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## NEWS IN GENERAL

FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

### ALLIANCE GROWTH IN THE WEST.

Buzzard's Bay, Aug. 28.—Col. Ireland a well known Nebraska Democrat who has been here several days, said to The World reporter:

"In 1888 both Nebraska and Kansas gave large majorities for President Harrison, but the Alliance party has come forward since the election of 1888 and has acquired great strength, particularly in these two States. In Kansas the Democratic party and the Alliance party have fused.

"In Nebraska the Alliance party has already nominated its electoral and State ticket, and on Tuesday next the Democratic party will nominate and electoral and State ticket. The impression is that the Democrats on election day will vote for the Alliance electoral ticket for the express purpose of depriving the Republican party of the eight votes in the Electoral College to which Nebraska is entitled, and there can be no doubt that that move will be successful."

"How about the Democratic party ticket?"

"We have a fighting chance. The total vote of the State is about 225,000 and the parties are about equally divided in strength.

"I do not think the people in the East comprehend the increase in growth of the Alliance party in the West. I know that the Democratic party and the Republican party two years ago in Nebraska were more than surprised at the total vote polled by the Alliance party. On the Governorship it stood second and the Republican party third, and you know what they did in Kansas, defeating Senator Ingalls and electing many Congressmen.

"In my State, when we had three Congressmen they got two out of the three and for the first time in the history of the State there was no Republican Congressman. Since then the representation from Nebraska in Congress has doubled.

"Supposing Mr. Harrison loses Kansas and Nebraska; there are eighteen votes lost to him that have heretofore been Republican. 18 votes; that's equal to half the vote of the State of New York. Add to that the seven from Michigan, with a strong probability of Democratic success in Illinois and Wisconsin, and even if we should lose New York, which I don't think possible, Mr. Cleveland's success is assured."

### Lincoln's Goose Nest Home.

(From The Century for September.)

Near the graveyard where Lincoln's father and stepmother rest, seven miles south of Charleston, Illinois, in a place then known as Goose Nest, the Lincolns made their final settlement on removing from Indiana. Here Abraham Lincoln

helped his sister in "getting settled," as they called it. He helped him build a log cabin, and cleared a patch of ground, and when he saw him "under headway" in the new country, bade him good-by and started north afoot. He found employment not far from Springfield, Illinois, where the active part of his early life was spent. Though he did not long at the Goose Nest cabin, he was there long enough to stamp his individuality on every heart for miles around, and many are the stories told of his sojourn among these people. It was my lot to be born and reared a few miles from the early home of the Lincolns, and the incidents I shall relate were picked up in conversation with old settlers about our neighborhood, all of whom knew Lincoln well. I was shown a bridge he help to build, and many other relics of his boyhood days.

One very old man told me that he once rode up to Thomas Lincoln's cabin and inquired if he could spend the night there. He was informed that the house afforded only two beds, and one of these belonged to a son who was then at home; but if he would get the consent of this boy to take him in as a bedfellow, he could stay. The stranger dismounted, and soon found the six-foot boy in the back yard lying on a board reading. The boy consented, and the man slept with him that night. The boy was Abraham Lincoln, and the other never tires of telling how he spent the night with the future President.

### Gen. James E. Campbell's Views.

"I was in New York about ten days ago, and know from personal contact with the leaders there that there are no factions. It would be an insult to Senator Hill to hint that he will not give his hearty support to the nominees. He is true blue and to are his friends. I look for a big victory throughout the country.

"The cry for free trade raised by the republicans to scare the workmen has not done any harm. And the democratic party will make great gains among them, and particularly will the democratic vote be seen in the cities and great manufacturing centres. In New York the reports from all over the country are very gratifying, and the four years which have intervened since 1888 have given voters opportunities to study the tariff question.

"In Illinois and Wisconsin, I should say, judging from reports received in New York, there will be great gains. As for Ohio, I know very little about the situation there, having been in the State but one day for several weeks. Certainly the campaign has not begun there."

### Scare at the Summer Hotels.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5.—The exodus from the south shore of Long island continued throughout yesterday,

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and night found many of them almost entirely depopulated. Early in the morning the big Oriental informed its remaining guests that the last meal would be served today and that cared or dared to remain would be accommodated at the Manhattan Beach hotel that they must vacate tomorrow, and most of the proprietors of the smaller hotels in the immediate vicinity declared their intention of closing their doors during the week. The secret at Bath Beach has driven away nearly all of the summer visitors. Bathing in the sea, except at a few of the Coney island bath houses, is practically at an end. The health officers at most of the points along the shore have also issued a special order prohibiting fishing.

### Fought to a Fatal Finish.

HAUGHTON, La., Aug. 29.—Maurice Miller and Bob and John Carter were killed at Allen Brother's mill last night in a fight at a dance.

Miller was on the floor dancing with Ida Pilkinton when Bob Carter came up and said, "This is our set." Ida said "No," and Bob said "You are a liar," whereupon Miller knocked him down. Then John fired three shots at Miller all taking effect. Miller seized John; then Bob cut Miller in the back. Miller drew his knife and went to work on Bob.

The fight lasted about five minutes, at the end of which Bob and John Carter were both dead. Miller died a few hours later. There were twenty-four knife wounds and three bullet wounds in his body.

### Over The Border.

PARIS, September 2.—Considerable interest is manifested here as to what would become of the Russian Jews who had been waiting here two weeks for the arrival of funds to permit their proceeding to America. These Jews were expelled from Odessa and traveled to Paris by way of Constantinople under the direction of the Israelite Alliance. The intention was to pack them off quickly to the United States, but owing to the fact that money is scarce among them, and quarantine is feared by French steamships sailing for New York, they found it impossible to proceed. The difficulties have now been removed and

to day they started for Dieppe, where they will go aboard a vessel that will convey them to Canada, their ultimate destination being the United States. Their object in sailing for Canada is simply to escape quarantine regulations at United States seaports. They expect to make a very short stay in Canada and then proceed into the United States.

### Seized and Held by a Woman.

TROY, N. Y., Aug.—A well dressed stranger, who says he is William Chadwick, of New York, was arrested this afternoon for burglary at the residence of Sinsheimer.

Chadwick entered the house when no one was at home and ransacked several rooms. Mr. Sinsheimer's daughter, Mrs. Shattuck, returned while the stranger was in the house. He attempted to escape by passing Mrs. Shattuck, but she seized him by the coat and though he resisted and struck her, held him until the police were summoned.

Jewelry and \$15 in money are missing.

### Thrown Into A Thresher.

SAVANNAH, N. Y., Aug. 29.—Meagre details of a peculiar tragedy in Cayuga County have just been received here.

A boy while cutting bundles for a threshing machine near Cato in that county accidentally cut the feeder's hand, which so infuriated the latter that he caught up and threw him into the rapidly revolving cylinder, where he was ground to death before any one present could raise a hand to rescue him.

The arrest at Asbury Park of a society lady for appearing out of doors in a ball dress, and that of a male bather at Ocean Grove for wearing a shirt without sleeves, afford assurance of a time when American ideas of decency shall demand the Turkish mask for women, and the swathing of a mummy for the other sex. Then will arise the question whether prudes shall make our fashions and customs, or whether men and women shall suit themselves in those matters; and the issue will be exciting in view of the extremes to which both classes go.—Judge.

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