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FILES SUIT AGAINST SON Mrs. Mary Taylor of Beatrice Brings Action in District Court. HEAD OF WAITER CLUB FINED President of Colored Organization Must Pay Following Raid Made by Police.

Levies Fine on Negro Club. John Smith of Omaha of the Walters' club, was fined \$50 and costs for selling liquor. The sentence follows a raid on the club made at the instigation of the Excise board and the attorney for the club asserts that he will take the case into district court.

Dr. Wightman President. Dr. Wightman of Omaha was elected president of the Nebraska Demonstrators' association this morning to succeed Dr. E. A. Carr of Lincoln. Dr. Olson of Lincoln was elected vice president and treasurer and Dr. C. W. M. Poynter of Lincoln, secretary. A banquet was held at the Leland hotel last night.

Marathon In Seat Attire. J. Edgar Hamilton, partly clad, chased his wife, Mrs. J. Edgar Hamilton, dressed in a kimono, the length of North Ninth street last night to punish her for going to a neighbor's house in a loose garment. Hamilton objected to his wife's kimono as a party gown and she, in an effort to accomplish her end, she took to the more friendly atmosphere of out doors. He was in the midst of his own dressing for the evening, but refused to be deterred by that and gave chase. He will have a hearing before the police magistrate.

Farmers Decide on Legislation. A rural life commission, which will have charge of the needs of the communities, is a state institution which is advocated by the State Farmers' congress. In the last meeting of the convention, held at the temple last night, resolutions were adopted suggesting that such a commission be appointed with power to recommend to the legislature the needs of the farmers.

Officers of the congress were elected as follows: L. C. Lawson, Clark, president; A. M. Tempin, Palmer, and J. D. Ream, Broken Bow, vice presidents; W. S. Delane, secretary and treasurer. The following men were named on a legislative committee: Frank Odell, Lincoln; E. A. Delane, Lincoln; W. F. Johnson, Harvard; A. M. Tempin, Palmer, and L. C. Lawson, Clark. A state superintendent of roadways was recommended by the meeting of the state road meeting today and officers were elected as follows: F. W. Chase of Kansas City, president; D. P. Stephens, Fremont, vice president; W. S. Whitten, Lincoln, secretary and treasurer; M. B. Mellor, George V. Jackson, W. B. Barning and J. W. Potts, members of the executive committee. D. V. Stephens, D. H. Condra, D. C. Dolby and John W. Patterson, members of the legislative committee.

Boy With Frozen Feet May Not Recover Stepfather of Gustave Stehr of Madison Charged with Inhuman Treatment. MADISON, Neb., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—County Attorney James Nichols and Sheriff C. S. Smith returned this afternoon from Norfolk bringing with them Harry Stehr, the stepfather of the little 4-year-old Gustave Stehr, whose feet were frozen through some mysterious neglect on the part of the parents during the severe snowstorm of several weeks ago, and as a result of which it was necessary to have them amputated last Thursday morning. The inhuman treatment of the little fellow on the part of his parents in neglecting to procure medical aid until both of his feet had practically rotted off with gangrene, has thoroughly aroused public sentiment in the city of Norfolk. Stehr is lodged in the county jail charged with assault and inhuman and unnatural treatment, and more than likely a hearing will be delayed until it is known definitely whether the little fellow will survive the amputation, and, at any rate, until the mysterious circumstances surrounding this unfortunate affair can be thoroughly investigated.

North Platte Man Cashes Bogus Check. NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Louis Peterson has just found out that he will be \$25 short on account of endorsing a check for \$25 drawn on the Central bank of Lincoln by J. A. Johnson, who came to this city about two weeks ago claiming to represent the Kimball Piano company of West Lincoln. He engaged lodging at the lodging house conducted by Mr. Peterson and exhibited a check drawn by ex-Governor George Graysonberger for \$25, which he cashed. Later he stated to Mr. Peterson that he wished to buy a house in North Platte and had found one in the hands of a real estate agent that he had agreed to purchase. He exhibited a check of \$25 drawn on the Central bank of Lincoln by J. A. Johnson and payable to Harry Wilson. He asked Mr. Peterson to endorse the check for the purpose of identifying him, which Mr. Peterson did. The check has just been returned by this bank stating that there was no account kept at the bank in the name of the alleged drawer of the check, J. A. Johnson.

How to Cure Rheumatism Prominent Doctor's Best Prescription Is Easily Made. This is a very simple and harmless remedy, but it has worked wonders for all who have tried it, quickly curing chronic acute rheumatism and back-ache. Get one ounce of Sarsaparilla compound and one ounce of Toris compound. Then get two pints of good whisky and put the other two ingredients into it. Take a tablespoonful of this mixture before going to bed. Shake the bottle before using. Results are felt the first day. Any druggist has these ingredients on hand or will quickly get them for his wholesale house. Any one can make them.

