

A GENUINE FARCE MADE OF THE NEW LAW FOR INSPECTION OF STALLIONS

Money Thrown Away, and Many Horse Breeders Deprived of the Use of Stallions Through a Mere Compulsion by Law, Which is Unfair to Many.

Reports have come in from various parts of the state that the stallion and jack examination law, enacted at the last session of the state legislature, is not meeting with the hearty endorsement of all the farmers and owners of animals in the state. The contention is made against the measure that while it was designed to rid the state of undesirable or disease breeders, it does not accomplish that in fact. The reason set out therefore is that not all of the examination work is conducted in a thorough and competent manner, and that there is little or no good resulting from the operations of the measure.

The following from the Ord Quiz, is an example of complaints which have been made from other sources since the registration law went into effect:

"And how do these deputies work? They advertise that at a certain date they will be in a certain town. The stallions and jacks are brought in, the deputy looks into their mouths, runs his fingers over their legs and demands \$5 for his fee.

"What could such a law avail in discovering hereditary disease or ailments? Such a cursory examination means that a fine horse showing a blemish from a kick or defective wind caused temporarily by eating musty hay will be practically disharded from the service just as effectually as though his blemishes were due to a long line of diseased ancestors.

"We are told that the deputy who visited Ord examined forty-

seven stallions and jacks. Of course he took out of Ord \$225 for his day's work. Does the state get the money? It is safe to say that when the deputy's salary and expenses are paid and the office force maintained at the state farm there is nothing left. More likely there will be a deficit for the state to make up one way or another."

The law provides that the secretary of the state board of agriculture, the professor of animal husbandry of the University of Nebraska and the deputy state veterinarian, shall constitute the registration board. Examinations are conducted under veterinarians appointed by the board and the fee therefor is \$5 for each examination, \$3 for a renewal, and \$1 for a certificate showing a transfer of ownership.

The funds accruing from the examinations are, according to the law, used for printing certificates, for the pay of the inspectors and clerks necessary to conduct the work of the department and in publishing an annual record of stallions and jacks which have passed satisfactory examinations.

Failure to comply with the provisions of the new law means a fine of from \$50 to \$100, or imprisonment in the county jail for thirty days, or both, at the discretion of the court. Animals which do not pass the required examination are not allowed to be kept in service and their disqualification, in fact, means their retirement from the field of active breeders.

LEONARD JENNINGS DIES OF MEASLES

Sufferer From Bronchial Troubles Contracts Disease and Death Results.

From Saturday's Daily.

Leonard H. Jennings died at his home in the south part of the city Wednesday. The death of Mr. Jennings was caused by measles, complicated with other troubles. It is said that he had been afflicted for some time with a bronchial affection and had stated that he feared an attack of the measles on account of the other trouble and lived in fear of contracting the disease on that account. He came down with an attack of the measles, which is a serious matter for an adult in any case, and being complicated with the bronchial trouble, caused his death. He was 37 years and 4 months of age.

Mr. Jennings came here with his family from the western part of the state only last fall. Not many people knew him, but those who were associated with him in any way say that he was a hard-working man of steady habits and sensible of the duties devolving upon him as the head of a large family. He worked at whatever he could find to do and for a while was employed as a section hand on the Burlington.

A very sad feature of the case is that by the death of the husband and father, the mother is left with five children, the youngest of which is but 2 weeks old. Some of the other children have the measles and the woman has had a hard time taking care of her husband and the children. The family is without adequate means to meet an emergency of this kind. They are worthy people and should be given the aid that they so sorely need. The unfortunate woman and her little ones should not have their sorrow made all the greater, or their burden of grief heavier by any lack of the willingness of the people of Auburn to come to their assistance.

The funeral was held at the family home Thursday afternoon and the remains were interred in Sheridan cemetery.

The report that a case of the measles had resulted fatally caused considerable alarm, in view of the widespread epidemic of that disease that is now prevalent in the city. But there is really no cause for alarm when it is taken into consideration that it was a case where an adult patient was stricken who was not in physical condition to withstand the disease. It was by no means a normal case of measles.—Auburn Herald.

Lands for Sale.

