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Whale Flesh or Beef? Whale most at from three to six cents a pound is to be the solution of the meat trust question, according to some Newfoundland speculators who are seeking to make a market for whale meat.

It is declared that the flesh is finer flavored than beef, more nearly suggesting venison, and is capable of being prepared in a variety of ways.

Whales are not to be found in this part of the globe in sufficient numbers to make a serious inroad into the sale of beef, but it is declared by the promoters that they have already built up a successful trade in whale meat with the West Indies, and that they shortly intend placing it upon the London market.

It is to be shipped in special steamers, and even at a price of six cents a pound will return a handsome profit. while the cheaper cuts may be retailed for half that sum.

#### Reckoned by Years.

There is a representative in tem-gress from the West whose special pride it is to recount the quaint observations of his 9-year-old daughter.

Not long ago, according to the proud father, little Ethel came to him one afternoon and informed him that she had just seen the President's wife walking with one of the ladies of the cabinet circle. "And, papa," said Ethel, "she isn't anything like as old as grandma!"

"Why, my dear!" exclaimed the congressman, "of course she isn't! Mrs. Roosevelt is a young woman! How in the world did you get any other idea?"

'Well, papa,' 'replied the youngster. "you yourself once told me that she was the first lady in the land!"-New York Times.

# IN STRICT CONFIDENCE.

Women Obtain Mrs. Pinkham's Advice and Help.

She Has Guided Thousands to Health .-Now Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Cured Mrs. Fred Seydel.



Why She Preferred Virginia. William Waugh Smith, Chancellor of the Randolph-Macon system of educational institutions through the Virginias, tells an amusing happening which befell him in earlies days when he was one of the engineering party which ran through the new State line between Virginia and South Carolina. They had reached a place where the division would evidently cross a little form presided over by a not unattractive widow, but when they took lunchnot yet decided whether the house

which their hostess showed the keenest interest. But at supper time, when again the surveyors and their assistants were the lady's guests, Dr. Smith was able to say: Madame, very little of your place in in South Carelina. The home

itself is well into Virginia." With a g ad cry she caught his hand, and as she shook it again and again, she exclaimed: "Oh, I'm so glad! I'm so glad! I've always hearn tell it was so onhealthy drown in Carolina."

#### Profile of the Packers.

There has been a great deal of dis-appointment because the Garfield report shows that the profits of the pack ing industry only amount to about two per cont, on the volume of business transacted. There is no doubt, how ever, that the report is correct.

The census reports compiled by the Government in 1900, before the agitation regarding the "boof trust" began, throw considerable light on this ques-tion. It appears from the census that the packing industry is conducted on a the packing industry is conducted on a smaller margin of gross profit than any other industry is America. The gross margin of profit of 871 flour and grist mills in 1000, in the census year, was nearly seven per cent, on the value of business. The gross that is a seven per cent, on the value of business. was nearly seven per cent. on the vol-time of business. The gross margin of fifty-one wholesale slaughtering and incut packing establishments in Illinois was only about one-third as large, or : little more than two per cent, on the volume of business.

The militrs have not been accused of being in a "trust," and combina-tions would seem impossible in a business where there are several thousand nills in the United States competing actively for the flour trade, but it ap pears that the gross profits of the mill-ers are larger than the gross profits of the packers. It may turn out that the ngitation regarding the packing indus-try will show the same result as the devil found in shearing the pig: "All

#### squeal and no wood."

Norway is about 250 miles wide in the south.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothine Syrup for Children

teething, soften the cums, reduces inflamma-tion, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c, a bottle Colorado is to have another forest re-serve of 1.014,926 acres.

Fiso's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of throat and lungs,-WM, for all affections of throat and lungs,-WM. O. ENDELEY, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 19, 1900.

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The horse supply of the world is about \$3,990,000 animals.

