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ADVERTISING RATES:
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There are a great many republicans who are today thinking quite seriously on the question of government ownership of railroads.

The Railroad Co made another raise in freight rates of about 35 per cent and the Standard Oil Company have added one cent per gallon to their oil. We presume this is to pay up the campaign assessments, etc.—Nation

If for the purpose above stated it must certainly have been given to the Demo-Pop aggregation or may perhaps have been given to the Prohibitionists as we know of no other organization that received anything from the railroads.

Buy your Christmas presents of your home merchants, they are the ones who help to pay your taxes, they are the ones who help to build your school houses, your county roads, your churches and help support your ministers in fact they are the ones who help you in so many ways that it would be useless to try to enumerate them all. A careful perusal of the columns of the Chief each week will show you what the best merchants of the city are doing in their respective lines. When you spend your money in your own town you are assisting toward the improvement of it and not of some other place which you perhaps may never see and which will never benefit you one cent worth.

The last legislature appropriated \$3500 for traveling expenses and \$1000 for help for the state fish commissioner. The fish commissioner is required to sell the fish for a very small sum of course, and as no provision was made for the money, it is turned into the state treasury. Now \$1000 is entirely inadequate for help, as men who understand the raising of fish cannot be hired for \$500 a year, and other help is of very little use. The appropriation for traveling expenses is unnecessary, as the railroads have willing to furnish all the transportation free. Now, what should be done is to allow all revenue derived from the sale of fish to be used in repairing and improving the hatchery. There should also be an appropriation of \$2500 or \$3000 for help and about \$2500 for immediate use in repairing and improving the grounds. Many farmers in this county could raise all the fish they wanted for their own use and some to sell if they would but build ponds and stock them. While there are a few ponds in the county which contain fish they might be many more. With a little time and work given to the raising of fish many of the farm tables could be supplied with a good food which at present is a rarity, in fact hardly known.

That New Book on the Big Horn Basin is off the press and ready for distribution. It is a little bit the best publication descriptive of this wonderful section of Wyoming yet issued. It gives brief glimpses of its farms, gardens, cattle ranches, irrigating canals, oil fields and a word about the golden opportunities. Illustrated by thirty-one splendid half-tones from photographs. Free to any address on request.—J. ERANCIS, G. P. A., Burlington Route, Omaha, Neb.

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BIRTH OF AN ICEBERG.

The Dramatic Experience of Two Antarctic Explorers.

Mr. C. E. Borchgrevink, commander of the antarctic expedition of 1898, nearly lost his life by an accident of a nature so peculiar that it is probable no other man could duplicate the experience. At the foot of Mount Terror in February, 1903, he landed from his ship with Captain Jensen and three other men. Then, wishing to take a picture of the shore, he sent his boat back to the vessel to get a camera, and he and Captain Jensen were left alone on the rough beach. Before the boat returned a strange and awful thing happened. Mr. Borchgrevink told the story in the Outlook:

A roar and a rush, with tremendous explosions, shook the beach. The thought came to us that the perpendicular rocks above us were falling. Then we realized what was taking place. The mighty glacier immediately to the west of us was giving birth to an iceberg.

Millions of tons of ice plunged into the ocean. We could see nothing beyond an immense cloud of rolling snow. The water rose from the plunge of this antarctic monarch. I sang out to Jensen, "Now we shall have to face the wave!"

We rushed to the highest point of our limited beach, four feet above the sea. We saw advancing on us a dark green ridge with a white crest. I called to Jensen to struggle for dear life. We watched the uneven rocks, with our

CONDENSED AIR.

PAPER

Some farmers prize the paper they have taken all the years, in which each week, a budget of the rural news appears.

Some people like the paper that is printed every day, filled full of heavy headlines in the very modern way.

Well, they may have the paper with its rews and "Household Hints," but give me the little narrow note that Uncle Samuel prints.

Some people like the papers that is used to draw a check, except, of course, the forger—once he gets it in the neck.

Some people fancy paper of the promissory kind—

It brings them good per centum with the utmost ease, they find I am not much for paper, and I seldom favor tints—

Beyond, of course, the Irish shade that Uncle Samuel prints.

Some people want a paper full of reading. Understand

That here's enough to do me: "Pay the learner on demand"

Some people seek a paper that with knowledge quickly fills, Well, I prefer the "Williams" that are used in paying bills.

