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## Red River Prospector

RED RIVER, NEW MEXICO.

M. Santos-Dumont is not superstitious. He is at work now on airship No. 13.

Water is 4 cents a gallon in Panama. The Americans there will soon have it cornered.

A marked decrease in the consumption of beer is noted in Great Britain. Merely changing their tipples?

The boarder who blew up a boarding house at Luzerne, Pa., meant to try the dynamite on the beefsteak.

Ice cream is said to be a cure for hiccoughs. Don't have hiccoughs when you're walking with your best "girl."

The puzzle is why we work when 100 to 1 shots win, and bookmakers are willing to have their money taken away.

A California woman committed suicide because she was fat! She has discovered the only certain cure for obesity.

The inventor of the rubber collar must have reasoned that a great many necks were waiting for something of that kind.

A statistician figures that artists "present" \$1,500,000 worth of work to the world annually. We should have said "inflat."

A New York woman complains because her husband offered to sell her for five cents. He might at least have made it thirty.

Scientists say the human being is losing the sense of smell. Luther Burbank wastes effort in giving scents to scentless flowers.

Georgia is said to have planted the largest peanut crop in her history. This ought to be a good year for the circus and baseball.

London statistics show that wealth prolongs life. "The good die young," the poet assures us. Would you rather be rich or die young?

Charles M. Schwab has paid \$150,000 for a silver and gold dinner set. He must have unloaded some of his steel stock at the top notch.

Dr. Gladden declares that Adam could not have become a millionaire. We must therefore conclude that Adam lacked executive ability.

Another Pittsburg heiress is to marry an English "nobleman." Life would be a rather tough proposition for the nobility if Pittsburg were not on the map.

The fat man who tried to commit suicide by drowning and found that his fat kept him afloat probably hoped that water would cause his too solid flesh to melt.

Kingdon Gould was badly injured in a polo game a few days ago. One of the nicest things about polo is the fact that only people who play are ever hurt by it.

Women's trailing skirts spread tuberculosis germs, New York physicians say so, and that settles it. Blame bound to get around to Eve in the end.

Consul Uchida says that there are no old maids in Japan. The formula, whatever it is, ought to be added to Japan's exports. New England would place a large order.

When Mme. Modjeska bade farewell to New York the box office receipts for the performance aggregated \$10,000. There are times when parting is indeed sweet sorrow.

Dr. Osler has come out in favor of taxing bachelors. The bachelors ought to get together now and give the doctor a vote of thanks. He might have advocated chloroform for them.

Science has made gigantic strides of late years, but the return of summer reminds us that as yet it has been able to find no way to insert any fruit into the restaurant strawberry shortcake.

A Pittsburg policeman recently arrested a man whose name is Damskieselhabet Kjoebenhaven. The recorder refused to enter his name on the minutes of the court, and turned him loose.

To the suggestion from Portsmouth that the body of John Paul Jones ought finally to be buried there by the side of an old sweetheart it seems necessary only to reply that John Paul was a sailor.

For the never-vacant post of "champion mean man" the Chicago husband who shot at his wife because the train she was on was fifteen minutes late is an easy winner. And he blames it on dyspepsia. A dynamite tablet should be prescribed.

The Portland Telegram is of opinion that if it cost a dollar an hour for the privilege of hoeing potatoes, and there were a special costume to be worn, golf would soon be forgotten. Tackling a potato patch with a hoe is certainly great exercise.

## CHARACTER IN THE HOME.

Writer in the Delinquent Points Out Duties of Parents.

The woman with a high sense of justice, if she possess tact also, can usually imbue even a very worldly and busy man with a sense of obligation toward his children, says the Delinquent. She should lean upon him, ask his advice, and never admit that it is her duty to have the sole care of training the children. The mother has opportunities which the father lacks for studying the children, and she should give him the benefit of her observations, while he in turn should make opportunities for such study that he may combine the result of his observations with the mother's, thereby producing that other point of view which is essential to progress in any line.

The mothers have had a mistaken sense of duty in this connection, and the fathers have in many instances simply accepted a condition ready made for them. I pray you, fathers, wake up to the blessed possibilities for service and true happiness in your parenthood; and, mothers, hold fast to such ideals as will make for righteousness and noble character building in your home.

## GREELEY AND THE FARM.

Great Editor a Lover of the Soil All His Life.

"I would have been a farmer, had any science of farming been known to those among whom my early boyhood was passed," Horace Greeley wrote in 1868. "Farming, as understood and practiced by those among whom I grew up, was a work for oxen; and for men the life of an ox had no charms." And, in temperament, Horace Greeley was a farmer all his life. He was born on a poor little farm in New Hampshire, and his childhood experiences of the vocation were those of terribly hard work, and a meager living as its reward. It is no wonder that printing seemed more promising to him.—Mr. Oliver Bronson Capen in Country Life in America.

