More Cheap Excursions to Colorado

Special Trains, one night out to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo via the Great Rock Island Route, will leave Chicago August 21, Sept. 4 and 18, at 4:45 p. m. On these dates excursion tickets from Chicago and Missouri River points to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Glenwood Springs, Salt Lake City and Ogden, Utah, will be sold at rate of one regular fare plus $2.00 for round trip, return limit Oct. 31, 1900. Tickets also good on regular trains. For full information, berth reservations and beautiful book "Colorado the Magnificent," sent free, address John Sebastian, G. P. A., Chicago.

It Thrills Him.

Quinn—She kissed her hand to the audience only once. That's not enough to go around.

De Fonte—Oh, yes, stage kisses are flexible. Every man in the house thinks that that one kiss was for him.—Chicago Evening News.

The Boxers of China

are attempting to solve a gigantic problem, but they are going about it in the wrong way and will never succeed. Some people, in this country, seem to think that they have as great a puzzle on their hands in selecting a location for a home. They will certainly go about it in the wrong way unless they inspect the beautiful farming country on the line of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway in Marinette county, Wisconsin, where the crops are of the best, work plenty, fine markets, excellent climate, pure, soft water; land sold cheap and on long time. Why rent a farm when you can buy one for less than you pay for rent? Address C. E. Rollins, Land Agent, 161 La Salle St., Chicago, Ill.

Something Worse.

Jonson—What do you know about the horrors of war?

Bronson—I know a lot.

"You don't know a thing; you staid at home."

"I know I did; but I had to read the yellow journals every day."—Detroit Free Press.

The merits of the preparations of the J. & C. Maguire Medicine Company, of St. Louis, Mo., are above all question. The public will be interested in the fact that this firm has succeeded in furnishing the Army and Navy. Established in 1841, they have steadily grown in favor with the public, not having one failure to report in fifty-nine years! Their Benne Plant, Cundurango, etc., have become a household word. They are now sold by all druggists. Ask for booklet free, and if you ever get Diarrhea, Dysentery or Cholera Morbus, give Benne Plant a trial. Every article made by the Maguire Medicine Company is guaranteed to do what is claimed for it.

His Point of View.

Fair Medical Student—What do you think of women for physicians?

Old Doctor—I think they are all right. Why, we derive two-thirds of our income from women.—Chicago Evening News.

Hall's Catarrh Cure

Is taken Internally. Price 75c.

Man's economy is in tellin' his wife how to save money.—Arkansaw Thomas Cat.

The tripping feet—the sparkling eye—the graceful movement—belong not alone to the budding maiden.

These graces are the right—aye *duty of every woman* until the hair whitens—and regal dignity replaces them.

The mother who guards her strength has so much more to devote to the care and education of her dear ones. She should be a comfort—a cheer—always.

Yet how many feel that they have the strength to properly balance the home? The world is listless, weary and morbid. Its blood moves sluggishly and is full of impurities. It needs a kindling, invigorating tonic to set it afire—it needs Pe-ru-na,

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in the world which women may rely upon positively. Pe-ru-na is good for everyone, but particularly for women. The various weaknesses which afflict their delicate organism spring from inflammation or catarrh of the mucous lining, and Pe-ru-na is a specific for catarrh in any organ of the body. Any congestion of a mucous membrane simply means catarrh of the organ affected. This is why Pe-ru-na cures all sorts of troubles where other remedies fail. If there is a catarrhal affection the matter with you anywhere Pe-ru-na will cure you.

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CHINA DESIROUS OF PEACE.

Li Hung Chang to Negotiate with the Powers for a Cessation of Hostilities and Ultimate Peace.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Indications of the desire of China for a peaceful settlement of her present difficulties have been multiplying for several days. Evidence of that desire was presented to the department of state today. It was in the form of an edict promulgated by Emperor Kwang Hsu, appointing Earl Li Hung Chang as minister plenipotentiary to negotiate with the powers for an "immediate cessation of hostilities," pending a solution of the problems which have grown out of the anti-foreign uprising in the empire.

Li's Acts Will be Approved.

Earl Li is to act directly for the emperor, and a fair inference is that whatever terms of settlement he may reach with the powers will be approved by the imperial government.

Minister Conger Can Hold On.

During the day only one dispatch that was made public reached any of the government departments from China. A belated message from Minister Conger was transmitted to the war department by Gen. Chaffee. It expressed simply his ability to "hold on" until Gen. Chaffee should come to his relief. All the power of this government will be exerted to get that relief to him and the other imprisoned legationer at the earliest possible moment.

