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## A GENUINE BULL-FIGHT.

### The Cowboys Testing the Mettle of Their Herds.

Drake's Travellers' Magazine.

There had been considerable chaffing, variegated with especially lurid illustrations of the possibilities of profanity, on the merits of the two bulls, and for several nights the smoke hung low over the camp-fires, as if listening, too awestricken to rise, to the various stories of their prowess in former struggles. Murcheson's men were to the westward of the trail, but they came over to Zingman's round-up, two miles to the east, every evening to talk over their bull, and speculate on the chances if Zingman's men fel the spirit of ownership in anything they want to put against him. But Zingman's people hesitated. They had a bull, Texas, which had killed everything he had tackled, and they thought it an unfair advantage to turn him loose agains so manifestly an inferior animal as Murcheson's Wild Bill, though they couldn't call to mind any other animal they were willing to risk money on. This position broke up the poker game, and gave rise to some pronounced polemics. If wind could have settled the dispute it would have been decided in favor of both sides. Relying on the anecdotes related of each, one would suppose that a contest between them could only result in the termination of time. Murcheson's men were a unit in the statement that on one occasion Wild Bill had rushed his adversary down, and unable to stop his headway, had gone home with a Methodist church on his horns. Kingman's people conceded the possibility of this, but maintained and proved conclusively by the testimony of each other that Texas had on one occasion picked up an earthquake on his horns and held it there till it agreed never to visit that section again if he would let it go. On this state of facts it was obvious that nothing but a meeting could definitely determine the superiority, and the duel was arranged for Sunday morning. The fight was to come off on neutral ground, midway between the two herds. Every cowboy was to have his weapons behind him, a judicious precaution, since the cowboy pistol has a supernatural method of discharging itself, without reference to material causes. Each side was to remain behind its own bull, and neither to approach the fracas closer than 300 yards, the winners to take all the money to be found on the persons or in the possession of the losers.

Bright and early Sunday morning, the grass was still shining in the dew, and the sun coming up with every promise of a glorious prairie day, the bulls were cut out of their respective herds and driven to the battle-ground. A man who has never seen a Texas bull doesn't know how much fight can be tied up in one hide. Strong and wiry, not too heavy in the flank, short of horn, and quick in action, he was built to fight, and contrived to discharge his mission without involving himself in the slightest unnecessary complication. Lashed to madness by the whips of the cowbows, laid on mercilessly to arouse their rage, the two bulls came in sight of each other, and their backers withdrew. By nature a Texas bull is all the time as mad as he can get, until he sees another bull, then the thermometer of his wrath goes to boiling point.

As they spied each other their heads went down and their tails up. They approached slowly and with a sinuous motion, pawing the ground and moaning. Texas appeared a little the larger of the two, and he was fully as active as his foe. A hundred paces apart they fairly sprang from the earth, and the bellow and the crash of meeting mingled together as the ground trembled beneath them. Texas had the best of it, for Wild Bill recolled to his haunches, but the game little bull recovered first, and in the next attack gored Texas under the head, nearly reaching his throat. The onslaught was so unexpected that Texas, still dazed by the first shock, failed to counter on his adversary. But the next found him prepared, and he received the enemy full on the forehead, driving him again to his haunches. Before Bill could rally Texas had raised the flesh off his high foreshoulder bone.

The smell of his own blood crazed the little bull, and his next dash was not straight. He struck Texas obliquely, throwing up the head of the latter, and then turning, before he had passed, he ripped up the big bull's off fore leg, catching him behind the shoulder and tearing out the muscles, cords, and tendons. Though badly lamed, Texas was not vanquished, Once more he bore the little bull down, but Bill was the least injured of the two, and, struggling to his feet, he buried a horn in the old wound. It is doubtful if he knew what damage he had done, for he was half blinded with his adversary's blood. Texas awaited the next rush where he stood, nor was he kept in suspenes. Bill was at him in a moment, but the big bull, sadly hurt, winded, and tired, held his head high, and Bill caught him between the forelegs, ripping him to the neck before he tore away.

Then Texas turned, and a shout from his backers announced his defeat. With a yell of victory and derision Murcheson's men dashed down and drove their bull back to the herd. Three hours later the herds were in motion again, but Murcheson's people were enriched to the extent of all the cash whereof Zingman's men had been seized at the time the duel began.

Staggering slowly and painfully down to the trail, Texas limped while on his way back to the ranch from which he came. He could not go back to his herd, for the cows will gore a defeated bull to death. There was no effort to bind up his wounds; they didn't even offer to lead him to water. And so alone he wandered away, beaten, disgraced, and grievously wounded, and in a little while was lost to sight in the dust that floated along the prairie.

