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SWORN TO before me and subscribed in my presence this 10th day of November, A. D. 1888.

WEST VIRGINIA is the thin wedge which splits the solid south.

THE independent member of the Nebraska legislature from the Sixty-third district will feel kind of lonesome among seventy-eight republicans and twenty-one democrats.

THE public debt of Canada has been increased about 50 per cent in the last five years, and this hooping up of indebtedness is largely due to the Canadian Pacific subsidies.

THE course pursued by the council with regard to the levy of the special tax for grading Wirt and Vinton streets at thirty-five cents a yard is being watched with a good deal of interest by the property-owners.

OF ALL the people of the United States the Dakotans have the greatest cause for rejoicing over the election of General Harrison.

MONEY is withdrawn from its accustomed channels to swell campaign-funds, and thousands of dollars are spent lavishly and recklessly for questionable purposes.

IT WAS to be expected that confusion would result from the counting of the ballots in the city. The unprecedentedly large vote cast in every ward of the city, the want of registration lists, and the inexperience of the judges and clerks of election contributed to the complications.

THE imbecility and incompetency of the London police in tracing the Whitechapel murderer is illustrated by the proclamation of the chief of police offering a free pardon to any accomplice of the murderer if he will turn informer.

IN their desperation to find a cause for Cleveland's defeat, the democratic press strikes out right and left. First Hill was accused, then Hewitt was made responsible, and now it is poor Henri Watterson, of Kentucky, who is held up for execration.

IT IS a cold day when Kansas City gets ahead of Omaha. A cut in rates on dressed beef between that city and Chicago was inaugurated a few days ago.

THE scheme to divide the Sixth and Ninth wards and add two more councilmen to the city's pay-roll will not meet with much favor from the taxpayers of this community.

THIS remarkable growth of the Montana cattle business, as shown by the large receipts from its cattle ranges this season, has been a great surprise to the live stock trade.

GLORIFYING CLEVELAND.

Defeat has not lessened the admiration of a certain class of democrats and their so-called independent allies for Mr. Cleveland.

But while Mr. Cleveland was an efficient and useful mayor, it was speedily discovered that he was not likely to improve his record in public life if the broader and more difficult field of state affairs, and he was little more than a figurehead in the office of governor.

Ever looking forward to a second term and planning to that end, Mr. Cleveland saw the necessity of a clearly defined issue, and hence the tariff message.

The effort to rank Mr. Cleveland as a statesman must fail. There is no evidence to support such a claim. If his administration has done no other injury to the country than to bring upon it some loss of dignity in the world's opinion the credit is not to be given to his wisdom, or his patriotism, but to conditions which he was unable to control.

THE LOND ON MURDERS. The last horrible story from London of a repetition of the Whitechapel butcheries, the scene of the latest murder being in another portion of the great city, is even more revolting in its character than those which had preceded it.

where the question was raised whether the chief of the metropolitan police should not be superceded by some one accustomed to investigate crime.

The latest murder suggests that the fiend who committed it, doubtless the same who perpetrated the Whitechapel horrors, was merely resting from his saturnalism of slaughter, and that he had not fulfilled his most diabolical purpose.

EMISSARIES of the Mormon church are looking toward Canada as the land of refuge. Evidently the project of establishing a colony in Mexico has not met with success and steps have been taken to sound the Canadian government.

THE MAHDI MOVES AGAIN. Cable advices announce that an army of the followers of the mahdi enthroned at Khartoum have captured the city of Wadi in the Soudan.

THE business men through the country will have a sigh of relief that the campaign, with its excitement and political uncertainty, is now at an end.

THE campaign of 1888 will be remembered as the first that was ever fought on a scientific basis. The tariff question is a question of political economy, and political economy is a science.

THE world moves. Well, the first battle has been lost by a narrow vote. What follows? The world moves, either forward or backward; it does not stand still.

WITH A HEAVY HEART. It is with heavy heart that we record the defeat of Mr. Cleveland and the return of the republican party to power.

ON the 20th of this month a convention of cattle raisers and butchers will assemble in St. Louis, and on that date the special committee of the United

States senate to investigate the beef and meat trade will also meet in that city. It is understood that a conference has been arranged between the committee and representatives of the cattle raisers, and that the syndicates will also be represented before the committee.

IN no other portion of the country has the result of the national election been received with more enthusiastic interest than by the republicans of Dakota.

THE late Mr. Venables, of the Saturday Review, was the boy who broke Thurston's neck in the school. As a man he was proud and just one feat—he was able to write the summaries of the year in the Saturday Review entirely from memory.

WOMAN'S CROWN OF GLORY. American Analyst: So shall your hair be clean and silky. No amount of combing will make it either. Look well to your brush.

