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ATE WITH A NIGGER.

President Roosevelt had a negro eat with him and it has stirred up the whole south. Now if President Roosevelt had had a negro cook his dinner and had that dinner served by a negro, with the negroes sweating and handling over the food, that would have been according to southern customs and all right; but to have a white cook and a white waiter behind him with the "nigger" on the opposite side of the table—that's awful.

Only, it is a little difficult for a northern man to discover how the southerner can have such a loathing for a nigger sitting across the table and such a regard for the negro who prepares and hands them their food, and who lives in their houses in the closest personal proximity. It is evident that it is not the color of the skin that makes the difference. White cooks, waiters, servants, and even persons occupying still lower positions in life have risen by their efforts and native talent to the highest positions politically and socially and the fact that they rose from lowly positions only gave them greater honor. A black man finds the road to the higher stations even harder than a white man, but when he achieves success like Booker Washington he deserves all the more honor. If not, why not? Of course there's a difference in negroes—but there is also a great difference in white people. The theory of the southerners seems to be that it is impossible for any person with a dark skin, or in fact with a trace of negro blood, to be a gentleman or lady, which in neither logical nor sensible.

JUD A FAILURE.

The Drayton Echo says that The Herald acknowledges that Mr. LaMoore "showed ability as a legislator," which is the very thing that The Herald did not and does not acknowledge. If there is any field of politics in which the Pembina man has been a failure it is that of legislation.—Grand Forks Herald.
Mr. LaMoore was a member of the territorial legislatures of 1872-1877-1881-1885, has been a senator in the North Dakota legislatures continuously since 1889; he has been president of the senate, has occupied state offices, and many minor district and municipal positions; is acknowledged to be one of the best parliamentarians in the state,—and yet the Herald says he has been a failure as a legislator. After nearly thirty years at the legislative school, superintendent Herald declares Jud to be a dunce.

But one of the strange things is, that the Herald should seem so frightened of this political and legislative failure. Anyone would think by the amount of space and abuse the Herald concedes Jud these days, that he really knew something. Either the Herald is wast-

ing a great deal of surplus powder on a weakling, or else its faulty utterances are after all an acknowledgement of what it above specifically denies.
What are you fighting, Mr. Herald—a stuffed figure or a man?

"PUBLICITY" AND THE TRUST.

It is said that some prominent financiers and so-called "trust magnates" who did not believe at all in the policy of publishing reports have been quite converted by the good results that followed the step taken by the Steel Corporation. The men who have the great industrial corporations in their hands may discover in the near future that the country is disposed to make a very sharp distinction between those on the one hand that dare to make public their financial and business conditions and methods, and those on the other hand that prefer to keep it in the dark. It is quite time that all these great companies should be setting their houses in order and making ready for the day when they will be expected to do business as systematically and correctly as any bank. The fact should not be overlooked that one branch of Congress has already voted in favor of an amendment to the Constitution extending the power of the national government to include the regulation of corporations; and it might be found that the Senate would also favor such a plan. An amendment to the Constitution requires a two-third majority in each House of Congress and subsequent ratification by three fourths of the States. Legislation would have to follow to give practical effect to an amendment, and thus several years would be required before the national regulation of corporations could come about through such a process. But in any case those corporations will be in the best position that not only have little to conceal, but that are quite ready of their own accord to disclose their financial condition periodically to all whom it may concern.—From "The Progress of the world," in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for November.

North Dakota is to be congratulated upon the record given it as the healthiest state in the Union by the statistics compiled by the marine hospital service for the 1,190 cities or towns or more each. The annual mortality per 1,000 for all the cities and towns enumerated was 16.87—but for the North Dakota towns the rate was only 6.95 per 1,000. No wonder the vigorous young north state is attracting immigration in such large volume when it promises to inhabitants long life, good health and unbounded prosperity.—Minneapolis Tribune.

E. H. Kent and Jos. Scanlan are announced as preparing to launch a North Dakota weekly to be called the Review. It will be literary, political and news—and probably musical—in temperament. Both the gentlemen are newspaper men and can be depended upon to say something, when occasion requires. The Pioneer Express gives its good wishes.

The newspaper folks are talking of John M. Cochran for the supreme bench. We always did like Mr. C. and know of no one who could fill the position better, but should he be promoted, who would deliver the biennial oration for the dead Caesars of Grand Forks county.

Ardock Standard moved over to Park River where it is somewhat sandy and becomes the Park River Grit. Hope Messrs Milne & Gallespie will be able to scratch out success.

Marriage Licenses.

