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FOR AND AGAINST BEARDS

Public Opinion Aiways Has Been Sharply Divided on Subject of Face Covering.

We need not ac to far back as the eighteenth century to find Englishmen who held that shaving was "agen God and nature." in the ninetcenth James Ward, R. A. in a "Defense o. the Beard," set forth eighteen reasons for retaining it, mainly Scriptur al, reinforced by artistic considera tions. "What would a Jupiter be without a beard? Who would counte nance the idea of a shaved Christ?" As late as 1869 Theologos published : treatise entitled, "Shaving: a Breach of the Sabbath and a Hindrance to the Spread of the Gospel." One of his points was that Providence bad man! festly designed the beard as a pro section for the throat and chest. Bu. what about the woman's throat?

Nowhere was there more prejudice conturies ago against beards than a: the mas of court. The "black books" of the inns tell us how offenders were fined for wearing beards, and sometimes were even compulsorily shaved by order of court. And the prejudice against the bearded barrister still lingers. Vice-Chancellor Bacon carried his dislike to bearded or mustached barristers so far that he always refused to hear them. Even now there are very few leading counsel with beards, and I can remember only one unshaved barrister of the greates eminence, the late Judah Philip Benja min, Q. C .- silver-tongued Benjamin, who wore a mustache and a goatee .--London Chronicle.

CHANGE MADE BY CENTURIES

Interesting Comparison Between Pres-ent Day and Time of Compilation of Demesday Book.

The famous Domesday book of Willium the Conqueror, which he ordered when he had conquered England, was not only an inventory of the estates, but a very careful valuation. This ancient survey was strikingly like the valuations of today, the differences arising out of the different industrial ins to be met It included a costat of acres, class and as wood, pasture, and meadow land; of mills, fish ds and fisheries;; of plows, hides. cattle and slaves.

The land was valued as at the time dward, again as when granted by

.ne of the survey. But if we set ou selves in fancy to that early task, v see at once how the industrial cond tions to be dealt with at that tin simplified the domesday valuation very little more than an enumeratio Acres differed little, excepe in the power to yield crops; the social incr ment of value was almost negligible Today we have vast aggregates propercy brought together and devote as a whole to single uses. Except : an aggregate and for the particula use which the property as a who serves, the several parts have relativ ly little value .-- Engineer Magazine.

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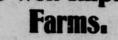
Last Stand of the Simple Life. The south for years was, rich hun ing ground for the lover of the pictu esque, but changes both numerous an rapid have occurred there in rece years. The old negro types of th cotton fields are no more. The lo cabins, the pine groves, even the stat ly plantation mansions, recalling th flowery days "befo' de wah," are pas ing away. Fortunately for those wh enjoy seeing life as it is lived when there is a real attachment to the so the French section of Carada is le us. Here along the lower St. La rence river one may find condition exactly as they were a century ag Here the "one-hoss shay," the pric of colonial days, is making its la stand. In the fields women may seen cutting grain with sickles the which there is no implement mor primitive. The people of the har lets live and work as did their great grandparents. Picture to yourself ace where spinning is still an ever day task! I have sat in these simp mes, watching deft fingers at th spinning wheels and listening to the whirring sound that is like the hu of hees.

It was in one of these old interio that I photographed Grand'mere Tru-deau. She sits looking from her cabin across the river, thinking of a son at see .- Christian Herald.

High Price for Ginseng.

Gin eng, never seriously considered as a medicine in this country, in bringing fabulous prices in China, as it is high as \$140 in gold a pound. Last March 1st next; balance long year one lot of especially selected ginseng root sold at auction for \$337.16 gold a pound. It came from Korea,

