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WEAK TONE IN STEERS

LESS SNAP TO DEAL TODAY AND EASIER TENDENCY IS NOTED.

FAIR RUN OF BEEVES

Best Sell at \$8.35-Cows and Heifers Steady-Veals Unchanged-Stocker and Feeder Trade Quiet.

market opened Monday The market opened Monday at a 10 @ 15c higher range, again advanced 10 @ 20c on Tuesday and about a dime on Thursday. Today the market did not have quite the snap and firmness shown earlier in the week but in comparison with the low time last week a substantial advance is shown. Heavy steers, which were hardest hit last week, scored the biggest gain this week, these showing fully 50c margin over the low point gest gain this week, these showing fully 50c margin over the low point last week, while the lighter, cheaper kinds that suffered less severely during last week and the week preceding, closed around 40c higher than the mean period last week and fully 25c higher than the somewhat improved

close a week ago.

Medium to fairly good short fed steers predominated this week and there was nothing on the strictly choice order included in the week's run. The best at hand sold at \$8.25 68.50, with the bulk of sales ranging from \$7.25 \circ 8.15. A few common steers went below the \$7.00 mark.

Dressed Beef and Shipping Steers.

high a level as at any time this win-ter and good cows are selling as high or higher than two weeks ago. A few cows sold up to \$7.00 and heifers to \$7.50. Prime heifers are quotable up

to \$8.00 or better.
Bulls and stags are closing 10.0 15c higher in sympathy with other classes of killing stock. The veal market has been without material change all week, prices ruling practically same as in the previous week. veals are selling at \$9.00@9.50.

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steers today were limited to a few small lots that sold at nominally steady prices. Stock cows and heif-ers were unchanged.

A comparatively heavy Friday run of cattle was offered here today, First estimates of 600 head proved too low, actual receipts exceeding 1,000 head. A week ago only 322 head arrived while a year ago receipts were unchanged.

A week ago only 322 head arrived while a year ago receipts were to the stocker and feeder branch of the table a year ago receipts were ago at a slightly weaker tone was noted but on the whole prices were not greatly changed as compared with yesterday. Best steers on offer sold at \$18.55. Spots in the trade are relayed to low lower. Yard dealers have been able to turn the weightly standard the really good yearlings and calles at \$18.55. Spots in the trade are closing up in about the same notches as a week ago. Pain light yeaker for beef steers has traveled an altogether different route this week as compared with last. Activity and strength replaced the dull weak tone that characterized the trade last week and prices made sharp gains. The Christmas holiday and the both tended to hear market last week hoth tended to hear market last week hoth tended to hear market last week hoth tended to hear market last week both tended to hear market last week hoth tended

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1	340 6 25 2 590 5 50
1	620 6 25 1 430 5 00
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1	500 6 00 1 360 4 50
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Pressed Beef and Shipping Steers.

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With n large share of the cattle here today consisting of beef steers there was a fairly good inquiry for cows and helfers. As usual, on Friday, however, the market did not show any undue activity. Prices for the most part held steady with Thursday. Bulls and veal calves sold at unchanged rates.

Butchers' stock shared liberally in the week's advance in killing cattle, prices at the week-end showing a substantial margin over a week ago. The market has been moderately supplied with cows, helfers, etc., all week and prices began working higher from the start. Good demand from all quarters was in evidence and sellers were able to recoup recent losses and put the market back to the high point of the season. Compared with a week ago the general run of butcher and dressed beef cows and helfers was a fairly gord demand from all quarters was in evidence and sellers were able to recoup recent losses and put the market back to the high point of the season. Compared with a week ago the general run of butcher and dressed beef cows and helfers where since May, when the top was \$7.65.

Mr. Moore, Third Shipment of Lambs Sclis at Top Figure.

O. D. Moore, of Doniphan * county, Kansas, is not only an * extensive feeder of sheep and * county, Kansas, is not only an * extensive feeder of sheep and * county, Kansas, is not only an * extensive feeder of sheep and * county, Kansas, is not only an * extensive feeder of sheep and * county, Kansas, is not only an * extensive feeder of sheep and * county, Kansas, is not only an * extensive feeder of sheep and * county, Kansas, is not only an * extensive feeder of sheep and * county, Kansas, is not only an * extensive feeder of sheep and * county, Kansas, is not only an *

TWO COWS BRING \$227.

S. Bean Gets Big Figure for Couple of Heavy Cows.

Among those who had cattle on to-day's market was C. S. Bean, of Thay-er county, Nebraska. Mrs. Bean came down on the passenger and was an down on the passenger and was an interested visitor at the yards, looking are selling at \$9.00 @9.50.

Helfers.

No. Ave. Price No. Ave. Price
1. .1110.6 75 8. .710.6 25
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1. .940.6 75 1. .1000.6 25
1. .790.6 50 1. .640.6 00
12. .815.6 40 1. .700.6 00
12. .815.6 40 1. .700.6 00
14. .642.6 40 3. .594.5 75
15. .648.6 30 2Col. 825.5 50

WHITMORE A VISITOR.

General Manager of Grand Island Stock Yards Here Today.

J. D. Whitmore, general manager of the Grand Island stock yards, at Grand Island, Neb., was at the local yards today on business. He was a caller at the offices of the St. Joseph Stock Yards company.

IOWA LAMBS SELL HIGH.

Good Natives From That State Sell Here Today at \$8.45.

1. 1050.5 10 1... 920.3 75
1. 910.5 00 1... 870.3 75
3. 1077.5 00 1... 840.3 75
1. 1070.5 00 2... 795.3 75
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70. Ave. Price No. Ave. Price
1. 1530.6 10 1... 850.5 25
1. 1660.6 00 100.1130.4 75 deck averaging two pounds heavier.

HOG MARKET WEAKENS

INCREASE IN RECEIPTS USED BY PACKERS TO SHAKE DOWN

WEAK TO NICKEL DOWN

Quality Good—Top of \$7.45 Was Maintained, With Bulk of Sales Ranging From \$7.20@7.35.

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64	270, 120.	7 35	90	. 197.		7 25
63		7 35	63	.167.		7 25
23	227	7 85	100	. 185.	160.	7 25
88	191	7 32%	75	. 157.		7 20
82	210, 100.	7 3234	76	151.		7 20
61	363. —.	7 3256	88	172.	1	7 20
71	211. 49.	7 3236	97	.181.	1	7 20
10	210. —. 222. —.	7 32%	76	.170.	1	7 20
58	222	7 3236	42	.198.	:	7 20
67	225	7 82%	20	.140.		7 20
85	. 225. —. . 230. 80. . 219. —.	7 32%	74	. 196.		7 20
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Hammond Packing Co. Morris & Co	
Total	6,88
Range of Hog	
This Week	Last Week
Monday \$6.90 @7.35	\$6 85 @7 25
Tuesday 7.10 27.35	6 70 607 15
Wednesday @	6 75 67 25
Thursday 7 20 @7 45	6 75 @7 25
Friday 7 00 @7 45	7 00 @7 30
Saturday @	6 75 @7 25

OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO. CHICAGO, Union Stock Yards, Ill., Dec. 27.—The Live Stock World reports: Cattle-Receipts, 3000, Market

Cattle—Receipts, 3000. Market slow with Thursday's close; top \$8.80. Hogs—Receipts, 23,000. Market weak to 5c below Thursday's average. Top \$7.65, bulk \$7.40@7.55. Sheep—Receipts, 17,000. Market steady with Thursday's close; lambs

KANSAS CITY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 27.—

Special to The Journal: The Drovers Telegram reports:
Cattle—Receipts, 2000. Market slow, steady; top \$8.40; cows and heifers steady; stockers dull; calves

Hogs-Receipts, 5000. opened steady, closed 5@10c lower.
Top \$7.50, bulk \$7.10@7.45.
Sheep—Receipts, 3000. Market
steady to strong, closed weak; top Market

SOUTH OMAHA, SOUTH OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 27,—Special to The Journal: The Drovers Journal-Stockman reports: Cattle-Receipts, 1100, Market

steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 8400. Market 5c lower. Top \$7.35, bulk \$7.15@7.25, Sheep—Receipts, 2300. Market active, 10@15c higher.

