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FIRST DAM.—Brown Rose (trial 2:16) by Brown Hal (2:12 p. 2) by Tom Hal by Kittrel's Tom Hal by Clark's Tom Hal by Old Bald Stockings.

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Greyhound is Speediest.

Ernest Thompson of Manitoba, has been making some investigations on the speed of animals, that he reports to the Field, and arrives at some unexpected results. One of them is that animals generally are not as speedy as believed, but are usually very quick in getting up full speed. Their "muzzle" velocity is indeed a matter of life and death, for most predaceous creatures, especially the cats, give up the chase at once if they fail on the first dash.

The method was by observations on railroad trains and motor cars, the speed of which could be known and used for comparison.
It was found, for example, that the best speed of a horse was at a rate of 35 miles an hour, but the example chosen was an exceptional one and in the table printed a rate of 32 miles an hour was chosen as being within the capabilities of many horses. The best speed of man is 100 yards in nine and three-fifths seconds, a rate of a little over 21 miles an hour. For one mile a man has run at a rate of four minutes, twelve and three-quarter seconds for the mile, a rate of 14 miles an hour.

The following table of best speeds for a mile per hour:

	Miles.
First class greyhound	34
Race horse	32
Prong horned antelope	30
Texas jack rabbit	28
Common fox	26
Northern coyote	24
Fox hound	22
American gray wolf	25

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Why suffer from rheumatism when one application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm will relieve the pain? The quick relief which this liniment affords makes rest and sleep possible, and that alone is worth many times its cost. Many who have used it hoping only for a short relief from suffering have been happily surprised to find that after awhile the relief became permanent. Mrs. V. H. Leggett of Yum Yum, Tenn., writes: "I am a great sufferer from rheumatism, all over from head to foot, and Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the only thing that will relieve the pain." For sale at Central Drug Store.

Excursion Rates!
1. On account of the Lewis & Clark Centennial Exposition, Portland, Ore., June 1 to Oct. 15, will sell ticket from Miami and return for \$51.40. Also same rate to Seattle, Tacoma, Bellingham and Everett, Washington; or Victoria and Vancouver, B. C. Sale of tickets May 23 and on special dates through the months of June, July, August and September.
2. Woman's General Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian Church, Albany, Ore., June 6. Rate from Miami and return \$63.40. Date of sale of tickets same as above item.
3. National Woman Suffrage Association, Portland, Ore., June 29 to July 5. Rate from Miami and return \$55.05. Destination San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal. Date of sale of tickets April 10 and on various dates up to October 15.
4. American Library Association, Portland, Ore., July 2 to 7. Rate \$67.52 from Miami and return. Destination Los Angeles and San Diego, Cal. Date of sale of tickets same as item 1.
5. American Medical Association, Portland, Ore., July 11 to 14. Rate \$61.05 from Miami and return. Destination Los Angeles and San Diego, Cal. Date of sale of tickets same as item 1.
On all items above limit of return is ninety days from date of sale of tickets, but in no event not later than Nov. 30.
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Glass Brick Houses.

People may now live in glass houses without fear of the throwers of stones, according to a group of consular reports just issued by the Department of Commerce. The making of glass bricks for building as well as paving has become a recognized European industry.

As usual, the Germans have carried the invention further than anybody else. In Hamburg glass walls are erected where light is needed, yet where by police regulations walls must be both windowless and fire-proof. Three firms make such bricks in Eastern Germany. These bricks are translucent, admitting light but permitting no view of the interior. They are damp-proof, impervious to acid fumes and harbor no disease germs. A glass house frequently sluiced down with water from a hose should be very healthy. It would never burn and is proof against defective electric wires.—New York world.

An Evidence of intent to Murder.

There may have been behind the Hempstead tragedy either politics or prohibition, but the direct cause was simply that neighbors went to a public meeting armed to the teeth. If they did not intend to kill, why go armed? It is the pistol habit that first needs curbing. Without weapons the worst of crimes, like taking of human life will not occur.—Dallas News.

To The Farmers of Miami and Vicinity.

We will pay \$1.00 or more if the market will stand it for castor beans delivered at Canadian, Texas, for the fall of 1905, in cash. You have two weeks time yet to plant these beans in. We have the seed here for you if you want it.

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Leniency for Women.

Few cases of a criminal nature in recent years have attracted such attention as that of Nan Paterson, the New York girl, who has been on trail for the murder of Cesar Young, a gambler, the jury being unable to agree, being the second disagreement. And yet it was not an unusual case. Nan Paterson had been the mistress of this man Young, and he was minded to put her aside, and she shot him. No reasonable person doubts it, but when it came to the point of saying that she should be punished for it, twenty-four men have failed to say that it should be done, and it is hardly likely that she will be tried again, for if the strong fight made in this instance she could not be convicted, it is doubtful if she ever can be, which is another proof that the sympathy of the world is generally with the woman, right or wrong. Many men try to make us believe that they are in for exact justice, but every time they are put to the exact test they fail to prove themselves out. Where they can have the opportunity to hang a woman and prove their claims of stern justice, they disagree, and the woman is free. And it is a good thing that it is so, for with the power of man, it would be hard sledding for woman if it were not so. The woman gets the worst of it in all matters where sex rules, and nature was wise when she ordained that the natural sentiment should be in her favor.—Amarillo Herald.

Earned His Pay.

The late "Manny" Friend thus described one phase of the law's mysterious workings:
"The counsel for the defense told me this story long after the case was forgotten. A man was on trial for murder in a small Western city. Testimony of the most incontrovertible and damaging sort was piling up against the accused. Despairingly the prisoner's counsel made his closing speech; in growing misery he listened while the prosecution went sauntering his fragile fabric of defense and while the judge 'summed up' strongly against his client.
"As the jury filed out the verdict

of 'murder in first degree' seemed stamped on their faces. The prisoner's counsel managed to whisper to the foreman in passing.—
"Five hundred dollars if you make it 'manslaughter!'"

"For two interminable hours the jury remained closeted. At last they filed in and the foreman glibly handed up the desired 'manslaughter' verdict.

"I tell you!" exclaimed the foreman, later, as he pocketed the defence's five hundred dollars, "I had a lot of trouble earning that cash. The other eleven all 'held out for acquittal, and it was a couple of hours before I could talk them around to 'manslaughter!'"—May Lippincott's

New Local Option Law.

Following are some of the provisions of the new local option law which goes into effect July 14th:

First. Agents are forbidden to solicit "orders for any intoxicating liquor in any county, or subdivision of a county, justice precinct, city or town, in this state, in which the sale of intoxicating liquors has been prohibited by law."

Second. Liquor houses shipping intoxicating liquors by express are required to label their goods plainly, and in case the goods are not taken from the express office by the consignee within seven days after receipt at the point of destination, the local agent is required to return the goods to the liquor house.

Third. Proprietors or employees of cold storages in local option districts are prohibited from permitting liquors, wines or any other intoxicants to be drunk on their premises.

Fourth. Judges are prohibited from issuing injunctions in cases out side of their jurisdiction, except in cases where good reasons can be shown why injunction proceeding cannot be had before the judge presiding over the district in which the case arises, such as that the last named judge is sick, out of the district, refuses to act, or that such judge is disqualified to act upon the case, which disqualification must be fully set forth in the application or petition.

A Louisiana Goliath.

