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**Highway Robbery.**

F. A. Creamer and Mr. Klein of Ashland brought in a man to-day who attempted to hold a hired man near South Bend last evening. The robber only got 25 cents but if he had persisted he might have got \$100 as that amount was held by would be victim. He now awaits trial and boards with Sheriff Tighe.

W. H. Fitzgerald who has been in the employ of L. N. Hogan for three seasons as hostler, leaves this week for Louisville and will go with L. H. Livingston's steam thrasher this fall.—ECHO.

The man who went out to milk taking his seat in the middle of a ten acre field and waited for the cow to back up to him is a relative of the man who kept store and did not advertise.—Beatrice Express.

Commissioner Loder was out here this week and condemned a car of piling shipped here from some Lincoln lumber company to be used in constructing county bridges. The piling were very slim and not fit for building a foot bridge.—Elmwood Echo.

Something over 6,000 crates of raspberries have been shipped from this point in the last few weeks. Mr. Tow-lee handled at least 5,000 of them. The shipment from Stone's farm was about 4,000 crates. The value of the crop was not much short of \$4,500. This is only from those who ship by quantities. We presume there was at least 1,000 crates gathered by small growers.—Greenwood opinion.

Posey Messersmith is confined to his house by illness. The boys say he has been setting out of nights watching his big pumpkins grow and taken cold. Posey says this famous vine grows toward the stand pipe at the rate of ten feet per day lately, and that it is now 111 feet and 4 inches long. We expect to hear of some big pumpkins from that quarter this fall.

Epworth League Meeting. KEARNEY, NEB., July 17. The second Epworth league convention of the tenth general conference district met in this city last evening. The district comprises Wyoming, Colorado, the Dakotas, Nebraska and Japan. Last evening an address was delivered by Rev. W. F. McDowell, chancellor of the Denver university. Reports were made today from 230 leagues representing a membership of about 8,000. The following officers were elected: H. A. Crane, president, Omaha; D. Graves, vice-president, Benkleman; Miss Maria Haight, secretary, Kearney; B. L. Paine, corresponding secretary and member of the board of control, Lincoln; Rev. W. A. Lee, member of the board of control, Laramie, Wyo. The convention adjourned this afternoon to meet at the call of the president.

The first state convention of the Epworth league then convened and the committee on credentials found 130 delegates present. The convention will be in session until Sunday evening. The meeting has been a successful one and will result in much good to the society.

The Twenty-fifth Annual Fair Cass county should do herself proud this fall at her quarter centennial exhibition, and from what we have heard thus early in the season we believe Cass county will give us such an exhibition of her resources as will surprise the oldest inhabitant. The crops are bounteous, the stock is healthy, sleek and well fed, and the list of premiums form an inducement that producers cannot afford to ignore. We have just been glancing over the Otoe county premium list and where exhibitors of hogs, cattle and many other things of interest are given a diploma down there the Cass county Agricultural society pays handsome premiums in cash.

Farmers will consult their own interests if they have not seen a premium list by writing to or calling on David Miller, secretary at his office with Fred Gorder, for a list and then go to work and get your stock ready for exhibition. Let us take more interest in our fair and build up an exposition to be proud of.

**Good Crops.**

Mr. Davidson a reliable commercial tourist in the employ of the Empire Hardware company of Council Bluffs has been traveling over Nebraska constantly for the last twelve years and has resided in this state for the last thirty-one years gives us his version of the crop outlook. He says that he traveled with team over the major portion of York, Hamilton, Polk, Butler and Seward counties last week and in all his thirty-one years experience he never saw as good a small grain harvest as the present one, and while corn is fully two weeks later than usual, it is clean, thrifty and shows a good stand and bids fair to make a remarkably heavy crop. Mr. Davidson says the report of traveling men all over the state is of the same import. He says crops are better in western Nebraska than they are in eastern owing to their bounteous rains and stronger soil.

