

CUSTER COUNTY REPUBLICAN

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BROKEN BOW, - NEBRASKA

General News

In the battle with four footpads at Berkeley, Cal., Policeman John J. LeStrange shot and killed one of the four.

When the king of Siam has on his full regalia he is supposed to represent an outlay of more than \$1,000,000. The International Union of Bridge-men and Structural Iron Workers, at Philadelphia, elected F. M. Ryan of Chicago president.

William J. Hussey, the noted astronomer of Lick observatory, has accepted the chair of astronomy in the University of Michigan.

Herbert O. Barber, one of the alleged wreckers of the Commercial bank at Cambridge, O., was acquitted by a jury in the common pleas court.

Advices from the south seas include details of a disastrous typhoon and tidal wave in the Marshall group, causing the loss of about 120 lives.

The wonderful mansion built by Senator Clark of Montana in Fifth avenue, New York is nearing completion. The total cost will be about \$5,000,000.

Intense excitement exists over the assassination at midnight Tuesday night of Andrew Carno, a wealthy coal mine-owner, who lived near Gallup, N. M.

A memorial tablet to Jeanne d'Arc is to be placed in the dungeon which is said to have been the prison of that fair captive in the tower of the Chateau d'Eu.

Mrs. Harry M. Lawson, of Sedalia, Mo., is the youngest grandmother in Missouri. She is 34 years old, has been married three times and divorced twice.

The mayor of Hull, England, announces that negotiations are begun with an American company for the establishment at Hull of a factory employing 1,000 hands.

The honorary degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred by Columbia university on Baron Komura and Sergius Witte, the senior peace plenipotentiaries of Japan and Russia.

The Carnegie technical school at Pittsburg announces the appointment of Henry Hornsostel, Ph. B., to a professorship in architectural practice in the School of Applied Science.

Acting Secretary Oliver has ordered the establishment of post schools for the instruction of children of officers, enlisted men and civil employees at posts where there are now no school facilities.

The decennial census just completed shows the population of Kansas, as enrolled by the assessors in March, 1905, to be 1,543,518, an increase of 209,804 over the population as shown by the census of 1895.

Sophomores and freshmen of Columbia waged a fierce battle at the Bronx casino, on the occasion of the sophomore smoker, at which captive freshmen were forced to furnish the entertainment. Several men were injured.

General Peter C. Haines, one of the members of the Panama canal commission, was not able to accompany the board to Panama by reason of his injuries received from a fall in the bath tub at his apartments in Washington.

W. L. Darling has resigned as chief engineer of the Rock Island railroad system. It is understood that he intends accepting a position recently offered as engineer of a company that intends building railroads in the Philippines.

The New York Subway tavern, the saloon which was opened with prayer by Bishop Potter a year ago, was closed last week. The owner locked up its doors, saying that the temperance saloon had not been a paying investment.

The appraisal, at over \$16,000,000 of the estate of the late Adrian Iselin, of New Rochelle, N. Y., was filed at the surrogate's office in White Plains. The appraisement showed \$1,407,000 of real estate and \$14,925,906 of personal property.

The municipality, the board of trade and the exchanges of Odessa, have sent telegrams of welcome to M. Witte thanking him for securing peace and expressing the hope that he will render his country "many more services in his hard time."

William Kreider, of Logansport, Ind., given up for dead, was suddenly revived by the screams of his wife as she entered his chamber and saw his apparently lifeless form. Now it will get well, but his wife is in a critical condition from the shock.

Announcement is made that the Chicago & Northwestern railway will push to immediate completion the new line under construction from Casper, Wyo., west to Lander and the Wind river reservation, where 1,500,000 acres of public land will be thrown open to homestead settlement next June.

Burglars raided the home of a federal judge in Chicago and made off with \$1,500 worth of property.

Examination of the teeth of the body found in the river at Des Moines proves it to be that of George Griswold the insurance man, who is thought to have committed suicide.

