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DAILY MARKETS

Official Receipts, 83 Cars, 2006 Cattle; 58 Cars, 3893 Hogs; 9 Cars, 1878 Sheep.

ALL STEERS SLOW TO START

Yards in Slushy Condition, Prices for Fat Bees Held About Steady.

NOTHING PRIME ON OFFER

Demand For Butchers Still Active and Prices Were Steady to Strong—No Change Was Noted in Calf Trade—Hogs Active With Values Steady to Strong—Sheep Active and Steady, Ewes at \$1.00.

Receipts from January 1, 1911. The following table shows the receipts from January 1, 1911, and receipts for the corresponding time in 1910:

	1911	1910	Dec.	Inc.
Cattle...	29,858	34,128	4,275	...
Hogs...	71,322	88,398	15,073	...
Sheep...	19,586	17,456	12,430	...

Live Stock in Sight. The following shows the estimated receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the five principal western markets:

	Chicago	St. Louis	Kansas City	Omaha	St. Joseph
Cattle...	9,000	25,000	12,000	4,000	5,500
Hogs...	4,000	5,500	7,000	4,000	5,500
Sheep...	2,000	3,500	4,000	2,000	3,500

Receipts by Cars. The following shows the number of cars of stock handled today by railroads centering at the stock yards:

	C. & G. W.	St. L.	K. C.	O.	S. J.
Cattle...	57	45	35	24	24
Hogs...	41	35	24	24	24
Sheep...	24	24	24	24	24

CATTLE

Slow Opening For Steers, But Prices About Steady For Weaners. There was a fair showing of steers here this morning for so late in the week and buyers were slow to get into action on them.

Good to choice feeding steers are quotable at \$3.90 to \$5.75; medium to good grade \$3.50 to \$4.75; good to fancy stock steers \$4.50 to \$5.25; and common to fair \$3.75 to \$4.50; stock heifers \$4.75 to \$4.50 for fair to strictly good kinds, stock cows \$3.50 to \$3.50, and stock calves \$4.25 to \$5.50.

STOCKS AND FEEDERS

Despite the fact that weather conditions are still unfavorable and the market has been active for some time, the supply was finally taken at close to a steady level of prices and the close of business for the day found the pens well cleared of cattle in first hands.

FEEDING COWS AND STOCK HEIFERS

The heavy falling off in supplies at the leading markets is still a strengthening factor in the live hog trade today and brings the total for the week to only 15,000, or 11,000 less than for the same time last week.

ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET

Today's cash values: Receipts, wheat, 2 cars; corn, 19 cars; oats, 1 car.

WHEAT

No. 2 red... 1.61 @ 1.03 1/2
No. 2 red... 99 @ 1.02
No. 2 hard... 96 @ 1.03
No. 3 hard... 95 @ 1.01

CORN

No. 2 white... 45 1/2 @ 45 1/2
No. 2 white... 44 1/2 @ 45
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OATS

No. 2 white... 33 @ 34
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HEAVY AND MIXED—No. 4

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MEALS WILL COST ONE CENT

Miss Margaret McMillan, London Sociologist, Tells of Feeding Nedy Pupils at Bradford, England.

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

L. E. Hall of Adams, Neb., accompanied a car of sheep to the local market today.

Wesley Fellers, big feeder and shipper of Chester, Neb., sent in a load of hogs for today's market.

Charpenter Bros., regular shippers of Helena, Mont., sent in today's receipts with one load of porkers.

J. W. Bookman of Maryville, Mo., contributed one car of cattle to the local receipts today.

C. S. Alexander of Darlington, Mo., was here today looking after the stock of one load of hogs of his own feeding.

Whitton & Persinger, well known firm of feeders of McFall, Mo., were represented here today with one load of hogs.

R. M. Chandler of Redison, Mo., was at the local market today disposing of one load of hogs.

Geo. Walton of Stanberry, Mo., had a load of hogs for today's market.

E. Hoernem of Herndon, Kan., a staunch supporter and regular shipper to the local market, was here today with one load of hogs.

Wise Feeders use Excello Feeds.

Jno. Thompson of Belvidere, Neb., sent in a load of hogs for today's market.

S. H. Prather of Tarkio, Mo., a prominent farmer and feeder who ships here regularly, had a load of hogs on sale today.

Hilgers' Cafe, "The Stag" 307 S. 5th St. Reals them all. Try it.

