CUSTER COUNTY REPUBLICAN

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BROKEN BOW, - - NEBRASKA

Victories of Peace.

The rank and importance of what they proved it is difficult to make laymen understand—especially those in cooler latitudes who never know the fear of yellow fever. Men of science rank it with Jenner's discovery of vaccination, and Lister's invention of aseptic surgery. But the fate of these surgeons is perfectly intelligible. Maj. Reed, broken in health, returned to the United States, and lived long enough to get an honorary degree from Harvard. A popular subscription is now being taken to build a monument to him. Dr. Lazear was a victim to his own devotion to the work; he died from yellow fever after permitting infected mosquitoes to bite him. Dr. Carrol, more fortunate, recovered from the disease following experimental inoculation, but he never knew a well day after he plunged his hand into the fatal jar. Maj. Reed's widow has a pension of $125 a month from the United States; Dr. Lazear's receives $17. There is no person, declares Collier's, who is not touched near to the depths of his capacity for admiration by the thought of these men. Their monuments should be set up for inspiration in every school throughout the land where youths are taught to become physicians.

Farthest North Race.

It looks like another "farthest north" race. Dr. Frederick A. Cook of Brooklyn, who is an arctic explorer of some note, having been surgeon of one of Commander Peary's expeditions and of a Belgian exploring party ten years ago, is now well up to the pole. His party, when last heard of, was encamped at a point 650 miles south of the pole, and considerably farther north than was reached by the late Peary expedition, although Peary himself penetrated to within about 200 miles of the object of the search. It is Dr. Cook's intention to dash to the north pole when the conditions are favorable, and his wife, who has just returned from the polar region, is confident he will succeed. This appears like trying to steal a march on Peary, who was making elaborate preparations for another trip northward, but was compelled to abandon the project for the present because his ship could not be put in readiness.

Reports come from London every few months that St. Paul's cathedral is settling and that its walls are cracking. A committee of architects appointed to inquire into the condition of the building when the county council planned to run a sewer within 45 feet of the southwest tower has reported and, although repairs are needed at once, the structure is in no immediate danger of collapse. It needs to be carefully watched, however. The foundations do not rest on bed-rock, and as the water has been drained from the subsoil, the earth has settled, and allowed the walls to settle also. One engineer has suggested that holes be bored in the ground about the building and that they be kept filled with water, so that the earth may be restored to its natural condition at the time when the whole district roundabout was not sealed up with pavements or covered with buildings, and the rain could percolate through the soil.

A remarkably interesting engineering operation has lately been in progress in Brooklyn, N. Y. A large brick theater building, having walls 90 feet high, has been lifted from its foundations, turned squarely round and moved 300 feet to a new site. To turn it, the exact center of the floor was ascertained, and with this as a hub a series of small steel rollers were laid on a prepared platform, and then the building, resting on steel beams, was allowed to settle down on the rollers. With jack-screws on two diagonally opposite corners pushing in opposite directions, the structure was then turned as of on a pivot. The moving of brick buildings is common, but this is said to be the largest and heaviest structure that has ever been put bodily on new foundations.

A New Jersey woman recently horsewhipped her husband's soul-mate, and a judge applauded her for it. It is noteworthy that everybody's sympathy inevitably goes with the woman who administers the thrashing in such a case, but the really remarkable feature of it is that as she holds the whip-hand, she ever lets the husband get out of control at all.

As the Parisian doctors have increased the price of living by raising their fees, it is in line for the undertakers to get together and make dying equally as expensive. Perhaps the time will come when only the wealthy can enjoy these little luxuries.

When our squadron visits the Pacific a part of its cargo will be 20,000 pounds of prunes. Uncle Sam is evidently trying to make his sailors feel just as much at home as if they were in a real boarding house.

NEBRASKA POINTERS

STATE NEWS AND NOTES IN CONDENSED FORM.

THE PRESS, PULPIT AND PUBLIC

What is Going on Here and There That is of Interest to the Readers Throughout Nebraska.

At the state university school of agriculture the registration figures show an increase of 50 per cent over the same day last year.

