

GOOD BEEF CLOSES FIRM

VERY SATISFACTORY OUTLET HERE THIS WEEK FOR ALL BEEF CATTLE.

RANGERS CLOSING STRAIGHT

Top Native Steers, 9.55; Westerns, \$8.50—Cows and Heifers Higher

Not enough cattle were received here today to stimulate the general interest among traders. Prices were rather flat except for a firm lot of butchers' stock, mostly speculative holdovers, and all told, not enough business was transacted in the cattle alleys to give a line on the trend of prices.

Good to choice feeding steers are quotable at \$5.25@6.75; fair to good feeding steers, \$4.60@5.25; good to choice stock steers, \$5.50@5.75; fair to good stock steers, \$5.00@5.40; stock cows, \$3.65@4.25; stock heifers, \$3.00@3.80; stock calves, \$4.50@5.00.

RANGERS-NATIVE DIVISION. There has been a fair supply of Kansas grass cattle received on the native side this week, although the weakness developed Tuesday but this has been made up and the market on practically all grades of western steers are closing up steady to strong.

QUARANTINE DIVISION. Receipts in the Texas division this week were light and the few shipments received were snapped up readily and at prices that should have been higher.

TAFT VETOS WOOL BILL. Sends Measure Back to Congress Stamped With His Disapproval.

Washington, Aug. 10.—For the second time within a year, President Taft yesterday vetoed a bill to reduce the wool tariff—schedule "K" of the Payne-Aldrich law.

With a message of disapproval the president returned to congress the bill which would reduce the wool tariff from 15 to 10 percent.

Most of the rates in the submitted bill, wrote Mr. Taft, "in themselves that if enacted into law, the inevitable result would be irretrievable injury to the wool-growing industry, the enforced idleness of much of our wool-combing and spinning machinery, a thousand of jobs and the consequent throwing out of employment thousands of workmen."

The bill sent to the White House imposes an excise duty of 25 percent on raw wool and clothes of 49 percent. Both rates, Mr. Taft held, were insufficient to protect the wool grower and the manufacturer.

It was predicted today that the wool bill might be passed by the house over Mr. Taft's veto, but there was some doubt as to its fate in the senate. Republican leaders were inclined to believe that it would fall of passage there as it did twelve months ago.

GRAIN YIELDS IN COLORADO ARID SECTION ARE BOUNTIFUL. Loveland, Colo., Aug. 10.—Dry land wheat being harvested in this section is making the largest crop in the history of dry farming.

STOCKS AND FEEDS. Disposal of today's feed supply of stockers and feeders was with out appreciable change in values, compared with yesterday.

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STRONG TURN IN HOGS

LIGHT SUPPLY CLEARS FREELY AT STRONG TO BE HIGH-ER RANGE.

TOP WAS SAME AS FRIDAY

Bulk Covered Spread, of \$8.00@8.50—General Quality Was Better Than Yesterday and Range in Prices Narrower.

More life and activity featured today's trade in live pork than on any previous session this week. Receipts were light all around, even for a Saturday, and under a strong demand the small supply offered here was snapped up early at prices ranging strong to 5c higher generally, as compared with the previous day.

Prices ranged from \$7.95@8.30, with the bulk selling at \$8.00@8.25. The bulk sold yesterday at \$7.90@8.20, a week ago at \$8.05@8.20, a month ago at \$7.40@7.50, a year ago at \$7.20@7.40, two years ago at \$6.55@6.75, three years ago at \$7.60@7.70, and four years ago at \$6.45@6.60.

For the week local receipts of hogs are an aggregate of 32,900 head, as compared with a total of 31,304 the previous week, 33,400 a month ago, 22,444 a year ago, 25,162 two years ago, 25,554 three years ago, and 49,428 four years ago.

Representative Hog Sales. No. 1, 175; No. 2, 175; No. 3, 175; No. 4, 175; No. 5, 175; No. 6, 175; No. 7, 175; No. 8, 175; No. 9, 175; No. 10, 175.

OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS. CHICAGO. CHICAGO Union Stock Yards, Ill., Aug. 10.—The Live Stock World reports: Cattle—Receipts, 200. Market, steady.

KANSAS CITY. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 10.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts, 100. Market nominal.

SOUTH OMAHA. SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 10.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts, 100. Market steady.

EAST ST. LOUIS. EAST ST. LOUIS, National Stock Yards, Ill., Aug. 10.—Special to The Journal: The National Live Stock Reporter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 200. Market 10c higher; top \$8.50, bulk \$8.25 @8.40.

FORT WORTH. FORT WORTH, Texas, Aug. 10.—Special to The Journal: The Daily Live Stock Reporter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 100. Market nominal.

SIoux CITY. SIoux CITY, Ia., Aug. 10.—Special to The Journal: The Live Stock Reporter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 200. Market steady.

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NO SHEEP OFFERED

MARKET BARREN OF FRESH SUPPLIES AND TRADE NOM- INALLY STEADY.

GOOD RUNS ARE IN SIGHT

Closing Values Show Little Change Compared With a Week Ago— Idaho Lambs Up to \$7.50 This Week.

Nothing in the way of fresh supplies put in appearance at this point today, and trade remained barren, with the market nominally steady. For a Friday the supply of sheep and lambs at this estimate was surprisingly large. First estimates called for 1,000, but arrival of seven cars of Idaho lambs boosted this up to approximately 1,800. Demand was holding firm with yesterday. Lambs sold at \$7.40.

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

Receipts by Cars. C. B. & Q., west..... 6 C. B. & Q., east..... 17 G. R. I. P..... 5 Great Western..... 2 Missouri Pacific..... 2 St. Joseph & Grand Island..... 4 A. T. & S. F..... 1 Total..... 49

ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET. Today's cash values: Receipts, wheat, 15 cars; corn, 15 cars; oats, 1 car.

