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Reliable statistics gathered by Herald correspondents in Idaho disclose the fact that the state has 21,000 farms, that are worth in the aggregate \$200,000,000. And their value is steadily growing. Immigrants of a most desirable class are pouring into Idaho from various sections of the country. They are making homes for themselves there, and each is doing his part toward the upbuilding of the state. In the mining line, the steady growth of Idaho's mineral production shows that the full story of the state's resources has not been told. Nor will it be told for many years to come. In Idaho that is a vast extent of mineral-bearing territory that has never been touched by the prospector's pick. Some day this territory will be opened and made to yield its share of the treasures now locked within the earth.

On the threshold of the New Year the Herald congratulates Idaho upon its achievements in the past and its prospects for the future. We are sure the year 1905 holds for it much that is good, much that will advance its material welfare, much that will add to its credit and its standing in the cluster roll of the intermountain states.—Salt Lake Herald.

For Idaho's Fairs.

The legislature will be asked for an appropriation to assist in the maintenance of the state fair in Boise and the district fairs, one in southeastern Idaho and one in the northern part of the state. The size of the appropriation that will be asked is not known, but it is understood it will be limited to an amount sufficient to pay the premiums—a small sum for the state, but a large item for the fairs taken in connection with the other expenses. In some states the fairs are conducted under state auspices, the great bulk of the expenses being defrayed out of the commonwealth's strong boxes. Because

the Idaho fairs are incorporated it is not likely a direct appropriation would be legal, so if the legislature does anything it will probably not be more than to provide for payment of the premiums, by some board or specially designated official, so the fair corporations will have nothing to do with the disbursements. It would seem the legislature would not interpose more serious objection to extending that class of aid than it would to assisting in the building of bridges and wagon roads. If the sectional cry may be raised against the one, it may be raised with equal force against the other. The truth of the matter is that the entire state is interested in these fairs and every portion of the state is benefitted; one part of Idaho cannot be helped without helping the entire state. The state has already reaped an abundant harvest from the advertising given it by the fairs. The burden heretofore has rested on individual shoulders. It has become too great a load for a few men in each section to carry, and if the institutions are to be continued in a creditable manner and if it is desired that the resultant benefits to the state should not be minimized, the state will have to step in and assume a portion of the expense. It is a straight, meritorious business proposition, and it will be presented to what everyone expects to be a business legislature.—Boise Statesman.

Spraying Potatoes Paid Five Fold.

A bulletin of the Vermont Station just issued says: Did you spray your potatoes this year? If not, what per cent. of them did you lose by rot? The Vermont Experiment Station furnishes some interesting data upon this subject. Last August it sprayed a portion of a potato field located beside one of the most travelled road leading into Burlington. The soil was a well-drained sandy loam soil, well manured, plowed in the spring and planted late in May. Two-thirds of the piece was sprayed on August 9 and September 5 with standard bordeaux-paris-green mixture (six pounds copper sulphate, four pounds stone lime, one-half pound paris green, forty gallons of water); one-third was sprayed solely with paris green.

The late blight (which directly or indirectly causes most of the loss from the rot of the tubers) was first seen on the unsprayed rows on August 21. It spread very slowly, but, when the tops were killed by frost on September 23, fully ninety per cent of the foliage on the unsprayed rows was dead, being most killed by this disease. No late blight could be found at this time on the sprayed rows where fully ninety per cent of the leaves were alive.

The crop was dug on October 3. The sprayed rows yielded at the rate of 344 bushels per acre, and the unsprayed rows at the rate of 301 bushels per acre; a gain in total yield of only 43 bushels. But when the rotten tubers were sorted out the sprayed area produced at the rate of 317 bushels per acre of sound, marketable potatoes, and the unsprayed area at the rate of 56 bushels per acre of sound and marketable potatoes. Eight per cent of the crop on the sprayed area was lost by rot. The net gain was 261 bushels per acre as a result of spraying with bordeaux mixture. Potatoes sold in Burlington for 60 cents per bushel. The gain amounted, therefore, to \$156. It cost about \$6 per acre to spray, leaving a net gain of \$150. These results are exceptional, but there were many fields this fall, especially in northern Vermont, where there was a great or greater loss from rot. Some were hardly worth digging. Are you planning to harvest 344 or 317 bushels of potatoes per acre next year? Do you expect to leave 80 or 8 per cent of your crop in the field? Why not plant less land and still raise as many bushels? It is one way to solve the late blight, Bordeaux mixture ought not to cost over \$3 per acre for each application; in practice it usually costs much less than that. It is not better to buy copper sulphate than copper stock?

THE STATE REFORM SCHOOL

Everything Ready for St. Anthony Institution to Receive Children.

WILL BE OPENED MONDAY

Any Court Convicting Boys and Girls of Crime or Incurability May Certify Proceedings to District Judge, Who Alone Has Power to Send to Reformatory.

The Idaho State Industrial Reformatory school at St. Anthony will be thrown open for the reception of inmates on Monday morning. This was decided by the board of trustees of that institution at the meeting held in this city yesterday. Every member of the board was in attendance and participated in the discussion of the affairs of the reformatory school.

While no boys or girls have so far been ordered to the St. Anthony institution, it seems probable that a number will be at an early date, and President Cahalan of the board expressed the belief that 25 or 30 would be domiciled in the big building before many weeks have passed.

There are but six persons in the state who have the legal authority to order recalcitrant children to the reformatory. These are the judges of the different judicial districts. Any court of the state may, after the conviction of a boy or girl of any crime except murder or manslaughter, certify the proceedings to the district judge, who is empowered to order the commitment of the wayward youth to the St. Anthony school.

The same procedure may be followed in the case of incorrigibles who have not been convicted of any overt crime. Upon proof of their character, certification may be made to the district judge, and they may be ordered to the reformatory school, the same as if conviction had been had of some crime.

A feature of the regulation is that every inmate must be of healthy condition. Any diseased children will not be accepted at the reformatory regardless of their character. To this end, that the boys and girls may be protected from danger of infection with some disease, every child about to be sent to the school will be required to undergo a searching examination by some reputable physician and must receive a certificate of health from him before being admitted.

The school will be under the supervision of Superintendent Humphries and Mrs. Humphries, who is the matron. They will be assisted in the care of the boys and girls by a single teacher for the present. A farmer and an engineer have also been engaged.

Some delay in opening the school was caused by the non-arrival of the furniture when it was expected. This all arrived several days ago, however, has now all been placed in position and everything is in readiness for the opening of the doors on Monday.—Boise Statesman.

Those who are interested in happenings at Twin Falls should subscribe for the News, which publishes weekly, as its name indicates, the news pertaining to this rapidly growing city. The subscription price is \$2 per year.

Pioneer Harness Shop

BRADLEY & PRATER, Props.

Harness and Saddles, Whips, Nosebags, Horse Blankets and Collar-Pads of Every Description

Shop in Twin Falls Hardware Co.'s Store

TWIN FALLS, IDAHO

During the rendition of the program Mrs. H. O. Milner presided at the organ.

The net proceeds of the Christmas tree, after paying all expenses, was \$37.10, which will be used for the purpose of purchasing an organ for the Sunday school.

Sunday School to Be Organized

Rev. J. D. Johnson, general missionary for Utah and Idaho for the American Sunday School union, will be in Twin Falls Sunday, January 8, 1905, for the purpose of organizing a Sunday school. The meeting will be held in the new school house at 2 p. m., and all who are interested in Sunday school work are invited to attend and take part. Rev. Johnson is an enthusiastic worker and also an able speaker. This will be the first organization work for Twin Falls and the meeting should be well attended.

Work Team for Sale

Team, wagon and harness will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at this office.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership

To Whom It May Concern: The partnership between C. R. SHAW and H. O. MILNER, under the firm name and style of TWIN FALLS LUMBER COMPANY, was on the 15th day of October, A. D. 1904, dissolved by mutual consent, and the property, books and accounts thereof, and all bills receivable turned over to TWIN FALLS LUMBER CO. (LTD.), a corporation, by which all accounts due said partnership, will be collected and bills payable by said partnership, A. D. 1904. Dated this 15th day of December, A. D. 1904.

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Just Arrived

My stock of furniture has now arrived and I have a good assortment of Chairs, Tables, Dressers, Rockers, Bedsteads, and everything necessary to comfortably furnish your home. Come in and see for yourself.

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TWIN FALLS, IDAHO

Our Best Advertisement

Is a pleased customer. We rely on low prices to win trade and fair treatment to retain it. You should buy where a dollar gets the most value. We ask your trade, but ask it only on condition that we can benefit you. We believe it will pay you to look us over, and we pledge you full value for every cent you invest with us.

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Main Street, Between Tenth and Eleventh

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REAL ESTATE

Land bought and sold on commission. I act as the middle-man and can save you money

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BREVITIES

H. L. Owens was in town for a short visit Thursday.

F. W. Eickhoff is reported quite ill and is unable to attend to business.

W. F. Guthrie has moved into his law office next to the News building.

The drawing for the dolls at G. W. Tarr & Co.'s will be on January 5, at 3 p. m.

St. John Skinner has located quite a number of persons from Wallace, Idaho, by power of attorney.

J. H. Day, of Clyde, Wash., is reported, offered \$1000 bonus for an 80-acre tract near town which he desired to secure.

S. W. Dingman has arrived from Stroud, Oklahoma, and is now on his land clearing and preparing for next year's crop.

R. W. Jones is building an addition on the rear of his block on Main street, which when completed will be used for bath rooms.

Born—Friday, December 30, 1904, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Urte, a daughter, weight 11 1/2 pounds. Mother and child doing well.

Records & Skinner are busy laying sidewalks on Main street and Shoshone avenue, but have been detained on account of a lack of lumber.

L. Pettit, of the Idaho Lumber company, returned today from Park City, Utah, accompanied by his wife, who will make a brief visit with her husband.

Walter Rose left Soda Springs today with a number of teams and equipment which he will use during the winter freighting between Shoshone and this point.

The Cassia County Social club will give a New Year's dance Monday evening, January 2, 1905, at the school house. Good music and a good time is assured to all who attend.

The concrete footing for the basement walls of the new hotel is now being laid. Work is favorably progressing, the concrete machine being expected to arrive at any time.

J. A. Prater, of the Pioneer harness shop, left today for an extended visit to St. Anthony, his former home. The shop will be in charge of his partner, Mr. Bradley, who will attend to the wants of their customers.

A. H. Overamith, attorney at law, of Dyersville, Iowa, arrived here Wednesday evening with a view of seeking a location. He is favorably impressed with the land proposition and will no doubt make a purchase.

The basement has been excavated for Perrine & Burton's new store building, and the foundation walls will soon be laid. It is expected that the building will be constructed of concrete blocks, but no final decision has as yet been made.

The Blue Front Cafe has opened for business and is receiving all the patronage that can be handled comfortably. Mr. Taylor, the proprietor, states that an addition will soon be built in order to better care for his rapidly increasing trade.

John A. Erickson has completed the construction of a house on his ranch, one mile north of town. He states that he has 20 acres cleared ready for the planting in the spring. His specialties will be hogs and chickens, both of which will prove very profitable here.

Edward Hopper of Wallace, Idaho, and O. A. Iaham of Estherville, Iowa, are here looking for a location for a grocery and gent's furnishing store. They have erected a small building on the rear of St. John Skinner's lot for a temporary lodging house. They express themselves as well pleased with the prospects for the town, and expect to be ready for business in the near future.

