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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1893.

AN immense globe forty-five feet in diameter will show the earth's surface at the World's Fair.

ACCORDING to latest dispatches from Texas the prospect for early fruit and vegetables is not good.

A FINE of $20 has just been imposed upon a Massachusetts grocer for selling cigarettes to an eleven year old boy.

SOME members of the state senate who had planned to go to Topeka to make peace between the warring elements there, gave it up at the last moment.

COMMANDER CHURCH of the G. A. R. has issued his first order appointing John E. Evans of North Platte assistant adjutant general and C. C. Cannon of Schuyler assistant quartermaster general.

TOM REED will yet be vindicated as speaker of the house of representatives when he held that the majority must be allowed to transact business. It is to be hoped that the next house will succeed in doing something—good, bad or indifferent.

NEBRASKANS generally will feel that the state has been honored by President-elect Cleveland's selection of J. Sterling Morton of Nebraska City as secretary of agriculture, and resolutions to this effect were unanimously adopted by the legislature Saturday.

MISS CYNTHIA DESHER and Miss Hartley living near Denton, this state, are afflicted with glanders, caught from a pet pony the young ladies had been riding. It is hoped that the contagion may be eradicated, as it does not appear to be of the malignant type.

A FAMILY named Teichtenberg, consisting of husband, wife and two children, living near Sioux City, are victims of trichinosis poisoning. The father is expected to die, and the two children cannot recover. The woman will probably recover. They ate pork sausage improperly cooked.

LET the railroads of the country strike from their pay-roll all railroad attorneys engaged in politics, all whippers-in and roustabouts, cut off retainers of all kinds, lower passenger fare and freight tariffs to a good round profit only on the money invested in the business, then all would be benefited, and the railroad question would be eliminated from politics.

THE committee of the house for investigating charges of bribery met Saturday, Representative Krick of Kearney county testifying. He swore that two men named Walsh and Roeder offered himself and Representative Soderman $1,000 apiece to vote for a candidate for senator—they understood Thurston. The motive, so he said, was to catch the boodlers and expose them.

SPEAKER CRISP has become disgusted with the filibustering in congress, and declared one day last week: "The next congress will adopt the old Reed rules, or something like them, as they have come to be absolutely necessary in order to conduct the business of the house." No doubt of it. The will of the majority must be respected, and the "machinery" must be so arranged as to make it effective.

JUNE CAMPBELL, the people's senator from Nance county, has introduced a measure which assesses every mortgage at its full valuation; if a farmer owns a farm worth $3,000, with a mortgage of $2,000 on it, he pays taxes only on the per cent that he owns ($1,000) while the mortgagee pays to the amount of the mortgage. Mr. Porter has introduced a similar measure in the house.—[Cedar Rapids Republican.

"I ALWAYS advise vocal lessons as an aid to the speaking voice, and see no reason why children should not be taught to sing at an early age. They use their voices from the cradle, and why not learn to sing correctly in youth? Such lessons should be short, and the voice kept only within its natural compass, aiming at distinct articulation," writes Mrs. Ellen Everest, in a most valuable paper in the March New Peterson.

A CARTOON in Sunday's Inter Ocean represents Grover Cleveland introducing to the assembled crowd of democrats, his right-hand man, the distinguished republican, Walter Q. Gresham. In the front seats we notice Palmer and Gray, further back are Hill and Croker. The exit is crowded with democrats, their backs toward Cleveland, while from several throats of old democrats comes: "Rats! Put 'im out! Where do we come in? What are we here for?"

THE number of sheep in the United States in 1892 was 1,568,000 greater than in 1891, while the clip of wool increased in one year 25,000,000 pounds. There were consumed in American mills in 1892 50,000,000 more pounds of wool than in 1891, and 23,000,000 pounds of this increase were of domestic wool. With such acts in plain view let free traders in wool go in, and see what they will see in 1896. By that time, if the democrats have their way, the American ram will be hunted for menagerie purposes.—[Inter Ocean.

