

From Colorado.

WOODLAND PARK, COL.,
February 27, 1901.

Ed. TIMES: Woodland Park is a pleasant mountain town, situated about 8,000 feet above the sea level. It is a very healthy place and a great health resort for Englishmen. The best view to be had of Pike's Peak is obtainable from this place. The peak is almost directly south of here about 14 miles, but it is 24 miles by wagon road. At this time of year it is impossible for any human being to withstand the severe cold on top. From here we can see it snowing nearly every day. It doesn't look more than three-quarters of a mile off. There are only about three months out of the twelve you can go to the summit on account of snow and ice.

East of us, obscuring everything from vision, are the Bald mountains, so called on account of their barrenness. They are 1,200 feet higher than this place. They rise very abruptly and are difficult to climb. I, with two friends, climbed to the summit one day, going up a trail known as the old Kentucky road. Upon reaching the top I looked to the northwest and beheld, for the first time, the glorious splendor of the snowy range of mountains, 45 miles distant. It was a grand spectacle, the low hills covered with pine and spruce looked perfectly black, while the mountains in the background looked like a line of gigantic fortifications. Their tops were covered with snow and so they remain all the year. It is in these mountains that big game is found, mountain lion, bear, deer, elk and smaller game in an unlimited supply, such as gray wolves, coyotes, lynx, grouse and other kinds too numerous to mention. Just west of town is a mountain called gold hill, a valuable supply of mineral is believed to be there, and paying ore has been found within a mile of here. The people here are every kind and hospitable. The men as a general rule wear broad brimmed hats pulled down to their ears. The women ride horseback the same as men.

Mining, lumbering and tie-making are the main industries; not much gardening is done here, but farther north and east potatoes are raised. Wages are good, \$1.50 to \$2.50 is the average, \$5 per week for board is the regular price. I have never heard of anyone coming here for work and not getting it if he was a good hand. Teamsters are paid from \$3.50 to \$5 per day. Hay is \$16 per ton.

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WIFE MUST FACE JURY.

Mrs. Addie Richardson Indicted for Husband's Murder—Charge is First Degree.

Savannah, Mo., March 14.—The special grand jury called by Judge A. D. Burnes to investigate the Richardson murder case brought in an indictment to-day, charging the widow Addie Richardson, with murder in the first degree. The jury began its labors Monday, March 4, and during nine days' session seventy-three witnesses were brought before it for examination. The indictment was returned at 3:30 this afternoon.

Mrs. Richardson's attorneys, Brewster and White of St. Joseph, Mo., and David Rea of this city, were in the court room, also J. D. Richardson of Chicago, brother of the murdered merchant. They immediately consulted and agreed with the state's attorneys, Booher and Fee, and Judge Burnes, that Mrs. Richardson should appear in court to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock. There is every reason to believe that Judge Burnes will permit her to give bail and that she will be able to give bond for any amount.

The indictment is a great surprise to the entire community, as the presumption that Mrs. Richardson committed this awful crime has not been considered great. It is not believed that she can be convicted.

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BILLIARDS AND HIGH BALLS.

Too Copious Consumption of the latter Increases the Number of the Former.

Two real merry young things, wearing raglans, got into a game of billiards in the billiard room of a downtown hotel the other afternoon, says the Washington Post. Between every two or three shots they touched the button that summoned the boy with the apron and poured tall, high-proof refectations into their persons. After they had been doing this for about three-quarters of an hour their billiard play became one continuous performance of zeros on both sides. They stuck to the game, however, and went on touching the button. At the end of about an hour and a half, when a carrom had been made by either man for July 20 minutes, one of them rested dreamily on his cue and inquired of the other:

"Shay, whash matter here, anyhow? Sheems t' be nothin' doin'. Can't make shot. How many balls d'you seee on th' table, anyhow?"

The other cast his unsteady vision over the table for a moment and replied:

"Shee sheven. What d'you make it?" "Shame ash you—sheven. Thash funny, too. On'y three when we started in. Other four ballsh must have jest grown, hey?" and then, to make the evidence of his visual sense more convincing unto himself he placed his left hand over his left eye and again scrutinized the balls on the table, whereupon his face lighted up.

"Sh all 'er now," he announced. "On'y shee three now. Jesh skushhe me 'r half a minnit, will you? Be ri' back."

Then the man who had discovered the advantage of having but one eye under certain circumstances sailed unsteadily out. He went to an optician's and returned to the billiard-room after an absence of about ten minutes. There was a glad smile on his features as he undid a little package, revealing two eye-patches of the sort that are fastened around the back of the head with elastic bands. The two billiardists solemnly fastened these contrivances over their respective left eyes and went ahead with their game with marvellous enjoyment and with considerably more success. Every time either of them made a passable shot he let out a whoop that could be heard half a block.

