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HOWELLS

of 1872. She was a noble woman and Perkinson, for a few weeks. the news of her death brings genuine sorrow to the hearts of those who knew

Among a bunch of cattle that J. K. Semerad of Maple Creek precinct had surgical operation at St. Mary's hospital on the South Omaha market on Tuesday were twelve high grade hereford steers, late reports from her bedside are to the two year olds, that had been on a feed of effect that she is getting along nicely. alfalfa and corn for only eighty-six days Mr. Theewen was at the bedside of his that showed an average weight of 1,1:33 wife until Sunday evening. pounds. The twelve brought Joe \$779.-

ST. EDWARD

From the Advance. Columbus to visit her parents, Mr. and hospital she will be restored in good health. Mrs. H. Weisentluh,

Mrs. Lee Mullen of Columbus returned home vesterday after a brief visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Farrow. Mrs. Shell Clark and daughter, Miss

Columbus where she will enter St. Mary's hospital to prepare for a surgical

operation. was taken to St. Mary's hospital, Columfoot was amputated the fore part of the week and for a few days his condition was considered very critical. His phyrecovery are good.

PLATTE CENTER

From the Signal. hauled eleven pigs to this market Monday that weighed 318 pounds each.

at St. Joseph's church in Platte Center.

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gether with his brother Henry M. and Fred Goering, he takes possession of a Mrs. James Hughes, one of the pio- stock of general merchandise. Will's neer women of northeastern Colfax co- face will be missed from behind the unty, died at the family home at Schuy- counters in the Bruckner store, where he ler on Saturday last. The deceased was has been a familiar figure for many seventy years of age and had been a years. Mrs. Ripp and the children will resident of this county since the spring remain with her mother, Mrs R. W.

From the Democrat Mrs. Frank Theewen submitted to in Columbus last Friday morning and

Mrs. W. H. Tieskoetter, accompanied 70, and he is more than ever convinced by her son Frank went down to Omaha that it pays to raise and feed good stock, Sunday and entered St. Joseph's hospital to receive medical treatment. We are sorry to report that Mrs. Tieskoetter's health has been quite poorly of late and Mrs. Chas Rendell left yesterday for we hope that after a short stay in the

Chas. Magsamen loaded a car with stock, farm machinery and household goods and shipped them to Kit Carson, Colorado, on Tuesday of this week. Henry Haverland accompanied the Ruth Clark, left Tuesday for Fremont shipment, and Mr. Magsamen and his where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Geo. | family will follow this week The many friends of the family hope they will pros-Mrs. Frank Bruno left Tuesday for per and enjoy good health in their new

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Meyer and family left Tuesday noon for Denver, Colorado, Word comes from Geo. Reeder who to visit their son, George, and hunt up a location. Mr. and Mrs. Meyer expect bus, last Thursday, that he is at present to reside in some small Colorado town. much improved in health. His right and later on Mr. Meyer says he and his wife will take a trip to their old home in Germany. The three boys will locate in Denver providing they find suitable sicians now believe that his chances for positions. Mr. and Mrs. Meyer are old residents of this community and have many friends here who regret to see them

F. W. Wilkening who has spent the Henry Johannes, of Grand Prairie, greater part of the past eight months in Europe where he represented an American wholesale lumber company, of which They were Duroc Jerseys, and but ten he is a member, was calling on his numerous Humphrey friends on Thursday Frank Coupons and Miss Catherine and Friday of this week, having arrived Forman were married Monday morning from Germany the fore part of January. Rev. Father Angelus officiating. These to get back to America, although he has young people live in this neighborhood, no regrets to offer on his sojourn across the bride being a daughter of Mr. and the water. After two or three weeks Mrs. John Forman, and the groom a son stay in Nebraska, Mr. Wilkening will go of Mr and Mrs. Peter Coupons, of Shell to New Orleans where he will establish Creek township. They will reside on the permanent headquarters, and instead of sending a representative to Europe to groom's farm, 7 miles southwest of town. make sales in the future the company Will Ripp left last Thursday for his will deal through the commission houses

THE BIG GOVERNMENT DAM COMPLETED.

The Highest Masonry Dam in the World.

On Sunday, January 16th, at 2:00 p. m., the United States Government completed the highest masonry dam ever built anywhere at any time. This dam also has the smallest spread, from base to top, any dam of a considerable height ever built.

The dam is in Rattlesnake and Cedar mountains in the northwestern part of Wyoming, seven miles west of Cody and about sixty miles east of Yellowstone Park. The dam is 70 feet across at the base of the foundation, 108 feet wide at the river level and 170 feet wide at the top. It was started in 1905 and has been five years in building. Almost 200,000 barrels of cement and 90,000 tons of granite were required to compate the masonry work. It is built into channel of the Shoshone river for the purpose of impounding the waters of that stream to conserve the waters of that stream to conserve them for irrigating what is known as the lands of the Shoshone Irrigation project, comprising 150,000 acres of land lying along the banks of the Shoshone River and along the Burlington railroad to the east of Oody. When the waters are impounded, they will form a lake of ten square miles with an average depth of 70 feet and a capacity of 148,588,512,000 gallons, or enough water to cover 456,000 acres with water one foot deep-ezough water to irrigate more than twice the acreage of the Government Project.

