

TEMPERANCE COLUMN

Conducted by the McCook W. C. T. U.

Temperance Crusade in Ireland.

A great temperance crusade has been undertaken throughout the south and west of Ireland by the Roman Catholic bishops, and every Sunday for the last few months pastoral messages condemning the vice of drunkenness have been read at the churches at all the services. The latest pronouncement has been made by the Right Rev. Dr. Hoarem, bishop of Ardagh, who attacks the practice of drinking at wakes and at the farewell parties given in honor of departing emigrants. The drinking at wakes, he declares, is not only harmful to the living, but disrespectful to the dead. Drinking at harvest was also attacked and the bishop appealed to the clergy and the people to do all in their power to discountenance these abuses.

The bishop of Ferns has also issued a pastoral letter condemning the practice of supplying drink at threshings and appealing to the people to join the anti-treating league and to wear the sham-rock badge as a reminder that they are soldiers in the great army that is fighting to win Ireland from drunkenness.—Cablegram to Bee.

THE THIRTY-FOURTH ANNUAL STATE CONVENTION OF THE W. C. T. U. AT HASTINGS, NEBRASKA.

Over two hundred persons, representing forty counties, were present at the Baptist church, when the state convention of the W. C. T. U. was formally opened.

In addition to the regular program, Mr. Teeters, of Falls City, prohibition candidate for governor, delivered the address.

Mayor Miles welcomed the white ribbons to the city, extending a special invitation to them to drink freely of aqua pura, which is provided at the watering places in the business section. Mayor Miles advocated the temperate use of all things.

In her response, Mrs. Medora Nickel, of Beatrice, declared: "No man can stand for the legalized liquor traffic unless he has an appetite for or an interest in the business."

Reports show that seven new counties have been organized—that twenty-two counties in the state are dry, twenty-one counties have but one saloon. Forty counties in the state are organized into W. C. T. U. Unions. They report 1,347 new members.

RESOLUTIONS.

Resolved that we commend the action of the Nebraska Board of Agriculture in their efforts to give us a clean state fair and we appreciate the courtesy extended our State W. C. T. U. by giving it a place in their daily program held in the new large fair auditorium, the notice of which was given in the official program.

Resolved that, whereas we hail with delight the decision of the Nebraska State Journal Co. to the effect that no contract for liquor advertisements of any kind will be renewed; that no more such advertisements will appear in either the Nebraska State Journal or the Evening News after the expiration of existing contracts. Therefore be it

Resolved that we, the members of the thirty-fourth annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, do hereby most heartily commend this action which to the extent of our knowledge, is the first to be taken by any great secular newspaper in the north, and we pledge our hearty support.

Resolved that the array of temperance clippings from Lincoln State Journal and Evening News, which have been published during six months, clipped and prepared by Mrs. Corey of Lincoln to hang on these walls as part of our decorations, is before you as unmistakable evidence of an alert woman and rapidly growing public sentiment along temperance lines.

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Christine Hollister of Manchester, Conn., will arrive in the city in time to take charge of the 3rd grade west, next week. She will make the 25th teacher in the system, an increase of two since the opening of the school year.

Another room is being finished in the new high school building and Miss Green of the 3rd grade west will be in charge of the same, which will be known as the 1st grade east and will be made up of pupils from the east and west ward buildings.

The school board at its meeting, Monday, took action looking toward more stringent quarantine regulation enforcement where the occasion warrants the same.

A Guaranteed Cure For Piles.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding, or Protruding Piles. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case, no matter of how long standing, in 6 to 14 days. First application gives ease and rest. 50c. If your druggist hasn't it send 50c in stamps and it will be forwarded postpaid by Paris Medicine Co. St. Louis, Mo.

Four New City Views

and an attractive assortment of greeting and other tasteful post cards received this week at The Tribune office. Something new every week.

CITY CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CHRISTIAN—Bible school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. C. E. at 7 p. m. All are welcome.
K. M. AINSWORTH, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL—Preaching services at St. Alban's church at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. All are welcome to these services.
E. R. EARLE, Rector.

CATHOLIC—Order of services: Mass 8 a. m. Mass and sermon, 10:00 a. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Every Sunday.
Wm. J. KIRWIN, O. M. I.