Work on the railroad from Minidoka is making rapid progress, as 500 men and a large number of teams are now employed. It has been given out that only 3000 yards of dirt per mile has to be moved, which allows rapid completion of the grade. The bridge will be of piling and will be put in without

delay, when the track reaches that point.—Shoshone Post.

Boys' suits at G. W. Tarr & Co.'s from \$2 to \$3.75.

R. Fader, a prosperous business man of Minidoka, is in town this week with a view of acquiring interests here.

L. E. Andrews and family came in from Portland, Oregon, this week with a car of household goods. They expect soon to locate at Twin Falls.—Shoshone Post.

It is reported that a railroad grading camp has been established on this side of the river near Goose creek, and it looks as if dirt will soon be flying in Cassia county.—Albion Times.

W. C. Custer this week sold a lot at Twin Falls for \$500 for which he paid \$200 only a short time ago. Looks as though Twin Falls real estate is something worth having.—Shoshone Post.

The outfit of Corey Brothers, the Ogden contractors, passed through town Wednesday on its way to Twin Falls, where they have the contract for digging ten miles of the ditch.—Albion Times.

H. H. Thornton will not commence teaching at Twin Falls until after the holidays. This will give him an opportunity to get the superintendent's office in shape and turned over to his successor.—Albion Times.

O. E. Barber, of the Twin Falls News, dropped into the Journal office Tuesday evening while waiting for the train west. Mr. Barber said things were going as well with the News as was anticipated and that the new country was on the forward jump.—Shoshone Journal.

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Christmas Tree.

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A number of children were trained in their various parts which went to make up a very enjoyable program. Mrs. H. W. Clouček had charge of the entertainment, the following is the program.

Song—"Fishermen Are We," Max Milner, Roy Grimes, Willie Grimes, Mary Milner, Elva Tarr, Clara Tarr.

Recitation—Grace Urte.

Dialogue—By five boys: Don Hazen, Jimmy Yates, Alex. Shipingfield, Charley Smith, Clarence Nelson.

Song—By four girls: Susie Hidy, Clara Tarr, Elva Tarr, Vearl Parker.

Recitation—Mary Yates.

Christmas Cantata—Martha Taylor, Ina Craig, Alice Urte, Beulah Taylor, Clara Tarr, Edith Ramsey, Susie Hidy, Vearl Parker, Mary Milner, Ruby Tripp, Elva Tarr, Viva Smith, Leslie Williams, Max Milner, Clarence Nelson.

Declamation—Willie Grimes.

Recitation—Elva Tarr.

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of this commonwealth. Utah was settled long before Idaho. It was in Utah largely that the Idaho pioneers outfitted; it was from here that many of them went to become residents of Idaho.

There is a tier of counties in Idaho, the southeastern tier, in which the population is made up almost entirely of Utah people and their descendants. It is but natural, therefore, for Utah to be interested in everything that pertains to Idaho. The states are so closely related that one cannot prosper without sharing in some degree its prosperity with the other. Idaho had its full measure of blessings last year.

The figures tell the story so well that they cannot be too often repeated. Last year Idaho produced gold of the value of \$3,226,243, silver worth \$9,000,000 and lead that brought \$6,169,000. And yet Idaho is not considered a mining state. Her manufactures, agricultural and farm products, including cattle, sheep, horses and hogs, were worth last year \$57,863,350. Idaho raised fruit and wheat and hay in vast quantities. Of fruit alone 2,200 cars were shipped to points east of the Mississippi river. Fully as much more was used within the state and shipped to points between Idaho and the Missouri river.

Reliable statistics gathered by Herald correspondents in Idaho disclose the fact that the state has 24,000 farms, that are worth in the aggregate \$200,000,000. And their value is steadily growing. Immigrants of a most desirable class are pouring into Idaho from various sections of the country. They are making homes for themselves there, and each is doing his part toward the upbuilding of the state. In the mining line the steady growth of Idaho's mineral production shows that the full story of the state's resources has not been told. Nor will it be told for many years to come. In Idaho that is a vast extent of mineral-bearing territory that has never been touched by the prospector's pick. Some day this territory will be opened and made to yield its share of the treasures now locked within the earth.

On the threshold of the New Year the Herald congratulates Idaho upon its achievements in the past and its prospects for the future. We are sure the year 1905 holds for it much that is good, much that will advance its material welfare, much that will add to its credit and its standing in the roster of the intermountain states.—Salt Lake Herald.

For Idaho's Fairs.

The legislature will be asked for an appropriation to assist in the maintenance of the state fair in Boise and the district fairs, one in southeastern Idaho and one in the northern part of the state. The size of the appropriation that will be asked is not known, but it is understood it will be limited to an amount sufficient to pay the premiums—a small sum for the state, but a large item for the fairs taken in connection with the other expenses. In some states the fairs are conducted under state auspices, the great bulk of the expenses being defrayed out of the commonwealth's strong boxes. Because

the Idaho fairs are incorporated it is not likely a direct appropriation would be legal, so if the legislature does anything it will probably not be more than to provide for payment of the premiums, by some board or specially designated official, so the fair corporations will have nothing to do with the disbursements. It would seem the legislature would not interpose more serious objection to extending that class of aid than it would to assisting in the building of bridges and wagon roads. If the sectional cry may be raised against the one, it may be raised with equal force against the other. The truth of the matter is that the entire state is interested in these fairs and every portion of the state is benefited; one part of Idaho cannot be helped without helping the entire state. The state has already reaped an abundant harvest from the advertising given it by the fairs. The burden heretofore has rested on individual shoulders. It has become too great a load for a few men in each section to carry, and if the institutions are to be continued in a creditable manner and if it is desired that the resultant benefits to the state should not be minimized, the state will have to step in and assume a portion of the expense. It is a straight, meritorious business proposition, and it will be presented to what everyone expects to be a business legislature.—Boise Statesman.

Spraying Potatoes Paid Five Fold.

A bulletin of the Vermont Station just issued says:

Did you spray your potatoes this year? If not, what per cent of them did you lose by rot? The Vermont Experiment Station furnishes some interesting data upon this subject. Last August it sprayed a portion of a potato field located beside one of the most travelled road leading into Burlington. The soil was a well-drained sandy loam sod, well manured, plowed in the spring and planted late in May. Two-thirds of the piece was sprayed on August 9 and September 5 with standard Bordeaux-paris-green mixture (six pounds copper sulphate, four pounds stone lime, one-half pound paris green, forty gallons of water); one-third was sprayed solely with paris green.

The late blight (which directly or indirectly causes most of the loss from the rot of the tubers) was first seen on the unsprayed rows on August 21. It spread very slowly, but when the tops were killed by frost on September 23, fully ninety per cent of the foliage on the unsprayed rows was dead, being most killed by this disease. No late blight could be found at this time on the sprayed row where fully ninety per cent of the leaves were alive.

The crop was dug on October 3. The sprayed rows yielded at the rate of 344 bushels per acre and the unsprayed rows at the rate of 301 bushels per acre a gain in total yield of only 43 bushels. But when the rotten tubers were sorted out the sprayed area produced at the rate of 317 bushels per acre of sound, marketable potatoes and the unsprayed area at the rate of 56 bushels per acre of sound and marketable potatoes. Eight per cent of the crop on the sprayed area was lost by rot. The net gain was 261 bushels per acre as a result of spraying with Bordeaux mixture. Potatoes sold in Burlington for 60 cents per bushel. The gain amounted, therefore, to \$156. It cost about \$6 per acre to spray, leaving a net gain of \$150. These results are exceptional; but there were many fields this fall, especially in northern Vermont, where there was as great or greater loss from rot. Some were hardly worth digging. Are you planning to harvest 56 or 317 bushels of potatoes per acre next year? Do you expect to leave 80 or 8 per cent of your crop in the field? Why not plant less land and still raise as many bushels? It is one way to solve the help problem. Bordeaux mixture ought not to cost over \$3 per acre for each application; in practice it usually costs much less than that. Is it not better to buy copper sulphate than copper stock?

THE STATE REFORM SCHOOL

Everything Ready for St. Anthony Institution to Receive Children.

WILL BE OPENED MONDAY

Any Court Convicting Boys and Girls of Crime or Incurability May Certify Proceedings to District Judge, Who Alone Has Power to Send to Reformatory.

The Idaho State Industrial Reformatory school at St. Anthony will be thrown open for the reception of inmates on Monday morning. This was decided by the board of trustees of that institution at the meeting held in this city yesterday. Every member of the board was in attendance and participated in the discussion of the affairs of the reform school.

While no boys or girls have so far been ordered to the St. Anthony institution, it seems probable that a number will be at an early date, and President Cahalan of the board expressed the belief that 25 or 30 would be domiciled in the big building before many weeks have passed.

There are but six persons in the state who have the legal authority to order recalcitrant children to the reformatory. These are the judges of the different judicial districts. Any court of the state may, after the conviction of a boy or girl of any crime except murder or manslaughter, certify the proceedings to the district judge, who is empowered to order the commitment of the wayward youth to the St. Anthony school.

The same procedure may be followed in the case of incorrigibles who have not been convicted of any overt crime. Upon proof of their character, certification may be made to the district judge and they may be ordered to the reform school, the same as if conviction had been had of some crime.

A feature of the regulation is that every inmate must be of healthy condition. Any diseased children will not be accepted at the reformatory regardless of their character. To this end, that the boys and girls may be protected from danger of infection with some disease, every child about to be sent to the school will be required to undergo a searching examination by some reputable physician and must receive a certificate of health from him before being admitted.

The school will be under the supervision of Superintendent Humphries and Mrs. Humphries, who is the matron. They will be assisted in the care of the boys and girls by a single teacher for the present. A farmer and an engineer have also been engaged.

Some delay in opening the school was caused by the non-arrival of the furniture when it was expected. This all arrived several days ago, however, and now all been placed in position and everything is in readiness for the opening of the doors on Monday.—Boise Statesman.

Those who are interested in happenings at Twin Falls should subscribe for the News, which publishes weekly, as its name indicates, the news pertaining to this rapidly growing city. The subscription price is \$2 per year.

TWIN FALLS NEWS

Published in the Heart of the Greatest Body of Irrigable Arid Land in the West.

TWIN FALLS, IDAHO.

Bachelors will tell you that matrimony also is among the doubtful states.

Dr. Hirsch tells us that marriage is no picnic. The doctor's text is older than the Pentateuch.

France produced 9,000 novels last year—percentage adapted for perusal by The Young Girl not stated.

There is a cat in London worth \$5,000—just as there are postage stamps that are "worth" \$7,000 or so apiece.

The Baldwin flying machine lighted in a tree. The only genuine and original flying machines also light in trees.

A minister says Manhattan Island is named in the Bible. Certainly—that island is heaven on earth—if you are not bankrupt.

A St. Louis woman has left her comparatively new husband because he is too good natured. It surely is hard to suit 'em.

A Rockefeller newspaper says that John D. Rockefeller is "rich beyond the dreams of avarice." Rot! Avarice never closes an eye.

Prof. Langley may retort to Prof. Baldwin that anyway he wouldn't give much for an airship that won't stand when blighted.

No, King Edward, you are not powerful enough to set up the fashion of bracelets for men, and they are already worn by dudes.

They say parting the masseline head of hair in the middle has really gone out. The side part's the thing. Besides, it's more masculine.

Uncle Sam must be something of a farmer when the statistics show that the railroads received more than \$483,900,000 for simply moving his 1904 crop.

Really, the correspondents in St. Petersburg aren't doing their full duty to the world. Are there any indications yet that the new baby is going to have a tooth?

