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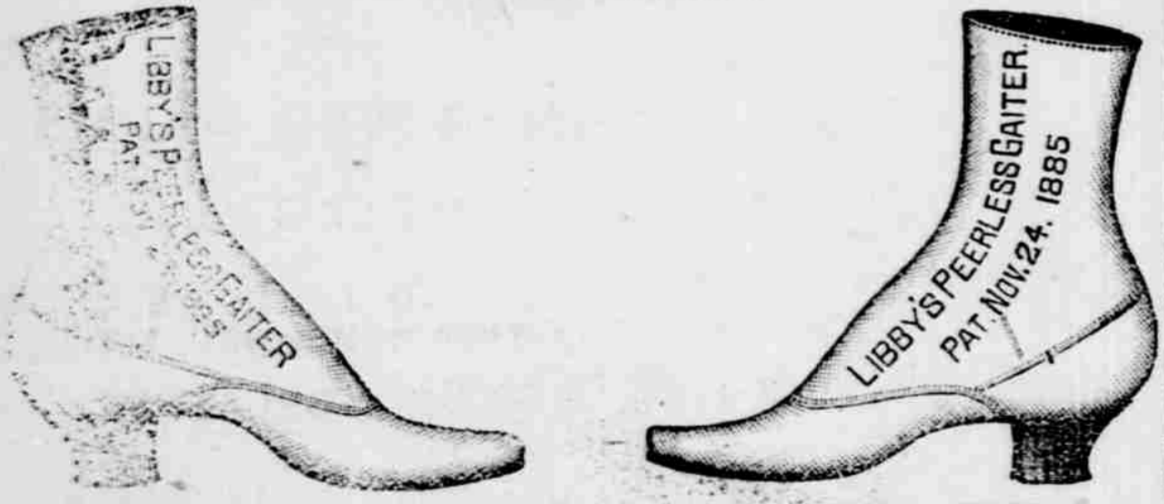
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CROFOOT, LIBBY & CO., Manufacturers of MEN'S AND WOMEN'S FINE SHOES. We are prepared to supply a long-felt want, and for this shoe we claim it is the most SATISFACTORY, STYLISH AND ONLY PERFECT FITTING SHOE MADE. It fits on the foot like a glove on the hand. It is not cumbersome like the button shoe that has four or five thicknesses of leather over the instep, but it's shoe has but one thickness and presents a seamless, glove-fitting front, comfortable to the foot and pleasing to the eye. This shoe differs materially from the "old side lace." That had from 18 to 24 eyelets, double cord, and pulled on sideways, while this shoe has but eight eyelets, pulls on straight and is held in place by a low gore, inserted on each side of the shoe, which is covered and protected by the top, and is adjusted to the ankle by lacing on the inside, giving to the foot a very slim and small appearing form. This shoe cannot break in the back, and neither are you inconvenienced by constantly re-sewing buttons or repairing button holes. This shoe is being placed in all good towns, and its success and popularity are assured. We feel confident if you will try a pair of these shoes you will not be satisfied with any others. Would be pleased to have you call and make a personal inspection of this shoe and think it will interest you. Yours Respectfully. C. C. NOBLE, - - NORTH PLATTE.

Advertisement for P. H. McEvoy, Jeweler, Silverware, and Jewelry. It features an illustration of a pocket watch with 'WALTHAM' and '18 SIZE' visible. Text includes: 'Carries in stock a fine line of WATCHES. Silverware AND JEWELRY. Special attention given to repairing and engraving. NORTH PLATTE - NEB.'

Insect Swarmer. "Under the microscope," says Mr. Henry J. Slack, F. R. M. S., "it is seen that as animal and vegetable matter rot away, swarms of ferments come into existence. For example, in a drop of water the flesh of a dead water flea was noticed in commotion while the writer was engaged on this paper. Thousands of U shaped vibrios were living upon it. All were in brisk motion, straightening and bending their bodies with whip-like flicks. They were a company of scavengers, sweetening the water by a chemical process necessary for their own nutrition. Our rivers and ponds would become factories of deadly poisons, and all the earth's soil would be contaminated, if inexpressible myriads of minute plants and animals did not attack dead organic matter and cause its elements to enter into new and useful combinations. If we find thousands of such little ferments at work upon a fragment no bigger than a full stop of this print, what must be the numbers in operation when tons upon tons are dealt with in the contents of our sewers, and in the manure we put on our fields, and in the vast multitudes of human and other bodies that perish on land or in sea?"—New York Telegram.

