

# HAS A BIG BUFFALO HERD.

Millionaire Half-Breed Keeps 180 of Them and Won't Sell One.

Roaming in absolute freedom in the beautiful Flathead valley, on the Flathead Indian reservation, Montana, is the largest herd of buffale on the continent. The noble animals have practically all the freedom that was theirs in the days when they were monarchs of the plains. The herd is the property of a half-breed of mixed Indian and Mexican blood named Pablo, whose home is on the reservation, and who is reported to be worth \$2,500,-000. He does not look it in his suit of citizen's clothes, broad-brimmed hat and blanket, but he is as shrewd a ranchman as is to be found on the western plains and he has increased his government allotment of cattle and lands until he has amassed a vast fortune. He has two houses, one on the reservation and the other in the dreary little shipping town of Selish, on the Northern Pacific railroad.

Fablo owns 100,000 head of cattle and takes a justifiable pride in them, but he especially glories in his herd ot buffalo, which numbers 180, Pablo's regard for his buffalo is intense. He is not keeping them for profit, and will not sell a single specimen. He loves them because they are a part of still. He has a fellow feeling for bison because, like his own race, they have been driven from their old ranges. he could get and has placed them on the magnificent range at the outlet of Flathead lake.

## FAIRY TALES FOR CHILDREN. Publisher Refuses Stories of Dragons

or Tragic Themes. "I am a lover of fairy tales," said a novelest the other day, "and for a long time I have had the desire to do a would make, I thought, a very charmme.

"One story dwelt with dragons and another with the slaying of an ogre. According to the publisher they wouldn't do for child readers; they would scare the little ones and would cause them to believe in horrid monsters that don't exist. Another was a sad story, and that was impossible because little children should never be made to cry. And so on down through them all, until I couldn't see for the life of me what subjects were left to write about.

"Consider the best fairy tales-Hans Andersen's 'Tin Soldier,' Oscar Wilde's 'Happy Prince,' or 'Jack, the Giant Killer,' 'Little Red Riding Hood,' 'Bluebeard,' 'Aladdin,' "Puss-in-Boots' and so on. Don't they deal with death and woe and slaughter and fear?

"It is all absurd for publishers to issue only namby-pamby stuff for children," said the novelist, according to the Philadelphia Record, "and one result of their foolishness is that good fairy tales are no longer written."

# **CHINESE CURIOS**



### Metal Figures for Temples.

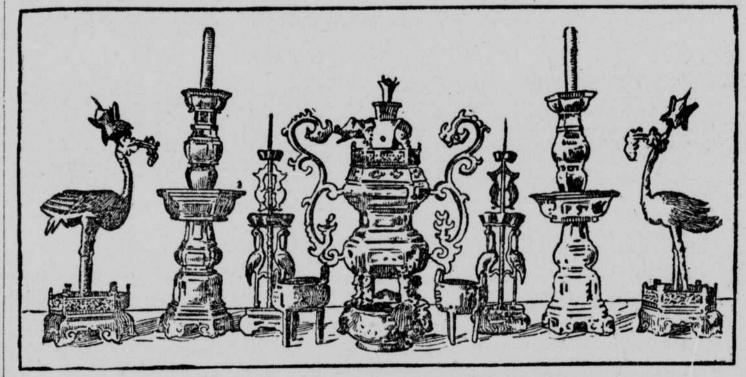
and works of art. This collection is are filled with 'made up" garments stage. So he has gathered together all that the first instalment of the purchases for men and women. Most of these made in China by Dr. Berthold Laufer, are elaborately embroidered and decoremain in China several years, and decorations worn by women of high found highly interesting. the works of art, the antiques and rank on festive occasions. A number shipment includes a huge carved state peasant, the queer little hat of the have expensive habits in that direcvolume of them. So I visited a pub- tion. There are hundreds of paint- high official and learned man are not-

bound and fringe bedecked hat of the ings are also representative of various | and close to these, resembling them in | of Chinese history and literature.

The American Museum of Natural | periods. In the ivory collection there | many respects, are the gaudy headthe old free life he loved and loves History in New York has recently are many gaming devices, and some dresses worn on the stage by imperbeen enriched by the addition of a of the dice and playing cards are sonators of female characters, and valuable collection of Chinese curios beautifully wrought. Several cases a collection of masks, also used on the

Among the "domestic articles" which have been placed in the cases who went to the far east in the inter- rated. Near these are specimens of the crude carpenters tools, primitive est of the museum last June. He will embroidered and painted fans and scales and kitchen utensils will be

On the same floor and adjoining the curios which he will send will be of of shelves are devoted to men's head- Chinese collection is the Corean exgreat value to the student. The recent gear. The folded cloth caps of the hibit, which contains a fine model of a Corean farmhouse, specimens of agbedstead and many costly household rustic official, the eaps of the great ricultural and household implements, articles, which show that the Chinese and of the small merchant, and the fur and many articles of dress used by the Coreans, together with weapons of war and the chase. The Chinese delisher recently and submitted to him ings which have not yet been placed able objects of the collection. Near partment, as a whole, is one of the the plots of ten or eleven stories that in the cases. These represent the these hats and caps are the head- notable features of the museum, and work of Chinese "old masters" and ar- dresses of noble women, covered with even in its incomplete condition will ing little book. He disagreed with tists of the present time. The carv- bunches of red braid and silk flowers, be found a valuable aid to the student



Gentlemen:-"I suffered with pain in my right side for over eight years. Doctors said my liver was affected. My complexion was dark and yellow, I had a bad taste in my mouth, and was tired all the time. I took a great deal of medicine, but nothing seemed to do me any good. I read in the paper of Peruna. and decided to give it a trial. I felt better before the first bottle was gone, and after taking three bottles I was cured, and I have enjoyed perfect LENA HILTON. health since."