The little town of Branch, in Lafayette parish near the Arcadia line, has a strong man named David Spell who ought to have been named Goliath Spell on account of his size, Hector Spell on account of his prowess, and "Her-Name-Was-Maud" Spell on account of the punch he carries up his sleeve.

David Spell is a deputy sheriff of Lafayette, twenty-four years old, 230 pounds in weight, six feet four in his socks, without an ounce of superfluous flesh on his bones, and he can whip his weight in Mexican tigers. That's not all he can do. He can deliver a punch with his mighty right that would make James J. Jeffries look like a consumptive who couldn't punch a hole in an axle grease box with a crowbar. Jeffries, who is king of all swatters can make the indicator on a punching machine register 1103 pounds. This Lafayette youngster's right, when it is launched against the pad weighs 1190 pounds.

The czar of Russia alone owns 30,000,000 acres of Russian land, and the grand dukes own other millions of acres. No wonder the moujiks are clamoring for allotment and to have their taxes remitted.—Atlas Constitution.

I look on this New Woman movement with 'epicion. The Old Woman was so blamed much better'n I be that if their goin' to improve her I'm 'fraid she'll git out o' my speer.—Bijah.

How to Ward Off Old Age.

The most successful way of warding off the approach of old age is to maintain a vigorous digestion. This can be done by eating only food suited to your age and occupation, and when any disorder of the stomach appears take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to correct it. If you have a weak stomach or are troubled with indigestion, you will find these Tablets to be just what you need. For sale at Central Drug Store.

Gianesville is to have electric street cars.

Col. Geo. Breckenridge gave San Antonio a thirty acre park.

A cyclone struck Snyder, Okla., Wednesday, killing 100 people.

Washington Duke, the founder of the great Duke tobacco plant, is dead.

Heavy rains and hail have badly damaged the crops over the greater portion of Texas.

Twenty-four dead is the result of a cyclone which visited Marquette, Kansas, Monday night.

The pastors of the various churches in Ft. Worth pass a resolution in disapproval of the Elks as an organization.

On his return to Washington Pres. Roosevelt gives out a statement at Omaha that he will not accept another term.

A country doctor having a live infant in a grip was arrested at Beaumont. He was hunting a home for it to hide the shame of its unmarried mother. He was fined \$100.

Attorney Limberger will assist in the defense of Nan Paterson. It would be impossible to add to the odor of the case but the new attorney may add strength to his side.—Atlanta Constitution.

From China an imperial edict is issued abolishing the practice of slicing condemned men to death and prohibiting the exposing to the public gaze of the decapitated heads of those who are executed and against the branding of the living as a penalty of crime.

Pat Crowe, who kidnapped Millionaire Cudahy's boy and got fifty thousand dollars ransom four years ago, returned to Omaha and asked for terms of surrender. But Cudahy's statement that the case would be vigorously prosecuted caused foxy Pat to hie out again.

Richmond P. Hobson, who won fame by sinking a coal ship across the mouth of Santiago harbor in 1898 and preserved his fame by promiscuous osculation later, is to be married to Miss Grizelda Houston Hull of New York. The space-writer proudly tells us that it will be the union of some of the best blood of the North and South.—Ex.

A rather singular coincident is said to exist at the town of Albany, Texas. The pastor of the Methodist church is named Brown, of the Presbyterian church is named Brown, the pastor of the Christian church is named Brown and the pastor of the Baptist church is named Brown. The negroes have a church and a pastor, and his name is Brown.—Seymour Banner.

ABOUT WOMEN.

Woman is the masterpiece.—Con fucius.

Women and music should never be dated.—Goldsmith.

Women always speak the truth, but not the whole truth.

Love is a bird that sings in the heart of a woman.—Karr.

There is a woman at the beginning of a great thing.—Damarine.

A woman is easily governed if a man takes her hand.—La Bruyere.

The sweetest thing in life is the unclouded welcome of a wife.—N. P. Willis.

A woman is like your shadow; fol low her, she flies; fly from her, she follows.

Love lessens the woman's refinement and strengthens the man's.—Richter.

Women are a new race recreated since the world received Christianity.—Becher.

Woman's happiness is in obeying. She objects to men who abdicate too much.—Michelet.—London Answers.

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MIAMI, TEXAS.

Waxahachie has let the contract for a steel bridge across Waxahachie Creek to have a sixty foot span and to cost \$1,400.

Hod carriers of Brooklyn are striking for an eight-hour day and \$3.00 for brick mason's carriers and \$3.50 for plasterers' carriers.

Col. E. H. R. Green is down on the coast at Galveston "trying out" his new automobiles and is splitting the wind in 56 seconds to the mile and less.

About seventy arrests were made in Denison Saturday by the sheriff's force, for violation of the local option laws. All club houses are affected.

Sam Hamilton, aged twenty, was arrested at Tyler and will be taken to Corsicana on a charge of swearing falsely in procuring a marriage license.

C. B. Wharton, 45 years of age, a mounted mail carrier, dropped dead of heart disease. He was an old resident of Shawnee and a widower with five children.

J. V. Fowler, late of California, will on June 1 have completed a furniture factory in Sherman with a minimum employing capacity of sixteen skilled mechanics.

The Proprietary Association of America, composed of the patent medicine manufacturers of America held a two days annual session in New York last week.

The Fitzhugh Lee Monument Association was formerly organized at Richmond Friday. Its object is to erect a monument to Gen. Lee in Richmond.

In a few minutes after securing a divorce from J. S. Shelton, Jennie Shelton was married to C. A. Baumgarten and was on her way to her new home at Denison.

Major Ralph Dunning, who entered the engineering department of the United States Army when Andrew Jackson was president, is dead at the age of ninety-four.

Trinity University, at Waxahachie has been the recipient of numerous gifts lately. The commencement sermon will be preached May 14, by Rev. J. W. Caldwell, of Fort Worth.

McKinney will have an applicant for the position of bank examiner under the new law in the person of Fred Emerson, assistant cashier of the First National Bank of McKinney.

The First National Bank of Valley View has been organized with \$25,000 capital stock, electing the following officers: H. P. Head, president; J. R. Wells, vice president; Richard H. E. Cash, cashier.

George Paekenschmidt, known as the Russian Lion, won from Tom Jenkins in their wrestling match for the world's catch-as-catch-can championship at Madison Square Garden, New York, in two straight falls.

Official reports from twenty of the principal cities for April show that permits were taken out for construction of 9160 buildings, involving \$40,993,399, against 8577 buildings involving an aggregate cost of \$32,442,963 for the corresponding month a year ago.

The jury in the case of John Collier, the negro charged with the murder of Miss Belle Bloodworth, at Decatur, Ala., returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree and fixed his punishment at death.

It is learned that among those indicted by the federal grand jury for whitecapping in Mississippi are D. P. Butler, member of the legislature for Franklin county. He is the second member of the legislature to be indicted for this offense.

Ex-Governor Alvin Hawkins of Tennessee died last Thursday morning at the ripe age of 83 years. He was recovering from an attack of pneumonia when he had a relapse and succumbed to the disease.

Three deaths from cerebro spinal meningitis have occurred within the space of three hours at Bellevue hospital, New York. Four other fatalities were reported to the board of health by city physicians during the past few days.

A severe thunder storm and wind storm swept over St. Louis and vicinity Thursday night which resulted in the death of two persons and the injury of eight and considerable damage to property.

