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ITEMS OF **INTEREST**

ABOUT OUR NEIGH-BORS AND FRIENDS CLIPPED FROM OUR **EXCHANGES**

From the Democrat

northwest of town

Miss Blanche Cookingham has accopted ap sition as teacher in dietrict No. 69 for thi year and commenced her duties on Wednesday of this week. Dis-

E F. Wentz returned home Saturday from Lakeview, Oregon, whore he went some time ago, in the interest of several people here who had contracts in a land drawing, the winnings of whom was reported in a previous issue. Mr. Wentz is highly pleased with that country and claims a very bright future for it.

held a cancus Tuesday afternoon elect- jury, but the flesh on the other one was ing John Bunker chairman and E. C. torn loose and badly lacerated to the Halm secretary, and nominating the fol first joint. Dr. Pugh who dressed the lowing township ticket: Treasurer, R. wound, is hopeful that the finger may be O. Brandt of Cornica; clerk, H. G Pet- saved, but cannot tell for a few days ers; justices of the peace, Matt Classen yet. The bone was not injured, but it and George Fritton; constables, J. S. will be a very sore affair. Carney, and John Hoadley; assessor, John Bunker; road everseer district No. tended the dance here last Friday night

and Wm. Stoffel, brother of the groom per cent reduction on the fee for recordwere the groomsmen. After the cere- his enthusiastic support. A slick politimony at the church, a reception was ac- can is that Jerry. corded the young couple at the home of the bride's parents west of town at which a large number of friends and relatives From the Republican. were present to help celebrate the crowpopular young people. The bride is a Vestal Moore. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. VanDyke. She was born and raised in this community, consequently she has a large acquaintance and a host of admiring friends. The groom is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs Nick Stoffel of this place. He is one of the rising young business men of his home town, and starts out in life with bright prospects for the future. After a few days visit here the young couple will leave for their home in Ill-

PLATTE CENTER

From the Signal.

house, was mirried in the creek, ship out apples and she had evidently been in there for some time as nothing but her head was above the mud. The Bacon boys went up there with their well rope, hitched their team to her and pulled her out. The animal dves not seem to be much The new addition gives him an opporthe worse for her experience, either.

farm, which joins Platte Center on the at present. These improvements are the north, to Otto Mueller, of Grand Prairie, direct result of a large increase in their the consideration being \$125.00 per acre trade and they are now in position to There was but seventy acres of land in take care of it.

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he deal, the balance of the eighty, which lays east of Eim creek, not being included The buildings on this truct of land are of so little value that practical ly the figure mentioned was for the naked land. We understand that Mr. Mueltrict No 69 is the Mart Schaefer school | ler will put new buildings on this land and make his home there.

Monday evening Harry Kamm and a friend were examing a corn crusher which stands on Glodowski Bros's platform. They had been turning the machine, and while it was yet in motion, started to leave when Harry slipped on a piece of an apple, threw out his left hand to save a fall and the two middle fingers were caught in the geering. The republicans of Granville township The third finger escaped with little in

Among the Columbus people who at 12, Fred Baumgart; district No. 41, Carl were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carrig. Jerry Baumgart; district No. 42, Jos Schroe- is a candidate for the office of register der; district No 43. Wm. Fisher. The of deeds-the only one in the field-and republicans of Humphrey township failed while he was here he thought it is a good plan to do a little missionary work for Martin J. Stoeffel, of McHenry, Ill., himself. It having come to his ears that and Miss Mary VanDyke, were united in | there was a man in the fifth ward whom marriage at St. Francis church, Rev. he had, 40 or 50 years ago, played a pra-Father Hildebrand officiating, Wednes ctical joke on, and who was very liable day morning of last week. Miss Maggie to work the "other fellow"unless he was Tonyon, consin, and Gertrude VanDyke, "seen." Jerry saw the fellow, and by sister of the bride, were the bridesmaids. promising, if elected, to give him a ten aud Nick VanDyke, brother of the bride ing the deed when he sold his cow. won

MONROE.

Miss Anna Klaus came up from Colning event in the lives of these two umbus Monday to visit her sister Mrs.

Miss Martha Kipple came up from Columbus Monday to be a guest ever night at the Ed. Morrow home.

Mrs. Ruth Kenyon returned last Saturdsy evening from Rochester, New York where she attended the national convention of rural letter carriers. Be sides attending the convention, she visited many points of interest in the east.

