain of the secretary of the interior: "Then it was that the monstrous vampire hidden in the tariff which fanned seductively with the wings of protection the laborer whose heart's blood it sucked was begotten in sin, to rob the toiling producers in the fields and forests of the wealth they created." Mr. Vilas's oratory is strong and mellifluous, and his flow of language is beautiful in the extreme, resembling very much that of the late Daniel Pratt.

It is folly nowadays to sneer at women in politics. They are there already, and will stay. Whether or no the right of suffrage shall ever be given them, their influence will always be a power in elections, perhaps the stronger without the ballot, because the more intelligent who now labor are not interfered with by the uneducated element of sisterhood. The queens of the fireside, the gentle companions of home life and the mothers of American citizens are rightly interested in elections upon which the dignity of citizenship is staked.

WHAT will Iowa do for its vinegar and pickles under Judge Ney's decision that "a man must not make cider even for his own family?" Will he be permitted still to suck the cider out of his apples after grinding them between his molar and cuspid? There is such a thing even in this age as "straining at gnats." But if Judge Ney's opinion is warranted by the laws—it is time the law were amended. Such laws are not "temperance" laws, but intemperance.

VICE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE THURMAN says, "an enormous surplus is idle in the Treasury, doing nobody any good." The real facts are that the administration has loaned to pet banks without interest \$60,000,000, and this is a larger amount than can be found in the Treasury when its obligations of the fiscal year are met. The old Roman was doubtless honest in his assertion, but he has not caught up with recent developments.

NEW YORK democrats will be surprised at the number of labor votes they will lose in that state this fall. In a recent issue of the Standard, Henry George's paper, in interviews fifty out of fifty-two labor leaders declare that they will do all they can to defeat Gov. Hill. His veto of the electoral reform bill, especially designed to enable poor men to successfully enter politics, has struck deep into their hearts.

GENERAL HARRISON was visited at Indianapolis, yesterday, by a delegation from the Grand Army post at Anthony, bearing to him an eloquent token of regard in the shape of two mammoth watermelons, one of which weighed seventy-five pounds. In this act the true Kansas spirit stood confessed—all regard to the party and devotion to the state; loyalty to the nominee and a highly intelligent regard for the advantages of judicious advertising.

A HARVARD man, while boring a well dropped a monkey-wrench into the hole when at a depth of seventy-five feet. He gave his little six year old boy a quarter to allow a rope to be tied around his legs and then lowered head first to the bottom of the hole after the wrench. The boy was successful, he was a quarter ahead, the wrench was saved, God reigns and the government at Washington still lives.

He knows what he is writing about. Mr. B. McLeod, druggist, Hemingford, Neb., says: "I keep in stock a great variety of so called cures for diarrhea and cholera morbus, but from a personal trial of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, I regard it as the best of any medicine in the market, for diarrhea and all bowel complaints. It saved the life of our banker here." Sold by all druggists.

The Newspaper Revolution.

From the Rockford (Ill.) Register.

The era of cumbersome blanket-sheets seems coming to an end, and newspapers like the New York Sun and THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS are the prominent journalistic successes of the period. The papers that give enough reading matter to fill a good volume in each daily issue are going out of favor with many people who have some other employment for their time than the search through mountains of straw for kernels of news. The sheets that give the news systematically and amply, and without unnecessary padding, are taking the lead in the great cities.

Forty years ago the chief duty of an editor, in view of his limited facilities, was to gather all the news he could and print it. Intelligence was transmitted slowly; many occurrences of interest were never heard of beyond their immediate locality; ocean mails were long in transit, and the overthrow of an European dynasty was not known here until long after the event. Suddenly there came a change. The railroad and the telegraph superseded old methods, and the newspaper was literally flooded with news. The death of a petty ward politician in San Francisco, the result of a Presidential election, the accession of a sovereign, the outbreak of a war, and notice that a shanty had been burned in Texas, all were hurried over the wires into the newspaper offices, and there being no idea of discrimination, all were printed. Thus originated the "blanket sheet."