Double Wedding at Nebraska City. NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Grundman on Thursday evening occurred a double wedding at which time their daughter, Marie Grundman, was united

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Grand Island Raises Twenty Thousand for College Endowment Success of Unique Campaign of Commercial Club is Celebrated with Bonfire and Banquet.

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—With a huge bonfire blazing in the heart of the business section, with congratulatory speeches, a dinner at the leading cafe of the city, the college orchestra providing the music, the success of a somewhat unique campaign in the interest of the Grand Island college was celebrated here last night. The last Hapsite state convention held in this city was a proposition was before the convention naming the Grand Island college, the highest educational institution of the Hapsites of the west, to secure \$20,000 from Andrew Carnegie for a college library building, provided the institution be cleared of all debt and there be a sufficient endowment to meet the usual terms of Mr. Carnegie's library gifts—a certain income for maintenance. It required the raising of \$80,000 to meet fully Mr. Carnegie's proposition, and to put in a few other necessary improvements, and a campaign was launched to raise the balance which was planned. It was suggested that, since Grand Island secured the commercial benefit of such investment, its citizens ought to raise one-fifth of the amount. Though Grand Island was conceded to have treated the college most liberally in the matter, the commercial club, in the matter, appointed a committee of fifteen, and the committee decided to adopt the slogan, "Twenty thousand dollars in twenty days." Yesterday was the twentieth day and the ball was dropped over the line for a touchdown before noon. A little being added during the remainder of the day, so that the total raised by the city in twenty days was over \$21,000. President Sutherland, Vice President Garrison and the other members of the faculty and the student body generally, were so highly excited by a ratification celebration was at once undertaken. And the students made the most of it. The campaign throughout the rest of the state has already been begun.

Judge A. N. Sullivan Dead at Plattsmouth Prominent Cass County Attorney and Jurist Passes Away Following Paralytic Stroke. PLATTSMOUTH, Neb., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Judge A. N. Sullivan, who suffered a paralytic stroke one week ago last Monday afternoon, died last night after being in an unconscious state for the last four days.

George N. Sullivan was born in Toronto, Canada, in 1862, and came to the United States and Cass county almost forty-three years ago, arriving here in July, 1899, being then about 29 years of age. He first engaged in school teaching in the rural schools of the county, and purchased a farm near Weeping Water, where he resided, following the pursuit of farmer during the summer and teaching during the winter.

On June 12, 1871, he was married to Miss Mary Jean, near Plattsmouth, and to their children were the late Benjamin, Charles Sullivan, Mrs. Harriet Becker, Mrs. W. H. Elster and Mrs. Ralph Towle of Omaha; Mrs. Anna Snyder of Dallas, S. D., and Miss Gladys Sullivan of Plattsmouth, all of whom, with his widow, survive.

WILBER MAN ELECTED HEAD OF POULTRY BODY State Association Show Closes at Hastings—Award of Silver Cups Made. HASTINGS, Neb., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—The twenty-sixth annual exhibition of the State Poultry association closed last night. The place for the next show will be selected by the officers and executive board. Invitations have been presented by Hastings, Grand Island, York, Lincoln and Kearney.

The following officers were elected: W. A. Irvin, Wilber, president; A. M. Hagle, Donahoe, vice president; I. L. Lyman, Minnatar, treasurer. Board of directors: E. E. Smith, Lincoln; C. D. Cottle, Edgar; E. E. Powers, Bradshaw; J. W. Fuller, Columbus; E. V. Miller, Minden.

The silver cups were awarded to: Barrred Plymouth Rocks... W. A. Irvin, Wilber. Part-colored Wyandottes... Geo. O. Green, Sutton. Solid colored Wyandottes... E. E. Smith, Lincoln. Andalus... Frank Hoagland, Gladville. Part-colored Mediterranean... Ed Eggert, Minden. Solid colored... Ed Eggert, Minden. English cup... H. I. Lyman, Lincoln. Hamburg... J. L. Hoot Kearney, Rhode Island. Red... Mrs. E. A. Wells, Kenesaw.

BROKEN BOW, Neb., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Description furnished by Sheriff Kennedy last yesterday afternoon arrested W. C. Meeks, a young man who had been loitering about town all day. Meeks is wanted for mortgaging stolen property and passing bogus checks. It is said he hired a valuable team from Liverman at North Platte and drove to Otoe, in this county, where he mortgaged it in order to square himself with some people on whom he had passed worthless checks. According to the statement of Meeks he had no intention of breaking the law, but was going to return the team to its owner after he had straightened out his financial difficulties.

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Four Convicted of Stealing Sheep. NORTH PLATTE, Neb., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—William George Nunn, William Jesse Nunn, Andrew Potter and Peter Egan, also Peter Spurgens, were convicted in this city today of stealing sheep from John Pratt and John Burke of this city and they were all sentenced to serve thirty days in jail with the exception of William Jesse Nunn, who was sentenced to fifteen days in jail. The sheep had been carrying on petty thieving for some time and twelve sheep were taken from a large bunch after being fed near this city.

