

EXCUSE FOR HIS BLUNDERING

Ideal Waiter, True to the End, Had Been Working Under Pretty Heavy Handicap.

He was an immaculate servant. To watch him serve a salad was to watch an artist at work. To hear his subdued accents was a lesson in the art of voice-production. He never slipped, he never smiled, and his mutton-chop whiskers marked him as one of the old and faithful stock. But one evening, to the surprise of his master, he showed unaccountable signs of nervousness. When the chicken came on, he confused it with the pheasant. He served everything in the wrong order, made blunder after blunder, and put a final touch to his shame by upsetting the salt over the only superstitious member of the party. Then, at last, when the ladies had retired to the drawing room, he touched his master on the shoulder. "I beg your pardon, sir," he said in a respectful undertone, "but could you manage to spare me now? My house is on fire."

DOCTOR PRESCRIBES CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I wish to let you know of a couple of recent cures which I have made by the use of the Cuticura Remedies. Last August, Mr. _____ of this city came to my office, troubled with a severe skin eruption. It was dermatitis in its worst form. It started with a slight eruption and would affect most parts of his body, thighs, elbows, chest, back and abdomen—and would terminate in little pustules. The itching and burning was dreadful and he would almost tear his skin apart, trying to get relief. I recommended all the various treatments I could think of and he spent about fifteen dollars on prescriptions, but nothing seemed to help him.

"In the meantime my wife, who was continually suffering with a slight skin trouble and who had been trying different prescriptions and methods with my assistance, told me she was going to get some of the Cuticura Remedies and give them a fair trial. But as I did not know much about Cuticura at that time I was doubtful whether it would help her. Her skin would thicken, break and bleed, especially on the fingers, wrists and arms. I could do nothing to relieve her permanently. When she first applied the warm baths of Cuticura Soap and applications of Cuticura Ointment she saw a decided improvement and in a few days she was completely cured.

"I lost no time in recommending the Cuticura Remedies to Mr. _____, and this was two months ago. I told him to wash with warm baths of the Cuticura Soap and to apply the Cuticura Ointment generously. Believe me, from the very first day's use of the Cuticura Remedies he was greatly relieved and today he is completely cured through their use. I have great faith in the Cuticura Remedies and shall always have a good word for them now that I am convinced of their wonderful merits." (Signed) B. L. Whitehead, M. D., 108 Dartmouth St., Boston, Mass., July 22, 1910.

Hadn't the Material.

"I really never saw such an impudent man as that Mr. De Borrowe," said Miss Wrathy. "He actually had the audacity to ask me the other night how I managed to get that lovely tinge of auburn in my hair!" "Really? Well, why didn't you box his ears?" asked Miss Slim. "Why, I only had my Easter hat box handy, and that wasn't big enough," said Miss Wrathy.—Harper's Weekly.

The extraordinary popularity of fine white goods this summer makes the choice of Starch a matter of great importance. Defiance Starch, being free from all injurious chemicals, is the only one which is safe to use on fine fabrics. Its great strength as a stiffener makes half the usual quantity of Starch necessary, with the result of perfect finish, equal to that when the goods were new.

A bachelor is a man who thinks it wise to view matrimony from a distance.

Charity is too often charily dispensed.

Garfield Tea overcomes constipation, sick-headache and bilious attacks.

It's difficult for people to generate advice that is foolproof.

Are You Poorly?

If your digestive system is weak, the bowels clogged, the liver sluggish, you cannot wonder that you feel "half sick" all the time; but listen—

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters

is a good remedy for such ills as well as Malaria, Fever and Ague. Try it today.

Makes You Well Again

DIES OF HIS INJURIES

MAN WHO WAS INJURED BY A TRAIN PASSES AWAY.

NEWS FROM OVER THE STATE

What is Going on Here and There That is of Interest to the Readers Throughout Nebraska and Vicinity.

Ruby.—W. A. Brokaw, who was injured by being struck by a train, died Sunday. Saturday Mr. Brokaw was walking toward the depot, and after passing between two freight cars which cut off his view up and down the track, stepped onto the main track just in time to be struck by the train.

