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ST. PAUL, TUESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1878. DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE.

To the Editor of the Globe. We have announced the following Democratic County Committee for the ensuing year.

We are glad to be authoritatively assured that Hayes is perfectly satisfied with his present cabinet.

CONGRESSMAN CALKINS, of Indiana, predicts the defeat of Senator Voorhees and the election of a Republican in his stead.

SHERMAN is bound to resume specie payments at once—to force trade in advance of its natural progress.

CHICAGO is green with envy. Both Cincinnati and St. Louis have had cases of yellow fever.

It is proper to state that although the Governor of Ohio has suspended payments, the credit of the Buckeye State is still unimpaired.

In Bismarck and the papal nuncio come to an agreement relative to the treatment of Catholics in Germany.

It is a grateful fact that the authorities of cities exposed to the yellow fever scourge have learned that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

AMID all the present agitation of the labor question how comes it that reference has never been made, in justification of strikes, to the first great labor strike on record.

The St. Louis Republican claims, with a considerable show of fairness, that in the next Senate the Democrats will certainly have a majority of twelve.

St. Louis has had a wedding which the newspapers of that delightful burgh call "romantic."

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This is what they call "romance" in St. Louis. We would call it downright selfish brutality, meriting the contempt of all decent people everywhere.

CHARLES FOSTER, speaking for Mr. Hayes, it is presumed, declares the Southern policy of the administration a failure.

at a loss for some other policy upon which to fight the campaign. He declares that he will not flout the bloody shirt, but confesses, in the language of the well known hymn, "Other refuge have I none."

THE EPIDEMIC OF CRIME. Newspaper readers must have been shocked of late at the extraordinary number and atrocious nature of the crimes which our columns have teemed.

The questions will naturally arise, Why this great epidemic of crime? And is the criminal impulse epidemic? Judging from the similarity of the transgressions against law and society, one is led to the belief that they partake somewhat of the epidemic form.

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Then, the acquisition of Cyprus by England, which under ordinary circumstances would have been regarded as a menace to French interests in Egypt and Syria, met with no opposition from the French government.

Putting all these significant facts together, the conclusion is irresistible that France and England are acting in full accord, with the ultimate purpose of becoming the controlling powers in the affairs of the East.

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STAPLES' THOROUGHBREDS. A List of the Trotting Stock Recently Purchased by Isaac Staples.

Hon. Isaac Staples, of Stillwater, is taking a front rank among the breeders of Minnesota. The Globe, a few issues since, contained a list of seven thoroughbreds, and breeding, recently purchased by Mr. Staples in the United States.

Guide, bay brown, entire horse, foaled June 30, 1871; transferred to present owner by G. A. B. Shawe, St. Paul; sired by Swiger, son of Alexander's Norman.

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MINNESOTA NEWS. The Moorhead driving park is finished. Beasts are reported to be numerous and bold around Alexandria, Douglas county.

By a runaway team, Mrs. Strudewald, of Spring Valley, was thrown out of a carriage and severely injured. The proposition submitted to a vote of the people to build a bridge over Root river at Rushford, has been defeated.

Rattlesnakes continue to put in an appearance about Hokah, Houston county. A big old fellow was killed three or four days ago.

August 3d, in the town of Mave, Halvor Peterson, aged sixteen, while working in the harvest field was struck by lightning and instantly killed.

The elegant new M. E. church which is approaching completion in Spring Valley, Fillmore county, will be dedicated on the 20th of August.

The county commissioners of Houston county refused an appropriation to the county agricultural society—and this refusal gave the society its death blow.

By a reaper accident at Grand Lake, a five year old girl was terribly mangled, and had one foot nearly severed. The foot has been amputated, and hopes are entertained of her recovery.

John Eberspoe, of the town of Ashley, met with a severe accident the other day from a harvester. At first his injuries were thought to be fatal, but later hopes are entertained of his recovery.

