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DAILY MARKETS

Official Receipts, 89 Car. 2363 Cattle; 120 Cars, 8141 Hogs; 4 Cars, 1002 Sheep.

WEAK FEELING IN CATTLE

Proportion of Fat Steers Smaller, But Demand Does Not Pick Up Materially.

BEARISH TONE IN SHE STOCK

Receipts More Liberal, Half of Day's Cattle Run Was Made Up of Cows and Heifers-Heifers Weak, Cows Mostly Steady-Steady Market For Stock Cattle-Hogs in Big Slump of 10 to 15 Cents-Sheep and Lambs

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	1911	1910	Dec.	Inc.
Cattle	144,460	155,215	11.775	
Hogs	540,436	438,383		102,048
Eheep	232,9.3	153,960		79,003
Horses	18,082	9,606	****	8,476

Live Stock in Sight. The following shows the estimated receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at

the nve principal wester	n mar	Keus:
Cattle	Hogs	Sheep
Chicago 19,000	25,000	20,000
Kansas City 10,000	19,000	4,500
South Omaba 5,600	15,000	8,700
Eouth St. Joseph 2,400	8,100	1,000
East St. Louis 3,200	11,500	4,200
Totals 40,200	78,600	38,400
Yesterday 22,700	56,800	31,100
Week ago 25,200	72,200	33,500
Month ago 27,200	60,800	29,800
Year ago 40,400	53,300	24,100
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Receipts by Cars.

The following shows the number of cars of stock handled today by rail-Great Western

CATTLE.

No Improvement in Beef Cattle Outlet, Feeling Weak.

Cattle trade today was another disappointment to selling interests. Demand continues slack and a general increase in supplies did not help the situation any. Local supply, estimated at 2200, was 500 larger than a week ago but comparatively moderate for a mid-week session. At the five markets the total was 41,500, the largest of the week, and 16,000 in excess of the light run of last Wednes-This reduces the shrinkage in total supplies for the week to around 8000 as compared with the first half of last week. Of the supply in sight Chicago had 20,000, 6000 more than the Tuesday estimate and 9000 more than were offered a week ago. That market was reported opening a dime lower and this tended to dtpress the

There was a smaller proportion of steers in the local run of cattle today than usual but at that there was a pretty good supply available. Good useful kinds of steers were quite plentiful but the run turned up nothing of strictly choice quality. The same slow tone that pervaded the market on the preceding day was in evidence at the start this morning. It was late before buyers mounted

24...1275..6 00 21...1248. 4...1465..6 00 60...1126. 5...1234..6 00 21...1215. 6.... 940..5 95 20n.2.1328. 20....1353..5 95 6....1324. 51....1255..5 95 22....1101. 23....1370..5 95 4.... 922.

COWS, BULLS AND MIXED, The bearish tone was felt in the narket for she stuff, particularly on heifers and mixed yearlings. There was some enlargement in receipts, was some enlargement in receipts, about half of the day's cattle supply consisting of cows and heifers. Demand for fat cows was in fair shape and this class of stock held about steady with the previous day, although instances of weakness were not infrequent. Heifers and mixed steers and heifers comprised a liberal percentage of the run of butcher classes and these met a very sluggish outlet with bids and sales mostly 100 15c lower than yesterday, or around 150 25c lower than the best level of opening day of the week. Movement opening day of the week. Movement was slow, sellers granting concessions with considerable reluctance

The moderate run of bulls sold or a steady to weak basis. The market for veal calves was slow and prices

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2.... 145..6 50 1.... 110..6 50 1.... 260..4 75 1.... 210..4 2.... 100..4 3.... 153..6 50 1.... 70..4 00 STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

Regulation Wednesday trade in the stocker and feeder division today. Supplies were light in comparison with the cattle run but at that were their horses and entered the alleys large enough to meet all trade re and the forenoon was well advanced quirements, as demand is not espec and the forenoon was well advanced before there was much of a movement in the direction of the scales. Buyers were moving cautiously and bids forthcoming were generally of a lower pitch on the earlier rounds. Buyers succeeded in effecting a general decline in steer prices. A 10c cut was quotable on practically all in second hands. As a rule prices were about steady atthough there

busy with farming operations and predict an improvement in the outlet as soon as spring plowing and corn planting is over. One load of Polled as other markets which were only

Yearlings and Calves. Feeding Cows and Stock Heifers, 1.... 620 .. 4 2 2.... 935..3 7 Feeding Bulls and Stags. 860 . . 4 25 | 2 540 . . 3 80 Packers' Cattle Purchases. Hammond Packing Co..... Morris & Co.....

HOGS. Slumpy Tone to Live Pork Trade, Prices Recede 10@15c.

The upward tendency of the hog Sheep-Receipts, arket noted the past few days was weak to 10c lower abruptly halted today. Receipts in the aggregate at five markets were only slightly larger than a week ago but packers evidently thought values Special to The Journal: The Droven had advanced far enough and were out to do a little price pruning all along the line. The market opened slow, few sales bds weak to 15c low-slow and 10c lower, became 10@15c er, cows heifers steady to 10c lower, lower and closed dull with most of stockers steady to weak, calves 25@1 10 lower and closed dull with most of the late sales showing the maximum 50c lower. Hogs—Receipts, 19,000, Market 10 Hogs—Receipts, 19,000, Market 10 Hogs—Receipts, 19,000 holds to 19,000. decline. First estimates called for decline. First estimates called for 8000 hogs for this point. Later the run was trimmed down to 7500, late trains running less "hoggy" than expected. Quality of the offerings was good on an average. Light weight the color was recommended by loads were not numerous but there was a big quota of nice smooth mewas a big quota of nice smooth me-dium weight butchers. Top on lights Special to The Journal: The Drovers

The bulk yesterday sold at \$6.15@ \$5.90@6.00.
6.40. a week ago at \$6.00@6.25, a Shetp—Re month ago at \$6.55@6.75, a year ago at \$8.85@9.00, two years ago at \$6.80 @ 7.15, three years ago at \$5.40@ 5.55 and four years ago at \$6.42\\(\) @ 6.45.

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Packers' Hog Purchases.

SHEEP.

loads of the "Cooper lambs," the san as sold here yesterday at \$6.00 cros 4.... 672..5 40 as sold here yesterday at \$6.00 cross 2.... 490..5 25 ed the scales at the same figure to 2.... 400..5 00 day. The two cars of clipped stock ... 594 ... 5 50 4 ... 657 .. 5 90 previously mentioned was the subject of much wrangling on the part of buyers and sellers and it was close to noon before these were started scale ward at \$5.10. 236 west lambs...... 74 6 00 257 west lambs....... 75 6 00 230 clipptd lambs...... 77 5 10 10 cull lambs. 77

OTHER LIVESTOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO. CHICAGO Union Stock Yards, Ill., April 19.—The Live Stock World re-

@ 20c lower, cows - 10@15c lower, feeders weak. Hogs-Receipts, 25,000 Market 10 @ 15c lower. Top \$6.50, bulk \$6.20@ Sheep-Receipts, 20,000. Market

SOUTH OMAHA.

Journal-Steekman reports: Reports from outside markets indicated a general lowering of values.

Prices ranged from \$6.00@6.35,
with the bulk selling at \$6.05@6.20.

Journal-Steckman reports:
Cattle—Receipts, 5600. Market 10
lower, slow, top \$6.25.
Hogs—Receipts, 15,000. Market 10c
lower, closing weak. Top \$6.15, bulk

EAST ST. LOUIS.
EAST ST. LOUIS, National Stock ards, Ill., April 19.—Special to The

PIMBLEY PAINT AND GLASS CO., 13 South Sixth street, St. Joseph, Mo. ATTENTION, VOTERS.

Do not forget to vote for the School Levy at the school election Saturday, April 22d. Unless the levy carries, the schools will be cut to a five months' term next year. The total rate of taxation will be \$1.05, being \$80c for maintenance atid 25c for interest and sinking funds, the same as at recent but considerable with considerable quantities. It has been decided, and preparations are now far advenued, toward a two days' celevation of the week is to see St. The principal timber far advenued, toward a two days' celevation of the week is pine, with considerable quantities of the west. at present, but according to law the useful to waters of white oak and some cypress.