		new home south of the U. P. depot
	Miss Clara Fulliton of Austin vis	the past week. Henry Goodwin, Don Holmes, Geo.
,	ited the High School Monday.	Holmes and families spent Sunday at
	Both Seniors and Juniors are doing	Roh't Holmes'.
1	observation work.	Joe Blachski had his sale Tuesday
5	The new radiation in the office is a boom to the school.	it was attended by a large crowd and everything sold well.
•	Five new pupils were enrolled in the grades Monday.	Jim Johansen has been laid up the past week with his back but at this writing is slowly improving.
	W. G. Beocking of Litchfield, who is attending the Broken Bow College visited the high school Monday.	Ernest Daddow and Hugh Cash and families took Sunday dinner with Floyd Howard and family.
;	Miss Lucy Hunsaker was detained at her home in Muloane, Kansas, be- cause of her father's illness.	L. H. Spahr and Ed Flynne install- ed the new heating plant at the Bich- el school house the past week.
		J. W. Cowling and wife drove out
	Miss Merce Outhouse is filling Miss Hunsaker's place, at present.	to the Bichel school last Friday even- ing after their daughter Vida.
r-	Rev. Ray Kearns visited the school	Wm. Rutherford and son pulled
li- le	Wednesday morning. He gave an in- teresting talk in Chapel.	over to Frank Daddow's Monday to do a job of shelling for him.
D.	and the second	C. O. Wagner has sold a lot of al-
ir	ALONG ROUTE NO. ONE	falfa hay to E. M. Marvel and has been
•		busy hauling it over the past week. Hugh Cash and wife returned to
h d	Geo. Douglas hauled corn to town Monday.	their home at Albion after a months visit with his mother and old friends.
LS LT	Chas. Shipley and wife are new pat-	There was a party at James Mc-
le	rons on the route. C. G. F. Johnson gave carrier an-	Beth's last Friday night. A large
e-	other sack of corn Monday.	crowd was out and all reported a good time.
	Lettie Peugh and Edgar Foster spent Sunday at the Larsen home.	Alfred Jorgenson has rigged up a 2-hole corn sheller and attached his
tr	For Sale—A good single driving har- ness. Edgar B. Foster.	horse power to the same. It works like a top.
d nt	There was a skating party on Moon	Chris Oltjenbruns and family and
le g	creek Monday night.	Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fross took sup- per with carrier and family Thursday
e- ie	S. S. Reynolds lost a valuable horse Monday.	last.
s- 10 10	Pete Kusek gave the carrier some corn Tuesday.	Grandma Hunker is still very poor- ly. Her daughter, Mrs. Denston,
il, ft	Chas. Boldt of Hazard visited at the Ward home Monday night.	from Kansas, is here with her this week.
N- 18 0.	Wright Reynolds of Mason City vis- ited his parents last Friday.	Fritz Bichel was at Loup City last Friday for the first time since his ac- cident. He is feeling about as well
le st	Nellie Gailford's brother who she	as ever.
e	has not seen for a number of years. came last week to make her a visit.	Ellis McLaughlin returned Satur-
n		day from a three weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Hamilton
n- t-	Vergil Weller who has been in Wash- ington and Idaho the past few months returned Friday.	county.
2		The shredders have been busy at farms of Will Hawk, C. Oltienbruns,
y- le le	A. G. Ward and daughter of Colo- rado and Arthur Cadwalder of Hazard visited at the Ward home last week.	C. Norstedt and John Galloway this week.
ir		E. M. Marvel is feeding 85 head of
-1	Two well Improved	cattle and 200 head of hogs this win- ter and has to haul over 2000 bushels of corn from Loup City.



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both near town, either of which can be bought with \$500 cash suaced the root has brought as NOW; \$1000 to \$1500 more

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ek but at this taking a business course. He will re- Gospel Railway." Mr. and Mrs. Lou main at home for some time, before Schwaner, Duett, "Life's Railway to ving. returning to his studies. Hugh Cash and dinner with Shoe Repairing-I will do shoe repairing at the store of T. Gzehoviak. Flynne install-Word guaranteed. J. A. Galus. nt at the Bichweek. Mrs. Victor Johnson. who had been ife drove out visiting here with her parents, Mr. t Friday evenand Mrs. W. J. McLaughlin, for the r Vida. past two or more weeks. returned nd son pulled home to Harvard, Tuesday. 's Monday to him. Three big boxes of matches for 10 d a lot of alat the Ten Cent Store. el and has been You don't want to forget that the e past week. Strollers Quartet, the third number e returned to on the Lecture Course, is dated for fter a months Shelton, Nebr. Tuesday evening, the 27th, at the nd old friends. Opera House. It is said that as a singing organization the Strollers are a carload of hogs to Omaha last week. at James Mcght. A large simply fine in every number and eported a good should be heard to be appreciated. Don't forget the date, Tuesday, January 27. s rigged up a attached his See the fine display of shell goods me. It works at the Ten Cent Store. nd family and On Tuesday of this week after th ross took supnoon motor came in the Commercial mily Thursday Club on invitation met at their hall a Mr. Stephens of Grand Island, :eptill very poor- resentative of the general manager of Irs. Denston, the U. P., regarding the present train with her this service. No action was taken further than unanimous vote favoring early daily freight service out of Loup City Loup City last and the assurance of the representative that present tri-weekly freight about as well service would very shortly be changed back to daily service. turned Satur-Good fit, good wear and good will it s' visit with in Hamilton you get your clothes of the Loup City Tailor Shop. been busy at

A marriage license was granted the Oltienbruns, 6th instant to Walter W. Gregg and Galloway this Annie Eliza Gray, the latter aged 16 years, daughter of James Gray, the ng 85 head of father's consent being necessary be hogs this win- fore the license was issued. The r 2000 bushels parties are all of Loup City.

