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YORAN, H. F. ARNOLD, M. J. YORAN, YORAN, ARNOLD & YORAN, TORNEYS AT LAW, and Real Estate Agents. Office over Delaware County State Bank, Manchester, Iowa.
C. E. BRONSON, E. M. CARR, BRONSON & CARR, TORNEYS AT LAW, Special attention given to collections, mortgages, and all kinds of legal business. Office in City Hall Block, Manchester, Iowa.
FRED B. BLAIR, Attorney at Law. Office in the City Hall Block, Manchester, Iowa.
PHYSICIANS: A. J. WARD, Physician and Surgeon, will attend to calls promptly at all hours of the day or night, at home.
J. J. LINDSAY, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, will attend to calls promptly at all hours of the day or night, at home.
H. H. LAWRENCE, Physician and Surgeon. Special attention given to diseases of children. Have also made a special study of Gynecology, Obstetrics, and Puerperal Diseases. All chronic diseases successfully treated with the aid of various Therapeutic and Massage treatment. All chronic diseases, Constitutional Weakness, Office over Work's market. All calls promptly attended. Residence on Main street, the old Dr. Kelley's property.
OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN: J. H. MOORE, D. O., OSTEOPATHIC, a system of treating diseases without the use of drugs. For information call or write. Office in the Adams building, over Gregg & Ward's drug store.
DENTISTS: O. A. DENHAM, O. L. LEIGH, DUNHAM & LEIGH, Dentists. Office in the Adams building on Franklin Street, Telephone 218.
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E. E. NEWCOMB, Dentist. Office over Clark & Lawrence's store on Franklin Street. Crown bridge work a specialty. Will meet patients at Fairly Wednesday of each week.
VETERINARIAN: DR. J. W. SCOTT, Veterinary Surgeon and Dentist. Office in E. O. Smith's Drug Store, Main St. At night can be found at rooms over Ralph Connor's Store.
MANCHESTER MARBLE WORKS: Is prepared to furnish Granite and Marble Monuments and Head Stones of various designs. Have the country right for Stone's Market. Work done at reasonable prices. Always at home on Saturdays.
W. M. MCINTOSH, W. N. BOYNTON, J. F. MCKEOWN, BOYNTON & MCKEOWN, Watchmakers, Jewelers and Repairers. Office in the Adams building, over the City Hall. Musical Instruments, etc., Main Street.
A. D. BROWN, Dealer in furniture, etc., and undertaker, Main Street.
F. WERKMEISTER, GENERAL DEALER IN FURNITURE, Corsets, Picture Frames, Etc. A complete stock of Furniture and Upholstery always on hand. At prices that defy competition. A good house kept at Stone's Market at Tanager, Earlville, Iowa.
ALLEN & STOREY, Clothing and Gent's Furnishing goods. Cor over Main and Franklin streets.
L. R. STOUT, Clothing and Gent's Furnishing goods. City Hall Block, Manchester, Iowa.
HIDDELL & CO., Dry Goods, Carpets, Millinery, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, etc., Main St., Manchester, Iowa.

Dr. John W. Hoffman, professor of agriculture in the state industrial college of Florida, is the one noted negro scientist of the world. He has been chosen to membership in the Massachusetts Horticultural society, the Boston Mycological society, the New York Zoological society and the Royal Agricultural society of England. He is also a few of the American Geographical society and of the Royal Mycological society of England.

Colonel Elijah De Beard of Gilmer county, Georgia, lives in a one-room stone structure over his wife's grave. Over the door of the entrance is the inscription: "One in life and one in death." At one side is the grave of Mrs. De Beard and there is room for the colonel's last resting place. On every anniversary of his wife's death Colonel De Beard has the funeral ceremony repeated and the old man spends all his time beautifying the surroundings with flowers and vines.

President Loubet is one of the best guarded rulers in Europe. A lying brigade of police agents, in civilian costume, has been created to follow the president step by step wherever he goes. When M. Loubet is about to start from the Elysee the prefecture of police is apprised by telephone of the place to which he is going as well as of the route he is to take. Before he has crossed the gate of the place a carriage is already in the street, with orders to follow the presidential conveyance and not to lose sight of it.

Alfred Judson Fisher, the Chicago historian, has woven the highly interesting results of a genealogical investigation into "A Daughter of Adam," a short story which he has written for The Ladies' Home Journal. He traces the heroine of his romance (in real life a well known Philadelphia woman) directly back to Adam, establishing with corroborative detail every link in the long genealogical chain. He brings to light the fact that there have been one hundred and twenty-one generations of the human family, beginning with Adam.

