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I have an exceptionally large and well assorted stock of

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Protect yourself against a possibly dry season and put in plenty of fodder corn.
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General Department Store.

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To be well dressed is to be smoothly clothed—that is, the "style," the "fit," the "fashion," all must be up-to-date.

Character is what counts nowadays. That's why we have the best, the Crouse & Brandegee, Manufacturing Tailors, kinds; and the label thus:—



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PINE CITY, - - MINN.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, June 4th, 1901.

It is again up to the Cuban Constitutional Convention, and unless it can produce a more satisfactory answer than its amendment of the Platt amendment, an independent Cuban government has long ways off. Gen. Wood has been instructed by this government to say to the Cuban Constitutional Convention in kind but firm words, that its attempt to add all sorts of things, including a clause about the Monroe doctrine, to the Platt amendment, was regarded in Washington as childishness which it would be well not to repeat; that the Platt amendment must be accepted as it passed Congress, or not at all. The Cubans would do well to be careful, as there is a disposition in administration circles to be impatient with them, which may not result to their advantage.

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Capt. Geo. Braun, who recently returned from the Philippines, where he served with the Volunteers, thinks the islands have a great future. He said, "I consider it a very favorable sign that so many of our boys are remaining in the Philippines, after the expiration of their terms of enlistment. They are the men who will develop the country and in time convert it into American territory fit for statehood. I can no longer believe in the notion that the Filipinos will never be fit for American citizenship. First a just educational test, and the Filipinos who pass it, will be as desirable citizens, as were the negroes when the right of franchise was conferred upon them. Knowledge of the English language should be one of the chief features of the test, for in learning English the Filipinos will get an adequate idea of American institutions. I believe that in a quarter of a century, the Filipino boys who are now in school, will be fit for citizenship as (the average negro), and much superior to many Italians and other foreigners whom we admit into the U. S. and allow to vote after a few years residence. I cannot see that there is such a thing as a Philippine Problem. It seems to me that the course is straight away ahead, and that only time is necessary, coupled with wise and just government, to work out inevitably results that will be to the everlasting glory of the American Republic."

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Although the Attorney General has given an opinion that claims resulting from the destruction of the battleship Maine are National and not personal, and are barred by the Treaty of Paris, the Maine claims are still being filed with the Spanish Claims Commission by sailors who served on and by the heirs of those who lost their lives. Opinion will be given as to whether the Attorney General's opinion will be upheld, but the chances are that it will be as it would be very embarrassing to this government to have the question of responsibility for the destruction of the Maine passed on by the Spanish Claims Commission, regardless of how it might be decided.

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The President of Venezuela must not be kept well posted on the sentiment of the U. S. Government. If he had been, he would have escaped the humiliation of being officially informed that the U. S. Government unreservedly repudiated acts of U. S.

Minister Loomis, that the President of Venezuela had barely criticized in a published interview. It has been officially announced that Minister Loomis, who is now on a vacation, will not return to Venezuela, but will be given a place elsewhere in the Diplomatic service.

"The doctors told me my cough was incurable. One Minute Cough Cure made me a well man." Norris Silver, North Stratford, N. H.—"Because you're not found relief from a stubborn cough, don't despair. One Minute Cough Cure has cured thousands and it will cure you. Safe and sure. J. Y. Breckenridge."

COMMENCEMENT.

The commencement exercises held at the M. E. church on last Friday evening was well attended by those who were invited, the church being packed to its fullest capacity. The program as published was carried out excepting the pieces by orchestra which were substituted by violin and piano duets by Z. M. Edwards and Marie Barzun.

The exercises commenced promptly at 8 o'clock, Miss Mayme Pennington playing a march on the piano, Rev. H. Taylor then offered up a prayer after which Hall Columbia was rendered by Mr. Edwards and Miss Barzun. Miss Hattie Pennington then recited a valedictory, and considering the fact that Miss Hattie had never recited in public she did remarkably well, never making a slip throughout. Miss Mayme Pennington and Miss Marie Barzun then rendered "Philonel" as a duet, these young ladies done well as they always do, the piece being a difficult one to play, especially as a duet. Hon. J. Adam Bede, then spoke for about an hour on "Roots and Branches" and to say that Mr. Bede's address was fine, only about half expresses it, it was the best address that has ever been delivered in this place in many a day if it was ever equalled. J. Adam is a fine speaker and on this occasion he seemed to take particular pains to lay himself out and those who heard him showed their appreciation of what he said in a manner that was highly pleasing to the speaker. S. G. L. Roberts, president of the school board then presented the diplomas to the graduates in a few well chosen words. Miss Bessie Lambert then sang in her remarkably sweet voice "Home of the girl I Love." Miss Bessie has a sweet voice and pronounces every word distinctly which adds very much to the pleasure of hearing her sing. Benediction was pronounced by Rev. Edson of the Presbyterian church.

