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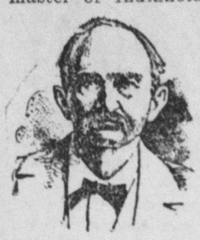

Capt. J. W. Hogun, former postmaster of Indianola, now living at Austin, Texas, writes: "I was afflicted for years with pains across the loins and in the hips and shoulders. I had headache also and neuralgia. My right eye, from pain, was of little use to me for years. The constant flow of urine kept my system depleted, causing nervous chills and night sweats. After trying seven different climates and using all kinds of medicine I had the good fortune to hear of Doan's Kidney Pills. This remedy has cured me. I am as well to-day as I was twenty years ago, and my eyesight is perfect."

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When Hobart Chatfield-Chatfield Taylor, Chicago millionaire, social leader, and author, was in college a good many years ago he had a roommate, who, like himself, was fond of a game of chance during the off-hours from study. One evening after they had indulged in throwing dice at a cent a throw, young Taylor said to his chum:

"Let's have a throw for a hundred dollars."

The chum said he had no fund anywhere near that amount, and intimated that Taylor didn't either. Taylor admitted his lack of wealth, but proposed that the loser should give his note payable in twenty years, without interest.

The proposition was accepted, and the dice were placed in the box and rattled. Taylor lost. He at once made the note and handed it to the winner.

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Ten days ago the winner of the hundred-dollar throw was clearing out his desk, when the old note turned up. It was due a few days later. He forwarded it to Mr. Chatfield-Chatfield Taylor, who, on the day of the note's maturity, sent his old chum a check for the amount. The person who tells the story says the winner told him that "neither of us, I am sure, had the slightest idea at the time that the maker of the note would ever be able to pay it."—Exchange.

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COMMERCIAL COLUMN.

Weekly Review of Trade and Latest Market Reports.

New York.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s review of trade says:

"The new year opens bright with promise in business circles, no excessive stocks being carried over, and results of inventories fully equal sanguine anticipations. It is especially noticeable in dispatches from the West that there was less than the customary lull in business during the holiday season, while bargain sales are rapidly disposing of the moderate supplies remaining on hand. In the leading industries contracts on the books are very large and plants operate full time, except when materials or fuel cannot be secured or finished products cannot be forwarded to consumers.

"There is much complaint from Northwestern flour mills on this point, and export trade is also restricted because grain and other merchandise fail to reach the seaboard promptly. To this delay may be attributed part of the decrease of $1,749,665 in exports from this port for the last week, as compared with the movement a year ago, while imports exceeded the very heavy total for the previous year by $1,581,590.

"Many new contracts for a large tonnage of steel appeared during the last week, notably structural material for San Francisco.

"Wheat was depressed by accumulated stocks at the Northwest and weather conditions are favorable for winter weat in this country, while the Argentine harvest is progressing rapidly. Shipments to Europe thus far this season from all surplus nations have not reached the dimensions promised by large crops, and the smaller yield in Russia is a sustaining factor in the markets for distant options. But domestic trading lacks vigor, speculators at the West taking little aggressive action. Steady absorption of spot cotton and fear of pressure against the short account in the option market brought higher quotations and much covering of outstanding contracts."

Wholesale Markets.

Baltimore.—Flour—Dull and unchanged; receipts, 10,212 barrels; exports, 211 barrels.

Wheat—Quiet; spot, contract, 73¾@74; No. 2 red Western, 76½@76¾; December, 73¾@74; January, 74@74¼; May, 79@79¼; steamer No. 2 red, 68¾@69; receipts, 8,253 bushels; Southern on grade, 69@74.

Corn—Firmer; spot, new 47¾@47⅞; year, 47¾@47⅞; January, 47⅜@47½; February, 47⅜@47½; March, 47⅜@47⅝; steamer mixed, 45@45⅛; receipts, 134,684 bushels; new Southern white corn, 45½@48; new Southern yellow corn, 45@47½.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 40@40¼; No. 3 white, 39@39½; No. 2 mixed, 39; receipts, 4,365 bushels.

