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When Gen. Zachary Taylor was in command at Fort Knox, near Vincennes, Ind., Jefferson Davis, afterward president of the southern confederacy, was a lieutenant in the army, and was with his company at the fort. Tradition has it that Davis and Miss Taylor, whom he afterward married, took strolls upon the prairie near the fort, and that they often seated themselves upon a large stone which lay on a knoll some distance away. It is said that while seated thus one day Davis proposed marriage to Miss Taylor and was accepted. Davis and Miss Taylor were married at Vincennes, and themselves told of the courtship on the stone. To commemorate the romantic incident Mrs. H. J. Rabb of Vincennes has caused the stone to be removed to the house where it is now to be seen. —New York Sun.

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Grain-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about ¼ as much. All grocers sell it. 15c. and 25c.

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Grain, Flour and Feed.

WHEAT—No. 2 red	$ 70@	71
WHEAT—No. 1 new	66	68
CORN—No 2 yellow, car	48	49
No. 2 yellow, shelled	45	46
Mixed shelled	43½	44¼
OATS—No. 2 white	30½	31
No. 3 white	29¾	30¼
FLOUR—Winter patent	3 55	3 60
Fancy straight winters	3 50	3 60
Rye—No. 2	56	56½
HAY—No. 1 timothy	15 00	15 25
Clover, No. 1	13 75	14 00
FEED—No. 1 white mid., ton	18 00	18 50
Brown middlings	15 25	15 75
Bran, bulk	16 25	16 75
STRAW—Wheat	7 75	8 00
Oat	7 25	7 75

Dairy Products.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery	$ 21	22
Ohio creamery	22	28
Fancy country roll	17	20
CHEESE—Ohio, new	12½	13
New York, new	13	13½

Poultry, etc.

HENS—per pair	65	70
CHICKENS—dressed	13	14
EGGS—Pa. and Ohio, fresh	12½	13

Fruits and Vegetables.

BEANS—Green ℔ basket	$ 4 00@	4 25
POTATOES—Fancy White ℔ bu	50	55
CABBAGE—per bbl		2 05
ONIONS—per bbl	2 00	2 20

BALTIMORE.

FLOUR	$ 3 65@	3 85
WHEAT—No 2 red	68½	69
CORN—Mixed	44¼	44⅝
OATS		31
EGGS		12½
BUTTER—Ohio creamery	22	23

PHILADELPHIA.

FLOUR	$ 3 55@	3 75
WHEAT—No. 2 red		72½
CORN—No. 2 mixed	44¾	45
OATS—No. 2 white		32
BUTTER—Creamery, extra		20
EGGS—Pennsylvania firsts	12	21½

NEW YORK.

FLOUR—Patents	$ 3 65@	3 90
WHEAT—No. 2 red		77⅝
CORN—No. 2	..	46½
OATS—White Western		31
BUTTER—Creamery		20
EGGS—State and Penn	11½	12

LIVE STOCK.

Central Stock Yards, East Liberty, Pa.

CATTLE.		
Extra, 1450 to 1600 lbs	$ 5 40@	5 65
Prime, 1300 to 1400 lbs	5 30	5 40
Good, 1200 to 1300 lbs	5 15	5 25
Tidy, 1050 to 1150 lbs	4 85	5 00
Fair light steers, 900 to 1000 lbs	4 40	4 80
Common, 700 to 900 lbs	3 90	4 25
HOGS.		
Medium	5 00	5 75
Heavy	5 70	5 75
Roughs and stags	5 00	5 20
SHEEP.		
Prime, 25 to 110 lbs	6 50	6 55
Good, 85 to 90 lbs	6 25	6 50
Fair, 70 to 80 lbs	5 40	5 90
Common	5 40	5 90
Veal Calves	5 00	6 50
LAMBS.		
Choice to extra	8 05	8 10
Good to choice	7 50	8 00
Fair to good	6 75	7 50
Culls to fair	5 00	7 25

REVIEW OF TRADE.

Buyers Avail Lower Prices in Iron Trade—A Big Week for Dry Goods—Wheat Exports Increased.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says: Iron furnaces in blast April 1 produced 289,482 tons weekly, against 292,643 March 1, but unsold stock increased 2,280 tons. A mistaken inference is that stocks held by consuming concerns must be running down. As they contract for their supplies months ahead and such supplies, whether delivered and consumed or waiting their orders at furnaces, would not be reckoned in unsold stocks, the surplus owned by consumers may be heavy. New business in finished products is reported as "frightfully small," owing to belief that high prices can not be maintained. With No.1 anthracite $2 lower, refined bars $4 and steel plates $11 per ton lower than in December, it can hardly be called impossible for prices to yield, though many are so far firmly held. Pittsburg reports a number of the plate mills shut down, and five Pennsylvania and Ohio furnaces have stopped, perhaps for repairs, more than balancing five which started in March, two in Tennessee, adding 2,500 tons weekly. The exports of wheat from both coasts continue larger than last year, though much of the gain is at Pacific ports, not directly affecting Atlantic supplies. Flour included, Pacific exports in two weeks have been 1,518,254 bushels, against 564,562 bushels last year, but Atlantic exports have been 3,912,857 bushels, against 3,960,380 last year. In spite of all reports of exhaustion of supply and injury to growing wheat, western receipts continue larger than last year, in two weeks 6,764,640 bushels, against 5,863,665 last year. Corn receipts also continue heavy, 8,917,267 bushels, against 4,637,613 last year. Failures for the week have been 193 in the United States, against 188 last year, and 41 in Canada, against 22 last year.

