

Needs no Warning.

Rulo, Neb., May 7, '06. Falls City Tribune.—Cattle raising in Baldwin county, Ala. It is the common thought of northern people that nothing but indifferent grade of cattle can be raised in the south, because many cattle shippers from the north have seen so many native cattle from the south in the stock yards in Kansas City, St. Joe or St. Louis, and they think no other cattle can be raised in the south. Men who have never seen any of the southern states, and who have seen some of the native stock of Alabama, will turn up their noses with a contemptuous sneer, if they do not openly scoff at the possibility of raising anything but vegetable, or possibly, to put it a little more politely, luxurious in its glorious sunshine in the winter time, and warn the people to keep away from the south. It is true that in some sections where it is too hot and the flies or the venomous serpents are so bad that cattle raising don't pay. But the country along the Mobile, Pensacola or Perdido bay are free from these pests. This section is free from diseases among domestic animals, that in some localities interfere very materially with the figures on the profit side of the ledger.

There are several essentials to the profitable rearing of live-stock. These may be summed up in pasturage, water, production of feed crops for winter feeding and fattening, and climate conditions. With such freedom from insects and favorable climatic conditions, if feeds can be produced of such character as to give satisfactory results in finishing the adult animal, there should be a satisfactory profit in feeding. That such feeds can be produced at a minimum of expense, has been demonstrated time and again by the experiment stations of Alabama and Florida. The excellence and abundance of water possesses advantage over other sections in the way of keeping live stock. People may ask: "If what you say about grasses and cattle raising is true, why do not the native cattle grow larger?" The answer is not far to seek. The native cattle are descendants of the old Spanish stock and for generations have been allowed to seek their own living on the ranges and have bred and inbred without the least attention or direction. The reader should bear in mind that Baldwin county is new, yet old. It is old for it has been sparsely settled for a hundred years or more by people who owned large herds of cattle, or engaged in the cutting of timber, who are satisfied with their own environments. It is new, as it has just been opened up to agriculture, and it has only recently been demonstrated what products can be profitably grown here.

Now the plain farmer, who wishes to escape the rigors of the northern winter or to procure a home on such terms as he can meet, where he can put to use the experience of his life in other sections, with the least change, who wants health and a chance to make a living can find it here as he can nowhere else, and if he will come to see for himself he will find it as I have written it. If a man listen to stories of ignorant or jealous people he will generally be misled.

I hope that my few remarks in the Tribune about Baldwin county, Alabama, have interested the readers a little, and that the poor old Journal don't need to warn the people any more about Baldwin county or other southern sections, when the warner don't know any more about it than a cow does about lunch time.

Yours very respectfully, HERMAN KOEHLER.

OUT OF THE GINGER JAR.

During the Civil war, the late Colonel Gabe Bouck organized a regiment which he controlled as a dictator. It was while the army was resting after Colonel Gabe's first campaign that an itinerant evangelist wandered into camp and, approaching the colonel, asked if he was the commanding officer. "Ugh!" snorted 'Old Gabe,' as he was affectionately called. "What do you want?" "I am a humble servant of the Lord endeavoring to save the souls of the unfortunate. I have just left the camp of the —th Massachusetts, where I was instrumental in leading eight men into the paths of righteousness." "Adjutant," thundered Colonel Bouck, after a moment's pause, "detail ten men for baptism. No —Massachusetts regiment shall beat mine for piety."

THE POOR CURATE.

Bishops of the State church of England are officers of the law appointed by the crown. Each bishop is presumed to make a yearly visitation to every parish in his diocese. He is addressed by everybody as "My Lord." One certain bishop visited a country parish in the year blank, and whilst he sipped the vicar's port after the vicar's excellent dinner in the picturesque vicarage, the poor curate—all curates are "poor"—ventured in to pay his respects.

"How are you?" the bishop condescended to loftily ask. "I am very well, my lord, I thank your lordship," the curate made humble answer.

"And how is your wife?" "She is dead, my lord, I thank your lordship."

"Ah?" "Yes, my lord." The curate bowed himself out backwards, and was forgotten. A year later the bishop sat again in the country vicarage, and again the curate ventured to pay his respects.

"How are you?" asked the bishop. "I am very well, my lord, I thank your lordship."

"How is your wife?" "She is still dead, my lord!"

A SENATORIAL OPINION.

