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WHEN SHOULD GIRLS MARRY?

A grandmother has undertaken to answer the question in the headline in a magazine article. Having had experience, she thinks she knows what she is talking about. It is her opinion that no girl should marry before she is 25 years old. There never has been and never can be any fixed rule for the mating of human beings. Ages ago parents were the sole arbiters of the marital destinies of their daughters. They gave in wedlock when and where and to whom they pleased, and the daughters had nothing to do with the bargain. The matter is one in which there is pretty nearly indepen dence of thought and action on the part of American girls. Parents may try as they will to shape their daughters' love affairs to conform to their own ideas, but it is a rare case in which they succeed-and even then success on the part of the parents is not a guarantee of the girl's happiness. It has been estimated that a woman's at the twenty-fourth year and decline rapidly to the thirtieth year, when they have almost disappeared. The period of greatest expectation is from 19 to 23. It is between these periods that the majority of women must make up their minds, and they do it from the dictates of the heart oftener than from any other consideration.

The frequent assertion that the soils of the United States are w aring out is not conceded by Prof. Milton Whitney, chief of the bureau of soils, United States department of agriculture. He has prepared a bulletin in which statistics of yield since 1867 are carefully compared, and in which he arrives at the following conclusion: "We are producing more crops per acre than formerly. This is undoubtedly due to better and more intalligent cultivation, more and better systems of rotation of crops and in later years to the intelligent use of fertilizers through measures of control in the hands of every individual farmer." Much that has been said on the subject of exhaustion of the soil was alarming and even disheartening. That Prof. Whitney sees no reason for a pessimistic view is reasurring.

The bureau of statistics at Washington reports an enormous increase in building operations throughout the country. This is another sure ndication of the revival of business ctivity in every direction. When financial stress is felt the work of building is The Washington statement shows that at the age of 26 became a commander. the value of building permits issued in 100 of the largest cities in the United

States for the year ended July 1, 1909. was \$20,000.000 in excess of that for was at high tide. There have been nobe a veritable boom, owing to the demand for increased accommodations.



NOMINATED FOR MAYOR

Otto Tremont Bannard, the Republican candi date for mayor of New York, is probably the worst election campaigner ever nominated for that office. That is said without any reflection whatever on Mr. Bannard as a man of culture and as an astute business man with a rare capac ity for organization and a genius for the direction of important undertakings. But he cannot make a speech. His best friends frankly admit York.

So if he takes the stump, as mayoralty candidates usually do, and attempts to tell the voters from a public platform his conception of a properly governed city his well-wishers will be overjoyed if he doesn't get into a hopeless maze of December 31, 1907...... 1,152,250 oratorical tangles.

Bannard has no hallucinations about himself-or anything else. When he got back from Europe a few weeks ago his closest friend, Herbert Parsons, said to him:

"Otto, I think we ought to nominate you for mayor."

"You had better let me alone, Herbert," Bannard replied. "I am not a good candidate. I can't make a speech and the people don't take kindly to a trust company president, anyway."

Parsons thought there was wisdom in that and did let Bannard alone chances of marriage begin to d'minish for a short time. The chairman of the Republican county committee was so sure there would be no need to draft his friend for the mayoralty race that he put Bannard on the committee of five to represent the Republicans in all the conferences with the fusionists. But in the final showdown it became necessary to drag Bannard to the front, and when he knew his nomination was inevitable he fied to Chicago, largely to escape photographers and inter-

The Republican candidate for mayor is a tall, well-built, clean-cut man. He is always faultlessly dressed and has the solid, substantial look of a man affairs. In the language of humble associates on the Republican county over property caused her mental unmmittee he "looks like ready money." He has light hair, streaked with balance. gray, blue eyes, a resolute chin and the steady, penetrating gaze of the man who does a lot of thinking and little talking.

