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THE WAY NOWADAYS.



Hoax—My daughter has reached the age when a girl begins to think of marriage.

Joax—Just seven years old, eh?

Mandy's idea of it.

Mistress—What! Going to leave me to get married? Whom are you going to marry?

Mandy—Ah, she done goin' to marry Ling Chung, the Chinese laundryman. He's a good man, he is.

"But, Mandy, think of what your children would be!"

"Yes, mum, Ah has. Ah knows she poor little things'll be Mexicans, but Ah loves him just de same!"

Not Militant.

"The social function at Mrs. Come-up's the other afternoon ended in a drawn battle."

"What? Not a quarrel?"

"No, just a tiefight."

The happiest people in the world are those who most easily flattered.

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## FEWER SUICIDES IN UNITED STATES

Record for 1910 Lower With Shooting Favorite Method.

### CALIFORNIA'S POOR SHOWING

That Of North Carolina Only, 7.2 Per 100,000 Of Population As Against 29 For California.

Washington.—Fewer persons committed suicide in 1910 than in 1909, according to the latest statistics on the subject, announced by Dr. Cressy L. Wilbur, chief statistician for vital statistics of the United States Census Bureau.

The death rate from suicide for 1910 was 16 per 100,000 of population in the Census Bureau's death registration area, which comprises about one-half of the country's population and covers 22 States and a number of larger cities in other States. The rate was 16.5 in 1909. There were 8,590 suicides in 1910.

Suicide by shooting was the favorite method of self-destruction and showed an increase over 1909. Poison was a close second. Methods employed were detailed as follows: Fire arms, 2,561; poison, 2,466; hanging or strangulation, 1,265; asphyxia, 941; drowning, 517; cutting or piercing instruments, 544; jumping from high places, 137; crushing, 88, and other means, 81.

California in the Lead.

California led the States with 29 suicides per 100,000 of population, while North Carolina, with 7.2, had the lowest rate. The rate increased in Michigan, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island and Wisconsin, while there was a decrease in the other 12 States.

In the registration cities of more than 100,000 population San Francisco, with 44.2 suicides per 100,000, led. Next came Kansas City, Mo., with 34; Oakland, Cal., with 32.4; Seattle, with 22.3; Bridgeport, Conn., with 22.1, and Denver, with 21.6.

The suicide rate per 100,000 population by States was: California, 29; Colorado, 20.8; Connecticut, 17.9; Indiana, 14.1; Maine, 11.4; Maryland, 10.3; Massachusetts, 12.6; Michigan, 13.7; Minnesota, 11.5; Montana, 21.4; New Hampshire, 12.5; New Jersey, 17.1; New York, 16.7; North Carolina, 7.2 (1909); Ohio, 14.2; Pennsylvania, 12.7; Rhode Island, 14.7; South Dakota, 9.2 (1909); Utah, 10.7; Vermont, 13.2; Washington, 19.9, and Wisconsin, 14.2.

### Rate in Cities Over 100,000.

The rate in cities of 100,000 or over was: Birmingham, Ala., 20.3; Los Angeles, 30; Oakland, Cal., 32.4; San Francisco, 44.2; Denver, 31.6; Washington, 24.1; Atlanta, 14.1; Chicago, 20.9; Indianapolis, 23.9; Louisville, 16; New Orleans, 21.8; Baltimore, 14.5; Boston, 15.3; Detroit, 26; Grand Rapids, 11.5; Minneapolis, 17.5; Saint Paul, 13.9; Kansas City, Mo., 34; Saint Louis, 28.9; Omaha, 24.9; New York, 16.4; Cincinnati, 17.3; Cleveland, 18.3; Columbus, Ohio, 24.1; Dayton, 23.1; Portland, Ore., 24.4; Philadelphia, 19.8; Pittsburgh, 22.8; Memphis, 22.8; Nashville, 18.1; Richmond, 9.4; Seattle, 22.3; Spokane, 23.7, and Milwaukee, 23.4.

### BIG MAJORITY FOR "T. R."

Postal Card Canvass By Paper Also Shows Bryan In Lead.