On account of diphtheria at the Naval academy at Annapolis, the leave of the member which would have terminated on September 30 has been extended until Saturday, October 7. In the meantime Bancroft hall, the midshipmen's headquarters, will be thoroughly fumigated.

Platinum Wedding.
In the village of Verjux, near Chalon-Saone, France, a couple, ago one hundred and ninety respectively, have just celebrated the seventy-fifth anniversary of their wedding, which they called their "platinum" wedding.

"Dutch" Treat.
The members of the London Stock Exchange propose to do away among themselves with the bad practice of "standing the drinks." Each man is to pay for his own.

LOSS OF APPETITE
Cold Sweats, Twitching Nerves and Weakness Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Nature punishes every infraction of her laws, and careless habits easily lead to the condition described by Mr. William Browne, of No. 1019 Lincoln street, St. Joseph, Mo. Mr. Browne is an expert tinner in the employ of the National Biscuit Co. He gives the following account of a trying experience:

"In the spring of 1902," he says, "while I was regularly working at my trade, I grew somewhat careless in my habits of eating and drinking, and finally found that my appetite was fickle, a bad taste lingered in my mouth, my nerves twitched and were beyond my control, my kidneys were out of order and cold sweats would break out over my body at odd times. Perhaps, while I stood talking with some one, this trembling of the limbs, and profuse sweating, and a severe chill would seize me. I became alarmed at my condition and, having read an endorsement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, I got a box and began to use them. They helped me at once. After I had used one box the twitching of the nerves, the trouble with the stomach and the cold sweats stopped and have not reappeared, and my appetite is good. I have told all my friends that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cured me and I recommend them to everybody."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cured Mr. Browne because nothing can strengthen the nerves except good rich red blood—and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new blood. They don't act on the bowels. They don't bother with mere symptoms. They drive from the blood the cause of anemia, indigestion, nervous disorders, general weakness and the troubles of growing girls and women.

The pills are guaranteed to be free from opiates or harmful drugs. Sold by all druggists, or by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

We have never yet seen a pretty girl with a swell figure who didn't try to find out if she was being rubbed at.

Important to Mothers.
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *W. C. Little*.

In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Had Found a New Pleasure.
A new asphalt sidewalk had been laid in front of his home, and little Elmer was determined to walk upon it while it was still soft. His mother explained why he should not do so, but the temptation was too great, and at last he was brought in in disgrace.

"Mamma," sobbed Elmer, in disappointment. "You don't know how nice it is to walk out there; it's just like chewing gum with your heels!"—The Housekeeper.

Catching Tropical Fishes.
In the Bermuda Islands some of the gorgeous tropical fishes found in the clear waters of that group are caught for aquariums by the use of a long-handled dipnet equipped with a percussion cap. This cap is exploded by means of an electric storage battery, carried by the fisherman, if that name implies, who seeks out and stuns the finny beauties, when the fishes nose the cap about in their curiosity.

He Had a Pedigree.
A certain little girl became possessed, all on one day, of a baby brother and a puppy. The puppy was of valuable blood stock. A week passed and the puppy had been named "Scott," while the baby was still unnamed. The minister, happening to meet the little girl on the road one afternoon, asked her how it was that the puppy had a name and the baby had none. "Why Scott has a pedigree" said she.

NOTICED IT.
A Young Lady from New Jersey Put Her Wits to Work.

"Coffee gave me terrible spells of indigestion which, coming on every week or so, made my life wretched until some one told me that the coffee I drank was to blame. That seemed nonsense, but I noticed these attacks used to come on shortly after eating and were accompanied by such excruciating pains in the pit of the stomach that I could only find relief by loosening my clothing and lying down.

"If circumstances made it impossible for me to lie down I spent hours in great misery.

"I refused to really believe it was the coffee until finally I thought a trial would at least do no harm, so I quit coffee in 1901 and began on Postum. My troubles left entirely and convinced me of the cause.