EAST ST. LOUIS.

EAST ST. LOUIS, National Stock Yards, Ill., Dec. 27.—Special to The Journal: The National Live Stock Reporter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 2000. Market Hogs—Receipts, 8500. steady, Bulk \$7.40@7.60. Sheep—Receipts, 2500. steady; lambs \$8.60. Market

FORT WORTH,
FT. WORTH, Tex., Dec.,
Special to The Journal: The
Live Stock Reporter reports:

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS

****** VALUES. Cattle 30 Hogs 87

Receipts from Jan. 1 to Date.

The following table shows the local receipts from January 1, 1912, and receipts for the corresponding time in 1911.

1912	1911	Inc
Cattle 491.083	508,989	•17,906
Hogs1,944,964	1,883,308	61,656
Sheep 723,456	699,415	24,041
Horses 38,252	41,779	*3,521
*Decrease		
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The following sh	k in Sight.	stimated

receipts of cattle, hogs and sheep at the five principal western markets to-day and comparisons: East St. Louis. 2,000 8,500

Hogs-Receipts, 7500. Top \$7.50.

No. 2 white, new... 46 @ 46½
No. 3 white, new... 44
No. 2 mixed, new... 46 @ 46½
No. 3 n.ixed, new... 43¼ @ 44
No. 2 yellow, new... 46 No. 2 yellow, new.... 46 No. 3 yellow, new.... 43% @ 44½

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

The following Chicago board of trade quotations are furnished by T. P. Gordon, 1005-1008 New Corby-

Options	Open- ed	High-	Low	Close	Close Yes'y
WHEAT-		1	1		
Dec			8536	86	86%
May	. 92	92%	9134	91%	91%
CORN-					
	4796	478	472	47%	
Dec					47%
May	45%	10%	48%	48%	48%
OATS-					
Dec	3284	9974	291/	32%	3:94
May				3234	
May	. 0278			3674	0278
PORK-		1200	172566	1 1	1200
Jan		17 95	17 62		17 97
May	18 27	18 30	13 00	18 00	18 30
LARD-		10.00	200		
Jan				9 75	
May	9 97	9.97	9 85	9 86	10 00
RIBS-				0 -0	
Jan		9 72	9 67	9 70	9 75
May	9 80	9 80	9 65	9 67	9 82

SELLS STRING OF SHORT FEDS

G. W. Lewis, of Lyons County, Kansas a Warm Friend of This Market.

sas, marketed 114 head of short-fed steers here this week at \$7.70 per hundred weight for the big end of them, and \$7.55 for two carloads, Mr Lewis is one of the well-to-do farmers and stockmen of his community, hav-ing amassed a considerable fortune by hard work and good business ability. Until a few years ago practically all the cattle in his county went to Kansas City and other markets, but the past few years Mr. Lewis has marketed hundreds of cattle on the local market. In fact, he comes here almost altogether, and has many friends and neighbors who have followed him. Two of Mr. Lewis' sons were here this week looking after the sale of the

cattle. They are partners in the deal.
Art Maddock, also of Lyons county,
had a load of short-fed cattle on today's market, which brought the very
satisfactory price of \$7.65.

WEATHER FORECAST. For Missouri: Fair tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature, Kansas, Nebraska and Iowa: Fair tonight and Saturday; warmer to-

THEATRICAL AMUSEMENTS.

A FRESH ADVANCE OF 10@25c *************** CARRIES TOP LAMBS TO \$8.50.

FEW YEARLINGS AT \$7.00

Supply Bought Up Readily at Advance of 25@60c Over Prices in Force a Week Ago.

Live multon receipts were estimated at 700 head today, offerings consisting of two doubles of western lambs and two singles of mixed natives. Detwo singles of mixed natives. De-mand was still as keen-edged as ever mand was still as keen-edged as ever and sellers succeeded in again raising the price limits, lambs advancing 15 @25c, while the few sheep offered sold nominally 10@15c higher. Lambs sold up to \$8.50, yearlings to \$7.00. The market for sheep and lambs responded to light holiday receipts this week in an emphatic manner, prices scoring a sharp advance all along the line. Packers were avid buyers of fat stock, either sheep or

Total 8,900 51,700 25,600 buyers of fat stock, either sheep or lambs, and last week's loss was recouped with a good margin to spare. Year ago... 6,800 64,600 22,800 Receipts by Cars.

The following shows the number of Receipts by Cars.

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

C. B. & Q., west.

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Great Western.

19
Missouri Pacific.

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

Very few ewes or wethers have been offered here this week and it has been difficult to compare sheep prices from day to day. Choice ewes are quotable up to \$4.75 at the week-end, while dealers declare that a good fat class of wethers would sell at \$5.25 or better. A handy weight grade of year-lings sold at \$7.00, which is the high-missouri Pacific.

Cattle—Receipts, 1600. Market trong.
Hogs—Receipts, 7500. Top \$7.50. | SIOUX CITY. |

\$16.50; less quantities, \$1.70 per 10

lbs.

Above prices are based on St. Jo WHOLESALE BEEF PRICES.

Following are today's wholesale prices for beef cuts as given out by swift & Company:

C. C. Carey, of Albany, Mo., arrived today with two cars of short-fed western steers, averaging 1,308 pounds, that lacked fat, but of good quality. These cattle sold on an eastern order at \$8.35. Mr. Carey is one of the most extensive cattle dealers in Gentry county Missauri and a good friend. try county, Missouri, and a good friend of the St. Joseph market.

ITEMS IN BRIEF

Gage county, Nebraska, was represented in today's cattle receipts by John Bryson and D. F. Bryson, who marketed a load of stock each. G. W. Henry, of York county, Nebraska, a frequent visitor to the local market, had on sale a load of hogs to-

Goodell Bros., who are regular shippers to these yards, was represented on today's trade by a load of hogs sent in from Saline county, Nebraska. G. A. Laur sent in one load of swine from Atchison county, Missour which were sold on today's market. J. T. Davis also shipped in a con-

sent in one load of cattle.

market.

HOG BREEDERS COMING.

Standard P. C. Record Association Meets Here Jan. 8 in Annual Session.

A BOHEMIAN COLONY

CO-OPERATIVE FARMING COM-PANY PROVING A DECIDED SUCCESS IN TENNESSEE.

ARE BECOMING INDEPENDENT

Have Transformed Wilderness and Made Comfortable Homes Where Timber Formerly Stood-People Are Industrious,

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 27 .- In the spring of 1911 the Tennessee Central W. H. Scane was again on the market today with two loads of hogs which he shipped from Taylor county, Iowa.

Champion Molasses Feed, cattle like it, cattle feeders like it, because it makes them money. Try a few cars. Champion Feed Co., Tarkio, Mo.—Adv liles came to the plateau and the T. C. Cole of McPaul, Is, and F. O. Work of transforming the wilderness. Railroad located a colony of Bo-T. C. Cole, of McPaul, Ia., and F. O. Martin of the same place, were on the market today. Mr. Cole marketed orchards, began. The story of this two loads of swine while Mr. Martin sent in one load of cattle.

Work of transforming the wilderness into productive fields, gardens and orchards, began. The story of this wonderful development is told by Rutledge Smith, industrial agent of

two loads of swine while Mr. Martin sent in one load of cattle.

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

The hog receipts were boosted by a shipment forwarded by John Lewis of Holt county, Missouri.

