

NEBRASKA STATE NEWS

SEARCHING FOR IMPURE FOOD.

Food Commissioner Thompson Seeking Adulterants.

LINCOLN—Food Commissioner Thompson is looking for adulterated food products shipped into the markets of Nebraska...

"It is the department's intention to continue these researches until we know just what the people are being swindled with in the line of canned goods," said Mr. Thompson.

The cases begun by Food Commissioner Thompson against a number of Lincoln milk dealers last summer will come up for hearing.

VANDALS RUIN MACHINERY.

Spórtamen Use the Creamery Equipment for Targets.

SUPERIOR—An astounding piece of vandalism has recently come to light in this city.

The woman who poses as a professional beauty must lead a strenuous life in order to hold her job.

Where to insure my property and why. Losses will occur, that is why I insure.

A Goffier's Maiden Speech. Representative "Nick" Longworth of Ohio, the amateur golf champion of Hamilton county...

Nebraska Resources Illustrated. This is a condensed history of Nebraska, covering a period of fifty years...

She Jumped to Her Death. GRAND ISLAND—While Paul Krilo, 60 years of age, and Mrs. Mary Williams, a widow of 45, were crossing the Union Pacific tracks...

Hogs Bring High Prices. LYONS—Manly & Co. held a great sale of Duroc-Jersey reds at their place east of here.

Rush for the Land. RUSHVILLE—It has been learned that the agent at Pine Ridge agency received instruction from Washington to relinquish authority over the extension known as "No. 14's Land" in Sheridan county...

Calling in Warrants. State Treasurer Mortenson expects to cash \$200,000 worth of warrants during this month.

Fatal Fall from Wagen. GREELEY—John Davitt's team got beyond his control and threw him from the buggy.

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THE STATE AT LARGE.

Hooper is soon to have a new postmaster. Spirited revival services are on in Loup City.

York has voted school bonds in the amount of \$28,000. Republicans of Palmyra have organized a Roosevelt club.

St. Patrick's Catholic church at Fremont is now out of debt. Arrangements are being perfected for electric light in Sutton.

A fair for the benefit of the Kearney hospital netted over \$2,000. A Rebekah lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, has been organized in Blair.

Thomas J. Castle has withdrawn his opposition to the construction of a storm water ditch in Dodge county and a suit instituted by him will be discontinued.

Fire destroyed the residence of H. H. Martin, editor of the Ranger, at Republican City. It originated from a defective fuse. Estimated loss, \$300; insured for \$400.

Mrs. J. C. Fraxelle has sued the city of Columbus and asks damages in the sum of \$2,000 for injuries which she alleges she sustained by falling on a defective sidewalk.

Thieves entered the cellar of Mrs. Margie McCormick in Nebraska City and removed all of the contents, including about sixty cans of fruit and the winter's supply of vegetables.

Telephone lines will connect Ogallala with the following towns after April 1: Julesburg, Colo., Big Spring, Brule, Grant, Paxton, Neb., also Haytown ranch in McPherson county.

Two consuls of George W. E. Dorsey of Fremont were heavy losers in the Baltimore fire, one being president of a national bank and the other the senior member of a wholesale dry goods firm.

Joseph Hensley died at his home in Edgar, aged 84 years. He came to the county in the year 1879. He was a member of the Presbyterian church and was loved and respected by all who knew him.

The Lang Broom Manufacturing company, with an investment of \$2,500, is about to commence business in Beatrice by opening a factory capable of turning out 100 dozen brooms a day.

C. Frank Mackey, who is charged by Luluia Gallisath, a 15-year-old girl with a statutory offense, had his preliminary examination before Justice of the Peace Curtis in Columbus and was held to the district court in the sum of \$500.

The complaint against James Church for statutory assault on a girl 14 years old was dismissed by County Attorney Latham of Platte county and another complaint filed at once, charging child stealing. He was arraigned and held to the district court.

Chris Waltenhart, aged 81 years, living four miles southwest of Elk Creek, slipped and fell while engaged in carrying in a load of wood and struck his head on the doorstep with force enough to cause concussion of the brain. He died soon after.

Stewart Moloney, recently of Batavia, Ill., has been appointed superintendent of the Dempster Mill Manufacturing company's plant in Beatrice and will assume the duties of the position immediately.

Governor Mickey sent the following message of sympathy and condolence to the people of Baltimore: "Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 16.—To the Mayor of Baltimore, Md.: The people of Nebraska extend profound sympathy to the citizens of the afflicted city of Baltimore. If we can assist you, please command us."

