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Kansas has a bill before the legislature to refund or abate taxes on horses that died during the epidemic. Farmers of western Kansas suffered severe loss from the plague and these horses had already been placed upon the assessment rolls.

A bill providing for the production and distribution of vaccines and serums to prevent and cure animal diseases has been introduced in the Iowa legislature. In the past the appropriations have been too small to make the work effective, and \$59,999 is now asked.

The National Corn Exposition will hold its exposition in Columbia, S. C. from January 27 to February 8. Twenty-seven states have pledged exhibits and the government, under special act of congress, will install at the exposition the largest and most comprehensive exhibit ever made.

EVERYBODY SING. The following poetical pleasantry is an awful thing for a Kansas editor to perpetrate on an unsuspecting public simply because he is opposed to woman suffrage.

What a fool we have in woman, O, what crazy things she wears; What a privilege to marry One whose dress would frighten bears.

A FREE COUNTRY.

Propos of the "blue sky" laws now pending before the legislature, the Topeka Capital contends there are promoters in every state except Kansas—"Who can show that the moon is constructed of cheese."

And make their premises so clear That no man constrained to believe That men are constrained to believe it with ease.

NEEDFUL LEGISLATION.

Agitation for a state dairy commissioner has been going on now for several years, has borne fruit to the extent that a bill has been introduced in the Missouri legislature for this purpose. The author of the bill is Representative Cornelius, of DeKalb county, who proposes to establish the office of dairy commissioner, the commissioner to be appointed by the state board of agriculture, to draw \$3,000 a year salary and employ two deputies at \$1,500 a year each, in addition to traveling expenses.

If, as nearly every fair-minded person will admit, it is a good thing to have federal inspection of meat and oleomargarine in the interest of public health, why isn't it just as needful, just as imperative, to have adequate inspection of dairies and creameries and their products? The fate of Representative Cornelius' bill will be decided on that issue.

ARTIFICIAL MILK AND MEAT.

What is this world coming to? asks the Kansas Industrialist. A London dispatch tells of the manufacture of artificial milk from vegetables, which

Daddy's Bedtime Story

A Little Girl Who Had Never Seen Snow



JACK and Evelyn thought it very nice to have a snowstorm once in awhile. They liked to watch the big flakes drifting down and piling one on top of another until they made great big drifts and filled up the paths.

"What Lily was seven years old her parents came back to the United States to live," Lily thought it a very strange place.

"Lily wanted to know what it was, but grandpa shook his head and laughed. 'Come to the window and look out,' he answered. Then he pointed to the sky, which was covered with gray clouds. 'It will come from there,' he said.

MAKING GOOD HOUSEWIVES

Girls of Kansas State Normal Developing Efficiency in Home Affairs.

Emporia, Kan., Jan. 20.—The Kansas girls at the Kansas State Normal who are taking work in the domestic science department at the normal, are becoming efficient in all phases of home life.

FREE LUNCH FOR SCHOLARS

Only Soup Served Now But Idea Is to Be Enlarged.

Emporia, Kan., Jan. 20.—The children of the Model Training school of the Kansas State Normal are being furnished free lunches by the school at the noon hour.

SHEEP FEEDING PROFITABLE

Smith County, Kansas, Furnishing Several Thousand Head.

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IN WOMAN'S REALM

ATTENTION.

Lady readers of the Stock Yards Daily Journal should appreciate the efforts of the Townsend & Wyatt Dry Goods Company in their efforts to promptly fill all mail or parcel post orders.

HIDDEN VANITY BOXES

Fine Toilet Accessories May Be Tucked in a Woman's Bracelet.

The vanity box has become so much of a woman's outfit that the manufacturers are discovering many odd ways for her to carry it.

To take one's powder puff and lip rouge from the back of one's hair, become commonplace. Now a woman can tuck these in her bracelet.

Or she can wear it around her neck as a stouffer. Fashioning vanity boxes are shown in all styles and prices, from gay and French jewelry to diamond studded boxes no bigger than a child's locket.

Again one may carry a vanity box in the end of a parasol, or as the head of a big hat pin, expressed as a charm for her chateleine, or even set in one of the big buttons that ornament her corsage draperies.

