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The Coreans use neither bedsteads nor chairs.

Little Maple Custards.

Make a plain cup custard mixture, adding a pinch of salt and sweetening with a very little maple sugar. Put a small quantity of maple sugar or syrup over the fire and boil until it is reduced to crack degree when tried in cold water. Stir while boiling to prevent burning. Pour a little into the bottom of small custard cups and let it harden; then pour in the custard mixture. Place the cups in a shallow pan with water and set in a moderate hot oven and cook until the custard is set in the middle. When done take out and turn out the custards while hot so that the maple syrup will run down over them, forming a sauce. Serve at once.

Found Some of It.

Representative Reeder of Kansas saw a five-cent piece on the floor of a Pennsylvania avenue car one afternoon, while he was on his way down from the capitol. He picked the nickel up and said: "Is there anybody in the car who has lost a ten-dollar gold piece?" Ten people, white and black, promptly said in chorus: "I did." "All right," said Reeder, as he slid for the door; "I just found a nickel of it. I don't know where the other nine dollars and ninety-five cents went."

This is Miraculous.

Manhattan, Kans., March 14.—One of the strangest cases that has ever been heard of in Riley Co. is that of the three-year-old daughter of Mr. Jonas Brubaker of this place.

Some time ago the little girl took whooping cough, which was followed by pneumonia. When the pneumonia left her, she was taken down with malaria fever with at times symptoms of Spinal Meningitis.

The family doctor brought her safe through these troubles, but after fever Bright's Disease set in and the doctors gave her up. Her father tells the rest of the story:

"We began to give her Dodd's Kidney Pills and a half box she had taken about three and a half boxes, she was entirely cured. Now she is well as any child, running and playing as if nothing had ever been the matter with her. The doctors said she was beyond the reach of medicine. Dodd's Kidney Pills certainly saved our little girl's life, when she was so far through the chronic stage of Bright's Disease that we thought nothing could save her."

Most of the good times we have are appreciated until the next day.

Let us all grow lettuce, if prices are continue at present figures.

NEWS IN NEBRASKA

THE STATE IN A NUTSHELL.

ONLY NET CREDITS TAXABLE.

Attorney General Prout So Advises Board of Equalization.

LINCOLN—Attorney General Prout handed down an opinion holding that net and not gross credits are taxable under the new revenue law. His action was taken at the request of the State Board of Equalization, which will now instruct county assessors to allow all owners of credits to deduct their indebtedness when making out their personal schedules. In effect the holding will mean much to the wholesale and jobbing interests of Omaha and Lincoln, which had been protesting against the heavy burdens which would be imposed upon them by taxation of gross credits, since much of their business is done on credit.

Attorney General Prout follows the line of reasoning adopted by Commissioner Duffie in the opinion which he wrote when the law was attacked in the supreme court last fall. There is some question as to the weight which can be given to the commissioner's opinion, since the court did not in express language approve of it, and Chief Justice Holcomb has been quoted as saying that the Duffie view of the matter is a mere dictum, not binding in law. It was charged at the time that the court had enough to do in handling the general question of the constitutionality of the measure without going into the credit problem. However, the board having obtained an expression from the state's legal adviser, will follow that as the law until someone steps in to test the law by injunction or mandamus, and there are at present no prospects of any such litigation.

LIVE WIRE CAUSES DEATH.

Wymore Man Drops 25 Feet After Receiving Heavy Shock.

WYMORE—Charles N. Johnson, manager of the Nebraska Electric company at Wymore, met with instant death. At the time of the accident he was engaged in cutting a loose wire on Main street and in some way caught hold of a live wire. Being unable to let go, Mr. Johnson called for help to those who had gathered below, and his nephew, Charles Philbrick, immediately went to his assistance and succeeded in cutting him loose, but was unable to hold him and the man fell twenty-five feet, striking his head on the pavement. He was removed at once to Dr. Gafford's office and every effort made to revive him, but he lived only about fifteen minutes.

Typhoid Germs Are Abroad.

LINCOLN—The capitol building of Nebraska is suspected of harboring the germs of typhoid fever and malaria. It is asserted that bad ventilation, the poor system of heating and faulty plumbing are responsible. Attention has been called to the subject because of the prevalence of illness among the officials and employees of the building. Three clerks of offices in the east wing of the building are now confined to their homes with typhoid fever, and many others are suffering from grip and malaria. Secretary of State Marsh has just been taken ill.

Child's Body Is Found.

KEARNEY, Neb.—The body of the 2-year-old son of George Lauderbach, who was drowned in the canal a week ago last Monday, was found in the lake in the deep water, about an eighth of a mile below where the child met death. Men worked many hours breaking up the ice with dynamite and dragging the lake. The body was perfectly preserved.

Action Under Pure Food Law.