Iowa Chronology. The first white man visited Iowa in June, 1673.

The first white settlement was near Duquaine in 1788.

The first territorial organization was made June 3, 1838.

The first court was held at Burlington in April, 1838. It is thought.

The first state governor was Amos Briggs, who served from 1846 to 1850.

The first capital was located at Burlington in 1838. It was afterward moved to Iowa City, and then to Des Moines in 1858.

The first territorial legislature convened at Burlington in November, 1838.

The first state legislature convened at Iowa City in November, 1846.

The first session to be held in Des Moines was in January, 1853.

The first state constitution was framed in 1844, but was rejected by a vote of the people in 1845.

The first counties were called Dubuque and Des Moines, and embraced the state, then part of Michigan.

The first church was built at Dubuque in 1834.

The first postoffice was established in Dubuque in 1833.

The first newspaper was started in Dubuque in 1836.

Magnificent Deadhead Trip. The recreation journey of President McKinley is the most magnificent trip ever undertaken by railroad in the United States, if not in the world.

No emperor or king ever made as splendid a tour through his dominions as that which the president is enjoying among his American fellow citizens. He will see more people and more acres of territory within the next month than any potentate or conqueror except Alexander the Great ever saw before.

President McKinley will be received everywhere with a gay and festive welcome that will not be as noisy as a conch. The train that will be far more agreeable on that account. His will traverse twenty-five states and his route is 15,000 miles in length. He is accompanied by a working force of his cabinet and he will be in constant communication by telegraph with Washington. He will transact all public business on his route. His train will actually be the national capital on wheels running at an average rate of thirty-five miles an hour.

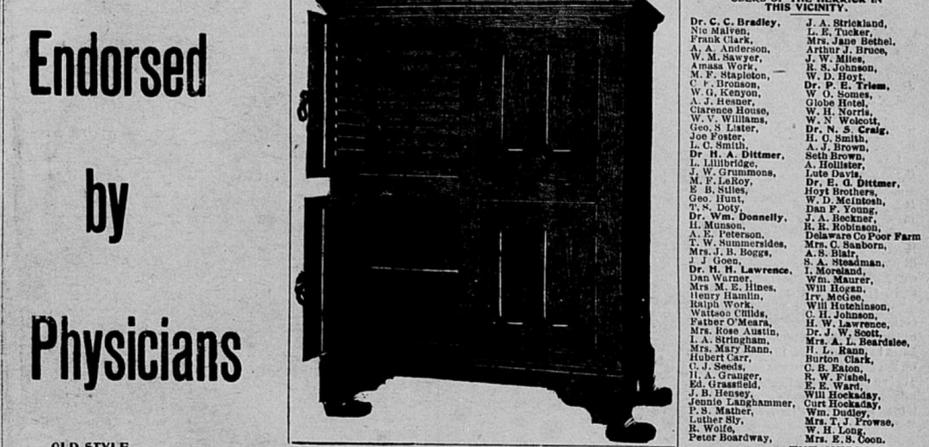
The president's personal party is constituted of himself and family, several members of his cabinet, a dozen private Washington officials, a dozen private guests and twenty attendants, including stenographers, typewriters and telegraphic operators. A great number of press reporters and other followers are accommodated on the train. The commissary department is luxuriously provided and is managed by skilled employes, including a complement of cooks and waiters.

The cars are seven in number and are fitted up in a style superior to anything of the kind ever before seen. "It is understood," says a trustworthy account of the affair, "that the president expressed a desire to pay all the expenses of the trip." But the railroad companies which furnished the palatial cars would not listen to the suggestion. To a private party the actual expense of the cars and baggage would be \$20,880. The commissary stores and service for the trip would bring the cost up to at least \$50,000, a year's salary for the president. Probably he did not insist with importunate pertinacity on paying the bill.

The president will be fortunate if out of these circumstances a national scandal shall not be evolved.—Chicago Chronicle.

The Herrick Refrigerator

For the seventh year we come presenting the merits of the Herrick Refrigerator. We know there are points in the mechanical construction of the zinc-lined boxes and are using the Herrick, and several well known physicians are on the list. We want you to investigate the Herrick before buying. Will you let us show you the various sizes and styles and tell you the merits? Call and see them.



Endorsed by Physicians. Be Careful of the Children!