With the benediction concluded the first graduating exercises ever held here, and those present were pleased with the manner in which everything was carried out, and wish the graduates and teachers unbounded success no matter where they may go or what they may do.

Don't get side-tracked in business. Dullness sometimes passes for death. Men with brains reach the goal. Rocky Mountain Test pills gray matter into one's head. See J. Y. Breckenridge.

LIST OF PATENTS.

Granted to Minnesota inventors this week, reported by C. A. Snow & Co., Patent Attorneys Washington, D. C.

H. Clemons, Morris town, Cloth holding pin; N. Madsen, Minneapolis, Fire alarm device; O. A. Mielson, Winger, Pneumatic studler; F. E. Parsons, Marshall, Journal roller; W. B. Clark, St. Paul, Cigar and Tobacco mouster; W. Thexton, Minneapolis, Copying press.

For copy of any of above patents send ten cents in postage stamps with date of this paper to C. A. Snow & Co., Washington, D. C.

Dyspepsia cannot be long lived because to live requires nourishment food is not nourishing until it is digested. A disorderly stomach can not digest food, it must have assistance. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests all kinds of food without aid from the stomach, allowing it to rest and regain its natural functions. The elements are exactly the same as the natural digestive fluids and it simply can't help but do you good. J. Y. Breckenridge.

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People Gather at our Fountain like bees around a honey-suckle.

Join the company and quench your thirst.

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Reclining Chair Cars

Attached to all through trains. Also carpeted. Window double, keeping out cold air. Chairs neatly upholstered and adjustable to various positions. Toilet rooms and a smoking room are provided. A porter attends to the wants of passengers.

NO EXTRA CHARGE FOR SEATS.

Ask your Home Agent to Ticket You by the Burlington.

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PINE CITY, MINN., JUNE 7, 1901.

Dove, of Zion City fame says this is his third time on earth, and that he is flying. The way he is flying is in the "sucker" who is probably hoping that he can have a fourth rap at them.

A Chicago woman offers \$1,000 for the first business man who can prove to her that he has done business for one month without lying. She certainly will not have to pay it to a Chicago man.

Anti-Town Pettigrew, James et al all seem to have forgotten the great how they made about trusts and corporations since they have "struck it rich" in stock gambling and trust schemes.

Twenty-two American millionaires called on King Edward this week, among them J. P. Morgan, and the king trembled for fear that Morgan would buy up Windsor Castle and it would be out of a job.

The records of the state auditor show that the private attorney employed by ex-Gov. Lind to ferret out the companies which had not complied with the Soverville law and paid their fees, drew \$750 for the governor's warrant for "services" rendered. The amount actually collected as the result of \$1,100 "services" was a trifle over \$1,100, so Gov. Lind's private attorney net about 75 per cent of the net results of the law. When the people of the state have time to figure out the one fusion administration and compare it with those which preceded it, or with that which succeeds it, they will see that fusion doesn't pay, and that the only way to have good government is to pick out a party that has some standing and some responsibility and stick to it, on our state as well as on national issues.

Weekly Bulletin

The board of control is an institution that happily escaped wrecking at the hands of the fusionists by not coming into existence in time to suffer at their hands. It is somewhat remarkable that such a department could be accomplished at the first attempt to place the state institutions under the control of the central body until Gov. Van Sant and Auditor Dunn recommended it to the legislature. It is safe to say that 95 per cent of the people of the legislature adopted it substantially without opposition. It was to be expected, and was really inevitable, that there should be some friction when the machinery of such a vast system came to be set in motion, and naturally many matters of detail were overlooked in the excitement, but on the whole the plan is working out to the satisfaction of everybody and the next legislature will correct any errors or omissions that may now occasion inexperience to the board. Enough has been done to show that the board will accomplish an enormous saving in the expense of maintaining the state institutions, and by making them strictly state, rather than local in their character, will secure great advantages in the management. One thing the board is doing most sedulously, and that is to carefully avoid partisanship and nepotism in the selection of employees. The politics of employes may remain a perfect secret, and no relative of any member can secure employment in any capacity under the board.