The publisher who could send out the biggest blanket for a nickel was the most enterprising; the biggest paper was the best; it was a period of bigness. But after a time the very excess of the evil brought the remedy, and there began an era of discrimination, during which arose such journals as the New York Sun and THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS. That the public appreciated the new departure is best evidenced in the fact that the Sun reached a circulation of 150,000 a day, and THE DAILY NEWS 175,000. The wonderful and constantly growing popularity of the condensed, low-priced papers has so far brought the cumbersome and high-priced blanket-sheets to their senses, that they have now somewhat reformed both as to size and price, but they are still too far removed from the true ideal of American journalism to meet the needs of the great majority.

In the west THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS has been the first to appreciate and meet the situation, and it now enjoys the results of its twelve years of pioneer work in a daily circulation averaging over three times that of any of its contemporaries, and

considerably more than the circulations of all other Chicago dailies combined. It is hardly necessary to say that such a circulation could not be attained, much less maintained, except by a paper of high grade of excellence, as well as one sold at a popular price. To win such recognition the cheap paper must be as good a newspaper as the best of its higher-priced competitors. And this THE DAILY NEWS certainly is. It is a member of the Associated Press, and is the only paper in Chicago which possesses a franchise which secures to it both the day and night dispatches of the Association. In the general field of news-gathering it represents in the highest degree the progressive enterprise of American journalism: as a newspaper it challenges comparison with any in the land.

In its editorial columns THE DAILY NEWS speaks from the standpoint of the independent newspaper, and thereby escapes the temptation of impairing honest and honorable influence by condoning or defending the questionable under the pressure of party allegiance. It is not an organ, neither is it a neutral in questions of principle. It has the courage of its convictions. The organ of no party, sect or interest, it voices the united demand of all those better elements of society in behalf of purity, honesty and decency in all the relations of life. By just so much as it thus commends itself to the regard of the truly "best people" of the community does it voluntarily renounce any community of interest with all others.

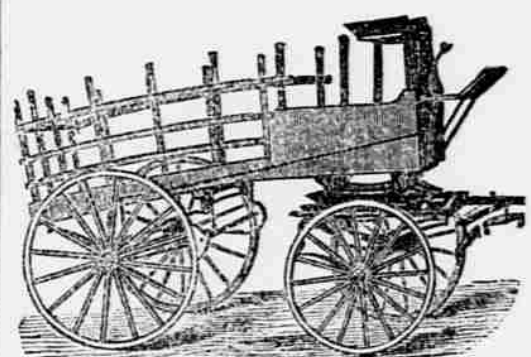
So conspicuous a success must have its imitators, and THE DAILY NEWS has the endorsement such imitation always bestows. However as it is the only one-cent paper in Chicago or the West which is a member of the Associated Press—all other Chicago Associated Press papers cost 3 cents—all imitation must continue, so far as news-giving value is concerned, to be but imitation. THE CHICAGO DAILY NEWS is "the original," "the best."

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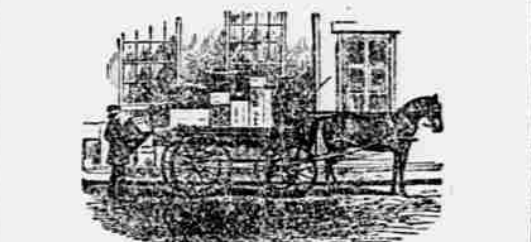
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We received this week, from Chicago, the largest stock of Dress Goods, Flannels, Waterproofs, Blankets, Underwear, Shirts, Hosiery, Notions, Gloves, Mittens, Hats, Caps, Etc., we have ever carried.

A \$3,000 STOCK OF Boots and Shoes, Rubbers, Etc.

We have \$15,000 in Merchandise to sell for CASH or PRODUCE at as low a price as any house can sell. Don't pay more for goods than we pretend to ask, thinking you are saving "25 cents on a dollar," as some of our competitors advertise.

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