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The little "sparks" of bad blood lurking in the system should be quenched with Hood's Sarsaparilla, America's great blood purifier. It purifies, vitalizes and enriches the blood of both sexes and all ages. Cures scrofula, salt rheum, dyspepsia, catarrh.



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Central Committee Meeting. Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Republican county central committee held at the office of J. R. Mercer in the city of Red Cloud on Wednesday, August 9th, at 2 p.m. for the purpose of fixing date for holding county convention and such other business as may come before the meet-

C. B. CRONE, Chairman. L. H. FORT, Secretary.

Indications are that the republicans will-have a delightful pienic in this county this fall.

grand auccess or a dismal failure most persons of this fact. The law is according to whether you see it in the an old one, directing the General com-Omaha World-Herald or the Omaha

Rosewater is calling the Greater American Exposition as many names as the country publishers called Rosey last year. Thus does history repeat

ing the fire of the opposition, leaving the rest of the cabinet officials free to proceed unhampered with their work of assisting the president to make this the most prosperous era in our nation's

Senator Scott, of W. Va., who has lately returned from an extended trip on the Pacific slope, summarized his impression of public sentiment in that section thusly: "The advocacy of expansion is not confined to any party. The commercial view of extending the possessions of the U.S. appeals strongly to the people of the Pacific Slope, and there is little difference of opinion on account of politics.

According to the opinion of ex-Senator Dubois, who is now in Washing- of idleness. ton, the policy of expansion will cause the republicans to abandon the protective tariff policy and advocate the raistaxation. He also expresses the opin- makes it talk better. ion that the democrats will advocate protection and oppose expansion, and their national platform Should his strands in the receiver cord. tariff predictions prove true, many of the older voters in both parties, will they are at" politically.

Jerry Simpson criticises ex-Senator Peffer for returning to the republican ranks. "He can never expect to hold office under the *republicaus," says Jerry. That sentence is the trademark of populism. The itch for office was never more fully developed than in the men who created and led the populist party. That a man should be moved by any other consideration than the hope of securing an office of some kind or other is a circumstance that the general run or populists will tail to comprehend.

According to some exchanges that come to our table nobody has anything to do in the management of this government but Mark Hanna. The other seventy million people are fools, having curled up on the floor and do nothing but whine abject servility. This is placing a low estimate on the tised and we hereby warn all persons the intel igence, patriotism and courage of the American people.

The Ohio republicans declare in their platform against trusts and point with pride to the vigorous warfare which their Attorney General,

Monett, is carrying on against these combinations of wealth. And now the democrats are wondering how they can "raise" that hand.

The following is the report of the mortgage indebtedness of Webster county for the six months ending June 30, 1899: Farm mortgages, filed 119, amounting to \$136,239 78; satisfied 121, amounting to \$112,096 38. Town and city mortgages, filed 9, amounting to \$3300,00; satisfied 13, amounting to \$5,-210.00. Chattel morigages, filed 307, amounting to \$85,824.25; satisfied 117, amounting to \$58,870.87. Sheriff's and other deeds of foreclosure, filed 10, amounting to \$16,602.77.

The song of the candidate is heard murs. Which reminds us that the candidate is a queer individual The beaming sun has no terrors for him; thunder clouds accelerate his motion come for their share of coddling and their fathers are the uncrowned heroes who can fill any place from road overseer to general in the army. Great is the candidate. He is a peculiar genius. There is a constant smile on his face like a new moon, and the grasp of his hand is like a Dewey propeller. He thrives on any kind of truck and can cheerfully take his evening snooze anywhere. When the conventions turn him down he begins to plan for the next year. The candidate; there is nothing like him. May he live long and send us in early his announce-

Because the law under which Gen. Nelson A. Miles has been acting Secre-Secretary and the Assistant Secretary | Herald. was put on the Statute books a long time ago, there is a disposition to regard the occurence as without signific-As a matter of fact it was very significant-significant of a very radical change in the relations between Gen. Miles and the administration, or of an attempt to trap Miles into attempting to make some use of his temporary authority that would make trouble for The Great America Exposition is a him. A little thought will convince manding the Army to become acting Secretary of War during the absence of the Secretary and Assistant Secretary from Washington.

