

Not Officially Reported.

BY EDGAR WELTON COOLEY. (Copyright, 1902, by Daily Story Pub. Co.) "A number of years ago, while tracing the movement of a registered package that had been lost in the mails," said the old secret service man...

"Finally the hour for closing arrived. I saw him lock the outside door; I saw him place the stamps in the vault and return with the money box, filled with bills and coin; I saw him count the small change that was in the money drawer in the desk; I saw him make a note of the amount and enter it in a book." "Then he glanced around the room, apprehensively, frightened, a wild look in his eyes and perspiration on his brow."



He gazed at it in silence.

since have I seen such agony on a human face as I saw then. "Presently he staggered to his desk and picked up a baby's photograph. For a few brief moments he gazed at it in silence. Then he pressed it to his lips and, turning, reopened the vault, took the money from his pocket, placed it back in the box and locked the door. On his face was a bright gleam as of a great happiness and up from the depths of my heart there surged a cry, 'God bless him!'"

SOFT CORE

Like the running brook, the red blood that flows through the veins has to come from somewhere. The springs of red blood are found in the soft core of the bones called the marrow and some say red blood also comes from the spleen. Healthy bone marrow and healthy spleen are full of fat.

Send for free sample. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

EUREKA HARNESS OIL advertisement with an illustration of a horse and rider. Text describes the oil's benefits for harnesses and leather.

LEWIS' SINGLE BINDER advertisement. Text: 'Have so rich in quality. You pay 10c. for CIGARS But so good.'

PATENTS advertisement. Text: '50 YEARS' EXPERIENCE. TRADE MARKS DESIGNS COPYRIGHTS &c. Anyone sending a sketch and description may quickly ascertain our opinion free whether an invention is probably patentable...'

H. W. PHILLIPS AUCTIONEER advertisement. Text: 'Cries sales in either German or English. Satisfaction guaranteed. Twenty years experience. ATKINSON, NEB.'

BAIN'S OLD SHOP advertisement. Text: 'Price Reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed. O'NEILL, NEB.'

F., E. & M. V. Railroad TRAINS DEPART: Table with columns for route, time, and agent E. R. Adams.

THE FIRST TASTE OF ICE CREAM

Immigrants on Ellis Island Make Humorous Comments. Somebody's heart softened toward the seven hundred or more immigrants who had to spend their first Easter in the new world on Ellis Island, and ice cream was a part of the bill of fare.

Making Poultry Profitable. Hens will lay as many eggs in December as in May if given suitable food and proper care, and with immensely greater profits to the owner.

Will Work Much Hardship. The recent closing of the various convents in France, it is learned, will cause the industry and art of lace making to die out.

"Forever and a Day." The other day Sir Charles Wyndham, the actor, was given a dinner in London at which he made a speech declaring that he would remember his friends' kindness "forever and a day"—a phrase which appealed to him, he said, because it sounded like "adding a matinee on to eternity."

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Try them.

When you feel dull after eating. When you have no appetite. When you have a bad taste in the mouth. When your liver is torpid.

Good Haul of Sharks. An immense shark was caught lately by the marines of his majesty's guardship Urgent at Port Royal, Jamaica. It was so big that the most stalwart seaman aboard could have passed through its mouth without coughing the teeth.

Segregation Surely Needed. The segregation of the sexes at the university of Chicago was emphatically wise in the light of the experience at the last football game.

Appreciated His Mercies. Bishop Wilberforce used to tell a story of a greedy clergyman who, when asked to say grace, looked anxiously to see if there were champagne glasses on the table.

Fifty Years' Service as Usher. Stephen M. Griswold, bank president, ex-state senator and churchman, will soon complete fifty years as an usher in Plymouth church, Brooklyn.

Teeth of Elephants. An elephant has only eight teeth altogether. At fourteen years the elephant loses its first set of teeth and an new set grows.

Great Northern Railway W. & S. F. R. Y. Through daily service to Minneapolis and St. Paul with direct connections for all points in Minnesota, North Dakota and west to Pacific Coast.

... TIME CARD ... GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

Passenger, Daily Except Sunday. 9:50 P. M. Ar. ... Central Time. ... Lv. 10:10 A. M. ... Mixed Train, Daily, Except Sunday. 4:20 P. M. Ar. ... Central Time. ... Lv. 5:30 P. M. ... SHERIFF'S SALE. By virtue of an order of sale directed to me by the clerk of the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, on a judgment obtained before the clerk of the district court of Holt county, Nebraska, on the 20th day of August 1902, in favor of the County of Holt, Plaintiff, and against Daniel McDonald, Jane McDonald, his wife, real name unknown, Kemper Bundley & McDonald Dry Good Company and the Unknown owners of lots 11 block 49 in McAffertys Addition to the city of O'Neill Nebraska, as defendants, for the sum of Eightythree and 82-100 dollars, and costs, I have levied upon the following real estate taken as the property of said defendants, to satisfy said order of sale, to-wit: Lot Eleven (11) in Block Forty-nine (49) in McAffertys Addition to O'Neill Nebraska. And will offer the same for sale to the highest bidder for cash, in hand, on the 5th day of January, A. D. 1903, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the house, in O'Neill, Holt county, Nebraska, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, when and where due attendance will be given by the undersigned sheriff of said county. Dated at O'Neill, Holt county, 4th day of December, 1902. C. E. HALL, Sheriff of Said County.

