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DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION The Democrate of Iowa will meet in delegate meention at Des Moines, Iowa, RDNESDAY, AUGUST 16th, 1859, at 10 o'clock m. for the purpose of nominating candidate; t the following offices:

ters who believe in the principles advo-the democratic party, and who are in an economical and constitutiona tent, are cordially invited to participate election of delegates to the state conven-

The National Watchman says, the bankers do not propose to allow President McKinley to dodge them any longer. The war has thus far furnished an excuse to him to delay giving them a quod pro quo for their cam-paign contributions. They propose to bring him up to the bull ring in the

At the term of the Supreme court now being held at Des Moines, ninety ents will be examined for admission to the bar. This is said to be the largest class that has ever been before the court for admission to practice. Of the number forty-five are students from the Drake law school. It is ex pected that a decision will be handed down during the term in the famous Frank Novak murder case.

It is said that in the Philippines the aw which relates to the property of married people is entirely in favor of the wife. Any property a bride may upon the husband, and if he is poor and he well off he can only become at most After death it is said that unless she has executed a deed in her husband's favor, under a lawyer's direction, the property goes to her children and blood relations, but none to her husband A married woman retains her maider same and adds to it that of her hus and, with the prefix "de," while the hildren bear the names of both parents

"Gentlemen, I do not want my son o grow up loafers," said the venerable william Skinner, of Holyoke, Massahusetts, when importuned by the prooption upon his silk mill to the trust. That was a terse statement of one of which is being built up under republican protective legislation. It is an evil that is waxing strong and which will continue to wax stronger so long as the epublican party rules. The overthrow of that party is necessary to save the country from a government by trusts for the benefit of trusts.

The overthrow of that party is neces sary to preserve the good name of this the adoption of European standards, deserting American principles of human liberty and carrying on a war of conquest at the beck of greedy syndicates at home and selfish foreign in-

luences. - Waterloo Tribune. Attorney General Griggs protests that it is impossible for him to sup press the trusts because the law can-

argument that it is. If the govern- the editor must always be larger than ment cannot suppress the trusts, at least his paper; the business man, if he would it is not obliged to encourage, protect always be successful, must always be and subsidize them, is it? asks the New capable of handling a larger business

Why should we give the \$7,000,000 borax trust the power to tax American consumers 5 cents a pound on

Could not the \$30,000,000 knit goods pool get along without duties of 50 the farmer goes under. Some man per cent and upward on the things that capable of handling the farm must get

Would it not be possible for the United States Cast Iron Pipe and anything of a large acquaintance can Foundry company, capital \$30,000,000, to make a living without \$9 a ton pro-

Is the 830,000,000 National Lead com pany in dire need of the proceeds of great deal larger.—Wallace's Farmer. a tax of a cent and a half a pound on

Could not the \$45,000,000 western lumber pool destroy our forests fast enough without the stimulus of a duty \$20,000,000 a year to the sugar trust is moveable and is not unlike a wart on

and its allies, with their capital of the skin. 8128,000,000? Are the various steel trusts, total capitalization \$367,650,000, so poor that they must have outdoor relief in the form of duties of from \$6.72 per ton

upward on steel and its products? Is not the \$50,000,000 American Tin Plate company a sufficiently robust infant by this time to be able to dispense with its pap of 11/2 cents a pound on tin plate?

Put every article controlled by a It needs no litigation. Its execution would not depend on the zeal and good

The Penalty of Conquest
We are mad—grown mad in the race for gold,
We are drunk with the wine of gain.
The truths of our fathers proclaimed of old
We scorn with a high disdain;
sut while the conqueror's race we run,
Our rulers should not forget
That the God who reigned over Babylon
Is the Cod who is reigning yet.

Yould we tread in the paths of tyranny,
Nor reckon the tyrant's cost?
No taketh another's liberty,
His freedom is also lost.
Yould we win as the strong have ever won,
Make ready to pay the debt,
or the God who religned over Babylon
Is the God who is reigning.yet,

The ruins of dynasties passed away In eloquent silence lie; And the despot's fate is the same today That it was in the days gone by, Against all wrong and injustice done A rigid account is set. For the God who religned over Babylon Is the God who reigning yet.

#### GREAMERY AND DAIRY

Sweet Corn for Corn.