It is pine, with considerable quantities ebration of the opening of the Westjuestion must be submitted to voters for approval every two years. You are not asked to increase the levy over on the present basis.

revenue to maintain a nine months Henry W. Burke, John P. Strong,

Carroll L. Connett, W. E. Warrick, David E. Curtin, L. O. Weakley, St. Joseph.

NOT ALL DROUGHT TALK.

Section Has Had Too Much Rain.

Among shippers arriving at the possition of the department and agree upon rules for the immediate sale of this timber is many miles from the califorad, very large spenditure and drouth damage. Apparently, however, some localities in strong to part of this timber is many miles from the railroad, very inaccessible, and it ill have to be sold in such quantities as will justify large expenditures by unchasers in order to handle it. We instances. According to P. J. Rowlett of New Hampton, Mo., who was a visitor at the yards today, his section has had an excess of moisture. "We have had a little too much rain and oat planting has been held back, owing to the wet weather," said Mr. Rowlett. "Showers have been so frequent that some farmers are not through seeding yet. The early planted at show a good stand. Grass is coming along nicely."

DEATH OF JAMES BARNES

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TO SELL LUMBER

Million and a Half Acres Being **Appraised by Government** Experts.

VALUES ARE FABULOUS

Cattle—Receipts, 19,000, Market 10 Indians Will Reap Vast Harvest From Sale of Oklahoma Property.

PRACTICAL TIMBER

Making An Estimate of Amount and Value of Timber on Lands in Question and Have Trebled Money Val. A RICHARDSON CO. PIONEER ue Estimated a Few Years Ago-No Wm, Riley Located in Southeaste, n Formal Announcement of Sale of Timber Has Yet Been Made.

Mr. Ballinger, who has just retired as secretary of the interior, he prosecuted an inquiry into the matter, and as a result he directed a reappraisement of the timber in this reserve at the expense of the two tribes, and the work began in 1910, and it is proposed to finish it by June 3, 1911. There are now twenty expert timber men in Most Important That You Go to the Polls Saturday.

ed to finish it by June 3, 1911. There are now twenty expert timber men in the field with the necessary equipment and assistants. These experts

TWO DAYS' were selected with great care, and for the most part came from British Co-lumbia and the northwest, and draw

Parades Friday and Saturday, High

Increase in Quantity. are not asked to increase the levy over last year but to maintain the schools I was surprised to learn of the in-Saturday. Let everybody come and Beckley, phones 2004. ast year but to maintain the schools in the present basis.

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Saturday, Let everybody come and see the great civic parade on Friday.

M. Snider, well known shipper of the industrial parade on Saturday and the carnival doings of Saturday night.

For the industrial parade of Saturday afternoon the whole live stock industrial parade of Saturday afternoon the whole live stock industrial parade of Saturday on the market today.

Champion Molasses Feed by actual test has proven by far to be the best try will have floats in line. Live feed fed with ensilage. No feed equals

Now Hampton, Mo., Man Says That Section Has Had Too Much Rain.

The regulations for the sate of this timber, of course, have only been discussed in an informal way, but when the estimates are completed the tribal attorneys will meet with the represented on the market seen in the Missouri Valley.

The regulations for the sate of this discussion in the sate of the s sentatives of the department and agree upon rules for the immediate sale of there will be a game of ball at League sentatives of the department and agree

SHEEP.

Sheep in second hunds. As a rule prices we were allowed to the case of heavy steep were and hould steady, although there was a tendency to shade values on the weighty and half fat feeders and no some instances failed to do so. The whole market, however, was life edgeation was surprisingly small today; in fact there you find the lower level. It took a pretty good class of steers, to get past had to sold in so, 105, 25, 25 and and sold in some instances and there was quite a inguisition of the weight and half and medium produced as a market criterion. Demand at the present there was quite a inguisition of the weight of the state of the comparison.

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son, Lee, who also had in a string of cattle from their feed lots. The two latter gentlemen agreed with Mr. Hodgson that the supply of fat cattle in Adams county has been pretty

closely shipped out and that the num-ber on feed in the county is away short of an average. "I take the fact that stock cattle prices are relatively higher on the markets than fat cat tle as an indication that supplies the country over must be short; otherwise I cannot see why men would be taking the young cattle at the high keted two cars of hogs here today prices. Seems to me that farmers R. Whisler & Son and W. H. Ca and feeders have had enough of bidding the market up on themselves and would not be account to the market today.

R. Whisler & Son and W. H. Case of Farragut, Ia., forwarded in hogs for the market today. and would not be paying the prices at the markets if they could get the Mo., on the market with a mixed load cattle in the country," said Mr. Hodg-son. "In some parts of Nebraska

there are still a good many cattle on feed, but this is only in isolated localities. In our county there are but a few loads on feed and it has been a long time since there were as few young cattle to go on feed as there market with stock today. The forsupply, there will be more than an average crop and the weather has been ideal for getting the little squealers started right. We are not suffering any from drouth as yet, although a warm cain would help grass.

though a warm rain would help grass, wheat and oats. Not more than an average corn acreage will be put into the ground for this spring."

Nebraska in 1859.

Um Riley, one of the ploreers Richardson county, Rebraska, was at the yards yesterday marketing three loads of cattle and a car of hogs. Mr. of Ruskin, Neb., increased today's hog Guthrie, Ok., April 19.-The sale of Riley owns a farm near the present receipts one car. Cattle—Receipts, 5600. Market 10 lower, slow, top \$6.25. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000. Market 10c lower, dosing weak. Top \$6.15, bulk \$5.90 @ 6.00. Shetp—Receipts, 8700. Market together with the state. To look into the timber estimates, Judge E. P. Hill of McAlester, national attorney for the Choctaw in the coming of the B. & M. railroad steady.

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Cattle—Receipts, 3200. Market 10c lower.

Hogs—Receipts, 11,500. Market 10c lower.

Shiep—Receipts, 4200. Market 10c lower.

J. F. Boesing of Firth, Neb., was here today with a consignment of hogs of his own feeding.

Walth at Commons and Stock Words and Latiner counties. Says Judge Hill, "are located in McCurtain, Pushmataha, Le Plore and Latiner counties. Some years ago this large area was arbitrarily withdrawn from the alloument by the Interior Department and set aside as 'forest reserve.' The big increase in land values a good many farmers forsook cattle and began raising more grain. The up-keep of the land, however, has not been neglected, broadly speaking. Almost every farmer feeds one, two or three or more cars of cattle every year, and in this manner the fertility of the land has been pretty well maintained.'

Mr. Riley has maintained a ranch orange and farm-stock counties of the state.

"We are not raising as many cattle as a few years ago," said Mr. Riley. "Irve" Donald, a regular of Marys-ville, Kan., had a mixed load on to-day's market.

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TWO DAYS' DOINGS.

monster parades and a carnival nigh try will have floats in line. Live stock Exchange, Stock Yards Company, Swift & Co., Nelson Morris & Co. and the Hammond Packing plants servative, will amount to approximately 1,500,000,000 feet. ately 1,500,000,000 feet. visitors are cordially invited to visit and inspect these plants while in the

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A. B. Craig, the Rankin Farms and

tle and hogs from Tarkio, Mo. W. A. Widney & Co. and Henry Herzberg of Yorktown, Ia., each mar-

of stock today.

W. H. Meyers and D. W. Cushman of Morrill, Kan., were noted on the

Ten cars of stock were marketed acre today out of Nora, Neb., by the following: N. C. Hansen, C. P. Paulson, Fred Runge, C. W. Epley and F.

L. E. Harding had in a car each of tile and hogs from Hebron, Neb.

See Al. Bright for Molasses Feed. C. O. Brown, a regular shipper of nambaugh, Ia., had a car of hogs on today's market

F. M. Noon of Cawker City, Kan., ad in a car of hogs today from his

AUTO REPAIRING and Storage-

J. M. Armstrong, southeast corner 13th and Frederick Avenue. Chas, Moritz, a regular shipper

Feeds. W. A. Widney of Yorktown, Ist., was here today with his semi-weekly consignment of hogs.