Pittsburgh.—Early returns in the extensive postal card canvass conducted by the Pittsburgh Press to develop the sentiment of the voters of Allegheny county concerning Presidential nominations show a big majority in favor of Theodore Roosevelt for the Republican nomination. He has a lead of 7 to 1 over President Taft and 5 to 1 over Senator Robert M. La Follette. W. J. Bryan leads both Champ Clark and Judson Harmon by 2 to 1. The figures are:

Republican—For Theodore Roosevelt, 485; for Robert M. La Follette, 160; for William H. Taft, 53.

Democratic—For William J. Bryan, 93; for Champ Clark, 47; for Judson Harmon, 35; for Woodrow Wilson, 23; for Joseph W. Folk, 9, and none for T. R. Marshall and Oscar W. Underwood.

### Slew Aged Man, Is Charge.

Charleston, W. Va.—The coroner's jury investigating the death of Joseph L. Cook, 70 years old, returned a verdict charging his wife, Lizzie Cook, 35 years old; his mother-in-law, Mary Shreve, and a nephew, Lee Burgess, with causing Cook's death. The testimony showed that three weeks before his end all three had taken a hand in beating Cook with clubs and other weapons.

### Opium Conference Ends.

The Hague.—The International Opium Conference practically finished its work Saturday. The conference adopted the protocol, which will be signed Tuesday. The sessions began December 1 last, and the countries represented are the United States, Great Britain, China, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Persia, Portugal, Siam, Russia and the Netherlands. Bishop Charles Brent, of the Episcopal Church in the Philippines, presided.

## COMMERCIAL

Weekly Review of Trade and Market Reports.

Bradstreet's says:

"Trade in the larger lines remains quiet, first, because of the very cold weather that has prevailed over a wide area, thus preventing road salesmen from getting about, and, secondly, because inventories still occupy more or less attention. Incidentally traffic on the railways has been hampered, motive power efficiency, especially in the West, has been reduced 30 to 50 per cent; the strike of longshoremen at Boston affects shipping at that port. The week witnessed the opening of prices on some staple worsteds for the fall of 1912. Though irregularity is shown, the general tendency is upward, thus indicating a strong effort to keep prices on a firm level and to induce business to come in at an early date. In the dry goods line little new business has developed and more or less conservatism rules, but withal there are more inquiries, which suggests that the market is broadening. In the iron and steel industry January business thus far placed has exceeded expectations. Wheat, including flour exports from the United States and Canada for the week, aggregate 2,560,821 bushels, against 3,291,617 last week and 2,582,655 this week last year. Corn exports for the week are 812,035 bushels, against 1,526,721 last week and 1,835,379 in 1911."

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### Wholesale Markets

NEW YORK.—Wheat—Spot irregular; No. 2 red, 98½c elevator export basis and 101¼c f o b afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 120½c f o b afloat.

Corn—Spot firm; export new, 69½c f o b afloat. Futures market was nominal.

Oats—Spot firm; standard white, 55½c in elevator; No. 2, 55c, Nos. 3 and 4, 55½c; natural white and white clipped, 53½c to 57c on track.

Butter firm. Creamery specials, 40½c; extras, 39½c; firsts, 35c to 37c; seconds, 31c to 34c; thirds, 28c to 30c; creamery, held specials, 35½c to 37c; extras, 35½c to 36c; firsts, 33c to 34c; seconds, 30c to 32c; state, dairy tubs, finest, 37c to 38c; good to prime, 32c to 36c; common to fair, 24c to 30c.

Eggs firm. Fresh gathered firsts, 33c to 34c; seconds, 31c to 32c; thirds and poorer, 28c to 30c; fresh gathered dirties, No. 1, 26c; No. 2, 22c to 25c; fresh gathered checks prime 22c to 23c; poor to fair, 18c to 21c.

Potatoes firm; Bermuda, late crop, per bbl., \$4.50 to \$5.50; Maine, in bulk, per 180 pounds, \$3.50 to \$3.75. Cabbages firm; red, per ton, \$23 to \$27. Freights and peanuts unchanged.

PHILADELPHIA.—Wheat firm; contract grade, No. 2 red, in export elevator, 94½c to 97c.

Corn firm; export deliveries 1½c higher; No. 2, in export elevator, 67½c to 68c; No. 2 yellow for local trade, 69c to 69½c.

Oats firm; No. 2 white, natural, 54½c to 55c.