Wheat. No. 2 red..... 97 @ 99 No. 3 red..... 94 @ 98 No. 2 hard..... 87 1/2 @ 89 No. 3 hard..... 86 1/2 @ 89

Corn. No. 2 white..... 76 1/2 @ 78 No. 3 white..... 76 1/2 @ 78 No. 2 mixed..... 75 1/2 @ 77 No. 3 mixed..... 74 @ 76 1/2 No. 2 yellow..... 75 @ 77

Oats. No. 2 white..... 34 @ 35 No. 3 white..... 34 @ 34 No. 3 oats..... 33 1/2 @ 34 Shorts..... 1 1/2 @ 1 20 Bran..... 92 @ 95 Corn chop..... 43 @ 43 1/2

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS. The following Chicago board of trade quotations are furnished by T. P. Gordon, 1005-1008 New Corby-Forsce Building, St. Joseph, Mo.:

WHEAT—Sept. 91 1/2 92 1/2 91 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2 Dec. 91 1/2 92 1/2 91 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2

CORN—Sept. 67 1/2 68 1/2 67 1/2 68 1/2 68 1/2 Dec. 54 1/2 55 1/2 54 1/2 55 1/2 55 1/2

OATS—Sept. 30 1/2 31 1/2 30 1/2 31 1/2 31 1/2 Dec. 31 1/2 32 1/2 31 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2

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VOTE ON ROAD BONDS TODAY. Authorization of Million Dollar Bond Issue Up to Voters of County.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 10.—Three members of the Illinois national guard who shot yesterday near Camp Lincoln by a farmer.

Weather Forecast. Missouri—Fair tonight and Sunday; rising temperature Sunday.

NEW ERA ON THE FARM

LETTERS COUNTY, MISSOURI HIRING AN EXPERT TO TEACH SCIENTIFIC FARMING.

INCORPORATE FARM BUREAU

Sum M. Jordan Employed Under New System to Promote Better Methods of Agriculture.

That is the declaration of S. M. Jordan, who was employed as the pioneer promoter of the system in Pettis county. Jordan is located in his opinion by business men of Sedalia, who this week began definite steps to have the Pettis County Farm Bureau incorporated at once with a view of making it a permanent institution.

Although in existence only since last April, the usefulness and possibilities of the farm bureau are so apparent that S. E. Spencer, former owner and president of the Sedalia Boosters' Club, declares that the county should have five farm experts instead of one, incorporated at once with a view of making it a permanent institution.

Spencer Bros., rated as one of Iowa's largest shipping firms, were represented on today's market with a car of hogs, billed from Kent, Iowa.

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Champion Feed saves corn. H. Ramsey, who operates around Virginia, Neb., had a car of hogs on sale today.

McKinn, of Morrill, Kan., increased today's receipts at this point with a car of hogs.

Excello Cattle Fatener has proven a great success. The cheapest and best feed that can be fed with corn. Increases the gain, shortens time of feeding.

J. H. McCune, of Glenview, Neb., a regular patron of this market sent in a car of live pork for today's trade.

Clay County Grain Co., with headquarters at Fairfield, Neb., was represented on today's market with a shipment of hogs.

Free—A Stetson Hat catalogue. Send your name at once to Sam Kahn, St. Joseph, Mo.

Joe Deiter, a successful live stock shipper of Fort City, Mo., marketed a car of hogs here today.

Wm. Breemmen, of Westboro, Mo., was among those who had hogs on today's market.

\$200 buys a good automobile. Kay & Robertson, 7th and Charles, St. Joseph, Mo.

T. M. Willhore, of Clarinda, Ia., consigned a shipment of good hogs to the local trade today.

W. A. S. Derr, of Forest City, Mo., one of the largest shippers to this market, disposed of a car of hogs here today.

Try Hilgert's 25c merchants lunch and be convinced its the best in the city. 207 So. 6th St.

J. E. Hickey, a successful farmer and feeder of St. Joseph, Mo., has a car of hogs of his own feeding on sale today.

APPLE A BEAUTY HELP.

Women Advised to Eat This Fruit to Improve Complexions.

MOULDED IN BUTTER.

Beautiful Models of Famous Statuary at State Fair.

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 10.—Kansas is interested in the dairy industry in all its phases and that reason the State Fair at Topeka will each year enlarge the scope of its dairy department and the exhibits therein.

Members of Company I, Fifth Infantry, were maneuvering north of Camp Lincoln, and in advancing on the enemy they were compelled to pass through a barn yard. As they proceeded, two men were seen standing on the porch of a house but a short distance away.

Business interests of the city are very favorable to the plan and most close a part of the day to allow their employees to vote.

If the bonds carry every road leading into St. Joseph, not already improved, will be macadamized from the city limits to the county lines, which will give Buchanan county the best system of roads to be found in North-west Missouri.

The bond issue that is up to the voters today is the biggest presented in this county within the past decade.

Weather Forecast. Missouri—Fair tonight and Sunday; rising temperature Sunday.

Kansas—Fair tonight, warmer north and west portions; Sunday fair.

Nebraska—Fair tonight; warmer west portion, Sunday fair.

Iowa—Fair tonight; Sunday fair and warmer.

A TWO-POUND BABY. The stork left a baby at a Wichita, Kan., home the other day that weighed only two pounds. It can be held in one hand and its fingers are as small as knitting needles and its mouth about the size of a thumb nail, yet it is healthy, takes nourishment and can cry like any other baby.

W. R. Stubbs Wins Out. Late Returns Apparently Give Him Victory in Senatorial Fight.

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 10.—Returns received yesterday from over the state indicate that Governor W. R. Stubbs has carried nearly 100 of the 165 legislative districts. The governor issued a statement in which he declares he has easily won the Republican senatorial nomination from Senator Curtis.