## The Poultry Business.

To the Editor of The Bee

As many of my old friends are desirous of knowing what success I have had in the poultry business in Kansas, I give you my experience. Over a year ago I made two very crude hatchers, designed from some good points of several I had seen. I filled them with eggs and they worked fairly well. I kept them going from December 1st to June 1st, clearing from them $650 over and above everything, and that, too, in spite of the high price of feed, and the fact that my chickens were all marketed at low prices, the highest I got was $6.00 a dozen, and the lowest $375. During that time I attended to my regular business. Believing this was a good return for the amount of work, I began to look around for a more perfect hatcher, and my attention was directed to the Common Sense. In June I got directions from J. M. Bain, of New Concord, Ohio. He is secretary of the N. A. Poultry association, and will send directions for making this hatcher to any one sending three 2-cent stamps, to prepay postage. I had one made that held 250 eggs, and cost about $7. My success with the hatcher was all I could wish for, and I immediately had four more made. From these five hatchers I have just taken 1030 fine chickens, out of a little less than 1200 eggs. I believe I am placing it modestly when I say that I hope to clear $2800 by July next, and still pursue my usual business. There is no business as profitable as this is, provided one gives it the attention it deserves; and no business requires as little capital to start on. There is no necessity for men trying to hide this business or monopolize it. The field is the world, and the world, like Oliver Twist, is crying out for more. There are thousands of young men who are teachers and clerks who look forward to the time when they can get a start in some lucky way. This way is here open to them if they will only improve by it. Thousands of of young women, too, who feel dependent on father or brother, could in one year place themselves high above any dependence, if they only would. Get directions and make your hatchers immediately, as you can make them yourselves.

L. L. J.

## Tom Thumb's Widow.

Speaking of widows, I came across Mrs. Tom Thumb the other day in the elevated railroad car. She had to make considerable of a jump to seat herself, and I observed that her companion made no offer of assistance. This was in accord with her well understood desire. You may have happened to find out that old men don't like to be helped on with their overcoats, because it implies a decrepitude which they dislike to acknowledge, even to themselves. Well, Mrs. Thumb has that sort of feeling with reference to any real or implied notice of her size. She sat there in great dignity, but with her feet dangling far above the floor.

"She ought to carry an adjustable footstool," I remarked, "or also have something in the way of an automatic lenthening apparatus, like those fishing rods that slide out of themselves, attached to her heels.".

My companion was short the feminine. Said she:

"Bless your heart, that little creature isn't practically any worse off than a good many of the rest of us. Woman's rights are crually disregarded by railroad managers, if you'll take the trouble to notice. They give us shorties a choice between practically standing up and not much more than leaning against a seat; or squarely seating ourselves and letting our feet dangle unsupported. Look at that row of women across the car. The only one who rests her back fully against the support intended for it and her feet flat of the floor is nigh as tall as you are All the rest are a dozen sizes too small for the seats. If sitting away back properly they only touch their toes to the floor, like a line of ballet girls tip-toeing on the stage. Why shouldn't a happy medium in the height of public seats be struck? Why shouldn't men be made to sit on a level a little below their knees, instead of putting the whole inconvenience of adjustment on our less lengthened sex? Really, I think of writing to Susan B. Anthony about it."

SHE HOPES TO GROW.

The little widow Thumb is casually a resident of New York, and a welcome visitor in a considerable number of rather wealthy and fashionable families. She is now a lady so mature and dignified notwithstanding her diminutive size, that nobody, in the way of social intercourse dares, or is much inclined to treat her as a human trifle. To see her in a midst of a round of calls is to get the impression, at first sight, that your eyes have somehow suddenly become telescopic inversely so exactly is she a minature of the conventional dames of ceremonious society. She dresses for an afternoon of formal visiting in a toilet of semi-mourning, suitable in style for a quiet woman of forty-five—which age she acknowledges—and orders from a livery stable one of those coupes that, as to liveried drivers and general appearance, are scarcely distinguishable from private equipages. Provided with a visiting list, and easily commanding an air of well-bred balance, she lacks only in stature to be the ideal of a middle-aged millionaire's wife, Of course she attracts staring attention whenever she alights; but her manner of silent repoooof is usally effective as a cure for impudence, and she is able to go about with far less annoyance than might be supposed. She is now about three feet and a half in height, or a foot more than when she was first put on exhibition by Barnum, and it was only within a few years that she stopped growing.

"It would not surprise me," she lately said, "if I should take to growing again at any time. My case is one of retarded development, you know, and I may yet catch up with the rest of you. The majority of the dwarfs exhibited are really children, phenominally small, but by no means the adult midgets that they are represented to be; and consequently they grow out of the profession. That has been the case with many a 'freak,' as the showmen call them.