Miss Grace Bryan Weds. Lincoln.—A notable wedding took place Wednesday evening at Fairview in the marriage of Miss Grace Dexter Bryan, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bryan, and Richard Lewis Hargreaves of this place. The Rev. Harry F. Huntington of Crete, who had officiated at the wedding of both the brother and sister of the bride, performed the ceremony.

Editors Elect Officers. Omaha.—The Nebraska Press association elected the following officers: President, J. M. Tanner of South Omaha; vice president, H. G. Taylor of Central City; secretary-treasurer, C. C. Johns of Grand Island; corresponding secretary, Miss Eunice Haskins of Stella.

Aged Pioneer Dead.

Beaver City.—Moses McCarty, aged ninety-one years, the oldest person in Furnas county, died at his home in Richmond precinct. He was one of the earliest settlers of the Beaver valley, driving here with an ox team in 1872, and has been a continuous resident.

Wreck Causes Lapse of Memory.

Holdrege.—A man by the name of D. Hart, who is confined in the Holdrege hospital, is one of the victims of the Indianola wreck. He was hurt on the head. He does not remember the name of the town where he lives nor where any of his relatives are.

Twenty-five Years in Charge.

Wymore.—The twenty-fifth year of Rev. Father Freeman's service in the Catholic church was celebrated here Thursday. Rev. Father Freeman has been in charge of St. Mary's church and parish for the past twenty-three years.

Fire and Explosion at Harvard.

Harvard.—An explosion of gas in the meat market, operated by Flynn & Waters, put that establishment out of commission. The stock and fixtures were totally destroyed and the building was gutted by the fire which followed.

NEBRASKA

A nest of Owls has been organized at Beatrice.

The Friend race meet will be held June 21-22-23.

Havelock went wet by 82 votes at a recent election.

Schuyler has been designated a postal savings office.

Burneston suffered a loss of over a dozen buildings in a recent fire.

The new Presbyterian church at Fullerton was dedicated Sunday.

Work on the new high school building at Nebraska City is progressing rapidly.

Thomas Zacek has been elected principal of the public schools at Clarkson.

The Cambridge chautauqua will be held this year from July 29 to August 6, inclusive.

Seward will purchase a street sweeper for use on the paved section of the city.

In the neighborhood of 6,000 people passed through the doors of the new First National bank building at Lincoln at the formal opening Saturday night.

Richard L. Metcalfe of Lincoln has been honored by Hastings college with the degree of Doctor of Letters.

The business men of Nebraska City have signed an agreement to cut out all advertising schemes and use only the newspapers.

Hastings was selected for their next meeting place by the Nebraska retail liquor dealers at their fifteenth annual convention in Omaha.

Robert McMahan, aged about sixty-one years, while sitting in his yard at his home near Geneva, complained of feeling badly and a moment later fell from his chair and expired.

Earl O. Eager, state representative from Lancaster county, has been re-elected to the position of manager of athletics at the University of Nebraska.

D. C. Lysinger, a brakeman on a freight train, was very seriously, if not fatally, injured at Hazard when he fell from a train and one arm and one leg were run over.

Grace Anderson, aged 20 years, of Omaha, while out riding a bicycle, arrayed in boy's clothes, lost control of the wheel, hit the curbing and struck on her head on the sidewalk. Her skull was fractured.

Charley Story was killed by a cavern of a sewer in which he was working at Alliance.

Smoke from a nearby fire came near causing a panic in a moving picture show at Lincoln Saturday.

Dwight suffered a bad fire in the business district one day last week sustaining a loss of \$50,000.

Wesleyan university will begin at once an aggressive campaign for the raising of a \$400,000 endowment.

During a thunder storm at Galloway, H. S. Mahan was struck by lightning and seriously but not fatally injured.

Ham Montgomery, living near McCook, was struck by an engine while crossing a railroad track and badly injured.

The body of George D. Bennett, who died at Lincoln in 1908, has been removed from Wynua cemetery and buried at Tecumseh.