Judge W. H. Thompson also issued a statement in which he claims the Democratic nomination for senator over Hugh Farrelly. None of the contests was materially changed by the results received during the day.

Women Advised to Eat This Fruit to Improve Complexions. Chicago, Aug. 16.—"If women knew that eating apples will do more to improve their complexions than all the face cream and skin preparations they would eat the luscious fruit morning, noon and night," said Dr. J. E. Hickey, of Baltimore, Md., in addressing the International Apple Shippers' association.

Five years from now, when the countless apple orchards that have come into existence in the last few years begin to bear full crops, the annual apple production of this country will exceed 100,000,000 barrels, said Mr. Hickey. "We must advertise the apple as the national fruit if we are to prevent its over-production. The people must be reminded of the health benefits of eating apples."

Other speakers declared that the freight and storage charges were responsible for the increase in the price of apples to the consumer in recent years.

Mule Foot Hogs for Sale—Thoroughbred young stock for sale at all times. Call on or address Ernest E. Graff, Rosedale, Mo.

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Does Book Farming Pay? There isn't anything in this book farming, said an old horny handed farmer in Henry county to his son who had just returned from taking the "Short Course" at the Agricultural College at Columbia a couple of years ago.

Ignore Supply and Demand Factors. Those using the inquiry into the alleged beef trust that is now being discussed in the federal legislative bodies of the land of the free and the home of the hot-air politician, could readily find sufficient material to check further fanatical outbursts in this much agitated matter.

Get Rare Animal for Zoo. Hunters Go Far Into Jungle After Prizes and Have Many Fights.

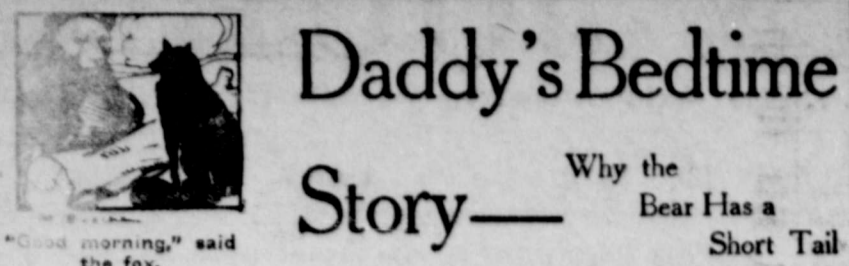
Ridding West of Cattle Tick. The taking up of the western cattle range by homesteaders, resulting in a shortage in the supply of beef cattle for consumption by the millions of people largely dependent upon cattle grown in that region, has brought about a rise in price of steers at the great abattoirs of the country and a decided increase of cost of meat to the consumer in the cities.

Minnesota Crops Large. Northern and Western Sections Have Great Crops This Year.

Northwest Needs Help. Minnesota and North Dakota Farmers Still Calling for Hands.

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"Good morning," said the fox.

ADDY said he would tell Jack and Evelyn another story about Mr. Bear.

"Perhaps you didn't know that Mr. Bear once had a nice long tail," daddy began.

"It was a nice bushy tail, and Mr. Bear was very proud of it. When he wanted it trailed along the grass, and if you wanted to make yourself very, very agreeable to him you had only to say in his hearing something about his tail.

"Mr. Fox, who was very sly, knew this.

"One day—it was in the winter—Mr. Fox went down to the lake to get a fish.

"The water was covered with ice, and he would have gone home hungry if he had not noticed Mr. Bear walking about in the woods and had a fine idea.

"Mr. Fox trotted over to where Mr. Bear was nibbling some mountain berries.

"Good morning," said the fox in his sweetest tones. "I am glad to see you looking so well and handsome this morning. Ah, that beautiful tail of yours! I envy it to you every time I meet you."

"Mr. Bear grinned with pleasure.

"It's very kind of you to say so, Mr. Fox," he stammered. "Anything I can ever do for you will be a pleasure."

"You are too kind," Mr. Fox said mournfully. "But, my friend, if I had a fine long tail like yours I would not be weak and hungry as I am this moment."

"Oh, have a few berries," urged the bear.

"But Mr. Fox said berries did not agree with him. In fact, at that time he was feeling so unwell that nothing but a nice fat fish would set him up again.

"Indeed," Mr. Bear replied, "if I could give you a fish I would gladly do so; but, as you know, the lake is frozen over."

"Mr. Fox made a great show of hesitation; then he said:

"There is a small hole in the lake through which any one with a beautiful long tail like yours could get all the fish he wanted."

"Mr. Bear made for the lake. 'Come along,' he called to Mr. Fox.

"When Mr. Fox showed Mr. Bear the hole he sat down and dropped his tail into the water. Ow, but it was cold!

"When the bear tried to pull his tail out of the water he found it frozen to the ice. To free himself he had to cut it off. He was dreadfully angry. And Mr. Fox and Mr. Bear aren't friends, and none of the bear family has tails any more."

accomplish the complete elimination of the cattle tick, although a number of years of hard work will be required to entirely free the entire country of this pest.

It is of great importance that the efforts of the officials should be supplemented by the farmers, and to this end a Farmers' Bulletin giving "Methods of Extirminating the Texas-Fever Tick," in a practical manner that can be utilized by the farmer or stockman, who has already begun or who contemplates undertaking the complete extermination of this pest from his farm.

These methods may be improved as new facts become available, but they have already reached such a degree of perfection and have been given such wide practical tests, that the main part of the task is to enlist a hearty, vigorous, and conscientious cooperation on the part of the people—in other words, the work will progress from now on just as rapidly as the people desire it should and no faster.

GET RARE ANIMAL FOR ZOO. Hunters Go Far Into Jungle After Prizes and Have Many Fights.

