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OMAHA's old settlers are departing one by one.

The assessed valuation of Douglas county for 1881 is \$8,459,141.46.

The hot weather is excellent for the corn. That is one blessed consolation.

The Saturday Times has put in an appearance as the successor of the Sunday Item.

"Hope for the president; hump for the assassin!" is the epigrammatic way in which a Kentucky editor puts it.

DEATH OF E. SENATOR HITCHECOCK

The death of ex-Senator Hitchcock has produced a profound shock in Omaha, which will be shared by the entire state.

Among the measures that survive him and for which the people of the entire west owe him a debt of gratitude is the timber culture act, which has given such an impetus to the planting of millions of trees upon our plains and will in due time not only provide our farmers with cheap fuel but cannot fail to favorably modify our climate.

While frequently differing with ex-Senator Hitchcock in his political methods and often disapproving his recommendation to office, THE BEE bears willing testimony to an energy that never flagged and a brain that was always active when questions affecting Omaha and Nebraska were pending.

Above all things we can commend as a leading trait his unwavering fidelity to friends whom he supported and defended through good and evil report, in adversity as well as in prosperity.

THE ALBANY STRUGGLE

The weary routine of a daily ballot, followed by adjournment, which for nearly six weeks has taken place at Albany, was varied on Friday by a caucus of the republicans, attended by sixty-seven members of the legislature.

Neither of the candidates are men of national reputation as statesmen, although both have had a large legislative experience.

reserved. He is a paper manufacturer and runs a mill in Herkimer.

Elbridge Gerry Lapham is a stalwart and a great admirer of Mr. Conkling, with whose cause he has always been identified.

NEBRASKA'S METROPOLIS.

The growing importance of Omaha as the metropolis of Nebraska and the entrepot for the trans-Missouri country is forcing itself upon the attention of the leading journals of the east as it has long ago attracted the attention of the great world of trade and commerce.

The Board of Underwriters of Nebraska City warn the citizens of the dangers of gas-stoves and lamps.

The Farmers' alliance, in Adams county has resolved to cut loose from all political parties and "go it alone."

The water of "Eureka" Springs, at Newton, has been analyzed and found to contain a small amount of heating ingredients.

News writing from Nelson, N. Z., says: "Whoever in England, whether farmer, tradesman, artisan, or laborer, can by an honest and honorable means manage to keep a roof over his head, let him by all means stop where he is."

THE CROP PROSPECTS IN CUSTER VALLEY, Sherman and Buffalo counties were never better than now.

The State Board of Educational Lands and Buildings have decided to commence suit against all persons who have leased or purchased school land and who are in arrears in their payment.

IOWA BOILED DOWN.

As being a certain cure for the worst forms of dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation, impurity of blood, torpid liver, disordered kidneys, etc., and as a medicine for eradicating every species of humor, from an ordinary eruption to the worst form of Pock Bites and Bites, stand unrivaled.

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store, Howard county, last Tuesday night and burned the store, goods, and all to the ground.

The returns of the assessors of Lancaster county for 1881, in personal property and \$3,321,225 in land and lots.

The Oden creamery has commenced operations.

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prices, ranging from \$4.50 to \$6.00 per acre, with a rebate of \$2.50 on each acre when it is broken up.

INDISCREET PERSONS.

Who Gloried Over President Garfield's Illness, and Were Roughly Handled.

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