

OF GENERAL INTEREST.

The consumption of peanuts is 2,900,000 bushels a season.

The wealthiest colored man in the South is a New Orleans sugar planter named Marie.

The once fighting Modoc Indians have become industrious farmers in the past twelve years and half of them have professed Christianity.

A Wisconsin lover wrote to his sweetheart: "There is not a globe of blood in my heart that does not bear your photograph."

A colored man, on trial for robbery in Washington, instructed his attorney to challenge every negro on the jury.

A farmer in Huntington County, Pa., caught an owl and put it in his barn to fight his rooster.

The owl fought, and the rooster did the best he could, but when the battle was over the rooster was dead.

A Kingston (N. Y.) minister married a couple one night recently, and when signatures were asked to the certificate it was found that neither the bride, groom, best man nor bridesmaid could write their names.

A Georgia colored man is very fond of alligators as a food product. He captures the saurians, and, after duly preparing them, cures them as he does his hams.

In his smokehouse at present five or six of these reptiles are hung up undergoing the smoking process.

The crowd of immigrants that may be seen in Castle Garden any day at present are subjected to a more rigorous examination than the immigrants of former years were.

A good many are sent back to the countries from which they came, on the ground that they belong to the excluded classes.

At one of the cross-roads in Brazil, an idol carved from the wood of an orange tree was placed for the Indians to worship.

On one occasion it was noticed that an old man omitted to perform his act of obeisance.

On being commanded to kneel he stubbornly replied: "No; I knew him when he was an orange tree."

A Washington woman, prosecutor in a late assault and battery case, who called the court's attention to the marks on her face, the result, she said, of the beating she had received, almost fainted when the judge ordered an officer to closely examine the injuries.

He rubbed a handkerchief over her face, when the marks instantly disappeared, having been made with paint. The case was then dismissed.

A trader at Americus, Ga., boasts of having a remarkably smart wife. Although he has been married ten years, she has never asked him for a dollar and he has never given her any money.

He generally borrows from her, and she makes more than he does. She sells all home products, such as meat, lard, chickens, wood, hay, etc., and beats his store.

He does not buy any thing but sugar, coffee and a little rice, as he has every thing else to sell off his place.

On the evening of May 20, 1766, the citizens of Boston celebrated the repeal of the Stamp act by hanging one hundred and eight lanterns in the Old Liberty Tree on Essex street.

One of the lanterns, which, according to its inscription, was hung on "the west bough, opposite Frog lane," has been in the Hunneman family ever since, and was recently presented to the Bostonian Society by the widow and children of the late Joseph H. Hunneman, of Roxbury.

A San Francisco spinster of uncertain age, possessed of much wealth and little beauty, agreed to give a marriage bureau \$100 to secure her a husband.

Forty dollars was paid down. A marriage resulted, but the remaining \$60 was not paid, whereupon Mrs. Meyer, proprietress of the bureau, sued for \$185 for services rendered.

This included the unpaid \$60, \$100 for board and lodging and \$20 for a wedding breakfast. The bride, to avoid notoriety, compromised by paying \$50.

At a recent fashionable wedding in New York the father of the bride wore a broad grin as he walked up the church aisle with his daughter.

During the ceremony he chuckled several times, and at its close he broke into an unmistakable laugh. As he is a prominent citizen of unimpeachable sobriety, and is known to have the tenderest regard for his family and for this daughter in particular, many were somewhat scandalized by such an apparent breach of decorum.

At the wedding reception the good gentleman solved the mystery. He had suddenly remembered that the last time he had been inside of any church was when he was himself married in that very edifice.

One chewing, according to recent reports, is the prevailing mania in Albion, Neb. The disgusting habit has become so general that parents and preachers inveigh against it, but to no effect.

During services in church last Sunday the domestic delicately lobbed like a coral of munching cat. As industriously did the jaws work. While the preacher was rounding an eloquent peroration on the beauties of the echoless shore, a mighty yell rent the rafters.

