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center, the former meeting being in

1872. President Charles W. Elliott,

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McCann News.

McCann school closed last Fri-

Billy Ammon commenced listing

corn Monday. Mrs. Geo. Hendershot is still

down with the rheumatism.

Dave Hendershot went to Valentine Monday to work at the carpenter trade.

P. C. Galloway has started a newspaper called, Emma's Delight. We wish him success.

Make a Note of It.

The season 1903 at Hot Springs, S D., will open May 2nd, Hotels and plunge baths have been over-hauled and put in fine condition. Mr. H D. Clark will manage the Evans hotel, Low rates · with long limit will be announced soon. Ask for information about the popular resort and the Black Hills before deciding where to spend your vacation this season. Agents "North-western Line" can tell

you all about it. J. A. KUHN, Asst. Gen'l. Frght & Pass'gr Agt.

Omaha, Nebr.

Cody News.

The Rae building is almost completed and everything will be in running order May 1st.

Hendricks' saloon building will soon be moved into Eest Cody.

Mrs. Newberry is on the sick list, but is improving at this writing.

Earnest Thode is in town for the purpose of taking home with him, to his ranch on White River, his wife and children, who have spent the winter in Cody. We wish them a pleasant trip across the reservation.

Joe Bemisdorfer is dangerously il at the home of Frank McGee. His wife and children are here also await.

Henry Sherman was in from the ranch on business Saturday.

Office over the grocery department Mrs. Grace Conlin has been very sick but Dr. Davis pronounces her out Will be in Rosebud agency July of danger. Dr. Davis is fast winning the ap-

> proval of the community at large by the sincere interest he takes in the weltare of his patients.

The Heine and Calkin sale Saturday last, was well attended and the horses brought a good price.

"Man's inhamanity to man makes countless thousands mourn " A most pitiful scene was enacted on our streets last Friday. The town marshal finding an Indian intoxicated to helplessness beat and kicked him until he became sober enough to walk. In an eastern town if a horse had been beaten thus, the humane societies would have attended to it, and we think the town council should inquire into the affair.

The hills are beginning to wear a look of green. Spring round-ups will be the next thing in order.

Clare Cole has gone south to superintend the construction of a telephone line from Armstrong's ranch to the Snake. This line when completed will connect Frank Mogle, Armstrong Robsiter, Gunderson, Anderson and E. Barnes and perhaps several other places with Cody.

Grandma Reed and her daughter, Mrs. May Yancey, are here on a visit. Many friends welcome them back and only wish they were here to stay. A. C. Rieminsmder is preparing to enlarge his dwelling

Geo. Barnes' residence has been improved by a generous application of

School continues until the middle

Wm. Wasmer has bought the claim owned by Hull Barnes, situated north

of his ranch on the Niobrara. Ed Stewart, Wm. Wasmer and F. Mogle have invested in a well augor and will be prepared to accomodate those who are going to have wells drilled the coming summer.

Gus Gunderson says he is either going to sell or stock his ranch the coming season.

AUNT MARTHA TWILIGHT

Frank Ashburn is home again batching after about two months at Fort Niobrara.

Miss Roxie Swain of Sparks has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. McFarland.

Harvey Jonnson is making preparations to leave the country.

Mrs. S. Berry has been on the sick list for the past few weeks but is recovering at this writing.

went to Valentine Thursday on the mail.

YOUNGSTER.

TRUSTS CONTROL

They Will Dictate Legislation by Congress.

THE PEOPLE ARE TO BE FOOLED

The Trusts May Permit Mild Legislation Against Themselves, While President Roosevelt Will Be Sailsfled With "Some Hind of Action."

Trust legislation is possible, but hardly probable, at this session of congress. A compremise bill will pass the house of representatives shorn of all that will really curb the trusts. The bills prepared by Attorney General Knox and introduced in the house of representatives by the chairman of the judiciary committee were found after consultation with the Republican managers of the senate to be too drastic to command a majority of the votes, and a compromise bill is the result which | cheap goods. is as harmless as a sucking dove.

