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Quotation of Prices for Thursday June 24, 1909.

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Steers.
Good to choice, corn fed..... 5.00 @ 6.00
Medium and thin..... 4.50 @ 5.25
Common and thin..... 3.50 @ 4.00

Heifers.
Choice fat..... 4.50 @ 5.00
Medium to good..... 3.50 @ 4.00
Common and thin..... 2.50 @ 3.00

Cows.
Best fat cows..... 3.50 @ 4.00
Cutters..... 1.75 @ 2.00
Canners..... 1.00 @ 1.25

Calves.
Good fat, 120 to 180 lbs..... 5.50 @ 6.00
Light, 120 and under..... 4.50 @ 5.00
Heavy, 200 and up..... 3.50 @ 4.00

Hogs.
Good 175 to 225 lbs butchers..... 7.00 @ 7.25
Heavy 175 to 225 packers..... 7.00 @ 7.15
Pigs 75 to 130 lbs..... 5.25 @ 5.75

Sheep.
Lamb, choice fat..... 6.50 @ 7.00
Lamb, medium to good..... 5.50 @ 6.00
Lamb, thin..... 2.00 @ 3.00
Ewes..... 3.00 @ 3.50

Flour and Grain.
Flour—Straight, per cwt..... 3.20
Patent..... 4.00
Buckwheat..... 4.00
Corn, per bushel, new..... 75 @ 80
Eye, per bushel..... 70 @ 75
Oats—White, per bushel..... 50 @ 53
Barley, per bushel..... 65 @ 70

Butter and Cheese.
Butter—Roll, per lb..... 22
Good dairy in tubs..... 28
Creamery, per lb..... 28
Cheese, per lb..... 16

Farm Produce.
Eggs, per dozen..... 19
Potatoes, per bushel..... 90
Onions, per bushel..... 90
Lard, per lb..... 12
Turkeys, per lb..... 12
Chickens—Live, per lb..... 8
Chickens—Rough, per lb..... 3
Hens..... 3
Wood—dry, per cord..... 8.00
Green..... 5.50

Hides.
Hides—Green, per lb No. 1..... 7 @ 8
Lead, Zinc and Sulphur Ores.
Lead ore, per 1,000 lbs..... 25.00 @ 25.00
Drybone, per ton..... 4.00 @ 15.00
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Sulphur, per ton..... 2.00 @ 5.00

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Salt per barrel..... 1.15

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Fell Off a Train.
On Wednesday afternoon, June 16, William Needham, a young farmer, fell from a freight train, near Jamesville, and lay all night near the tracks. On Thursday morning he was found almost dead and hurried to a local hospital.

Men Past Fifty in Danger.
Men past middle life have found comfort and relief in Foley's Kidney Remedy, especially for enlarged prostate gland, which is very common among elderly men. L. E. Morris, Dexter, Ky., writes: "Up to a year ago my father suffered from kidney and bladder trouble and several physicians pronounced it enlargement of the prostate gland and advised amputation. On account of his age we were afraid he could not stand it and I recommended Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the first bottle relieved him, and after taking the second bottle he was no longer troubled with this complaint." Ivey's Pharmacy.

Protecting the Birds.
Madison Journal: Under the new fish and game law, the boy who yields to the temptation to wreck the homestead of any harmless bird in order to secure a collection of eggs will be in serious danger. If he goes farther and practices with his gun or target rifle, using such birds as targets, he will have to pay from \$5 to \$50 for each bird, or may go to jail for thirty days. The whip-poorwill, night hawk, bluebird, finch, thrush, lark, robin and turtle dove are mentioned especially.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Best on the Market.
"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and find it to be the best on the market," says E. W. Tharty, editor of The Sentinel, Gainesboro, Tenn. "Our baby had several colds, he past winter and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy always gave relief at once and cured it in a short time. I always recommend it when opportunity presents itself." For sale by Metz's Pharmacy.

Recovered from Injuries.
Platteville News: Miss Louisa Chase who was severely injured while riding on the street cars in Milwaukee has so far recovered from her accident as to be able to take short walks. She has been at the home of her brother, H. G. Chase some time. Her recovery is considered remarkable as at the time of her injury, her physician gave the family little hope that she would ever be so that she could walk.

A Thrilling Rescue.
How Bert R. Lean, of Cheney, Wash., was saved from a frightful death is a story to thrill the world. "A hard cold," he writes, "brought on a desperate lung trouble that baffled an expert doctor here. Then I paid \$10 to a visit to a lung specialist in Spokane, who did not help me. Then I went to California, but without benefit. At last I used Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me and now I am as well as ever." For Lung Trouble, Bronchitis, Coughs and Colds, Asthma, Croup and Whooping Cough its supreme. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Priddy & Bliss.