Butter firm; Western creamery specials, 42c; do, extra, 41c; nearby prints, extra, 43c.

Live poultry lower; fowls, 14c to 15c; old roosters, 10½c to 11c; spring chickens, 12c to 14c; ducks, 16c to 17c; geese, 14c to 16c; turkeys, 16c to 17c.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat—No. 2 red spot, 97c; car do, do, short storage, 97½c; 5,000 February, 98½c. Settling prices were: No. 2 red Western, 97½c; contract, 97½c; No. 3 red, 96½c; steamer No. 2 red, 92c; steamer No. 2 red Western, 92c.

Corn—Contract, 69c; white, 71c; steamer mixed, 65½c; no established grade, 64c. The closing was firmer; spot, 68½c; January, 68½c; February, 68½c; March, 68½c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 54½c; standard white, 54c to 54½c; No. 3 white, 53½c to 54c. Rye—No. 1, domestic, \$1.01 to \$1.02; No. 2 Western, domestic, \$1.01 to \$1.01; No. 3 do, do, 96c to 97c; No. 2 nearby, 92c to 93c; bag lots nearby, new, as to quality, 78c to 85c.

Butter—Creamery fancy, 38c to 38½c; creamery choice, 36c to 37c; creamery good, 32c to 34c; creamery imitation, 25c to 27c; creamery prints, 37c to 39c.

Cheese—We quote, jobbing lots, per lb., 18c to 18½c.

Live Poultry—Chickens, per lb.—Old hens, heavy, 14c; do, do, small to medium, 13c; young, large, 13c to 14c; rough and poor, 12c; old roosters, 9c. Ducks, per lb.—White Pekins, 14c to 15c; muscovy, 13c; puddle, 13c to 14c.

### Live Stock

CHICAGO.—Cattle, slow. Beeves, \$4.75 to \$5.50; Texas steers, \$4.30 to \$5.85; Western steers, \$4.50 to \$7.25; stockers and feeders, \$3.30 to \$5.90; cows and heifers, \$2.60 to \$6.55; calves, \$6 to \$7.75.

Hogs—Light, \$5.90 to \$6.25; mixed, \$5.90 to \$6.37½; heavy, \$5.95 to \$6.40; rough, \$5.95 to \$6.10; good to choice, heavy, \$6.10 to \$6.40; pigs, \$4.55 to \$5.65; bulk of sales, \$6.10 to \$6.30.

Sheep—Native, \$3.25 to \$5; Western, \$3.50 to \$5; yearlings, \$5.25 to \$6.25; lambs, native, \$4.75 to \$7.25; Western, \$5.25 to \$7.40.

NEW YORK.—Beef, dressed beef steady at 8½c to 12½c.

Calves—Veals, \$8 to \$11; culls, \$6 to \$7.50; barnyard calves, \$4 to \$5. Dressed calves firm; city dressed veals, 15c to 17c.

### RACKED WITH PAIN.

An Awful Siege of Dropsy and Rheumatism.

Mrs. Emma V. Harris, 508 S. Jefferson St., Mobile, Ala., says: "I was so racked with pain I almost went frantic. My elbow joints got stiff, knees swelled and I could not raise my hands. The merest touch made me scream. I sat in a chair for five months, and for over a year I did not see the street. Nobody thought I would recover. I improved, however, after I began taking Doan's kidney pills and was soon well."



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### FAR AS HE COULD GO.



She—My brother is in Manila. He—That's a long way off. She—Yes; he could hardly get any further away without coming nearer.

### ECZEMA ON HANDS AND FEET

"In the latter part of 1889 my face and head broke out in little pimples. My doctor gave me some medicine and a salve. I used them for months but did not receive any results. In the meantime it broke out all over my back and chest. I then went to another doctor and he told me the same as my own doctor—that it was eczema. He also gave me medicine for eighteen months. All I could see was that he moved it from my face and body to my hands and feet, and although I did everything, I could not heal my hands and feet. My hands would split open on the joints and would be so sore that I could not use them at times. Then I started to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment in July, 1893, and before 1894 I was fully cured. I therefore recommend the Cuticura Soap and Ointment to any person having skin disease. As soon as I began to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment I found relief at once."

