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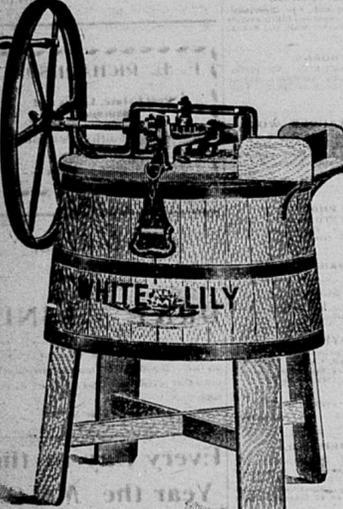
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Paul Morton's New Shine.
 (From the Williamsburg Journal-Tribune.)
 Paul Morton shines resplendent in the new coat of lime juice brushed on by the interstate commerce commission when it held that Paul was technically guilty but, poor man, he was so infernally stupid that he did not realize what he was doing. The commission holds that he lacked the intention to commit a wrong.

According to the statisticians the Democrats are certain to win in 37 Congressional districts that are now represented by Republicans and have more than an even chance of capturing the 20 other districts necessary for a majority. If those independent and Republican voters who want the trust-fostering tariff revised, vote as they talk, the standard pattern will hardly have a leg to stand on.

Kings Cut Small Figure.
 (Philadelphia Ledger.)
 The time has long gone by when the relations of governments and peoples were determined by the personal attitude of their sovereigns and when ruling princes met and formed alliances or agreed upon a common course of action. Not even the German emperor, forceful as he is, could today lead Germany where Germany did not wish to go, and King Edward would not even attempt to shape the foreign policy of England.

Just Cummins.
 A prominent democrat of Story county said he had a "longing desire" to attend a republican state convention and was in Des Moines, August 1, for that purpose. He secured a visitor's ticket and after it was over said: "I don't believe that half of the members of the convention knew whether Christ was crucified on the mountain or shot at Bunker Hill. They sat there like bumps on a log and all they said was 'Rah for Cummins.'"

The Tariff Issue is Simple.
 The whole tariff issue, as far as the voters can settle it, is shall the tariff rate that shelters the trusts be revised, so that being high enough to produce what revenue the government needs, yet not so high as to protect the trusts from competition? The Democrats take the affirmative side of that proposition and the Republicans the negative, the latter having decided against any tariff reform. The sensible voter cannot but decide to vote for a Congressman, that is pledged to revise the tariff, by eliminating the chief part, if not all of the protection to trusts and combines, while producing enough revenue to run the government, honestly and economically administered.

H. B. Boies, of this city, who has been mentioned by the press of Waterloo and Dubuque as an aspirant for the democratic congressional nomination in the third district in opposition to Judge Birdsall, stated, yesterday, that under no considerations would he consider the honor. "Be kind enough to say," said he to a representative of the Times Tribune, "that I am not and will not be a candidate for congress. I am quite willing to go out and lend my influence to elect the democratic state candidates, but no congressional aspirations for me. Not at all."
 Mr. Boies has placed his services at the command of the state central committee for assignment for public addresses on current political topics, but in no way consent to the use of his name as a candidate for the congressional nomination.—Waterloo Times Tribune.

Pine Trees Made Into Silk.
 (Harper's Magazine.)
 About five tons of artificial silk are now manufactured daily in Europe and the demand far exceeds the supply. This is one of the many modern products of cellulose, that wonderful substance of which the microscopic cells of plants are made and which composes about one-third of all the vegetable and animal matter in the world. Robert Kennedy Duncan, now professor of industrial chemistry in the University of Kansas, points out its possibilities for the manufacturer. For instance, he writes: "A pine tree is worth \$10 a ton, cut and stripped it is worth \$15; boiled in pulp it is worth \$40; bleached it is worth \$55, which turned into viscose and spun into silk is worth \$5,500."