Charged with beating and kicking his aged father, Earl Burns a young farmer, was brought to Beatrice from Sicily township and lodged in jail.

Hon. Leslie M. Shaw has accepted the invitation of the senior class of the University of Nebraska to deliver their commencement oration next June 11, 1908.

Following is the mortgage record of Gage county for October: Farm mortgages filed 8, amount $41,525. City mortgages filed 41, amount $32,263; number released 24, amount $10,671.

The State Bank of Chapman was sold to the Platte Valley bank, a strong institution of Central City. This relieves the Commercial State bank of Grand Island of some material liability.

A party of nine Mormon elders is doing missionary work in Fremont. Their plan somewhat resembles that of the Salvation army, as they hold meetings on street corners and distribute their literature.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the First National bank of Hastings, at which nine-tenths of the stock was represented, a resolution was adopted to immediately increase the capital stock of that institution to $100,000.

There is much interest and enthusiasm at the revival meetings being conducted in Lyons by the three McDonald brothers, old Methodist ministers in the Nebraska conference, who are ably assisted by Miss Alice Fentel, a vocalist from Council Bluffs.

Mrs. Hattie Guinver, of Aurora, received a package from her brother in Texas which proved to be a magnificent curtain fifteen feet long, made of red plush with a center paned with fishes and birds embroiderd in gold, with glass eyes. Mr. Day is keeper of the grounds of the state capitol of Texas.

According to the report of State Health Inspector Wilson, 193 children were born in Omaha during the month of September. In three families twins were born. Nationalities were as follows: Germany, 19; Bohemia, 12; Sweden, 8; Italy, 7; Denmark, 7; Russia, 5; England, 3; Syria, 3; Poland, 2; Ireland, Norway, Greece and Scotland, 1 each.

A movement to raise funds to purchase a new athletic field for the state university is being engineered by a number of energetic alumni. Nebraska field will be unavailable for further athletic work as soon as the present season is over and it will be necessary to carry on all outdoor athletics at the state farm unless the plan of the alumni is carried out.

Corn husking is again in full blast in this section says a Fort Calhoun dispatch, and farmers find there is a great difference between this year's and last year's yield. Where corn averaged fifty bushels per acre last year it wil hardly average thirty-five this year. It is thought that about twenty five bushels will be the general average in that section.

A well-known attorney of Norfolk was brought into police court on a charge of abusing his wife. The latter appeared as complainant. The attorney became very abusive and finally drove out all who were present in court at the time, the police judge included. Not satisfied with this he picked up chairs, flung them against the door and walls, smashing them into kindling wood.

Three crooks landed in David City and commenced to get in their work of short-changing. They managed to short-change two or three of the business men, but were soon found out and Chief of Police Latimer was notified, who soon had his men. The chief walked them around to the business houses and made them dig up the right change, then took them to the Union Pacific freight and ordered them to leave town, which they did at once.

Oscar Craige, a flour and feed man of Utica, shipped a carload of clover seed to the eastern markets. This is the first time that a full carload has been shipped. The parties who raised this seed have raalized a nice profit on the same. Henry Suhr was one of the farmers that was most fortunate in having a good crop of clover, as his receipts for two loads were $703. Other farmers were also rather fortunate in having a large crop on hand and the prices that were paid them figured up into the thousands.

Columbus has had about 200 men stationed there, employed by the Union Pacific in construction and improvements along the line between Columbus and Grand Island. These, with a number of others, have been let out for the winter.

The man who committed suicide on a train at Falls City last summer has been identified and the body taken back to his old home for burial. Mr. Hamp, an undertaker of Tonowanda, N. Y., arrived in town and identified the body as that of George A. Perry, who was a photographer at that place.

WHEN MONEY WAS SCARCE.

Practically Unobtainable During Period of Missouri's History.