President Roosevelt, his attorney general, the judiciary committees of congress and the leaders of the Republican party have all had a hand in incubating this innocent bill. A prodigious amount of work has been expended on it, for it is quite difficult to compose a bill that will read like a trust buster and yet be a trust shelter. That the bill is to be harmless to the trusts was acknowledged by the personal organ of the administration, the Washington Star, on Jan. 16, when it said:

"Two important facts appear today in the situation concerning possible antitrust legislation-first, the legislation proposed by the house will not be drastic; second, that there is disposition on the part of the trust interests to accept the legislation and permit it to go through the senate if it is not of a drastic character.

"Private information comes to the capitol today from trust sources that it may be possible to reach an agreement which will permit the enactment of mild legislation regulating the trusts and that if assurances can be given that the perfected bill will be of a character so conservative as to merely satisfy the president's demand for erence to foreign selling by the United 'some kind of action' no obstacles will be placed in the way of the bill in the

These are extraordinary admissions for the Star to make-first, that the trusts will permit mild legislation; second, that Tresident Roosevelt will be satisfied with "some kind of action."

What do you think of that? The trusts will kindly permit congress to pass a law nominally against themselves! So here we have the flat footed assertion by the newspaper organ of the Republican administration that the trusts own congress and dictate any and all laws they think desirable or expedient. Democratic newspapers and orators have claimed this for some years, but it has always been indignantly denied until at last the disgraceful truth is admitted.

But what is the matter with President Roosevelt that he should also come to be satisfied with any legislation the trusts may dictate? Is the trust buster so anxious to be again nominated for president that "some kind of action" against the trusts will now satisfy him? Democratic newspapers and speakers have always given the president credit for honesty of purpose, whatever his shortcomings, but here we have his personal organ. which is inspired from the White House, acknowledging that the president has joined the other leaders of his party in trying to fool the people with fake legislation against the trusts.

Another eminent Republican at crisis in the history of the country said. "You can fool all the people some of the time and some of the people all the time, but you cannot fool all of the people all of the time." It is to be hoped that the people will not be fooled more easily today than they were in Lincoln's time.

One Way to Make Him Open Up.



-Minneapolis Tribune.

The Trusts Have the Grip.

The Republican leaders and Pres. dent Roosevelt are determined to make the trust busting bill a partisan measure. As the trusts have dictated the terms and the scope of the bill, the Republicans are welcome to all the credithey will eventually get out of this legislation. The amendments that the Democrats offered when the bill came before the house, that really would have controlled the trusts, were, o. course, voted down. The trusts cer tainly have a pretty complete grip on the Republican party.

An Object Lesson.

Free ceal has broken the back of the coal trust quicker than expected, even by the strongest low tariff Democrat One week after coal was put on the Mrs. Ernest Bowden of Kewanee free list the trust reduced its prices at the mines from \$6.30 to \$3.60 per ton. The free list knockout drops should be administered to hundreds of other pocket sucking trusts.

EXPORT PRICES AGAIN.

ligatificance of Testimony Given Before Ways and Means Committee. I take a great amount of gall these

days to assert that our numerous protected ones are not continually and habitually selling their products cheaper to foreigners than to Americans, but the Republicans are undaunt of by any wagon wood stock at E. Breuklanders. amount of evidence, even when it comes from protected Lepublican man-

were before the ways and means committee on Jan. 15 are uing in favor of the Lovering bill to enable the manufacturers to obtain drawback duties without identi ing the imported raw material. The will is all right, for it would enable the manufacturers to sell still cheaper to foreigners without in any way injuring Americans. If Mr.

Lovering would introduce another bill

to give the manufacturers free raw

material to make goods cheap to us, we

would applaud still loader, but his

Numerous protected manufacturers

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party does not believe in giving us During this hearing Mr. W. K. Seaver of the National Wire company said that steel billets and raw material cost about \$10 less a ton abroad than

at home. "Is there are one company or corporation that controls the price of raw materials in this country?" was asked by a member of the committee.

"I should say yes," replied Mr. Seaver, "that being the United States Steel corporation." "What has been their action toward

raising or lowering prices?" Mr. Grosvenor asked.

"Their policy has been to retain the prices at such a high level that the independent concerns have found it very difficult to live," replied Mr. Seaver. In reply to a question he said, "I

know it to be a fact that in spite of the enormous demand of this country certain companies are still holding on to the export business at prices which I obtained in this country." "I know that they have offered wire

rods in Canada at a price which is several dollars less than they offered the same rods for domestic use," said Mr. Seaver in reply to a question with ref-States Steel corporation.

