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TELEPHONE 226.

Every man is a giant in the eyes of some boy.

A well-balanced brain will not spurn the balanced ration.

The farmer with the telephone is within calling distance of the city.

Before you can cure the gossiping tongue you must heal the itching ear.

Monosyllables are sufficient for the wise, but fools like jaw-breakers.

One single hen in Tennessee hatched and raised eighty-one chickens during the year, and did considerable laying besides.

The man who had faith to move a mountain will not try his hand at it simply to see how it would look to see a mountain move.

Manitoba has just experienced a "dry" wave, which added eighteen counties to the seventy which had previously voted for the restriction of the liquor traffic.

Mr. Andrew Carnegie, in a recent address on temperance, said he once offered to give any of his men ten per cent of their yearly earnings as a bonus on condition that they would give their word of honor that they had not taken a single drink of spirituous liquor during the year previous.

It is estimated that during 1909 saloons have been closed throughout the country at the rate of forty per day; that forty-one million of our people are now living in prohibition territory, and that seventy per cent of the area of the whole country has forbidden the license liquor traffic.

In a recent issue the London Times ("The Thunderer") had this remarkable passage: "Drinking baffles us, confounds us, shames us, and mocks us at every point. It out wits the teacher, the man of business, the patriot, and the legislator. Every other institution flounders in hopeless difficulties; the public-house holds its triumphant course."

At the recent international congress on Alcoholism, held in London, a German delegate made the statement that Emperor William has instituted a very notable temperance reform in the army. "Schnapps," or liquor of any sort, is no longer served to the troops, as formerly. The only liquor allowed besides tea, coffee, water and milk is lemon soda.

Two counties in Illinois, one "wet" the other "dry," show the result of such conditions in a very instructive way: Alexander County, which is under the domination of the liquor traffic, has sixty-seven of its convicts in the state penitentiary; Edwards county, which is "dry," and has had no saloons for forty years, hasn't had a single person in the penitentiary in thirty years. Besides this, Edwards county is free from debt, and has a balance in the treasury of \$15,000.

Maryland is now intensely interested in the discussion of state-wide local option, embodied in a bill proposed by the Anti-Saloon League. This bill, if enacted, will not of itself close the saloon. It leaves the matter entirely to the people for their decision whether the saloons shall go or stay—a question which may be decided at any time, under a proper system of legislative machinery created by the bill. The bill contains adequate enforcement powers for the people to carry out their will; and it provides against bringing saloons into territory now free from them.

During 1909 four states were added to the list of state-wide prohibition territory: Alabama, Mississippi, North Carolina and Tennessee. Florida, through its legislature, voted to submit a prohibitory amendment to the people. Four other states adopted local option laws. Twenty-eight state legislatures passed temperance measures of various sorts. Two hundred counties, in the aggregate, voted "dry" during the year, in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, Michigan, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, South Carolina, Texas, Minnesota, New Mexico, Nebraska, Colorado, Washington, Idaho, Utah, Wyoming, California and Missouri. These statistics are given by the American Issue.

TWENTY-SIX INSURGENT STATES.

A most significant investigation of public opinion has just been made by the Chicago Tribune, and the report on it has made a profound impression all over the country.

The Tribune sent out letters to the publishers of newspapers west of the Allegheny mountains, asking them if they were for Cannon for speaker, and if they approved of the tariff bill. A poll was also taken on the preference for president.

Of the 3,399 republican editors who replied to the Cannon question, 545 were for Cannon, and 2,653 against Cannon. Of the Nebraska republican editors, 14 were for Cannon and 190 against.

Of the 3,498 voting on the tariff bill 812 approved of it and 2,686 disapproved. Among the Nebraska editors 25 were for the tariff bill and 175 against.

There were 3,037 republican editors who voted on the choice for president of these 1,260 were for Roosevelt, 103 for Taft, 197 for La Follette, 122 for Hughes, 65 for Cummins, 39 for Pinchet, 14 for Cannon, 40 for Bryan, and 116 scattering. The question they answered in making this was, "If you could vote for president today, for whom would you cast your ballot?"

Of the 165 republican editors who voted preference for president, 52 were for Taft and 87 for Roosevelt.