THERE is a bill before the legislature repealing the law creating the State Board of Transportation. If this "bump on a log," so to speak, has ever done anything to justify its existence as an effective part of railroad regulation, we have failed to see it. It never was intended as anything but a "bumper" between the people and the railroad managers, and has accomplished this object perfectly, in sight of all intelligent people. More than seventy thousand dollars has been invested in this costly excrescence, and it is high time it was lopped off the log.

How sweet it is to be a pop, and when the demo's crack the whip, how nice for them to hop. The demos say, you pops belong to us, and don't you make a move without consulting us. We married you last November eighth, and are now your lord and master straight. Remember now your place, and put on no brazen face. No impudence will we now allow, you hayseeds from the plow. You may be good at husking corn and making hay, but when it comes to making senators, we are the chaps that know the way, (and we propose to play.)—[David City Tribune.

IT is one thing for a political party to have a battle-cry to gain votes and thus acquire the reins of government, but it is another and a quite different thing to believe your battle-cry and use it as a working principle when you come into power. The former may be styled the trick of politicians, the latter is honest endeavor at statesmanship, at least. One is obtaining goods under false pretenses, the other is paying for what you get, in the honest money of the land. Don't judge of a man's character by seeing him on dress parade. The truth is more apparent when the subject is not posing to affect the election. Mullhall's Balance Sheet of the World, an English and Free Trade authority, says:

"It would be impossible to find a parallel to the progress of the United States in the last ten years. Every day that the sun rises upon the American people it sees an addition of $2,500,000 to the accumulation of wealth in the republic, which is equal to one-third of the daily accumulation of all mankind outside of the United States."

This is a fact stated with due deliberation, and nothing of our governmental policy has contributed to it more than the theory of protection of our own industries and the consequent development of our natural resources.

ONE of the crowning glories of civilization is the fact that the strong care for and defend the weak, and there is no better indication that the leaven of true christianity is leavening the whole lump than this one fact, to which the multitude of "homes," "hospitals," etc., testify. The following paragraph clipped from the last number of the Nebraska Mute Journal, shows a little of what is possible to accomplish with the deaf:

"Miss Rudd attended the First Christian church last Sunday, and was delighted to find that she was able to get the entire sermon from the pastor's lips. Rev. Cramblet is a smooth faced gentleman who speaks not too fast and very distinctly. Being seated near the pulpit Ella caught each sentence perfectly, and came home enthusiastic in praise of the sermon, and herself, because she was able to accomplish this wonderful feat. At home, Ella is a remarkable lip-reader, but this is the first instance we have known of a totally deaf person taking in a whole sermon from a pew with her eyes. Rev. Cramblet will be sure to have at least one attentive 'hearer' in future for she will never take her eyes off of him, as he talks."

ONE of the most surprising developments of the day in politics is the appearance of Mr. Henry Villard as a democratic boss and one of Mr. Cleveland's confidential friends and advisers. Mr. Villard is of foreign birth, a millionaire himself and the representative of a powerful syndicate of foreign capital in this country. For many years he has been identified with the management of the Northern Pacific railroad, in which he and the foreign capitalists he represents have large interests. No man in the country has had more practical experience in land grabbing on a large scale, in booming railroad towns on paper, in manipulating terminal sites, etc., than Mr. Villard. That he should be one of the confidential friends and political advisers of a man who made his race for president as a representative of Jeffersonian democracy and sworn enemy of plutocrats seems very strange, to say the least, yet so it is.—[Indianapolis Journal.

THE following concerning the late ex-President Hayes' business methods is going the rounds of the papers: Only a few weeks before his death ex-President Hayes told a western interviewer that he had turned over to his sons all his business matters. "For instance," said he, "I intend to make a trip to Baltimore tomorrow, and in the morning, just before I start, I will get down to the bank and ask Rud for some money. I will probably say to him: 'Rud, I am going to Baltimore, and I think I had better have about $200 for the trip.' And, just as like as not, Rud will answer: 'Father, that's too much; I don't think you need more than $150.' And I suppose I will take it. That's the way I used to do with him, and that's the way he does with me now."