## A Picture of Death.

He who hath bent him o'er the dead Ere the first day of death is fled, The first dark day of nothingness, The last of danger and distress, Before Decay's effacing fingers Have swept the lines where beauty lit-glowed, And marked the mild, angelic air, The rapture of repose, that's there, The fixed yet tender smile that streaks The languor of the placid cheek, And, but for that sad shrouded eye, That fires not, wins not, weeps not now, And but for that chill, changeless brow, Where cold Obstruction's apathy Approaches the grainy mourner's heart, As if to him it would impart The doom he dresses, yet dwells upon; Yes, but for these and these alone, Some moments, as one teaches his hour, He still might doubt the tyrant's power; So fair, so calm, so softly shrouded, The first, last look by death revealed: Such is the aspect of this scene: 'Tis Greece, but living Greece no more! So coldly sweet, so deadly fair, The first, last look by death revealed: The farewell beam of feeling passed away; Spark of that flame, perchance of heavenly birth, Which gleams, but warms no more its cherished earth. —Lord Byron.

## Reason for Extra Royal Tomb.

Because certain nobles of ancient Egypt were jealous of a queen of that land on account of her bourgeois extraction the twentieth century has been enriched with increased knowledge of that ancient time. Queen Teie was the wife of King Amenhotep III of the tenth dynasty. The parents of Queen Teie were Yua and Thua, common people. Queen Teie was unable to establish her parents as nobles in the face of the opposition of the Egyptian aristocrats, so she gave them a more than noble funeral when they died. She provided for them a royal tomb and royal furnishings to the same. This tomb was hidden so effectually that it was never discovered until Theodore Davis discovered it and all its undisturbed treasures.

## Alleged Cure for Colds.

Here is a sure cure for colds of any kind, says a writer. It has been tested repeatedly and has never failed, and as I used to catch cold, which resulted in a bad attack of bronchitis, I can speak from experience. In cases of pneumonia it will not fail to cure if taken in time. Make a ball of cotton batting about the size of a small marble, saturate it well with alcohol, then drop onto it six drops of chloroform; cover it lightly with a thin piece of cotton batting, hold to the mouth and inhale the fumes, inflat' 'g the lungs well. It will open and expand every lung cell instantly.

## A Novel Suggestion.

An ingenious lady has devised a plan for the transportation of impetuous invalids by rail. Henceforth she suggests that those who cannot afford to pay for an invalid carriage should travel in a hammock slung in an ordinary compartment. This sounds something less than cheerful for the invalid. The carriages of most railroads are not designed for hammocks. And what would happen to the invalid if the hammock swung?

## Salaries of English Judges.

It is considered an essential condition of the English court system that the judges shall be absolutely independent financially, that their salaries shall be so large and provision for their future shall upon their retirement be so ample that they need have no monetary anxiety. Since the granting of an annuity of \$17,032.75 a year to Sir Francis Jeune there are now eight ex-judges in England who are in receipt of total pensions amounting to \$121,662.75 a year.

## SUNDAY MARKETS IN ENGLAND.

Once Common, Now Abolished as a Nuisance.

According to the Domesday Book, a Sunday market was held at St. Germans, Cornwall, even before the conquest, though it was soon rendered of little value, owing to the establishing of another on an adjacent piece of ground by the conqueror's half-brother.

From the conquest right on to the time of Henry VII, and in a few cases longer, these Sunday markets were common. Records of them are found at Bradford, Worcester, Battle, Lanchester and parts of Durham, Lancashire and Lincolnshire.

Lanchester, in 1206, gave King John five marks for a license to change the day to Thursday; Battle did pretty much the same thing. Despite an act of parliament in 1449 abolishing them, some disregarded the act, and continued Sunday fairs until 1800.

In Wigton, Cumberland, the butchers on Sunday did a roaring trade close to the church doors. It was no uncommon thing for worshippers to bring their joints to church with them, and hang them over the pews. The priest, unable to stop the custom, protested to London, and got the market day changed to Tuesday. —Pearson's Weekly.

## FLING OUT YOUR SUNSHINE.

More Satisfaction In Radiating Hope Than Despair.

What a satisfaction it is to go through life radiating sunshine and hope instead of despair, encouragement instead of discouragement, and to feel conscious that even the newsboy or the bootblack, the car conductor, the office boy, the elevator boy, or anybody else with whom one comes in contact, gets a little dash of sunshine. It costs nothing when you buy a paper of a boy, or get your shoes shined, or pass into an elevator, or give your fare to a conductor, to give a smile with it, to make those people feel that you have a warm heart and good will. Such salutations will mean more to us than many of the so-called great things. It is the small change of life. Give it out freely. The more you give, the richer you will grow.—Orison Swett Marden in Success Magazine.

## The Use for Rabbit Fur.

One of the strangest of modern industries is that carried on by M. Pataud-Chatain, at Lons-le-Saunier, in the Jura district in France. It consists in taking the fur from live rabbits and weaving it into a textile fabric which makes the warmest kind of clothing material known. The species of rabbits which furnish the "raw" material for the manufacturing process is the Angora rabbit, which has received the name of the silk rabbit. Every three months the rabbit sheds its fur and several days before this takes place nature is anticipated by female hands, which remove the long silken hairs by gentle friction. The skin is already "ripe" and the fur comes off easily and without the rabbit suffering the slightest pain from the operation. In fact, "hunny" appears to enjoy it, lying quietly in the lap of the operator during the manipulation.—London Globe.