A Chinese Imperial Edict.

Minister Wu was an early caller at the department of state. Shortly after nine o'clock he made an engagement with Acting Secretary of State Adee to meet him at the department at 10:30 a. m. Promptly at that hour the minister's automobile stopped at the west entrance of the department. Minister Wu alighted and hurried to Secretary Adee's office. He presented to Mr. Adee a copy of the imperial edict which he had received last night. It had been transmitted to him in the Chinese foreign office cipher, and its translation and preparation for submission to the department of state had occupied much of the night.

Discussed the Terms of the Edict.

Minister Wu remained with Secretary Adee for three quarters of an hour, discussing the terms of the edict and the probable response to it of this government.

Before Minister Wu left the department Secretary of War Root returned with some diplomatists, but remained long enough only to obtain a copy of the document and discuss it briefly with the Chinese official.

Way to Peace Made Easy.

Minister Wu expressed the belief that the edict presented a means of a peaceful adjustment of the present trouble, and that the request of the Chinese government for a cessation of hostilities pending peace negotiations was entirely reasonable.

Transmitted to the President.

Immediately upon the conclusion of the conference, the text of the edict, together with the details of the call of Minister Wu, was communicated to President McKinley at Canton. The president's reply as yet has not been received.

Later in the day Acting Secretary Adee made public the text of the edict in the following statement:

Secretary Adee's Statement.

"The department of state makes public the following edict appointing Viceroy Li Hung Chang as envoy plenipotentiary to propose a cessation of hostile demonstrations and negotiate with the powers, a copy of which was delivered by Mr. Wu to the acting secretary of state this, Sunday, morning at 10:30 o'clock.

"An imperial edict forwarded by the privy council at Pekin, under date of the 14th day of the seventh moon (August 8) to Gov. Yuan Tsi Nan, Shan Tung, who transmitted it on the 17th day of the same moon (August 11) to the Taoti of Shanghai, by whom it was re-transmitted to Minister Wu, who received it on the night of the same day (August 11).

"The imperial edict, as transmitted by the privy council, is as follows:

The Imperial Edict.

"'In the present conflict between the Chinese and foreigners there has been some misunderstanding on the part of the foreign nations and also a want of proper management on the part of some of the local authorities. A clash of arms was followed by calamitous results, and caused a rupture of friendly relations which will ultimately do no good to the world. We hereby appoint Li Hung Chang as our envoy plenipotentiary, with instructions to propose at once by telegraph to the governments of the several powers concerned for the immediate cessation of hostile demonstrations pending negotiations, which he is hereby authorized to conduct for our part, for the settlement of whatever questions may have to be dealt with. The questions are to be severally considered in a satisfactory manner and the result of the negotiations reported to us for our sanction. Respect this.'

"'The above is respectfully copied for transmission to your excellency, to be communicated to the secretary of state, for his excellency's information.'"

America May Not Consent.

While it is conceded by the Washington officials that the conference of the plenipotentiary authority upon Earl Li to negotiate with the powers for the settlement of existing troubles is a step in the right direction, it is by no means assured that the United States government will consent, offhand, to open negotiations with the distinguished viceroy. The demands of this government upon China have been made plainly, and without equivocation. They can not be misunderstood or evaded.

As transmitted to the imperial government by the secretary of state, through Minister Wu, the demands in brief were:

That the Chinese government give assurances that the foreign ministers are alive, and if so, in what condition; that the ministers be placed in free communication with their governments, firing upon the legations cease and all dangers to their lives and liberty be removed; that the imperial authorities place themselves in communication with the relief expedition, so that the legationers may be liberated, foreigners protected and order restored.

Must be Acceded To.

Until these demands have been acceded to, it is regarded as highly improbable that the government of the United States or any of the European governments, all of which have made practically the same demands upon China, will consent to a cessation of hostile demonstrations, which are being conducted, at least so far as this government is concerned, with the sole purpose of succoring the besieged legationers and foreigners protected.

An Optimistic View.

Minister Wu is inclined to take an optimistic view of the situation.

MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

Recent Deaths.

T. B. Robinson, judge of the Fourteenth judicial circuit of Missouri, at Tuscumbia. Judge Robinson was born in St. Francois county, Mo., April 3, 1837, and located in Miller county in the early 60s, where he has since resided. He was a Union soldier, serving in the Sixth Missouri volunteer cavalry. He held may positions of trust and honor in Miller county, and was one of the ablest lawyers in central Missouri. Gov. Stephens appointed him judge of the Fourteenth judicial circuit to succeed Hon. D. W. Shackleford, last September.

