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The President's message seems greatly at variance with the platform upon which he was elected in regard to protection and the tariff.  
 "We favor the entire repeal of internal taxes rather than the surrender of any part of our protective system."  
 —Republican Platform.  
 "I recommend a revision of our tariff law, both in its administrative features and in the schedule."  
 —Harrison's Message.

Since Harrison was elected President only forty-six woolen mills have failed with liabilities aggregating seven million dollars. These failures are directly attributable to the tariff on wool. Notwithstanding their platform the Republicans in Congress have taken the hint and elected a free wool man their speaker. If free wool is necessary to the prosperity of the woolen manufacturers, why may not free iron be essential to the prosperity of the iron manufacturers and free raw material to all our manufacturing industries?

One very interesting feature of the present agitation in New England for free raw materials is that it is arousing so much of the genuine old-fashioned New England spirit. The manner in which the movement has been met by the protection organs largely accounts for this. It is not in the blood of the Yankees to be told that they "may go to the Democracy or the devil" with their demands; or that if they cannot make iron and steel out of highly-taxed ore and coal, they may go out of the business and find some other. That was very much the sort of talk indulged in a century and a quarter ago in the British Parliament when Yankee manufacturers were forbidden to buy or sell with the West Indies, but it did not work then and will not work now. To paraphrase Mr. Lincoln's remark when an act of Charles I. was presented to him as a precedent, we may say that George III. lost a continent and Pennsylvania will not save her New England markets by bullying.—N. Y. Times.

Now that everybody is looking about them to see what magazine they will take for the coming year, we would advise them to enquire into the merits of Demorest's Family Magazine. We have just received the January number of this wonderful publication, and cannot speak too highly in its praise. It is certainly what its name implies, a Family Magazine: for in it will be found something to instruct or amuse every member of the family. The first article, telling how Uncle Sam's Paper-Money is made, is beautifully illustrated, and furnishes the most interesting information upon the subject that we have ever seen. "The Infant Monarchs of Europe" is not only illustrated with their portraits, but with those of their parents as well; "The Undying Voice" is a finely illustrated article about Edison's wonderful Phonograph, and includes a portrait of the great inventor himself. The children will be delighted with "Snow Sculpture," which gives them models enough to keep them busy all winter. Besides these, there are "Util One O'clock (A Comedietta)," "Scarlet Fever and other Contagious Diseases, Their Causes and Treatment," "Aids to Beauty," "Maniac Bells," "Wedding Breakfasts," "All Sorts of Teas," "Home Made Candies," "Anecdotal History of the Table," and numerous other articles and stories, also a Fashion Department, and all beautifully embellished with over two hundred fine illustrations, the crowning one of which is "At a Parasian Florist's," a handsome oil picture, well worthy of a frame. The mystery is how such a publication can be furnished for only \$2.00 per year. It is done, however, by Jennings Demorest, 15 E. 14th St., New York.

**OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.**  
 Report for month ending November 29, 1889.

**FIRST PRIMARY.**  
 Enrollment for the month.....49  
 Average daily attendance.....36  
 Number of cases of tardiness.....45  
 Those neither absent nor tardy: Eddie Giese, John Hildridge, Eddie Timmons, Harry Leckliter, Hal Soroggin, Mary Estes, Minnie Miner, Clara Miner, Maude Burch, Viola Gillett, May Simmons, Jennie McNece.  
 Mrs. SADIE GRISHAM, Teacher.

**SECOND PRIMARY.**  
 Enrollment for the month.....53  
 Average daily attendance.....34  
 Number of cases of tardiness.....25  
 Those neither absent nor tardy: Walter Yenser, Dudley Doolittle, Logan Robison, Arthur Kahl, Claude Hinote, Lucius Pitzer, Johnnie Burcham, George Burcham, George McNece, Willie Sublett, Harris Breese, Maudie Strail, Maudie Maule.  
 Miss ALICE HUNT, Teacher.

**THIRD PRIMARY.**  
 Enrollment for the month.....45  
 Average daily attendance.....38  
 Number of cases of tardiness.....29  
 Those neither absent nor tardy: Nellie Zane, Minnie Wisner, Eddie Hinote, Harlow Yengler, Margie Gillett, May Madden, Anna Moran, Orpha Strail, Emma Vetter, Esther Hildridge, Ralph Zane, Willie Hinkle, Johnnie McNece.  
 Miss ANNA ROCKWOOD, Teacher.

