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The winters of Kansas are longer and colder than those of Missouri, and a howling Kansas blizzard gnashes its teeth and tears its hair in a fit of uncontrollable fury of its inability to penetrate the mild genial and hospitable atmosphere of Missouri.

The reason men have gone across Missouri to settle in Kansas is the easy, simple one we have given. Anybody can if he turns his attention to it, but here in Missouri the people are not built that way and they have been, perhaps, a little to backward advertising the unparalled attractions and advantages the state has to offer the honest, industrious people of all classes.

While the people of the keystone of the Union arch have relied upon the merits which they know the state possesses, to bring to her soil the homeseekers of other states, the victims of deception, fraud and delusion have been hurried across the state in the night, lest their eyes might be opened before they had parted with their money. The game was a shrewd one and well played, but the cold deck have been discovered.

What They Did When Young.

Senator Vance was a hotel clerk.

Senator Baird was a clerk in New York.

Judge Kelley, Father of the House, was a jeweler.

Tom Reed, of Maine, was a pay-master in the navy.

Leland Stanford was a country lawyer in Wisconsin.

Senator Dawes was a school teacher and country editor.

Senator Morrill, of Vermont, kept a country grocery store.

Senator Stewart, of Nevada, mined with a pick and shovel in California.

Senator Cullom was famous as a corn husker in early days in Illinois.

Justice Bradley taught a district school every winter from his 16th to his 21st year.

President Cleveland compiled the "American herd book," and received $60 for the service.

Samuel J. Randall, whom nobody supposed to have had a war record, was a private in a company of cavalry.

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The admirers of Jeff Davis lose no opportunity to express their affection for the old traitor and to glory in the cause which he represented. The silver crown which they they presented him at Jackson, Mississippi, the other day shows that the old spirit of glorying in treason is still alive in the South. It is a pretty spectacle to present to the country, just at the time when the loyal hearts of the land incline lovingly to the dead heroes who sleep in honored graves. While the nation was arranging to strew flowers on the arch traitor of the rebellion crown him with tokens of admiration and regard. In what other land could such a spectacle as this be seen?

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The Chinch Bug.

The Department of Agriculture recommends as a remedy for chinch bugs: first, clean cultivation and the removal and destruction of all rubbish; next, rotation of crops. Sow oats instead of wheat, or when fields have been troubled with the insect put them into buckwheat or flax. It is said that sowing a couple of quarts of flax seed among other grain is a remedy, or at least will do some good. Rolling the ground after the wheat is sown in the fall is recommended. If the ground could be flooded in May, the insect would be destroyed, Overlay the ground when the area is not too large, with straw and burn it. Ditching will retard migration. Sowing strips of flax, clover or buckwheat around a field it is said will do some good. The kerosene emulsion will do good when the bugs are massing on corn.

European Immigration.

The Southwest is getting a larger share this year of the European immigration than in preceding years. Depotmaster A. W. Creamer estimates that European immigrants at present are passing through Kansas City at the rate of 225 to 250 per day. By far the large number have tickets to points in Western Kansas. A goodly number are bound for eastern Colorado, and a few go through to California. Many of them are Germans, but by far the la gest number comes from Scandinavian countries, particularly from Sweden. They are, as a rule, very quiet, and have appearance of well clad and well fed people. Comparatively few, only 400 or 500 have stopped in Kansas City, and a large number of them seemed to be mechanics and skilled workmen.

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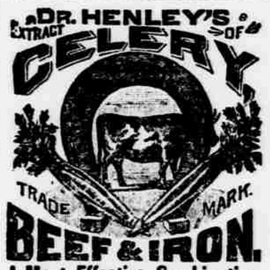

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Missouri's Disgrace.

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Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine For July.

Which begins the twenty-fourth volume, is a bright and entertaining Summer number, full, as usual, of interesting reading and beautiful illustrations. Among the profusely illustrated articles are "Ancient Greeks in Modern Cyprus" By A L Rawson; "Sunday in the city of Czar," by the Rev. Frederick Hastings; "A Strange Charity—the Shephard Insane Asylum, Baltimore," by V. B. Denslow; and Henry Hudson, by William Seton. In this number are portraits of the Pundita Ramabai Sarasvati, Dr. Alexander Campbell Mackenzie, Dr Valamakt, Moses Sheppard, Mary Howitt, Monseigneur Leon Bouland, Bishop Thomas Bowman and the Rev. B. B. Warfield, D. D. Macdonald's story "the Elect Lady," is continued, and "Her King" is a beautiful short story by Nora Marble. Dr. Talmage's sermon treats of Parental Mistakes, and poems are included by Theodore Martin, Lucy Larcom, Ruth Alleyn and Adelaide Stout. These with the numerous short articles, art pictures, music and miscellany, make up a very attractive number.

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