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Plattsmouth Was In It  
The B. & M. nine went over to Glenwood yesterday and defeated the Glenwood team which had a professional battery and second baseman playing with them, by the flattering score of 3 to 1. Our boys play ball and no mistake. They say Donelan of Glenwood was not so loud as usual after the game had been played, it took the tuck out of him.

District reunion  
The G. A. R. post, S. of V. camp, and W. R. C. of Greenwood, Neb. will hold a district re-union on August 3rd, continuing one week. We shall endeavor to make this the most pleasant re-union we ever held.—this being our fourth.

Tents, wood and straw furnished free to campers. The camp will be located in the beautiful park on the bank Salt river. The program for each day will be read by the Adjutant at 9 o'clock from the platform. Noted speakers from abroad will entertain the people in the forenoon. Afternoons will be taken up in sham battles, sport and amusements of the boys when in camp or on the skirmish line in '91 and '93.

Come out everybody and have a good hearty laugh just for your health. Tons of sport and amusement will take place in camp every night. It is earnestly hoped that every comrade will bring guns as there will be ammunition in the camp by the keg to be burned.

ATTENTION COMRADES  
Right dress! Dress up in front on Monday morning at 9 o'clock the 3rd. The orderly will call the roll and a comrade not responding to his name will be immediately transferred into the invalid corps and given a dose of salts.

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UNCLE SAM'S FISH DISPLAY.

The Worlds Fair will have the Greatest Aquarium ever Constructed. The fish exhibit at the World's Columbian Exposition is to be a wonderful one, and not the least interesting portion of it naturally, will be the aquarial or live fish display. This will be contained in a circular building, 135 feet in diameter, standing near one extremity of the main Fisheries building, and in a great curved corridor connecting the two.

In the center of the circular building will be a rotunda sixty feet in diameter, in the middle of which will be a basin or pool about twenty six feet wide from which will arise a towering mass of rocks covered with moss and lichens. From crevices in the rocks crystal streams of water will gush and drop to the masses of reeds, rushes, and ornamental semi-aquatic plants in the basin below. In this pool gorgeous gold fishes golden idees, golden trench, and other fishes will disport. From the rotunda one side of the larger series of aquaria may be viewed. These will be ten in number and will have a capacity of seven thousand to twenty-seven thousand gallons of water.

Passing out of the rotunda by the entrances a great corridor or gallery is reached where on one hand can be viewed the opposite side of the other a line of tanks and somewhat smaller, ranging from 750 to 1,500 gallons each in capacity. The corridor or gallery is about fifteen feet wide. The entire length of the glass fronts of the aquaria will be about 575 feet or over 3,000 square feet of surface. They will make a panorama never before seen in any exhibition, and will rival the great permanent aquariums of the world not only inside but in all other respects.

The total water capacity of the aquaria, exclusive of reservoirs, will be 18,725 cubic feet, or 140,000 gallons. This will weigh 1,192,425 pounds, or almost 600 tons. Of this amount about 40,000 gallons will be devoted to the marine exhibit. In the entire salt water circulation, including reservoirs, there will be about 80,000 gallons. The pumping and distributing plant for the marine aquaria will be constructed of valcanite. The pumps will be in duplicate and will each have a capacity of 3,000 gallons per hour. The supply of sea water will be secured by evaporating the necessary quantity at the Woods Hill station of the United States Fish commission to about one-fifth its bulk, thus reducing both quantity and weight for transportation about 80 per cent. The fresh water required to restore it to its proper density will be supplied from Lake Michigan. In transporting the marine fishes to Chicago from the coast there will also be an addition of probably 3,000 gallons of pure sea water to the supply on each trip.

Wm. Short brought suit against his wife Lucy for divorce about a month ago telling a cruel tale of abuse and cruelty on the part of the wife. Wm. repented however and returned to his spouse this week and the proceedings have been dismissed.

