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That story about a horse eating off his head is subject to a revised version.

Among other things that have been high, but are coming down, is the newly-sighted comet.

It should be distinctly understood that breakfast foods are just as nourishing for other meals later in the day.

If Dr. Pearson is looking for small colleges that need the money, Nebraska can furnish several guaranteed to fill the bill.

Perhaps the quickest way to clarify the situation at the county hospital would be to let the coming grand jury sit on it.

The packers insist that meat is getting cheaper. No one that we know of is doing anything to prevent except those who have meat to sell.

The barefoot dance is now described by art critics as "the poetry of motion." As a corollary, presumably it is easier to scan poetic feet when unshod.

Moral: Be careful not to carry \$28,000 in \$1,000 bills in the inside pocket of your dress suit when you go out to spend a social evening at the theater.

Prepare for another melodramatic rescue act on the floor of congress if the committee reports for the abolition of all the various Indian supply warehouses.

Canada's postoffice last year produced a surplus of \$809,237.53. Either Canada's statesmen are not so prolific in oratory as our own or the franking privilege there is more limited.

That New York banker who claims to have been touched for \$28,000 has a plausible explanation, but if the affair occurred here in Omaha his story would be subject to the usual bank discount.

It is now proposed to build an art museum building on Jefferson square. We were under the impression that it was settled years ago in the courts that Jefferson square could be used for nothing but park purposes.

The Young Woman's Christian association reports furnishing lunches to an average of 600 girls each day at the average cost to the ultimate consumer of 12 cents per lunch. Here is an oasis in the desert of high prices.

A writer in one of the current popular magazines asks the question, "Is the republican party breaking up?" and then proceeds with a lengthy narrative intending to suggest to the reader an affirmative answer.

The accusation against cold storage now is that it permits the speculators to withhold supplies and maintain a fictitious price on foodstuffs. If this be the case, the fault is with the application and not the method. Cold storage has unquestionably been perverted from its beneficent uses, and to that extent should be subjected to remedial regulation.

Inquiry is now under way in Chicago and at other centers whereby the fact will be developed how far the perversion of the purpose of cold storage is chargeable for the excessive prices exacted for food. Disclosure of the fact will doubtless also open up the remedy.

In the meantime, the fact remains that cold storage is in itself one of the greatest possible means of service to mankind, and, properly administered, can not fail to bring great benefits.

Pinchot Stays in Harness.

The succession of Gifford Pinchot to the position occupied by Charles W. Elliot as head of the national organization to promote the conservation movement assures the public that notwithstanding his displacement from the head of the forestry service, Mr. Pinchot will remain in the harness.

It goes without saying that the field for conservation propaganda by an organization of private individuals goes far beyond the limits of action of the federal government. There are at least three elements to be co-ordinated. First, the federal government whose jurisdiction extends over the public domain and navigable waters; second, the state governments who are supreme in the regulation and control of natural resources wholly within state lines; and, third, the personal and corporate holders of forests and mineral lands, power sites, phosphate deposits, etc., who are most tempted to wasteful and imprudent uses.

This indicates that there is ample room for Mr. Pinchot's activity outside of government service, although much of the actual work for which his organization is contending will have to be done through government agencies. The appointment of one of Mr. Pinchot's former associates and closest friends to the office of chief forester, which he has vacated, and the outspoken advocacy of the Roosevelt conservation policies by President Taft may be taken to insure a response by the federal government to the full extent that the legislation enacted by congress permits.

Floods in France.

Accustomed to the annual antics of our own unruly streams, Americans are watching with much interest reports of the progress of the fluvial floods in France. Since the days of Napoleon the Great the French government has been engaged in the work of confining and harnessing the rivers. The internal waterways of France have been frequently referred to as models that might well be adopted by Americans for the improvement of our streams.

Cold Storage.

On the head of the cold storage man just now the vials of wrath are being emptied. The fickle public has forgotten that only a little while ago it was praising the inventive genius who had provided a way whereby the surplus of summer could be made available against the lean days of winter. Eggs that would spoil during the heat of the summer are now refrigerated and turned out months afterward to the ultimate consumer almost as eatable as they were a few hours after the clucking hen had deposited them in the nest.

