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WORLD'S FAIR NOTES

An apple of this year's growth, weighing 30 ounces and measuring 18 inches in circumference, is exhibited at the World's Fair in the office of Secretary Marchant, of the Oklahoma Commission.

Wall scaling as taught and practiced in the United States Army is an attraction of the daily military maneuvers of the Filipino Scouts at the World's Fair. A fence eight feet high has been built for the exhibitions, which are given at specified hours.

An exhibit of purifying apparatus for removing the impurities from commercial illuminating gas is made by John Redmond, a gas engineer of Bradford, England, in the Palace of Liberal Arts at the World's Fair.

A series of beautifully executed stained glass windows, including one representing Queen Wilhelmina taking the oath of office, is a feature of Holland's display of applied art in the Art Palace at the World's Fair.

A large collection of bows and arrows of Chinese manufacture is shown in the Chinese section of the Palace of Liberal Arts at the World's Fair. The bows are curiously shaped and decorated and are of various sizes. The arrows are also made of wood, but are tipped with sharp pieces of steel.

A foul ball glancing from the bat, struck Grove Thomas over the heart; he reeled and fell on his face, and in half an hour was dead. He was the catcher of the Babcock baseball team of Johnstown, Pa.

Self-lighting cigars have been invented by an Austrian chemist. They are tipped with a chemical preparation, and when rubbed against a hard substance, such as a wall or the sole of a boot, ignite like a match.

FROM MISERY TO HEALTH.

A Prominent Club Woman, of Kansas City, Writes to Thank Doan's Kidney Pills for a Quick Cure.

Miss Nellie Davis, of 1216 Michigan Avenue, Kansas City, Mo., society leader and club woman, writes: "I cannot say too much in praise of Doan's Kidney Pills, for they effected a complete cure in a very short time when I was suffering from kidney troubles brought on by a cold. I had severe pains in the back and sick headaches, and felt miserable all over. A few boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills made me a well woman, without an ache or pain, and I feel compelled to recommend this reliable remedy."

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GOOD Short Stories

A man in North Carolina who was freed from conviction for horse stealing by the powerful plea of his lawyer, after his acquittal by the jury as asked by the lawyer: "Honor right, now, Bill, you did steal that horse, didn't you?" "Now, look a here, edge," was the reply, "I ailers did duk I stole that boss, but sense I card your speech to that 'ere Jerry, I'll e doggoned if I ain't got my doubts bout it."

At a dinner given some time ago in honor of Hall Caine, Thomas Nelson Page was invited to introduce the English novelist. One of the guests next to Mr. Page, just before the toasts began, passed his menu card around the table with the request that Mr. Caine put his signature on it. "That's a good idea," said Page; "I must do that, so I've got to introduce Caine in a few minutes, and I want to be able to say that I have read something he has written."

A young globe-trotter was holding forth during a dinner in Paris about the loveliness of the Island of Tahiti, and the marvelous beauty of the woman there. One of the Barons Rothschild, who was present, ventured to inquire if he had remarked anything so worthy of note in connection with the island. Resenting the baron's inquiry, the youth replied: "Yes; what truck me most was that there were Jews and no pigs to be seen there." "Is that so?" exclaimed the baron, in wise disconcerted; "then if you and go there together we shall make our fortunes."

Frank Everest, of Atchison, Kan., a good deal of an American, having small admiration left for foreign lands, people. Not long ago he went to Europe on business. During the voyage he and other passengers were much annoyed by a Bostonian, who asked a great deal about the number of times he had been abroad. He had great stress on the fact that he went over twice a year. "Have you ever seen abroad?" he asked Everest. Everest admitted he was making his first trip. "I go over twice a year," said the Bostonian. "Oh, do you?" replied Everest; and he added: "Have you ever been to Omaha?" The Bostonian said he hadn't. "Well," said Everest, "I go there twice a week."

Noah Webster was, as might be supposed, a stickler for good English, and often reproved his wife's misuse of the language. On one occasion Webster happened to be alone in the dining-room with their very pretty housemaid, and being susceptible to such charms, put his arms around her and kissed her squarely on the mouth. Just at this moment Mrs. Webster entered the room, gasped, stood agliss, and in a tone of horror exclaimed: "Why, Noah, I am surprised!" Whereupon Mr. Webster, coolly and calmly, with every evidence of disgust, turned upon her. "How many times must I correct you on the use of simple words?" he remarked; "you mean, madam, that you are astonished. I, madam, I am the one that is surprised."

These are some of the ways by which an expert detects even the most successful forgery.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

CINEMATOGRAPH OF HORRORS.

Russian Doctor's Story of Scenes in the Field Hospital.

The parents of Dr. Samoloff, who was with the field hospital after the battle of Kienlingchong, have received (at Moscow) a letter from their son, giving an appalling description of his work.