THE DISTRICT COURT DOCKET. The docket in the district court will be called to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock and cases will be disposed of as fast as called.

WADSWORTH'S SUNDAY GUESTS. Capital hotel—B. Bostwick and wife, Hastings, Neb.; S. C. Burlington, Seward, Neb.; T. A. Robinson, Hastings; H. L. Royston, Chicago; John S. O'Connell, St. Louis; W. Jones, Kansas City; B. Wright, St. Louis; G. F. Fisher, New York; W. B. and R. J. Kilpatrick, Beatrice; J. Rabaans, Chicago; M. J. Bourke, Omaha; Dr. A. J. Shaw, Colorado; P. Powell, St. Louis; T. E. Dawson and wife, Chicago; A. Chapman, St. Louis; R. E. Allen, Omaha; B. C. Kruz and wife, St. Joseph; J. McCracken, Omaha; J. E. Lawless, Omaha; J. Dore, Chicago; R. J. Franklin, Omaha; T. J. Morgan, St. Joseph; H. Greenbaum, Chicago; W. H. Smith, New York; A. J. Brown, Chicago; J. J. Purcell, Omaha; B. H. Lynch, New York; W. H. Gibbons, St. Louis; J. Adams, Omaha; Windsor—N. A. Bloom, Detroit; O. Bergstrom, Gothenburg, Neb.; H. B. Goldsmith, Omaha; E. M. Wineberg, Chicago; R. K. Cooper, St. Joseph; E. G. Watson, Friend, C. H. Frost, Chicago; H. H. Hubbard, St. Louis; D. M. Lewis, Atlantic, Ia.; C. J. Rowley, Crete; J. Bennett, Keokuk; John H. Lynds, White Cloud, Kan.; H. E. Langevin, Omaha; T. G. Casack, St. Louis; P. Deane, Chicago; W. H. Allen, Omaha; W. K. West, Chicago; E. T. Franks, Omaha; C. J. Jannett, Chicago; George Rogers, Council Bluffs; B. C. Liggett, Pittsburg; W. L. Rosa and wife, Chicago; H. E. Hackman, St. Louis; H. G. Leachard, Chicago; G. H. Jacobson, New York; L. D. Dore, Chicago; W. D. Willey, A. R. Reiner, J. T. Gething, R. J. Koch, Baraboo, Wis.; Thomas J. Blocher, Chicago; E. F. Hooper, St. Joseph; Silvio Siani, Chicago; Grove T. Ingraham, Cincinnati; Henry Sherman, Jansville; C. W. Coehran, St. Louis; Sumner Gullmann, Rochester; John F. Quinn, Kansas City; M. E. Robertson, Omaha; H. C. Roundtree, La. Moine.

PATTI'S FRENCH DECORATION. Mme. Patti has been awarded what is termed "Les Palmes Academiques." It is an order which appertains to the university of France.

SECURE a sound mind, which seldom goes without sound digestion, by using the genuine Angostura Bitters of Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

the state, city and county offices, and the patronage pertaining to them, which is almost as valuable as that of the president of the United States.

SOMEWHERE. Somewhere in a cold, damp, gloomy place, in no man's land, in Salt creek land, two small shapes met face to face.

PROMINENT PERSONS. Jay Gould within the last six days has borrowed over \$20,000,000 from New York banks.

THE Hon. Sloan L. Smith, a prominent Canadian politician and supporter of Sir John A. MacDonald, has come out squarely for annexation to the United States.

SHUT UP SHOP. To-morrow the republican state central committee will close up the business matters of the campaign, balance the books and prepare to fold their tents like Ararab.

THE committee of the council which has been investigating the case of Officers Pound and Mitchell, of the city police force, informed both parties yesterday that they were silent for counsel or legal argument.

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LINCOLN NEWS AND NOTES.

John McAllister Creates a Sensation in the Baldwin Block.

SUNDAY GUESTS AT THE CAPITAL. The Case of Officers Mitchell and Pound—Seward Falls into the Line—General and Personal Notes.

LINCOLN BUREAU OF THE OMAHA BEE, 1029 P. STREET, LINCOLN, NOV. 11.

Old John McAllister, who was before the board of insanity about a week ago, created a sensation in the Baldwin early yesterday morning by deliberately setting fire to his bedding.

How Benjamin Harrison Came to Be the Republican Nominee for the Presidency. New York Special to Chicago Times.

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Issue Cahn, New York; J. M. Murdo Chicago; R. C. Miller, St. Louis.

Nothing is left of the republican bore on the corner of Fourth and street, but a mass of bricks, rubble and debris.

Next Thursday evening the Lincoln BEE will hold another social session, 715 Second Street, at 8 o'clock.

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