Supplemental Telephone Rules

The telephone company has posted up by the side of each instrument a 'Tis a pity the president doesn't act set of rules which they claim will teacher the following composition on upon the advice of the 2x4 editors who greatly help the service if followed knows all about the Philippine ques. close'y and make the system of more sir. If it were not for our breath we tion. He ought to send some of them value to each subscriber. That is pos- would die. The breath keeps going what to do and how to do it. It is a you want to please the people give Boys shut up in a tight room all day shame that such talent is permitted to them a set of rules which are the cas- should wait until they get out of doors.

ascertain what you wanted.

when you are called, or what is better, not answer at all but sometimes during the day ring up and ask who called you, and get mad at "Central" if she has forgotten who it was. She has nothing else to do but remember such things and if she can't remember she should get a book and keep a record of calls.

When you are through talking hang the receiver big end up, as in this manner it getsfull of dust and prevents the repair man from forming habits

Hammer on the transmitter with a lead pencil or anything that is handy as though you intended to knock it ing of all money by internal revenue through the wall. This invariably

When through talking, drop the receiver or throw it down. This allows that poth parties will oppose trusts in the batteries to run out and break the

When you have nothing else to do open the generator box with a hatchet have trouble in finding out "just where or an ax and take a look at things. If the interior does not look right, pu'l out a few wires and leave the door open. This improves the service wonderfully and pleases the manager.

Place metal inkstands or anything you like except a red hot stove on top of the telephone. This will short-circuit your instrument and then you can go to sleep, for to one can call you up.

Never ring off when you are through talking, as that would notify "Central" you had finished. She has nothing else to do but guess at it and it is good mental training for her.

A close comparison of these few rules with those on the card given the subscribers by the telephone company will show that there may be some slight differences in them. Let this stand These differences are immaterial to us, however they may be to the company.

Notice to the Public.

The building used for a bowery dance on July 4th is not for sale as adveragainst buying same or any part of it.

HENRY DEIDERICH. W. J. ROBY. H. H. BAKER, W. T. ELIOTT.

Committee.

EVERY DAY OCCURENCES.

A new cure has been found for appendicitus, says the Hiawatha World muscle in the leg acts on the vermiform appendix causing the obstacle to be ejected." Up this way the practice of pulling legs has been in vogue for many years; but instead of the treatment acting upon the vermiform from the pocket book.

When the mustard greens are gatherdays of cold are traded for weather but the big show is in the main tent. throughout the land in subdued mur- that is hot, don't you reckon there'll Unprecedentedly low Rates to Colorado. be kicking from the folks on every side or will the population sweat and go on satisfied. Somehow I love the winter Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo and with its salads, soups and beans, but Gleawood Springs. Tickets good to while the balmy breezes of evening I better love the summer with its frogs return any time until October 81st. give way to cigars and figures. Babies and mustard greens. So we sing the song of summer when the days are Take advantage of it and spend the warm and hot and the mustard greens Summer in the heart of the Rockiesare gathered and a boiling in the pot --Unknown Poet.

The other day a darkey came to Kensington and stopping in the out. tonic-where you can bathe, and swim skirts of town attracted the attention and climb mountains all day and every of the citizens by shouting in a loud day. tone of voice: "Dont come nigh me! Ise got de smallpex! Jes put somefin' to eat on de ground and a dollar in money on de top of it and I'll get it and go Agent Burlington Route, Omaha, Neb. right away from here." A pile of eatables as big as the coon could lug was soon placed on the ground by the frightened citizens, together with several dollars, and the black rascal loaded up and proceeded thence to tary of War, in the absence of the other fields of usefuluess .- Gaylord

> An exchange very truthfully repaper," regardless of what it is. Right Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y. here on our desk lie seven different requests for a little free advertising, tauqua societies, a sportsmen associa-