"It was not a hospital, but a shambles, and after the first hour's work it seemed to us that we were not ministers of mercy but demons of blood, working frantically, recklessly, callous to pain and life.

"The stream of pierced and shattered bodies poured in so fast that we handled them as indifferently as sacks of flour. As we hacked and sawed—for it was not surgery, but hurried banging—I counted the writhing row on the floor, praying that it might get less, but for every one maimed and bandaged man borne to his couch two were carried in and cast on the ground. At last my brain, dizzy in a mist of blood, pictured the whole universe as nothing but a string of clotted bodies stretching to infinity.

"Yes, I admit that we were callous. So petrifying to the sensibilities is this hurried work of blood that some of us joked like fiends over our atrocious task. The hospital servants who carried out the baskets of amputated limbs hunted one another. 'That is Petruska's leg,' said one. 'I know his toenails.' 'That's no Christian leg,' replied his companion; 'it's a Jew's!'

"One of these clumsy fellows slipped in the blood and sent a streaming arm in the face of a boy lieutenant, who screamed with fright. But at the time even this seemed humorous, not horrible.

"Sometimes the shells fell near our tent, and we wondered if we too would be laid in that eternally growing row, and whether some one, callous as ourselves, would remove our amputated limbs and speculate as to their ownership.

"What made things worse was the deficiency of anaesthetics and bandages. Before we were half way through we had torn up our shirts. Luckily more bandages arrived before the end."—London News of the World.

A Cabin Full of Cuckoos.

An old prospector who, between his periods of gold-hunting, has made his home in a little cabin in a lonely canyon a few miles from Los Angeles, Cal., says the Detroit News-Tribune, has discovered not only gold, but a continuous entertainment for the hours he must spend indoors.

About six months ago the prospector "struck it rich." He was able to show such assays of the ores in his claim that a party of capitalists purchased his property and paid him forty thousand dollars.

On receipt of the money the prospector visited Los Angeles. Among other places he went into a restaurant in which is a cuckoo clock. It was just the noon hour, and the clock uttered its cuckoo notes twelve times in succession. The old prospector was charmed. He remained in the eating house nearly all the afternoon, listening to the music of the clock, which also announced the quarter and half hours.

He learned from the proprietor the name of the firm of which the clock had been purchased, and hastened to the shop. He wanted a clock which would cuckoo every five minutes. Not being able to find this kind, he did a little mental problem, and devised a plan for "continuous performance." He bought a dozen of the ordinary cuckoo clocks, and took them to his lonely cabin.

The cabin is no longer lonely. He has set the clocks at different times in five-minute sequence, so that with the wailing of the hours and quarter hours there is scarcely a moment of the day in which a cuckoo is not singing in the cabin.

Projectiles We Use.

We have now armor-piercing projectiles, deck-piercing projectiles, semi-armor-piercing projectiles, common forged and cast steel projectiles, cast-iron projectiles, shrapnel, and so on, in endless variety. As the work the gun, whether ashore or afloat, will have to do can be pretty clearly predicted, it would appear as though one, or at most two, kinds of projectiles were enough. These two would naturally have, the one a high penetrative power, and the other a large capacity for internal charge, giving great destructive power when the shell is burst. No one who has not examined carefully the effect of bursting a shell in a closed space can have an idea of its destructiveness. A small six-pound shell, of about two and one-quarter inches diameter, containing three or four ounces of powder, burst in an ordinary room and breaking into twenty or thirty fragments, would probably destroy everything in the room.

He Knew.

"You must visit our new country club," said the suburbanite. "The grounds are beautiful; the golf links superb. You won't find such scenery elsewhere. On entering the grounds the first thing that strikes your eye—"

"I know!" interrupted the city man. "A golf ball!"—Philadelphia Press.

His Will.

First Tramp—If you was a rich man, who would you leave your money to?

Second Tramp—To charity, of course. You don't 'pose I'd go back on my old friends, do you?—Detroit Free Press.

CLUB SANDWICHES.

Have some bread cut into five slices and toasted to a nice brown color; on a slice lay a crisp lettuce leaf on to which put two very thin slices of fried crisp bacon, then a slice of turkey or roasted chicken, again a slice of boiled ham, two small slices of crisp fried bacon, as a lettuce leaf, and place on all another slice of toast. Press firmly with the hand to pack it, then cut it diagonally in half.

NUT COOKIES.

Put two tablespoonfuls of butter and one-half a cupful of sugar to a cream. Add one egg beaten thoroughly two tablespoonful of milk one-fourth of a teaspoonful of salt one teaspoonful of baking powder sifted with one cupful of flour. Stir in one cupful of chopped nuts. Drop by teaspoonfuls on well buttered tins and bake in a quick oven.

