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HANKS USED SEA WATER. Very Little Use to Deny the Milk Was

Diluted. Julius Kruttschmitt of San Francisco, the general manager of the South-

ern Pacific Railroad, recently gave out the largest single order for steel rails that the business world has ever

A reporter, in discussing this order with Mr. Kruttschmitt, called it a 'daring one.'

'No," said the railroad magnate, smiling, "there was nothing daring about it. Daring things are those that have in them something risky, something insecure. For instance, you night term 'daring' the well-known action of Hanks, the milkman, in the millionaire's house."

"Hanks, the milkman?" 'said the reporter, puzzled.

"Yes, Hanks, the milkman. He, one morning, forgot to water his milk. In the hall of his best customer he remembered this omission. A huge tub of fine, clear water stood on the floor by his side. There was no one to spy on him, and thrice, before the maid brought up the jugs. Hanks diluted his milk with a large measure filled from the tub. Then he served the young woman calmly and went on.

"As he was bellowing down the next area the first customer's footman beckoned to him. He returned, and was ushered into the presence of the customer himself, a millionaire.

"'Hanks,' said the gentleman, 'I prefer hereafter to water my own milk." "Well, sir," said Hanks, "it's useless to deny the thing, for I suppose you were watching me while-

"'No,' said the millionaire. 'No one was watching you. But the fact is Hanks, the children are taking medicinal baths, and the tub in the hall was full of sea water."

Cricketer Lives 98 Years.

England's oldest cricketer, Mr. Herbert Jenner-Fust, is dead at the age of 98 years. He played for Eton eighty-two years ago, and for Camoridge university from 1825 to 1827, being captain in the last year. At the of 93 he bowled for his village eleven and batted for eleven runs. He practiced in Doctors commons till the court was abolished, and then lived as a country 'squire.

Land at the North Pole.

From the known set of the currents n the Arctic ocean and from observations of the tides, R. A. Harris concludes that there may be a tract of and near the North Pole, extending from near the northwest corner of Banks Land or from Prince Patrick island to a point north of New Sibe-

Singer Goes Into Politics.

Tamagno, the Italian operatic tenor, shose imposing physique and tremendous high C will be remembered many Americans, is a candidate the Italian parliament. He knows othing of politics, but will go on the tump as a singer, and in this way hopes to capture enough votes to in-ture his return. Scotch Wisdom.

The fountain of content must spring op in the mind: and he who has so little knowledge of human nature as seek happiness by changing anyhing but his own disposition, will waste his life in fruitless efforts and ultiply the griefs which he purposes remove.-Scottish Reformer.

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arrii curesi at lome. Three preparations in ackage. Ask your dealer for 'Dr. Hartley's Remedy," of Baltimore, Md.

Young Artist Wins Honors. young English artist who has Paris by storm through his ex-there is Gerald Kelly. The nch government has just ordered of his works for the national colin the Luxembourg gallery is only 25 years of age.

Do Not Point.

ling Edward VII. once wrote in a fession book that the person he liked most was "the man who has at you with his umbrella and uts out, "There he is!"



Silk Twine Laces. No handsomer novelty is seen than the splendid lace made of silk twine.

Walking, running, etc., are the best exercises for children, and they should

be encouraged to take plenty of outdoor recreation. Oddly Pretty Lining. It's an idea to line a charming little blouse cape of cloth with accordioned

chiffon to match. Monte Carlo gloves

are faced in contrasting color.

Ropes of Big Black Beads. Big, black ebony beads are being forced on the feminine world by Parisian milliners. Ropes of them are used to encircle the high-crowned hats.

Made to order hair combs are in tortoise shell, mounted with plain gold bands. The wearer's monogram is often engraved upon the gold. These ornaments are expensive, but they have their virtue of exclusiveness.

Gift For a College Girl.

An appropriate gift for a college girl returning to her studies is a small suit case about a foot or a trifle more in length. When a girl does not live in the college dormitory, she finds this case useful in carrying her books and notes to and from lectures.

A Chiffon Volle.