The paper that supersedes all, on which the sunshine glints,

Is that we find in bank notes that our Uncle Samuel prints.

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The Boston bakers' strike is ended. They struck for more dough and got it.

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A loud wail against the 16 to 1 idea comes from New York. It takes \$16 to buy one ton of hard coal.

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Mrs. A. Hard-triker has been elected president of an Indiana woman's club. She may be able to wield it effectively.

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A Kansas City paper proposes "a check to jury bribing." It is through the medium of checks that such work thrives mostly.

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Science calls the chintz bugs "Blissus Leucopterus." The farmers have a name for them that would look shocking in print.

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An old maxim reads thus: "Two sparrows on one ear of corn cannot agree." The same may be said of two doctors on one case.

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The servant girl problem is now being solved in Chicago and St. Louis. The society women in these two cities are taking lessons in cooking.

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Another Russian count has been wounded in a duel. Owing to the crowded condition of the cables his name is coming by steamship mail.

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Like the Boston bakers, the Louisville, Ky., coopers, who were out on a strike, know their business, so there is no need of advising them to hoop'er up.

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Russell Sage is ill again. Perhaps because his office tent was recently raised he has worried himself sick trying to figure out where he can get the money.

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An eastern paper hoisted the names of G. Cleveland and D. Hill to the masthead of its editorial columns. A stern signal would be more appropriate.

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The college professors who have de-

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Mrs. Fred Unrath,
President Country Club, Benton
Harbor, Mich.

"After my first baby was born I did not know how to regain my strength although the doctor gave me a tonic which he considered very superior, but instead of getting better I grew weaker every day. My husband insisted that I take Wine of Cardui for a week and see what it would do for me. I did take the medicine and was very gratified to find my strength and health slowly returning. In two weeks I was out of bed and in a month I was able to take up my usual duties. I am very enthusiastic in its praise."

Wine of Cardui reinforces the organs of generation for the ordeal of pregnancy and childbirth. It prevents miscarriage. No woman who takes Wine of Cardui need fear the coming of her child. If Mrs. Unrath had taken Wine of Cardui before her baby came she would not have been weakened as she was. Her rapid recovery should commend this great remedy to every expectant mother. Wine of Cardui regulates the menstrual flow.

WINE OF CARDUI

Argabright.

clided that football is an elevating game doubtless had in mind the number of players who have ascended the golden stairs.

A grandson of Brigham young is a confessed murderer in New York. Inasmuch as there are about 357 grandsons of Brigham, the going wrong of one will scarcely count for much.

An Ohio deep thinker says that "in one hundred years hence there will be no churches." Well, the natives of those days can all go fishing on Sunday without conscience whispering to them that they ought to be somewhere else.

SCISSORISMS

THE HOBO PRINTER.

He came from where he started,
And was going where he went,
He hadn't had a smell of food,
Not even had a scent.

He never even muttered once
Till he began to talk,
And when he left the kitchen door
He took the garden walk.

He said: "There's no one with me,
I might have scintillated once;
Because I am alone;
I might have scintillated once.

"I got here 'fore the other ones
Because I sat 'em first;
The reason I look shabby is
Because I'm dressed the worst.

Then I asked him where he came from,
This was just before we parted—
And he muttered indistinctly:
"Oh, I came from where I started!"

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The El Paso (Texas) Independent says: A paper in Nacogdoches gives the ladies a little advice about wearing long skirts, necessitating the holding of one side with the hand. The paper advises them to cut that side shorter and save the cloth as well as the trouble of holding up. Whether they will heed such advice is a question. It seems to us a woman ought to know her own business and the writer tend to this.

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A man who chewed twenty cents' worth of tobacco a week concluded to try a tobacco cure. In two weeks he ate \$1.50 worth of the cure and for the next two weeks he used ten cents' worth of yucca, five cents' worth of candy, five cents' worth of peanuts, and five cents' worth of cough drops per day. During these two weeks he also consumed two large rubber erasers, ate the rubber tips from fourteen lead pencils, chewed up a dozen penholders and browsed off his mustache as high as he could reach. He is now chewing tobacco in the interest of economy.