"Postum brought no discomfort, nor did indigestion follow its use. I have had no return of the trouble since I began to drink Postum. It has built me up, restored my health and given me a new interest in life. It certainly is a joy to be well again."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each pkg.

A DESPAIRING WOMAN.
Weak, Nervous and Wretched from Wasting Kidney Troubles.

Mrs. Henry A. Reamer, Main and Garst sts., South Bend, Ind., says: "When I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I was so weak I could hardly drag myself across the room. I was wretched and nervous, and had backache, bearing-down pain, headache, dizziness and weak eyes. Dropsy set in and bloating of the chest choked me and threatened the heart. I had little hope, but to my untold surprise, Doan's Kidney Pills brought me relief and saved my life. I shall never forget it."



Sold by dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Gossip Going Out.
It is no longer considered good form to say a word against any one. An ill-natured criticism is a social blunder. Gossip, too, is really going out of fashion. True wit is a gift, not an attainment. Those who use it aright never yield to the temptation of saying anything that can wound another in order to exhibit their own cleverness.—Exchange.

Decidedly New.
The servant handed Mr. Highmore a letter. It was from Harold, the eldest son, who was at college. "Anything new in it?" asked Mrs. Highmore. "Yes," said the father of the family, in an agitated voice, as he glanced over the letter. He doesn't ask me for any money this time."

A Metropolitan Market.
It has many stories. Men fall and win here. It requires good common sense and an interest in the subject to win. One man told me that he got to his place early and thought of nothing but his business during the day.—Earl M. Pratt.

Cured Her Rheumatism.
Deep Valley, Pa., Oct. 2d.—(Special.)—There is deep interest in Green county over the cure of the little daughter of I. N. Whippley of Rheumatism. She was a great sufferer for five or six years and nothing seemed to do her any good till she tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. She began to improve almost at once and now she is cured and can run and play as other children do. Mr. Whippley says:

"I am indeed thankful for what Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for my daughter; they saved her from being a cripple perhaps for life."

Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved that Rheumatism is one of the results of diseased kidneys. Rheumatism is caused by Uric Acid in the blood. If the kidneys are right there can be no Uric Acid in the blood and consequently no Rheumatism. Dodd's Kidney Pills make the kidneys right.

There is something peculiar about the man who takes no interest in baseball. He may be a person of superior intelligence.

BABY ONE SOLID SORE.
Could Not Shut Eyes to Sleep—Spent \$100 on Doctors—Baby Grew Worse—Cured by Cuticura for \$5.

"A scab formed on my baby's face, spreading until it completely covered her from head to foot, followed by boils, having forty on her head at one time, and more on her body. Then her skin started to dry up and it became so bad she could not shut her eyes to sleep. One month's treatment with Cuticura Soap and Ointment made a complete cure. Doctors and medicines had cost over \$100, with baby growing worse. Then we spent less than \$5 for Cuticura and cured her. (Signed) Mrs. G. H. Tucker, Jr., 325 Greenfield Ave., Milwaukee, Wis."

Poor humanity; the mother does not know half the time where the children are, and they do not know where she is the other half.

Medicines Have Stood Test of Time.
"The leading proprietary medicines that have stood the test of time are of known therapeutic value," says a medical authority. "They are prepared in laboratories of the highest grade, under the care of skilled pharmacists, and they are made from approved formulas which, in many instances, have been the especial pride and specific of some successful physician. They have been tried in the crucible of public opinion and they have been found satisfactory by the people, for otherwise the people would discontinue using them."

The man who is anxious to scrape an acquaintance usually desires to go a step further and skin him.

Of what use are friends? In prosperity, a man has no use for them; in adversity, they have no use for him.

Don't do things in a half-hearted way. If a thing is worth doing at all, it is worth doing well.

A good many of the difficulties we complain of are difficulties only because we complain.

A civil answer makes more friends than a gruff one, and a smile succeeds where a frown fails.