"However scarce money may be at times at the present," said an old Missourian, "the oldest inhabitants will recall when it was almost unobtainable and other commodities had to be used as media of exchange. The wolf's scalp was worth a dollar because it was a state bounty upon the death of a wolf, and venison hams and deer skins also had a purchasing value. Skins of the fur bearers were likewise abundant and valuable. When the first sheriff of Audrain county, in 1837, went to Jefferson City to deliver the county revenue, he met an old friend on the way who, needing money, wanted to borrow the actual coin part of the county's revenue. The good-hearted sheriff lent it to him and went on to the capital and delivered only the scalps. By the time of the next settlement the loan was repaid and the sheriff made his next settlement complete. No note or other obligation than the mere word was given."—Columbia Herald.

The Peaceful Cow.

She was even more afraid of cows than most girls, so when she spied a placid animal recumbent under a tree, peacefully chewing its cud, she at first refused to go through the pasture at all. Her husband calmed her fears to some extent, and they started by, when the cow slowly commenced to get up, hind legs first, as they always do. At this the little lady shrieked with terror, and said:

"Oh, Bob, hurry, hurry, he is getting ready to spring at us!"—Harper's Magazine.

TO PRETENDERS.

A Wholesome Word for Guidance.

Just a word to you, "Collier's" and other glaring examples of Modern Yellow Journalism and Cigarettes.

Environment gives you a view-point from which it is difficult to understand that some people even nowadays act from motives of old fashioned honesty.

There are honest makers of foods and healthful beverages and there are honest people who use them.

Perhaps you are trained to believe there is no honesty in this world. There is, although you may not be of a kind to understand it.

Some of you have been trained in a sorry class of pretenders, but your training does not taint the old fashioned person trained without knowledge of pretense and deceit.

These letters came to us absolutely without solicitation. We have a great many thousand from people who have been helped or entirely healed by following the suggestions to quit the food or drink which may be causing the physical complaints and change to Postum Coffee or Grape-Nuts food.

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You can print from old and worn plates all the cheap books your presses will produce and sell them as best you can, but such acts and your "learned" editorials are but commercial, and seek only "dollars" and much by pretence.

When you branch out into food values you become only ridiculous.

Stick to what you know. The field may be small but it is safe.

This first letter is from the President of the "Christian Nation", a worthy Christian paper of New York.

New York, Oct. 2, 1907.

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"She gets paid for staying away from papa," replied the child, artlessly.—Harper's Weekly.

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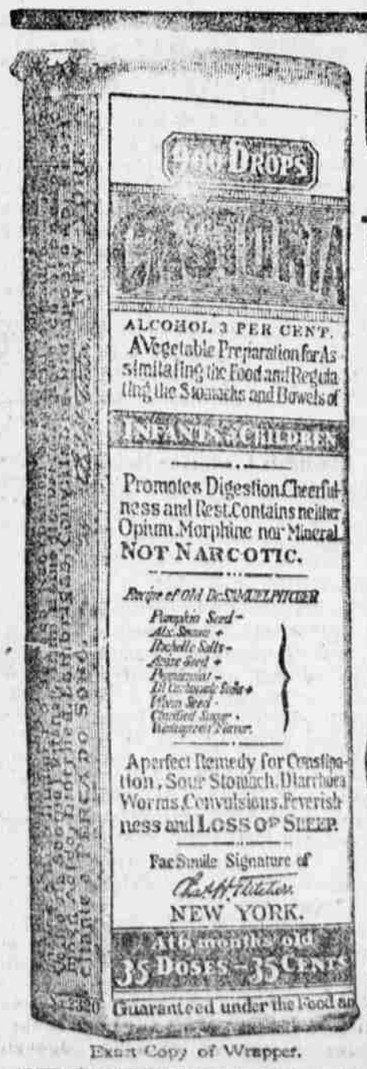

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Mother's Vegetable Soup.

Pare, slice the potatoes and turn into the soup kettle with plenty of cold water, add a half onion sliced and let boil thirty minutes or until the vegetables are tender; a little chopped celery may be used if you have it. Season with salt and pepper, add some good, rich milk or cream and a piece of butter the size of a walnut and a few spoonfuls of canned or cold cooked tomatoes. Serve as it comes to a boil.

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