Weekly Bulletin

A News Breeze Without a Parallel. There is ample justification for the claim made by the Chicago Herald that its readers enjoy every day in the week, Sundays included, in camp and completeness. The reason is obvious: the combination of the rapid and extensive facilities of the two great dailies, the Chicago Herald and the Chicago Times Herald. In addition to the independent news facilities of both papers, the Herald-Herald reads the complete news service of the New York Herald, the New York Tribune and the Associated Press, and it is considered that its news columns are supplemented by all the news features as they appear in the Chicago Herald and the Chicago Times Herald. It will be seen that the Herald-Herald leads in complete news coverage, the great newspaper of the United States.

LEGAL NOTICES.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

J. BENNETT SMITH MINING COMPANY.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that J. Bennett Smith, of the County of Pine, State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the articles of incorporation of the J. Bennett Smith Mining Company, as the same are filed in the office of the Secretary of State, at the City of St. Paul, Minnesota, on the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

THIRD.

The name and true residence of the person or persons to form said corporation is or are: J. Bennett Smith, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania; John J. Davidson, of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania; J. W. South, of Kingston, Pennsylvania; John E. O'Connell, of Pine City, Minnesota; and E. W. Hoag, of Pine City, Minnesota.

STATE OF MINNESOTA.

On the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1901, before me, the County Clerk of said County, personally appeared J. Bennett Smith, Fred A. O'Connell, John J. Davidson, E. W. Hoag, and J. W. South, all of whom are known to me, and they declared to me that they executed the same as their free and lawful act and deed.

LAWRENCE H. JONES,

County Clerk of said County, in and for said County of Pine, State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the within instrument is a true and correct copy of the same as the same are filed in the office of the Secretary of State, at the City of St. Paul, Minnesota, on the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and the date recorded in the office of the Secretary of State.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Notice of Tax Sale.

A list of all lands or parcels of land delinquent for the taxes for the year eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, and for the year nineteen hundred, sold or assigned and indorsed, according to the provisions of the general laws of the state, and were not sold or offered for sale by the State Auditor, Chapter 23 of the General Laws of Minnesota, passed July 1900.

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Warning Against

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OFFICE OF STATE FORESTER, COMMISSIONER OF FOREST AND PRAIRIE SERVICE, ST. PAUL, MINN., 31st Street, B. Bldg. The State of Minnesota is a fire-prone state, and the forest and prairie lands are a valuable asset to the state. It is the duty of every citizen to take the necessary precautions to prevent fires, and to protect the forest and prairie lands from destruction.

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Table with columns: Name of Owner when known, when unknown to state, and Description of Property. Includes entries for Sandstone Townsite Co., Townsville of Sandstone, etc.

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General legal notice text at the bottom of the page, including a declaration of the foregoing as a true and correct list of the real estate to be offered for sale under Chapter 320, General Laws of 1901, according to the records on file in this office.

News of the Week.

Chips Picked up Around Town and Vicinity.

Notices regarding various events and services.

Lutheran Church service information.

Presbyterian Church service information.

Remember the firemen give a grand ball in Rath's hall on the evening of July 4.

Pine City has decided to celebrate Independence Day this year.

On Tuesday several old miners visited the copper mine and they expressed themselves in such a manner that J. Bennett Smith is highly pleased with the outlook of the mine.

The drive that has been hung up here for the past five weeks were unable to put in a couple of days this week and at this writing the rear of O'Neal's drive is at Mile Island.

One of the best assortment of cigars can be found at Kyech's.

The rain of Tuesday and Wednesday did an unlimited amount of good to farmers as it had commenced to get pretty dry and the grain was beginning to turn yellow with drought.

Thoughtful people have learned that most comes only with the genuine Rocky Mountain Tea made by Madison Medicine Co.

Have you ever tried Foot, Schultz & Co's shoes? They are crack-proof and try on, look at 'em, feel 'em.

The Golden Link flour is the best on earth, for sale only at Madden's.

The freemen at their meeting on Tuesday evening decided to give a grand ball in Rath's hall on the evening of July 4.

Miss Georgina Buttrick is closing out her stock of millinery goods.

School closed on Friday and the teachers have all departed for their respective homes.

On Friday evening Mrs. Karl Smuckler entertained three of the school teachers and three lady friends at tea.

Danger, disease and death follow neglect of the bowels.

Pan-American Exposition tickets information.

A Railroad Ticket Reading via Wisconsin Central Ry.

Doors and windows, at The Big Store.

A fresh car of Lime, Cement and Salt at the Pine City Mercantile Co.

Miss Helen Ives got up a surprise party on Miss Minnie Pries Saturday night.

A surgical operation is not necessary to cure DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.