Ed. Slack, extensively engaged in the sheep raising business at Westboro, Mo., was represented here yesterday with a load of sheep.

John Loutenschlager, one of Nebraska's pioneer shippers and feeders, had a car of cattle on yesterday's market, the product of his feed lots at Carleton.

Champion Feed cheapest and best.

John Powell of Sterling, Neb., who was here yesterday with a load of hogs, sent down a load of hogs yesterday.

S. D. Dresbach of Stanberry, Mo., who has been a liberal contributor to the St. Joseph market for three or four years, marketed a car of cattle here yesterday.

There is a profit in feeding Excello Feeds.

Loving Bros., of King City, Mo., one of the largest retail raising firms, sent in a car of hogs yesterday.

Wm. Cleopli, a prominent farmer and feeder of Rockport, Mo., had a car of hogs on yesterday's market.

Transit House caters to stockmen.

J. P. Severin, a well known shipper of Benning, Kan., was here yesterday with a load of hogs.

Best meals, best rooms, Transit House.

Jake Seybold, the prominent feeder of Harvard, Neb., had a shipment of mixed stock on yesterday's market.

PIMBLEY PAINT AND GLASS CO., 213 South Sixth Street, St. Joseph, Mo.

CLAIBORNE GETS BUSY.

Introduces a Couple of Railroad Bills in House.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 19.—Representative Claiborne of St. Joseph introduced some railroad bills in the house yesterday which have been urged by Rabe Oglesby, a member of the state railroad and warehouse commission.

One of these bills gives the commission the authority to fix rates on the shipment of coal. Another authorizes the placing of gates at railroad crossings. One requires the railroad to keep a record of the number of cars in the year in every county where there is a railroad and confer with the railroad officials and people about the service. The other bills were introduced into the senate by Senator Hawkins of Greene county.

CHANDLER PAINT, GLASS AND WALL PAPER, 417 Edmond, St. Joseph.

Champion Feed fattens cattle fast. Champion Feed Co., Tarkio, Mo.

WHAT MONTANA MAN THINKS.

Manure spreader is banking. I made the remark to some of my friends the other day that I had more money in banks than any one in my neighborhood. To this they expressed their doubt, but I stood up and said to their entire satisfaction, it is like this: I bought a sheep ranch some years ago; it has since been leased to sheep men and now when I took possession I had the accumulations of twenty years in sheds and yards. There is at least 6000 yards of manure in the shed and yard. I bought a No. 5 Galloway spreader. Well, what did it do? One man covered two acres the first day. A year ago it took two men six days to cover two acres and they didn't do it one-fourth as good. We have now cleaned up the yards and now we are building a chute to load the manure with teams and scrapers. This is the way we are going to take out our bank deposit and make it pay handsome dividends for years to come.

Now a word for the Galloway. We have loaded it with all kinds of manure and handled it with a pair of 1100-pound horses. My neighbor bought a Success spreader and it takes two of the best teams on his ranch to handle it.

Howe invented the sewing machine, McCormick the reaper, and Galloway the best manure spreader in the world. These men will go down in history as the greatest public benefactors of our age. Buy for the Galloway, J. J. Daley, Choteau, Mont.

There are besides capital expenses, afterward returned. The freshman is allotted a room, with the first glimpse of which he is probably charmed. To the poorer the charm vanishes a little when he finds on the table a valuation of \$350 or so, that is paid on entering for the furniture. At every turn expenses that were not expected appear. The scout must have a minimum of \$5 a term and the scout's boy \$2.50.

All meals are the more expensive for the perquisites of the scouts. His baton or weekly bill for food are with difficulty kept below \$10 a week. What with rent for rooms, tutor's fees and the rest, a term's bill very rapidly approaches \$150 and may easily exceed it by a considerable sum. This sum does not, of course, include very large items in the general daily outlay.

It is unquestionable that Cambridge is on the whole very much less dear than Oxford. It would be interesting to see comparative tables of a year's expenditure at Oxford and Cambridge and at any good Scotch university.

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NO DAMAGE YET. Can it be possible that the world is getting better? The Missouri legislature has been in session nearly three weeks and no damage is yet reported.