New York, Aug. 8.—For the first time since zoologists have been showing wild animals in captivity there will be exhibited in the Bronx zoo specimens of the pygmy hippopotamus, which has been considered so rare that until now many scientists have doubted that they existed in the wilds of Africa.

The next difficulty encountered was to obtain specimens, and the only way to do this was for a special expedition to go to Liberia.

The start was made eighteen months ago under the direction of Carl Hagenbeck, who equipped a company under Hans Schomburgk, an intrepid hunter and explorer. His instructions were to go into Liberia and seek until he found the pygmy hippopotamus.

The details of the trials of the expedition had not gone far when it was observed that its members would have to arm themselves to keep from being eaten by cannibals.

It became necessary for the explorers to penetrate more than 200 miles into the wilds of Liberia and frequently engage in fights with natives, at war among themselves. Finally, after seven months in the jungle, the expedition was rewarded with the capture of three healthy specimens.

To accomplish this baskets were built and relays of forty men, carried the animals through the jungle, landing them finally on the African coast. From there they were shipped to Hamburg and then transhipped to this city.

In describing these animals Dr. Hornaday said:

"The adult male in this case is 36 inches high at the shoulders, 79 inches in length from end of nose to base of tail, and the tail itself is 12 inches long. The weight of this animal is 419 pounds. The female is believed to be 2 years old. She stands 18 inches high at the shoulders and weighs 176 pounds.

The pygmy hippopotamus is characterized first of all by its modest size, in the adult animal is about equal to that of a 12-month baby hippopotamus of the large species.

Its skull is more convex, or rounded; its legs are longer and more slender in proportion and its eyes do not 'pop' out of its head as do those of the larger species. Another characteristic is the long tail.

The face of the pygmy is relatively smaller than that of the larger species, while the lower jaw of the animal bears only two incisor teeth, while the larger one has four. It makes its home

in the swamps and wet forests and is not dependent on large bodies of water.

NO PROBE IS NEEDED. Reason for High Beef Plain to Those Who Really Want the Truth.

"I notice that the arrival of 10 steers at Chicago has started another investigation by government agents into the high cost of beef question," remarked W. T. Holland, of King City, Mo., who yesterday marketed two cars of steers at \$9.55. "Well, those investigators and anyone who really wants to get at the truth will not have to seek far for it. Beef is high because it is scarce and all the investigations that the government may start is not going to relieve the shortage in cattle that makes beef.

"Take my own case, for instance. These cattle I had here today for which I realized \$9.55 cost a lot to raise and mature. Most of them had been fed corn since last December and I bought the majority of them as coming two-year-olds. Some of them I owned more than a year. It is safe to say that thirty or forty steers at high-priced corn, to say nothing of other rough feed consumed and they had also the run of good pasture. With everything money can make a grove of steers such as mine were. Further, there are very few well-matured heaves coming to market—What would this run of cattle on the market today amount to five or six years ago? Why, a lot of these cattle here would have not got a pleasant look from packer buyers five years ago, and yet packers today are enjoying this half-fat, warmed-up and grassy stuff eagerly in order to keep the cost of their average beef purchases down as low as possible under the conditions that now prevail. A salesman would have been scoffed at by buyers a few years ago who would offer to show some of this rough stuff for sale for slaughtering purposes that is now selling so freely.

"The only remedy for the high cost of beef is for more extensive breeding operations on corn belt farms. And, I believe that present high prices for cattle will stimulate this, just as the high prices for hogs, by stimulating the raising of more hogs. Of course it will take longer to increase beef production than it did to rehabilitate the hog supply, but I think the serious shortage in beef will be materially relieved within the next two or three years."

MINNESOTA CROPS LARGE. Northern and Western Sections Have Great Crops This Year.

St. Paul, Aug. 10.—Fred D. Sherman, chief clerk of the state board of immigration, who has returned from a trip over the northern and western part of the state, during the crop prospects in the territory he visited are nothing less than phenomenal. Mr. Sherman made the trip in company with a photographer, taking pictures of agricultural scenes, which will be used in the immigration exhibit at the State fair.

"The crop in the northern and western part of Minnesota are 'world-beaters' declared Mr. Sherman. "All we heard on the trip was prosperity from the farmers and having been in these sections several years ago I feel that I am capable of judging farming conditions this year. The crops are especially good in Clay county. In some parts of the sections we visited the farmers are cutting early oats; barley and rye have been cut and they will get in the wheat this week if the weather gets warmer. The hay is all done."

The trip included Glenwood, Elbow Lake, Moorhead, Glyndon, Crookston, Foston, Bemidji, and Dunith. Moose Lake was on the itinerary but rain prevented the men from obtaining good photographs.

One of the features of the trip was the inspection and photographs of a quarter section potato field in Clay county. A 700-acre natural meadow also was photographed. Fifteen hundred tons of hay were on the ground in the huge meadow, Sherman says.

Corn eight feet high was photographed at Glenwood.

PAID \$500 FOR COFFIN. Five hundred dollars was the price paid by Christie McDonald, the singer, for a coffin for her favorite cat, named Prow. The burial, which was on her island in the St. Lawrence, was an imposing affair.

COUNTRY—STYLE.

Some folks they want the city, the big city suits 'em fine.

But as long as I have the choosin' it's the country ways for mine:

It's the milk all warm an' foamy, an' all creamy at the morn,

An' the table in the kitchen of the house where I was born,

With the rag rug underneath it an' the dog curled by the stove,

An' the singin' of the wild birds in the trees out in the grove,

An' the antics of the baby in its chair to make his mother smile,

An' a platter full of 'chicken, tender chicken, country style.

Gimme lettuce 'n' crisp an' tender like they never 're in town,

An' say, maybe about lunch time, 'Underneath the spreadin' branches of a big old liveoak tree,

With a thick old homemade sandwich and some salt, an' two or three You're onions for a relish, that's the essence of delight!