Do you honestly consider your zinc-lined Refrigerator to be a safe place to keep milk for the baby? Read what DR. CYRUS EDSON, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent of the New York Board of Health, says on the subject:—

"Her ice box became the most dangerous thing in the house. This is particularly true with such delicate food as milk. There is a marked increase in the number of deaths from diarrheal diseases, especially among children, so soon as the hot weather, during which it is necessary to place milk in the refrigerator, sets in. Children form the most delicate members of the family. This is because in children all the processes of life are much more rapid than among grown-up people. Being more delicate, they have less reserve force of life, and are, therefore, more susceptible to the effects of any cause. On the other hand, milk being a food in which the food elements are adjusted for digestion more perfectly than any other, it is more quickly than any other... In the part where the food is kept, little particles of this are liable to adhere to the zinc. Unless these are removed they will purify and produce a germ which will attack as soon as the fresh food put in and cause it to become bad in a very short time. Almost everyone is familiar with the stale smell of putrefying milk. It is of little use to talk, but in good truth we should take care of our children."—CYRUS EDSON, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent of New York Board of Health.

Following right in line with the above comes a case where one of our own prominent physicians ordered the old zinc-lined refrigerator to be cast aside as unfit to be a receptacle of the child's milk. The Herrick has no zinc lining to corrode and taint your food. It has a free circulation of pure, dry air, and is acknowledged by the medical fraternity to be the only refrigerator made that is absolutely free of all impurities and foul odors that are always to be found in the zinc-lined boxes. Thirty-day trial to responsible parties.

BE SURE YOU BUY THE GENUINE HERRICK. AUSTIN D. BROWN, Sole Agent For Delaware County.

His Method. The bell in the private office rang three times, and the man at the desk hastily reached for a flannel bandage, which he put around his neck. Then he arranged a sling in which to put one arm, unbuttoned up his hair, drew down the corners of his mouth, got out of his chair and painfully limped toward the door.

"Mr. Smithkins?" inquired the well-dressed man who opened it just at that moment.

The man with the bandage gave a half-suppressed groan and answered: "Yes; that's my name. What can I do for you?"

"You seem to be suffering," suggested the caller.

"Suffering?" returned the other. "Do you think I'm doing this for fun? Do you suppose I bandage my throat for amusement, to tie up my arm for sport and hang before I think it's graceful? And I've been in this way for six months. But what can I do for you?"

"Fardon me," said the caller, backing out. "I'll call again some other time."

"It's some trouble," soliloquized the man with the bandage as he removed the harness and returned to his desk. "But experience has taught me that it is really the quickest way to discourage a life insurance agent and keep myself insured. I think I'll never will come back."—Chicago Post.

Appendicitis. "Appendicitis," said Dr. Abbe in an address before the New York Academy of Medicine, "has few rivals in the surgical field and takes rank today with typhoid, pneumonia and rheumatism in medical thought. Surely when the active surgeon of today can number 100 operations for diseased appendices yearly, and there are a dozen such men in New York and in other cities in the same proportion—we begin to grasp the importance of the subject and its menace to the community."

"The public continues to ask the physician what was appendicitis formerly, and he answers, 'Probably it passed under the description of "inflammation of the bowels" or "peritonitis." It is true that less than a generation ago numberless people in the course of summer travel were stricken with so-called inflammation of the bowels or peritonitis and died."

"Now we hear of no one so reported, but it is said, 'He had an attack of appendicitis, was beyond the reach of a surgeon and died,' or, 'So-and-so had an attack of appendicitis, was operated upon and recovered.' Hospital statistics show the same changes of tabulated diseases. It is merely a new name, not a new disease."

Nobody Paid Her Fare. A young woman got aboard a West Broad street car and discovered, to her humiliation, that her fare was missing when the conductor called. In a group

manner the conductor of the car said he'd have to get the fare at once or the woman would have to walk. This declaration added to her embarrassment. The car was crowded. On her right sat a genial Irishman and on her left a well-known bookkeeper. The bookkeeper and Irishman exchanged several meaning glances. The conductor was about to pull the bell rope. The bookkeeper said he'd pay the fare as the young woman looked perfectly honest.

The conductor repeated that he put the woman off. This aroused the Irishman, who said, "If you put the woman off, your funeral'll be tomorrow." Seeing a slight nervousness on the part of the conductor, he continued:

"How many people on this car want to attend the funeral of this conductor?" Several answered in the affirmative. The conductor grew excited and in the altercation that followed walked to the platform without securing the woman's fare.—Columbus Dispatch.

