

ALL IS NOT LOVELY IN TEXAS.

One Visitor Finds It a Milkless, Fishless, Gameless Region.

The idea prevails among people of the North that a visit to Texas would mean a continuous feast on pure fresh milk, fresh butter and eggs...

How surprised will this person be, declares a writer in What to Eat, when he discovers in many rural towns that cream for the coffee is looked upon as something of a luxury...

In no other State is there such a demand for canned goods as in this State, which many natives are prone to call the garden State of the Union.

The fish and game laws are as lax as the food and health regulations. One hunting for a good game dinner had better go anywhere else in search for it than to Texas...

The barrenness of the streams probably has been caused by dynamiting the fish and catching them with nets. The fisherman would row out into the centre of the stream, plant a stick of dynamite...

Before the waters became calmed again fishes large and small would begin to rise and float lifelessly on the surface and soon the stream would become literally covered with dead fishes of every description.

This is the way they used to do it in Texas until the waters became so barren that now in many streams not even dynamite will bring forth the fishes...

Even yet dynamiting is practised to some extent in the wild eastern part of the State near the Arkansas border.

The former sportsmanlike method of trapping and night hunting has served in a like manner to exterminate most of the game in Texas.

Probably the finest stream in the United States exists in Texas. It is in Houston, one of the busiest cities in the State, and its name is Buffalo Bayou.

This bayou receives all the drainage of Houston, a city of 54,000 population, and the second largest city in the State.

Instead it is an abhorrent, foul smelling stream, its surface covered with thick green scum and refuse from factories, stores and residence districts.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system.

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion, featuring an illustration of a baby and text describing its benefits for children with rickets and lack of nourishment.

POISON GIRLS OF INDIA.

Kept by Princes to Dispose of Enemies and Troublesome Relatives. These dangerous creatures, which Nathaniel Hawthorne immortalized in his "Rappaccini's Daughter," are supposed to be able to kill a person by breath or touch...

The Indian princes caused beautiful and healthy female children to be put under the care of physicians and medicine men soon after they were born. The medicine men strewed the floor under the baby's cradle with dried helmet-flower...

It is a fact, though, that few human natures can stand the acetic treatment. We are told of an Indian prince who succeeded only in raising one poison girl out of more than a hundred.

This particular poison girl whom nature had endowed to capture a man's heart, was used by the Indian prince at various times to murder pretenders by a single kiss.

In this connection the story of Sultan Mahmud Bigar is recalled. All the chroniclers agree that Mahmud was one of the most dangerous poisoners of his age.

Highly Prized Trophy. The Roosevelt Cup was won after an interesting contest by the American yacht Vim, which defeated not only the other American competitors.

Advertisement for Castoria, featuring an illustration of a trophy and text describing its use for various ailments like colic, worms, and constipation.

EMPEROR'S WONDERFUL CLOCK. Globe Represents Hemispheres and Equator—Divided Into 44 Hours. A globe clock, described in the Deutsche Uebersicht Zeitung, is very interesting from the point of view of its mechanism...

The clock complete on its base measures 18 cm. (about 7 inches) in height, and its sphere has a diameter of about 12 cm. (4 3/4 inches). This sphere is made of copper, and the oceans and continents are laid on the surface of that metal in enamel.



tromettes of which a full circle pivots horizontally. This latter revolves perpendicularly to its axis of rotation the axis N. S. of the globe, which axis passes through the poles of the globe.

The movement of the clock has a cylinder escapement and runs eight days. The winding is managed at the lower part—that is, at the south pole. In two holes made in that part the two times of a special key are inserted and the globe is then turned like the knob of a stem-winder.

Beside this, the rotation of the sphere brings the different meridians successively under the hand—that is, under the sun. The clock, therefore, not only gives the time of day where it actually is, but also shows whereabouts on the globe it is noon at the same moment.

Laughter an Aid to Digestion. Nothing else will take the place of good cheer and laughter at meals or any other time in the home. There is a vital connection between amiability and digestion—between good cheer and assimilation.

Numerous experiments have shown that mirth and cheerfulness stimulate the secretion of the gastric juices, and are powerful aids to digestion. Yet, knowing this, many of us sit as gloomy and absorbed at the table as at a funeral.

How Fish Sleep. Fishes have no eyelids and necessarily sleep with their eyes open; they swallow their food whole, having no dental machinery.

Pennsylvania Railroad. SCHEDULE BY TRAINS. NUMBER 25, 1904. Trains leave PAID BLOOMSBURG as follows: For Nesquehoning and Williamsport, 7:50, 10:16 a.m., 4:38 (Nesquehoning only), 6:30 p.m. week-days.

PHILADELPHIA & READING RAILWAY. In effect Nov. 15, 1904. TRAINS LEAVE BLOOMSBURG. For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, weekdays, 7:27 via West Milton; 11:30 a.m. via East Mahanoy; 3:29 p.m. via West Milton.

Table of train schedules for Atlantic City, Atlantic City & Cape May, and other routes, listing departure and arrival times.

Columbia & Montour El. Ry. TIME TABLE IN EFFECT June 1, 1904, and until further notice. Cars leave Bloom for Espy, Almedia, Lime Ridge, Berwick and intermediate points as follows:

LACKAWANNA Railroad. BLOOMSBURG DIVISION. In Effect March 1st, 1904. STATIONS. EAST. A. M. P. M. P. M. P. M.

PHILADELPHIA & READING RAILWAY. In effect Nov. 15, 1904. WEST. STATIONS. A. M. P. M. P. M. P. M.

Bloomsburg & Sullivan Railroad. Taking Effect May 1st 1906, 12:05 a. m. NORTHWARD. A. M. P. M. P. M. A. M.

Advertisement for Patents, featuring an illustration of a typewriter and text about scientific American patents and Munns & Co.

Advertisement for Parker's Hair Balsam, featuring an illustration of a woman's head and text describing its benefits for hair.

Advertisement for Chester's Pills, featuring an illustration of a person and text describing the pills' effectiveness for various ailments.

Advertisement for Casnow Patents, featuring an illustration of a typewriter and text about postal typewriter patents.