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STEERS MOVE FREELY

FAIRLY ACTIVE TRADE TODAY WITH PRICES RULING STEADY TO STRONG.

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Feeding Cows and Stock Heifers.

LINVILLE WELL PLEASED.

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Veal Caives.

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NOTHING CHOICE IN BEEVES

Cows and Heifers Generally Steady-Bulls and Veals Active, Steady -No Change in Stockers and Feeders.

Fat cattle held firm on a basis of Wednesday's higher range. In fact there were outcroppings of strength here and there and the demand was sufficiently active to afford a ready outlet for the day's moderate receipts of beef stock. Chicago reported a slow market on fat cattle today fol-lowing a weaker close to the trade there yesterday but this failed to have any effect in weakening the demand

at this point.

Estimates on the receipts of cattle at this point called for 1,600 head at this point called for 7,600 head but this was pared down to around 1,200 later in the day. A week ago this market drew 1,925 cattle and 1,-756 on the corresponding day a year ago. The five markets reported a to-tal of 12,600 head today as against 14,990 last Thursday and 17,300 a

Steers predominated in the local offerings, over two-thirds of the total offerings, over two-thirds of the total receipts falling under this classification. Quality ranged from plain to fairly good with the average not as good as yesterday. The market opened in good season with a reasonably active demand from all buyers. Trade displayed fairly brisk tone and outlet was found for steers of all descriptions at fully steady prices as scriptions at fully steady prices as compared with yesterday, with isocompared with yesterday, with iso-lated instances where values were quoted strong. Top offerings were not as good as the best beeves offered yesterday and there was nothing available whatever that could be classed as choice. Sales included fairly good light and medium weight beeves at \$7.35@7.55 and prices were considered fully as good as on the mid-week session. Medium to fair steers, selling at \$6.85@7.25, were zenerally considered steady and the few-lots of light weight cattle selling around and below \$6.75 were also around and below \$6.75 were also able to make steady prices as com-

pared with yesterday.

Best offerings of the day came from Colorado feedlots, gales ranging from

The following prices on steers are quotable on the St. Joseph market: Choice to prime, \$7.60 @ 8.25; good to choice, \$7.25@7.50; fair to good short-fed, \$6.65@7.25; medium to fair, short-fed, \$6.35@6.65; common to medium, \$5.65@6.35.

Dressed Beef and Shipping Steers. .7 45 22sh..1089... 7 45 24.... 885... 2.... 940..6 50 to make an almost complete clear-25...1141...7 40
4...952...6 50
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1...810...6 50
20...1108...7 25
1...860...6 40
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1...1050...6.00
buying talent that made the rounds today. Demand was far in excess of the skimpy supply of a raw loads of the skimpy

for the most part prices were in practically the same notches as yesterday. for the most part prices were in practically the same notches as yesterday. Receipts were comparatively light and all useful and attractive offerings got prompt action. One strictly choice heifer sold at \$7.10 and sales includquality at \$5.25 \overline{6.75}. One lot of straight heifers of desirable weight and quality sold at \$5.50. A range of \$5.25 \overline{6.00} took most of the fairly good to strictly good cows. Down in the plain killer cow line there was some slowness in clearing offerings.

Good to choice feeding steers are guotable at \$5.75 \overline{6.50}: medium to the plain killer cow line there was some slowness in clearing offerings, although steady prices were paid in most cases. Cows selling around 4@ 4%c were principally affected, sellers reporting a rather singgish movement in these classes as compared with the high-strung market of former days of the week. Plain light heifers sold reasonably well, a stiff demand on country account helping out that end of the market. Quite a few thin light helfers are finding outlet through country buyers at \$4.35@4.75 and packers are able to buy few

heifers under \$5.25.

Bulls and stags were easy to turn again today on a strong basis of prices. No change was apparent in the market for calves.

The following quotations are current on the local market:
Choice to prime cows, \$5.50@6.50; medium to fair cows, \$4.40@5.00; canners and cutters, \$3.00@4.00; choice to prime heifers, \$6.25@7.00; good to choice heifers, \$6.25@7.00; good to choice heifers, \$4.75@5.50; good to choice bulls, \$4.25@5.00; veal calves, \$7.00@8.00; medium calves, \$6.00@7.00; common and heavy calves, \$4.50@7.00; 7.75.

1...1240..7 10 2...845..5 75 1...1260..7 00 1,...780..5 40 9mx. 682 6 86 1...530..5 75 9mx. 683 6 66 1... 530. 5 75 84 621. 6 50 7mx. 471. 5 60 .6 30 17.... 774..5 25 .6 25 23.... 824..5 50 2. 670 6 25 2. 680 5 25 19. 701 6 20 3. 482 5 50 20mx. 700 6 20 2mx. 600 5 50 1. 980 6 10 3. 726 6 00 2. 645 6 00 1. 730 5 50 5mx. 782 6 00 1. 720 5 50

Missouri Shipper Has in Tail-Ends of His Winter's Feeding of Steers. Aaron Linville, of the firm of W. R Aaron Linville, of the firm of W. R.

1095. 5 00
Linville & Sons of Skidmore, Mo., one
of the oldest live stock shipping firms
of the state, was in today with 23
head of 1080-pound steers, on the
dogy" order, which had been fed
only ninety days, that sold at \$6.85, a
very pleasing figure for Mr. Linville,
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210 head that were put into the Linville,
ville feedlots last fall,

LOWER TURN IN HOGS

TRADE MOVED SLOW WITH PRI-CES MOSTLY AT A DIME DISCOUNT.

Declines in Hogs Reflected Sharp Slump in Provisions-Top \$7.95, With Bulk of Sales Ranging From \$7.60@7.80.

Packers had an inning in the hog market today and forced a downward revision in prices all along the line. Provisions closed lower yesterday and further depression in the lists today gave buyers a strong argument to hammer prices for the live hogs down. Receipts of hogs at this point

but it is inevitable that these old sows must soon sell at a sharp discount under regular load prices.

Prices ranged from \$7.50@7.95, with the bulk selling at \$7.60@7.80.

The bulk sold yesterday at \$7.75@7.90, a month ago at \$6.15@6.30, a year ago at \$6.30@6.60, two years ago at \$10.10@10.35, three years ago at \$6.85@7.10, and four years ago at \$5.80@5.95.

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ulated feeding activities to a marked	61259. —. 7 85 63215. —. 7 76
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the largest one day's business of the	69244. 40. 7 80 66253. 80. 7 72%
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had around 2,500 cattle on hand, the	
good country demand enabled them	
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to make an almost complete clear-	78 260. 40. 7 80 57 235, 7 72%
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pens were practically uninhabited. It	55301 7 80 73200 7 70
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today. Demand was far in excess of	19, 1 00 14
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enced little trouble in cashing their	70256 7 80 37224 7 70
holdings at steady prices on the basis	76238 7 80 34 220. 40. 7 70
of yesterday's upturn. Competition	83225 7 80 82223. 40. 7 70
was brisk in all quarters and an ac-	
tive movement resulted in a complete	51245 7 80 72 208 7 70
clearance by noon. The feature of	64 283. 40. 7 80 38218 7 70
the day's trade was the selling of	56351 80. 7 80 80210 7 70
1000 lb. feeders at \$6.35. Stock cow	61261 7 80 77221 7 70
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and heifer values went up another	04 010 7 00 00 014 100 7 00
notch today, under the influence of	
light supplies, a general upturn of 10	63267. 40. 7 80 61191 7 65
@15c describing the bulk of sales,	69247. 40. 7 7736 79181 7 65
making a net advance of 15@25c for	57272 7 77% 69214 7 65
	35242 7 7734 69185 7 65
the week.	78216 7 75 78228 7 65
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quotable at \$5.75@6.50; medium to	
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Thursday... 7 50 @7 90 7 40 @7 85
Friday... ... 7 45 @7 85
Saturday... ... 7 45 @7 80

OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS SHEEP A DIME HIGHER

KANSAS CITY. Mo., April 4.— Special to The Journal: The Drovers

Today's Receipts.

Receipts from Jan. 1 to Date.