## Torture of the "Boot."

As late as in the seventeenth century and in such civilized and advanced countries as Scotland, Spain, Germany and France, the barbarous instrument known as the "boot" was commonly used to extract information from reluctant witnesses, or to extort confessions from accused persons. Sometimes the boot was made of iron and heated to an unbearable degree on the foot of the helpless victim. In his novel, "Old Mortality," Sir Walter Scott alludes to it as made of this metal. But in those rough times four stout planks nailed together often sufficed for the purpose. Between the side of the case and the leg of the person it was desired to torture wedges were inserted and hammered in. The result was excruciating agony.

## Token of Early Love.

I found them in a book last night, These withered violets, A token of that early love That no man ever forgets. Pressed carefully between the leaves, They keep their color still; I can not look at them to-day Without an old-time thrill. Ah, me! what tricks does memory play! The passing years have fled, And hopes that lived in vigor once, Alas! have long been dead. And this is all that I can say When all is said and done; Those flowers remind me of some girl— I wish I knew which one. —Sunset Magazine.

## Punishment of Deserters.

During the early days of the navy desertions were numerous and the offenders were frequently sentenced to death. James Barrett, a marine, was found guilty of desertion. His punishment was unusual. He was fined \$5 and shot to death. Another odd punishment was that inflicted upon Cornelius Cairns, a deserter, who was sentenced to wear a twenty-four-pound shot for six months and to pay the expenses of his apprehension.

## To Hear Fire Sing.

Fire can be made to sing. A writer says: "Take a lighted candle and blow gently against the flame. You will hear a peculiar fluttering sound. The fluttering sound is fire's first attempts at music. Instead of the unsteady breath of our lips, let us employ the steady blast of a blowpipe. Instead of the pale and flickering light of a candle, let us use the bright and ardent glare of a chemist's lamp. When you have a lamp and blowpipe you can make fire sing in earnest."

## Stomach Not Always First.

Not half so many divorces are caused by cold coffee as by a cold disposition. Whoever heard of a man seeking a separation because his wife let her biscuits burn while she kissed him in the morning? Nobody! But there are dozens of good cooks sighing for the husbands they forgot to kiss while they were busy with making the battercakes.—Helen Rowland's "Digressions of Polly."

## Improving an Old Phrase.

An English instructor in a rather comprehensive talk to the wise young women referred to the period that extends "from the cradle to the grave." Then he stopped abruptly. "No," he went on, "that is an obsolete phrase. There are no more cradles and soon there will be no more graves. The modern form should be 'from the basket to the crematory.'—New York Sun.

## River Shannon.

The river Shannon in Ireland has its source in the carboniferous mountains of Fermanagh and Leitrim, and flows southward through Lough Allen, Lough Ree and Lough Dearg, to Limerick, where it opens out into a wide estuary and takes a westerly course to the oceans. Its total length is 240 miles, and it drains an area of 4544 square miles.

## Man's First Weapon.

Man's first weapon seems to have been the sword. When the Spaniards came to Mexico they found the native Indians armed with wooden swords, and this was probably the most primitive form of the weapon, but after the discovery of metals, bronze swords were introduced, of which many have at different times had been found.

## As to Love and War.

A fine old soldier passed by. "There goes Gen. —," said a man about town who knows everybody by sight. The visitor stared at the veteran. "Great fighter," he remarked. "Yes," returned the other, "but they say his daughter has been through more engagements than the old man."—New York Press.

## Color of Eyes Important.

The color of the eyes is said to depend upon a pigment which supplies them with color. But this coloring pigment is not always reliable. Deep blue eyes will look faded if one is tired. The color pigment does not flow freely. If agitated they will darken and deepen in hue.

## Does Tobacco Cause Blindness?

A doctor stated in an English court recently that he considered one and a half ounces of tobacco quite sufficient to impair the eyesight, and that he had known a case where a man of middle age was a sufferer from the effects of half an ounce a week.

## Brother Whips Sister's Lover.

Giovanni Robena, a Genoese who climbed to the roof of his sweetheart's house to speak to her, fell half way through the tiles and remained jammed there till morning, when he was soaked with cold water and horse-whipped by the girl's brother.

## Undreamed-of Extravagance.

"We asked our wife the other day," writes the editor of the Hickory Ridge Missourian, "if she thought she could dress herself on \$5 a year, and she turned pale and asked us if some rich uncle had died and left us an immense fortune."

## Next Movement in Art.

An art critic prophesies that the next movement of European art—which he thinks has exhausted the possibilities of realism—may take the form of a return to the principles enunciated by the Chinese 1,000 years ago.

## Princesses Well Taught.

The princesses of Siam are taught to cook, wash and iron, bake, and perform other household duties. At the age of fifteen they have completed their studies in the lines indicated, and are ready for matrimony.