A little boy in the Minneapolis public school recently handed in to the "Our Breath." "Our breath is made of iest to follow and which must nearly Air in a room has carbonicide in it, conform to their common rule of action, and carbonicide is poisoner than mad If you have a telephone in your office | into that there hole and afore morning or store, call up "Central" and then go nearly every one of them was dead. wait on a customer. It will then be Girls wear corsets which squeeze Central's duty to call you at once and there diagrams most too much. Girls can't run and holler like boys cause Take your own time in answering there diagrams are squeezed. If I was a girl I would just run and holler so my diagram would grow. That's all on breath."-- Minneapolis Messenger.

According to a story that is going the rounds of the newspapers the late Bill Nye wrote this advertisement:

Owing to my ill-health, I will sell at my residence in township nineteen, range eighteen, according to governmental survey, one plush raspberry cow, aged 8 years. She is a good milker, and is not afraid of cars or anything else. She is of undaunted courage and gives milk frequently. To a man who dose not fear death in any form she would be a great boon.

She is very much attached to her present home by means of a stay chain but she will be sold to any one who will agree to treat her right. She is one-fourth short-horn and three-fourth hyena. I will also throw in a doublebarrel shot gun, which goes with her.

In May she usually goes away for a week or two and returns with a tall red calf with wabbley legs. Her name is Rose. I would rather sell her to a non-resident.

What might have been"-if that little cough hadn't been neglected-is the sad reflection of thousand of consumptives. One minute Cough Cure cures coughs and colds. C. L. Cotting.

Mother and Babe

ONE but a mother knows th pains, anguish and dread that a woman endures before and during hildbirth. And still nearly all this suf-oring is unnecessary. The faithful use of MOTHER'S FRIEND

will in great measure overcome every distressing symptom, and labor itself will not be a very serious ordeal. Remember that MOTHER'S FRIEND is an external liniment that softens and relaxes the muscles, and is not a dangerous compound of opiates to swallow. Ask your druggist for it or send price (\$1) to

THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO., Atlanta, Ga. Send for our free illustrated book, "Before Baby is Born."

Exposition an Assured Success.

The Greater American Exposition in successful operation at Omaha, is making a good record in spite of the Instead of operating, the physician difficulties it has to overcome. Late siezes the patienr's leg gives it a violent advices to this paper state that Omaba, jerk in such a manner that the leading is entirely united in its support. Every available foot of space for exhibits has ben taken and most of them are inscalled. The Cuban and Hawaiian Villages are ready for inspection. The Filipinos will be here next week. Pain's Fireworks, the Indian Congress, appendix, the effect is most always the War Exhibit and scores of other noticed in the disgorging of the surplus special features can be seen daily. The night scene on the lagoon surpasses in briliant beauty anything ever ed and are cooking in the pot, and the seen of its kind. The Midway is good

> Every day from June 25 to July 11 One fare plus \$2 for the round trip to

Never before such an opportunity. where heat and dust are unknownwhere the sky is as bright blue as Italy's, and the air as invigorating 'as a

See nearest Burlington ticket lagent and get full particulars, or, if you prefer, write J. Francis, Gen'l Passenger

Try Allen's Foot-Ease.

A powder to be shaken into the shoes At this season your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easily. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet and makes walking easy. Cures swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunmarks that most people live under the ions of all pain and gives rest and comhallucination that the editor of a coun- fort. Try it to-day. Sold by all drugtry weekly spends his time in a weari- gists and shoe stores for 25c. Tria some pursuit of "something to fill the package FREE. Address. Allen S.

Drink Grain-O

waiting for the hungry mow of the after you have concluded that your waste basket. There are two chau- coffee does not agree with you. It is not a mediciae but doctors order it, betion, the Omaha exposition, and others cause it is healthful, invigorating and to) numerous to mention. All they appetizing. It is made from pure want is a little free advertising, grains and has that rich seal brown "Would the editor be so kind" as to color, and tastes like the finest grades give these affairs a share of his bread of coffee and costs about one fourth as and olemargarine?-Adair (Iowa) Mes | much. Children thrive on it because it is a genuine food drink containing nothing but nourishment. 15 and 25c at grocers.

