

PITT LYNDE received 274 votes and BYRON PAINE 118.

On the 12th of May another inundation took place, the water being higher than had been known for ten years. The islands in the river were covered, the main town an island and the bridge over the slough under water.

The discovery of gold at Pike's Peak created considerable excitement here and

a number of persons went to the gold region.

1860. The history of the city from this time forward to the present time is so recent that it is not necessary to extend this paper to further length, leaving that to the future annalist.

The population of the city in 1860 was 2,399, and in 1870, 3,661.

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