"My sister, Miss Rebecca Jackson, had a breaking out on her face and hands the same as myself. She used Cuticura Soap and Ointment for seven or eight months, and was cured entirely." (Signed) Samuel F. Jackson, 1217 Pine St., Philadelphia, Pa., May 5, 1911.

His sister writes: "What my brother says is quite true, and you can imagine how I suffered and how glad I was to be cured by Cuticura Soap and Ointment." (Signed) Miss Rebecca Jackson, 18 Delaware St., Trenton, N. J.

Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. L, Boston.

### When the Flag Looks Good.

"I have been in countries where the laboring man had meat once a year; sometimes twice—Christmas and Easter. And I have seen women carrying upon their heads a burden that no man would like to carry, and at the same time knitting busily with both hands. And those women lived without meat; and when I thought of the American laborer I said to myself: 'After all, my country is the best in the world.' And when I come back to the sea and saw the old flag flying in the air, it seemed to me as though the air from pure joy had burst into blossom."—Robert G. Ingersoll.

### A Celebrated Basso.

"When Herr Growler began to sing did not you observe how our hostess glanced apprehensively at the windows?"

"Yes, I dare say she was afraid the window-panes would be shattered."

### For COLDS AND GRIP.

Hicks' CAPSICUM is the best remedy—relieves the aching and feverishness—cures the cold and restores normal conditions. It's liquid—effects immediately. 10c, 25c, and 50c. At drug stores.

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Hamlin's Wizard Oil is recommended by many physicians. It is used in many public and private hospitals. Why not keep a bottle on hand in your own home?

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c a bottle.

Even if a woman can't afford a new hat she can criticize her neighbor's.

ITCH, ITCH relieved in 30 minutes by Vooftord's Sanitary Lotion. At Druggists.

One thing rarer than a day in June is a woman who has nothing to say.

### The Thin Girl's Temper.

No thin woman can afford to lose her temper. "Nothing," says a good authority, "will make you so angular or give your face such an undesirable look as the free indulgence of your own will." A girl who was thin to a really painful degree gained 30 pounds in 60 days on the following regime: Twelve hours' sleep a day; a well-ventilated and cold room to sleep in, with plenty of fresh air all night; light down coverlets for warmth and hot-water bags at the feet if they are cold; loose, light clothing at all times, with plenty of space about the chest, shoulders and waist; a diet of cereals, cocoa, fresh fruits or starchy vegetables, potatoes, beans, etc., milk and cream—everything of a warming fat-producing nature in the way of food; warm baths, though not too frequently.

### Coming Financier.

In a certain country village, where co-operation has a firm hold on the inhabitants, and where the "trading check" habit also flourishes, one little girl proudly called to another: "We've got a new baby at our house!"

"Where did you get it?" was the reply.

"Oh, the doctor brought it."

"Now, why," queried the thrifty little sympathizer, gravely, "didn't you buy it at the store and get either a dividend or a trading stamp?" The doctor doesn't give either, does he?"

### Awful Suspicion.

Freddie had been sick for some time, and when his father came into the room to see how he was the youngster surprised him by his questions.

"Why do you ask if I owe the doctor anything?" inquired his father.

"Because," replied Freddie, "the medicine he's been giving me lately is something fierce, and I think he's taking it out on me."—Judge.

### Slow.

"Myra, how long has Joe Nevius been going with you?"

"About 18 years."

"That seems an awful long time."

"Yes; I sometimes wonder if Joe's ever going to ask me to marry him."

### Important to Mothers.

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### One of the Perils of Divorce.

"How do you like your new papa, little girl?" asked the neighbor.

"Not very well," was the reply. "I told ma yesterday that I could have picked out a better one myself."—Detroit Free Press.

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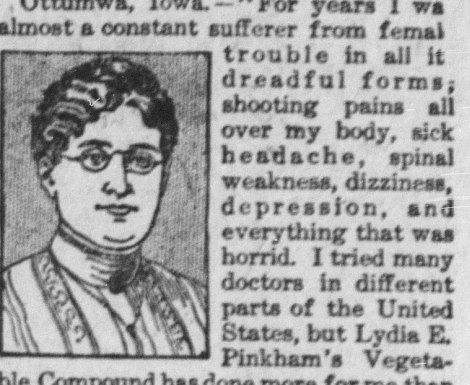
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