Albert Erickson, a 16-year-old Lincoln boy, fell down four steps leading to a porch and dislocated his neck dying in a few minutes.

Mrs. Matt Woodcock disappeared from her home at Wymore and her body was discovered in a creek near the town several days later.

A baseball league has been formed at Nebraska City by the teams of the St. Mary's Episcopal, Presbyterian, St. Mary's Catholic and the Methodist Episcopal churches.

Fire at the Forbes livery stable in Lincoln Saturday night destroyed nearly \$25,000 worth of vehicles and devastated the entire second story where the rigs were stored.

The sun shining on a tin can of gasoline at the Burlington freight depot at Lincoln caused an explosion followed by fire in which several freight cars and a quantity of merchandise were destroyed.

A colored policeman, Woolledge by name, shot and killed a man Saturday night at Omaha who as a bystander had remonstrated with the officer upon the treatment accorded an old man whom he was holding as a prisoner.

A leaky gasoline stove was the cause of a fire which entirely destroyed the home of Emil Boe, a prosperous farmer living near Ravenna. In attempting to subdue the flames Mrs. Boe had an arm severely burned.

A Korean boy, U. G. Lee, a resident of America for only four years, has the largest bank account of any of the school children who are taking advantage of the new public school savings system inaugurated at Lincoln. Lee has \$81 on deposit, over thirty times the average amount for all of the 1,100 school children who are patronizing the bank.

STATE CAPITAL LINCOLN CHAT.

Regent Victor G. Lyford of Falls City has filed as a republican candidate for re-election as a member of the university board of regents.

The usual June rise in the Platte river is not asserting itself this year, due, it is said, to the fact that irrigation in Nebraska has reached such proportions that the excessive supply of water that comes with the first summer months is all being used or stored away in reservoirs.

Charles T. Knapp of Lincoln, who was a candidate for regent of the university on the democratic ticket, has obtained blanks for filing nomination papers. He is said to have made up his mind to try once more for the office of regent and to submit his case to a vote of the people at the primary election in August.

A semi-annual report from the office of the state auditor has been filed with the executive office. It shows receipts from insurance companies during the last six months to be \$107,317.29, as against \$54,924 a year ago. The great increase is caused by earlier notices to the companies. The coming six months will show a nearly proportionate falling off.

In preparation for the enforcement of the new automobile license law which increases the present license fee to \$3, Secretary of State Wait is sending new blank receipts and instructions to county treasurers. Under the new system the applications will be handled entirely through the county office instead of partly by the official and partly by the auto owner.

Female Labor Law Upheld.

Labor Commissioner Guye has succeeded in a prosecution in the district court of Douglas county to test the constitutionality of the female labor law, or that portion of it which appears to prohibit the employment of women or girls in certain kinds of occupations between the hours of 10 p. m. and 6 a. m. That portion of the law which prohibits the employment of women more than ten hours a day or sixty hours a week was tested and sustained by the supreme court several years ago.

That the cities of Nebraska are more healthy than the farms, under present conditions, was the statement made by Prof. G. E. Condra of the Nebraska state university and head of the state conservation commission at the fourth semi-annual meeting of the Nebraska State Health association at Omaha.

Governor Aldrich has gone to Athens, O., where he will deliver the commencement address at Ohio university, an honor for which he was chosen soon after his election last fall.

REVIEW

Sunday School Lesson for June 25, 1911

Specially Arranged for This Paper

GOLDEN TEXT—"What Doth the Lord Require of Thee, but to Do Justly, and to Love Mercy, and to Walk Humbly With Thy God."—Mic. 6: 8.

Different forms of review are suited to classes of different ages and different degrees of development, so that a variety of methods is suggested below. Some of these plans may need to be united with others to fill out the session, and any other changes and adaptations of them may be made that seem best to the teacher.

The quarter's lessons have taken up six books of the Old Testament. There have been five lessons in Second Kings, two in Second Chronicles, two in Isaiah, and one each in Jonah, Micah and Hosea. Select six members of the class and have each write a three-minute essay on one of these books, telling about the general course of the lessons or lesson from that book, and the teachings brought out therein. Let the class listen carefully to each essay, and at the close dictate a set of questions, which you have written beforehand, on the quarter's lessons as a whole, having the class write answers to the questions as they are read.