Live Stock in Sight.

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CONCENTRATED STOCK FOODS.

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CHICAGO, CHICAGO Union Stock Yards. Ill, April 4.—The Live Stock World re-Cattle-Receipts, Hogs—Receipts, 4000. Marke steady to weak, quality poor.

Hogs—Receipts, 16,000. Market 5@10c lower. Top \$8.00, bulk \$7.75@

CLOSE DULL; 10 TO 15c LOWER

today were 11,500 head, the largest run on the river. Chicago reported 17,000, Kansas City 8,000, Omaha 10,-000 and St. Louis 7,000, a total of ..1140..4 75 ually establish the general market on ..1180..4 50 a level 10c below yesterday's aver-

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Packers	Ho	g Purchas	ses.
Swift & Co			5.000
Hammond Pa			
Morris & Co.			
Total			9,422
	100		

CHOICE EWES, WEARING THE WOOL, PUT OVER AT \$6.00-HIGHEST OF SEASON.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000. Market Strady to shade lower. FIRST SPRING LAMBS AT \$10

Lambs Held Generally Steady at Recent Advances-Best Kinds Up to \$7.90-Yearlings Very Scarce,

Telegram reports:
Cattle—Receipts, 3500. Market steady to strong, top \$8.15, cows and heifers steady to unevenly higher, stockers and calves steady.
Hogs—Receipts, 8000. Market 10c lower. Top \$7.97½, bulk \$7.50@ It was a repetition of the same old story of light supplies and a vigorous packer demand in the sheep house today. Barket 10c steady, lambs \$8.00.

SOUTH OMAHA.

SOUTH OM Sheep—Receipts, 7090, Market steady, lambs \$8.00. Sheep—Receipts, 4800, Market this morning were all the general situation buyers here started to the general situation buyers here started to the general situation buyers here started to the post of the weak of the general situation buyers here started to the post of the weak of the general situation buyers here started to the post of the weak of the general situation buyers here started to the post of the weak of the general situation buyers here started to the post of the weak of the general situation buyers here started to the post of the weak of the general situation buyers here started to the general market.

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SIOUX CITY, Ia., April 4.—Special to The Journal: The Live Stock Record reports:

Cattle—Receipts, 1000, Fat cattle steady to weak, stockers 10c higher.

Hogs—Receipts, 7500, Market slow, dime lower. Top \$7.80, bulk \$7.65@ 7.70.

Sheep—Receipts, 300, Market 10c lower.

LIVE STOCK R&CEIPTS.

Today's Receipts,

274 Mexican lambs..... 72 Mexican lambs...... The following table shows the local receipts from January 1, 1912, and re-48 western lambs..... 64

 4 native yearlings
 130

 8 native ewes
 120

 5 Mexican ewes
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 1 Mexican ewes
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 ceipts for the corresponding time in 231 Mexican ewes.....

The following Chicago board of trade quotations are turnished by T.

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pose of Mr. Irwin's visit was to interest officials of the Interstate in the Frontier Day show as a night attraction during the week of the live stock exhibition in September. Mr. Irwin is touring the middle west and eastern Ko-Pres-Ko-Kake—Carlots, per ton, 25.90; ton lots, \$27. Cottonseed meal—Carlots, per ton, 29.55.29.65; ton lots, \$30.021.50

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

Hord Bros., who operate around for today's market.

R. Morgan, a well-known farmer and feeder of Perrin, Mo., disposed of a car of hogs on today's market. John Volker, of Denton, Kan., who narkets here quite regularly, had a carload Are Sold For That Purpose ar of hogs of his own feeding on sale

J. H. Pauley accompanied a car of hogs to the local market today, billed from Purcell, Kan.

Wray Bros., who contribute heavily to the local receipts every week, had a car of hogs on today's market.

Champion Feed saves corn.

PIMBLEY PAINT AND GLASS CO.,

OVERWORKING THE MARE.

Beware of Risk During Muddy Fields and Soft Roads.

The following shows the estimated receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the five principal western markets to day and comparisons:

Cattle Hogs Sheep Chicago... 4,400 15,000 Kanass City... 5,500 5,000 15,000 Kanass City... 5,500 Kanass City... 5,500 15,000 Kanass City... 5,500 Kana

League Ball Team.

Thursday ... 7 30 627 95 7 40 627 95
Friday ... 62 7 45 627 85
Saturday ... 62 7 46 627 85
Saturday ... 62 7 45 62 7 4

INSPECTOR ESTIMATES LOSS TO FARMERS AT HUNDRED MIL-LION DOLLARS.

USED FOR CHICKEN FEED

and by This Means Weeds Creep Into Fields-Watch Seed Carefully.

Nashville, Tenn., April 4 .- That the

money on account of the weed seed content in his grain, and in the cut-L. C. Brady, of Conway, Ia., conributed a car of hogs to today's reeipts.

content in his grain, and in the conting of the crop it is quite likely that
many of these weed seeds are scattered over the stubble and if fall plowing Try the stock yards lunch at Tran-is done they are again returned to the sit House Cafe. Best meal in the city ground for another crop. Now, you tor the money.

Lou Wright and E. M. Woodruff, prominent farmers and live stock shippers of Bedford, Ia., had hogs on today's market.

will note that the farmer has lost money in the dockage. What becomes of the dockage? The farmer's grain goes to the elevator. The elevator cleans it and makes it a higher grade ings? Many car loads are sold to manufacturers of so-called balance rations of poultry feed and horse and mule feed. Under the term of miscellaneous recleaned field seeds, weed seeds are transmitted to the consumseeds are transmitted to the consum-er in the guise of poultry seed at an average price of \$2 per hundred-weight for scratch feed, and \$2.50 per hundredweight for chick feed. But That a mare can be worked advanageously during pregnancy is unjuestioned, but the danger lies in one fact is indisputable—that no consumer can afford to pay a freight on bind weed, pig weed or any such injurious weed seed for the purpose of feeding chickens. A wheat price for weed seed does not mean economy unborn foal. Yet, having escaped all these risks by careful and judicious

must be combined.

IMPROVEMENTS AT SWIFT'S

Work Starts on New Building to Be
Used as Dressing Rooms.

Preliminary construction work be-The following Chicago board of trade quotations are turnished by T. P. Gordon. 1005-1008 New Corby-Forsee Building. St. Joseph. Mo.:

Options Open High Low Close of the Mississippi river and is one of the Missi C. B. Irwin, general manager of the Frontier Day Wild West show with headquarters at Cheyenne, Wyo., was in St. Joseph today and paid a visit to J. B. Kerr, general manager of the Interstate Live Stock Show. The purpose of Mr. Irwin's visit was to intersect officials. JOHNNY LAMBORN RETURNS can be bought is the cheapest. When they will have noting but the best grade the dealers will be compelled to meet the demand."

"AL" STERLING LEAVES.

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THE PACKERS' OPPORTUNITY.

Minnesota Farmer: It seems to us the stock raisers of the country will eventually have to settle their own differences on the marketing end of the meat business. The stockman needs the central and constant, large presses the price of cattle to a point where corn belt feeders find it necessary to go out of the business, which they have been doing, he will have to pay for his short-sighted policy of ill have to blame himself for a daughters for farm life, terlinked, we believe, that necessity will compel these two interests to get together on common ground in the near future. There are already indi
The Missouri College of Agriculture

The Missour to learn to "be good," not because of Science in Agriculture. This is for til they have scarcely enough money to give a packer nervous prostration of the principles of farming.

300,000 miles of road must be improv- number. ed before the public road system can The extension systems may reach ceived by him from James R. Edbe considered really efficient.

delay are shown by the fact that there are now but 190,476 miles of improved roads constitute 8.66 per consideration. When a man is eduimproved roads constitute 8.66 per consideration. When a man is educent of the total mileage of all public cated he often uess his intelligence | Cardinal Hill in the land that counts | roads, improved and unimproved. It for himself alone, and the knowledge you its favorite son; the one which supplies the table with all the have to be increased to 20 before but the wife and mother is the reign- Dixle's sun, and of a size that has is figured that the percentage will he has acquired reaches few others; traffic can be moved throughout the ing power in the home, and by the

considered the best in the world, was bonded by Napoleon III for six million dollars, and something in the neighborhood of \$612,775,000 has already been spent on that system. In Heroism Shown by Colorado Farmers this country, owing to the great dis-

miles of new road in the five years.