LINCOLN—Food Commissioner Thompson, in the course of a few days, expects to cause the arrest of a number of merchants throughout the state for selling adulterated vinegar for the pure article. He has delayed making the arrests for some time in order to allow merchants to whom he had sent notices time to get rid of their adulterated vinegar, but he stated that many had not taken advantage of his leniency and therefore he expected to begin active and vigorous prosecution.

Applies to All Credits.

LINCOLN—Secretary Bennett of the state board of equalization declared that the ruling of the attorney general applied to all forms of credits and not only to book accounts alone.

Brakeman Killed by Cars.

FREMONT—J. F. Brehn, a brakeman on the Northwest, living in this city, was crushed between two freight cars at Dwight and died a few minutes after.

Found Dead in Pasture.

STELLA—Jacob Mann was found dead in the pasture of his brother John, with whom he had made his home. Mr. Mann was of an eccentric character and rarely left the farm. Though living within a few miles of Stella for a long period, he had never been seen in town and all his business affairs here were looked after by his brother. His death is supposed to have been the result of a paralytic stroke. He was a widower, and since his wife's death had made his home with his brother.

Recent rains in some portions of the state have been greatly beneficial to the wheat.

Fifty tons of hay were burned near Schuyler, a rubbish fire having got beyond control.

Two persons recently broke jail at Plattsmouth and at this writing have not been captured.

The village board of Ravenna has granted a franchise for an independent telephone company.

Rev. Watts of Sioux City has arrived in Tekamah, where he will hold meetings for two weeks.

The preliminary survey for the electric railway from Springfield to Newport will be made about May 1.

The Tecumseh Loan and Building association has been formed, and already more than 400 shares have been sold. Blind pupils of the school at Nebraska City are on a tour of the state, giving entertainments at many of the principal towns.

The three weeks' religious revival at Osceola has closed. All the meetings were largely attended and much interest was manifested.

The Fremont Commercial club has adopted resolutions favoring a bill in congress for the establishment of a commission to promote the American merchant marine.

Scarlet fever has again broken out in Sarpy county. The family of Frank Comte of Springfield is quarantined for the disease and every effort is being made to prevent the same from spreading.

In thirty-eight counties in which the appraisal of school lands has been completed and tabulated the valuation has been increased \$1,200,000. This will mean an increase to the temporary school fund of almost \$70,000 annually.

A movement having for its object cleaner streets, sidewalks and alleys has been started by the Woman's club of Beatrice, and the committee on civics and forestry has been instructed to devise ways and means of securing the desired ends.

For the loss of a hand a Lancaster county jury in the district court awarded Ulric Emith a verdict for \$5,000 damages. He is a negro lad 5 years of age, and was struck by a street car while looking for a half dollar which he had dropped on the track.

Lillie D. Weed, a domestic in the home of Adelbert W. Reddish, Lincoln, sued the latter for the sum of \$894. She alleges that he has not settled with her for five years, with the exception of \$150. She fixes her bill for wages at \$1,044 and claims the balance due her is \$894.

The largest warrant drawn for several years was issued at Lincoln, the sum being for \$41,418 and is for 60 per cent of the amount of the bill owed the Van Dorn iron works. State Treasurer Mortensen bought the warrant and issued for it three checks.

The Yoder settlement, composed of Pennsylvania Germans, which has existed a few miles southwest of Bertrand for the past twenty years, has broken up, and all its members, having sold their lands and belongings, are leaving Nebraska, most of them returning to their former homes in the east.

Congressman Burkett has named the following young men as principal and alternates for the naval academy at Annapolis: Noel B. Rawls, Plattsmouth, principal; Vance D. Chapline, Lincoln, first alternate; Thomas S. Bridges, Sterling, second alternate; H. Walter Stephenson, Lincoln, third alternate.

Charles Baumgardner was arrested at Grand Island on the charge of having attempted to assault Mrs. Stafford, a former acquaintance, in her own home while her husband was absent. Mrs. Stafford succeeded in making her escape from the house and at once informed the police department. The assault was arrested.

Rev. Ora Samuel Gray, from Massachusetts, delivered an inspiring lecture before a large audience in the opera house at Crete. The subject of his lecture was "Three P's in a Pod." The three P's proved to be Purpose, Plan and Push, and from these key words he drew powerful lessons for the inspiration of the young men of today.

A little bolt slipping from the cross arm of an electric light pole has caused a \$50,000 damage suit in Lincoln. This is the amount William E. Thomas asks of the Lincoln Gas and Electric Light company. Thomas is a line man and was injured about two years ago. The bolt slipped from the cross arm and he fell to the ground, breaking both his legs.

Richard Gould, the Central City preacher who is serving a term in the state penitentiary for abducting 16-year-old Eva Flint, the daughter of Lester Flint, at whose home he boarded while in charge of the church at the Merrick county town, has filed a brief in the supreme court asking for a reduction of his sentence. As a basis for his plea he urges that the girl went with him willingly and though she had opportunities, she never desired to leave him.

