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If you gave four ddy a big ro a call and later sold it and pocketed the proceeds, don't join the church until you have squared up things with the boy. It will be a hard matter to keep him from playing with the cat's tail while you offer family papers if you do.—Pawnee Chief.

We beg to acknowledge the receipt of several dollars on subscription this week and while we feel very thankful for these favors we will this week ask the indulgence of our subscribers both on account of our lateness and lack of news. Owing to the lack of help we were unable to put our news matter into type. We have made every endeavor to obtain more help and believe that we will here after not only furnish the paper on time but will be able to maintain our reputation of publishing the newest paper in the county.

There is seldom a week passes, and hardly a day when citizens are not called upon to contribute something for charity's sake. It is always the merchants who are asked to shoulder this varied and gratuitous giving. Some people seem to think that those who are in business can pick up dollars anywhere and ought to contribute willingly and liberally every time they asked. As a rule dollars are not plentiful with business people than with any other. Just remember they have troubles of their own. Beg your money for a while of the bank owners and retired men who have plenty of money drawing interest. The business men would appreciate the change.—Pawnee Republican.

We have had the privilege of reading three of the "Simon Sophead" letters which have been sent to different people in this county and will say that they are receiving a great deal more attention than they deserve. In each of the letters, which we read, some reference is made to the death of President McKinley, claiming, in effect, that it was the Populists who were responsible for that dastardly deed. No one but a person who was trying to injure the Republican cause would write such a letter as such foolish letters could only have the effect of causing Populists to stick to their own ticket. As to who is the author of the letters, we can not say but have strong suspicions. The letter are all made up of about the same kind of silly rot and might more nearly emanate from a idiot than one in possession of their senses. But of this all persons may be assured, they do not come from any one who has any thing to do with the Republican side of the campaign, but are issued by some one on the out side and is done by some private individual.

The date set for the holding of the float convention has been changed from September 27th to Friday October 3rd, 1902, owing to the fact that President Roosevelt is expected to be in Hastings on the 27th of September. Remember the date of the convention is October 3rd.

## Some More Facts.

SIR—In the Nation of the date of September 11, 1902, I noticed a heading "Know the truth." This is what I want. Under this heading they make the assertion that I put out stories in regard to L. C. Peisiger. Not much gentlemen. Put on your own specs and read my circular again. It says facts as shown in the House Journal. Then they point a letter from J. A. Ollis, Jr., of Valley county to Mr. L. C. Peisiger. In this letter Mr. Ollis says that he was the best posted man, on the in's and out's, of any man up there, meaning I presume in the House. If he was, the house journal does not disclose the facts. In his letter he says there were two classes of men in the last Legislature. One class voting for a record for themselves and then vote in a way to kill it and the others trying to accomplish some thing for the people. Yes! The House Journal and the Senate Journal disclose the where abouts of the above classes and it finds two in Webster county, Peisiger and Pitney of the first class. Then he says it was through Mr. Peisiger's efforts that house roll No. 255, the Ollis bill was got through the house, that the other bill, meaning the Sprecher bill was sought to be killed by its introducer. But the House Journal shows that Mr. Sprecher "smoked" the railroad committee out and brought his bill to a vote before Mr. Ollis did his, although he, Mr. Ollis, was the smartest man there and had the help of L. C. Peisiger as well. He says the Sprecher bill (the bill reducing rates all along the line) had been dead for two weeks before the vote on it was taken, this goes to show then, that there was a conspiracy to kill all anti-monopoly legislation and when the vote was taken, on the Sprecher bill, it was killed by such men as L. C. Peisiger voting against it. But what was the matter with Mr. Ollis that he did not get his bill before the house while the other was dead, as he says, he having the help of L. C. Peisiger also the help of a committee as well. Where were these gentlemen? Could it be possible that they were out exercising their railroad passes? Speak up gents. Let us have the truth, although the House and Senate Journal's are sworn to by the Secretary of State, yet we suppose the people are looking to you and the editor of the Nation for the truth, if so they will be sadly disappointed.

Read my letter again it may be the means of reforming some of you.

Like Joseph of old I can interpret the Ollis letter. L. C. Peisiger was on the railroad committee through whose hands all freight bills had to pass. I see the Sprecher bill which reduced freight rates all along the line, go into their hands and after looking it over I see them jump on it stamp and pound it till it is almost dead, then taken into the House where it is smothered with fusion votes. I see them go to the committee room get the one legged stock rate bill, the Ollis bill, and rush it through the house, thinking perhaps, to cover up their treachery, then send this Ollis bill to the Senate, there tack on an amendment and on the last day it comes to a vote and is knocked out by the Pitney's dodging.

Any more letters you want sized up gentlemen? Send them along.

