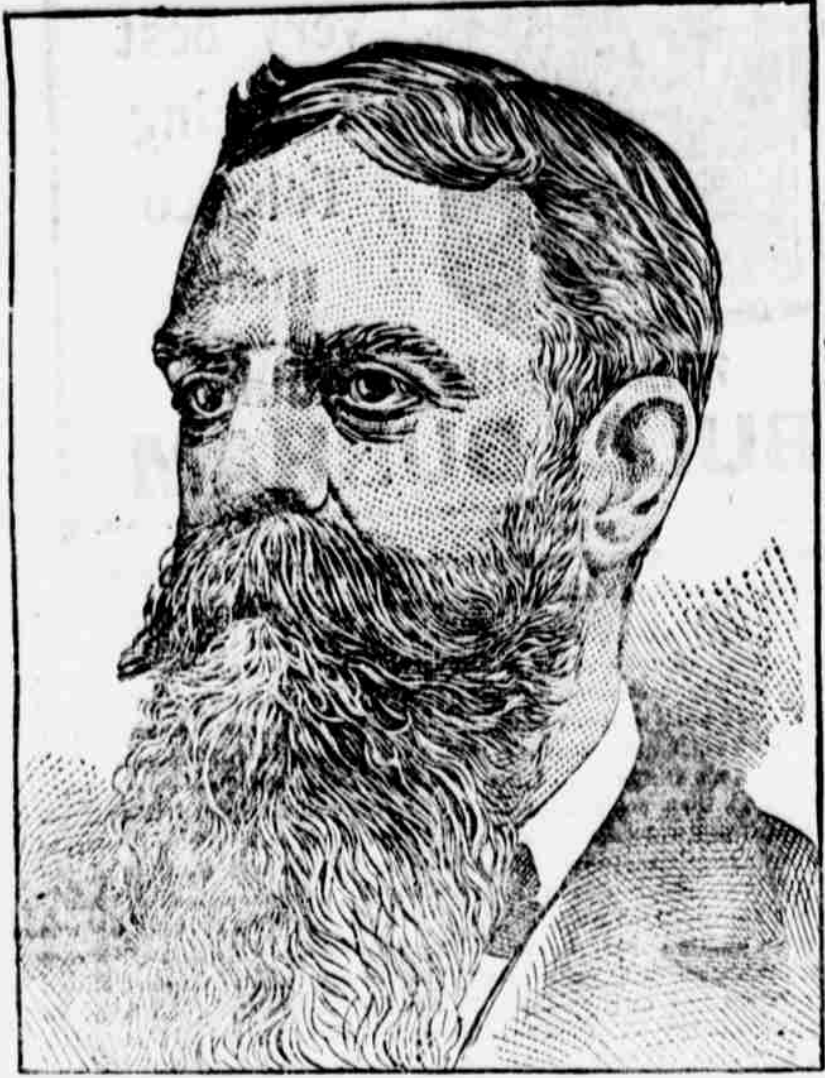


**ALL CHICAGO KNOWS HIM.**

**W. W. Watson, Leading Real Estate Man,  
Restored to Health by Paine's Celery  
Compound.**



CHICAGO, May 29.—Mr. W. W. Watson's reputation throughout the West for unerring judgment in the valuation of land has made him foremost among the most conservative, careful class of investors in Chicago. Unlike many hard driven business men, the owner of "Alpine Heights," that splendid suburb of Chicago, has not neglected his health on account of his exacting business. The following unrequested statement from Mr. Watson shows how consistent with his lifelong, careful, conscientious and successful business habits has been his attention to getting well. He states in the Time-Herald:

"Upon the recommendation of a friend, I used Paine's celery compound for headaches, constipation, indigestion and loss of sleep, and found it all it was recommended to be. I suffer no more from headaches, sleep soundly at night, and am now in perfect health. This is the only medicine that I have ever taken for these complaints, which has benefited me at all."

W. W. WATSON,  
225 Dearborn street.

Busy men and women are apt to think there is always time to get well. The fact that only one person in a hundred dies of old age shows how recklessly men and women postpone attending to their health and allow it to go to pieces while they devote themselves heart and soul to affairs that are trifling in comparison. Wives and mothers have no greater duty than to see that those dear to them do not become so absorbed in the work of providing for the household as to lose their health and shorten their days. No more thoughtful step could be taken during the spring days that are now here than to urge such tired and often irritable home providers to take Paine's celery compound. There are

thousands of homes where overwork has led to worrying, fretting and dependency, that need only Paine's celery compound to banish the unhealthy atmosphere and make things bright and cheerful again.