Champion Molasses Feed shortens feeding period, increases gain, reduces cost per pound of gain, equally good with ensilage.—Adv.

J. C. Morris and A. Hornicker represented Nodaway county, Missouri, in today's trading by each marketing a load of hogs.

Champion Feed saves corn.—Adv.

M. C. Saunders, of Taylor county. Iowa, was listed among the arrivals at this point today, disposing of a load of hogs.

For the best values in whiskies, try Hilgert's, 297 So. 6th St.—Adv.

C. J. Taylor, a prosperous farmer of Nodaway county, Missouri, was on today's market with a load of hogs.

C. Swann also sent in one car of hogs from Nodaway county.

New Woodland Hotel, 3rd and Jule, formerly Metropole Annex. Rates to the forests began. Every tree, shrub of today at \$3.30 % \$5.9; fair to good lambs, \$7.50 % \$25; good to choice yearlings, \$6.50 % \$7.00; fair fo good westerns, \$4.50 % \$7.50; fair to good ewes, \$4.25 % \$7.50; fair to good ewes, \$4.50 % \$7.50; fair to good ewes, \$4.25 % \$7.50; fair to good ewes, \$4.25 % \$7.50; fair to good ewes, \$4.25 % \$7.50; fair to good ewes, \$4.50 % \$7.50; fair to good fai

no walking between the plow handles for him. There is no dragging the plows around at the end of the land, but the horses keep moving. Everything that a horse or machine can do

the Bohemian makes them do it.
"They are now turning their attention to horticulture, and orchards are

ENOUGH TO KILL IT.

"Oh, papa," exclaimed the young girl, "that pretty plant I had setting on the piano is dead."

"Well, I don't wonder," was all the father said.—Yonkers Statesman.

Among Missouri feeders who got in on the bulge in the cattle market this week are Wells Andrews and Chas. Andrews of Tarkio, Mo., the former having a load of weighty, short-fed steers at \$8.40, the latter a load at \$8.15, these prices sharply higher than last week's market.

Don't let your fowls deteriorate. Inferior roosters lose money for you; get geod ones.

The twenty-eighth annual meeting of the Standard Poland China Record association will be held in South St. Joseph Wednesday, January 8. The business session will be conducted in the Exchange assembly room in the Live Stock Exchange building. The last five annual sessions of the association have been held here.

The present officers of the association have been held here.

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BETTER TELEGRAPH SERVICE.

One of the items for consideration take them out to play together. at the meeting of the American National Live Stock Association in Phoeservice by the telegraph companies, just like two common street dogs. The cattlemen will have some very to-the-point arguments to present to congress in convincing that body that keep him." it is an unnecessary hardship on the message repeated before liability will

tion of this brand of ignorance, says terests.

it a monopoly of effort, the other to the Lever bill is a measure that would It is the general farmer in the future measure favored by the oleomargarwho will be the mainstay of cattle ine interests, because it gives them live stock. Such grazing lands must them more of an opportunity to buy from in turn by the willow charcoal, which has the faculty of absorbing ers, each raising from five to fifty to escape from the extortions of the lit might be supposed that the salthead of beeves or a corresponding butter monopolists, number of sheep and hogs, or both, The Lever bill is opposed by these will do what a few thousands of butter interests, of course. They are of en ranchmen with their great herds have fighting it with the desperation of the it either kills or, as Henderson exed whether the farmers will find it to will give oleomargarine the standing sides preserving their fresh appearranchers, with whom in the very na- long ago. ture of economic conditions they have | Commissioner Cabell's recommen always been at swords' points,"

unacquainted with the west and its treasury, and incorporated in his anresources. A large part of the trans- nual report to the president-is brief. Missouri area must forever remain a Under the head of recommendations THE JAPANESE TRAIN TREES pastoral region. Ranching as distin- for statuary changes he says on this guished from farming practically point: means grazing.

breaking up of the big ranches. Out- strongly recommended. The provisside Texas and a few Indian reserva- ions contained in H. R. 20281, known garde tions and special grants there never as the Lever bill, would appear to be storm-bent old pine, whose pointed top had been wrenched off in its sapwere any ranches in the west. The very satisfactory from the standpoint is cattle business there has been con- of the bureau of internal revenue." ducted on the communal range sys- It is brief, but it is enough, and it tem. Overstocking was the principal has been amplified in the commis-nemesis of that method of making signer's testimony before the house one often sees spindling and aw

principal agrarian interest of the as well. semi-arid region. The area available for irrigated and so-called dry farm- INVENTS FISH PRESERVER pering point,

What the east does not know about the west would fill a large volume.

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Wr. Henderson informed a reporter and burlesques, in which all the first vote" no longer frightens them. There



Much Offended.

Daddy's Bedtime

Dog and the

CROSS the way they had bought a new dog. Jack admired it very much. Evelyn, however, did not think it nearly so handsome as a puppy that had been given to a school friend by Santa Claus.

"I hope the dogs are quite satisfied with their looks," said daddy. There were Spottie and Blackie, two dogs who were next door neighbors. Spottie was a coach dog. His coat was white, covered with black spots. of beauty and marks the countenance Blackie's coat was all black.

"Spottie and Blackie had been quite good friends until somebody talked

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tre stock commission firm, and if the latter, the name of the firm.
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too much peaise. It makes them vain.

"If Spottie and Blackie had been wise enough to keep their vanity to themselves all would have gone well; but, like most vain people, they had to talk
about if.

not send checks on country backs.

"One morning Spottie poked his pointed little nose through the fence and the with postal order or draft, payto St. Joseph Journal Publishing yapped to Blackie: 'I'm the handsomest dog around here. Nellie, my little "One morning Spottie poked his pointed little nose through the fence and every day. mistress, said so this morning.".

'Oh, nonsense!' Blackie replied. 'My mistress said I was the handsomest and bundles on an extra seat for which dog. She is a much cleverer little girl than your mistress.'

"The next morning Spottie called through the fence; 'Nellie's grandfather was here yesterday. You should have seen what a fuss he made over me. He said I was the dearest little puppy in town.'

"'That's nothing at all,' Spottie exclaimed. 'My little mistress' dear old grandma was here today, and she said I was the nicest dog she ever knew.' "'Grandmas don't know as much as grandpas,' Blackie yelped. Of course

pottie was very much offended and said all sorts of nasty things. "After that the little dogs were not friends, and when one passed the other he would bark in such an unfriendly way that their little mistresses could not

"And one day Spottie's mistress left the gate open. Spottie was just inside the gate as Blackie came along and said something saucy. In a minute Spottie nix, Ariz., next month will be better was out after Blackie, and they were snapping and snarling at one another

"And that evening Spottie's folks said: 'We'll have to send that dog away. He's too quarrelsome. "And that night Blackie's folks said: 'That dog is too cross. We can't

"And so they were sent to new homes, which they didn't like nearly so well, cattlemen to compel them to have a and you may be sure they learned to be less vain and snappish."

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into a tank of sea water fortified by the addition of 15 per cent of salt. The purpose of the added salt is to

emperature of 11 degrees to which

During its passage the water passe

in its natural state contains certain noxious gases, the liberation of which

cept fishmonger's shop unpleasanth

a hot summer's day makes th

After four hours the fish are re-

and I am awaiting a cable announcing its condition."

Everything in the Garden Made to

Take Graceful Lines.

after fell over in rounded, softly drop-ping, bellowy, cloud-like outlines, was a thing of beauty easily attained by

graceful cloud outlines, each tree tak-ing on individual character and form

when once released from the obliga-tion to aspire upward to a sharp, ta-

stage, and when it will dutifully bend over in a soft, full, willowy plume of foliage that is the most beautiful

A stiff bamboo may even be taken hand and decapitated at the right

the bath is reduced.

sage in exactly the words and figures all along that the existing law put a with frozen meat, decay starts from premium upon fraud. This depart-within, near the bone. This is because tions now being carried on by tele- ment was not concerned with the the latent heat, which is very favora graph between buyers and sellers calls for a more efficient service by the telegraph companies.