A biscuit colored chiffon voile had a round yoke composed of many rows of narrow Velenciennes lace slightly fulled, below which was a short tichu edged with lace. The fichu was caught up in the back and on each shoulder with little bows of the material. Another bow caught it up in front, and a jabot of lace fell nearly to the waist, and quite possible provided they are The high girdle was fastened with three bows.

A Tactful Hostess.

A tactful hostess knows the perils of visiting in a country house. As might be expected, the junk shop guest chamber is sure to prove a pitfall to the unwary. Having not long ago to put the finishing touches to a portrait, I went into the country to pass a couple of days with my sitter, a mere acquaintance. At dinner the first evening, wishing to start the conversation pleasantly, I asked:

"Whose portrait is that in my room" Such a charming face!" After a chilly silence my hostess an-

swered: "That is my husband's first wife."

The conversation rather languished during the rest of our meal, but I made no efforts to revive it .- Century.

Taffeta Still in Favor.

Black taffeta costumes, it was said in the early spring, and it was thought by the best authorities, would not be fashionable during the summer, as they were to be bought ready-made at so many of the large department shops. Yet there has been a succession of the most charming designs furnished for black taffeta gowns, and these have en made up in large numb women who know how to dress well.

The skirts are trimmed with tucks or folds of the taffeta, with bands of embroidery or lace ruchings. The waists are tucked or pleated, and have white lace yokes and bands overlaid with embroidery or lace. Shirrings and cordings, such as were the delight of olden times, are most fashionable .-Harper's Bazar.

Children's Wear.

Common sense is visible in most of the modern fashions for children's wear. Small boys, in particular, profit greatly by the present styles that are so practical and at the same time so smart and attractive in appearance. The one-piece suit.worn over knickerbockers is made both in wash materials and in serges, in colors and in white The white blouse, when made with a sailor collar open at the front, can be worn with an inside piece like a yoke, and can be worn with open throat, if desired. The leather belt, pulled well 4own to give the fashionable longwaisted appearance, must never be forgotten; no trimming is necessary, although lace collars and cuffs or bands of bright scarlet or blue linen on the effective.-Harper's Bazar.

Individuality in Dress. It is just this, after serving as a covering, that clothes are supposed to do -enhance feminine charms, says the New York Sun. There was a time when fashion's decrees were more arbitrary than they are now. Then one general style clothed the multitude, big and little, fat and lean, long and short. Since womankind tasted of a broadened independence there has been a marked growth in the individuality of dainty color - suggest the brush and dress, and the end is not yet. The day palatte. has passed when a sensible woman will make a guy of Lerself because, forsooth, she is expected to wear this or that. Would that womankind had attained a height where she separately and severally dared to face the world in toilets suited to her station and pocketbook! Every temptation is offered, in these days, for the expenditure of money, and the sex that is notably the lover of fine raiment is an easy and a willing victim.

Algrette is also in much request not only in white and black, but in all colors and glace tones. It is used principally combined with other trimmings, such as ostrich tips, roses and rosettes of ribbon. There are also small birds to which artificial crests are adapted, sometimes of long curved feathers on's barbed at their extrem-

For the more simple order of hats contenux provide the trimming. Of these there is a very large provision. Some stiff and wide, others narrow and draping. Eagle plumes or quills artificially tinted to resemble those of straps and harness buckles.

Potistown, was court, charged tery and the la Strouse hired and when he was damaged.

the imperial bird are in much favor; also bright colored corteaux with fancy

spots and markings. Buckles and similar ornaments are to be given a rest for a while, but very handsome pins will be used to fasten the hat to the head. They, indeed, furnish the principal decoration of some of the sailor and tailor hats worn with morning costumes. A good deal is done with beads, particularly strings of large cut jet beads and gray pearls, while black hats are sometimes em broidered with jet or ornamented with appliques.-The Millinery Trade Review.

Return of 1830 Fashions. The woman with a longing to be thought picturesque and with an eye for color has a hard time in these days steering her way through the many pitfalls that surround her, and in truth requires an immense amount of concentration of purpose not to be led astray by the picturesque fashions that in the illustrations look so much more attractive than they do on the individual.