One of the best crops to grow, espe-cially to feed the dairy cows during the summer if at any time the pasturage gets short, is some one of the larger varieties of sweet corn. Grown in reason ably rich land, prepared in a good tiller and sown reasonably thick, will yield a large amount of first-class food plantings ten days or two weeks apar in order to keep supply. Plant convenient to feed lots. What is not fed green will make good winter feed .-Dairy World.

The prime cause of mottles is the use of too cold water in washing the butter and the manner in which it is introduc ed into the churn. By using too cold water the outside of the butter granules comes crusted or hardened like the shell of an egg, while the inside is soft. Now when this mass is worked together these little shells remain in the same condition, and no amount of working of tempering salt, or even distribution of salt when added, will change the conditions. They do not work up, consequently do not take salt, hence the

fine threadlike streaks in the butter The manner in which the water is in troduced into the churn is responsible for the large mottles, or seeming lumps of white butter throughout the mass. In the majority of the creameries throughout the country the water is pumped directly into the churn, either through a hose or a pipe. Now, when the water strikes the butter these granules become hard and solid like in the first case, only that these hard granules are not broken down at all, and the large mottles are the result The wash water should be tempered to within two or three degrees of the churn temperature.-N. Y. Produce ex

Farms Too Big for the Farmer

farmer and his farm. Some men can manage an eighty acre farm successfully, but break down when it comes to 160 acres. Others can manage a quarter but cannot manage a half section. A team must always have greater power than the load which it is required to draw. There should always be a reserve power available when it comes to the hill or the mud hole. The farmer must always be bigger than his farm; than he actually does. In short, there must always be a reserve power available for emergencies. The weaker must always be a servant of the stronger. When the farm is larger than the farmer, it runs the farmer instead of

ompany and the \$50,000,000 print cloth the farmer running it. In that case son City. hold of it before it becomes a profitable investment. Our readers who have Hence the necessity of the farmer educating himself and becoming always not only as large as his farm, but a

Dehorning Calves.

While there is hardly any question but that dehorning calves, performing of \$2 per thousand feet on pine boards? the operation when young at any time Do the consumers of sugar feel time before the horn becomes fastened morally bound to pay tariff taxes of to the skull, as previous to this the horn

this stage rather than allow the calf to grow to maturity with horns, using the clippers and dehorning is certainly preferable. If a good pair of clippers are used, there is no particular risk, and not as much pain as many suppose, as the animals go right to eating, if an opportunity is afforded, as if nothing had happened. Certain it is that cattle pay less attention and seem to suffer less from dehorning than from castration and where steers are to be fed to ma That is a simple, practicable policy. turity on the farm the one is as important as the other.

If the dehorning is done in good seaaith of prosecuting officers and courts. son, either in the fall or spring, no spe-"But that would mean free trade," cial preparation is necessary. But if comebody objects. "The trusts con done late it is best to protect the trol everything now, and if their pro- wounds from cold by tying a cloth over ducts are put on the free list there will them. The clippers now in use are be no tariff left."

Well what of it? If trusts are the much preferable to the first used. It is an item to cut close to the head, as not only beneficiaries of the tariff we can only is there less pain, but the wound certainly dispense with it as far as will heal over quicker and better. protection is concerned. As to revenue, we can get that from a graduated with the special spec after performing the operation.

PRECIOUS METALS. ld and Platinum Are Cheap Com-

"The majority of people when asked to name the most precious metals usu-ally mention gold as first, platinum as second and silver as third," said the proprietor of a large assaying and refining establishment to the writer recently.

"Now, let us see how near the truth they would be. Gold is worth about \$250 per pound troy, platinum \$180, and silver about \$12.

"We will now compare these prices with those of the rarer and less well known metals. To take them in alphabetical order barium, the metal which Davy isolated from its ore, baryta, in 1808, sells for \$950 a pound when it is sold at all, and calcium is worth \$1,800 a pound. Cirium is a shade higher. Its a pound. Cirium is a shade higher. Its cost is \$160 an ounce, or \$1,920 per pound. These begin to look like fabulous prices, but they do not reach the highest point, chromium being \$200. Cobalt falls to about half the price of silver, while didymium, the metal isolated by Masander, is the same price as calcium. Then comes gallium, which is worth \$3,250 an ounce. With this metal the highest price is reached, and it may well be called the rarest and most precious of metals.

most precious of metals.