L. G. Blakslee, regular shipper of Gravity, Ia., had a load of hogs on the market today. Wise Feeders use Excello Feeds.

Carl Winkler, farmer and feeder of Hamburg, Ia., came in today with a two-car consignment of stock, load of hogs and one of cattle. AUTOS FOR HIRE-5 and 7 pas-

test has proven by far to be the best feed fed with ensilage. No feed equals Geo. Stitt, regular shipper of Coin.

a car of heifers. Buy Champion Feed for quick results. Cattle relish it. Champion Feed Co., Tarkio, Missouri.

today with a ar of heifers. Al. Bright seils Champion Feed. Hefleger & Nispel, big shippers of Plymouth, Neb., had a two-car con-

Doniphan. Neb., Stockman Reports
Considerable Dry Weather Damage.

C. T. Young, member of the live stock feeding and shipping firm of many years are left and near Sterling, about a quarter of which is devoted to the raising of sugar beets. He also owns a cattle ranch in Logan country of the live stock feeding and shipping firm of many years are left and the consisting of about 2000 acres. Not so country to the fact that farmers are first conditions and predict at improvement in the outlet retrail change in the price list was on as spring plowing and corn as soon as spring plowing and corn planting is over. One load of Polled as other markets which were only planting is over. One load of Polled as other markets which were only planting is over. One load of Polled as other markets which were only planting is over. One load of Polled as other markets which were only planting is over. One load of Polled as other markets which were only planting is over. One load of Polled as other markets which were only planting is over. One load of Polled as other markets which were only planting is over. One load of Polled as other markets which were only planting is over. One load of Polled as other markets which were only of 20,000 sending in reports of a market planting in the planting in the local planting in the locality is doing comments that the planting in the local planting in the local planting in the local planting in the local planting in the locality is doing comments that the planting in the local planting in the local

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port. Condition has improved less and pretending to listen? Here's a standing at 83.3, which is about three tween rations. Hand them the afterpoints higher than last year. But the increased acreagt holds promise of a big crop. Usually condition declines tween rations. Hand then the always the-feed talk job. They're always carrying around large cargoes of technicalities and mysteries and wanting to unload them on a court or dying the captured man said he is Charles Allen Shountz, Burlington, In. from April to harvest, but last year congregation or some other bunch were three suits of clothes and a suit that can't help itself.

condition standing at 55; but rains start any insurrecting things arou not accounted in the report have have kayudles are mobilized in the bald since materially improved the prossince materially improved the prospect. Texas had early rains and Jumped 14 points in condition. Most of Texas has now had a thorough wetting after a discouraging period of drouth. Kansas has gained, and the other combelt states promise materially increased harvests. Pennsylvania, New York and Maryland will lace there, trimmed the thing in word

days past, and made a substantial ad- his den one day and read the thing in the western and northwestern c

DISK THE ALFALFA.

The foremost method of cultivating alfalfa is with the disk harrow, one of the most excellent farm imple ments ever invented. Alfalfa sown in the fall is almost invariably helped Minerva, O., Young Woman Faced by disking the following spring, with the disks set quite straight, so as not disk their alfalfa fields every spring, cide.

City Office—Rooms 2 and 3, Rock Dacidy's Bedtime

Getting Even With Untidy Ted



Cuarding the floor'

OUNGSTIRE," said daddy one evening to Evelyn and Jack—and his far wore a very sly smile—"I know that you two are never untidy and clear up your things nicely, so of course you can't be like the land clear up your things nicely, so of course you can't be like the FOUNDSTIRES," said daddy one evening to Evelyn and Jack- and his boy in this story.'

Evelyn langhed, for she is careful with her toys and her books and her sewing mat rists, but Jack hung his head.

"This little boy's name was Ted, and they called him 'Untidy Ted.'" daddy went on, "for he never knew how to keep his things in order. Many times his mother and his daddy scolded him, but it did not seem to be any use. When he had finished playing he would leave his things scattered about in all sorts of places, and mother had to tell the maid to clear up after him. It was quite a good deal of work, I assure you, and mother and the maid did not like it at a l. Mother became quite cross and said that she would have to take all his toys away from Ted if he did not mend his ways.

"This is the way in which 'Untidy Ted' was cured of his bad habit of scatterings his things about the house:

"One evening just at dusk he had just entered his toy room to get some thing. It was pretty dark, and he could not see well. So he was greatly surprised to hear the door close behind him and find himself a prisoner, for there, when he looked behind him, he saw one of his toy soldiers guarding the door to keep him from escaping. I said one of his toy soldiers, but it was really one of them grown up as big as a man and looking very flerce.

"Ou the floor in a circle were the rest of Ted's toys. Every one of them had grown up suddenly to be as big or bigger than be was bimself, so be was badly scared, for they all looked at him with frowns on their faces. In the middle, seated on his own chair, was the general of his soldiers, and he was speaking to the rest of the toys.

"'What shall we do with this naughty boy now that we have him bere? said the general. 'Today I overheard his mother say that she was going to give us all away to the poor family down the street if he did not keep us in better order and not scatter us about the house."

"The toys made various suggestions. The soldiers wanted to shoot Ted.

The Teddy bears and the other animals wanted to eat him. "He was badly scared, I tell you. But at last he found his voice enor to beg very armestly that they should not barm him and promised to be be in the future. So they let him go, and afterward his mother never had

**************** SAYS THE GROUCH

"Y-a-h, mosey along? You don't and then do a talk strait that will pull yeggmen in "Hungariantown" here than one point since December, now lot of lawyers and preachers around, wounded man escaped with the third

wania, New York and Maryland will lace there, trimmed the thing in word frills and when the last dangling frill had been attached I passed it over to a committee to serve upon the sad from leading wheat growers in Saline cluding the crop report, but the marlike a calf that has not connected with day, and the farmers are going to its lacteal rations for two days. Mosey make every effort to have men enough on down the pike; you ain't looking on hand to take care of the yield,

PREFERRED DEATH TO ARREST

Bootlegging Charge.

to out the crowns but to split them. It is usually well to follow this disking with a tooth harrow, with its clares that he is convinced that the teeth set straight. Occasionally in a young woman took her own life by failure, Deputy Coroner Droege dedry summer the disk may be used to hanging because of her fear that she would be arrested on a bootlegging great advantage after the second, and warrant issued by Minerva, O., authorpossibly the third, cutting also. Many lities. He will render a verdict of sui-

Miss Haines was one of five persons and some after each cutting; others named in warrants issued recently by do so only once in every wo or three Mayor Pennock, of Minerva, on complaint of Rev. J. C. Finefrock, pastor years, owing to weather conditions of the Evangelical Lutheran church and the conditions of the alfalfa. In some instances the common harrow is used instead of a disk.

The disking has several beneficial there. Shortly after the arrest of Miss Haines' brother, Douglas, and her father, James F. Haines, the young woman left Minerva for Cleveland. In this city she visited her sister, Mrs. Mary Anderson. Saturday

POSTAL SAVINGS GROWTH

Forty-Five Additional Banks Go in This Month,

Washington, April 17 .- Steadily increasing interest in the postal savings bank system is indicated by a state-ment made public last night by Post-master General Hitchcock. It shows that \$201,961 was on deposit at the forty-eight postal savings banks at the rease of \$68.092. The number open accounts increased from 3,664 to 4,307 in March and the average balof depositors from \$36.54 to 9. This represents the business

Patronage has been better in the est than in the east. There has seen deposited in the twenty-two offices west of the Mississippi river \$148,699 as compared with only \$75,565 received in the twenty-six of h; Mr. Hitchcock proposes to have

, forty-five additional offices.

One Captured and Another Wounded Near Flat River, Mo.

Here's a the gang and wounded another. member. Sheriff London and a posse

was an exception to this rule.

Oklahoma has promise of only a little more than half the yield of ast year, with an increased acreage, the condition standing at 55 but rules. Standing any insurrecting things around where the condition standing at 55 but rules. Standing any insurrecting things around the Hungarians.

HARVEST HANDS NEEDED.

Saline County, Kansas, Alone Want More Than Two Thousand.

Salina, Kan., April 18 .- Officials of ounties in Central and Western Kansas have been asked by the free em-

tickled for once in his militant career. extra men will be needed in Salin The committee cornered the sphinx in county alone. The prospects for wheat Bawled ties was never equal to what it is to

BIG BUCK ELK STRANGLED

Giant Leader of Tarkio, Mo., Park Resents Change of Homes.

arrangements were made to ship him. While attempting to crate him he became excited and strangled to death.

this city.