Upon this dam and other engineering works of this project, which include an outlet tunnel through the solid rock, a diversion dam at Corbett and a tunnel therefrom 316 miles long through the solid rock, the Government is spending about \$7,000,000, or almost one-seventh of the total amount \$50,000,000 - thus far expended on the various Government irrigation projects scattered throughout the country.

During the past year hundreds of settlers have taken up lands under this project and have done exceptionally

well, even for a first year. The lands of the project are reached by the Burlington Route, which is spending millions of dollars in the construction of new lines through this rich and fertile country-known as the Big Horn Basin of Wyoming.

BELLWOOD.

Geo. Allen, formerly of Alexis township, passed through Bellwood Tuesday to David City with the dead body of his wife who died at Belgrade the latter part of last week.

Grandma Lillie is reported very ill at the home of her son Henry at Cohen, Neb. Her daughter. Mrs. W. H. Grant and grandma Gerard left Thursday morning for her bedside.

After about a week's illness with appendicitis Walter Mark died on Friday morning lest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barley west of Bellwood, where he had been working.

Clyde Perine, after about a week' illness with appendicitis, died Thursday morning about 8 o'clock at the home of his father-in-law, James Jerdon, who lives just across the line in Polk county. He was married only a few months ago to Miss Cora Jerdon, therefore leaves a young wife to mourn her loss. Deceas ed was about 24 years of age.

A farmer near our town recently hired a lad to help him do chores. One morning he told him to take some salt and salt a calf out in the pasture. The boy took a quart of salt with him and thoroughly rubbed it all over the calf working it into the hair. A gang of colts in the pasture scented the salt and got after the calf. They licked all the He is looking tine and he says he is glad hair off the calf and nearly took the hide

MONROR.

From the Republican.

Gordon and Miss Mande Hill came up from Columbus Saturday to spend Sunday with their parents.

Vestal Moore bought the livery business Tuesday of Frank Dickinson. Mr Moore began his duties Wednesday

Monday of this week revival meetings were began at the Methodist church. and will probably continue for several weeks. Rev. Rose, the pastor, has charge of the meetings.

A number of friends gathered at the home of John Kelly Monday evening and helped him celebrate his seventy-eighth birthday. An oyster supper was enjoyed by all late in the evening.

S. Bordy of Columbus who has been selling a stock of clothing in the Munter building, moved his stock of clothing back to Columbus Tuesday. He has only been here for the past month.

That the independent elevator is a good thing for a town has been amply demonstrated here this winter, as more No. 9 . No. 17. grain has been marketed in Monroe this No. 15. grain has been marketed in Monroe this winter than in a number of years. And elevator is also a big advertisement for the town, as farmers know that they will get all their products are worth.

Emigrant Potatoes. Irish potatoes, like Irishmen, do better abroad than they do at home, and just as the average Irishman when he gets to the colonies becomes a governor general, like Lord MacDonnell or Sir Gavan Duffy, so the average Irish seed potato planted in England knocks spots out of the average Scotch or English seed.-Irish Homestead.

Ready, as a Rule. "Woman," observed the epigrammatic boarder, "is a puzzle without an

answer." "Huh!" snorted old Grumpley. "I never saw a woman without one yet." -Boston Transcript.

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The Noise Habit.

A personal experience first showed the writer the possibility of a state of affairs where the habit of noise could become as fixed as the habit of a drug Waking one night in the quiet of a country house far from other habitations. I suddenly heard the starting of the hot air engine which pumped the water-chug, chug, chug, chug. I lay listening to its monotonous vibrations and wondering at the unusual hour for pumping until I fell asleep. The next night the sound was repeated. he confessed that he could not sleep in condition. the quiet of the country; that the sudden change from the roar of a great city to the silence of the woods was so great as to cause him real suffering. As his only way to rest he would leave start up the pump and, lying down in a nearby hammock, find sleep brought him by the lullaby of the hot air engine. That man recognized that he had the noise habit and finally conquered it.—Hollis Godfrey in Atlantic.

Oddly Named. A Mr. Hudson, who had made large fortune as a dentist, had built a very expensive-country house near Dublin, but of such an extraordinary construction as to bid defiance to the criticism of the architect.