"Glucium is worth \$250 per ounce; indium, \$150; iridium, \$688 a pound; janthanium, \$175, and lichium, \$160 per ounce. Nidium costs \$128 per ounce; osmium, palladium, platinum, potassium and rhodium bring respectively \$640, \$400, \$130, \$32 and \$512 per pound. Strontium costs \$128 an ounce; tantaum, \$144; tilurium, \$9; thorium, \$272; vanidium, \$820; yttorium, \$144. and zincomium, \$250 an ounce.

and zinconium, \$250 an ounce.

"Thus we see that the commonly received opinion as to what are the most precious metals is quite erroneous. Barium is nearly four times as valuable as gold and gallium more than 160 times as costly, while many of the other metals mentioned are twice and thrice as valuable. Aluminium, which cost \$8 and \$9 a pound in 1890, is now produced as cheaply as are iron, zinc, lead and copper."—Washington Star.

Corpuration Taxation in Iowa.

Clinton, Ia., May 6.—The city council of Clinton has ordered all the telephone and telegraph companies doing business in this city assessed. This includes the Western Union and the Postal Telegraph companies, the Bell and the Tri-City Telephone companies, the division being as follows: Western Union, 310.000: Postal, 310.000; Tri-City Telephone (Bell), 340.000: Tri-City Telephone company (local), 310.000. This is the first attempt to assess these companies locally. The members of the council say the law warrants the assessment, but it is understood the companies declare the action illegal, and will fight the matter in the courts.

Immesse Damage by Prairie Fires.

Sloux City Is., May 4.—Definite reports regarding losses caused by prairie fires in South Dakota which are coming in show hundreds of thousands of dollars of Ambre was done by the Hames in various parts of the state. In Sanborn county several dozen farmers lost everything. From Jerauld county comes Corporation Taxation in lows.

born county several dozen farmers lost everything. From Jerauld county comes while trying to save horses.

Burlington, Ia., May 6.—At the session of the Iowa Federation of Wam-en's clubs Mrs. Isaac Lea Hills anmounced that the national congress of mothers would meet in Des Moines is May, 1900. The morning was given to the Iowa Women's Press club, which discussed journalistic topics. In the afternoon Mrs. Sarah A. Hubbard, of pends in the relationship between the Chicago, made an address on "Birds." Music was the programme for the even

Gompers Trying to Settle a Strike.

Des Moines, Ia., May 5. — Samue Gompers has arrived in the city. He held a conference with the striking mir the bone of contention being eight hours and 80 cents a ton for mining

Ottumwa, Ia., May 3. — Charles A. Walsh, secretary of the Democratic national committee, who has for the last year been digging gold in the Klondike, has arrived in Seattle en route home. From letters he has written it is be-lieved here he has cleaned up between \$50,000 and \$100,000 during the winter. He has been publishing the Klondike Miner and Yukon Advertiser at Daw-son City.

Des Moines, Ia., May 5.-The state adopted ordering the local boards to have every person in the state vaccin-ated at once against smallpox. In case the parties are not able to afford the ex-pense the local health boards will

Marriage of a Pioneer Citizen Lyons, Ia., May 5.-George A. Griswold, of Almont, Ia., aged 74, president of the Territorial Pioneers and Old Set-tlers' association, of Clinton county, and Mrs. Viola Rasmussen, of Clinton, Ia. were married here yesterday by Justice Alva McLaughlin, aged 70. The groom has been a resident sixty years. Girl Married at Fourteen.

s moveable and is not unlike a wart on he skin.

Adel, Ia., May 4.—J. W. Agans, principal of the public schools at Minburn, Tuesday married Henrietta Brenton, aged 14, one of his pupils. Professor Agans is 26 years of age. The parties came to this place and secured their Children Down with Smallpox. Davenport, Ia., May 4.-Three cases

smallpox exist at LeClaire, twenty miles from here, according to the re-port of Dr. J. C. Gamble, a physician there, to the local board of health. The patients are children and their homes have been quarantined. Iowa Capitalist Stricker Webster City, Ia., May 8 .- L. L. Estes a capitalist, was stricken with apoplexy in the directors' room of the First Na-tional bank. His head struck the iron

vault and he received severe injuries

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