**FOURTH PRIMARY.**  
 Enrollment for the month.....38  
 Average daily attendance.....27  
 Number of cases of tardiness.....12  
 Those neither absent nor tardy: Ella Heintz, Grace Burcham, Ella Gillett, Blanche Robison, Lulu Heck, Hattie Doolittle, Sadie Brockway, Amanda Arndt, Hulda Giese, Elsie Gillett, Bessie Wierman, Charley Davis, Gussie Howard, Carey Pratt.  
 Miss MAGGIE BRESEE, Teacher.

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**GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.**  
 Enrollment for the month.....37  
 Average daily attendance.....35  
 Number of cases of tardiness.....11  
 Those neither absent nor tardy: Rosa Ferlet, John Hays, Edward Yenser, Homer Hays, Tad Smith, Hermie Hazel, Willie Heintz, Karl Kuhl, Colonel Howard, Eva Tuttle, Mary Rockwood, Nellie Hinkle, Gertrude Estes, Dollie Worth, Sadie Foreney, Annie Johnston, Mamie Simmons.  
 J. W. WILSON, Teacher.

**HIGH SCHOOL.**  
 Enrollment for the month.....23  
 Average daily attendance.....32  
 Number of cases of tardiness.....26  
 Those neither absent nor tardy: Florence Upton, Amy McCandless, Ida Estes, Belle Sanders, Grace Hays, Inez Simmons, Mertie Estes, Ralph Breese, Herbert Clark, Park McCandless, George Caswell, Robert Rightmire, Lloyd Gillett, Irvin Beach, Katie Hinote.  
 Mrs. H. E. DART, R. W. MYLER, Teachers.

[Again we earnestly request the co-operation of parents in reducing tardiness and in securing regularity in attendance. Pupils should be required to report at home as soon as possible after the close of school, and all pupils who can do so in one hour and fifteen minutes, should go home to their dinners. We hope parents will notice closely the reports presented to them for their signatures. If any pupil falls below 90 in deportment it should be considered a mark of disgrace. With the earnest assistance of persons interested we hope to elevate the moral tone of the school that corporal punishment may be eliminated from our means of discipline. The pupil's own pride and respect for those in authority should be sufficient to restrain him from any wrong doing. In short, the mind (the spirit) and not the body (the animal) should control the individual.—PRIN.]

**STRONG CITY ITEMS.**  
 Squire C. W. Jones is in Oklahoma.  
 Mr. M. R. Dinan has returned from St. Louis.  
 Mrs. E. J. Edwards was visiting at Topeka, last week.  
 Father Boniface Niehaus, was at St. Louis, last week.  
 Mr. N. B. Berry was at Kansas City, last week, on business.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O'Bryne were down to Emporia, last Thursday.  
 Miss Dora Vose visited Miss Bertie Gasset, in Morris county, last week.  
 Miss Vic Simmons was at Emporia, last week, visiting her cousin, Mrs. E. B. Lane.

Mr. Geo. W. Kilgore has gone on a month's visit to his old home, at Muncie, Indiana.

Messrs. P. J. Morton and David Biggam were down to Emporia, last Friday, on business.

Mr. Geo. O. Hilderbrand was visiting his son Mr. Alma Hilderbrand, at Neodesha, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew F. Fritze, Mrs. R. D. Houghton and Mr. John C. McGinley were down to Emporia, Monday.

Mr. H. V. Simmons visited Mr. and George Jernigan in McLain, last week, the latter of whom (Mr. Simmons' daughter) is quite sick.

Mr. W. H. Byers, who had been with Mr. Geo. W. Newman, at Emporia, for several years, is now bookkeeper at the Strong City Bank.

Mr. M. R. Meyers was summoned to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, last week, to testify in a case for the Illinois Central railroad, for which company Mr. Meyers was an engineer for years.

Mr. E. B. Frantz, telegraph operator at Strong City for several years past, has been granted a vacation by the company, on account of bad health, and left, on Wednesday of last week, for his home in Michigan to recuperate his health.  
 X. L. C. ORR.

**MATFIELD GREEN ITEMS.**  
 Mrs. Moore is lying quite ill at her home in Matfield Green.

Mr. J. L. Jackson has been very sick, but is better at this writing.

Mr. Chas. Blackburn, while cutting wood recently, made an ugly gash in his foot.

Mr. Wm. Blackburn had a severe attack of neuralgia of the stomach, last Friday.

Mr. John Myers and wife have gone to Dade county, Missouri where they will reside permanently.