There were twenty-six states canvassed. The vote in each shows a uniformity of sentiment. One can almost count up the postmaster editors voting in each of the states, on the tariff bill and on Cannonism.

In Ohio 35 republican editors voted for Cannon and 251 against; 83 endorsed the tariff bill and 238 opposed. In a more radical state, Minnesota for instance, the vote was 15 for Cannon and 288 against; 26 for the tariff bill and 229 against. In Nevada 3 editors are standpatters and 4 are insurgents on both questions.

The publication of this vote ought to settle a number of things in Nebraska. One of importance is that the republican editors of the state are not for Cannon, and they are not for the tariff bill. In a secret ballot, such as this was, 25 Nebraska editors are for the tariff bill and 175 are opposed.

Thus, 25 editors believe that the republican campaign promise was redeemed, and 175 believe otherwise.

Thus, 25 republican editors in Nebraska are found to be engaged in the task of reading the other 175 out of the party. They will be like the traditional man on the jury who couldn't get the eleven blockheads to agree with him.

The twenty-six western states are insurgent states, and Nebraska is one of them—Nebraska State Capital.

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The County in General

The "Doings" of Our Country Friends and Neighbors.

DAWSON.

Dr. Hays was in Falls City Monday.

Mike Clancy is on trial at Falls City.

Miss Bessie Guinn spent Saturday at her home.

Miss Leona Barlow spent Saturday in Falls City.

H. S. Belden was a visitor at the county town Monday.

Mrs. Jerry Fenton is still very ill at her home in this city.

Miss Lively spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Falls City.

Arlo Coon is in school again, after a week's absence on account of sickness.

Mrs. James O'Grady and Marguerite O'Connell spent Saturday and Sunday in Falls City.

William Peters is moving to Council Grove, Morris county, Kansas. He loaded his car Thursday.

Dan Riley, Barney Riley and Mrs. Mary Clancey attended the trial of Mike Clancy Saturday at the county seat.

Miss Lauretta O'Grady spent Saturday with her friends Misses Mary Rizer and Concordia Tihn at Falls City.

Miss Margaret McKiever was visiting among friends in town last week. She returned to her home Saturday evening.

The ninth grade met Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Hazel Graham to organize and elect their officers.

Miss Coral Wittwer of Sabetha visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wittwer, instead of Carl Wittwer, as was stated in last week's items.

Mrs. Price Page and daughter, Miss Vera, who have been visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Guinn, will leave Thursday for their new home in Cheyenne county, Kansas.

A special program will be rendered at Zion's Reformed church, south of town next Sunday. Rev. Nanninga of Falls City and Mr. Thomas of Omaha will be visiting pastors and laymen. A special collection will be taken for foreign missions.

M. J. Clancy was examined before the county board and pronounced insane. Mrs. Clancy apparently did not agree with the judges' finding and through her attorney began proceedings for her husband's release. The case was taken before Judge Ripper, who declared that whatever might be the matter with him it was something different from the courts' finding and ordered him released.

WILLIAMSVILLE.

Joe Gerwick was a Falls City visitor Tuesday.

R. J. Dunn had a horse badly cut in the wire Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Duerfeldt celebrated her thirty-seventh birthday Saturday.

Mrs. Renke spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Joseph Bauman last week.

Mrs. John Slater planned a surprise in honor of her husband's fiftieth birthday Saturday. About forty guests were present and the evening proved a very pleasant one. He received a number of useful presents.

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BARADA.

Jesse Bucholz and lady spent Sunday near Shubert.

R. H. Dunn took a carload of hogs to St. Joe the first of the week.

There will be a spelling school in Dist. No. 24 next Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mary Spickler visited this week with her aunt, Mrs. Elmer Rowell.

A. J. Kelly and wife spent part of last week visiting at the home of John Kelly and family.

Dr. Andrews and wife drove to Falls City Thursday to witness "The House of a Thousand Candles."

Mrs. Laura Cline of Long Pine is visiting her sister, Mrs. Everett Rowell, and her many friends here.

Preaching services at eleven a. m., next Sunday at the Evangelical church, C. E. in the evening, Lela Butler as leader.

Miss Elva Kuhlman this week closed a very successful term of school in Dist. No. 1. Her patrons are well pleased with the year's work and are very anxious to secure her services for another year.