BAPTIST—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11:00 a. m. Evening service at 8:00. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. A most cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us.
E. BURTON, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—Services, Sunday at 11 a. m., and Wednesday at 8 p. m. Meetings held in the Morris block. Room open all the time. Science literature on sale. Subject for next Sunday, "Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?"

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN—Regular German preaching services in the court room of the McCook court house every Sunday morning at 10:30. All Germans and Russians cordially invited.
REV. Wm. BRUGGEMAN,
607 5th st. East.

CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by pastor. Junior C. E. at 3 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to these services.
G. B. HAWKES, Pastor.

METHODIST—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sermon by the pastor at 11. Class at 12. Epworth League at 7. Sermon at 8, preached by Rev. O. T. Moore of Lincoln. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at 7:45. Good music and a cordial welcome at all these services.
M. B. CARMAN, Pastor.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CONGREGATIONAL—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by pastor. Junior C. E. at 1:30 p. m. Senior C. E. at 4:00 p. m. Prayer meetings every Wednesday and Saturday evenings at 7:30. All Germans cordially invited to these services.
REV. GUSTAV HENKELMANN,
505 3rd street West.

PUBLIC LIBRARY NOTES.

"Among certain authors of the present time there is great rivalry as to who can cover the maximum of paper with the minimum of thought."

Since the editor of "Public Libraries" has given expression to the above criticism it seems worth while for us to give it some consideration.

It is true there are reams of paper covered, on which there appears no thought, and nothing to stimulate thought. The authors of such books must have settled with their commercial conscience only, and on the ground that they are producing some of the "best sellers" of the season. Their spiritual conscience only must be uneasy or dormant. We are thankful, however, that there are some authors of the present time who are writing, not merely to fill space, but to give to the world the best their minds can produce. Such writings are, "A Summer Hymnal," "The Divine Fire," "The Sky Pilot," "Tom Grogan," "The Blue Flower," "Mrs. Wiggs," "A Singular Life," "The Son of Royal Langbrith," and others.

Novels? Yes, and love stories, most of them. Emerson himself has said: "All mankind loves a lover," and the story of faithful love will always hold its charm. Penelope unravelling her web at night, to prolong her weaving until the return of Ulysses is one of the oldest of love stories, but it has served as the type for many another. We get some of our best ethical teaching from fiction; and the influence of much of our fictitious literature has been for good, and many novels have their message, setting the world to thinking, and often times proving themselves prophets of the progress which follows.

LIBRARIAN.

Depth of Cyclones. From the study of clouds an official of the United States weather bureau concludes that ordinary cyclones which traverse our country from west to east are not more than two or three miles in depth, although their diameter is many hundreds of miles. In other words, their motion does not affect the upper regions of the atmosphere. In the case of hurricanes this authority finds that the depth is greater, amounting to as much as five or six miles. But higher currents blow directly across the cyclonic and anticyclonic areas which produce storms and fair weather at the surface of the earth.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Easy Money.

Theodore Hook was one of the Garrick club's most famous members. He generally arrived at the club late in the afternoon and "never went home till morning." He had been told by the doctors, he said, to avoid the night air. A member of the club in Hook's time predicted the advent of the millennium at the end of three years. "All right," cried Hook. "Give me a five pound note now, and I will repay you £50 at the millennium."

MULAI HAFID

New Moorish Ruler Who is a Bone of Contention in Europe.

Since Mulai Hafid of Morocco caused a note of discord in the concert of the powers in his efforts to upset the throne of his brother, Abdul Aziz, the personality of this aspiring young man



MULAI HAFID AND THE ENTRANCE TO ONE OF THE SULTAN'S PALACES

has assumed leading international interest. It is not that the world in general cares so much whether Morocco is ruled by one brother or the other. It is bound to be ruled badly in either case. But the powers of Europe agree upon certain policies with respect to Morocco at the Algier conference, and Mulai having come along and taken the throne away from his brother, the situation is somewhat "confuddled," so to speak, in consequence. France has eyes on Morocco, and Germany has eyes on France. The Kaiser is jealous of French interference in the affairs of Morocco, and it was this in part that made it difficult for the powers as represented in the Algier conference to agree on a policy which would assure their respective commercial interests in the empire of the Moors and keep its principal ports open for business with the world without giving the French too much to say about ruling the domain. The agreement which was reached was supposed to have adjusted the matter satisfactorily, but now that Mulai has defeated his brother in several battles and practically established himself in power the peace of Europe is again threatened by the question of how, when and where the recognition of the more powerful of the two contestants for the throne should be accomplished.