Dr. N. B. Johnson, a wealthy citizen of Warrensburg. He was found dead in his room at the St. Cloud hotel. Deceased was apparently in good health when last seen alive. No cause is assigned. Deceased was 73, and the father of E. N. Johnson, president of the People's national bank of Warrensburg. He had resided for several years in Sibley, Ia., and only recently returned to Warrensburg. The remains were buried by the G. A. R.

William H. Lee, for many years a merchant of Warrensburg. Deceased was 58, a member of the G. A. R. and A. O. U. W.

James M. Nanson, one of the oldest settlers in Jasper county, at Webb City. For many years he was in business in Carthage. He had been a member of the Knights of Pythias for 27 years.

T. Lester Crawford, clerk of the Uniten States circuit court for the eastern Missouri district, at St. Louis. After an illness of three days he succumbed to heart failure, following a severe attack of laryngitis, with severe complications.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dean, at her home, near Nevada, aged 83. She was the mother of a large and prominent family, and had lived on the farm where she died since before the civil war.

A. J. Carter at his home in Brookfield. The deceased held the position of superintendent of bridges for the Missouri lines for many years.

Counterfeiters at Work.

A great quantity of spurious silver coin has been put in circulation in the Missouri-Kansas zinc fields recently, and all efforts to apprehend the counterfeiters have so far failed. The silver used in their manufacture is molten Mexican coins, and the work is so well done that detection is almost impossible. The stamp and milling are said to be the best yet brought to the notice of experts. Even the banks have been taken in by these counterfeits.

Met Death in a Peculiar Manner.

Clyde Saunders, the ten-year-old son of Joseph Saunders, of near Spring Fork, Pettis county, was instantly killed in a peculiar manner. The boy fell off a barn and his head struck on a nail, which pierced his brain. His brother, two year older, carried him to the residence and washed his wound, not knowing he was dead. Failing to resuscitate his brother, he ran two miles to a neighbor's for assistance.

Found Guilty.

The case of the state against Thomas Q. Purcell for the murder of Charles C. Bailey on the evening of March 10 last, was submitted to the jury, at Marshall, and that body reached the following verdict: "We, the jury, find the defendant guilty of murder in the second degree and fix the penalty at thirty years in the penitentiary."

Big Yield of an Oat Field.

Omer Catterson, a prominent farmer and raiser of cattle, who lives a few miles north of Maryville, thinks a 19-acre field belonging to him has broken all records in the production of oats. He has just threshed out 1,270 bushels, which were raised on this 19 acres, an average yield of 67 bushels to the acre.

Death Did Not Part Them.

The funerals of Statius Kehrmann, Sr., and wife, Mrs. Cecilia Kehrmann, were conducted jointly in St. Louis. The ashes of both after cremations were placed in an urn and were buried in the family lot.

Fire at a Threshing.

While Henry Hackleroth was threshing wheat for William Todd, near Salisbury, sparks set fire to the straw, and in less than an hour 800 bushels of wheat was lost; also the machine.

Was Not Worrying.

A Boston millionaire's son came west and engaged as a porter at the Coates house in Kansas City. Discharged for reporting late, he donned fine raiment and became a guest at the hotel.

While Hunting.

A. M. Woodson, Jr., the 14-year-old son of Judge Woodson, of the circuit court of St. Joseph, was perhaps fatally shot near Mound City, while hunting. He is wounded in the groin and hand.

Bond Issue Taken at Home.

The $50,000 bonds issued by the county court of Lawrence county were purchased by four of the leading banks of Lawrence county for $51,000, this being the highest bid.

Accidentally Shot.

Albert Strother, son of a widow, was shot at Center. He and his brother were shooting birds, and he was accidentally shot through the right lung.

Three New Postmasters.

Melvin W. Caster has been appoined postmaster at Clayton, St. Louis county; Frank D. W. Arnold, of Lamar, and E. R. Williams, of Richmond.

For Colored Teachers.

Prof. B. F. Adams, of Joplin, is conducting the institute for colored teachers of southwest Missouri, in session at Hartville.

Increased Wheat Crop.

The wheat crop of southeast Missouri is the largest ever grown in that section of the state, due to the large increase in acreage.

Caused by Drought.

There is great distress all over Saline county on account of the drought. Late corn is about ruined and meadows are dried up.