Wigs For Hire. "Men do not live street wigs," said a New York wigmaker. "The man who wears a wig constantly owns it. But there are nevertheless many wigs hired out. Actors, for example, hire wigs, and wigs are rented for masquerades and costume parties, and sometimes wigs are rented for surprises. So that after all wigs are included in the great list of things that can be hired, which list would be found, I fancy, to include pretty much everything that could be named."

Other Women Present. Shoe Clerk—Are you being waited on, ma'am? Fair Customer—No. I want a pair of walking shoes. Shoe Clerk—What price and size, ma'am? Fair Customer (rather loudly)—Three!

Shoe Clerk—Three? Fair Customer (in a low tone)—Yes; \$3; size, G. D.—Philadelphia Press.

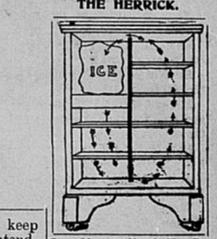
An Estimate. Jack—That's a fine dog you have, Jim. Do you want to sell him? Jim—I'll sell him for \$50. Jack—Is he intelligent? Jim (with emphasis)—Intelligent? Why? that dog knows as much as I do. Jack—You don't say so? Well, I'll give you 50 cents for him, Jim.—Exchange.

Insects as Human Food. Professor Riley showed that our prairie locust made a delicious dish when fried, and he always contended that there were numerous insects that were just as wholesome as oysters. In New Zealand a large grub, or, as Americans say, a "worm," is found in dead timber and is eagerly sought for as we seek for mushrooms. They call the worm huhu.—Mechan's Monthly.

Milk Cows Need Quiet. Exercise is a good thing for the stock bull, but the milk cows need peace and quiet.

BELOW IS A PARTIAL LIST OF THE USERS OF THE HERRICK IN THIS VICINITY.

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Can You Afford To Do Without One Of These?

During his lecture to children at the Society of Arts Mr. E. Walter Maudslayi told his audience an instructive story. A certain lecturer on astronomy observed that some of the students were not paying due attention. "Mr. So-and-so," he called out to one of them, "will you be good enough to tell us what the corona is composed of?" The student addressed hesitated for a moment and then blurted out, "I did know, sir, but I've forgotten." The professor looked at him and then exclaimed, "What a calamity! Here we have the only man who ever knew the composition of the corona, and he has forgotten!"—London Chronicle.

In Paris the public authorities supply gratuitously sulphurous baths to all workers who manipulate lead.

MAYDOLE'S HAMMER. (Bonson's Plaster is Pain's Master.)

When Maydole was told that he made a pretty good hammer," said, "No, I don't make a pretty good hammer, I make the best hammer that ever was made."

Every carpenter who saw a Maydole hammer would say, "It was of the best material, perfectly balanced, and the hammer never flew off. Hammers were divided into two classes—1st, Maydole's; 2d, all the rest. Plasters are separated by the same line of cleavage; 1st, Bonson's Plaster; 2d, all the rest. When, for rheumatic pain, a cold, a rough, swollen throat, or any other disease or ailment that may be treated externally, you ask for a plaster, any honest, reputable druggist will give you a Bonson's. He knows it is incomparably the best, and he assumes that you know it too. As the name of Maydole stands for hammers the name of Bonson stands for plasters—the 'real thing.' All the medicinal preparations that are valuable in a plaster are in Bonson's. Opiaculum, Strengthening and Belladonna plasters are out of date. An army of physicians and druggists, and millions of the people, have written of Bonson's Plaster as a remedy to be trusted. Bonson's Plaster have fifty-five Highest awards. Accept no substitute. For sale by all druggists, or we will prepare postage on any number ordered in the United States, on receipt of 25c. to Messrs. Seabury & Johnson, Mfg. Chemists, N. Y.

LOW RATES TO CALIFORNIA. On Tuesdays, April 15-23 and 30th, the Illinois and California, will carry second class colonist tickets, Manchester to San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego and Santa California, and Chicago points at a rate of Thirty Dollars. H. G. PIERCE, Agt.

Haven's Poultry Food is positive cure for chicken cholera, roup, grapes and all diseases of poultry. It regulates the bowels, blood and digestive organs; produces bone, muscle and larger fowl, and makes hens lay eggs in winter. Young chickens will grow rapidly free from disease. It increases production of eggs, prevents all disease and makes the large fowls.—For sale by W. A. Abbott, Drugs, Manchester, Iowa.

Masson Work. I am prepared to furnish estimates and guarantee satisfaction on all kinds of masson work. C. F. MILLER, Manchester, Iowa.