

NEBRASKA STATE NEWS

KEEPING OF MEMORIAL DAY.

Department Commander Bross Issues Order No. 10.

Attention is called to the law passed by the late legislature of the state to protect the day from encroachments of sports and amusements in which it is provided that any person or persons who shall on the 30th day of May, commonly known as Decoration day, engage in horse racing, ball playing, or in any game or sport, which may tend to disturb the public peace on the 30th day of May, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$100, or by imprisonment for not more than thirty days, or both, in the discretion of the court.

Sunday, the 28th day of May, will be Memorial Sunday, and each post is urged to attend divine service in a body on that day, and to unite with the people of the state in giving thanks to the God of the nation for His keeping and His grace.

Post commanders will see that flags are at half mast on Memorial day, and that arrangements are made for patriotic exercises in public schools on Friday afternoon preceding. Attention is also called to the provision of the national enactment that President Lincoln's Gettysburg address shall be read in connection with Memorial day observances, and a copy is inclosed with this general order.

Most chaplains will make full report of Memorial day's proceedings upon blanks provided for that purpose.

In promulgating this order for Memorial day observance, it is remembered that we have within the bounds of this department a national cemetery where sleep 60,000 of our soldier dead, whose graves should not be forgotten. The special attention of Stephen A. Douglas post No. 69, North Platte, as being the past nearest to McPherson National cemetery, and of the custodian of the cemetery, is directed to this paragraph of this general order, and the hope is expressed that suitable tribute will be paid to our patriot dead who sleep beneath the grassy mounds in McPherson National cemetery.

HARMON BROSS,
Department Commander.
Attest:
C. M. BARKER,
Assistant Adjutant General.
Lincoln, Neb., April 22, 1905.

STATE FAIR SPEED PROGRAM.

Purses Amount to \$6,000—Nebraska Circuit Dates.

LINCOLN—Announcement has been made of the speed program for the state fair, and judges, timekeepers and clerks of speed have been selected. Purses amounting to \$6,000 have been hung up by the state board. The program is as follows:

Monday, September 4—Pace, 2:27 class, \$500; 2:40 trot, \$500; half mile and repeat, \$100.

Tuesday, September 5—Pace, 2:17 class, \$500; 2:30 trot, 2-year-olds and under, \$400; one mile dash, all ages, \$25; three-fourths of a mile dash, all ages, \$100.

Wednesday, September 6—Pace, 2:35 class, \$500; 2:18 trot, \$500; five-eighths of a mile dash, \$100; three-mile relay, first money, \$100; second money, \$75; third money, \$50; three to start entries on this race to close at 12 o'clock on the day of the race.

Thursday, September 7—Pace, 2:22, \$500; 3-year-old pace, free for all, \$400; 2:27 trot, \$500; 2:33 trot, \$500; half mile dash and repeat, \$100.

For Hunting Down Evil Doers.

GRAND ISLAND—The farmers in the vicinity of Hansen, in the southern part of the county, and in the northern part of Adams county, met at Hansen recently and perfected an organization similar to that organized in South Platte township, this county, for hunting down the members of the gang which has been doing so much thieving in that section. At Donphan a similar organization was perfected.

Whipping Bee in Public School.

PENDER—Thirty-seven boys were whipped in the public school because they witnessed a fight on the street by two small school children. This punishment was dealt out by a number of the women teachers at the command of the principal, Prof. Shurt. As the result of this affair a commotion is raging among the parents and several members of the school board.

Young Man Kicked to Death.

YORK—Thomas Donahue, who worked for Mrs. Jane Clark in the south part of York county, was kicked to death by a vicious horse. He only lived a few hours after the accident, his dead body being found in the barn yard.

Reject Broom Company's Bid.

The state board of public lands and buildings has rejected the offer of the Lee Broom and Duster company of 50 cents a day for convict labor and ordered that the secretary advertise for new bids. The members of the board hope to secure competition with a resultant increase in the bid. During the pendency of the Ernst twine plant bill before the legislature a Minnesota trunk manufacturer made inquiries, but the prospect for the adoption of the bill seemed so imminent that he failed to bid.

NEBRASKA BRIEFS.

Joseph Jones, vice president of the bank of Utica, died last week.

Over 500 Lincoln people left last week for the best fields of Colorado.

A debate took place at Beatrice between representatives of the High schools of that city and Lincoln.

The Soldiers' Home at Grand Island was inspected last week by the state board of public lands and buildings.

Amos Burnett, an old veteran of Plattsmouth, is to be furnished a home in the National Soldiers' Home at Leavenworth, Kan.

George Westgate of York county has returned from Kentucky with a carload of driving horses which he will dispose of in this state.

The offering in the Methodist church at Osceola on Easter Sunday for the missionary cause was \$451.33, about double that of last year.

William Chatten pleaded guilty before Judge Taylor at York for the killing of four wild ducks. He was given the regular fine of \$5 for each bird.

Earl Terwilliger, a farmer, living one mile south of Beo, accidentally shot himself through the hand while handling a target rifle. The wound is not serious.