NOTICE In The District Court of Holt County Nebraska. Gertrude McDowell, plaintiff, vs. James T. Markey, J. F. Lingren, whose first and full name is unknown, Matilda Lingren, W. D. Mathews, impleaded with James F. Shoemaker, non-resident defendants, will take notice that on the 11th day of December A. D. 1902, the above named plaintiff, Gertrude McDowell, filed her petition in the district court of Holt county Nebraska, the object of which was to foreclose a certain mortgage made and executed and conveyed by the defendant James T. Markey to the Nebraska Mortgage and Investment Co., bearing date the 31st day of March, 1899, and upon the following described real estate situated in Holt county, Nebraska, to-wit: The southwest quarter of section twenty-five, township twenty-four north of range twelve, west of the Sixth P. M. Said mortgage was given to secure a certain bond for the sum of seven hundred dollars bearing date March 30, A. D. 1899, with ten interest coupons attached to each for the sum of \$4.50. Said bond being due on the first day of April, A. D. 1902, and interest at the rate of ten per cent. after maturity; that there is now due this plaintiff, who is the owner of said bond and interest coupons which said mortgage was given to secure, the sum of \$1,568.13 for which sum with interest at the rate of ten per cent. from December 1, 1902, and cost of suit, this plaintiff prays judgment, and that said coupons may be foreclosed, and that the land may be sold and the proceeds be brought into court to satisfy the amount due her with interest and costs.

NOTICE OF SALE. In The Court of Holt County, Nebraska. In the Matter of the Estate of Lucia N. Pantou, A. Minor. Notice is hereby given that pursuant to an order of Honorable W. H. Westover, one of the Judges of the District Court of Holt county, Nebraska, for the sale of the real estate hereinafter described. There will be sold at the front door of the court house in the city of O'Neill, Holt county, Nebraska, on the 24th day of November, 1902, at 10 o'clock A. M. at public vendue, the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate situated in Holt county, State of Nebraska, to-wit: undivided one fifth interest in and to the Northeast quarter of Section Eight, Township Twenty Seven, (27), Range Fifteen (15), west of the 6th P. M. Same will remain open one hour; Dated November, 6th, 1902. Guardian of Lucia N. Pantou, (A Minor) 1-3

Nebraska Banking, Law, etc. Business College. A. C. OGG, A. M., LL. B., Pres., Omaha.

A Good Cough Medicine. [From the Gazette, Toowoomba,] Australia

I find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is an excellent medicine. I have been suffering from a severe cough for the last two months, and it has effected a cure. I have great pleasure in recommending it.—W. C. Wockner. This is the opinion of one of our oldest and most respected residents, and has been voluntarily given in good faith that others may try the remedy and be benefited, as was Mr. Wockner. This remedy is sold by P. C. Corrigan.

Making Hens Lay. Hens will lay if they have the right kind of food and plenty of it. Lee's Egg Maker supplies meat food and other elements needed for egg production and has the well earned reputation of being the best poultry food in the world. It makes hens lay, prevents and cures colds, cholera, etc. It is the biggest and best 25 cent package on the market. Sold by Gilligan & Stout.

A. J. Snell wanted to attend a party, but was afraid to do so on account of pains in his stomach, which he feared would grow worse. He says, "I was telling my troubles to a lady friend, who said: 'Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will put you in condition for the party.' I bought a bottle and take pleasure in stating that two doses cured me and enabled me to have a good time at the party." Mr. Snell is a resident of Summer Hill N. Y. This remedy is for sale by P. C. Corrigan.

Little Soap Used in India. English firms are trying to secure a market for soap in India, but up to the present time that country has remained practically soapless. Indeed, throughout Hindustan soap is regarded as rather a curiosity, and rarely, if ever, kept in stock by the native store keeper.

Remembered Old Employees. On his silver wedding anniversary Charles J. Swanson, a Minneapolis manufacturer, gave to each of nine of his employees who had been with him for twenty years a deed for forty acres of improved land in Anoka county. The total value of the gifts was \$5,500.

Convict Sues Prison Doctor. An ex-convict named Brown, at Wellington, New Zealand, is suing Dr. Teare, the prison surgeon, to recover £2,000 damages for unskillful treatment while incarcerated. The chief justice of the colony has decided that the action is legal.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

76c Gets The Front or 6 mo. Brennan's is headquarters for all kinds of lamps's. 261f

Wanted:—To rent a furnished room. Inquire at this office. Teeth or photographs at Corbett's, 23rd to 30th of each month. 39t.