**ED. GILFORD**  
Com. for Pleasant Hill precinct.  
Sept. 17-02

A caucus of the Republican voters of Batin precinct is called to meet in the Harris school house, on Saturday, October 4th, at 2 p. m. to nominate precinct officers and to transact such other business as may properly come before the caucus.  
**ROBT. HARRIS** Com.

## ONE STEP MORE

Will be fatal to the sleep-walker. Will he draw back or will he take the final, fatal step? A great many people are in peril like the sleep-walker. They are diseased. The disease is progressing day by day. The time comes when one more step away from health is fatal. The man who has suffered from indigestion or gastric trouble goes some night to a dinner and returns home to find he has taken that last step from health which can never be taken back.

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## The Woodchuck.

Perhaps no wild animal is more familiar to country people than the woodchuck. Every hillside and meadow is dotted with the small piles of earth which mark the doorway to his home. The woodchuck prefers a hillside or a knoll in which to dig his hole, for here he can easily make the end of his den higher than the beginning, thus avoiding the danger of being drowned out. What could be more unlike in general appearance than a woodchuck and a squirrel? Yet they are cousins, both belonging to the same family of mammals. The trim body, sharp claws and niggly of the squirrels make it possible for them to lead an arboral life, jumping recklessly from branch to branch, while the fatby form and short legs of the woodchuck better adapt him for digging than for running or climbing.

The nature of the food of the woodchuck is such that he cannot lay up stores as the chipmunks do, nor is it of such a kind that it can be obtained during the winter. The case of this creature during the winter seems to be, therefore, one of "sleep long and soundly or starve." During the winter's sleep or hibernation life processes go on very slowly. Breathing is reduced, and the heart beats become so slow and feeble that they cannot be felt. They come from their winter's sleep about March 1 in New York.—Country Life in America.

## Early Names of Animals.

Among the many names for cattle none is commoner than those which come from the roots mu and bu, "to bellow." Hence we have the Akkadian am, "bull," the Turkic en-ek, "cow," the Egyptian am, "cattle," and the Mongol buku, "bull," but a more distinctive word is tor, which seems to mean probably "horned" and which appears not only as taurus, but as the Semitic thor and the Mongol shor. The bull, whether tamed or wild, was no doubt well known to early man. The names for goats are also suggestive of connection and include the Aryan ais, the Semitic az and probably the Akkadian uz.

For sheep perhaps the oldest word is the Egyptian ba, but there is a word for lamb which seems to be widely distributed, as the Semitic kar, the Greek kar and the Fincic kari, probably from the root kar, to "inclose" or "guard," as meaning a herded flock. From the same root come words for pasture, no doubt allied.—Scottish Review.

## The Doctor Didn't Count.

A Celtic cook asked a mistress one Monday for leave of absence the following Sunday to attend her brother's funeral.

"Why," exclaimed the mistress, "this is only Monday? Surely, nobody's going to keep a dead body a whole week?" "He's not dead yet, mum," explained the cook.

"No? Well, he may die today or he may live a month. No doctor can safely say that a person will die at such a time that a day may be set for the funeral."

"The doctor's nothing to do wid it, mum," was the further explanation. "O'm sure Sunday'll be all right, fr he's sinned to be hung Friday."

## Mitigating Circumstances.

"Are you aware of any mitigating circumstances in your case?" asked a magistrate of a negro convicted of stealing a coat.

"Yes, sah; lots ob 'em. Ef I had time, judge, I could talk to you for a week on dat subject."

"If you know of any mitigating circumstance, please state it."

"Yes, sah; I'll tell you ob one right now, sah. How easy would it have been for me to bring my family inter disgrace and misery, sah. I jess resigned single. I nebbor married, sah. Anudder mitigatin' circumstance am"—"Officer, remove the prisoner."

## Knew Who to Blame.

In a city not subject to earthquakes there lived a family which had one of those domestics of the break everything they touch sort. Recently the town experienced a slight shock. Pictures were thrown down, crockery and furniture rattled about. In the midst of the tumult the mistress went to the head of the stairs and called out in a would be patient tone, "Mary Ann, what are you doing now?"

## Each to His Own.

"I tell you," said the bachelor with the crusty way of thinking, "I don't believe in this business of henpecked husbands. I think a married man should exercise his will." "So do I," agreed the woman with an alimony, "so long as he doesn't interfere with the married woman exercising her won't."—Baltimore News.

## The Original Man.

Miss Wayning—To me there is nothing like originality. Nothing would give me greater pleasure than to meet an original man.

Mr. Hartless—If you had been born a little sooner, Miss Wayning, you would have experienced that pleasure in the society of Adam.—Richmond Dispatch.

## A Little Misunderstanding.

Young Mother—What will you charge for a photograph of our little boy? Photographer—Three dollars, madam, but it will be considerably cheaper for a dozen.