Too Modest to Be Honest. "Are you the editor of the paper?" "I am. What can I do for you?" "Well, I just thought I'd step up and see how you are. My wife and I are going to Cape May to-morrow." "Indeed?" "Yes, but I wouldn't have anything said about it in print, of course. My name is Simpkins—Azariah Simpkins." "Glad to meet you, Mr. Simpkins, I'm sure." "Now don't go to puttin' anything into the paper about our going away. We start at 4 o'clock, and I reckon we'll be gone pretty near a month. I need the rest, and Mrs. Simpkins was getting kind of ran down. Of course, I know how anxious you newspaper men always are for an item, but we're plain people and don't want any notoriety. My wife always likes to see 'Simpkins' spelt without a 'p', but the old-fashioned way is good enough for me. Well, I know an editor's time is valuable, so I'll say good day. If I come across any murders or anything while I'm gone, I'll let you know about them."—Washington Critic.

The Elevator in European Hotels. The "lift" is not displayed ostentatiously in the great German houses. It is behind iron doors, to be detected only by inspection, and is moved by clanking chains. The deliberation of the proceeding is its most distinguishing characteristic. You stand in the great hall of the hotel where a reconnaissance has located the laboring "lift" and silently await developments. Everybody else has the greatest plenty of time. Presently from the unknown interior iron doors fly open, and a soldierly looking servant with brass buttons on his cap, preoccupied with his responsibilities, steps forth with an air of majesty. The doors clang as they swing, and the lift is there, rather primitive but elaborate in construction. Perhaps there may be five passengers ready to get aboard. When four have taken position the master of the elevator waves the fifth backward with an awful air of authority, and if the rejected one is an American urgent to go up at once, he is told imperatorially that there are places "only for four." The iron doors are banged, the engines heave and the massive machine moves. Safety is consulted! Here is a masterly mechanism that might serve a pair of elephants of the size of Jumbo, but an attempt to lift at once more than four persons would be regarded as an affront to the empire. The thing is impossible! The French have the same elevators in construction, usually an iron gate as well as an iron door to the ascensor in France, and in some of the first class establishments they will risk taking up as many as five passengers at a time. The chains that are rigged for the security of this multitude of irresponsible things are of links of wrought iron two inches in diameter.—Murat Halstead.

Save a Life. An old soldier, a Lieutenant during the civil war, was walking down the street of a town when he was accosted by a fellow, half soldier, half beggar, who made him a most reverential salute. "God bless your honor," said the man, whose speech betrayed him for an Irishman, "God bless you and long life to you." "How do you know me?" said the lieutenant. "Is it how do you know you, your honor?" responded Pat. "Good right, sure, I have to know the man that saved my life in battle." The lieutenant, gratified at this tribute to his valor, slipped a fifty cent piece into the fellow's hand, and asked him when. "God bless your honor and long life to you," said the now doubly grateful veteran. "Sure, an' it was at Antietam, when, seeing your honor run away as fast as your legs would carry you from the rebels, I followed your lead and ran after you out of the way, whereby, under God, I saved my life. Oh, good luck to your honor! I will never forget you."—Youth's Companion.

A Dutch Tjalk. She was massively built of varnished oak, with bows so bluff as to be almost square, a straight sided box, made, like all Dutch craft, to slide over the water rather than through it, and with immovable wing like boards on each side to let down and supply the place of a keel when going to windward. A tall mast bore a lofty narrow headed mainsail with a short curved gaff, and a foresail from the bow. The great rudder bore along its upper edge a grotesquely carved and gaily painted lion couchant, the most common of all the rudder decorations and of as much importance as the familiar figurehead in sea-going ships. Hull and spars were brightly varnished, with casings of polished brass, and rings and scrolls of red and blue paint wherever there was room. The staves of the water barrels were green and white, and marvellous landscapes were painted on the ends. There was a neat raised cabin at the stern, gaily ornamented in green and yellow, with little white curtained flower decked windows, through which one caught glimpses of a spotless doll's house interior, with shining pots and pans and quaint shapes of blue and brown earthen vessels. Of course all the items of household life—cooking, washing, the baby's toilet, and so on—were performed in the most open and unconcerned manner on deck.—Blackwood's Magazine.