The mortgage report for Washington county, as reported by George H. Faber, county clerk for the month of January, is as follows: Number of farm mortgages filed, 13, \$24,245; released, 13, \$19,675; town and city mortgages filed, 7, \$2,650; released, 8, \$2,540; chattel mortgages filed, 54, \$12,287; released 70, \$20,278.

James Maddox of North Bend assaulted Ernest Kern, a lawyer and real estate dealer in that city, and pounded him up pretty badly with a heavy cane. The two men are brothers-in-law and had some trouble over Kern's objection to Maddox as an appraiser of some property taken on a writ of replevin. Kern's injuries are very serious.

Burch and Grace McGrew, mentioned in the Moleated Press encephalogram as being drowned in the Philippine waters, were reared in Auburn. They are brother and sister. Dr. Fletcher S. W. McGrew, their parents, live in Auburn. Burch McGrew was one of the most promising young educators of Nebraska. He went to the Philippine islands two years ago and his sister followed him recently. She has been at her present position but a few weeks.

Charles Elliott, carrier of rural route No. 2, which runs out of Beatrice, was injured in a runaway accident southwest of town. The team he was driving ran away and demolished the mail wagon, throwing Mr. Elliott out on the frozen ground. His injuries are not regarded as serious.

The February mortgage record for Platte county is as follows: Thirty-five farm filed, \$59,922.70; thirty-nine town filed, \$58,838.25; eighteen city filed, \$12,194.45; town released, \$7,782.49; sixty-three chattels filed, \$18,904.03; sixty-four chattels released, \$22,383.56.

The city of Cedar Bluffs has issued bonds for the construction of a municipal water plant. The issue amounts to \$8,500 and the bonds were brought to Lincoln by City Clerk F. B. Knapp Tuesday and registered with the state auditor, as required by law.

Section men on the Northwestern and the Union Pacific are said to be organizing with the object of securing a raise in wages.

The resort conducted by Fern McDonald at Norfolk was burned to the ground. The inmates had a lively time getting out.



Pipes. The best cheer comes from a man's own cheerful heart...

Falls. This being leap year it is only natural to presume that the greater number of suicides will be among the male population.

Walls. Oh! Wallie is his name— He is a Chollie! All the girls are quite entranced with this title in fancy page...

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War is a terrible thing. Think of the weary and heartick newspaper men madly turning the leaves of the biographical atlases in a wild endeavor to spell those Russo-Japanese names.

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Another Version. Very frequently we read "Then they were wed and lived happily ever after..."



Physical culture is all right, but attending to the furnace in zero weather is more physical than cultured.

Perhaps we would not grumble so at the price of ice in this world if we stopped to think we cannot buy it at any price in the next.

An exchange defines a cubic yard as the place where the Cuban children play.

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Mrs. Haskell, Worthy Vice Templar, Independent Order Good Templars, of Silver Lake, Mass., tells of her cure by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: Four years ago I was nearly dead with inflammation and ulceration. I endured daily untold agony, and life was a burden to me. I had used medicines and washes internally and externally until I found a new friend, called as the home of a friend, I noticed a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"I wish every sick woman would try it and be convinced."—Mrs. IRA HASKELL, Silver Lake, Mass. Worthy Vice Templar, Independent Order of Good Templars.

When a medicine has been successful in more than a million cases, it is justice to yourself to say, without trying it, "I do not believe it would help me?"

When a woman is weak and tired, and her system is deranged, exhausted with each day's work, you have derangement of the feminine organism, and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you just as surely as it has helped Mrs. Tillie Hart, of Larimore, N. D., say:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM: I might have spared many months of suffering had I known of the efficacy of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound sooner, for I tried many remedies before I found your Vegetable Compound. I dreaded the menstrual period ever since I was a child, and the flow was very scanty and painful, but after I had used two months I became regular. I continued until I felt the parts were strengthened and without assistance and pain, and I am pleased to say your Vegetable Compound is really a blessing. Sincerely yours, Mrs. Tillie Hart, Larimore, N. D."

cost all letters addressed to her by sick women. Perhaps she has just the knowledge that will help your case—try her to-day—it costs nothing.

THE LINCOLN IMPORTING HORSE CO. Lincoln, Nebraska. German Coach Percherons, English Shire, French Draft and Belgians.

THE WABASH RAILROAD. East and South. Special rates on sale daily to all winter resorts of the South.

