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THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1908.

Who Foots the Bill?

Dear Sir,

We are authorized by the committee having in charge the candidacy of Gov. Johnson of Minnesota for the democratic nomination for president of the U. S. to offer you, free of charge and express prepaid, plate matter of a purely democratic character, discussing the debated topics of the day from the democratic standpoint as Gov. Johnson sees them.

If you care for this please sign and mail inclosed post card.

THE WESTERN NEWSPAPER UNION.

Thus we see that someone, or a combination, is willing to foot the bill for the purpose of discussing "the debated topics of the day," "of purely democratic character," "from the democratic standpoint as Gov. Johnson sees them."

What can they hope to win in Nebraska?

Our delegates are already named and instructed for W. J. Bryan.

Can it be that Gov. Johnson is lending his name for the purpose of getting second place on the ticket, or is it a scheme to detract from our great Nebraskan and divide the sentiment for next election? If it is for the former purpose we should be glad to assist him. But if he does not admire Mr. Bryan and wishes to displace Bryan with himself, then he will find Nebraska set against him. If he is not the type of man Bryan is we want less of him. Anyway, we are willing to leave the selection of second place to our delegates. They will do their best.

A merchant isn't going to ask who's going to use this coal or who's going to warm by this coal that he sells, but we know a man who complains that he can't advertise in a paper that has advertisements of saloons. Then, he, apparently, does not want business from people who run bad, bad places but we haven't heard yet of his refusing to sell them coal or lumber or anything that he has to sell that they

need to keep them going. But this same party used to send in his "free reading notices," "free reading matter," etc. We don't like to refer to these things but some of these people are taking an active part in requesting persons taking THE DEMOCRAT to have their paper discontinued, and, in a friendly way, we suggest their inconsistency. We might retaliate by asking our friends to not trade with these people who are working against us, but we shall not do so. We want them to trade where they will. Their trade does not hurt me, nor them, and they are not getting enough to work over time, so let them sleep.

Teachers' Association.

The last meeting of the East Division of Cherry County Teachers' Association will be held in the high school building in Valentine, April 25, 1908.

PROGRAM

School Management—Material for Moral Lessons—quiz, Kate E. Driscoll.
Dramatic Reading, Maud Van-Orsdoll.
Chicago School of Education, Ora Hooper.
Poetry, Sadie Thackrey.
Science of Domestic Economy, Lillie Grooms.
Power of Music, Dora Grewe.
Business College, J. F. McKenna.
Review of Leading Articles in Current Magazines, Flora Springston.
Froebel, Frances Harden.
Book Review, Carrie Wilson.
The Panama Canal, Geo. Ayers.
The Presidential Outlook, Frank West.
Junior Normal, Hazel Flood.
Reclaiming Florida Swamps, Catherine Hilley.
Settlement Work, Leona Legro.

U. S. Weather Bureau Report for week ending Apr. 22.

Daily mean temperature 56°. Normal 46°. Highest 84°; lowest 31°. Precipitation .11 of an inch. Total precipitation from March 1st (the crop season) to date was 1.54 inches. The average for 19 years for the same period is 2.65 inches.

Wash Honey, W. A. Parker, H. A. Lyons and Dave Hanna of Woodlake are in town today. They are out of a postoffice and use the creamery building. Very little was saved from the fire and Mr. Waggoner had no insurance.

Fine rain last night and today. Nearly $\frac{1}{2}$ inch.

W. F. A. Meltendorff went down to Omaha today on business.

Mrs. Geo. Hershey went down to Omaha Sunday, taking their little daughter to the hospital to be operated upon for appendicitis.

Mrs. P. H. Young and children returned from a three weeks visit in Merriman last Saturday and were accompanied by Mrs. Young's sister.

We find that Mr. Milt Latta is putting up a fine and commodious house and will take care of those who wish to go to the lakes for rest or sport. The launch will be changed into a sail boat for the free accommodation of guests, equipped with sails. The row boats are being made of a size and shape to suit the sports and will be free to all dollar a day guests. No boats will be hired to anyone on Sunday. All be free but house guests served first. Campers will be welcomed and a free turn out of horses and fire and well water, fishing poles and hooks and lines will be free to the house patronage if they are returned without injury. The house will be fitted with water plant and bath room, hot and cold water, free to the patronage. This will be an ideal place to go to rest and recruit. A new organ for those who wish to play. 15 3

Capt. A. G. Shaw fitted out two Indian expeditions Monday to tour the country the coming summer. Will A. Dickey got one troop of 26 Indians who start from Lebanon, Mo., and go thru the country until they strike Milwaukee where they expect to put in a four months engagement at Pabst Park: Chief Two Strike's son, Little Hawk, High Bear and Interpreter Billy Simpson were among the number. Kemp Sisters get a bigger band of natives, taking 56 and start from a Missouri town, as a wild west show, going back east. Among the prominent Indians in this band are Keeps The Mountain, Poor Dog, Left Hand Bull and Leading Horse. Capt. Shaw fitted out another band of 15 for Sells-Floto show of Los Angeles last month. Grandfather and Noisy Owl were in the number. They spent several days in town last week getting ready and parading in their new suits which they procured for the trip. They danced Saturday. A lot of Indians were down to see them off with the show.

