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[LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 64-492]

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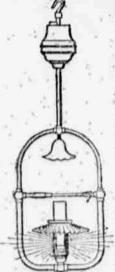
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#### VERDICT FOR MRS. HILLMON.

Famous Kansas Insurance Suit Decided Against the Companies, Who Must Pay Judgment and Costs of \$120,000.

Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 20,-After having been out ten hours the jury in the Hillmon insurance case returned a verdiet for Mrs. Sallie E. Hillmon-Smith, the plaintiff, who was awarded \$33,122. Of this \$22,068 was against the Mutual Life, of New York and \$11,054 against the Connecticut Mutual. The insurance companies, according to the verdict, are to pay the costs of the 20 years' litigation, which are said to reach \$90,000.

Judge George J. Barker, leading council for the insurance companies, stated that the case would be appealed to the United States supreme court and that it could be taken there direct.

History of the Noted Case. W. Hillmon was a farmer and stock raiser near Tonganoxie when he married Sallie E. Quinn in October, 1878. On March 27, 1879. Hillmon was reported to have shot and killed by accident near Medicine Lodge. Shortly after his marriage he had taken out policies for \$13,000 in the New York Life Insurance company, for \$1,000 in the Connecticut Mutual Life In-urance company and for \$1.0.6 in the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York. The insurance companies claimed to have information that the body was not that of Hillmon, but that of Adolph Walters, of Fort Madison, la. Their theory was that Hillmon had murdered Waiters and intended to rob them by collecting his own life insurance.

The case has been in the courts 20 years and has been tried before six federal judges. Foster, Brewer, Shiras, Taomas, Williams and Hook. A verdict was reached only once in the third trial before Judge Shiras. This was in favor of Mrs. Hillmon, but the verdict was set aside by the supreme court and the case sent back for trial because of the admission of improper evidence. Mrs. Hillmon had a majority of the jury in each trial and at the one before this last the jury was it to I in her favor.

Mrs. Hillmon married a traveling salesman, Smith, eight years ago. Her home is in Leaven-

#### THEY DESERT ROBERTS.

Utah Democratic Committee Refuse to Take Up the Cudgel in Behalf of the Congressman With Three Wives.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 20 .- The democratic state committee had a meeting Saturday, chiefly to consider the Roberts case. Chairman H. Moyle, a Mormon, urged that counter petitions be gotten up, praying that Roberts be seated. One after another of the Gentile members arose and opposed this, saying that they had voted for Roberts as a democrat, on the expectation that he would be able to clear up all the charges that were made against him by the opposition, as he had agreed to do.

Roberts was arraigned for what was called his bad faith in failing to do this, and it was declared that he had made a football of the democratic party as well as of prominent democrats. The Gentile democrats were manimous in their opposition to the proposition to get up petitions for Roberts. Thereupon, the Mormon members dropped the matter, the chief purpose of the meeting having failed.

#### HEAVY LOSS ON APPLES.

Chicago Commission Men Out \$200,000 Through the Warm Weather in October Spoiling the Fruit.

Chicago, Nov. 20. - South Water street commission men mourn \$200,000 loss in apples. Three weeks of exceptionally warm weather in October, when the cream of the winter stock was shipped by Michigan, New York and Indiana growers, "cooked" the majority of the consignments so badly that even cold storage could not save them from decay. The national loss on apples alone, due to the summer weather which prevailed between October 10 and November 10 will run past the \$1,000,000 mark. Shipments to England and continental ports, they say, turned out so badly that in many cases consignments did not net the freight charges from orchard to wharf.

#### BRADLEY WILL HOLD ON.

If Goebel Succeeds in Gaining a Certificate by Throwing Out Votes, the Present Governor Will Not Recognize Him.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 20.-Gov. W. O. Bradley and the adjutant general of the state guard, Daniel Collier, conferred here yesterday with Col. R. D. Williams, of the Second Kentucky regiment, and the latter returned with them to Frankfort. None would talk. Republicans leaders, professing to be close to the governor but having no announcement from him personally, say that if the vote of Louisville is thrown out Bradley will refuse to recognize Goebel as his successor and will maintain his position even if forced to use militia.

Hopes for Tariff Concessions.

Washington, Nov. 20.-Active negotiations are proceeding to secure from Brazil such tariff concessions as will extend the market for American wheat and American flour in that country. As Brazilian coffee enters, the United States free of outy, the purpose of the American officials has been to secure tariff concessions on American products going to Brazil, chiefly flour and

American Shipping Prospering. Washington, Nov. 20,-The annual report of Mr. Chamberlain, the commissioner of navigation, shows that American shipping industries shared in the general prosperity of the country during the past fiscal year. The returns disclose more satisfactory conditions than those of any former year

in the bureau's history.

#### Still More Counterfeiting.

The Secret Service has just unearthed another band of counterfeiters and secured a large quantity of bogus bills, which are so cleverly executed that the average person would never suspect them of being spurious. Things of great value are always selected for imitation, notably Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which has many imitators but no equals for disorders like indigestion, dyspepsia, con-stipation, nervousness and general debility. See that a private Revenue Stamp covers the neck of the bottle.

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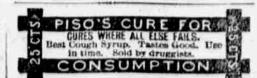
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Stockers	4	41	40	4	50
Texaus	3	25	65	4	225
HOGS-Choice to heavy	25	00	45	4	(.0
SHEEP Fair to choice	1	80	66	3	250
WHEAT-No. 2 red		76			71
No. 2 hard			1460		07
CORN-No. 2 mixed		28	16		1.9
OATS-No 2 mixed			16.60		:3
RYE-No.2		47	6.5		48
FLOUR-Patent, per bbl	79	3.		2	60
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CHEESE Full cream		1775	-		1236
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EGGS-Choice		15			1514
POTATOES		15	(4)		35
CATTLE-Native and shipping.	3	00	66	6	50
Texans	3	35			75
HOGS-Heavy	4	00			0.5
SHEEP-Fair to choice	13	25	GE	4	00
FLOUR-Choice		25			50
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CORN-No. 2 mixed		30	16:00		3114
OATS-No. 2 mixed		223	60		2314
RYE-No. 2.		51	68		53
BUTTER-Creamery		1212			2614
LARD - Western mess	4	85			90
PORK	- 170	20			00
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BUTTER-Creamery			1400		25
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