ADVANCEMENT OF EDUCATION

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WANTS TWO STATE NORMAL SCHOOLS

Will of William C. Biasell is Upheld-Rhea Fights for Life-Records Found to Prosecute D. E. Thompson and Others.

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Jan. 10 .- (Special.) -State Superintendent Fowler today issued the following address to county superintendents throughout the state, outlining work for the year and suggesting measures for the advancement of education, especially the erection of at least two state normal echools:

chools:

Congratulations on your induction into office! Success to your administration and the schools of your country!

I think it well to put into typewritten mimeograph form, at least, some of the apparent conclusions that may be drawn from the trend of the discussions at the sessions of the county superintendents of Nebraska, held last week, together with some other ideas and suggestions.

Keep a notebook. Begin to make notes of ltems for your annual circular letter to directors and other school board officers.

See that every one of your teachers is supplied with a copy of special day programs and one of school law for teachers.

School district treasurers must file a bond with the county clerk, and when reciected they must file a new bond.

Only forty-two counties have thus far reported to this department the sale of any reading circle books.

Do not fail to send me suggestions relative to the revision and improvement of the Nebraska course of study.

Sixty-live county superintendents whose terms begin today and sixteen others who today step out of the office, were in attendance at the State Teachers association. A splendid showing:

Please send me any suggestions you may have relative to the improvement of our rurial school buildings, in architecture and allied subjects; also something relative to the grounds.

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Please send me some more photographs of school buildings. If received within a few days I can use them in the publication on Nebraska school buildings and grounds, but send them whenever you can. I desire to display them in the office.

If you find any quantity of price lists of any of the textbook publishing houses about your office, please distribute them at once to the rural teachers or the school directors of your county.

This department will be pleased to inform county superintendents of available institute talent, including conductors, instructors and lecturers and to render any other assistance in its power for the success of the institute.

The tendency in schoolroom decoration is toward a multiplicity of small pictures and a bewildering display of small articles. This should be counteracted. Three or four large pictures, carefully selected, are better for wall display than 150 1-cent Perry pictures.

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Delve into the records, reports and supplies in your office. Clear up and clean out old stock and obsolete matter. Find out the reading circle situation in your county; the adoption of the course of study; the texthooks used and the situation in general and in detail.

During the business sessions of the county superintendents a vote was taken on the proposition of the consolidation of school districts and the transportation of pupils at public expense, which showed that forty-two of those present favored and none opposed the idea.

A large majority of the county superintendents of Nebraska favor county organization of school boards and adoption of rules, regulations and course of stidy, and the enforcement of the compulsory attendance law for children between seven and fourteen years of age. A few favor county adoption and uniformity of text-books.

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The Illustrated Bee

found a number of features of peculiar interest to the people of the west, as well as the usual offering of general matter. During the last few weeks The Bee has been generally commended for the unvarying excellence of its illustrated supplement, some very flattering notices having been published in the columns of contemporaries concerning this paper. To maintain this high standard is the constant aim of the publisher, and that the effort is rewarded is amply attested by the increasing popularity of The Hustrated Bee. The forthcoming issue will be found quite fit to be placed alongside its predecessors.

For a frontispiece a picture of Hon. Benjamin S. Baker is presented. This well-known lawyer and jurist has risen to considerable eminence in Nebraska, and his fame is no longer bounded by local metes. His recent appointment to a position on the bench of New Mexico, where he advanced to the dignity attached to the position of associate judge of the supreme court of the territory, is a recognition of his ability by the president. A handsome picture of his amiable and accomplished wife is also published, and a well written sketch

of his busy and successful career. During the days the Nebraska Teachers' association was in session at Lincoln a staff artist spent some time in securing photographs of the leaders in educational work in the state. A full page is devoted to the reproduction of these, making a display that is not only of interest, but really valuable to the public as well as the teachers.

Sir Henry Irving and Miss Ellen Terry, two of the most prominent figures on the modern stage, spent four days in Omaha. During this time they went out much, shopping and visiting the points of interest in the city. The Bee's artist secured some excellent snap shots of this eminent pair, from which fine half-tone reproductions have been made for Sunday's paper.