With the baby down beside you gurgling for a bite,

An' the dog alert before you tryin' of his best to smile,

That's the way I like my lunch served, free an' easy, country style.

When I go up to the city and eat at a restaurant,

The names they tack on their eatin' are the worst I ever saw,

Frenchified or Dago lingo that a man can't understand—

What d'ye s'pose I ordered last time? Ordered music by the band!

Yes, I'll swear I fell plum foolish, waiter standin' by my side

While I squinted at the menu, an' I tried an' tried an' tried

For to understand the readin', I just tried the longest while

To pick out the line that looked most like "Spring chicken, country style."

"Bring a plate of this," I told him, pointin' where my thumb was at,

An' he said by the way, 'cause the band was playin' that!

That's the time, you bet, I wanted the old table by the door

In the kitchen, an' I wanted the rag carpet on the floor,

An' the high chair, an' the baby gurgling to a smile,

An' a helter-skelter dinner cooked an' served up in country style,

An' to then fill my old cob pipe up as the cows come traillin' in,

An' start out to do the milkin' with pork gravy on my corn pone.

—Houston Post.

INDIAN LAND IS LEASED.

Big Demand for Tracts in Winnebago Reserve.

Winnebago, Neb., Aug. 10.—Interest in Indian lands for lease is high at this place at present. A list of lands to be leased was posted here and at all the banks in this county early in June. Bidders were directed to send in sealed bids on each piece. The number of acres and the price of the appraisement per acre were given in the notice. The bids were opened August 1.

The holders of the expiring lease on the lands up for lease are allowed to meet the price bid for land on which they now hold lease. Three hundred and sixty pieces of land were up and 500 bids were received. The highest bid per acre on any piece being \$5 and the lowest 25 cents. The average price per acre offered was \$2.75.

Farming and grazing leases are divided into two classes. The class one lease is not made on the Winnebago reservation but the class two and class three leases are made, their difference being in the matter of the competent Indian can make the class two lease and the lease after being made and signed by all parties is referred to the Indian agent in the matter of approval if it is approved by him it goes into effect.

The class three lease is made by the leasing clerk, acting for the non-competent Indian and all business concerning the matter is transacted through the agent.

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One Moonlight Night

By DONALD ALLEN

There was no particular excitement when the Hon. John Watkins and his son James arrived at the mountain resort on an August day. The Hon. John was sixty-five years old and rich and a widower. His son was twenty years old and confiding and fat. But for the son's confiding nature it would not have been known to all the guests within three days that the governor, meaning his old man, was on the lookout for a second wife, and he wanted a young one at that.



He began to tell her his life history didn't care, and then it was noticed that the Hon. John was giving her all his attention. They sat together and walked together and talked together, and the fat son saw things and took his father to task by saying: "Now, gov, don't make a fool of yourself. That girl won't make a mammy for me. Why don't you go for the widow?"

tears start as she sauntered. Her mother had said it didn't matter in the least, but it did matter. It mattered just the difference between victory and defeat, and—

And then the Widow Savage suddenly appeared and took her arm and walked her up the path to the Outlook, and when they were seated on the rocks she softly said: "I am not your enemy, but your friend. You don't wish to marry that old man, do you?"

"Mercy, no!" was the reply, as Miss Smith forgot her desire for revenge. "Well, I do." "But you—you got Frank away from me." "And I'm going to give him back. I was just using him as a means to an end. I called him a booby a moment ago, and he'll be on his knees to you tomorrow. The Hon. John is to be my next husband."

The evening came on with a full, clear moon. The moon so worked on the sentimental nature of the Hon. John, as well as the surrounding corn crop, that he invited Miss Smith to wander with him. To his great joy she accepted his arm. They walked as far as Seal Rock and then sat down and gazed at the moon. Porpoise Rock, Fish Rock and Whale Rock also were near at hand.

After the silence had lasted four or five minutes the Hon. John cleared his throat. The noise set the frogs in the pond a-piping. After another interval he took Miss Smith's hand in his. There came a third interval, and then he began to tell her his life history. It was a sad one. It was full of step-fathers and step-mothers and bolts and collie and kicks from cows that cared not for his forlorn condition. He had married and not been happy, and lost his wife and not been happy over that, and for years and years had lived a lonely life with only a fat son to cheer him.

He was rich, but lonely. He was rich, but he yearned. He wanted a freewife with a cat and a wife. He wanted to come home after a hard day's work in seeing the district leaders of the Tenth ward and have some one call him hubby.

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In this hotel they are not the Havana filled such as you are entitled to suppose yourself to be buying when you order that particular brand, but a Havana wrapper, packed with Porto Rican tobacco, worth at wholesale from five cents to ten cents apiece, and intended to look and taste somewhat like the cigar under whose colors it is sold. At least, this is what you would have received until recently. The Trademark Protective company of this city has taken some interest in the swindling operations practiced in this form by the proprietor and by this time he may have returned to the genuine article for his 60 cent trade.

On the ninth floor of 141 Broadway is a room whose contents comprise an indictment against any reputation which the users of liquors in this country may have as connoisseurs. Ranged on shelves and scattered about the floor of the dark and dusty room is a collection of bottles, boxes, labels, lithograph stones, branding plates—all the implements and product of the imitator's art in reproducing famous imported liquors. It is a veritable rogues' gallery of "fake" fancy drink. There are obvious reasons why the key is always turned and never left in the door.

The imitations of imported articles cover many different classes of merchandise, such as liquors, cigars, perfumes, olive oil, gowns and hats. Imported articles lend themselves particularly well to imitation owing to the fact that tariffs and the pure food and drug act serve to keep out the low priced goods and to raise the price to the customer above that which would normally be obtained if it were based on cost of production alone. The duty on cognac, for instance, is about \$6.50 a c.