### COMMERCIAL REVIEW

Bradstreets's says:

"Improvement, mirrored forth some weeks ago in the phase better feeling, has broadened and assumed more tangi-ble form this week, stimulated, as it has been, by seasonable weather, resulting crop improvement, better retail trade, im-proved reorder business and larger sales proved reorder business and large. Ad-for fall account at many markets. Ad-vices are best from the great surplus-of the West, but producing regions of the West, tive widow, but when they took lunch-eon at her hospitable table they had pot yet decided whether the house ports of stronger markets for cotton and itself would be in the one State or the leather goods. Irregular conditions, other-and that was a question in largely due to heavy rains, color some re-

ports from Northwestern and Lake reons. Crude iron still sags, though finished products, particularly rails and structural materials, are in active de-Bank clearings are, comparativemand ly speaking, heavy, railway earnings are large, deposits in banks show large increases, commodities are apparently going into consumption more readily, and building, as heretofore, is active, with resulting strength of prices. Money is easy and the tone of the securities mar-kets is more cheerful. Failures are few

and unimportant. Indications, in fact, are that a corner has been turned, and that the future is viewed more optimis-tically than for three months past. "Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending June 22 are 975.832 bushels, against 688,017 last week, 1.271.-627 this much leavest 437 this week last year, 3.518,152 in 1993

and 3.382,701 in 1902. Corn exports for the week are 1.110,356 hushels, against 505,000 last week, 387,062 a year 1.285.724 in 1003, and 130,102 in 1002 From July 1 to date the exports of corn

changed; receipts, 3,829 barrels; exports, SSI barrels

551 Darreis. WHEAT — Firm: July, 85!4@8534: August, 84@8444: September, 8434@85: receipts, 664 bushels; Southern by sam-ple, 75@1.02; Southern on grade, 92@ 1.02

CORN-Dull; spot, 50%@60; July. 595%@597%; steamer mixed, 55%@55%; reccipts, 24,654 bushels; exports, 88 bushels; Southern white corn, 58/a61; South ern yellow corn, 58/a/621/2. OATS-Firmer; No. 2 white, 361/200 361/4; No. 2 mixed, 341/200343/4; receipte

5.160 bushels; exports, 28 bushels. RYE-Dull (uptown); No. 2 West

ern, 83. HAY-Dull and unchanged. BUTTER-Firm; fancy imitation, 17 @18; fancy creamery, 21; fancy ladle. 16@17; store-packed, 14@15. EGGS-Firm and unchanged; 16. CUEFEE Firm and unchanged; large

CHEESE-Firm and unchanged; large 10¼; medium, 10½; small, 10¾. SUGAR-Strong; coarse granulated. 5.70; fine, 5.70.

New York .--- WHEAT --- Firm; No. red, 1.04, in store elevator; No. 2 red. 1.0514; nominal, f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern, Duluth, 1.19½, f. o. b. affoat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, 1.11½, f. o. b. affoat. A further scarce of July wheat shorts today advance the option over a cent. It was based on poor thrashing re-

turns, bullish winter wheat news and light Chicago stocks. Later the market weakened under realizing, and closed only 1/2c to 3/2c net higher. Options July, 9334/2095 3-16, closed 941/2. CORN-Receipts, 99.975 bushels; ex-

ports, 76,348 bushels; sales, 60,000 bush-els futures. Spot irregular and 6134; new, 61, elevator, f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 621/2; No. 2 white, 62. Options opened easier on good weather news rallied with wheat, but was finally depressed again by unloading.

OATS-Receipts, 40,000 bushels; cx port, 32,000 bushels. Spot firm; mixed oats, 25@32 pounds, 351/@36; natural port, 32,000 bushels.

white, 30% 32 pounds, 35% 38; clipped white, 30% 32 pounds, 37% 40%. POULTRY-Alive, quiet; Western spring chickens, 22; fowls, 13; turkeys, 13. Dressed, firm; Western broilers, 20

oyster shippers, cited by President Hadley of Yale University in his book on Railroad Transportation, is the case of the Aroostook potato growers brought by President Tuttle of the Boston & Maine Railroad before the Senate Committee on Interstate Com-incree. Nothing could better show how

a railroad works for the interest of

the localities which it serves. A main dependence of the farmers of the Aroostook region is the potato crop, aggregating annually eight to ten million hushels which find a market largely in Boston and the adjacent thickly settled regions of New England. The competition of cheap water transportation from Maine to all points along the New England coast keeps railroad freight rates on these polatoes always at a very low level.