The gain in Georgia is largely attributed to the use of 4,500 prisoners on the public roads of the state. South Carolina, Alabama and Florida have also made great gains by building sand-clay roads, and this is a very character of the stock. Naturally I asked him why he did not drive his horses to town, and he said, Oh, my horses and two turns to town to see if the hay was here, and if it is then I will get my horses and haul it out to my place. I was afraid that it wasn't here, though, and I have just got to save those horses."

Some for his stock. Naturally I asked thim why he did not drive his horses to town, and he said, Oh, my horses sugar, one cup of cream. Boil six minutes, beat until it thickens, add two cups of nut meats, pour on buttered platter, cut in star shapes. Frosting—believed to the board of education. Dr. Maxwell's chief aim, he says, is to protect the morals of the my horses and haul it out to my place. I was afraid that it wasn't here, though, and I have just got to save those horses." sand-clay roads, and this is a very save those horses."

Sharp and satisfactory type of road

When the hay did not arrive in



The Pig Stole a Pail

of Buttermilk,

Daddy's Bedtime

The Pig Who - Wouldn't Eat Out

IGS are not such stupid animals as many persons think, daddy had told Jack and Evelyn. "We perhaps don't understand pig ways as well as we might or we

wouldn't call pigs dirty," said he. "Pigs would rather live in nice clean pens than in dirty ones, and they do not like to drink out of mud puddles. If they are given a chance they will Stephen Barrass, rector of the choose a nice clean pool to roll in instead of mud.

"I have heard of tame pigs, and a nice young pig is a cute little animal, but as they grow older it is not pleasant to have them about the house.

"When a pig is nasty tempered it is about as cross as any animal can be except the human animal. When I was a boy we had the meanest pig I ever knew. Mother had

named it 'that mean pig,' and when anything went wrong among the pigs we always put the blame on this one. "He fought and annoyed the others till father made a separate pen for him

"Disagreeable as he had been with his companions, piggy was cross at being taken away from them. He got lots of fun out of teasing them. "Father had made a nice trough and put it in the new pen for the mean pig's special use, but for some reason his pigship took a dislike to that trough.

He would not eat from it. At feeding time he would root all the food out of it or upset it. Piggy insisted on picking up his food from the ground. "This did not please father, who liked to keep the pens clean, and so he nailed the trough down. When he couldn't root the food out of it the pig

wouldn't eat at all. "As eating and geiting fat for market is a pig's business, father worried about this. He meant to sell the pig to the butcher in the fall, but if the ani-

mal went on fasting as he was doing he would be too thin to sell. "The meanness of the pig was shown by the energy with which he would that the packers of the country and drive the chickens or the pigeons out of his pen when they flew in to get the food he wouldn't touch.

"One day I forgot to lock the gate of his pen, and he sneaked out and drank a pail of milk that I had left in the barnyard.

"Then he made a raid into the garden and ate up enough vegetables to make up for the food he had done without.

When he saw us coming he darted out of the gate and ran so fast that live stock market and the packer we never saw him again. A band of gypsies were camped in the neighborneeds the stock. If the packer de- hood, and father always thought they got the mean pig.

"Mother used to say she was sorry for those poor gypsies."

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live stock growers are so closely indone, and the system of public interlinked, we believe that pacessity

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women as well as men, and the homes plaintively and poetically appealing It is only within recent years that of the land may be made better and the movement for better roads has happier for the accurate intelligence gained force. The consequences of of educated and drilled wives and

The French system of roads, long cate women than to educate men.

RISK LIVES FOR STOCK.

During Recent Great Storms.

cheap and satisfactory type of road building.

When the hay did not arirve in Klowa County from Pueblo the news spread rapidly, and there was a rush for the distributing point at Eads. According to C. B. Hughes. county attorney, one farmer left Eads with six bales of hay in a raging blizzard, in which no sane man would have ventured in the evening, it seemed. It was getting dark and the storm was so threatening that the friends of the farmers advised him not to venture out until the past day.

Save those horses."

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"I was glad to hear a couple of shortage the next season. In other text season. In other words, the interest of the packer and rection, but much yet remains to be all right," declared Mr. Hughes, "but much yet remains to be all right," declared Mr. cations of this tendency toward set- has adopted a four-year course which communities without near as much ting together. The packers will have leads to the degree of Bachelor of privation. The storekeepers there the Sherman law, but because they men, and along with it is the course to continue doing business, so, that, must have the stock, and they won't of home economics for women, which in nearly as bad a fix as the settlers get it year after year unless they gives not only the science of home-treat the stock raiser fairly. It ought making, but also a general knowledge fine, though, if they get enough seed if he stops to consider why we have had such a decrease in meat producting animals during the roat for meaning of the principles of farming.

We believe that few agencies are proving of greater benefit to the states fortified by that time against a simple during the roat for meaning the roat for meaning the roat for the principles of farming.

Can raise crops. One crop will enable them to pay back all they have borrowed next fall, and they will be fortified by that time against a simple fortified by the simple fortified

LONG FLOW OF RHETORIC.

Washington, D. C., April 3.—A "seed letter classic" is the way Representative Swager Sherley of Kentucky speaks of a communication refor flower and vegetable seeds gardens in the Blue Grass State.

The letter says:
"Dear Swager:—I am writing to already spread the owner's name abroad and of a quality to delight

The other, where, in profound the rainbow commingle in a wealth nation of the romance. of luxuriant beauty, where the frag-rance of the violet and the tube rose, the lilly of the valley and the sweet pea, the hyacinth and the lilac, the daisy and the four o'clock melt and mingle and give their combined sweetness to the winds from the four tances, it is probable that close to \$2,000,000,000 will have to be spent before a proper road system is de-While the amount necessary to perfect great road system seems fabulously large, it does not seem so large when it is divided among the various states and spread over a period of five, ten, or fifteen years. When it is considered that New York state has handed itself for \$50,000,000, and that five, ten, or fifteen years. When it is considered that New York state has bonded itself for \$50,000,000, and that \$5,000,000, a year is now being expended by that state, it will be seen that a nation-wide system might soon be perfected were all states to progress as rapidly.

New York leads the list of states which have made the greatest progress in road building between 1904 asd 1909. That state has built 6,911 will be seen the five years.

The settlers down there are a brave lot of men, all right," remarked Mr. Woolver, discussing the situation with a delegation of members of the Commerce of the magnificent ruby. "But as words without faith are as sounding brass and tinkling symbals so are garden spots without seeds as deserts in the wilderness. As ye sow so shall ye reap. One can not gather figs of a thorn tree nor grapes from thistles. As the heart panteth for the way from 2 to 4 feet deep, four miles to my office, to inquire if the hay arrived from Pueblo. He heard that we had seeured a small shipment in Pueblo and wanted to get the deposit of the magnificent ruby. "But as words without faith are as sounding brass and tinkling symbals so are garden spots without seeds as deserts in the wilderness. As ye sow so shall ye reap. One can not gather figs of a thorn tree nor grapes from thistles. As the heart panteth for the way from 2 to 4 feet deep, four miles to my office, to inquire if the hay arrived from Pueblo. He heard that we had seeured a small shipment in Pueblo and wanted to get

Collect Judgment From a Clergyman.

London. - The sequestration of church funds to obtain collection of judgment from a clergyman, with an Of a Trough posted on the church door, is one of the interesting phases of the administration of the law in London. The writ was issued by the bishop of London and is directed to his registrar, who is authorized to seize all the tithes, rents and stipends of the Rev. churches of St. Lawrence, Jewry, St. Mary Magdalene, Milk Street and St. Michael Bassishaw, in order to satisf ya judgment of a court of jjustice for about \$3,550 obtained against the Rev. Mr. Barrass by Mrs. Frances Holt of the Croft, Burgess Hill.

