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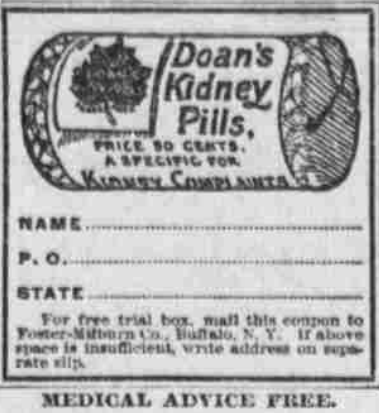
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**Phillips Fled From Ghost.**  
Stephen Phillips, the young Englishman, who has come to the front with his "Uaola and Franceca," "Herod" and "Ulysses," had no thought of literature when he started out to look after himself. He was destined by his father, who is the precursor of Peterborough cathedral, for the British civil service. He subsequently had a brief experience on the professional stage. For his further work to publicity, Mr. Phillips recently found a ghost—not a literary one, but a real one—in his house, from which he fled with his family, ordering a furniture mover to look after his household effects.

**Considerate of a Thief.**  
James M. Beasley, the Alaska contractor who decamped two years ago after securing \$3,800 by means of a draft forged on the United States treasury, and who was recently captured in South Africa by officers after a chase of over 17,000 miles, was not known to fellow passengers on the trans-Atlantic liner as a criminal. During the voyage from England he mixed with other saloon travelers, and, being a man of fine appearance and address, he had as good a time as anybody. Only when the vessel reached her dock did the truth become known, the officers who accompanied Beasley showing him every consideration.

**Royal Baggage.**  
The dead weight of luggage taken by the king and queen, their attendants and servants, for the visit to Ireland was about 200 tons. On a visit paid by King Edward, as Prince of Wales, to the Riviera he had a complement of 200 boxes, trunks and parcels. The king and queen on their Irish trip had to take their royal and state robes, and the king several suits of uniform, in addition to that of a field marshal.

**Easy to Get.**  
Pierpont, O., Oct. 5th.—Remarkable indeed is the experience of Mr. A. S. Turner, a man now over seventy-one years of age, and whose home is here. For many years this old gentleman had suffered with a very unpleasant form of Kidney Trouble, a kind that very often bothers aged people. He would have to get up four or five times every night, and this very tiresome disease was fast wearing him out.

At last after having almost made up his mind that he would never be able to get relief, he stumbled over a medicine which relieved him almost immediately, and has cured him permanently. It is so very easy to get and so simple that Mr. Turner thinks everyone should know of it. Every dealer in the country has it, and all you have to do is to ask for Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Turner says:—  
"I can heartily and honestly recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills for they cured me. Several others in the family have used them too, and always with the best results. I think they have no equal."

Cynics are men who find fault with the world because they were not consulted when it was designed.

Does the writing in a dead letter become a dead language.

Lewis' "Single Binder" straight 5¢ cigar. Price to dealers \$30.00 per M. They cost some more than other brands, but no more than a good 5¢ cigar should cost. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

The butter seller is often to be found in the midst of the ranks.

I would rather trust a woman's intuition than a man's judgment.

Sensible Housekeepers will have DeFiance Starch, not alone because they get one-third more for the same money, but also because of superior quality.

If money talks, can the bank teller tell all it says?

Perhaps the summer girl steals her heart to prevent it from being stolen.

# General Nebraska News.

## NEWSY STATE BRIEFS.

The new Swedish Baptist church at Osceola was dedicated last Sunday, there being a very large attendance. The Independent Telephone company expects to have its exchange in Beatrice in working order within two months.

The twentieth anniversary and dedication of the new building of the Swedish Lutheran academy took place at Wahoo.

L. G. Todd of Cass county shipped several carloads of cattle to South Omaha, which brought \$5.75, the highest price paid for cattle this fall.