A destructive hail storm is reported to have passed through the country between Lake Henry and Paynesville, destroying a large amount of grain. It is said the hail covered the ground to the depth of six inches.

Fred Heller, an 11 year old boy of the town of Hokah, struck a gang of snakes in the outskirts of the town. He pluckily killed thirty-five and some got away, and the Hokahians say it was not a very good day for snakes.

A scarcity of laborers has been the standing complaint throughout most of the harvest fields of the State. Three dollars a day has been a very common price for labor, but in some instances \$3.50, \$4.00, and even \$5.00 a day have been paid.

The night watchman at Waseca found a man rained night, lately, entirely naked, crouched close to Kroft's hotel. He could not tell where his clothes were, or how he came where he was.

The first Sunday in August, farmers put in their time industriously, the weather being very fine, and on Sunday night it rained, and thus the damage from that rain was escaped, and Monday was another bright and beautiful day for the harvesters.

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around about. There were occasional light showers the early part of this week, but not enough to particularly retard harvesting. The wheat harvest is well along, though there has been more or less trouble in securing machinery for cutting.

Sauk Centre (Stearns county) *Herald*, Aug. 2: Most farmers in this section have been busy harvesting this week. The oats are pretty much all cut, and wheat harvest is progressing rapidly.

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ELIZA PINKSTON'S FIRST STORY. What She Told the Physician Who Dressed Her Wounds—Negroes the Criminals.

ISLAND DELAWARE, Okachita Parish, La., July 24.—As Eliza Pinkston has been again brought before the public, and as there is some time some time in connection with it, I deem it a fit time for me to state a few facts never before made public.

Early the morning after her husband was killed and she wounded, I was sent for to see her in haste. Arriving at the place, I found her in a negro quarter lying on a pallet, much excited and alarmed.

She said: "Fifteen or twenty negroes came to our house some time before day this morning and killed Henry and wounded me, as you now see." She said she was positive that it was none but negroes that did it all.

When she said that the negro women in the quarters said to her that she wished they would come back again that night and finish her, and that she herself had a good mind to take up something and kill her as she lay there.

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GLOBE LETTERS. A Cincinnati policeman shot and killed a man who went to help him in a street fight. Mayne Reid, the boys' favorite novelist, has embarked in the wild and daring occupation of sheep farming.

A maiden lady of Reading desires to be elected constable at the next election, so that she can catch a man. Boston Post: Minnesota is advertising in Boston for money and offering 10 per cent. We thought Minnie had more common sense than that.

The anniversary of the taking of the Bastille was the occasion of many dinners and speeches in France last month, but all passed off quietly. Mehmet Ali Pasha, whose maiden name was Julius Detroit, is staying at Madsburgh, his native city, where he seems to be the lion of the day.

A Michigan woman hid her cow under the hay to keep her out of sight of the tax collector, and a newspaper calls it a case of cow-hiding by a female. A Paris editor wrote five beautiful articles on the Socialists, which were loudly praised, and the government gave him the freedom of the city prison for five years.

A Wheeling, W. Va., snake was the favorite of the cow it daily sucked, but the snake chancier to bite the cow than the cow was trying to drive it away, the cow sickened and died. A blind Albany, N. Y., girl, who stirred the hearts of the charitable as she sat at a street corner reading a Bible with raised letters, has been picked up drunk on the streets and sent to jail.

Girl waiters at the seashore are no use. They attract only the loafing-looking young men, and the homely women wait in vain to be waited on. Women have no business to be homely. The use of steam on street railroads is expressly provided for in several bills lately passed by the British legislature. The speed is limited to eight miles in towns, and ten in the country.

A wealthy resident of Brooklyn, having been informed by the spirits that if his dead wife had lived a few months longer she would have borne him a son, has erected a monument to his spirit son, whom he has christened Charles. Who will say that the pulpit does not keep pace with the times? At a London church the other day the preacher announced for his subject, "The British Possession of Cyprus and the Protectorate Over the Lands of the Bible."