Wm. Rowlands and daughters of Lake Orytal, Minn., are visiting Mrs. W. R. Lewis who is a daughter of Mr. Rowlands and a sister of Mrs. Jones.

Arthur Watts sold his crop of apples Tuesday evening Dick McGuane dis- delivered on the car in Monroe to a man covered that a large brood mare of his who will ship then to Chicago. Some whi has running in the pasture west thing new for this neck of the woods to

H. I Gipe has been making some sub stantial improvements in the store, lengthening the room to about seventy feet, and added a large amount of new shelving for the dry goods and shoes. tunity for a better arrangement of his Last Saturday Michael Doody sold his stocks, which completely fills the store

Harry Engberg had the mistortune to get his right arm broken in two place, Tuesday evening. He was riding in a wagon which was being followed by another wagon, and in some manner he fell out and was stepped on by the team of the rear wagon, causing the injury. His injuries were dressed by Dr Bates and he is on the road to recovery

Ladies of Monroe are to be admitted to the Athletic association and are to have complete control of the gymnasium Tuesday and Thursday evenings. This was decided by an unamenous vote Fri day evening. The ladies are requested to be present Monday evening October 11 at the business meeting held at the gymnasium for the purpose of purchasing new apparatus and the improvements necessary to make it appear well before the fair set.

SILVER CREEK.

Mrs. J. W. Riddle was called to Fre mont Tuesday by a telegram announcing the death of a brother-in-law, John Bodell. Mr. Bodell was killed at Waterloo Monday night by a Union Pacific work train, as he was going to the depot to take a train. He came to Silver Creek 29 years ago and lived here a couple of years. He leaves a wife and several children.

Nebraska still produces corn and Merrick county is right in the field with it. Monday Hubert Tolman brought in some white corn from his farm two miles east of town which is hard to beat. He also brought along two mammoth stalks tied onto the side of his automobile, one bearing two heavy ears and the other one. One of these now stands beside our office door, on the outside, measur ing 15 feet in height, and the ear is 7 teet 3 inches from the bottom of the stock and measures 13 inches in length.

The village fire department has received a new hook and ladder truck ordered a short time ago, and at the next meeting of the department a book and ladder company will be organized.

One of the largest sweet potatoes ever rrised in this vicinity was grown on R. A. Miner's farm north of Genoa One hill contained 9 pounds of potatoes, the largest of which was presented to The Times man. Mr. Miner also gothered a fine crop of peaches from his orchard

Cyrus Greek has purchased the balance of the Gould ranch in the western part of the county. A few months ago he bought 1900 acres, and the last pur chase consisted of 1600 acres, making 2800 hundred sores which Mr. Greek now owns in one body.

Lew Stocks surprised some of the doubting Thomases this week by commenoing work on his new building. A mouthy slob who has been very loud in pronouncing Mr. Stocks a bluffer, and bet \$5 that the brick for the building had not been purchased, told the stakeholder to turn the money over to the

ST. EDWARD

From the Advance.

A letter received by Mrs. Jos. Westbrook last week from her son, D. R. Westbrook, who is taking treatment for cancer at Burlington, Iowa, conveys the information that he has underwent an operation and has fair prospects for recovery. Dave was not over sanguine in his predictions, and his letter was not all cheerfullness, but we believe that his hopes are well founded.

The streets of St. Edward are still

dark. The modern electric light has not resumed its duty of lightning the way farer home. The modern electric light, like many other modern improvements refuses to work without pay, and the contract having expired between the village and the elecric light and power company, pay has ceased because it seems that a renewal of the contract cannot be made on terms satisfactory to both the company and the village fath-The board wants Mr. Smith to enlarge his plant and they assure him if he dees thusly they will reward him with a good contract. Mr. Smith on the other hand, claims that it costs many big dollars to enlarge a plant and that he wants to see the color of the contract in cold unfailing black and white before he enlarges the plant. This is as much as we know about the matter and is only a guess at that.

THE DOCTOR'S QUESTION.

Some Advice Against the Use of Harsh Purgatives and Physics.