Miller County Teachers.

The Miller county teachers' institute held a four weeks' session at Eldon.

Melons a Poor Crop.

Melons are reported a poor crop in Dunklin and New Madrid counties, and are suffering from drought in Wayne county.

The Circus Parade.

There was a circus at Nevada, the other day. J. W. Talbot, a jeweler, and his clerks stood out in front to see the show.

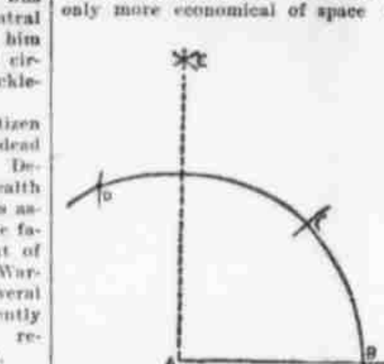
The Apple Crop.

The hot, dry weather has been unfavorable for apples, and they are still dropping in many places to a considerable extent.

RECTANGULAR FIELDS.

They Are Less Wasteful Than Other Shapes and Are Not Much More Difficult to Make.

Every farmer is willing to agree that rectangular fields are less wasteful of land than fields of other shapes, and that straight lanes and roads running at right angles to or parallel with the sides of these fields are not only more economical of space and



PLAN OF RECTANGULAR FIELD.

time, but are neater than irregular roads. It is not every man, however, that has a satisfactory way of making his roads and fields take these forms. Of course, where ravines and other formations of the surface occur roads and fences must conform to the surface more or less; but for ordinary places the following method, that the writer has used recently with satisfaction, may be employed.

Decide upon a straight base-line, and work from that. Start at one of the corners, A (see illustration), and measure back on the line any convenient distance, B, say 20 feet, using a piece of rope that will not stretch. Hold the rope tight, and draw the arc BCD. Now start at B, and keeping the rope tight, mark the point C. From C mark off D, and also draw a little arc passing through E, which will be definitely located when the stationary end of the line is placed at D and the distance, 20 feet, marked off. The line drawn from A to E will be perpendicular to the base-line, and all that will now be necessary will be to extend this line by the usual method of sighting with poles.—M. G. Kains, in Farm and Fireside.

THE COW IN SUMMER.

Unless She Is Given a Well-Balanced Ration Her Milk Yield Is Bound to Shrink.

Comparatively few farmers would think of working a team of horses hard during the summer months without feeding a liberal allowance of grain along with pasture. But when it comes to feeding cows the reverse is true. Just as small a number feed their cows a grain ration while running on a pasture.

The horse is fed grain from which to draw material to supply the system with force and energy. Farmers have learned from experience that grass alone does not afford the proper amount of muscle-makers to repair the waste and give strength to a horse at constant hard work, and they resort to feeding grain.

The cow, as a matter of course, does not expend so much for muscular strength in the elaboration of milk as does the horse in a hard day's work, but the draft on her nervous system is greater than that on the muscular system of the horse. Before one can reasonably expect a cow to do her best day after day and year after year, she must be liberally furnished with food that will supply the system with strength and energy to stand the draft made by the nervous forces on her system.

We hear a great deal about balanced rations for winter feeding and but very little about a balanced ration during the summer months. A cow needs the same material during the summer as during the winter. She needs a balanced ration in May and June as much as in December and January. During the winter we see that her wants are supplied. During the summer she is, as a rule, left to shift for herself, and if she does not respond liberally when on pasture—no matter what the nature of the pasture, whether it is clover, bluegrass, timothy or wild grass—she is condemned, when the fact is, she is doing the best she can under the circumstances.—M. E. King, in Ohio Farmer.

The Selections of Sires.

No question is more puzzling to the average breeder than the price that he can safey pay for a sire. No factor is more vital to the breeder's success, whether he is beginner or veteran, whether he is engaged in the production of high-class show and sale stock or prime market-topping steers for the block. At the leading sales of the beef breeds during the last year $1,000 has not been an uncommon price for the best cows and in a few instances $2,000 and $3,000 have been reached. If a cow is worth $1,000, what is a bull worth which is good enough to mate with such a cow?—Prairie Farmer.

Maj. Alvord, states there are now approximately 10,000 creameries and cheese factories in operation in the United States.

Two pastures are better than one.

Without Trigonometry.

"You were very warlike when you sneaked in by the kitchen last night," quoth Mrs. Spitzgubbler.

"I," said Mr. Spitzditto, with a smile, "I was trying to promote peace."