Mr. Alf. Davis, of Dade county, Missouri, returned home, last Sunday, after a two week's visit with friends and relatives here.

Mr. James Smith and Miss Susie Meyers were joined in the bonds of matrimony, by Rev. A. K. Maclean, at the residence of Mr. Dave Herrington, on Thursday, Dec. 12, 1889. May their path be strewn with roses.

The Jackson school is progressing nicely under the care of Miss Fannie Powers. We also have a literary in progress, the house is crowded with visitors and the best of order is maintained. We hope for a continuance of the same.

Dr. John Carns was thrown from a spring wagon, last week, and had one of the bones in his wrist fractured by the fall.  
 DAISY.

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 Nearly three years experience, guarantee no stubs to grow on all that I deborn.  
 I use HAAPPY'S deborning tools and CRUTE.  
 aug. 29.—1889.

The Chase County Courant

COTTONWOOD FALLS, KAN., THURSDAY, DEC. 19, 1889

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No fear shall awe, no favor sway; How to the line, let he chips fall where they may.

Terms—per year, \$1.50 cash in advance; after three months, \$1.75; after six months, \$2.00. For six months, \$1.50 cash in advance.

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Local notices, 10 cents a line for the first insertion; and 5 cents a line for each subsequent insertion; double price for black letter, or for items under the head of "Local Short Stops."

LOCAL SHORT STOPS.

Business locals, under this head, 30 cents a line, first insertion, and 10 cents a line for each subsequent insertion.

Mr. Jas. G. Atkinson is again able to be about. Mr. Geo. Somers was out to Wichita, last week. Mr. G. T. Cox was down to Emporia, Monday. Mr. E. B. Johnston was down to Emporia, Tuesday. Mr. Peter Slesher, of Emporia, was in town, this week. Mr. H. R. Fitzer has returned home from Kansas City. Mr. James J. Kernison, of Elmdale has been granted a pension. Mr. W. W. Sanders is putting up a new room back of his house. Dr. W. H. Cartter received 400 head of Western cattle, last week. Mr. Ed. Byram, of Peyton creek, was at Council Grove, last week. Mr. M. M. Young came in from Colorado City, Col., last Friday. Mr. L. P. Santy, of Clements, was down to Kansas City, last week. Mrs. A. H. Knox, of Hymer, was visiting in Emporia, last Saturday. Mr. T. W. Hardesty returned, last Thursday, from a visit to Kansas City. Mr. James McNece is convalescing from his severe attack of lung fever. Miss Hattie Pinkston, of Cedar Point, was visiting in Emporia, last week. Mrs. Will Clark, who has been very sick for the past two weeks, is getting better. Mr. W. Cortright, of the north end of Toledo township, was in town, Monday. The protracted meeting is still in progress at the M. E. Church, with a number of additions. Mrs. Tom Smith, who has been very sick for a few weeks past, is improving quite rapidly. Miss Alma Holz, who has been very ill for the past three weeks, is now able to be up and around. The Matti Bros. of Toledo township, shipped two car loads of cattle to Kansas City, last week. Mrs. A. P. Bond and babe, of Coffeyville, arrived here, this morning, on a visit to relatives and friends. Mr. Al. G. Meyers, of Seybert, Dade county, Mo., but formerly of Matfield Green, is visiting friends here. Mrs. Wm. Brooks and child, of Emporia, who were visiting at Mr. Geo. B. Carson's, last week, went home, Friday. The Chase County Agricultural Society, having negotiated a loan of \$2,300, is now ready to pay off all its indebtedness. Messrs. F. P. Cochran and W. F. Wright were at Topeka, last week, attending the Supreme and Federal Courts. Mr. J. C. Dwelle, of Cedar Point, has shipped in four good horses from Michigan, one of which has a good record for speed. Seaman Bros. are not working any closing out scheme, but are selling goods lower than can be bought elsewhere in Chase county. Isaac M. Smith, owner in the corner of Chase county, has just completed a new dwelling house. Carpenter J. T. Smith did the work.—Burns Monitor. Mr. J. B. Crouch, of the Florence Bulletin, a most lively Democratic paper, was registered at the Union Hotel, Monday, being in town on law business. Mr. Edgar W. Jones arrived here, Monday, from Herrington, to visit his sister, Mrs. J. H. Doolittle, who has been quite sick, but who is now improving. Judge and Mrs. T. S. Jones, of Guthrie, arrived here, Friday night, to see their daughter, Mrs. J. H. Doolittle, who is now recovering from her severe illness. Before another issue of the COURANT Christmas will have come and gone; therefore, we now wish each and every one of our readers a "merry Christmas."