Mr. Swanson of Virginia asked, 'When you sell your finished product do you sell it abroad at less than you sell it at home?" Mr. Seaver said.

"Yes, sir; because we get the benefit of the drawback." Mr. C. H. Cramp, the great shipbuilder, said that steel billets cost \$27

a ton abroad and \$45 here. Thus we see the very nature of Republican tariff laws is to encourage manufacturers to sell cheaper for export than for domestic use. But not one-half the goods exported at lower prices than are charged here are goods on which drawback duties are obtained. The trusts have no excuse for most of this high handed robbery, and in fact none is necessary so long as the people vote to protect the trusts by the highest tariff wall that mankind ever

HELPING CUBA.

The Democracy In This, as In Every thing, Guided by a Sense of Henor. It is aimost impossible for a protectionist organ to play its little piece without getting out of tune with facts. Here is the Washington Post, for instance, saying: "What has become of all that Democratic sympathy for suffering Cuba? Surely it was not all for political effect."

The Post knows full well that there is no suffering in Cuba now mere than there is in the United States. The sugar trust press agent occasionally manufactures a little suffering for the benefit of congress when the reciprocity chariot wheels drag heavily, but this evidence is hardly substantial enough | you and start them out on the sumto excite the Democrats who know it is for political effect. The Democrats, if they had the chance, would, instead of fussing over the terms of a questionable reciprocity which the party in power is now doing, so reduce the high pro tective rates of the tariff that Cuba and all countries would have equal access to our markets.

Why blame the Democrats because the reciprocity treaty is not ratified? It ts a humbug pure and simple, worked up by the sugar trust and of no advantage to the United States and will be but little if any aid to Cuba. The Democrats forced the freeing of Cuba from the despotic yoke of Spain, and they have voted money with a free hand to aid her. If the Republicans have made any secret pledges to Cub;, they have the political power to redeem them. If aid is needed from the Democrats to carry out the pledges, let the Republicans disclose what the pledges are and who made them, and if the United States is bound in Lonor to redeem them the Democrats will be found ready to protect the honor of their country. But when it comes to pulling chesturts out of the fire to help their political opponents without at the same time belping Uncle Sam the Democrats are not there.

Republicans Scored.

Ec-Congressman John De Witt Warner said many excellent things in his speech before the Maine Democratic club on Jan. S. Here are a few of his genne

No government can serve monopoly and the people, "for either it will hate the one and love the other or it will follow the command despise the other." It cannot "serve God and Mammon." Our forefathers denomic d George III, "for cutting off our trade with all

erts of the world." That is just what our percentient is doing. What we and to buy is fronten from covern-

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LOST: One gray mare branded on right hip. Also one horse colt branded same as mare. 12 D. STINARD, Valentine, Nebr.

Dr. W. I. Seymour will be in Valentine Saturday May 9th at Donoher hotel. 10 2

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tor Paper Money. he man who is ever ready to bet on malable said suddenly to a group of millers of the chib, "I'll bet a case of tup to a bottle of curry powder it there to 't a man in the party that in unone the denuminations of United a'es per of money." All lost, and all sees all asked when he mentioned \$1. 1, 75, 810, 820, 850, \$100, 8500, \$1,000, J 50 and \$10,000. Most men are unustoned to handling notes above . and few ever saw one of \$19,000.

Coor Alters Animals.

New York Press.

It is surprising how circumstances alr animals. The savages of the Ama on regi a feed the common green para for generations with the fat of cerain fish s. thus causing it to become a unifully variegated with red and Slow feathers. In like manner the carives of the Malay archipelago, by a process of feeding, change the talkative lary into the sorgeous king lory.

The Marages Regilnes It. "There is something elevating in mu-

sic." said the artist. "Yes," arswered the manager, "Music coradnly has the effect of stimulating lof y ideals as to salary."-Washarg.on Star.

and fools that laughter was invented .-Thackeray.

It was to combat and expose quacks

Any person attending a spiritualistic seance in Bohemia is liable to a fine of