In Ten Days Great Wheat Belt Will Need Help of 28,000 More Men.

Topeka, Kan., June 23.-State employment Agent Gerow said that the saving the of 60,000,000 bushel wheat crop in Kansas is a grave question. He has issued call after call for harvest hands, but apparently his efforts are fruitless.

Twenty-nine countles in the great wheat belt will, in 10 days, need the services of 28,000 more men for the harvest than Kansas can supply. These men must come from states farther east. Chicago and New York could furnish these alone, for more than this number are idle in these cities, he said, but they will not come to Kaesas and earn \$2 a day and board.

The wheat farmers cannot get binding twine. The state plant in the re-offentiary is running night and day to furnish twine below the trust prices, but it cannot supply the demand.

Yesterday the Santa Fe and Rock Island railroads each brought 109 men front Chicago free to repair bridges and tracks. As seen as they arrived at Newton and McPherson in the wheat belt they abandoned the trains and scattered through the country to accept higher wages from the wheat farmers.

McKinley National Memorial.

Cleveland, June 23 .- The trustees of the McKinley National Memorial association met here at the office of Senator Hanna. Justice Day, the president of the association, presided. A report from the officers of the association and alse from the treasurer, Myron T. Herrick, showed total contributions amounting to about \$500,000, and it was decided that designs should be at once invited. The trustees issued a statement asking for \$100,000 additional for the proper care of the monument when erected.

German Official at West Point. West Print, N. V., June 23 .- Baron Von Eheinbehen, secretary of the treasury of the German empire, and his party paid a visit to West Point, arriving on the sevenue cutter Gresh-

am. A review of the cadets was a

teature of the day. The party returned to New York late in the afternoon.

MARKET REPORT. New York Provision Market.

New York, June 22. WHEAT - No. 2 red. 85c f. o. b. affeat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 917ac. CORN - No. 2 corn, 58% c f. o. b. aflost; No. 2 white, 58%c.

OATS - No. 2 oats, 431/c; No. 2 white, 4612c; No. 3 white, 451/2c. PORK-Mess, \$18.25@18.75; family,

HAY - Shipping, 80@85c; good to choice, \$1,20@1.35.

BUTTER-Creamery, extras, 211/2c; factory, 17c; western imitation cream-CHEESE-New large white, 10%c;

light skims, 8%c. EGGS State and Pennsylvania, 19c POTATOES-New York, per 185

Buffalo Provision Market.

Buffalo, June 22. WHEAT - No. 1 northern, 86%c; winter wheat, No. 2 red, 80c CORN-No. 2 yellow, 55%c f affoat: No. 3 yellow, 54%c.

afloat; No. 4 white, 43% c. FLOUR-Spring wheat, best patent per bbl., \$4.50@4.75; low grades, \$3.00

OATS - No. 3 white, 44%c f. o. b

BUTTER-Creamery western ex tra tubs, 22c; state and Pennsylvania creamery, 21%c; dairy, fair to

good, 16@18c CHEESE-Fancy full cream, 12c; good to choice, 11@11%c; common to fair, 9@10c.

EGGS-State, fresh fancy, 1714@18 c POTATOES - Per bushel, \$110@

East Buffalo Live Stock Market. CATTLE—Best steers on sale, \$5.20 @5.50; good to choice shipping steers, \$4.80@5.10; fair to good steers, \$4.50 @4.90; common to fair heifers, \$3.50 @3.75; choice to extra fat helfers, \$4.25@4.75; good butcher bulls, \$3.25 @3.75; choice to prime yeals, \$7.00@ 7.25; handy fat calves, \$5.50@6.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS - Choice to extra lambs, \$6.50@7.00; fair to good, \$5,00@5.25; culls to common, \$3.75@4.50; wether sheep, \$5.00@5.50; HOGS - Mixed packers' grades \$6.25@ 6.30; medium hogs, \$6.25@6.30; pigs, good to choice, \$6.45@6.60.