THE World-Herald says that Al. Beemer, whom Gov. Crounse has just appointed warden of the penitentiary at a salary of $1,500, is a wealthy man, "big, six-foot, with more health and vitality than half the men in Nebraska," and wants to know "what business he has drawing money from the pension bureau when he is plenty able to support himself and twenty families besides, if necessary." It does seem that the democratic papers are trying to create a public sentiment linking inseparably the three words—"pauper, soldier, pensioner." The right-minded, well-informed citizens of the United States appreciate the value of the services of the citizen soldiers, and will never tolerate a stigma upon them.

Washington Letter.

[From our regular correspondent.]

Is the victorious democratic party on the eve of disruption? Democrats of national prominence in congress privately express the belief that it is, and predict that long before the end of the administration to begin next month the separation between the wings will be open and final. The principal cause of this belief is the wide gulf that exists between Mr. Cleveland and the southern and western democrats on the Silver question, a gulf which the failure of Mr. C. to force the repeal by congress of the present Silver law has widened and made apparently impassable. Notice has been publicly served on Mr. Cleveland by Representative Bland, the leader of the Silver democrats in the house, that further attempts along this line would bring about a withdrawal of the Silver men from the party. The forcefulness of Mr. Cleveland's character is so well known here that the general opinion is that he will continue his fight against silver by calling an early extra session of the Fifty-third Congress, unless convinced that a bill for the repeal of the Silver law would be voted down in either the house or senate. In that case he would postpone calling an extra session until he had "converted" a sufficient number to carry his point.

The selection of Judge Walter Q. Gresham, as the head of the cabinet, which is accepted here as an accomplished fact, will also be a factor in bringing about a split in the democratic party. As a rule the democrats in congress decline to publicly discuss this selection, but privately they are showing their anger and disappointment. The feeling among them may be judged by the fact that Senator Gorman, who is ordinarily the most indifferent of men to newspaper stories printed of him, took special pains to go around among the Washington correspondents and contradict the published rumor that Gresham had been selected on his advice. With the natural shrewdness of the tactful political wirepuller Gorman lost no time in disavowing his responsibility for Gresham; he had seen and noted the effect of the announcement of his selection upon his party associates in congress.

Senator Hill has been quietly sounding the democratic senators to ascertain how many of them are willing to carry their opposition to Gresham to the extent of voting against his confirmation as a member of the cabinet. If he can secure the pledges of a sufficient number of senators to defeat the confirmation he proposes to do it, although it would be something never before attempted, as it has been considered one of the unwritten laws of the senate to confirm cabinet nominations without question.

Pressure is being brought to bear to have Sergeant-at-Arms Yoder of the house made commissioner of pensions, if the scheme of transferring that bureau to the War Department and suspending the pensions of all widows married since 1870; of all men having an income in excess of $600 a year, and, except for total incapacity, of all alien non-residents, fails, as it will. The commissionership is merely to be used as a stepping stone to the democratic nomination for Governor of Ohio. The claim is made by Yoder's friends that his connection with the U. V. U. will enable him to get the votes of a sufficient number of old soldiers, heretofore republicans, to anchor Ohio permanently in the democratic column.

The house committee of ways and means is on a wild goose chase after a silly newspaper rumor alleging that Secretary Foster had agreed to sell $50,000,000 worth of bonds to a snydicate of New York bankers for gold. There is not a word of truth in the rumor. Secretary Foster has made no agreement to sell bonds and has no intention of making such an agreement, and he has no idea that the financial situation will be such during this administration as to cause him to even take such a step into serious consideration. Besides, it is well known to those who enjoy the President's confidence that he would not permit an issue of bonds.

The democrats in the house attempted to railroad the proposed radical changes in the pension laws through the house without debate, but they were hauled up short by the republicans, who told them they would fillibuster until the end of the session if the fullest debate were not allowed. The debate will go on this week.