GET BUSY UP THERE! 'Bout time for the Chicago live stock press to bring the double column box into play to show that there is only one market for Kansas fed cattle.

BOODLER PREFERABLE. Tight-rope and peanut-peddlers are two resources of Missouri that stand in the way of the best development of the state's interests.

WOULD BE A KID AGAIN. "Let them romp and skate and have fun," said one of the South End gapers yesterday morning.

GROWING EGYPTIAN COTTON. Although the United States is the greatest cotton-producing country in the world, a large quantity of this staple is imported from Egypt every year.

LAUNDRY HINT. To iron "cold starched" pieces without any trouble whatever: Take the required amount of starch, dissolve in cold water, adding enough boiling water to make starch warm.

NEW WAY TO COOK CABBAGE. Trim a medium sized head of cabbage, cut in half and cook in cold water. Let it boil fifteen minutes, then pour off the water and refill with boiling water.

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Spinners who have examined samples of the acclimatized Egyptian fiber grown last year in the southwest pronounce it to be in every way as well adapted to their requirements as is the imported cotton of corresponding grades.

IN WOMAN'S REALM

FAVORITE DISHES.

Brown Bread—Two cups sour milk, one cup sweet milk, two cups graham flour, one cup corn meal, two level teaspoons soda, one-half cup molasses, one-half cup sugar (scent), one teaspoon salt.

Lima Beans—Into one pint of tomatoes, chop fine one small onion, place on stove and let boil slowly for twenty minutes.

Sally Luncheon—Beat two eggs and add a lump of soft butter, the size of an egg, put in three teaspoonsful of sugar, one-half pint of milk, one pint of water, and sift in one cupful of flour.

CAKE RECIPES.

Date Loaf Cake—One pound of dates (after seasoning), one pound English walnuts (meats), one cup pastry flour, two rounding teaspoonsful of baking powder, one-half cup molasses, one cup granulated sugar, four eggs beaten separately, one teaspoonful of vanilla extract.

Butternut Fruit Cake—Two cups flour, one cup brown sugar, one cup sour cream, one cup chopped raisins, one cup chopped butternut, one-quarter cup molasses, one-half cup fine, two table-spoons molasses, butter the size of a large egg, two eggs, one teaspoon soda, one teaspoon (each) cloves, cinnamon, and nutmeg.

Hot Milk Cake—One cupful of sugar, two eggs, one cupful of flour, one-half cup salt, one teaspoonful baking powder, and one-half cupful of hot milk. Beat well and bake. A little grated chocolate may be added for a dark cake or a few nuts or coconut.

PRactical HELPS.

Baby Bag—Get a yard of double faced eiderdown. It comes in white, pink and blue, fifty-four inches wide. Hem one of the sides back three inches from the edge, on the other side run a tuck the same width as the hem (the three inches from the lap).

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EMOLUMENTS OF MEDICINE

Physicians Are Not Very Well Paid and Must Do Great Deal of Gratuitous Work.

In a recent number the Medical Record indulged in some extremely pessimistic reflections, based upon the assumption that the practicing physician of today is, in a lamentable number of instances, finding difficulty in "making both ends meet," and is particularly the victim of the prevailing high cost of living.

The Record's statement will doubtless surprise many, but it undoubtedly contains a kernel of truth. The reports of the incomes of physicians are frequently much exaggerated, and few people take into account the amount of work they do gratuitously.

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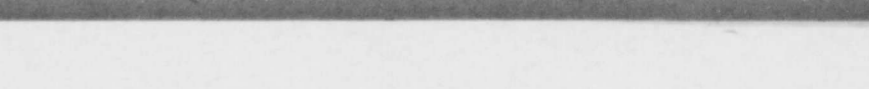
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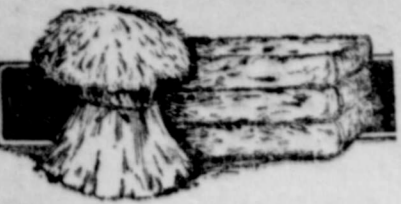
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RUINING OUR WOMEN

John W. Alexander Adds His Testimony to Dr. Sargent's.

American Woman's Figure is Becoming More Masculine in Line Every Day—Outdoor Exercises and Life Blamed.

New York.—If the American woman persists in her undue athletic sports, there will soon be little difference between the masculine and the feminine figure.

