

INFERIOR MEATS.

A Timely Caution to Consumers. MONOPOLY THREATENED.

Decaying, Festering and Bloody Results of the Refrigerated Process. Rational Methods of Our Own Butchers.

The people of San Francisco and those of adjacent localities which are dependent upon us for their meat supply are rapidly waking up to the fact that the "frozen meat" theory is both a delusion and a fraud.

The slaughtering of cattle in the abattoir is admittedly a rapid process. Immediately upon arrival the cattle are corralled, and as the cost of feeding is a most considerable item of expense, an economy is effected by an immediate butchery.

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The system in vogue for many years among the San Francisco butchers is the direct opposite of this inhuman and barbarous process. This coast had no rival in the world for its cheap and superior meats. The ranges are unsurpassed and the stock-owners are men of rare intelligence and wealth.

Our climatic conditions are not those of Chicago or the East. We are subject to none of the extremes of those localities, and therefore the system of slaughtering adopted by our local butchers is one of long experience has proved to be the one that is best adapted for this latitude.

What is our process, and how does it differ from the Chicago plan? This is easily comprehended. The cattle arrive by rail. Their condition is nervous and feverish and in need of immediate slaughter. They are driven to the corral and for days thereafter are allowed all feed and water they can consume; thus gradually regaining their normal condition of quiet serenity. Then, and not till then, are they allowed to be killed. As rapidly as the best butchers in the country can handle them, the carcasses are then wiped off with clean cloths and afterward suspended on rafters, through which a cool air is allowed to circulate until nature effects the necessary curing and the meat is in the best condition for consumption. By this process all the blood is expressed and nothing but muscle and fat remains.

By the "instantaneous" process of hot water and rapid freezing the blood remains in the carcass, and is allowed to hasten the decomposition of the meat on exposure to the usual temperature. The local process of slaughtering is rational and one of the most healthful conditions, and though a necessary one in Chicago, is the opposite of rational in this latitude.

Purchasers of meat from the retail dealers who know from the appearance of a joint whether it is wholesome or not, need not compare the meats from the different processes of killing to satisfy themselves as to which is the one they would most quickly and healthfully consume. The solid, natural and beautiful appearance of the meat killed by the local process with the blue-black, slimy and discolored appearance of that just released from the refrigerator is enough.

But there is another and economic side to this question which is well worth most careful attention. It is the question of attempted foreign monopoly, which seeks to grasp the entire stock interests of the country within its grasp. The attempt is as ambitious as it is impudent and impracticable. It aims to throttle a great local interest, which at this time supports in industrial employment not less than 23,000 men, besides their families. It attempts to render tributary to its "Chicago" methods every raiser of stock dependent upon the San Francisco market. Its plans embrace a gigantic system, by which the price it may establish upon cattle, sheep or pigs shall rule, and these prices only shall be paid to the producer.

It assumes to control the market for hides, pelts and tallow, thus making the tannin industry, a coal-mining industry, and all those numberless other industries which are dependent upon stock supply its control.

If there is one subject upon which the people of California are united it is that the "monopolist must go." There is no sympathy for them here. The people have discovered, through long and painful experience, that they are the ones who eventually are the sufferers. They will not permit the live stock and kindred industries to be absorbed by a foreign, real-estate speculating and soulless corporation, to destroy a vital element of local prosperity.

The issue is a great one, but can be successfully met. Let no one use the abhorred and unhealthy frozen meat. Banish it from your table, and other monopoly die a natural and appropriate death.

CONFUSION STILL EXISTS. Mission - Street Numbers Remain Unchanged. Mission residents are wondering when the Street Superintendent intends to put an end to the confusion existing in the numbering of the streets in that section and when the owners of houses are to be made to comply with the orders of the Supervisors and properly number their buildings.

OVER IN OAKLAND.

Henry O'Neill Killed by the Cars. ANGER OF A FOLSOM LOVER.

A Preacher Holds Senator Stanford Up as an Illustrious Example for American Youth.

Henry O'Neill was struck by the narrow-gauge train of the South Pacific Coast Railroad and instantly killed, a hundred yards west of High-street station, Alameda, at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

It is supposed that O'Neill got upon a through train by mistake on his way home and attempted to jump off at High street. His head was struck by the car-step and his skull completely shattered.

The deceased lived on College avenue, Alameda, and leaves a widow and a boy 12 years of age. He was a native of Iowa and 48 years of age.

A Double Love Knot Falls. Joseph W. Warner, a young man well known in Oakland, is suing for a divorce from Jole A. Warner, to whom he was doubly married.

The benefit tendered yesterday afternoon by the proprietors of the Grove-street Theater to the widows and orphans of the firemen who lost their lives in the Page-street fire a few weeks since proved a magnificent success.

The Grove-street Theater donated everything—house, gas, employees, actors, managers and even the printing. It is probable the benefit realized between \$300 and \$500 for the beneficiaries.

Little Annie McLaughlin gave two recitations and was recalled again and again. Meyer Cohen sang "He Ran With the Old Machine" and another "Fire-bell" song and was recalled no less than seven times.

When Manager Holden came out to bid the curtain speech and told the good people what had been earned for the widows and orphans he received an ovation.

It will be several days before the exact amount of the gross receipts can be accurately known, for the reason that tickets for the benefit were left in scores of places all over town, and until these are all gathered up and the money for sales made collected the aggregate receipts can only be approximated.

The point that all existing wealth is created by labor was elaborated upon. He said the enormous rates of interest charged was what injured labor most. An account of such rates capital increased out of all proportion to labor. Labor's rate was not above 2 per cent, and the preacher held that the Government should fix some such rate of interest and not allow any in excess to be charged.