A doctor's first question when consulted by a patient is, "Are you bowels reguiar?,' He knows that 98 per cent of illness is attended with inactive bowels and torpid liver. This condition poisons the system with waste matter and causes accumulation of gases which must be removed through the bowele

before health can be restored. Salts, ordinary pills and cathartics may be truly likened to dynamite. Through their harsh, irritating action they force a passage, through the bowels, causing inal structure which weakens the whole system, and at best only produces temporary relief. The repeated use of such treatments causes chronic irritation of the stomachs and bowels, dries and hardens their tiesues, deadens their nerves, stiffens their mucles and generally brings about an injurious habit which sometimes has almost, if not fatal

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BOUND TO KEEP THEIR WORD

Amazing Obstinacy of Cornishmen. for Which They Are Noted, Well Illustrated.

The Cornish people are credited by H. Hudson, in "The Land's End." with spirit of stubbornness which at times becomes amusing. The author gives a characteristic incident.

The late royal academician, Hook, was on the sands at Whitesand bay. working at a marine picture, when two natives came up and planted themselves just behind him. There was nothing the artist hated more than to be watched by strangers over his shoulders in this way, and pretty soon he wheeled round on them and angrily asked them how long they were going to stand there.

His manner served to arouse their spirit, and they replied, brusquely, that they were going to stay as long as they thought proper.

He insisted on knowing just now long they were going to stay there to his annoyance, and by and by, after some more loud and angry discussion, one of them incautiously declared they would stand at the very spot for an hour.

"Do you mean that? shouted Hook, pulling out his watch. Yes, they returned, they would not stir an inch from that spot for an hour.

"Very well," he said, and pulled up his easel; then marching on to a distance of 30 yards, he set up again and resumed his painting. And there, within 30 yards of his back, the two men stood for an hour and a quarter, for, as they did not have a watch, they were afraid of going away before the hour had expired. Then they

REPARTEE IN SENATE HALLS

Legislator from Nevada Rather Go the Worst of Conversational Exchange.

Senator Newlands of Nevada, was making a tariff speech, and in its course referred to labor conditions in Pittsburg, where, he said, men were compelled to work seven days a week, 12 or 14 hours a day, Sunday and every other day. He drew a parallel between these conditions and the statement that protection helps the American workingman and that Pittsburg is supposed to be the greatest beneficiary of the protective tariff system.

Senator Oliver, newly from Pittsburg, was restless during that recital, according to the Saturday Evening Post. Finally he jumped up and denied that any Pittsburg workingmen were compelled to work on Sunday except the blast furnace men. Then he said he had been in Nevada and that it was customary to work seven days a week there, there being no such thing as Sunday observance.

"It is a state," shouted Oliver, "where the faro table and the roulette table are a part of the furnishment of every hotel in the state-not of the barroom, but of the office part of the establishment—and the guests cannot get away from it. I spent one dayand it was the sorriest day I ever spent-in the city which is the senator's home. The only place where I could get away from the rattle of dice and the clink, clink of faro chips was by going to the Carnegie library, given to the city of Reno by one of Pittsburg's millionaires."

That detained Newlands for an indefinite period.

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bination of part time apprenticeship and compulsory attendance at technical schools.—London Electrical Review. A Strong Guaranty.

"Are you sure those eggs are fresh?" asked the woman, eying them suspiciously. "Yes, ma'am," replied the grocer, with emphasis; "I guarantee those eggs. If any of them aren't good, I'll make 'em good!"-Lippin-

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ATHLETICS AND "THE GATE."

Some Possibility That the Latter Is Out of Place on University Playing Fields.

When one figures up how many professors could be paid, or how many students assisted, if \$107,397,20 could be divided up among them, the expenditure of that sum at Yale last year on what are called "the four major sports" seems large. That particular money, however, could hardly have been secured for any except the uses to which it was put, and as from those same sports there were receipts amounting to \$110,986.34, the financial showing, as such, is satisfactory, or at least better than it would have been with the balance on the other side of the ledger. The boys who handled these big sums, too, showed by keeping within their income that they are getting out of athletics a certain amount of business training.

It is noticeable, looking at the matter from this point of view, that only football was profitable. Baseball comes out only a little better than even, but rowing and track sports had to be debited with heavy losses. The husiness man would therefore say, "Drop rowing and track sports, continue baseball under a suspended sentence, and devote redoubled attention to football." That nothing of the kind will be done or even considered is proof that the whole idea of combining business with sport is somehow wrong, and that the amateurs who attempt it are verging toward professionalism so far as their financiering is sound.