Crops are looking well, the first light showers here this week.

Log driving is suspended for the present on account of low water.

Miss Laura Richardson leaves this week for Greenwood, Prior Lake, to remain during the summer.

Mr. Davidson returned Tuesday from Stillwater where he has been receiving medical aid.

Peter Ehr will ship a car-load of oak staves this week.

Clint and Fritz McKusick who have been attending the law department of the State U during the past year.

Miss Flora Kerr who has been at work in Grantsburg for the past few months.

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THE STORY TELLER

The Grandmother Trick.

By Charles Fleming Buxton.

THIRTY-TWO is the latest translation of the name of Mr. Thompson's jagged cook. A thin, spindly, irascible man, with a face that had been subjected to an habitual expression of sardonic amusement, a gait awkward, convulsive, and a head full of schemes—such is the American Theophilus who has worked out to the fabled point. Born in New Jersey, he went to Japan to collect a few items about Meiji, and he returned with a load of gold and silver, which he had sold in London or elsewhere, else ever thought of. After this the heart of Africa was gouged at a white jagged, with a reference to some idea about Meiji. They say he took a lot of gold on an island away down in the Antipodan regions, just this side of the great wall, in order to get some a queer native fruit like a pumpkin down there, out of which a perfidious perfume was going to be distilled. He thought he had found the perfume from, and he brings one with him, dried, as a curiosity, and displays it with nervous pomp, and rattled about Meiji for a few weeks, seeking a location. Then he came to Cucernavon with some theory about boiling sugar out of several potatoes and these is a man around the corner constructing a vat for him and smiling into it as he constructs.

At Cucernavon, as he worked down, Theophilus fell into conversation with an old American resident. "It's wiser to keep home in this country," was the latter's remark. "It's an Indian coast, but they're tricky. Now, one thing they always do when they want a holiday. They tell you their grandmothers died." Jaggers smiled that awful smile of his, and said he "was" and went dashing away to a room in the seaside inn gave him further information. "You, if you're going into business, just keep houses that's easy. Now, I had an old cook with an eye. But, say, if you get a cook, be a little careful. They're tricky." Now, one favorite rule he told you, "It's your grandmother's death when they want to go off."

"Confound their grandmothers!" ejaculated Jaggers, with a reference to In Cucernavon, Jaggers wouldn't stay at any hotel. He could not speak Spanish, but that made no difference. He could not hit his thumb up at the coast of the addressed person and run hoarsely in English, "Hiat' en, they're stupid!" raged he. "Spanish is the blindest language that I know." The hotelkeeper acted as interpreter, and helped him to rent a house. "You he envy his legs over Jaggers' bulky middle. In the afternoon, you will be comfortable here. Just hire a cook and take it easy. Don't watch those Indian servants. They're all tricky. Now one favorite scheme—"

"Hold on!" said Jaggers; "you mean the grandmother trick?" "Did you know that?" "In-on to that. I'd like to see 'em watch their grandmothers off on me," avowed Theophilus Jaggers. "Jaggers bought a cow, a pig, a hard hat and some pottery. Then he hired a cook." Trinidad Delgado (Trinity) Thab enters, the looked like an old woman, but Jaggers is still pushing over that. Her face was keen, shrewd, steep like a steel tool with fine, chin-thick regular nostrils. This man had a nose, like a snuff box, but slender and bony. Even in the stern, grand Astor glare of her eyes was a something half-wild, half humanous.

"Theophilus felt uneasy that her antecourselessness was laughing at him. "Can you speak?" roared he at her. "Oh, yes," said she, not understanding a word, folding her hands.

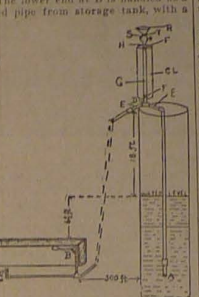
"Well, say," thundered he, bending his head and distorting his antecourselessness, "I'm on to you, my girl. I'm not green, do you hear, if I a gringo. How! how!" This seemed a reasonably good pun, though he recoiled to "Now I know the grandmother trick. Don't you ever," shaking his hat, "come whining around me about your grandmother's being dead."



SIPHON FOR THE FARM.

Ohio Farmer Invents the It Has Found Successful Operation for Five Years.

We made it ourselves of three-quarter-inch galvanized pipe with lead linings all the threads to insure its being tight. It lifts the water 18 to 22 feet perpendicular from a well and delivers it into a watering trough something like 100 yards from and yet saves the water level of the well. It works as well at 22 feet from top but not quite as fast as at 18 feet. The one thing that is indispensable is a siphon water that light is a valve at A to close and hold water in pipe while filling. This valve is similar to the one used in a section pump, but it is a three-quarter-inch coupling, and admits a full pipe when open.