One rule should always be followed, that no style should be chosen that Is markedly unbecoming. It is far better to dress according to the style of last year, provided that style was be coming, than to run the risk of being made a perfect fright by following too closely the exaggerated fashions of

this season. Materials, however, furnish so much that is attractive and desirable as to be some compensation for the manner in which they are made up. And it is perfectly possible to modify the exaggerated effect of many of the more pronounced designs. The quaint old-fashioned-looking silks, the spriggled muslins and batistes, are very charming not made up too elaborately. White is not so fashionable as last year, and light colors relieved with white or black are preferred, or white gowns made up over color that are very effective and becoming.-Harper's Bazar.

Boudoir Chat.

A man can always find something to be proud of in his position, no matter how humble.

What is woman? Only one of na ture's agreeable blunders.-Bulwer. If woman lost us Paradise, she alone can restore it .- J. G. Whittier.

Many women have the appearance of angels and the disposition of demons. Some men are mean enough to make

marriage and misery co-equal terms. When a woman finds she is caught in a lie she shows a desire to close the incident.

Many men are best satisfied when they have something big of which they can complain. All women are good-good for some-

thing or good for nothing .- Cervantes, Water silk is the proper material for a flowing gown.

Our idea of a bread-winner is the girl

who takes the cake. A woman likes to jolly her husband by telling him he is working too hard. No woman is ever satisfied with the way another woman arranges the fur-

niture. Few bachelors are capable of holding a girl baby until she gets beyond the

age of sixteen. When one girl tells another that she is practicing beauty culture the other



The smartest belts show harmony of color effects.

Old-fashioned shot silk is now known as chameleon taffeta. Even walking skirts are extremely

full and much trimming is used on new models. It is said that mitts will be wern in the house this winter with cibew

Invisible hooks and eyes do duty for the conventional buckle on many wide

belts of silk. The long coat or wrap is much more white linen or pique frocks are most fashionable than a short one, and in some instauces a necessity.

At least two types of leather hand-

bags are considered necessary in a complete feminine wardrobe. While perhaps bizarre, bid and leather with a glossy surface are an-

nounced as autumn trimmings. Criental belts are among the newest additions to the fashionable girl's

varied supply of waist accessories. Soft crush belts of Japanese silk are so exquisitely embroidered that their

Japanese, Chinese or Bulgarian

belts are very effectively and consistently finished by buckles of jade, amber, crystal or chrysolite. Feminine campaign belts, with candidates' names embroidered on the end in combination with party or patriotic

emblems, are new, but bizarre. The newest girdles fashioned from ribbons have long ends, and those of Dresden or flowered ribbon are particularly effective as accessories for a dressy gown.

Embroidered white grass linen belts, two inches wide, are adorned with a charming blending of soft pink, green and yellow, and finished with a gilt or linen-covered buckle.

Belts to be la mode must be chosen to match the shirt waist or to be in harmony with it. The correctly gowned woman will even have her andbag to match the belt.

THE KEYSTONE STATE

Latest News of Pennsylvania Told in Short Order.

T. C. Webster, a Pennsylvania Railroad detective, is believed to have been murdered by a gang of robbers, who supposedly placed the body of their victim on the tracks to make believe that he had been killed by a train and so hide the crime. The body of Webster was found shortly after midnight. Webster was an old railroad detective and was in Irwin for the purpose of breaking up a gang of car thieves who were operating from For two months he and another officer had been tracking the thieves, lying in box cars by Since this watch was started the thefts ceased, the robbers evidently being aware that officers were on

A fiendish attempt to destroy life and property was brought to light at the farm of Milton Poust, in Penn Township. While Mr. Poust and several assistants were hauling buckwheat from the fields to the barn one of the men noticed something drop from one of the sheaves. On examination proved to be dynamite. Investigation showed that the sheaf had been pulled apart enough to permit the dynamite to be placed inside. Had the exploremained in the sheaf until reached the threshing machine, frightful tragedy would have resulted

The relief association at the Upper Lehigh Colliery has decided that when miners are buried at the expense of the association a committee of association must be consulted in the selection of the caskets, it being asserted that widows have frequented chosen coffins that were too expen-

Miss Kate McLoughlin, aged 22 years of Norristown, disappointed in love it is said, committed suicide by tak-ing carbolic acid, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Lewis, of Oaks Station.

