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We have been Authorized to an nounce the Candidacy of W. B. Cramer. for the office of County Treasurer, the primary election August 17th, 1909.

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I will be a Candidate for Treasurer of Webster County Nebraska, subject story high. Nearly all the material is deep in the earth and if we had a well to the will of the Republican Electors at the Primary election August 17th of workman, has been added so that tion would be settled for all time to 1909. Respectfully, J. F. Grames.

## FOR TREASURER.

name of Dr. R. F. Raines as a candidate for the nomination for the office live rain is past and will interfer no of Treasurer of Webster County, sub- longer. ject to the will of the Republican electors at the primary election to be held August 17, 1909.

## FOR TREASURER.

We have been Authorized to announce the name of O. A. Arnold, of Blue Hill, for nomination of County Treasurer, subject to the will of the Democrat and Peoples Independent voters at the Primary election August 17th, 1909.

## COUNTY CLERK.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election as county clerk, on decision of the voters at the primary - E. W. Ross.

With hogs selling at \$8.05 in Chicago. every grunt is a sign of enjoyment.

Edward P. Weston is unquestionably the greatest living athlete. He is 72 years of age and has walked from N Y. to San Francisco in 100 days, a distance of 46,000 miles. This is an average of 46 miles per day. He finished in splendid condition and referred to the trip as a jaunt.

If every farmer would take the same pains with the roads along his farm as C. J. Platt does he would greatly advance the price of his land besides having the use of a good road. An attractive farm is always in demand and many a buyer estimates the value of a farm by its physical appearance.

Three cheers for Superior. They have organized a first class ball club and they are confident that this time they have a team that will wallop the Red Cloud boys. Superior people are to be congratulated on their enterprise but we warn them that they must have their best with them all the time if they show our boys the mysteries of the diamond. Now for a lot of good natured fun. Greek meets Greek.

Times" will hereafter make no rash of the fly is to kill the eggs. These promises. Week before last he pro- are to be found in the fall in manure mised a better edition but Monday heaps or decayed vegetables etc. We was the 4th, his compositor quit Tues. always did dislike the fly and are deday, the rain leaked in on his paper lighted to know that they conder the Wednesday, the ink melted Thursday human race no service whatever. As and he nearly died getting the paper a matter of fact they are one of our out Friday. What really hurts Bro, greatest enemies. Vaughn is being caught red handed when editors as a class enjoy an envi-able reputation of truth and verasity. He won't do it any more.

For Mondache, Biliousness
Bewitt's Little
BARLY RISERS

Lest we furget the days are getting

Occasionally we notice teams tied to the by claing racks for hours at a time without food or drink and we wonder what bird of owners they have. Did-PRIMASORR | year house does for you for his keep? Don't you know that these days are "If" How would you like to be tied city, up to the racks in the boiling bot sun or six or eight hours at a stretch

without a drop of water? We ought to have a society for the protection of dumb animals and every owner who neglects his horse should receive a Jall sentence.

Now that the law governing the press regarding non-partisan candidates has been declared unconstitu-The columns of the Curre are open tional. We are pleased to say a few for legitimate advertisements of all words in behalf of Miss Mabel Day kinds. Candidates regardless of party who appires to the office of County

Miss Day has been successfully contweted with our public achool system. every since she completed the full Thereby announce myself a candi-course of study in our high school in date for the nomination of Sheriff of 1893. She has had experience in the Webster county subject to the will of | country schools, and in Cowles. Blue the Democrat and Peoples Independent Hill and Red Cloud. She has made electors at the Primary election Aug. good in every position and we unbesi-17th., 1909, and most respectfully tatingly recommend her to the Democratic voters of Webster county. She is worthy of your full support and would make an excellent superintend-

We cannot understand why the public drinking fountain on the corner is not connected up with the city water. This fountain was purchased and paid for and presented to the city with the distinct understanding that it would be kept full of water. It is certainly a very useful article and a subject to the will of the Democrat God send to many a horse and dog. and Peoples Independent parties at The amount of water the fountain takes is very small and the cost of keeping it running is comparatively nothing. Negligence seems to be the cause of its non use and we would sugnounce the Candidacy of R. W. Koontz gest that it be connected up without for the office of County Treasurer, further delay. If it was a good thing dam was in we had plenty of good pure subject to the will of Econblican for the city when it was installed it is water. This would be the cheapest voters to be expressed at the primary a good thing yet. By all means let us use the fountain.