RELIABLE FARM SIPHON.

float valve. Have a plug, C, outside to connect with a hose. At the top have a short piece of pipe bent down at either side of the top, B, to insure D being the highest point of the pipe from hole at D having a piece of pipe, G, three feet long, through the chamber, C, in chamber made of heavy copper soldered to pipe above and below. Have pipe meet a three-quarter-inch steam valve. This is safer and more convenient than to use a round hole. The pipe served into top of valve, T, with enough threads, say one inch, protruding to screw on a funnel, H. Our chamber is 12 inches high, three-inch pipe connected by graduates at H and D, and they are not kept except at the large plumbing shops and the chamber is 12 inches high. The chamber should hold three or four gallons and then the siphon will run for two weeks or more with one filling.

The Dairy Utensils. To keep dairy clean and sweet is the first essential to the production of good butter.

In keeping dairy utensils clean and sweet, the best and easiest way is to first rinse well with water, the milk and seal with plenty of hot water and wash with soap and water. In washing a barrel churn, first rinse out, and give several turns of the churn and drain off. In this way the churn will be sweet and clean, no cloth or anything else is needed. If there is one place more than another where perfect cleanliness should be observed, it is in the dairy for there is nothing so susceptible to odors and impurities as milk, cream and butter.

TEMPERATURE OF CREAM.

Advice to the Best Household Cheesemaker to be a Lactic Acid and Bicarbonate Soda.

We frequently are asked why it takes so long to churn at home. The most usual cause of this nature, in a farm house, is the temperature. It does the churning at home, and as it is in a lactic acid, the churning takes hours at a time without being the better. He wants to know what measures he should adopt to put an end to such an exasperating task. Our young dairymen is one among hundreds who have the churning to do, and to all these we offer a few suggestions which we hope they will try and report on. One of the most common causes of slow churning is in having the cream too cold. To know whether it is too cold or too warm one should provide himself with a dairy thermometer, which will cost about 25 cents. Ordinarily, the maximum temperature of cream for churning is from 58 to 60 degrees, the former in warm and the latter in cold weather. These temperatures, however, must be modified to suit other conditions. In a cold room the cream must be warmer than otherwise.

Cream from different cows and different breeds varies with respect to the churning temperature. Jersey cream, as a rule, requires a comparatively high temperature. The character of the feed will affect the churning temperature. It is said that the excessive feeding of cotton seed in the south makes a very high churning temperature necessary—70 to 72 degrees being not uncommon. Sweet cream must be churned at a lower temperature than that which is prepared by the creamer. The cream that is thick cream, other things being equal. Then the construction of the churn, speed and amount of cream are all factors in determining the churning temperature. Another important factor is the length of time the cow has been in the stall. In a large herd it is harder to churn than that from a fresh one, and must have a higher temperature.

It is seen how important it is to know the temperature of the cream when it is put into the churn, and most know many things about the cream to be able to alter them to suit the temperature to suit the conditions—Farmers' Voice.

GOOD CALF MUZZLE. A Very Simple and Inexpensive Workmanlike Muzzle for the Calf's Work Thoroughly.

A simple and good calf muzzle is made by taking a scantling, 3 by 1/2 by 14 inches, bore an inch hole about 1/4 inches from each end. Turn scantling over and bore two more holes two inches from each end. A Muzzle that Muzzles.

inches from each end. Take a small stick of about an inch or little larger and make a bow to go over the calf's neck. For the horns, 3 by 1/2 inch good second-class pieces of wood about 12 inches long, make them round and sharp pointed at one end, and insert them in the holes, then place the muzzle on calf, take a string and tie over all the calf, and you have a good muzzle complete—C. P. Wood, in Farm and Home.

TIMELY DAIRY NOTES.

Milk at the same time every day. Milk thoroughly to the last drop. Always keep the hands clean, and also the cow's udder and dairy utensils. To milk young, restive cows, take one of the fore teats. Never strike them. Milk with four fingers, and not with index and thumb, a fault too common with milk men, and it is the best. Let there be exact system in all movements about the dairy. Do not delay straining the milk until the cream has begun to rise again more slowly. The farmer who makes the dairy his main business, rather than an adjunct, and proceures the most profit and satisfaction—Rural World.

