

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Parker Becoming a Statesman. Sir Gilbert Parker, the author, has achieved a prominent place in the house of commons in a short time.



Many women are denied the happiness of children through derangement of the generative organs. Mrs. Beyer advises women to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I suffered with stomach complaint for years. I got so bad that I could not carry my children but five months, then would have a miscarriage."

FREE MEDICAL ADVICE TO WOMAN.

Don't hesitate to write to Mrs. Pinkham. She will understand your case perfectly, and will treat you with kindness.

Some men drink to drown their sorrow. Of course drink brings more sorrow, but then there's more drinks.

Do Your Clothes Look Yellow? Then use Defiance Starch. It will keep them white—16 oz. for 10 cents.

The art of restful conversation consists in allowing the other person to carry the big end of the load.

YELLOW CLOTHES ARE UNSIGHTLY. Keep them white with Red Cross Ball Blue.

Opportunity comes to many persons, yet how few recognize the chary visitor.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse in the Children's Home in New York.

Persons who are extremely careful of their dignity usually have very little to spare.

Piso's Cure for Consumption is an infallible medicine for coughs and colds.

Only a smart man can conceal from a woman the fact that he isn't as smart as he would wish her to think he is.

The Best Results in Starching can be obtained only by using Defiance Starch.

The grievance of not a few women against their husbands is that the latter give them no ground for grievances.

The Wonderful Cream Separator. Does its work in thirty minutes and leaves less than 1 per cent butter fat.

Woe unto the politician whose nerve has become effete.

Were it not for the fools the wise guys would get left.

Economy is the road to wealth. PUTNAM FADELESS DYE is the road to economy.

Business is a mantle that covers a multitude of queer transactions.

It's a tough turkey that is able to hold over for another term.

When You Buy Starch buy Defiance and get the best 16 oz. for 10 cents.

A man who is looking for trouble can usually find it without trouble.

BEGGS' CHERRY COUGH SYRUP cures coughs and colds.

NEWS IN NEBRASKA

RAILROAD AGENT SLUGGED.

Attacked on the Outskirts of Lockwood and Skull Fractured.

LOCKWOOD—Charles Riley, ticket agent for the Union Pacific Railroad company at this place, was slugged by an unknown man here and so seriously injured that it is thought he will die.

Riley boarded at a farm house, just on the outskirts of town, some six blocks from the depot. He was going to supper, shortly after 6 o'clock, and was about four blocks from the depot, when a man jumped from the weeds beside the road and struck Riley over the head, knocking him down, fracturing his skull, breaking his jaw and cutting and bruising his head in a terrible manner.

About an hour after the assault Riley regained consciousness, but was unable to reach either his boarding house or the depot. He lay beside the road, calling for help. At last his cries were heard, and some men going to him found him bathed in blood and suffering terribly.

After regaining consciousness, and after being taken to the depot, Riley talked freely about the assault. He said that a man jumped on to him from the weeds, and without saying a word, struck him over the head with a club or some other hard weapon.

Although Riley had considerable money in his pockets, no attempt was made to rob him. His money and valuables were not molested.

Hold up Architect's Claim.

Claims aggregating \$417.60 contracted by State Auditor Tyler have been held up by the auditor, and while they have not yet been rejected they will not be paid until a thorough investigation as to the right of the state to pay them has been instituted.

Insane Patient Escapes.

Oscar Smith, an insane farmer from Firth, escaped from the insane asylum at Lincoln while the attendants were filing a complaint against him, and was arrested by the police.

Wins Prize for Largest Ears.

WEST POINT.—Joseph Drahos, a local harnessmaker, offered a prize of a handsome riding bridle to the farmer producing the two largest ears of corn.

Tecumseh Man Escapes.

TECUMSEH.—John Stollard of this city has received word from his son, Bert Stollard, that the latter was in the wreck on the Rock Island near Topeka, Kan.

Ice Hauler Killed.

YORK.—Arthur St. John, who lives nine miles southwest of this city, met with an accident which cost him his life. He was hauling ice and when going down a hill the tongue of the wagon broke and he was thrown to the ground.

Farmers' Grain and Stock.

MINDEN, Neb.—The annual state meeting of the Farmers' Co-operative Grain and Live Stock association will be held at Lincoln January 29 and 31.

Fremont's New Union Depot.

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THE STATE IN BRIEF.

Recently a "peeping John" has been frightening women and children in the east part of Beatrice. The other evening the fellow was captured.

Plans are on foot at Fremont to send an all hose team to the St. Louis exposition to compete with the teams from other states.

Albert Powers was found dead in bed at Memphis by his daughter upon her return from a visit to the country. Powers was last seen alive Sunday evening.

William Knotter, who owns the telephone system now in use at Long Pine, has decided to install the Clark automatic exchange system.

The Morton-Gregson Packing company of Nebraska City is storing ice for use next season. The ice is about fourteen inches thick and of good quality.

At Callaway several petitions are out and being carefully filed for the prospective change in the postoffice at that place. The office has been recently declared a presidential office.

D. Whitlock, who ran away from the farm of Richard Moore at Wood River with one of Mr. Moore's best teams, and was later apprehended, was given a preliminary hearing on the charge of horse stealing and bound over to the district court.

Alex. Karls, who escaped from the jail at Neligh while under a sentence to the penitentiary for cattle stealing, more than a year since, has been arrested in California for murder.