He is reserved in manner as well as speech. He is not a "mixer" in the political sense, though popular among men who really know him. He

is kind-hearted and a genuine hard-luck story sends his hand into his pocket. He is a bachelor and wealthy. As president of the New York Trust Company he gets \$50,000 a year, which he would be compelled to relinquish were he elected mayor.



made aide-de-camp to the queen.

six officers bearing that title. The admiral has won his title through long and arduous service. Though the son of a clergyman, he comes of a line of seadogs and is the grandson of a baron who won his honors in naval

service. Entering the navy in 1852, Sir Edward, at the

He was active in the bombardment of Odessa, being praised for his coolness under fire. For bravery at the shelling of Sebastopol and Kinburn and his conduct in the war generally he won a medal and clasp.

In 1857 he saw service in the Chinese war, being present at the destruction of the Chinese flotilla and at the capture of Canton and the Peiho forts. one of the first to feel the effects. He next was engaged in operations against the Chinese rebels in 1862 and

Wounded while aiding to suppress piracy in the Congo river, he was prevented from taking part in the Nares Arctic expedition. He again distinguished himself in the Egyptian war of 1882 and in 1887

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Local Agents Wanted In every town in Nebraska. Liberal commissions are paid. Write the Home Office in Lincoln.

Central City schools that were temporarily closed on account of diphtheria have been reopened.

Harry Lueck and Elmer Johnson of Custer county, who stole horses and cutlery and confessed the same, were sentenced to the penitentiary for two years each.

Mrs. Ferdinand Pofahl of Norfolk, aged 59, killed herself by hanging with a shoestring to a doorknob. Worry

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob S. Wendell of Plattsmouth celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. Seventy-five gold dollars were presented to the venerable couple to remind them of

George Fox, a farmer living about two miles east of Weston, was held up by four men late Saturday night while on his way home from Wahoo. The holdups got nothing, as he was broke.

If you want to sell life insurance for an active old line Nebraska company write to the Midwest Life at Lincoln.

The 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown of Table Rock got hold had been left on a table, and drank along under serious handicap for lack quite an amount. It is hardly thought

The record price was paid for land to give their personal notes at a bank in Hamilton county last week when | for \$1,500 to pay the current expenses John Byers paid Emil Johnson \$162.50 of the club. During the last year the an acre for an eighty situated two general fund has been swelled about miles west of Aurora. The land has \$2,750. Contributions to the convengood improvements.

line lamp C. Evans of Aurora, son of \$7,000. Some firms which derive di-

THE WHEAT FIGURES.

Nebraska Crop Estimated at 50,000,000

Bushels. Statistics compiled by the state la bor bureau show that the total production of wheat in Nebraska this year was 50,370,000 bushels. This is almost equal to the banner year, 1902, when 50,500,000 bushels were produced, and a little in excess of the yield of 1901, when the total was 50,200,000. The labor bureau report shows a production of 46,500,000 bushels of winter wheat this year and the yield averaged 20.13 bushels to the acre. The government report gives the average yield at 14.9 bushels. A total of 3,870,000 bushels of spring wheat was raised, the average yield being 14.99 bushels to the acre. The total yield of wheat in Nebraska last year was 43,840,000, according to the state labor bureau. There were 41,-000,000 bushels of winter wheat and the average yield per acre was 16.99. The total yield of spring wheat was 2,840,000 and the average yield per 3acre was 13.98 bushels.

New Station for Madison.

The good offices of the state railway commission have been used to get the Union Pacific Railroad company to build a new station at the town of Madison and now ex-Senator W. V. Allen, who started the agita tion, desires the board to do what it can to get as large a station as possible, one that will be adequate for twenty-five years. In compliance with a recommendation signed by Railway Commissioner Cowles recommending a new station the road has promised to build, but some elevator firms who are occupying the right-of-way by sufferance of the road are slow in removing their buildings to new locations so that the road can have room for the proposed improvements.

To Dissolve Merger.