Johnson County Medical Society. TEICUMSEH, Neb., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—The annual meeting of the Johnson County Medical society was held in Tecumseh Thursday afternoon, and the doctors enjoyed a 6 o'clock dinner at the Hotel Hopkings. Papers were read by Dr. W. A. Witt and Dr. C. H. Johnson. The following officers were elected: President, Dr. C. H. Davies of Tecumseh; vice president, Dr. J. Hanson of Elk Creek; secretary-treasurer, Dr. A. P. Fitzsimmons of Tecumseh; censor (three years), Dr. G. J. Rubelman of Tecumseh.

NEBRASKA CITY.—Herman Geisler, aged 31, died at his home in the First ward on Thursday and Friday. He had been a resident of this city for many years and had no known relatives. BEATRICE.—J. G. Wiebe, a pioneer lumber merchant of this city, died last night at his home in the First ward. He was a native of Prussia and came here thirty-three years ago. He was married and had two sons and two daughters.

NORTH PLATTE.—Yesterday noon the dental offices of Dr. Walter Cronk and O. H. Cressler, in the McNeal building in this city, were robbed. They took all the cash on hand and jewelry which they could lay their hands on in value to about \$1,000.

BEATRICE.—At E. C. Crocker's sale of Durce-Jersey hoes yesterday, there were present from Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri and Kansas. Fifty-one young sows sold on an average of \$140. The top price was paid by Briggs & Son of Seward, Neb. HOLDEGE.—James Hanning, who died at his home northeast of Holdege last Friday, was one of the early residents of this part of the state. He was buried here yesterday from the home of his wife, Mrs. Mary Hanning, who survived.

YORK.—The Order of the Eastern Star held a family gathering Thursday evening at the Masonic hall in York. It was the first of the kind held in this city for many years. The initiation ceremony followed the regular program and was presided over by Alexander, who was present. Many of the officers were present.

NEBRASKA CITY.—The body of Mrs. Jacob Koeb, who died in Omaha Thursday, was brought to this city this morning and buried here. Mrs. Koeb was the widow of a prominent merchant of this city and was well known here. She was buried in the Holy Cross cemetery and was interred in the vault of her husband.

BROKEN BOW.—Ed H. Purcell, a prominent farmer of this city, has received a check from the United States government for \$100.00. The check was for the amount of the bounty on a bear which he had killed in the state of Iowa. Mr. Purcell is a well-known farmer and has been successful in many of his ventures.

Japanese Budget is Introduced Expenditures for the Year Estimated by Premier at Five Hundred and Fifty-One Million Yen. TOKIO, Jan. 21.—Premier Katsura, in introducing the budget for 1911-12 in the lower house today, congratulated the country on the greatly increased business reported during the last year. To the gain of 48,000,000 yen, the manufacturing industries alone contributed 10,000,000 yen.

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MELODY OF NATION EVOLVED

Hawaiian Singers Are Product of Racial Growth. COME FROM LAND OF MUSIC Dusky Islanders Are Examples of National Development, in Which Hawaii Surpasses Rest of World—Distinctive Music.

In the brief period of forty years Hawaii has developed a distinctive native music that is bringing that island domain into national prominence, accomplishing what other nations have acquired in a musical way only in centuries. This is thoroughly demonstrated by the troupe of Hawaiian singers who are entertaining the vast crowds at the Land and Music society's annual Hawaiian program. While the songs popular among the English speaking people, most of their singing is in the native tongue, which gives them the best opportunity to pour forth their talent.

Blackmail Rife in England Fashionable Society in Terror from Organized Espionage. USE PAY TO HIDE SKELETONS Sensation is Sprung in Editorial in London Times—Evidence Found that Unscrupulous Persons Are Reaping Harvest.

WARREN, Jan. 21.—(Special Cablegram.)—The body of a woman correspondent of certain American newspapers has been found to have been buried in a coffin in the home of her father, Mrs. James H. Bradley, in Lincoln, Neb. The body was identified by the coroner's jury as that of Mrs. Mary Johnston, who was reported to have died in Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 21. Mrs. Johnston was the daughter of Thomas Wheeler, a famous court artist of Lincoln, and the niece of Lady Hutchings, with whom she spent most of her childhood. Mrs. Johnston inherited the wonderful talent of her distinguished father and at the age of 13 years was one of the exhibitors at the Royal Academy, being the youngest artist ever accorded that honor. The subject of her painting was "Saul," a biblical picture.

