

Molokai and the Lepers.
The general idea of the leper settlement on the island of Molokai is wrong, says a writer in *Harpers Weekly*. Instead of the entire island being used for the leper colony the settlement comprises only eight square miles out of a total area of 261 square miles. It occupies a tongue of land on the northern side of Molokai. The north, east and west shores of this tiny spit are washed by the Pacific, while on the south side rise precipitous cliffs of from 1,800 to 4,000 feet, which make the isolation seem even more hopeless than the beautiful deep blue waters of the sea ever could. The most difficult and dangerous trail, constantly manned by government guards, falls escape, if it were ever contemplated, by the land side.

Stupid Husband of a Noted Singer.
Catalani's husband, a handsome Frenchman, was even more unintellectual than his wife—he was stupid. Once, having found the pitch of the piano too high, she said after the rehearsal to her husband: "The piano is too high. Will you see that it is made lower before the concert?" When the evening came Catalani was annoyed to find that the piano had not been altered. Her husband sent for the carpenter, who declared that he had sawed off two inches from each leg, as he had been ordered to do. "Surely it can't be too high now, my dear," said the stupid husband soothingly.

Through the Cracks.
When the celebrated divine Edward Irving was on a preaching tour in Scotland two Dumfries men of decided opinions went to hear him. When they left the hall one said to the other: "Well, Willie, what do you think?" "Oh," said the other contemptuously, "the man's cracked!"
The first speaker had a quiet hand on his shoulder.
"Will," said he, "you'll often see a light peeping through a crack."

A Poor Player.
Griggs—So you got home from the club at midnight. Well, I suppose you told wife you had to work late at the office. Played upon her sympathies, eh? Briggs—Well—er—yes, but either her sympathies were out of tune or I'm a darned poor instrumentalist.—*Boston Transcript.*

The Mountains Bother Them.
The British have had heaps of trouble in Siam to make the natives understand that the world is round instead of flat. Indeed, the native teachers keep on teaching the children that it is flat, and when argued with they reply, "If it isn't flat why do the mountains stand up as they do instead of rolling downhill!"

Notice to Contractors.
Sealed bids will be received by the county clerk of Cass county, at his office in Plattsmouth, Nebraska, for installing a steam heating plant in the home at the County Poor Farm. Plans and specifications to accompany each and every bid.
County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.
Bids to be filed with the County Clerk on or before Noon of Monday, June 20th, 1910.
D. C. MORGAN,
County Clerk.
Plattsmouth, Neb., May 17, 1910. 1866

Notice.
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner from the Third district, subject to the will of the republicans, at the primary election this fall.
191-6t-wf.
H. DETTMAN.

Social.
at Mynard Thursday evening, June 9. Plattsmouth Cornet Band will furnish music. Everyone is invited to come. Do not forget the date, w2t-d2t.

Advertised Letter List.
Plattsmouth, Neb., May 30, 1910.
Ladies: Mrs. Jas. Algie, Mrs. Adelia Harding, Miss Hazel Kelling.
Gents: James Hageman, Ed Helmsel, Fred G. Meyers.
Above letters unclaimed will be sent to dead letter office June 13, 1910.
H. A. Schneider, P. M.

Today is the first of June, the month of the brides, and to start the ball rolling the Tvey-Seiver wedding will take place this evening at the Methodist church. It is to be quite an elaborate affair and will be attended by a large number of friends and relatives.

C. D. Grebe, brother of George Grebe, one of the old Burlington employees is in the city for a few weeks, coming in yesterday from Lander, Wyo., where he has been making his home. He is suffering with eye trouble and went to Omaha this morning to consult a specialist concerning them.

Frank and Edwin Booth, little sons of Mrs. Minnie Booth of Lincoln, have been in the city for several days at the residence of F. R. Guthman. They boarded the eight-fifteen train this morning for their homeward trip.

SWINGS THE BIG STICK

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onel's views coincide with the government opposition, but it is probable that the opposition objects to such caustic criticism coming from an outsider.
Although Roosevelt was frequently applauded during his speech there was no real enthusiasm in the applause, the audience evidently being more or less perplexed by the unexpected sensation which the speech developed.

The speech is bound to arouse the nationalists in Egypt and this puts on one of the most serious phases. In the light of Roosevelt's recent speeches in Egypt when he assailed the nationalist movement, England had hoped, if Roosevelt touched Egyptian affairs it would be in a laudatory way and she was little prepared for being charged with responsibility for the crisis that now confronts her in Egypt.

After thanking the city chamberlain, Sir Joseph C. Diminsdale, who, in the corporations named offered Roosevelt the "right hand of fellowship" and presented him with the gold box containing the emblazoned vellum certificate of "freedom". Colonel Roosevelt spoke as follows:

"I am especially appreciative of today's honor because it is a sign of good will tending to knit all speakers of the English language. I prefer for to talk today regarding matters of real concern to you rather than merely to express thanks and eulogy."