The new opera bags include a vanity box, and those that do not may be supplied with them by small pockets sewed to the interior for them.

FABRICS AND STYLES FOR SPRING

We have rather a good method in America of going slowly on new fabrics until the public gives a verdict and then multiplying the product.

In the spring cotton ratines were brought out in quantities and the public received them with sufficient enthusiasm to make them pay; this last August, however, the French again showed the same fabrics as those of the year before.

There will also be silk ratine, crepe de chine, a new kind of voile and a cotton charmeuse, which it is claimed will give much the appearance of the charmeuse satin, which has served us well for several years.

NEW VOILES. This new voile will be quite attractive, for it is covered with a jacquard weave which has been used after ten years' absence from the loom.

There are also cotton voiles, with deep shades of colors or plain, which will be used as an edge to tunics and for the hem of the skirt.

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Townsend & Wyatt Dry Goods Co. "Between Season" Store News

There's much of special interest all about the store these days—new spring goods arriving, great mid-winter clearing sales in progress, clean-up sales here and there on odd lots of merchandise, quantities that are too small in many instances to advertise, but which afford genuine bargains in seasonable and desirable goods.

Something new will greet you every day this week—in Silks, in Wool Dress Goods, in Women's Suits, Waists and Shirts, in Wash Fabrics, White Goods and new spring Cottons of every kind.

Numerous lots of Undermuslin and Embroideries will continue at January White Sale prices until they are closed out. Reductions on Winter Suits and Coats will continue and additional sales will be announced from day to day.

There Are Real Bargains at Every Turn



Embroidery Remnants

On sale this week at mere fraction of their real value. Hundreds of pieces in lengths of 1 to 3 yards, resulting from the big January Embroidery Sale, will be measured up and marked quick riddance prices.

Townsend & Wyatt Dry Goods Co.

Advertisement for Best Seed Book, Garden and Field Seed, Alfalfa, Seed Corn, etc.

Advertisement for New Blue Rambler.

Advertisement for Milo Maize The Dry Weather Corn.

Advertisement for Classified Business Directory.

Advertisement for Combe Printing Company.

Advertisement for Laurence O. Weakley Insurance.

Advertisement for Feeders Take Notice.

Advertisement for Freeman's Cafe.

Advertisement for Bowsher Geared Mill.

Advertisement for Patterson Machinery Company.

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ST. JOSEPH HAY MARKET. Local Quotations Corrected to Date by Local Dealers. The following quotations are furnished daily by the St. Joseph Hay Receivers and Shippers Association...

ST. JOSEPH HAY AND FEED. When you want to buy or sell hay write or call J. L. Frederick Grain & Hay Co. Office, 1011-12 Corry-Farmer Bldg. and Grain Merchants who solicit your consignments or orders:

KANSAS CITY HAY AND GRAIN. The following quotations are furnished daily by the Kansas City Hay Receivers and Shippers Association for the benefit of Stock Yards Daily Journal readers and advertisements following are reliable Kansas City hay and grain merchants who solicit your consignments or orders:

KANSAS CITY HAY AND FEED. THE BEST WAY To Dispose of Your ALFALFA HAY is to Write PRODUCERS HAY CO. KANSAS CITY, MO. HAY Clark Wyrick & Co. Live Stock Exchange Bldg. Room 156 KANSAS CITY, MO. When shipping to Kansas City give us a trial. Liberal advances and quick returns. No collect correspondents. Established 1892

Hay Wanted! Will purchase on your track or handle on commission. Write us what you have. NORTH BROTHERS 108-57 Live Stock Ex., Kansas City, Mo.

SHAMROCK WHISKY DISTILLED FOR MEDICAL USE 10 YEARS OLD ABSOLUTELY PURE M. J. SHERIDAN, PROPRIETOR, St. Joseph, Mo. Importers and Dealers in WINES and LIQUORS Established 1876. Per Gallon

WANTED TO BUY Horses, Mares and Mules from 4 to 8 years old. Stock must be fat and broken to work. Highest cash price paid. We carry a nice line of young mares for farmers. JOHN HANN Barn 1024 South 8th St., Northwest Corner Patee Park, St. Joseph, Mo.