Mr. Barrass, whose misfortune is ataway to recover his health, and the Felix street, just over the Redfern bishop has put another clergyman in store. charge of his parishes.

other profits, rights and emoluments" of the Rev. Mr. Barrass "until we shall see fit to relax the same."

The gross income of St. Lawrence Jewry and St. Mary Magdalene is given at \$2,150, and that of St. Michael Bassishaw as \$1,100.

RED NECK BAND FOR MONKEY

Started by Susle With Sore Throat, Keepers Now Supply All.

New York .- No society circle was ever more exclusive than the one recently formed among the chimpanzee York Zoological park. It is known as ance of suffering, each member of this set glories in wearing one.

Susie, the chimpanzee with a college education, who has traveled all over the continent, was troubled with tonsilitis a few days ago. She was unable to swallow her food, and in an effort to relieve her pain Fred and deepseated cases. They want the Engleholme, the keeper, ripped up a them at once. This will enable them portion of his red flannel shirt and portion of his red flannel shirt and to show the people what this new after saturating it with a healing oil system of medicine will do in curing wrapped it about her neck.

Baldy, who is the most mild mannered "chimp" in the park and who is the recognized leader of the monkey famlly, pounded the bars of his cage and showed plainly that he was troubled

To restore peace to the once happy family the keepers ripped the rest of the red shirt in bandages.

RENEW OLD FRIENDSHIP: WED

Recalled When They Meet in This Country.

Spokane.-Renewing acquaintances of almost half a century ago, when country with the minimum of wear and tear on horses, wagons, and automobiles.

abroad and of a quality to delight the palate of an education of the palate o in Spokane four weeks ago after a long separation, fell in love and were confusion, all the varigated colors of unostentatiously married as a culmi-

Mr. Schulz is a well-to-do farmer of Walla Walla, while his bride lived part of the time with her son, Ferdinan Hok, at E2008 Thirteenth avenue where the marriage took place. He is forty-one years old and has a large millionaire family of children. Two other sons live in the same neighborhood.

Both principals have been married rooms 219-23.

Lee Live Stock Commission Co., rooms 210-13.

Missouri Live Stock Com. Co., rooms before, Mrs. Schultz's husband having and died about a year ago in Spokane. She has been making her home with 201-203. Ferdinand Hok and another son at E2017 Thirteenth avenue. In the

FOR PHOTO PLAYS IN SCHOOL rooms 212-14.

New York Superintendent Would Try Innovation in a Hundred Buildings.

tion demanded by Superintendent Max-well is approved by the board of edu-

"It must be recognized." says Dr. Maxwell, "that there is a strong demand among young folks for amusement and entertainment, and if the authorities do not help to supply this entertainment in a healthy atmosphere there are individuals who will provide entertainments that are a menace to the honesty and well being of girls and boys"

LONDON LAW IS PECULIAR UNITED DOCTORS GET BIG WELCOME

New St. Joseph Institute Was Crowded With Patients and Visitors Yesterday

Many New Patients Take Advantage of Remarkable Free Offer.

A most royal reception was extended the United Doctors yesterday, upon the occasion of the opening of their new St. Joseph institute, which tributed to his charities, has gone is located on the second floor of 720

All day long the waiting rooms There is a curious phraseology in were crowded with patients who were the writ which is posted on the door anxiously waiting their turn for a of St. Lawrence Jewry. It is ad- free consultation with these world dressed by the bishop to "our well-be- renowned medical specialists. So loved in Christ, Frederick Hugh Lee. great was the crush of patrons that Greeting in Our Lord Everlasting." the specialists who are in charge of and sets forth that "the writ of our this new institute were kept busy all Sovereign Lord King George" has day and far past the regular closing been received by the bishop "with all hour, and even then, were not able to due obedience and humility." The examine all callers. Many patients writ makes it apparent that the bishop from out of town were in the crowdis the instrument of the civil law and ed waiting rooms. Some were there
from as far south as Sedalia, while

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questration of "the fruits, tithes and of Atchison and other distant points. Besides the many patients, there were also a number of business men and prominent citizens who had call-ed to pay their respects to the United

Doctors and to wish them well.

The United Doctors' generous offer of free examination and free treatment at cost of medicines only, is ex-tended to all who call at their offices, which are located on the second floor of 720 Felix street, over the Redfern store, before April 15. After that date full regular fees will be charged to all.

Anyone suffering from any nervous or blood diseases or other chronic diseases cannot do better than to call upon these famous medical specialists. You will find them perfectly honest and upright in their dealings. If they cannot cure you they will frankly tell you so, for it is their invariable rule to refuse to treat any incurable case.

incurable case. While the United Doctors will not treat any cases that they deem incurable, yet no one should despair because other doctors have failed to cure or relieve them. It must be remembered that the vast experience of these world famous medical experts and the scientific use of their won-derful new system of treatment, enables them at once to get at the real cause of disease and cure many cases which had been pronounced hopeless

other physicians.
The United Doctors solicit difficult disease and relieving suffering. This Susie immediately became an object of great interest to the other inmates of the "Primate House." As more established. Examination and

FIND RELIC OF ARGONAUTS

Old Flag, With 33 Stars, Discovered in Attic of Greenville Hotel.

Greenville, Cal., April 2 .- While remodeling the Greenville Hotel the proprietors discovered in the attic an old flag, the existence of which had been forgotten except by the oldest citizens. It measures 18 by 30 feet and is in fair state of preservation.

It contains thirty-three stars only and was brought around the Horn b miners, who wished to Fourth of July in 1861. celebrate the It is said to be the largest flag imported into California up to that time. It will be exhibited at the Panama-

Pacific Exposition in 1915. EXCHANGE DIRECTORY. Following is a list of the commis-sion firms and stock cattle dealers enbusiness at the St. Joseph

stock yards: Commission Firms. Butler, James H., rooms 337-38, Byers Bros. & Co., rooms 202-204, Clay, Robinson & Co., rooms 329-33, Crider Bros. & Co., rooms 303-27.
Daily, C. M. & Co., rooms 317-19.
Davis & Son, rooms 206-17.

Drinkard, Emmert & Co., rooms Emmert Com. Co., rooms 302-4. Kansas City Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 229-32. Sheep Commission Co., Knollin

National Live Stock Com, Co., rooms

same vicinity still another son and family live.

Nichols, Blanchard & Glichits, rooms 326-28.

Prey Bros. & Cooper, rooms 318-22.

Stewart & Co., rooms 226-28.

St. Joseph Live Stock Com. Co., Nichols, Blanchard & Gilchrist, Shay. R. O., Commission Co., rooms

> Wood Live Stock Com. Co., rooms Officers of Exchange.

New York.—Free moving picture shows are to be established in at least 100 of the larger public school buildings here if an urgent appropriation demanded by Superintendent Maxwell is approved by the hoard of education of the larger public school buildings here if an urgent appropriation demanded by Superintendent Maxwell is approved by the hoard of education of the Stock Cattle Brokers. Stock Cattle Brokers, Aikins, J. V. & Co. room 30 Adoock, George, room 302.

Baker, Josehp, & Son, room 319. Baker, James, room 316. Baker, James, room 316.
Dawson & Reynolds, room 201.
Gillette, M. H., room 318.
Maxwell, Spayde & Co., rooms 306-8
Morlock, W. H., rooms 234-36.
Milby, John, rocm 319.
Roundtree, W. R., room 316.
Rockwood, Geo., room 319.
Timmerman, W. O.
Strock, James Strock, James.

Wright, Perry.
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Lyon, J. E., room 219.
Order Buyers.
Morlock, W. H., rooms 236-34.
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EGGS WEIGH A POUND.

Californian Claims Record on His Black Minorca Hen.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 3.—John Davis, custodian of the county courthouse, claims that a black Minorca hen owned by him has laid the world's largest egg, and not the Elgin fowl whose home is in Racine, Wis. (The Wisconsin egg, according to telegraphic reports, weighs fifteen ounces and measures eight and one-half inches by six and one-half in circumference.

weighs a quarter of an ounce more and measures eight and three-eighths by six and seven-eighths inches.

