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SHOWS BIGGEST GAIN.

St. Joseph is not making as much noise about it as some of the points that claim to be the whole thing, but it is modestly noted that as a hog market this same old St. Joseph is showing a larger proportional gain this year than any of them.

YEARLINGS POPULAR.

During the past two or three weeks several lots of Angus yearling steers of high finish and quality have sold right up to the top of the market, indicating that the demand for baby beef of this type is sought for eagerly.

BUYING OUR CANNED MEATS.

Some recent heavy orders from the British government for Chicago canned meat shows that the agitation against the so-called beef trust has practically died out in England.

WHAT WAS THE MATTER?

With all due respect to the Breeders Gazette, that excellent sheet belittled itself in the first paragraph of its report of the Interstate Live Stock show, held in St. Joseph last week.

The actual seating capacity of the big tent was something above 8,000. The review occurred on Thursday afternoon and, at the time the seating capacity of the tent was practically all occupied and the promenades were crowded with standing spectators.

GOOD ROADS BY LAW.

You will never get good country roads in Missouri, Iowa or any other state until you get them by law. Five years after you get them, you will wonder how the country ever got along without them.

LIVE STOCK BREEDING IN SIBERIA.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Times, quoting from the letter of a traveler through western Siberia, says:

"Another occupation extensively adopted by the emigrants is that of cattle breeding. The chief obstacle to export is the defective manner in which cattle are slaughtered. Though hides form one of the staple articles of commerce, there are no boot factories in Siberia, and here there should be a capital opening for enterprise.

NEED FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION.

Alonzo's Good Reason for Striking When the Iron Was Hot.

As Alonzo came into the drawing room the fair Gwendoline flew to meet him.

"Darling," she murmured, "papa has changed his mind. He has consented to our engagement."

"Oh, joy!" exclaimed the young man, hugging her. "But why?"

"Well, Louise-ponie, pet, you know father believes in heredity—that wise parents have wise children, and so on. Now, my father has never met any of your family; but last night, at a vestry meeting, father opposed a motion in favor of the docking of tom cats' tails.

"Gwendoline," he said, "we must be married before our fathers meet."

"Why? Surely your father doesn't drink, or anything like that?" was the amazed response.

"No; only he's stone deaf!"—Stray Stories.

THE LADY AND THE DETECTIVE.

Starting Statement That Really Called for an Explanation.

Mrs. "Jack" Gardner of Boston has taken up the Audubon society's war against the hat of many feathers.

"This hat is the worst omnivorous creature that the milliners have yet given us," she said at a recent dinner.

"The number of things required to trim the hat is frightening. Its appetite, in fact, reminds me of a police court episode."

"A detective was testifying in the case of a woman shoplifter whom he had arrested in her bedroom."

"And, your honor," he said, "when I told her the charge, she turned her back to me and swallowed a purse, six suits of silk underwear, a silver candlestick, a chafin dish, and—"

"Rubbish! Are you crazy?" the magistrate interrupted.

"Excuse me. What I mean to say, your honor," explained the detective, "is that she swallowed the pawn tickets."

"Not at all, gentlemen," said the orator, visibly irritated. "He said, as every well-informed person knows: 'Speak softly, even while carrying the big stick. If I am interrupted again'—here he waved the chairman's gavel aloft—"I shall use the big stick unsparingly!"

Having thus asserted himself, and silenced the rude persons who had been guilty of the unseasonable interruption, he resumed his speech.

Successful Hypocrite.

Gruignoli, the son of a fisherman, a priest in a rich abbey in Florence, had a net spread every day on the table of his apartment to put him, as he said, in mind of his origin.

The abbot dying, this dissipated humility procured Gruignoli to be his successor, and the net was used no more.

A friend who came to see him the day afterwards, on entering his apartment, said:

"Where is the net?"

"There is no further occasion for the net," replied Gruignoli, "when the fish is caught."

Poor Carlo?

Traveler—Here, landlord, what's the matter with your dog? I've driven him away a score of times, but he always comes back again and sits close up to my armchair watching every mouthful I take. Do turn him out and let me have my dinner in peace.

Landlord—Pleese, sir, my Carlo is such a knowing brute. I expect you have got the plate he generally eats off.—Stray Stories.

Presumption.

Phisty—I suppose you think that if you had the regulating of the universe you could make some improvements on the present job, don't you?"

Kuphs—I don't know about that, but I think I could suggest one change. I should like to have things so arranged that when a man is having a good time the days would seem to pass slowly instead of quickly. I'm about to take a vacation."

TERMINAL CHARGES IN COURT.

Railroads File Petition to Enjoin Interstate Commerce Commission.

St. Louis, Oct. 2.—A petition was filed in the United States circuit court here late Wednesday afternoon asking that the Interstate Commerce commission be enjoined from enforcing an order reducing the terminal charges on livestock at Chicago from two dollars to one dollar a car.

The petition was filed on behalf of 33 roads in the west and southwest and alleges that the enforcement of the order, which was issued last June, will result in a loss of \$300,000 to the railroads. The rate of one dollar a car, it is alleged, will not cover the cost of the service.

The petition will come for hearing before the United States circuit court of appeals, but no date has been fixed.

Keene's Yearlings Sold Well.

Newmarket, Eng., Oct. 2.—Fifteen highclass yearlings sent over to England by James R. Keene were auctioned here Thursday for an aggregate of \$14,360. The best price obtained was \$2,780 for a chestnut colt by Disguise II, Dorset Flower.

Chicago, Oct. 2.—At Democratic national headquarters Thursday an itemized statement was made public showing that campaign contributions from newspapers to date have reached a total of \$84,994.



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Whiskey advertisement featuring 'Overall' and 'Simon-Pure' brands with images of bottles.

TRANSIT HOUSE advertisement for stockmen's hotel with rates and manager info.

W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES advertisement featuring a portrait and store address.

SHAMROCK WHISKEY advertisement with a clover logo and medicinal claims.

C. F. Rock Plumbing & Heating Co. advertisement for modern plumbing services.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK advertisement highlighting safes and capital surplus.

Swift's Digester Tankage advertisement with an image of a pig and text about market-toppers.

ST. JOSEPH STOCK YARDS BANK advertisement for live stock exchange building.

HAMMOND'S advertisement for hams, breakfast bacon, lard and canned meats.

Schlitz Cafe advertisement for headquarters for stockmen and their families.

JAMES KERSEY advertisement for stock yards, wines, liquors and cigars.