Bornes's resources, people and material development afford a theme for Frank G. Carpenter this week. It is one of the most interesting of his series of letters from the islands of the east, and is fully illustrated.

Perils that beset the ship rigger in his work are described in an illustrated article, which tells how masts and rigging, sails and shrouds are repaired or replaced in the shortest possible time by modern methods.

In New York there is a hospital

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If You Ask It.

Send no money, but say which book you need. It will tell you what I spent a lifetime in learning. Pray don't let doubt or prejudice keep you from askins for it.

With the book I will send on order cayeur druggist for six bottles Dr. Shoop's Resterative; and he will let you test it a month. If satisfied, the cost is \$5.50. If it falls, I will pay your druggist myself.

No other physician ever made such an offer and none ever will. But I have furnished this remedy to \$55.00 sick ones on just those terms, and 39 out of each 40 have paid for It, because they were cured. I know now what this remedy will do.

My success comes from streugthening the each vital organ gets the power to act. No other treatment does that; and most of these diseases positively cannot be cured in any other way. Wen't you write a postal to learn why?

Simply state Book No. 1 on Dyspepsia, which book you Book No. 4 for Month. Book No. 8 for men (sealed). Mild cases, not chronic, are often cured by one or two bottles. All druggists.

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•----selves for their work we must place within their reach opportunities for such prepara-tion. Let us make this the greatest year in the history of the state in academic in-struction and professional training among our teachers.

Upholds Bissell Will.

The supreme court has just upheld as valid the will of William C. Bresell, for many years a resident of Humboldt, and sustained the legality of a deed made by Biesell to Secretary Phillips of the National Christian association of Chicago, an organization which has for its object the demolition of all secret societies.

Bissell was 80 years old when he died in April, 1898. He was a man of fine education, a graduate of Yale college and had been prominent in the affairs of Richardson county in the earlier days. He was very bitter in his opposition to secret societies, the Masons being his especial object of detestation. For twenty-five years he had read the Cynosure, a publication that opposed secret societies as immoral and nurseries of crime.

During his lifetime he had accumulated an estate worth about \$25,000, and in 1882 he made a will, in which, among other things, he gave a sum of money to Wheaton college, Ill., and \$50 a month to the education of some young man or woman whose plety and ability promised future usefulness and who were willing to stand as wit nesses for Christ against the secret socie-

Still Fight for Rhen's Life.

Following the custom in such cases, s motion for a rehearing will be presented to the supreme court on behalf of William Rhea, convicted of the murder of Herman Zahn, and if it is overruled Rhea's only hope for life will be in a plea for executive clemency. Clerk Herdman will not send forth the death warrant until the forty days for filing the motion has been filed, and if such a motion is filed no warrant will be given until the supreme court in final detision affirms the action already taken.

The opinion in the Rhea case was written by Judge Holcomb, and it treated exhaustively every point as to evidence and law. If a motion for a new trial is overruled the court would probably give no further opinion, but the action would be taken immediately after the motion is submitted. If a new hearing is granted, then the whole case will be gone over again and a new opinion will be delivered.

Amendments to Incorporation.

Amendments to the articles of incorpora tion of the Cincinnati Land and Mining secretary of state's office today. The amendment provides for the annual election of a board of five directors and for the selection of officers from among the members of the board; also other changes in the internal management.

Inspects Irrigation Works

State Engineer Dobson will start Monday morning on a trip of inspection along the Loup river. He will investigate irrigation and power works, especially two plants at

Lost Records Found.

The lost records of the Nebraska Relief commission were found today carefully stored away in the vault of the State Historical society. These records are essen tial in the prosecution of a case against D E. Thompson and other bondsmen of the Capital National bank, to recover approximately \$3,000 which was lost through the failure of the institution. A search for the, papers in the state house last week was without success and it was presumed that they were lost.

PLANS FOR NEBRASKA EXHIBIT

State Commission for St. Louis Fair Will Issue Statement to the Public.