Sheldonism Denounced.

The New York conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church Tuesday, after a lively discussion, voted by a large majority to strike out of the report of the committee on periodicals derogatory references to Rev. Mr. Sheldon's recent essay in journalism, and to Rev. R. S. MacArthur's work as religious editor of one of the local papers.

Rev. James M. King, delegate-elect to the general conference, speaking to the motion regarding Mr. Sheldon, said:

"It is an awful mistake for any man to edit a daily paper or any other paper, assuming to know what Jesus Christ would do. I think that it is nothing less than blasphemy—unintentional blasphemy, maybe, but blasphemy all the same. I for one protest against that style of Christian work."

No British Interference.

United States Consul Hay, at Pretoria, has responded to the inquiry from the State department respecting ex-Consul Macrum's charge that the official mail of the consulate was tampered with. Mr. Hay reports that, after careful search, he has failed to find in the files of the consulate the slightest evidence to support the statement. He reports that there is absolutely no interference, so far as he has been able to ascertain, with any of the official communications, either telegraphic or mail, which pass between the department and the consulate.

WOMAN ON THE BIKE

Some Rules That the Fair Sex Should Follow in Riding.

One of the first requisites, whether the rider be delicate or strong, is moderation. Riding for speed subverts the very end of the exercise—it is like rowing or running or doing anything else for speed, it finally conquers the conqueror—and the most sickening, harrowing sight is the continuous race. The association of wheelmen should do all in their power to suppress these public exhibitions of human idiocy. Another essential, especially for women, is an appropriate dress, and there is no law against a gentleman also being appropriately dressed. I never could understand why it was necessary that a man should wear the garb of a circus clown in order to ride a wheel. In the past year or two the women have come nobly to the rescue in the matter of genteel dress. The short hair, the bloomer, and the chewing gum have well nigh disappeared. The plain cloth, medium length, medium width gown is no hindrance, and has the further advantage and economy of being a good rainy day gown for walking. Another essential is to learn how to ride. Many are riding without this knowledge. There are few mechanical principles to be observed. One is to have the gearing so arranged as to have the pedals on a level with the foot when the foot is extended. Another is to have the saddle so placed as to bring the weight of the body directly over the pedal when the latter is at its lowest point. Still another is to lower the handle bars sufficiently to allow the body to bend forward slightly from the hips—not stooping from the shoulders, thereby compressing the lungs. Nearly all beginners bend the spine backward from the hips. As a rule, young children, if the gearing is correct, take the normal position. Finally the rider should sit, as in a chair, upon the bones or tuberosities of the pelvis, and should, on no account, allow the weight of the body to rest upon the tissues situated between these bony prominences. Indeed, the danger of serious injury resulting to children and adults from riding a saddle constructed in ignorance of correct anatomical principles is so great that it is always wise to refer the saddle question to a competent physician. Besides the very important question of saddle is that of the wheel itself. It must be thoroughly well made, of the best material, and it must not be too light. Too light a wheel gains no momentum to speak of, while the jarring and vibration are very disagreeable, if not injurious. There must be a certain weight and solidity. Finally, the wheel by its economy of money and time permits the rider to avail himself of new scenes and places, giving pleasurable sensations, the absence of which in exercise for the sake of health alone is the reason why health seldom responds to the call of such perfunctory exercise. The heart is not in it.—Leslie's Weekly.

A Novel Fence.

It is said that in Yellowstone park there is a fence which is composed entirely of the horns of the elk, and includes over three hundred selected specimens. None of them has less than twelve and very many have fourteen points. They were gathered in June, 1895, by a party of gentlemen who found them during a four days' hunt, all of them within a radius of ten miles of the Mammoth Hot Springs. Yellowstone Park contains nearly three thousand elks. They shed their horns in March, and during this time are very shy and quiet.

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At one of her banquets Cleopatra made Antony drink a pearl valued at $10,000.

The Best Prescription for Chills and Fever is a bottle of GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

The Belgian State railways have ordered 12 locomotives from Philadelphia for September delivery.