## Preferences as to Wreaths.

Men and women spend their little lives struggling for wreaths. A little would have his woven of laurel leaves; a woman dreams only of orange blossoms in hers.—New Orleans Picayune.

## Inspiration of Value.

Have faith in your golden moods. Train yourself to expect them. Look upon inspiration as something to which you have a right, just as you have a right to oxygen and sunshine.

## Arabia's Climate.

Arabia has the reputation of being one of the hottest and unhealthiest regions on the globe, but all northern Arabia has a winter season, with cold rains and occasional frosts.

## Willie.

Willie saw some dynamite. Couldn't understand it quite. Curiosity never pays; It rained Willie seven days. —Pinecat-a Tiger.

## Wears Purple Robs.

The lieutenant-governor of South Carolina wears a purple robe of office when presiding over the senate.

## Millionaires in Japan.

Japan has very few millionaires and practically no multi-millionaires.

## WORTH REMEMBERING.

There are three entirely different kinds of ingredients used in making the three different varieties of baking powders on the market, viz:—(1) Mineral-Acid or Alum, (2) Bone-Acid or Phosphate, and (3) Cream of Tartar made from grapes. It is important, from the standpoint of health, to know something about these ingredients, and which kind is used in your baking powder.

(1) Mineral-Acid, or Alum, is made from a kind of clay. This is mixed with diluted oil of vitriol and from this solution a product is obtained which is alum. Alum is cheap; costs about two cents a pound, and baking powder made with this Mineral-Acid sells from 10 to 25c. a pound.

(2) Bone-Acid, or Phosphate, is the basis of phosphate baking powders and the process is fully described in the patents issued to a large manufacturer of a phosphate powder. The U. S. Patent Office Report gives a full and exact description, but the following extract is enough:

"Burned bones, after being ground, are put into freshly diluted oil of vitriol and with continual stirring and in the following proportion," etc.

From this Bone-Acid phosphate baking powders are made; such powders sell from 20 to 30 cents a pound.

(3) Cream of Tartar exists in all ripe grapes, and flows with the juice from the press in the manufacture of wine. After the wine is drawn off the tartar is scraped from the cask, boiled with water, and crystals of Cream of Tartar, white and very pure, separate and are collected. It differs in no respect from the form in which it originally existed in the grape. Cream of Tartar, then, while the most expensive, is the only ingredient that should be used in a baking powder to act upon the soda, as its wholesomeness is beyond question. Cream of Tartar baking powders sell at about 40 to 50 cents a pound.

Such are the facts, and every one, careful of the health of the family, should remember this rule:—Baking powders selling from 10 to 25 cents a pound are made of Mineral-Acids; those selling from 20 to 30 cents of Bone-Acid; and those from 40 to 50 cents of Cream of Tartar made from grapes.

## Advocate Light Branch Roads.

The resolutions adopted by the International Railway Congress at Washington commend light railways, or branch roads, to the careful attention of public authorities. The report says: "Their construction makes it possible to encourage the progress and development of districts which have previously remained in the background, and it is accordingly not only the intent but the duty of the governments to assist them. It is desirable, therefore, not to adhere to old types and old methods of construction, operation and regulation, but to introduce every facility possible, adaptable to local needs and available resources.

"It is also desirable that state government and local authorities should accord to light railways, either under the form of subsidies, relaxation of requirements or other methods of assistance, the support which they need for construction and for operation, so that all parts of the country be adequately served."

The congress expressed the wish "that the present tendency of legislation to establish more liberal regulations may become more general and efforts of the management to equip their light traffic lines with a more economical organization, which promise to give remarkable results, be continued."

## Oklahoma Prisoners.

Governor Ferguson of Oklahoma cannot go outside of the territory without permission from Washington. "There are a good many prisoners in the territory, including old Geronimo and myself."

## SIMPLE WALL DECORATIONS.

New Material and New Ideas for the Decoration of Homes.

The styles of home decorations have completely changed in the last few years, and it is pleasant to say that they have changed for the better. Time was when we hung monstrous patterns printed on paper against our walls, and considered them more or less pleasantly. It would hardly be fair to say that we considered them beautiful or artistic. But they were the vogue and were put on. The time has come when, with our better methods for interior decoration, better effects can be secured.

In wall coverings, whether they be of paint, or of kalsomine, or of Alabastine—whatever the material used to cover the wall—the thing desired is that which has the greatest covering power, as well as permanency and beauty of color. Alabastine, a wall covering ground from Alabaster rock—which means a hard white rock—is the ideal covering for a wall.

The most beautiful wall decorations in the world are those which are laid on with the brush. The mural designs in our large public buildings, and the frescoed designs in the large cathedrals and churches, have a permanency and an art of which wall paper is but a cheap imitation. These mural schemes and frescoed designs can be brought within the reach of the every day home. They can be done with Alabastine, which is permanent in its coloring. It does not rub off, and it has the soft effect of pastel.