The President has fully made up his mind, and will, it is thought this week, send a message to congress favoring Hawaiian annexation. A majority of congress favors annexation, but some of the democrats would prefer to postpone it until the next administration, and it is possible they may attempt to do so.

It is really amusing to hear the democrats with their big majority in the house plead the baby act and try to charge the republicans with the responsibility of defeating Mr. Cleveland's wishes.

Food That has Been Kept for Ages.

"I have eaten apples that ripened more than 1,800 years ago, bread made from wheat grown before the children of Israel passed through the Red Sea, spread it with butter that was made when Elizabeth was queen of England, and washed down the repast with wine that was old when Columbus was playing barefoot with the boys of Genoa," said a gentleman at the club the other day.

The remarkable "spread" was given by an antiquary named Gorbel, in the city of Brussels, in 1871. The apples were from a jar taken from the ruins of Pompeii, that buried city to whose people we owe our knowledge of canning fruit.

The wheat was taken from a chamber in one of the smaller pyramids, the butter from a stone shelf in an old well in Scotland, where it had lain in an earthenware crock in icy water, and the wine came from an old vault in the city of Corinth.

There were six guests at the table, and each had a mouthful of bread and a teaspoonful of wine, but was permitted to help himself liberally to the butter, there being several pounds of it.

The apple jar held about two-thirds of a gallon, and the fruit was as sweet as though put up yesterday.—[Chicago Tribune.

Cheap Rates to the Inauguration.

For the inauguration of Cleveland and Stevenson at Washington on March 4th excursion tickets, reading via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, "The Picturesque Route," will be placed on sale at the ticket offices of principal railroads of the west, as well as at the ticket offices of the Baltimore and Ohio Company. The fare from Chicago will be $17.50 for the round trip. These tickets will be sold from February 28th to March 3rd inclusive, and will be valid for return journey until March 8th inclusive.

The Baltimore and Ohio is the shortest route to Washington from nearly all points West. Its trains are vestibuled from end to end, and carry Pullman sleeping cars.

No railroad in America is better equipped than the B. & O. to transport with dispatch, safety, and comfort the large crowd which will visit Washington to witness the inauguration ceremonies. Its long experience in transporting crowds to former inaugurations, G. A. R. Encampments, Knights Templar Conclave, and similar gatherings, on an extensive scale, will prove most valuable in arranging for the coming inauguration.

For more detailed information as to rates, time of trains, etc., apply to L. S. Allen, Asst. Gen'l. Passenger Agent, The Rookery, Chicago, or O. P. McCarty Asst. Gen'l. Passenger Agent, Cincinnati, Ohio. 2

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

STATE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

A Successful Annual Meeting—Business and Banquet.

All day Thursday editors from different parts of the state came on the incoming trains. Thursday evening a public entertainment was given at the Congregational church. Rev. Elliott opened with prayer, and S. C. Gray, in the absence of Mayor Schupbach, welcomed the visitors to the city and was responded to by W. O. Jones of the Lincoln Journal. Mrs. C. J. Garlow furnished two selections of music and little Laura Davis recited "My Papa's only an Editor." Chancellor Canfield of the State University then delivered an oration on "The Power of the Press," which was listened to with wrapt attention throughout. The address was thoroughly instructive and interesting. The association decided to publish the full address in their annual report.

The real work began Friday morning, at which time the members met in the K. of P. hall. President Simmons of the Seward Reporter delivered the annual address and received hearty applause at the close.

The report of the secretary, Ross Hammond, showed a balance of $35 in the treasury, which will be increased soon by funds from selling a building the association owns in Crete.

Colonel H. M. Bushnell of the Lincoln Call gave a very interesting talk on the science of advertising, and finished with an account of the way newspapers are conducted in Central and South America. He had several papers from those countries on exhibit, which were examined with interest.

Seth P. Mobley of Grand Island opened the afternoon session with a paper "The Nebraska Press at the World's Fair." Mr. Mobley is at the head of the Nebraska exhibit and is giving it a great deal of time and attention.