LINCOLN, Jan. 10 .- (Special Telegram. -The Nebraska commission for the Louisiana Purchase exposition met in the gov ernor's office today and organized by electing G. W. Wattles of Omaha chairman and E. E. Bruce, also of that city, secretary and treasurer. Plans for a state exhibit were discussed, but most attention was devoted to the various methods of raising

What agreement was reached, if any, will not be made public for several days. Secretary Bruce will issue a statement to the public tomorrow or Monday, and it will likely contain an appeal for donations or contributions. This statement will give the result of the meeting here today. All members of the committee attended.

BLOWS OFF TOP OF HIS HEAD

Excessive Drinking Causes A. C. Nitsch of Grand Island to Commit Suicide.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Jan. 10 .- (Special.)-A. C. Nitsch committed suicide at Sandkrog last night Nitsch has been living in Grand Island for eighteen years and for the last eight years he has been operating a cigar fac-

Yesterday afternoon he told his wife that he was going to Sandkrog, a resort frequented by Grand Island people, to spend the afternoon and evening. While at the resort he drank excessively and at a late hour announced his intention of going home. He went out and while his team was being harnessed to his buggy he placed a 48-caliber revolver in his mouth and blew off the top of his head, dying instantly. The bar-

tender of the resort notified Nitsch's wife by telephone. Nitsch leaves a wife, two daughters and a son. NOTED SWINDLER CAPTURED

Boston Police Hold Sidney Lasceller

at the Request of the Arkansas Authorities

BOSTON Jan 9.—The police here have antured Sidney Lascelles, a noted swindler. said to be known to the police of three continents as Lord Walter Beresford. He is held on request of the authorities at Hot Springs, Ark. When arrested he gave the name of Rollt Leonard, but when shown his photograph from the police gallery he ad-

mitted he was Lascelles. He has been known under many aliases. among them being Sir Harry Vane, R. N. and Lord Courtney, Claude B, Lascelle and James B. Lascelle. The charge against him in Hot Springs is the larceny in 1899 of \$100,000 from Liman J. Hay, proprietor of the Arlington hotel.

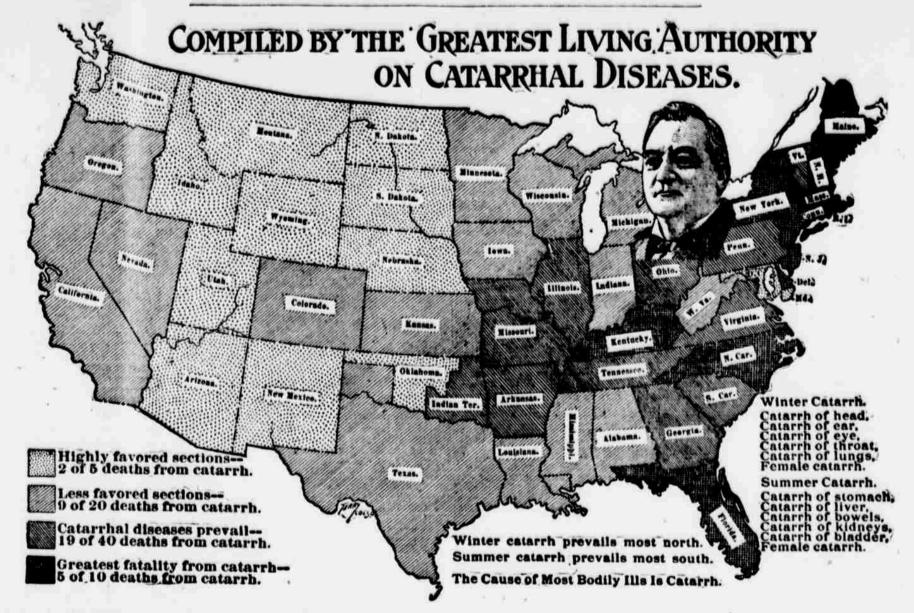
It is said that Lascelles as Lord Beeresford eloped from Algiers with the daughter of an American miner, who after learning of the man's character secured a divorce

CHANGE IN POSTAL SERVICE New Inspectors Division Established

with Headquarters at Kansas City.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.-The Postoffice department has created a new division of postoffice inspectors, to comprise the states of Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Indian Territory. The division headquarters will be at Kansas City, with J. R. Harrison of Salina, Kan., inspector in charge. Mr. Harrison formerly was attached to the St. Louis division of irspectors and was postmaster at Havana during the reorganization of the if the expect our teachers to fit them. postal service of Cuba.