Herbert T. Bailey, QuAppelle, Man. to Nettie Pritham, of Winnipeg.
Chas. E. Hood of Drayton to Miss Barbara V. Anderson, of Leyden.
Stefan Thomsson of Halsion to Asthildur Sturlanson of Akra.
Robert Lillico of Walhalla, to Emma Vane, of Leyden.
William Clover of Beauieu, to Lizzie Lillico of Walhalla.
George Gregoire to Emma, Galipeau, both of Backoo.
William J. Wearing to Clara Prior, both of Hamilton.
William E. Bingham to Mary Jane Westall, both of Crystal.
Benjamin J. Churchill to Maud C. Bride both of Glasston.
August Goslin to Josephine Bartlette both of St. Vincent.
Zephyr Trudell to Lula Peterson both of Pembina.
John B. Johnson, of Gardar to Lilja F. Bjornson, of Akra.

Sid, Darling, 1012 Howard St. Port Huron Mich. writes: "I have tried many pills and laxatives but DeWitt's Little Early Risers are far the best pills I have ever used. They never grip.

IN COUNTY COURT.

HON. J. D. WALLACE, Judge.

Report of sale of land, estate of Cassie E. Joy.
Hearing of report of sale of land, estate of N. Karles.
Petition to establish heirship, estate Julius Danielson.
Petition for license to sell real estate, estate Alex. LaRoque.
Letters of guardianship filed in matter of Otto W. Stark, minor.
Hearing petition for sale of land, estate Thomas Gourley, deceased.
Petition for letters administration, estate Amelia E. Thompson.
Notice and hearing final account and distribution, estate George Shepherd.
Report of sale, real estate by J. W. Watts administrator, Nicholas Karles's estate.
Petition for setting aside homestead, etc., for use of family, estate of A. Almas.

Same citation and order in guardianship of Matilda and Laura Dangerfield, minors.

Petition for letters of administration and citation for hearing filed in estate of John Freeman.

Citation for appointment of administrator and order filed for hearing, estate Jas. T. A. Dangerfield.

Citation, notice, and order hearing proof of will and petition for probate of will, estate James McConnell.

A Village Blacksmith Saved His Little Son's Life.

Mr. H. H. Black, the well-known village blacksmith at Grahamsville, Sullivan Co. N. Y., says: "Our little son, five years old, has always been subject to croup, and so bad have the attacks been that we have feared many times that he would die. We have had the doctor and used many medicines, but Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is now our sole reliance. It seems to dissolve the tough mucus and by giving frequent doses when the croupy symptoms appear we have found that the dreaded croup is cured before it gets settled." There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains no opium or other injurious drugs and may be given as confidently to a babe as to an adult. For sale by T. R. Shaw.

SKIMMINGS FROM COUNTY PAPERS.

L. P. Strong & Co. edit the first page of the Chronotype with land news..... John Shepard sold a half section near St. Thomas to Alva Van Camp for \$12,000 which the Times thinks is the highest price yet..... John Kimble who is partner with E. H. Restameyer of Cavalier, in threshing, had his arm caught in the machinery and broken in four places and several ribs were also broken. His condition was precarious for a while but he is improving..... J. D. Vallentyne of Hamilton, is thinking of visiting Cuba soon..... Mrs. Lembcke is very low with cancer at Hamilton..... Threshing is about done near Hamilton..... The Independent says landlord Renand keeps a good house and is making a financial success..... Alex Dodds of Coulee Bend farm of 160 acres had gross receipts of over \$2,000 this year, \$1942.11 was the cash for grain. Query, what is the cash value of that 160 acres?..... Hamilton has a literary society, O. H. Johnson is a principal member—and the debates are interesting..... Dr. Hood of Drayton married Miss Barbara Anderson, of Leyden..... Mrs. M. Brynjolsson of Cavalier, who has been seriously ill is improving..... Attorney Coger of Crystal who was candidate for states attorney on the democratic ticket has removed to Rugby..... Dr. H. H. Healey formerly of Drayton and son-in-law of Judge J. D. Wallace of this city, who has been practicing at Michigan City this state, has moved to Grand Forks..... Austin Hillier of Crystal was married to Mrs. Mary Johnston of Inkster and will reside at Inkster.

To remove a troublesome corn or bunion: First soak the corn or bunion in warm water to soften it, then pare it down as closely as possible without drawing blood and apply Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice daily; rubbing vigorously for five minutes at each application. A corn plaster should be worn for a few days, to protect it from the shoe. As a general liniment for sprains, bruises, lameness and rheumatism, Pain Balm is unequalled. For sale by T. R. Shaw.

A trial will convince you that the Majestic Flour made by the Bathgate Roller Mills has no equal. For sale at F. A. Feldman's.

A GOOD JAG ON.

The steamer Grand Forks came in yesterday afternoon from the north with five barges of wheat from Drayton and Canning, containing in all 27,000 bushels. This is one of the largest, if not the largest load that has been towed to the city this season. The steamers are making the runs as rapidly as possible this season, as there is more work to be done than can be finished before it freezes up and navigation is closed for the winter. The elevator owners along the river are anxious to get their houses cleared this fall in order to handle the grain that comes in during the winter months.—Grand Forks Herald.

Asleep Amid Flames.