County Attorney Tyrrell began proceedings before the state railway commission, the object and purpose being to dissolve the merger of the Lincoln Traction company and the Citizens' Railway company, which was consummated February 3, last; the cancellation of all stocks and bonds issued subsequent to such merger; to compel the company to render better service and treat the public and its employes with more consideration and

A surplus of nearly \$5,000 in the treasury of the Lincoln Commercial club was shown by the annual cash statement of Secretary Whitten laid efore the directors. Three years (11) ago the organization was struggling Will Seek the South Pole. A. Henry Savage Landor, the Engof funds. At one time it was necesish explorer, who will soon make an sary for some of the leading members attempt to reach the south pole, is of the opinion that Lieut. Shackleton failed through having a cumbersome and unnecessarily large expedition. Mr. Landor's theory is that a small caravan of trusted and hardy men. tion fund made during the last year lightly equipped as in his expeditions While attempting to light a gaso- aggregated in the neighborhood of through Asia and Africa, is best. Mr.

Sam Evans, was fatally burned. In-some way not clearly understood a can of gasoline that was sitting under the lamp evaluated and evaluated and evaluated in the source of the source o



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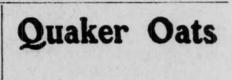
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John Bodell, who was accidentally killed at Waterloo, had been a resident of Fremont for over thirty years to bar it from transacting any other and previous to 1893 was a partner business than that provided for in its with L. P. Larson in the wholesale charter. liquor business. Commercial Clubs Has Surplus.

of a dish of concentrated lye, which

the child can recover.

their golden wedding.

COMMANDED BRITISH SHIPS Admiral Sir Edward Hobart Seymour, the

British officer who commanded the big squadron at the Hudson-Fulton celebration in New York harbor, is one of Britain's most distinguished officers. He is particularly persona grata to the United States because he commanded American

forces as part of the allied army in the Chinese expedition of 1900. Since 1905 he has held the title of "admiral of the fleet," being one of the

age of 12, first saw service in the Crimean war.

Dr. Stiles, chief government zoologist, has just given advice in a department bulletin for the treatment and eradication of the "book worm" or "lazy" disease so prevalent among the poor whites of the southern states. The disease produces an anaemic condition and an utter disinclination for labor. Judging from the latter symptom, it would seem that the "lazy worm" does not restrict its activities to sections south of Mason and Dixon's line. It is hardly lese majesty to rise up and assert that it has incubated in the municipal blood, in view of the exasperating delays in various movements planned for Philadelphia.

The sultan of Morocco's picturesque idea of locking the rebellious El Rhogi of a swaying camel and marched, circus style, through the streets in a free parade, shows an oriental kind of humor hard for the western mind to appreciate. So is his humorous idea of punishment with boiling pitch in It. Somebody ought to remind him that this is sultans' bad day.

It requires some figuring to see how a New York woman could hire out for domestic service at \$18 a month while herself keeping a servant at \$22 a month. The answer is that she was lifting jewelry and the like from places where she was employed. After robbing 30 women this kitchen for three years.

Germany grows about nine times as big a potato crop as the United States, although this country is much more than nine times as big as Germany. And some pessimists talk as if America were already near the limit of its possible food production.

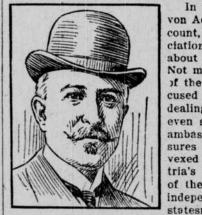
The department of agriculture is now attacking the character of cats as rat-catchers. Their long standing as back-fence soloists, however, is still unquestioned by the department.

The submarines are breaking records as well as the airships. Popular travel, however, for the present is still confined to the surface of the earth, but is doing its best to rival the air above and the waters under the earth in point of peril.

There is no word in the English lanpravity of the individual debased enough to wreck a passenger train needs. laden with little children, women and men unknown to the criminal.

As commander-in-chief on the China station from 1898 to 1901 Admiral the same period in 1905, when building Seymour led the allied expedition against the Chinese in 1900. Thus he was one of the few foreign officers who have commanded a body of American ticeable gains in other directions, but sailors and marines under fire. His conduct on that memorable occasion won in building the movement appears to praise from the several nations directly interested. It is said that one of Emperor William's favorite paintings is that showing Sir Edward, in a hotly contested engagement on the road to Peking, giving the command, "Germans to the front!