Buffalo Hay Market

HAY - Timothy, per tot. loose. \$17.00@19.00; hay, prime on track, per tor. \$18.00@18.50; No. 1 do do, \$17.00 @11.50; No 2 do do. \$11.00@15.00

Little Falls Cheese Market,

Little Falls, June 22. Sales of cheere on the Little Falls dairy market today were: Large colored, 1 lot of 100 boxes at 10%c; small white, "7 lots of 1.857 boxes at 10 Mc; small waite, 7 lots of 454 boxes at 10%c; small colored, 25 lots of 1,958 boxes at 10%c; amail colered, 9 lots of 646 boxes at 10%c; twins, colored, 8 lots of 523 boxes at 10%c; twins, white, 22 lots of 1,207 boxes at 10%c. Total, 99 lots and 6,-745 boxes.

Utica Dairy Market.

Utica, June 22. Sales of cheese on Utica dairy board of trade today were: 102 lots of 9,004 boxes: Large sold at 10%c and small at 10%c, same as a week ago. Fifteen packages of butter sold at 22%c.

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AN ALL AROUND CITIZEN.

No One State Was Large Enough For This Son of Erin.

"There was an Irishman connected with the sutler's department in the civil war," said an old veteran, "who fell asleep on the battle field after Bull Run. A party of Confederate scouts saw him, and as he had no uniform their leader prodded him awake and asked: 'Who are you? Where do you belong? What's your name?

" 'Begobs,' says Pat, rubbing his eyes, 'them's too many questions, und, be yure leave, I'll be afther askin' yez th'

"'We're McClellan's men, just from Washington. "I knew yez ware, gintlemen, and

I'm that same, "'Oho! That's where we've caught you. Put him under arrest, men! We

belong to Beauregard's army." "'Thin ye lied to me, an', suspectin' that same, I told ye the same thing yez told me,' retorted the Irishman promptly. 'Now, give me the truth, an' I'll do the same by yez. What state do ye come from?

"'From South Carolina." 'So do I, an' from all the other states, begobs, an' that's where I'm thinkin' I've got the best of yez. Yezdon't think I'd be sich a fule as to come all the way from Ireland to belong to wan state, do yez?"-New York Tribune.

Ivory as Medicine.

Ivory was used as a medicine up to the end of the eighteenth century. In Schroder's "Zoology," 1650, translated into English by T. Bateson, it is thus described under the heading, "Elephas:" "His teeth are only used in medicine, vulgarly called ivory. The virtues: It cools and dryes, moderately binds cuts, strengthens the inward parts. It is good for the jaundlee, it chaseth away Wormes, it is good for Inveterate obstructions, it takes away the pains and weakness of the stomach, it heals the Epilepsie, drives away Melancholy, resists rottenness and poysons. It is used in infusions, and the powder is given in substance. The dose is half a dram. Preparation: i., Burnt Ivory, called Spodium, and to

dium, Spollum of Ivery. H., Troches Ivery ground fine and made into a sort of Jelly has been tised as a strengthening food in more recent

distinguish it from the mineral Spo-

titues by medical navice.

Worms on Soil Renovators. Earthworms are not soil formers for they are seldom met with in soils that are destitute of organic matter. They are simply renovators. Every time a worm is driven by dry weather or any other cause to descend deep it the contents of its body, a few particles of fresh earth. At the same time it fertilizes the subsoil by opening up passages, which encourage the roots of plants to penetrate deeper, these passages being lined with excreted matter which provides a store of nourishment for the roots. On meadow land Darwin found that these worm casts amount annually to eighteen tons an

Work For His Sheep.

ten tons.

