

### The Falls City Roller Mills

Does a general milling business, and manufactures the following brands of flour

**SUNFLOWER MAGNOLIA CROWN**

The above brands are guaranteed to be of the highest possible quality. We also manufacture all mill products and conduct a general

**Grain, Live Stock and Coal Business**

and solicit a share of your patronage

**P. S. Heacock & Son,**

**Falls City, Neb.**

### We ask You to Examine the Financial Statement

of this bank found elsewhere in this paper. If your patronage and influence have, in any degree, contributed to the success of our business, we thank you for it. If, as yet, you are not a patron, let this be your invitation to become one.

### FARMERS STATE BANK

PRESTON, NEBRASKA

Directors

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## PUBLIC SALE!

I will sell at public sale at my place in

PRESTON, NEBRASKA

MONDAY

**SEPT. 23, '07**

commencing at 1 p. m. of the following property, to-wit:

**30 Head of Horses, 35 Head of Cattle**

1 lumber wagon, 1 spring wagon, 1 road wagon and 1 top buggy, 2 saddles and 1 set work harness.

Terms made known on day of sale

### HOSELTON & ALBEE

#### Died.

CULLY  
1828-1907

Mrs. Betsy Gaunt Cully died at her home north of this city at noon last Friday of concussion of the brain, the result of a fall on Wednesday previous. She had started up the stair and seemed seized with a fainting fit and fell sustaining such serious injuries that concussion follow. She never regained consciousness from the time of the accident on Wednesday until her death. All that loving hearts and willing hands could do was done for her but the Father who watches over all claimed her for His own.

Betsy Gaunt Sleight was born in Leah, Lincolnshire, England, June 19, 1828, and died Friday, September 13, 1907, at her home six miles north of this city. She came to the United States with her parents in 1854, and they located in Pike county, Illinois, where she was married to John Cully, Sept. 25, 1856. In the year 1863 they moved to this county and for forty-four years have made their home on the original homestead.

To Mr. and Mrs. Cully were born eight children, five of whom are living. They are Joseph, Wallace, Mrs. Oliver Pritchard, Mrs. C. W. Lewis of Seguin, Kans., and Miss Rebecca Cully.

Mr. Cully preceded his wife to the better world about eleven years ago.

There are also five grand children and many other relatives who survive her, among whom are a sister, Mrs. Mary Wilson and John Sleight of Griggsville, Ills., the latter having come on to attend his sisters funeral.

Mrs. Cully was converted in the Christian faith before she left England and has lived a consistent Christian life. She was

devoted to her family and ever ready to assist her friends. She was highly esteemed and respected during her long residence in this county as was shown by the great number who assembled Monday to see her laid at rest and pay their last tribute of respect to their esteemed friend and neighbor. The procession which followed the remains to Maple Grove church where the services were conducted by Rev. W. T. Cline reached from the home to the church. The interment was made in the family lot in Maple Grove cemetery.

To the family and relatives who mourn the departed loved one is extended the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

#### Special Election Notice

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of October, 1907, a special election will be held in the city of Rulo for the purpose of voting for or against the issuing of six thousand 0000 dollar 15 year bonds optioned in 2 years, bearing interest not to exceed six per cent per annum. Said bonds to be for the purpose of paying off indebtedness already incurred, grading streets, putting in crossings and culverts, establishing curb lines, etc.

By order of the Mayor and Council of the City of Rulo.  
H. L. KLOPFEL, City Clerk,  
4 times Sept. 20

#### Notice to Creditors.

In the County Court of Richardson County Nebraska:

In the matter of the estate of Mary Jane Maddox, deceased. It is ordered by the court that the time limited for creditors to file claims against said estate is six months from the 30th day of August 1907, and all claims not filed in this court, duly verified, on or before the 1st day of March 1908, will be forever barred. Ordered further that all claims filed against said estate will be examined and adjusted by the court, in the county court room, in the court house in Falls City, in said county, October 30th and November 30th, 1907 and March 20th, 1908, at the hours of 10 o'clock a. m.

By order of the court dated August 24, 1907.  
JOHN GAGNON, County Judge.  
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#### Corn Crops Fine

We see a good deal in the papers about half a corn crop in this state but it does not apply to this section. The farmers speak in the highest terms of the corn prospect and the few days of wind has been far from injuring the crop, it only has the tendency to cure it. It looks as though this section of the country, at least, will come up to the usual standard.