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tants of New York, according to the

last census, but the popular estimate

is that the actual number of China-

men is twice as large. Though there

is a rigid federal exclusion law and

few births occur in the Chinese guar-

ters, the Chinese population seems to

Lord Curzon has informed the British

ministry that unless modifications are made in the orders giving General Lord

Kitchener supreme command of the mili-

tary forces he will resign the vice-royalty

increase.

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Pointoes are also a considerable output of the truck farms of Michigan. their normal market being obtained in and through Detroit and Chicago and other communities of that region.

Not many years ago favoring sun and rains brought a tremendous yield of potatoes from the Michigan fields. At normal rates and prices there would have been a glut of the customary markets and the patatoos would have rotted on the farms. To help the pointo growers the railroads from Michigan made unprecedentedly low rates or polators to every reachable market, even carrying them in large quantities to a place so remote as Boston. The Aroostook growers had to reduce the price on their potatoes and even then could not dispose of them unless the Boston & Maine Bailroad reduced its already low rate, which it did. By means of these low rates, making possible low prices, the potato crops of both Michigan and Maine were finally marketed. Everybody cuts potators, and that year everybody had all the notatoes he wanted.

While the flichigan failroads made rates that would have been ruinous to the railroads, had they been applied to the movement of all pointoes at al times, to all places, they helped their patrons to find markets for them. The Boston & Maine Railroad suffered a decrease in its revenue from polatces. but it cumbled the Aroostook farmers to market their crop and thereby to obtain money which they spent for the varied supplies which the railroads brought to them. If the making of rates were subject to Governmental adjustment such radical and prompt action could never have been taken. because it is well established that if a rate he once reduced by a railroad company it cannot be restored through the red tape of Governmental procedure. If the Michigan railroads and the Boston & Maine Railroad had been subjected to Governmental limitation they would have felt obliged to keep up their rates as do the railroads of France and England and Germany under Governmental dimitation and ict the potatoes rot .-- Exchange.

### Fools All the Doctors.

"There is a hale and hearty looking old chap walking about town," remarked a New York physician lately, "who for years has had a complication of diseases which make him most interesting to the profession. The allments of which he shows undeniable symptoms are rarely seen in combination and the state of his inner workings is a matter for speculation among the doctors who have examined him.

"The old fellow himself loves to tell that when he first asked medical advice, some twenty years ago, the physician, a famous practitioner in those days, wrote across the diagnosis he had put down on paper: "This man cannot live thirty days. I should like to be present at the autopsy.' That great doctor has been dead these many years and the dying patient still smiles cheerfully and seeks a cure for his malady. Queer, isn't it?



**BAD BLOOD** self the pleasure of being present at a recent dinner where he was an invited guest, and so he missed a joke at his expense, which he enjoyed as

the a few have found relief."

Best For

The Bowels

read. "I need not tell you," said the Bishop, "how we will miss the senator, he who has for so many years charmed us with the humor of his eloquence and the logic of his anecdotes,"-New York Times.

much as any one, however, when it

was told to him several days later.

Bishop Potter was the perpetrator.

Senator Depew's regrets had just been

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Mrs. Fred Seydel, of 412 North 54th Street, West Philadelphia, Pa., writes:

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purchase? It is because the name attached is the safeguard of the bayer — a protection against the paiming off of inferior articles. This "name guarantes" we all look for in the most important things we buy, and what can be more important than our food?

Food? Everybody knows that all intelligent housekeepers are very particular about the buying of things to eat and drink, and no-body realizes it more than the up-to-date grocer, who caters to the wants of his cus-tomers.

rocer, who caters to the wants of his cus-tomers. To instance, every real grocer knows the reason for the universal popularity of the reason for the universal popularity and high quality have made it welcome in an even of a cent sumitors of over a magnetic of a cent and it out that the people accept the package as a there on the contents. The there may be a few grocers left who do not recognize that the buyer not the selfer there right of choice, and they have to self their loose coffee (who hows what it is, or where it came from?) isomer asks for, and the merits of which both know. In such cases the wisest advice is: "Change your dealer."