It came from the paralyzed jaw of a Mr. Cato, who had been suddenly smitten with lead colic, caused by chewing adulterated gum. Cato was taken home and the congregation dismissed. Next day a ton of second-hand gum was

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Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of sale issued by L. H. Fort, clerk of the district court of the 8th judicial district in and for Webster county, Nebraska, upon a decree in a certain action brought in said court wherein Phoenix Mutual L. Insurance company are plaintiffs, John I. Smith and Ann H. J. Smith et al. are defendants, I shall on the 11th day of October, 1889 at 10 o'clock a.m. in the court house in Red Cloud in said county that being the place where the last of the following described property to-wit: The west one-half (1/2) of the north-west corner and the section six (6) in township 21 north of range nine (9) west of the 6th E. in Webster county Nebraska, given under my hand this 17th day of September 1889. H. C. SCOTT, Sheriff. Kaley Bros. plaintiffs' attys.

NOTICE OF SALE. Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of sale issued by L. H. Fort, clerk of the district court in and for Webster county Nebraska in an action pending in said court wherein the Nebraska Loan & Trust Co. is plaintiff and George H. Spinger Abraham Williams Lawrence Williams and Mary C. Moore are defendants I shall on a date to be named hereafter in a public vendue for cash in hand to the highest bidder at the east door of the court house in Red Cloud in said county that being the place where the last of the following described property to-wit: The following described premises to-wit: The south-east quarter (1/4) of section eight (8) in township four (4) north of range eleven (11) west of the 4th P.M. in Webster county Nebraska, given under my hand this 28th day of August 1889. H. C. SCOTT, Sheriff. J. M. RAGAN, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Take Notice. Joseph W. Warren and Geo. W. Ball. You are hereby notified that on the 28th day of January 1888, L. Baum purchased at private tax sale from the county treasurer M. B. McNitt at the court house in Red Cloud, Webster county Neb., for the taxes of the year 1887 amounting to \$72.45 the following described property to-wit situated in Webster county Nebraska taxed in the name of Joseph W. Warren and Geo. W. Ball the north east 1/4 of section 12 town 2 range 10 containing 40 acres. The time for redemption of said land from the lien of said tax sale will expire January 28th 1890, and if not redeemed before the above date I will make application for a treasurer's tax deed. L. BAUM.

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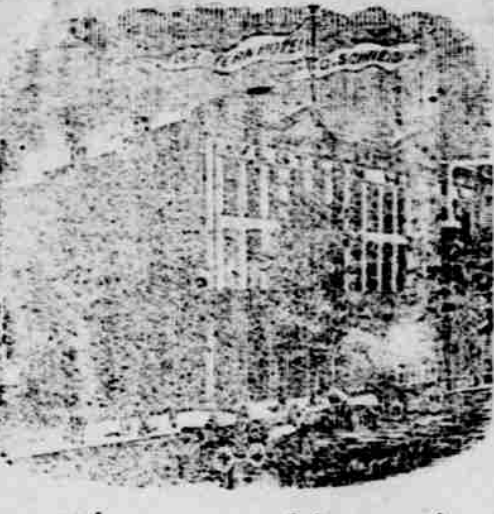
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Take Notice. To Charles W. Kaley, Jacob L. Kaley and Rufus M. Largent. You are hereby notified that on the 2nd day of Dec. 1887, L. Baum purchased at private tax sale from the county treasurer M. B. McNitt at the court house in Red Cloud, Webster county, Nebraska for the taxes of the year 1886 and situated in Webster county Nebraska taxed in the name of Charles W. Kaley, Jacob L. Kaley and Rufus M. Largent the north east 1/4 of section 22 town 1 range 10 containing 40 acres. The time for redemption of said land from the lien of said tax sale will expire December 2, 1889, and if not redeemed before the above date I will make application for a treasurer's tax deed. L. BAUM.

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