Ballard's Snow Liniment. This wonderful remedy is guaranteed to cure Neuralgia. It is a positive cure. It will cure Rheumatism no matter of how long standing. It will cure this in the smallest of the back. It will cure all sprains and bruises. It will instantly take you from a severe or burning, and stop all pain. It is the most penetrating liniment in the world. It is good for all inflammation. It is guaranteed to do all claimed for it or money refunded. A. F. Streitz, Agent.

The granddaughter of Abraham Lincoln, the daughter of his son Robert, will make her entrance into "society" this winter. Miss Lincoln is little above the medium height, and has a well rounded figure and bright girlish face, in which there is no trace of the rugged features of her great ancestor. The Rev. Hugh Callan, M. A., of St. Andrew's cathedral, Glasgow, Scotland, has just returned to his native land from a tricycle tour through Palestine, Turkey, Bulgaria and Serbia. He wheeled about 2,700 miles. His tri-cyclist created astonishment and dismay in many places, and in Jerusalem the people became much excited over it.

Ballard's Arnica Salve. The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by A. F. Streitz.

Have You Heard about the Superb Pullman Dining Cars which have been recently placed in service via the Union Pacific, "The Overland Route"? If you have and want to get a sumptuous meal while traveling, don't fail to take the train on which these Diners run. They run on the fast Vestibule Express between Council Bluffs and Denver and on the Overland Flyer between Council Bluffs and Portland. Meals, which cannot be surpassed in any of the first-class hotels in the country, are served in these cars at 75c each.

Marvelous Success. Ballard's Hoarhound Syrup has been a marvelous success from its inception. There is no cough it will not relieve. It is guaranteed to relieve all throat and lung ailments and all colds, sore throat, whooping cough, and all coughs in the morning or at night. For BALLARD'S HOARHOUND SYRUP take no other kind, and you will not be disappointed. A. F. Streitz, Agent.

Land Office Notices. Land Office at North Platte, Neb., September 14th, 1889. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on November 19th, 1889, viz: James Langhlin on Homestead Entry No. 1257 for the southeast quarter section 34, Twp. 18 N. range 33 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William Roberts, F. E. Potter, Temple Smith, J. O. Buchanan, all of Birdwood, Neb. Wm. Neville, Register.

Land Office at North Platte, Neb., Sept. 20th, 1889. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on December 1st, 1889, viz: John W. Houston Homestead Entry No. 7056 for the northeast quarter section 24, town 13 N. range 33 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Benjamin A. Dickenson, Administrator of the estate of J. H. Potter and David G. Potter, all of Birdwood, Neb. Wm. Neville, Register.

Land Office at North Platte, Neb., Sept. 18th, 1889. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on December 15th, 1889, viz: John W. Houston Homestead Entry No. 7056 for the northeast quarter section 24, town 13 N. range 33 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Benjamin A. Dickenson, Administrator of the estate of J. H. Potter and David G. Potter, all of Birdwood, Neb. Wm. Neville, Register.

STATE OF NEBRASKA, LINCOLN COUNTY, In the District Court thereof of the Tenth Judicial District. The Nebraska Loan and Trust Co., Plaintiff, vs. GEORGE M. BOBBITT, ANNA L. BOBBITT, his wife; H. R. OTTMAN and Thomas Killiber, Defendants. NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT. The above named defendants, Thomas Killiber and H. R. Ottman, and each of them are hereby notified that the above named plaintiff has filed in the above named court its petition against them and the other defendants, above named, the object and prayer of which petition are to receive a mortgage lien and other equitable relief against the defendants, George M. Bobbitt, Anna L. Bobbitt, his wife, to the plaintiff on the north west 1/4 of section 24, township 24 N. range 12 W. in Lincoln County, Nebraska, and to satisfy and discharge the debt with interest and costs said mortgage was given to secure. The said defendants, Thomas Killiber and H. R. Ottman are further notified that they are required to appear and answer said petition, on or before Monday, the 14th day of October, 1889. THE NEBRASKA LOAN AND TRUST CO., By JOHN M. RAGAN, its Att'y.