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company of Carthage, Mo., were filed in the MOST WINTER ILLS: COUGHS, COLDS AND LA GRIPPE ARE TYPES OF CATARRI.

The above map has been carefully com- , cheerfully recommend it to all who may | Mr. J. Orpe, corner 27th and Market | thus protecting the person from the bad piled from United States documents by The Pe-ru-na Medicine Company, of Columbus. Ohio. The figures were taken from the latest mortal statistics published by the government and entirely agree with the rchives kept at The Hartman Sanitarium. The map is made in four shades. The lightest shade shows the States which have the lowest per cent of deaths due to cararrhal diseases. In these States very close to 42 per cent of all deaths in 1890 were due to catarrhal diseases. That is to say,

four out of every ten deaths were from catarrhal affections. In the States of next darker shade the per cent varies from 42 to 45. In the next darker shade, 45 to 48 per cent of the whole number of deaths resulted from catarrhal diseases. In the darkest shade we have indicated the States in which over 50 per cent, or one-half or more, of all the deaths were directly traceable to ca-

tarrh as the cause. This is an appalling state of affairs This nation has got to confront the fact that catarrh has become a national curse. Catarrhal diseases threaten the life of our people. Over one-half of the people suffer from some form or degree of catarrh. Fully thirty-five million of people are personally interested in the discovery of a radical catarrh cure.

Hon. Dan. A. Grosvenor, of the wellknown Ohio family, in a letter written from Washington, D. C., says:



Dan. A. Grosvenor, of Ohio.

runa. One week has brought wonderful changes and I am as well now as ever. Besides being one of the very best spring tonics it is an excellent catarrb remedy.

"Allow me to ex-

press my gratitude

to you for the bene-

fit derived from

one bottle of Pe-

DAN. A. GROSVENOR. Mr. J. C. Metcalf, 3826 Elmwood Ave.,

hicago, Ill., writes: "I am 72 years old, have been troubled with catarrh of the throat and stomach. great deal, and have tried almost every kind of medicine, but none have done me so much good as Peruna. I was a traveling salesman for 27 years, and this is the cause of my trouble. Today I am feeling better than I have for the past five years. I can heartily recommend Peruna to all who suffer from like diseases as a sure and complete cure.

J. C. METCALF.

Mr. Isaac Thompson. Monkland, Ore., "I take great pleasure in acknowledging the curative effects of Peruna. I suffered for fifteen years with catarrh and by the

ing to directions, I am cured and can i

be suffering with catarrh. Peruna is a good medicine to keep in the house, and when one feels a little off a few doses will catarrh of twenty years' standing. I had tone up the system and do one good-Peruna is the medicine for catarrh." ISAAC THOMPSON.

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C., says the following of Peruna: "I join with my distinguished friend, General Wheeler, of my State, in recommending your preparation, runa. Friends who have used it recommend it as an excellent tonic and partic-

J. COURTNEY HIXSON. How. H. W. Ogden, Congressman from in very severe Louisiana, in a letter written at Washing- weather, I caught

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Congressman Ogden.

particularly effective in the cure of catarrh. For those who need a good catarrh medi-

Hon. W. V. Sullivan, United States Senator from Mississippi, in a letter recently written to Dr. Hartman, says the following however, and now believe myself perfectly

easy, and I cannot too highly recommend "For some time I have been a sufferer from catarrh in its incipient stage, so much so I became alarmed as to my general health.

remedy, I gave it fair trial and soon began to improve. Its effects were distinctly beneficial, remov

"I take pleasure in recommending your best I have ever tried. W. V. SULLIVAN. Hon. J. Courtney Hixson, ex-United