STEERS BRING BIG MONEY.

IN WOMAN'S REALM

ALL ABOUT THE HOUSE.

each of the flowers.

ninutes. Scratches on polished wood, if not more than 450 feet across the top and so deep, can be removed by rubbing about 550 feet thick at the base. teo deep, can be removed by rubbing gently with fine sandpaper and then

whole and have it stand upright on the platter, put a carrot inside the fish before cooking and it will remain in position When making lemonade one of the

If you desire to serve a baked fish

emons may be peeled and run through meat chopper with a small piece of the peel. This will give the lemonade delightfully piquant flavor. * * *

RELATIVE TO SHIRTWAIST. Do not make the mistake of buying on much material for this season's

ucked shirtwaist. Fold material, place pattern

ront so that lower edge is even with

out in thin slices; sift a little flour over irst, then a third cup of sugar, a teaspoon of butter, two tablespoons of When the apples, are done cut cup of marshmallows in thin slices (with scissors) and cover the top and return to the oven until they are

Cherry Custard Pie-One heaping ing out their hopes to a successful tablespoon of flour, two heaping table-spoons of sugar, the yolk of two eggs, pint of sweet milk. Cover a deep pie pan with rich crust; into this put one ayer of stoned cherries, dust with sugar, and pour custard over the fruit. Beat the whites of eggs to a stiff froth ALLEGED YEGGMEN IN BATTLE add a little sugar, spread over the ple when the custerd is done; drop a few cherries on tap, return to the oven,

RHUBARB JELLY.

This vegetable is not made into felly as often as should be done. Rhubarb ful and well-to-do farmers. jelly. Cut one large bunch into fine pieces without beeling, add a large chopped apple, peel and seeds includ-ed. Cover, with hot water and cool until done. Mash fine and strain through jelly bag. To every cupful of juice add one cupful of hot granulated sugar. Boil juice until it begins to ell or about jell or about twenty-five minutes. Turn into scalded jelly glasses and eal with paraffin. * * *

PRESERVE HELP.

Occasionally I find among my pre-terves in the cellar a can that is be ginning to ferment on account of the ir getting inside in some way. I im mediately cook it up, adding about one cup sugar and one-half cup water to one quart of preserves, and let simner for half an hour.

If by then the natural taste is not

estored-if it tastes more like wine than preserves—I let it simmer down for another half hour and bottle it. This sauce is not injurious, and the winey taste is excellent if used sparover corn starch or other cus tard for dessert. Three or four teaspoonfuls over a dish of custard are

The sauce made in this way from blackberry, strawberry, blueberry, or raspberry preserves will bring good

* * * TASTY RECIPE.

Roast Beef.—The roast beef of old England is presumably the finest in both song and story, but we seldom meat. One of their most pleasing dishes is beefsteak stewed without the addition of water or any other fluid. his own life.
To prepare this have three or four. The car wa Tarkio, Mo. April 18.—The giant buck elk of the late David Rankin's deer park is dead. This animal, in season, had a wonderful pair of horns and children passing along the street would at times tease him and it was feared that sometime he might break through the fence of the park and infure someone. So ft was decided to dispose of him. An eastern zoo was more than anxious to secure him and arrangements were made to ship him. While attempting to crate him he became excited and strangled to death. He was immediately prepared for eating and the residents of Tarkio had ing and the residents of Tarkio had spoonful of walnut or tomato catsup ered all the time. It will require about elk meat once more. The deer park spoonful of walnut or tomato catsup contains various kinds of deer, elk and moose and is a famous sight in the gravylin the pan; let it get hot and more over the clean. and pour over the steak. Sometimes a slice or two of onion or carrot is added to impart a delicate flavor to the st the but it is quite delicious without. steak

BIG DAM COMPLETED.

Campaign for Settling Big Tract Will Be Started Immediately.

Pueblo, Colo., April 18.-After nearly two years the big dam of the ****************** Teller Land and Reservoir Company For a sightly and tasty addition to the salad sprinkle it lightly with finely minced green peppers or finely shredded pistachio nuts.

To keep tulips used as table decorations from opening wide a tiny bit of wax should be dropped on the ealyx of each of the following tract.

The dam which has just been completed will store behind it more than 30.000 acre feet. Bent whalehone, the genuine article, may be straightened by soaking before using in boiling water for a few than enough for the entire tract of land which makes up the greater part of the Teller Gardens. It stands 195 feet in height, or about fifteen feet in height for the feet in height fe than enough for the entire tract of above the natural spillway

> Mr. Teller and his associates in the company are at present engaged in rounding out a scheme for bringing hundreds of farmers to Pueblo cour ty from other sections of the west for the purpose of investing in the Teller tract. Pueblo will receive from this source of advertisement great benefit. Its resources will be brought to the by W. H. Radway, president of the eyes of thousands of the residents in Caldwell Commercial Club. On ac the middle west, many of whom may not perhaps come to the district at that part of the state through irrigapresent but who will nevertheless have the name of one of the most prosperous communities brought to their attention in a way that should they ever contemplate a change from their present location it will create a lasting impression.
>
> Nearly 300,000 acres of land triber of the greatest producing sections.

For the average figure two yards of material is sufficient to make a plain neterial is sufficient to make a plain Nebraska. A moderate price has Fayette irrigation project is being Nebraska. A moderate price has been put on the land. That all the water necessary is at hand the Teller water necessary is at hand the Teller the immense reservoir, which have the pushed supplied is but six mile.

spoonful grated carrot, one heaping tablespoonful flour, one-half cup sugar, yolks of two eggs, saving whites for the top, a little dust of nutmeg, one cup of milk, also a piece of butter the size of a walnut. Cook on top of stove to fill piecrust, then beat the white and brown in oven.

Apple Marshmallow Pie—Cover a deep pie pan with rich crust; into this place regularly good cooking apples, place regularly good cooking apples, as tissiled that the Teller dam is a sucnoticed with the court of the country tributary to Caldwell."

The country tributary to Caldwell. "The country tributary to Caldwell." Said Mr. Redway, "is settling up fast, and of course a good effect has been notified on our city. Caldwell has cess in every detail. the company in the Pueblo offices are jubilant that their project has been water and sewerage systems. completed to the point where nothing remains but to dispose of the great tract of land which will, they believe, prove one of the garden spots of the state. It has every indication of bear-

Mr. J. C. Teller, the head of the Teller Land and Reservoir Company, said that he had completed arrangements for the financing of his proje and that a campaign to sell the lam would be started at once. He is arm ed_with expert, as well as practica opinions of the land of the tract and that it embraces some of the riches land in Colorado for agricultural pur poses is reasonably certain as thos spots which have been settled for some time are the homes of success-

WIND OUTSTRIPS STEAM.

Wild Box Car in Kansas Blown 51 Miles in Sterm.

The Santa Fe agent at Nekoma, and, according to the Rush county, on the following day listed stock car No. 11643 as standing by Risen.

on the siding there.

The reports of the trainmen and came to Illinois recently from Green train dispatchers failed to show that county, Kentucky. any train on the Great Bend-Scott City branch had carried the said stock car No. 11643 either on March 25 or

In fact, Division Superintendent Tice received positive assurance that this stock car had not been handled by crew on either of those days. And yet there wasn't any getting around it, stock car No. 11643, which, on Saturday night was to a certainty standing in the stock switch at Digh-

For forty-eight hours the officials in the Santa Fe division freight offices in Hutchinson were puzzled over the strange mystery of stock car No. The best seems of the strange mystery of stock car No.

How It Rreally Happened.

A detailed report from the agent at Dighton cleared up the mystery. The roctly or indirectly. About a roctly of Sunday afternoon, were enacted into law. The wedical, and not needed, hopped the moving car, at the risk of

The car was standing on the stock

Agent Chaddock of Dighton saw the car dash past the station. There was nothing he could do to stop the runa-way, but he jumped for the telegraph key and sounded an alarm along the Branch.

The train dispatcher was notified and all operators were ordered to get

at the tracks, in spite of the high gale to see the runsway dash through. It tore through Ness City at a rate of thirty miles an hour. Agent William Johnson tried his best to head it off, but it was going too rapidly to think

of hopping the car. Bazine was the next stop, and the whole town was out there but across the mouth of Turkey Creek speed. With a roar the car plunged on When making sweet croquettes add a little sugar to the crumbs in which the teams which have been engaged in the croquettes are to be rolled.