Nature the Great Healer.
 (Detroit Free Press.)
 In the new system of therapeutics it is as essential that disease be prevented as that it be cured. Nature is the healer and if given proper encouragement it has been discovered that she will right the wrongs committed by ignorance and misunderstanding. If we know of no drug that will heal affected lungs we have learned that right living will prevent the lungs from becoming affected and we know that in the incipient stages fresh air will work a cure. It is singular that the most destructive of all diseases should be curable or preventable by the simplest, cheapest and most readily obtainable of all remedies. And yet it is necessary to drive this simple fact home to every individual in the land by the adoption of an elaborate system of education and the expenditure of vast sums.

WARREN'S ADDRESS TO THE AMERICAN SOLDIERS BEFORE THE BATTLE OF BUNKER HILL.
 By John Pierpont.
 Stand! the ground's your own, my braves! Will we not die for our graves? Will ye look for greener graves? Ho ye merry still? What's the merry despoils feel? Hear ye that last o' pest! Read it on your brilliant steel! Ask it, ye who will.
 Fear ye foes who kill for hire? Will ye to your homes re-tire? Look behind you! they're a fire! And before you, see Who have done it!—From the vale On they come!—And will ye quail?—Ladder raise and front be!—Let their welcome be!

In the God of battles trust:
 Dies he who enters life, comes not with knowledge or intent? But, oh, where can dust be dust? Be consoled so well, As where Heaven's dew shall shed On the martyrs' graves be lost, And the rocks shall raise their head, Of his deeds to tell!

BELIEF.
 The child who enters life, comes not with knowledge or intent? So those who enter death, must go as little children sent. Little is known, but I believe that God is dead, And, as life is to the living, so death is to the dead.
Shrinkage of Hay in Stack.
 An Iowa correspondent reports that in his neighborhood hay has been very light, some fields yielding only three to four hundred pounds per acre, and asks what is the difference in the weight of hay taken off the field and when dried out in the barn or stacks. In other words, what is the shrinkage in the weight of hay in the stack?
 That depends on the condition in which the hay was put into the stack, and to some extent on the kind of hay. Hay with over 25 per cent of water cannot be stored with safety. Hay when taken out of the stack dry contains from 10 to 12 per cent of water. Therefore, it may be safely assumed that ordinary hay shrinks from 12 to 15 per cent in weight when in the stack or mow. This would vary somewhat with the weather, particularly clover hay, which absorbs moisture more rapidly than timothy. It is found by actual experiment that corn thoroughly dried still contains about 10 per cent of water, and will increase in weight during wet weather. Hay, and especially clover hay, would be expected to increase even more on account of its bulky nature.—Wallace's Farmer.

Dairy Management.
 It is no exaggeration to say that 98 farmers out of every 100 who keep cows are not good dairymen. They are not making money at the business for the simple reason that they are paying too little attention to the details connected with the proper management of the dairy. For the successful running of a dairy good cows are needed. This is so self-evident that it seems superfluous to mention it, yet 98 farmers out of every 100 are maintaining poor cows in their herds; they are feeding cows that are not even paying for their feed. In most cases farmers do not know what their cows are producing; they never weigh the milk from individual cows, neither do they test it for fat. That means poor management. The careful manager will get rid of his poor cows as soon as possible and fill their places with others that are able to pay for the food they consume and leave a balance on the right side of the ledger. The cow that will produce from 250 to 300 pounds of butter fat is a valuable one, and it is very important that the dairymen should know which of his cows are capable of producing that amount. Such cows, if bred to good dairy sires, are likely to produce calves, which in turn will become valuable producers. While it is important to know which cows are producing the most milk and to know which are best able to transmit their milk-producing qualities, it is also important to feed them well. Cows that are capable of producing a large quantity of milk may be ruined by improper feeding. Dairy cows must be well fed, and they must have the right kind of food, or they cannot produce a large quantity of milk. Milk is a substance that is rich in protein, and protein cannot be manufactured by the cow from anything that does not contain protein; in other words, the cow cannot produce milk from carbohydrates and fats, she must be fed a comparatively narrow ration. She ought to receive succulent feed during winter or she cannot produce a large quantity of milk, regardless of any predisposition for milk production she may have. Ground oats makes a good milk producing feed; barley and speltz are also of much value; but corn should be fed in small quantities. Corn is a good fattening food, but a poor milk producer. To recapitulate, then, there are three important things concerned in the proper management of a dairy: First, the selection of the cows. Second, the breeding of the best producers to highly developed dairy sires and from the progeny raising heifer calves to take the place of the non-producers of the herd, and the old cows as they become unfit for economical production. The third important consideration is feeding, and this is just as important as the other two things mentioned. Dairymen is ordinarily considered drudgery. The reason for this is partly due to the fact that little mental effort is put forward to make the business more profitable. Do more brain work and less hard labor