Young Mother—A dozen! Oh, no, we can't wait so long!—Lippincott's.

## A Fastidious Eater.

Chimmie—What kinder pie do you like best? Mag—Oh, I dunno—pumpkin, I guess. Chimmie—Aw, I don't like pumpkin. It musses up yer ears so!—Smart Set.

## He Told Her.

Teacher—Johnny Stokes, how many make a million? Johnny—Very few on dis earth, mum.

## The Domestic Novel.

The domestic novel may be said to have begun when the worthy printer of Derby published his "History of Pamela." The way that the idea of writing such a book occurred to him is significant. He had been asked by a bookseller to compile a complete letter writer that might serve the ladies of the middle classes, who were not versed in polite literature, as a model for correspondence. Richardson took a servant girl as the imaginary correspondent, and then, introducing a narrative to enhance the interest of the letters, he produced his Pamela, with the intention of both instructing and interesting his readers, so that they might learn simultaneously the art of letter writing and the art of virtue. The novel began, therefore, in a series of letters, "the most natural as well as the most improbable way of recounting a narrative," according to one of its earliest critics. Richardson avows his object—he writes for the women, and, be it noted, for the women of the bourgeoisie.—Westminster Review.

## The Use of the Right Foot.

That the right foot is, like the right hand, ordinarily more mobile and at the same time stronger than the left might be attributed to the more frequent exertion of this side were it not that the peculiarity is said to extend itself even to the constitution, and the left extremities are asserted to be more liable to disease than the right. The more difficult movements in stage dancing are usually executed upon the right foot, and it is generally considered that unless double practice be accorded to the left leg an ungraceful preference for the right will be shown by the dancers in their public performances.

Most people tread more firmly with the right than with the left foot. There seems to be a greater capacity for propelling the body with the right foot. From this the horseman springs, with his left in the stirrup, and unless left handed no boy in his play hops naturally upon the left foot.—Pall Mall Gazette.

## One Misery of Anglo-Indian Life.

Every night at dinner the Anglo-Indian holds a kind of levee. The insects which attend dance gayly round the lamp, and one has to watch one's plate and glass carefully lest some of the insects should dance into them. There is one insect—a little, fat, brown, shining creature—which emits the worst odor in the world. If one of these touches your food, the whole is tainted and rendered inedible. You dare not kill these pests, for if one be squashed the whole room becomes filled with its disgusting smell and is uninhabitable for the next half hour. So these abominable insects fly about with impunity while the poor Anglo-Indian must perforce look helplessly on and inwardly sigh "Spero meliora."—London Saturday Review.

## The Union Jack.

British newspapers complain that Englishmen often hang the union jack upside down.

To ascertain which is the "top" and which the "bottom" of a union jack look at the diagonal red cross (the cross of St. Patrick), and you will note that the white "edgings" to it, which are really the diagonal white cross of St. Andrew, upon which it is placed, are much broader on one side than on the other.

The flag is right side up when both these broad white "edgings" are above the red diagonals on the side next to the pole, whereas if you get the two narrow "edgings" of white on the top, on the side next to the pole, your flag is upside down.

## St. Cuthbert's Comb.

It was formerly the custom to bury comb with the dead, which clearly shows that these articles of the toilet had sacred significance in the eyes of the people of the old world. The comb buried with St. Cuthbert and now preserved at Durham, England, is of ivory and measures 6 1/2 inches in length and 4 1/2 inches in width. It is ascribed to the eleventh century and has a double row of teeth, divided by a broad, plain band, perforated in the middle with a round hole for the finger.

## Familiar Proverbs.

Mr. Churton Collins, in the New Liberal Review, traces the ancestry of some of our most familiar proverbs. "It is a wise child that knows his own father" is from the Odyssey; "Familiarity breeds contempt" is a saying of Plutarch; "Set a thief to catch a thief" is of Cato's coinage; "One swallow doesn't make a summer" is cited by Plato as already proverbial, as was "His bark is worse than his bite" when Quintus Curtius wrote it down.

## The Reason.

Wife—I think these new women who affect masculine attire are ridiculous.

Husband—I'm sure there's no danger of your wearing men's clothes.

Wife—Well, I should say not.

Husband—No; men's clothes couldn't possibly be made expensive enough to suit you.—Philadelphia Press.

## Invisible.

Maud—I think that it is just too horrid for anything. Here I've been standing over the side of the vessel for half an hour and can't see it.

Ruby—Can't see what, my dear?

Maud—Why, the equator. The captain said we were crossing it.

## Unreasonable Question.

"What happened 400 years ago this year?" asked Freddie's teacher.

"Don't know, please, sir," answered Freddie. "I am only seven years old."

## The Miser's Story.

"He lived very poorly."

"Yes, but he died rich."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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