440 acres in southeast Greenwood county, Kansas; fenced and cross-fenced; 80 acres of rich creek bottom land in cultivation, balance finest native prairie grass (limesoil). Fair 5-room house, stable, etc. Some bearing orchard. Lots of fine living water, which is furnished by a large creek which runs through north side of ranch. Creek is skirted with timber; cattle come off grass into deep water. This is considered to be one of the best little stock ranches in the county. School close by; fine smooth road to town. Just 5 1-2 miles from ranch to town; a nice well improved country all the way. For quick sale \$18 per acre buys this 440 acres; no trade taken on this. Has a mortgage of \$3500 that has yet three years to run. \$4420 buys the equity. Nothing better for the money. Give me to your friend if you don't want me, I must sell.

W. A. Nelson, Real Estate Broker, Fall River, Greenwood County, Kansas.

Alex Hunter Tried Tuesday.

J. H. McMaken, C. S. Johnson, Claus Boetel, Tom Frey, Harry Smith and other Plattsmouth men have been subpoenaed to appear in the district court of Mills county next Tuesday to give evidence in the case of the State of Iowa vs. Alex Hunter, who is charged with the murder of John Wagner.

Riley Block Store Rooms.

Ed Mason was engaged today in extending the petition through the rooms in the Riley block formerly occupied by the postoffice. The rooms will be fitted up for store rooms, in modern style, with prism glass above, which will render them light and desirable.

Mrs. Louise Cooper was a passenger to Omaha on the morning train today.

WEeping WATER. Republican.

Charles Gilmore and wife returned home last Monday night from near Pender, where they went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Puckett.

M. Pentico received a telegram announcing the death last Sunday of his brother, Jacob Pentico, living at Pierce, Neb. Deceased was 80 years old. Funeral was held Wednesday.

While bringing one of his horses to town recently to sell Will Morse was unfortunate enough to lose him, as the animal was taken with paralysis and died in a short time.

The dance given for the benefit of Ed Kelley at Manley January 29 netted \$240. It was a big help for Mr. Kelley, and William Ash was one of the main ones in carrying the plan to a successful finish. Ed is coming home soon and will be a mighty thankful man to get out of the hospital.

Dr. A. Teegarden, who spent a number of weeks here visiting his sons, departed Tuesday for San Diego, Cal., to visit his daughter, Mrs. Henderson. He was accompanied to Omaha by I. W. Teegarden, who got him well started on the Burlington route, and he will have a warm, nice trip to the south and west.

David Foltz, whose public sale takes place on Monday, February 12, has rented his farm to Henry Myers, and Mr. and Mrs. Foltz will move to South Omaha to reside. It may be for business reasons Mr. Foltz prefers South Omaha, otherwise why take oxygen and nitrogen along with the packing house odor?

L. D. Switzer rather surprised us by returning to Nebraska before the frost was out of the ground. Dock was going to find a good sunny spot where conditions were just right, and put on his white pajamas and flirted with southern breezes. But it seems he didn't get good and warm and in some towns where they entertained spinal meningitis, they were invited to move on, and they kept moving on until Nebraska was reached.

UNION Ledger.

Mrs. Hartley Crosby was called to Omaha last Saturday evening to visit her brother, who has been seriously ill.

Mrs. W. F. Tracy, whose home was in this village a few years ago, made a visit this week with some of her Union friends.

Among the matters of business transacted by the county commissioners on Tuesday was the appointment of Dr. A. E. Walker of this village as county physician for the second physicians' district.

C. Edward Wiley, a former well known citizen of this county, now residing in Walla Walla, Wash., arrived here Tuesday to make an extended visit among his relatives and numerous friends in this part of the county.

W. B. Banning has been taking quite an interest in the affairs of the State Agricultural society, and the board of directors evidently appreciate his services, for at a recent meeting Mr. Banning was appointed superintendent of the machinery department, an important position in connection with the state fair.

A. F. Bryan of Ashland, a state deputy for the Ancient Order of United Workmen, was here Tuesday and Wednesday working in the interest of that worthy organization and infusing new life into the local membership.

Will Take Wood.

Many times during the past few years the Journal has had an opportunity to receive wood on subscription accounts, but up to the present time we have never been in a position to accept it. Now, we want the wood, and will be pleased to receive any amount that our patrons will bring in payment for subscription accounts. We prefer a good quality of dry wood.

