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SYMPTOMS: Bitter or bad taste in mouth; tongue coated white or covered with a brown fur; pain in the back, sides, or joints—often mistaken for Rheumatism; sour stomach; loss of appetite; sometimes nausea and waterbrash, or indigestion; flatulency and acid eructations; bowels alternately constipated and lax; headache; loss of memory, with a painful sensation of having failed to do something which ought to have been done; debility; low spirits; a thick, yellow appearance of the skin and eyes; a dry cough; fever; restlessness; the urine is scanty and high colored, and, if allowed to stand, deposits a sediment.

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LEGAL.

Estray Notice.

Taken up as estrays—A red cow, five to seven years old, with half calf; a white cow four to five years old with a roan heifer calf. Taken up by J. P. Kell west of Plattsmouth, Cass county, Neb. Owners can have by paying expenses. J. P. KELL, 27 w 5t

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Latest by Telegraph.

BORROWED AND STOLEN.

Died of Apoplexy.

RED OAK, Ia., Sept. 28.—Mrs. Clark, wife of Judge Clark, one of Iowa's oldest settlers, died to-day of apoplexy.

This Year's Corn Crop.

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—The *Farmers Review* will publish in this week's issue an estimate of the corn crop of 1887 which it places at about thirteen hundred million bushels.

Proceedings of Cigarmakers.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 27.—The Cigarmakers International union in convention here to-day adopted a resolution protesting against any interference with the internal revenue on cigars.

Dynamite in Cuba.

KEY WEST, Fla., Sept. 20.—A cart load of dynamite, enough to blow up Havana, was discovered in the woods near this city yesterday. The discovery has created intense excitement, proving that the plot against Cuba is much more formidable than at first supposed.

No Further Trouble is Expected.

GALVESTON, Sept. 27.—A *News* special from Columbia says the latest reports from the scene of the Matagorda country trouble say that in Sunday night's fight four negroes were killed. It is not known how many were injured. The militia are now on hand to assist the sheriff, and no further trouble is anticipated.

A Chip Off the Old Block.

METZ, Sept. 20.—A son of M. Schroebel, the French commissioner who was arrested at Pagny Rue Moselle last April, has been arrested and imprisoned by the German authorities for crossing the frontier near Chemont and affixing a treasonable placard bearing the tri-color of France upon a tree by the roadside. Young Schroebel is sixteen years old.

The New League.

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—The western association of professional base ball clubs was organized here to-day with Chicago, Milwaukee, Des Moines, Minneapolis, Omaha, Lincoln and Kansas City on the list of members. A committee was appointed to draw up the constitution and by-laws. The first regular meeting will be held October 26 in Chicago. Minneapolis, Milwaukee and Des Moines will complete the schedule in the Northwestern league and then resign from that organization.

SHELTERED IN TENTS.

Thousands of Veterans Housed Under Canvas at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Sept. 26.—The national salute from Camp Washington heralded the dawning of the day and aroused the army of veterans and committees whose duties called them to early trains. A fine mist dampened the atmosphere this morning and gradually resolved into a steady rain. The first train this morning brought in great crowds of veterans and visitors. The Pacific slope had hardly settled down before the nearer west poured in with Colorado, Arkansas, New Mexico and Texas. The Iowa and Missouri contingents reported many men and announced the coming of many thousands more. Several hundred have reported from Pennsylvania. Early in the morning the Kentucky posts escorted their department commander to his headquarters and then moved to their tents. Ohio, Indiana and Illinois quietly passed through the street, seeking shelter and greeting comrades. By noon the railroads had brought in 10,000 citizens, soldiers and many more.

The feature of the encampment is the sheltering of large numbers of old veterans in tents. Tried at each encampment before in small numbers the plan gave such satisfaction that it was decided to thus house vast numbers, and the executive committees arranged to care for a greater concourse of people in the field than has ever before been attempted in any land, except in times of war. Perhaps no canvas city of such proportions has ever been built in so short a time. Within two months 3,500 tents with ample room for 25,000 soldiers have been put together and pitched in the ten parks of the city all within a radius of two miles. The doubt whether the boys would take to the tents has been dispelled, for more applications for such shelter have been made than tents are made ready for. All the afternoon and evening the arrivals of the veterans and their families have been incessant. This evening visitors were entertained by receptions at the various posts and headquarters. Owing to the

inclemency of the weather it was agreed to-night that in case of a light rain or drizzle the parade should take place as per programme, but in case it was impossible to form, or the ranks were broken by heavy rain, the parade should be postponed until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. In event of a postponement the annual encampment session proper will not begin till Wednesday noon. General Fairchild, staff and party arrived this evening.

—Wall Paper—New stock just received at Warrick's. d6t-w4t

Natural Gas Produces a Big Boom.

HERNDON, Ia., Sept. 26.—It is doubtful if any town in Iowa ever had such a boom as Herndon is now having. It is all on account of the natural gas found here. Ten wells have been bored and in every case the gas was found at a depth of from 115 to 130 feet. The pressure is variously estimated at from 20 to 70 pounds to the square inch. The Herndon Natural Gas and Land company have secured 320 acres for a town site. They are men of wealth and experience and are using every effort to boom the new town. Quite a number of business firms have been induced to locate here and at least three manufacturing establishments have been secured, viz.: A large foundry and machine shop that will run entirely by natural gas for heat and power; a planing mill and a broom factory. Negotiations are now going on with several others. It is thought the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul company will build repair shops here.