There are 144,000 Mombos in the United States.

It is never good taste to deliberately refuse to recognize by giving a blank star, an acquaintance on the street or elsewhere; when one wishes to end an undesirable acquaintance and it is impossible not to speak the salutation should be given but with dignity and brevity. On subsequent occasions when the person approaches keep the eyes averted or downcast until he is by. A blank stare in return to a salutation betrays the poor breeding of the one giving it.

CHICKEN AND NUT SANDWICHES.

Chop fine the white meat of a cooked chicken and pound to a paste in a mortar Season to taste with salt paprika oil and lemon juice and spread upon thin bits of bread. Spread other bits of bread corresponding in shape to the first with butter press into the butter English walnuts pecan nuts or almonds blanched and sliced very thin. Press corresponding pieces together.

Like master, like dog, is a truism; I never knew a hateful, malicious cur but what was haffbrother to his owner.

Greece is overrun by well-educated men who are unable to earn a living. The country swarms with doctors who have no patients, and lawyer who have no briefs, while laborers are in demand to till the soil at good wages.

"Goldsmiths' "Vicer of Wakefield" was sold for a trifle to save him from the grip of the law.

The infidel argues just as a bull dog chained to a post: he bellows and paws, but he doesn't git loose from the post I notice.

HOW TO DETECT FORGERY.

Experts in Handwriting Are Able to Read Many Signs.

"I am not an expert in chirography, but I have at least made enough of a study of handwriting to tell why it is often easy to detect the forgery of a name, though even the man whose name has been forged may declare the handwriting a perfect replica of his own." Arnold Keating says: "Of course, you know—everybody knows, for that matter—that a man or woman never writes his name twice exactly in the same way. There is always a slight difference, and where two signatures of the same name appear identically alike it is safe to assume that one or both is a forgery. But suppose the signature has been forged but once, suppose the handwriting of which it is an exact copy has been destroyed or is not obtainable, of what avail is the comparative method? The exact comparison cannot be employed, but other almost infallible comparisons are still available. When a child is taught how to write, at first its penmanship is severely stiff and cramped; then it becomes very much like that in the copybook, but after this is discarded the child's character begins to creep into its handwriting. There are little idiosyncrasies apparent that are not to be found in the chirography of other children, and this manifestation of character in writing continues to change it with development until about the age of 25, when a person's character is fixed and his handwriting from that time on continues about the same. The forger's copy of the signature or writing will appear to be exactly like that of the man, but when examined under a powerful microscope, the tiny evidences of character that appear in every loop and line will be found to be largely missing, for the same character is not behind the pen. It is in the minute details that the forgery is discovered. Then, again, a man's mental condition will impress itself upon his writing. If he is nervous, bubbling over with joy or depressed, the fact will be apparent to the expert in writing. If the alleged handwriting doesn't show traces of the mental condition the man was really in at the time he was supposed to have written a certain letter or signed a certain letter, the signature or the writing is a forgery.

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LIQUID KOAL cures and prevents hog cholera, chicken cholera, pink eye, black leg, and all the germ diseases of animals, because it is a germ killer and goes into the stomach, into the bowels, and into the blood, and wherever the blood goes. It permeates the entire system of an animal through the medium of circulation, and denudes the system of every disease germ.

We are giving three hundred thousand dollars worth of it for advertising purposes and to prove to farmers and stock raisers what it will do.

LIQUID KOAL has been tested for the past five years in the largest laboratories of this country, and Germany, and in many of the experimental stations.

We have proved beyond a question of doubt before the greatest experts of the country, that it destroys germs of disease common to all domestic animals, and thereby cures diseases. Worms, intestinal and skin parasites, ticks, lice, insects, and vermin suck the life blood and sap the vitality of domestic animals and fowls until the annual losses to farmers and stock raisers reach enormous footing.

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Liquid Koal is the Best and Cheapest Worm Killer Known to Science

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| Foot Rot | Smith Center, Kan., July 8, 1903. |
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| Black Leg | Yours Fraternally, |
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provement was so marked that I bought a gallon can and used it with the result that my hogs all recovered and I did not lose one. My herd of over 300 are in fine condition and you may put me down as a constant user of **Liquid Koal**.

G. A. Strand, Dec. 10, 1902.

We the undersigned stock raisers and farmers gladly testify to the merits of **Liquid Koal** manufactured by the National Medical Co. of Sheldon, Iowa, and York, Nebraska. We have used this product with gratifying success and advise all to give it a trial. I should be on every farm in Nebraska.

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Chris Schell, Staplehurst, Neb.
Geo. Ringelger, Seward, Neb.
J. H. Peary, Bee, Neb.
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F. C. Meyer, Staplehurst, Neb.
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Hoomfield, Neb., Dec. 18, 1902.

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