Parisian gowns "made in America," but not so labeled, lead the list in profitable imitations, it is said. There are reported to be a number of Fifth avenue dressmaking establishments which will show their customers what they assert are Worth gowns or dresses made by other celebrated French dressmakers. "You see, here are the name hands," they say, displaying the tapes with the signature of Worth, or whoever, woven in. They do not explain that they can get such bands woven on the East side for ten cents apiece. There are billions of these in "rogues' gallery." Millions of dollars' worth of these alleged French gowns are sold to find a market in New York. According to those who look into these counterfeited trademarks with prying eyes, only one in every fifteen so-called Parisian gowns was made in the French capital. Hats are imitated in the same manner.

MAN IS FRIEND OF SNAKES Professor Would Have a Law to Protect Harmless Varieties as Helpful to Mankind.

Allentown.—That the state ought to pass a law to protect certain kinds of snakes, harmless to man and beneficial to the farmer, was the opinion expressed in a lecture on "Natura Study" by Prof. H. D. Bailey at Muhlenberg college. Said Professor Bailey: "The king of snakes, the milk snake, the bull, the corn, fox and indigo snakes are all valuable allies of the farmer, owing to their habit of largely confining their diet to rats, mice and other creatures obnoxious from the agricultural point of view. "Efforts are now being put forth in some of the states to induce legislatures to make laws making it a crime, punishable by fine, to kill these beneficial creatures. In some of the western states efforts are afoot to increase the number of bull snakes, a harmless creature, seven to nine feet long, which feeds almost exclusively on destructive rodents."

CLAIMS CONTROL OF SEXES

Dr. D. A. Gorton of Brooklyn, N. Y., Declares Experiment Was a Success.

New York.—Dr. David Allyn Gorton of Brooklyn, 80 years of age, father of boy and girl twins, was receiving congratulations. While the births occurred several days ago, the news was not generally known, outside of the doctor's most intimate circle of friends, that he had succeeded in what he claims is an experiment of sex control.

On June 29 last, Dr. Gorton was married to his literary secretary, Bertha Rebbeln, half his age. The news of the day had it as a romance, but now the doctor declares that it was more than a romance—it was to experiment in his pet theories that the human family can control the sex of those yet unborn. A boy was the hope of both the doctor and his wife. A boy and girl came. The doctor declares that his theories have been proved without question of doubt. The babies are healthy and pretty. The aged father says that he will live to be a hundred. The family home is at the Gorton apartments, Brooklyn. The doctor is a philosopher, and his wife is highly cultured. It is the doctor's hope that the children will be reading Greek when they are four and a half years old.

BOSTON TO GET NEXT MEET Seventeenth Annual Child Welfare Conference to Be Held in Massachusetts City May 5 to 10.

Chicago.—The national executive board of the National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher organizations at its recent two days' session in Philadelphia decided to accept the invitation of Boston wherein to convene for its seventeenth annual welfare conference, May 5 to 10, 1913. The over-increasing interest in the children of the nation is evidenced by the phenomenal growth of this society—four states having formed branches since March 1, Missouri, Wisconsin, Indiana and Vermont. At the request of the president, Mrs. Frederic Schoff, President Taft has already authorized the state department to issue invitations for the third international convention for child welfare, to open in Washington, D. C., April 22, 1914.

Whereas, formerly each of the 15 departments of the National Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Organizations was headed by a woman, there are now two men of note acting in this capacity—Judge Lindsay of Denver, chairman of the juvenile court committee, and recently Dr. M. V. O'Shea of the University of Wisconsin, has accepted the position of chairman of the education committee. Dr. O'Shea intends to appoint many leading educators—mostly men from every section of the United States—to serve on his committee.

SAVES BABE FROM DEATH

Match Had Been Applied to the Funeral Pyre When the Infant is Transferred.

San Francisco.—Saved from sacrifice on an altar of fire during a famine in the northern part of the island of Luzon, in the Philippines, ten years ago, little Felicidad, a child of a member of one of the almost extinct aboriginal tribes, who was bought for 20 pesos by Mrs. Abreu, a Filipino woman, just as the fire was crackling under the pyre upon which the then two-year-old little girl had been placed, was the most popular passenger on the liner China in from the Orient recently.

Given possession of little Felicidad, the aged Filipino woman, after days of wearily trudging through the thickets and swamps, made her way to Manila. For six years she kept the little girl in her hut near the city until two years ago, when the good old woman was stricken with fever and died.

On her deathbed she bequeathed her most valuable earthly possession—little Felicidad—to Mrs. J. L. Dunham, a supervising teacher in the public schools of Manila, who has come to San Francisco after an absence of eleven years in the Philippines.

GETS EGGS TO BUILD CHURCH

Pastor Plans a Novel Scheme to Raise Money to Erect New Stone Edifice.

Colville, Wash.—The Rev. G. H. Rice, pastor of the First Congregational church of Colville, opened his campaign for funds to build a \$10,000 stone church. The plan proposed to the Sunday school was for each of the families patronizing the Sunday school who kept a poultry yard to contribute all of the eggs laid on Sunday between June 1 and Sept. 1, the pastor to market the eggs and turn the proceeds into the church building treasury.

Dominican Republic Prosperous. Washington.—The customs receipts of the Dominican republic are still increasing rapidly under American control, as shown by the fact that for the nine months ended April, 1912, they aggregated \$2,682,430, an increase of \$256,258.

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NEARDEATH RELENTS

Murderer Forgives His Daughter, Who "Caused It All."

Dramatic Meeting in Prison Before an Artist's Death—Pictures of Himself on the Gallows Painted by Jan Ribarich.

Washington, Pa.—Jan Ribarich, an Austrian, artist and thrice a murderer, who will be hanged here, was converted in his cell by his daughter whom he had vowed he would kill because she was the "cause of it all."