Fever ticks have been found by the inspectors already this year in the counties of Greer, Cleveland and Portawatomie, Ok. In all instances the pastures have been quarantined and the owners given notice to graze the cattle immediately.

Mrs. Nettie Cravens, who claimed to be the common law wife of Senator Fair of California, is dead at the Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, hospital. She was carried to the asylum suffering from insanity.

John Baird, father of Mrs. William J. Bryan, died at the Bryan home near Lincoln, Neb. He was eighty-two years of age and had been falling steadily for several years. Mr. Baird came to Nebraska about the time the Bryan came, and was from Salem, Ill.

ALL OVER TEXAS.

The Grand Council of United Commercial Travelers in America will hold its annual meeting in San Antonio on May 12.

Waco is undergoing an epidemic of measles. The disease is in a mild form, but has already interfered with the schools.

The Physio-Medical College of Dallas has bought the three story brick and masonry frame buildings of Dallas Business College.

Brownwood, which otherwise has been entitled to free delivery, has commenced improving sidewalks and numbering her houses preparatory to asking for this service.

Moses Davis, of Austin, has entered suit against the Houston and Texas Central Railroad for damages done his property by the trains passing to near with noise and dirt.

The Krupp armament factories at Essen, Germany has increased its working force from 24,000 to 20,000 men in order to keep up with the demand for implements of war.

Baron des Planches' special train struck Seth Manning, a farmer, between Northam and Mexia, knocking him from the track, crushing one shoulder and injuring him internally.

A party in St. Louis has written Mayor of Brownwood regarding the location of a hotel there, providing the citizens will donate a suitable location. The proposed hotel is to cost \$100,000.

Joe Shinders, a negro, shot Emma Richardson, a negro, in the Gulf Shore Railroad yards at San Antonio Friday night, inflicting fatal wounds. He then sent a bullet through his own heart.

Not much attention is being paid by the doctors and midwives of Travis County to the law passed by the Twenty-Eighth Legislature, requiring the filing of deaths and births with the county clerk.

Joseph M. Shoemaker of Bonham, Tex., was found dead in his room at Vela hotel Thursday. Justice F. H. Dahols held an inquest and rendered a verdict that death was caused by consumption.

The contract for the Y. M. C. A. building at Waco was let to H. W. Hubby for \$25,000, there being three other bidders. The building will be of a beautiful gray brick, three stories high and appropriately trimmed.

Will Wall was arrested at Waco, the charge being that he had stolen two roosters and hypohatched one of them for a glass of beer. The officers say that this was the way they located Wall, as he traded the rooster for beer.

J. W. Riggins, of Waco, who has made some money out of potatoes in the past few years, believes the present crop has been damaged seriously by rot, and that the marketable value will be impaired a good deal this time.

Bertha de Mar, a 14-year-old negro girl, died at the home of her mother in Beaumont Friday morning in great agony, apparently from the effects of strychnine poisoning. The girl went out to a park Thursday night, where she spent the evening drinking and dancing.

Mrs. Alice Webb Duke, who created a sensation in the tobacco district of South Texas something like a year ago by her interest in this new industry, and who became involved in the Eastern courts, and was finally divorced from Brodie L. Duke, spent several days in Dallas last week.

Major Stanford, a negro porter of El Paso, was found on the railroad track west of El Paso in a terribly mangled condition. It is supposed that the man was mangled before being placed on the track by his assailant.

Governor Lanham has affixed his signature to the Hancock anti-pool bill. This act prohibits betting on any horse race except such as are run within an enclosed track.

Terrill is in the throes of an anti-gambling crusade.

The attorneys of Burrill Oates, charged with the murder of Sol Aronoff, have filed with Judge Muse of the Criminal district court formal notice that they expected to make a motion for a new trial.

From all indications the movement that has been on foot in Dallas for several months among the Salvation Army workers of that city for the erection of an army building to cost about \$40,000, will soon assume some definite plan.

H. H. Cash was fined \$50 for contempt of court for selling a scapery ticket during the carnival at San Antonio after Judge Dwyer had issued restraining orders in an injunction case.

The Yoakum Creamery, a very Tuesday night, at a loss of \$2,000.

The parties prosecuted at Fort Worth for violation of the anti-trust laws through an ice combine promise to dissolve the company and be good if the attorney will drop the case.

The Twenty-Ninth Legislature allowed an appropriation of \$2,500 for a new addition to the hospital at the Confederate Home and the work of constructing the addition will begin shortly.

Col. J. L. Polk died at the residence of his son, J. M. Polk, last week at Palestine, aged 85 years. He was one of the early settlers of Anderson County and was a Confederate Veteran, having served in the quartermaster's department with the rank of Colonel.

LATE MARKET REPORT.

KANSAS CITY.
NATIVE STEERS..... 4 25 5 50
WHEAT—No. 2..... 91 92 93 94
CORN—No. 2..... 31 32 33 34
OATS—No. 2..... 21 22 23 24
HAY—Choice Timothy..... 12 13 14 15
BUTTER..... 23 24 25 26
EGGS..... 13 14 15 16

Chicago Live Stock.
GOOD TO PRIME STEERS..... 4 00 4 75
STOCKERS & FEEDERS..... 3 50 4 25
HEIFERS..... 3 25 4 00
COWS..... 3 00 3 75
HOGS..... 6 00 6 75

Chicago Cash Grain.
WHEAT—No. 2..... 91 92 93 94
CORN—No. 2..... 31 32 33 34
OATS—No. 2..... 21 22 23 24

St. Louis Live Stock.
BEEF STEERS..... 3 80 4 55
COWS & HEIFERS..... 3 50 4 25
TEXAS STEERS..... 3 75 4 50

Cotton.
LIVERPOOL..... 10 11 12 13
NEW YORK..... 10 11 12 13
GALVESTON..... 10 11 12 13

Chicago Futures.
WHEAT—One High Low Day V. Day
May..... 92 91 92 92 92 92
July..... 93 92 93 93 93 93
Sept..... 94 93 94 94 94 94

St. Louis Live Stock.
BEEF STEERS..... 3 80 4 55
COWS & HEIFERS..... 3 50 4 25
TEXAS STEERS..... 3 75 4 50

Wichita Live Stock.
COWS..... 3 25 4 00
HEIFERS..... 3 00 3 75
CALVES..... 2 75 3 50

LATEST NEWS IN BRIEF.

Emil Lefebvre, Sr., a noted importer of Belgian horses, is dead at Cedar Rapids, Ia., aged 70 years.

A Vienna newspaper says that Kubelik, the violinist, will soon become the owner of a string of race horses.

At Constantinople two naval officers, who recently at a ball were singing revolutionary songs, have been sentenced to two years in prison.

By a judgment of the supreme court of Prussia the old Boer law forbidding natives in the Transvaal to acquire land has been annulled.

In Rome the Observatore, organ of the Vatican, denied the report that negotiations are on foot with the view of Emperor Francis Joseph making a visit to Rome.

At Constantinople the Sultan has conferred on J. Pierpont Morgan the grand cordon of the Ottoman Order and presented him a vase from the imperial porcelain factory.

Vittorio Jaffa, an Italian anarchist, who was recently arrested in Cairo, charged with being an accomplice of Bresci, the Italian anarchist, who killed King Humbert, has started in custody for Italy.