It is the only spring remedy universally prescribed by physicians. It makes people well by giving them a hearty appetite and a relish for their food. Hard-worked men and women, the nervous, weak and debilitated, get new strength, fresh nervous energy and a purer, more vigorous blood supply from Paine's celery compound.

This most valuable nerve and brain invigorator and restorer practically demonstrates the life-long conviction of its eminent discoverer, Professor Phelps, M. D., LL. D., of Dartmouth College. Professor Phelps was for a long time convinced that sound nutrition was the keystone of firm health and that where there were signs of poorly nourished nerve tissues, and of thin, pale-colored blood, some means must be devised to supply these deficiencies briskly and rapidly. Professor Phelps prepared Paine's celery compound on this basis. It has proved an invigorator, strengthener and a great spring purifier such as the world has never enjoyed before our day.

Tomorrow, or next day, or the day after is not soon enough to look about getting rid of weakness or disease. Take Paine's celery compound today. There is no time equal the spring days for throwing off poor health. There are few persons who do not need to take a spring remedy.

Many not downright sick, but tired or ailing, would be immensely benefited by taking Paine's celery compound, especially at this particularly favorable season of the year.

This great compound will banish that tired feeling, cleanse the blood and regulate the nerves.

**Sheriff's Sale.**

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale to me directed from the district court of Webster county, Nebraska, under a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court on December 13th, 1894 in favor of the plaintiff, Dantes I. Pulsifer, and against Hugh W. Child and et al defendants, I have levied upon the following described real estate to wit: The south west quarter of the north west quarter and the west half of the south west quarter and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the south east quarter, all in section twenty seven (27) of the sixth (6) township of the eighth (8) range west of the sixth (6) range north of the first (1) principal meridian, Webster county, Nebraska, and I will on June 9th, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m. at the front door of the court house in Red Cloud, Webster county, Nebraska, sell said real estate at public auction, to the highest and best bidder for cash, to satisfy the amount adjudged to be due and a lien upon the same as follows: Due to the plaintiff Pulsifer, with interest from December 11, 1894 and costs and accruing costs.  
Dated Red Cloud, Nebraska, May 1, 1896.  
J. W. KUNCIERY,  
Sheriff Webster county, Nebraska.  
Pulsifer & Alexander, Concordia, Kansas, Attorneys for plaintiff.  
(First published in the Chief, May 1, 1896.)

**Sheriff's Sale.**

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale to me directed from the district court of Webster county, Nebraska, under a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court on April 15th, 1895, in favor of the plaintiff, Woman's Medical College of Pennsylvania, a corporation and against William C. Laird, et al defendants, I have levied upon the following described real estate, to wit: The east one hundred and forty-five (145) acres of the south half of the north half of section two (2) township four (4) north range nine (9) Webster county, Nebraska, and I will on June 9th, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Cloud, Webster county, Nebraska, sell said real estate at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash to satisfy the amount adjudged to be due and a lien upon the same as follows: Due to the plaintiff above named Woman's Medical College, with interest at 10 per cent from April 15th, 1895, and due to the plaintiff, Pulsifer & Alexander, Concordia, Kansas, \$49.70 with interest at 10 per cent from April 15th, 1895 and costs and accruing costs.  
Dated Red Cloud, Nebraska, May 1, 1896.  
J. W. KUNCIERY,  
Sheriff, Webster county, Nebraska.  
Pulsifer & Alexander, Concordia, Kansas, Attorneys for plaintiff.  
(First published in the Chief, May 1, 1896.)

**Ripans Tabules.**

Ripans Tabules cure biliousness.  
Ripans Tabules: one gives relief.  
Ripans Tabules cure indigestion.  
Ripans Tabules cure torpid liver.  
Ripans Tabules: gonorrhoea, catarrh.  
Ripans Tabules cure constipation.  
Ripans Tabules: Female catarrh.  
Ripans Tabules cure liver troubles.  
Ripans Tabules: pleasanter laxative.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder  
A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder.