Rye—Firm; No. 2 Western domestic, 76@77; receipts, 5,188 bushels.

Butter—Steady and unchanged; fancy imitation, 25@27; fancy creamery, 33@34; fancy ladle, 21@23; store packed, 19@21.

Eggs—Firm, 26.

Cheese—Active and unchanged large, 14⅛; medium, 14⅝; small, 14⅝.

New York.—Wheat—Receipts, 53,000 bushels; exports, 26,941 bushels; sales, 1,500,000 bushels futures; spot firm; No. 2 red, nominal elevator; No. 2 red, 81 f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 90⅞ f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 hard winter, 85 f. o. b. afloat.

Corn—Receipts, 77,400 bushels; exports, 76,781 bushels; sales, 15,000 bushels futures, 40,000 bushels spot; spot steady; No. 2, 52½ elevator and 50¼ f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 50¼; No. 2 white, 50¼.

Oats—Receipts, 39,000 bushels; exports, 14,955 bushels; spot firm; mixed oats, 26@32 pounds, 39@39½; clipped white, 36@40 pounds, 40@44; natural white, 30@33 pounds, 40@41.

Hay—Firm; shipping, 85@90.

Cabbages—Firm; unchanged.

Philadelphia.—Wheat steady; contract grade, December, 74@74½c. Corn firm, ½c. higher; December, 47½@48. Oats steady; No. 2 white natural, 41c.

Butter steady; fair demand. Extra Western creamery, official price, 32½c.; extra nearby prints, 36.

Eggs unchanged; nearby fresh, 29c. at mark; Western fresh, 29 at mark.

Live poultry firm; fowls, 11½@13½c.; old roosters, 9@9½; spring chickens, 11@13; ducks, 13@14; geese, 13@14; turkeys, 16@17.

Cheese quiet, but steady; New York full creams, fancy, 14½c.; New York full creams, choice, 14¼; New York full creams, fair to good, 13¾@14.

Live Stock.

New York.—Beeves—Dressed beef in moderate demand at 6½c. to 9c. per pound, with fancy beef bringing 9½c.

Calves—Veals steady at 5.50 to 9.50; culls, 4.50; barnyard and Western calves nominal; dressed calves steady to strong; city-dressed veals, 8c. to 14c. per pound; country-dressed 7c. to 12½c.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep slow; prime lambs steady; medium grades slow; sheep, 3.50@4.50; no prime sheep sold; lambs, 6.70@8.10.

Chicago.—Cattle—Common to prime steers, 4.00@7.40; cows, 2.75@4.75; heifers, 2.60@5.00; bulls, 2.40@4.50; calves, 2.75@8.50; stockers and feeders, 2.40@4.50.

WORTH REMEMBERING

The cigarette and pipe are rapidly superseding the cigar in the estimation of French consumers of tobacco.

Less than 5 per cent. of the expenses of the 24 slaughtering and meat-packing establishments of Chicago is for wages.

The candle still holds its own, notwithstanding petroleum, gas and electricity. The production of candles in the United States during the fiscal year of 1906 amounted to $3,889,362.

NEW YORK DAY BY DAY.

Some of the Things Done Daily in the Metropolis.

"Promotion Of Sunshine."

The clerk in Yorkville Police Court called the case of Nauman against Faulhaber Thursday morning. Thereupon a hundred men and women, most of them in sombre black, rose and elbowed each other in a mad scramble to get reserved seats far up front. The clerk whispered to Magistrate Wahle that they were members of the Widows' and Widowers' Club, an organization for the promotion of sunshine in bereaved households.

"It vas a cloob for der promotefulness of forgetting der memory of departed wifes und husbands," whispered a member over the desk.