Young Mr. Thaw's pretty little chorus girl offers to give him up for \$250,000. But what can a pretty little chorus girl be expected to know about ad valorem?

Now that her husband is the King of Saxony, Louise, who ran away with him, seeks to join His Majesty in the exercise of the divine right of kingship.

The fifty Italians who plotted to burn the Norfolk, Va., navy yards are to be shipped out of the state. The Virginians think this is worse than capital punishment.

King Edward has just celebrated his sixty-third birthday, but he hopes that he is in no immediate danger of losing his job so that a place may be made for a younger man.

So Mr. Schwab has "made" \$8,600,000 and Mr. Gates \$6,000,000 in the merry game of manipulating stocks. Our sincere condolences to the bleating lambs who lost their money.

There is some hope for the plain people. A Georgia judge has sentenced a chauffeur to a long term of imprisonment for running down a farm wagon and injuring its occupants.

The vice president of Mexico attended the Gane-Hitt prize fight at San Francisco recently. He says it was worse than bull fighting. What would he have thought if they had really fought?

In view of the riot in the Spanish chamber of deputies, Premier Maura is going to suspend the Bittlings and ask for a vote of confidence. He seems to need one badly, among the flying inkstands.

Doubtless the criminal who suggests novelties in the way of home-made Christmas presents for the male members of the household is responsible for the report that knitting is coming back into style.

John D. Rockefeller recited a poem to his Sunday school class in Cleveland when he made it good for the winter a few weeks ago. If John D. develops a liking for it poetry may pick up a bit, after all.

The London Times is printing extracts from its columns of even date 163 years ago, but interesting as they are, they aren't nearly as much so as extracts from its columns of even date 100 years hence could be.

TIPS FROM THE OLD BLOCK



The First Drop Counts. Percy—Molly, for your sake I'd shed the last drop of my blood!

Molly—Yes, all young men say that. But somehow they seem very careful never to shed the first drop.—New Yorker.

The Best Place for It. "I'd like to make a good, safe bet on the 'retention'—Oh, Chance, what would you advise?"

"Put your money in it, by all means," replied Mr. Wise. "In what?"

"A good safe."

Who Was Concealed? "If there's anything I hate it's a concealed person, and that Blowley is certainly the limit."

"What makes you think him concealed?"

"He told someone he knew as much as I know."

A Money-Making Combination. Friend—How are you doing now?

Scribbler—First rate. Rev. Mr. Saindile and I have gone into partnership. Making money hand over fist."

"Eh? How do you manage?"

"I write books and he denounces them."—New York Weekly.

The Fictitious Bootjack. "That Thomas cat must be very old," said the first fellee.

"I guess he is," replied the other. "Oh, he must be, or else he's just using his imagination. He claims to have seen a bootjack once in his young days."

A Common Occurrence. Wife—That's a pretty legend about a leander being drowned while trying to swim the Hellespont to Hero, isn't it?

Husband—Duplicated continually in modern life, my dear.

Wife—I don't understand.

Husband—Every day I hear of some man going under because he attempted to "come across" in response to his wife's demands.

His Evening Welcome. Newell—"My wife is a very thorough and methodical housekeeper. She's a great trouble saver."

Nargot—"So's mine. All the trouble she has during the day she saves up to fire at me when I come home at night."

Spelling and Digestion. Town—"My objection to these French restaurants is the difficulty of understanding what the menu says. I can't read the names of half the

dishes; some of them are hard enough even to spell.

Brown—"Well, my experience is that most of them spell indignation."—Philadelphia Press.

Too Light. "Ugh!" grunted Mr. Skinnay, who was being uncomfortably crowded by the jolly looking fat man.

"Think so?" replied the fat man: "why, they'd hardly think it worth while to stop for you."

There is, indeed. City Editor—Why do you say he ran into the police station "puffing and blowing"?"

"Puffing" and "blowing" are synonymous.

Reporter—Not at all. There's a vast difference, for instance, between puffing a man up and blowing him up.

Nothing Fast About Him. Gladys (sighing)—Oh, dear, he hasn't proposed yet.

Ethel—Well, what canyou expect of a fellow who never runs his auto over ten miles an hour!—Puck.

Literal Fulfillment of a Prediction. "Blegley ought to be much pleased over the success of one of his prophecies."

"How was that?"

"Why, he said that a certain little fellow who used to work in an adjoining office was bound to rise in the world."

"And did it come true?"

"Yes. The boy grew up and became an expert porch climber."

He Was Envious. The Groom—You look envious, old man.

Best Man—Well, I am.

The Groom (thinking he's it)—Of whom?

Best Man—Of the minister. He told me you gave him \$10.

Hadn't Tried It. Mrs. Pinkleigh—Have you tried that new complexion cream that has just been placed on the market?

Mrs. Newrich—No; I don't think our milkman handles it.

No Mistake. Diggs—Poor Blowitz! The fool killed got him at last.

Diggs—Why, I thought it was a case of suicide.

Asked and Answered. Professor—If a patient had drunk sulphuric acid—what would you give him?

Medical Student—'d give him up.

Information by Mail. Rastus—"What's yo gwine to do dis fall?"

Johnson—"Ise gwine open a school an' teach chicken stealin' by mail."

NOVELTY TO FIRST MAN HENRY.

Reward for the First Man Who Called Him a Blockhead.

Prince Henry of Prussia, while riding in an automobile near Kiel recently, suddenly found his way blocked by a large farm wagon which was going at a snail's pace. The prince's chauffeur blew his horn over and over again, but it produced no effect on the old farmer who was guiding the wretched horses, and finally the prince told the chauffeur to try to pass the wagon at all hazards. This he did, and, though the passage was very narrow, he skillfully managed to avoid an accident. The horses plunged, however, as the puffing machine passed by them, and the old farmer, roused from his apathy, poured forth a storm of maledictions on the stalwart gentleman in the automobile.

"You're nothing but a big blockhead!" he finally shouted; and at the words the prince whispered to the chauffeur, who at once left the carriage and went up to the old man.

"What do you mean by calling his royal highness a blockhead?" he asked him.

"Heavens above! Is that his royal highness?" stammered the farmer. "Good Lord! I didn't know 'twas him."

"All right," answered the chauffeur. "The prince is satisfied that you did not know him, and as you are the first person who has ever called him a blockhead he wishes to return the compliment by presenting you with these five dollars."

Imports Woolless Sheep.

The Department of Agriculture has recently imported five woolless sheep for use in the extreme southern states. A heavy crop of wool is a burden in hot, dry districts, resulting in a direct ill effect on the quality of the mutton. These sheep are being experimented with by the bureau of animal industry. They are hardy and are easy keepers. They were brought from the Barbadoes, where they produce profitable.—Country Life in America.

TO KEEP FLOWERS FRESH.

Will Last Three or Four Weeks if Treated Properly.

"Cut flowers when properly treated," said a florist, "can be made to look fresh for three or four weeks. Every night take them out of the water and thoroughly rinse the stalks under a faucet, removing with the fingers any decomposed matter. Then put them to bed for the night in a basin of strong soap suds, but be careful not to allow any water to touch the blossoms. The soap suds supply a certain amount of nourishment.

"In the morning rinse the stalks under the water again and as each blossom is arranged for the day in the vase of fresh water snip off a tiny portion of the stalk with a pair of scissors. Always carefully trim away any foliage.

"Food for the day is supplied by sulphate of ammonia, a few drops of which should be added to the water put in the vase. At night put the flowers into some dark, cool place—say a pantry—as it is not good either for the flowers or for the household that they should remain all the time in the living rooms.

"To revive cut flowers put them into warm salt water to which has been added a few drops of sulphate of ammonia. Cut flowers are constantly treated by express and through the mails, but seldom in such a fashion as to preserve their bloom and freshness. To effect this the flowers in a light wooden box lined with cotton or wadding, laying over this a sheet of tissue paper. Then lay the flowers not on top of each other but in rows, side by side, the blossoms of each row on the stems of their neighbors.

"Pack closely, otherwise the flowers will be displaced and injured in the journey. Before packing they should stand in water for several hours in order to absorb moisture enough to keep them from withering. It is not good to sprinkle them too freely, after they are in the box, for without air this is likely to produce mildew."—St. Louis Republic.

Small Land of Europe

What one might call an "after-dinner-coffee-size" country is the principality of Liechtenstein, a tiny land between the Austrian province of Tyrol and the Rhine, recently described by a writer in Harper's Magazine. Its area is about sixty-one square miles of territory, and its population less than ten thousand. Although practically a part of Austria, it has been more-or-less independent for nearly three centuries, and was, according to a local peasantry, forgotten by Bismarck when he reorganized Europe after the Prussian wars with France and Austria.

That was its last appearance in public. The Liechtensteiners had grown weary of supporting the onerous military burden imposed upon the principality by these eighty idle men, and sent a weighty and respectful protest to the prince, who discontinued the service. So there is now no military service, no national debt, no direct taxes. The prince is very rich and pays much of the expense of his little country instead of taxing it to support him. He issues coins with his head on them, and stamps of the same design. That is a pleasure in itself worth supporting a small country for, and he is the only member of the Austrian nobility who enjoys such distinction.

Coming Time of Joy

The world is growing better, so the seers prophesy. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! And sin and immorality will soon be swept away. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! The scouts of the millennium are drawing near our line. The earth is full of tokens and the heavens full of signs. The stars are being bunched into millennial designs. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! The trusts and corporations will be sternly brought to bay. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! The millionaires be busted and be working by the day. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! The crooked politicians will be banished from the earth. And colonies together round the fiery furnace hearth. In the kingdom where of brasses there is an eternal dearth. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! There'll be no maidens practicing piano tunes next door. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! No bars and counters will be seen in any city store. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah!

Our women, bless their precious hearts, will tell to themselves be true. Will tell the fashion makers they can afford to feel just as they please. And all will dress for comfort as their grandmas used to do. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! The rules of matrimony will be based on that same old rule. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! The marriages be only of the brand that's made above. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! From your vocabulary will the word "feeling" be banished. And youths and maids who double up will solemnly accept of each other. To new brass the coupling till old Gabriel toots his horn. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! How sweet the contemplation of the things our souls desire. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! They sort of cheer a fellow when he's feeling glum and blue. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! And let us strive, dear brethren, from this day on, to be good. Accept as truth unquestioned all the things they tell about. And when they say never let their doney pipes go out. Glory! Glory! Hallelujah! —James Barton Adams in Denver Post.

Plea in Hindoo-English

Since the death of Max Muller, Prof. Francis A. March of Lafayette college is universally admitted to be the world's foremost linguist. Prof. March has an admirable sense of humor, and has sometimes permitted to reveal it, self often in his conversation, and occasionally in his clear and graceful prose. One of the distinguished scholars' students, now living in India, sent to Prof. March last week an amusing specimen of Hindoo-English. It was an excerpt from a speech delivered in an Indian court by an attorney whose client, a widow, has been assaulted. It ran:

My learned friend, with mere wind from a teapot, thinks to browbeat me from my legs. But this is mere gollia warfare. I stand under the shoes of my client, and only seek to place my bone of contention plainly in your honor's eye. My learned friend vainly runs about upon the sheet iron of my case. Your honor will be pleased to observe that my client is a widow, a poor chap with one post-nuptial son. A widow of this country, your honor, will be pleased to observe, is not like a widow of your honor's country. A widow of this country is not able to eat more than one meal a day, or to wear clean clothes, or to look after a man. So my poor client had not much physic or mind as to be able to assault the lusty complainant. Yet she has been deprived of some of her most valuable leather—the leather of her nose. I am sorry to say, though the witness is a man of my own feathers, that there are in my profession black sheep of every complexion. Until this witness explains what has become of my client's nose leather he cannot be believed.