Celery can be much improved by Pueblo and all of the men have been lieve it would stop before it reached

But the Santa Fe has a former brakeman for agent at Nekoma. Furthermore there is a rather steep grade just before the town is reached. The Nekoma agent ran to that grade, waited for the runaway, and when it slackened its pace somewhat he made a plunge for the hand rail, succeeded in keeping hold, and in another minute was on top of the car, had the brakes set and brought the runaway to a halt in front of the station.

IDAHO HAS BIG GROWTH.

Reclamation of Land and Electric Lines Contribute to Prosperity.

Portland, Ore., April 18 .- Southern Idaho is making papid progress, and count of the great development

The members of noticed on our city. Caldwell ha now over 5000 population, with pave twenty-two miles west of us to ta the rich fruit district.

Mr. Redway, accompanied by his wife, has been spending the winter it and will remain in Portland a few days before returning t

FATAL DICE GAME IN JAIL

"Lodgers" Quarrel Over Ten-Cent Be and Shooting Follows.

Auburn, Ill., April 17 .- While game of dice was in progress in the village prison here before daylight yesterday morning. Lee Risen shot and killed Henry Lindsey, 35 years old, in a dispute over a 10-cent wager Risen made his escape and though a his traff, he is still at large.

The portion of the prison where the Great Bend, Kan., April -8.—The at night for destitutes. Risen, Lind-Great Bend, Kan., April -8.—The Santa Fe agent at Dighton on March 25 listed among the cars on the track there stock car No. 11643.

The Santa Fe agent at Nekoma, and, according to the verdict of the coroner's Jury, Lindsey was murdered

Risen is about 23 years old and

TO FIND NEW ISSUES.

In the opinion of a Kansas politi-cian who has been prominently identhe Topeka State Journal, the rail road question will not be so strong at issue in the future as in the pas "The railroads have been pretty thorsoughly regulated," he said, "and it probably would be wise to give then an opportunity to do some business standing in the stock switch at Distriction, was now, Sunday night, just as certainly standing on the siding at Nekoma, Rush county, fifty-four miles the duty of regulating the railroad, the duty of regulating the railroad, the duty of regulating the responsibility. We don't want to carry regulation to the extent of disturbing commercial also must assume the responsibility of regulating them properly. The people realize this responsibility, and

are going slowly.

"In the last session of the Kansas legislature," the politician continued, "there were 146 bills introduced "there were 146 bills introdu which had to do with railroads About a dozen both song and story, but we seldom March 26, had blown that stock car were radical, and not needed, and a near of the many other excellent ways the fifty-four miles, and it might have conservative legislature turned them in which English cooks prepare this blown it all the way through to Hunchmeat. One of their most pleasing inson had not the agent at Nekoma sentiment on the railroad question. The change is noticed all over the country. In the Oklahoma legislature more than 100 anti-railroad bills wer introduced. Only three were enacted into law, and the Governor vetoed all of them. In Texas the governor has

come out boldly against further rail-road legislation.
"No railroad building has been done lately. The railroad people sa it is because conditions are unsettled owing to adverse legislation. I demand for more railroads, and the people say, Give the railroads a chance to build into undeveloped territory. That's why the railroads will be dropped as an issue, and something else taken up to fight about—reciproc-ity, or the war with Mexico, or the consolidation of state boards, or something of that sort. Future regulation of the railroads will be left to the

trains in the clear, open the switches and prevent the runaway from crashing into anything.

The runaway car dashed through

Los Angeles, Cal.—The great for the runaway car dashed through is used instead of a disk.

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The disking has several beneficial effects. It splits and spreads the common harrow is used in the crowns, causing more and consequently finer steins to spring up, affording hay of the most delightful quality enably cured; it loosens the soil about the crowns, conserves moisture and the crowns, conserves moisture and esstroys the weeds. There need be fear of killing the plants if the



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Varying Prices of Drugs.

The epidemic of plague in the far

East has caused an enormous demand

for disinfectants of various kinds, es-

pecially carbolic acid, which has ad-

vanced upward of 50 per cent. Other

drugs which are dearer from various

causes are menthol, ofl of peppermint,

camphor, opium and morphine. Men-

thol, which is used in large quantities

as an outward application for headache and neuralgia, has doubled in

price during the last few months, chief-

ly as a consequence of a shortage in the Japanese peppermint crop. Cam-phor, the bulk of the supply of which

also comes from Japan, has advanced

about 30 per cent. Oplum, and conse-

quently morphine, are dearer on ac-

count of the damage done by the frost to the young poppy plants in Asia Mi-nor.—Medical Times.

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Stockmen make this your headquarters when in St. Joseph. This paper on file daily. son for his immunity was his known in their play. Freeman's Cafe cleverness with his fists.

respect. And yet here, up in the Mich- money fixed 'em.

evidences of a too-effeminate civiliza- vet. ject for much discussion.

Folwell did not mind it, at first, ed sort of smile. Boys will be boys," he said to himbigger. So he chatted with the pret- going to do?" ty girl and calmly ignored the young

nore appropriate to December than sion early March. The wind was searchingly cold.

After a moment's hesitation Folwell cabin a short distance away-a squat-



through which a light shone. He knocked and entered. Sam, the teamster, who had driven him from Princeville, rose to greet him. "Sam," said Folwell, when the team-

ster was puffing appreciatively at one of his cigars, "I didn't come over here exactly to pass the time of day. I wanted to ask a few questions. How does this look to you?" "This" was

a dollar bill. "Looks good," grinned Samuel. "Well, then, what sort of a game have you put me up against? You agreed to drive me to Rocky Creek. Instead, you head over here, claiming your harness is broken. And two chaps, fresh as paint, try to give me third degree. What's the joke, any-

"Aw, you'll get to Rocky Creek, all uncomfortably. "And you'll get a better bed here than you would over there. The creek's only a couple of tell you?'

"That depends. Anyway, you'll get your dollar.'

Sam smoothed his scraggly musache, cleared his throat and began:

"This place, an' most o' the county picturesque so far's that goes, belongs to old Tommy Slade. He has been a lumberjack and a white moon made dimly vivid and a timber cruiser. We've had some the horizon lines with some detail of high old times together, for Tommy woods and field in the foreground. Diwas one of the boys. But he saved rectly south on a hill by the Hewitt his money an' bought cheap pine farm stood a tall dead pine which lands. He held 'em till the prices some train-lit fire of grass and brush went up, an' so he's a millionaire.

winter; can't forget the smell o' spruce. Brings his family, too."

"Where is he now?" his wife; be back after a while. "The girl in there is their daughter,

"Yes. I thought I'd seen him before. He plays in western dramas."

an' sleep an' write an' box there.' "Box, you say? Have they gloves?"

"Sure. An' tramp through the woods Local Color Sure. An' tramp through the woods loaded with deadly weepins, like Davy Crockett. But they don't shoot anything. Never saw a man who wouldn't wear suspenders that could hit an acre o' pine stumps.