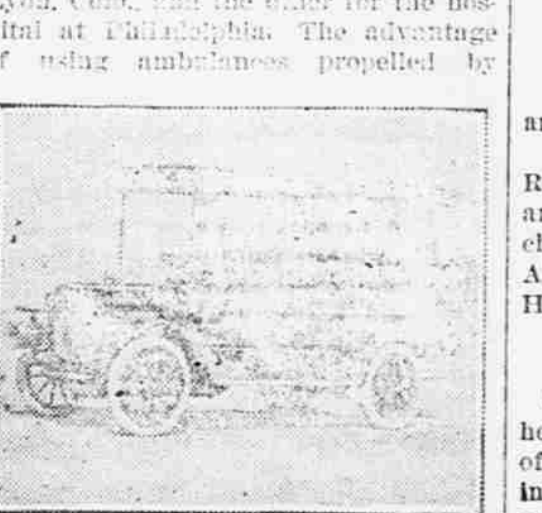
Abdul Aziz, who of course ought now to call himself Abdul Aswas, having served about sixteen years as sultan, is loath to give up the job, which in spite of its attendant dangers has afforded him considerable sport. He has amused himself a good deal with bicycles, cameras, automobiles and other novelties of the age, and his brother Mulai, who claims to be more orthodox in the Mohammedan faith, proclaims all such things "Christian deviltries." Mulai has succeeded in replacing his brother in the affections of the Moors in part by representing that Abdul Aziz has fallen from grace. However, even Mulai fell once, when he allowed himself to be photographed, a proceeding contrary to the teachings of the Koran. He only permitted a likeness of himself to be taken on the understanding that no copy of the picture should be made public in Morocco, which goes to show that, like many other people, he thinks it not so bad to sin if only you are not found out.

One Industry of the Pesky Ant. Out in Burma and the far east, where sandalwood is worth its weight in silver, the pestiferous ant is a valuable assistant to the loggers of that precious timber. The hard and fragrant heartwood alone has value, but as the tree grows this valuable heart is overlaid by a soft and worthless layer forming two-thirds of the trunk. When a tree is felled and cut into lengths the loggers let the timber lie. At once the ants begin work upon the soft wood, which is sappy and sweet enough to attract them. In a few weeks, less than a month in the case of the largest butts, the ants deliver the heartwood free of all the worthless sapwood.

Explaining. "Aha, Mose! What are you doing with those chickens?" "Is dem yo' chickens, boss?" "You got them out of my coop." "What kinda chickens is dey, boss?" "They are Rhode Island Reds. What are you doing with them?" "Why, boss, I done bought some Rhode Island Reds f'm a man yestiddy, an' I come ova to git some o' yo' alls chickens to see ef mine was lak yo' alls. Ah doesn't lak tu git cheated, boss."—Houston Post.

Tricking the Hens. Chinamen have a way of tricking hens so that they assist in the hatching of fish. Fish eggs are carefully placed in an eggshell, which is then sealed and placed under an unsuspecting hen. In a few days the spawn is warmed into life, and the contents of the shell are then cast into a shallow pool, where the sunshine completes the work.

Saw It. "There's been a conflagration here," said Cumso, looking at a tall building. "How do you know?" asked Fangle. "I saw the fire escape."—Kansas City Independent.



A NAVAL HOSPITAL AUTOMOBILE AMBULANCE

steam, electricity or gasoline is now being generally recognized. It is found that, as a rule, better time can be made with ambulances so propelled than with horses and that less danger to pedestrians in the streets is involved. Hospitals of all kinds are beginning to make use of the automobile ambulance.

A COURSE OF OX.

Try it as an Antidote For the Ills of the Strenuous Life.

In the choice of motor power allow me to suggest the ox. The horse leans forward to pull and even helps himself forward by bobbing his head. He jerks a load out of a hard place by plunging bodily against the collar, stopping and lunging again. He strains through a hard place and then starts suddenly forward at his release. He works himself into a lather, and you, if you are the right kind of person, cannot help feeling for him and assisting him with heward stress and strain.