Papers by T. E. Sedgwick of the York Times "What Should we Print?" and "The Premium Offer Plan" by A. H. Betzer, of the David City News, were good and brought out lively discussions.

F. E. Edgecombe of the Falls City Journal was elected president. Vice presidents were elected as follows: First congressional district, C. M. Hubner, Nebraska City News; second, C. E. Byars, Valley Enterprise; third, M. K. Turner, Columbus Journal; fourth, E. Whitcomb, Friend Telegraph; fifth, S. R. Razee, Curtis Courier; sixth, F. D. Reed, Shelton Clipper; secretary and treasurer, Ross Hammond.

Delegates to national convention, H. M. Bushnell, Lincoln Call; Major Kleutsch, Lincoln; M. A. Brown, Kearney; F. G. Simmons, Seward; W. N. Huse, Norfolk. Alternates, Sedgwick of York; Wahlquist of Hastings; Wessell of Lincoln; Whitcomb of Friend and D. F. Davis of this city.

Friday evening the citizens gave the visitors a banquet at the Meridian hotel, at which about one hundred and fifty guests were present. D. F. Davis acted as toast-master and made nearly every man in the room nervous by informing them that he was liable to call on any one for a speech, and those who refused to act would be doused in the Loup river. The speeches were entirely impromptu and the result was some very bright and witty things were said. Following, we give the names of the speakers with their subjects. Mr. Bushnell, "Columbus, Our Host;" Rev. Scott (Columbus) "The Press and Pulpit;" Simmons, "Why Should the Spirit of Mortal be Proud?" Hubner, "The Ladies;" Ritchhart, "Scoops;" Edgecomb, "The Association, its Objects and Aims;" Razee, "Our Surplus."

The lady visitors who came with their husbands were: Mrs. Ross Hammond, Fremont; Mrs. Brown, Kearney; Mrs. Reed, Shelton; Mrs. Reed, Gibbon; Mrs. Barber, Fullerton; Mrs. Brown, Hastings; Mrs. Whitcomb, Friend; Mrs. Bradford, Platte Center.

The editors enrolled were:

The following editors were registered on the roll of members of the Association:

A. P. Childs, Democrat, Wayne.
W. H. McNeal, Herald, Wayne.
E. W. Renkin, Sentinel, Hooper.
Judson Graves, Advocate, Neligh.
W. T. Bartlett, Criterion, Jackson.
J. N. Kilian, Wochenblatt, Columbus.
Ross L. Hammond, Tribune, Fremont.
A. J. Watson, Blade, Coleridge.
W. K. Lay, Creamery Messenger, Columbus.
H. C. Akin, W. N. Union, Omaha.
A. Wannfried, " " "
M. H. Barber, Journal, Fullerton.
J. F. Ritchart, Tribune, South Omaha.
C. I. Bowlby, Democrat, Crete.
D. H. Cronin, Frontier, O'Neill.
J. D. Kleutsch, Free Press, Lincoln.
S. R. Razee, Courier, Curtis.
Seth P. Mobley, Independent, Grand Island.
R. H. Brown, Nebraskan, Hastings.
C. E. Byers, Enterprise, Valley.
H. M. Crane, Echo, Bloomington.
H. R. Ellsworth, Democrat, Humphrey.
F. O. Edgecomb, Journal, Falls City.
F. D. Reed, Clipper, Shelton.
M. A. Brown, Hub, Kearney.
H. A. McCormick, Democrat, S. Sioux City.
M. K. Turner, Journal, Columbus.
W. O. Jones, Journal, Lincoln.
Chas. Wooster, Times, Silver Creek.
A. J. T. Kaempfer, Independent, Rising City.
W. O. Chapman, Vidette, Crete.
F. M. Kimmell, Tribune, McCook.
F. G. Simmons, Reporter, Seward.
W. E. Dayton, Republican, York.
J. W. Johnson, Lincoln.
H. M. Bushnell, Call, Lincoln.
T. E. Sedgwick, Times, York.
A. H. Betzer, News, David City.
W. Saunders, Argus, Columbus.
O. W. Davis, Index, Salem.
Cy. Thurman, Charles Hubner, News, Nebraska City.