At a congregational meeting of the Glenolden Presbyterian Church, unanimous call was extended to Rev. Van Allan Putnam, of New York, to the pastorate.

The Walter Family in reunion Doylestown elected Rev. A. J. Walter president, John N. Doan, vice-president; George Walter, treasurer Carrie Scott and Miss Alice Walter, secretaries.

William E. J. Diehl, of Pittsburg, was reappointed inspector of the Western Penitentiary, and R. B. Stone, of Bradford, trustee, of the State Hospital for the Insane, Warren, by Gov ernor Pennypacker, yesterday. Claude M. Stauffer, of Harrisburg

has been chosen instructor of music at the Indian School, Carlisle. Romandus Brechtel, accused of conducting a speak-easy in Willow Grove

pleaded guilty in court at Norristown. and was sentenced to six months in The Pottsville Lutheran Conference, in session at Minersville, elected Rev. C. G. Karsch, of Minersville president, and Rev. C. W. Eberwein,

of Port Carbon, secretary-treasurer. Laneaster was without water for twelve hours because of the bursting of the principal city main. Many cel-lars in the vicinity of the break were flooded. Industries, being without

water, had to close. Dr. Arwin Pabst, head of a large school for manual training teachers n Leipsic, Germany, is the guest o Dr. and Mrs. Henry Goddard, of the West Chester Normal School, He made a brief address to the senior

class at the Normal School. newly chartered Oxford, Coch ranville & Parkersburg Electric Rail way Company has decided to issue bonds in a sum not exceeding \$300, The southern terminus of this 000. road is to be in Oxford. It will ex-tend through the villages of Hayes-ville, Russellville and Cochranville and the township of Lower and Upper Oxford, West Fallowfield and Highland, to Parkesburg, a distance of about fourteen miles.

The explosion of a tubular boiler at the Franklin Iron Works, Port Carbon, early the other morning killed Engineer William Kane, aged 45 years, and wrecked the plant. The origin of the explosion is unknown. Kane was cleaning his fire, when, without a second's warning, the ex-plosion occurred. Kane head can-not be found, but the mangled trunk was removed from the top of a pile of coal nearby. William Moody, a watchman, who was on the other side of a brick wall, escaped injury, though fragments fell all about him. Such was the force of the explosion that a large machine shop, boiler house, engine house and every building of the plant, save the office and a small storehouse, were leveled. The end of the boiler, like a big skyrocket, carried through one side of the boiler house, cut a tree in twain and landed

in a meadow about 500 yards from the scene of the accident. The West Chester Board of Health directed one farmer near West Chester not to furnish any more milk from his dairies to families of that city, because several persons who bought milk from him became sick with typhoid fever. As the farmer has thirty-five cows in his pastures and no means of disposing of his milk he threatens to sue the borough for damages, as he says it has not been shown that the milk from his farm is

Borrowing a revolver from a neighbor on the plea that he wanted to shoot rats, Elmer Milligan went into the back yard of his home at Potts-town, and sent a bullet through his forehead, killing himself. Milligan was despondent because he was out of employment.

Howard Toyer, 24 years old, of Maryland, an employee of the Sun Oil Company, at Marcus Hook, was working on the company's whari when a swinging crane struck him, knocking him into the river. He was drowned.

George Taylor, an officer of the so-ciety for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, killed a large dog at Pottsville on account of its threatening actions. An examination showed that the dog had been poisoned. It is now believed that other dogs that were killed recently under the supposition that they were mad had been

Frank Hiltebeitle, a liveryman, of Pottstown, was held in \$500 bail for court, charged with assault and battery and the larceny of a watch. David Strouge hired a team from Hiltebeitle and when he returned the carriage it

COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade" says:

"The last quarter of 1904 opens with much brighter prospects than prevailed a year ago. At that time securities had fallen an average of \$34 a share from the top point of a year previous, and there was a general disposition to curtail manufacturing and commercial operations because of beavy losses. The nation was entering on a period of conservatism, augmented by numerous labor controver At the present time there are no alarming features, strikes are few and unimportant, while the indications growing confidence are numerous.