The black Minorea which laid the egg was presented to Davis by Charles Bonnell, the Balliff of Department 5, who is conceded to be the champion chicken raiser of the Southwest, having captured highest prizes at the poultry shows.

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DRUCILLA AND THE WAGER

By Mollie McMaster

Drucilla cast a furtive glance at the toe of her shabby little foot, in order to make sure that it was not protruding beyond the hem of her

An envelope was lying on the floor of the subway car at her feet. Drucills stooped and picked it up. The envelope was sealed and not empty. There were few persons in the car and Drucilla felt herself unobserved.

She turned the envelope over and over in her hands, then she slipped her finger under the flat and peered

Drucilla's wide, brooding eyes lit up, startled out of their habitual vague dreams. There was money in the envelope. She cast a surreptitious glance at the numbers in the corners of the bills. There were two tens and one five. Drucilla closed the envelope and thrust it well within her own pocketbook and gave herself up to multitudinous thoughts.

Elation, quickly followed by probes from her conscience and a quick succession of the urgent needs she had for the money, chased through the girl's mind,

Down deep in her consciousness there was the certain knowledge that she would seek to find the owner of the money, but for the present that truth was swamped in the joy of having twenty-five dollars in her hands.

She dreamed first of the much needed lessons in sight-reading that she could now have. Her glorious voice, the training for which she went without many lunches, was little good to her from a monetary standpoint until she could read music. And a position was essential within the next year or so. Until then, with overzealous saving, she could eke out her tuition.

She had just passed a window in which was displayed a beautiful set of red fox furs. Drucilla realized, without conceit, that with her face framed



In the shade so nearly resembling her hair, and her eyes only the shadows in the color scheme, it would be hard for either choirmaster or manager to

turn her away. She smiled whimsically. Appear-

ance was a valuable asset. On her way from the subway to the small room that Drucilla called home she was haunted by the fear that she was being followed and that the precious money would be taken from her, and by the more terrible feeling that she was fleeing from capture with stolen money in her hands.

In the privacy of her room she took out the bills and made an examina- his ballad had been the noted Sally tion of the envelope. There seemed to be no writing-nothing upon which to hang an identification clew.

Yes! Drucilla was guilty of sudden Irritation. There was writing on the flap of the envelope.

"Property of C. Drayton, 009 Clairmont avenue," Drucilla read. She sighed, but smiled whimsically again. "My dreams were short lived, and because they were so vivid I had better go immediately to Clairmont avenue, before they become realities."

She donned her coat without stopping to make a much needed cup of

Drucilla's heart was lighted as she thors. made her way to the heights by the Hudson. Her dreams had been pleasant while they lasted.

Upon arriving at No. 009, Drucilla inquired of the elevator boy and learned that C. Drayton was on the ninth floor. She sent up word over the 'phone that she was in possession of a package, and was shown up.

A maid ushered her into the drawing room, and the girl was obliged to sit and gaze at the luxurious surroundings until Mrs. Drayton made

Drucilla arose when a sweet, moth-

erly looking woman entered. "Have you found that foolish enshe asked kindly, and Drucilla liked her the moment she spoke. Her startled eyes, bowever, made the older woman continue in a depreca-ting voice: "The dropping of that ney in the subway was the result band and my son. My son, Carroll, made the statement that he would

turned toward the door, "Here is my foolish boy now," she said fondly, and rose to greet a tall, laughing man whose look betokened frank admiration for his mother's guest. "Oh, I see!" he laughed, "some one

has found-"And returned," supplemented Mrs Drayton. "Miss-Verney-I think I caught the name-my son.

Oddly enough, both Drayton and Drucilla were conscious of being happy when their hands clasped. Neither was embarrassed.

"Then you made me lose my wager?" Drayton chided her.
"I came very near—not—doing so," Drucilla laughed. "You have no idea

Drayton and his mother exchanged glances, and for the first time each and the brave but rather wan smile that struggled behind the fine eyes.

And because they seemed to want it, the girl told them her story of study and ambitions and of the strug-Her smile was wistful when she finished.

"Could you sing us one little song?" Mrs. Drayton asked, and in her question voiced her son's desire.

Drucilla cast a startled glance at the grand plano and its distance from her chair. She felt strangely weak about the knees. If only she had taken time to have her tea she could have sung for these two friendly people. As it was, she only gazed hesitatingly at the plano.

That blessed sixth sense-intuition gave Carroll his words.

Mother, perhaps if we bad tea first Miss Verney could give us more

Drucilla's heavy eyelids lifted and she gave Drayton one fleeting, grateful glance. "I have to 'fess up,' " she laughed a

trifle unsteadily, "that I foolishly went without my lunch for the joy of a new opera score." Ominous shadows darkened in Car-

roll Drayton's eyes, and Mrs. Drayton swept a hand across ner own as she rang the bell for tea. "Miss Verney," she said, as she re-

let me I will take pleasure in introducing you to the musical coterie that we have gathered about us. It may perhaps help you in your work."

A sunny smile that oclipsed all other light, to at least one pair of eyes, swept Drucilla's face.

"You are very, very kind-to an absolute stranger. I-I-" She broke off because she felt suddenly like running over to Mrs. Drayton and having a good cry in those motherly arms. She felt little and crumpled up and very tired but happier than she could remember having been. In one blindgles were over; she would no longer where no one cared or watched for her coming. Here were two persons Fulton market. who would herald her approach into play a vital part—the world of music. 22, 1821, the market was torn down.

"But it is strange," Mrs. Drayton

sandwiches to Drucilla.

"The whole thing is very sudden," he said half to himself, then an off at a minimum rental of \$100 a swered his mother's questioning eyes, year. The butchers organized and de-"I know she is going to stay." Drucilla smiled.

Where "Sally" Came From. To the ballad of "Sally in Our Algument so full of nature that the song may hereafter derive an additional interest from its simple origin.

Salisbury is perfectly erroneous. The real occasion was this: A shoemaker's 'prentice, making a holiday thrifty housewives gone to the slip with his sweetheart, treated her with a sight of Bedlam, the puppet shows, the flying chairs, and all the elegancles of Moorfields; from whence, proceeding to the Farthing Pye-house, he the going out of fashion of the varigave her a collation of buns, cheese cakes, gammon of bacon, stuffed beef and bottled ale; through all which scenes the author dodged them (charmed with the simplicity of their courtship), from whence he drew this little sketch of nature.-Isaac Disraell. Calamities and Quarrels of Au- small measure for the gradual de-

Have Strange Ideas of America. On the body of an unknown man reently taken out of the Weser, at Bre- the controller has condemned the men, was found a note declaring that building, and largely because it has his suicide was the result of an been declared insanitary by the health "American duel." No amount of remonstrance will ever convince conti- condemns it. So Fulton market must nental Europe that this sort of duel go. is not an American invention, and is practically unknown among us. It is the same way with the "American curtain," which in continental parlance means a theater curtain plastered over with advertisements. The explanation of visiting Americans that this is one kind of advertising which America will not tolerate is invariably received with polite incredulity.

-New York Tribune.

United States Takes Lead. With the opening of the American factories at Niagara, Switzerland lost control of the aluminum market, which the little republic had held for several years. Neither Switzerland ilke to see the person who would return money that had been found, and my husband took him up on a \$25 wager that nine persons out of ten wager that nine persons out of ten persons such rich mines of oxide of aluminum or such sources of electrical energy as the United States.

Noted New York Structure to Be Demolished.

Bullding Known as Fulton Trading Post Which Linked Modern Gotham to Peter Stuyvesant's Days Fails to Pay.

or summer.

Thrice condemned is the old structure, with memories woven around it and steel, to the days of Peter Stuy-Dutchman, who, Sept. 12, 1656, as gov- sadly. ernor of New Amsterdam, decreed that "Saturday shall be the market day, and the market shall be held at the strand, at or around the house of Hans Kierstede, where, after him, every one shall be permitted to enter that has anything to buy or sell."