Ribarich, who had fitted his cell into a studio, for weeks past occupied his time in painting pictures and presenting them to his friends and jail officials. He always spoke jokingly of the gallows and had persuaded the sheriff to allow him to look at the gallows from a window several hours before the hanging was to take place.

Ribarich had painted many of his friends and had drawn a sketch of himself dangling at the end of a rope with his body half concealed through the falling of the trap.

Ribarich shot and killed Michael Novak, his wife and stepson, Stanjovi, whom he blamed for harboring his daughter. After his conviction, the father said his only desire was to kill his daughter before he died, as she had deceived him.

The girl visited her father, accompanied by guards. When he saw her he broke down. A Methodist minister prayed, "Nearer, My God, to Thee," was sung by visitors and jail guards and the condemned man embraced his daughter.

Before leaving the jail the daughter, eighteen years old, promised her father to bring her fiancé to the jail. It will be the first meeting between Ribarich and the young man who will take his daughter as a bride soon after the hanging.

TWO GO INTO LAKE OF FIRE

Carnegie Foundation Men Make Important Examination of Volcano of Kilauea.

New York.—Professors Shepard and Day, two geological experts whom the Carnegie Foundation sent to Hawaii a few months ago, completed an unusual and somewhat hazardous experiment at the volcano of Kilauea recently, according to advices just received. The two scientists were lowered by ropes into the crater of Kilauea, which is the largest active volcano in the world, and for several hours remained suspended over the bed of boiling lava, making a study of the gases discharged and gathering specimens of molten stone for analysis. It is the first time in history that scientists have gone into the lake of fire, as the pit is called, although a party climbed to the top of the outer pit in 1909.

Mount Kilauea is 6,000 feet above the sea and the oval crater of the volcano is nine miles in circumference. The last time it was dangerously active was in August, 1910. The experiments are expected to result in important findings in support of certain theories of volcanic activity.

PLAN BIG GAME PARADISE

Protective Association of Plymouth, Mass., to Establish It at Historic Plymouth.

Plymouth, Mass.—A large game preserve is to be established under the supervision of the American Game Protective and Propagation association of New York in the eastern part of Carver and western part of this town, at a point called Easthead.

Papers relating to the transfer of the land by Harry S. Blake of Boston to Clement S. Houghton of Manchester and John E. Thayer of Lancaster, Mass., as trustees, have been received for record.

Much of the land is covered with oak and pine, and there are swamps there also. Close by are many small ponds which are frequented by water fowl in the breeding season.

BEEF TOO HIGH FOR TWO CATS

Uncle Sam Refuses to Maintain Rat Catchers at the Subtreasury Owing to Expense.

Washington.—The propriety of feeding two cats at the public crib is denied by A. Platt Andrew, assistant secretary of the treasury. The urgent appeal for the cats came from the subtreasury in New York, which is infested with rats and mice. Kind-hearted clerks have been contributing to the support of the two cats installed, while awaiting official approval of the use of the contingent fund.

BANDIT PLAY IS REALISTIC

San Rafael Lad Shoots Hole in Boy's Hand During Playful Holdup.

San Rafael.—While making a mock holdup of all the boys in the neighborhood, William Butler, aged 15, shot Paul Kaneen, another boy, through the hand. Butler found a loaded gun belonging to his brother, donned a pair of chaps and went out to show off. Kaneen held up his hands when commanded, and was shot through the palm nevertheless.

\$5,000 BUTTERFLY IS FOUND

Wings Have Spread of 11 1/2 Inches and It Has a Body Like a Mouse—Killed With Arrow.

London.—A jet black butterfly, valued at \$5,000, as big almost as a robin, with wings measuring 11 1/2 inches from tip to tip, has been brought to London from New Guinea by A. L. Mock, an explorer in the service of Hon. Walter Rothschild, millionaire owner of the famous private museum in Tring Park.

Several new varieties of butterflies, by far the largest in the world, were discovered in New Guinea by Mock. "I had to take up from the coast," he says, "cases of pearl shell, tomabawks and beads of all kinds before I could get the assistance of the natives in capturing the butterflies. The natives shoot them with four-prong arrows, which they use for killing birds.

The female giant butterflies are all black, or brown, or white, but the males are splendidly marked in green and gold. I brought back also with me a butterfly which has a hairy body on account of the intense coldness of the Snow mountains.

"I had a couple of my native boy hunters killed and eaten by New Guinea cannibals, who kindly sent me back the bones."

The hairy butterfly described by Mock, now in the Rothschild collection, is almost furry, so thick is its covering, and it has a wonderful appearance. The explorer, who has been twenty-three years in New Guinea, brings back with him also specimens of the famous birds of paradise.

FULFILLS HIS DEATH DREAM

Visions of Hearse Waiting for Casket Finally Induces Man to Kill Self.

Phoenixville, Pa.—Tortured for weeks by a constantly recurring dream, in which was pictured a funeral cortege with a hearse opened to receive a casket which has been carried from the house in which he boarded, Peter Lucecki died shortly after he had cut his throat with a razor.

Witnesses, called at the inquest held by Deputy Coroner C. H. Howell, told the story of the strange apparition which had so long oppressed Lucecki and which drove him finally from his sleep into insanity. His fellow-boarders told of accounts of his strange dream which the suicide gave them at breakfast each morning, and in which he declared that it foretold his own death and pictured to him his funeral.

Within the past few days Lucecki was apparently suffering from a great nervous strain, and could talk of little else than what he termed his coming funeral.

Recently a groan was heard, evidently coming from the room which he occupied, and investigation revealed the man lying in a pool of blood and fast bleeding to death. He died half an hour later. He was unmarried and had been a resident of Phoenixville for seven years.