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mended to me by cough had nearly people who have used it as a remedy use of five bottles of Peruna taken accord- cine I know of nothing better." H. W. OGDEN.

streets, Galveston, Texas, writes: "I was afflicted with a case of chronic twelve years. Six months ago I had to be propped up in bed at night and lie on my side for fear of choking. I did not think I could be cured. I began taking Peruna.

your remedies." Hon. John V. Wright, Law Department, General Land Office of Tennessee, in a letter written from Washington, D. C., says the following of

Peruna for catarrh: "I have used Peruna in my family and can cheerfully recommend it as being all you rep resent and wish every one who is suffering with catarrh, general debility or prostration could know of

it. I would advise all such to take it stall the terrible consequence. I regard it as a most valuable remedy, and most cheer fully recommend it." JOHN V. WRIGHT.

The women recommend Peruna also. Th following are testimonials from thankful women prominent in society and business who use Peruna: Mrs. Jane Gift, of Hebbardsville, Ohio,

writes:

"I think I would have been dead long ago had it not been for Peruna. I have used MRS. JANE GIFT. years to my life." Mrs. A. S. Tipple, 148 Linden avenue,

Minneapolis, Minn., writes as follows: "Last winter in taking a journey ton, D. C., says a cold which set-

the following of tled on my lungs. Peruna, the na- developing a setional catarrh vere case of catarrh of the res-"I can consci- piratory organs. recom- My family physimend your Peruna clan gave me only temporary relief, all round good when my son ad-medicine to those vised me to try who are in need of Peruna. I sent a catarrh remedy, for a bottle and in

disappeared, and within a week I felt bet-MRS. A. S. TIPPLE. ter than ever." Catarrh is a systemic disease of climatic and nervous origin. With Peruna the gratis. nerves become strong and the mucous

effects of a changeable climate. This is why some people do not have catarrh. Miss Mabel H. Eilis, President of the

Club. Creek. Mich. GRVB: "I suffered for three years with

Woman's Athena

cured. My breathing is thoroughly free and chronic catarrh of the bronchial tubes and found no relief until 1 tried Peruna. "Seven weeks

constant use of Miss Mabel H. Ellis. Peruna cured me permanently." MABEL HELEN ELLIS Mrs. W. B. Krause, of Port Washing-



Mrs. W. B. Krause,

ing which I had in my back, and bearing down pains. I am very thankful for Pe runa, as it has

cured me where other medicines have failed. I will always speak a good word for Peruna."

MRS. W. B. KRAUSE A great many remedies for temporary relief have been devised from time to tilme. such as sprays, snuffs, creams and other local applications, but, as a rule, the medical profession has little or no enthusiasm in the treatment of catarrh. It is generally it in my family for coughs and colds and pronounced by them to be incurable. It la grippe. I would not be without it in therefore created a great sensation in medthe house. I really think that it has added | ical circles when Dr. Hartman announced that he had devised a compound which would cure catarrh permanently. The remedy was named Pe-ru-na, and in a short time became known to thousands of catarrh

sufferers north, south, east and west. Letters testifying to the fact that Peruna is a radical cure for catarrh began to pour in from all directions. Thousands of such letters are on file in the office of the Pe-ru-na Medicine Company. These letters are not used for publication except by the express wish of the writer. A pamphlet filled with such letters will be sent to any address free. This book should be read by all who doubt the curability of catarrh.

If you do not receive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice

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I underwent a treatment for catarrh, for three months, without any success, consulted a number of physicians, among others, the most eminent ear specialist of this city, who told me that only an operation could help me, and even that only temporarily, that the head noises would then cease, but the hearing in the affected ear would be lost forever.

I then saw your advertisement accidentally in a New York paper, and ordered your treatment. After I had used it only a few days according to your directions, the noises ceased, and to-day, after five weeks, my hearing in the diseased ear has been entirely restored. I thank you heartily and beg to remain

Very truly yours,

F. A. WERMAN, 730 S. Broadway, Baltimore, Md.

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