### NEW STORE

Having located at ARAGO and placed at your disposal a nice, clean stock of

**Dry Goods  
Groceries  
Shoes, Etc.**

we would invite a share of the trade in this community. Call and examine our stock and prices. Bring us your produce and get the highest market price.

**RUPERT & CO.**

#### Market Letter.

Kansas City Stock Yards, September 16, 1907. With railroads better equipped to handle business this year than last, cattle supplies are coming more freely than usual for September, and the market is naturally declining. The supply last week was 90,000 head, including 11,000 calves, and the run today is 20,000 head, including 2,000 calves. Prime steers are scarce and high, one lot today selling at \$7.25, the high figure for this year, although numerous lots have sold during the last few months at \$7.10 to \$7.20. Good corn fed steers bring \$5 to \$6.75 short fed steers \$5.25 to \$6, fancy heifers up to \$5.90, and top cows \$4.75. Grass steers declined slightly last week and are a shade lower today, but they meet a good demand and ready sale, good weight westerns at \$4.25 to \$4.85, a few up to \$5.25, common and rough steers at \$3.75 to \$4. Cows and heifers have borne the brunt of the declines lately, losing 15 to 25 cents last week and 10 lower today, heifers selling at \$3 to \$4.25 mainly, cows \$2.75 to \$3.65, bulls \$2.35 to \$3.75. Veals advanced early last week, but are lower since Thursday, including today, selling at \$5 to \$6.50, heavy calves off 25 to 50 cents, at \$3.75 to \$4.50. Last week's trade in stockers and feeders was heaviest of the year, aggregating 1125 car loads shipped to the country points. Prices declined 10 to 25 cents, but everything was cleaned up, few remaining in the pens at the end of the week. The market is lower today, feeders ranging from \$3.75 to \$5.25, stockers \$3.25 to \$4.75.

Hog supplies last week were 35,000 head, a small increase over corresponding week. Run is only 4,000 today, market strong to 5 higher, light hogs at \$6.25 to \$6.35, medium weights \$6.10 to \$6.30, heavy hogs \$6.05 to \$6.15. Nearly 7000 hogs were bought for shipment east last week, a helpful feature of the market, and as the light run for the past month has enabled packers to get rid of stocks of meat accumulated during the heavy run last summer, stronger competition may be expected from them.

Supplies of sheep and lambs were heavy last week, at 46,000 head, market 15 to 25 lower for the week. Supply today is 5000 head, prices steady, lambs worth \$5.75 to \$7.40, including different grades of natives at \$5.75 and upwards, and feeding westerns around \$6.75, top westerns \$7.40. Feeding yearlings may be had at \$5.50 to \$5.75, ewes \$4.75 to \$5.25, which prices are 25 to 50 cents below fat stock in same class.

Stomach troubles, Heart and Kidney ailments, can be quickly corrected with a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The prompt and surprising relief which this remedy immediately brings is entirely due to its Restorative action upon the controlling nerves of the Stomach, etc. A weak Stomach causing indigestion, a weak Heart with palpitation or intermittent pulse, always means weak Stomach nerves or weak Heart nerves. Strengthen these inside or controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative and see how quickly these ailments disappear. Dr. Shoop will mail samples free. Write for them. A test will tell. Your health is certainly worth this simple trial. Sold by all dealers.

WANTED:—At Heck's feed store, 1,000 bushels walnuts, 500 bushels cane seed.  
90-4t O. P. HECK.

#### Chat.

A gentleman once remarked to Henry, Prince of Prussia, that one rarely found genius, wit, memory and judgment united in same person. "Surely, there is nothing astonishing in this," replied the prince. "Genius takes its daring flight toward heaven—he is the eagle. Wit moves along by fits and starts—he is the grasshopper. Memory marches backwards—he is the crab. Judgment drags along slowly—he is the tortoise. How can you expect all these animals to act in unison?"

