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RURAL WRITINGS

Items from the country are collected for this department. Mail or send them in as early in the week as possible; items received later than Wednesday can not be used at all and it is preferred that they be in not later than Tuesday. Always send your name with items that we may know who they are from. Name of sender not for publication. See that your writing is legible, especially names and places, leaving plenty of space between the lines for correction. Be careful that what you tell about actually occurred.

Phoenix.

Hurrah for Taft, Kinkaid and Otto Nilson.

Corn husking will soon be a thing of the past, around here.

Pearl Parshall stayed with Miss Gatewood over Sunday.

Ernest Price began a term of school at Ancon last Monday.

Mr. White and little son of Atkinson were in the neighborhood Sunday.

O. N. Hendricks of Celia was in this neighborhood the forepart of the week.

Ruth and Ralph Coburn stayed with their grandma two or three days last week.

A sister of Mrs. Obermires from Le Mars, Iowa, is visiting at Mr. Obermire's now.

Mrs. Lamplier and Leonora returned from a pleasant visit at Harry Oady's near Bassett.

Bert and Ray Parshall, Jess Anderson and Bub Keeler are husking corn in Boyd county at present.

A meeting will be held Saturday evening Nov. 14, at the Greeley school house, for the purpose of organizing a literary.

Ernest Price, Henry Bartells, Bert Anderson, Mrs. Keeler and Mabel, Mrs. F. Coburn and Ralph spent Sunday at Friend Keelers.

Howard Wagner who has been at Waterloo, Iowa, for over a year returned to Phoenix last week and is staying with his brother Ralph at present.

We are sorry to learn of Mr. McKinnis' accident which may cost him the loss of one eye, but we are glad it is no worse, and not as was thought at first.

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GROWTH OF CARICATURE.

John Law's Wild Schemes Gave it a Tremendous Impetus.

Caricature is nowadays one of the principal methods of criticism. No movement can overreach the mark without eliciting dozens of works of art from caricaturists all over this and all other countries.

This branch of criticism and attack dates far back, but the greatest impulse it ever felt came from the age of tremendous speculation, when, in 1719 and 1730, John Law was manipulating things financial in France. Never before had the financial world been so carried off its feet as it was at that time. Members of the nobility were waiting for a chance to purchase shares in Law's schemes. Duchesses and ladies of high renown tried their most persuasive charms on Law in the attempt to get hold of shares. Men hired out their backs for writing desks, so great was the press of business in making contracts, and one hunchback is reputed to have made 100,000 francs in this way in a few weeks. The French went veritably mad over the schemes to become wealthy. Naturally the papers of the time, especially those of Holland, caricatured the state of affairs. There were pictures of all sorts caricaturing Law, the nobility, the schemes and everything connected with them.

It was this tremendous amount of pictorial work that first directed the energies of William Hogarth in London in this direction. Caricaturing began to be used more and more in the political field, and soon afterward it caused the shelving of Robert Walpole from the English ministry. Ever since then has caricaturing been one of the bitterest and most effectual methods of checking public men and their schemes.

Another Knock.

"Hotel clerks are cold hearted," sighed the shabby tragedian, who was traveling with a toothbrush and a compass.

"Speaking from experience, pal?" asked his barnstorming chum.

"Sure! I approached the clerk of the Red Dog inn and told him actors deserved special terms."

"Ah, indeed! And what did he say?"

"He said yes, they deserved six month terms in the county workhouse."—Chicago News.

No Fiction.

It was a clerk in a Detroit bookstore of whom a prim matron demanded a book for her son. "No fiction, please," she explained, "but absolute, literal truth, without unnecessary verbiage or absurdly fanciful pictures."

"Well, madam"—The bookseller paused, his eye running over his shelves; then, with a flash of inspiration, he took down a volume. "I should think this might meet your requirements," he said, and he handed her a popular geometry.

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TALES OF THE DERBY

Some of the Winners That Were Not Liked as Youngsters.

BOUGHT FOR A MERE TRIFLE.

Little Wonder, Who Carried Off the Blue Ribbon in 1840, Cost His Owner Only \$325—The Successes of Voltigeur and Thormanby.