VARICOCELE CURED IN 5 DAYS Without Knife, Pain or Danger During 27 years in Kansas City, I have cured thousands of cases of Varicocele, Hemorrhoids and all kinds of troubles. With my original method nature is allowed to do the work. No pain, no operation, no medicine, no rest. Write for free book "THE CURE OF VARICOCELE" and "THE CURE OF HEMORRHOIDS" free, sealed. Call or address: DR. WHITTIER, 712 East 11th, Kansas City, Mo. Pay When Cured

PUBLICITY PAYS Try an Advertisement in THE JOURNAL

SNAITH'S DISCOVERY Inventor Knew It Was All Right Because He Tested It on Himself.

By GEORGE P. MUNSON. Professor Snaithe entered the dining room with shining eyes and a beaming smile; he seemed at peace with himself and all the world. His wife, who had already taken her seat at the table, looked at him in surprise. "Why, Alfred!" she exclaimed. "You look as happy as a boy. What has happened to you?" "Margaret," announced her husband, "I have made a discovery which will revolutionize the practice of surgery."



"It is really a most remarkable discovery, my dear," began the professor, when the meal was ended. "It is nothing less than a new anesthetic. As you know, Matilda, the—hum—horror that most people have of undergoing an operation is due—hum—exclusively to fear of the ether or chloroform. The process of—hum—inspiration is one so intimately associated with the—hum—vital processes that any—hum—interference with these arouses alarm and—hum—apprehension. I have discovered a method of inducing artificial anesthesia by an entirely harmless compound prepared by the trituration and—hum—chemical preparation of a drupe, or rather—hum—berry, which I have discovered growing in certain waste—hum—places. A very few centiliters of this component, when placed in juxtaposition to certain nerve centers in the—hum—tongue produce, probably by osmosis, a profound anesthetic, while there is an entire absence of the restraint in—hum—deglutition and—hum—imbibition which one associates with—hum—ether."

KING EDWARD AS A 'DRUMMER' England Had No Better Traveling Salesman Than He, According to Biographer.

King Edward VII. of England created a new type of monarch. Edward protected and enlarged the nation's resources. There was not in the whole United Kingdom a more industrious commercial traveler or a better merchant. He only wore the crown when it was absolutely necessary. He had mingled with men of all classes and professions, had had experiences to which crown princes are not usually exposed, had been on familiar terms with financiers and captains of industry, and had learned to look on the world with the eye of a comfortable gentleman. He was quickly at home everywhere. Whether he had to deal with the self-controlled Alexander or his volatile son, with Indian princes or Yankee, with the fiery Delacour or the witty Clemenceau, he always struck the right note.

Horndon-on-the-Hill, a village of six hundred persons, in the county of Essex, England, has attracted notice as being a spot where old age reigns in undisputed triumph. Walk through the picturesque narrow main street which twists across the hillsides and from the doorways the passerby will see smiling at him the happy, ruddy faces of the ancients of Horndon. A London newspaper the other day found in this village, which by the way has not a doctor in it, twelve persons whose united ages are 1,040 years, these ages ranging from eighty-four to ninety years, while young persons, men and women of seventy-five and thereabout, were too numerous to deserve notice. One lad of eighty-six, who is on the way to be a philosopher, said: "A smile and a kiss made the world easy and do a lot of keeping one young, this and a fair share of work."

KEEPING HOUSE A BUSINESS Charge That American Wives Pay Too Little Attention to Smaller Form of Economies.

American wives have yet to learn that housekeeping is a business in which they can earn money by saving it. Many wives are today seeking desperately for some occupation which will pay them a few dollars each week, when in their own refrigerators and pantries food is going to waste, milk is growing sour and butter and sugar in prodigious quantities because their mistresses would consider themselves "stingy" to speak a word of warning or give direct supervision of the culinary department. The French people are far ahead of us in their observance of the "penny saved, penny earned" theory. They use for their salads the parts of the vegetables which we throw away. They toast the left-over slices of bread which we let mold.

