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I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. Thos. Robbins, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb 17, 1900.

There are two reasons why some people do not mind their own business. One is they haven't any business, and the other is they haven't any mind.—London Tit-Bits.

It is a great mistake for a married man to give way to a love of pastry, as it puts him so much in the power of his wife.—Ally Sloper.

The Mexicans allay their thirst by chewing Chiclé, which is the main ingredient of White's "Yucatan" Gum.

As a general rule the more a man leaves behind him in this world the less he has to commence the next one with.—Ally Sloper.

It is a remarkable thing how many societies at their meetings waste hours in making minutes.—Ally Sloper.

The frown of a true friend is better than the smile of a cunning enemy.—Chicago Journal.

He who would make a fool of himself will find many to help him.—Danish Proverb.

He that lies down with dogs will get up with fleas.—Danish Proverb.

Friendship is a welcome ship in any port.—Chicago Daily News.

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Wigg—What is it?
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The Worm's Turning. Mrs. Henpeck—What do you think of giving me for a Christmas present?
Mr. Henpeck—I think very well of it, but to whom? I haven't an enemy on earth.—Philadelphia Press.

Excursion Sleepers Via M., K. & T. Ry. Weekly Excursion Sleepers leave St. Louis via Katy Flyer (M. K. & T. Ry.) every Tuesday at 8:10 p. m. for San Antonio, Los Angeles and San Francisco. Weekly Excursion Sleepers leave Kansas City via the M. K. & T. Ry. every Saturday at 9:05 p. m. for San Antonio, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

Explained. Piper—Say, Mugsy, wat's a statu quo, anyhow?
Mugsy—Why, dat's when you've got de jay down an' are sittin' on him.—Philadelphia North American.

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It is always a safe rule, when a dog's bark is worse than his bite, to fight shy of his bark.—Chicago Journal.

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Genuine charity is after all not so very particular as to where it begins.—Detroit Journal.

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BEAUTIFUL CORA LIVINGSTON.

It Was the Height of Fashion to Be One of the Admirers of This Peerless Maiden.

"Under the John Quincy Adams administration Cora Livingston was recognized as one of a trio of the foremost beauties of the United States," writes William Perrine in Ladies' Home Journal. "During the period from 1820, to 1830," said Josiah Quincy, who had a critical eye for pretty girls, "who has not heard of the three great belles of this country—Miss Cora Livingston, of New Orleans; Miss Julia Dickenson, of Troy, and Miss Emily Marshall, of Boston?" Indeed, he observed that he would need to know how to paint the rose to describe Miss Cora. "In the first place," he went on to say, "she is not handsome; I mean not transcendently handsome, but she has a fine figure, a pretty face, dances well and dresses to admiration. It is the height of the ton to be her admirer, and she is certainly the belle of this country."

"The beauty of Cora Livingston Barton had ripened early and it faded early. Long after the days of her supremacy as a belle were gone Josiah Quincy was taken to her home at Montgomery Place, on the Hudson. He had not seen her for 30 years. "Will you come into the house and see Mrs. Barton?" he was asked. He assented, and he saw an old lady in cap and dress of studied simplicity. "You would not have known me," she said, and he could not make reply. "Come into the next room," she then said, "and you will see the Cora Livingston you knew in Washington." There he saw the full-length portrait of the beauty to whom he had paid homage a generation before, and he could gaze upon it only in silence.

MEN WHO SAW NAPOLEON.

Two Englishmen Survive Who Remember the Great French Commander.

There are living at least two Englishmen who saw Napoleon on board the Bellerophon off Plymouth, says the London Chronicle. One is James Doel, our oldest living actor; the other, Joseph May, contributes to the Westminster Gazette a most interesting account of his experience. It was understood that the captive emperor would show himself at definite times on deck. "Long before the time arrived great crowds of people of all ranks had gathered round the ship, but were not allowed to come quite near. I have a distinct recollection of the scene at the moment Napoleon presented himself at the gangway and received the respectful homage of the thousands—men, women and children—that stood up in their boats and gave expression to their feelings by a subdued roar, not approaching a huza nor partaking in the least of reproach. I fancy I see him now—short in person, stiff, upright, rather stout." This supplies a further proof of the revulsion of feeling in England in favor of Napoleon as soon as he was beaten and helpless.

