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How to Procure Aid.

The following letter from Congressman McKeighan to J. L. Miller, was handed us for publication.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 12, 1891.

Dear Sir: Your letter is at hand, owing to the fact that designing persons are taking advantage of free transportation, it is not likely that the railroad company will furnish free freight to any county, until it is organized. Advise you to call a meeting of the justices of the peace and list all needy persons at once, so that we can get aid through the state organization. I am to meet with the State Relief Committee this afternoon and will do all that I can to get matters in shape, but by all means let Webster county organize at once and canvass the county. Get from each individual a sworn statement of his condition. This is necessary in order to get free transportation for coal or relief of any kind. I will try to get coal free as a special case, but may not succeed. If the county board have not adjourned, you might lay this matter before them.

Yours &c.

W. A. McKEIGHAN.

There is no use trying to get around it, there are a great many in Webster county who must have aid and that too, soon. Mr. McKeighan's suggestion is a good one and ought to be acted upon at once.

While in attendance at the public installation and free banquet given by the G. A. R. Monday evening the Republican reporter accidentally overheard one of the city editor's remark that he had purposely doctored an enlarged coat and vest, and then had to go away hungry. Would it not be advisable to procure an extension suit just to be worn on such occasions.—Republican.

We don't know just how the lady address of the Republican knew that Bro. Myers of the Democrat made such an onslaught on the victuals spoken of on the occasion, but we have known his failing for a long time and have begged of him with tears streaming down both sides of our "handsome cheeks" to not give himself away in such places, and to always conduct himself as if he had been used to plenty. Of course John is lean and it takes lots to fill him up, but that is no reason why his appetite should be so ravenous. After he has learned from experience, as the "Big Injun" has in the last twenty-five years to work for nothing and board himself all things will appear easy. We beseech of you John to let up.

Alpheus D. Brown, has been rewarded by the government for faithful service during the war with a pension of \$12 per month. He secured his pension through Pension Agent Porter of this city. The CHIEF is always pleased to learn of the success of any of the "old boys in blue" who are thus rewarded. It is our opinion that every soldier should be pensioned. If there is any man on earth who deserves recognition at the hands of the people it is the one who bore the brunt of battle that the country might not perish. The government is too tardy in these matters. We congratulate our old friend on his success in securing a timely pension.

The boys of Bladen, viz: Latham, Boyd and Sailor, who broke into the G. A. R. hall of that place were brought to Red Cloud on the 12th, and after being duly tried before Judge Trunkey, were fined \$5 and costs, and were committed until such fine and costs were paid. The G. A. R. folks became tired of having their hall broken into and pillaged at the pleasure of any and all who so desired. Sailor was discharged as not guilty. The fines of the other two amounted to over \$80 each. Pretty rich fun all for one dollar.

The war-like Indians are almost satisfied now after having caused a big rampage and the loss of several lives to lay down their arms and come into the reservation. Some how or other the government should not treat this matter lightly; but make an example out of the guilty ones that will set at rest for ever this matter of Indian outbreaks.

The new county board organized this week by electing Rev. Geo. Hummel, chairman. This will mark his third term in that position and we feel assured that his efforts as chairman have been fully appreciated. Mr. Hummel is an exceptionally good man for the place and will do honor to the position he has been chosen to fill.

Business.

(Written for THE CHIEF.)
Business, all unaided with pleasure. Strictly business, nothing less. Closely, with persistence, followed. Leads a man to sure success.

Business that is worth pursuing must not suffer from neglect. You must urge it, press it, force it. If to prosper you expect.

Many fail through inaction. Many through sheer laziness. Many through procrastination. Many through their wild excess.

None will fail who have ambition. None with energy and zeal. None with strength of will and purpose. None who burning ardor feel.

Never pleasure mix with business. For they can not, will not blend. When you make the vain endeavor. Business will be at an end.

Strictly, then, attend to business. Till that business is complete. Then indulge in your amusements. And in social pleasures sweet.

EDGAR THORNE.

TOWN TALK.

THE CHIEF would be pleased to have some good railroad company build into Red Cloud, this year.

Sylvester Day, is now running his feed bars by himself. Mr. Day has a large number of farmer friends and is doing a nice business.

Young Ed Smith is improving very rapidly we understand, and will be able to be around soon, if there should be no back set. Dr. Moranville is treating his case at present.