Ed. Whitcomb, Telegraph, Friend.

The next annual meeting of the association will be held at Lincoln.

HAVE WE OIL?

If Not That, Have we Gas or Coal?

Joseph Henggler, who lives in the Shell creek valley, is pretty confident that that immediate section of country is possessed of oil, and whether of gas and coal he is not yet quite convinced.

As a boy herding cattle, he observed a spring of water issuing from the side of a ravine a hundred yards from the well about to be referred to; it was a constant flow whether the season was wet or dry, and the head of the flow must be up the creek or there must be direct pressure from immediately beneath the spring. Around this place he gathered black sand, "glimmer," something that looked like gold and the soil near by had a rusty appearance. In boring wells near the place the clay was found rusty clear down. Nothing like it anywhere around, so far as he knows.

On George Henggler's place north of Shell Creek there is a peculiar well. It is what is known as a bored well, 12 inches in diameter and about fifty feet deep. In this is a pipe 1¼ inches in diameter; the water escape is twenty feet from the surface (usually they are placed here from 4 to 6 feet); in real cold weather there is a roaring sound in the well—not caused by wind above the surface of the earth, because the roaring is distinct in quiet weather; two years ago the water in the pipe of this well was frozen down twenty feet, so that the pipes burst and were taken up, this line of frost determining the point for the "escape" hole thereafter; last winter the water in the pipe froze again (notwithstanding the escape so low down), and the well was left unused till spring, when the ice thawed out of course.

Just here we may state that since talking with Mr. Henggler, we had a conversation with H. M. Crane of the Bloomington Echo, who tells us that in Franklin county, at Macon, there is a well about 190 feet deep that has a roaring sound, the air sometimes gushing out and at other times drawn in, and that the water in the tube freezes to a considerable depth, he didn't remember just how far, but promised us to send a full description when he returned home. Near this well on George Henggler's place are springs in the ravines north, and around them are indications similar to the first one described. An oily coat gathers on the water, the ground is soft and swampy and a sulphur color predominates.

Mr. Henggler thinks that the lay of the country and the surface indications are pretty good evidence of coal below, and the roaring and freezing in the well, he is convinced, is a strong evidence of oil beneath, his reasoning being that in cold weather the condensation of the body of oil below draws the cold air into the well, and thus causes the freezing of the water. He has done some experimenting to prove his theory, and believes he has struck the right explanation.

It is proposed to immediately start boring into the earth to see what is there, and we could hope that there may be found not only oil, but coal and gas.

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS ELEVATOR ASSOCIATION.

Constitution Adopted and the Other Work of Organization Started.

Monday, a large number of farmers and merchants met at the Clother House for the purpose of organizing an association to handle grain.

Mr. Dodds was selected as chairman and Mr. Wagner as secretary of the meeting.

A committee on constitution and by-laws, appointed at a previous meeting, made their report through Mr. Saunders, their secretary, and the constitution, as presented, with some blanks filled and a few alterations made, was adopted.

The capital stock was fixed at $10,000, shares $25 each, no one man to own more than eight shares. The limit of liability is fifty per cent of the stock paid up; the organization to run twenty-five years.

A. W. Clark, J. O. Blodgett and Steve Wagner were appointed a committee to solicit stock.

The meeting adjourned to 1 p. m., Saturday next, Feb. 25, at Clother house.

Guilty.

The jury in the case of the Citting hanging affair brought in a verdict Saturday, finding the defendants, Peter Botch, Peter Jelch, George Botch, Jan. Frohling, Grant Collins and James Marshall, guilty of assault with intent to do great bodily harm. Sentence was deferred until Monday, when the defendants attorneys filed a motion for a new trial. The court again deferred the sentence, granting ten days time to consider the question of a new trial. To those who attended the trial, outside of the interested parties, the verdict seems to give general satisfaction. If a new trial is not granted the sentence will probably be imprisonment in the penitentiary for from two to five years each. The prisoners are out on bail awaiting the decision of the court. The way of the transgressor is hard.—[Leigh World.

