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Opportunity for Homesteading.

The northwestern district contains several hundred thousand acres of land subject to homestead entry under the Kinkaid act which permits of the homesteading of 640 acres, requiring three years' actual residence and the placing thereon of improvements to the valuation of \$800 per section. This land is suitable for stock raising but is not what might be termed a farming country. The land is covered with grass, which makes a splendid pasture, while the valleys will produce good hay if properly taken care of. The majority of this land lies several miles from the railroads and is without school facilities. The climate is healthful, water good, cattle and horses living on the range the entire year. One should be possessed of a few hundred dollars before undertaking permanent settlement upon these lands, as it will be found necessary to secure stock sufficient to utilize the land.

The chief drawback to the pioneer life in the sandhill country, under the Kinkaid law, is the monotony and isolation made certain owing to the fact that each farm contains 640 acres, which places the residents one mile apart.

A citizen of the United States 21 years of age or over, any head of a family, persons who have relinquished or lost a homestead without receiving a consideration, or whose former entry was not cancelled for fraud, may take a homestead. A person who may have commuted a homestead entry before June 5, 1900, any unmarried woman 21 years of age, or a deserted wife may also take a homestead.

Terms of service (not to exceed four years) in the army or navy of the United States during the Civil or Spanish-American wars, or during the Philippine insurrection, may be deducted from the three years' service residence required on a homestead, provided that one year's actual residence together with the requisite \$800 worth of improvements shall obtain.

Settlers have six months from the date of filing to establish residence. The three years' residence required dates from the time of actual settlement, there being allowed a leave of absence of five months each year, providing notice is filed with the land office requesting such leave of absence and of the settler's return at the expiration of such absence.

Applications for homestead entry should be accompanied by a remittance of a fee of \$14 and should state the number of township, range and section for which entry is being made.

Nebraska possesses several hundred thousand acres of the most fertile irrigated land. There are many hundred thousand acres more to come under the irrigation ditch, such section being principally confined to the Platte river country, which may be known as the Nile of America. This country presents splendid opportunities for agricultural home building, as land values range from \$40 to \$150 per acre, which makes the cheapest class of farm land when we take into consideration the fact that fifty acres is all that is required while crop failures are unknown because of the question of irrigation.

Any person who is possessed of a good clear conception of nature's golden opportunities, who is energetic and possessed of sufficient coin of the realm to exchange for one-half hundred acres of Nebraska's fertile irrigated or orchard lands is eligible. One who will add his might and his coin in helping to still further develop Nebraska's agricultural, manufacturing and fruit-growing resources to the end that he may enjoy the grand opportunities now beckoning to the investors in Nebraska's resources, is welcome.



Camel Hump and Giraffe Sway at the Capital



WASHINGTON.—In a furtive sort of way people have taken note of the "camel hump walk." It's here. It came to Pennsylvania avenue rather gradually, but by much quicker process than that by which the aboriginal man stopped walking on all fours; for it traces its ancestry back to the hobbie skirt and no farther. Just as we used to have the "kangaroo walk," we now have the "camel-hump walk."

The camel-hump walk is nature's way of adapting itself to the sheath skirt. It is nature's law and probably the very best nature could do under the circumstances.

It will be seen by careful attention to the pictures that the genuine camel-hump is nothing more nor less than an attempt on the part of the hobbled female to get away from what is coming behind her, a direct application of the theory that self-preservation is one of the primal instincts of humanity. The peculiar effect is due to the tendency of the upper portion of the torso to advance a little faster than the hobbled extremities.

The hobbie skirt, being true to its

name, deters the legs in their desire for freedom. The right leg says to its colleague, "May I pass?" Not to be outdone in politeness, the left leg answers, "Why, my dear, of course; but I warn you that you will not be able to go far. Your career necessarily will be somewhat limited."

"Cat!" exclaims the right leg, and fares forth confidently, only to come up against that hobbie like a colt at the end of its tether.

Meanwhile, the shoulders and spine, having the utmost confidence in the right leg to do its full duty and making no allowance for the confounded hobbie, forge ahead just as they used to in the days before the tube skirt was ever dreamed of.

Now, it is that very tendency of the upper portion of the torso to continue the old movements of a natural gait that produces that peculiar phenomenon the camel-hump.

There is also the "giraffe sway," which is a variation of the camel-hump employed by slender girls only.

The complement of these two actions is the "wideawake sit." The name originates with the tendency of the ankles and feet to come right out and greet you in broad daylight. The toes no longer peep from out of the folds of a tailored gown; there are no folds.

Needless to say the wideawake is particularly popular with occupants of the opposite seat in the car and with the manufacturers of silk hose.

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A LIVE frog that crawled and clawed and croaked, lived for nearly a year in the stomach of Mrs. L. V. King of Dean Wood, a suburb of Washington.

After clawing away at the lining of the woman's stomach until it was raw with pain, almost strangling her as it climbed into her throat, and fairly reducing her to a living skeleton it was finally extricated by physicians of the Emergency hospital. They used a large pump.

The frog is now preserved in alcohol. It is a weak, colorless, wrinkled, shapeless specimen which bears a faint resemblance to the normal frog. Its legs are long and scrawny and thin as toothpicks. It measures, all told, about seven inches.

Just as it was breaking out of the egg, the tadpole was swallowed by Mrs. King in well water last August. Weeks passed before the woman realized there was some living animal in her stomach. She consulted doctors, but they laughed at her.

Last spring the frog, now reaching to its full growth, began to climb into her throat and nearly suffocated her. It clawed away at the membrane un-



til she several times fainted with pain. Still the doctors, when she told them of her fears, laughed.

Two months ago Mrs. King declares the frog began to croak. She distinctly heard it many times and her relatives bear her out. That determined her to leave the physicians of Dean Wood severely alone and consult "city doctors."

She did so. She went to the Emergency hospital and the frog was pumped out of its hiding place.

The frog lived ten minutes in a tub of water. It croaked and sang just like any regular frog. Then it died.

According to the physicians this is the first time on record that any animal of the proportions of a frog has ever lived in a human stomach at least for the period of eleven months. It is a most remarkable case.

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