In housekeeping woman has five or six professions. She must know something of dressmaking, of cooking, of serving, of finance, of household hygiene. And these things are interesting only when they are given their true value in the world of endeavor. The woman who holds competently her place as manager of her household ranks high above women in other professions, for she has learned to do not one thing, but many, and her executive ability must be of the most perfect order if she is to realize the ideal in the working out of her domestic "big business."—Exchange.

Train Fish to Catch Turtles. In the neighborhood of Havana a most peculiar method of securing turtles is pursued. They train or at least take advantage of the instincts of a certain species of fish called by the Spanish revo (meaning reversed), because its back is usually taken for its stomach. It has an oval plate attached to its head, the surface of which is traversed by parallel ridges. By this plate it can adhere to any solid body it may choose. The boats which go in quest of turtles each carry a tub containing a number of these reves. When the sleeping turtles are seen they are approached, and as soon as they are judged near enough a revo is thrown into the sea. Upon perceiving the turtle its instinct teaches it to swim right toward it and fit itself firmly upon the creature by means of its disk. Sooner would the revo allow itself to be pulled to pieces than give up its grip. A ring, which is attached to the tail of the fish, in which a string is fastened, allows the fisherman to pull in his prize. By a peculiar manipulation the revo is pulled off and returned to the tub, to be ready for use the next time a turtle is sighted.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

HAVE MANY YEARS OF LIFE Residents of English Village Favored Beyond Other Mortals in Matter of Longevity.

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More Study Family Tree. The growing interest in ancestry indicates that Americans are coming to believe that it is of some consequence to know from whom they are descended, the Magazine of American History states. Long lines of ancestry are revealed in each person, and this ancestry, if understood, will assist materially in various directions. One cannot know too much about himself and in acquiring a knowledge of his ancestors he is learning the most important facts about his own personality. This has been demonstrated many times. Genealogy is the most fascinating branch of history. Everything else may be a mere catalogue of dates, but genealogy introduces the student to the actual personages and offers him the complete means of obtaining an accurate understanding of the occurrences of the past. The study of ancestry is becoming more popular and is, in numerous ways, revolutionizing the modern comprehension of events in the past.

FAMILY SECRETS. A girl has plenty of time to decide on the details of her wedding before the man has figured out whether her eyes are blue or gray.

Being conservative in politics never keeps a man from being screamingly insurgent in the matter of ties and socks. A really clever woman never makes the mistake of assuming that only a man can comprehend her cleverness. You may cure the vices of a bad woman, conquer the shortcomings of the indifferent woman, but nothing will avail in the face of a good woman's prejudices. The woman who "dares to be different" is talked about, the man who plays the game is merely tolerantly laughed at—but at best the woman wouldn't change places with him.—Lippincott's.

BOY'S GOOD GUESS. The story is told of Judge McCannless of Wichita, who has the distinction of being the leanest man in the state, that he was one day walking along a street in Kansas City when he noticed that a hound dog was following him.

After he had gone a block and the dog was still trailing him, he turned to a street gamin and asked: "Boy, what do you suppose that dog is following me for?" "Well, mister," said the boy, as he looked the judge over from head to foot, "I dunno exactly, but my idee is that he takes you for a bone."—Topeka Capital.

The Crocodile Wrench. An Ideal Farm Wrench. Six Handy Farm Tools in One. Drop forged from the finest tool steel, scientifically tempered. Every wrench guaranteed against breakage. Includes illustrations of screwdriver, dies, monkey wrench, re-threading, and pipe wrenches.

Classified Real Estate Advertising. 1 cent per word first insertion; 1/2 cent per word each subsequent insertion. FOR SALE: 200 acres in Audrain Co., Mo., 700 miles from Mexico and two miles from shipping station; choice smooth land; 140 in cultivation, 50 in timothy and 30 in blue grass pasture; comfortable improvements; farm all fenced hog tight. Price \$18,000; \$6,000 cash, balance at 5 per cent. Address owner, D. D. Sullivan, Effingham, Kans.

Cheap Corn and High Hogs now offer an unusual chance for Big Profits in the hog business. Full rations of corn with one-half pound per day of Swift's Digester Tankage (60 per cent Protein) will produce maximum gains and the grade of hogs that will top the market. Makes Big Gains, Strong Bone, Firm Flesh and the Best Finish.

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