Joseph May is probably the only living man who has seen all four Napoleons. It was at Vienna, in the theater, that he saw the second Napoleon, who was born king of Rome, died as the duke of Reichstadt and has been revived in public memory as L'Aiglon. Mr. May at the time was returning from Poland, where he had been serving the country in its struggle for independence. He saw Napoleon III. and the prince imperial when they were guests of the earl of Mount-Edgumbe after Sedan.

THE GENERAL MARKETS.

Kansas City, Dec. 18.

CATTLE—Beef steers	4.00 @ 5.10
Native stockers	3.50 @ 4.50
Texas and Indian steers	3.20 @ 4.20
HOGS	3.00 @ 4.25
SHEEP	3.45 @ 4.25
WHEAT—No. 2 hard	65 1/2 @ 67
No. 2 red	69 1/2 @ 70
CORN—No. 2 mixed	33 1/2 @ 34
OATS—No. 2 mixed	23 1/2 @ 24
RYE—No. 2	46 1/2
FLOUR—Hard wh't patents	3.25 @ 3.35
Soft wheat patents	3.50 @ 3.60
HAY—Timothy	6.00 @ 11.00
Prairie	6.00 @ 9.50
BRAN—Sacked	61 1/2
BUTTER—Extra fancy	16 @ 23
CHEESE—Full cream	11 1/2 @ 12 1/2
EGGS	20 1/2
POTATOES—Home grown	30 @ 40

ST. LOUIS.

CATTLE—Native steers	3.00 @ 5.00
Texas and Indian steers	3.25 @ 4.50
HOGS—Packers	4.00 @ 4.90
SHEEP—Native muttons	3.50 @ 4.50
FLOUR—Patents	3.50 @ 3.65
WHEAT—No. 2 red	70 1/2 @ 72 1/2
CORN—No. 2	35 @ 36
OATS—No. 2	23 @ 23 1/2
RYE	50
BUTTER—Dairy	16 @ 20
DRY SALT MEATS	6.75 @ 7.00
BACON	7.87 1/2 @ 8.25

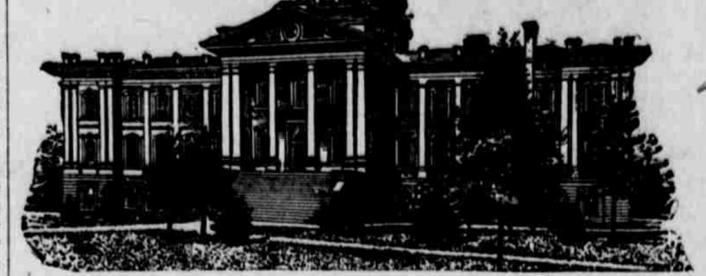
CHICAGO.

CATTLE—Steers	3.75 @ 6.10
HOGS—Mixed and butchers	4.65 @ 4.97 1/2
SHEEP—Western	3.90 @ 4.50
FLOUR—Spring patents	3.40 @ 3.85
WHEAT—No. 2 red	72 @ 74
CORN—No. 2	38 1/2 @ 39 1/2
OATS—No. 2	22 1/2 @ 23
RYE—December	46 1/2
LARD—December	7.05 @ 7.12 1/2
PORK—December	11.25

NEW YORK.

CATTLE—Steers	4.15 @ 5.30
HOGS—Mixed westerns	5.25 @ 5.30
SHEEP	2.25 @ 4.00
WHEAT—No. 2 red	77 1/2 @ 78
CORN—No. 2	45 @ 45 1/2
OATS—No. 2	27 1/2

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A Letter From the Executive Office of Oregon.

The Governor of Oregon is an ardent admirer of Pe-ru-na. He keeps it continually in the house. In a recent letter to Dr. Hartman he says:

STATE OF OREGON, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, SALEM, May 9, 1898.

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