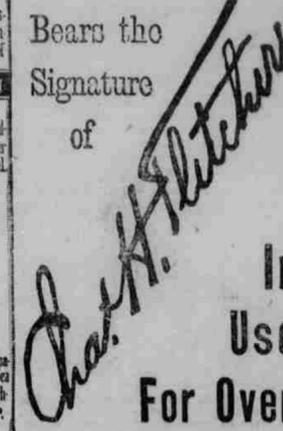
Begin Life Sentence.

From Friday's Daily. With his hands manacled and closely followed by Sheriff Quinton and C. W. Stoehr, Henry Burrows, the murderer of Bill Sayles, boarded No. 15 this morning on his way to the penitentiary near Lincoln, where he will begin his life sentence at hard labor as the penalty for his crime. Sundays and holidays will be his only days of rest.

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For Infants and Children.

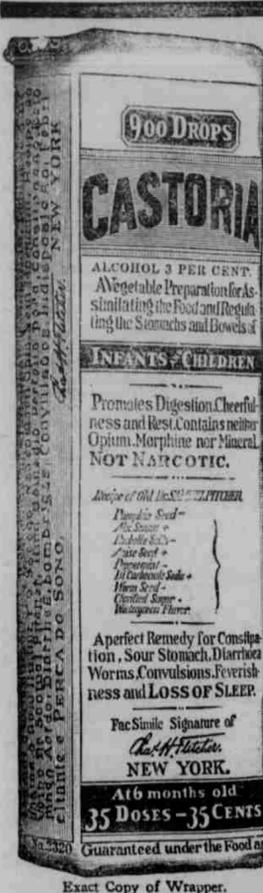
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Trapped Himself.

Henry Gloisteh, residing about five miles southwest of here, seems to have more than his share of accidents this winter. A few weeks ago he shot one of his feet with a rifle, and last Saturday he was injured in a very peculiar manner. While engaged in felling a tree a large limb dropped down in such a way as to catch both his legs, and he was prisoner and no one near to release him; he couldn't carry the tree, he couldn't pull loose from the trap, and as he had but one pair of legs he didn't want to leave half of them there, so he could do nothing but shout and wait for the much needed help. After an hour or more of torture Henry was overjoyed at the appearance of Karl Giles, who happened to pass that way, and acted the Good Samaritan and released him. Henry's injuries consisted of a cut and a bruised leg and the wear and tear of his lungs, and he brought them all to town to have Dr. Walker make repairs.—Union Ledger.

Returns From Scene of War.

Councilman A. S. Will returned Thursday night from a month's stay in Old Mexico, at Sanora and other points. Mr. Will has been in a warm climate for a month and has the summer tan on his cheeks. The thermometer stood 90 in the shade for several days, and the Plattsmouth councilman was compelled to carry an umbrella and dress in summer clothing to endure the heated atmosphere. He was at the scene of the war the day following the outbreak a week ago. The trouble was caused by about 300 of the Mexican soldiery becoming intoxicated and the officers losing their heads. The U. S. cavalry was sent in along the border to see that no trouble was made on the United States side of the line. The Mexican soldiers were loaded into box-cars and shipped out of the community and quiet was restored.

Ed Furlong and wife and children of Steamboat Springs, Colo., who have been visiting relatives in Iowa for a time, arrived last evening on No. 2 and will visit Mrs. Furlong's parents, W. A. Taylor and wife, as well as Mr. Furlong's father and other relatives, for a time.

DUROC-JERSEY BRED SOW SALE!

The undersigned will sell at his farm, five miles southwest of Mynard, and a quarter mile north of Eight Mile Grove church, on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23d
SALE TO COMMENCE AT 1 O'CLOCK SHARP



85 HEAD - 5 Tried Sows; 30 Spring Gilts, and 50 Fall Pigs

There will be in this offering five tried sows sired by Glenn's Critic 97439 and out of granddaughters of "Kant Be Beat," former world's champion boar, and bred to "Commodore B. & C's Col." 89803, a show hog at the Illinois, Iowa and Nebraska State Fairs in 1910.

Thirty gilts sired by Commonore B. & C's Col. and bred to "Crimson Model" and "Chief Again," boars of the large, growthy, heavy-boned type. Fifty fall pigs sired by Commodore B. & C's Col.

TERMS OF SALE!—All sums of \$20 and under, cash; over \$20, a credit of twelve months will be given, purchaser giving good bankable paper bearing eight per cent interest from date. All property must be settled for before being removed.

WM. DUNN, Auctioneer
E. G. DOVEY, Clerk

V. E. PERRY, Owner

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