A great many people defer the redecorating of their rooms not only because of the expense but because of the discomfort of it. With Alabastine there need be no discomfort and there can be no muss, for all that is needed is to lay a sheet or canvas on the floor, have your man come in with a pail, make the solution and simply brush it on the wall. That is all there is to it, and the room is perfectly clean and thoroughly renovated.

No, Alonzo, it isn't proper to ask a girl for a kiss until after you have taken it.

## ATE EVIDENCE AGAINST HIM

Prisoner Stops Trial by Chewing and Swallowing a Forged Check.

The Kings county court was thrown into disorder and dismay, says a Seattle special to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, when the prisoner at the bar, H. R. McTavish, ate all the evidence in the case on trial. McTavish was being tried on a charge of forging a \$15 check. The check lay on the trial table, marked "exhibit A." McTavish sat beside his counsel, who was engaged in cross-examining a witness for the prosecution.

The case was going against McTavish when his eye fell on the check, which was about to be introduced in evidence. Like a half-starved man and with a look of hunger in his eye, the prisoner pounced upon "exhibit A" and chewed it to pulp.

With soulful satisfaction he gulped it down. The prosecution was in consternation, for its main piece of evidence was gone, and demanded that a stomach pump be used forthwith. While the lawyers argued pro and con, the prisoner calmly picked his teeth with a whittled match, plainly the master of the situation. The defense argued that the ball of paper in the defendant's stomach could in no wise be construed as documentary evidence, and that a dismissal was proper.

The case of the state of Washington against H. R. McTavish is now in statu quo pending the untangling of the legal question involved from the defendant's impromptu luncheon.

## The Mean Godfather.

Congressman Morrell, of Philadelphia, in a discussion of the Delaware river appropriations, mentioned a mean man.

"There are many mean men," he said, "but this man surely was the meanest of them all. Besides being mean he was also rich."

"To a poor young couple living near him a son was born and they decided to name their son after the mean man, and to ask him to stand as its godfather."

"He consented. He was flattered."

"Thereupon the joy of this poor young couple was great. They wondered what gift the rich godfather would give to his little godson. Perhaps a house and lot? Perhaps a half dozen government bonds? Perhaps a herd of cattle?"

Senator Morrell paused and smiled.

"What do you suppose," he said, "the mean man sent the youngster? He sent it, sir, a cup that one of his Cochiti China hens had won at a poultry show."

## "Exclamatory" All Right.

While the oil excitement was at its height in Texas several years ago John W. Gates put up at a hotel in Beaumont where colored girls are employed as waitresses.

At the dinner table, on the evening of his arrival, wishing to be pleasant to the girl, who had taken great pains to see that he had everything he wanted, he turned to her and said, not knowing whether she was married or not: "How is your husband, Eliza?"

"He ain't much bettah, Sah," replied the girl.

"Oh, then he's been sick. What's the matter with him?" asked Mr. Gates.

"Why, de doctah say he got exclamatory rheumatism, Sah."

"Exclamatory rheumatism? You mean inflammatory, don't you? Exclamatory means to cry out," said Mr. Gates.

"Dat's jes' it, Sah. Dat's jes' it. He do nuthin' but cry out all de time." —New York Times.

## Professor Wentworth and John J.

The stories told at the expense of Prof. Wentworth, commonly known as "Bull" Wentworth, and for years connected with the Phillips Exeter academy, are legion. The following, however, is one of the best:

It was the custom on opening day for each instructor to take the names of pupils of his classes.

"Now," said Prof. Wentworth on one occasion, "I want every boy to give his full name. If your name is William Henry Smith say William Henry Smith, and not W. H. Smith nor William H. Smith."

The list was nearly completed satisfactorily when the name of John Jay Brown was given. The professor's chance had come, and he roared out: "John J. Brown; John J. Brown; will any one tell me how to spell J?"

"Yes, sir," said the boy, "J-A-Y," and Prof. Wentworth laughed with the rest.—Boston Herald.

## Old Acquaintances.

They met—two pairs of lips— Behind a friendly door; In union they both exclaimed: "Oh, We have met before!"

## Waves of Old Age.

Wrinkles are poetically termed by the Japanese "waves of old age."

## NOTICE.

No. 759. In the District Court of Taos county, in the First Judicial District, in the Territory of New Mexico.

Lulu Sower, plaintiff, vs. Willis M. Flower, defendant.

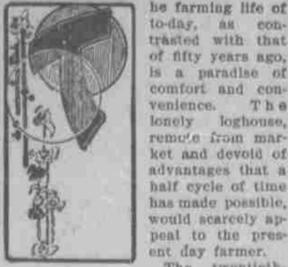
To the above named defendant: You are hereby notified that the above named plaintiff has brought suit against you in the District Court for Taos county, New Mexico, the object of said suit being to obtain a decree of divorce from you on the grounds of abandonment and non-support, and for alimony. And you are hereby notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 10th day of May, A. D. 1905, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you by default and the allegations in said complaint be taken as true and judgment rendered thereon.

A. M. BRUBAKER, Clerk of the District Court.

(Seal.) William McKean, attorney for plaintiff. Post office address, Taos, N. M.