The ideal method would be to make nothing at all out of sports, but to consider the money spent on them, not as a loss, but as the price of physical development and innocent amusement, both of which are worth buying and paying well for. "The gate," some observers cannot help thinking, is out of place on university playing fields All the abuses and excesses of athletics are due to it, or related to it, and without it most of them would

Barracks for Spanish Soldiers. The lot of the Spanish soldier, even

in times of peace, is far from enviable, for his food, lodging and clothing are of the poorest. As regards barracks the Spanish army is certainly the worst equipped in Europe, and this fact was practically admitted by Senor Sagasta when he was premier. A deputation waited on him to protest against the unfair manner in which the law as to obligatory army service was enforced, so that any one with £50 to spare can evade this duty. The premier admitted that the principle of redemption from military service was illegal and that all healthy male adults should be required to serve; but he added, "the majority of our barracks are in such bad condition that we cannot expect the sons of respectable parents to live in them.

Ready for More Business. Dean Ramsay has a story of that border hostility between English and Scots which used to go to halter lengths. A Scottish drover was returning from the south in particularly bad humor with the English, having done poor business, when he saw in Carlisle a notice offering a reward of £50 to any one who would volunteer for the unpopular task of hanging a condemned criminal. Seeing his chance to make up for his bad market, and comforting himself with the thought that he was unknown there, he did the job and got his fee. As he was leaving he was taunted as a beggarly Scot, doing for money what no Englishman would. But he asswered with a cheerful grin: "Till hang ye a' at the price."

Charley and His Hands. "You say your husband occasional-

ly consults a palmist?" "Yes," answered young Mrs. Torkins. "You see Charley plays cards a great deal." "But he isn't so superstitious as to

think he can foretell his luck?" "No. He takes it for granted that his luck will be bad. But he says it's worth the money to have somebody tell him he has a hand worth looking

The Way of a Woman. The suffragette was practicing her address for the Woman's Rights club at her own little home. Her words were defiant. "Women are the real rulers," she orated. "Men are marionettes. Since the beginning of time woman has been the real power behind the throne; now she fearlessly demands her place on the throne. She is triumphant; she defies the world; she-"

The doorbell rang. The man with the book agent manners bowed. "May I see the head of the house a moment?"

"He is not at home," said the suffragette, slamming the door and resuming her oratory. "Let me see, where was I?"-Lippincott's.



CCEPT VERDICT OF YEARS.

And Thue, and Thus Only, Can a Woman Be Sald to Have the Best of Life.

Woman has learned to claim 20 ears more, at least, than used to be her portion. But always she must claim it on conditions, and it is for ack of recognizing these that so many women who wish to hold their youth grow old ungracefully.

"Timely wise, accept the terms." ing grandmother, in her forties. She had made the truth of Emerson's wise saying her own, and made no visible effort after youth. There was gray in her hair, and her mobile face had its lines-but every line had been traced by smiles, not worries. Young in spirit, dainty in dress, she entered into no competition with sweet sixteen. She knew better. The people who like sweet sixteen do not like 46, however made up to resemble it. But it is equally true that the people who like 46 when it is charming, do not care for sweet sixteen to any extent. On those terms, accepting them frankly, 46 can work out its own salvation-but only on those terms. That

was her wisdom. A woman, indeed, who does not belong among her contemporaries, so to speak, can never have the best of life. A child who prefers older peo ple to playfellows has not an ideal childhood. A girl who is too serious and mature for her age loses the love ly comradeship of youth. And equally so, a woman who refuses to enter middle age with her contemporaries loses the pleasures of middle age, which are real pleasures, and is very apt to make herself ridiculous into the bargain. Youth of spirit can be had at 50, at 60, at 70, on the abiding terms. Accepting life as it ripens is to ripen with it, and to cease to grow old by losing that fear of growing old, which is the most unhappy part of the passing of the years .-Montreal Herald.

It always worries an absent-minded No. 5 man to think he can't remember what No. 59..... 7:00 a m it was he was going to worry about.— No. 19..... 8:45 p m New York Times.

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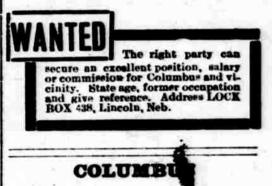
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