SEEKS TO MATCH GOLD FISH

Woman Gets Them in Department Store, Too, and Friend Won't Know the Difference.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—There was not the slightest trace of a smile on the face of a fashionably dressed woman in a Fulton street department store in Brooklyn as she opened a package containing a dead fish.

"I wish to match this exactly," she said to a saleswoman. Had the woman smiled, the clerk would have considered her a practical joker, but the request, unaccompanied by a smile, seemed so uncanny that the clerk, impelled by fear, passed a secret sign to summon Manager Neaderland, who asked:

"Why do you wish to match this, madam?" "It died in the aquarium of a friend while the friend was out of town, depending on me to care for her fishes, and I want to replace the dead fish with a live one exactly the same."

"Third aisle to the right," said the manager, leading the way to a goldfish tank, and an exact duplicate of the dead fish was transferred to a globe.

HE HUNG ON SPIKE IN WELL

Superhuman Acrobatics Finally Releases Impaled Man—Collapses After Reaching Safety.

Allentown, Pa.—As John Dougherty was chasing a chicken he ran across an old well 80 feet deep, whose covering crushed beneath his weight.

By rare luck a rusty spike in a beam, which did not go down, caught in his coat, and he was enabled to grab the beam.

Nobody was about and his cries for help were unheard. He hung by the rickety old beam for ten minutes, when, by the exercise of superhuman strength, he managed to perform acrobatics which landed him on top of the crosspiece. He then crawled to safety, so unnerved that he collapsed.

HUMOR IN JAIL SENTENCE

Man Sent to Prison for Beating Wife—Mercy Asked as to Mother-in-Law.

Pittsburg, Pa.—"For beating his wife, guilty as indicted; for beating his mother-in-law, recommended to the mercy of the court." On this verdict, returned in court recently, Joseph Nojedly, a machinist, was sentenced to pay the costs, a fine of 6 1/2 cents, and serve 30 days in jail.

TELLS OF AUDIENCE

Pen Picture of Pope Plus X. Shows His Kindly Nature.

Little Girl at Vatican Who Feared Pontiff's Admiration of Her Bambino, a Replica of the Infant Christ.

Rome.—A delightful picture of Pope Plus X, illustrating his profoundly genial nature and exhibiting his love of childhood, is given by John Savile Judd in an account of an audience with the pope, one of those gatherings to which large contingents of the faithful are admitted. Among those waiting in the audience chamber was a little girl, next to her mother, who, held on a metal dish a figure of the infant Jesus, wrapped around as the Italian peasantry wrap their children today.

"The effect of it," said Mr. Judd, "was rather as if a doll had been stuffed into a white satin embroidered pincushion and a cardboard halo added. But the care that had been taken, the reverence in the care to produce a bambino worthy of a blessing, was beyond all reproach and abundantly evident, since the big eyes of the little girl were constantly raised to the dish, and now and then a little hand reached up to touch it as if to make sure that it was still there.

"Suddenly a chamberlain made a sign for all to kneel and Plus X entered, followed by a clerical chamberlain in a purple cassock. He walked slowly along the side of the room on my right and the eight people in the row that he would come to last were motioned to stand.

"I scarcely saw his face at first; he walked as an old man would walk, his head bowed. He is seventy-seven years old. Straight, soft and nearly white hair came an inch over the collar of his waste cassock. He gave such person his hand; each kissed his boy. He stroked the curly head of a ring in a sailor suit.

"When he walked down the row opposite I still could not see his countenance, for the kneeling figures were facing me and he bent to each of them ministering.

"Then he turned to the row at right angles to me and came to the woman holding the metal tray with the bambino in her hand. He touched the poor embroidery work as if in admiration. He asked a question, evidently 'Who helped to work it?' for he stooped to the little girl and petted her on the cheek.

"Then he took up the bambino and asked another question. The mother got red and made an expression of acquiescence. But 'No, no,' came from the little girl. He had surely asked 'Is this a present that you have brought for me?' At the child's 'No, no,' he turned round and threw back his head and laughed.

"What a humorous laugh! I never knew that a man could laugh so sweetly. He looked old no more. He has teeth set far apart, 'lucky' teeth. And his eyes have the kindly wrinkles about them and love of children in them. There, too, was the understanding that found ready answer in the great eyes of the child.

"She smiled back at him; it was a joke about taking her bambino; she had known it all the time; she could trust that face, now grown so calm and grave as he bent down to her that she might kiss his ring.

"Then the pontiff passed to the two rooms beyond for a few minutes and came back to us. He noticed specially as he passed a girl of fourteen, and he stopped and spoke to her, as if to make up for having made no exception before.

"The audience was over. We rose to our feet. I looked back along the corridor which led to the private apartments, the dining room for the food that costs him but five francs a day, the bedroom with the camp bed, and I caught a last sight of him. He was talking to a chamberlain covered with orders and decorations; he was telling a little story. I saw him shake his head and put out his hand. He was mimicking the little girl saying, 'No, no,' and I saw his gentle, whimsical smile again."

DIES BY OWN BURGLAR TRAP

Memphis Grocer Fatally Wounded by Shotgun Set Near Window for an Intruder.

Memphis, Tenn.—A burglar trap set by Ray S. Brooks caused the death of Brooks in his grocery store in the outskirts of town. His body was found on the floor when his wife went to the store to find out why he had not gone to supper. A shotgun arranged to discharge in the direction of a window, should an effort be made to raise the window, was empty. Its load having entered Brooks' body. It is supposed that he stepped on the string "trigger" in passing between the gun and the window.

BATTLES WITH BIG SNAKE

Farmer of New Ringgold, Pa., Is Bitten Four Times by Reptile Eleven Feet Long.

Tamaqua, Pa.—While working on a farm recently near New Ringgold, William Southam of this town had a desperate battle with an eleven-foot blacksnake and did not succeed in making his escape from the reptile until it had bitten him four times in the right forearm, inflicting ugly wounds.

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