Examination Notice.

Regular examinations for persons RED CLOUD, desiring to teach in Webster county are held in the superintendent's office over there to advise Dewey and Otis sibly true, but we have found that if through our liver, lights and lungs. at Red Cloud, the third Saturday in each month.

EVA J. CASE, County Supt.

Gun shot wound and powder burns, There was one good thing about hav- we therefore submit the following few dogs. Once some men were shut up cuts, bruises, sprains, wounds from ing Alger in the cabinet. He was draw short rules for telephone subscribers: in a black hole in India; a carbonicide rusty nails, insect stings and ivy poisonng-quickly healed by DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve. Positively prevent blood poisoning. Beware of counterfeits. DeWitt,s" is SAFE and SURE. C. L. Cotting.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our many friends who so kindly assisted during our late bereavement, the illness and death of our little one.

MR. AND MRS. E. H. NEWHOUSE.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tab-lets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Superior furniture and piano luster for sale by F. P. Hadley, Manfactured by Red Cloud Luster Co.

Public Statement From A Public Man

Hon. W. H. Ohley, Ex-Secretary of State of West Virginia, writes an open letter.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Mar. 9, 1898. whom it may concern: "I most heartily recommend Pe-ru-na as of great benefit in cases of catarrh. It is especially beneficial wherever the

mucous membranes are affected. As a tonic it certainly has no superior. W. H. OHLEY, Ex-Secretary of State.



Hon. W. H. OHLEY.

Pe-ru-na has cured thousands of obstinate cases of catarrh, and is perhaps the only efficient remedy in existence for catarrhal diseases; but there are countless multitudes of people who are still struggling with entarrh and need help. To such as these the unqualified recommendation of Pe-ru-na by Ex-Secretary Ohley is directed. Pe-ru-na is scientific and purely vegetable. All druggists sell it.

After Six Years of Intense Suffering, Promptly Cured

Obstinate sores and ulcers which refuse to heal under ordinary treatment soon become chronic and deep-By S. S. S. entire circulation is in a depraved condition. They are a severe drain upon the system, and are con-

stantly sapping away the vitality. In every case the poison must be eliminated fr m the blood, and no amount of external treatment can have any effect. There is no uncertainty about the merits of S. S. S.; every claim made for it is backed up strongly by convincing

and know of its virtues by experience Mr. L. J. Clark, of Orange Courthouse, Va., writes: "For six years I had an obstinate, running ulcer on my ankle, which at times caused me intense suffering. I was ankle, which at times caused me intense suffering. I was so disabled for a long while that I was wholly unfit for business. One of the best doctors treated me constantly, but did me no good. I then tried various blood remedies, without the least benefit. S. S. S. was so highly recommended that I concluded to try it, and the effect was wonderful. It seemed to get right at the seat of the disease and force the poison out, and I was soon completely cured." Swift's Specific—

testimony of those who have been cured by it

8. S. S. FOR THE BLOOD

-drives out every trace of impurity in the blood, and in this way cures permanently the most obstinate, deep-seated sore or ulcer. It is the only blood remedy guaranteed purely vegetable, and contains not a particle of potash. mercury, or other mineral. S. S. S. cures Contagious Blood Poison, Scrofula, Cancer, Catarrh, Eczema, Rheumatism, Sores, Ulcers. Boils, or any other blood trouble. Insist

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A PAMPHLET, "How to Obtain Patents," with cost of same in the U. S. and foreign countries.

C.A.SNOW&CO. OPP. PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Skin Diseases.

For the speedy and permanent cure of tetter, salt rheum and eczema, Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment is without an equal. It relieves the itching and smarting almost instantly and its continued use effects a permanent cure. It also cures itch, barber's itch, and had appeared to the property of the property scald head, sore nipples, itching piles, chapped hands, chronic sore eyes and granulated lids.