Mrs. Mutrie, whose home is said to be in Battle Creek, whose husband registered from Tamora, attempted to commit suicide at the Jamieson hotel in Grand Island, but has been saved for the time being. She still, however, declares she has no further desire to live.

In the district court at Stromsburg Judge Arthur Evans decided the case of Oscar Sameison against John H. Micey in favor of the plaintiff. The suit was brought to quiet title to a farm in possession of the plaintiff and claimed by the defendant under a deed which was said to be a mortgage.

28 Army Generals Send Letters of Endorsement To The Inventor of the Great Catarrh Remedy, Pe-ru-na.

Brigadier-General King of Confederate Army.

Writes: "I unhesitatingly state that I am convinced Peruna is a medicine that will effect all the cures that is claimed for its use."—J. Floyd King, Washington, D. C.

General Smalls, Beaufort, S. C.,

Writes: "I have used Peruna for catarrhal trouble and find it beneficial and to be all that it promises, and freely give it my unqualified recommendation."—Robert Smalls.

General Abbott, of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "I am fully convinced that your remedy Peruna is an excellent tonic. Many of my friends have used it with the most beneficial results for coughs, colds and catarrhal trouble."—Ira C. Abbott, 906 M. St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Captain Yarnell, of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "Your medicine, Peruna, I believe to be the best medicine for catarrh on the market. I have taken only a small amount, and can see very beneficial results."—W. G. Yarnell, 2922 Lincoln street, N. E., Washington, D. C.

General McBride of U. S. A.,

Writes: "I have no hesitation in recommending Peruna to all persons who are afflicted with catarrhal troubles."—J. D. McBride, 450 Pennsylvania Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Longstreet of the Confederate Army,

Writes: "I can testify to the merits of Peruna, both as a tonic and a catarrh remedy. Peruna enjoys the greatest reputation as a catarrh remedy of any medicine yet devised."—James Longstreet, Gainesville, Ga.

General Noske of O. V. U.,

Writes: "I commend Peruna to those who are troubled with colds producing catarrh as a most efficacious cure and as a good general tonic."—Chas. F. Noske, 423 B St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Erwin's Recommendation.

"Many of my friends have used Peruna as a dyspepsia remedy with the most beneficial results."—John B. Erwin, Washington, D. C.

Brig.-General Schell Benefited.

"Peruna is indeed a wonderful tonic, and for coughs and colds I know of nothing better."—F. M. Schell, Washington, D. C.

General Duffield of the Union Army,

Writes: "I have used Peruna in my family and have found it a valuable medicine, and take pleasure in recommending it to all who suffer from catarrh of the stomach or who require a tonic of efficiency."—The Cairo, Washington, D. C.

General Butler of South Carolina,

Writes: "I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble. I have been using your medicine for a short period and I feel very much relieved. It is indeed a wonderful medicine besides a good tonic."—M. C. Butler.

Brigadier-General Kirby

Writes: "I can recommend Peruna to all who are afflicted with catarrh."—General D. T. Kirby, Washington, D. C.

Gen. Powell, Hecker Post No. 443,

Writes: "After using one bottle of Peruna I became convinced of its curative qualities, and continued its use to date. All symptoms of catarrh have disappeared, yet I continue its moderate use as a preventive, and an old man's tonic."—W. H. Powell, Belleville, Ill.

General S. S. Yoder of Ohio,

Writes: "I have found Peruna to be a wonderful remedy. I only used it for a short time and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits."—S. S. Yoder, Washington, D. C.

General O'Connor of U. V. Legions,

Writes: "If you are suffering from catarrh or physical debility, immediately commence the use of Peruna. It has been of the greatest benefit and service to many of my friends."—Dennis O'Connor, 738 32nd St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Gen. Wright of the Confederate Army,

Writes: "I take pleasure in recommending Peruna. It is a remarkable medicine and should be used by persons who are in need of a good tonic and by sufferers from catarrh."—Marcus Wright, 1774 Corcoran St., Washington, D. C.

Gen. Hawley of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "I have used Peruna and find it very beneficial for kidney trouble and especially good for coughs, colds and catarrhal troubles."—A. F. Hawley.

Gen. Uroll of Spanish War Veterans,

Writes: "Many of my friends have used Peruna with beneficial results as an effective remedy for catarrh."—M. Emmet Urell, 813 12th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Talley of Pa., Vol. U. S. A.,

Writes: "Your Peruna has been used by me and my friends as a relief for catarrhal troubles with the most beneficial results. I am so convinced of the efficacy of Peruna that I do not hesitate to give it my recommendation."—Wm. Cooper Talley, 713 D St., N. E., Washington, D. C.



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