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Keeps o ntly a good stock of the The irrigation project is flatteringly comded by the Kaness City Journal.

The late washout on the Santa Fe b of the A., T. &S. F. railroad extended five miles of the track

The A., T. & S. F., and the D. & R G., are both pushing their lines to the Mexican coast with marvelous rapidity.

The Chieftain says the Arkansus river is oming, but the citizens of Pueblo are impelled to drink its stinking, filthy wa-a, and sickness is being noted on every

There has recently been turned out of the company's shops at Topeks, a new engine, said to be gotten up and finished in the most er. It is called the Little Butercup, and is intended to haul the pay car. -Nickerson Argory.

Dr. Tanner entered upon the thirty-first day of his fast, Wednesday, apparently bright and in good spirits. During the morning he walved around the enclosure of the hall twenty-five times. His gait was firm and step elastic.

Yellow fever is exerging off the populac of Havana at the rate of fifty a week, and a bark has arrived at Mobile with several cases on board. It will be a marvel if some of the bronze destroyer doesn't slip into this country before the middle of August.

3d. That water applied after the weather is so cold as to freeze ground solid or freeze a abest of ice over the surface will entirely

The railroad agents along the line has been notified to receive no more freight for, or sell no more tickets to points below Trinidad, Colo. The reason of the order is that the entire country in New Mexico is flooded and the road badly washed out in many

Of the Cimarron city irrigation the New West cays: The first water from the raging Arkansas was let into the new ditch last Sat Arkar urday. The company has done good work, and hard work, and now their work will be put to the test, and we shall soon see whethm or not

After all the Western people have little o no appreciation of humor. A comic weekly newspaper made its appearance in Denver last Saturday, and the editor, J. A. Wynne, has already been sued twice for libel, and has been hunted by four irate citizens with shot gues and revolvers.

The New York press is now engaged in establishing the fact that there is a great scarcity of small bills. The press of the west has taken up the subject, and there is not an editor now in the land but what complains of this deficiency. Let us have more small bills—especially let the newspaper mee have them, and the complaints will cesse instanter. Yes, "fork over" by all means.

John J. Donahue and Miss Etta V. Welsh saide at Grenada. The Chieftain says on reside at Grenada. The Chieftain says on Saturday last they were sitting at the table, when Donahue in a spirit of fun bentered Miss Welsh to marry him. They were mar-ried in Pueblo on Sunday. No mention of marriage had ever passed between them be-fore Saturday, and their acquaintance had

It seems that the Ute commission is hav-ing a little trouble. While Oursy has prov-ed to be master of the situation and holds his tribe in apparent subjection, yet there are murmerings of discontent, and a break may occur at any moment. The Indian have sized the tract for their moment has may occur at any moment. The Indiana have signed the treaty for their removal, but there are a few who denounce the treaty as an outrage, and it is feared that these may now the seeds of discontent and bring about a rupture. The Pueblo Chieftain says it wouldn't be a bad idea for the miners in that section to load up their rifles and prepare for any emergency that may arise.

A borrible murd Caldwell, on Mo Caldwell, on Monosy morning.
Padgett murdered W. H. Stevens, foreman
of cattle men, thirty miles south of Caldwell. The morderer was apprehended. The
Commonwealth correspondent says the diad. well. The morderer was apprehended. The Commonwealth correspondent says the dudinan was foreman of Stevens & Fleming's herding camp on Salt Fork, and a brotheof Stevens of that firm. His home was in Comanche county, Texas. The prisoner is also of Texas. Padgett had formerly worked with Mr. Wagner's bend, and was now in the employ of Stevens. Some of Wagne.'s steers got into Stevens' herd and were recog-nized. A dispute arose about what to do with them; one proposal being that they should be sold and proceeds divided. High should be sold and proceeds divided. High words resulted. Both men were in the sad-dle. Padgett shot Stevens through the heart. He claims habitual abuse and insult from Stevens, and personal attack with his quirt, while the dispute lasted.

J. Max. Clark, writing in the Greely Sea says that experience in alfalfa growing in Weld county point to two or three facts, viz: 1st. that alfafa should not be sheared very

lose to the ground at the last cutting.

That it should be liberally supplied with That it should be season, or watered at lerst once after last cutting.

3d. That water applied after the weather

destroy the plant

Mr. Clark further says that the impression that alfalfa is not strong enough for for work horses is erroneous; that any horse fed on alfalfa will show it clearly in his siick, glossy coat and fine flesh. All the horses in that county fed upon it can be d'tinguished by these characteriaties from these which are not.

MEETING OF FORD COUNTY DEM-OCRATIC CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

ag of the Ford co. Dem. Central A meeting of the Ford co. Dem. Central Committee was held at the court house in Dodge City, on July 28th, 1880, to select delegates to the County Convention to be held in Dodge City, on Weinesday, at 3 p. m., August 4th, 1880, to select three delegates and three alternates to the State Convention, to be held at Topekn, on August 26th, 1880, to nominate State officers and five Presidential electors, and a new State Central Committee. tral Committe

tral Committee.

The following was the apportionment of delegates to the County Convention: Dodge township 9; Speareville 4; Wheatland 3.

The following were the delegates chosen: Dodge township—south side: 8. (isliand Wm. States. North side: 600. M. Hoover, A. H. Soyder, H. E. Gryden, James Mufty, Dr. A. H. Harris, Judge Beverley. Hazlewood: John Briggs.

Speareville township—W. F. Petillon, A. Kingkade, J. O. Sturgia, Wm. Heasdy.

Wheatland township—John Torline, H. Tassett, G. W. Taylor.

Whenland township—Jo Passett, G. W. Taylor. There being no further bu committee the meeting adjournment

meeting adjourned.

G. M. Hoover, Chairman.

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