So says John W. Alexander, president of the National Academy of Design. In this he agrees with Dr. Dudley Sargent, of Harvard, who said about the same thing. Mr. Alexander, one of America's foremost portrait painters has had ample opportunity to study women of every country and climate. In his home, at 116 West Sixty-fifth street, Mr. Alexander declared that the American woman's figure is becoming more masculine in line every day.

"Just where the beauty of such unnatural development comes in, I don't see," said the painter. "I don't see why any woman should be proud of losing that which constitutes her greatest charm, her womanly bearing and figure. But that is just what the American women of all classes seem determined to do.

"In no other country in the world do you see such masculinized figures as the American women have. In France the woman is the personification of grace. In Germany the woman is not so graceful, perhaps, but she has that motherly bearing which gives her a loveliness that is not often found among our women. In England the stateliness and dignities of the women dissipate the slightest suggestion of the masculine.

"It has only been in the last few years that this change has been so decidedly marked among our women.

"If she continues her violent exercises and outdoor life, in a few years she will be so manlike in figure that she will look ridiculous in woman's attire.

"Up to a certain point this outdoor life and development is excellent. It gives the girl all that women of this country have been distinguished for abroad—a free, easy carriage, and an independence in movement and action that at once inspires confidence in her ability to meet a crisis. But this point has been overstepped and she is becoming anything but interesting.

"Take for instance, a woman who plays golf to the extreme. She has developed a large, muscular waist and a large, heavy arm.

"It is not an even training of all the muscles that the women are getting today, but an overdevelopment of some one set which will, in time, make them look more or less deformed.

"Athletic work is making women flat chested, large waisted, small hiped. This is the figure of a man, and that is one reason why many artists doing work along classical lines find it difficult to secure a model.

Doctor Sargent's views, which brought out Mr. Alexander's are to the effect that the feminine type is fast becoming masculine. The change, Doctor Sargent said, has come in the last twenty years. Women in the savage state, he added, were so like men in form that it was well-nigh impossible to tell them apart. Then, as civilization progressed, their special feminine characteristics developed. Now the tendency is back to the savage type.

Yankee Girl Writes Governor of Texas, Stating There is No Suitable Candidate in Jersey.

Austin, Tex.—"I would like to correspond with a nice young man," writes Miss Lillian Allen of R. F. D. No. 2, Millville, N. J., to Governor Campbell. "I am a northern girl and am unable to find what I call a real man here. I was informed that Texas is a state that has real men, so I have taken the liberty to write.

"I am a music teacher and a graduate of the Millville school. Hoping you will understand this and pass it to some young man who is worthy of its acceptance, I am, yours truly."

Miss Allen is one of the several who have advised the governor recently that they understand "real men" exist in Texas and that they would go to Texas if assured of a home and six-foot protector.

Rhymed Repartee. New York.—"Gobble, gobble," called a young woman from New York who was visiting her grandparents on the old farm and who wanted to cultivate an acquaintance in the barnyard.

"Hobble, hobble," retorted the turkey, who was in no mood for light words, and besides didn't like the young woman's skirt.

The hens testified their approval of his remark in the usual way.

Shortest Name in the World. Cambridge, Mass.—Harvard has been inveigled into the short name contest. Aab, a special student of the university, hailing from Bangkok, Siam, is out with a challenge, open to the world, that says his is the shortest of names. Aab is a woman, not a cognomen, for it is his first, last and middle name, all in one. Aab is satisfied with his name.

SOME REAL COLD WEATHER

Grocery Drummer Felt the Frigid Wave Coming and Took Precautionary Measures.

"Cold?" repeated the grocery drummer as he came into the lobby of the hotel. "Where? When? What?"

"But it's zero weather," was protested.

"Zero weather? My friends, do you know what they would call this up in Winnipeg? Just a southern seephy. The men would be out in their shirt-sleeves playing baseball, and the women would be wondering how soon the grasshoppers would be around."

"You've been up there, have you?" was asked.

"Spent one whole winter there." "And how cold was it?"

"Only 47 below most of the time. For a space of four days it reached 60, but that was exceptional. Don't talk about zero weather to me!"

"Many freeze to death?"

"Hundreds. I saw one man freeze to death while simply crossing the street."

"And you suffered?"