Mrs. Mary Wagner of Gage county was adjudged insane and ordered taken to the asylum. The woman is but 34 years of age and the mother of four children.

The date for the annual high school fete at the State university has been set for May 19. It is expected that representatives from high schools all over the state will be present.

Games Warden Carter has received word from a special deputy in York county that William Chottin and Grover Denbo were arrested with fourteen ducks in their possession. Chottin, the elder of the two, was fined \$20 and costs, while the younger, who was a mere boy, was given his freedom.

A \$90 deficiency item allowed the state banking board has been left out of one of the appropriation bills passed at the last session of the legislature and as a result the board will be kept out of the money for another two years. The error is due to the negligence of the enrolling and engrossing clerks. The item cannot be paid for two years.

Word reached Beatrice that A. N. Breneman, a former printer of that city, but who is now living at Bartelsville, Mo., stating that he has been awarded a special prize of \$6,000 in a guessing contest. The guessing was on the total paid attendance at the World's fair. Breneman's guess was 12,804,635, just nine short of the actual paid number.

During the recent heavy rains near Mason City W. Z. Amsberry had two cows drowned. W. D. Amsberry had three calves, eleven pigs and seventy-five chickens drowned. George Mulvaney lost two horses, which floated away. The approaches to every bridge within five miles of Mason City are damaged and at least three bridges have been washed from their foundations.

Believing that Mrs. Lena Margaret Lillie has been unjustly condemned to life imprisonment for the murder of her husband, her friends are planning a series of petitions which will be circulated among the members of the women's clubs in all parts of the United States asking for her release. When these are signed they will be presented to Governor Mickey asking him for clemency.

The building by the Great Northern of the Sioux City-Ashland cut off has stirred up considerable interest in Northwestern railroad circles. The Northwestern regards the proposed new line as an invasion of its territory and there is much talk of the construction of a road from Hooper to Oakland to connect with the Omaha road, thus making a short line for the system between Lincoln and Sioux City.

Lester C. Winteron, who was a former Seward boy, met his death by accident in Egypt while employed as an expert prospective driller for a machinery company of Chicago. He is buried near the third cataract of the Nile river in Egypt. Of eight men sent to the gold coast of west Africa, he was the only one alive at the end of the year of their going. He was 36 years of age and was married last November.

Department Commander Herman Bross in his Memorial day order, just promulgated, calls attention to the law enacted by the late legislature to prohibit baseball playing and home racing and such forms of amusement on Memorial day and fixing a penalty for violation thereof. As a matter of fact, that law will not apply this year and therefore there can be no violation of it. It was passed without the emergency clause and therefore does not go into effect until July 1.

Mrs. Pauline Anderson of York was found dead in her bed. She was living alone and the neighbors not seeing her during the day, thought something was wrong, broke into the house and found her. Death was supposed to have come from heart trouble.

City Engineer Campen of Lincoln has made an examination of the gasoline engines recently built in Omaha and now at Grand Island. He has made a favorable report to the Citizens' Railway company, which concern is investigating the gasoline motive power for a local street railway system.

Small Men Intellectual.
Canon Kingsley, not long before his death, drew attention to the number of short men who could be seen in a London crowd. He looked on it as an indication of progress in intellectual lines at least, for many if not most of the great men of history have been men below the medium height.

Many Children Are Sickly.
Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, used by Mother Gray, a nurse in Children's Home, New York, Cure Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, Break up Colds and Destroy Worms. At All Druggists, 25c. Sample mailed FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Worldly joy is a sunflower, which shuts when the gleam of prosperity is over; spiritual joy is an evergreen, an un fading plant.—Racine.

\$4 guaranteed interest semi-annually on all investments, in tropical plantation half as large as Rhode Island, 40 profitable products. Active managers and agents wanted. E. Moore, 211 Odd Fellows' Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

Take care of your pennies while young and give some chap a chance to bunko you out of your dollars when you get old.—Chicago News.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays the pain, cures wind colic. See bottle.

Never pronounce the verdict of guilty until given the most positive evidence of its existence.

Dealers say that as soon as a customer tries Defiance Starch it is impossible to sell them any other cold water starch. It can be used cold or boiled.

Some men hustle almost as hard for a job as some women hustle for a husband.

Hundreds of dealers say the extra quantity and superior quality of Defiance Starch is fast taking place of all other brands. Others say they cannot sell any other starch.

When the proposition is likely to involve others give plenty of time to thought.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Don't you know that Defiance Starch, besides being absolutely superior to any other, is put up 16 ounces in package and sells at same price as 12-ounce packages of other kinds?

Lewis' "Single Binder" straight 5c cigar, made of extra quality tobacco. You pay 10c for cigars not so good. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Charity generally begins at home, and with lots of folks never gets as far as their front door.

A TRAINED NURSE

After Years of Experience, Advises Women in Regard to Their Health.

Mrs. Martha Pohlman of 55 Chester Avenue, Newark, N. J., who is a graduate nurse from the Blockley Training School, at Philadelphia, and for six years Chief Clinic Nurse at the Philadelphia Hospital, writes the letter printed below. She has the advantage of personal experience, besides her professional education, and what she has to say may be absolutely relied upon.