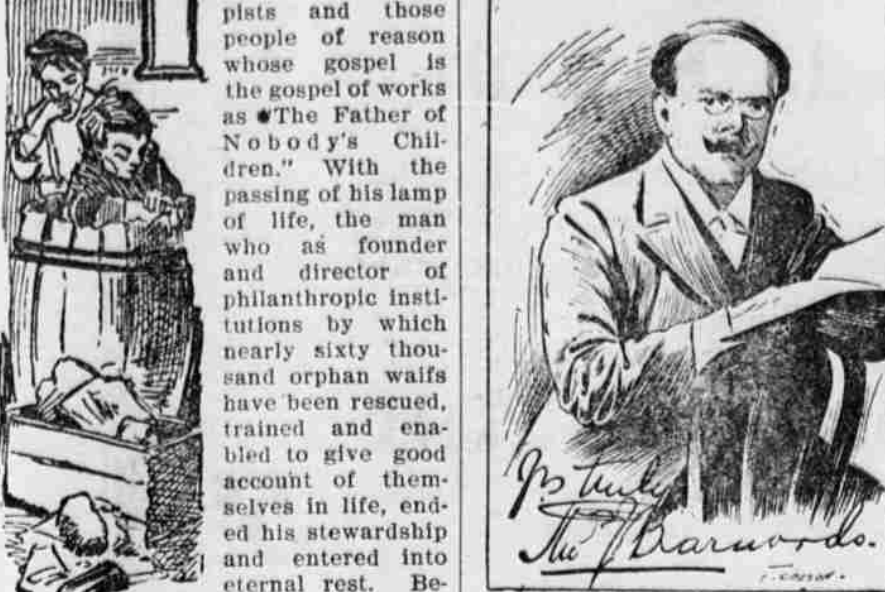
You cannot expect the world to have a good opinion of you unless you set the example.

Thomas John Barnardo

FRIEND OF THE WAIFS



LONDON there has just died a man known to genuine philanthropists and those people of reason whose gospel is the gospel of works as 'The Father of Nobody's Children.' With the passing of his lamp of life, the man who as founder and director of philanthropic institutions by which nearly sixty thousand orphan waifs have been rescued, trained and enabled to give good account of themselves in life, ended his stewardship and entered into eternal rest. Because this man has



lived, useful citizens have been raked out of the gutters and slums of London, and many of the theories concerning original sin and total depravity have been severely punctured. His name—Thomas John Barnardo—is graven upon the hearts of thousands, uplifted because he lived and worked, and the world has been bettered because of him and his efforts.

Born in Ireland in 1845, Thomas John Barnardo was of Spanish descent. A Protestant and nonconformist, his education was obtained in private schools, and at an age when the sons of well-to-do fathers begin to form in their own minds ideas as to their future, he decided to become a missionary. It was his ultimate intention to spend his life in China, and, desiring to equip himself the better for work abroad, he went to London, where he began the study of medicine and upon the receipt of his degree continued his studies in the hospitals of London, Edinburgh and Paris. It was during his student days at the London hospital in Whitechapel road that he determined upon his career. How well he fulfilled his mission is now written in the history of the world's good deeds.

His first term in the London hospital was in that gloomy, eventful and ominous year 1866, a period of political agitation, commercial disturbance—it was in May that the stoppage of the great discount establishment of Overend & Gurney produced such consternation—and an outbreak of cholera, due to impurities in the water supply. Neither the political situation nor the commercial depression endangered young Barnardo. He gave evidence this early of the philanthropic stuff within him, and although comparatively inexperienced, volunteered for the cholera service. He was gladly accepted, for volunteers were few. The virulence of the mysterious maldy in Turkey and Egypt in 1865 had created a feeling of despair in the minds of medical men and laity alike. England had known it in 1832, when the deaths numbered 14,807, and during the second visitation in 1847 the mortality in London alone was 14,497, while in the kingdom the list reached 55,181. The authorities were at their wits' end and the situation was horrible; but Barnardo did not hesitate. Of his personal security he seemed never to think and made a house to house visitation of the East End poor, others refusing the service on the ground that it would be going into the jaws of death.