At Tokio the complete tabulation shows that the fifth internal loan of \$50,000,000 was over-subscribed more than four times. The rate of issue was smaller than the early indications promised.

Dr. Wm. Hammond, a pioneer of San Francisco, is dead, aged 80 years. He was the uncle of John Hays Hammond and Wm. Hammond Hall. At the time of the Broderick trial he officiated as one of the surgeons.

Telegrams from Karlsruhe, where Emperor William arrived, describe him as much benefited from his Mediterranean trip. His naturally pale face has become really browned by exposure to the southern sun.

In London William A. Bass, nephew and heir of Lord Burton, has purchased C. D. Rose's stallion Cyllene for \$150,000. Cyllene is the sire of a Derby favorite, Cleero. Mr. Bass gave \$125,000 for R. S. Siever's Scepter in 1903.

Major General Shuvaloff, hitherto attached to the ministry of the interior, has been appointed prefect of police of Moscow in place of General Volkoff, who has been transferred to the governorship of Transcaucasia, southern Russia.

On the request of the San Francisco police, Edward J. Smith, a San Francisco collector who is said to be wanted to answer a charge of embezzling some \$62,000, was arrested at Union station in St. Louis. Night Chief of Police Gillespie stated that Smith admits his identity and announces his willingness to return to San Francisco without requisition papers.

Dr. Washington Gladden, moderator of the general council of Congregational churches of America, will leave Columbus, O. for the west on a two weeks trip during which he will visit a number of cities and address state Congregational meetings. In his talks Dr. Gladden will refrain from discussing the controversy of the Rockefeller gift to the board of missionaries.

In the Swedish chamber on April 5 a government bill was introduced fixing penalties for the declaration of strikes.

At Baltimore the British steamer Ormonde which went ashore near Watking Point, was floated and towed to a safe harbor.

The New York Cash store at 116-118 South Tejon street, in Colorado Springs, was damaged \$60,000 by fire and the building, a three story brick structure, was damaged about \$10,000. The loss is covered by insurance. About 35 clerks fled from the store in a panic when smoke began pouring up from the basement but there were no casualties.

In Philadelphia a freight train on the Reading and Philadelphia road crashed into a trolley car, killing an unknown woman and injuring three men, one seriously.

The rumors of the approaching return of General Kuropatkin from the front now seem to be definitely confirmed, and it is said that General Zaroubetoff, commander of the Fourth East Siberian corps, will succeed him. Failing health is assigned as the cause for Kuropatkin's coming back to St. Petersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hill, of Tuxedo Park, N. Y., announce the engagement of their daughter, Grizelda, to Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson, the wedding to occur at the home of the bride's parents May 25.

British Foxes Made Abroad.

The purchase of foreign fox cubs from importers of wild animals is attended with serious dangers. Wolves, jackals and such like creatures are easily mistaken, in the cub stage, for foxes, and now and then have been sold in England as veritable children of Brier-ox. This is the true explanation of those sensational outbreaks of sheep worrying during the past few years.—London Daily Mail.

Diamonds in Canada.

Dr. Ami, of the geological survey, says an Ottawa dispatch, believes that diamonds are hidden in that part of Canada between the great lakes and Hudson bay, and he warns surveying parties and explorers to be on the lookout for anything that will show traces of diamonds in that territory.

Aids to Longevity.

A man, 103 years of age, who has used tobacco and alcoholic drinks since boyhood and is still robust, says he has always carefully avoided danger—he has never ridden on a trolley car or elevated train, and never consulted a physician.—New York Times.

A Tale of Suffering.

—I could not sleep or rest in any place, says Florence Capen of this place in a recent interview, "I had a pain in my back and hips. If I sat down I could not get up out of my chair. I was in pain all the time. I got poor for I did not eat enough to keep a small child. I could not rest nights."

"Then I sent for a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and sent to taking them and what do you think, that very night I went to bed and I slept till morning. I got up and thanked God for the night's rest and Dodd's Kidney Pills. I know that Dodd's Kidney Pills are all that is claimed for them."

"This is only one of the numerous experiences that show the way to build up run down people is to cure the kidneys. Thousands of people in every state bear witness to the fact that Dodd's Kidney Pills never fail to cure the kidneys."

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Plea for Light in Houses.

Another mistake is to have too little light. Why darkness and gloom should be sought in any portion of a house where people must live, has always been to me an unsolvable problem. Mysterious corners are in order in a cobwebbed attic or an underground cellar, but they are seriously out of place in a pleasant room into which visitors are ushered, and which is supposed to be a rallying spot for the family.—Exchange.

NO MORE HEADACHE

GENERAL WEAKNESS AND FEVER DISAPPEAR TOO.

How a Woman Was Freed from Troubles That Had Made Her Wretched for Many Years.

The immediate causes of headaches vary, but most of them come from poor or poisoned blood. In anemia the blood is scanty or thin; the nerves are imperfectly nourished and pain is the way in which they express their weakness. In colds the blood absorbs poison from the mucous surfaces, and the poison irritates the nerves and produces pain. In rheumatism, malaria and the grip, the poison in the blood produces like discomfort. In indigestion the gases from the impure matter kept in the system affect the blood in the same way.

The ordinary headache cures at best give only a temporary relief. They tend the pain but do not drive the poison out of the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills on the contrary thoroughly renew the blood and the pain disappears permanently. Women in particular have found these pills an unfailing relief in headaches caused by anemia.

Miss Stella Blocker recently said: "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills did me a great deal of good. I had headache nearly all the time. After I had taken three boxes of these pills I became entirely well."

"How long had you suffered?" she was asked.

"For several years. I can't tell the exact date when my illness began for it came on so slow degrees. I had been going down hill for many years."

"Did you have any other ailments?"

"I was very weak and sometimes I had fever. My liver and kidneys were affected as well as my head."

"How did you come to take the remedy that cured you?"

"I saw in a southern newspaper a statement of some person who was cured of a like trouble by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. My physician hadn't done me any good, so I bought a box of these pills. After I had taken one box I felt so much better that I kept on until I became entirely well."

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The Result of the Tornado Which Swept Marquette.

People of the Kansas Village Were in Their Beds When the Storm Struck in All its Fury and They Had no Warning.

ITS PATH 300 FEET IN WIDTH.

Marquette, Kan., May 11.—Coming at an hour when the surrounding community were asleep the tornado which struck the little village at about midnight Monday night, killing 29 and injuring 44, did its worst. Of the injured 35 were seriously hurt and some of them may die. During the day Carl Warrquist and Mrs. J. A. Carlson died of their wounds. Several of the others are suffering from broken limbs and internal injuries.

THE HAVOC WROUGHT BY THE STORM IS APPALLING.

It must be seen to be understood. With one-third of the residences of the city in ruins, the remaining two-thirds are filled with dead and injured. Houses have been turned into hospitals and the few store rooms into morgues.

THE PEOPLE OF MARQUETTE HAD NO WARNING OF THE APPROACHING STORM.

Had they felt any anxiety it would have been relieved by the rain storm that preceded the wind storm, the only warning which came too late. A glare of lightning, a peal of thunder, the sound of cracking timbers and of falling walls and the storm had passed. In its trail 300 feet wide through the residence district it left a scene of death and destruction. The first place struck by the storm was the large farm dwelling of Olof Hanson a little less than three miles south of Marquette. It was one of the largest farm houses in the community surrounding the town. The wind tore it to pieces, killing Hanson and his wife and one son and seriously injuring five more children. The tornado pursued a northerly course and on its way struck the home of Andrew Peterson, which it demolished, injuring Peterson and wife.