#### Preacher Foils Crook.

The Rev. W. H. Frost, rector of the St. James Episcopal church, last night outwitted David B. Richardson, alleged to be a clever swindler, and handed him over to the police. Richardson made preliminary calls on ministers, arranged for a baptismal service, and later returned to report a distressing accident. Under this plea he would secure funds. Frost entrapped him and an officer caught the schemer while trying to bunco a divine.

Mr. Frost claims he was bilked by Richardson in Lincoln several months ago.

#### Cell for Abe Ruef.

Abraham Ruef, the convicted boss of the Schmitz administration, who has been living in luxurious quarters in a rented house under guard of Elison William J. Biggy, must now go to the city prison. Biggy has been appointed chief of police and no one has been selected to take his place as guardian of Ruef. Biggy has decided that he will remove the fallen boss to the city prison, where he can watch him as chief of police and elison, too.

Ruef is expected to give important evidence in the trolley bribery cases of Patrick Calhoun and T. L. Ford, the corporation lawyer, now trail before Judge Lawler. It is whispered that his "privileges" at the city prison will depend largely on the extent of his "coming through" for the prosecution at the bribery trials.

#### "Quincy Adams Sawyer"

The Gehling Theatre was opened Thursday night for the season with "Quincy Adams Sawyer" on the boards. A fair house for an opening night greeted the play. The book "Quincy Adams Sawyer" has had a wide popularity because it was a clean wholesome story and the dramatization is as well received for the same reason. The cast was a good one each making the best of his part and pleasing the audience. Karl Hewitt in the pleasing character of Quincy Adams Sawyer had a pleasing self possession which put the audience in sympathy with him. Perhaps the hardest character was Alice Pettengill the blind girl and was played with feeling by Miss Dinsmore, while Miss Wright and the other ladies of the company made good in their rolls, Miss Inman in her triple roll being best as Mrs. Putman. The play is interesting and appeals strongly to the public.

George Gilligan left Tuesday for Mexico, Mo., where he will attend a military school for the ensuing year.

Miss Dorrthea White left Wednesday for Lincoln where she enters upon her first year at the State University.

Mrs. John Oswald returned last Thursday from a two weeks visit to relatives in Stella. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Young and her little daughter who visited over Sunday with her.

Henry Meyers returned Sunday night from a trip of several months in California. He has spent considerable time with his son Perry who has a fine position with a whole sale house. He has seen most of California and many interesting western places of interest and is thoroughly delighted with the west.

#### Equality.

We attain to the doctrine of equality by degrees. We begin by thinking ourselves better than others. This proves unsatisfactory. We encounter refutations of our superiority in ways that inconvenience or humiliate us. We forsake our pedestal only to mount another a little nearer to the ground. We now say we are different from others. This much really seems due to ourselves, a concession that self-respect demands. We are happy for a time in our differentiated position. But by and by not even this satisfies us. Is it worth while to differentiate ourselves from our fellows? Is it not the old superiority in a new form? We step down on the ground, hardly knowing how to behave ourselves; for the airs of our past elevation still cling to us. Gradually we learn that our rank is a matter of no real importance, of no vital interest to genuine people anywhere. What is real importance and of vital interest is whether we can serve society. Whether that service take the form of direct cooperation or of individual effort is insignificant. It is the service that counts, and this being a thing of spirit is always supreme in quality. As the love and the joy of it grows upon us, we lose sight of ourselves. This is the teachable attitude, the method by which we rise into companionship, the flower and aroma of all service. And having attained equality we say little about it.—The Circle.

#### MADE IT MORE ATTRACTIVE

Same Offer of Bargains, Put in Different Form, Quickly Cleared Store of Stock.

A merchant in a western city was desirous of reducing his stock without delay, and was willing to make a liberal sacrifice of profits to do so. He announced a 20 to 25 per cent. reduction sale. It was bona-fide and the prices had been cut, but the public had seen such announcements before and was slow to come in. The merchant was discouraged. Then he had an idea. The newspapers next day carried big "ads" announcing that at this store every fourth yard or every fourth article of the same price would be sold for nine cents, no matter whether it was worth ten cents or \$50. A woman came in to buy an article which cost five dollars. She bought two others which cost the same amount, and then a fourth, for which she paid only nine cents. The fourth, eighth and twelfth yards of every kind of cloth went for nine cents. The store was packed and jammed and the stock cleared up in a hurry. Yet it was practically the same 25 per cent. reduction sale which had been advertised so unsuccessfully. The proposition was merely put in a more convincing way.