John Morley Well Liked

Everyone remembers how Mill, just before polling day, and at a meeting mainly composed of workmen, was asked whether he had ever said that the working classes were given to lying; how he answered straight out, "I did," and how the meeting rose to his courageous frankness with thundering cheers, writes Sydney Brooks in Harper's Weekly. Mr. Morley has more than once been similarly tested. He was for some years one of the members for Newcastle, and Newcastle is a laboring and not a mining constituency. Local feeling among the miners was hotly in favor of an eight-hour day. Mr. Morley with equal firmness was opposed to it. The Labor party accordingly withdrew its support and ran a candidate against him. Mr. Morley remained unshakable; his convictions had been honestly formed

after an immensity of first-hand investigation, and to them he would stand, win or lose. He won; it was a narrow victory, but still a victory; and when a few weeks later Mr. Morley accepted office and by the English custom had to face his constituents again he fought the election out once more on the same principles, abating nothing, compromising on nothing, and was rewarded this time by a decisive triumph. "Honest" John was the nickname with which the Newcastle workmen paid tribute to his candor and courage. The "old austere self-contained man, with none of the accomplishments that Englishmen asked of their leaders, accused of being a doctrinaire, known to be a philosopher, yet was able, through the influence of an upright and unwavering character, to reach and dominate the affections of the populace.

Is Past Century Mark

There is living at present in St. Peter's Home, Clapham, a suburb of London, Eng., a man named James McNally, who is 107 years old. It has been verified that he was born in Kings county, Ireland, Feb. 15, 1797. He drifted to England the year of Queen Victoria's coronation, and came from there to the United States when 60 years old to seek his fortune, so that as well as living in three centuries he has resided in three countries. When Colney Hatch Lunatic Asylum was built in 1851 he was employed in building it as a scaffolder. In the same capacity he assisted in constructing some of the early skyscrapers of New York and Brooklyn. During the

civil war he was employed in look after the baggage of the Northern troops in Tennessee. When 80 years old he returned to England with \$3,000, part of which he invested in a home for his granddaughter. He was able to provide for himself until he reached the age of 95. The object of his extraordinary age on earth is not quite discernible. A recent attack of influenza deprived him of the use of his legs, and with only a solitary tooth left his speech is very indistinct. Vague impressions of what he heard about the battle of Trafalgar, the year it was fought still linger in his mind, and he remembers very well the return of the troops from the battle of Waterloo.

JAZZY, SUNNY MEXICO

LAND OF REAL DELIGHT AND TRUE REST.

Never-Fading Charm for the Jaded and Weary Pilgrim From the Hunting-Marta of Her Great Neighbor to the North.

(Special Correspondence.)
Sit here with me on a stone bench at the inn door at Chifla, Mexico. It is a little town in the tropics, with great snow-capped volcanoes not far away; not so far but that the ice king of their glaciers may pour curiously into the valleys beneath, valleys of eternal warmth, where the great palms are even now rustling in the morning breeze, and the odor coming from the orange groves makes you know that you have left the far tableland country. The thought glides into your lazy mind, "Was there ever a more beautiful land than this sunny 'New Spain'?"

There is a tinkling of mule bells up the long white road, and the shouts of the muleteers recalls familiar scenes in the leisurely pages of "Don Quixote." Mexico is always New Spain and one may wander over the land and marvel at the true insight that brought the Spanish conquistadors there. They came to Mexico as the bees seek the flowers along the roadside, or in some distant field. Here they built and wrought, leaving indelible traces of their presence—great churches, ancient houses in lonely places with walls five and six feet thick; and, best of all, their full-voiced, sonorous speech, which lends dignity to the most trivial wayside talk. Our rough, clipped English down here seems harsh, and its consonantal combinations are unaccountably in comparison with the soft Spanish of the hot lands.

The people are quiet, the women go about almost noiselessly, stopping perhaps to exchange greetings in a low, musical voice with "comadritas," and the men, in white cotton garments, are as carefree as one another in the "royal road," the king's highway, as if they were courtiers in the Valladolid of Charles and his son Philip.

Real Haven of Rest.
I have tried to read a Spanish novel, but about a little town in Spain from the Andalusian coast during our war with that country, and my brain failed after ten minutes, to catch the import of the words. One drowses at 11 a. m. It is a delicious sensation. Dinner will come soon, at noon, and after that a siesta is the rule, "la costumbre." To the man or woman from the high-placed city this is surely a place of rest. Nerves long strained, brains too busy, here relax.

A letter came after dinner, but it remained unopened till the evening, when too sleepy to think of reading even a letter, and the Spanish saying tells you that to do so following a meal is to imperil your digestion. It was from a friend in the far north. My friend asks: "Tell me where to pass the cold weather in your Mexico. I wish to make the adventure of Mexico with my wife, and to get a little out of the beaten tourist path."

Well, to my friend I can only say, "Come!" Take the by-ways of travel, see the charming little towns, the pueblositos, in the warm valleys where snow has never fallen; seek out half-forgotten towns like Taxco in the state of Guerrero, where the climate is singularly equal all the year through, and you have no railway nearer than five hours' ride away. Look at historic Cuernavaca, once the winter home of the Conqueror Hernan Cortes, and of the Emperor Maximilian, and then seek out other valleys like that of Atlixco in Puebla,



Whither I am bound, a lovely place, where, amid fertility, a prosperous people finds our modern progress a more fully.

Get down to Oaxaca and look at the great tree of Tule, visit the ruins of Mitla; then, if abounding in courage, visit the gulf coast, and go down among the ports and the river towns, seeing maritime and riparian Mexico,

with new customs and many ways distinct from those of the people of the cool tableland country. There are two, three, Mexico—the great central plateau with its ancient cities, and great haciendas, the tierra templada, with its semi-tropical air, and the coast country, where mostly it is warm all winter. But all over the land the sun shines down vertically; we are well within the tropics, and it is another sun. Be careful of it.

Don't be squeamish about your food in little towns like this. You can always get eggs, chickens and milk. I have eaten chicken in some pueblositos till I felt the feathers coming out all over me. Gossip with your landlord, or better, with your landlady. Tell her you want something special, "muy especial," very special. Give a dollar to the landlady's boy or little girl. Be splendid, or liberal, with your money. Bless your soul, these pauperized pesos are only 45-cent pieces after all. You can give away two of 'em and not have spent a real dollar. Get and not have spent a real dollar. Get and not have spent a real dollar.



Street in Taxco.
Don't fancy because fruit has at first disagreed with you, that you are going to die. High-priced doctors will tell you that you have "erythroglossitis of the stomach," and frighten you. Better not overeat of fruit. Be moderate.

To See Things, Get a Nag.
To see things, get a nag. Mexican horses are very well behaved. They won't throw you, and perched on the back of a caballo, you will see much of your legs will thank you. Don't look for porcelain-lined habitues, hot and cold water, or your favorite breakfast food (unless you bring it), and bear in mind that adventure is not adventure unless you get tired, see odd and unfamiliar things, and hear a strange tongue spoken all around you. Bayard Taylor made his entrance into Mexico by way of Mazatlan, on the Pacific coast, rode on horseback to Guadaluajara, fell among thieves, who stripped him, got material for a delightful book, and arrived at the City of Mexico full of fun and vigor. Nowadays you may safely count on omitting the robbers.

Don't growl. A grumbler is a bore to all about him. One of the best travelers I ever saw was a man of nearly 70 years, who, when everywhere, drank the water of the country, as he had done from Persia to Spain, often cooked his own supper with a spirit lamp, browsing his alcohol before, and making his own cocoa. He made the acquaintance of learned priests, saw hidden collections of antiquities, was everywhere a favorite, and, with little Spanish, supplemented by smiles, found the Mexican people glad to render him any assistance. He was a great and noble American, highly cultured, with a heart of gold. To this day humble people ask me, "Where is the venerable senior who was so good to us?" Alas! he has left this earth, which is poorer for his loss. Fifteen winters did he wander over the Mexican land; he loved, and when made him stronger than he could have been in the north.

To Get Real Rest.
Bring your camera to Mexico. Remember that plenty of the latest photographic supplies can be found in Mexico City. In Puebla who will develop your negatives, if you so wish. See the big towns, the crowded old cities, mingle with their crowds, and then flee to the real and rural Mexico: if you have the artistic spirit, every day will delight you; if you are kindly, the people will repay you tenfold for all your courteous words and acts.

Above all, vow to heaven that for a month, six weeks, all the time you are wandering about Mexico, you will not sigh for the bepushed-and-nickered civilization of the United States. It is too fussy, too well arranged. If we Americans ever lose our liberties, it will be because we have become spoiled with luxury. Get out and rough it, and be a man.

Fund for Art.
It is stated that there will be a surplus of \$190,000 from the Glasgow exhibitions, which will be devoted to the furtherance of art.

IS OLDEST KNOWN STATUE.

Marble Image Recently Unearthed by Explorers in Babylonia.

The oldest known statue in the world, a fabulously valuable marble image of Daddu, founder of the first dynasty of Babylonia kings, who may have been an ancestor of Chauncey Depew, has been unearthed in Adab, the most ancient of earth's cities, by the University of Chicago Babylonian excavation expedition. A photograph of the statue, which critics declare is identical with portraits of the general after-dinner speaking senator, reached Prof. Robert Harper, director of the expedition, yesterday. Experts in Assyriology and antiquities say the statue antedates by centuries the finest works in the world's greatest museums, and place its value far above that of the best Greek masterpieces, worth many times their weight in gold. Prof. Harper regards it as one of the most important scientific finds of the age, ranking with the discovery by his expedition of Adab, mentioned in the Code of Hammurabi. Dr. Banks, the famous Assyriologist and Egyptologist, who is in charge of Dr. Harper's party of excavators, in informing the head of the expedition of the existence of the statue, says it was discovered by superstitious Arab workmen, who, noting a white projection in the bank of the trench, fled from the spot in terror. Dr. Banks later dug the statue from the ground with his hands, only to find the head missing. After three weeks the head was found in another part of the ditch. "An in-



scription on the right arm of the statue was translated as follows:

TEMPLE ESHAR
KING DADDU,
KING OF UBNUNKI (ADAB).

Information gathered later by Dr. Banks revealed the fact that King Daddu lived centuries before the City of Naram-Sin, which flourished in 3760 B. C. He places its date at 4000 B. C. The statue is 78 centimeters around the bottom of the skirt," writes Dr. Banks. "The upper part of the body is entirely naked and the lower part is clothed in an embroidered, skirt of six folds, held up by a band and fastened behind. The back and shoulders are gracefully formed. The arms at the elbows are free from the body and the hands are clasped at the waist; the eyes and eyebrows are now hollows, in which ivory or precious stones were set. This is by far the most perfect and graceful statue yet found in Babylonia."—New York Times.

Women Blackamiths.



In the district about Criddle, England, twenty women work as blackamiths to every man following the trade. For many generations this work has been almost entirely in feminine hands.

GOOD HELMET FOR FIREMAN.

Contains Within Itself Sufficient Air to Last an Hour.

An experiment has recently been made in Paris with an ingenious apparatus, invented by Mr. Guglielminetti and M. Draeger, by means of which it is possible to remain without fear of asphyxia in places where it would otherwise be impossible to breathe. The apparatus is automatic; that is, it has no connection with the air outside. It is composed of a tube containing a provision of oxygen sufficient to last a man for breathing purposes for more than an hour, and a helmet of aluminum fitting the head exactly by means of a pneumatic pad. The oxygen is supplied automatically to the man's mouth and the air exhaled is received in a compressible bag.