At a meeting of the Southeastern Nebraska Poultry association at Beatrice the following officers were elected: President M. W. Chrisman; vice president, Frank Killippenen; secretary, H. C. White; treasurer, J. S. McCleary; superintendent of shows, S. Whitcomb.

The York County Agricultural society lost its case against the county, whereby it tried to get \$200 per year. The court held that as the money was not paid out in premiums therefore the society was not entitled to the money.

Ernest Bush, the youngest life convict in the state, has appealed to Governor Mickey for executive clemency. Bush was convicted of the murder of Thomas Bailey, near Benkelman, five years ago.

Congressman Hitchcock has selected as a committee to hold the competitive examination of applicants for the cadetship to the naval academy at Annapolis, Rev. John Williams of St. Barnabas, Rev. Father O'Connor of Creighton university and A. H. Waterhouse of the High school, all of Omaha.

The New York Life Insurance company has sent the sum of \$3,330.63 as the tax for the concern under the provisions of the new revenue law. This sum is 2 per cent of the amount received from the Nebraska policy holders last year.

More than 70,000 sheep are being fed in the country immediately surrounding Fremont this season. While this number is not much in excess of the showing in an average year, it is not to be overlooked that every one who has prepared feeders for market in the past is doing so again this winter.

The Cudahy Packing company of South Omaha is about to start the shipment of 1,000,000 pounds of extra medium beef for the Russian government.

In a brief filed in the supreme court, Father Murphy of Seward declares that he was excommunicated and driven from the Catholic church, not by a fair and impartial decision of the highest church court, but by the malice and enmity of Bishop Bonaventura of Lincoln.

According to reports received by Labor Commissioner Bush, the winter wheat crop is flourishing throughout the state. Healthy growth with no abnormal dryness has been reported from nearly all the sections of Nebraska.

THE OLDEST MAN IN AMERICA

Tells How He Escaped the Terrors of Many Winters by Using Pe-ru-na.

Mr. Brock's Age is 115 Years



MR. ISAAC BROCK, BORN IN BUNCOMBE CO., N. C., MARCH 1, 1788. His age is 115 years, vouchered for by authentic record. He says: "I attribute my extreme age to the use of Pe-ru-na."

Born before the United States was formed. Saw 22 Presidents elected. Pe-ru-na has protected him from all sudden changes. Veteran of four wars. Shed a horse when 99 years old. Always conquered the grip with Pe-ru-na. Witness in a land suit at the age of 110 years. Believes Pe-ru-na the greatest remedy of the age for catarrhal diseases.

A short time ago, by request, Uncle Isaac came to Waco, and sat for his picture. In his hand he held a stick cut from the grave of General Andrew Jackson, which has been carried by him ever since.

Surely a few words from this remarkable old gentleman, who has had 115 years of experience to draw from, would be interesting as well as profitable.

There are many kinds of tears; none are shed from indifference.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative or Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure.

If there were no fault-finders we should stagnate.

Many who formerly smoked 10c cigars, now smoke Lewis' "Single Binder" straight 5c cigar.

Decorating Berlin Schools. The committee of the Berlin town council in charge of the primary schools have taken a novel decision with regard to school decoration.

Monument to Bret Harte. To mark the resting place of the late Bret Harte, in Primley churchyard, Surrey, there has just been erected a massive and costly monument.

A Physician's Statement. Yorktown, Ark., Jan. 11.—Leland Williamson, M. D., one of our cleverest physicians, has made a statement, endorsing Dodd's Kidney Pills and saying that he uses them in his daily practice in preference to any other Kidney medicine.

Money—The wise man's convenience; the fool's necessity.

Defiance Starch should be in every household, none so good, besides 4 oz. more for 10 cents than any other brand of cold water starch.

Some men never discover that they are on the wrong tack until they sit down on it.

Earliest Green Ontario. The John A. Sulzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., always have something new, something valuable. This year they offer among their new money-making vegetables, an Earliest Green Ontario. It is a winner. Mr. Farmer and Gardener!

After twenty years' practice in a sickly and malarious country I have come to the conclusion that it is always best to use the remedy that will relieve and cure my patients, whether ethical or not. "I have used Dodd's Kidney Pills with uniform success in the various forms of Kidney Disease, Pain in the Back, Gout, Rheumatism, Inflammation and Congestion of the Kidneys and all kindred diseases; I always prescribe Dodd's Kidney Pills in such cases and can testify that they invariably restore the Kidneys to their normal state and thereby relieve the blood of accumulated poisons, producing prompt and effective cures."

Wise is the man who is able to keep his mouth shut when he has nothing to say.

WINCHESTER REPEATING RIFLES. No matter what your preferences are about a rifle, some one of the eight different Winchester models will suit you.

For Rheumatism, Lumbago, Frost Bites, use Mexican Mustang Liniment. Best Remedy for Piles.

Modesty is not so easily shocked as prudence. All Up to Date Housekeepers use Defiance Cold Water Starch, because it is better, and 4 oz. more of it for same money.

THRIFTY FARMERS are inclined to settle in the State of Maryland, where they will find a delightful and healthy climate, first-class markets for their products and plenty of land at reasonable prices.

CAPSICUM VASELINE. A substitute for and superior to mustard or any other plaster, and will not blister the most delicate skin.