Good Cows in Demand. While certain sections are selling some of their milk cows at prices, others are not so well able to sell. It is better to have a few good cows in our market than to have many more that are not so good. It is better to have a few good cows in our market than to have many more that are not so good.

Billions for Baseball.

A million dollars for baseball, but here in the U.S. it is only kept by a few clubs. There are a few million of dollars being spent, and it is not so much as it was. There are some who are active or prices better in city markets.

In the Presence of Distress.

What is the best medicine for a cough? The best is to get the chest open. It is better to have a few good cows in our market than to have many more that are not so good.

CLEANSY WOMAN.

Washing the face with soap and water is a good thing to do. It is better to have a few good cows in our market than to have many more that are not so good.

Taking the Glossy View.

The business-man who has a good reputation is a good thing to have. It is better to have a few good cows in our market than to have many more that are not so good.

Do Your Feet Ache and Hurt?

Shake into your shoes Allen's Foot-Powder. It is a good thing to have. It is better to have a few good cows in our market than to have many more that are not so good.

The Queer Thing About It.

It is usually when a man speaks without thinking that he says what is thinkable. It is better to have a few good cows in our market than to have many more that are not so good.

Cheap Round Trip Rate Between St. Paul, Minn., and the Pacific Coast.

On July 24th the Northern Pacific Railroad will place in effect a low-fare round-trip rate of \$45.00 from eastern terminals to Seattle, Tacoma, and Portland. It is better to have a few good cows in our market than to have many more that are not so good.

Do You Know the Difference?

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UNDER VARIOUS FLAGS.

England has 42,859 ships; Scotland, 5,000; Ireland, 100. It is better to have a few good cows in our market than to have many more that are not so good.

A BLACKSMITH'S STRANGE EXPERIENCE.

Goodland, Kan., June 2—N. E. Alberger, our local blacksmith, has been a great sufferer from Rheumatism. He was so bad that he could not sleep for the great pain in his arms and shoulders. It had been affliction for years, but lately he was so much worse, that he thought he would have to give up his shop altogether.

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LET ME BEGIN ANEW.
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 Bending the lily's pure white leaves
 Unfolding by each wind.
 Again the sap mounts in the tree
 Through every swelling vein,
 Again the clover rises and thrills,
 Responsive to the rain,
 Again the crocus makes green
 The lone breast of the plain.
 Near the new, the golden food of song,
 The lark hums (and the bee) to the
 Behold the strong, undaunted about
 Pushing the waves of the sea,
 The tall trees, Lord God, Lord God,
 Let us begin and end with Thee.
 Out of my own self let me rise,
 For God, if it can be,
 A new and noble growth may spring
 From your dewy dew,
 Surely a strong, pure life may mount
 Out of this life of me,
 —Ella Higginson, in the Pacific.

THE GRINGO
 By Frederic C. Thompson.

INSEMAN Manuel's cantina the American music box was playing. That was nothing unusual, for, from morning to night, the music was going. At a table drawn close to the one on which the box stood sat old man Chamberlain. His eyes were closed and he was seemingly half-asleep. But with an almost automatic action he now and then lifted a glass to his lips and sipped the fiery mescal which it contained. And that was nothing unusual, for, from morning to night for many a year, old man Chamberlain sat beside the box and the bottle in the dark Mexican saloon.

Between the box and the man were two points of resemblance. Each had come from the United States and each was wearing its life out in Manuel's cantina. There the resemblance ended. Of the two the music box was a more respectable member of society. "The Drunken Gringo" the paisano called him. It was a double contempt because he was a foreigner and a sot, and yet, once and then, they would come to him as one of themselves. For, there came to the old man a check from a far-off city in gringo-land, and that strange check converted into cash, speedily found its way over Manuel's bar. On the day that it came there was free mescal for all who cared, and there were few who would not leave the firesome scorching of the soil for a time of intoxicated hilarity. Then "The Drunken Gringo" became "El Senor," and his tottering steps were steadied by willing hands. It was not a big check—only for \$50 United States currency. But that was almost a fortune of Mexican pesos, and, besides, so far as results went, it was worthy the respect it received. For, in one way or another, it was one of the supports of the village. On it old man Chamberlain lived entirely. To him it was board, lodging, clothing, and what was more—drunken gringo-land. To Manuel, two-thirds of it found its way to his pocket—it was prosperity in business. What sifted by him directly or indirectly supported half the village. So it was that for one day in the month the old town had a fiesta when Bacchus was king and the Drunken Gringo his premier.