THE MODERN FARMER.

How He Lives, as Compared With Fifty Years Ago.



be farming life of to-day, as contrasted with that of fifty years ago, is a paradise of comfort and convenience. The lonely loghouse, remote from market and devoid of advantages that a half cycle of time has made possible, would scarcely appeal to the present day farmer.

Boys That Fear No Noise. Eastern papers are advocating a noiseless Fourth. Shades of Teledonora, Bull Run and Valley Forge defend us! It is all right to eliminate the dangerous elements from the Fourth of July celebration, but who ever heard of noiseless patriotism? It would be like voiceless oratory. The small boy is with us.—Leadville Herald Democrat.



MISS MILDRED KELLER. RESTORED TO HEALTH. THANKS TO PE-RU-NA. Friends Were Alarmed—Advised Change of Climate.

Miss Mildred Keller, 715 13th street, N. W., Washington, D. C., writes: "I can safely recommend Peruna for catarrh. I had it for years and it would return to no kind of treatment, or if it did it was only temporary, and on the slightest provocation the trouble would come back."

Alabastine Your Walls

Alabastine produces exquisitely beautiful effects on walls and ceilings. Easy to apply, simply mix with cold water. Sells in kalsomine, paint or wall paper. It is not a kalsomine, it is a sanitary, permanent, cement coating, which hardens on the walls, destroying disease germs and vermin, never rubbing or scalling. Kalsomines mixed with either hot or cold water soon rub and scale off, spoiling walls, clothing and furniture. They contain glue, which decays and nourishes the germs of deadly disease.

Beer and "Cop." E. Fisher, who holds an off beer license in Rawlins street, Barrow, was fined 20s and costs for supplying a constable on duty with beer without an order from his superior officer. Fisher's defense was that he was drawing the beer for himself, and the constable had called in for a pie. He caused some astonishment when he added, "They often call in for a pie."—English Exchange.

Drinking Water for the Study. A useful article in a study is a small filter for drinking water, which should be filled and run off every day. People are often fevered with hard work and when the appetite languishes in warm weather and they are pressed for time they can take a glass of cold water with a little lemon juice squeezed into it and find it most reviving then, when nothing else will tempt them.

Rehearsal Before Performance. A real, bona-fide engagement is nothing more or less than a dress rehearsal for matrimony. Sometimes the original rehearsing company are married at once, but generally the leading man and leading lady are changed several times before you find the two who just fit the opposing roles.—Helen Rowland's "Digressions of Folly."

Satan His Favorite. The mother of a little 4-year-old boy of Tampa is in the commendable habit of telling him Bible stories, of which she has a wide range at command. She was a trifle surprised the other evening when he looked up and said: "Mamma, please tell me some more about Satan. He is the dandiest fellow of 'em all."—Tampa Times.

Making a Soft Bet. A Kansas man has made a bet that he could invent a question to which fifty people would all give the same answer. The experiment has been tried and it works like a charm. The question is this: "Have you heard that Smith has committed suicide?" Answer: "What Smith?"—Kansas City Journal.

Know Thyself. Everybody who writes a book makes a more or less public confession of his own character. So every reader who likes or dislikes a book makes a similar confession to himself of himself in the process. It is an easy way, close at hand, of learning whether you are right with the world or not.

Royal Gifts to Pope. In the Pope's treasure-house are two crowns which are valued at \$2,500,000. One of them was the gift of Napoleon to Pius VII, and contains the largest emerald in the world. The other, the gift of Queen Isabella of Spain, to Pius IX, weighs three pounds and is worth \$1,000,000.

Formic Acid for Malaria. P. Howard Williams, writing in praise of formic acid as a cure for malaria, says it is an old Matabele remedy. The Matabeles get it by eating spiders. Mr. Williams says that when he had malaria in Matabeleland a dose of two spiders cured him.

Know Him by His Souvenirs. When a young man keeps carefully among his treasures a pair of cheap garters which once belonged to some fourth-rate girl, it is a sure sign that his proper place is with that same girl. A man is known by the souvenirs he keeps.

Poor Philadelphia. A Philadelphia trolley car crashed into a bakery wagon and sent a load of pies through the air. What with germs in the drinking water and pies in the air, Philadelphia must be an unhealthy place, indeed.—Buffalo Express.

Wanted Half a Spool. A small boy asked the clerk for a spool of cotton. The boy had only 1 cent and the clerk informed him that 2 cents was the price for the cheapest cotton. "Can't you sell me half a spool?" asked the boy.

Dangerous, Anyway. It's dangerous not to notice a new dress your wife has, because she thinks you are not interested, and it's dangerous to notice because it may be a new one you forgot to notice before.—New York Press.

Inns Furnish Tooth Brushes. Japanese inns furnish fresh tooth brushes every morning free to every guest. The brush is of wood, shaped like a pencil, and frayed to a tufty brush of fiber at the large end.

Love's Test. Absence is not love's true test. Nor is the fall of adverse fate; The love that's faithfulness and best is that whose ardors never abate. Thro' all the petty, jarring strife Of daily comradeship in life.—Bodie M. Best, in Good Housekeeping.