Edward Shagle returned Thursday from Lincoln where he took a six weeks course at the agricultural college. Ted is very enthusiastic concerning the work given in that time and thinks every young man who is engaged in farm work would receive much benefit from such a course.

The Cigarette-Smoking Boy.

Prof. Wm. A. McKeever, of the State Agricultural College, Manhattan, Kansas, is publishing for the assistance of parents a series of free bulletins on the problems relative to the home training of boys and girls. The four numbers thus far issued are, "The Cigarette-Smoking Boy," "Teaching the Boy to Save," "Training the Girl to Help in the Home," and "Assisting the Boy in the Choice of a Vocation." This cigarette bulletin ought to be read by every school boy and by his parents, for it sets forth in a clear, scientific manner the serious effects of the cigarette habit. The author has made a study of 2500 cigarette-smoking school boys and gives pictures to show how weak their hearts are, and other data indicating the mental, moral and physical debility of such boys. All interested persons are urged to order this pamphlet in quantities at one cent per copy and to distribute it where it will do good. The other bulletins may be ordered in quantities at the same rate.

Cheap and Safe.

The small sum of \$2 will buy a \$5,000 policy, good for five years, from the Richardson County Farm Mutual Insurance Co., provided the building has good lightning rods. Then these policies can be renewed another five years for the still smaller fee of fifty cents. Smaller policies cost the same amount.

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Dissolution Notice.

The corporation heretofore existing in the name of the Falls City Park and Improvement company—wherein John Lichty, W. A. Greenwald, John Powell, W. W. Jenne and T. J. Gist, all of Falls City and state of Nebraska. This corporation is dissolved by mutual consent.

The affairs of said corporation are all adjusted and settled.

JOHN LICHTY,
W. A. GREENWALD,
JOHN W. POWELL,
W. W. JENNE,
T. J. GIST

Subscribed and sworn to this 12th day of February, 1910.

John W. Powell, Notary Public.
My commission expires No. 24-15.

Special Employment.

"I don't see you on the messenger force now, Jimmy," said the lad with the envelope in his hand.

"No; I've got a good job with a dog fancier," replied Jimmy, as he puffed a cigarette.

"Wid a dog fancier? What do you do—feed the dawgs?"

"Naw! When a lady comes in and buys a pet dog I teach 'er 'ow to whistle."

Another Secret.

She—She told me you told her that secret I told you not to tell her. He—The mean thing! I told her not to tell you I told her. She—I promised her I wouldn't tell you she told me, so don't tell her I told you.—Boston Transcript.

How's Business?

THIS ad. is directed at the man who has all the business in his line in this community. Mr. Merchant—You say you've got it all. You're selling them all they'll buy, anyhow. But at the same time you would like more business. Make this community buy more. Advertise strongly, consistently, judiciously. Suppose you can buy a lot of washtubs cheap; advertise a big washtub sale in this paper. Put in an inviting picture of a washtub where people can see it the minute they look at your ad. Talk strong on washtubs. And you'll find every woman in this vicinity who has been getting along with a rickety washtub for years and years will buy a new one from you. That's creative business power.

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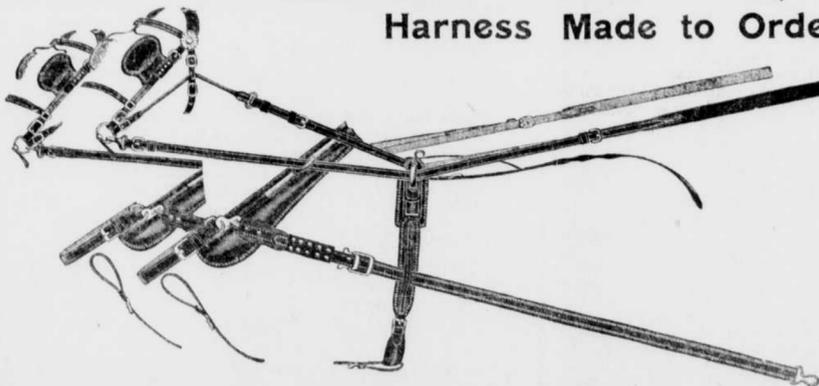
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