**Michigan's Fruit Institute.**

(From Farmers' Review Special Report)  
The Long Fruit Institute, under the auspices of the State Board of Agriculture and the State Agricultural College, was held at South Haven, Mich., Feb. 3-7, in the midst of the famous fruit belt of that state.  
The first session was opened Monday evening by the chairman, Chas. W. Garfield, of Grand Rapids, who explained the plan of the institute. He was followed by Roland Morrill of Benton Harbor, president of the State Horticultural society, who spoke upon the cultivation and care of brains, claiming that the farmer and fruit grower to be successful as much or more than men in other callings needed a supply of that article. Not only should he understand the nature of the soil and the requirements of the crops, but he should be familiar with best methods of performing the various operations necessary in caring for them. While a scientific education will aid one in his work, a man with a fair supply of gray matter can, by observing what is going on about him, and by reading and digesting the reports of others as found in agricultural papers and periodicals, and as given at farmers' institutes and other meetings, be much more likely to succeed than one who despises book-learning and goes about his work in the same manner as his father before him.

The marketing of the crops is a serious matter, and a good business training will not come amiss. A man with an intellect cultivated along practical lines, and who has a fair supply of horse sense, is in a good way to succeed, even in these times of depression.

During the session of the institute it was arranged that the speakers, who, in addition to Mr. Morrill, comprised Profs. Kedzie, Beal, Taft, Smith and Barrows of the Agricultural College, should speak each day at the same hour for thirty minutes, with an equal time devoted to discussions, questions and answers, making it a sort of a school of horticulture. Mr. Morrill at 9 o'clock each day discussed different phases of peach culture. His first topic was "The Locating and Planting of Peach Orchards." He introduced the subject by reading ten commandments for peach growers, suggested by J. H. Hale of Connecticut, the well known peach specialist, as the basic principles of peach culture. Upon the facility with which these are followed the speaker claimed would hang most of the law and all of the profits.

1. Select for the orchard high, dry soil, preferably a good sandy loam.
2. Choose hardy varieties of known value in the section where they are to be grown.
3. Use hardy, seedling stocks, budded from bearing trees of undoubted purity and health.
4. Give the trees entire possession of the land from the start.
5. Give thorough cultivation from early spring until August.
6. Use liberal amounts of mineral fertilizers rich in potash and phosphoric acid and deficient in nitrogen.
7. Start the trees with low heads and cut back the growth one-half for the first five years.
8. Watch for and dig out all the borers. Wash trunks with some good wash to prevent the deposition of the eggs.
9. Thin the fruit so as to secure large specimens and avoid the drain upon the tree.
10. Examine trees frequently for yellows; cut out and burn diseased trees as soon as found.

He advised the locating of orchards upon hill-sides, where the cold air would drain off, rather than upon level land, even though it might be upon a hilltop. A light, sandy loam of moderate fertility was recommended rather than a clay soil, as, although the latter might be underdrained and subsoiled, the trees would be short-lived, with black, cracked trunks, and dead branches. Some white varieties will do fairly well upon sand, but the kinds with high quality succeed best upon a stronger soil. He preferred a good clover sod that could be turned under and supply food for the trees. Would prepare in the same way as for a corn crop, but would give it rather more attention. Recommended twenty feet each way as a good distance for setting the trees. Select good trees rather than cheap ones, as the latter are likely to be cheap in every sense. A medium-sized well ripened tree with good roots is better than one very large or very small. Purchase in the fall, cut off all bruised or broken roots and heel in upon some well drained spot, leaning the trees at an angle of 45 degrees and covering with evergreen branches. Set the trees in the spring a little deeper than they were in the nursery, and in light soil the bud may be covered with advantage, as it will secure a better growth, and lessen danger from borers. Ordinarily, cut off stems at the height of thirty inches and remove all side shoots unless all of the stem buds have formed shoots, in which case it will be well to select about four at the points where branches are desired and leave these with two buds each. As surplus shoots start out rub them off.

Cut-worms are often troublesome to newly set trees by eating out the buds. They can be kept out of them by wrapping bands of wool about them.

A fifty-foot granite shaft, the longest piece of granite ever taken out of a quarry in Vermont, was quarried at Barre a few days ago.

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**THE FARM AND HOME.**

**A WORD OF WARNING TO WESTERN FARMERS.**

Root Out the Weeds—Green Manuring—A Cheap Ice House—Charcoal for Animals—Farm Notes and Home Hints.

