

LIFE IN ENGLAND

It is Severely Criticized by a Bold British Writer.

Voluntary and Anarchical Government on the British Islands. A Bold British Writer.

A recent issue of the Free Review, a London publication, contains a vigorous article from the pen of Geoffrey Mortimer, who takes issue with the average Briton's boast that he lives in a highly civilized country.

"As a matter of fact only a very small number of the inhabitants of these isles can be justly labeled civilized. Slowly and painfully are we working out the beast. Meanwhile, much the larger part of civilized people continue to lead barbaric lives.

MAKING PRAYERS IMPRESSIVE.

Vice President Stevenson's Innovation at the Opening of the Senate Sessions. Vice President Stevenson has made the opening ceremony in the senate more impressive than it was by several changes in the arrangements, says the Philadelphia Record.

Evidently No Good.

Some years ago an enormous deposit of anthracite coal was discovered in Canada, and it was thought that if a duty was not placed upon it, our miners in Pennsylvania would be driven from the field.

A Skilful Avoidance.

Fred—How are you getting on with Miss Angell? Did you speak to her father, as you determined? Frank—Yes.

THE PREVENTION CURE.

Preserving the Health of Schoolboys by Daily Attention to Their Condition.

"A Headmaster's Wife," in an uncommonly sensible letter to a London paper, describes a plan whereby the health of schoolboys or young collegians can be more thoroughly taken care of than is usual.

Though so unready to report himself "sick," a boy will usually admit that he "does not feel very gay" if the question is put to him directly, and it is this fact that has given rise to a system which has been found to answer excellently well.

Suppose that a boy complains of headache or sore throat, he is at once summoned, the slight ailment is inquired into, a simple remedy ordered, and in nine cases out of ten nothing more is heard of the matter.

KNOW ITS STRENGTH.

There Were Temptations Zeke Doubted His Ability to Withstand. A Georgia fruit dealer had about his store a man of color who was noted for his honesty; at least, he had been for the first months he had been employed.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Under this head see per day.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Under this head see per day.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Under this head see per day.

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

Under this head see per day.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Under this head see per day.

BY A HORSE RACE

How a Fierco Battle with Indians Was Brought About.

An Event Which Explains Why the Navajos of Fort Wingate Were Hostile to the United States Government Through the Civil War.

Don Amado Chavez, the eldest son of the late Col. Manuel Chavez, New Mexico's most noted Indian fighter, tells an interesting story of the big fight with the Navajos at Fort Wingate in 1861, which was the cause of the turbulence with that tribe during the rebellion and which he witnessed as a boy.

Don Amado was about twelve years old then, says a Santa Fe (N. M.) correspondent. His father was commander at Fort Wingate, where New Mexican volunteer troops were stationed to watch the Navajos and keep them quiet. The tribe was supposed to be peaceable and friendly, but it was deemed right to keep an eye on them and keep them from stealing stock, in which art the Navajos are past masters.

The Navajos had a pony that they believed able to outrun anything on four legs, and they were anxious to get up a match race at the fort. The surgeon at the post owned a thoroughbred race horse, and a match was made between the two. There was a general gathering of the tribe around the fort for several days before the race, and the Indians and soldiers were on the best of terms.

On the day of the race the Indians and soldiers bet all of their portable property on the result. According to the Indian custom the things wagered were tied up in a fold of the blanket, a tag attached showing who were the parties to the transaction and the blankie cast upon the pile.

As the race began the Indian pony and a Mexican of the name Ortiz rode the thoroughbred horse. A one thousand-yard stretch across the prairie was hemmed in on both sides by a mixed crowd of Indians and Mexican soldiers. A fair start was made, and the pony got away a little in the lead.

As soon as the Navajos understood that had happened they made a rush for Ortiz. Soldiers rallied around the rider to protect him, and in half a minute a free fight was in full blast. The soldiers got together quickly, and their fire was more effective than the scattering fire of the Navajos, but the Indians were numerous and made an ugly fight.

Young Amado saw his friend, the old chief, lying on the ground, wounded, and he went to him. The old man was mortally hurt, but he knew the boy and asked him for water. Amado got the water, sat down by the Indian, raised his head and gave him a drink. The surgeon came riding by, looking for the boy, and saw him sitting beside a wounded Indian. He snatched Amado up by the collar, placed him behind on the horse, galloped back into the fort and handed him over to the colonel, who had just been aroused by the firing, and was getting out of a sick bed to take charge of things.

The colonel told the boy to stay in quarters and not venture out again, and then he went to the walls and got the cannon into action. But the boy could think of nothing but his friend lying on the ground, and he ran with a gashly wound in his breast, and longing in vain for water. So he filled his father's canteen and stole out through the gate and found the old chief again. The old man was dying fast, and did not recognize the boy. Amado sat down by him, raised his head upon his knee, and held the canteen to his lips. And so he sat and ministered to the Indian until the life had gone from the body, and then he cried because the old man who gave him the buckskin pony was dead.

The thunder of the cannon, the shouts of the captains and the yells of the Navajos had ceased, and only an occasional crack of a rifle told that some skirmisher out on the prairie was trying some long parting shot at the enemy. Not until next day when he saw scores of dead Indians gathered up along the race course and on the prairie, and buried in a long trench, did the boy understand that he had been in a battle, and that all the tumult had raged around him while he sat by the dying chief's side, made by his friends, the Navajos, and his friends, the soldiers, trying to kill each other.

Where It Came From. The expression "from pillar to post" is derived from a custom practiced in the riding schools of olden times. The pillar was placed in the center of the ground, and the posts were arranged two and two around the circumference of the ring at equal distances. Hence "from pillar to post" signified going from one thing to another without an definite purpose.

Preaching a Sure Cure. Jack—I am troubled greatly with insomnia these nights. May—Why don't you talk to yourself after going to bed?—Town Topics.

—Did you hear about Sharpwax? He has abandoned Miss Manniworth; the girl he was engaged to. "You don't mean it! What was the reason, I wonder?" "They say it was a case of heart failure. He heard that old Manniworth had gone into insolvency."

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