"But you tumbled over the cookstove."

"What has that to do with it?"

"It proves that you were an excellent range finder."—Buffalo Enquirer.

The Doctor's Dilemma.

Smith—The doctor tells me that young Softleigh has something like brain trouble.

Jones—Can't he afford him any relief?

"No. He says it would be easy enough to get rid of the trouble, but it is impossible to locate the brain."—Chicago Evening News.

Piscatorial Delights.

Mrs. Innocent—What did you enjoy most about your fishing trip, dear?

Mr. Innocent—I got most excited when I was reeling in, my love.

(Bursting into tears)—And to—to-th-think you promised me y-you wouldn't d-drink a drop.—Harlem Life.

By Contraries.

Watts—The most ardent advocates of war are those who never saw a battle.

Potts—And the most ardent advocates of the beauty and dignity of work are those who never saw a stick of firewood.—Indianapolis Journal.

PEOPLE OF NOTE.

Giacoma Puccini, the composer, is the fifth representative in the direct line of a family of musicians. His great-great-grandfather, born in 1712, was conductor at Lucca and the teacher of Guglielmi. Descendants of his in each generation have been composers.

That Queen Victoria is a faithful patron of Irish lace and linen is well known. Her liking for the linen is so enthusiastic that no cotton is permitted to be used in any of the royal residences. Even the simplest kitchen cloth must be made of Irish flax.

Among the many attractions at North Beach, near New York, there is a wild man who, according to the owner of the show, was "captured at great expense in the wilds of Borneo." The wild man's name on the bills is "An-nahk-r-am," and it is declared that he eats cats, dogs, birds and mice. The name spelled backward bears a close resemblance to that of a noted Ohio man.

In a study of American politics which appeared in a recent number of the London Chronicle it was pointed out that out of the 25 presidents of the United States all but one have been of British family origin. Fifteen, headed by Washington, came of English stock. Three, including James Monroe, had Scotch ancestors. One, Thomas Jefferson, inherited pure Welsh blood, while five others traced their lineage to Scotch-Irish ancestry.

George Gould attended a meeting of the Union Pacific railroad directors a few days ago and lighted a cigarette. "Drop that cigarette," said Chairman Harriman. "I have issued an order forbidding employes to smoke cigarettes. You are an employe; you get $10 for attending one of these meetings. You too, Mr. Schiff," addressing another millionaire director who was toying with a lighted perfecto. "We directors must not make rules for employes and then break them ourselves." The distinguished employes quietly obeyed orders.

HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

Patties, green peas, olives and pickles are quite favorite combinations, making also a most acceptable course for luncheon or dinner.

Tomatoes may be salted and peppered, dipped into beaten egg and cracker crumbs and fried until they are brown. For these it is better not to use the onion. They are particularly delicious served with fish.

THE MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 13.

CATTLE—Native Steers	$ 4 35	@	5 90
COTTON—Middling	....	@	10
FLOUR—Winter Wheat	2 75	@	4 25
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	80¾	@	82¾
CORN—No. 2	....	@	46½
OATS—No. 2	....	@	26¼
PORK—Mess New	12 75	@	13 50
ST. LOUIS.			
COTTON—Middling	....	@	9¼
BEEVES—Steers	4 25	@	6 00
Cows and Heifers	2 50	@	4 50
CALVES—(per 100)	5 00	@	6 50
HOGS—Fair to Choice	4 75	@	5 10
SHEEP—Fair to Choice	3 75	@	4 25
FLOUR—Patents (new)	3 60	@	3 75
Other Grades	3 00	@	3 60
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	73¾	@	75
CORN—No. 2	....	@	37
OATS—No. 2	21½	@	22
RYE—No. 2	....	@	49½
TOBACCO—Lugs	3 50	@	8 50
Leaf Burley	4 50	@	12 00
HAY—Clear Timothy (new)	10 00	@	14 50
BUTTER—Choice Dairy	14	@	16
BACON—Clear Rib	....	@	8¾
EGGS—Fresh	....	@	11
PORK—Standard Mess (new)	12 50	@	12 75
LARD—Prime Steam	....	@	6¾
CHICAGO.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	4 85	@	6 00
HOGS—Fair to Choice	4 85	@	5 40
SHEEP—Fair to Choice	3 75	@	4 65
FLOUR—Winter Patents	3 80	@	4 00
Spring Patents	3 70	@	4 10
WHEAT—No. 2 Spring	70	@	72¾
No. 2 Red	76	@	77½
CORN—No. 2	....	@	40¾
OATS—No. 2	....	@	22¾
PORK—Mess	11 70	@	11 75
KANSAS CITY.			
CATTLE—Native Steers	4 80	@	6 00
HOGS—Fair to Choice	4 85	@	5 15
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	73	@	72½
OATS—No. 2 White	....	@	23½
CORN—No. 2	....	@	29½
NEW ORLEANS.			
FLOUR—High Grade	3 55	@	4 00
CORN—No. 2	....	@	52
OATS—Western	....	@	32
HAY—Choice	17 50	@	18 00
PORK—Standard Mess	12 75	@	12 00
BACON—Short Rib Sides	8⅝	@	8¾
COTTON—Middling	....	@	9¾
LOUISVILLE.			
WHEAT—No. 2 Red	75	@	76½
CORN—No. 2	41	@	42
OATS—No. 2 Mixed	25	@	26½
PORK—New Mess	12 75	@	13 00
BACON—Short Rib	8⅝	@	8¾
COTTON—Middling	....	@	9¾