A resident of London with a taste for deviled kidney's found himself recently in a remote west of England village. where a sheep was killed about once a week. Not knowing that mutton was a luxury and kidneys, for obvious reasons, therefore, a rarity, he presented himself day after day at the village butcher's with the same request for his favorite breakfast dish. The butcher, looking upon his customer as a lunatic bore it as long as he could, but on the fifth day said indignantly, "If you think, young man, that my sheep have nothing better to do than to lay kidnevs for your breakfast you be mortal mistook."-London Answers,

Easy Divorce In Old Times. The code of King Khammurabi of Assyria, whose date is approximately 2200 B. C., which has been deciphered from a pillar discovered at Susa, deals her lashes might remain undetected. exhaustively with the subject of divorce. One of the most interesting clauses is the following: "If the wife that man has set her face to go forth and has acted the fool and wasted his house and impoverished his house, they shall call her to account. If the husband shall say, 'I put her away,' he shall put her away. She shall go her way; for her divorce he shall give her nothing."

The Home of Musical Fish, Lake Batticaloa, Ceylon, has the probably unique distinction of being the home of musical fish. The sounds emitted by these are said to be as sweet and melodious as those which would be produced by a series of Æolian harps. Crossing the lake in a boat one can plainly distinguish the pleasant sounds. If an oar is dipped in the water the melody becomes louder and more distinct.

He Knew Her.

"I'm sorry, but I really can't let you see my wife if you wear that beautiful new but. She's quite sick, and the doctor has expressly stated that nothing must be allowed to excite her."-Meggendorfer Blatter.

Plenty of Time. "But we-we shall not begin our married life with a secret, shall we.

dearest? "No, degrest," he murmured. "There's plenty of time."-Pittsburg Gazette.

A Nice Fat Geore. Customer (entering poultry shop)-I should like to see a nice fat goose. Small Boy-Yes, sir; mother will be

in directly. REDUCED RATES TO GETTYSBURG.

For the benefit of those desiring to atwrite H. C. Allen, C. P. & T. A. Nickel | tendend the exercises to be held at Get-Plate Road, 920 State street, Erie, Pa., tysburg, Pa., commemorating the fortieth anniversary of the battle, on July 1, 2, and 3, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round trip tickets to Gettysburg from all stations on its lines in plague is in Chinatawa," the State of Pennsylvania east of and ex- "I heard nothing of it." cluding Johnstown; also from stations on the Philadelphia and Eric Railroad Division and the Buffalo and Allegheny Valley Division north of but not includ-

Hold Up

By ROSS FRAME

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The Overland Limited was speeding east neross New Mexico toward the Texas boundary line. The fine alkali dust of the high plains sifted through every crevice in the car, smarting and irritating the threats and noses of passengers. Miss Mary Appleton was one of the few who had not grumbled at the dust, heat, lack of mirages or slowness of the service. Presumably her time was too fully occupied. The Mayne children, her three nephews, demanded her complete attention.

When Major Mayne of the United States army was ordered to the Philppines, his wife elected to go with him. The children were easily disposed of by their little butterfly of a mother, "We'll send them east. I'll telegraph Mary to come out and take them back. It will be a nice trip for

her, poor thing! So the "poor thing," who was Mrs. Mayne's elder half sister, the Ciederella of the household, age reversed, left her invalid stepmother behind and fourneved to San Francisco for her

charges "We'll try and make it pleasant for you while you are with us," Mrs. Mayne had coold to her upon her arrival, but the irresponsible little lady had left all packing and house clearing arrangements until the last minute, and it took all of Mary's time and sound sense to evolve order out of confusion. Finally all the boxes were corded, the major and his wife off to the transport, and Miss Appleton, with her three rebellious charges, sented in the train for their long ride to the Atlantic coast.