The Lincoln traction company, in response to the appeals of its employees, has raised the wages of first class conductors and motormen 1 cent per hour.

The district G. A. R. reunion, embracing Cherry, Keys, Paha, Rock and Brown counties, will next year meet in Almsworth with Captain L. Walker, president; C. W. Potter, secretary.

Mrs. Louise Lahann of Grand Island, a very elderly woman, whose husband died about a year ago, and who has since been making her home with her son and daughter-in-law, suicided by hanging.

Thomas Zimmerman brought a fence post to Beatrice which has been buried on his farm for more than forty years. It was cut from a wild mulberry tree and is now in a good state of preservation.

The Farmers' and Merchants bank at Byron was robbed. The safe was blown open with nitro-glycerin, but the residents of the town were not awakened. It is thought that about \$2,000 was taken.

While at Kearney Charlie France of Gibbon made the second attempt to commit suicide by stabbing himself with a knife just below the heart and also drinking concentrated lye. It is thought he will not recover.

Dr. Gilbert Robertson, a veterinarian surgeon of Beatrice, has vaccinated 500 head of cattle on the Kilpatrick ranch as a preventive against the disease known as blackleg, which prevails among cattle in that section. Dr. Robertson began the work of vaccinating 300 more head a few miles north of the Kilpatrick farm.

Members of the board of education of Leatrice are considering plans for increasing the capacity of the schools of the city, which, because of the rapidly increasing number of students, has become inadequate. The enrollment at the opening of the school year was 1,616, and in one month it has increased to more than 1,800.

A case involving many very sensational features was tried in the district court at West Point, F. W. Zuhke, a widower residing there and an old business man, was sued by Eric Swanson, a blacksmith, for the alienation of the affections of Swanson's wife. Damages were laid at \$5,000, Plaintiff recovered \$200 and costs.

Deputy Game Warden J. A. Rainy of Norfolk has proven his fidelity to his oath of office and established a precedent for the deputies of the state by causing the arrest of a neighbor and friend who had shot three quail a few weeks too soon and insisting upon his being punished to the full extent of the law. The man received the limit, \$5 per bird, or \$15 and costs.

Long Pine is to have an electric light and power plant, the power to run which is to come from Long Pine creek.

John Ohlbusch, a half-witted farm hand, was arraigned in the district at West Point on a charge of horse stealing. The testimony developed the fact that the alleged theft arose from a horse trade, and that the taking of the animal by the prisoner was an assertion of what he considered his rights in the premises. No criminal intent was proven and Ohlbusch was discharged.

A book agent in Cass county has been working the school teachers on a library scheme to the extent that the county superintendent, C. S. Wortman, has sent out a circular warning them against the man. Mr. Wortman stated that the agent was going around telling teachers that the county superintendent gives the books his highest endorsement, when in fact he had never seen the agent at all and knew nothing of the matter.

George Watts of Goehner and Mrs. Janet Watts of Beaver Crossing secured a marriage license at Fremont and were married. The couple were formerly husband and wife, but were separated by divorce proceedings. They are each 62 years of age.

The new Masonic home for Nebraska will be opened in Plattsmouth at an early day. The order has recently purchased a fine piece of property in the western part of the city, which is considered an ideal location for the purpose intended.

**GOOD HOUSEKEEPERS**  
Use the best. That's why they buy Red Cross Ball Blue. At leading grocers, 5 cents.

The average man wants others to see him as he sees himself.

## STATEMENT OF CASH

Treasurer Mortensen Has Little Over a Quarter of a Million on Hand.