Old man Chamberlain had not always been the "Drunken Gringo." Once—it was before his music box was invented—he had been young and common in the days he had known. He was transformed into dreams of paradise. To see them again in reality was forbidden by the laws he had broken. To dream of them was a mortal crime. The bottle was a resource left him, and in this he found his solace. Little by little the reality of the past was forgotten. Little by little he became the "Drunken Gringo," and all that was left was the music box, the mescal bottle and the monthly check.

The last fiesta of the check had been unusually exciting. It was the holiday time, and the spirit of the season had covered the disgrace of the gringo so that the check was larger than ordinary, and brought with it a message of Christmas greeting. For a time the old man had shaken off his stupor. But now the music box was grinding away as usual, the mescal in the bottle had been reduced by half, and Manuel was dozing on the bench outside the door.

Then came a crash. The music box went tumbling to the floor. Through the open doorway came flying the metal disc in which were punched the notes of "Home, Sweet Home," and on which the box had been set to work.

"Manuel! Manuel! Come here, Manuel! I tell you I will go. No one shall stop me. I will go. Isay, Manuel!" Old man Chamberlain was standing in the doorway grasping the wall to support his trembling legs and shouting wildly.

Roused from his nap by the unwonted disturbance and the cries of his usually speechless patron, Manuel stood half-frightened before him.

"What is it, senor?" he gasped.

"I tell you I will go," repeated old man Chamberlain.

"I don't care if you do it," said Manuel. "I don't care if you do it." "I don't care if you do it," said Manuel. "I don't care if you do it."

"I don't care, I tell you! I don't care," mumbled the old man. "I'm going home, and I can't stand it any longer. You don't know what a home is down here. None of you people do. How can you, living as you are? But I know I had a home once, and I'm going back to it!"

The strength which had come with his excitement left the old man and he sank down on the bench. Manuel, thinking to quiet him, brought him the mescal bottle. Chamberlain drank, but clung to the idea fixed in his mind. To Manuel such a thing was worse than folly. It was sheer madness, for the old man had told him many a time of the trouble which had made him flee the states and seek refuge in the Rio Grande the boundary of a forbidden land. The thought of what he might lose financially did not enter his head. With long years of association he had come to like the old man, and—"Drunken Gringo" though he was—he wanted to save him from harm. This idea was strong in him, and he hurried for two or three men who, he thought, might have influence with Chamberlain. They came and they argued their best, but the old man was firm.

"I tell you I'm going back," he insisted. "I'm going back, even if they do get me."

"He'll have changed his mind by tomorrow," said the jefe paisano. "They say the prisons in his land are worse than those we have, and—"

A significant shake of the head showed the jefe's thought.

But on the morrow old man Chamberlain was as firm as ever. The music box was repaired, and the mescal bottle was refilled. Manuel and his friends argued. All in vain.

Finally they had a consultation. It was in one of the cantinas. In the other old man Chamberlain was listening to the music box and fitting to it the words "I'm going back, I'm going back, I'm going back again."

"When the consultation was ended, Manuel came to him.

"I'm going back to tell you," said the old man, his voice keeping time to the music.

"Si, si. You shall go back," answered Manuel. "But I'll go back with you. Then, perhaps, they won't get you."

"I'm going back, I'm going back," repeated old man Chamberlain, as the music box continued to shakingly grind out its tunes.

That night there was a long talk, and the mescal bottle was emptied and refilled. Manuel talked and the jefe paisano talked and old man Chamberlain crooned his one refrain. But he listened to no one. He had no money, and Manuel could not pay the expenses to New York. That was not what he wanted. New York was a dream so far in the past that it had ceased to be real. But the United States still existed for him and he could start out in ten minutes more he would be content. So it was arranged.

The next night as the Mexican Central train drew in, Manuel saw two men get out of the train. One was Manuel; the other was the "Drunken Gringo." It was still light, and slowly by back streets, they went their way to a saloon. There a bottle of mescal was secured. When it was empty Manuel went to the door and looked out.

"Come," he said. "It is time."

Old man Chamberlain tottering rose from his chair. He drew himself as erect as he could, and walked to the street door. He held the empty mescal bottle, which he had been grasping as it stood on the table.

Slowly Manuel led the way to the stretch of end of the street, which, for general purposes, is called a river.

"Are you sure? Is this the way?" asked the old man, as they stumbled along.

"Si, si. I am sure. I know the way," replied Manuel.

Gradually they went down a sandy incline. Then they crossed a small plain cut up by minute arroyos. Then there was a sharp ascent.

"Here, here," whispered Manuel, in a frightened voice that showed he was trembling as though he was the one who stood in fear of the law.