Dr. Cady's Condition Powders for horses are the best tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge. Price, 25 cents. Sold by

ORDINANCE NO. 31.

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An Ordinance appropriating moneys out of the several funds and receipts of the City of Red Cloud. Nebraska, for the use of said city.

Be it ordained by the mayor and council of the City of Red Cloud, Nebraska.

That the following amounts be and the same are hereby appropriated out of the several funds and receipts accruing to the city of Red Cloud, as herein designated, for the specific purposes herein mentioned for the fiscal year beginning on the first Tuesday in Esy, 1899, to wit:

Out of General Fund for official salaries, 2800; for street commissioner and police, \$400.00; for hall rent, \$100.00; for incidental expenses. \$300.

Out of Water Bond Fund, for interest on water bonds, \$100.00.

Out of Electric Light Bond Fund, for interest on electric light bonds, \$360.

Out of Water Levy Fund for water engineer, \$400.00; for repairs to water works \$160.00.

Out of Occupation fund, for repairs on streets, \$500.00; for incidental expenses on streets, \$500.00; for incidental expe

and renewals, \$300.

This ordinance to be in full force and effect on and after its passage and publication acco d

J. S. WHITE, Mayor Attest: -- J. E. KESLER, CHY Clerk.

PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS. State of Nebraska, as In the District Court Webster County, thereof, of the 10th Judicial District.

The Nebraska Loan and Trust Co. Plaintiff.

Vs.

Nelson Phelps, Emeline Phelps, his wife, James M. Ross, — Ross, his wife, first name unknown, H. W. Guilliford, first full name unknown, — Guilliford, his wife first name unknown, Alfred McCall, Salem G. Pattlson, Charles B. Hutton, and William M. Lowman, trustees.

Defendants.

NOTICE OF SUIT.

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The above named det fidants James M. Ross.—Ross, his wife first name unknown, and each of them are here's notified that the above named plaintiff has alled in the above named court its petition against them and the other defendants hamed above; that the object and prayer of said petition of the plaintiff are to foreclose a mortge to bearing date the ist day of November, 1828, executed by the above named defendants Nelson Phelps and Emeline Phelps, (his wife) to the plaintiff, on the following real estate situate in the county of Webster and State of Nebrasa to-wit: The west half (%) of the southwest quarter (%) of section thirteen (18) in township one (1) north, of range twelve (12), west of the Sixth (6th) P. M.

The said defendants James M. Ross and—Ross his wife, first name unknown, are further notified that they, and each of them, are required to appear and answer said petition of plaintiff, on or before Monday, the Bih day of August, 1899, or said petition of plaintiff will be taken as true, and a decree will be rendered against them, the said defendants and the other defendants named herein, decreeing that the sald mortgages be foreclosed; that all the above described real estate shall be appraised, advertised and sold at public auction by the sheriff of said Webster county, to make and raise the sum of \$157.60 due to plaintiff on its said mortgage, together with interest on said sum at the rate of ten per cent from the ist day of June, 1809, and the costs of this suit and such said; and said decree will further provide that you, the said defendants, and the other defendants named herein and each of you, shall be forever barred and foreclosed of all equity of redemption and other interest in and to said real estate and every part thereof.

Nernaska Loan and Taust Co.

By John M. Raaan,

Plaintiff.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Nebraska, Webster County.
In the matter of the In the matter of the estate of Neis Sorgerson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and decands sgainst Nels Sorgerson, late of Weoste county, deceased, that the time fixed for filing claims against said estate is six months from the 11th day of August, 1899. All such persons are required to present their claims with the vouchers to the County Judge of said county, at his office therein, on or before the 11th day of February, 1900, and all claims so filed will be heard before the said Judge on the 18th day of February, 1900, at to o'clock a.m.

JAMES DUFFY, County Judge.

Tated 1 is 15th day of July, 1899.