Business does not show the hesitation customary during the closing weeks of a presidential campaign, an the prospect of profitable agricultural results stimulates trade, especially among retailers at the West and Building operations are expanding, providing a better demand for lumber and materials. Clothing kindred lines are stimulated by colder weather, and clearance sales are well attended. Manufacturing plants are decreasing the proportion of idle machinery, the chief complaint coming from cotton mills, which suffer from the disparity between prices

of raw material and finished product.
"Movement of wheat is heavy, but retarded by inadequate traffic facilities at some points, and railway earnings for September exceeded last years by 65 per cent. Foreign commerce at this port for the last week showed a small decrease in exports and a gain of \$2,163,346 in imports, as compared with 1903. Security mar-kets have risen \$14 above the corresponding date last year, and money is easy and abundant.

"Failures this week numbered 223 in the United States, against 226 last year and 18 in Canada compared with 10 a year ago."

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Baltimore.-FLOUR-Dull and unchanged; receipts, 2,447 barrels; ex-15,883 barrels.

WHEAT - Firmer: spot, contract. WHEAT — Filmer; spot, contract, 1.131/2@1.1334; spot, No. 2 red Western, 1.151/2@1.1534; September, 1.131/2 @1.1334; October, 1.131/2@1.1334; December, 1.161/2@1.1634; May, 1.181/4; steamer No. 2 red, 1.081/2.

CORN-Dull; year, 51% bid; January, 501/2; receipts, 2,927 bushels; Southern white corn, 55@ 58; Southern yellow corn, 60661.

OATS-Dull; No. 2 white, 34 asked; No. 2 mixed, 33 sales; receipts, 7,782 RYE-Firm; No. 2 Western uptown, 84 bid; receipts, 2,313 bushels. BUTTER-Firm; fancy imitation,

17@18: fancy creamery, 21@22: fancy lade, 14@15; store packed, 12@13.
EGGS—Steady and unchanged, 22.
CHEESE—Firm: large, 1034@1036; medium, 1034@11; small, 11@114.
New York.—FLOUR—Receipts, 25,-725 harrels, exports 8,002 harrels.

5 barrels; exports, 8,002 barrels. RYE FLOUR-Firm; fair to good, 4.40@4.60; choice to fancy, 4.65@4.85. FEED - Irregular; spring bran,

9.60; middlings, 20.50. HOPS—Firm; State, common to choice, 1904, 29@37; 1903, 28@31; Pa ific coast, 1964, 28@33; 1963, 27@32. LARD-Firm; Western steamed, 8.00; September closed 8.00 nominal;

POULTRY-Alive, slow; Western chickens, 12; fowls, 121/2; turkeys, 12; dressed, firm; Western chickens, 12@ 121/2; fowls, 121/2; turkeys, 14@15. BUTTER-Firm; receipts, official price creamery common to ex-

CHEESE - Firm; receipts, 5,634; State full cream small colored fancy, 1014; good to prime, 944@10; poor to fair, 734@71/2; small white fancy, 101/4; do. good to prime, 934@10. EGGS-Dull, unchanged; receipts,

POTATOES-Steady; Long Island, 1.50@187; Jersey and Southern, 1.40 @1.65; Jersey sweets, 1.00@2.00. PEANUTS — Weak; fancy handpicked, 6@614; other domestic, 3@

CABBAGES-Steady; per hundred 2.00@3.00; per barrel, 50@75. Live Stock

Chicago.-Cattle-Good to prime steers, 5.50@6.40; poor to medium, 3.50@5.25; stockers and feeders, 2.25 @4.25; cows, 1.35@4.35; heifers, 1.75 @4.50; canners, 1.35@2.25; bulls, 2.00 @4.00; calves, 3.75@7.00; Texas-fed steers, 8.00@5.00; Western steers,