"Here's where I come in. This play they're writin' is a backwoods dram-Gerald Folwell came to a realization mer, an' they need what they call of the fact, presently, that his hosts 'local color.' Whenever I pick up a were making game of him. It was a likely-lookin' chap goin' from Prince novel sensation. In college he had ville to Rocky Creek, my harness been so popular because of his ath- breaks and I tote him up here. They letic prowess that they had not "rag- feed him an' lodge him an' get him ged" him. Perhaps an additional rea- mad so's he'll talk stuff they can put

"I get two dollars a head for each Since taking up his profession, engi- one. An' I've brought em' some birds. neering, he had shown the ability to A couple o' lumberjacks started to get along with people and to command rough-house one night, but a little arduous occupation of propitiating

igan jackpine wilderness, a couple of "The girl don't like the way they pseudo-woodsmen were trying to put act. She says it's abusing the name omething over on him! And trying of hospitality. That keeps them in lights inside, will be sent floating it, furthermore, in the presence of an bounds a little, for Courtland wants to down the river with the current pretty a girl as one might wish to see. marry her. But I don't believe she These lights are for the benefit of the The supper table in the log cabin cares a cent for him. Old Tommy, he was enlivened by covert allusions to just laughs and tells them to go able to see their way about on dark his stiff hat, starched shirt and other ahead. He says they'll got theirs

tion. The boundless presumption of Folwell rose. "Here's your dollar, the genus tenderfoot was also a sub- Sam." The glint in his eye was more pronounced. He was smiling a pleas-

"Much obliged," said the teamster, self, tolerantly, though the "boys" pocketing the bill. Then he looked were as old as himself and one was curiously at Folwell. "Say, what you

"I'm going to give them-'theirs." In less than fifteen minutes young Slade was eagerly proposing that the and offensive. He noted that the in- traveler put on the gloves with him. hospitality of her friends was becom- He believed it was his own suggestion ing embarrassing to the girl. A glint entirely; but Folwell, accustomed to appeared in Folwell's eye. That meant leading timid and close-fisted capital into costly engineering projects, had When the meal was finished the really goaded him to the challenge. engineer strolled out of the cabin. Courtland, the vain and handsome, Darkness had settled over the lonely was also blinded by his cleverness; landscape. The snow was more than but in the eves of Miss Slade, as he knee-deep and a storm was setting in was pulling on the gloves, Folwell a grim, determined sort of storm caught a look of amused comprehen-

Tommy Slade would never have made his mark in the ring. He was game as a pebble, but too impetuous. plunged through the drifts to another He tried to rush Folwell after several smart raps had brought the tears to his eyes. One particularly angry and incautious charge the engineer sidestepped. At the same moment he accelerated Tommy's speed with a swing behind the ear.

As a result, the millionaire's son crashed into the log wall, head down, and dropped in a heap. He was up in an instant, but too dizzy to see. By common consent the bout was terminated. Courtland, doubtless eager to show his prowess before the girl he loved donned the gloves which Tommy wearily relinquished

The actor had reach and strength; but cigarettes had weakened his endurance and he lacked the engineer's science. So Folwell, his gray eyes right good will. The door swung open on the climax.

Old Tommy Slade, smiling quizzically, and Sam, a-grin through his mustache, noted Tommy nursing a bump land, sitting dazed against the wall where he had fallen, his aristocratic nose bleeding and his right eye swollen shut; Folwell, gloved hands on hips, dominating the scene from the center of the floor; and Grace curled up in a big chair, gazing spellbound at the victor

"This ought to make the big act for with an edge in his gentle tones that made his son writhe and Courtland flirt with the jam till somebody got a enough for Mr. M' 'tey's long thin

chap that's goin' to put a power dam licious dainty meat, and his hand is

across Rocky Creek?" "If I can get the capital," said the

engineer, unlacing the gloves. Old Tommy's glance rasped over the crestfallen collaborators again. and plainly shows his indignation at like you fight. By cracky, this makes me think I'll back you myself! Come over to the house. We'll talk it over."

The storm had increased and the wind bit the perspiring Folwell to the bone. But he seemed to float over right," replied Sam. He grinned again the drifts instead of plowing through them, for Grace Slade was beside him, her hand nestling confidingly into the crook of his arm. And he dared to hours away. You won't get mad if I hope that her heart kept time to the mad, sweet dance of his own.

> The Burning Pine. The daily scenes in cloud or sun from every point of Fairview Knoll are

On Tuesday night the air was clear had set ablaze. From one to two o'clock "He lives in New York, but he built it burned from base to summit, a great these cabins an' comes back every pencil of light, a torch so full aflame it scorched the hand of mother earth which held it, a glowing rocket that refused to soar save that from its sta-"Drove over to Rocky Creek with tionary height it spattered sparks and pyrotechnic splashes.

Grace. She stays with them in the burst of planned and particolored big shanty on the knoll back there, thunderbolts, but tinder turpentine ox-The yellow-haired lad is old Tommy's idized to quick disintegration, pine son, young Tommy. His friend, the once primed with pitch and resin, oldbig chap, is a play actor from New time reservoir of naval stores no York. Name's Vance Courtland; ever longer thrilled by vernal flowings; ceased its healing fragrance and its dark perennial green; dead and brown in parted layers, it was dropping dust "That's him," nodded Sam. "Well, of humus for supply of future cells of growth, but now impatient of a slow decay it spread its nitrogen in air and lay its carbon on the soil.—Southern Pines Tourist.

ate supper is their study-o. They eat PAY HOMAGE TO THE DEVILS Curlous Ceremony In China Which

Looked Upon as Insurance

Against Evil Spirite.

Once every year, during the first fifteen days of the seventh Chinese month the curious ceremony of Yu-Nan-Whei is celebrated, being, in fact, the paying of homage to the land and sea devils. Seven priests carry out the ceremony by offering up various forms of prayer and making an unearthly noise by beating gongs. Any one wishing to show his respect to the devile can do so by a payment of 600 cash-about 22 cents-to each of the priests, for which amount they will continue their performance for twelve hours-a truly modest remuneration for gentlemen engaged in the evil spirits. For an extra payment of 2,000 cash a number of small red paper boats, about six inches long, with sea devils, in order that they may be nights-a little attention which it is to be hoped these maritime demons appreciate. Having finished this per formance, the person on whose behalf It has been carried out goes away bappy in the conviction that he will not lose any of his family throughout the year either by sickness or b drowning, so that the whole ceremony may be looked upon as an insurance policy. At this time of year many thousands of the small lighted boats be seen floating down the Yangstzekiang, presenting a most unusual spectacle.-Wide World Maga-

THEIR CONCEPTION OF DUTY

Bookkeepers Rightfully Put Welfare of Firm Before Their Personal Convenience.

"You wouldn't think that devotion to duty could be carried to a ridicu lous extreme in these careless days would you?" asked a young man wh lives in a boarding house. "Well, le come under my observation every day bookkeepers by the same firm, a big wholesale house. They are inseparable, except that they positively refuse to take the same train, either going to leave the house together, walk to street car station, and then toss u a coin to see which one takes the firs train, and which waits for the next I had poticed this proceeding several times, and finally I asked one of them

Well, you see, it's this way,' h said. "My brother and I have kept the books for our house for a great many emitting sparks, battered him with a Years and we have an intimate know edge of the accounts. If anything should happen to us both, a railroad accident, for instance, it would cause the firm a great deal of annoyance That's why we never take the same

> "Lickens would have gloried in idealizing those two old chaps.'

How Filipinos Capture Monkeys. The Filipinos catch monkeys in a very funny way. Monkeys are very fond of the meat of cocoanuts. They are very lazy, though, about gnawing through the outer bark, and will only that play," murmured old Tommy, do so when very hungry. The Fillpino takes advantage of this greed and indolence by cutting a small open bite his lips. "I thought you bucks'd ing through the shells, just large hand to penetrate. W ... n he once gets He turned to Folwell. "You the inside he gets his hand full of denaturally wider when in this act than when it was thrust through the opening. Finding his hand will not come out, the monkey chatters, and scolds "You'll get it, all right if you argue the way he has been trapped, but never thinking of loosening his hold on the cocoanut meat and withdrawing his hand as easily as he put it in There he stands, an angry monkey until the native who set the cocoanu trap, comes and takes him captive.

Washington and Poacher.

As an example of Washington's fearlessness, Sparks, the historian, tells of an occasion when Washington was aroused to quick action upon discovering a poacher on his grounds Hearing the discharge of a gun he mounted his horse and, riding in the direction of the sound, soon found the smilar he intruder, who quickly jumped into his cance and paddled out into the river. 5-H .- P. Only \$119.50 Washington rode instantly into the water in spite of the poacher's threatening him with his fowling piece; and seizing the boat, he drew it to the shore, disarmed the poacher and gave him a sound thrashing then and there. -From H. A. Ogden's "Washington's Ten Narrow Escapes" in St. Nicholas.

Brought Home to Him. A Cincinnati judge entered the Wol-

cott yesterday morning and registered. He said he had just come from Boston. Then he put his hand in his hip pocket, looked puzzled, fished about while the clerk expected to hear him say he had lost his pocketbook, and then pulled out a key, from which

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Men Don't Usually. Captain—Was the prisoner acting suspiciously? Officer—I should say he was. I saw the man standing in front of a dry goods store, acting as if he actually wanted to go in! Judge.