Letter List.

List of letters remaining in the post-office at Columbus, Nebraska, for the week ending Feb. 21, 1893:

Wm. C. Schulz, W. R. Pierce,
Mr. Charles Natermon, Mrs. Emma Plagemann,
Mr. P. H. Pender, Mrs. N. P. Eckles,
Mr. Edwin Eley, J. H. Warner,
Mr. Geo. A. Coleman, Frank Arney.

Parties calling for the above letters will please say "advertised."

CARL KRAMER, P. M.

A Boy Accidentally Kills His Brother.

Friday last, Fred. Berberg, a boy 14 years old, was, with other children of his father's family, standing near the stove of their dwelling, and Fred. had a shot gun, not supposed to be loaded, thrown over his arm; in some way or other the contents were discharged, killing Charles F. Berberg, 8 years old. The family live near Lindsay.

Coroner Heintz was not notified until late Saturday and arrived in the neighborhood after dark. A jury was empanneled Sunday, who rendered a verdict of death by accidental shooting.

Weather Report.

For the week ending Monday evening last, as observed at Van Schoik's drug store, where is a government thermometer, absolutely correct and placed in position so outside elements cannot affect it:

Highest temperature during week...60°
Lowest " " " ...3°
Average " " " ...29°

THE Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry is the only line running solid vestibuled, electric lighted and steam heated trains between the Missouri river and Chicago, consisting of new palace sleeping cars, elegant free reclining chair cars, luxurious coaches and the finest dining cars in the world. The berth reading lamp in its palace sleeping cars is patented and cannot be used by any other railway company. It is the great improvement of the age. Try it and be convinced. Close connection in union depot at Omaha with all trains to and from the west. For further particulars apply to your ticket agent, or

F. A. NASH, Gen'l Agt.
W. S. HOWELL,
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—We want every mother to know that croup can be prevented. True croup never appears without a warning. The first symptom is hoarseness; then the child appears to have taken a cold or a cold may have accompanied the hoarseness from the start. After that a peculiar rough cough is developed, which is followed by the croup. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse; a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will prevent the attack. Even after a rough cough has appeared the disease may be prevented by using this remedy as directed. It has never been known to fail. 25 cent, 50 cent and $1 bottles for sale by C. E. Pollock & Co. and Dr. Heintz, druggists. tf

—"I have just recovered from a second attack of the grip this year," says Mr. James O. Jones, publisher of the Leader, Mexia, Texas. "In the latter case I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I think with considerable success, only being in bed a little over two days, against ten days for the first attack. The second attack I am satisfied would have been equally as bad as the first but for the use of this remedy, as I had to go to bed in about six hours after being 'struck' with it, while in the first case I was able to attend to business about two days before getting 'down.'" 50 cent bottles for sale by C. E. Pollock & Co. and Dr. Heintz, Druggists. tf

—Some foolish people allow a cough to run until it gets beyond the reach of medicine. They often say, "Oh, it will wear away, but in most cases it wears them away. Could they be induced to try the successful medicine called Kemp's Balsam, which is sold on a positive guarantee to cure, they would immediately see the excellent effect after taking the first dose. Price 50c and $1. Trial size free. At all druggists. 33-y

—There is no danger from whooping cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given. It liquefies the tough, tenacious mucus and aids in its expectoration. It also lessens the severity and frequency of the paroxysms of coughing, and insures a speedy recovery. There is not the least danger in giving it to children or babies, as it contains no injurious substance. 50 cent bottles for sale by C. E. Pollock & Co. and Dr. Heinz, Druggists. tf

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

—You never can be just quite certain of the weather, even in Nebraska, which has more fine days in the year than any other state we know of. Philosophers say that it is by the changes of things, the varieties of surroundings and emotions that human nature is developed. Probably that is the reason we have so many great men and noble women in Nebraska.

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