Rev. Louis E. Hostetler, who was recently elected president of the American college at Rome, is about 82 years of age; originally from the diocese of New York, and was educated at the institution over which he is now called to preside. A double-barreled shot-gun, with a stock of rosewood, inlaid with gold and elaborately carved and costed at \$1,100, is the remaining evidence of a young English nobleman's visit to California a year ago. His money ran short and he sold the gun.

Marshall MacMahon, who is seventy-one years old, is the smartest man in France to-day. He gets up at 5 o'clock in the morning, builds the kitchen fire, draws the water, feeds the chickens, and has the table-drawn up by the time Mrs. MacMahon gets down stairs. Mary A. Livermore delivered a speech on woman suffrage to a genteel gathering of ladies and gentlemen in London about two weeks ago. It was an invitation affair at the house of a member of parliament, and a vote of thanks was passed at the end of the performance.

A Greene county, Pennsylvania, mother, Mrs. C. W. Lantz, gave birth to a fine, healthy boy June 28, and sixteen days later she became the mother of a girl. The case is said to be well authenticated, and if you doubt it you can have a chance to break a Lantz with her husband. When Queen Victoria was a maiden, gossip had it that she was inclined to look tenderly upon Lord Alfred Paget, then a handsome young officer, and thought of marrying him. Saturday the eldest son of this gentleman was married to an American girl, Miss Minnie Stevens, of New York.

An Edinburgh man, tried for the murder of his child, proved that he was a somnambulist and that he had killed it while asleep. The court released him, but on condition that his friends should hereafter see that he slept alone and did not have a chance of getting up at night to kill any one else.

The physical development exhibited by the university students in Scotland has been ascertained by Scotch professors to belong in the first degree to the Scotch and Scotch-Irish from Ulster, accustomed to feed on oat meal; Englishmen, not given to the porridge, rank far below in measurement.

The water of the Des Moines river became so hot during the recent heated term that fish killed by the thousand. Large sized pickered were taken from the surface of the water, and upon being plunged into springs speedily recovered, and were as lively as ever. Although it looks like it, this is no fish story.

Two negroes were killed by lightning at Preston Bend, Texas, and the belief among their people was that they were objects of divine wrath. A revival of religion was the immediate consequence, and nearly every negro in the country is a convert. Lightning as a means of grace is not destined to be popular, however.

Miss Pearl Eyttinge is a step-daughter of Sol Eyttinge, the artist, and takes her name by assuming that of her mother's husband. She is not a blood-relation of her mother's husband, is, however, a cousin of Sol Eyttinge. Miss Corbney Barnes, of the Lyceum company, is a daughter of Rose Eyttinge by her first husband, who was founder of the Albany Express.

Five Million More of Six Per Cent. of 1865 Called In. WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—The treasury department this morning issued the sixty-fifth call for the redemption of 520 bonds of 1865, consols of 1865. The call is for \$5,000,000, of which \$2,500,000 are coupon, and \$2,500,000 are registered bonds. The principal and interest will be paid at the treasury on August 1st of this month, and the interest will be paid on that day. The following are the descriptions of bonds. Coupon bonds dated July 1, 1865, number: \$50, Nos. 65,001 to 70,000, both inclusive; \$100, Nos. 120,001 to 125,000, both inclusive; \$500, Nos. 84,001 to 86,000, both inclusive; \$1,000, Nos. 157,001 to 163,000, both inclusive; total coupons, \$2,500,000. Registered bonds, redeemable at pleasure of the United States after the 1st of July, 1878, as follows: \$100, Nos. 18,451 to 18,550, both inclusive; \$500, Nos. 1,070 to 1,075, both inclusive; \$1,000, Nos. 135,810 to 135,100, both inclusive; \$5,000, Nos. 25,000 to 25,000, both inclusive; \$10,000, Nos. 19,801 to 20,000, both inclusive; total registered, \$2,500,000. Aggregate, \$5,000,000.

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