Henry C. McMaken of Plattsmouth well known G. A. R. man and an aid-de-camp on the staff of the commander-in-chief, is in town looking after Grand Army matters. He is enthusiastic over Lincoln's chances of securing the annual encampment of 1892. The Nebraska delegation has secured a one-fare rate to and from the encampment at Detroit and will leave over the Burlington on the 2d of August.—St. Joe Journal.

Needles, oils and parts for all kinds of machines can be found at the Singer office, corner of Main and Sixth streets, with H. Beck.

How a King Keeps Cool.  
The King of Siam is said to have in one of his country palaces a wonderful pavilion. It was built by a Chinese engineer as a refuge for the King during the extreme heat of the summer. The walls, ceilings, and floors are formed of pieces of plate glass an inch thick. These are so perfectly fitted together with a transparent cement that the joints are invisible and no fluid can penetrate. The pavilion is 28 feet long and 17 wide, and stands in the middle of a huge basin made of beautiful colored marbles.

When the King enters the pavilion the single door is closed and cemented. Then the sluice gates are opened and the basin is filled with water. Higher and higher it rises until the pavilion is covered and only the ventilators at the top connect it with the open air. When the heat of the sun is so great that the water almost boils on the surface of the freshest fountains, this pavilion is deliciously cool. And that is the way the King of Siam cools himself off in the hot weather. It sounds very delightful.—From Harpers Young people.

The Ladies Home Journal.  
Lady Macdonald, the widow of the last premier of Canada, opens the August Ladies Home Journal with her first contribution to literature, in the open article of a series which she has written for that magazine, descriptive of, "An Unconventional Holiday" which, with a party of friends and in her private car, she enjoyed last summer through the most picturesque portions of Canada. Lady Macdonald's article is written in that delightful fresh and unconventional manner of which we see so little in our modern literature, and which possesses such a charm. Annie R. Ramsey has some very timely "Hints on Mountain Climbing"; Kate Tamatt Woods treats a new subject in telling what "The Girls off to Boarding School" should take with her; the poet Tennyson's wife is sketched in the series of "Unknown Wives of Well-Known Men"; a very helpful handful of articles are those which treat of all the "Summer Ills and Summer Dangers"; the different "Types of American Girls" are treated by four able writers; Jeannette L. Gilder has a clever character-sketch in "Pepper Hash"; Ellen Le Gradd shows the benefits of "Swimming for Girls"; Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney's and Jessie O'Donnell's series are continued; Dr. Talmage writes his month from seashore home; Hezekiah Butterworth and Robert J. Burdette tell some "Bright Things for Boys"; Mrs. Milton has the best Fashion articles supported by any magazine; Maria Parlor and Juliet Carson give some Dainties for the summer table; little Elsie Leslie writes of "Children on the Stage"; and all thought this number there is the birth of summer and the strength of merit. The Journal shows in this issue how well it is conducted. One dollar per year. Published in Philadelphia by the Curtis Publishing company.

A Close Call  
Saturday morning, July the 14th the lightning struck and completely demolished the house of John Scott in the west part of Greenwood. The bolt struck the chimney, leveling it to the roof. Here the bolt divided running in different directions down the roof tearing off fully half the shingles and splintering rafters in a fearful manner. The weather boarding, sheeting and studding were torn from two sides of the house. The inside of the house fared even worse than the outside. Lath, plastering and window casing were thrown to the middle of the floor. The miraculous part was that the family, consisting of five persons, were sleeping up stairs and escaped with only nominal injuries outside of the fright. The eads were covered with brick and plastering. The house litterly torn away from all sides of the beds. Every chair in the house was turned over and pictures and other ornaments were torn from the wall.—Greenwood Gazette.

Whether the difference is owing to race or climate our observations do not yet enable us to determine. There is a popular notion that the habit of prevarication goes along with warmth, or with a debilitating atmosphere, and that cold is a tonic, a sort of stimulant for truthfulness. We indeed have in the phrase "the cold truth" a recognition of this. We say that the northern latitudes nurse the rugged virtue of veracity.—Charles Dudley Warner in Harper's.