She Lived in Temples and Was Known as the Guardian of the Manuscripts.

According to a Japanese writer, the domestic cat appeared in his country a man. She likes deference and courtraveled from China with the missionaries of Buddhism. In the middle the sixth century of the Christian era sacrifices were offered to the cat, which was known by all as "the guardian of the manuscripts."

"The guardian of the manuscripts" kept away the mice, who otherwise would have eaten the precious papyrus. In some instances placards were set in conspicuous places among manuscripts as a warning to the mice: Beware! The cat is here. She drives the mice. Portraits of cats were also placed in places frequented by mice.

The cats were revered. For a long time they were kept in the temples. But their beauty, their general desirability and the charm of their grace. affection for man, and adaptability to human conditions so appealed to the layman that one by one very gradually their kittens were permitted to leave the temples and to become the pets of the nobility. After entering the families of the high officials of the Empire they won their way into humbler households.

NEW WAY TO CURE BALDNESS

Work in Cold Storage Plant or Go to Arctic Regions and Your Hair Will Grow.

The latest "universal hair grower" discovered is a trip to the Arctic regions, or failing time and inclination for that, employment in a cold storage company. According to Sir Ernest bills are uninteresting things, not half Shackleton, the Antarctic explorer, ex- so enjoyable or warm and vital as a treme cold is one of the best means kiss or a caress. of strengthening the hair. In the course of an interview recently, Sir

"All of the men who went with me or two exceptions possessed stronger crops of hair on their return to civi-

"Extreme cold undoubtedly strengthhair grew more slowly, but became thicker and stronger."

An official of a London cold storage subject, stated that there was not a company. He said that the men worked all day in a temperature of doubtedly made their hair thicker.

Covers Much Space.

A New York department store gets out a postcard which contains interesting facts for the curious. Here are some of the store's features which it mentions: Ten freight elevators, 26 passenger elevators, 120 flights of stairs, 1,020 telephone stations, 8,000 automatic sprinklers, 17 miles of 000,000 pounds of steel, 221,400 cubic feet of concrete in foundations, a mile and a half of showcases, 25 miles of steam circufation pipe, 2,406 steel columns, 24,040 incandescent lamps, 45 show windows with the largest plate glass in New York, 5,250,000 bricks used in erection, 540,000 feet of copper wiring for lighting, 390 separate departments, 250,000 square feet, or nearly 27 acres of wood flooring, which gives the floor space 800,000 square feet of plaster surface, 100,000 square feet of outside window glass.

American Robins in England

An attempt has been made to introduce the American robin into Surrey. with apparent success. Six pairs turned loose last June near Guilford have reared about 40 nestlings. The name of our robin was given by the Pilgrim Fathers to the largest and most numerous of the American thrushes (Turdus migratorius), because of its red breast, and friendly association with man.

The American robin is closely related to our blackbird, and has a sweet, melodious song. Its introduction to Surrey will be regarded by market gardeners with much misgiving, for though his food consists chiefly of worms or insects, he works sad havoc among the cherries .- Westminster Ga-

Character in Women's Walk.

An observing man insists that he can tell a woman's character by her manner of walking and the kind of shoes she wears. He says that the listless way of lifting one's feet indicates laziness or ill health. A heavy, flat-footed step means a good housekeeper, but an aggressive nature. A dragging, shuffling step denotes indolence of mind and body. He observes further that the woman who likes mannish shoes is not dainty or feminine, and that the ideal woman wears well-fitting shoes in the street and dainty slippers in the house.

Expensive Furs.

Astresses who wish to assert victorious power in their toilet have a mania for rich furs. The supply grows scarcer and the demand rapidly rises. The skin of the Andes rat now costs, first hand, 90 francs. It is this little animal that gives us the beautiful Chili fur, now so prized for motoe wraps, stoles, muffs and garnitures. A ourther rise is expected, the Bolivian government having forbidden the exort of the pelts of the Andes rats. Purriers have fallen back on the skin of the opossum, which costs but

CAT WAS REVERED IN JAPAN WHAT WOMAN LIKES IN MAN UNCLE HIRAM TO HIS NEPHEW

Pleasing Manners, Deference, Courtesy and a Vigorous, Healthy and Well-Groomed Appearance.

A woman likes pleasing manners in things. Manners often make more appeal to her than sterling of an worth. That's the reason foreigners women. They never forget to be deferthings and to do the little things that you being this: warm the cockies of the feminine heart. This may be all wrong. Per. think of them. haps she ought to appreciate the character more than the veneer. But she die? The average woman isn't we think of them. practical. She's romantic. She likes roses and bonbons. Many men give and beefsteak are all right, but as a will think ill of us. So you want to steady diet they are tiresome. She'll think well of men. take less cabbage and beefsteak if thereby she may have some roses and

A woman likes a man to look healthy and to be well groomed. She likes a vigorous body, a healthy skin and a look that betokens a daily acquaintance with the bath tub, not merely because she likes beauty, though she does, but because these things betoken good habits.

A woman, if she is a wife or a sweetheart, likes expressions of love. She gets tired of taking a man's love for granted. It grows faint and faraway, and life is cold and commonplace, when he does not tell her in actual words he loves her, and show her by actual caresses, how much. To some men, this seems all foolishness. They think that paying bills is the best proof of their love. But again, most women are not practical, and

QUEER THING IN BIRD LIFE

on the south pole expedition with one Fantail Pigeons Hatch Out a Bantam Chick but Have Trouble in Feeding It.

The following experience, says a ens one's hair. As our party ap- writer in the Strand, I have recently proached nearer the south pole our had may be of interest to your readers. I have two fantail pigeons, both male birds, and I noticed one day 'hat they built a nest and then were sitcompany, interviewed on the same ting on it alternately, as if they were going to hatch eggs. It struck me bald-headed man in the employ of the that it might be a good idea to put an egg of my bantams into the nest to compensate the pigeons for the trou-20 degrees of frost and the cold un- ble they had taken in building it. Apparently they appreciated my doing so, as from that time they never left the nest for about three weeks, when, to my great surprise, I found a little chicken peeping from the pigeon's nest. It was touching to see how the pigeons tried to feed the chicken by opening their beaks, like pigeons do. and inviting the youngster to help himself to the contents of their crops, which, of course, it refused to do, because it is a chicken and not a pigeon. The pigeons are very fond of the little one, and take it under their wings to keep it warm whenever it wants it, exactly as a hen treats her chickens.

The Women of Brittany.

To the casual observer the Bretonne is not attractive or even supremely interesting. As a femme de chambre she is clumsy, slovenly and rough of speech, lacking the graces and neatness of her Parisian sister. She shuffles about in felt slippers, her voluminous black skirts catch in everything, and if she waits at the table d'hote her method of handling cutlery is strongly calculated to sever one's jugular vein. She has no regularity in her work, and at the hour that she ought to be making beds she is probably sitting on the public staircase nursing her baby. She is generally married and, conversely, often ten years younger than you take her to To English eyes she is rarely beautiful. Her hair is strained tightly under her cap, her cheeks have seldom any delicacy of tint and her figure and motions are ungainly and awkward.-Wide World.

Queer Marital Relations.

Curious marriage customs prevail among the people dwelling in the Tangi Valley in India. Here it seems that the women are polygamous, and that several brothers possess one wife in The divorce customs are very simple. If the husband establishes that his wife is a bad cook it is a sufficient she cotains relief.

Shock Alarmed Glasgow.

Severe earthquake shocks are rare Columbus. in Scotland and therefore the districts surrounding Glasgow were thrown into a state of considerable alarm last week following a sudden jar and upheaval which lasted for a few seconds. The inhabitants rushed from their houses into the streets, thinking at first that the shocks were caused by an explosion at a gasworks. No serious damage was done, although the If a man desireth the office of a bishearth tremors caused many gas man op, he desireth a good work. A bishop ties to break. Buildings in Glasgow must then be blameless, the husband were shaken, crockery was rattled, of one wife, vigilant, sober, of good and the girls in the telephone ex behavior, given to hospitality, apt to changes were alarmed by many bells being set ringing. The same area not greedy of filthy lucre; but patient, was shaken in 1888.

Something Important for Him to Realize in His Relations With Men.