LINCOLN.—Treasurer Mortensen's monthly report has been made public. It shows a balance in the treasury of something like \$250,000. The treasurer has, however, prepared a list of the banks in which the money is on deposit and the amount in each. They are:

Partners and Merchants bank of Lincoln	8,909.63
Bank of Commerce, of Lincoln	8,909.86
City National Bank of Lincoln	42,153.91
Columbia National bank of Lincoln	12,175.01
First National bank of Lincoln	12,160.00
Commercial National bank of Omaha	12,160.00
First National of Omaha	11,127.20
Merchants National of Omaha	12,149.29
Omaha National	12,164.63
Union National of Omaha	12,154.23
United States National of Omaha	12,131.06
First National of Alliance	3,269.55
Battle Creek Valley bank	5,183.20
Bank of Battle Mills	1,509.00
Broken Bow State bank	6,000.00
Cluster National of Broken Bow	5,027.83
State Bank of Curtis	3,050.22
Danaberg State bank	1,548.75
Commercial State of Grand Island	5,035.95
Grand Island Banking company	4,432.00
Union State of Harvard	4,074.54
First National of Hastings	5,208.25
German National of Hastings	1,482.72
First National of Holdrege	2,945.62
First National of Loomis	5,000.00
Citizens bank of McCook	4,117.51
Newport State bank	2,000.00
Norfolk State bank	5,058.89
First National of O'Neill	5,028.62
First National of Ord	6,565.00
Bank of Orleans	4,000.00
Pierce County bank of Pierce	5,000.00
Packers National of South Omaha	2,017.57
Citizens National of St. Paul	4,419.15
First State Bank of St. Paul	4,000.00
Farmers and Merchants of Stromsburg	4,064.87
Bank of Syracuse	3,015.98
Valentine State bank	5,050.13
Saunders County National of Wahoo	5,095.62
First National of Wayne	5,068.00
West Point National	7,000.00
Wolbach State bank	1,500.00
City National of York	3,052.35
First National of York	4,064.49
Total	\$259,676.15

## Beets Rich in Sugar.

FREMONT.—The Standard Beet Sugar company is handling a good many beets from the western part of the state this year. Assistant Chemist Connell states that they are running exceptionally high this season. The average around Fremont he thought might go as high as 14 per cent sugar, with a coefficient of purity well above 80. Specimens from beets raised on irrigated lands ran as high as 23 per cent sugar, with purity coefficient of 91. The average yield per acre in this vicinity will not be more than six or seven tons. Some fields were entirely destroyed by water and will not be harvested.

## Final Notice to Lessees.

From the office of the land commissioner final notices are being sent out to delinquent lessees of school lands to the effect that foreclosures would be made Oct. 13. Under the new law the cost of reinstatement is considerable and when the land is advertised the lessee is shut out entirely. The effect of this or something has occasioned a less number of delinquents than ever before in the history of the state and the department had kept a closer watch on the lessees than ever.

## Application for Water.

LINCOLN, Neb.—Lizzie M. Kyner of Long Pine has applied to the state board of irrigation for right to use waters of Long Pine creek for milling and lighting purposes, power to be derived through a turbine wheel. The total cost of the proposed plant will be \$12,000. It is proposed to operate a modern electric light plant and furnish power to flour mills and other industries. The estimated horse power is 100.

## Fish Crr Goes to Kansas.

PLATTSMOUTH.—The Nebraska fish car left South Bend over the Rock Island railroad for Langdon, Kan., carrying in it enough oriental gold fish to exchange for 5,000 yearling big mouth black bass now owned by a private hatchery concern in that place. The exchange will be made on the basis of \$1 a pair for 2-year-old gold fish and \$30 per thousand for the bass.

## Must Go to Supreme Court.

LINCOLN, Neb.—In the case of Worster vs. the state board of health, an appeal from the decision of the board, which revoked the certificate of Worster, an Omaha dentist, Judge Holmes decided that the state board of health is not "inferior" to the district court, but is a part of the executive branch, hence the court had no jurisdiction. Worster's certificate was revoked because of alleged unprofessional practices.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by J. C. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only medicinal cure on the market. It acts internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and purifies the surface of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

If beauty were taxable the fair sex would never try to dodge the assessor.

A girl doesn't always strike a match with a light-headed young man.

