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Notice.

In the district court of Lancaster county, Nebraska. Austin Riley plaintiff, vs. Martin Riley, Thomas J. Riley and Mary Riley...

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of said court the undersigned...

Sheriff's Sale.

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AN OCEAN TRAGEDY.

THE TERRIBLE FATE WHICH BEFELL THE CENTRAL AMERICA.

A Contest Between Angry Waters and a Bucket Line, in Which the Latter Lost. A Cowardly Engineer—A Bird Guided the Ellen to the Rescue.

And who that remembers can hear without a thrill the name of the steamship Central America, which sank in a great storm on Sept. 12, 1857...

The Central America was crowded with treasure laden people from California on their way to New York. After leaving Havana on Sept. 8 she ran into a storm.

The officers exhorted the bucket gang not to pause for a moment if the ship was to be saved. The wind roared and the storm increased in fury.

Heave, oh! heave, oh! stamp and go. We'll be jolly blither, oh! All day long they sang this song and fought for life against the steadily rising water.

During the next day the peril of the steamer was increased by the lack of food and water. The hurricane tossed the sinking hull about and shattered her spars and masts.

About 2 o'clock in the afternoon a sail was seen to windward. Guns were fired and signals of distress hoisted.

Then the boats were made ready, and the women and children prepared themselves. They had to strip off nearly all of their clothes and put on life preservers.

Two of them went to their staterooms and took out bags of \$20 gold pieces, which they threw down in the cabin, inviting the others to take what they pleased.

The men still remained at their work, saying that they would remain on board until another ship arrived.

Two of the lifeboats were smashed by the sea, but three boats were filled with women and children, many of the latter being infants.

All at once the ship, as if in an agony of death herself, made a plunge at an angle of 45 degrees, and with an appalling shriek from the engulfed mass she disappeared.

A few held on to planks and spars all through the wild night, and as the day broke the Norwegian bark Ellen arrived and picked up 49 of the men.

"I was forced out of my course just before I met you," said the captain of the Ellen to the rescued passengers, "and when I altered my course a bird few across the ship once or twice, and then darted into my face.

Who shall say what power guided the flight of the bird?—New York Herald.

Nice Discrimination. George is a handsome, bearded colored man, not black, but of a Spanish complexion, who is managing man—buyer, butler and general factotum—for a Boston lady who keeps an expensive boarding house "on the hill."

He is one of the rare men who are always deferential and never servile. Though but a head waiter, he might well be called a gentleman.

If they are all busy, George "fills the gaps." Thus it chanced one day not long ago that he leaned deferentially over the shoulder of a new boarder and said, "Apple pie and ice cream, sah."

The new boarder is somewhat deaf and long accustomed to less liberal boarding houses. Not sure that he had heard George aright, he looked around and said: "What? Apple pie or ice cream?"

"No, sah, not here, sah! Apple pie and ice cream, sah," said George, with admirable suavity and perfect vindication of his boarding house from possible suspicion of being one of those places where they offer the guests nothing more than a choice between dishes of dessert.

Curiosities of Words. There are two words in the whole range of the English language containing all the vowels in their regular order.

They are abstemious and facetious. The following words each have them in irregular order: Authoritative, disadvantageous, encouraging, efficacious, instantaneous, importunate, mendacious, nefarious, precarious, pertinacious, sacrilegious, simultaneous, tenacious, unintentional, unobjectionable, unequivocal, undiscoverable and vexatious.

Here are some of the shortest sentences into which the alphabet can be compressed: "J. Gray, pack with my box five dozen quills," 33 letters. "Quack, glad zephyr, w't my javelin box," 31 letters.

These sentences would make excellent writing copies, for they secure attention to every letter and profitable exercises for learners of the typewriter, as they take in all the keys, and thus familiarize one readily with all possible combinations.

Who's there? "Who's there?" said a feminine voice. "It's—hic—only me—hic—dear."

"Yes—hic—darling. You see it—hic—happened this way. We—hic—went out—hic—fashun—hic—and the wind died out—hic."

"So the wind died out, did it?" "Yes—hic—m'dear. And if you—hic—only knew how shick—hic—your own hubble wash—hic—thish minute—hic—your'd open the door."

"Don't shay that, darling—hic—can't you—hic—hear me shuffering—hic?" "Oh, yes, I hear you. Now I am going to open the door, but not until you convince me that you are not intoxicated. Do you hear me?"

"Hic!" "Before this door opens you've got to say 'quack' three times, without taking breath, 'Coo shells seashells.'" "Oh—hic—lor."

"Well, go ahead." "She sells seashells, she shells shells—" "That won't do. I want you to say distinctly and rapidly. 'She sells seashells.'" "All ri. She shells she shells seashells. What's the matter with that?"

Monkeys and Their Sickness. Monkeys, with some notable exceptions, are some degrees worse than savage men in their treatment of the sick.

At the London Zoological garden the monkeys torment a sick one without mercy, and unless it is at once removed from the cage it has little chance of recovery. The small monkeys bite and pinch it. The larger ones swing it around by the tail.

It has been proved that in a patent lock with an average sized key having six "steps," each capable of being reduced in height 20 times, the number of changes will be 86,400; further, that as the drill pins and the pipes of the keys may be made of three different sizes the total number of changes would be 2,592,000.

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Joe Jefferson's Boxing Lesson. Rising young actors usually guard their positions with a jealous eye, and during the early life of Joseph Jefferson he was no exception to the rule.

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a very pleasing description of life and music on that part of the great Columbian exposition that furnished so much amusement for visitors, and no one that has been on the Plaisance will fail to recognize the features that are introduced.

For St. Louis take the Missouri Pacific route. City ticket office 1201 O Street. Have you seen the beautiful china cups and saucers given away by THE COURIER? They are on exhibition in THE COURIER office and in the principal stores in the city.

Lincoln Not in the League. The Western base ball league was formally reorganized at Indianapolis Tuesday, and Nebraska seems to be shut out. The following cities were admitted: Indianapolis, Toledo, Detroit, Grand Rapids, Milwaukee, Kansas City, Minneapolis and Sioux City.



Willie Tillbrook, Son of Mayor Tillbrook. Hood's Sarsaparilla the sore healed up, he became perfectly well and is now a lively, robust boy.