> Work on the Lincoin school is progressing rapidly of late if being now now on the grounds and an increase there will be no further delays. The many days of rain have seriously re-

At the Washington school the addition is progressing rapidly under the efficient supervision of F. W. Studebaker. The stone from the foundation of the old south ward building is being used, likewise the brick and lumber so that practically no material will have to be purchased for the addition. This building will unquestionably be ready for school use Sept. 6th

Under the protecting care of Bro Hale of the Red Cloud Chief, and the courtesies extended us by him in en abling us to get into the grounds we were a spectator Monday of the Red the republican ticket, subject to the Cloud-Hebron ball game. While Red Cloud was ten to one too much election to be held August 17th. 1909. for the visitors, still we enjoyed seeing old friend Buck Beltzer play his usual star game at third, and seeing Clegg, who used to sell prunes in our town up west pitch the game with his old time ginger. Fugate and Masters have been before the writers eye so long up west, that they too are the recipients of our admiration, and it made us live over some of the old games of the past to see this quartette of short grass ball players spread themselves over the Red Cloud diamond. Red Cloud without doubt has the best ball team outside of Omaha and Lincoln in the state.-Riverton Review.

Make war on the house fly. The popular idea that the fly is a useful scavanger is entirely erroneous as has been conclusively shown by many experiments. Feeding as they do upon excrementitious matter they carry disease with them wherever they go. The next time a fly "bites" you just think of the possibility of his leaving a germ or two in your blood to develop later. Just as mosquitoes transmit malaria so does the house fly transmit

typhoid fever and plague. Flies usually lay their eggs in horse manure and these eggs hatch in from six to eight hours and in about 10 days are full fiedged flies. A dozen generations may be born in a single season As each fly deposits about 120 eggs the possibility of their multiplication Earl Vaughn, editor of the "Esbon is apparent. The best way to be rid

The Water Question

The water supply question is again aggitating discussion. This water problem is as regular in its appearance as the measure. Various attempts have been made to provide water supyou ever think, kind sir, of the work ply sufficient for our needs but it scenis that they have all resulted in failure. We fully suree with the Comhot and your horses get thirsty the Au, and the Argus when they advocate same as other animals melud ng your- prodence in spending the money of the

We have had too many experiments which appeared to be a sure solution of the problem but after exhausting the treasury these experiments have vanished like mist before a morning sun. After spending thousands of dollars we are but little better off than we were years ago and were it not for the rainy season the city would

now suffer for water We believe that there is a strong sentiment against the expenditure of more funds for water unless there is at least a probibility of securing water. We all may have our theories but theories have been tried before and the end disasterous. One thing to very strange and that is practically every citizen can tell you where the water is or ought to be but you do not hear the well men say anything and they are the fellows that are in the business.

If another ditch is to be dug by all means find the water first. This could be easily done by inexpensive tests and when a body of water is found then it is time enough to put in anoth er ditch. Hower the time to test is not now because all the bottom is at present full of water. The time to test is during a dry spell when the sur-

face water has been expended. A comparatively inexpensive and at the same time sure means of supply is to replace the dam which was washed away this spring. This should be of a more permanent character than the other one and should present a more cleanly appearance The effect of this dam is to keep the bottom full of water which filters thru the sand and gravel and enters the wells at the pumping station. That method has proven itself successful and when the method and as practical perhaps as

Another method of solving this question is to advertise for bids for a deep well. The purest water is down 800 or a 1000 feet deep the water quescome. This might cost \$2500 but that ought not to scare a people that has We are authorized to announce the tarded the building but the optomists spent double that and more experimenting.

> This latter method would transfer the question to the well men and we believe that they are the ones that know much about it anyway. The city should advertise for bids for pure deep well water, tested sufficiently, no water no pay. Men in the business can be found who will be willing to undertake to furnish water and at no expense to the city unless a satisfactory flow of water is found.

> By all means let us stop this leak in the fluancial affairs of our city. No more money for experiments but plenty for improvements. The people willingly pay for what they receive but draw the line on maybes and mightbes

## A Point Spoiled.

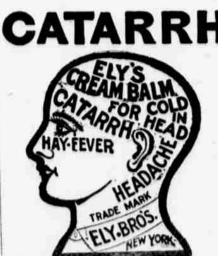
"Why," shouted the orator, pointing to the national ensign, "why, I ask you, does that flag hang there? I repeat, what is the reason that that flag is displayed upon these walls?"

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## She Was Next.

Him-I was reading in the paper today where one of these food cranks says that a couple can live comfortably on three dollars a week. Do you think that possible?

Her-No, Archibald, I do not. But I'll be a sister to you.



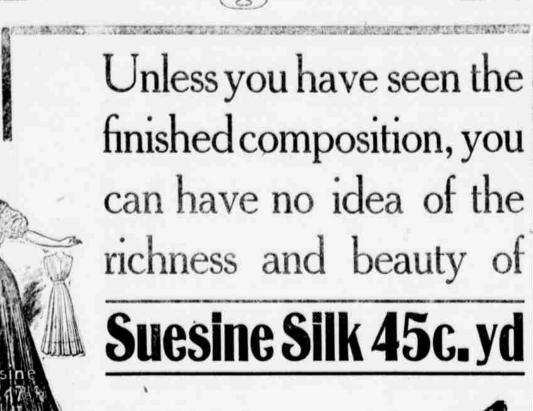
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