#### THE LAW OF COMPENSATION.

Bridget had been going out a great deal, and her husband, Mike, was displeased. "Bridget, where do ye spend yer time nights? Ye're out iv'ry avenin' fur two weeks," he said.

"Shut up, Mike! I'm gettin' an education," she answered.

"An' phwat are ye learnin'?" said her indignant husband.

"Why, to-night we learned about the laws of compensation."

"Compensation," said Michael.

"What's that?"

"Why, I can't explain; but fur instance, if the sense of smell is poor, the sense of taste is all the sharper, and if ye are blind, ye can hear all the better."

"Ah, yes," said Mike thoughtfully. "I see it's loike this. Fur instance, if a man is born wid wan leg shorter than the other, the other is longer."—Sunday Magazine.

#### HURT HIS FEELINGS.

"I told that poor young widow," began Mrs. Nuritch, "that you'd give her boy work if—"

"Well, I won't" interrupted Nuritch. "She sent him to-day with a note that said: 'I must find employment for my son, even if he works for a mere pittance.' The nerve o' her callin' me 'a mere pittance!'"

#### WOULD NOT BE DOWNED

How Henry Plumley Turned What Many Would Consider Misfortune Into Glittering Success.

"Nothing succeeds like perseverance," said Mark Twain at a dinner. "When the luck seems most against us, then we should work and hope hardest of all. In moments of discouragement let us remember my old friend Plumley of Virginia City.

"Henry Plumley ran a collar factory. Times were reputed to be hard with him. When his factory, which was very heavily insured, burned down, there was every indication that he had set the place on fire himself in order to get the insurance money. Virginia City was the soul of honor in those days. Shocked beyond words, it rose en masse, seized Henry Plumley, put a halter round his neck, and lynched him.

"But he did not die. The sheriff arrived and cut him down in time. He was tried and found guilty, and he served a term in jail.

"On his release you wouldn't have thought that he'd return to Virginia City again, eh? He did, though. He came back, reopened his collar factory and prospered.

"What gave him his start was the odd advertisement with which he announced his return to business among us. Preceded by a brass band, Henry, in a great gilt chariot, burst upon our streets. He sat on a kind of golden throne, and he held on a crimson cushion in his lap an old, old collar. Above the collar on a crimson banner waved this inscription in huge letters of gold:

"This is the collar we wore when we were lynched. I saved our life. Be wise in time and use no other. At all retailers, ten cents apiece, three for a quarter."

#### STRANGE BIRD IS SHOT.

Inhabitants in the region of Zion's Mill, Lee county, Virginia, are greatly puzzled over the discovery of a strange bird in the mountains near by J. F. Witt, a merchant of that place. The bird is of great size, measuring nine feet from tip to tip. The feathers are perfectly white, except the tips of the wings, which are black.

Its head and bill are 18 inches in length, its webbed feet are seven inches across. A great pouch under its bill holds a gallon of water, and this gives the idea that the bird must be of the pelican family, found in southern waters. It is supposed that the bird was driven to the north by a storm and lost its bearings. It will be brought to Knoxville, Tenn., mounted and exhibited.

#### A GANDID PROPOSAL (AND SO RUDE OF HIM).



He—I would leave you all my fortune, as you know, I have no heir.  
She—I suppose that's the reason you never take your hat off.

#### CHANCE TO KNEEL.

The impecunious nobleman twisted his raven mustache.

"I come to ze great land to be one gallant," he confided.

"That so?" responded his American acquaintance.

"Yes, I will kneel before the bootiful ladies of ze land."

"Indeed! Well, I think I can help you, count."

"You think that you can help me, monsieur? How?"

"Why, I happen to remember the street where I saw the sign: 'Shoe clerk wanted.'"

#### TROUBLE AT HOME.

Scraggs—This China trouble grows more and more distressing. Mrs. Scraggs—I should say it did! That stupid girl broke two more of my best plates to-day.

#### A STRENUOUS TASK.

"Mercy, where does all that profanity come from?"

"From Bingley's garage. He's in there trying to tinker up his car in time to get to church."