REBELS CAPTURE SPOILS.

Garrison and Turkish Officials Were Allowed to Leave.

Hodeada, Yemen Province, Turkish Arabia, May 11.—The spoils captured by the rebels at Sanaa included thirty guns, 20,000 rifles and much ammunition. The garrison and the Turkish officials were permitted to leave the city.

Risa Pasha, commander of the Turkish troops, has been relieved by Marshal Ashmed Fezi Pasha, who has been reinforced by eight battalions of Albanians.

Sanaa, the capital city of Yemen Province, capitulated during the night of April 20. The rebels then proceeded to besiege Menakha. The latter has a garrison of 5,000 men, but the troops are said to be mutinous.

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ACROSS BOTH GULF AND SEA.

Washington, May 6.—The comprehensive system of wireless telegraph service being established by the bureau of equipment of the navy department contemplates connecting New Orleans and Panama. This will necessitate the installation at New Orleans of a powerful station as the distance between that city and Panama is about 1,200 miles. There is a clear seaway across the Gulf of Mexico and the Caribbean Sea without land obstructions between the two objective points.

Many Killed and Wounded.

Tiflis, May 10.—Police who were attempting to arrest two men who had tried to murder a nobleman in a village near here were attacked by a mob of would-be rescuers. In the conflict which ensued twenty of the mob were killed or wounded.

Drive Back Mounted Patrol.

St. Petersburg, May 10.—General Linvitch, telegraphing from the front on yesterday's date, says the Japanese cavalry on May 4 drove back the Russian mounted patrols.

Revolutionary Movement.

Toraspoo, Russia, May 10.—A general revolutionary movement has occurred among the peasants of the province of Besarabia. They have attacked and burned several estates.

Loomis is Not Afraid.

New York, May 6.—Assistant Secretary of State Francis B. Loomis, who is quoted as saying President Roosevelt will personally investigate the stories regarding his action while minister to Venezuela. "It can't come too soon," says Loomis.

HER FATE UNSETTLED.

Nan Patterson's Case Has Not Been Decided Yet.

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Despite official denials the feeling prevails in high quarters that M. Del Casse will not wish to retain the foreign office portfolio much longer. The cabinet situation is no longer attributed to Morocco, but to a divergence of views concerning who should control France's foreign policy. M. Del Casse's prestige throughout Europe naturally leads him to want a free hand, and M. Rouvier evidently desires to occupy a position analogous to that of Count Von Bismarck, the German chancellor, in laying down foreign policies. The personal relations between the premier and the foreign minister remain most cordial, yet the diplomatic corps would not be surprised to see M. Del Casse step down before long.

The suggestion in Japanese press that Japan place an embargo on French merchant traffic in Indo-China waters is not taken seriously here.

IS IGNORING DEPARTMENT.

Lenapah Oil and Gas Company Deal- ing Directly With Indians.

Muskogee, I. T., May 3.—The Lenapah Oil and Gas Company of Louisiana, I. T., is leasing Cherokee lands for oil and gas purposes, direct from the allottees and filing the same in the United States court at Nowata. The company is going ahead on the assumption that, in accordance with the recent ruling of the United States supreme court, where an Indian receives a patent to his land, he then becomes a citizen of the United States and is no longer a ward of the nation. The company has had but one lease approved by the department and is now proceeding to execute leases without the approval of Secretary Hitchcock.

It is understood that a representative of the government will be sent to Lenapah to arrest any person who attempts to drill on a lease not regularly approved by the department.

TO COMPLETE ORGANIZATION.

Members of American Stock Growers' Association to Meet.

Denver, Col., May 9.—Today the leading stockmen from all parts of the country will assemble in this city to take up the work of concluding the organization of the American Stock Growers' Association. This association was partially formed during the annual convention of the National Live Stock Association held here in January last, when a split occurred over the question of limiting the membership of that association. Those who went into the new association were displeased with the admission to membership in the old association of packers, railroad representatives and persons of that class.

Special Dispensation Given.

Rome, May 10.—Father Martin of the General Order of Jesus, is recovering from the recent amputation of his arm. Pope Pius gave him a special dispensation to celebrate mass without his right arm.

Mayor Dunning Dead.

Early, New York, May 8.—Major engineering department of the Eastern Railway, who entered the end-States army when Andrew Jackson was president, is dead in Brooklyn at the age of 94.

Rioting Among Peasants.

St. Petersburg, May 10.—The peasants have fired the property of Prince Lazareff at Kherson. A strong force of dragoons has been dispatched to Kherson. Rioting is reported in the province of Poltava.

Squadron Is Located.

Saigon, Cochinchina May 10.—Admiral Rojostevenski's squadron has been located by Admiral de Jonquier's intelligence department in the neighborhood of a bay southward of Hon Koh bay, coast of Annam.

HAPPY WOMEN.

Mrs. Pare, wife of C. B. Pare, a prominent resident of Glasgow, Ky., says:

"I was suffering from a complication of kidney troubles. Besides a bad back, I had a great deal of trouble with the secretions, which were exceedingly variable, sometimes excessive and at other times scanty. The color was high, and passages were accompanied with a scalding sensation. Doan's Kidney Pills soon regulated the kidney secretions, making their color normal and banished the inflammation which caused the scalding sensation. I can rest well, my back is strong and sound and I feel much better in every way."

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Captain W. S. Graham, 1221 Eoff St., Wheeling, W. Va., writing under date of June 14, '04, says: "I am so grateful I want to thank God that a friend recommended Cuticura Soap and Ointment to me. I suffered for a long time with sores on my face and back. Some doctors said I had blood poison, and others that I had barbers' itch. None of them did me any good, but they all took my money. My friends tell me my skin now looks as clear as a baby's, and I tell them that Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment did it."

People that dislike the hardships of earth couldn't enjoy the sensations of heaven.

THIS DOCTOR WAS OUT.

Investigation of the Packers.

Very general interest has been manifested in the government investigation now in progress into the mode of conducting business by the large packers located in Chicago and elsewhere. Much has been written upon the alleged illegal and improper modes of business procedure connected with the packing industry; but it seems that so far no definite charge of any kind has been sustained and no proof of illegal or irregular methods has been disclosed to the public. While a wave of severe criticism of this great industrial interest is now passing over the country it might be well to remember that the packers have had as yet no opportunity to make specific denial of the many indefinite charges of wrong doing having never been formulated in such a categorical answer could be made.

The recent report of Commissioner Garfield, which embodied the results of an official investigation undertaken by the Department of Commerce and Labor of the United States, was a vindication of the Western packers, but this result having been unexpected attempts in many quarters to discredit it were made.

In view of the situation as it now stands, however, attention may properly be called to a few facts that owing to popular clamor are now being apparently overlooked. Fair treatment in this country has heretofore been accorded to all citizens whose affairs assume prominence in the public eye and some of the facts that bear upon the relation of the packers to the commerce of the country may at this time be briefly alluded to. It would be difficult to estimate the benefits gained by the farmer of the country resulting from the energetic enterprise of the packers, for whatever is of benefit to the farmer is a gain to the entire commerce of the country. And connected with their continuous aggressive work no feature perhaps has been more important than their efforts in seeking outlets all over the world for the surplus products of the farmer. Our total exports of agricultural products have gained but little in the past twenty years, and leaving out corn, the total of all other farm products was far less in 1903 than in 1891. But in packing house products there was considerable gain during this period, because an organized and powerful force has been behind them seeking new and broader markets.