Stories of Derby winners having been sold as youngsters for exceedingly small sums are fairly numerous, and without going too far back into the recesses of the past at least two instances can be cited of animals destined ultimately to win the "blue ribbon of the turf" which as yearlings no one thought good enough to buy. Voltigeur was one of these, and the other was Thormanby.

Voltigeur was bred by Robert Stephenson in 1847 and as a yearling was sent up to be sold at the Doncaster sales, a reserve price of \$1,750 being placed on him. Not a man was found to bid that much for him; consequently he was withdrawn.

In all probability he would have remained unsold had not Williamson, a relative by marriage of Lord Zeland, seen him and, having taken a fancy to him, finally persuaded his lordship to buy him.

His judgment was triumphantly vindicated, for not only did Voltigeur win the Derby and St. Leger, but he succeeded in establishing a line of thoroughbreds which is at present dominant on the English turf and likely to remain so for some time to come.

Thormanby, too, was sent up to be disposed of at the Doncaster and, like Voltigeur, did not reach a nominal reserve. Desirous of getting rid of him, however, Plummer, his breeder, requested his famous trainer, Matt Dawson, to come and have a thorough look at him.

This Dawson did and, perceiving at a glance good points about him, which no one else apparently had noticed, bought him for Merry, his patron. Strange enough, Dawson gave the same figure for Thormanby as that paid for Voltigeur.

As a two-year-old Thormanby ran fourteen times and out of this number scored nine wins, and in the Derby of the following year he beat a field of thirty. It was said that the race netted Merry the nice sum of \$200,000.

The cheapest horse that ever won the Derby was Little Wonder, which was successful in 1840, for he cost his owner, Robertson, the meager sum of only \$325.

Spaniel, too, winner of the race in 1831, was picked up for a very small sum. Lord Egerton, his breeder, letting him go for \$750.

Fyrus J., which won in 1846, was purchased by John Day, the noted trainer, as a yearling at Doncaster, Gully, the puglist, taking a half interest in him.

As a two-year-old the horse never ran, and seemingly his abilities were then of an unknown quantity, for at the end of the season Day agreed to sell his half share in him to Gully for \$500. Day's chagrin at his subsequent victory in the Derby was very great.

Teddington, the winner of 1851, was bred by a blacksmith, who sold him as a foal, together with his dam, to Sir Joseph Hawley for \$1,250 and a further \$5,000 if he won the Derby.

Sir Joseph and his confederate, Massey Stanhope, to whom the horse really belonged, profited largely over the success, and the jockey, Marson, who rode the horse, received \$10,000 as a token of victory, which in those days was unprecedented.

Sainfoin, which carried the colors of Sir James Miller to the front, was an exceptionally fortunate purchase by John Porter, the trainer. He bought the colt out of the Hampton Court lot of yearlings in 1888 for the very reasonable price of \$2,720. Sir Robert Dardine taking a half interest in him.

As a two-year-old he was seen only once in public, and he won his race with the greatest ease. The year following he won the Esher stakes in a canter, after which he was sold to Sir James Miller for \$30,000 and a contingency of half the stakes if he won the Derby. It was indeed a profitable deal for Porter and Sir Robert.

Another instance of Porter's shrewdness as a horse dealer was his purchase of the great horse Isonomy for the bagatelle figure, comparatively speaking, of \$1,800. The real owner was Fred Gretton.

Isonomy gave no real promise of his worth as a two-year-old, his only victory being a nursery stake in the latter part of the season. As a three-year-old he was not seen in public until the Cambridgeshire, which he won easily by two lengths and incidentally earned no less than \$200,000 in bets for his owner.

Had he been in the classic races he would in all probability have cleaned the board.

As a four-year-old he won the gold cup at Ascot and the Goodwood and Brighton cups and crowned these feats by literally running away with the Great Ebor handicap, carrying the crushing weight of 136 pounds.

The following year Isonomy proved himself a better horse than ever, not only winning the Ascot gold cup again, but also the Manchester cup with the almost impossible burden, one would think, of 138 pounds.


It has been calculated that altogether Isonomy won for his owner upward of \$500,000 in stakes and bets, which for an \$1,800 investment was a colossal profit.—Brooklyn Eagle.

If you will not take pains, pains will take you.—Whately.



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A. E. Twitchell will open up a restaurant in the old Gatz meat market and expects to have it in operation by next Monday.

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