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We haven't half as much fault to find with the census returns of Nebraska as we have with our King Corn returns.

MR. BLAINE is evidently not standing on the feather alone of the British Lion's casual appendage. At least we judge not by the way the British press commences to bluster and howl.

THE world's fair will be held on time and no quibbles on the part of the eastern representatives will prevent it. If the commissioners cannot get ground at Chicago that meets the dignity of the occasion let them come to Nebraska.

THE Prohibitionist of Nebraska goes clear back on the nonpartisan movement and is putting up prohibition tickets wherever they can get enough of their party to perform that perfunctory operation. This procedure will simply injure the chances of the amendment, of which our ultra temperance friends seem to be in different.

McKEIGHAN, the everybody's calamity candidate for congress in the second district, has been running for office in that country since the last grasshopper raid and it is confidentially reported that he and his committee predicted the reappearance of that pestiferous pest with his election this fall. However, both McKeighan and his all the grasshopper, will both fail to connect this season.

If anyone wanted positive proof of the calibre of the man, that proof is furnished by young Mr. Bryan when he sends his photograph to the democratic newspapers of the district to be kept at the head of the column as an electioneering dodge. The catarrh fiend is quite enough for the public without having to gaze on the exalted cheek of a brassy politician every time one opens a rural newspaper.

The English newspapers are raving at Mr. Blaine over the Behring Sea matter. Great Britain is always right in international disputes where the question of trade comes up, and every body else is always wrong. The insatiable maw of British commerce cannot be satisfied short of the entire earth. It is very fortunate that this nation has a man at the head of State affairs who has backbone and brains for the occasion. Mr. Blaine need not fear, the American people, without bluster or hesitation will stand by the administration on the fisheries dispute and see that our rights are preserved.

THE stupidity of partisan politics seems to be thoroughly exemplified by the World-Herald these days. With an option dealer at the head of the democratic ticket, whose principal recommendation with his party was his supposed boudle, and a banker running on the same ticket for the very important office of state treasurer, that paper launches forth in its campaign against Mr. Richards, the republican candidate for governor, with the charge that he is a capitalist and banker, therefore, unfit to be trusted by the people. The low estimate the World-Herald places upon the intelligence of the people seems to blind its own eyes to its own shallow incincerity.

THE mere fact is that twenty-five years ago the public debt was \$2,750,000,000, and it is now only \$1,100,000,000, and the interest charge is but \$27,500,000. In the present year a large proportion of the debt has been extinguished. At the time of the 1880 census the public debt was \$1,900,000,000, and the interest charge was \$59,500,000 so that in a decade the debt had been reduced \$998,000,000, or say \$1,000,000,000. The present census shows that 100,000,000 people in the United States are in probability, and this will figure a debt at the present time of only \$14 per inhabitant, which is small. The late rest charge of \$9,417,600 enters a tax of less than 50 cents per year per inhabitant.

It may not be generally known that much of the sculpture of ancient Athens was originally painted in bright colors. Until recently archaeologists maintained the theory that the refined art of the Greeks had found its expression in the pure form of the marble, disregarding color; and any evidence to the contrary were destroyed, as only giving rise to troublesome theories, subversive of the true worship of Greek art. Within the past few years, however, several interesting pieces of painted sculpture have been discovered which have given rise to some interesting speculations among students and artists. Harper's Magazine for September will contain an article by

Russel Sturgis describing several of the most important of these discoveries, which he declares to be "the most curious, the most separate, the most unexpected" body of fine art that could possibly have been found. The article will be finely illustrated from photographs and from drawings made in Athens.

An Old Citizen.

From Wednesday's Daily. The Bee of yesterday records the death of a prominent capitalist of Omaha, in the person of S. W. Spratlan. Old citizens here will remember Mr. Spratlan as a successful merchant at Rock Bluffs, where he was associated with S. R. Johnson until 1867, when they moved away soon after locating in Omaha, where both acquired a competency. Mr. Spratlan's first wife was a sister of Frank Kauble and Mrs. C. M. Holmes, of this city. Mr. Spratlan was for many years a member of the wholesale grocery firm of D. M. Steele & Co., but latterly his time was wholly occupied looking after his financial affairs, he having at all times large sums of money on interest, being peculiar in that regard. He went through all of Omaha's booms but never bought any real estate.

Just Retribution. Frank Lambert, of Rock Bluffs, it will be remembered secured a back pension to the amount of \$1,600 two years ago and was placed on the pension rolls at \$30 per month. Last November he, at the instigation of a married daughter, in Kentucky, deserted his wife and two children, who are both imbeciles and joined his daughter in Cattlesburg, she figuring to get the use of his money; the county ever since has been compelled to provide for the poor woman who was left entirely destitute. Yesterday word was received that Mr. Lambert had been run over by a locomotive and killed so that hereafter the widow will draw the pension and the two children and her husband will have to rustle.