The average sulary of a professor is Harvard College is a hitle less than \$4000.

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Count Cassini, the Russian Ambaasador, wears a single eyegiasa.

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1.00@1.50; Southern seconds, 75@1.00; Jersey sweets, 1.00@2.25. Live Stock

New York-Dressed beef slow at 7@ oc. Exports, 403 cattle. CALVES-Good veal sold at 6.50; buttermilks, nominal. Dressed calves,

weak; city dressed yeals, 8/2101/2; country dressed calves lower, except for strictly good and prime, which are ir light supply; whole range, 4/aoc. SHEEP AND LAMBS-Sheep, full

steady; lambs, 35¢ to 50¢ higher. Sheep, 3.25/0.4.75; lambs, 7.50/08.25. HOGS—Feeling weak; no sales re-

ported. Chicago .- CATTLE - Market strong Good to prime steers, 5.25(26.00; poor to medium. 4.00/05.00; stockers an feeders, 2.60/04.50; cows, 2.50/04.60. and

heifers, 2.50(25.00; canners, 1.40(2.50) bulls, 2.25(24.00; calves, 3.00(2.50) HOGS-Market 5c higher; mixed and butchers,' 5.15@5.35; good to choice, heavy, 5.20@5.35; rough, heavy, 4.60@ 5.10; light, 5.15@5.32%; bulk of sales.

5.25(0) 5.32<sup>1/2</sup>. S H E E P — Sheep, steady: lambs, strong; good to choice wethers, shorn, 4,50@5.00; fair to choice mixed, shorn, 3,50@440; native lambs, shorn, 4,50@

### MUCH IN LITTLE.

6.50.

In London is a man who has been "best man" at 300 weddings. The explanation is that he has been a city missionary for many years, and in that time has befriended hundreds of young conples, helping them to enter the married

state. G. J. Stoessel, a nephew of the Russian commander who was in command at Port Arthur, is a truck farmer near Pass Christian, Miss. He was born in New Orleans, to which city his parents

came from Switzerland over 50 years ago.

The new Missouri River Bridge of the Illinois Central at Omaha is now

the Illinois Central at Omaha is now in use. It is the longest drawbridge in the world and cost \$2,000,000. A Maine newspaper imadvertently got the headline "News About Lobsters" over the "local mention" or personals about the prominent citizens. Mr. Joaquin de Casacus, the new am-bassador of Mexico to the United States, will arrive in this country in August

will arrive in this country in August with his wife and seven children. Free lunch will be offered as an in-ducement to men to come to a series of Saturday revival meetings at Moody Bi-als Institute, Chicago.

#### Fritz Wanted to Know.

Fritz was the meekest looking office boy that ever put glue on a bookkeep per's stool. He worked for a lawyer, and one day the lawyer had a woman client, whose brute of a husband had beaten her and for whom he filed suit for divorce.

A week later the husband, 6 feet tall and broad in proportion, came into the office drunk, announcing his intention of whipping every one there. Every one was too busy, to see him and he was left to Fritz.

Fritz held conversation with the man and listened to his troubles. Finally the man declared loudly: "I've buried three wives, two of them in this county.

"What county buried the other one." inquired Fritz.

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age of Postum Food Coffee. "I had the new food drink carefully prepared according to directions, and gave it a fair trial. It proved to have a rich flavor and made a healthy,

wholesome and delightful drink. To my taste the addition of cream greatly improves it.

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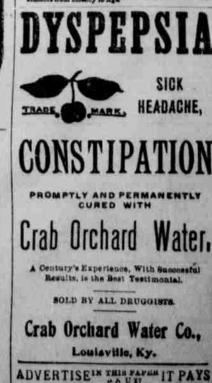
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