The More Goods

we sell the less Proportionate Prices.

OUR CHRISTMAS GIFT BULLETIN.

GENTS SLIPPERS

Do not fail to examine our Men's embroidered velvet slippers, as we have a line of these goods that will please.

MUFFLERS.

A very fine line of wool mufflers with silk stripes and checks and other desirable figures, ranging in price from 50 cents to \$1.50. Our line of silk mufflers beginning at \$1.50 and advancing to the finest goods at \$3.00 and \$3.50, in white, cream and fancy patterns, is admired by all who see it.

We have Fancy Goods but no Fancy Prices.

Our STIFF and OVERCOAT department is very complete and the styles and patterns are the newest. Bear in mind that when you dress up at our store you get the correct styles.

We have placed on sale our Full line of Christmas Goods and cordially invite you to examine them.

Come to us for Men and Boy's underwear and get the benefit of a large variety and the lowest prices.

NECKTIES.

Our line of silk and satin ties is larger than ever shown by us before and contains all the new shapes and styles in silk and satin. We also show some very fine goods in plush ties, the very newest thing in the market. Don't fail to see these beautiful goods before buying your Christmas presents.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

White silk handkerchiefs, fancy silk handkerchiefs, white hem-stitched silk handkerchiefs, crepe handkerchiefs in beautiful shades. Plain linen handkerchiefs, fancy bordered linen handkerchiefs, hem-stitched linen handkerchiefs with fancy borders. A most desirable assortment to select from.

CAPS.

All the late styles in caps, Plush, Scotch and Cloth. Just the line to select from and get what you want.

GLOVES AND MITTENS.

We are headquarters for Gloves and Mittens. Gents' imitation sealskin gloves and fur mittens would be fully appreciated for a Christmas present. We also have a very fine line of kid dress gloves, lined and unlined.

SHIRTS.

We sell the Gold and Silver dress shirts—the shirt that pleases all who wear it.

In the enumeration of the above, all of which are useful and appropriate Christmas presents, we trust we have made a suitable suggestion to all; come early and get first choice. We quote none but HONEST prices and guarantee FAIR DEALING.

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CASH AND ONE PRICE.

who used to clerk at Dr. J. W. Stone's drug store, went to Emporia, last week, after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. E. N. Evans, left there, last Friday, for his old home at Henderson, Kentucky. Mr. Jacob Hornberger and family left, last week, for Pueblo, Col. Mr and Mrs. Hornberger were among the pioneers of Chase county, and have many friends here who will miss their society, and whose best wishes follow them to their new home, among which are those of the COURANT.

We have been told that there are several dead animals in the river, at different points above the dam at the foot of Broadway, which will be the cause of disease in this locality, if not removed, and it would, no doubt, be a good idea for the Health Officer to look after this matter immediately.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Calendar for 1890 is out, and the demand for it is certain to be immense, for a more taking calendar it is difficult to imagine. Art and utility are beautifully blended in the lovely girl's head on a neat olive background, and the neat appended giving the months in one easy, readable shape, with a history of the year alternating in rhyme, and also illustrated. Early application at the druggists will be necessary in order to secure this gem. If you fail there, send six cents in stamps to C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

From the way some people advertise, they seem to think that Democrats cannot read, or they do not want to read, or they do not want to be read to. The same reason may be the cause why more goods are not sold in this city. Now, gentlemen, don't you think you would be financially better off if you would show by the source of your advertising that you thought that money received from a Democrat was just as beneficial to you as the same amount of money received from a Republican for the same or a like consideration?

From the present time to the first day of January, 1890, R. L. Ford will present to every customer, who buys from him one dollar's worth of goods, a ticket which will entitle them to a chance in the drawing he will have on that day. The prizes will be as follows:

- 1st prize, one fine organ.
2d prize, a pair of r. p. gold bracelets.
3d prize, a fine garnet lace pin.
4th prize, an elegant album.
5th prize, a silver napkin ring.
6th prize, a gent's r. p. gold chain.
7th prize, a gentleman's locket.
8th prize, an elegant album.
9th prize, pair gent's sleeve buttons.
10th prize, a fine accordion.
11th prize, a lady's silver thimble.
12th prize, a fine, lady's gold set pin.
13th prize, a violin box and bow.
14th prize, a pair of lady's solid gold ear rings.