The teacher will write on slips of cardboard or heavy manila paper a series of questions on the lessons of the quarter, about five questions on each lesson. These questions will cover the principal facts of the lessons, and will be so framed that the answers can be very brief, yet adequate. Lay the slips of paper, face down, on the class table or on a large book held in the lap, mix them up, and have the class draw them one at a time, in turn. The scholar that draws a question will read it aloud, and then answer it if he can, retaining the slip. If he does not answer correctly, or at all, the next on his left will try to answer it, and so on around the class. The scholar that answers it will hold the slip, and the scholar that holds the largest number at the end of the recitation is declared the victor in the little contest. Announce this plan a week in advance, that the class may study for it.

Take a series of lesson pictures. Obliterate the titles of the pictures, and fasten a bit of ribbon to each. Place the pictures in a box open at the end, and let the ribbons extend outside. The scholars will draw these pictures out one after the other, each scholar telling the class about the lesson to which his picture belongs, holding up the picture as he does so. After the pictures have been used once, if there is time they may be returned to the box and the exercise may be repeated. This form of review is especially adapted to the primary department.

The class will be divided, at least a week in advance, into two sides, each side with a leader. The sides will meet by themselves and each prepare a series of questions on all the lessons of the quarter. The teacher will meet with each side and make sure that the questions are fair ones, and clearly expressed. On review day the two sides will sit facing each other. One side, through its leader, will propose a question to the other side, which will answer it if can, speaking always through its leader, but always after consultation with the rest of the side. Then the second side will propose a question to the first side, and so on, alternating. If the answer is wrong, the side that proposed the question scores a point; if partly wrong, half a point. The side that is defeated may be required to give a social, at the teacher's home, to the other side.

This review, which is especially suited to adult classes, consists of a series of essays or talks on the principal topics of the various lessons. As far as possible, the speakers will choose their topics or lessons, but the teacher will have a list ready for suggestion. The following list will be an aid:

- I.—The Healing Side of Religion. II.—Our Unseen Defenders. III.—Starting the Young in Their Lives. IV.—Our Care for God's House. V.—The Universality of Christianity. VI.—The Perils of Pride. VII.—Our Work for Our Country. VIII.—Temperance Work Needed Today. IX.—The Madness of Militarism. X.—God's Forgiveness, and How to Obtain It. XI.—Reform Methods That Succeed. XII.—The Final Results of Sin.

The Same Lord. The Lord we have known as laying down his life for us is the same Lord we have to do with every day of our life, and all his dealings with us are on the same principles of grace. The great secret of growth is looking up to the Lord as gracious. How precious, how strengthening it is to know that Jesus is at this moment feeling and exercising the same love towards us as when he died on the cross for us.

Have a Purpose. Live for something. Do good and leave behind you a monument of virtue that the storm of time can never destroy. Write your name in kindness, love and mercy on the hearts of thousands you come in contact with year by year; you will never be forgotten.

Trick of the Devil. The devil is putting the butter on the right side of his bread when he gets a big sinner to count the hypocrites in the church.

Pleasant, Refreshing, Beneficial, Gentle and Effective.

NOTE THE NAME

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. In the Circle, on every Package of the Genuine.

DO NOT LET ANY DEALER DECEIVE YOU.

SYRUP OF FIGS AND ELIXIR OF SENNA HAS GIVEN UNIVERSAL SATISFACTION FOR MORE THAN THIRTY YEARS PAST, AND ITS WONDERFUL SUCCESS HAS LED UNSCRUPULOUS MANUFACTURERS OF IMITATIONS TO OFFER INFERIOR PREPARATIONS UNDER SIMILAR NAMES AND COSTING THE DEALER LESS THEREFORE, WHEN BUYING, Note the Full Name of the Company

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

PRINTED STRAIGHT ACROSS, NEAR THE BOTTOM, AND IN THE CIRCLE, NEAR THE TOP OF EVERY PACKAGE, OF THE GENUINE. REGULAR PRICE 50c PER BOTTLE. ONE SIZE ONLY, FOR SALE BY ALL LEADING DRUGGISTS.