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Now comes Commissioner Cabell The interests of the two classes of with a repetition of this declaration, attle raisers the one desiring to make but with the added statement that government. The Lever bill is the coke. This filtering is important. Fish good oleomargarine for what it is and ninety times its own volume of gas.

a century to come. It is to be doubt- their monopoly of the market, and

dation-which has been adopted by Henderson, Theorists of this variety are wholly his superior, the secretary of the in this way for a fortnight. A parcel

"Oleomargarine-A complete revis Another eastern chimera is the ion of the oleomargarine statutes is

beef, unremunerative returns aided in forcing liquidation, and the settler has been a factor.

Barching will continue to be the committee on agriculture, in which he has shown the need for such a law, not only to protect the government of the century and and awk-ward young pine trees being trained for an after-life of beauty by first being decapitated, cut squarely off near the top, where two or more branches, wood Live Ranching will continue to be the ment, but to protect the consumer weighed or tied down, soon curve into

Scot Claims Process Eliminates Ice in Marketing Fresh Product.

FOR REVISION OF OLEO LAW.

National Provisioner: In his annual report, the federal commissioner of internal revenue urges the complete revision of the law relating to use of ice for the transport and or weighted with noosed stones, Even

oleomargarine and specifically names the Lever bill, now before the house at Washington, as the measure which will accomplish the desired results in efficient law enforcement.

The time has passed when high government officials were afraid to come out into the open and acknowledge the right of oleomargarine to a square deal in competition with butter. The old bogy of the "farmer" the component of the first time of the transport and preservation of fresh fish.

If the process, which is under demonstration on a small scale at Leadenhall Market, achieves all that is expected of it, it will be a boon not only to the trawler and the fish monger and the consumer. The quantity of ice consumed in the great fish ing centers is enormous. The benefit to the fishmonger will consist in the better quality of his fish and the avoidance of much waste in unfavorable weather, while to the consumer of every kind going on.

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There are already some successful examples of Japanese landscape gar-stand a bitter persimmon tree was having a bitter persimmon tree

Chronic Grumbler Quickly Becomes Known as a Person Whom It is

METHOD OF LOSING FRIENDS

Well to Avoid.

The chronic grumbler is not a good companion nor in any way an admira-We fly from her as from a conta-

Spotted Dog gious disease. Nothing so certainly affects one's spirits as being in the constant company of a person who has a grievance. The cherishing of discontent with

our circumstances, business, dress, or any other thing in life soon robs us with the lines of worry and ill temper that tell their own unhappy story.

Why anybody who is young should indulge in grumbling as a pastime is one of the puzzles that never are solved, yet such people there are, and we meet them in our serrow almost

If they happen to be passengers on a railway train they pile their bags they have not paid, are conveniently blind to the weariness of other passengers who are standing, and assume the aspect of martyrs when the conductor courteously but peremptorily informs them that they must make room.

On a street car they object to having the winde sopen, though the air may be laden with impurities from the congestion of the crowd; they scold and fret at the throng or the conductor and rail at Providence in general because everything in life is not arranged with a view to their comfort. Don't be a chronic grumbler. It doesn't pay to waste one's precious energies that way.-Exchange.

SOLVED BY A COMPLIMENT

Natural Indignation of Adelaide Neilsen Quieted When James O'Neill Made His Explanation.

Adelaide Neilsen, who was universally acclaimed the greatest of Juliets, said that James O'Neill was the most gifted of all Romeos, despite the fact that the American actor once did an indiscreet thing, which riled the actress and which might have lessened their friendship had it not been for the quick and superlative wit of O'Neill.

It was immediately following a performance of "Romeo and Jullet," aft-973,689, decrease \$4,452,402. time the water is kept in rapid mo-lon by means of an electrically driven er the principals in this immortal credits of other banks and bankers drama had made the customary end \$43.891,161, decrease \$739,276. er the principals in this immortal ump, which draws off the water brough one pipe and drives it back to their miserable existence. Miss Neilsen, somewhat flushed, accosted O'Neill, who was walking toward his through a filtering chamber charged with willow charcoal and nodules of dressing room.

"Mr. O'Neill!" exclaimed the actress.
"I think you did an awfully impolite \$341,810.

All other property of companies and associations \$4,026,140, increase \$341,810. thing in that last scene."

"What did I do?" asked the actor, trying hard to hold back a smile. "What did you do? You know well

"When did I bite you?" asked the "In my sleeping scene," said the ac-

salt a taste to the fish, but this is not so, because the extreme cold seals up the pores of the fish, producing a sort of enveloping film. At the same time

> bite you. You were dreaming!" Browning's Disappointment.

his son were not fulfilled. One of the In hot Australian weather," said poet's disappointments was the rejection of a statue by "Pen" sent to the academy in the '80s. Though Pen Browning's statue was

rejected, two or three pictures painted in Belgium, clever in a hard, realistic technique, but very far from beautiful, were hung at the academy. Browning was sensitively anxious about the reputation of these works. On one occasion, when he was show-It was ages ago when the Japanese gardener realized that the graceful-storm-bent old pine, whose pointed ing his son's pictures on a studio Sunnoted the saying with its rather strained modesty. strained modesty: "You see, people strained modesty: "You see, people 201-203.

National Live Stock Com. Co., rooms tures, by the way, represented an exceedingly large pig. There was no

Some Quaint Hotels.

The hotel that stands out most prominently in my recollection is one in Iquique, where, even while you are sitting at the dining tables, venders Erwin. come in from the streets to sell you food. At this same hotel they have two charges for baths-eight shillings if you insist on clean water and about four shillings if you are willing to take a second turn at the tub.

Another instance of a quaint hotel Branches were being wired to the is in the town of Africa, in Peru. Here they are using at the present time the

staving off old age." "Well, what of it?" demanded Wilwote" no longer frightens them. There is a new element in the situation, the "consumer vote," which is no bogy, but a very real force. And it is all on the side of ioleomargarine. The extortion of high butter prices suffered by the consumer also has been a potent factor in clarifying the situation.

Mr. Henderson informed a reporter that not a particle of chemicals of any kind is employed; salt and the skillful use of low temperature are the only influences brought to bear upon the fish.

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TEXAS PROPERTY VALUE.

Farm Acreage Climbs as Live Stock Total Decreases.

Austin, Tex., Dec. 27.—Interesting statistics of the different character of properties that are rendered for assessment for taxes in Texas are contained in the records of the state comptroller's department. It is shown that for the year 1912 the total tax-

tble values in Texas increased \$17, 077,305 over the preceding year. As an evidence that the cattle in dustry is gradually being destroyed by the encroachment of the farmer upon the former ranch region it may be noted that during the last few years there has been a big decreas in the number of cattle assessed fo taxation. For 1912 the total number of cattle listed on the tax rolls wa 5,022,926, which was a decrease o 98,644 from the preceding year. The assessed value of the cattle is \$62, 342,941. Not very many years agree than 7,000,000 head of cattle were rendered for taxation in Texas

Another interesting feature of the records is the statement that there were rendered for taxation this year 161,381,871 acres of land in Texas 161,381,871 acres of land in Texas which was an increase of 136,56 acres as compared with last year's rendition. The taxable value of the land assessed is \$1,077,061,879. There land assessed is \$1,017, approximately are, all told, in Texas, approximately 169,000,000 acres of land and the difference between that which was assessed for taxation and the total sessed for taxation and \$8,000,000 acreage represents about 8,000,000 acres which is owned by the state and therefore not taxable.