It passes through a regenerator with granulated caustic potash, which absorbs all the carbonic acid. A reservoir provided with this apparatus went down into a collar in which piles of damp straw had been lighted, and although there was suffocating smoke from this he remained in it for nearly three-quarters of an hour without being at all inconvenienced by it.—English World's Work.



On Tick.

Social Life in Malay Peninsula.
The Malay is allowed four wives but he is too wise to take the limit simultaneously or to be up with the new before he is off with the old; and though he may divorce and replace without very much difficulty, the women also have privileges, which, in the better classes, mean settlements, division of property and the children provided for by law.

Families are small. The girls marry young, and marriage in the Peninsula apparently is a success, for little is heard of drunken husbands or mischance-making women. It is true that the Malay is sometimes a law unto himself, that when he wants to do a thing it is difficult for him, in the jungle, to recognize other tenets than the one that might make right; yet he is amenable at the last.—Outing.

Fight With a Big Wildcat.

Farmer John Hillegas this morning discovered that a dozen of his chickens had been killed during the night, and set out with a hound to seek the murderer. The hound soon ran down a wildcat, and after a furious battle went home with his tail between his legs.

Hillegas returned to the scene of the dog's defeat and found the cat perched in a tree. He fired at it and the cat leaped on his shoulders, striking its teeth and claws into his flesh. He shook it off and tried to strike it with the gun, but only succeeded in breaking the rifle in two, and the cat promptly made with his spring for his throat. Warding it off with his arm, he finally succeeded in striking it with the barrel of the rifle and breaking its back. A second blow beat out the animal's brains. The cat weighed twelve pounds.—Sigmund correspondence Philadelphia Record.

Throne of England.

Some authorities hold that the coronation chair in Westminster abbey is entitled to be called the throne of England, being the one occupied by the sovereign at coronation. Others maintain that the throne in the house of lords is really the official throne, as it is occupied by the sovereign for state purposes at the opening of parliament. Others, again, say that there is no real throne in the strictest acceptance of the word, and that all the thrones, or chairs of state, in the various palaces throughout the kingdom are equally entitled to be called the throne.

Snowball Pays the Rent.

One of the queer rents paid to the English crown is by the well-known Foulis family. The family holds a forest, and the rental of the forest is the delivery of a snowball every day it is asked for. Always the Foulis family must have a snowball ready. It is no trouble to them, either, for Ben Wyvis, a mountain of great height, is in the forest, and the top is always covered with snow.

Wouldn't Stand for Tatting.

A little boy in Deering, Me., was brought before his father recently, and accused of killing a chicken. "What were you about?" asked the boy. "The hen did," said the father. Nothing more was said that day, but the next morning the hen was found dead, and the boy being accused of killing it, admitted it, saying in defense, "Yes, I did kill the hen, and I'll kill every hen that tells on me."

DEAD SHOTS ARE ALL DEAD.

Hearing of the Left Ear Affected by Concussion of Rifle.

"I see you are a rifle shot," remarked Philosopher Simeon Ford to a man who after a good deal of sparring for place at last sat down in the hotel corridor by the side of New York's landlord orator.

"How do you 'make that out'?" asked Mr. Ford's companion.

"Oh, easy enough. You are deaf in your left ear. All rifle shots are deaf in their left ears. All the Great ones, experts, are that way. I am deaf in my left ear myself and don't shoot in rifle. I don't discharge my own and I was backing and filling and dodging to get a position where my right ear would bear on him and he was maneuvering at the same time for an opening where he could rake me with his right ear. Then Oldersleeve said to me, as I have just said to you, that he observed I was a rifle shot. It was the first time I had heard that of rifle shots were deaf in their left ear, but I have noticed it ever since and know that it is true.

"The reason of it is that all the concussion of the rifle explosion comes on the left ear drum. The right ear is partly turned away and partly protected by the gunstock being brought up to the cheek when the gun is fired."—New York Sun.

A Teacher's Testimony.

Hinton, Ky., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—It has long been claimed that Diabetes is incurable. But Mr. E. J. Thompson, teacher in the Hinton school, has pleasing evidence to the contrary. Mr. Thompson had Diabetes. He took Dodd's Kidney Pills and is cured. In a statement he makes regarding his cure Mr. Thompson says: "I was troubled with my kidneys for more than two years and was treated by two of the best doctors in this part of the state. They claimed I had Diabetes and there was little to be done for me. They advised me to use Dodd's Kidney Pills and what they did for me was wonderful. It is entirely owing to Dodd's Kidney Pills that I am now enjoying good health."

Many doctors still maintain that Diabetes is incurable. But Diabetes is a kidney disease, and the kidney disease that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure has yet to be discovered.

New York Girls Must Smoke.

It's funny how a girl's lips can smell of tobacco smoke when she is in a room alone with a man.—New York Press.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured.

By local application as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional medicine. The success of the Eustachian Tube. When the tube is inflamed, it causes deafness. It is not necessary to use any of the so-called hearing aids, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is incurable. It is not necessary to use any of the so-called hearing aids, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is incurable. It is not necessary to use any of the so-called hearing aids, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is incurable.

Uninteresting Objects.

A pug dog was a really consistent woman among the two most uninteresting things in the world.

Pilo's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. Espartero, Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 10, 1900.

When Messer Trouble comes lurking down the street don't tear out and embrace him. He may have business in another direction.

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Examine carefully every bottle of CATERINA. Contains safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it.

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Cheap Municipal Tenements.

The cheapest municipal tenements are those owned by Dublin, where two rooms can be rented for 60 cents a week.

TEA

Which do you spend most money on, tea or whiskey?

Which pays?

Irish Eggs the Best.
Irish eggs are richest of all, better than English or Danish, and British pastries cooks always try to buy them, as they go further.

TEA

Do you think the only differences in tea are a few cents a pound?

Meritorious Pies.
A Los Angeles woman is seeking a divorce because her husband has been accused of reading her poems to him. The husband will probably defeat the suit if he is wise enough to plead self-defense.—Washington Post.

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A Suggestion as to an Appointment.

With the many great tracts of land being reclaimed and opened for settlement by the various irrigation enterprises now under way in Idaho and the efforts which will be made by those interested to have them settled upon without delay, the man appointed commissioner of immigration and labor statistics by the incoming executive will become a most important personage as a factor in building up the industries and attracting the desirable classes of homeseekers to Idaho. For this reason we hope Governor Gooding will give the appointment for this office his most careful consideration. The place should be given to a man young enough to have all the vim and vigor of manhood in him, and one most familiar with the many diversified resources of the state.

The position must not go as a reward to some political old dog who may consider it a graft, nor to a man otherwise capable who has some particular interest to subserve or some section of the state he wishes to look after more particularly than another. Mining, lumbering, agriculture, horticulture, stock and wool growing and manufacturing industries should each receive their due portion of the commissioner's thought and attention.

The legislature should not be niggardly in providing means to enable the commissioner with funds to properly advertise the state's resources, attractions and advantages, and with the right man in the position, with the assistance he will receive from the railroads, the irrigators, the mine owners and lumbermen, the doubling of the present population and property valuation of Idaho will only be a question of a brief time.—Silver City Nugget.

The above editorial from the Silver City Nugget expresses in a masterly way the qualifications and personality of the man who should be appointed to the position of immigration commissioner of this great state. The Nugget does not even hint at the name of a man who can reach the ideals expressed, and it is probable that Brother Lamb doubts if such a one exists. Let him be undecieved. There is one man in the state who has the qualifications called for in the above editorial, and he is a resident of Washington county. He is the present chief clerk of the state land department, and to him more than to anyone else is due the splendid record made by that department during the past two years. Mr. Norman Jackson is peculiarly fitted for the important office of state immigration commissioner, by training, experience and knowledge of the state's resources. He is a man of unimpeachable character, an indefatigable worker, an enthusiast in everything pertaining to the state's resources and able to enthuse others. In fact he is the man who can pull the office of immigration commissioner from the rut of inactivity which it now occupies and place it in the front column as a factor in Idaho's development. With Norman Jackson in the position of immigration commissioner it will not be necessary for the administration to weave a message of excuses for that office. The record made will stand out as a laurel wreath when the story of the incoming administration is recorded two years hence. No political monte-

bank should be entrusted with the task of bringing out the immigration commissioner's office, which is already in disrepute. It should go to a safe, sane man. No truer republican, truer friend, devoted worker or capable man lives in Idaho today than Norman Jackson of Washington county. We commend his name to Governor Gooding for appointment to the position of immigration commissioner of the state of Idaho.—Weiser World.

Farmers' Institute.

An effort is being made by a number of farmers in this section to have a farmers' institute held some time this spring. With this end in view a communication was sent to H. T. French, of the state agricultural college at Moscow, which elicited in reply that arrangements will be made to hold an institute here about March 1, 1905. Those who are interested should lead all the aid possible to secure a good attendance. At this particular time, when the lands surrounding this town are just being developed, farmers cannot be too careful as to how they proceed to till and plant their lands, and many who are from eastern states, where irrigation is unknown, will find it greatly to their advantage to become better acquainted with the methods of farming adopted in the arid west.

In speaking of western railroad construction, the Salt Lake Herald has the following to say about the proposed Western Pacific:

"In just two years, on January 1, 1907, through trains will be running over the Western Pacific railroad from San Francisco to Salt Lake. Connecting at Salt Lake with Gould lines, the road will find an outlet on the Atlantic shore at Baltimore, and thus will another great railroad gird the continent. That the watchword of the Western Pacific in 'outward' needs no stronger argument than the fact that \$3,500,000 has already been spent on the enterprise and that George Gould for the first time admits his connection with the project."

That the west has the call cannot be disputed by anyone, and while all the territory within the Rocky Mountain region will be embraced in that call, Idaho will undoubtedly be the center of gravity and receive the greatest benefit from all that is being and will be done by capital and kindred interests to further its development and advancement.

To Publish State Laws.

The proposition to cause the publication of our state laws in the newspapers, after the governor has approved them, meets with general approval, the strongest argument in favor of such a law being the better public knowledge of our statutes which would result.

Under existing conditions very few people have knowledge of our laws as they really are, but depend almost entirely upon the summaries printed in the newspapers. These at best are incomplete and many laws are passed which are never summarized at all. The only argument of weight against the proposed bill is the expense it would involve, but this has not proved burdensome in other states. This is a subject upon which the newspapers are naturally reticent lest they should appear to be "drumming up" business. Purely as a matter of good public policy, such a law is needed, and it is hoped will be enacted at the coming session of the legislature.—Silver City Nugget.

Homeseekers' Rates.

The Union Pacific and Oregon Short Line railroads will sell round trip homeseekers' tickets to Idaho points on the first and third Tuesdays of February, March, April and May, 1905. These rates will apply from Missouri River points east as far as St. Paul, Chicago and St. Louis. The rate will be one first-class fare plus \$200 for the round trip. Tickets good 21 days.

Twin Falls.
 Major Fred R. Reed, who has just returned from Milner and Twin Falls, says that he believes that region will be one of the most continuously prosperous on earth.

He made a thorough examination of the canal and works, rode about 60 miles over the country, and posted himself as thoroughly as possible as to the enterprise.

The dam and headworks are the finest he ever saw, and almost as substantial as the everlasting hills. The ditch is 89 feet wide on the bottom up to 35 feet high, and 130 feet wide on top. It is therefore of sufficient capacity to permit of steam navigation. The land lays beautifully, stretching away on either side of the canal for 60 miles.