In 1675 the market moved to the Custom House Bridge Market house, farther up the East river and near to Maiden Lane. It became generally known as the Fly market, from the Dutch "V'Lie," for valley, which name stuck to Fulton market long after its

Perhaps the housewife of today with a turn for economics would like to know what the quaint Dutch vrous paid for their household supplies in those early times, when bears roamed turned to the girl's side, "if you will over Manhattan island not far north of the present city hall, and lambs bleated in the meadows around Wall street. Well, pork was 3 pence a pound; beef, 2 pence; butter, 6 pence; beer, 2 pence a mug. Lodging was 2 pence a night, meals 6 pence and board by the week 5 shillings. But then it must be remembered that labor brought only 2 shillings 6 pence a

For over a century the market remained, cleaned out occasionally by vagrants designated by the courts for the purpose. But the agitation that brought about the abandonment and ing moment she knew that her strug- razing of the old Fly market began in the early part of the last century, have to battle lone-handed in a world much after the fashion of the agitation that started against its successor,

The department of health condemn-

The merchants scattered to other was saying, while she busied herself parts of the city; some going to Spring with tea, "how our friends are given Street market and others to Center to us-sometimes through a trivial lit- Street market and a part of them to tle happening." She glanced up at Old Slip market, until the new market her big son who stood waiting for a was built at the foot of Fulton street. cup for Drucilla. "I seem to feel that This was finished toward the end of Miss Verney has walked into our lives the year and the aldermen comprising the market committee recommend-Carroll took a cup of tea and some ed that the stands in the new market, which were to be occupied almost exclusively by butchers, be auctioned cided to boycott the market, thus hoping to keep it idle until their demands for a lower rental were granted. But the city authorities determined upon ignoring the butchers and on Dec. 18, ley" Henry Carey has prefixed an ar- 1821, James Bleeker began to auction

Though established as a market for the express purpose of "supplying the The author assures the reader that common people with the necessaries the popular notion that the subject of of life at reasonable prices," old Fulton market long before the civil war began to assume its present wholesale characteristics. Not in decades have across from the market proper, where the fishing smacks come in, to purchase fish cheaply as is still done at old "T" wharf in Boston. And with colored shawls, New York women have ceased to go marketing with a basket on one arm, or, without one, for that matter, and this decadence, with the progress in rapid transit taking its one time customers out to the suburbs, has been responsible in no parture of Fulton market from its orig-

inal standards. Because its maintenance costs the city an annual loss of over \$2,000, and department, the borough president

ATTENDS FEAST BY PHONE

Man III in Kansas City Hears Speech Accompanying Gift of Loving Cup at Leavenworth, Kan.

Leavenworth, Kan.-S. N. Spotts. who is ill at Kansas City, Mo., heard over the long-distance telephone speeches given here at the banquet of the Southwest District of Associated Advertising clubs. Mr. Spotts is president of the district. The telephone company connected an instrument at Mr. Spotts' bedside with three receivers on the speakers' table in the banquet room. The ad. men were to have presented to him a silver loving cup. He heard the presentation speech over

SHOULD BE TAKEN SERIOUSLY WARD OF GOVERNMENT

Childish Mind, Groping in Darkness, Is Craving for Information That Is Denied It.

Every trace of useful information is carefully concealed from the very young child. A rattle, or at most a rubber doll, is its only plaything. As it grows older it is very slowly and gradually introduced to the various forms of the animal kingdom. Of the mysteries of numbers and of lan-New York.—Tottering under its most part answered "humorously" weight of ninety years and showing and hence incorrectly, or they are not Mount Vernon barracks, Alabama, rewhat dreadful temptations I threw the ugly scars of a recent fire, Fulton answered at all. This eternal "hu- ported to the war department that market, the historic, the picturesque, mor" is most galling of all. Why there was at that post a white mule the malodorous, is about to fall. The should a human infant be such an ir- named Mexique, which had been for ruthless hand of progress, personified resistible joke? The lower animals many years in the service of the Unitnoticed the shabby little brown suit in a wrecking crew, working under or- take their young seriously and train ed States, but which had at last been ders of the municipal authorities, will them from the start with a very defi- ordered sold. The officers of the post, begin tearing down the old yellow nite purpose in view. Yet their pos- Lieutenant Kobbe said, desired perbuilding in the block bounded by Ful- sibilities are infinitesimal as com- mission to purchase the animal and ton, South, Beekman and Front streets pared with those of the average baby. keep and care for it at their own exsome time during the coming spring And we sit calmly by and enjoy the pense. the child is enjoying itself also, even artillery, to whom the petition was though its little soul may be thirsting referred, reported that the mule in that link the present New York, with for information which is laughingly question was originally left at Key its rustle and bustle, its subway and denied it. And we continue to put cloud touching structures of stone off the inevitable day when the child the army returning from Mexico at will have to take life seriously and the close of the war with that counvesant. For it was that stubborn old hence, according to our tradition, try. He added:

One important point which is quite sense and silliness are just as taxing to the infant mind as useful information would be. It requires no more that a mass of brownish softness is little or nothing." a "fuzzy ittle Teddy bear, yes it is." age it is certainly less puzzling to be follows: told that five and five make ten than toes described as a series of pigs gomund Spaeth in Harper's Weekly.

TURNED LEAVES OF ROMANCE

Vangy Found, as Others of Her Sex Have Done, That Man Was Ever Fickle.

"Will nave a cup of tea, Van-

gy?" asked Mrs. Greene, as Vangy came in from hanging out the clothes. "Ah don' cayah ef Ah do, Mis Greene. It right col' on de roof an' Ah's mos' chill to de marrer ob mah bones. Yo's bery kin'" as, yielding to Mrs. Greene's suggestion, she deposited her portly form on a chair near the kitchen table, "Yo's allus tryin' to make a pusson comf'able. Yo' min's me ob mah maw-o' cos' yo' ain' as ol' as her, but yo' like her in yo' mannahs. Oh, yes'm, Ah likes sugah in mah tea. W'eneber anya world where she knew she could ed it as insanitary. Finally, on Jan. body ast me ef I like sugah in mah tea Ah t'ink ob a gamman fr'en' Ah was 'gaged to oncet. 'W'are he now?' Lor. Ah dunno, he lef de city ain' no 'count no how an' Ah don' cayah ef he nevah come back. Dere's jes' as good meat in de hash as eber come out ob it, Mis Greene. 'W'ot's his name?' honey. His name Mistah Dobson, at dat time. He use come roun to mah house to take his af'ernoon tea wif me an' maw. He mighty sweet on me den. Ah 'member one day he come an' maw, she po'd out a cup o' tea fo' him an' he taste it an' den he say mos' 'grayshatin' like, 'Mis Vangy, would yo' min' puttin' yo' li'les fingah in mah tea-on'y de ve'y tip ob it?' 'W'ot yo' wan' me put mah fingah in yo' tea fo'?' Ah say. he say, 'yo' maw fo'got to put in de sugah an' I cayn drink tea 'less it bery sweet.' Now days." she concluded with a shake of her head, "he wouldn't drink his tea, Ah reckon, ef Ah was to put mah whole han' in."

Bomb's Deadly Work. Paris is truly a city of tragedies. At a quarter past eight the other morning there was a terrific bomb explosion on the Place de Montrouge. Policemen rushed up, and found a young man of eighteen, Alfred Hervo, shricking with pain, and rolling in agony on the ground. His face and hands were covered with blood and his clothes were burning. Two policemen put the fire out, put Hervo in a cab, and took him to the nearest hospital. The other policemen found the bomb. It had been made of two metal soap boxes tied together, and filled with powder and nails. Hervo declared that he knew nothing about the bomb. He was on his way to his work, saw the thing lying on the pavement, and kicked it off into the gutter. It broke open, and wondering what the black stuff in it was, Hervo lit a match and bent down to find out. An explosion followed.