English Watch Material Made Abroad. The Chamber of Commerce of Coventry is investigating a charge that so-called "English" watches are made of material manufactured abroad.

GENERAL PIKE'S TOMB

IS AT MADISON BARRACKS, N. Y. Discoverer of Famous Colorado Mountain Killed in Battle and Buried With Military Honors.

The following statement is printed in the Lawrenceburg, Indiana, Register: "The statement recently published in several metropolitan papers that General Pike, the explorer, is buried in Greendale, Col. Zebulon Pike, the father of Gen. Zebulon Montgomery Pike, the explorer, is buried in Greendale."

Back at Work Again. Buffalo, N. Y., May 23nd.—(Special)—Crippled by Kidney Disease still he could not stand on his feet for the hours required at his trade, F. R. McLean, 90 East Ferry St., this city, had to quit work entirely. Now he's back at work again and he does not hesitate to give the credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Automotor Cars. The International Railway Congress at its recent meeting in Washington considered the use of automotors and in its resolutions declares that experiments with this class of vehicles should be continued.

Poor Plumber. "That man's a plumber? And he hasn't a foot of plumbing in his house." "Not a foot. He says that as a householder he couldn't afford to put in his own plumbing at his own price, and as a plumber he's ashamed to lose money on a job."—Omaha News.

Great Change. From Change in Food. The brain depends much more on the stomach than we are apt to suppose until we take thought in the matter. Feed the stomach on proper food easy to digest and containing the proper amount of phosphates and the healthy brain will respond to all demands. A notable housewife in Buffalo writes:

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Those Who Have Tried It. Mrs. Jordan—Did you ever hear my daughter, Miss Johnson, Mr. Johnson—Oh, yes, I only live five blocks from your house, you know.

Mars Peeped By Farmers.

"Mars is inhabited." The fact is proved, according to Prof. Robert W. Prentiss of Rutgers College, by the straight lines on the surface of the planet, which, he says, are fertilized areas of land instead of huge canals, as heretofore believed by astronomers. These views, which are the results of his scientific researches, he set forth recently in a stereopticon lecture held under the auspices of the board of education at Fifty-ninth street and Park avenue.

Deepest Known Fishing. Near the Tonga islands in the Pacific, some time ago a fish net was sunk 23,000 feet below the surface. That is the deepest haul ever made. It took a whole day to sink the net and raise it. Life was found even at that depth, over four miles, where the temperature was just above freezing and the pressure 2,000 pounds to the square inch.

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The Young Physician.

WHAT HIS EXPERIENCE PROVED. In the early sixties it was usually the duty of a practicing physician to ride many miles every day on his regular round of visits upon his patients. In those days a young man who had received a splendid medical training in one of the best medical colleges of that day was accustomed to ride ten, twenty or thirty miles or more visiting the sick and afflicted. His success was soon phenomenal. Doctors and families called him for consultation to towns at considerable distances by rail.

Conviction Follows Trial. When buying loose coffee or anything your grocer happens to have in his bin, how do you know what you are getting? Some queer stories about coffee that is sold in bulk, could be told, if the people who handle it (grocers), cared to speak out. Could any amount of mere talk have persuaded millions of housekeepers to use Lion Coffee, the leader of all package coffees for over a quarter of a century, if they had not found it superior to all other brands in Purity, Strength, Flavor and Uniformity?

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LOCALS.

The river has been two high this year for good fishing.

Chas. Cleland and Frank Barress visited Elizabethtown, this week.

Mr. Dodson is here from Trinidad to look after his mining interest on Klondike mountain.

Dave Cartwright has been helping us in the printing office the past week of which we are under obligation.

We are under obligation to R. W. Penn, the past week for kindness shown us in taking charge of the Post office.

F. J. Callender is now ready for the public to call and see the line of Groceries he is selling at Questa prices. They are fresh and new.

Dr. E. B. Sharrard left the first of the week for his home at Trinidad. He states he will be back soon to work his mining property on the Columbine.

C. A. Metzger, Scott County, Kansas, and J. J. Konzen South Bend Indiana were visitors in camp this week. They are so well pleased they state they will be back and may bond and lease some property which they wish to get hold of.

Alonzo Oldham and his son Reed, arrived in camp the first of the week, to look after their mining interest on Placer creek. Mr. Oldham with his brothers, Reed and George, both on arrests last summer, on the Golden Calf property and expect to grind out the precious metals this year.

Will Prichard, wife and three children arrived in camp Sunday, from Trinidad. Mrs. Prichard is here to do considerable development work on the Rock of Ages mining property situated up Pioneer. W. C. Haverly of Trinidad, is the owner of this property which has the name of being one of the best prospects in camp.

Call and see our large stock of fishing tackle, the best that can be got in the market at State's, also a new invoice of Dr. Longsough syrup and other patent medicines.