Besides the benefits reaped by farmers on account of the enterprise and energy exercised by the packers in attaining commercial results by foreign trade, the great development in the manufacture of packing house by-products has added enormously to the value of all live stock raised in the United States. The waste material of twenty years ago, now an expense to the packer, is now converted into articles of great value, and, as an economic fact, this must correspondingly increase the value to the farmer of every head of cattle marketed at the numerous stockyards of the country. Let these facts be remembered while now it is so popular to regard the great packing industry as deserving of condemnation. At least it must be admitted that so far there is no adequate reason for the almost unanimous howl that may be heard everywhere in the face of the Garfield report of the department of Commerce and Labor, which exonerates the packers from all secure and indefinite charges that have been for some time past made the subject of popular comment. — American Homestead.

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Despite official denials the feeling prevails in high quarters that M. Del Casse will not wish to retain the foreign office portfolio much longer. The cabinet situation is no longer attributed to Morocco, but to a divergence of views concerning who should control France's foreign policy. M. Del Casse's prestige throughout Europe naturally leads him to want a free hand, and M. Rouvier evidently desires to occupy a position analogous to that of Count Von Bismarck, the German chancellor, in laying down foreign policies. The personal relations between the premier and the foreign minister remain most cordial, yet the diplomatic corps would not be surprised to see M. Del Casse step down before long.

The suggestion in Japanese press that Japan place an embargo on French merchant traffic in Indo-China waters is not taken seriously here.

IS IGNORING DEPARTMENT.

Lenapah Oil and Gas Company Deal- ing Directly With Indians.

Muskogee, I. T., May 3.—The Lenapah Oil and Gas Company of Louisiana, I. T., is leasing Cherokee lands for oil and gas purposes, direct from the allottees and filing the same in the United States court at Nowata. The company is going ahead on the assumption that, in accordance with the recent ruling of the United States supreme court, where an Indian receives a patent to his land, he then becomes a citizen of the United States and is no longer a ward of the nation. The company has had but one lease approved by the department and is now proceeding to execute leases without the approval of Secretary Hitchcock.

It is understood that a representative of the government will be sent to Lenapah to arrest any person who attempts to drill on a lease not regularly approved by the department.

TO COMPLETE ORGANIZATION.

Members of American Stock Growers' Association to Meet.

Denver, Col., May 9.—Today the leading stockmen from all parts of the country will assemble in this city to take up the work of concluding the organization of the American Stock Growers' Association. This association was partially formed during the annual convention of the National Live Stock Association held here in January last, when a split occurred over the question of limiting the membership of that association. Those who went into the new association were displeased with the admission to membership in the old association of packers, railroad representatives and persons of that class.

Special Dispensation Given.

Rome, May 10.—Father Martin of the General Order of Jesus, is recovering from the recent amputation of his arm. Pope Pius gave him a special dispensation to celebrate mass without his right arm.

Mayor Dunning Dead.

Early, New York, May 8.—Major engineering department of the Eastern Railway, who entered the end-States army when Andrew Jackson was president, is dead in Brooklyn at the age of 94.

Rioting Among Peasants.

St. Petersburg, May 10.—The peasants have fired the property of Prince Lazareff at Kherson. A strong force of dragoons has been dispatched to Kherson. Rioting is reported in the province of Poltava.

Squadron Is Located.

Saigon, Cochinchina May 10.—Admiral Rojostevenski's squadron has been located by Admiral de Jonquier's intelligence department in the neighborhood of a bay southward of Hon Koh bay, coast of Annam.

A JUDGE'S WIFE PAIR IN THE BACK AND SIDE

Quickly Cured by a Short Course of Pe-ru-na.

MRS. MINNIE E. McALLISTER, wife of Judge McAllister, writes from 1217 West 33rd Street, Minneapolis, Minn., as follows:

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"I took it faithfully for seven weeks and am happy indeed to be able to say that I am entirely cured."

"Words fail to express my gratitude. Perfect health once more is the best thing I could wish for, and thanks to Peru-na, I enjoy that now."

Pain in the back, or on the right side. How often a physician hears this complaint!

Over and over we hear women say: "I have a pain in the small of my back. I have a pain in my right side, just below the ribs."

These symptoms indicate pelvic or abdominal catarrh.

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Pelvic catarrh—that is the name for it. Peru-na cures pelvic catarrh, when all of these symptoms disappear.

The catarrh may be all in the abdominal organs, when it would be properly called abdominal catarrh.

At any rate, it is one of those cases of internal catarrh which can be treated only by a course of treatment with Peru-na.

We have on file thousands of testimonials similar to the above. It is impossible here to give our readers more than one or two specimens of the number of grateful and commendatory letters Dr. Hartman is constantly receiving in behalf of his famous catarrh remedy, Peru-na.

DOG'S KISSES CAUSED TUMOR.

The danger of kissing dogs is illustrated by the experience of a young lady which is told in the London Lancet.

She had been in the habit of fondling and kissing a pet dog, and when she developed a tumorous growth it was discovered that her tumor was due to the presence of a number of worms which had been transferred from the dog to the tissues of her cheek.

Getting Closer to Heaven.

Once in the Pacific coast forests, the writer came upon a massive sugar pine, the only tree of its kind for miles around and a landmark even in that region of giant trees. My guide, as he looked up at the top, which lifted itself almost into the clouds, remarked: "If a man could climb that tree on a Christmas morning he could hear the church bells ringing in heaven."—Exchange.

Find Buried Treasure.

In the immediate neighborhood of the little town of Klingman, in Switzerland, a case was found containing an assortment of 829 gold coins. Most of the coins are of the years from 1602 to 1704. It is thought that the gold was buried at the time of the Spanish war of succession. The gold value of the coins is estimated at 35,000, and the numismatic value at over 100,000 francs.

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Pink's Cure is the best medicine ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. ENDREY, Valparaiso, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

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Investigation of the Packers.

Very general interest has been manifested in the government investigation now in progress into the mode of conducting business by the large packers located in Chicago and elsewhere. Much has been written upon the alleged illegal and improper modes of business procedure connected with the packing industry; but it seems that so far no definite charge of any kind has been sustained and no proof of illegal or irregular methods has been disclosed to the public. While a wave of severe criticism of this great industrial interest is now passing over the country it might be well to remember that the packers have had as yet no opportunity to make specific denial of the many indefinite charges of wrong doing having never been formulated in such a categorical answer could be made.

The recent report of Commissioner Garfield, which embodied the results of an official investigation undertaken by the Department of Commerce and Labor of the United States, was a vindication of the Western packers, but this result having been unexpected attempts in many quarters to discredit it were made.

In view of the situation as it now stands, however, attention may properly be called to a few facts that owing to popular clamor are now being apparently overlooked. Fair treatment in this country has heretofore been accorded to all citizens whose affairs assume prominence in the public eye and some of the facts that bear upon the relation of the packers to the commerce of the country may at this time be briefly alluded to. It would be difficult to estimate the benefits gained by the farmer of the country resulting from the energetic enterprise of the packers, for whatever is of benefit to the farmer is a gain to the entire commerce of the country. And connected with their continuous aggressive work no feature perhaps has been more important than their efforts in seeking outlets all over the world for the surplus products of the farmer. Our total exports of agricultural products have gained but little in the past twenty years, and leaving out corn, the total of all other farm products was far less in 1903 than in 1891. But in packing house products there was considerable gain during this period, because an organized and powerful force has been behind them seeking new and broader markets.