Miss Lena Hilton, is President of the Wednesday Whist Club, of Los Angeles.

As a spring medicine Peruna is a advised a complete change and rest for a year. As this was out of the question the blood through digestion, and for a time, I began to look around for

gives tone to the whole system by increasing the nutritive value of the food. "Spring fever," as it is sometimes called, which produces a tired out, sleepy feel-ing, and inability to do much mental or physical work, is the result of a sluggish digestion.

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#### The Kaiser's Awful Power.

The mobilized strength of the German army is 2,310,000 infantry, 151,000 cavalry, 329,000 artillery, 78,000 technical troops, 168,000 other formations, making a total of 3,036,000 trained men. All these warriors are bound by oath of fealty to the kaiser. The Bavarians are exempt from the oath in time of peace. The kaiser controls all province; he has the right of ordering a dare-devil bicycle rider loop the loop the erection of fortresses in any part at Coney island. With no other aid allowed. Thus a martial spirit permeates the whole empire. The position of the kaiser at the head of these vast and terrible forces is one of fascinating interest, and the thought of what would be the effect on the other great armed powers of Europe were this mighty war machine set in motion is a fearful one.

Must Be One She Can Look Up To. rest the rumor of her impending mar-She told a friend in La Grange in a er are to start shortly for the Pacific paratively small space. coast, where Miss Ewing is to be on exhibition this summer. It may be said for Ella that if she remains single it is from choice and not from necessity. Her mail contains an average of at least three proposals a week, it is said. She is understood to insist, however, that she will only marry the right kind of a man, one she can really look up to, and in view of her eight and one-half feet of stature it can be readily realized that such may not be easy to find .-- Kansas City Jour-

#### Politics in Canada.

A German vote is now added to the multitude of race, creed and class votes which divide the electorate of th.s long-suffering province.

Grits and Tories in the legislature are down on their hands and knees groveling to the German vote, which Nelson Monteith, M. P. P., proposes to tickle with a demonstration in honor of Prince Henry.

There is the French vote, the whisky vote, the Irish vote, the Orange vote, the Catholic vote, and now on top of all these and many others is piled the German vote.

Canadians and Prohibitionists are two elements in the population which have not a vote they can call their own.-Hamilton (Canada) Telegram. Silver Incense Burners and Table Decorations,

**DAREDEVIL RIDER "LOOPS** THE LOOP" ON A BICYCLE

A group of circus men, newspaper in case of threatened disturbance. Ev- rode up the concave surface until he cool and collected, 100 feet away.

The bicyclist was Robert B. Vandervoort, an electrician, who has gone over the loop-the-loop railroad known centrifugal force as a real, tangible 12:28

Time and again he made the circuit standing up straight in the car. Last It weighs about sixty-five pounds, has October he saw a bicyclist attempt to pneumatic tires on broad rims of steel. loop the loop, saw him fall and be Ella Ewing, the giantess, has set at dreadfully hurt; saw what was need- brake. There is no way for the rider else so far as she knows at present. ned until he accomplished the thrill- is no mechanism to allow of the ing act safely. An incline and loop rider's attaining motion. It has two letter recently that there isn't any- was especially constructed. It is footholds for the rider's feet, where

At its highest end the incline is appointments, no matter what the men and photographers last week saw thirty-eight feet above the floor of the along a surface at a speed sufficient to Sea Beach Palace. The inclined surface is 100 feet long. The loop has a of gravitation made those who were of the empire and of declaring any than the velocity accumulated by a vertical diameter of twenty-one feet, about to witness Vandervoort's exhibicountry or district in a state of siege rush down a steep incline the man four inches, but reckoning from the lowest level of the inclined surface of ery German is liable to serve in the hung head downward and continued the loop, the distance is twenty-four out that he was ready, he shot down army or navy, and no substitution is on down out of the loop to dismount, feet. The loop has a horizontal diameter of eighteen feet.

The riding surface is three feet wide at its narrowest point, where the loop ascent of the concave surface as begins, and twelve feet wide at the straight and true as a bird might fly. to almost every visitor to Coney Is- end of the loop. A black stripe a foot land until he has come to look upon wide serves to guide the rider in his head-over-heels trip.

Vandervoort's wheel is one especially constructed for the daring ride. no pedals, no chain or gearing and no ed to accomplish the looping success- to stop himself once mounted and in pulleys with a graded resistance helpriage to a Montana man or any one fully, and himself practiced and plan- motion, except to fall off, and there ed to stop Vandervoort. The time was

thing in the story. She and ner fath- movable and will pack into a com- the crank shaft of a bicycle usually is.

The thought of such a mass flashing counteract for the moment the force tion feel creepy.

Vandervoort was quite cool. Crying the incline. Engineer Prescott explained that the speed was thirty-five miles an hour. Vandervoort began his

Everyone who saw the exhibition was intent to see Vandervoort hang downward for the moment he was passing the zenith of the loop. But he was past and out of the loop before those who watched could comprehend.

A rope arranged high enough to catch his handle bar and run through 6 2-5 seconds.

No matter how much money you may have, if you are poor in character, that means poverty for ever.

Vandervoort Going Around the Loop.

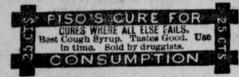


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