SYRUP OF FIGS AND ELIXIR OF SENNA IS THE MOST PLEASANT, WHOLE-SOME AND EFFECTIVE REMEDY FOR STOMACH TROUBLES, HEADACHES AND BILIOUSNESS DUE TO CONSTIPATION, AND TO GET ITS BENEFICIAL EFFECTS IT IS NECESSARY TO BUY THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE, WHICH IS MANUFACTURED BY THE

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO.

An Unlabeled Hero.

Here is a niche in the Hall of Fame for Seth A. Eaton, a rural mail carrier from the Middleboro postoffice, who, surrounded by woodland fire, his horse lying on the ground stifled with smoke, his own hair singed, his hat burned and one side of his face and hands blistered, was still mindful of duty and saved the mail he was carrying by burying it in the sand, before he fought through the line of fire to safety. Not all the heroes tread the battlefields.—Fall River Herald.

SASKATOON'S splendid English-speaking agricultural community has won phenomenal prosperity from a wonderful soil. What are the farmers in your district doing? Why not participate in our prosperity? Come here if you want to make the most and best of your energy and ability. At any rate, do it for your children's sake. Write for all information to Commissioner, Board of Trade, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Western Canada.

Sincere Prayer.

Teacher—Now, Tommy, suppose a man gave you \$100 to keep for him and then died, what would you do? Would you pray for him? Tommy—No, sir; but I would pray for another like him.—The United Presbyterian.

Give Defiance Starch a fair trial—try it for both hot and cold starching, and if you don't think you do better work, in less time and at smaller cost, return it and your grocer will give you back your money.

More Palatable.

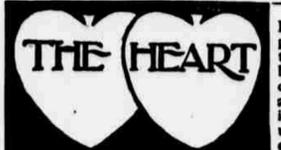
Mr. Benham—I'll eat my hat! Mrs. Benham—Try mine, dear; there's some fruit on it.—Judge.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children, teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

You can't reform a man by suggesting that he ought to be as good as you are.

Garfield Tea keeps the bodily machinery in order; it regulates the digestive organs and overcomes constipation.

Many self-made men forget to make themselves agreeable.



If the blood is poor and filled with the poisons from diseased kidneys or inactive liver, the heart is not only starved but poisoned as well. There are many conditions due to impure blood—such as dropsy, fainting spells, nervous debility or the many scrofulous conditions, ulcers, "fever sores," white swellings, etc. All can be overcome and cured by

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery

This supplies pure blood—by aiding digestion, increasing assimilation and imparting tone to the whole circulatory system. It's a heart tonic and a great deal more, having an alternative action on the liver and kidneys, it helps to eliminate the poisons from the blood.

To enrich the blood and increase the red blood corpuscles, thereby feeding the nerves on rich red blood and doing away with nervous irritability, take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and do not permit a dishonest dealer to insult your intelligence with the "just as good kind." The "Discovery" has 40 years of cures behind it and contains no alcohol or narcotics. Ingredients plainly printed on wrapper.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of wrapping and mailing only. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the French cloth-bound book. Address: Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N.Y.

Make One Acre of Corn Worth Three

Twenty acres of corn that will produce 50 bushels per acre is worth \$500 in the crib. The same 20 acres of corn will produce 300 tons of ensilage and is worth \$1800 in the silo. HAVE YOU A SILO?

THE HINGE-DOOR SILO

is the highest quality silo ever placed on the market. It is built of triple "a" Washington Fir—the best material known for silo construction. It has hinge-doors—the greatest improvement ever placed on a silo. The doors are always in place, easily swinging into and out of position on their hinges, and are not scattered about the farm as barrel covers, box covers or "stepping stones" across muddy places. Send for free catalog. We want to tell you all about this KING OF SILOS.

Nebraska Silo Company, Dept. W. U. Lincoln, Nebraska