The ox does not bob a horn. He simply journeys, and the load goes along. When he comes to a tough place his pasterds do not bend down, he does not squat to pull, he does not pinch along on the toes of his shoes, he seldom blows, and he does not know how to sweat. He does not exert himself at a patch of woven soil and then hurry up when he is past it. The chain becomes stiffer, and the yoke sits solidly to his neck, and that is all. There is no sign of effort. The earth may grit its teeth and crunch as it swallows the plow, but the ox stalks on his way. With the share deep or shallow or lifted entirely and hanging from the axle, whether he is plowing earth or air, it makes no difference to him. His most ponderous task is still himself, and he heeds no incidentals.

He is out for a stroll. He does not allow work to interfere with the even tenor of his way. His tendons are rigged to his outstanding rump bones like so much spar and tackle, and he goes along by interior leverage. Inside his old woman hulk is the necessary engine work, and he will neither go slower for this thing nor faster for that. There is much about him besides his disposition that is self contained. He is the antithesis of the automobile. To ride on his back is a cure for indigestion; to ride behind him is a rest for the mind. A course of ox is an antidote for the ill of the times.—Charles D. Stewart in Atlantic.

A BRIER PIPE.

Get One That is Smooth Inside the Bowl, Says a Smoker.

A collegian who prides himself on the sweetness and color of his briar wood pipes and pretends to know a lot more about them than any ordinary smoker spent half an hour in a tobacco shop making an addition to his already large collection.

Some pipes he discarded because of the grain in the wood. There was too much stripe or too much birdseye, he remarked. When he found one which suited him he put it aside until he had gathered three or four which apparently were all right, and then came his final test to pick out the best of them all.

He held each with the bowl toward the light, then slowly rubbed his little finger inside. Two he discarded, then repeated the operation with the others until only one remained out of the discard. That one he bought.

"Want 'em smooth inside," he explained. "A briar pipe roughly finished inside the bowl isn't worth bothering with. I wouldn't take one for a gift; wouldn't take the trouble to try to break it in, for it will never be any good. It won't take up right, and it'll never be nice and sweet."

"I've got a theory that when the inside of the bowl is rough all the little edges and points of wood char and burn the first time you smoke it, and a burnt pipe is no good. That's why I always take a pipe that has a bowl as smooth on the inside as on the out."

"Then it doesn't char, but cokes up evenly and gets good in a little time. Maybe the theory is wrong, but it has worked out well in my own experience, and some of my friends who have tried it agree with me."—New York Sun.

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DANGER IN DELAY.

Kidney Diseases Are Too Dangerous for McCook People to Neglect.

The great danger of kidney troubles is that they get a firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health is gradually undermined. Backache, headache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles, dropsy, diabetes and Bright's disease follow in merciless succession. Don't neglect your kidneys. Cure the kidneys with the certain and safe remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. M. J. Wyatt, Minden, Nebr., says: "For eight years I suffered from acute attacks of backache, brought on by a disorder of my kidneys. My condition was such at times, that I was hardly able to stoop and to go up and down stairs was an action attended with much misery. If I exerted myself, a dull aching across my back would become so acute that I would be forced to lie down and rest. The secretions from my kidneys were also too frequent in action and annoyed me a great deal. I became tired and languid, was restless nights and arose in the morning all worn out. A few months ago I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and found such prompt and gratifying results that I continued their use until completely cured."

Plenty more proof like this from McCook people. Call at McConnell's drug store and ask what customers report. For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Real Estate Filings.

The following real estate filings have been made in the county clerk's office since last report.

Fred Duckworth et ux to Sarah M Duckworth, wd to lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, blk 23, Indianola.....	1200 00
A C Seeley et al to Richard E Hatcher, wd to n hf ne qr 32-4 28.....	2200 00
Anton Johnson to N H Kronquest, wd to s hf ne qr, w hf se qr 22-2.....	1350 00
Sylvester J Rouse et ux to Roy E Walkington, wd to lot 1, pt lot 2, blk 3, Esther Park, Bartley.....	1200 00
Marion Powell et al to William S Bartholomew, deed to lot 5, blk 5, Marion.....	250 00
Henry C Shouse et ux to Roady Jones, wd to lots 22, 23, 24, blk 28, Indianola.....	1260 00
Anna Koons wd to Wesley Childers, wd to sw qr 25-1-26	4000 00
Henry Shouse et ux to Roady Jones, qcd to lot 21, blk 28, Indianola.....	1 00

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