Other items of assessment for this year are as follows:

Town and city lots \$573,136,502, increase \$17,930,710.

Horses and mules 1,846,496, increase \$5,719,558.

Jacks and jennets 14,414, decrease

1,482; valuation \$871,368, decrease \$68,703. \$68,703. Sheep 1,634,193, Increase 56,493; Valuation \$2,907,879, decrease \$170,-

Goats 866,136, increase 36,117; val-uation \$1,392,499, decrease \$1,525. Hogs 1,054,442, decrease 216,849; valuation \$3,484,965, decrease \$1,361,-

Dogs 23,328, decrease 4,693; valuation \$343,770, decrease \$88,348.

Vehicles 549,290, increase 9,854; valuation \$19,524,886, increase \$489,-

Goods and merchandise \$93,464,-760, increase \$946,737.

Materials and manufactured articles \$4,542,274, decrease \$317,108. Manufacturers' tools and implements \$24,051,710, decrease \$266,011 Steam engines and boilers \$3,403,

Steam engines and boilers \$3,403,-745, increase \$288,698.
Money of banks and bankers \$4,-97,116; decrease \$814.674.
Credits of banks and bankers \$4,-542,949, decrease \$1,918,478.
Money of other than banks and bankers \$3,423,854, increase \$337,183, Money of the banks and bankers \$3,423,854, increase \$337,183,

Bonds and stocks \$2,584,793, in-crease \$748,357. Shares of capital stock of companies and associations \$1,976,085, decrease \$1,344,379.

Miscellaneous property \$65,061,808, ncrease \$3,480,521.

Shares of national bank stock \$68, 489,846, increase \$4,316,263, Railroads—Miles 15,503, decrease enough what you did. When you pretended to kiss me you not alone kissed me, but you bit me."

"When did I bite you?" asked the "143,363,317, decrease \$1,124,386; intangible assets \$162,363,317, decrease \$12,393,784. City street railroads, 492 miles, increase 105; valuation \$6,411,545, increase \$1,000,155.

tress, still feroclous, but losing ground.

"Ah, in the sleeping scene," said to action with the sleeping scene, and o'Neill. "Madam, the realism fo your superb acting is appalling. I didn't superbase s1,000,155. Telegraph and telephone lines 27,-018,877,362, increase \$1,647,212. Steam and other vessels 546, valued at \$2,231,605, a decrease of \$68,245. Total valuation for entire state \$2,000,155. ses it, "gives a nasty knock" to germs which crowd the surface superb acting is appalling. I didn't 532,710,050, increase \$17,077,305.

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309-15. Emmert Com. Co., rooms 302-4.

Great Western Com. Co., room Kansas City Live Stock Com. Co., rooms 229-32.

Knollin Sheep Commission Co., rooms 219-23.

Prey Bros. & Cooper, rooms 318-22. St. Joseph Live Stock Com. Co., Shav. R. O., Commission Co., rooms Wood Live Stock Com. Co., rooms

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Sheep Dealers.

Lyon, J. E., room 219. Order Buyers. Morlock, W. H., rooms 236-34.

Looking to me Future. It is comfortable to see one's husband sitting down after dinner to enloy his cigar, and then there is some thing rather soothing about the aroma while sitting on it; or by rocking the of a good cigar, too." "Oh, I don't boat when he's out on the water; or care anything about the comfort of it

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J. W. BENNETT,

Logic of Phocion. Why tell me that a man is a fine speaker if it is not the truth that he is speaking? Phocion, who did not speak at all, was a great deal nearer hitting the mark than Demosthenes.

He used to tell the Athenians-"You can't fight Philip. You have not the slightest chance with him. He is a man who holds his tongue; he has Maxwell, Spayde & Co., rooms great disciplined armies; he can brag anybody you like in your cities her; and he is going on steadily with an unvarying aim toward his object; and he will infallibly beat any kind of men such as you, going on raging from shore to shore with all that rampant nonsense.'

Demosthenes said to him one day boat when he's out on the water; or by riding over Niegara falls sitting astride a tog. Those French scientists to tell him how to begin when he into the scientists as they get sane sgain."—The Athenians will get mad some day and kill you." Yes, Phocion said, "When they are mad; and you as soon to tell him how to begin when he into the scientists and the scientists and the scientists are significant."

The Athenians will get mad some day and kill you." Yes, Phocion said, "When they are mad; and you as soon to tell him how to begin when he into the scientists are significant."—The mass of the scientists are significant. make me tired with their hallsbaloo to tell him how to begin when he inover no him. "Harper's Weekly."

sists that we have got to economize."

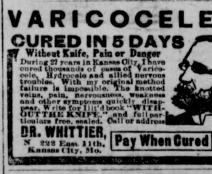
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No. 1, \$11@12; No. 2, \$9 \(\) 10.50; No.
3, \$6@8.50.
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\$10.50@11.50; No. 2, \$8.50@10; No.
3, \$6.50@8.

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What Men Do and What They Say.

By HERBERT DROCER.

Rosie asked. She glanced shyly at her mother.

twinkle dancing beneath her hazel week, to the Farnam residence. Since brows, which soon disappeared, to be the morning after her birthday party succeeded by a more steady, ques- Rosie had seemed less at ease and, at tioning gaze. At thirty-five, she ap- times, half frightened, when in his peared scarcely older than her daugh- company. Especially was this the taken for sisters on more occasions her mother, who usually, because of eight. It is regarded as the most than one. The widow was round the cold weather and the necessity of historical production which Texas has faced and plump.

The two had paused at their task At such intervals when the widow was of dusting and rearranging the furni- absent, Henry, also, was restless and York for valuation. ture. In the dining-room, where they wandering in attention. had dropped into seats, was the conseventeenth anniversary with a birthday party the evening before. "Mama, did you hear me?" repeated

the girl. "Yes, daughter," replied the mother.

asked.' "Because I want to know how men propose-and what they do-and what they say-and whether they-"

and smiled.

"Ma, please do be sensible," at last porch. the girl broke in, persuasively.

long time ago."

brief interval of silence the girl ear. crept up to her mother's side and ter's neck.

"There, mama, don't feel bad." soothed the daughter, filled with recollections of the loneliness and the him to propos struggles that her mother endured,



following the death of a father whom the girl could not remember. "It was foolish of me to ask such a silly question. I might have known it would lead to something like-"

"No, dear, not silly at all. And I'll not be a baby again. There," as a smile rekindled her face. "I really mean it, you will have a proposal before your next birthday comes." "Oh, mama, mama, do you really

think so? And why?" "Can't you see? It's plain to everyone. When he wasn't hanging at your elbows last night, he was tripping around after me. And why else should he be so considerate to me, if I were not the mother of the girl he likes?"

"Yes, Henry, of course. I am sure

"Who? Who, mama? Do you

"Oh, I hope so-I hope so." The mother regarded her child thoughtfully, then asked: "Do you really love him so much?"

"Now, mama, why do you put it that way?" returned the girl, while a shadow seemed to gather over her brows. "No, come to think of it, I don't believe I love him at all, I—"

"Why, daughter, you amaze me," cried the mother in astonishment. "Then why were you so delighted?

"Because-because," plainly abash ed, "I just wanted him-anyone-to propose. I ranted to see how he would act, and what he would do, and what he would say, and all that."

Rosie pulled a ring, set with emeralds and pearls, from her finger and toyed with it in her lap, during the silence that ensued. The mother looked on, then arose and walked to the window where she stood gazing at the whirling eddles of snow driven with | Hobe Democrat. the late February storm. When she turned back into the room, she seem-ed less perplexed, and said in a mat-

ter-of-fact way: "Henry is a splendid chance, my little girl. He has a good heart and a good business. I am not eager for hat." you to marry-and there is lots of Write for FREE BOOK, address time yet—but any mother wants to see DR. G. W. ALLAMAN, Atchison, Kansas ber daughter—"

"Yes, you are very young-too young to marry-not too young to become engaged. How old is Henry?" "I don't know," replied the maiden candidly. "I never thought to ask him. But he seems-oh, even older than you."