There were tall thin widowers and short, stout widows, long, lanky widows and little fat widowers, handsome, poorly dressed widowers, and homely widows with bank account reputations, and others whose faces and figures were their only fortune. "Jimmy," the court attendant, thus described them:

First in line
Was Widow Klein.
Then came Widow Reilly,
With Widow Clark
And Mr. Spark,
Of him they all spoke highly.
Then Widow Flynn,
With pointed chin,
Sat close to Mr. Winsky,
While Widow Cook,
Who knows her book,
Sat down behind Rosinsky.
The Widow Kretz
With Mr. Goetz
Kept up a conversation
While Widow Hess,
Who talked of dress,
Created a sensation.
The Widow Dodd
With Mr. Todd
Discussed dyspeptic diet,
The cops in blue
Had much to do
To make them all keep quiet.

Magistrate Wahle called the complaining witness, Mrs. Amelia Nauman, and asked her to explain matters. She said she lived with her husband.

"I thought you were a widow," remarked the Magistrate.

"Sure," replied the woman, "but no more since I got marriaged again. Christmas Eve der Club had for der shildrens of widows und widowers a Santy Klaus fest. I bring my husband und my boy 'Jakey' on der fest. 'Jakey' played der floor over by der fiddler. Vhen 'Jakey' knocked by der fiddler him arm, er fiddler hit 'Jakey' der head over mit his fiddle. Dot commenced it."

"What did you do?" inquired the Magistrate, turning to Faulhaber.

"I put them out because they made a row," explained the hall proprietor. "Nauman was the troubler maker. I've got a dozen widows here to prove it."

"I got two dozen vidowers to prove it not," replied the ex-widow.

"In my opinion," said Magistrate Wahle, "widows and widowers who get married the second time ought to stay away from these social gatherings of the widows and widowers. Stay away, and give the unmated a chance. Case dismissed."

Begged For Her Darling.

A well-dressed woman, crying as if her heart would break, ran up to the desk in the West Forty-seventh Street Police Station the other night.

"Please, please find my little lost one," she pleaded. "He is gone, I know not where."

Sergeant Brady, who has a kind heart, was touched by the woman's misery. "We certainly will do all we can," he said, in a trembling voice, "let us hope for the best."

"How old was he?"

"Three years."

"How was he dressed?"

"He wasn't dressed at all."

"Why, the poor child will freeze to death," exclaimed Brady.

"He's my dog, my fox terrier," said the woman. "I think he eloped with the ashman's dog. He doesn't understand English, but he will follow anyone that speaks German. Oh! My darling!"

Wife Hides His Wooden Leg.

According to Patrick Lahey, it is bad enough to lose a leg and hobble around on a wooden one, but to be compelled to sleep with that same wooden stump is a hardship and an injustice. Lahey is 50 years old. He told his troubles to Clerk Eilperin of the Adams-Street Police Court.

"I have been up against it for many weeks past," said Lahey. "Some time ago I lost my left leg. With what little money I had saved for a rainy day I bought a wooden leg, and from that moment there has been nothing but trouble in the household.

"You see, it is this way. Every time I take off my wooden leg and we have a disagreement, she hides it. Then I am compelled to hobble around on one foot. On several occasions I had important business to attend to, but could not find my leg.

"A week ago I decided to sleep with my wooden leg. While this was sensible it was painful. It was only last Sunday that my wife told me that if she ever got hold of that wooden leg again she would lambast me with it. In fact, there have been occasions when I felt the sting of that same leg."

Italian Stabbed 60 Times.

Lured to ambush by a man he believed to be his friend, Pasquale Mazeti was set upon by four men late at night in a lonely section and stabbed and hacked almost to death. Surgeons in the City Hospital, where the man was taken, counted 60 wounds on his body made by butcher knives, razors, stillettos and an axe. He will die. Whether Mazeti is the victim of an Italian vendetta, or his assailants were bent upon robbery, the police do not know.

THE LAXATIVE OF KNOWN QUALITY

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There are two classes of purchasers; those who are informed as to the quality of what they buy and the reasons for the excellence of articles of exceptional merit, and who do not lack courage to go elsewhere when a dealer offers an imitation of any well known article; but, unfortunately, there are some people who do not know, and who allow themselves to be imposed upon. They cannot expect its beneficial effects if they do not get the genuine remedy.