FROM BARON TO A COUNT



In raising the Austrian foreign minister, Alois von Aehrenthal, from the rank of baron to that of count, Emperor Francis Joseph marks his appreciation of the minister's services in bringing about the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Not many months ago Baron Achrenthal was one of the most abused men in Europe. He was accused of the basest treachery in regard to his dealings with his diplomatic colleagues and was even said to have lied direct to more than one have not been gathered. They have ambassador in Vienna. Recent diplomatic disclosures have shown, however, that in this much- two cars of vinegar of their own vexed question of the Bosnian annexation Ausmake. tria's hand was forced by the precipitate action

of the crafty Prince Ferdinand in declaring the independence of Bulgaria, and that the Viennese statesman was not to blame as much as had been too hastily assumed. Of course in Austria-Hungary, after the annexation had

been peaceably accomplished, Aerenthal was the hero of the hour and his in a steel cage, strapped to the back advance in rank has long been prophesied.

Count Achrenthal has made a rapid rise. To be ambassador at St. Petersburg at 38 and foreign minister at 48 is not given to many diplomats Achrenthal has always been a diplomat. He began his career at 26 as an attache of the embassy in Paris and went from there to St. Petersburg. Next he spent some years in the foreign office in Vienna and then went back to St. Petersburg as councilor of embassy. After that he was minister at Bucharest and a year later went again to Russia, this time as ambassador. He is clever and hard-working, too. His predecessor, Count Goluchowski, was a more brilliant statesman, but is said not to have loved hard work.

As aristocratic ancestors go in the dual monarchy, Count Aehrenthal's family is by no means an ancient one. In the middle of the eighteenth century the Lexas, which is Achrenthal's family name, were merely respectable citizens of Prague. Then came a certain Johann Anton Lexa with a genius for finance and he made a lot of money by starting an insurance company in Bohemia against damage from fire, floods and weather catastrophes in general. The institution flourished and Johann bought lands and became a country gentleman. He was ennobled by the king of Bavaria and later received a Bohemian title. His grandson, Johann Baptiste, was one of the richest landed proprietors in Bohemia, but was not otherwise prominent. itinerant has gone to a reformatory He left three sons, the second of whom is the present minister of foreign affairs for Austria-Hungary.

HEADED "DRY" PARADE

A literary controversy of considerable magnitude is growing out of the action of Gen. Frederick Dent Grant in leading the temperance parade in Chicago in the uniform of the United States

Following the letter written to Secretary of War Dickinson by W. R. Michaelis, an official of the United Societies for Local Self-Government, in which he severely criticised Gen. Grant's action and demanded to know what stand the war department would take in the matter, two ardent temperance workers came to the defense of the assailed officer.

Dr. H. C. Newton, secretary of the temperance and law enforcement parade committee and A. P. Ballou of the Hamilton club are the men who take issue with Mr. Michaelis. They also wrote

letters to Secretary Dickinson declaring that Mr. Michaelis had exaggerated the facts and asserting that Gen. Grant deserved honor for the stand he took and the example he set to the rising generation.

Mr. Ballou claims that the parade was not a partisan demonstration, as Mr. Michaelis asserts, and that men of all parties marched in it. He also denies that Gen. Grant wore the full uniform of a United States army officer, guage that expresses the criminal de- and says his act could not be taken as other than that of a private citizen who desired to lend his personal influence to a movement Chicago peculiarly

Gen. Grant contends that he had the right to appear in the parade in his uniform.

the lamp exploded and enveloped the young man in flames.