HOGS-Mixed and butchers, 5.60@ 6.10; good to choice heavy, 5.90%6.10; rough heavy, 5.40@5.75; light, 5.50@ 6.05; bulk of sales, 5.70@5.90. 6.05; bulk of sales, 5.70(25.10.)
SHEEP-Receipts, 10,000; market steady. Good to choice wethers, 3.75

@4.50; fair to choice nixed, 3.25@ 3.75; native lambs, 5.25@6.00. New York.—BEEVES—Steers, 3.25 @5.50; oxen, 4.50; bulls, 2.25 to 3.50; cows, 1.35 to 2.85; heifers, 2.50. Cables quoted live cattle steady, at 81/30 to 12c per pound; tops, 121/4c, dressed weight; sheep, at 101/2c to 111/2c, dress-ed weight; refrigerator beef, higher,

at 91%c to 91%c per pound. Shipments, 3,800 quarters of beef.

CALVES-Veals, 25c lower, at 4.00 @8.00; grassers, 2.00@2.50; Western, 3.00@3.50; dressed calves, slow, at 7 @121/2c for city veals; 6@111/2 country dressed; 4c to 5c for dressed

SHEEP AND LAMBS - Sheep, slow, at 15c to 25c off. Lambs, 25c lower. Sheep, 2.50 to 4.00; culls, 2.00; lambs, 5.00@6.15; few choice, 6.25; culls, 3.50; Canada lambs, 5.60. HOGS—State hogs, 6.20; Western,

WORLD OF LABOR. The death rate among miners from

lung diseases is much higher than in other occupation. Old-age pensions amounting to \$7,-Olf-age pensions amounting to \$7,006,070 were distributed to 12,481 persons in New Zealand last year.

Another strike of dockers is reported at Brest, on the subject of ages, mainly as to discharging vessils.

Trades unions in Australia have de ided that no worker can be employed unless he belongs to an industrial Cotton weavers in Japan are said to

be paid 7d. for an 11-hour day. Glass-makers earn 4d. for a 10-hour day. Probably not more than one in 12 of the women operatives of the United Kingdom is a member of a trades A New York clothing manufacturer successfully wards off strikes by run-ning a free circulating library for his

employes.

The report of the secretary-treasurer of the Switchmen's Union of America shows that more than \$300,000 has been paid out to members within the last three years.

A Decomposer. In a beer garden at one of our popular seaside resorts an Irishman sat at a table with a mug of beer at his elbow. Alongside of him stood a large, good-natured looking German. The orchestra began the "Coronation March" from "The Prophet." The Teuton's face beamed all over with a smile of pleasure, and by way of making himself agreeable and imparting information to his neighbor he remarked, with a wave of his hand, in the direction of the music:

"Ach, dot was Meyerbeer." The Celt, whose knowledge of composers was limited, mistook the gesture and made a hasty grab for his beverage, exclaiming at the same time

"Yez lie, yez damned Dutchman, that's my beer."-Lippincott's.

Output of Petroleum.

It is not yet half a century since Col. Drake discovered petroleum on the waters of Oil Creek, near Titusville, Pa. The total production of crude petroleum from 1859 to 1902forty-three years-has been no less than 1,165,280,727 barrels. Of this output Pennsylvania and New York contributed 53.9 per cent; Ohlo, 24.3 cent; West Virginia, 11.3 per cent; Indiana, 39 per cent; California, 3.6 per cent; Texas, 2.1 per cent, leaving .5 or cent to be supplied by Kansas, Colorado, Louisiana, Illinois, Missouri Indian Territory, Wyoming, Michigan and Oklahoma.

Panama Company Troubles.

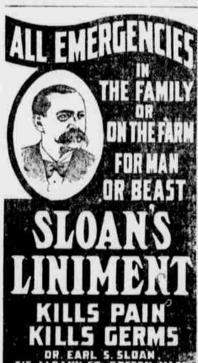
The Panama company is not ver free of its embarrassments in the liquieation of its old convention with the Colombian government. The French treasury has now put forward a claim for the payment of a sum of \$2,726,000 for registration dues on the deeds of the original concession, and the renewal of the same. Queen Favors Irish Industry.

Queen Alexandra has given orders that all her linen and tweed gowns for Cowes week should be of Irish manufacture.

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