Not long ago I was talking with R. R. Hitt, of Illinois, chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, about Thos. Hart Benton, whereupon he told me this anecdote of Benton's most masterful antagonist, Senator James Stephen Green.

"Senator Green," said Mr. Hitt, "was not only a man of splendid genius, but also of charming manner. He boarded at the National hotel, where he was popular with men and women. The latter found out that the senator was not much of a church goer and insisted that he should mend his ways in that regard. One Sunday he was late for dinner. The women asked why."

"I have been attending divine worship," replied the senator gravely.

"To what church did you go, senator?" asked a woman.

"I do not know," answered the courtly Missourian.

"Who preached?" they asked.

"I don't know," he said. "I walked up the avenue, turned up Fourth street and entered a church on the left-hand side."

"This was an Episcopal church."

"How did you like the services?" asked another woman.

"It appeared to me," answered the Senator, "that there was too much reading of the journal and too little debate!"

The friendship existing between Father Kelly and Rabbi Levi is proof against differences in race and religion. Each is distinguished for his learning, his eloquence, and his wit; and they delight in chaffing each other. They were seated opposite each other at a banquet where some delicious roast ham was served and Father Kelly made comments upon its flavor.

Presently he leaned forward and in a voice that carried far, he addressed his friend:

"Rabbi Levi, when are you going to become liberal enough to eat ham?"

"At your wedding, Father Kelly," retorted the rabbi.

A SUSTAINED EFFORT.

Down in Southern Georgia two widows were condoling with each other over their troubles.

In telling of the last sickness and death of their husbands, one said: My man, poor feller, jes' suffered and suffered and suffered and jes' died for the want of breath!"

The other replied, "Wall mine didn't; he drawed his breath to the very last."

A small church was sadly in want of general repairs, and a meeting was being held to raise funds for that purpose.

The minister having said that to do the work \$500 would be required, a very wealthy (and equally stingy) member of the congregation rose and said he would give one dollar. Just as he sat down a lump of plaster fell from the ceiling and hit him upon the head whereupon he rose hastily and called out that he had made a mistake—he would give fifty dollars. That was too much for an enthusiast present who, forgetful of everything, called out fervently: "O Lord, hit him again!"

The late Duke of Clarence and younger brother, the present Prince of Wales, were once at a seaside resort, and the latter persuaded his brother to go to a fashionable hotel where there was dancing. The royal sailor immediately found a partner and proceeded to enjoy himself, to the horror of the Duke of Clarence, who had fixed ideas as to the dignity of his rank and was so shocked by the rollicking democracy of Prince George that he called his brother aside and admonished him severely.

"Oh, pshaw," returned the younger brother: "what's the harm? If you don't like it why don't you go over in the corner and sing 'God save my Grandmother' all by yourself."

The Eastern manager of a large Western manufacturing concern has a benignly clerical appearance that commands confidence. He was standing on a corner in the shopping district of New York awaiting for a car when a woman, handsomely gowned and evidently a stranger, approached him and said hesitatingly:

"I wish to go to John Wanamaker's."

Instantly he replied in a tone of indulgent seriousness:

"Very well, you can go this time, but don't ever, ever ask me again!"

We learn from the Dawson Newsboy that O. B. Smith, John Young M. B. Ryan, Bud Page, Will Albright, T. P. Cummings, Frank Dempsey and Mrs. Wade Whitney were Falls City visitors during the past week.

Also that John Oswald and Tom Davies were business visitors in that village.

A Revelation.

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We note from the Humboldt Leader and Standard these names of their citizens who visited in this city the past week: Frank Hynek, George Harral, Hi Quackenbush, J. D. Shrauger, Dr. Reber and son Albert, Fred Luginbill, M. R. Wilson and Mrs. A. M. Babb.

The Vedette noted the following Verdon passengers to this city during the past week: Mary Heineman, Roy Swisgood, Chris Fisher, Mart Stewart, wife and daughter, Wm. Bridgmon, Homer Sailors, Vincent Arnold, wife and daughter, Mrs. Julia Hall, Clyde Lum and Ed Frauenfelder.

Falls City visitors to Verdon Dr. Houston, P. S. Heacock, Wilbur S. Leyda, Chas. Heineman and wife and Levi Zubrick.

L. C. Edwards and H. C. Smith were business visitors in that city.

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