"What are they, war veterans?" inquired one of the hotel guests of the hotel proprietor, stopping to watch the play and to listen to the triumphant yelps of the two chaps with patches over their eyes.

"Well, I believ' they do belong to the huzza-ers," replied the proprietor, and then the guest who had asked the question fiercely strode up to the desk and commanded the cashier to make out his bill.

IT STAGGERED THE CROWD.

An Up-to-Date Conundrum That Brought Dismay to a Washington Coterie.

The lawyer who evidently considers life one huge, continuous joke entered the clerk's office at the city hall the other day with an expression of extreme radiance overspreading his countenance, says the Washington Star. The clerks and others having business in the office at the time ceased their several pursuits. Experience had taught them that the aforesaid lawyer would say something of an entertaining character.

"Gather 'round, boys," he said. "I have a dandy for you this morning. It's the best so far of the year 1901."

The speaker paused. The others silently waited for what was coming.

"Now, listen carefully," resumed the lawyer, "and note the beauty of the connection between the three sections of this little conundrum. Here it is: 'If the postmaster should visit the zoo and while there be eaten by the wild animals what o'clock would it be?'"

There was another pause. Finally the clerk in charge of the dockets ventured the answer: "It would be all day with the postmaster."

"Wrong, entirely wrong," commented the lawyer. "I didn't ask what time; I asked what o'clock would it be."

A third pause. Then by general consent the answer was requested. The lawyer gaily announced: "Ate, P. M."

Before the gathering had recovered the lawyer had flitted from the room and was headed for the court of appeals to try the postmaster-zoo-wild animals conundrum on the higher tribunal.

Hastings Pudding.

Take one ounce of sago, three ounces of suet, six ounces of fine bread crumbs, two ounces of marmalade, two eggs, three dessertspoonsful of brandy and sugar to sweeten. Mix the sago, finely chopped suet and bread crumbs together, adding a pinch of salt and a small teaspoonful of baking powder. Stir in the marmalade, adding a little more if necessary and the two yolks and whites of eggs beaten separately. Mix thoroughly, then add the brandy and sugar. Butter a pretty mold, ornament it slightly with candied orange peel and then fill with the mixture. Cover with buttered white paper, and steam for two hours. Remove the pudding from the suet-pan and let it stand two minutes before turning it out of the mold. For the sauce place a large spoonful of marmalade in a small stewpan, add some boiling water to it, sweeten if necessary and simmer for a few moments. Strain the sauce and pour it round the pudding.—Washington Star.

Acids That Are Death to Cholera.

The acid of lemons and oranges is fatal to the cholera bacillus. Even if placed upon the rind of the fruit the germs will not survive longer than a day.—Ladies' Home Journal.

BANK CASHIER SHOT DOWN.

Official of Halifax, Pa., Bank Dangerously Wounded by Robbers.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 14.—Two robbers made an attempt to hold up the National bank at Halifax, 21 miles north of here to-day, and when they saw that the cashier of the institution was bound to frustrate their efforts to secure the contents of the cash drawer, they shot him down. The men entered the bank shortly after the opening hour and coolly demanded Cashier Charles W. Ryan to hand over the cash. Ryan refused to comply with this demand, and became so aggressive that the robbers shot him. The bullet lodged in Ryan's breast and he fell dangerously wounded. The would-be assassins attempted to escape, but failed and are now lodged in the village jail. Ryan may not recover.

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St. Louis, Mo., March 6.—The republican primary yesterday resulted in the selection of George W. Parker for mayor and the entire machine ticket. There will be no convention, the candidates being nominated by direct vote.

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A Job for Ex-Senator Carter.

Washington, March 8.—Ex-United States Senator T. H. Carter of Montana has been appointed by the president a United States commissioner of the St. Louis exposition. He has accepted the offer. The position pays \$5,000 a year. Mr. Carter's term in the senate expired March 4. He served six years. He was chairman of the republican national committee from 1892 to 1896.

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Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an order of the probate court of Bates county, Missouri, made on the 21st day of January, 1901, the undersigned has taken charge of the estate of Austin W. Hall, deceased.

Executor's Notice.
Notice is hereby given, that letters testamentary upon the estate of Peter Kaunne, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, by the probate court of Bates county, Missouri, bearing date the 25th day of January, 1901.

Order of Publication.
STATE OF MISSOURI,)
County of Bates,) ss
In the Circuit Court of Bates county, Missouri, February term 1901. C. E. McLain, plaintiff, vs. George E. McLain, defendant.

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