A Serious Charge.

The Omaha World-Herald has the following to say about an old time Plattsmouth yardmaster that had many friends here, who will hope that he may thoroughly disprove the charges: "A complaint was filed at police headquarters yesterday morning charging Fred Hayes, for seventeen years yardmaster of the Burlington & Missouri railroad in this city, with obtaining money under false pretenses.

The complaint alleges that Hayes carried a dummy on the pay rolls in the name of 'T. Dinan.' The name was fictitious, and when the car came in Thomas Delaney, an employe of the Missouri Pacific railroad, drew the check, Hayes appearing to identify him as the 'T. Dinan' whose name was on the pay roll. Delaney would then get the check cashed and receive \$10 of the proceeds as his part of the scheme.

The scheme is alleged to have been in operation for about five months, and the entire amount of which the company has been defrauded is placed at not far from \$200. Delaney recently gave the whole snap away. The legal action was at once taken against Hayes, but Delaney will not be prosecuted.

Hayes received an intimation that something was wrong from a friend who is employed by the company. He said that the company had been holding back his pay and he suspected that something was in the wind. He said, however, that whatever it was, there was nothing in it and threatened he would give the company all they wanted of it before he got through."

High Five.

A very recherche high five party was held in the elegant parlors of the hotel Riley last evening in honor of Miss Lila Weeks and Miss Kittie Hartigan, of Hastings. Vanarnam, the prince of landlords, furnished the supper which with the artistic arrangement of fragrant flowers was a rare treat from an artistic as well as gastronomic standpoint. A delightful time was had, several of Plattsmouth's best young people being in attendance.

The following is a list of those present. Frank Cummins, Kittie Hartigan, Will Myers, Lila Weeks, Frank Richey, Anna Heisel, Chas. Richey, Rena Murray, Ed Dutton, Maggie Vallery, John Schuloff, Edna Adams, Frank Johnson, Ellis Wright, Chas Vallery, Manota Eikenbary, Fred Morgan, Maggie Oliver, Elmer Cole, Anna Amison, Robt Hayes, Hattie Chapman.

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A very pleasant party of young people were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. George Dovey last evening at their handsome home on Third street, in honor of their guest, Miss Hicks, of Chicago.

PERSONALS.

Mr. W. W. Hull went out to Lincoln today for a short vacation.

Mike Shirk, the corner groceryman, made a business trip to Omaha this morning.

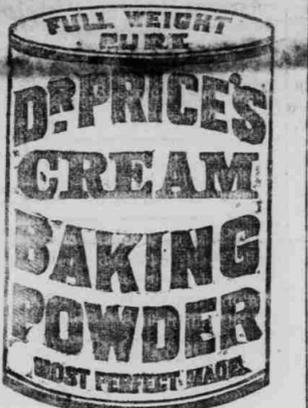
Sam Barker, the prince of the cattle men, returned this morning from a week's trip in the west.

J. C. Eikenbary is shaking hands with old friends and looking after business matters in the courts.

Mr. W. W. Scott went up to Lincoln this morning to look after his son who was injured in the R. & M. yards here some time ago.

Fred Murphy came down from the Cedar Creek Bank last night to see the baby which he yows is the finest in the county.

Miss Kittie Hartigan, who has been visiting here a few days, returned to her home at Hastings this morning. She was accompanied by Miss Flora Donovan and Miss Etta Shepherd, who will visit a few days with friends in Hastings.



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Young married man, as soon as you can buy such a place, even if you have to put on it a mortgage reaching from base to capstone. The much abused mortgage which is ruin to the reckless man, to one prudent and provident is the beginning of a competency and fortune, for the reason he will not be satisfied until he has paid it off, and all the household are put on strictest economy until then. Buy your self all such luxuries and all luxuries until you can say: "Everything in this house is mine thank God!—every timber, every brick every foot of plumbing, every door sill." Do not have children born in a boarding house, and do not yourself be buried from one. Have a place where your children can shout and sing and romp, and not be overhauled for the racket. Have a kitchen where you can do something toward the reformation of evil cookery and the lessening of this nation of despectics. As Napoleon lost one of his great battles by an attack of indigestion, so you may lose a daily wrestle with the food swallowed that they have no strength left for the battle of life; and though your wife may know how to play all musical instruments and rival a prima donna, she is not well educated unless she can boil an Irish potato and broil a mutton chop, since the diet sometimes decides the fate of families and nations.

Have a setting room with at least one easy chair, even though you have to take turns at sitting in it, and books out of the public library, or of your own purchase for the making of your family intelligent, and checker boards and guessing matches, with an occasional blind man's bluff, which is of all games my favorite. Rouse up your homes with all styles of innocent amusement, and gather up in your children's lives a reservoir of exuberance that will pour down refreshing streams when life gets parched and the dark days come and the lights go out and the laughter is smothered in to a sob.—T. De Witt Talmage.

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