Besides the benefits reaped by farmers on account of the enterprise and energy exercised by the packers in attaining commercial results by foreign trade, the great development in the manufacture of packing house by-products has added enormously to the value of all live stock raised in the United States. The waste material of twenty years ago, now an expense to the packer, is now converted into articles of great value, and, as an economic fact, this must correspondingly increase the value to the farmer of every head of cattle marketed at the numerous stockyards of the country. Let these facts be remembered while now it is so popular to regard the great packing industry as deserving of condemnation. At least it must be admitted that so far there is no adequate reason for the almost unanimous howl that may be heard everywhere in the face of the Garfield report of the department of Commerce and Labor, which exonerates the packers from all secure and indefinite charges that have been for some time past made the subject of popular comment. — American Homestead.

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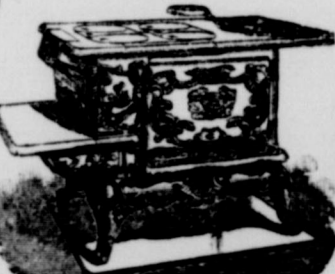
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LOCAL NOTES.

Light bread and pies at J. W. Harrah's.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Payne were traded in Miami yesterday.

The McLean News now flies the name of R. B. Edgell at its mast head.

Drs. Dodson & Lewis, Dentists, Front rooms, Smith building, Amarillo.

Attorney Harry Hendricks made a business trip to Canadian Thursday.

Fresh Candies and Nuts at all times at J. W. Harrah & Son's Confectionery.

The Clarendon Hotel at Clarendon, Texas, was destroyed by fire last Sunday.

Dr. F. M. Johnson, dentist, will spend the fourth week of each month in Miami.

Ed Humphries is enjoying a visit from his sister, Mrs. Brannon of Kiowa, Kansas.

From Wichita J. L. Seiber went to St. Joseph, Mo., to select his new stock of goods.

Dan Kivlehen went up to Pampa yesterday afternoon to play for a dance last night.

John Stump informs us that his loss in the recent fire was about one thousand dollars.

The Texan states that the new building for the M. A. Locke drug store at Shamrock is about completed.

Anything you want to eat, from crackers and cheese to a grind stone at J. W. Harrah & Son's Restaurant.

Tom Joxell, who escaped from the jail at Clarendon last January has been apprehended at Santa Rosa, N. M.

The work of clearing off the debris and leveling the ground for the Cunningham building is now in progress.

S. V. Gist returned last Saturday from his trip to Hall county, driving a bunch of 300 one and two year old steers.

The report that natural gas has been discovered at Jericho, Donley county, seems to have been wholly a fabrication.

Oren Harrah, who is now the tenorial artist at Pampa, came down and spent last Sunday and Monday in Miami.

In our last weeks issue we give Mrs. Rainey's loss as \$125, since which we now hear that it was almost double this amount.

THE CHIEF acknowledges a pleasant and substantial call from the popular Judge and Clerk of Ochiltree county Friday.

C. M. Hackett of Oklahoma, this week purchased a half-section of plains land from Wesley Gordon, paying \$1,060 for same.

We have been so busy in our job printing department this week that the interest of the paper has been somewhat neglected.

If you want a lunch anytime between 7 o'clock in the morning and 12 o'clock at night, call at J. W. Harrah & Son's Confectionery.

Prof. Redus left last Sunday for the LeFors neighbor hood in Gray county to teach a three-months term of school beginning Monday.

Judge Geo. M. Perry, and Clerk Jas. H. Whipple of Ochiltree county were in Miami this week. The latter makes a trip upon the river.

Dr. Johnson, dentist, of Miami, will be in Mobeetie to do dental work on the first Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each month.

Commissioners court was in session Monday and Tuesday. Outside of the leasing of the school land only routine work was before the body.

M. Saul has returned from his trip to New Mexico. He purchased a 210 acre tract within a few miles of Carlsbad for \$4,250 and will leave next Monday.

Judge Carter has the apparatuses for the weather station in Miami fully installed. The same registered four one hundredths of an inch of rain last night.

The people of the Panhandle can feel very fortunate in regards to cyclones. Last week storms visited various parts of South and Central Texas and this week Kansas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory.

A ladies hat, in a box, direct from the milliner, was lost on Wednesday on the road between Miami and the Dave Davie ranch. Finder will please notify Mrs. Laura Rainey or Mrs. A. B. McAfee at Miami.

J. B. Bowers has returned from New Mexico. He was not favorably impressed with the country. He says O. B. Hardin has extended his prospecting tour on into the mountains and will not be home for several days.

Tazwell Crowson, formerly of this place but now of Ochiltree county, was in Miami the latter part of last week to meet Mrs. Crowson and children, who had just returned from a visit of several months to relatives in Throckmorton county.

For the pleasure of the young folks and to place a few scattering shillings in the deep recesses of his trousers pockets, M. McCauley has placed a couple of boats on the Chisum lake a few miles from town. It is said the lake is now over a mile long. A crowd of young people went out boating last Sunday.

John A. Reed came in from the E.O. ranch last Monday to bring his two daughters and Miss Caperton, the trio leaving on the night train. Miss Caperton going on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Jno. W. Fleener at Kansas City, and the other two young ladies on a visit to their old home at Jacksonville, Ill.

The farmer doesn't have to solicit patronage from any one. He doesn't have to enter into competition and strife with any of the neighbors like a merchant; he does not have to wrangle for a living like a lawyer; he doesn't have to depend upon his collections reluctantly doled out as editors do; in fact, he can be the most independent man on God's green earth if he manages his business in a business-like way. He has more time and opportunity for cultivating his mind; he has fewer allurements for corrupting his morals; and his occupation is more conducive to the highest development of his physical power than any other.—Exchange.

Take your hides to Gist.

WISDOM'S WHISPERS.

About every pretension there is an air of avoiding to pretend.

The popular notion of an easy job is doing just as you feel like.

About a big display of temper there always is a flavor of being ill-used.

Many people worry over things which ought to worry someone else.

There is such a thing as a too tedious minding of one's own business.

Right-thinking people have a hard time discerning the motives of others.

When you start in to stir up trouble be prepared to combat the consequences.

It bothers some men to find out how other men manage to keep up a show on a small income.

When the weakness of a friend becomes apparent avoid applying to it the magnifying glass.

If a new idea meets with strong opposition it is safe to assume there is something in it of merit.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

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Dust Your Foliage Plants.

All plants which are grown for their foliage effect and which are, therefore, to be kept for any considerable time in the home, must receive attention at the tops as well as at the roots. In the cleanliness of houses dust will accumulate, and this, settling upon the leaves, blocks up the breathing pores of the plant. The only remedy is removal of the dust, to which end a sponging of clean water, say at least once a week, should be given.

"How's Your Appetite?"

Does this weather make you want to "down and stay down"? Does your food disgust you? If so, you need Simmon's Sassa-parilla. It picks you up, keeps up and the grocery bill tells about your appetite.