Twin Falls has a population of 600 souls, and many buildings are in process of construction. The hotels and restaurants are crowded to their utmost capacity, and 107 new homes in the sagebrush adjacent to the town can be counted. About 20 new settlers go in daily.

The company that is making the irrigation works is spending nearly \$3,000,000 in completing them. All the scheme is in control of the State of Idaho, which will protect the settlers and guarantee the title to the land and water.—Wood River Times.

Seedless Prunes and Plums.

Carnegie institute, at the instance of Federal Judge W. W. Morrow of San Francisco, has given a liberal ten year allowance to Luther Burbank of California to carry on his work in developing new varieties of fruit, vegetables and grasses.

Judge Morrow described in detail the marvelous work done by Burbank in perfecting big prunes and plums without seeds, cherries without stones and grasses that will grow on the arid desert. His hybridizing work is better known in Europe than in this country.

The sum which the Carnegie institute gave Burbank is kept in secret, but it will make him independent of the commercial part of his nursery.—Nampa Leader-Herald.

An Insect Worth Millions to Fruit Growers.

William M. Clark sends Green's Fruit Grower a clipping from Redding (California) Press which states that a parasite insect has been discovered which destroys the codlin moth. The insect comes from South America. It appears that California has employed Geo. Comper to find an insect that would prey upon the codlin moth and he has been successful. This new insect that feeds upon the codlin moth has been tested in its work in California and the indications are favorable with the supposition that it may ultimately entirely destroy the codlin moth in orchards it is present in large numbers.

This enemy to the codlin moth is hardy enough to thrive wherever the codlin moth thrives, therefore it can be introduced in all fruit growing districts.

Poultry Instruction.

A series of lessons in poultry culture designed for beginners in poultry keeping is a novel idea which the growing interest in poultry and the desire to start right ought to make popular. We understand FARM-POULTRY of Boston, Mass., begins such a course in its January 1, 1905, issue. The set of twenty-two lessons will constitute a complete and systematic elementary course of instruction in poultry culture to be used in connection with practical work. In nearly every number throughout the year will be one or more especially contributed articles on leading topics of lessons presented or discussed in that issue. These articles will be from leading authorities on the subjects treated. In the text of the lessons, the discussions of topics, and these special articles, readers of this paper will get a correspondence course, with class advantages added, which the publishers say they do not think can be duplicated anywhere at any price. It will pay readers of the Twin Falls News who are interested to write FARM-POULTRY for sample copy and particulars.

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

To Whom it May Concern:
 NOTICE is hereby given, that the partnership between the undersigned, E. C. Eckhoff and T. C. Smith, under the firm name of Eckhoff and Smith, was on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1905, dissolved by mutual consent, and the property, books and accounts of said firm are hereby turned over to the new firm of Smith & Co., of Twin Falls, Idaho, by which all accounts due said partnership, which will be settled by the firm of Smith & Co., and all bills payable to said partnership, are dated the 5th day of January, A. D. 1905.
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tioned in the earliest Coptic manu-
scripts. India's traditions take the
rose to the times of the gods on
earth. Egypt had roses, wild and
tamed, before the Roman occupation
made it, in a way, Rome's commer-
cial rose garden, yet, curiously enough,
there is no reference to the flower in
painting, sculpture or hieroglyphics.
Japan in our time, parallels Egypt.
Roses flourish there, but do not serve
as a motive for artists. There is this
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constructed by Frank Burrington will
have been completed. The new build-
ing presents a very creditable appear-
ance. There will be about 20 well-
lighted rooms besides a bath room,
commodious office and ladies' parlor,
the latter two being located in the
corner of the building, affording a very
good view of Main street. The interior
arrangements are good and furnishings
and bedding entirely new, so that
patrons will find it a very convenient
and desirable stopping place.

Considering the large number of
visitors to Twin Falls, we predict for
Mr. Burrington a good business from
the start.

Portland Exposition Important to Idaho.

City Attorney Charles M. Kahn has
returned from a visit to Portland. He
reports a great deal of feeling exists in
the Webfoot metropolis over the land
fraud cases and the anticipated action
of the state grand jury in indicting
Mayor Williams and other city officials
for their failure to suppress gambling.

Mr. Kahn was much impressed by the
prospects for the Lewis and Clark ex-
position. He says the grounds are of
exceeding natural beauty and the en-
tire exposition promises to be very
successful. Work has been commenced on
the big buildings for the government.

He believes it will redound greatly
to Idaho's advantage to be well rep-
resented at the exposition, as he thinks a
large host of homeseekers will visit
the exposition and the northwest dur-
ing the coming year. If possible a
state building should be erected. The
ground space is already getting scarce,
and Mr. Kahn states immediate action
should be taken in this matter, that a
good location may be secured. He
thinks the matter a highly important
one, as the Portland fair, in his esti-
mation, will result in more benefit to
the Gem state even than the St. Louis
exposition.—Statesman.

Railroad for Malad Farmers.

Mosiah Evans, manager of the Gar-
land Sugar factory, was in Ogden last
evening and gave details of the plans
of the sugar company for increasing the
acreage of beets in the country
near the factory. The plans include
the construction of a railroad to Malad
City, Ida., also a construction of a spur
from the Southern Pacific leaving the
present line two miles west of Corinne
and taking in about ten miles of
country south and southwest. The
line to Malad City will be built pro-
vided the farmers of that locality will
plant 1000 acres of beets. The factory
had a most successful season, but com-
pleted its run twenty days ago. The
company desires to double its output
and this can be done without the pur-
chase of any new machinery providing
the beets can be secured to keep the
factory going for six weeks longer on
the full run.—Salt Lake Herald.

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TEA

Every woman knows how to brew tea—her own way—and she likes to have her own way.

Power of Light.
The extraordinary resuscitating power of light recently received a curious illustration in the salver mine at Laurium. A mine had been abandoned 2,000 years, and the seed of some poppies was found beneath the bag of a species which had disappeared for twenty centuries. The slag being removed, in a short time the salver space was covered with the most gorgeous show of poppies. After their twenty centuries' rest they had bloomed as vigorously as ever without air or water.

TEA

Do you think it worth while to serve good tea at your table?

American Steps Swiss Train.
Losing his new hat at a window of a Swiss car on an American passenger pulled the alarm cord and the train was stopped. He recovered his hat and cheerfully paid a \$10 fine.

Comforts of Travel.
The porter on the California Limited this winter will be prepared to press a gentleman's trousers while he waits. This is a new wrinkle, introduced for the benefit of fastidious dressers. It isn't absolutely necessary to carry along an extra pair of trousers, either; the porter works while you sleep.

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The Santa Fe intends to keep its fast flyer at the front.

Little Use in Worrying.
Learn to take things as they are marked on the calendar of your life. Remember it is not to-morrow that you will live, but it is to-day that you are living. The affairs of yesterday are as dead as Julius Caesar, the affairs of to-morrow are mysteries which only to-morrow will unfold. Next week will be very much like this one, so let us not anticipate too much.

Mrs. Window's Soothing Syrup.
For children, teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Median Age of Negroes.
The median age of negroes is 19.4 years—that is, half the negroes in the United States are below that age. The median age is four years below that of the whites (23.4 years), a difference closely connected with the high birth rate and high death rate of the negroes.

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Litchie, Bile, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Your treatment will refund money if PAXO OINTMENT fails to cure you in 4 to 14 days. 50c.

All Little Used in Russia.
Notwithstanding the large production of petroleum in the use of illuminating oil in the country is small. It has been limited by a tax on refined oil. Recently the Baku refiners have petitioned the government to abolish this tax on refined oil for home consumption and to substitute for it a tax on all crude oil produced.

TEA

There is good and bad tea; there is good and bad tea cookery. Which have I?

It Would Arouse Her Suspicions.
A man should be very careful not to hug his wife as if he thought she was somebody else's.—New York Press.

TEA

Tell your friends—if you like it; if not, tell your grocer.

The Political Shriker.
"I hate," says Uncle Eden, "to see a man think he's done his whole duty as a taxpayer and a patriot when he has a campaign badge on his coat lapel."—Washington Star.

The Rose.

Go, lovely rose!
Tell her that waives her time and me,
That I resemble her, when I
When I resemble her, when I
How sweet and fair she seems to be.

Tell her that's young
And abhors to have her traces spied,
That hadst thou sprung
In deserts where no men abide,
Thou must have unconquered died.

Small is the worth
Of beauty from the light retired;
Bid her come forth,
Suffer her face to be desired,
And not blush so to be admired.

Then do, that she
The common fate of all things rare
May not in them;
How small a part of time they share,
That are so wondrous, sweet and fair.
—Edmund Spenser (1572-1596).

THE REFORMATION OF DICK CARSTAIRS

"What's the matter with Frances?" I asked, looking across the room to where my little friend sat, pale and dejected, holding languid converse with one of her mother's guests.

"Frances is a headstrong, undutiful child," replied Mrs. Lacy, with sudden energy. "She looks the picture of misery, doesn't she?" It's all because I won't sanction her marriage with Dick Carstairs.

"They are very fond of each other, I know, but of course, Dick is—well, rather fast. Yet the influence of a good, sweet girl might reform him."

"Well, I'm not going to sacrifice my only daughter, on the offchance of being able to reform Dick Carstairs," remarked Mrs. Lacy, with just indignation. "Frances has no father or brother to defend her, and as I am responsible for her I don't intend her to marry a fast man. Surely, Lady Mary, you don't think a girl ought to marry with the object of reforming her husband?"

"My reason is entirely with you, dear Mrs. Lacy," I hastened to assure her, "but I am very much afraid you know how fond I am of girls and lovers—that my sympathies are with the young couple."

I think Frances had a good idea which way my sympathies were likely to run, for next day she came to lunch and very soon started the subject of her woes. Dick adored her, she informed me, and he had said that when once she was his wife he would break off with all his wild companions, never touch cards and never go near a race course.

"Mother is so hard," she complained, with tears in her eyes. "She won't believe in Dick. She doesn't believe he would reform if he were married. She says a girl ought to marry a man who doesn't need reforming. Dearest Lady Mary, I know you feel for me, isn't it the holdest mission a girl can undertake?"

"To reform Dick Carstairs? Well, I don't quite know, but talk of angels and you hear the rustling of their wings. What sends you here, Mr. Carstairs? From your guilty look at each other, young people, I am of the opinion that there has been collusion here. Now this won't do. I can't allow you to meet at my house in defiance of Mrs. Lacy's wishes. Frances, I'm ashamed of you."

Dick Carstairs was by no means without good qualities, but he had been his own master from a very early age, and his easy good nature had

never marry without her mother's consent.

"And she will never get it," added Dick gloomily.

"After all, Dick, you must admit that there are reasons why an affectionate mother should hesitate about trusting her one pretty little daughter to your care."

"But with Frances as my wife I



would become as steady a fellow as could be wished for."

"Why not become steady before marriage? I could never advise a girl to marry in the hope of reforming her husband, but if you will pledge yourself to try to throw off every bad habit and every undesirable associate, I will exert all my influence with Mrs. Lacy to get her consent to your engagement."

Frances looked radiant and Dick brightened up. He was ready to promise anything if only the hope of gaining his little sweetheart were not taken from him.

I had a hard task to win over Mrs. Lacy.

"All very well," she said, "and I dare say Mr. Carstairs has all the good qualities you say he has, but I know what kind of a life he leads, and never will I allow my darling little girl to marry a man in hopes of reforming him."