Jell-O, the New Dessert,

Pleases all the family. Four flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cts.

The Japanese House of Representatives has passed a bill to prohibit boys under 20 years of age from smoking.

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Stone street was the first street in New York City paved with cobble stones, hence its name. The paving was done in the year 1657.

What Shall We Have For Dessert?

This question arises in the family daily. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in 2 min. No boiling! no baking! Simply add a little hot water & set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At grocers. 10c.

It is stated that coal is leaving Philadelphia at the rate of 1,000 tons a day for Mediterranean ports, ostensibly for railway fuel.

It is illegal in Great Britain for a pawnbroker to accept the Victoria Cross as a pledge under any circumstances.

I am sure Piso's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—MRS. THOS. ROBBINS, Maple St., Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900

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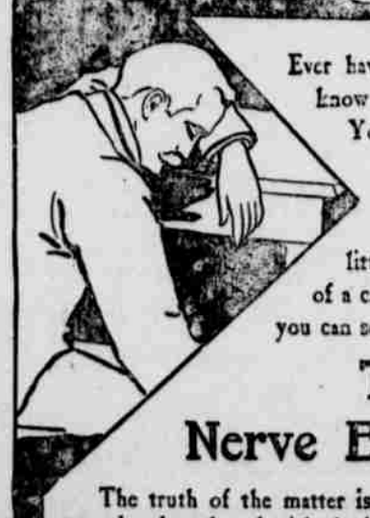

Ever have "the blues"? Then you know how dark everything looks. You are completely discouraged and cannot throw off that terrible depression. A little work looks like a big mountain; a little noise sounds like the roar of a cannon; and a little sleep is all you can secure, night after night.

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The truth of the matter is, your nerves have been poisoned and weakened with the impurities in your blood. The thing for you to do is to get rid of these impurities just as soon as you can.

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A MAN'S PLAINT.

Clothes That Are Injured by Contact with Sofa Pillows.

"Kindly remove the sofa cushion," stid the Man, languidly, as he sat down on the couch beside the Woman. "The last time I was in its immediate vicinity it behaved very bady, indeed, filling my coat with a soft, cottony fuzz that it took two hours of good, hard brushing to remove, so I've determined to have nothing more to do with it. D'ye know I'm getting so that I don't feel at all like putting on my good clothes when I go to call on women nowadays; all on account of these villain pillows, which are everywhere, and which seem to be filled with tiny, fluffy feathers that escape and cling to one with glue-like persistency? That reminds me to remark that on account of one of Eve's fairest daughters my dress suit is now reposing at the cleaner's. No, she didn't spill a plate of ice cream on me, nor did she do anything awkward of that sort; all she did was to use in my presence of those absurd fans made of ostrich feathers that some women affect. It was a pink fan, and, candidly, I think it was a little moth-eaten, but at any rate she's a nice girl and I like her, so I was a good deal with her at the german. Gradually I noticed that the fan seemed to be losing plumage and I seemed to be gaining it. When I was a fine fluff almost from my head to heels I went up to the dressing room and got the man to brush me off, but as the needle to the pole those feathers were to me. Back they'd come merrily as soon as he'd cease agitating them, and settle even on my hair and in my mouth. A thousand kind friends came up to me during the evening and told me how funny I looked, and the owner of the fan herself laughed a bit, but, frankly speaking, I wasn't amused. I sent the suit to the cleaner the next day, and I hope he'll be able successfully to pluck it. I don't mind finding on coming home from a dance that my sleeves are whitened by contact with sundry fair arms or that some powdery substance decorates my lapels, but I draw the line at feathers, hence—take away the cushion; I'll have none of it, an' if my Tuxedo gets full of them I'll have to retire to private life for an indefinite space."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

A TIP ABOUT USING STAMPS.

Something Which a Great Many People Do Not Know.

"Wait until I have washed off the postage stamp on this envelope, spoiled in the addressing," said a man, according to the Washington Star. "It is not necessary to do that," said a lawyer. "You may take your scissors and cut out the adhesive stamp and stick it fast to your new envelope with mucilage, notwithstanding the adhering piece of the old envelope. It does not look nice and may become detached in the mail, but if the stamp is a genuine, unused adhesive stamp it is not questioned. The government, when it sells an adhesive 2-cent stamp, undertakes for such consideration to transport and deliver to destination the letter to which it is affixed. The fact that it has with it a piece of envelope to which it was formerly attached, does not relieve the government from executing its part of the contract when the letter is deposited for mailing, the stamp being otherwise perfect."

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Helpless.

He—"Would you scream if I were to take you in my arms and kiss you?" She—"What good would that do? Papa and mamma are away, and the walls and floors and ceilings of this flat are all deadened."—Chicago Times-Herald.