

WHEN DOES OLD AGE BEGIN?

When does old age begin? At forty-five, it is said, the amount of combustion which keeps the furnace of the human body in full commotion to decrease and diminishes until three-score years and ten, more or less, when the fires are drawn and the flickering flame dies out. That is the physiological way of looking at it. But some men are old before they are out of their teens, while others apparently never grow old, though they live to be centenarians. The poet's way of looking at it is the best:

"Call him not old whose visionary brain Holds o'er the past its undivided reign. For him in vain the envious seasons roll Who bears eternal summer in his soul."

This at least seems to be the way in which David Littell, of Sumner, Ia., looks at life, for though now in his eightieth year he has taken a new lease on life and is apparently determined to hold on to it. Anthropologists find him and he acknowledges the fact in a letter of enthusiasm. Mr. Littell tells his own story:

"I was past seventy-seven and had been afflicted with rheumatism three years and eight months. I had lost one-third of my weight and could not walk, but shuffled along with crutches. Sleep had deserted me, my nerves were all shattered, and there was no strength in my hands, wrists, knees or feet. I could not sit down or get up out of a chair without help, and oh! such pain, worse at night than in the day. There was neither sleep nor rest, and the outlook was painful in the extreme.

"But thanks be to God and Brother Inskip for sending me a paper containing a notice of the cures made by Athlophoros and thanks be to you for sending me a bottle. It appears to me the hand of God is in it all the way, and if you did not hear me shout why then I did not shout loud enough, that is all. The medicine arrived one Saturday night after I had gone to bed. In the morning my son prepared me a dose of two teaspoonfuls in milk. I took it and felt it at once all over. After that I took but one teaspoonful at a time until I had finished the bottle. How did it act? Why, like a charm. On Monday morning I rose, dressed, and walked out into the kitchen without crutches or cane and wished them all a happy New Year and I rest well. My son, seeing such a great change in me, wrote for ten bottles in order, as he says, to make a permanent cure of it. It is all more like a dream than reality. I have written to four of my friends who are afflicted with rheumatism of the great medicine and I shall write to others, and in this way try to pay the debt of gratitude.

"Some fourteen months ago," says A. Hayward, of Burlington, Ia., "I was attacked with inflammatory rheumatism. I tried a dozen different kinds of medicine, said to cure rheumatism, but to no purpose. Finally, I procured a bottle of Athlophoros. After using the bottle it did me so much good that I bought another, but did not have to use more than a third of the second bottle before I was entirely cured. From that time up to the present I have never had anything like rheumatic pains, and I thank Athlophoros for the cure."

Thomas McCue, Bush's block, Dubuque, Ia., whose wife was cured by Athlophoros of a terrible case of rheumatism, declares it was "truly a miracle in my wife's case."

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Final Proof Notice.

Land Office, Bloomington, Neb., Oct. 7, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge or in his absence the clerk district court, Webster county, at Red Cloud, Neb., on Saturday, November 21, 1888, viz:

KATHERINA KUBAT, widow of Joseph Kubat, deceased, on H 1/2 No. 380, for the sec. 26, T. 23, R. 12 West. He names the following witnesses to prove his claim: John Havel, John Polinsky, Joseph Pavlick, Frank Barta, all of Red Cloud, Neb., and B. W. SWITZER, Register.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE district court of the 8th Judicial District of Nebraska, held in and for the county of Webster, there will be offered for sale at public auction on Saturday, November 14, 1888, at one o'clock in the afternoon upon the premises, the following described real estate situated in Webster county, Nebraska, to-wit: The sec. 3 of the 1/2 of section twenty-two (22) in township one (1) north of range twelve (12) west of the 6th P. M., except 24 acres in the north-west corner thereof being 7 1/2 acres. Terms of Sale—One-half cash, balance in two years, with interest at 10 per cent, secured by mortgage on the premises.

THOS. KENNEDY, Administrator of the estate of Merritt A. Myers deceased.

J. A. TULLERY, Attorney for Administrator.

Attention Teachers.

Notice is hereby given that I will examine all persons who may desire to offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the common schools of Webster county at my office in Red Cloud on third Saturday of each month. Examinations commence at 9 a. m. Do not ask for special examinations.

C. W. SWITZER, Sept.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In Probate court in and for Webster County, Nebraska, before Geo. O. Yelzer, Judge of Said Court.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE creditors of the estate of Merritt A. Myers, deceased, that all claims and demands against said estate will be examined and adjusted in said court prior to Monday, Nov. 16, 1888, that being the date to which said court has limited the time for filing claims against said estate to be examined and adjusted by the administrator, and by which court.

Witness my hand, this 27th day of October, 1888.

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