One section had been provided for her and the three boys, Bobbie, Tom and Grover, lads of twelve, nine and six. They were hearty, healthy young animals, who regarded the commands of their gentle, mild tempered aunt in the light of a perpetual joke. The Pullman was crowded, and their fellow traveler looked with manifest disfavor upon the noisy. Ill behaved boys,

Their section was nearest the drawing room, and Miss Appleton occasionally caught glimpses of the tall, stern looking man with iron gray hair. He seemed to be always busy, either reading or writing, and her tender conscience prompted the hope that he might be too much absorbed in his work to be disturbed by the proximity of her nephews. She had noticed his brings to the surface, when it empties critical, disapproving glances at her best to do." flock in the dining car, and once she detected a smile on his face when she

It was the fourth day of the journey and a particularly hard one. Bob and ver, who was quick tempered, into acre and on good arable land to about knee. She sat in a cramped, uncom- the laws of Texas.

to the couch and set the door ajar. Miss Appleton's lips trembled, and it was with difficulty that she kept back the tears. It was almost the first kindly words speken in those hard and disagreeable days. There had been adcomplaints in respect to their noise to their own seats, but this was the first kindly interest manifested. The weary, nervous woman looked out steadily over the uninviting landscape

The occupant of the drawing room missed nothing of what was going on. His heart gave an unaccustomed throb of a man who dwells in the house of as he remembered the mute gratifude expressed by her dark eyes when he carried off the sleeping boy. It was a sensation.

> Bob and Tom sat in a virtuous armed truce. Bob's black eyes snapped as he related to Tom in subdued tones the "Adventures of Snake Eyed Sol, the Terror of the Western Plains." "If we would be sure to find lots of Indians a great time. But there's no use in trying. Aunt Mary has the porter on to us." The boy looked decidedly wicked as he thought of his lost opportunities. The man within caught the look and a vision of the aunt's sweet face

at the same time. "If I had the management of you, my lad, I would bring you up with a round turn," he thought, leaned back on the luxurious cushions. Her few days of more intimate ac quaintance with Master Bob had made | true) her fully aware of the consequences likely to follow from an interruption of the narrative. The comparative pence and repose were provocative of sleep. She was awakened from a doze

"Your papers, please? "Do you mean our tickets?" with the tickets. I want your quaran- in the paths of Ananias. tine passports. We are near the Texas

boundary line." ng our tickets. We have no passports." you'll have to get off before you come to the Texas boundary."

"Get off-why?" sne gasped. "Orders, madam. The state of Texas orders that no passengers from San Francisco cross the boundary line without a quarantine passport. You're

heard of the report that bubonic "I heard nothing of it," she rejoined. "Well, that may be. However, I am here to see that the Texas quarantine | border and raiding the homesteads of



would have issued your certificate. It's a wonder that they didn't speak to you about it.'

Mrs. Mayne had bought the tickets, and Mary remembered with a sinking heart that her sister had carelessly tossed aside a package of papers when she took the tickets from the envelope, The conductor went on, "This bubonic plague scare is a confounded nulsance to the traveling public. There is one way out of it; you can make onth that you have not been in Chinatown or the precincts within fifteen days."

"We can easily do that." It is the unexpected that happens, and Bob's opportunity had come. "I was in Chinatown last week with Mike," he said loadly.

Miss Appleton looked at him in imazement. Mike was the major's old and trusted servant, the last person to take the boy into a place of danger. The story was incredible.

Bob looked unblushingly at his nunt. To Bob at that moment there were things better than truth. The officer looked down sternly at the little shrinking woman. "You'll have to be ready to get off at the next siding. You'll find a box car there. The local freight will pick you up later and take you to Deming. There you will find out what it is The sympathetic excitement of their

fellow passengers was subdued by the had made ineffectual efforts to curb thought of relief from the troublesome boys and by nervous fear of journeying with a plague suspect. The friendly gentleman lent a hand in strapping va-Tom had joined forces and teased Gro- lises and in gathering up the various impedimenta of an overland journey. such a fury of passion that he had There was evidently on his part no insobbed himself asleep on his aunt's tention of questioning the wisdom of

fortable position, holding the little tear | Miss Appleton's patience received its crowning stroke when she mounted her The man in the drawing room looked trunk as a step and was dragged by a at her for a moment, then stepped out not overclean employee into the box and said quietly: "Let me take your car. She had hardly until then realized little boy. He can rest very comforta- the significance of their movements. bly on my sofa." Suiting the action to | She had but a confused idea of the the words, he carried the sleeping child | goodbys of their fellow passengers generally, but the sympathetic tones of the

