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"The Injury of one is the Concern of all."

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If you want a real good joy ride this editor advises you to get on "the kears" at Gettysburg and take a trip to Pierre. He returned Monday evening from another visit there, consequently he knows whereof he speaks. Even at this "melancholy" period of the year there is much to make a visit worth while; and especially, you should visit there while the Legislature is in session. Each visit we make we find the grounds around the State Capitol enlarged and beautified, while "Capitol Lake" sets like a jewel in the diadem of the Ship of State. With a minimum of expense, it is worth while for anyone to visit the capitol building with its marbled columns, magnificent dome, treasures of art, history, literature etc, all to be seen free of charge.

Included in our visit, was a trip to Capa, where the hot water from the artesian well heats up the railroad depot, being the hottest artesian water in the state. J.E. and R.K. were all in usual health and circumstances and Al. has got a new renter in his hotel. Grandma was as well as usual, considering her age which is eightysix

As a member of the last two sessions of the So. Dakota Legislature, F. B. Patterson, who is a candidate for re-election, was a "live wire," originating some valuable legislation, which became laws. One of these was the act reimbursing the different school districts for the school tax on land owned by the State. There are several thousand acres of this land in Potter county, that in the Forest City school district amounting to 5000 acres. On this account, this district is receiving annually not less than $196.99 to put into her treasury, as a result of Mr. Patterson's interest in school affairs. Two other districts in the county each received, in 1916, a still larger amount, the total sum appropriated by the legislature for the State, for said year, being $15,000.00.—*Adv.*

"The Great Conspiracy of the House of Morgan Exposed" and a practical plan to prevent its consummation, is a new book just off the Press, by H.L. Loucks, Watertown South Dakota.

In view of the recent legislation changing our financial system from Government money to that of national bank credits, the confering on a small group of men the special privilege of a monopoly, for private profit, of the constitutional power to issue and control the money of the nation, and to charge such rates of interest for the use of money or credit, as will satisfy the demands of private monopoly, the study is a timely one.

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Norval Blair, of Fairbank-twp, Sully county, passed away on the seventh inst at the age of 101. He was one of the pioneer settlers of western Sully, followed by several other colored families. He leaves three sons and four daughters.

VISIT FROM THE MANDAN

Spends Two Nights and Day in Forest City

The snagboat Mandan was a pleasant visitor at this port again, after a long absence, arriving here Saturday evening and remaining till Monday, in command of Captain Charlesworth. Near Swift Bird camp something happened to the machinery, so that she had to drift down. While here repairs and instructions were telegraphed for, and she was ordered to report at Pierre, which point she had to also make by drifting. A large number of people had the pleasure of inspecting her, including several from Gettysburg

The Sioux City Journal contains the following Marine news:

"The Mandan will be placed in dry dock at the government harbor on the Big Sioux river at North Riverside this winter.

The snagboat McPherson commanded by Capt. J. Fred Farris, will take a barge up to Elk Point and snag the river on its return trip south to Kansas City. The vessel will be quartered this winter in the new government harbor near St. Joseph, Mo.

The Elk Point made a trip down stream to Decatur, Neb. The boat will be quartered at North Riverside this winter."

POPULAR GOVERNMENT IS OVERTHROWN IN SOUTH DAKOTA!

Shall the People Rule?

Officialdom has repealed the Richards primary law which the people adopted by the direct vote in 1912, and which the people, themselves refused to repeal by a second vote in 1914. The 1915 legislature, nevertheless, repealed it and also attached the emergency clause to prevent the people from referring this act of the legislature to a vote.

The politicians do not want the Richards law. They want the secret spoils system for the few, in place of the open merit system for everybody. They want the present confused ballot. They do not want issues discussed so the people can hear both sides before they vote as is provided in the Richards law.

The people have therefore again petitioned for the Richards law in amended form to be voted on at November election. Vote "YES" and put it back to give it a fair trial, and let officialdom know that "Under God the People Rule" in South Dakota.—(Adv.)

Announcement to the Voters

I am a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Potter county at the polls November 7th. I am making an effort to see every voter in the county, but will find it impossible to see some of you, some not being at home when I called. I have no sympathy or hard times talk to put up, but am asking for this office in a business way and on business principles, and your support will be appreciated on these grounds.

E. Newland.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Wollesen of Capa. at St. Mary's Hospital, Pierre S. D., Oct. 12 1916 a son. Mrs. Wollesen is the oldest daughter of Ye Editor's brother J.E. Thorne of Capa, and said editor improved the oppertunity to make obeisance to the newcomer while visiting in Pierre Sunday

AGENCY RIFFLES

Mrs. F. C. Campbell and son Fred left for their home at Flint, Montana, Tuesday via Pierre

Dr. Riggs accompanied by an eye specialist was up from Pierre Saturday to assist in some operations at the Hospital

Supt C.J. Crandell and Supervisor Rosencrans accompanied Supt Campbell home from Pierre Tuesday. On his return Mr Crandell took with him Joseph and Louise Houck and Louise Fisherman who will remain to attend the Pierre Indian school

Miss Lillie Wagner returned from Forest City, Iowa, Friday, where she has spent the last four years. Mr. and Mrs. Geo Comeau went over to Gettysburg after her and had her as their guest for a few days

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Register of Deeds.

I hereby announce to the voters of the county that I am the Republican candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Potter county. If elected I will give the office the value of my thirty years experience of county work and endeavor to handle all business in a manner satisfactory to the public. Your support and interest is cordially invited at the polls November 7th. E. Newland.

For Representative

I hereby announce that I am Candidate for Representative of the State Legislature and will appreciate any support from the citizens of Potter County and voters at the polls Nov. 7th.

W. O. Huffman.

For Representative:

I am a candidate on the Republican ticket for re-election to the legislature. I would like to serve another term, and if you feel that I have given you good service I will appreciate your support the 7th of November at the polls.

F. B. Patterson.

Strayed—on or about Oct. 1st 1916, grey mare shod all around Branded M L on left thigh

H. D. Mesick.

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5. Because laws affecting home are voted on in every session of the legislature.
6. Because women have experience which would be helpful to legislation
7. Because to deprive women of the vote is to lower their position in common estimation.
8. Because having the vote would increase the sense of responsibility among women toward questions of public importance.
10. Because hundreds of thousands of thoughtful intelligent, hard-working women want the vote.
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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of September, 1916.

(Seal) John Campbell, Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec. 18, 1918.

The Mysterious Nightingale.

The nightingale is the most mysterious of birds. No one has yet been able to discover why it favors districts and shuns others, and no one yet has ever succeeded in inducing it to settle in places it dislikes. Sir John Sinclair, about a century ago, tried to introduce it in Scotland. With this end he procured at great expense a large number of nightingales' eggs, which were packed in wool and sent north, where they were put into robin redbreasts' nests. Their foster parents looked after them well, they were hatched and flew about, and at the usual time they migrated. But they never returned, as birds usually do, to the land of their birth.—London Mirror.

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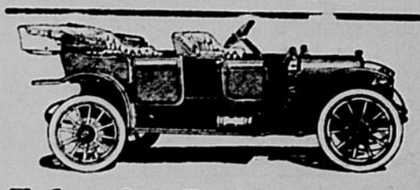

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