Many other women are afflicted as she was. They can regain health in the same way. It is prudent to heed such advice from such a source.

Mrs. Pohlman writes: "I am firmly persuaded, after eight years of experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, that it is the safest and best medicine for any suffering woman to use."

"Immediately after my marriage I found that my health began to fail me. I became weak and pale, with severe bearing-down pains, fearful backaches and frequent dizzy spells. The doctors prescribed for me, yes I did not improve. I would blast after eating and frequently become nauseated. I had an acrid discharge and pains down through my limbs so I could hardly walk. It was as bad a case of female trouble as I have ever known. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, however, cured me within four months. Since that time I have had occasion to recommend it to a number of patients suffering from all forms of female difficulties, and I find that while it is considered unprofessional to recommend a patent medicine, I can honestly recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for I have found that it cures female ills, where all other medicines fails. It is a grand medicine for sick women."

Money cannot buy such testimony as this—merit alone can produce such results, and the ablest specialists now agree that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the most universally successful remedy for all female diseases known to medicine.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles.

No other female medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement. No other medicine has such a record of cures of female troubles.

The needless suffering of women from diseases peculiar to their sex is terrible to see. The money which they pay to doctors who do not help them is an enormous waste. The pain is cured and the money is saved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Experience has proved this.

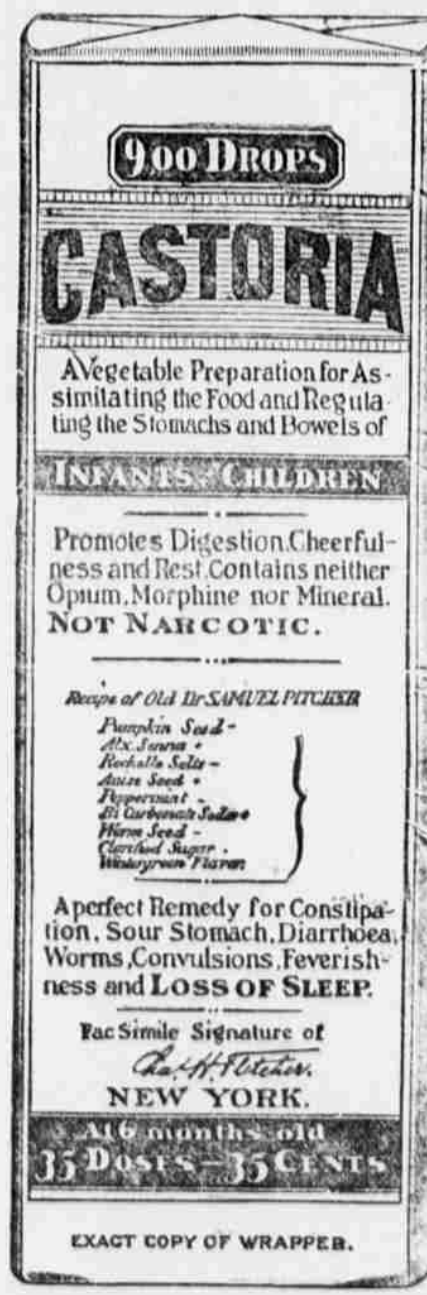
It is well for women who are ill to write Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. In her great experience, which covers many years, she has probably had to deal with dozens of cases just like yours. Her advice is free and confidential.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds Where Others Fail.

What is Castoria.

CASTORIA is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.



Letters from Prominent Physicians addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

Dr. F. Gerald Blattner, of Buffalo, N. Y., says: "Your Castoria is good for children and I frequently prescribe it, always obtaining the desired results."
Dr. Gustave A. Eisenbrauer, of St. Paul, Minn., says: "I have used your Castoria repeatedly in my practice with good results, and can recommend it as an excellent, mild and harmless remedy for children."
Dr. E. J. Dennis, of St. Louis, Mo., says: "I have used and prescribed your Castoria in my sanitarium and outside practice for a number of years and find it to be an excellent remedy for children."
Dr. S. A. Buchanan, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "I have used your Castoria in the case of my own baby and find it pleasant to take, and have obtained excellent results from its use."
Dr. J. E. Simpson, of Chicago, Ill., says: "I have used your Castoria in cases of colic in children and have found it the best medicine of its kind on the market."
Dr. R. E. Eskildson, of Omaha, Neb., says: "I find your Castoria to be a standard family remedy. It is the best thing for infants and children I have ever known and I recommend it."
Dr. L. R. Robinson, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Your Castoria certainly has merit. Is not its age, its continued use by mothers through all these years, and the many attempts to imitate it, sufficient recommendation? What can a physician add? Leave it to the mothers."
Dr. Albert J. Weston, of Cleveland, O., says: "I have used your Castoria in my practice for the past eighteen years with the utmost success."
Dr. Edwin F. Pardee, of New York City, says: "For several years I have recommended your Castoria and shall always continue to do so, as it has invariably produced beneficial results."
Dr. N. B. Sizer, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I object to what are called patent medicines, where maker alone knows what ingredients are put in them, but I know the formula of your Castoria and advise its use."

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