"I have recently spent nearly a year under four British-African protectorates. Your men in Africa are doing a great work for the British empire and for civilization. The nations which are conquering the savage lands for civilization should work together. Mankind is benefited by the French occupation of Algiers and Tunis just as mankind is benefited from England's work in India, which is similarly for the interests of civilization."

"Governor Sir Percy Girouard is admirably fitted to deal wisely and firmly in East Africa. Uganda can't be a white man's country, owing to its climate. The prime needs is to administer the lands for the natives interest. The Sudan affords the best example of the wisdom of disregarding the well-meaning but unwise sentimentalists who object to spreading civilization at the expense of savagery."

"In Egypt you are not only the guardian of your own interests, but of the interests of civilization. The present condition of Egyptian affairs menaces your empire and civilization as well. You have given Egypt the best government in 2,000 years, yet recently you erred. It is necessary to remember that weakness and timidity and sentiment alike are more harmful to an uncivilized people than violence and injustice."

"You treated the pan-Egyptian movement and religious struggles fairly and impartially. Instead of acknowledging this, a section of the nation took advantage of this for the development of an anti-foreign movement. Premier Boutros Pasha, a competent official, an upholder of the British rule and a worker for his countrymen was murdered because of these facts. The attitude of the Egyptian nationalists regarding the murder of Montros shows that they not only vicious but are incapable of granting even primary justice."

Entertained.

Misses Blanche, Marie and Jessie Robertson informally entertained a few of their lady friends at a week end house party which extended over Decoration Day. The day or two was passed in a very pleasing manner at the Robertson home, those present being Misses Grace DeLashmatt of Burwell, Neb., May Cornell, Alameda, Colo., Fay Acker of South Omaha, Adelia White, Emma Bauer, Blanche, Marie and Jessie Robertson.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

G. P. Meisinger of Cedar Creek has turned in his precinct returns from Eight Mile Grove and with the reports from the two city assessors P. E. Ruffner and A. D. Despain, the returns from the entire county have been received and the precinct assessor work for the time being is at an end.

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Notice of Probate of Will.

In the County Court of Cass County Nebraska.
In the matter of the estate of Edwin R. Todd, deceased.
All persons interested in said estate are given notice that a petition has been filed for the probate of the will of said Edwin R. Todd, deceased, and the appointment of the executrix named therein. A hearing will be had on said petition in said Court in the Court House at Plattsmouth, Neb., on the 4th day of June 1910, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day.
(seal) Allen J. Beeson,
D. O. Dwyer, County Judge.
Attorney. 7-8t

Arrested Twice.

Alex Hunter, who works on a telephone gang in this city, got a pretty good sized snout full yesterday afternoon by the time the corner doors were closed at eight o'clock, he had nearly lost his bearings of the city. He rambled down to the residence of C. J. Baker and made a noise like trying to get into the house where he was under the impression that he had rented a room. He was picked up later in the evening by the sheriff who took him to the city strong house to sleep it off. This morning he pleaded guilty before Judge Archer to the charge of being drunk and disorderly and was given a fine of \$5.00 and costs which was suspended by the magistrate till Saturday night when Alex will be a little more flush.

About noon he sailed up to the Baker home again with a fairly good cargo, crawled into his room and commenced to slumber when he was rudely interrupted by an officer who had been summoned to remove him from that vicinity. He was again locked up in the calaboose where he will remain until morning when he will have another chance to explain to the judge.

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Crane Being Constructed.

The pavement at the corner of Fifth and Main street is being torn up and the connections are being made with the main for the water crane to be erected at the corner for the city street sprinkler. The apparatus is a long needed necessity which looks good to pedestrians who remember some of the sand storms that swept Main street on account of the long trip necessary for the squirt wagon to make in order to get its supply of aqua pura, while the wind and sun were drying up the streets and making life miserable for people who were forced to be out.

Goes to Get Blunt.

The complaint, which it was thought would be filed in county court yesterday afternoon, was brought before Judge Archer and filed in the county court this morning by County Attorney Ramsey. The complaint had been made several days ago by Detective Hendricks but the county attorney did not finish the examination and file it until this morning. The charge is made for stealing of personal property valued at \$141.62 from the Missouri Pacific railroad company. Sheriff Quinton left on the morning train for Nebraska City where blunt is under arrest to bring the man back for hearing. They are expected to arrive here this evening and the hearing will be held tomorrow.

Buy your cotton flannel gloves and mittens of the Plattsmouth Golve Co., Plattsmouth, Neb., Ind. Phone White 435. w-f

Back From Pleasure Trip.

