

SHOWED ALL OLD-TIME SKILL.

Geronimo, Apache Chief, Roped Steer in Short Order.

The monotony of the quiet life which Geronimo, the Apache chief, has been leading was varied yesterday with a tinge of the strenuous life of his youth. He participated in a Wild West show. Geronimo was the guest of the proprietor, and put in his appearance dressed in the full regalia of the days of his former greatness.

The old man was given a good horse and lasso, and a steer was turned loose in the arena, and Geronimo was told to rope and tie it. Starting his horse at full gallop, the chase began. After circling himself around, the old chieftain whirled the lasso and made the throw. The rope settled around the steer's neck at the first attempt. In an instant the roper was off his horse, and with all the cunning of his youth proceeded to tie the animal fast and sound, accomplishing the feat in a very short time. The exhibition clearly demonstrated the fact that in spite of his 76 years he still possesses the strength and agility of youth.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Poodle Traveled as Infant.

A Camden, N. J., woman wanted to take her pet poodle visiting with her recently, but as dogs are not allowed in the Pullmans she was much worried about how she could keep it from the clutches of the baggage man. Finally she dressed the brute up in baby clothes, put a heavy veil over its head, and the dog traveled as an infant unbeknown to the conductor.

The Hatrack.



Carrier Pigeon Remembers Its Home.

I have known of pigeons imported from Belgium and kept prisoners for years which, when liberated, struck out for home, only to be drowned in the Atlantic or picked up by some ship at sea. This proves that no distance appalls them.

During the Franco-Prussian war the French caught a homing pigeon which was being sent to transmit information out of the besieged city of Paris. The bird was made a prisoner of war and kept in confinement for ten years. When given its liberty it at once returned to its old home, showing that ten years was not sufficient to drive from its mind the memory of home.—Country Life in America.

Enormous Debts to Milliners.

The other day I saw published the balance sheet of a limited liability milliners' establishment. If I remember rightly, the debts unpaid were set down at about £30,000. By the amount of credit in this one establishment one can judge of the enormous sum owed to all milliners by their customers collectively. It is well known that heavy commissions are offered to ladies who introduce customers, and that many ladies are not above accepting them.—London Truth.

Korean Good Burden Bearer.

The Korean coolie is as lazy as the Chinese is industrious. He can squat all day on his heels and smoke his pipe between intervals of sleep, and ask but little more of Heaven than his daily "pap," as his dish of rice is called, and an industrious wife at home. But, as burden bearer, he rivals the Chinese. With a sort of forked stick with pegs fitted to his back he carries 400 pounds easily.

Lewis' "Single Binder" straight 5c cigar. The highest price 5c cigar to the dealer and the highest quality for the smoker. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

All men are good—good for something or good for nothing.

Mrs. J. H. Giles, Everett, Pa., suffered years with kidney and gravel trouble. Cured by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, Rondout, N. Y. \$1.00.

The church service that does not stretch out on to the street only serves the devil.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. THOS. ROBBINS, Maple Street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

Many would rather be in sin than out of style.

Storekeepers report that the extra quantity, together with the superior quality of Defiance Starch makes it next to impossible to sell any other brand.

A young man seldom burns his candle at both ends if he has to pay cash for the candle.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

The man who starts out to look for trouble doesn't have to go far until he has it thrust upon him.

IMPERIAL HERNIA CURE.

Dr. O. S. Wood cures Rupture by a new process, in a few weeks, without loss of time or inconvenience. Rectal diseases cured without the knife. Send for circular. O. S. Wood, M. D., 521 N. Y. Life Bldg., Omaha.

Rusty pipes do not enrich the water of life.

If you don't get the biggest and best it's your own fault. Defiance Starch is for sale everywhere and there is positively nothing to equal it in quality or quantity.

A crusty tongue seldom has a chance to get rusty.

Kabo Corsets Get Grand Prize.

St. Louis, Oct. 16.—It has been announced that Kabo Corsets, made by the Kabo Corset Co., Chicago, have been given the Grand Prize and highest award by the board of judges at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

Dealers say that as soon as a customer tries Defiance Starch it is impossible to sell them any other cold water starch. It can be used cold or boiled.

When an idea suddenly strikes a man it often catches him off his guard.

Hundreds of dealers say the extra quantity and superior quality of Defiance Starch is fast taking place of all other brands. Others say they can not sell any other starch.

Most men are about as beneficial to their fellowmen as a hole is to a doughnut.

Write MURINE EYE REMEDY Co., Chicago, if your eyes are sore or inflamed, and get oculist's advice and free sample MURINE. It cures all eye-ills.

You cannot do God's work and walk your own way.

MEXICAN Mustang Liniment is a positive cure for Piles.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES

Color more goods brighter and faster colors than any other dye. One 10c package colors silk, wool and cotton equally well and is guaranteed to give perfect results. Ask dealer or we will send post paid at 10c a package. Write for free booklet—How to Dye, Bleach and Mix Colors. MONROE DRUG CO., Unionville, Missouri.



A prominent Southern lady, Mrs. Blanchard, of Nashville, Tenn., tells how she was cured of backache, dizziness, painful and irregular periods by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—Gratitude compels me to acknowledge the great merit of your Vegetable Compound. I have suffered for four years with irregular and painful menstruation, also dizziness, pains in the back and lower limbs, and fitful sleep. I dreaded the time to come which would only mean suffering to me.

"Better health is all I wanted, and cure if possible. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought me health and happiness in a few short months. I feel like another person now. My aches and pains have left me. Life seems new and sweet to me, and everything seems pleasant and easy.

"Six bottles brought me health, and was worth more than months under the doctor's care, which really did not benefit me at all. I am satisfied there is no medicine so good for sick women as your Vegetable Compound, and I advocate it to my lady friends in need of medical help."—MRS. B. A. BLANCHARD, 422 Broad St., Nashville, Tenn.

When women are troubled with irregular, suppressed or painful menstruation, weakness, leucorrhoea, displacement or ulceration of the womb, that bearing-down feeling, inflammation of the ovaries, backache, bloating (or flatulence), general debility, indigestion, and nervous prostration, or are beset with such symptoms as dizziness, faintness, lassitude, excitability, irritability, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, "all-gone" and "want-to-be-left-alone" feelings, blues and hopelessness, they should remember there is one tried and true remedy. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once removes such troubles. Refuse to buy any other medicine, for you need the best.

A Severe Case of Womb Trouble Cured in Philadelphia.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have been cured of severe female troubles by the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I was nearly ready to give up, but seeing your advertisement I purchased one bottle of your medicine, and it did me so much good that I purchased another, and the result was so satisfactory that I bought six more bottles, and am now feeling like a new woman. I shall never be without it. I hope that my testimonial will convince women that your Vegetable Compound is the greatest medicine in the world for falling of the womb or any other female complaints."—MRS. MAY CODY, 2660 Birch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Remember, every woman is cordially invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham if there is anything about her symptoms she does not understand. Her address is Lynn, Mass., her advice is free and cheerfully given to every ailing woman who asks for it.

HANDY BLUEING BOOK.

In sheets of PURE ANILINE BLUE. No bottles. No paddles. No waste. Gives the same amount of blueing water each wash-day. Ask your grocer for it or send 10c for a book of 25 leaves.

The Handy Blueing Book Co., 87 E. Lake St., Chicago, Ill.

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