The subject of natural gas for manufacturing and other purposes is now attracting the attention of well informed and progressive people in many parts of the country. The success of the Herndon Natural Gas & Land company at Herndon, Ia., has created a great excitement in all central Iowa. There they are now using gas for cooking, lighting and heating their houses, and it is believed that they have there gas in sufficient quantities for manufacturing purposes. They have also recently discovered natural gas within three miles of Des Moines. To the credit of Plattsmouth it can be said that before there was any excitement at either Herndon or Des Moines, the Plattsmouth Coal and Gas company was formed, and about two weeks ago, a contract for boring for gas was let. It is to be hoped that our citizens will hurry up the funds to enable the contractors to comply with their agreement. And if fortune should favor us with a lucky strike of gas, Plattsmouth will soon be rivaled, as a city, only by Omaha, in the whole state.

Nebraska Conference Notes.

The Nebraska Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church closed its twenty-seventh session on Monday. It was held in the beautiful St. Pauls of Lincoln and was presided over by Bishop J. F. Hurst whose presidency gave great satisfaction. He also spoke to the conference on several occasions to the delight of all who heard him. His sermons on Sunday was a masterly effort and showed his ability to handle the word of God in the light of history, science and philosophy. He is a man of profound learning and thoroughly at home in his chosen work.

Among those present whose fame has extended beyond the M. E. church, were Rev. J. M. Tholburn, D. D.; Rev. G. W. Gray, D. D., and Rev. W. A. Spencer, D. D.; the former is the leader of the Methodist missionary forces in India, and is now traveling through this country in the interest of the missionary cause, and to regain his failing health. He spoke to the delight of large and appreciative audiences.

The Nebraska conference is composed largely of young men who are enthusiastic and progressive, and thoroughly bent on pushing things. The business of the conference was transacted with intelligent dispatch, and at the close of the session all went home with the determination to make a good record for the coming year.

Herndon is located in the northeast corner of Guthrie county, 110 miles from Council Bluffs and fifty-two miles from Des Moines, at the junction of the Wabash Western and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroads, on a perfectly level prairie in a rich farming country, and there is no town within fifteen miles in either direction except Panos, twelve miles southeast. Three weeks ago the population of Herndon was less than fifty, while now it must be 200. Two families are already using the gas for cooking, lighting and heating their houses. The land company display the gas in their office in a grand shape.

The session of the conference just closed was an important one as delegates to the general assembly were elected, both clerical and lay. The progressive spirit of the church is shown by the elections to this highest body of the church. The delegates are all new men, and comparatively young men. Rev. C. F. Creighton D. D., leads the delegation and is ably supported by Rev. J. W. Stewart and Rev. A. C. Crosthwait. Progress is noted also by the reports from all the charges, and in better salaries paid the preachers, church debts paid, new churches built, increase in membership and in all the benevolent collections, the missionary collections being nearly \$2,000 above last year. Perhaps nothing marks more surely the progressive character of Methodism in the west than the election of a woman as a representative from the lay conference to the general conference. Mrs. Angie Newman is the first woman ever elected by the M. E. church to this important position, and the Nebraska conference has the honor of inaugurating this new movement in ecclesiastical history. The lay conference did no less wisely in electing with Mrs. Newman, Judge Reece, of Wahoo, as the other delegate.

Time and space forbid any further details of the conference, but one other event in connection with the conference deserves a brief mention, however, that is, the laying of the corner stone of the Nebraska Wesleyan University. The building is to be a magnificent one and will stand about a half mile to the south of Havlock. The campus consists of forty acres and is surrounded by a plat of 240 acres donated by the friends of the enterprise. The ceremonies were conducted by Bishop Hurst in the presence of more than a thousand people. Dr. Moore, chancellor of the Denver University, made an address which the *Lincoln State Journal* pronounced one of the most eloquent ever delivered in Lincoln. The building will be built of pressed brick with Colorado sandstone trimmings, and when finished will have cost not less than \$50,000. It is the design of the Methodist church to concentrate its educational work here, and establish a school that will be equal to anything in the country, an honor to the church and worthy the patronage of all desiring an education. The enterprise seems fairly launched and it is hoped the school will be open to receive students one year hence.

—Warrick asks you to compare his prices and stock of school books with others. Second hand school books at very low prices. d6t-w4t.

—Mr. W. J. Hesser, the florist and gardener, called at THE HERALD office yesterday and left a most beautiful and sweet-scented bouquet of roses, for which we return our hearty thanks. d6t-w4t.

It, after the democrats have been in power three years and having had plans for changing the tariff well matured before coming into power they have now got so far as in spots all over the country to say they think the present tariff too high and that it ought to be some how modified, we would like to have them answer how long they think it will take them to change it.

Fools and Children (Sometimes) Speak the Truth.

There can be no doubt but if the republicans had elected a solid state legislature last year, Nebraska would to-day have a prohibitory statute.—*Journal*.

We reproduce this item for our prohibition friends, who sometimes inadvertently contribute to democratic success in Nebraska. It contains food for reflection and dynamite for an honest prohibitionist conscience.

C. A. R.

The probabilities are that there will be some emphatic expression of opinions on the pension question from the representative men of the G. A. R., who are now greeting one another at St. Louis. Of course, this will be the rankest treason (in the eyes of the average democratic sheet) and partisan politics, and an insult to the president of these United States; yet, it is hard to keep the old fellows from speaking out in "mechin." Some how the boys fell into that habit long in 1891 and it is hard "to learn an old dog new tricks."

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF NEBRASKA, ss In County Court, Cass County, Nebraska.
To all persons interested in the estate of John Smith, deceased:
Notice is hereby given that on the 14th day of October, A. D. 1887, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., at the county judge's office in Plattsmouth, in said county, the petition, asking for the appointment of Elijah Lutz as administrator of said estate, will be heard and considered at which time and place all persons may appear and show cause, if any they have, why he should not be appointed as such administrator. Dated this 23rd day of September, A. D. 1887. C. RUSSELL, County Judge.

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