"I quite agree with you; but suppose he reforms before marriage. Forgive my persistency, but I am truly interested in Frances and I know to part her from Dick will break her heart."

"And to be the wife of a gambler, and an idle, aimless, wild fellow would break her heart also. He will promise anything now, but when he has attained his end he will be just as wild and reckless as ever."

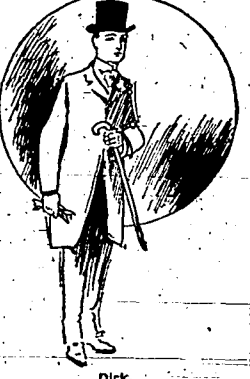
"But if you were to put him on a year's probation," I urged, "you would see how far he may be trusted. If you refuse all hope, he will go utterly to the dogs, and poor little Frances will break her heart. Let them become engaged, on the understanding that if Dick reforms, breaks off all his bad habits and becomes steady, the marriage shall take place just as soon as you are convinced you can safely sanction it."

Mrs. Lacy sat, for some moments deep in thought.

"My one idea is to do what is best for my child," she began at last, "and candidly, I do not think Dick Carstairs will make her a good husband. Yet, on the other hand, a longer acquaintance with him may open her eyes as to his true character, also he may direct her always on his good behavior, and may withdraw from the affair."

"On the whole, I think I can do better than to pick to your suggestion. We will see how things turn out in a year."

The immediate results of Mrs. Lacy's consent to the engagement were most encouraging. Frances



brought him under the influence of some very fast men whose bad example had led Dick into a most undesirable way of life.

He was devotedly in love with Frances, and protested that she would be his salvation. He pointed out that she was of age, and therefore need not pay any attention to her mother's prohibition, but I was glad to hear little Frances declare that she would

beamed with joy and her sweet little face grew rosy and plump again. Dick grew steady, and became as manly and straightforward a young fellow as the most rigid of mothers-in-law could desire.

At the end of a year Mrs. Lacy was obliged to own that the reformation of Dick Carstairs was complete, and that she no longer feared to trust her treasure—her treasured daughter—to him.

The other day, five years after the marriage of Frances and Dick, Mrs. Lacy said to me:

"I owe my happiness and that of my dear children to you. Had I not taken your advice my daughter would have been a soured, disappointed old maid, and Dick would have gone entirely to the bad. Instead of being as they are now, the happiest couple and the best children that ever lived."

"It is safer to get a man to reform before marriage than to marry him first and try to reform him afterward."—Chicago American.

RARE PRESENCE OF MIND.

Deacon's Prayer Was Quickly and Satisfactorily Answered.

At a recent dinner Dr. Kainford of New York amused the guests, all members of the cloth, with this story as illustrative of a saw-saw's friend:

"A southern darky minister had as a deacon a man who had a wife and seven children. The crops had been a failure and the deacon and his family had come down to their last meal. 'If I only had one sack of corn,' said he to his wife, 'I could do my planting in the spring and give you and the children a square meal once more.' Then he went foraging.

"It was dusk when he espied the parson's corn crib on the other side of the fence, filled with tempting ears of yellow corn. By chance the deacon had an empty sack slung across one shoulder. Peering around behind and before him, he cautiously climbed the fence and crept into the corn crib.

"In less than a second he was down on his knees holding the sack open with one hand and poking in the big ears with the other as fast as he could. The deacon had his sack half filled when the click of a gun near by made him throw up his hand as if his time had come. But he did not lose his presence of mind. They'll be began to pray in a loud voice, as he rolled his eyes heavenward.

"'Good Lord—dear Lord—I can't do it! I can't do it! I can't steal the parson's corn! No, sir, I can't steal the parson's corn, no matter if my wife an' children an' servants is to starve this winter! They'll just have to starve. I can't do it—I can't do it!'"

"'Hey, there, brother,' called a voice which the deacon recognized as the parson's, 'fill your sack, deacon! fill it to the brim!'"

Going and Coming.
Just a few steps from the Union depot is a small store owned by a dealer in live frogs and game fish. From this depot a large number of trains depart each day for the Wisconsin fishing grounds. The frog set catches the live Watons as they leave the city and again when they return empty-handed. At his store are two stags. One of them, most easily seen by departing fishermen, reads:

Live Frogs for Sale.

The other is best seen when returning to the city and reads:

Fine Game Fish for Unlucky Anglers.

This man has sold thousands of frogs during the season to people going fishing, but he has made the greater part of his money from the sale of fish to those who have returned empty-handed from the lakes and streams.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Necessity for Learning.
"Now, you ought to be ashamed, James," said the teacher, after the children had been assigned to their classes, "to have your little sister to go into a class ahead of you, and you so much older than she is?"

"No'm, Pa says girls has to be smarter 'n boys."

"Well, they usually are. But why does your papa say so?"

"Pa says like as not a girl'll be a old maid an' then she'll have t' know enough to teach school."

The Frost Herald.
Oh, Miss Katsydid, I wish you'd come. I'm weary of de locus an' I's hungry foh yuh nose.

I want t' hear you talkin' 'bout de winter dat got los.

A-goin' north August day, a lookin' foh de froe.

I want t' hear you plin' an' a-callin' 'ber name.

Cause I'm wantin' an' I's plin' foh de good f'rom de jam.

I's weary of de mockin' birds an' whippin' de foh.

I want t' hear about dat froe in Jew a few weeks mo'.

Birds Unable to Fly Backward.
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TEA

Is strength all? If money is plenty, no Schilling's Best.

Good-enough.
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Duration of Life.
Of 100,000 children ten years old, 89,032 will be alive at twenty-five years old and 31,243 will survive to the age of seventy-three.

TEA

How much does it cost to moneyback tea? Depends on the tea.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best.

Britain's Imports of Eggs.
Of the two billion odd eggs annually consumed in the United Kingdom less than one-third are produced in Great Britain. Nearly every country in Europe exports vast numbers of eggs to the "light little island." Russia does the biggest business in this line.

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"I tried ALLEN'S FOOT-PASTE recently, and have just bought another supply. It has cured my corns, and the hot, burning and itching sensations in my feet which were almost unbearable, and I would not be without it again.—Wm. W. Walker, Chelmsford, N. H." Sold by all Druggists, 25c.

Why "Matrons of Honor."
"Matrons of honor" seem like an innovation, but as a matter of fact, the "matron" in Anglo-Saxon times, led the bride, who was followed by her bridesmaids and preceded by her girlfriends. The bride's coming in on her father's arm—a custom of later days—did away with the matron's services; but the old custom established a precedent for having a married woman in the party.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Always get the name on the wrapper. K. W. Grove's signature is on each box.

Rooted Beliefs of Indians.
The Indian, when in battle and fatally wounded, believes that if his medicine man can reach him with his medicine before he dies it will give him instant relief and he will be able to escape from the battlefield. He thinks every man is honest until he finds him out, in which event he loses all confidence in him and never gets over it.

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Keep Out Witches.
In England, up to comparatively recent times, horseshoes were extensively used almost everywhere as anti-witch charms, and the custom is not even yet an extinct one. No witch, it used to be said, could enter a building over the door of which a horse shoe—or, better still, three horse shoes—had been affixed, properly downwards.

TEA

Where tea and spirit are right, there is little danger of going astray in the business.

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Miss Nettie Blackmore, Minneapolis, tells how any young woman may be permanently cured of monthly pains by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"Young Women:—I had frequent headaches of a severe nature, dark spots before my eyes, and at my menstrual periods I suffered untold agony. A member of the lodge advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, but I only scorned good advice and felt that my case was hopeless, but she kept at me until I bought a bottle and started taking it. I soon had the best reason in the world to change my opinion of the medicine, as each day my health improved, and finally I was entirely without pain at my menstrual periods. I am most grateful."—NETTIE BLACKMORE, 28 Central Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

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If there is anything about your case about which you would like special advice, write freely to Mrs. Pinkham. She will treat your letter as strictly confidential. She can surely help you, for no person in America can speak from a wider experience in treating female ills. She has helped hundreds of thousands of women back to health. Her address is Lynn, Mass., and her advice is free. You are very foolish if you do not accept her kind invitation.

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"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—Ignorance and carelessness is the cause of most of the sufferings of women. I believe that if we properly understood the laws of health we would all be well, but if the sick women only knew the truth about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, they would be saved much suffering and would soon be cured.

"I used it for five months for a local difficulty which had troubled me for years, and for which I had spent hundreds of dollars in the vain endeavor to remedy. My life forces were being sapped, and I was daily losing my vitality.

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me completely, and I am now enjoying the best of health, and am most grateful, and only too pleased to endorse such a great remedy."—Miss JENNIE L. EDWARDS, 604 H St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

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BURIAL CUSTOMS OF OLD.

Warriors Laid to Rest With All Their Battle Trappings.

A cemetery belonging to a garrison of Longobards has been found near Ascoli on the Tivoli at a pass across the Apennines in Italy. The site of the fort is the top of an island of rock now occupied by a little hamlet called Castel Troiano. All the warriors were laid with their faces to the east. Near the head was found a comb made of horn or bone and a round shield with iron boss. On the right lay a long, straight iron sword in a scabbard of hide. Against the right shoulder was laid a long wooden spear and on the left a dagger in a highly-ornamented sheath, decorated with gold, as well as a bow and arrows in a quiver.

Generally there was present the buckle of a broad belt, often decorated with applique for belt and scabbard, fashioned of gold, silver or bronze. Small gold plates seem to have been sewed to the coat in the shape of a cross. One grave contained a heavy cuirass of plates bound together with iron wire. The horsemen had big shears for clipping manes and a large bronze food trough with two movable handles; often bits, saddles and harnesses were laid beside the dead.

By the women were worn gold hairpins, with rounded flat heads, gold earrings of different shapes, finger rings and gold plates. One ring has the names Gerontius and Regina engraved on it. Crosses and necklaces of gold and beads of glass, silver, brass, cups, combs and other articles of the toilet accompany the remains of women.

In Kansas After the War. After the civil war a Boston man was stopping at the Planters' house, the principal hotel of Leavenworth, Kan., and coming down to breakfast late one morning he partook of that meal with the landlord.

"Well, Mr. —," said the landlord, "how do you like our western country?"

"I like it very well," said the Boston man, "or would if society here were in a more settled state."

"Nonsense," said the landlord, "our society is as settled as that of Boston."

Just then a man named Anthony burst into the dining-room and out at a back door, with a man named Jenkinson pumping lead at him at every jump, and following him out into the outbuilding in the rear of the hotel.

"How about society being as settled here as in Boston?" said the Boston man as he and the landlord crawled out from under opposite sides of the table.

"I had forgotten about that Anthony Jenkinson matter," said the landlord; "but if Doc Jenkinson has caught up with Anthony that is settled by this time."—Boston Herald.

All Fall in Politics. Gen. Rockwood Hoar relates an amusing instance of the humors of a political campaign. It appears that a year ago during the campaign for the re-election of Gov. Bates and Lieut. Gov. Guild, portraits of those candidates, as well as those of the opposite party were to be seen posted all through the state of Massachusetts.

The rival bill posters must have been in great haste each to outdo the other, for it would seem that they were not always careful where they put their pictures.

While passing through Haverhill one day the candidates were greatly disconcerted to observe their portraits pasted on one billboard over a lithographic announcement of a theatrical attraction. Under the counterfeited presentations of the candidates were the words: "Vote for Bates and Guild." The portion of the theatrical lithograph not covered by the political portraits bore the legend: "The Greatest Vaudeville Team on Earth."