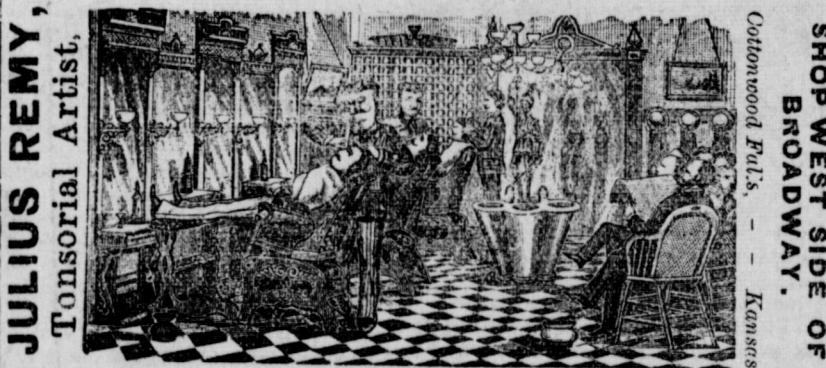
Last Friday afternoon, Mr. Ephraim Link was arrested on a writ sworn out by Mr. B. McCabe before Judge J. M. Rose, to inquire into his soundness of mind, and was placed in jail. At 10 o'clock, the following morning, the following jury was empaneled in the Probate Judge's Court, and the

inquisition was begun before Judge Ross, in the District Court room: L. A. Lowther, Roland Roberts, Thomas C. Srikland, A. M. Conaway, M. D. M. P. Strail and T. B. Johnston. In the course of the trial it was developed that Mr. Link had courted five young ladies since his wife died, about three years ago, among whom was one of Mr. McCabe's daughter's, and that he had said Mr. McCabe and his oldest daughter stood in the way of his getting the daughter he wanted and they would have to be got out of the way; and that he talked a great deal to other people about his matrimonial desires. After the evidence was all in, Monday evening, the case was given to the jury, who brought in a verdict, at 10 o'clock, Tuesday morning, that Mr. Link, aged 54 years, is unsound in mind, on the subject of matrimony, the disease being of two or three months' duration, but his unsoundness of mind is not of such a degree as to constitute him a fit person for the State Insane Asylum; and they recommended that he be put under bonds to keep the peace, and that he be given competent medical treatment; whereupon he was put under \$500 bond to keep the peace for one year, and the Court ordered that he be placed under medical treatment from Dr. J. W. Stone.

BURNS CELEBRATION. At the meeting of the Burns Club, of Chase county, Kansas, held in the office of Hon. J. W. McWilliams, in this city, last Saturday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Jas. McNece; Vice-President, Jas. Robertson; Sec'y, John Frew; Treas., Arch Miller. On motion, it was decided to celebrate the 131st anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, Scotland's illustrious poet, on Friday evening, January 24, 1890, the anniversary taking place on Saturday, and the following committees were appointed for that purpose:

On Arrangements and Finance—James McNece, J. W. McWilliams, Arch Miller, Wm. Drummond and Matt McDonald. On Programme—John Madden, Alex. McKenzie, Jas. Robertson, S. A. Breese, F. P. Cochran, Geo. W. Weed, L. A. Lowther, W. A. Morgan, Claude Makin, Jas. Hutcheon and Jas. Drummond. On Invitations—John Frew, W. E. Timmons, Wm. Stewart, Jas. Walsh, M. A. Campbell, Jas. Dickinson, D. A. Elsworth, Neil Campbell, Robt. Brash and W. Y. Morgan. The Club then adjourned to meet at Mr. McWilliams' office, at 1 o'clock, p. m., on Saturday, December 21.

REDUCED RATES FOR THE HOLIDAYS. The Santa Fe Route will sell tickets at One Fare for the Round Trip, during the Holidays, to all points on its line within 200 miles of selling station. Tickets will be on sale December 24, 25, and 31, 1889, and January 1, 1890. They will be limited to passage in either direction up to and including that date. For tickets and information regarding train service, connections, etc., call on F. P. Butts,



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A Controversy on Whose Decision Depends the Liberty of the New State. The Democratic members of the Montana Legislature are perfectly justified in refusing to compromise with their Republican opponents.

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The Republican Party's Attitude in Relation to Tariff Reform. Every time the Republican party pretends to revise and reduce the tariff it adds to its absurdities and its injustices.

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