Pale and Weak Women

Beauty and strength in women vanish early in life because of monthly pain or some menstrual irregularity. Many suffer silently and see their best gifts fade away.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

helps women preserve roundness of form and freshness of face because it makes their entire female organism healthy. It carries women safely through the various natural crises and is the safeguard of woman's health.

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Chinaman and Christian.

A Chinaman of great dignity and some splendor of dress was getting off an elevated train at Twenty-third street the other day when a white rowdy called after him:

"Say," said the tough, "are you a 'boxer'?"

The other tough added some abuse and roared with laughter, after the Chinaman, who got off the car, then turned. He waited till the gates were closed, then he answered in pretty clear English:

"Say, you Clistian!"

Then the gateman and some passengers laughed, and the toughs slunk into the car.—N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

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Always Alive.—New Foreman — "Little short of copy, sir." Editor—"Don't you know the standing rule of the office?" New Foreman—"No, sir; what is it?" Editor—"When short of copy always run the portrait of the dowager empress of China!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Best Prescription for Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price, 50c.

Goodness without graciousness is ugly and toad-like; if he has a jewel, it is of the head and not of the heart.—Boston Transcript.

Piso's Cure is the best medicine we ever used for all affections of the throat and lungs.—Wm. O. Endsley, Vanburen, Ind., Feb. 10, 1900.

A Bitter Drop in Joy's Cup.—"Did the bride seem happy?" "No; the society magazine put her wedding eleventh in a column of 13."—Indianapolis Journal.

Dyspepsia is the bane of the human system. Protect yourself against its ravages by the use of Beeman's Pepsin Gum.

What profiteth a man if he wins the jackpot and loses on the next day's races?—Town Topics.

Why Yucatan Chill Tonic (improved) is Superior to all So-Called Tasteless Tonics. Because it is acceptable to the most delicate stomach. Does not sicken, nauseate or produce a bad taste. Each dose contains the same proportion of medicine. Half the medicine does not stick to the bottle. No shaking of the bottle required—the component parts are thoroughly assimilated. It has a pleasant taste. Formula: Quinine, Iron and Pepsin. Drives out Malarial Poisons! Purifies the Blood! Strengthens the Nerves! Produces a hearty appetite! The Best Tonic Known! Price, 50 cents. Cure guaranteed. For sale by druggists.

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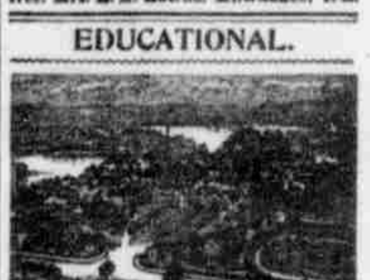

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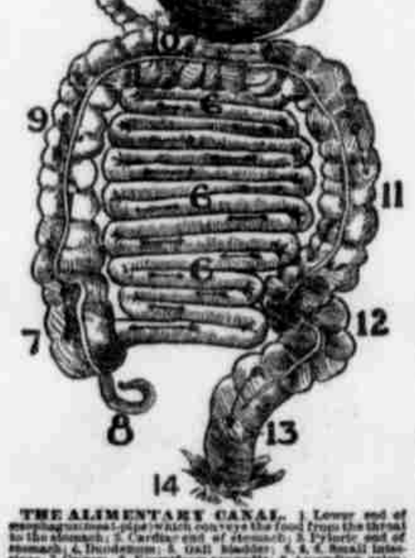

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