Stanford's Government loan bill was a step in the right direction. It was held that citizens be allowed access to use of wealth at 2 per cent, but corporations be ruled out.

Charles Wilson, residing at 763 Sixth street, while driving a buggy, yesterday lost the nut from the front wheel of his buggy, and the wheel coming off he was hurled to the sidewalk and received a deep scalp wound.

Oscar Johnson, a colored man living at 903 1/2 Seventh street, while returning with his wife from San Francisco on the Frank Silva at 6 o'clock yesterday night, was struck across the head by the engineer of the boat with a hammer, and sustained a severe concussion and possibly a fractured skull.

Edward Whalen, Joseph Fay and John Floyd, members of a gang of rowdies who have been terrorizing the Potrero, were arrested last night at Dempsey's saloon on Center street for disturbing the peace. They had taken possession of the saloon and were virtually running things when arrested.

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Warren Cheney, who has just returned from Chicago, where he had charge of the California educational exhibit, criticizes the Regents of the State University and the management of the Stanford University for having no exhibit at the World's Fair.

The mother of Nathan C. Carnall, of the Central-Hopkins firm, was stricken with apoplexy a few days since, and lies in quite a critical state at the house of her daughter, Mrs. Dan Bishop, in town. Her son is with her.

Rev. Simon Goodenough advanced some remarks as a "study" of a serious problem at the First Universalist Church yesterday morning. His subject was "The Foe of Labor."

He said that the laborer's reward should be sufficient to render him comfortable and independent. Such a condition is not attained on account of abnormal competition.

The feast of St. John the Baptist was generally celebrated in the Catholic churches yesterday. At St. Mary's Cathedral the day was solemnized with unusual splendor of ceremony. The altars were decorated with flowers and ferns, and the power of such a life cannot be described.

John Kirby, a young man well and favorably known in this city, died recently in Lisitown, County Kerry, Ireland, after a lingering illness.

The deceased was a brother of Rev. T. Kirby of Fresno, and a member of the Rev. W. Kirby of St. Mary's Cathedral, San Francisco. To-morrow morning a solemn requiem high mass will be celebrated at the St. Sales Church for the repose of his soul.

Rev. J. M. Monroe of the Christian Church, Thirteenth and Market streets, delivered an address yesterday on the subject of "Lesson From the Life and Death of Leland Stanford."

He chose for his text Luke 12:31—"A man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth."

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BIRTHS-MARRIAGES-DEATHS. BIRTH. Marriage and death notices sent by mail will not be inserted. They must be handed in at either of the publication offices and be indorsed with the name and residence of persons authorized to insert the same upon request.

BORN. BACKSTEIN-In this city, June 24, to the wife of Ferdinand Backstein, a daughter. BEAUFORT-In this city, June 23, 1893, to the wife of George W. Beaufort, a daughter.

MARRIED. GJERTSEN-AMNES-In this city, June 24, 1893, by the Rev. O. Groeneweg, Gustav Gjersten and Anna Groeneweg, both of this city.

DIED. Aherne, Joseph A. Kierer, Jacob. Aherne, Joseph A. Kierer, Jacob. Aherne, Joseph A. Kierer, Jacob.

RECEIVED. KENNEY-In this city, June 24, 1893, Isabella W. Kenney, wife of the late William B. Kenney, dearly beloved mother of Nellie and Katie Kenney.

DEPARTED. MCCARTHY-In this city, June 23, 1893, Mary A. McCarthy, wife of Thomas McCarthy, mother of Peter, John, William, James, Joseph, and Willie McCarthy, and sister of Mrs. Johanna McCarthy, all of this city.

DEPARTED. HAMMER-In this city, June 24, 1893, Friedrich Wilhelm, beloved husband of Alvina Hammer, and father of Willie, Fritz, Ludwig, and Walter Hammer, a native of Berlin, Germany, aged 37 years and 11 months and 10 days.

DEPARTED. STONEY-In Santa Rosa, June 24, 1893, Margaret, wife of William Stoney of San Francisco, aged 29 years 1 month and 3 days.

DEPARTED. GIBBS-In this city, June 25, 1893, Frederick A. Gibbs, a native of Newport, R. I.

DEPARTED. O'LEARY-In this city, June 24, 1893, Dennis, beloved husband of Mary, and father of John, William, and Daniel O'Leary, a native of County Kerry, Ireland, aged 32 years and 6 months.

DEPARTED. KILBURN-In this city, June 24, 1893, Jacob Kilburn, beloved husband of Louise K., a native of Switzerland, aged 36 years 9 months and 21 days.

DEPARTED. LEONARD-There will be an anniversary high mass for the repose of the soul of the late Frank Leonard at St. Peter's Church, Alameda, at 8 o'clock A. M. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to be present.

DEPARTED. HOEHNER-In Santa Rosa, June 25, 1893, Annie, beloved wife of Nicholas Hoerner, mother of W. C. and Howard Hoerner, sister of A. R. Anderson, a native of County Leitrim, Ireland, aged 32 years and 6 months.

DEPARTED. BRENN-In this city, June 23, 1893, Mathew Brennan, husband of Mary Brennan and father of Joseph F. Brennan, a native of Ireland, aged 62 years.

DEPARTED. PATTERSON-In Oakland, June 23, 1893, Montgomery Patterson, beloved brother of Mrs. H. C. Patterson, a native of County Fermanagh, Ireland, aged 29 years and 10 months.

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