Chas. Brink and his son Harry and their wives left for Ft. Garland Tuesday where Mrs. Charles Brink will take charge of the hotel at that place. Mrs. Brink will without doubt make a success of the business as she is a manager and knows what will satisfy the taste of the traveling public. Harry and his wife will return to Omaha his old home.

Huge Task.

It was a huge task, to undertake the cure of such a bad case of kidney disease, as that of C. F. Collier of Cherokee, Ia., but Electric Bitters did it. He writes: "My kidneys were so far gone, I could not sit on a chair without a cushion; and suffered from dreadful headache, backache and depression. In Electric Bitters, however, I found a cure, and by them was restored to perfect health. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all with weak kidneys, liver or stomach. Guaranteed by F. C. Stevens; price 50 cents."

The river is getting quite low these days.

C. A. Compton returned from Colorado this week.

The Independence Gold Mining Company are putting more men to work.

Floyd L. Hamlin, the Oneida merchant, was a Red River visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mowd and daughter Esther, visited Elizabethtown, today.

M. D. Pierce returned to Elizabethtown this week, to resume work on the Baldy Deep Tunnel.

J. L. Cummins, E. C. Endeman and the Oldham boys are repairing the Placer creek road this week.

James Bigelow and W. W. Gandy have been working on the Butter Creek road the past week.

When in Elizabethtown call at the Miner's Inn and get a "square meal." Mrs. James Victor is in charge.

The Luce Brothers have taken a contract to build a portion of the Independence-Elizabethtown wagon road.

L. Schwartz of La Belle, was in town last week, and is again working on property owned by Mr. Schenck.

H. H. Hankins, who has been sick at Ute Creek for the last nine months is able to be out again and was calling on friends in Red River yesterday.

Attend Sabbath school and get one of the library books and read something that will interest you. Sunday school at 2 P. M. and church every Sunday and Wednesday night.

On June 2nd occurred the wedding of L. S. Myers and Miss Maude Bryan, both of Taos. The Prospector with the balance of their Red River friends wishes them a long and happy wedded life.

Taos County Normal Institute

The Teachers Normal Institute of Taos County will open its next annual session in Taos, June 19, 1905 and continue for six weeks. Every effort is being made to make the Institute an interesting and profitable one. Aside from the Common School branches, a course in Bookkeeping will be offered and a series of lectures are being arranged. Among those who will speak are Territory Superintendent, Prof. H. Hadley, of Santa Fe, Mrs. Lulu J. White Grainger of Pueblo, Miss Jose Dwire, Mr. L. Dwire and Mr. William McKean. Physiology and Hygiene work will be under direction of T. P. Martin, M. D. Further announcements with dates, will be made at the opening of the Institute. The regular tuition of \$2.00 will be changed and it is earnestly desired that every Teacher make an effort to attend. Members of School Boards and parents will be welcome at all sessions and lectures.

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Dave Hooson who has been in the central part of the territory returned home yesterday.

Tom Bryan of the Gold Mint Mining property in Long canyon was a visitor in camp last week. On account of all the bridges being washed out across the Rio Hondo, he was obliged to come to Red River for supplies. His company expect to do considerable work this summer. He was also, looking for men to engage to work on the property.

New Mexican: Hon. Malaquias Martinez who during the past ten years has represented the county of Taos either in the House of Representatives or the Council of the Legislative Assembly, is in the city. He reached here Saturday evening and yesterday attended the meeting of the Territorial Penitentiary Commission, of which he is a member. Mr. Martinez states that crop and stock conditions in his section are first class and that the farmers, stock men and horticulturist will have a splendid year of it. The bridges across the Rio Grande from the Colorado line to Espanola have been carried away by the high water in the river and the route to Santa Fe by what is called the inside route, namely: The road leading from Taos via Ojo Sarco, Frampas and Chimayo to Espanola.

No Secret About It.

It is no secret, that the Cuts, Burns, Ulcers, Fever Sores, sore eyes, Boils, etc., nothing is so effective as Becken's Arnica Salve. "It didn't take long to cure a bad sore I had, and it is all O. K. for sore eyes," writes D. L. Gregory, of Pope, Texas. 25 cents at F. C. Stevens' store.

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You are hereby notified that L. the undersigned, has expended one hundred dollars on each of the claims or two hundred dollars on both claims during the year 1904, in labor and improvement upon the following lode claims situated in the Red River Mining District in the county of Taos and Territory of New Mexico and more fully described in the location certificates which are recorded in the mining records of the County of Taos and Territory of New Mexico: The Gold King lode claim is recorded March 22nd 1900, in Book 22 on Page 121, said claim having been located on Jan. 5th 1897; and the Gold Queen lode claim is recorded April 10th 1900, in Book No. 22 on Page 120, said claim having been located January 19th, 1900; Said amount was expended during the said year for the purpose of holding said claim under the provisions of section 2304 revised statutes of the United States and amendments thereto, and it is hereby notified, that after the service of this notice by publication, you fail or refuse to contribute your portion of such expenditure as co-owner, together with the cost of the publication of this notice, your interest in this lode claim will become the property of the undersigned, your co-owner.

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