friendly man persisted in her mind. Bob scrambled up beside her and announced his freedom in a hilarious whoop. It was adding insult to injury, and, as much to her own amazement monitions in regard to the boys being as to Bob's, she seized the offender by left behind at stations and tanks or the shoulders and shook him soundly, breaking their necks from windows The crestfallen appearance of their and platforms. There had been many ringleader as he sulked on a box in the corner of the car, a new, stern aunt and requests that they be kept strictly who certainly held the whip hand, and strong desires for semething to eat were conditions not conducive to free and easy romance in the desert. It was a very weary and subdued trio of so that the tears that hung heavy on boys that the local freight brought into

Deming, Miss Appleton's apprehensions that the whole party would be subject to an unpleasant quarantine were speedfly removed. Before she had recovered from the surprise at the courtesy shown them by the railway officials, strange and by no means unpleasant | their fellow traveler of the Overland stepped from the cabcose of the

"I telegraphed to see that you were properly looked after, and I have come to see that it is done," he said with a smile. "I know this place very well, could only get off this blamed train, we as I happen to be in the railroad busiless myself. You will be very comand gold and wild horses. We'd have | tortable here for a few days, until you get your passports."

Much to Miss Appleton's relief he issumed, with a matter of fact air, the entire management of their affairs. He lid the telegraphing, the planning and the thousand and one duties demanded by their quarantine hold up. Once she ventured an apologetic remonstrance about taking up his time, but he Miss Appleton smothered a sigh and had answered gayly that he was "off on a holiday," and that he was enjoying it immensely (which was strictly

Bob was the only unhappy member of the party. Pride forbade an acknowledgment of his falsehood, and he crimly accepted his punishment. He tasted the way of the transgressor in a by a brisk official voice demanding, lonely quarautine, and also realized the power of the government of Texas to punish not only visitors to Chinatown, "No, madam. I have nothing to do but also those who inadvertently stray

A number of cablegrams were awaiting the Maynes on their arrival at "But-but we have no papers except. Manila, Mrs. Mayne nearly fainted with astonishment at the contents of "Very sorry, madam; very sorry, but one which her husband read aloud: "Mary married yesterday to Robert Read, general manager Great Western ralirond."

> Fortified Rectories. In an article on "Historical Houses"

in the House a writer calls attention to eurlous relie of the days when the right from there, and you've surely-Northumbeian pastor was connelled to live in a fortified house if he wished to preserve his worldly goods from the plundering bands of moss troopers who were continually crossing the Scottish

"toure and a little barmekin, being to man'con of the p'senage of Rothbury." It has walls eleven feet thick at the base and six feet at the top. It has turrets at the corners and a chamber with a stone floor, into which the rectors drove their cattle at night or on approach of the raiders.

TWO INDIAN BATTLES.

History as It Appears From the Redskin's Point of View.

The Indian's side of any controversy between him and the white man has never really been presented at all. History has necessarily been written from the white man's standpoint and large ly from the reports of commanding officers naturally anxious to secure full credit for their gallantry or to conceal any weakness.

Take as an illustration the so called "battle" of Wounded Knee. A ring was formed about the Indians, and after disarming most of them one man resisted, and the troops began firing toward the center, killing hearly all the Indians and necessarily many of their own men. The soldiers then followed up fleeing women and children and THE "OLD shot them down in cold blood. This is not called a massacre in the official reports. The press of the country did not call it a massacre. On the other hand, General Custer was in pursuit of certain bands of Sloux. He followed their trail two days and finally overtook and surprised them upon the Little Big Horn. The warriors met him in force, and he was beaten at his own game. It was a brilliant victory for the Indians, whom Custer had taken at a disadvantage in the midst of their women and children. This battle goes down in listory as the "Custer massa-Dr. Charles A. Eastman in

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