

RACE ECHOES.

Sergeant Logan of the Ninth Cavalry made the best individual score in the four days' rifle competition of the regular army of the Northern Division, which ended at Ft. Sheridan August 13.

James Holt, at North Topeka, Kans., a large truck farmer owns 120 acres of land and carries to market daily over a ton of cucumbers.

The right-minded Negro knows "his place." It is the "place" to which he is entitled by virtue of his education, moral quality, material possession and general civic value—no more, no less.

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The Woman's Improvement club at Indianapolis has just opened a camp for convalescents at Oak Hill, for women and children unable to take an outing.

NEGROES GROW WHEAT.

The Negro farmers of Blackburn, Sweet Springs and Mount Leonard vicinities in Saline county have reported the total of this year's yield of wheat to be 8,386 bushels.

Excursion Rates Via the Minneapolis & St. Louis R. R.

Every Tuesday during this year we will sell Homeseeker tickets to Minnesota, North Dakota and the Canadian Northwest for one fare plus \$2.00 Round Trip Summer Tourist tickets to Pacific Coast points—Seattle, Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles and many other places, will be on sale daily from June 1st to Sept. 15th, return limit Oct. 31st.

With Only One Toe.

It is not generally known that the small feet of Chinese ladies have commonly but one toe. This is, however, the fact.

Privileges of Lady Mayors.

Among the numerous privileges enjoyed by the lady mayors of London during her husband's year of office is that of "entree" at court.

THE ATTIC PHILOSOPHER.

Lots of people lose a good character going after a good income.

It's hard work living up to the income people sometimes think you get.

He is a wise man who knows how to be just familiar enough to borrow a dollar.

It must be a difficult matter for a woman with false teeth to hold a mouthful of hairpins.

WHAT ONE OF OUR CORRESPONDENTS SAW IN THE FAR WEST.

A few things of interest about the colored people in Colorado.

While visiting in Denver and neighboring towns, I learned something that was very interesting to me and perhaps might be to others in this section of the country about the people in Colorado.

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Pride and Vanity.

The foundation of pride is the wish to respect one's self, whatever others may think; the mainspring of vanity is the craving for the admiration of others, no matter at what cost to one's self-respect.

Resents Reference to "Coppers."

"What do you mean by talking about 'coppers' before me?" said a London magistrate to a man in the dock.

Many Species of Animals.

Four hundred thousand species of animals are now known to exist, according to the latest report of the French natural history museum.

The Business Poet.

"John's the poet with the true business instinct," said the wife. "He has just swapped a sonnet for a fat turkey and a love song for two gallons of molasses!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Turkish War Expenses.

Something like three-fourths of the annual expenditure of the Turkish government has of recent years been for arms and munitions of war.

Silent Japanese Soldiers.

Japanese soldiers fight noiselessly. They have no bands, no drums beat reveille or tattoo, and in action they utter no cheers.

Irrigation Adds Value.

By means of irrigation something like 3,500,000 acres of land in Dakota have been increased in value over \$230,000,000.

Smiths Lead All.

In the city of Washington there are 13,000 Browns, 15,000 Smiths, 14,000 Johnsons and 1,000 Joneses.

Average Journey of Freight.

The average journey of a ton of freight is 128 miles.

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Now Don't Laugh!

In a case before the Melbourne court the other day, Sidney Martin was charged with insulting behaviour—i. e. kissing a woman violently in the street.

A New York physician has published a "lost, strayed or stolen" advertisement for "one-headed."

He has received answers from or relating to girls, ducks, parrots, firecrackers and a white horse. But what he really wants in his office boy. Such is spontaneous humor in Manhattan.

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