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Healthful Omaha. The letter printed in The Bee with reference to the groundlessness of any alarm about typhoid fever in Omaha is timely. While Omaha, no more than any other city of its size and conglomerate population, can claim complete freedom from typhoid at any time, our best medical practitioners all agree that typhoid is little, if any more, prevalent here now than it is regularly at this season of the year.

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Army Gossip

Matters of Interest On and Back of the Firing Line Taken From the Army and Navy Registers.

The president has an opportunity this week to appoint a brigadier general of the army, upon the retirement from that grade of Lieutenant Colonel Hiram M. Chittenden of the corps of engineers, who became a brigadier general on Monday in place of General J. G. D. Knight.

The Examination of Eighty-two Candidates.

for appointment as junior officers in the Army Medical Corps began on Monday, before boards convened in various parts of the country. Those candidates who are reported as qualified will be appointed first lieutenants in the medical reserve corps and form the next class at the Army Medical School in Washington.

When the Army Bill Emerges from the Senate.

military committee it will contain an amendment prepared at the War Department to authorize and direct the accounting officers of the treasury to allow payments to army officers for exercising higher command. Numerous disallowances have been made in the settlement of claims filed by officers for arrears on account of foreign service, increase of pay and other causes, and in some instances the amount so disallowed is considerable.

The Annual Physical Test for the Army.

and navy has been the subject of official attention, with a view to changing the conditions so as to bring the requirements more within the purpose of the order, that of cultivating and inculcating the habit of frequent daily exercise on the part of members of the commissioned personnel of the military-naval establishment.

The Attention of the Navy Department.

has been directed to the action of a municipal police officer in Portland, who was asked to suspend sentence in the case of a youthful culprit in order that the young man might enlist in the navy as a means of discipline, punishment and reform.

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Ask Her This Question

"Do you know of any woman who ever received any benefit from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?"

If any woman who is suffering with any ailment peculiar to her sex will ask her neighbors this question, she will be surprised at the result. There is hardly a community in this country where women cannot be found who have been restored to health by this famous old remedy, made exclusively from a simple formula of roots and herbs.

During the past 30 years we have published thousands of letters from these grateful women who have been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and never in all that time have we published a testimonial without the writer's special permission. Never have we knowingly published a testimonial that was not truthful and genuine. Here is one just received a few days ago. If anyone doubts that this is a true and honest statement of a woman's experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound write and ask her.



New Orleans, La.—"I suffered with inflammation and ulceration for a long time, and had dreadful backache and a weakness. I had been under the doctors' treatment for six months and they claimed I must be operated upon. I was in bed three weeks and could not turn over on either side the pains were so bad and I was so nervous. Then Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me by a neighbor, and I had taken it only a short time when I felt relieved and now I am a well woman. I am in fine health and feel like a young girl. I have recommended the Compound to my next door neighbor, and hope that all suffering women will try it."—Mrs. J. Wilson, 4016 Ulloa St., New Orleans, La.

Any woman who is sick and suffering is foolish surely not to give such a medicine as this a trial. Why should it not do her as much good as it did Mrs. Wilson.

If the slightest trouble appears which you do not understand, write to Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for her advice—it is free and always helpful.

PERSONAL NOTES.

For the first time for nearly a century the name of Gladstone does not appear in the polling lists of Great Britain. The Berlin author of a biting satire, "Above All Things, Don't Marry," has married a woman who was accused of participation in the killing of her former husband, and escaped on an insanity plea.

LINES TO A LAUGH.

"So you got a new hard luck story," said Maudering Milo. "Yes," answered Pleading Pete. "I took me up from these historical novels. Dis one is founded on fact."—Washington Star.

A LETTER.

Dear Mayno, in Record-Herald. Some wise old gink has said there's really nothing new under the sun; that all we say and do is simply repetition; some one else in days of yore. Evolved this very thought, and so did someone else before.

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Advertisement for California Santa Fe. Includes an illustration of a train and the text: "California Santa Fe. In a tourist sleeper. You save money and travel comfortably. All the facts in Santa Fe tourist-sleeper folder." Signed by Samuel Larimer, Gen. Agt., Santa Fe Railway, Des Moines, Iowa.