One day after dinner at Curran's this singular mansion became a subject of merriment for his guests. The question for their satirical inquiry was, "What was its order of architecture?" One said it certainly was Grecian, another contended it was Saxon and a third that it was oriental, when their host thus interposed:

"Excuse me, gentlemen, you are all wrong. It is Tusk-un. From the irregularities of the mansion and from its proprietor being a dentist the Irish call it Snaggletooth Hall."-London An-

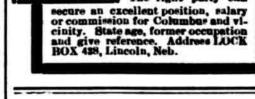
Something Left. Brown (at the club)-Yes, by Jove, there's very little you can teach me. I've been everywhere, done everything, seen everything. The Scotch Member -Young man, did ye ever have D. T.'s? Brown-D. T.'s! Great Scott, no! The Scotch Member - Then ye've seen nowt.-Sketch.

Reckless Driving. "What is the matter with your wife? I see she's got her hand in a sling." "Reckless driving."

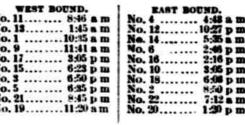
"Horse?" "No: nail."

Where Her Thoughts Were. Daughter-To tell the truth, pa, didn't think much of the close of the sermon. Father-Thought more of the clothes of the congregation, eh?

The right party can







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and Dr. Sabourand, of Paris, France, caught by the natives for food. share the honor of having discovered the hair microbe.

Baldness is not caused through a few weeks' work of these hair microbes, but is the result of conditions brought about occur until years after the microbes began work, but it is certain to come which dissolves in water. Its strength Sandwich group. In the southern sooner or later.

The microbes cut off the blood supply They feed on the fatty matter about the roots of the hair, through which the blood is absorbed. Finally the fatty matter is consumed, the food supply of the hair is gone and it starves and finally

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England's Old Common Field System. A "common field" is quite distinct from a "common." It is a field belonging to numerous owners. The land consists of long narrow strips, perhaps not more than ten yards wide and running parallel with one another. What are the exact rules of cultivation that obtain in Kent today we do not know. but of old it was usual to have a regular rotation, such as wheat one year, barley or oats the second and fallow the third. When the crops were harvested, each member of the community getting his or her share, all could put in their cattle, which roamed over the whole field, feeding on the stubble. etc. And this was termed the "right of sack." The "common field" system was gradually done away with by statutes in the reigns of George III. and William IV.-London Express.

A Famous Temple.

The most magnificent work of ar chitecture in the world is the Taj Mahal, in Agra, Hindustan. It was erected by Shah Jehan to the memory of his favorite queen. It is octagonal in form, of pure white marble, inlaid with jasper, carnelian, turquoise, agate, amethyst and sapphire. The work took 22,000 men twenty years to complete, and, though there were free gifts and the labor was free, the cost is estimated at \$16,000,000.-Exchange.

Real Good Steak. "We can't eat this steak; it's no

good!" complained a young man who was spending his honeymoon in a Scottish village. "Ye're surely jokin', sir," said the

landlord of the inn. "It maun indeed be guid. It's a bit o' the minister's

Higher.

"But our ideals." "What of them?" "Are they higher than they were generation ago?" "Sure. Everything is higher now."

Louisville Courier-Journal.

His Blunder. "How did you enjoy the musicale?" "Oh, I applauded at the wrong time as usual; thought the orchestra tun-

sas City Journal. Easily Timed. Read-Have you ever timed your automobile? Greene-Oh, yes! It

A Fish That Gives Paint. The well known brown pigment called sepia is obtained from a ten armed octopus found principally in the Med-

the creature to cover its escape. Some naturalists say that the flukl is brownwill color 1,000 times its own bulk. sack or bag is removed and dried to and still be as far from any other prevent putrefaction. The sepin is land, and the same may be done in a treated with ammonia or caustic soda, westerly direction from Cape Horn. washed and dried. It is one of the most durable of paints, except when fully exposed to the fierce rays of the sun, and an even surface can be ob- and New Zealand covers a space of ained with it more easily than with 80 degrees of longitude and 40 of latimost paints. Sepia has been obtained tude of absolutely unbroken sea, makfrom a fossil cuttlefish thousands of ing its central point over 1,200 miles years old and found to be quite good from anywhere. for paint.

The Change From Black to Red. "See that little woman who just went out?" remarked a Fourth avenue milliner to a customer. "Noticed that red hat, did you? Well, as a milliner and a person whose business it is to back. study the different characteristics of women I have watched her for two years. It has been a kind of study of the 'evolutions of a widow.'

"Two years ago she came to me, recently bereaved, and had me make her a hat or deepest black. She was broken hearted and declared she would never again take an interest in the pretty things that women like to wear. A year ago she came again.

"'Don't you think I might have the least bit of white in my new hat?' she asked.

"'Yes,' I said: 'I think you might,' and the hat was made. Three mouths later she came for another hat, and she stood for a little touch of lavender. Next she had a big white plume. and last week I made her that red hat. It just shows what time will do we say that Rexell "93" Hair Tonic will in lifting up a heart bowed down."-Louisville Times.