The pertinance of the fair, fat and forty-inch widow as a topic here is the fact that she has a suitor for her hand. The account current in her circle of acquaintance says that Mr. John Spencer Coyne, a mine operator, who came eastward a year ago with a comfortable fortune, began to seriously woo her soon after making his acquaintance in this city. He is a handsome man of no more than forty with cultured taste, good morals and about a hundred pounds, his stature being limited to an inch or so more than five feet. That he is deeply in love with Mrs. Thumb is not doubted by any of their mutual friends, but he does not seem to have made much progress towards capturing the estimable dwarf. It is said to be her firm intention not to marry again.

METROPOL.

## The Farmer Still Tills the Soil.

A sudden change from poverty to wealth is apt to turn men's heads, but it has not proved to be so with Mr. Elbert S. Montgomery, of Mt. Olivet, Ky., who last week received here, through the First National bank, $15,000, as the holder of one-fifth of ticket No. 86,809; which drew the capital prize in the April drawing of The Louisiana State Lottery, costing him but one dollar. He is at home pursuing the even tenor of his way as a farmer, and shows a disposition to use wisely the money dame fortune has bestowed upon him. When the public was inclined to doubt if he would receive the money, he was offered by responsible parties, the amount called for, less two per cent, but knowing the integrity of the Louisiana State Lottery management, he declined the offer, and has received $15,000 in full. It was the first lottery ticket he ever held in his life, and he paid for it the sum of one dollar.—[Maysville (Ky.), Bulletin, April 29th.

## A Big New Orleans Blaze.

NEW ORLEANS, May 20.— Security warehouse, No. 2 to 5 Julia street, was burned to-night with 573 hogsheads of sugar, 3,482 barrels of molasses, and some cotton seed oil. Loss $150,000; fully insured.

## A Wyoming Murder and Lynching.

CHEYENNE, May 20.—Two men arrived here to-night from Sabille county, eighty-five miles north of here, with the body of Geo. Metcalf. While at dinner Metcalf had got into a dispute with Wm. Maloney, who shot him dead. Maloney was arrested, but was subsequently captured and lynched.

## BASE BALL.

At Terre Haute—Peoria 1; Terre Haute 2.

At Milwaukee—Bay City 3; Milwaukee 6.

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At Philadelphia—Washington, 3; Athletes, 12.

At Altoona—Wet ground prevented game.

At New York. — Providence 2, New York 1.

At Philadelphia.—Boston 3, Philadelphia 0.

At Grand Rapids.—Grand Rapids 5, Minneapolis 3.

At Muskegon.—Muskegon 6, St. Paul 3.

## New York Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Exports of domestic cottons for the week, 3763 packages; making a total for the expired portion of the year 69,435 packages, against 62,084 for the same time in 1883 and 64,947 in 1882. There has been a fair request for a number of selections of seasonable specialties, but for general merchandise the demand was dull.

## Kansas City Races.

KANSAS CITY, May 20.—This was the opening-day of the first spring meeting. The track was excellent.

Jesse James won the five-eighth of a mile dash; time, 111.

Rosa was winner of the mile heats race, three in five; beat time, 237½.

Blue Bird won the running half-mile and repeat; time, 49 and 51½.

## Deprecating Sunday Work.

SARATOGA N. Y. May 20.—The Presbyterian Assembly abolished the office of treasurer, the duties to be done by a clerk. The report of the special committee on sabbath observance deprecates all forms of labor on that day. Adopted unanimously. Reports on home missions were submitted.

## Ohio Democrats.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 20.—The Democratic state convention has fixed on June 4th and 25th, for holding the next convention.

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Plans and specifications can be examined in the office of the Chief Quartermaster department of the Platte, Omaha Nebraska, the "Inter-ocean," Chicago Ills., and the Journal" at Kansas City, Mo.

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Proposals must state length of time required for completion of building after approval of contract, and must be accompanied by a certified check upon some United States Depository, payable to order of the undersigned, for at least five (5) per cent of the amount of the proposal, which check shall be forfeited to the United States in case any bidder receiving the award shall fail execute promptly contract with good and sufficient sureties, according to the terms of his bid, otherwise to be returned to the bidder.

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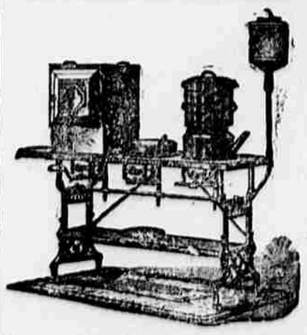
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