The mother laughed. "And this from a little girl who should not try "Mama, how do men propose?" to flatter her mama."

During the month or so that followed Henry came regularly, sometimes Mrs. Farnam looked up, a merry so often as two and three times a

"I was merely wondering why you colts frolicked and raced beside their ered what resembled a teapot. mothers. Life and love were unfolding from a single bud.

But Rosie got no further. The called to them through an open win- their view, but after wiping these mother, leaning back in her chair, dow as he passed and, hurrying around away they could see dimly that there broke out in a laugh so clear and to a side door, he entered the dining was something at the bottom of the hearty that the daughter, too, in spite room, where the mother and daughter pot. It proved to be eight Spanish of her puckered lips and look of hurt sat. Mrs. Farnam remained with the coins, covered with dust. How the surprise, finally caught the infection couple only a short time, when, with- dust got there it is impossible to say, out pretext, she withdrew to the front as the large opening of the teapot was

She was gazing absently into the "Well, daughter, I am. But, really, east, where the moon was rising, have been poured from it. And in adyou will soon be able to answer that and giving only a half attentive ear dition the hole was inclosed in the with more authority than I. It only to the medley of insect voices just solid wall. happened to me once," hesitating re then awakening, when she was starflectively, "and that seems such a long, tled, not a half hour after she had lem of how the spiders entered the found her seat, by the sudden appear-As the widow ceased speaking, a ance of Rosie, who rushed to her side the wall was closed, or whether they tear glistened in her eye. After a and whispered breathlessly in her crept through some infinitesimal crack

"Oh, mama, mama," the girl exfolded her arms gently about the lat- claimed in subdued tones, "I just know Henry is going to propose! What shall I do?'

"Do! Why, I thought you wanted "No; I don't-I don't-not since you

verge of tears. "Well, daughter, what's caused you to think all this? Did he say-"

"He said he wanted to see you. I know he wants to ask if he can pro-"How silly!" interposed the mother,

with a laugh not wholly natural.

"Oh, he said he wanted to see you alone-that he must see you-that he couldn't stand it any longer-that-" "It? Stand what, dear?" "Oh, mama, do go in-do! And tell concealment,

him that he must not propose to me, any more, and that I'm going to be an old maid, and that-' "Don't worry yourself so, little girl

-it's nothing!" enjoined the mother,

as she arose. Rosie, left alone, for a time grew more excited. Then, as the minutes passed and her mother did not return, her agitation began to pass in sympathy with the crusade to supaway, and gradually she became calm. press the wearing of hatpins with un-Suddenly she leaped upright from her protected ends. Several attempts to chair, at the prompting of a bold board of aldermen have been made thought.

mother? It concerned her.

She crept lightly into the hallway and through the parlor toward the never saw anyone hurt by a lady's hatfolding doors that separated it from pin, but since you say so, and since the dining room. The doors were a the prefect of the Rhone department foot or two apart, and over them was in France, as you say, has issued an hung a curtain. Screened within its edict against ladies' hatpins, I suppole, she stood in an attitude of listening.

At the first she distinguished no word or sound. Then, there came to her cars a low, suppressed sob, that of a woman's. Could her mother be crying? And why? Then, a voice-Henry's.

It's you, Mrs. Farnam-Mary, it's you I love-it's you, you I have always loved. There-don't cry. Do look up and tell me-"

. But Rosie could restrain herself no longer. Tearing the curtains apart, she burst into the room. Between her cries and tears and half hysterical laughter, she rushed to them, and, in an effort to gather the two within her arms, embraced both, exclaiming:

'Of course, Henry, she loves you. Of course she does; she always did and always will. And now, mama," with a little shout of delight, "I know how they do, and what they say, and how they act, and-I'm a goose! (Copyright, 1912, by the McClure News-paper Syndicate.)

Apropos of the rise in meat prices, Representative Redfield said the other lay in Brooklyn:

"The way everything keeps going ip, it will soon become discouraging. can imagine an idle savage from the ropics saying scornfully to some inlustrious clerk or mill operative:

" 'Why do you work?' " 'To live.' " 'And why do you live?' " 'Why do I live?'

" 'Yes, that is what I said. Why to you live?"
"Er—er— to work"—St. Louis

Laok of Tact. "What made you ask Mrs. De Style such a personal question as did she belong to the progressive movement?"
"Why not? Nothing personal in

"Isn't there. She's on her way to

leno to get a divorce from her third

Centuries, and Ancient Spanish Pieces of Eight Found in Old Pot.

adobe building in San Antonio, and in another part of the house was found ter. In fact, the two had been mis- case when they were not joined by a copper pot containing pieces of economizing in fuel, sat with the two. yielded in many years and the coins have been sent to Tiffany in New

But it could not be winter always. brother-in-law, were tearing down an fusion that one might expect where Spring breezes came at last over the ancient structure, used in bygone days an only daughter had celebrated her Ozarks into Missouri. The sun shone, as a fandango hall, when their picks robins flitted between the boughs of came in contact with something that maples beginning to rejuvenate with rang differently from the flint rock the rise and flow of sap through their which composed part of the walls. trunks, and out in the pasture, just They took their pocket knives and then turning faintly to green, young scraped away the mortar and discov-

Extracting this vessel from its coating, they dug a flint rock from its Then, on a night, when Henry opening, where the lid should have came, the weather was warm. He been. At first spider webs obscured closed and the spout was so small that only a few drops at a time could

Local scientists will tackle the probpot-whether they were in it before and thence into the spout of the pot. Quien sabe?

The dagger has a pearl handle, carved by hand, carrying a feathery design on one side and on the other a shield and leaves. At one end it has a guard almost as large as those of the swords used by the crusaders, told me," she cried, almost on the bearing a bas relief of a wolf's head. At the other end it has a similar ornament, the head of some animal which

> The blade is seven inches long, sharp on one side and thick on the other. Its point is yet in fine shape and could do deadly work. It has peculiar red stains, believed to have been caused by blood. This weapon was found near the top of the wall, hidden by mortar, and it is thought it was tossed there for the purpose of

GAYNOR DEFENDS THE HATPIN

Writes Advocate of Ordinance Against Unprotected Points That He Never

-Mayor Gaynor Why shouldn't she hear what was recently, and the mayor expresses his being said between Henry and her opinion on the subject in a letter to one of the advocates of the ordinance:

"I must confess," he writes, "I

"But is it altogether seemly for a lady's hatpin as to get scratched? Shouldn't such a fellow get scratched?"

THOUGHT HE WAS PLAYING

About Boy With Broken Neck.

Greenlawn, L. I .- When Mrs. Axel F. Anderson returned to her home after a short walk Sigma, her five-yearold daughter, ran to meet her, her face all smiles.

"Oh, come and look at Alfred; he's playing dead and he's so funny," laughed the little girl. and found her twelve-year-old

lying dead under a chestnut tree. His neck was broken. have fallen out when I wasn't look-

Kick Down Fences at San Francisco.

San Francisco.—One hundred and thirty-eight head of "Missouri's finest," just detrained upon their arrival from to round them up, and otherwise en-

etables and garden fences

Interesting Discovery in an Old Texas House.

Dagger, Crimson With Blood Rust of

San Antonio, Texas.-Still crimson with the blood rust of centuries, a dagger was found in the walls of an

Charles Arnaud and Gus Loeloff, his

has not yet been identified.