"Not a frost-bite. When I found winter was setting in and no chance to get away I took my measures. Oh, so, I didn't suffer."

"But how did you escape?"

"I first bought the hotel. Then I had steam heat put in. Then I ordered 300 tons of coal and employed three engineers. Then I had double windows put in all the porches and verandas wrapped up in cotton batting. At every meal we had mustard and tabasco sauce and other heating things. I also kept all the waiters swearing, and thus we pulled through with the loss of only one man."

"And how was that?"

"Oh, he was an obstinate old cuss, who insisted on sleeping in a room with only five radiators going, and he was found frozen to death in his bed. Zero weather! Humph!"

Power of Conscience. It is doubtful if many of the things men regret are done only after a battle with conscience. Conscience is strong. When awake it lays a restraining hand upon the shoulder of the wayward impulse and pulls back as no other force in the world. It is very difficult to trample upon an awakened conscience. And those who do it probably wipe away that conviction upon which the restraining influence of conscience is based. They knew the prick of conscience less keenly than any others.

It seems more often to be the part of conscience to awake to a realization of the situation after all is done and then remain like the magic word "Hiccuperogus," both through sleep and waking hours. Judging from the activities around us, the average man would reach the conclusion that the errors which men most regret are committed when they least realize what is happening. Most of the mistakes are made with a blithe thoughtlessness which does not even hint at the possibility of the remorse to come.

Probably if the world could have its boon it would wish for few things better than that conscience should make cowards of us all rather than persisting in its cowardly attack from the rear.—San Antonio Express.

Why He Doubted. "Jasper," said Mrs. Grigson, who was looking over the morning paper, "here's a story of a woman who was robbed on a street car in broad daylight, and yet the thief got away unsuspected." Mr. Grigson said that he had seen the item, but that it was either a typographical error or else the story was pure invention.

"Why do you say that?" asked his wife.

"Look at the item again. It says her purse contained a hundred dollars in currency, doesn't it?"

"Yes."

"It says there was also a receipted bill for a five-dollar hat, does it not?"

"Yes."

"Well, no woman with a hundred dollars in cash in her possession would buy a five-dollar hat."—Youth's Companion.

Women Archaeologists. Dr. Edith M. Hall of Mt. Holyoke college, continued her excavation work in Crete through the whole of last summer. For the last three weeks of the time Dr. Hall worked independently at a site called Varokastro, situated on a lofty peak three hours' ride from Gournas, where the other excavations were being conducted. In the summer Dr. Anna Young visited the astronomical observatories in Rome, Florence, Zurich, Potsdam, Berlin and Greenwich. And Dr. Mignon Talbot, professor of geology at Mt. Holyoke, found the fossil remains of one of the walking reptiles, of which but four or five specimens have been unearthed, in the Connecticut valley sandstone.

Shakespeare's Death Mask. A German scientist has discovered at Darmstadt nothing less than a plaster mask of Shakespeare—a death mask, in fact. Of its authenticity the discoverer has no doubt, but to make assurances doubly sure he was at the pains to journey to Stratford and compare it with the bust on the poet's tomb. Curiously enough, the resemblance of the bust to the death mask proved to be of the most striking character, and the scientist is glorifying in his trouvaille. Meanwhile, another bust, the Flora of the Berlin museum, may be imagined to have been doubts.

Wasps Against Flies. In the war against noxious insects the employment of insect allies is a measure that is coming rapidly into vogue. Among these allies one of the most important is the wasp "bembex," because it has been found to be an inveterate enemy of gnat-like flies, which are the conveyors of infection for the incurable sleeping sickness of Africa. It has been called "The Glosina Hunter of Dahomey," and, according to the observations of Docteur Bouffard at Bamaku, it is the only non-menoporous insect which attacks these flies. The bembex performs its work in true knight-errant fashion, flying round animals that are persecuted by the flies, darting upon them with speed that almost defies the eye, and transfixing them with its sting, after which it carries the victims to its nest as food for larvae.

A Request. "I shall never forget," says the eminent man of wealth, during the course of his little speech on "How to Become as I Am," "I shall never forget how I saved my first hundred dollars."

At this juncture a weary individual in the audience, who had heard this story many times and has read it many times more, interrupts:

"Well, if you can't forget it, for heaven's sake give the rest of us a chance to!"