Flowers Lead Inspiration. He lives in an atmosphere of music and flowers, and he continually breathes the fragrance of both. With a natural bent toward music, it has been possible for the Hawaiian, who is director of the troupe of singers appearing at the Land and Music society, to have been made along this line in less than a half century. Several things have contributed to this rapid development, according to W. S. Ellis, a native Hawaiian, who is director of the troupe of singers appearing at the Land and Music society. He is director of the troupe of singers appearing at the Land and Music society.

DEATH RECORD. Mrs. Harriet Wilson. SHENANDOAH, Ia., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—Mrs. Harriet Wilson, aged 78 years, wife of N. Wilson of this city, died at her home Wednesday morning at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Wilson had not been strong for several months, although she was able to be out until last Friday, when she caught cold, from which her death resulted. She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. W. D. Miner of Corning.

JANE D. BAIN. HARVARD, Neb., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—The body of John D. Bain was brought to his late home in this city Wednesday evening from Chicago, where he died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Helen Bain Hickey, on Monday, the burial taking place yesterday under the direction of the Maonic order. Services were conducted by Rev. H. Brosa, a long-time friend of the family, assisted by Rev. Mr. Walter E. Niles.

Fifteen Years for Mrs. Sutherland. CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Jan. 21.—Judge Wickham today denied a new trial to Mrs. Annie Sutherland, convicted last night of murdering her husband, Al Sutherland, and sentenced her to fifteen years at hard labor in the Wisconsin State Prison at Milwaukee. This crime was committed about a year ago.

South Dakota News Notes. YANKTON.—The students of Yankton college presented "Quality Street" at the new theater Friday night. After four months of careful preparation, the event, which was the annual college play, was a great success.

ABERDEEN.—The thirty-third semi-annual meeting of the Scottish Rite bodies of Masonry of the Aberdeen district was held last night with a banquet. The degrees were conferred during the reunion, from the fourth to the thirty-second in degree, on classes ranging from twenty-one to thirty-five.

LAND SHOW VISITORS Shouldn't Fail to View This Greatest of Clothing Stores—Come In, Look or Buy as You Please. If You Want Some New Clothes Now is the time to buy them, and this is the store to buy them in. OUR GREAT 1/2 OFF SALE of Suits, Overcoats, Rain and Top Coats offers the one real bargain opportunity of the Winter. It is conducted for the sole purpose of disposing of every winter garment in order that we can follow our established policy of opening every season with all new goods. Several thousands of this season's newest and choicest garments, in every size, honestly reduced. Better help yourself to a clothes bargain. \$10 TO \$40 WINTER SUITS AND OVERCOATS FOR \$5 TO \$20. \$15 TO \$40 RAIN AND TOP COATS FOR \$7.50 TO \$20. The Home of Quality Clothes.

BLACKMAIL RIFE IN ENGLAND Fashionable Society in Terror from Organized Espionage. USE PAY TO HIDE SKELETONS Sensation is Sprung in Editorial in London Times—Evidence Found that Unscrupulous Persons Are Reaping Harvest. LONDON, Jan. 21.—(Special Cablegram.)—London society is on the verge of a panic as the result of the publication in the Times of an astounding letter purporting to show how a woman correspondent of certain American newspapers has been bribing butlers and footmen at fashionable houses to furnish her with such English society scandals as they could overhear at dinner tables. The Times prints a vigorous editorial condemning this abominable system, which it says, has been splendidly organized and substantially financed. It would be bad enough if the facts were as stated in the Times letter, but investigation both by private agencies and by Scotland Yard tend to indicate that this information is not being gathered for an American or any other newspaper, but for a perfectly organized and utterly unscrupulous gang of blackmailers, mainly composed of French, Russian and Hungarian adventurers, some being listed, more or less. Closets Full of Skeletons. The closets of aristocratic English houses have their full shelves of skeletons. Of course, every effort is made to keep these hidden. Many men and women who stand high in London's social life have secrets which they are willing to pay high to keep secret. This is true also of many of the rich American colony.

Railroad Treaty with Canada is Drafted American and Canadian Commissioners Reach Agreement at Conference in Washington. WASHINGTON, Jan. 21.—The American and Canadian railroad commissioners today began their last session of their treaty conference. All of the members were present and also Secretary Knox. They met behind closed doors at the State department and shortly after announcement was made that an agreement had been reached. At the conclusion of the session the commissioners jointly issued the following statement, which was all they would say in regard to the result of their undertaking. "The negotiators have reached an understanding which when certain formalities are completed will be made public at Washington and Ottawa. It is thought this may be done next Thursday."

Post Toasties This crisp, wholesome food has a distinctive, fascinating flavor that appeals to the palates of particular people. Ready to serve right from the package with cream (or milk hot or cold)—a delicious food for any meal of the day. "The Memory Lingers" Post Toasties are made of white Indian Corn, cooked, sweetened, rolled into flakes and toasted to a golden brown. Reaches the consumer untouched by human hands. Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.