Boarding House, Take Note.
 In view of the fact that electricity plays in our modern life it is amusing to recall that when Benjamin Franklin evolved the lightning conductor he was called to account by certain individuals for advertising a "strait line" between the two towers in his country. "There's a reason for this crooked line. You see, some of our towns established in pioneer times, when land was abundant and people were few, had a big territory, and was afterward sliced off to make new towns. It was so in the case you mention, and when the cut-off was made people along the line of division were of different minds as to which town they wanted to be in. So the legislature drew a straight line between the two parts and then provided that persons dwelling on lands adjoining either side of this line might be in one town or the other, as they should decide within ninety days after passing the act. Some went one way and some the other, and the line was all skewed up to accommodate them."—Lowiston Journal.

The Sultan's Kloaks.
 In every city of the Ottoman empire there is a kloak set apart for the sultan, who never even sees it. These palatial abodes are built of rare marbles and finished in fine woods, enameled in silver and gold, with mirrors and lustres from Vienna, mosaics from Florence and Rome, and are furnished by major domos, who live there in royal ease and luxury unparalleled. Hundreds of millions of francs are squandered, while not a son is spent in making roads, fertilizing valleys or constructing ports.
Golden Nose.
 Tycho Brahe, the famous Danish mathematician, was known as the "Wizard of the Golden Nose." While at the university he lost his nose in a duel and replaced it with a nasal organ of gold, held in place by cement and a pair of spectacles. This addition to his countenance gave him a very peculiar appearance and caused him to be much feared by the common people, who attributed to him many supernatural powers, largely on account of his remarkable nose.

Tasmanian Girls.
 For many years Tasmania has been known as the "Circus of the colonies," tribute to the exceptional loveliness of its young women. There have been Tasmanian peacocks, but the pretty Tasmanian girls are mostly in demand as barmahs for Sydney and Melbourne. Some years ago it was elicited in evidence at an official inquiry in Melbourne that Tasmanian barmahs command double the ordinary wages for this kind of work.
Two Goat Islands.
 Here is an extraordinary coincidence: The island lying between the American and the Canadian fall at Niagara is called Livingstone Island. What is now called Goat Island at the Victoria falls in Africa is called Kempongo by the natives, and this signifies "goat island."

Contradicted.
 "It's impossible to hit me too much of a good thing," said the thoughtful thinker.
 "Oh, I don't know," rejoined the contrary person. "Matrimony is a good thing, but what the law does to a bigamist is plenty!"—Chicago Tribune.
This Life.
 Says Charles Baudelaire: "This life is a hospital where every patient is possessed by a demon who changes his bed. This one would prefer to suffer by the stove, and the other thinks he would recover by the window."

Unsuccessful Fishing.
 Esmeralda—This is my latest photograph. What do you think of it? Awful—Let me have one, dear. It's absolutely perfect. Esmeralda: You mean, spiteful thing!—Chicago Tribune.
Fun has no limits. It is like the human race and face. There is a family likeness among all the species, but they all differ.—Hilbarbton.
Longing For a Souker.
 Hobbs: Queer, isn't it that never rains when one wants it? Dobbs: Garden in need of rain? Hobbs—No, it's myself. My wife gave me a new umbrella for a birthday present, and it hasn't rained since.
Balanced.
 The Caller—Your art gallery is a treat. This picture especially is delightful; the values are so well balanced. Mr. Porckham—That's right—frame, \$200; picture, same price.—Puck.

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