Fashions Long Kept Up. The British admiralty's annual order for black silk handkerchiefs for the navy, recently placed for 90,000, Jackson. led to inquiry:, "why black?" It is said to be as mourping for Nelson's death at Trafalgar. Another instance of long-continued mourning is shown in the dark clothes officially worn by the Anglo-Saxon race; at the decease of the duke of Gloucester, Queen Anne's heir-apparent, the bar went into mourning and has never doffed this, though the lapse of the Stuart dynasty on the British throne was scarcely to be regretted. Doubtless the largest following of one fashion by men was after Alexander set the style of having the face clean-shaven; this was kept up by the Graeco-Roman world for five hundred

LONG AND ARDUOUS SERVICE OF MULE RECOGNIZED.

It Has Been Sald That Republics Were Ever Ungrateful, but This Incl. dent Seems to Disprove the Statement.

Almost thirty years ago, so the arguages it has as yet no conception. chives of the war department dis-Its constant questions are for the close, Lieutenant W. A. Kobbe of the Third artillery, who was stationed at

"humor" of childhood and insist that Major F. L. Guenther of the Second West barracks in 1848 by a portion of

"During the time that I served at Key West, from 1875 to 1880, the mule overlooked by the upholders of the did not miss a day's work from any brainless child is the fact that non- cause. He is very old and has been worn out by his long service in the quartermaster's department. If there is any way to provide for him, I should mental effort to realize that A is A be glad to have it done, as the exthan to grasp the extraordinary fact pense to the government would be

The petition went through the regu-In fact, the letter A has a distinct ad- lar channels until it reached the quarvantage. And at a more advanced termaster general, who indorsed it as

"To promote the sentiment of kindto have one's own respectable pink ness toward animals that are so intimately connected with military men, ing to market or entering into the va- it is recommended in this special case rlous other activities of life .- Sig- that this mule be kept in the department and left to the care of those whose kindly feelings are so deeply enlisted in his behalf."

General Sherman submitted the case to the secretary of war, with the fol-

lowing report: "I have seen the mule, and whether true or not, the soldiers believe it was left at Big Spring, where Mount Vernon barracks now are, at the time General Jackson's army encamped there, about 1819-1820. Tradition says that it was once a sorrel, but now it is white from age. The quartermaster's department will be chargeable with ingratitude if the mule is sold, or the care of maintenance of it thrown on the charitable officers of the post. I advise that it be kept in the department, fed and maintained until death. I think the mule was at Fort Morgan, Mobile Point, when I was there in

The secretary of war thereupon made the following order: "Let this mule be kept and well cared for as long as he lives."

Scorpion's Fainting Fit.

The scorpion that is placed in the center of a ring of coals does not commit suicide by stinging himself to death, as has been claimed. In lands where the scorpion abounds it is a regular pastime among countrymen to ring a scorpion with fire and watch him commit, as is believed, the happy despatch. Nevertheless, the scorpion has the last laugh, as it were.

The scorpion, though an inhabitant of torrid regions, is so delicately organized that a very slight increase above the normal temperature produces a condition in him analogous to a fainting fit. Driven desperate by the heat, he lashes his tail wildly, giving the impression that he is plunging his sting into his own body. Then he falls motionless. As a presumably dead scorpion has no further interest for the spectators, he is usually left where he has fallen, and, after the fire has died down, he recovers and crawls away.

Peacock Throne of Persia. The throne, itself, which now graces the audience hall of the Persian Shahan-Shah, or "King of Kings," is a magnificent work of art, sumptuous in the extreme. It is a jeweled platform, sometimes compared to a "field bed," about four feet high and five feet by eight feet in area, resting on six massive legs, with four additional supports, and mounted by a double step. A heavy railing, decorated with metal knobs and finials, emboxes the rugbedecked seat and rises at the rear to form an elevated back, against which the shah sits in Oriental fashion, supported by a bolster-cushion and surrounded by pillows. The rich incrustations of jewels, the highly ornate character of the lacquer work, and the delicacy of the traceries and arabesque designs impart to the throne an exquisiteness of finish and beauty that is quite its own.-From Constantinople to Persia, by A. V. W.

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name. I think of 'jackpot' and I've got you at once." "What's the connection?" "Well, jackpot suggests bathroom;

transition is easy." "I suppose you've been begging all your life, haven't you?" said the lady

Not yit." was the wanderer's reply.

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PORTS OF ARGENTINA

Southern Republic Adds to Harbor Facilities.

Plan Docks for New Dreadnoughts-Extension of Rallway Lines to All Parts of the Country Being Rapidly Pushed.

Buenos Aires, Argentine Republic .-In 1911 the Argentine government devoted much attention to the opening of new ports on the rivers and on the coast of the Atlantic or to amplifying those at present in existence in order known surgeons in the country, called to provide for the increased maritime the town fool when a boy, dropped in trade with neighboring and foreign and left enough money for a town countries. Among these may be men- library. tioned the work of enlarging the port Brighton of Argentina," which is now being carried out, while the Port Argentine Great Central Railways company has obtained a concession from up his Wall street office long enough the government to construct and work to attend. borombon, about 100 miles from the of the whole celebration was the abcity of Buenos Aires, and a system sence of the men and women who of railways, comprising about 640 gave much promise of originality and miles of lines, connecting the port worth during their youth.

Sillard, is to be completed in eight eron Shafer in Judge. years and will have a capacity sufficient to accommodate sea going vessels to an aggregate of not less than DICKENS FITTED FOR STAGE 60,000 tons. The harbor concession is granted for ninety-nine years from Kate Field, Excellent Judge of Char-April 2, 1910, and all lands for a distance of nine miles of foreshore on the bay reclaimed from the sea below the highest water mark have been grantstrip which reverts to the government after ninety-nine years.

The lines of this company, from the cific. The Northeastern Railway company has been authorized to construct if not a better judge of character. and exploit for the term of thirty years the mole at the port of Goya. The government has also recently approved the project for the amplification, dredging, etc., of the port of scription of one of Dickens readings

With the building this year in the noughts," named Moreno and Rivadavia, docks will have to be provided for their repair and overhaul; therefore arrangements have been made by the government for constructing such Blanca. For the smaller class of na. pear to be a bit extravagant were it val vessels the British engineers and not that now and then in later years shipbuilders, Messrs. Vickers & necessary work shops and docks at Rio Santiago, near the port of La

Hope for the future progress of the republic is in the extension of railways principal parts of the territory, there his wrinkled cheeks-his old heart by enabling the products of the soil to strings still atune to the magic of The be conveyed rapidly to home ports and thence to the foreign markets. Much has already been done in this respect. In fact, Argentina, with only operation over a combined length of look, for all the world, like Arabs' more than 31,000 kilometers (19,225 tents as they glide along, and others miles) and congress has recently sanc- like cliffs, castles, cathedrals, yachts, tioned new railway concessions to the and occasionally they resemble some rresent British companies, several pri- well known animal. Some of the pinvate individuals, as-well as those to be nacles of a large berg rise nearly constructed by the state, having a 1,000 feet above the water, while the combined extent of nearly 10,000 kilo- base may occupy an area of ten or meters (6,200 miles), estimatel to cost twelve acres. Seen through a powermore than \$80,000,000 in gold.

GOT IN THE WRONG HOME few seals.

"It's Me. Dearie." Failed to Assure Mrs. Roseman When Patrick Murphy Took Off Shoes.

errily with companions, Patrick Mur- las. phy started for his home, at No. 87 Eldert street, Williamsburg. All dwellings looked alike to Murphy at that hour, and he picked the one around

WHEN THEY WENT BACK HOME!

Humorist Records Some Surprises That Attended the Occasion of Popular Celebration.

During a recent Old Home Week in an up-state village the following "never-will-amount-to-anythings" were in attendance:

John Wilson Clarke, who was always too lazy to do the chores, came up from New York in his big sevenpassenger car. On account of pressing work he could stay but a few

Ex-Gov. Silby Kirkwood, who was naturally thick-headed and half-baked in his youth, stopped over in his private car to see his old home.

Dr. Willus G. Dyer, one of the best-

Miss Caroline Jensen Atwood, too of Mar del Plata, known as, "The stupid to learn in the old red schoolhouse, now a popular authoress and playwright visited her relatives. Charlie Druke, the spendthrift, shut

an Atlantic port in the bay of Sam- One of the most noticeable features

with the principal railways of the re- Lack of memory in their old age accounts for the fact that not one of the The first section of the harbor old fogies present ever said anything works, now in course of construction but good of anybody, including the under the direction of Engineer Jean successful boys present .- Don. Cam-

acter, Confident He Might Have Been Great Actor.