Breaking into a blazing home, some firemen lately dragged the sleeping inmates from death. Fancied security, and death near. It's that way when you neglect coughs and colds. Don't do it. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption gives perfect protection against all Throat, Chest and Lung Troubles. Keep it near and avoid, suffering, death and doctor's bills. A teaspoonful stops a late cough, persistent use, the most stubborn. Harmless and nice tasting. It's guaranteed to satisfy by T. R. Shaw. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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A Startling Surprise.

Very few could believe in looking at A. T. Hoadley, a healthy, robust blacksmith of Tilden, Ind., that for ten years he suffered such tortures from Rheumatism as few could endure and live. But a wonderful change followed his taking Electric Bitters. "Two bottles wholly cured me," he writes, "and I have not felt a twinge in over a year." They regulate the Kidneys, purify the blood and cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Nervousness, improve digestion and give perfect health. Try them. Only 50 cts. at T. R. Shaw's drug store.

Bathgate Flour for sale at F. A. Feldman's.

To E. D. Booker and all others interested. You are hereby notified that the following described lands and premises, to-wit: Lot two (2), in section twenty-two (22), in township one hundred and sixty-three (163), Range fifty-one (51), on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1898, duly sold for taxes for the sum of two (2) dollars and 33 cents. That the time when the redemption period will expire for said land is the 1st day of January, A. D. 1902, and that the amount required to redeem said land is six (6) dollars and 11 cents. If said lands being situate in the county of Pembina, State of North Dakota. If you fail to redeem the same within ninety days from the date of this notice a Tax Deed for the above described land will be issued and delivered to the holder of the Tax Certificate. Dated at Pembina, North Dakota, this 16th day of Oct., A. D., 1901. PAUL WILLIAMS, Auditor of Pembina County, N. D.

U. S. LAND OFFICE AT Grand Forks N. D., Oct. 14, 1901. Notice is hereby given pursuant to instructions and in accordance with the directions of the Secretary of the Interior, under the provisions of the third section of the act of July 5, 1884 (23 Stat., 103) that the unpatented lands on the Fort Pembina abandoned military reservation, North Dakota, as well as the lands therein, consisting 1929 acres, described as follows: 1. 2. 3. Sec. 15, lots 1 and 2, S 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 SE 1/4 and SW quarter of Sec. 16, and 1/2 of section 17 and 1/2 of Sec. 18, T. 51 N., R. 51 W., will be offered at public sale at the office on the 22nd day of April, 1902, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., to the highest bidder, at not less than the appraised value thereof, the purchase money to be paid at the time of the sale. The buildings will be sold separately from the lands. BANNER H. KEAY, CHRISTIAN L. LINDSTROM, Register. Approved: E. A. HITCHCOCK, Secretary.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, GRAND FORKS N. D., October 15th, 1901. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before E. W. Conroy, U. S. Commissioner for the district of North Dakota, at his office in Pembina, on November 25th, 1901, viz: William C. Green, Timber Curing Entry, for ac. sec. 5, twp. 161, range 51, in Pembina county, North Dakota. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence and cultivation of said land, viz: John S. Murphy, W. E. Collins, J. L. Parvian, J. H. Murphy, all of Joliette, F. D. E. H. KEAY, Register.

Notice of Chattel Mortgage Sale. Whereas, One John F. Brewer, did on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1901, make his certain chattel mortgage of the following described chattels, to-wit: One 36x60 Masillon Separator, number 19145, together with truck and Stacker and all the appurtenances belonging to the same One 6. x x 10x10, Russell Engine complete number 9794, with 150 feet of 8 inch rubber belt, One cook shack 8x16, with trucks, Two water tanks, and One tank pump outfit complete, to Russell & Co., to secure the payment of two promissory notes, one for \$700.00, dated September 14th, 1901, and due October 15th, 1901, with interest and one note dated September 14th, 1901, and due October 15th, 1901, with interest, and where as, said Mortgage was regularly assigned by Russell & Co. to Francis DeFoe, which assignment was duly filed in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pembina county, N. D., on the 28th day of October, A. D. 1901, and where as default has been made in the terms of said Mortgage in this to-wit: That the said John F. Brewer, has failed to pay said notes, dated September 14th, 1901, and due October 15th, 1901, or any portion thereof the same being now past due, and the said John F. Brewer has departed from this State with intent to defraud his creditors and to avoid payment of his debts, and the said Francis DeFoe the assignee of said Mortgage, claiming the said debt unsafe and insecure and that there is now actually due at this date on said Mortgage, by virtue of said default the sum of \$2026.25 and costs of this foreclosure. Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said Mortgage and the assignment thereof, and by order of Francis DeFoe, assignee of said Mortgage, and the present owner thereof, I will sell the above described chattels at the front door of the post office in the city of Pembina, N. D., at the hour of 10 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, Nov. 9th, 1901. FRANCIS DEFOE Assignee of Mortgage. By QUACKENBUSH & HART, Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgage. Dated at Pembina, North Dakota, October 30th, A. D. 1901.

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