"Are you sure?" again protested the old man. "Are you sure? Is this really the United States?"

"Yes, yes. Look," answered Manuel, as he pointed to one side where could be seen the lights of the river guard on duty at the frontier customhouse.

The old man looked. From behind came the rattle of the street cars as they crossed the bridge. Straight ahead, the first one hardly 50 feet away, were the lights of El Paso.

"I believe you. It is—it is—home," said the old man in a strange voice.

Then he sank on the sand, his face hidden from sight.

"For a time Manuel left him. There was no danger, probably, but the friendly Mexican every sound, every movement of the bushes ahead was warning that they should go. At last he touched the old man on the shoulder.

"Yes, yes, I'll go. Only give me another minute."

Manuel waited. Then the two stumbled back across the sand to the lights of Jarez and safety for Chamberlain.

The music box is still playing in Manuel's cantina. The title of "Home, Sweet Home" which old man Chamberlain nearly destroyed when he tore it loose has been repaired as well as Manuel could do it. On the table to the right of the mescal, the other two bottles of the old man gathered on the "home" bank of the Rio Grande. The monthly check still comes, and the jefe paisano, the "Drunken Gringo" after each one, the "Drunken Gringo" croons a new refrain. It is: "For I've been home, I've been home, I've been home once more."

How Mothers may Help their Daughters into Womanhood



Every mother possesses information of vital value to her young daughter. That daughter is a precious being, and the responsibility for her future is largely in the hands of the mother. The mysterious change that develops the thoughtless girl into the thoughtful woman should find the mother on the watch day and night. As she cares for the physical well-being of her daughter, so will the woman be, and her children also.

When the young girl's thoughts become sluggish, when she experiences headaches, dizziness, faintness, and exhibits an abnormal disposition to sleep, pains in the back and lower limbs, eyes dim, desire for solitude, and a dislike for the society of other girls, when she is a mystery to herself and friends, then the mother should go to her aid promptly. At such a time the greatest aid to nature is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It prepares the young system for the coming change, and is the surest reliance in this hour of trial.

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\$5000 REWARD Owing to the fact that some unscrupulous people have from time to time questioned the genuineness of the medicine, we have deposited with the National City Bank, Chicago, Ill., \$5,000 which will be paid to any person who can show that the above medicine is not genuine, or was obtained from some other source than the regular special permission.—LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO.

In the British home trade 7,000 sailing-vessels and 2,800 steamers are engaged, but in the foreigner the proportion is reversed—there are only 1,700 sailing-ships to nearly 4,000 steamers.

The London county council some time ago passed a law that no one should shout to the annoyance of the public while hawking newspapers; but the law is not enforced.

SPORT IN WESTERN CANADA.
 While the Farmer's Grain is Ripening and the Stock Grazing Fat, He May Have Plenty of Amusement.

There is probably no country on the American Continent where the life of the farmer carries with it that assurance of comfort and ease as does Western Canada. Sport is here to be found anywhere else such a pleasant combination. Game abounds everywhere and nowhere does it afford such perfect amusement. A noted sportsman writing of the favorite pastime says: "There is one particular spot where I am a man drop 70 mallards one morning and bring them all to bag, too, for they dropped in open water or on flat prairie. At the right season of the year you can see black lines and triangles cut sharply out against the sky all round you, moving very swiftly, and you begin to wonder whether you have enough cartridges to hold out. You can hear the prairie-chicken crowing like barn-lour fowls; and a little to the north-east is a bit of marshy ground, centric the pond, and dappled with game-pools, where the snipe are nearly as thick as mosquitoes. A thin column of blue smoke curling up in the distance shows you where a few wandering Indians have pitched their camp, but there is no other indication of civilization in sight. Still, the neighborhood is well-settled, and a short drive will bring you to a farmhouse where you can buy the finest butter and the freshest eggs for unskilled prices."

"A very short railway journey will bring you to a country full of deer and the lordly wapiti, the king of the deer tribe the world over, and down on the flat, boggy land by the lake shores the moose will stand knee-deep in water on the summer evenings, ready to be down when the flies get bothering. All day you breathe the wild free air of the prairie, and at night you are lulled to sleep by the surge and ripple and splash of the waves on the beach, broken now and then by the weird howling of strange water-fowl." Particulars regarding settlement of the lands of Western Canada can be had from any agent of the Canadian Government whose advertisement appears elsewhere in your columns.

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Worms

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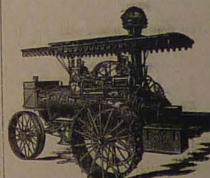
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