A Record Breaker.
Republican Journal: Here is a record breaker. Mr. William Carey brought into Darlington on Monday fifteen hogs that weighed over 4500 pounds, which he sold for 7 cents per pound, and received in payment the sum of \$110.

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No one has ever made a salve, ointment, or balm to compare with Borden's Arnica Salve. Its one perfect healer of Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Sores, Scalds, Bolls, Ulcers, Ezema, Salt Rheum. For Sore Eyes, Cold Sores, Chapped Hands its supreme. Infallible for Piles. Only 30c at Priddy & Bliss.

Of Interest to Farmers and Mechanics.
Farmers and mechanics frequently meet with slight accidents and injuries which cause them much annoyance and loss of time. A cut or bruise may be cured in about one-third the time usually required by applying Chamberlain's Liniment as soon as the injury is received. This liniment is also valuable for sprains, soreness of the muscles and rheumatic pains. There is no danger of blood poisoning resulting from an injury when Chamberlain's Liniment is applied before the parts become inflamed and swollen. For sale by Metz's Pharmacy.

Crushes Hand in Well Drill.
The Dodgeville Chronicle, June 18: Chris Gorder had his right hand badly crushed between some wheels on a well drilling machine Tuesday. He was drilling a well for Samuel Harris on the old fair grounds when the accident happened. It required 18 stitches to close the cuts in the hand. Mr. Gorder has suffered much pain, but at present he is getting along as well as can be looked for.

Sore Nipples.
Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the babe to nurse. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results. For sale by Metz's Pharmacy.

Linden Mines.
The Conservative, June 17: The Carrow mine blew its whistle for the first time last week. The Dark Horse is going to install a 60 H. P. boiler and hoist as soon as possible. This mine has been in the lead, as an ore producer, for a long time. They are now increasing the number of men employed and also the dividends. They have now about 300 tons of ore on the dump. The sheet of ore struck last week will mean another increase.

Women Who Are Envid.
Those attractive women who are lovely in face, form and temper are the envy of many, who might be like them. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation or kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wrinkled complexion. For all such, Electric Bitters work wonders. They regulate Stomach, Liver and Kidneys, purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion. Many charming women owe their health and beauty to them. 50c at Priddy & Bliss.

Good for Highland.
Montfort Mail: On Monday a transfer was made by the Lampe estate of the eight-acre tract of land in Highland, used for years as a ball park, to the village of Highland, for perpetual use as a park. Consideration \$3,750. The money will be borrowed from the state for twenty years at 3 1/2 per cent interest. Good for Highland.

Trouble Makers Ousted.
When a sufferer from stomach trouble takes Dr. King's New Life Pills he's mighty glad to see his Dyspepsia and Indigestion fly, but more—he's tickled over his new, fine appetite, strong nerves healthy vigor, all because stomach, liver and kidneys now work right. 25c at Priddy & Bliss.

For Sale or Rent.
Ninety-five acres, formerly part of the Ellsworth farm; 40 acres in tame hay; balance in pasture; running water on the place. Inquire of Josiah Lanyon.

Morse-Bozell.
Republican Journal: E. J. Morse, reporter for the circuit court of this district, and Miss Marguerite Bozell were united in marriage at the home of the bride in Montfort on Saturday last and came direct to Darlington, where court was in session. Mr. Morse is very popular with the lawyers of the circuit, who join with us in extending congratulations.

Foley's Honey and Tar.
Colds that hang on weaken the constitution and develop into consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures persistent coughs that refuse to yield to other treatment. Do not experiment with nostril remedies as delay may result in your cold settling on your lungs. For sale at Ivey's Pharmacy.

Breaks Nose Playing Ball.
Dodgeville Chronicle: Lester Stephenson had the misfortune to have his nose broken while playing ball Monday.

Stomach Troubles.
Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at Metz's drug store.

Home from Lawrence University.
Darlington Democrat: Roy Parkinson, who graduated from our high school with the class of '06 and has been attending Lawrence University at Appleton the past year, came home Tuesday and will spend the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parkinson of Fayette.

Foley's Orino Laxative.
Everyone would be benefited by taking Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation, and liver troubles, as it stimulates the stomach and breath, gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels and is much superior to pills and ordinary laxatives. Why not try Foley's Orino Laxative today? Ivey's Pharmacy.