Merie Huston, a Syracuse youth, 19 years of age, received clemency in the court of Judge Frost at Lincoln. Huston confessed to taking two wheels valued at \$70. The judge allowed the offender to plead guilty to a charge of petit larceny and as-

sessed a fine of \$25. The clashing interests of the different telephone companies at this place have at last found common grounds. A deal entered into turned the interests of the old Bell company to the Independent company through ar-

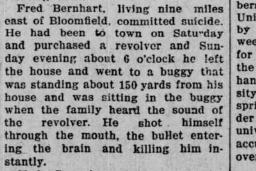
rangements for consolidation. Isaac Pollard & Sons of Nehawka have early winter apples of their own raising. The late ripening apples such as Winesaps, Ben Davis, etc., also shipped three cars of cider and

Frank Nohel, aged 27, a Northwestpublic school was appointed a memern brakeman of Norfolk, was killed her of the state board of inspectors a few miles west of Norfolk. While which has in charge the enforcement riding on the gangway of the engine of the child labor law as it relates he leaned out just as the train reached the Elkhorn river bridge. He was knocked off the train and his body ernor Shallenberger. rolled into the river below.

The Peru Canning company is working its force to the fullest extent in ing testimony in the complaint of their attempt to get the heavy to-Wells, Abbott & Nieman, a milling mato crop out of the fields before company of Schuyler, which wants a frost. All available students of the normal are employed Saturday and after hours in addition to the regular force.

The repairs, decorations and new additions to St. Mary's Catholic enurch at West Point, made necessary by the tornado of June 24, are now completed and the edifice is in a much better condition than ever before. The mural decorations have been placed on the walls in oil instead of water colors and the effect is much better.

Beatrice may soon have another creamery, as parties are desirous of locating there.



Clyde Cummings of Dawson county. a lad 12 years of age, was playing with a shotgun and shot two of his toes nearly off and shattered another. Ben Bell, the 16-year-old lad who was arrested for forgery, appeared before Justice McAllister at Neligh and pleaded guilty to the charge. He was sentenced to the reform school by County Judge Wilson. Bell had in one day passed successfully six checks varying in amounts from \$5 to \$42, most of which he repaid before he was arrested by Sheriff Miller. Two of these he stated had been cashed in a saloon.

them, as well as others which indi-

Charges Against the Police.

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The railroad commission began tak-

Landis Will Not Contest.

in Lincoln.

the officers.

rectly profit from the gatherings held Death from Sting of Poisonous Files. Three persons died recently at Marseilles after having been stung by

With Mayor Love, Exciseman Harpinfested by the insects, which are ham and Exciseman Powell as judges said to have been brought to Mar-County Attorney Tyrrell attempted to seilles in a cargo of South American drive home charges of graft and exwool.-Echo de Paris. tortion filed several weeks ago

against Chief Rickard of the Lincoln Conclusive. police force and City Detective Ma-Mother-Tommy, why don't you lone. The county attorney alleged play with Frank any more? I thought that several weeks ago officers from you were such good chums. the sheriff's department attempted to Tommy-We was, but he's a mollymake arrestsin the lowlands and that coddle! He paid to get inter ther the police interfered. W. A. Bentley, ball grounds.

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Harry Landis of Seward, who was in the city, said that he would accept the refusal of the secretary of state to place his name on the official ballot this fall as a candidate for state university regent and will not start a mandamus proceeding. This leaves Frank Haller of Omaha without an opponent.

New Rule in Effect.

Financial relations between mcm bers of the faculty and students of the University of Nebraska were cut off by a rule that went into effect last week. From now on all money paid for instruction, books or supplies by the students must go through the hands of the treasurer of the university. This rule was adopted last spring by the board of regents in order to systematize the finances of the university and protect professors from accusations of misuse of funds or overcharging students for books

Seeking Redress.

Mayor McCabe of North Platte is seeking redress from the supreme court. He claims he is a surgeon and the owner of a drug store. He was fined \$400 on the charge of selling liquor and keeping liquor for sale.

The complaint of the Wells-Abbott-Nieman company of Schuyler against the Union Pacific was heard by the railway commission. The complainants want a transfer switch constructed to connect the Burlington and Union Pacific lines.

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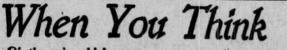


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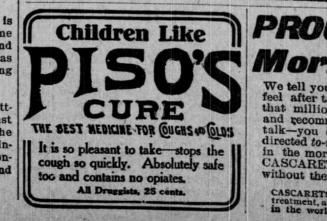


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