Saw Anyone So Wounded. Notice is hereby given that the a nual meeting of the stockholders fice, located in the Live Stock Ex-change Building, on the property of the St. Joseph Stock Yards Compan County of Buchanan, State of Missouri, on Monday, January 13th, 1913 at 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose o electing directors for the ensuing year, or until their successors are duly qualified and for the transaction of

man to get his face so close to a

Child Runs Smiling to Tell Mother

Mrs. Anderson followed the child son

"He climbed up for chestnuts," said the little girl, "and I guess he must ing, 'cause when I turned around there he was under the tree. I thought he was only pretendin'."

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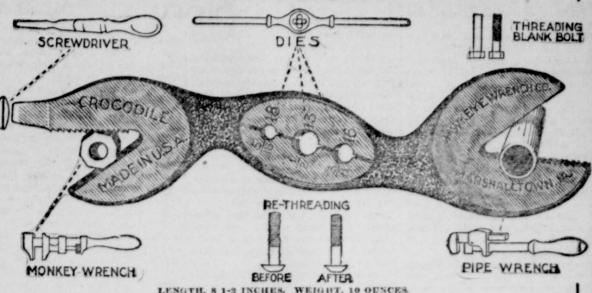
Eat All the Flowers in Garden and

St. Louis, for use at the Presidio, the local United States army post, broke from their corral, devastated flower gardens, struck panic to the hearts of civilians and police, who attempted joyed the freedom of the city for nearly twenty-four hours.

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rounded up 137 of the mules, but one is still missing, along with several hundred dollars' worth of flowers, veg.

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Might Get Even With Mosquito. An observer in India has found a small fly of the midge class with its proboscis inserted in the abdomen of a mosquito, engaged in sucking the mosquito's blood. There is comfort. if not benefit, in this bit of news. Why can't we import this midge? The mosquitoes would know how it is Fireside.

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

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action of such other business as ma come before such a meeting. JOHN DONOVAN, Pesident.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Victim of Snakes He Hunted. After destroying upwards of 2,006

vipers in the course of his career as a snake hunter, M. Henry Saussereau died recently, in Paris, from the bite of a snake. He was hunting snakes in the woods near Bouloire (Sarthe) when a viper bit him in the hand and arm and he died in terrible agony twelve hours later.

Screens for Cyclists.

Nearly all the important accessories of the automobile are adaptable to the bicycle. One of these is the windscreen, which is affixed to the handle bar. It consists of two pieces capa ble of being adjusted as required to shut off the wind and dust Bi cyclists in Europe are fast adopting this contrivance, and it is predicted that before long it will be in more or less constant use. Harper's Week

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Aged Woman's Son Repays Attention to His Mother While He Was Away.

Boulder, Colo.-A few little kindnesses done for an old lady several years ago were amply repaid when Gulf & Southern line, in which one year-old girl who lives with her par- wounded, were received here by wireents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Madden, on less from Captain Avery. a farm near here, received word that \$10,000 had been bequeathed to her in the chain box of the Brunswick early the will of George Hanson of Brooklyn, N. Y. Hanson, who was twenty. Later, according to the captain's messeven years old and rich, died in sage, they escaped with the assist-Brooklyn a month ago from the ef. ance of Peter Isaias, member of the fects of fever contracted in Mexico.

her parents nearly three years ago, which were factory workers. At that time the aged mother of Hanson lived Captain Avery and opened fire. next door to the Maddens. Louise, in her housework and performed various acts of kindness for her.

Hanson at that time was in Mexico prospecting. He struck it rich, but contracted a severe fever in the southern country. He sold his mining claims for a large sum and returned to his mother in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Hanson told him of the kindness shown her. He was so well pleased over to a military guard. that he determined to remember Miss Madden in his will.

Miss Madden was too modest to disviewed. She hesitatingly admitted that the sum was far in excess of the amount of money she had hoped to UNCOVER ANCIENT CEMETERY amass during her entire life.

mentioning for Mrs. Hanson," she said. "We were neighbors and I used to help her a little because she was old and sick.

does not receive the principal until in the neighborhood of the remains of she becomes of age. During the five the Church of the Holy Apostles at years she is forced to wait she will Spoleto, in the province of Perugia. receive the interest.

Americans Are Old-Age Victims.

versity of Chicago.

James C. King Home for Old Men, the workmen struck a solid block of made the statement in a lecture on stone about three feet below the sur-"The Broken Family."

supporting at the age of seventy size. years, according to the statistics." tutions and homes in this country. It of preservation. costs about \$50,000,000 a year to care for them.

"Old age seems to be an individual thing to each person reaching it. It Animal is So Young as to Indicate is difficult to state that a person is old at sixty or sixty-five or seventy or beyond that.'

A Secret Court-Martial at Potsdam Grows Out of a Shooting Competition.

Berlin.-The entire sixth company of the First Foot Guards, including Captain Van Schlich, 11 non-commissloned officers and 110 men, was courtmartialed in secret at Potsdam on the charge of cheating in a shooting competition in August for the coveted kai-

The Prussian army conditions for the shooting competition limited each man to 30 rounds, but officers of another regiment saw the men of the First Foot Guard company taking extra cartridges from their boots. A prompt investigation showed that the

men carried 1,700 illicit cartridges. The First Foot Guards is one of the crack regiments in the German army. All of the emperor's sons serv-

PLUGS HIS NOSTRILS TO DIE fied the function of the pineal gland, the Press. Pennsylvania Weaver Swallows False

Teeth in Committing Suicide.

was found at the side of his bed.

told the keeper of the house that his tery surrounding the pineal gland will false teeth had stuck in his throat. She tried to get them out, but the man was dying and her fingers were badly bitten when she tried to reach the plate. No reason is known for Arnold to commit suicide.

Hurled Into Wolves' Cave. Meeker, Colo .- Julius L. Boberts, Rio Blanco correspondent for the Associated Press and several Denver newspapers, was badly bruised when thrown from his horse into an abandoned wolves' cave near here. Robwhen the horse's feet slipped. He was

Three Stowaways Were Shot in Mutiny on a Gulf Liner-Fight Was Flerce.

Tampa, Fla.-Details of the mutiny aboard the steamer Brunswick of the Miss Louise Madden, a seventeen- Spanish stowaway was killed and two

Four Spanish seamen were found in Monday and imprisoned in the hold. crew. The boatswain ordered them Miss Madden, who came here with back into the hold. When they refused to obey he attempted to force formerly resided in a little suburb of them and a flerce encounter ensued. Brooklyn, the principal residents of Others of the crew came up and the boatswain snatched a revolver from and mountains of bandboxes is not

Juan Malade, leader of the stowthen a small girl, helped the old lady aways, was killed at the first shot. Juan Laramalerrio fell with a bullet again in September. No, he doesn't wound in his chest and Jose Martinez was wounded slightly.

injured stowaway, were put in irons come the electric chair, a whole day's and the ship turned back to Fort Dade to meet the tug Resolute, which dose of grand opera if he had his had been summoned by wireless. The choice. Not that his wife cares a rap In the meantime the Maddens had prisoners refused to board the tug about his opinion. No matter what hat moved west. When her son returned and Captain Avery steamed to the fort, where the men were turned she is not going to like it, and she

In a statement Isaias says that the stowaways did not understand English. He said they were suffocating in love, the married man's frenzy-he cuss her good fortune when inter-

"I really never did anything worth Excavating for a Wine Cellar an Italian Makes a Discovery of Historical Value.

Rome.-An ancient Christian ceme-According to the will Miss Madden lery has accidentally been discovered The church, one of the first Christian temples erected in that part of Italy contained the bones of many who suf-FEW EARN LIVING AT 70 tered martyrdom under the Flavian emperors, but had not been used as Chicagoan Tells College That 1,550,000 a place of burial for more than 15 centuries.