Room for Millions. Real Homesteads given away. Schools, Churches, Railroads, Hospitals, etc., everything to be desired.

Largest growers of ONION. LARGES RED GLOBE. Our Prices range from 60 cents to \$1.50 per bushel.

FARMERS and STOCKMEN. We can save you considerable money by having our own warehouses and feeding yards and receiving stock, poultry, etc., for you.

There is a way of trifling that costs a heap of money. Neglect Lumbago and Sciatica and it may put you on crutches, with loss of time and money. St. Jacobs Oil will cure surely, promptly. Price, 25c. and 50c.



A Professional Nurse Tells Her Experience With Doan's Kidney Pills.

Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Gentlemen—I heartily wish those who are suffering from backache and disturbed action of the kidneys would try Doan's Kidney Pills. As was the case with me, they will be more than surprised with the results. I had been troubled for years with my spine. I could not lie on either side. Spinal cramps would follow, and I could not explain the agony which I would endure. While in these cramps I could not speak or move, but by making a great effort after the cramp had left me I could begin to speak and move a little, but my whole back was so sore and lame that I could not even have the back bathed for some time. My nerves were in a terrible state. I would rather sit up at night than go to bed, dreading the cramps and the terrible backaches. I consulted physicians, but got only a little relief for the time being. Seeing your advertisement, my mother urged me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. After using one box I was better, and have ever since been on the gain. I have no backache and no cramps now and I feel like a new person. My nerves are better and I know my blood is purer. Words cannot express my thanks to you for what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for me. In my work as professional nurse I have a chance to recommend them; and they did me so much good that I will do so on every possible occasion. HATTIE BRIGHAM, Nurse, Doan's Kidney Pills are sold at 50 cents per box. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., for a free trial box.

Where to insure my property and why. Losses will occur, that is why I insure. The Mutual has only losses and expenses to pay. An Old Line Company has losses, expenses and dividends on its capital stock, and the more capital the more expense. A good Mutual Company is absolutely secure, and the cost is little over one-half the other. Then I should insure in the STATE FARMER'S MUTUAL INSURANCE CO. of South Omaha, Nebr., B. R. STOFFER, Secretary.

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A Goffier's Maiden Speech. Representative "Nick" Longworth of Ohio, the amateur golf champion of Hamilton county, made his maiden speech in congress the other day. Fred Ireland, one of the official stenographers and himself a golfier, reported the speech. He began his notes as follows: "Representative Longworth reed up his first oratorical ball today and made a pretty drive for 180 yards. He got in trouble in the long grass with his metaphorical iron on the second shot, but came out bravely with a poetical approach and held down in five with a peroration that gave him bogey."

Dispensed With Useless Eating Tools. Governor Van Sant, of Minnesota, is visiting Washington. The governor was a burly and breezy steamboat captain on the Mississippi and is called "captain" to this day. Every time he goes to the capital they tell the story of his first dinner at the White House. When he sat down at the table he found several spoons, several forks and several knives in front of him. The governor inspected the cutlery carefully. Then he chose one knife, one fork and one spoon, brushed the rest aside and allowed he would eat his dinner with the selections he had made.

SURE. The Robust Physique Can Stand More Coffee Than a Weak One.

A young Virginian says: "Having a naturally robust constitution far above the average and not having a nervous temperament, my system was able to resist the inroads upon it by the use of coffee for some years but finally the strain began to tell."

"For ten years I have been employed as telegraph operator and typewriter by a railroad in this section and until two years ago I had used coffee continually from the time I was eight years old, nearly 20 years."

"The work of operating the telegraph key is a great strain upon the nerves and after the day's work was over I would feel nervous, irritable, run down and toward the last suffered greatly from insomnia and neuralgia. As I never indulged in intoxicating liquors, drugs or tobacco in any form I came to the conclusion that coffee and tea were causing the gradual breakdown of my nervous system and having read an article in the Medical Magazine on the composition of coffee and its toxic effect upon the system, I was fully convinced that coffee was the cause of my trouble."

"Seeing Postum spoken of as not having any of the deteriorating effects of coffee I decided to give up the stimulant and give Postum a trial. The result was agreeably surprising. After a time my nerves became wonderfully strong. I can do all my work at the telegraph key and typewriter with far greater ease than ever before. My weight has increased 35 pounds, my general health keeping pace with it, and I am a new man and a better one."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. There's a reason. Look in each pig for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."