"Stevey, my boy," said Uncle Hiram to his hopeful young nephew, "you derstand r at least fully to realize what I am about to say to you, but I'd better say it now for I might forget is of more than usual interest. make such headway with American to say it later, and some day, and perhaps to your advantage, you will reential and courteous, to say the little | call it, the thing I would now say to

Other people think of us what

"Our thoughts of other people appear to form a sort of circuit returning from them to us. They go out from us to the fellow we are thinking of, who seems to relay them back to us. Whatever our feelings toward him may be, good or bad, he takes them reinforces them with strength from his own batteries and sends them back to us, with a feeling of friendliness if that was our instinctive feeling toward him, while if our feeling was one of antagonism that is the

feeling that he relays back to us. "Don't think ill of men, Stephen; think well of them, as you may well there is more good in men than bad. Cultivate friendly relations and friendly feelings, and be sure that as you feel toward men so will they feel

QUEENS BOROUGH TIN HORSES

How Nightmares, Hobbies and Ponies of Beer Were Put on the

City's Pay Roll. What's all this talk I hear about

tin horses in Queens borough?" "I'm surprised at your ignorance. Tin horses are a mere term used to designate equines which never existed, part of a graft game."

'Explain some more, please.' Well, it was like this. If a fellow with a pull wanted some extra money he would have a couple of nightmares. report to the powers that be that he had a team, and they would be hired, at so much a day, for city work." "Did all of the grafters have to

have mares?" "O, no; one of the gang had his wife's two clothes horses, drawing full

'He was a genius."

Yes, another man had a hobby about not wanting to work, his son had a hobby horse, and so he doubled them up and sent in bills for a team. at least, so I hear.' That's interesting."

Yes, rather. There was a rumor going around the other day that a man who owned a pair of ponies of beer also figured in the game."

suppose if one of the gang's wife and daughters owned pony skin coats they could have got on the pay roll

"Sure thing; it was a pony skin game, all the way through." "And all that these fake horses ever drew was pay?"

'That's true, although they have set tongues a-wagging."-Brooklyn Times.

Some Korean Superstitions.

The wildest superstitions are rife among the natives of Korea, says a cessant and petty sacrifices. The serpent is revered as sacred and fed as loose." a domestic pet. Marriage is a question of etiquette and is arranged by the parents. A live goose is given as a betrothal gift, as a symbol of fidelity and long life. Filial plety is cultivated to a remarkable degree, a son considering it his duty to follow his father to prison or exile. Sacrifices of pigs, sheep and goats are offered to the firmament, to which they pray for rain or fair weather and the removal of plague and misfortune.

America Claims the Bean.

Until 1883 the bean was believed to. have originated in Asia. Researches among the flora of ancient Peruvian common. The custom is said to be sepulchres show that it was known in due to the poverty of the people. The antiquity in Peru. No fewer than 50 children bear the names of all the different species have been found in husbands of the mother. How such a the old burying places and 49 of the custom as to names works out in 50 were distinctly American. The sepractice it is difficult to comprehend. pulchres explored date back to the period beginning with the twelfth century and ending with the fifteenth. Within them was a great number of ground; and on the wife's side, if she beans-so many that it is reasonable can show that her husband fails to to suppose that beans held an importprovide for the upkeep of the house ant place in the agriculture of the an-

"Filthy Lucre."

The expression "filthy lucre" is of biblical origin, and is to be found in the third chapter of the first book of Timothy, where the qualifications necthus set forth: "This is a true saying. teach; not given to wine, no striker. not a brawler, nor covetous."

Largest Musical Instrument of Kind in America is in the Astor, New York.

The Hotel Astor, in New York, boasts the largest pipe organ in the United States and one of the largest in the world. A pipe organ is an innovation in hotel fixtures, and as such is of more than usual interest. The Hotel Astor, in New York, at a relatively recent epoch, having tesy and attentiveness in small may not be old enough yet fully to un. United States and one of the largest

> east and west sides of the ball room. east and west sides of the ball room.
>
> The other two divisions are arranged "This is highly important, because on either side of "L'Orangerie" room. it applies to our inmost unuttered Completely hidden from view by the

> > The pipes, varying from 32 feet in length to only a fraction of an inch, are hundreds of feet away from the playing cabinet containing the keys and stops, and each one is operated by its individual train of electro-pneumatic action. The pressure of a key gives current to a wire that finds its way through various cables and switches to a magnet, which operates pneumatic mechanism that opens a

Steward of Naval Vessel Put Knives Was Punctured.

Discipline aboard men-of-war belonging to tropical countries is not as strict as that obtaining on the vessels of colder countries. Indeed, in some instances, it is very lax.

sel, was lying in the harbor of Portau-Prince. One day a mess cook, for some reason, cleaned about a peck of knives and forks on the gun deck, and, being suddenly called away, and not wishing to spend time to go to the galley, he seized the messpot full of knives and forks and stuck it in the muzzle of the ten-inch gun, putting the tampion in after it. About an hour afterward the admiral came aboard. and, as the gun was loaded with blank cartridge, they used it to fire a salute.

It happened that the gun was aimed toward the town, and almost point blank at the Grand Hotel. The guests assembled on the porch to witness the ceremonies, when they were saluted with a rain of knives and forks, which stuck against the wooden walls like quills on a porcupine. Fortunately no one was hurt, although there were

Need for Two Collars.

Having bought a dog that he admired a Washington Heights man undertook to buy a dog collar. The dog had a neck nearly as big as his head and the dealer advised the man to

man went away leading the dog by his new collar and chain.

In less than a week he brought the dog back.

keep him tied up. His neck is the biggest part of him and he is as strong as an ox, therefore it is a sinch for him to slip his collar off." "That is why I wanted you to take

writer in 'he Wide World Magazine. two collars," said the dealer. "Put Everything is ascribed to the good or both on and fasten the chain to the evil influences of invisible spirits, back collar and he can tug away all whom they strive to propitiate by in night without getting loose. He may commit suicide, but he won't get

> Awaking from her sleep to find that 15 monkeys had taken possession of her house and were disporting themselves in her parlor and dining room was the recent experience of Mrs. Lippman, Los Angeles. Mrs. Lippman tried to dislodge the monkeys, but failed. The following day she appeared at the prosecuting attorney's office and demanded a warrant for the arthe invasion. Ryder is a trainer of monkeys and dogs. Two of his can ines, which preferred Mrs. Lippman's sleeping quarters, were poisoned reshe asserts he sent his band of mon-

> > The Gordian Knot.

The famous Gordian knot was made of leather taken from some part of the cient people of Peru. Probably the harness belonging to the charlot of common dried bean of modern com- Gordius, king of Phrygia. It seems that merce was well-known in the antique this knot was so tied that the ends of this knot was so tied that the ends of the leather thong was not visible hence the difficulty in loosing it. Many must have tried to until it, for its fame as a "stickler" at last reached the great Oracle, which declared that the lucky experimenter should be rewarded by the kingship of Persia. Alexander, trying his hand and meeting with no better success than the others, drew world long before the discovery of the leather thong was not visible hence essary for the office of a bishop are his sword and cut into the knot until he found the ends of it.

> "Mre. Pufferly is tickled to death with the way she fooled the customs

"How did she do it?" She didn't buy a thing abroad."

tter say it now for I might forget say it later, and some day, and peraps to your advantage, you will reall it, the thing I would now say to ou being this:

"Other people think of us what we most inexhaustible. It is divided into four distinct divisions, the main or occupying two chambers on the her cabbage and beefsteak. Cabbage thoughts. If we think ill of a man he decorations of the walls and ceilings, the music comes as a surprise.

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Plague of Monkeys.

rest of Antonio Ryder, her next door neighbor, who she asserts instigated TRUSTEE'S SALE NOTICE.

Whereas, George A. Allen and Arminda Allen, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated the 9th day of January, 1907, and filed for record February 2nd, 1967, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for Buchanan County, Missouri, in Book 349, at Page 241, conveyed to the undersigned trustee, the following described real estate, situated, lying and being in the County of Buchanan and State of Missouri, to-wit:

All of the southeast quarter (1/4) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of section fourteen (1/4), township fifty-six (56), of range thirty-six (36), containing forty (40) acres, more or less.

Which said conveyance was made in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed of trust described; and

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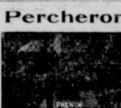
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