Students of Political Economy. One of the most interesting young Englishwomen in America in many a year is Lady Dorothy Legge, daughter of the earl of Dartmouth, who traveled from Boston to Hanover, N. H., with her parents to see her father lay the corner stone of a new building for the college bearing his name. Lady Dorothy is a deep student of political economy, and like her brother, Viscount Lewisham, is a warm admirer of the younger nations. The viscount and his sister long have watched the development of two wonderful peoples—the Americans and the Japanese. Both believe the world's progress hinges in large measure on the mental trend of the Yankees of the West and East.

New Sect in Ireland. A new sect known as the Baptist Pilgrims is conducting a mission in the North of Ireland, and gaining fresh adherents daily. The members believe in baptism by immersion, in having "no certain dwelling place and in depending upon God for the necessities of life." They have all things in common and address one another by their Christian names.

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Big Hairpin Factory. The greatest of the world's manufacturing of hairpins is at Palswick, a village in the Stroud valley, at the foot of the Cotswolds. There are no fewer than three hundred persons employed in turning out these trifles of the boudoir, and hundreds of automatic machines are in constant operation transforming miles of wire into tons of finished pins.—London Engineer.

TEA
You like good tea, and you like the effect of it. Whose? Whose? Whose? Your grocer returns your money if you don't like the tea he's got.

Home. The little resting spots of men. Like shadows in the noonday glare. Are kindled after all. When wearied by the morn of toil, Burned with ambition's flame, 'Tis sweet to seek the humble spot Where someone breathes your name. Edith Livingston Smith in Good Housekeeping.

TEA
We Americans think we are smart; but tea is too much for us. We are the worst of buyers of it; so they say. Your grocer returns your money if you don't like the tea he's got.

Mosque for London. The 2,000 Mohammedan resident in London are preparing to erect a magnificent mosque.

TEA
Do you make it right. Do you make it right. Do you make it right. Do you make it right. In every package of Sefton's Best Tea is a booklet: How to Make Good Tea.

Motor Postoffice. An electric motor postoffice is being tried, with apparent success, in Milan.

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. The Great Kidney and Liver Cure. World Famous. Write Dr. Kennedy's Book, Handout, N. Y., for free sample bottle.
A Hindrance. "Why is it that a scientist seldom becomes rich?" "A scientist," said the practical man, "becomes too much accustomed to dealing with large quantities. If he makes a calculation that is only a few million years or few millions miles out of the way he doesn't complain. And he can always figure that he is within a few million dollars of being rich."—Washington Star.

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BREVITIES

Boys' suits at G. W. Tarr & Co.'s from \$2 to \$3.75.

The foundation is being laid for Perrine & Burton's new store building.

A bank will shortly be opened here, the building for same being now under construction.

C. Millender and T. E. Hoxley were up from Twin Falls Tuesday.—Shoshone Journal.

F. W. Havlicek is erecting a building on his lot near Shoshone avenue for business purposes.

Dr. Clouchek went to Pocatello Wednesday to attend a meeting of the state medical board.

Wm. Harris, an experienced pharmacist of Laramie, Wyoming, has accepted a position with the Pioneer Drug store.

The Ferrige telephone line was expected to be completed from Milner to Henry Schodde's place this week.—Albion Times.

The lumber ordered for the head-gates and laterals is arriving and the workmen are busily engaged in putting it in place.

C. C. Tautphaus came up from Twin Falls to spend Christmas with his family. He returned on Tuesday night.—Idaho Falls Register.

Dr. Hoxley was over from Twin Falls to attend the Masons' banquet and installation of officers last Tuesday night.—Shoshone Post.

J. S. Anderson of Twin Falls and Edna E. Durfee of Oakley were married last Friday by County Clerk Haught.—Albion Times.

Mr. Parker's rooming house, adjoining G. W. Tarr & Co.'s place of business on Main street, will be open to the public in a few days.

Mrs. Al. Bradley and family arrived Thursday from St. Anthony to join her husband, who is one of the proprietors of the Pioneer harness shop.

J. L. Beckett, manager of the branch of the Stockgrowers' store at Milner, was a visitor at Shoshone the first part of the week.—Shoshone Post.

W. S. Starr was up from Shoshone Falls Saturday. Mr. Starr says they are enjoying a very pleasant winter at the Falls.—Shoshone Journal.

R. W. Jones has purchased two more business lots in Twin Falls. This is material evidence of his unbounded faith in the future of the town.

Dr. Patterson of Milner spent a few days visiting at Shoshone this week, after having attended the Woodmen ball last Friday night.—Shoshone Post.

The hotel, located fifteen miles west of town, for the accommodation of land locators will be open for business next week. Mr. W. H. Griffith will be the manager.

Herbert Owens, surveyor for the Twin Falls Land & Water Co., took the train at this point last night for Washington, D. C., for a brief visit.—Shoshone Post.

Geo. O'Loughlin left this morning for an extended visit to British Columbia. He expects to return here in the summer to personally look after his land interests.

School opened Tuesday with H. H. Thornton principal. The number of pupils enrolled was 63. More will be in attendance as soon as accommodations can be furnished.

Dave Stevenson has purchased a lot on Tenth avenue and is arranging to erect a building in which to conduct a bakery. Material is arriving and work on the structure will be pushed.

A. N. Sprague and Jess Butler are making arrangements to start a drug store at Twin Falls. A building has to be erected for them, as there are no vacant buildings in the place.—Pocatello Advance.

Don Bryan has the contract for hauling the steel siphon from Kimami to the point on Rock creek where it will be used to carry the waters of the canal to the lands on the west side. As fast as each section arrives it will be laid and put in place.

C. B. Taylor, proprietor of the Blue Front Cafe, has employed a first-class cook and waiter to assist in taking care of his rapidly increasing business. Both employes have had a number of years' experience and will be valuable adjuncts to the popular boarding house.

Al. Roberts, who is one of the contractors on the Hotel Kimberly basement at Twin Falls, is spending the holidays with his family in this city. Mr. Roberts expects to move over to the new town in the spring and go into the

stone contracting business on a large scale.—Shoshone Post.

C. S. Loveland returned Thursday from a business trip to Boise. His business at that place, is good, and Twin Falls is being favorably spoken of by many. The legislature, which is now in session, is being organized, and routine business will soon be replaced by active and energetic work.

W. M. Lambing of West Liberty, Iowa, who is manager of the advertising department of the Breeder's Gazette, published at Chicago, Ill., is in town looking over the country with a view of purchasing land. Mr. Lambing is much impressed with the prosperous condition of the place, and feels confident the future is very promising.

Robert Hewitt of Rock Creek and Jesse Denman of Albion were united in marriage Wednesday, 23, 1904, Rev. Mitchell officiating. The bride is one of the popular young ladies of Albion and one of the successful teachers of Cassia county, having graduated from the Albion Normal last year. We extend congratulations and best wishes.—Albion Times.

Druggist Dell Sprague of Pocatello is in town laying in a stock of fixtures and pharmaceutical supplies for the drug store to be opened at Twin Falls. Mr. Sprague reports that Twin Falls is a bustling place, and that that section of the country is destined in a short time to become one of the most active locations in the west.—Salt Lake Desert News.

M. M. Murtaugh was up from Milner this week and states that the O. S. L. engineers are now working between Milner and Dry Creek. A grading outfit is also reported on this side of the river, and steel is being laid out of Minidoka. Work all along the line is progressing very favorably and before many months the road will be completed into Twin Falls.

D. B. Fox of North Yakima has purchased the City Restaurant from L. E. Prothero, the change taking place Wednesday. Mr. Fox is a thorough business man and will conduct the restaurant along the most approved lines. Mr. Prothero moved his household effects to his ranch Thursday and will remain there, in company with his wife, to prepare land for spring crops.

J. J. Price has purchased Mr. Eickhoff's interest in the City Meat Market, the transfer being made Wednesday. The firm name now is Smith & Price. It is the intention of these gentlemen to keep a large and varied stock of all the supplies usually carried in a first-class meat market; and heavy orders have been sent to Salt Lake and Boise houses for goods. Fresh vegetables, cheese, canned, smoked, fresh and cured meats, fish, etc., will be made specialties.

The Cassia County Social club gave their New Year's ball Monday evening at the school house. The attendance was good and the evening enjoyably spent. The Twin Falls orchestra furnished their usual excellent music, which kept the dancers engaged until a late hour. At 12 o'clock a supper was served at the Blue Front Cafe. These functions of the social club are gaining in popular favor, and many come for attendance from the adjoining settlements.

The location of the town at the mouth of Goose creek, where the Minidoka & Southwestern railroad crosses Snake river, has been definitely decided upon. The site will include what is known as the Jordan ranch, comprising about 320 acres and five forty-acre tracts lying immediately south. The depot is to be located in the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 19, township 10 south, range 23 east, being a short distance southeast of the Jordan house. The townsite has not yet been surveyed, but we understand that this will be done within a short time, and that the new town will begin its growth with the new year.—Albion Times.

H. H. Jacobs arrived Monday from Emmetsburg, Iowa. He brought with him from his home state W. A. Ring of Lake Park, P. H. Conlon and wife and also sister-in-law, Miss Jackman, of Cylinder, Wm. Rotaschel of Cylinder, and J. Tobin and wife of Emmetsburg. The entire party will remain here and make this place their home. Mr. Jacobs is the commissioner-elect from this end of the county, and leaves tomorrow for Albion to attend a meeting of the board of county commissioners to be held at that place next Monday. Before leaving Iowa Mr. Jacobs interested a number of his friends and neighbors in Twin Falls lands and with the coming of spring they will no doubt arrive to make their purchases. So Iowa, as well as

many other states, Twin Falls is being well advertised and the settlers from that state will comprise quite a colony when counted together.

Mr. S. T. Hamilton, who has been identified with the Twin Falls Investment company for some time, as assistant to Secretary McCullum, has severed his connection with the company to engage in the management of another line of business of which he will have full charge. He has secured a suite of rooms in the Records block and furnished them in a splendid manner and is now open for business. Mr. Hamilton has lived in Colorado for more than 20 years and is not only familiar with irrigation, but with the requirements and upbuilding of a new enterprise such as is being advanced at this time. Mr. Hamilton and his associates will transact business under the name of "S. T. Hamilton & Co.," and handle real estate, buy and sell land locations, do an abstract business as well as act for absent settlers in looking after their holdings. This is a line of business that is needed in Twin Falls and the News predicts for this company a rushing business from the start. The Twin Falls Investment company regretted to lose the services of their efficient assistant, but the opportunities for business were so promising that his employers could not do other than to admire his business enterprise and wish him well in his new departure. Mr. Hamilton is a lawyer of ability, and this qualification added to his energy, integrity and keen sense of business matters insure the success of this company under his management. The News wishes the new company the greatest degree of success and believes the enterprise will not only be profitable to its members, but will be an important factor in everything that tends to the upbuilding of the new empire, of which they are a part.

Drawing for Dolls.
The drawing for the handsome dolls at G. W. Tarr & Co.'s took place Thursday, the result of which gave the following numbers: First choice, No. 2292; second choice, 694; third choice, 1746. Mrs. Hidy, Mrs. Austin and Miss Yates put the tickets in a box, which was handed around to those present to be shaken, after which a hole was cut in top of box for use in drawing tickets. Mr. Austin was blindfolded and drew the numbers given above consecutively. It developed later that John Groh drew second choice. If the parties holding the first and third numbers do not present them within two weeks for redemption, another drawing will be held. This is done in order that should the winning numbers be lost the dolls will find owners without too great a delay.

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