When the scourge was over Dr. Barnardo went back to the hospital and dissecting room. His work in the poor quarters had given him a new view of life, however, and he made up his mind that it was his duty to contribute something toward helping those who appeared unable to help themselves. As a beginning he established a Ragged School in the very center of squalid Steppney, to which he devoted two nights each week and all of Sunday. Of this work he said some time before his death:

"I was a young medical student when my attention was directed by the condition of a single little street arab, of whom I had then no knowledge, to the necessities of the destitute waifs and strays of London. My acquaintance with that boy about forty years ago led to a careful investigation of the great East End problem. I began in a small way, knowing nobody, to do my work; had one poor little chap in my own lodging for two or three weeks, then two or three more, and then as I picked up more children I put them in lodgings. I had at one time as many as fifty children, lodging them all about me, sending them to the common day school during the day and providing for their wants through help from friends and some of my fellow students, and, of course, what I could spare myself.

"The first regular home came in 1868. It was a small and very poor affair; such a ramshackle, broken-down place. We whitewashed the walls and scrubbed the floors ourselves. I sent my first little boy to Canada in 1867, so far back as that year I began Canadian emigration and continued to send occasional parties until 1882, when I started organized emigration on a large scale. Close upon 60,000 children have been rescued from the streets. These have been educated and trained and placed

out in life. Everybody knows the characteristic features that make our work unique. Most orphanages and institutions have certain rules for the admission of candidates. Ours is only that a child must be destitute. We search for them; we don't wait for them to come to us. We have a varying number of expert men and women always at work searching the common lodging houses, the streets and lanes of squalid parts of the great cities of England, and in most of the towns we have places where the doors are always open, our idea being that in every great center of population there should be a door open at which the feeblest little knock or cry of a waif can be heard. None ever refused if destitute; it does not matter what creed, sex, age, country, language or what physical condition. They come to me deaf, dumb, blind, crippled, maimed for life, with their features horribly distorted, at times often with the hand of death upon them, so that I know they can be with us but a short time. Our doors are never closed against any little children.

"The question of money never enters, I mean to say that we accept a child whether there is any money at hand or not. I receive children when I have not a penny at hand. Funds or no funds, about eight cases are admitted every twenty-four hours, and I always have about 5,000 children under my care. And my boys and girls have done well in the world, too. Some of my girls have married persons of very superior ranks of life. I have boys who are clergymen, nonconformist ministers, lawyers, doctors. One has reached parliament. The rank and file of my boys are mechanics and laborers. Of carpenters, blacksmiths, printers, matmakers, tinmiths and other trades I have an immense number. And would you believe it, less than 3 per cent of all the boys and girls of mine have gone to the bad?"

A Christian whose Christianity was not of the ready made sort was Dr. Barnardo. He called himself "An humble servant of the Lord," and he practiced all his preaching. He would not be called a fop—there was too much of the sturdy manliness about him—but he dressed as well as any man in London. His manners were agreeable and his personality attractive, and yet, night and day, he spent his entire time gathering up the human driftwood of the slums, and from this material carving men and women. He was without cant. He talked as little as possible of his work. He did things.

The great work of Dr. Barnardo, now known wherever men of benevolence and charity aid their fellows, did not develop without trials and tribulations. A Protestant Irishman, a nonconformist, he was at the first denounced by the Church of Rome and the Church of England. He appeared many times as a defendant in the courts and so-called Christian societies fought him until finally he was obliged to enter a suit for libel in order to vindicate himself and keep his work from failure. This cost him \$40,000 and much anguish of spirit, but it won the day, for it brought to his assistance a late chief justice of England, who helped him with money and influence. Now that he is gone, Catholics, Protestants, men and women of all sects, are offering tributes to his memory, and Queen Alexandra herself, a patron of his society, is evincing a deep personal interest in its affairs.