T. T. Keenish returned to his favorite stamping grounds last evening after a pleasant trip in the east visiting friends in Illinois. At Wanika he visited his niece, Miss Katharine Dovey, who is a senior at the Gerton school. There he had some class time, all of the fair students knew him as "Uncle Tom" and he had no need of a family name at all. While at "Chi" someone's sticky fingers got into his pocket book and touched him without his being aware of the fact for some time. "Uncle Tom" was quite wrathful when he found that someone had gotten the best of him and he felt like punching the first man who looked cross-eyed at him, however no one got good in his direction and no deaths were recorded.

A marriage license was issued yesterday afternoon for Claude T. Pierce, age 25, and Mabel Ross, age 24. The former is a resident of Scottsbluff while the bride is a Missouri girl. The party expected to hold the ceremony today.

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Legal Notice

In the District Court of Cass Co., Neb. In the matter of the Guardianship of Donovan A. Walling, a minor. Order to show cause.

This cause came on for hearing upon the petition of George W. Walling, guardian of the Estate of Donovan A. Walling, a minor, praying for a license to sell an undivided one-third interest in fee simple in Lots Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Sixteen (16) and Seventeen (17), in West Greenwood Cass County, Nebraska, for the support and education of said minor and for the better investment of the residue, there being no personal property belonging to said minor's estate.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at Plattsmouth, on the 20th day of June, 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m., to show cause why a license should not be granted to said guardian to sell said real estate for the support and education of said minor and for the better investment of the residue thereof.

It is further ordered that this notice be published for three weeks successively in the Semi-Weekly News-Herald a newspaper published and of general circulation in said county, next prior to the date of said hearing.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1910
Harvey D. Travis,
Judge of the District Court.

Legal Notice.

To Lydia Merriam, Aré E. Alexander, Lloyd D. Bennett, Margaret L. Bennett, Medy Bloodworth, Meedy P. Bloodworth, Abigail Bloodworth, Spencer Packard, L. R. Baxley, (first and real name unknown The unknown Heirs or Devises of Selden N. Merriam, deceased, The Unknown Heirs or Devises of William Parman, deceased, The Unknown Heirs or Devises of Elias Gibbs, deceased:

You and each of you will hereby take notice that on May 28th, 1910, John Warga, Plaintiff, filed his petition in the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, against you, and others, the object, purpose and prayer of which is to remove clouds from and quiet the title of record by the decree of said Court, to the North East quarter of South East quarter and South East quarter of North East quarter of Section Five (5) and North West West quarter of South West quarter and Government Lot Four (4) in Section Four (4) and also a tract of land in said Section 4, described as: Beginning at quarter section corner on West side of said Section 4, and running thence north 10 chains; thence Southeast 72 chains to a point intersecting a line through the centre of said section 4, and thence West to place of beginning, known as sub lot 14 of Government Lot 3, in said Section 4, all in Town Eleven (11) North, Range Fourteen (14) East of the Sixth P. M. in Cass County, Nebraska; in Plaintiff as against you and others; and to exclude you and each of you from ever asserting or claiming any right, title or interest therein, or to any part or parcel thereof, and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 11th day of July 1910, or the allegations contained in said petition will be taken as true and decree rendered accordingly.

Dated: May 28, 1910.
JOHN WARGA,
12-8t Plaintiff.
By JOHN M. LEYDA, His Attorney.

Funeral of Mrs. Davis.

Funeral services were held today for the late Mrs. Edwin Davis, taking place from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rasmus Petersen on High school hill. Rev. W. L. Austin conducted the services, delivering a short sermon over the remains, his text being taken from Rom. 1:7. A quartette consisting of Miss Bessie Jackson, Miss Edna Peterson, E. H. Wolcott and B. A. McElwain furnished the music, and with other selections sang "Asleep in Jesus," and "Rock of Ages." Interment was made at Oak Hill cemetery. The pall bearers were Judge H. H. Newell, A. W. Atwood, B. S. Ramsey, R. B. Windham, Judge J. E. Douglas and W. H. Freese.

Junior Auxiliary Entertain.

The Junior Auxiliary of the Methodist Episcopal church gave a delightful May Pole party at Coates hall last evening to a large crowd of church members and appreciative friends. The early part of the evening was given over to a well-rendered program of about six numbers, following which was a May Pole dance by a bevy of about a dozen prettily dressed little girls, members of the Junior Auxiliary. The pole in the center of the floor was draped with blue and pink ribbon and at the base was a large cluster of ferns. A quite lengthy drill was perfectly carried out by the girls at the ends of the ribbons, part of it including singing and dancing. The participants in the drill had been under the direction of Miss Helen Dovey for some time and showed hours of careful instruction.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served and as the evening progressed the younger set took advantage of the piano and floor and spent the latter part of the evening in dancing.

Mrs. John A. Donelan and Miss Verna Leonard left thiw afternoon for Fort Morgan, Colo., where they will spend a few weeks with friends.

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