Storekeepers report that the extra quantity, together with the superior quality of DeFiance Starch makes it next to impossible to sell any other brand.

Many a policeman's beat seems to be on Easy street.

The man who speaks ill of a woman is either a knave or a cad.

Pilo's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.—N. W. SANUEL, Ocean Grove, N. J., Feb. 17, 1900.

The "Merry Gorilla."

At a meeting of a society of women writers in London Mrs. Kate Douglas Wiggin Riggs told of the number of children in various kindergarten establishments that had been named after her. "That's nothing," said an Englishwoman. "My friend, Marie Corelli, had a race horse named after her, and the jockeys persisted in calling it the Merry Gorilla, so she has to suffer that nickname from the knowing."

## The Century Magazine.

The October Century has an attractive cover by Leyendecker of a mounted hunter and dog, which gives a clue to the prevailing character of its contents, for it is a "sportsman's number, containing, with much other matter, a group of articles on field sports relating to France, Great Britain and America. The democratic tradition in France is represented by an article, "When the French President Goes Hunting," written and illustrated by Andre Castaigne. The aristocratic tradition is represented by Sterling Helle's narrative, "With the Hounds of the Duchesse D'Uzes," J. M. Gleason, the artist, writes of "Two British Game Parks," Powerscourt in Ireland and Drummond Castle in Scotland, and supplies pictures of both. But the most practical and acceptable article to American sportsmen, will be a review of "Field Sports of Today," by Dwight W. Huntington, the well known writer on this subject. When a man makes love he is always interesting. At other times he may be real prosaic.

## "Phi" May's Reply.

The English papers are full of anecdotes of the late Phil May, that brilliant English pen draftsman. One of them describes him as at a supper party in London, where he made an exquisite drawing on a menu card for the lady in whose honor the party was given. This was seen by a wealthy woman present, who sent the waiter with a £10 note to the artist, asking him to do a similar drawing for her. Mr. May, disgusted at the woman's impertinence, took a good look at her and then made an appallingly truthful caricature of her features on the back of the banknote, which he returned.

## The Vigilant Turkish Censor.

The New York Outlook tells an amusing story illustrative of the vigilance of the Turkish censorship. There is a strict supervision over telegrams. A German engineer in the Lebanon placed an order with a Paris firm for some sort of a stationary engine, to be shipped to him as soon as possible. The firm telegraphed to inquire how many revolutions a minute he wanted. He answered, "Five hundred revolutions a minute." The next day he was arrested. Brought into court, the judge asked him if he lived in the Lebanon. He replied that he did. "Do you correspond with such and such a firm in Paris?" "Yes," "Ah!" cried the judge; "I know you. You are the man who telegraphed to Paris that there are 500 revolutions a minute in the Lebanon!"

## IT'S A MISTAKE.

To Attribute Coffee Ills to Poor Grades of Coffee.

Many people lay all the blame for the diseases caused by coffee upon the poorer grades of coffee but this is an error as the following proves: "I have used every kind of the best grade of tea and coffee that can be got from a first class grocer but never found one that would not upset my nervous system and it was not until I began to drink Postum Food Coffee in place of coffee and tea that I had relief from the terrific attacks of nervous sick headache from which I had suffered for 30 years.

"I had tried all kinds of medicines but none helped me.

"Soon after I stopped drinking coffee and began to drink Postum the headaches grew less and it was not long until I was entirely cured and I have never had a return of this distressing trouble for nowadays I never drink coffee but stick to Postum.

"As soon as my wife saw what Postum had done for me she gave up coffee, which she had drunk all her life. This was six weeks ago and she is a changed woman, for her nervousness has all disappeared and her face has become smooth and her cheeks have a good rosy red color. She sleeps well, too, something she could never do while she drank coffee. We consider Postum a household necessity in my house and have induced many friends to try this wonderful food drink in place of coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Look in each package for a copy of the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."