NOT SAME OLD WORLD

SCIENTISTS CHANGE THINGS IN LAST HALF CENTURY.

Scarcely a Day Passes but What Science Takes a Pot Shot at Some Picturesque Phase of Our Earlier Lives.

It is queer, but seemingly science knocks all the picturesque out of life, and if science were in a shooting gallery and the picturesque were a target, the bell would never stop ringing.

The old oaken bucket has given place to the galvanized iron vessel. The gourd dipper is now a tin cup with a handle soldered on.

The moss-grown well curb is no more, and over the well is a solid slab of cement, while in a bright red building a sizzling, thumping gasoline engine is industriously pumping the cool water into an elevated metal tank on stilts.

No more the ploughman plods his weary way from the field. He rides back on the plough which now has wheels. The country doctor now has an automobile and Dobbin has been made into sausage.

And in the city it's worse. The scissor grinder used to have a contraption made of wheels and wood and leather and stood up and ground the things. Now he has an automobile with a scissor grinder attached, and the auto power runs the thing.

The shoemaker used to squat on a polished leather seat in his littered shop and cobble shoes while you sat with your cold feet on a newspaper. Now you go into a miniature shoe factory where they can make you a pair of shoes in the time it took him to put a heel on, and the buzz of machinery is only broken by the rattle of the cash register.

Where merchants used to put a gun or a mortar and pestle or something above their shops to show what they sold, the merchants now have, recouring, alternating, hit-or-miss, come-and-go sort of electric signs that make you blind to gaze upon.

No more the seller of feather dusters and whisk brooms strolls about the streets with weird cries. You get these things at the store and twenty-one seconds later a motorcycle youth delivers them.

No more the vendor of apples cries fiercely on the streets. Apples are now sold at a nickel apiece at the fruit stands, and the fruit has to be polished daily to keep it bright.

The hydrant has displaced the town pump; the barber shop is now a place where they do manueuring and give baths, no longer a lounging place for gossip.

It's all been changed by science, and scarcely a day passes that science doesn't take a pot shot at some picturesque phase of our earlier lives and knocks the feathers out of its tail, for there's no room on this earth for both the scientific and the picturesque, and something had to go.

Heart of the Halitone. If it were not for the countless trillions of dust particles that float, separately invisible, in the atmosphere, there could be no rain drops, snow crystals or halitones. From a perfectly dustless atmosphere the moisture would descend in ceaseless rain without drops.

The dust particles serve as nuclei about which the vapor gathers. The snow crystal is the most beautiful creation of the aerial moisture, and the halitone is the most extraordinary. The heart of every halitone is a tiny atom of dust. Such an atom, with a little moisture condensed about it, is the germ from which may grow a halitone capable of felling a man or smashing a window.

But first it must be caught up by a current of air and carried to the level of the lofty cirrus clouds, five or six or even ten miles high. Then, continually growing by fresh accessions of moisture, it begins its long plunge to the earth, spinning through the clouds and flashing in the sun like a diamond bolt shot from a rainbow.

A Chinese Legend. One evening, when the beautiful Kau Si, daughter of a powerful Chinese mandarin, was assisting at the great feast of lanterns, she was overcome by the heat that she was obliged to take off her mask. But to expose her face to the eyes of the profane and vulgar was a serious offense against the law; so, holding the mask as closely as possible to her features, she fluttered in rapidly to give herself air, and the rapidity of the movement still concealed her. The other ladies present, witnessing this hardy but charming innovation, imitated it, and at once some thousand hands were fluttering some thousand masks. Thus the fan was originated and took the place of the mask.

School Days. Country schoolmasters have peculiar experiences unlike their city cousins. A rural pedagogue relates that one day he received from a small boy a slip of paper which was supposed to contain an excuse for the nonattendance of the small boy's big brother. He examined the paper, and found thereon the word, "Cepatomotogaturang." Utterly unable to decipher the puzzle, he appealed to the small boy, who explained that it meant that his brother had been "kept at home to go to school"—that is, to his potatoes.

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Our Diamond Puzzle Contest just closed, has proved to be the greatest advertising campaign ever conducted in the Middle West. Answers have poured in from almost every state in the Union and judging from the quality of the answers received, a great deal of interest has manifested by the people taking part; some of the neatest of these which will be on display in our window. The four Grand Prizes were awarded as follows:

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