To Keep Hands in Condition.
Rub the hands with dry salt after having had them in water for a length of time; afterward rinse them and wipe dry. If this is done daily after the housework is finished it will keep the hands smooth, clean and white.

Tiny Elephant is Dined.
"Jumbo Junior," a tiny elephant that is now the pet of London, was "dined" by "some fair Americans" at a restaurant and afterwards "entertained the company with favorite airs on the mouth organ."

SAYS AMERICANS ARE LEARNING HOW TO EAT.

In America, eating is becoming more of a fine art as well as a pastime and accomplishment every day. Americans are learning how to eat. They have passed the stage of civilization where anything and everything will go and are becoming particular eaters.

Nothing but the white heart of the wheat berry (Pillsbury's Vitas) is NOW good enough for those who have tried this cereal breakfast food. It is the most economical and it is actually the "Meat of the Wheat"—Sterilized—nothing added—nothing taken away; pure white in color, it serves an appetizing breakfast dish, made in the greatest mills, of the best wheat, and by the oldest miller, PILLSBURY. This is your guarantee.

Put up only in two pound, airtight packages.

Look for the words, "Meat of the Wheat."

A package will make you twelve pounds of substantial family food and can be purchased at your grocers. Price 15c. Rocky Mountain territory 20c.

Ask him to-day. He will gladly fill your order because he knows he sells you satisfaction.

Mike Sullivan.
There are eight men in the vicinity of Solomon who are named Mike Sullivan. To distinguish them they are known as Mike Pete, Mike Bat, Smoky Bat, Prairie Mike, Mike Dan, Corner Mike, Wild Mike, Big Mike, Little Mike.—Kansas City Journal.

Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold Water Starch for laundry use they will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound—while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in 1/2-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 oz." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

Industries of Milan.
The province of Milan is one of the important industrial centers of Italy. It contains 300 silk mills, giving employment to 40,000 workmen; 200 cotton mills, with 25,000 workmen, and twenty woolen mills, with 3,000 workmen.

Here is Relief for Women.
Mother Gray, a nurse in New York, discovered a pleasant herb remedy for women's ills, called AUSTRALIAN-KIDNEY. It is the only certain monthly regulator of women's weaknesses, backache, kidney and urinary troubles. At all druggists or by mail 50c. Sample mailed FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., Lodi, N. Y.

Most people are satisfied with what they have. It's what they haven't that causes their dissatisfaction.

Moral suasion is all right in its way, but there are times when it should be backed up with a shotgun.

W. L. DOUGLAS \$3.50 & \$3.00 SHOES FOR MEN W. L. Douglas \$4.00 Clit. Edge Line cannot be equalled at any price.



W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes have by their excellent style, easy fitting, and superior wearing qualities, achieved the largest sale of any \$3.50 shoe in the world. They are just as good as those that cost you \$5.00 to \$7.00—the only difference is the price. If I could take you into my factory at Brockton, Mass., the largest in the world under one roof making men's fine shoes, and show you the care with which every pair of Douglas shoes is made, you would realize why W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes are the best shoes produced in the world.

If I could show you the difference between the shoes made in my factory and those of other makers, you would understand why Douglas \$3.50 shoes cost more to make, why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater intrinsic value than any other \$3.50 shoe on the market to-day.

W. L. Douglas Strong Men's Shoes for Men \$2.50, \$2.00, Boys' School & Dress Shoes, \$2.50, \$2, \$1.75, \$1.50 CAUTION—Insist upon having W. L. Douglas shoes. Take no substitutes. Genuine without his name and price stamped on bottom.

WANTED. A shoe dealer in every town where W. L. Douglas shoes are not sold. Full line of samples sent free for inspection upon request. Fast Color Eggs used—they will not wear or bleed. Write for Illustrated Catalog of Fall Styles. W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.