Since modern times, having been little more than a ruin, it passed as Chicago.-You have one chance in private property into the family of ed to Professor Charles R. Hender- basement for use as a cellar for storson's class in sociology at the Uni- ing wine, he being a wine grower on field. a large scale. Excavations had hard-Supt. William C. Graves of the ly begun a few days ago, when one of face, and this proved to be the cover "Only one man in 10,000 is self. of an ancient sarcophagus of unusual

Twenty-one sarcophagi with massive said Mr. Graves. "In the United covers in monolith were unearthed, States there are approximately 1.250, all belonging to the third or fourth 600 former wage earners, sixty-five century, A. D. They were opened in years and older, dependent on public the presence of a group of public ofand private charity, at a cost of ficials and archaeologists from differ-\$220,000,000 a year. There are about ent parts of Italy, and each was found 300,000 old people in benevolent insti- to contain a skeleton in a perfect state

RARE BLACK WOLF KILLED

the Presence of Others In the Vicinity.

KAISER'S GUARDS CHEATED dise, near here, claims the distinction boys and girls that weren't so little of killing the first black wolf ever either. All about how Mr. So-and-So encountered in this portion of the met Miss So-and-So at Mrs. So-andstate. He met the animal late at So's. And how he said and she said night on the main road leading into and the world said, and the conse-Paradise and was especially attracted quences were that ---, well, God

by its glaring eyes and howling.

now laid to the door of the unusual is largely a matter of a man and animal that more or less inhabits the woman meeting, meeting casually at mountainous regions of cold climates Mrs. So-and-So's, with a long train of as in Canada and the far north.

SPIRITUAL GLAND IS FOUND

Noted European Physician Locates Most Mysterious Organ in Human Body.

Philadelphia.-Announcement that he has discovered and partly classimost mysterious organ of the human body, and heretofore believed functionless, was made by Professor L. Von Frank Hochwart, the noted ing the origin of what is commonly Arnold was living when found and known as spiritual impulse the mysbe entirely cleared away.

THIS BOY SHOULD BE LUCKY

Seventh Son of Seventh Son of Seventh Son Born to Pennsylvania Letter Carrier.

Pittsburgh, Pa .- A seventh son of a seventh son of a seventh son was born to Mr. and Mrs. David Geiger. Mr. Geiger, a letter carrier of the Braddock postoffice, was a seventh erts was crossing a fissured gulch son of his father, who was a seventh son also. Mr. Geiger appears to be catapulted down a steep declivity and fated to sevens. He was born Jan-saved himself by grasping a shelf uary 27, 1870, and he is mail carrier rock about six feet below the surface. No. 7 at the postoffice.

GETS \$10,000 FOR KIND ACTS AS ON THE SPANISH MAIN HELPING HER PICK OUT HAT

Only the Gay and Graceless Bachelor Can See Anything Comic About the Proceedings.

"Dearie, I want you to go with me one day this week and help me select

This is not a request. It is a command that no married man dares disobey. Hubby is right now bracing himself for the shock that comes at least twice in every year. A few of the poor, unfortunate husbands have already received their orders, and the rest are looking for the worst any day

This thing of helping your wife buy a hat is tragedy. While it may seem funny to a bachelor, this expedition into the jungles of ostrich feathers a married man's idea of a good time.

He submits to the awful torture twice a year, just before Easter and like it; he does it to keep peace in the family. It helps to keep the police Isaias and Lorenzo Balserio, the un- away from the door. He would welsession with the dentist or a double she picks out, she knows beforehand

> takes him along to shoulder the blame. In the spring, when the young man's fancy is turning lightly to thoughts of to thoughts of the Easter millinery hunt. It takes him six months to get over the experience, and just as he has reached the point where he can look at a bandbox without weeping he has to endure the suffering all over

HAD NO MERCY FOR AVIATOR

Country Hardware Man's Advancing Scale of Prices Seemed to Show a Slight Prejudice.

Jules Vedrines, the world's champion aviator, complained in Chicago of America's indifference to aviation. "The expense, perhaps, has something to do with it," he said. "Flying in America does, indeed, come high.

"I know a young Philadelphian who recently mastered the monoplane. 10,000 of supporting yourself when the Sinibaldi, of whom the present With his mechanician he was flying you are three score and ten, accord- head, the Italian deputy of that name, to Atlantic City when something ing to information which was impart- decided to enlarge the extensive went wrong near Tuckahoe, and they came down in a mosquito-infested

"The mechanician went to a hard-

ware shop to buy a bolt. "'A bolt like that?' said the hardware man, examining the mechanician's broken sample. 'Well, I guess I can give you a bolt like that for a quarter.' Then, suddenly, he frowned. 'Hold on, though. You're anautomobilst, ain't you? In that case

it'll cost you \$3.50." "But a raw-boned lad loafing in the shop gave a loud laugh and said: 'He ain't no automobilist. He's a

fivin'-machine man.' "'In that case, stranger,' said the \$8, net and net."

Consequences. Did you ever play a little old game call d "Consequences?" I used to play it in school on the sly, and so Chico, Cal.-William Lewis of Para- did other little boys and girls, and knows what they were, the conse-Its fur is of the finest texture and quences. Happening to pick up a book the animal itself was apparently of games at the library one afternoon, young, indicating that there was a I turned by accident to "Consefamily of the species located in the quences." A thousand memories thick forests of the Paradise-Magalia came flocking in upon me. And a thought born not of memory but of Many barnyard robberies of late are experience. While life, like the game, consequences, in real life not like the game, what the world says comes at last to be omitted from our calculation. Not through indifference to itthe love and approval of those about us is the very breath of life-but because we have to stand alone before we can stand together. The strong ones of the earth are ever those who do and say the thing they must and leave the rest with God .- New York

Egg Membrane for Skin.

For a long time doctors have been European neurologist, in a lecture be looking for a good substitute for hu-Harrisburg. Pa.-John Arnold, a fore a clinic of students at the Uni- man skin for grafting. The possibilweaver, twenty-six years old, died at versity of Pernsylvania hospital. Pro- ity has lately been demonstrated by his boarding-house here with his nos- fessor Hochwart said he had found the taking the membrane that lines the trils plugged full of tobacco and his organ to be immediately related to shell of newly laid eggs, plastering it Congress false teeth stuck in his throat. An the passions. He also hinted that if over the burn, and making it grow as empty vial that had contained poison anything may ever be learned regard- human skin. The discoverer of this process was treating a child which had burn had caused cells to augment in on the killing of male seals on the number and gradually to extend over Pribilof islands. the wound until, at the end of some | +1 the wound until, at the end of some tion based on several urgent com-weeks, the surface was completely munications to the United States recovered with the new skin. The treat ment was called to the attention of physicians and it is now being used lation of that part of the treaty which to cure scalds.-Harper's Weekly.

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sear heros in the horth Facilic is to fail of realization and the seal treaty perhaps itself be lost it will be necessary for congress during the present session to amend the seal act so as to remove the five-year restriction up
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Therefore it is expected the president will make another effort to induce congress to amend the existing seal act so as to insure fair treat-ment for the Japanese and British governments.

MEXICO BREAKS A CUSTOM

Allows Removal of Body of Kansan Killed by Rebels.

Wichita, Kan., Dec. 26.—The Mex-can government has broken a custom of many years and notified the United States government that the body of Hubert Russell, son of Colonel T. A. Russell of Kingman, may be disinterred and brought to this country

or burial.
Young Russell was killed by Mexican rebels near Durango, September 30. He was called out of his bed late at night and shot down by two rebel

Winter Visitor (in Florida)-" should love really to go sailing, but i looks very dangerous. Do not people often get drowned in this bay "Waterman—"No, indeed, mum. The sharks never let anybody drown.—New York Weekly.

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