To the credit of the druggists of the United States be it said that nearly all of them value their reputation for professional integrity and the good will of their customers too highly to offer imitations of the

Genuine—Syrup of Figs

manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., and in order to buy the genuine article and to get its beneficial effects, one has only to note, when purchasing, the full name of the Company—California Fig Syrup Co.—plainly printed on the front of every package. Price, 50c. per bottle. One size only.

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As he kissed and called her "dear,"
There appeared a look of surprise—
For they had been married a year.
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21,797 Die Of Snake Bites.

The number of persons killed in India in 1905 by wild beasts was 2,054, as against 2,157 in the previous year, and the number of deaths reported from snake bite (21,797) is also a little smaller than that of 1904.

A feature of the 1905 returns is the increase in the number of deaths, both of human beings and cattle, attributed to leopards. It is suggested by a writer in Bailey's Magazine that these beasts seek their prey more readily than they used to do in the neighborhood of villages. The fact that more licenses to possess firearms were held in 1905 than in the previous year may be noticed; but it has long been recognized that it is impossible to discover any relation between the number of firearms in native hands and the number of deaths from wild beasts.

During 1905 more dangerous wild beasts were killed than in 1904. The official figures are: tigers, 1,355; leopards, 4,811; bears, 2,236; wolves, 2,016, and hyenas, 554. Well-known man-eating tigers were killed in several districts. A regular crusade against wolves has been carried on in parts of the Central Provinces, where these brutes are most numerous and most troublesome.—N. Y. Sun.

Mixed.

Teacher—What is a coal magnate; Tommie?

Tommie—I don't know, ma'am; I only thought those things come in cheese.—Yonkers Statesman.

COSTLY PRESSURE.

Heart and Nerves Fail on Coffee.

A resident of a great Western State puts the case regarding stimulants with a comprehensive brevity that is admirable. He says:

"I am 56 years old and have had considerable experience with stimulants. They are all alike—a mortgage on reserved energy at ruinous interest. As the whip stimulates but does not strengthen the horse, so do stimulants act upon the human system. Feeling this way, I gave up coffee and all other stimulants and began the use of Postum Food coffee some months ago. The beneficial results have been apparent from the first. The rheumatism that I used to suffer from has left me, I sleep sounder, my nerves are steadier and my brain clearer. And I bear testimony also to the food value of Postum—something that is lacking in coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. There's a reason. Read "The Road to Wellville," the quaint little book in pkgs.

Wise men ascertain what is on the other side of the hurdle before jumping at conclusions.

SCALY ERUPTION ON BODY.

Doctors and Remedies Fruitless—Suffered 10 Years—Completely Cured by Three Boxes of Cuticura.

"When I was about nine years old small sores appeared on each of my lower limbs. I scratched them with a brass pin, and shortly afterwards both of those limbs became so sore that I could scarcely walk. When I had been suffering for about a month the sores began to heal, but small, scaly eruptions appeared where the sores had been. From that time onward I was troubled by such severe itching that, until I became accustomed to it, I would scratch the sores until the blood began to flow. This would stop the itching for a few days, but scaly places would appear again and the itching would accompany them. After I suffered about ten years I made a renewed effort to effect a cure. The eruptions by this time had appeared on every part of my body except my face and hands. The best doctor in my native county advised me to use arsenic in small doses and a salve. I then used to bathe the sores in a mixture which gave almost intolerable pain. In addition I used other remedies, such as iodine, sulphur, zinc salve, ——'s Salve, —— Ointment, and in fact I was continually giving some remedy a fair trial, never using less than one or two boxes or bottles. All this was fruitless. Finally my hair began to fall out and I was rapidly becoming bald. I used ——'s ——, but it did no good. A few months after, having used almost everything else, I thought I would try Cuticura Ointment, having previously used Cuticura Soap and being pleased with it. After using three boxes I was completely cured, and my hair was restored, after fourteen years of suffering and an expenditure of at least $50 to $60 in vain endeavoring to find a cure. I shall be glad to write to any one who may be interested in my cure. B. Hiram Mattingly, Vermillion, S. Dak., Aug. 18, 1906."

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