Notice to Voters. North Platte, Neb. Oct. 1, 1889. Notice is hereby given that the Supervisors of Registration in and for North Platte Precinct No. 1, North Platte Precinct No. 2, and North Platte Precinct No. 3, will sit for the purpose of registering voters on Tuesday, October 8th, Wednesday, October 16th, Thursday, October 24th and Friday and Saturday, Nov. 1st and 3d, from 9 o'clock a. m. till 9 o'clock p. m. of each of said days, at the following places: In North Platte Precinct No. 1, at G. L. Hammon and Hose House. In North Platte Precinct No. 2 at B. I. Hinman Hose House. In North Platte Precinct No. 3 at Wild West Hose House. The boundaries of said precincts are as follows: North Platte Precinct No. 1: Commencing in center of Front and Spruce streets, running thence along Spruce street to quarter line between Benton's and Miller's additions, thence south to the South Platte River, thence down South Platte River to junction of South Platte River and North Platte River, thence up North Platte River to wagon road and railroad bridge, thence west along the center of said road and Front street to place of beginning. North Platte Precinct No. 2: Commencing on South Platte River at the west boundary line of Precinct No. 1, running thence west along South Platte River to the line of Nichols Precinct, thence north along said line to center of U. P. R. track, thence east in center of Front street, thence east in center of said street to center of Spruce street, thence south along west line of Precinct No. 1 to place of beginning. North Platte Precinct No. 3: Commencing at the west end of the railroad bridge across North Platte river, thence along the bank of said river in a northwesterly direction to the east line of Nichols precinct, thence south along said line to the Union Pacific Railway, thence east along said railway to the west end of Front street, thence along the center of said Front street and the road leading to the railroad bridge to the place of beginning. By order of the city council. W. J. ROCHE, City Clerk.

Notice to Bridge Contractors. Sealed bids will be received up to 12 o'clock noon of Thursday October 31, 1889, for the erection of a single track bridge across the South Platte river on a public highway upon the half section line running north and south through sections 27 and 31, township 14, range 32 west, in Lincoln county, Nebraska. Said bridge will be a pile bridge about 2000 feet long. Plans and specifications have been adopted by the board of county commissioners and all bids will be made on said plans. Said plans can be seen at the office of the county clerk at North Platte, Neb. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. By order of the board of County Commissioners of said county. J. E. EVANS, County Clerk.



AFTER EXERCISE. When men and maidens seek the sport They find around the tennis court, Or when upon the diamond field Their bats the champion players wield, When walks, or rides, or bending oars, Bring perspiration from the pores, Then people all should bear in mind The best and purest soap to find, For after some such exercise The system most in danger lies, Absorbing then both swift and sure The poisons found in soaps impure, And those who keep for face and hands Or general use as time demands, The IVORY SOAP, need have no fear From exercise throughout the year.

A WORD OF WARNING. There are many white soaps, each represented to be "just as good as the Ivory," they ARE NOT, but like all counterfeiters, lack the peculiar and remarkable qualities of the genuine. Ask for "Ivory" Soap and insist upon getting it. Copyright 1886, by Procter & Gamble.

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He receives in cash	1000 00
He has paid in admission fee on thirteen shares at \$20 per share, amounting to	26 00
He has paid six monthly installments at 90 cents per share, amounting to	46 80
He has paid two quarterly installments of 25 cents per share, amounting to	6 30
Now he pays on the last Saturday of each month a monthly installment of 90 cents a share	7 80
Also his interest at five per cent per annum on \$1,000, payable monthly	4 16 2/3
monthly	4 16 2/3
As all protective installments are returnable, total monthly payment eventually, except such times as there may be a quarterly installment	16 13 1/3
In four and one-half years (or 51 months) the balance of the unpaid time of five years, he will have paid as installments, interest and premium	871 20
To amount invested, aside from protective installments, which are returnable owing to the return protective installment plan adopted by the union	1000 00
The certificate of shares having matured is worth \$1,000, which will pay the loan and leave a surplus of \$200, thus eventually the borrower has had the use of \$1,000 since six months after becoming a shareholder, and has cleared a handsome profit of	200 00

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