The Releaser.

If he badn't been a dreadful bore and the hour wasn't so late it is quite refrained from the exercise of a strategic scheme, says the Cleveland Plain Dealer.

in the midst of a long winded description of his camping outfit. "What is it?" he whispered in re-

She smiled reassuringly. "It's only papa. He must be oiling

the releaser." "And what is the releaser?" "It's one of papa's ingenious o'clock, he pulls up a brass chain that

And she laughed merrily. The caller glanced at the clock on the mantel. It indicated 10:57.

"I find I must go," he said in a slightly hurried manner. "And good night."

Trapping Baboons.

Hagenbeck in his book says that baboons are caught in traps made much like the huts of savages. Food is put into the huts, and once the baboons go inside a trapdoor closes behind them. Outside baboons make a great to do and urge the prisoners to escape. When the trappers come the captured baboons are terror stricken and try to force their heads through the walls of the huts. One baboon was caught three times in the same trap, and several when turned loose got back into the same trap a second time. When the baboons are carried away all their comrades thereabout climb into trees and scream out to the prisoners. who answer in sad, mournful voices. On one occasion some big Arabian baboons were trapped, when 2,000 or 3,000 baboons hurled themselves upon the trappers, who had hard work to save themselves with firearms and clubs. As the trappers were forced back the victorious baboons tore up the trap and turned loose the captured baboons.

possible to sail 1.000 miles from land? This can be done at several points. iterranean and more especially at the By leaving San Francisco and sail-Professor Unna of Hamburg, Germany, head of the Adriatic sea, where it is ing northwestward into the north Pacific a spot is reached where there The sepia is contained in a bag and is no land, not even an islet, for 1,000 is really the black fluid of which we miles in any direction. So, too, sailhave all read as being discharged by ing from the southern point of Kamchatka southeastward ships reach a point equally distant from land of ish, which becomes more credible when any kind, the nearest to the north by their presence. Baldness may not we know that this is the source of being the Aleutian islands and to the sepia. The pigment is really a powder south the outlying members of the may-be estimated by the fact that it Indian ocean it is possible to sail 1,000 miles out from the southern When the octopus has been killed the points of Australia and New Zealand

The question has been asked, Is it

How Every Man Should Vote. "Anybody who doesn't vote my way is a darned fool!" exclaimed a little man on an outbound trolley car.

Indeed, from this point a much longer

distance might be reached, for the

southern Pacific between the Horn

turning around in his seat and looking is a darned fool!" repeated the little

"What's that?" asked a big man,

"Did I understand you aright?" asked the big man, rising from his seat and coming back to the rear of the car where the little man was seat-

The little man looked the big man over, but he was game and said once more. "Anybody who doesn't vote my

way is a darned fool!" "Hold on a minute said the big man. who seemed on the point of starting something. "First tell me which way

A foxy gleam shot into the eves of the little man, and he piped as dauntlessly as ever, "I'm going to vote any way I darned please!"-Birmingham Age-Herald.

Ink at \$100 a Pound.

you are going to vote."

"The best India ink-it should really be called China ink-never leaves China," said a missionary. "It costs \$100 a pound, and the scribes use it in writpossible the lovely girl would have ing the correspondence of the royal family and the mandarins. India ink is made of the oil of poisonous seeds of the sesamum or colza tree. Varnish "Hark!" she whispered as he paused and pork fat are added to the oil, and then, by means of combustion, all is changed to lampblack. The lampblack paste mixed with glue is beaten for days on an anvil, and musk is gradually mixed in to give perfume and the purest gold leaf to give a rich luster. Finally the ink is dried in molds for about a month. What makes the best India ink so costly is its purity and. schemes. Every night, at exactly 11 above all, the long time given to its combustion and subsequent beating. If you saw its beauty you wouldn't releases our brindle bull pup from think it dear at \$100 a pound."-Philahis annex adjoining the kitchen; that's delphia Bulletin.

> The Salesman. Young man, I had decided upon your immediate discharge. One big

redeeming trait of your character as just now revealed restrains me. Your loyalty is all that saves you. Stick up for your house every time. A salesman's five cardinal points are loyalty, enthusiasm, hard work, persistence and tact. You have much of the first four and none of the last. Smooth yourself down. You talked to the lumber company man at the wrong time. When he said he was too busy you should have smiled and got out. You can only sell to a man when he is in the right mood .- Book-

Calmness. Remember on every occasion which leads thee to vexation to apply this principle—that this is not a misfortune. but that to bear it nobly is good fortune.-Marcus Aurelius.

His Own Sphere. "You a doctor! Why, nobody in his senses would employ you!"

"Perhaps not, but I'm going to be

doctor to lunatics!" High birth is a poor dish on the ta-