GRANDDADDY'S CUFF LINKS.

The Next Rainy Day Hunt For Mateless Pieces of Jewelry.

Of course you have rummaged and searched through all of grandmother's and auntie's jewel boxes, trunks and cedar chests for trinkets and jewelry with which to bedeck your vain person.

You have found many things perhaps that you used in ways that would seem weird and peculiar to those same ancestors, be they in this world or the next.

But have you taken possession of granddaddy's or granduncle's or even daddy's odd cuff links? If not, the next rainy day go on a still hunt and gather together those mateless, neglected articles—you will be astonished what a varied collection you will probably find—and the next bright day tie yourself to your pet jeweler or "man who mends things" and have him make harpms of them for you.

The cost is trifling, the result usually more than satisfactory.

You will have your "woman's weapon" in a style as odd and a design equally as pretty as the long peiced ones you have so coveted in the shop window and much more interesting.

One girl unearthed a topaz cuff link and, deciding its old fashioned setting to be too dainty and pretty to be hidden among the puffs and malines of her headgear, had the back taken off, a ring put on the top, and, lo, when hung from a tiny gold chain around her pretty neck, worn with a stunning costume of brown, with a touch of old blue, it was just wonderfully pretty.

The Original New Zealanders.

The original New Zealanders were known as the most ferocious cannibals and the most warlike savages. They were big, gaunt fellows, of immense muscular force and great sagacity. These savage New Zealanders, though they ate their enemies, interred their own dead, and they believed that the third day after burial the heart separated itself from the corpse and was carried to the clouds by an attendant spirit.

WORLD FAMOUS MEDICAL SPECIALIST COMING HERE

Will Pay A One Day Visit To Valentine, May 4.

The Noted Hot Springs of Arkansas to be Brought to Valentine for One Day Only at the Donohoe.

Word has just been received here that Dr. Ben W. Kinsey, who is chief of staff of the Hot Springs Doctors, who have their permanent insitute located at 14th and O streets, Lincoln, would pay a one day visit to Valentine on May 4, and while here will receive patients at the Donohoe hotel.

This visit of Dr. Kinsey's to our city is for advertising purposes; that is, Dr. Kinsey solicits only a few difficult cases—cases that other doctors have failed to cure. These cases that Dr. Kinsey secures and cures will be good advertisements of the Hot Springs system of all home treatment.

This wonderful Hot Springs system of all home treatment which Dr. Kinsey is bringing th this city has cured thousands of patients and is endorsed by the United States government, as is attested by the fact that the United States government owns the Hot Springs of Arkansas and has established its army and navy hospitals there, where soldiers are sent after all other methods have failed to cure.

Dr. Kinsey discovered the secrets of these world-famous Hot Springs of Arkansas and so perfected a system of home treatment that those who cannot afford the time or money to go to Hot Springs for treatment can be treated in their own home without inconvenience, annoyance or publicity. These patients who are treated in their homes will receive the same benefit that they would get if they went direct to Hot Springs.

The Hot Springs Doctors have established institutes in many of the larger cities of the United States so as to bring this wonderful treatment withing the reach of all. Thousands of letters of high recommendation of this Hot Springs System of home treatment are received daily at the various institutes from all parts of the United States. If you are sick and suffering and want to be made well and happy call on Dr. Kinsey when he arrives, but unless you are sick and really desire his services, kindly do not take up his time as he will be here but one day; he will be very busy with his patients who are in earnest. The doctor requests that married ladies be accompanied by their husbands.

Remember, the doctor will be here but one day, May 4th, and while here will receive patients at the Donohoe hotel.

Liquor Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I have filed with the clerk of the board of trustees of the Village of Valentine, Nebraska, a petition accompanied by a bond duly attested, said petition praying that I be granted a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in block 12, lot 4 in said village of Valentine, Cherry county, Nebraska, for the year ending May 1, 1909.

WALTHER F. A. MELTENDORFF. Dated April 9, 1908.

St. John's Church.

Services Sunday, May 3rd, as follows:

Morning prayer and sermon, with the usual celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 11 a. m. Evensong at 8 p. m.

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The Stock Exchange,

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