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A liar is born dot vey, but der e-bill akquires der habit.

An egg can keep der secret of it's age just like a woman.

Der letter "N" is always hanging around der man dot dinks he is "it."

Clothes don't make der man, but dey help der man to make his bluff.

Der meaning of Vorry is to go through a raf of troubles vich nefer happen.

Some vimmen was a delusion and a snare, but on der udder hand, some more use ful has a vimmen—George V. Hobart, in Chicago American.

Not a Pipe Dream.

Oil—some kinds—are conveyed by a system of pipelines, but the Oil that marks all other oils insignificant is conveyed in bottles. It's Hunt's Lightning Oil, and its mission is to cure your sprains, cuts, burns, bruises, aches and pains—and it does it.

To Keep Weight Down.

If you wish to keep your weight down, don't drink water at meals. Take tea and coffee. Rise early, walk at least five miles every day, and don't take a nap after exercising. Sleep eight hours only, and on a moderately hard bed. Shun fresh or hot bread. Pile on potatoes, peas, macaroni, olive oil, cream, alcoholic drinks, sweets and pastry.

"The Road to Canossa."

This is an expressive phrase, denoting the entire submission of the State to the Church, or civil rights to ecclesiastical domination. It is derived from the unsuccessful attempt of Henry III. of Germany to escape the Papal rule in 1077, and his subsequent humiliating submission to Pope Gregory VII.

A Hard Knock for the Knocker.

There are all classes and conditions of men represented in every town, but in our estimation the most contemptible, shallow pated specimen in the whole boquet is the town knocker. He is the man who belittles his own town, derides every public enterprise, sees failure in every venture, and who is continually declaring that the country is going to the dogs while his own individual town has already gone to the pups. A man of that character should be invited to move on. If he cannot praise or boost the place that supports him, he should seek a location elsewhere and a vigilance committee should be appointed to assist him in making the move. The place would be better off without him. He is usually a man with a swelled head, a sour countenance and a pinch of mush that does duty for brains, and carries a butt-in card. A law should be passed by the legislature classing him with other vermin and setting a bounty on his scalp.—Hallettsville Herald.

A Good suggestion.

Mr. C. B. Wainright of Lemon City, Fla. has written the manufacturers that much better results are obtained from the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in cases of pain in the stomach, colic and cholera morbus by taking it in water as hot as can be drunk. That when taken in this way the effect is double in rapidity. "It seems to get at the right spot instantly," he says. For sale at Central Drug Store.

Even So.

In talking with different Illinois and Missouri farmers who have been prospecting in Hereford recently, a number of whom have made purchases and will locate here, we were brought into a foreful realization of a fact which had not before deeply impressed us. This fact is, that one can buy and pay for a farm in the Panhandle with the rent which he pays on a farm at home. This is a feature which cannot help but appeal to those who have been burdened with heavy taxes for the greater portion of their lives. Here, in the Panhandle where the soil is unsurpassed in the fertility of productive powers, where broken health can be restored, and where one has but to practice a degree of industry and skill in order to build for himself and family a permanent home and live easily and happily, the opportunity is knocking at the door of the man of moderate means as well as those possessing greater wealth.—Hereford Brand.

He Wins Out.

It is the man who sticks to a proposition who wins out in the end. A vacillating and shifty policy will not win and the man who puts his hand to the plow and then looks back is sure to see failure camping very closely on his trail. When you start out to accomplish a given object in life, you should hang on and battle with it as long as you can get too hold. It is only in that manner that success is attained.—Ft. Worth Telegram.

The Lost Ring.

A woman lived in Rocklin, had a ringworm on her back; said she would not care a snatch, but was where she couldn't scratch.

Therefore she could not endure, had to have it quick and easy.

One box of Hunt's Cure, price 50c, did the work. It always does. It's guaranteed.

Drs. Dodson & Lewis, dentists, front rooms, Smith building, Amarillo.

Contract Let for Large Store Building.

The material ordered, the contract let, work to begin in about two weeks. Is the result of a trip to M. Cunningham, J. A. Johnston and J. L. Seiber made to Woodward, Pond Creek and Wichita this week, looking to the building on the corner in the burned block opposite the Johnson Mercantile Store. The building will be of concrete blocks, which is some cheaper and said to be fully as substantial as brick. Johnston Bros. & Co., grocers, J. L. Seiber, dry-goods and C. S. Seiber, drugs, will occupy the lower story. Mr. Cunningham has not decided yet whether he will make a one or two story building. If two story the upper part will be used for offices. The ground floor will be 65 x 80.

For Lease!

A four section pasture near White Deer, Texas. Part of the J. S. Wyane ranch. Good grass and water. Apply to A. M. NEWMAN, Canadian, Texas.

Roberts County School Land.

The committee of two, H. P. Chisum and Archie King, which visited the Roberts county school land in Bailey county last week was so favorably impressed with the land that they thought it worth more than \$2 per acre. Accordingly the commissioners court refused to sell the land to Capt. Good but again leased it to him for a term of five years. The lease was fixed at 5c per acre instead of 4 cents as formerly. This will yield \$850 to the school fund, an increase of \$170.

"The great trouble with so many young men," says an exchange "that they are not fitted for anything. They want to spend the first thirty years of their life being funny, having a good time, then drop into a good position with a fat salary. Because old business men will not put them at once into good positions they settle down to dry goods box growers, criticizing the government and condemning the rich."

Beer in the United States. The production of beer is now more than half a barrel for every man, woman and child in the United States.

Poverty in English Metropolis. One out of every four persons who die in London dies "on public charity."

Fruit Kept Sweet for Years.

A farmer near Union City, Michigan, amazes his neighbors by keeping apples, pears, peaches, grapes, etc., in their natural state for several years. He now has apples and grapes grown in 1901 which can hardly be distinguished from this year's product. He now gives out his method of preservation, which is very simple, as he merely selects well-developed fruit with good stems, picks it carefully and soars the end of the stem with lighted match. Then he wipes the fruit perfectly dry places it in a piece of day wrapping paper and lays it away in a moderately dry and cool cellar.—Chicago Chronicle.

General Assembly Presbyterian Church Ft. Worth, Texas, May 18-19, 1905. For the above occasion we can sell round trip tickets to Ft. Worth, Texas, Rate \$12.70. Date of Sale May 17, and 18th. Final limit to return May 20th.—H. E. Baird, Agt.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. "I have been using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and want to say it is the best cough medicine I have ever taken," says Geo. L. Chubb a merchant of Harlan, Mich. "There is no question about it being the best, as it will cure a cough, or cold in less time than any other treatment. It should always be kept in the house ready for instant use, for a cold can be cured in much less time when promptly treated. For sale at Central Drug Store."

LAND!

Power of Attorney has been conferred upon the undersigned to sell direct to purchasers, and to execute deeds for lands in Block Number Three of the L. & G. N. R. R. Co. surveys, Gray County, Texas; also for lots in the new and promising town of Pampa.

The rich quality and fast rising value of the land are already too generally known to need much comment. Liberal terms and a low rate of interest.

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T. D. HOBART,
Pampa, Gray County, Tex.

Mythical Ancient History. Four days after his birth Apollo seized a lyre and astonished even Zeus with his playing. "He has never frayed clean to rags!" exclaimed his mother, Cleio, proudly. "Surely so," answered Hera. "He's doing rag time!"

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