Dr. J. Dillard has purchased the Fank property and we understand took possession of it last Monday. He contemplates moving his livery stable barn near the depot yet.

Our citizens have been enjoying the snow storm hugely during the first of the week. A snow storm of any consequence is a great rarity in this section and when one does come it is hugely enjoyed by our people.

THE CHIEF is pleased to note that Tremor Cone, son of our worthy friend, Nelson Cone of Guide Rock, has been appointed by the legislature as engrossing clerk of the house. It is a worthy appointment and the young man is fully qualified to fill it.

Floyd Reynolds, of Red Cloud, was in the city Monday evening, en route home from St. Francis, where he had been spending the holidays with his father-in-law. He is employed as tinner in the hardware store of Adam Morhart Red Cloud.—Orleans Press.

The other day a young lady from Kansas entered one of our prominent stores, and started the handsome clerk by asking him if "he was vacant" meaning we presume if he was at leisure. The young man confidentially informed our reporter that he wasn't vacant by a darned sight.

Dr. John Dillard, formerly of Lexington, Ky., a permanent member of the American medical association and now principal stock holder of the Farmers and Merchants' bank of Red Cloud, Neb., is visiting Mr. W. S. Garber of this city, and stopping at the Merchants' hotel.—State Journal.

Mr. Tremor Cone of this place was so fortunate as to obtain the position of engrossing clerk of the house of representatives at Lincoln, on its organization last Tuesday. It is a good paying office and one for which Mr. Cone is particularly well fitted. Mr. Cone is finishing his term of school in the district west of town.—Guide Rock Signal.

Electric dynamo are now being introduced to furnish electric current for telegraph wires, and why would not the same power be effective on telephone lines? It is rarely that one can talk with satisfaction over a telephone line over a short distance of five or six miles. The current from the small jans used is evidently too weak to help the voice.

It has been variously estimated that there are many people in this county who will need aid before spring. This matter should be thoroughly investigated by those in office, and if such is the case, their sufferings should be looked after. "Some sins and the world afterwards" should be applied to our own county, and then some other place.

Dr. Patten, the well known proprietor of the Superior hotel has rented the 4th Avenue hotel, in this city and will open it up for the general public. The Doctor is a first class hotel man and will do a nice business. Although the building is not perfect, yet what it lacks in that line will be more than made up in the efficient management of which he is an artist.

The Legislature.

The state legislature has finally organized, and will go down in history as the most peculiar legislature that has ever graced the capital of the great state of Nebraska. The Independents seem to have been afraid that some one was laying in wait to run in a "cold deck" on them and the jangling between them and the Democrats and Republicans was alike disgraceful and unwarranted. The people of Nebraska do not desire any such actions on the part of their representatives. We do not blame any one party more than another, so all were striving for supremacy and were bound to carry their point at all hazards.

Meiklejohn president of the senate and Speaker Elder of the house almost caused a little revolution over who should preside at the joint session. Then Elder refused, as speaker of the house to publish the election returns as directed by the constitution and the supreme court was resorted to, to compel him to do so. It caused a great uproar, but everything has apparently adjusted itself at the present writing. Then Governor Thayer called out a company of militia to hold the fort against Boyd who is holding down the governor's position. While this paper does not go very much on Boyd or his methods of accomplishing his election, we believe Gov. Thayer should have stepped down and out, without causing so much commotion, yet we do not believe that Boyd is entitled to hold the office, if he is not naturalized. In all probability the legislature will drop his head in the basket at the contest on the 20th, and thereupon declare Powers the governor. We believe there were enough fraudulent votes cast in Omaha for Boyd to have elected Powers. THE CHIEF wants to see the man that was honestly elected get the office whether it be Boyd, Powers or Richards.

Indian News.

SUTTON, NEB., DEC. 13, 1891.—Via Polunk Holler.—The latest news that has attracted the people at this agency (Sutton) is the fact that "Big-Man-Waop-er-up-for-Harlan Loudly-loud-Berry" has surrendered to Chief-Elder-Berry and is now pouring soup into his friends and giving taffy to his enemies. John-Son of the lower Bruel Advertiser tribe has taken charge of the Independent police and is seeing towards Lincoln to see his "Elder" brother. Great excitement and poor prospect for old Chief-make-up to work himself into "another company." Big-Father-Ashamed-of-the-Flag, is getting restless. We look for "Heep-Big-Change" to come in immediately. S. F. D.