**Too Many Weeds!**

Prof. Thomas Shaw of the Ontario agricultural college, after a journey extending through Ohio, Illinois, Iowa and Minnesota, writes a letter to the Breeder's Gazette in which, after expressing his wonder at the marvelous evidences of rapid progress which met him at every step, he adds the following words of friendly criticism:

But the progress in agricultural development although marvelous in some respects has not kept pace with the progress in other directions. There is a cancer gnawing at its vitals and living on its life blood. I refer to the universal prevalence of weed life which has far more than kept pace with the march of American progress. Weed life has apparently so borne down upon the Western farmer with its legions that he is already in many instances so completely conquered that in despair he has given up the fight. He is not only ready to say that after all weeds do not injure the crop to any great extent, but he has come to that most hopeless of conclusions in agriculture, viz., that they cannot be exterminated.

Nor will it suffice to answer that the extraordinary development of weed life is owing to the extraordinary fertility of soil, for natural capabilities of the soil are incapable of sustaining weed life in its most offensive forms in the face of first-class farming. Shame on that farming which concludes that weeds can not be overcome, or that it will not pay the farmer to overcome them. That philosophy should hang its head in a shady place that teaches that after all our noxious weeds do not work much harm. At the risk of being called an enthusiast and crank and alarmist, I cannot refrain from exclaiming that I am glad that I am yet alive to lift up my voice against the amazing indifference of the farmers of so great a continent in reference to the prevalence of weed life.

It need not be so. The continent could be practically cleared of the more offensive forms of weed life in a few short years if the farmers were determined that it should be so, and this great deliverance could be brought about without the loss of a single crop. It is greatly comforting to know that amid thousands of varieties of weeds that infest this continent not more probably than a score are able to stand up against what may be termed good farming. In other words, not more probably than a score of these require specific modes of cultivation for their eradication.

Of all the forms of weed life in the West which are troublesome and greatly aggressive ragweed is the worst. I would unhesitatingly crown ragweed king among the abominable weed pests that harass the Western farmer. Far be it from me to say one word that would lead your farmers to look upon the invasion of the Canada thistle with indifference, but I am free to say at the same time that I regard ragweed as a far worse foe to fight than the Canada thistle. The Canada thistle can be completely eradicated in two years and without the loss of one paying crop. This cannot be said of ragweed when it has once got a firm foothold.

It is not the purpose of this paper to give the modes of obliterating the more noxious forms of weed life. To do that would be to write a volume. My object is to sound the alarm in the hope of drawing attention to the question. But it may accomplish something to refer to two or three things, which, if but generally practiced, will accomplish much in reducing weed life. Thousands and tens of thousands of sheep may be given the opportunity to turn them into mutton to feed the epicure in Eastern cities. The mower may run over the pastures at least once a year, and over the newly sown meadows. The scythe can do its work in fence corners and by-places. Autumn cultivation can bury the unripe weeds in millions after harvest. The corn may be kept clean instead of half clean, and the agricultural colleges by the force of precept and example can imbue the young men who attend them with an undying hate in regard to all the

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**MOTHERS, Do You Know** that Paregoric, Bateman's Drops, Godfrey's Cordial, many so-called Soothing Syrups, and most remedies for children are composed of opium or morphine?

**Do You Know** that opium and morphine are stupifying narcotic poisons?

**Do You Know** that in most countries druggists are not permitted to sell narcotics without labeling them poisons?

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**Service by Publication.**  
In the District Court of Webster County, Nebraska.  
P. K. DEDRICK, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Albert Henry, Deft.  
Della Henry et al, Defendants.

The above-named defendants, Albert Henry and Della Henry, will take notice that on the 23rd day of April, 1896, plaintiff herein, filed his petition in the district court of Webster county, Nebraska, against said defendants, to the effect and to the substance of which is to foreclose a certain mortgage executed by the defendants to the plaintiff upon the northeast quarter of section four (4), township four (4), range nine (9), west of the sixth principal meridian, Webster county, Nebraska. To secure the payment of a certain promissory note dated October first, 1888, and due and payable five years from the date thereof; that there is now due the plaintiff from the defendants upon said note and mortgage the sum of \$100.00, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from the first day of April, 1894, for which sum, with interest from the first day of April, 1894, plaintiff prays for a decree that defendants be required to pay the same, or that said premises may be sold to satisfy the amount found due this plaintiff.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the first day of June, 1896, or the allegations thereof will be taken as true and judgment rendered accordingly.  
Dated April 23rd, 1896.  
P. K. DEDRICK,  
By ROBT. T. POTTEL, His Attorney.

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**Notice to Teachers.**  
Notice is hereby given that I will examine all persons who may desire to offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the public schools of this county, at Red Cloud on the third Saturday of each month.

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