

THE STANDARD.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1879.

The Mormon population of Utah is estimated at 125,000.

The Ohio election occurs next Tuesday. Look out for a tremendous shower of republican votes.

Ho : cholera has made its appearance in the Miami Valley, Ohio, and the democrats are taking fresh courage.

Monticello Democrat: The newspapers are talking about "booms" but the greatest and grandest "boom" to the newspapers are prompt paying subscribers.

The Illinois legislature recently passed a law exempting newspapers from taxation. Also to exempt from taxation the capital stock of all manufacturing companies.

Indianapolis Journal: From present indications democrats will be "the boys in blue" after next Tuesday. The Iowa and Ohio elections will make them blue again.

Monticello Democrat: Chicago is preparing to give Grant a big reception. The biggest reception Grant ever received was at Appomattox. He was the host on that occasion, and did his honors well.

Colorado chimes in with the republican chorus and echoes back the refrain of victory. The election in that state for supreme judge occurred on the 8th instant, resulting in the choice of Beck, the republican candidate, by about 5,000 majority.

THE STANDARD acknowledges receipt of a fine engraved portrait of Quincy A. Hossler, editor of the Warsaw Republican. The Republican is one of the handsomest and best newspapers in the state, and in this respect it bears a striking resemblance to the man who presides at the helm of its editorial columns.

Crown Point Cosmos: President Hayes was heartily received by the people at South Bend, and Laporte, as he passed through those cities last week. At Laporte, he was introduced to the people by Major Caikins, our congressman. The Major also introduced Mrs. Hayes to the people as a bigger man than the President.

New York Independent: "We do not know how the Republicans can better serve the cause of their party than to print and scatter broadcast throughout the country the recent speeches of President Hayes. Taken in connection with his veto messages they form the best campaign literature of the times." Correct, Mr. Independent.

Crown Point Cosmos: The democratic papers say that Dan Vorhees is making speeches in Ohio, and that he has the Republican party by the throat and is mopping the ground with it. There don't seem to be any use for other Democratic speakers over there if that is the case; but still the democrats are calling in all the aid they can get.

Winona Republicans: The Democrats try to gather comfort from the fact that the Republican candidates for governors in Maine and California are elected by a minority of all the votes cast, and try to make a hobby of this. Does it occur to our democratic brethren that J. D. Williams lacked 8,000 votes of having a majority in 1877, and their state ticket lacked 13,000 of a majority in 1878? Facts are facts.

The Indians are again committing depredations on the frontier and the threats to be a general war. A panic has seized the citizens and miners of western Colorado which has resulted in the abandonment of their ranches and homes to seek safety elsewhere. The miners within thirty miles of Leadville have been driven from their camps by the Utes, and a battle between the latter and Payne's command is daily expected.

Neil Burgess, the famous impersonator of female characters, who is playing "Widow," in Nasby's "Widow Bedott," was pressed for time to catch a train at Lafayette last week. Having but 10 minutes to make the train, after his performance, and it requiring not less than 20 to change his habiliments, Mr. Burgess threw himself into his carriage in his stage female garb, took his seat in the train in the most approved feminine fashion, and so traveled to the end of his route. The passengers regarded the queer bonnet and old-fashioned dress with some merriment, but no one supposed that it was any other but a woman wonderfully and fearfully made. He entered into the spirit of the thing completely, improving the opportunity to determine whether his personage would do as well in broad day-light, as under gas. It was said to have been a very funny performance. —[Ex.]

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REMINGTON POT-POURRI.

[From our special correspondent.]

The last heard from Jim Sheller he was in south-western Minnesota and still traveling westward.

James S. Irwin is putting in steam power for his grain elevator to be used instead of horse power, as formerly. Jim can't stand a slow gait.

O. W. Church is under the necessity of erecting huge cribs for storing the coming corn crop. Seven carloads of lumber are to be used in their construction.

Another M. D., J. N. Castle, of Kentland, has located in Remington. This gives us four doctors now, to regulate and keep in running order, our mortal frames.

Will Mowrer has returned and taken charge again of the engine in the Hathaway elevator. Will is a good engineer and is welcomed back by hosts of friends.

H. C. Lipprant, a former well known resident of this locality, but now of Crawford Co., Ill., is here this week, looking after his interests in the shape of some property upon which he still holds claims.

Last week a big scare in the schools was caused by the report that one of the pupils had been taken down with scarlet fever. Later developments showed it to be only scarlet rash, and those scholars that left school came back and everything is quiet again.

The rain this week kept many of the citizens of Remington and vicinity from attending the Rensselaer fair. A large number had made calculations to attend on Wednesday and Thursday, but gave it up on account of the weather and probable condition of the roads.

The "uneducated cuss" at the helm of the Reporter, made a great improvement in that paper, last week. Compared with former issues, it ranged far ahead, both in quantity and quality of local news. It was needed and is thoroughly appreciated. Education without common sense don't always make a bright record. On the other hand, common sense rightly used, either with or without education, is sure to succeed.