Farmers-Don't forget your discs. hill. This is where Charley Wharton this is the time for you to get then

If you want a dray, phone A. L. En-The Ladies Aid Society furnished derice, Black 63, or leave your order material for a new coal box and porch with either lumber yard or E. G.

To Studio Patrons

who have been visiting with the Mc-Laughlin family for the past week, except to those who have previously sums, and even young lambs, as well went from here to Stobkham to visit made appointments. A. F. Elsner. (as rabbits.

A good corn popper for 10c at the Ten Cent Store. Methodist-Jan. 18, 10:30 A. M., 'The Command from the Mount of Chris. Petersen returned from Linen laid up the coin last Thursday, where he has 'een Transfiguration." 7:30 P. M., "Life's Heaven."

Baotist-Subject of the Sunday morning sermon "Successful Building" Topic of the evening sermon. "Destiny of the Pharicee."

Lord's Supper will be observed at 10:30 though she had not seen him for ove a. m., Sunday. Other services as three years. usual. Preaching at Austiu 3:30 p.m.



Edgar Van Dyke has returned home from a weeks visit with relatives at W. Edson and Frank Kuhn shipped years.

Geo. Zahn and wife were Grand Island visitors Saturday.

Martin Price of Hayes county was calling upon the tillie some thr on Clear creek this week calling on months later my friend was surprisold friends.

John Neal and wife returned home the first of the week after a visit here to look back, and saw the dog follow

Mrs. Shetler and Mary Poor were Mason City visitors Saturday.

From time immemorial the oyster has been a favorite item in the menu of the human race. The famous "kitchen middens" of primitive times

prove by their vast heaps of shells that the oyster was a prehistoric article of diet. And all through the historic ages this prince of bivalves has appealed to the appetite and taste of mankind. The Romans when they were masters of the world were themselves mastered by the oyster, their indulgence in it being one of the amusing chapters in gastronomic history. And in the modern dietetic world the oyster holds a lofty place. It has a position all its own; it cannot be imitated nor displaced; it can be eaten raw, or it can be cooked in many ways, and the lovers of good

eating never seem to tire of it.-Leslie's Weekly.

Destructive Wild Cate A new type of cat has developed in

Australia. It is regarded as one of the most destructive animals of that country. They are believed to be the descendants of domestic cats which have been turned out into the bush by their owners, have run away or have been turned out into the bush as a supposed

enemy of the rabbit. As they have practically no natural enemies in Australia, they have multiplied at a great rate, and are now established throughout the country. They My Studio will not be open Sundays live on small animals, lizards, opos-

Though Long Periods ma,

They Do Not Forget The Former Owners

Some remarkable instances of do memories are given by a writer in th Scotsman. The late Major Fair o Wells he says, received a Dandie Din mont terrier puppy from a well known breeder, and kept her until nine months old, when she was sent back She came into my possession five years later. One day, upon meeting Major Fair on the road, she ran forward, recognizing him and, showing great de Presbyterian-Remember that the light in her happy doggy way, a

Some years later (when the dog was nine years of age) I went into a local barber's shop and was surprised to see and hear her excitedly showing sight of meeting a friend which she did by yelping and jumping upon the man knee and trying to lick his face. The man turned out to be Major Fair coachman, who had brought her u and had not seen her for over b

Dogs have a mode of concealing r ognition if it suits their purpose. friend of mine sold a torrier to t

late Bailie Morrie of Hawick. U; at the dog taking no notice of him b on his way home at right, when abo ing him in a stealthy manner, which persisted in doing until it reached Je burgh. It was sent back by carrinext day and never on any future of casion recognized its old master. Surly this was not lapse of memory : much as offended dignity.

REASON IN THE ARGUMEN

When You Come to Think of It, Child Seemed to How the Right of the Controversy.

At certain seas is a little Sunda school class in Nev York is visited by a vestryman in the church, who is at flicted with a ter air of episc pomposity. He came one day at quizzed the scholars upon their le sons, and at the end of every questic he paused as if to say, "Ah-ha! Ye don't know that!'

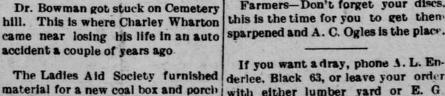
"And now," he domanded, "what the sixth commandment?"

No one answered The episcopol pous vestryman turn to the teach and convicted her with a ponderou "A-ha!"

"Come," he said, "what comman ment did Cain break? What comman ment was it that he broke when killed Abel? Can't anyone tell me?" One scholar beckoned the teacher her. The teacher listened to the whi

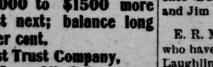
pered confidence. "What does the child say?" demand ed the vestryman. 'If one child knows the answer to that simple question, let me hear it."

"The child says, sir," answered the teacher, not without some trepidation. "that there weren't any commandwhen Cain killed Abel."-New



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