To slow the evil effects of whisky upon the human family we might just refer to the case of Dennis O'Hare, and his partner Pat McCool, who came to Red Cloud last Saturday and became intoxicated, and on returning home, when only a few miles from Red Cloud, the cold weather together with the over load of whisky, caused them to fall out of their wagon and in the fall, O'Hare received injuries from being chilled and otherwise so that he never rallied, and had it not been for the speedy recovery, of McCool he would have also joined the silent majority. There is a probability of an interesting law suit growing out of Mr. O'Hare's death. He leaves a family and several children to mourn his sudden and untimely death.

A number of disreputable women from Hastings came to this city the other day and took possession of a vacant house, where they proceeded to allure our young men to destruction. The agent of the property was notified and he gave them notice to fly and they flew.

Our friend, Meiklejohn, late lieutenant governor is certainly a very brave fellow and carried himself with glory in his battle for the constitution.

Right of all in Learning Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 27, 1889.

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(Written for THE CHIEF.)
Not words, but ready action. Though words may please us well. Not promise, but performance. Throughout the world will tell.

Not blossom, but the fruitless. Will cheer the farmer's heart. Not seed, but the blossoming flower. Its perfume will impart.

Not dawn, but the full sunlight. Illuminates the vale: It is the ample shower That gladdens hill and dale.

Not hoping, but expecting. We may escape the end; Not thinking, but believing. Will lift the soul to God.

EDGAR THORNE.

Red Cloud came very near having a second gubernatorial crisis in Red Cloud, only it is over who shall be county attorney. Judge Wilcox was the retiring attorney, and claimed that Harry Hopkins had not complied with the law in having his bond approved. The probabilities are that the board will seat Mr. Hopkins, as he was the unanimous choice of the people, although there might have been a technicality in the filing of his bond.

The great popularity of Ayer's pills as a cathartic is due no less to their promptness and efficacy than to their coating of sugar and freedom from any injurious effects. Children take them readily. See Ayer's almanac for this year, just out.

Weak eyes and inflamed lids indicate an impure condition of the blood the best remedy is Ayer's sarsaparilla. It vitalizes the blood, regulates the secretions and expels all serofuleous humors from the system. Try it. Price \$1.

Annual meeting state Board of Agriculture, Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 19, 21-1891, agents in Nebraska may sell tickets to Lincoln, Jan. 19-21 inclusive, Robert W. Furnas, secretary Brownville, Neb. will sign certificates.

Annual meeting Nebraska State Firemen's Association, Grand Island, Neb. Jan. 20-22, agents in Nebraska may sell tickets to Grand Island Jan. 20-22 inclusive, Geo. F. Concoran, York, Neb., will sign certificates.

State Prohibition Conference, Lincoln, Neb. Jan. 22-23, agents in Nebraska may sell tickets to Lincoln Jan. 19-23 inclusive, R. A. Hawley Lincoln, Neb. will sign certificates.

Annual meeting Nebraska, Improved Stock Breeders Association Beatrice, Neb. Feb. 17-19, agents in Nebraska may sell tickets to Beatrice Feb. 15-19 inclusive, H. Reed, Sec'y, Lincoln, Neb. will sign certificates.

Annual winter meeting Nebraska State Horticultural society, Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 13-15, inclusive, C. J. Carpenter sec'y, Fairbury, Neb., will sign certificates.

Annual meeting National Farmers Alliance Omaha, Neb., Jan. 27-28, all agents may sell tickets to Omaha, Jan. 24-28 inclusive. August Pest, sec'y, Maulton, Ia. will sign certificates.

For the above occasions passengers paying full fare going will be returned at one third fare on presentation of certificate signed by the proper officer of the meeting on guarantee that there has been an attendance of one hundred or more who have paid full fare on the going trip. A. COSOVEN, Agt.

English Spain Liniment removes all hard, soft or calloused lumps and blemishes from horses, blood spurs, curbs, splints, swellings, ring-bones, stifles, sprains, all swollen throats, coughs, etc. Price \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful remedy ever known. Sold by L. E. Daps, drug-gist, Red Cloud.

A passenger going east purchased a scalper ticket in Denver the other day, and started to Kansas City. Being a Poleander, he could not read English, and when he got into the train and arrived at Oxford, Neb., his ticket ran out. He then paid his fare to Red Cloud where he ran ashore financially and had to depend on charity. The scalper's trade ought to be stopped. It is a nuisance.

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