For farm loans, on reasonable terms call on Elkhorn Valley Bank. 13t Land belonging to non-residents for sale by E. H. Whelan, O'Neill Nebraska. 46t

Get the best and purest deodorized gasoline for your stoves and lamps at Brennan's. Get your lamp oil at Brennan's for he keeps the highest standard grades of any one in town; he keeps the Eccoene oil.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, Land Office at O'Neill Nebraska, October 27, 1902. 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 O'Neill, Nebraska, on December 5, 1902, viz: MARIO A. WHALEY, H. E. No. 16566, for the 5434-1/2, 5435-1/2, Sec. 24, T. 30 N., R. 11 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: F. E. Thurston, O'Neill, Neb., S. Simonson, of Ageo, Neb., Martin Hurley, of O'Neill, Neb., Wm. Spiegler, of O'Neill, Neb., S. J. WEKES, Register.

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ROAD NOTICE. State of Nebraska, County of Holt, ss. To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to local a road commencing at the south west corner of section 24, township 29 north of range 12 west, north six miles to the north east corner of section 3, 29, 16, there to terminate the road in the city of O'Neill, Holt county, there, and all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the County Clerk's office on or before noon of the 11th day of November, A. D. 1902. Notice for said establishment will be established with reference thereto. 20-4 K. GILMOUR, County Clerk.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER CHATTEL MORTGAGE. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of two certain chattel mortgages given by W. E. Miller to certain Schmidt on the 20th and 24th day of February 1902, to secure payment of two notes of said Miller of the same date of the chattel mortgages. The note of February 24th being for the sum of \$45.23, the other for the sum of \$60.00, drawn for the note and both falling due February 20th, 1903. Said mortgages both being duly filed in the office of the County Clerk of Holt County, Nebraska, February 26, 1902, said mortgagee being given to secure the payment of the above mentioned notes and upon which there is now due the sum of \$60.00, said mortgages being deemed himself unsafe and insecure and the mortgagee having absconded, the mortgagee, A. J. OGG, is entitled to foreclose said mortgages, he may, to take possession of said mortgaged property and to sell the same as provided by said mortgages. No proceeding at law having been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof, I will sell the property therein described to-wit: One gray horse about nine years old, one grey mare about nine years old, one breezy old black mare, one two y ar old bay horse, one old cow, one yearling steer and one red yearling heifer, at public auction at the livery barn of Miller and Quilty in the city of O'Neill, Holt county, Nebraska, on the 6th day of December, 1902 at 2 o'clock, P. M. AUGUST SCHMIDT, Mort. agoe 4-20

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals for the furnishing of the following supplies for the offices of Holt county for the ensuing year will be received at the County Clerk's office at O'Neill, Neb., up to the first day of January, 1903, viz: Class "A" Books. Records—8 qr. medium plain, each. Records—8 qr. medium, printed heads, each. Ledger—8 qr. medium, cow six ring old and 10,000 tax receipts, 200 in each book 8 1/4 x 2 1/2 inches, well bound statutory form, numbered consecutively. 1500 lithograph county warrants. 35 sets of pool books and envelopes. Road Overseers books, 10 pages to each book, each. Road Overseers receipt books, 25 receipts to each each. All records to be full leather bound, extra ends, bands, and fronts, and to be made of Byron Weston 36 lb. medium linen ledger p. per, also covered with canvas covers. Class "B" — Blanks (Stock Form.) Legal Blanks, full sheet, per hundred. " " 1/2 sheet, per hundred. " " 1/4 sheet, per hundred. " " 1/8 sheet, per hundred. Class "C" Blanks. Legal blanks—full sheet special printed per hundred. Legal blanks—half sheet special printed per hundred. Legal blanks—1/4 sheet special printed per hundred. Legal blanks—1/8 sheet special printed per hundred. Class "D" Letter-heads and Envelopes. Letter heads printed, Devo Magic City paper or equal, 20 lb. per M. Noteheads printed 5 lb. Magic City paper or equal, per M. Envelopes printed, No. 1, size No. 6 1-2, white per M., 50 lbs. Envelopes printed, No. 1, size 10 1-2 white per M., 50 lbs. Envelopes printed, No. 1, size 11 white per M., 50 lbs. Envelopes printed, No. 1, size 12 white per M., 50 lbs. Sandford's, Carter's, or Arnold's writing fluid per quart. Spencerian, Glucinum or Tadelia pens per gross. Vanadium pens, per gross. A. W. Fild-r's pencils, hex. gilt, per gross. Perfection pens, or equal, round rubber tips, per gross. Court wrappers No. 250x pat. per hundred. Typewriter paper—extra linen ledger, per M. Bids are to be made separately for each class and bidders will be required to give bond in double the amount of bid for the faithful execution of contract. Payment to be made by warrant on General Fund. The County Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Dated this 2nd day of December, a. d. 1902. 23-4 E. S. GILMOUR, County Clerk.

movement during the remainder of the day. I learned that he was alone in the office from six o'clock in the evening until it closed at nine, and that it was he who placed all the stamps and cash in the vault before closing for the night. "While idly inspecting the office during the afternoon I discovered a knot-hole in the board ceiling. The second floor of the building was divided into office rooms, and I found that the particular room, the floor of which contained the knot-hole, was empty. I obtained the key under pretense of examining the room with a view to renting. "To my delight I found that I could secure a good view of the postoffice by looking through the hole. So I rented the room, making a small payment. "That evening, from six o'clock un-