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We want a comb for the head of a fountain, a nit for the head of fate, a boot for the foot of a mountain, a link from the chain of debate, a spoke from the wheel of fortune, a strap for the trunk of a tree, a tongue for the mouth of a river, a lock that will fit any quay, a drink from the breaker of sorrow, a look from the face of the storm, a stroke from the arm of justice, a ring for the finger of scorn, a knock at the door of repentance, a throb from the ocean's heart, a glance from the eye of a needle and from Cupid's bow a dart.

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A Platte county (Mo.) young man, who has been an editor just three months, wrote the advertising manager of a railroad for a free ticket. Being "poetically inclined" he penned his letter thus: "Dear sir: No contract have I made with you to advertise your line. But still I've kept its name in print as though the road were mine. Most every week the system had I've played up good and strong and every time you've killed a man my story has been long. I haven't asked for pay for this; it all was free, you know. But now in payment kindly send the ticket to St. Joe." The young editor says he doesn't exactly understand the answer he received. Here it is: "Your note at hand. We're bound to say you've watched our interests well. Just wait—we'll send your tickets when the ice erust forms in hell."

Every-Lady

who spends
\$5.00 at the
ART STORE
this month
will receive
a CHRISTMAS
PRESENT.
HAND PAINTED.
My Stock is
made up of
ACCEPTABLE
PRESENTS
at Low Prices.

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DOWN IN KANSAS.

In an Atchison joint there is a woman bartender
Jesse James lives in Tola, but he is no kin to the ex-bandit

A man was brought up before a Holton judge the other day and fined for "profane swearing."

A Pratt man lost an election bet and rolled a peanut around two blocks with a toothpick to settle it.

A bank has been established at Carlton, which will be owned exclusively by farmers and storekeepers.

A Winfield man is so overburdened with matrimonial trouble that his friends call him "the man with the woe"

A Barton county man has not as many turkeys this year as usual, but he has an unusual number of wolf scalps to even up.

A new tobacco cure has a fine grasp in Beloit, one hundred men are taking a pill before each chew and every cigar, but so far the sale of the weed has not decreased.

The rivalry of some women in Winfield to get their wash out first on Monday morning is so great that they are said to break into the late hours of the Sabbath.

A Hiawatha girl, who has come into a fortune, has so many proposals of marriage that she is obliged to index them in their proper order so as to prevent duplicates.

Lawrence boasts of a phenomenal young woman, who does not care a rap for ice cream or angel food cake, but whose soul yearns nightly for wiener-wursts and raw onions.

Someone told a Fort Scott woman, who confessed to 200 pounds of avoirdupois, that Rough on Rats would reduce her weight. She tried it and her husband lost 200 pounds in one minute.

A young couple from Dickson were married recently and the next day returned to the squire and wanted to be untied. The justice sent them to a lawyer, and when he mentioned what the fee would be they concluded to "let it go."

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A Caldwell county woman who had urged long and earnestly for a new stove in the kitchen, attempted the "new thought" plan and set fire to a bucket soaked in kerosene. After the excitement had subsided, her husband decided to rebuild on the same spot.

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A brakeman on a popular road in Kansas has written some very pretty poetry, and one of his efforts runs thus:

The engine is an awful brute,
He puffs and smokes all day,
He tears around from place to place
And tanks up on the way.

Holiday Games FREE

Lion Coffee

In each pound package of
Lion Coffee
from now until Christmas will be found a free game, amusing and instructive—50 different kinds.

Get Lion Coffee and a Free Game at your grocery.

A Combination that Can't Be Beat.

NEITHER can our \$10.00 suit, if the judgment of critical townspeople counts for anything. A man came in here the other day to look at suits and when he saw our \$10.00 one, said that this suit had been priced to him elsewhere at \$14.00. He thought \$4.00 worth saving and bought the suit. He's convinced. He knows now that what we say about our \$10.00 suit is true—all true. This suit is a leader with us. We searched the market with cash and keen eyes to find it. We crowded into it all the style, quality and workmanship that was possible to get into one suit at the price, and we've been dishing them up to pleased customers ever since. Just a hint of what it is like: An all-wool chevrot in a dark blue and many other styles, high padded military shoulders, shape-retaining front, Italian lining and stylish cut trousers and vest. On others you'd think it was tailor-made.

On you it costs \$10.00...

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