The Secret of Good Mountain Climbing.  
The secret of the climbing of the hunters is that they trust their feet as much as their hands. To plant their nailed shoe is all they ask in any place. They go steadily, but slowly, and rest often, so as to avoid climbing when exhausted or breathless. A tired or winded man will tumble, slip and be in danger where he would pass easily when fresh. The apprentice in this particular hunt found the greatest difficulty in crossing a chasm. A chaos is a steep slope covered with blocks of stone ranging from a hundred pounds to many tons.

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Common Sense in Bicycle Riding.  
Regarding pneumatic tires, the editor of the cycling department in Oating says: "There is no doubt about it but that a better air valve must be devised, made with an airtight cap which cannot be detached. Some such device I hear has been tried in its experimental stages, and when completed it will be a vast improvement on the crude valve now generally in use. Dealers must take pains to instruct purchasers of pneumatic tires how to inflate and to what tension—the heavier the man the harder the tension. Riders must use brains and common sense and not be afraid to take a bit of trouble if they would get the best results out of a pneumatic tire."

Bacteria Killed by Electricity.  
The disease producing bacteria may be killed by a current of electricity, as has been shown by experiments with bottles of water containing them. By passing the current from a battery through a loop of wire suspended in the water it was found that a small voltage was sufficient to deprive the most active bacteria of life. The consumption of bacilli died under two and a quarter volts, while other more hardy species could not survive more than three volts and a half.

Unfortunately, this electrical method would be too expensive and troublesome for the householder to pursue. It is suggested, therefore, that cities or water companies shall perform the entire task, delivering the water to consumers in a condition guaranteed harmless. According to the plan proposed the killing of the microbe is to be accomplished at the reservoir. Nothing could be easier than to apply the energy of a battery by a current at one place in the supply pipes as to kill with absolute certainty every microbe that passed through in the flowing water.

A dynamo with a capacity of 1,000 volts would do the work perfectly for the biggest possible pipe, slaying all the bacteria going through and rendering innocuous all the millions of gallons daily that a metropolis consumes. All that is necessary is that a length of the pipe shall be made of insulated material, and through holes in its sides will be inserted wires representing the poles of the battery—positive on one side and negative on the other. Set the dynamo going, and the current springs through the water, filling it with powerful electric waves necessarily fatal to all living organisms floating in the stream.—New York Telegram.

A Poor Man on Tax Days.  
City Comptroller Will C. Marshall had a big case just before he went into his office, and while it was pending he had to present a heavy bond for his client to the court. The client brought him a friend, who told Marshall he was worth \$100,000 in unnumbered real estate. At the proper time Marshall brought him before the court and put him on the stand.

"How much are you worth?" he asked him. The bondsman hesitated and began to wriggle uneasily in his chair. "Oh, well, you're worth \$100,000 in real estate, I suppose," said Marshall.

"Good gracious, no! Not half of that," exclaimed the witness. "I guess I am worth about \$20,000."

Marshall was astonished beyond measure, and had to ask the indulgence of the court while he sought another bondsman. Meeting his man outside the court room afterward, he asked him warily what he meant by such contradictory statements.

"I am worth \$100,000," said the man coolly, "but you don't suppose I'm fool enough to declare it in court? I've been reporting \$20,000 to the assessor straight along, and they'd be after me for back taxes if I told how much I was worth on the stand. I didn't know you was going to put me on the stand or I should have warned you."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Climate and Morals.  
The world is tolerably well mapped out as to diseases. The colored charts show us where we may most probably dwell with malaria, with consumption or with general debility. We study, also, the adaptability of plants to different climatic conditions. But our knowledge of the relation of man to climate is still far from scientific—that is to say, of the influence of climate upon character and conduct. To come to a detail, what, for instance, do we know of the effect of climate upon veracity. There are portions of the earth's surface where the inhabitants regard truth as a luxury seldom to be indulged in; in others the mind seems rather inclined to truthfulness.

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