No one ever paid a much higher ed in perpetuity subject to a small tribute to Dickens than did Kate Field. She had the soul of a poet, a discriminating taste in art and literature and wide knowledge of the port of Somborombon, will connect world. In mentality she was fully as with those of the Great Southern rail- strong as either of her brilliant brothway, the Western railway and the Pa- ers, David, Dudley, Stephen J. or Cyrus W., and she certainly was as good

She once wrote an appreciation of Dickens in which she declared the world lost its greatest actor when Boz became a writer. She gave a dethat was masterly in its vividness of detail. Such versatility as she cred-United States of the two "dread. Ited Dickens with displaying as he assumed the character of first one and then another of his creations, the pathos, the humor, the tragedy he put into a tone; the marvelous way in which he stirred the emotions of old docks at the military port near Bahia and young in his audience, would apsome old man, looked upon as stern Schneider, are about to establish the and unemotional, told with faltering voice how he stood in line all one night to buy a ticket to one of Boz' readings, and then went on to talk just about as Miss Field wrote, only before he got as far along in his story the tears were running down

Difference in Icebergs.

No two icebergs appear to be ex-7,000,000 inhabitants, has railways in actly alike in size and shape. Some ful glass, one may detect waterfalls upon these islands of ice, and all kinds of arctic birds, and perhaps a

Then the colors are almost beyond description. The stately pinnacles glisten in the sun like powdered glass, At times the berg is pure white, at others it looks greenish.-From Harold New York .- Having spent the night J. Shepstone's "Icebergs" in St. Nicho-

"Liked to Be Gulled."

Sir William Gull, the well-known the corner at No. 562 Hamburg ave- London physician, was once the vicnue as his own. The house is occu- tim of an amusing piece of repartee pled by Henry P. Roseman, and as on the part of a fellow practitioner. Murphy's key unlatched the front door The occasion was a dinner party at he walked in. Making his way softly which several distinguished medical through the darkness, he went to the men were present. The conversation bedroom occupied by Roseman. Mur- happened to turn upon the subject of phy was taking off his shoes when quackery, and Sir William Gull ev-Mrs. Roseman was awakened and pressed his conviction that a certain asked who it was. Murphy, who was amount of it was essential to success

Prosaic "Ghost."

Thinking they had seen a "ghost," a number of Dundee (Scotland) townsfolk, while walking through the

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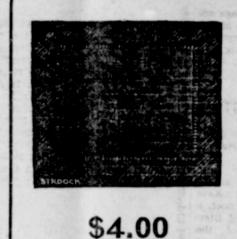
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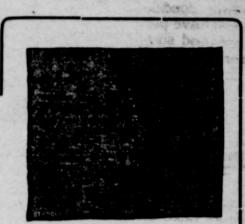
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neglected. All the sweets of the blossoms that bloom in the tangled growth along every creek and river bottom are being wasted because sands of sacks of cement will be bottom are being wasted because sands of sacks of cement will be there are no bees to gather them. All the clover blossoms of the meadows and lawns are useless to mankind on tract for the erection of fifty-two

"While most of the timbered parts of Texas are well adapted for the bee business, the climate and other conditions of the coast counties are particularly suitable for successful bee keeping. In this section some of the best honey-producing shrubs and durants grow in abundance and durants. This company is recognized as the largest contracting firm in the South and has distinct the contracting firm in the South and has contracting firm in the South and has recently completed a \$700,000 bridge over the Arkansas river at Fort Smith. plants grow in abundance and dur-ing the blossoming period of the white clover, alone, now coming into bloom, many tons of the best honey will be wasted daily simply because there are not bees enough to gather it. In all the river and creek bottom lands many square miles of tangled lands many square miles of tangled growth of natural vines, creepers and other vegetation will bloom during he next months and great quantities of honey will be lost for the same reason. Bee keeping should be in-

reputation for bee keeping, there are also a number of places in Southeast Texas and the coast country where bees have been successfully kept for many yars, and honey from Beauin excellent humor, replied: "It's me, dearie. I met some of the boys."

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Lyerly, Ga.—Robins in this vicinility have acquired habits of insobriety.
The "bird licker" that intoxicates them is believed to be obtained from China berries, which grow in profusion near here. Many of the robins that have been found intoxicated have been watched during the time of their stupefaction, watchers being careful to keep cats at a safe distance, and it has been observed that in a few hours the birds revive and go back to the China berry trees

a number of Dundee (Scotland) townsfolk, while was him the walking through the command the contractors, with offices in the First National Bank Building, have been awarded the contract for the cree-tion of automobiles in this city to drive and summoned the nearest gatekeep er. The "vision" which had aroused their alarm—that of a figure in scanty attire standing behind a gravestone, had vanished when they returned with reinforcements, and all there was to be seen was a large piece of red flammediately above the city pumping station and will be the most costly limited by the flammediately above the city pumping station and will be the most costly bridge spanning the Cumberland. Work will commence on the bridge will be at a point immediately above the city pumping station and will be the most costly bridge spanning the Cumberland. Work will commence on the bridge spanning the Cumberland. Work will commence on the bridge spanning the Cumberland. Work will commence on the bridge spanning the Cumberland. Work will commence on the bridge spanning the Cumberland of the April 32, and fill the ruts and chuck the Lewisburg and Northern oranch of the Lewisburg and Northern oranch

80-foot and one 40-foot span. The

dustrial Agent Says State Loses
Largely by Neglect of Industry.

Houston, Tex., April 3.—According to H. P. Attwater industrial agent of the P. Attwater industrial agent of t to H. P. Attwater, industrial agent of contracting firms throughout the the Southern Pacific Railroad, Texas country. The bridge will have two is losing hundreds of tons of honey tracks, which will necessitate double every year for the simple reason that the work and time as would be rethe bee business in this state is being quired with only one track. It is es-

and lawns are useless to mankind on account of the lack of bees to convert them into honey. For the same tween Nashville and Birmingham. The completion of the Lewisburg and reespers and other vegetation of the forests might as well never bud.

In speaking of the matter, Mr. Attured and the speaking of the speaking of the same line between Nashville and Birmingham. The completion of the Lewisburg and Northern will do a great deal toward reducing congested conditions in the local terminal yards, as all through without stopping. All railroads in the same line between Nashville and Birmingham. perform important work in connection without stopping. All railroads in ion with the fertilization of fruit the South leading to the gulf are now olossoms and should be associated bending their efforts to get their lines with every orchard. There is no excuse for not having them. They work completion of the Panama Canal.

for nothing and board themselves and seem to be glad of the chance to be many firms of the country the Fosterservice. Creighton-Gould Company are re While most of the timbered parts ceiving congratulations. This com-

> ALL BUT MILITIA ON "DRY" LID. Authorities in Eastern Oklahoma Fail to Stop Sale of Liquor.

Muskogee, Okla., April 3 .- In eastand Muskogee, Okia., April 3.—In easi-ern Oklahoma every law enforcemen-authority except the state militia is sitting on the prohibition lid. The federal authorities, under the direc-tion of United States Marshal Gran luded in the new settlers' calculations and can be easily and profitably onnected with other farm operations, articularly delivered. connected with other latin operation of the country officers are busy issued articularly dairying, poultry, hog caising, fruit and truck growing.

"Although West Texas has the big serving injunctions against believed to be selling liquid believed to be selling liquid to be selling liquid." federal court decision; the state are county officers are busy issuing an against the owners of buildings. The county attorneys have commence work on this line so extensively they are using hundreds of printed forms, simply filling in the names and locations of the suspected "joints."

Owners of Cars in Spokane to De Some Hard Work.

Spokane, Wash., April 2.—William D. Vincent, cashier of the Old Na-tional bank of Spokane and chair-Nashville, Tenn., April 3.—The Fos-the Washington State Bankers' as-

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