Our temperance meetings are not conducted in a manner that is calculated to be productive of much good. Personal recompunction, taunts, and passing the lie back and forth are too frequent. It is extremely hard for a few to hold out faithful and no matter how sly they may be, their failings are found out and charged upon them. However it is that nearly everyone who drinks, is so very sure that he does not show it. A sad mistake. One small drink will show itself in ninety-nine cases out of every hundred. But then everybody thinks he is the one hundredth.

GATES.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

For the week ending October 11th, the record of transfers of real estate in Jasper county was as follows:

Richard Stephens to Nancy A. Murphy

ne 18, 31, 7—80 acres, \$800.

Lawrence E. Bravel to Trustees of Remington, part \$2, sw 19, 27, 7.

Rebecca S. Hopkins to C. M. Hopkins, nw 12, 29, 7, se 12, 29, 7—80 acres, \$1,450.

Lytle Wiggins to Amelia A. Foster, sw 17, 32, 5, nj sw 17, 32, 5, part ej ne 18, 32, 5—100 acres, \$100.

John Mitchell to Rachel Mitchell, 1/2 ej nw 36, 31, 5, sw ne 36, 31, 5.

William Mills to Susannah Spinney, ne 22, 27, 7—160 acres, 5,600.

Mary E. Righter to Reuben R. Pettit, lot 6, Shaffer's addition to Remington, \$300.

John H. Wood to Martha A. Washburn, pt wj nw 30, 29, 6, lots 2 and 3, block 22, Newton's addition to Rensselaer, \$625.

Thos. T. Evans to Andrew W. Prevo, nw 14, 30, 5—40 acres, \$800.

M. F. Chilcott et al to Jasper Guy, lots 1, 4 and 5, Scargin's addition to Remington, \$160.

Oliver B. McIntire to Alexander Stebbins, nj nw 18, 27, 6—56.58 acres, \$1,600.

Also recorded four mortgages, one chattel mortgage, one school fund mortgage and one oath.

CAUSE FOR ALARM.

A boy, apparently very much agitated, rushed into a house yesterday and said to the lady:

"I don't want to alarm you, but I've got big news. The man sent me up from the livery stable to tell you."

"Good heavens, what is it?"

"Why, you know your little boy Alec, what the man can't keep outen the livery stable 'round the corner?"

"Yes well!"

"I told Alec just now not to go inter the stable among the horses, but he wouldn't mind me!"

"Oh, dear! What has happened?"

"He said he wanted ter see what a mule ud do when yer tickled its heels with a straw."

"Oh heavens!" gasped the lady and clung to the man for support.

"Well, sir, yer boy Alec got a straw, snuck up behin' a sörrel mule, tickled him on the heels an'—"

The lady started for the door.

"An the blamed critter never lifted a hoof," called the boy. "Never as much as switched its tail. It's a mighty good thing for Alec that he didn't, too; an' I thought I'd come up and tell yer." And he dodged out at the side entrance. —[Cincinnati Enquirer.]

HOME ADORNMENT PAYS.

Other things being equal, a country farm house, with an abundance of shade and fruit trees, with shrubbery and vines, and small fruits and bloom of flowers about, will always command a much higher price in the market than one bare of these attractions; so that time and money spent in these improvements make ample pecuniary returns. And if this were not so, a rosy, cheerful home is far more restful and refreshing to the weary worker than a bleak, barren and dreary one. One gets paid as he goes along for his toil and his struggle, when he sees his trees coming into fruit, his vines laden with grapes, his currant and raspberry bushes heavy with luscious fruit, and tastes the bounties his industry and forethought have secured. —[Ex.]

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ROOFS TO KEEP HEATED.

Yoot eat when you feel liked. To eat is human. To eat when you don't need get something to eat is brutal. Broo got more manners like do.

Dond went into a sick chamber on an empty stomach. Dond gone into an empty chamber on a sick stomach too.

When you go out in der cold frey wind, shut out your mouth ub; at der same time talk out mit rapidly to keep off der chills.

Dond drink a quart of water during a meal. Efes chickens dond do do.

Nefer swallow some harsh dill you got swallowed your mad. Dogs woon't do it.

Did you ever in mine life saw a dog growl while enyoing a swelled piece of bone.

Dhey was so calm like a summer dream, especially ofter dhey was surrounded by der shtartling kanines. —[Carl Pretzel.]

PROFIT BY EXPERIENCE.

Farmers will remember the difficulty they had last spring in securing good seed corn, many having to plant two and three times before they had a "good stand." The result is that a great deal of corn throughout the whole county was not sufficiently advanced when the frost came, and no doubt there will be much unmarketable corn harvested this year. The question now is, will farmers profit by the experience bought at such great cost? We urge upon them to go through their fields early, select the ripest ears of corn, hang them in some dry, cool place, until they are thoroughly dried. If this is done there can be no danger but the seed will germinate. —[Fowler Era.]

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