Accident at Linden Mine.
The Conservative: Ray Roberts who was working at the What's-left mine on the Robart range had his leg quite badly hurt yesterday. He was riding the horse that was hoisting the tub when the horse started to run, throwing him off.

A Good Building Lot for Sale.
Lot is situated on the corner of Vine and South street situated near the fourth ward school building. This property is centrally located and will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at the Democrat office.

Teacher Gets Present.
The faculty of the Platteville Normal school have presented a silver loving cup to J. W. Livingston who has resigned the presidency of the school.

If You are Worth \$50,000 Don't Read This.
This will not interest you if you are worth fifty thousand dollars, but if you are a man of moderate means and cannot afford to employ a physician when you have an attack of diarrhoea, you will be pleased to know that one or two doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy will cure it. This remedy has been in use for many years and is thoroughly reliable. Price 25 cents. For sale by Metz's Pharmacy.

Burglaries in Shullsburg.
Pick and Gad: A number of petty burglaries have been committed in this city within the past few weeks, the Fair store being the latest victim. Last Sunday night parties obtained entrance to the building by breaking the transom fastener over the side door, pried some boxes outside and crawled through. Nothing was missed from the store with the exception of some pennies and small change which was in the candy case. The same building was broken into the previous Sunday, and the stores of E. W. Laird and R. T. White have also been burglarized for small amounts. The work is attributed to home talent, and if caught should be made an example of. The Pick and Gad office has thus far fortunately escaped being "touched."

Foley's Kidney Remedy.
To avoid serious results take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of kidney or bladder disorder such as headache, urinary irregularities, exhaustion, and you will soon be well. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy today. Ivey's Pharmacy.

Linden Mines.
The Conservative, June 17: The Carrow mine blew its whistle for the first time last week. The Dark Horse is going to install a 60 H. P. boiler and hoist as soon as possible.

Many of our Citizens
are drifting towards Bright's disease by neglecting symptoms of kidney and bladder trouble which Foley's Kidney Remedy will quickly cure. Ivey's Pharmacy.

Not Slighted.
A minister's little daughter was visiting a family in a parish which her father had recently left. One day she explained to her hostess that he hoped the people of the church would not send for him to conduct funerals, but would have the present pastor of the church. Thinking perhaps she might have given offense she looked up with a bright smile and added, "But of course he would be very glad to attend your funeral."—The Delineator for July.

A Home for Sale Cheap.
\$750 buys a centrally located comfortable home. Inquire of the Mineral Point Real Estate Agency at the Democrat office.

Hinkel Spicer.
Sun-Republic: Miss Lillian Spicer of Dodgeville and Burton K. Hinkel of Avoca were married at high noon Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spicer, Rev. A. S. Gilbert, pastor of the M. E. church officiating. They were attended by Miss Ella Spicer sister of the bride and Clayton Hinkel brother of the groom.

Foley's Honey and Tar
is especially recommended for chronic throat and lung troubles and many sufferers from bronchitis, asthma and consumption have found comfort and relief, by using Foley's Honey and Tar. Ivey's Pharmacy.

The Legislative Investigation.
Darlington Democrat: The investigation was begun on little knowledge. It was a sort of fishing expedition; but the catch has justified the venture. The public conscience is quickened by definite knowledge of questionable methods. It is in condition to act with greater wisdom than before, and with more of requirement in the way of righteous means and methods among candidates.

No candidate will hereafter dare to depend upon money for success. No candidate can win whose principal dependency is money. Even without a statute prohibiting the excessive use of money in political campaigns, money will not be used to excess, because such methods would immediately brand the guilty man with a public disapproval so strong as to insure his defeat.

Grub Worms at Work.
Linden Conservative: The old pests, grub worms, are beginning to effect the crops some what in this vicinity. Parties inform us that this pest had made inroads on the barley field and partially destroyed it. It is thought the worms have been working in the corn field. It is hoped that the recent rains may stop the ravages of the pest before serious injury has been done.

'Varsity Professors Lead in New Movement.
The newly organized American Institute of Criminal Law and Criminology elected Professor E. A. Ross of the department of sociology in the University of Wisconsin as vice-president and chairman of one of the three sections to consider and report on 135 important questions. The eminent jurists, lawyers, professors of law, criminologists, prison officials, and sociologists of the country composing the society include also Prof. Joseph Jastrow, Prof. R. E. Scott, Prof. H. J. Smith, and Prof. A. Gilmore, all of the University of Wisconsin.

The Delineator for July.
If any one has an ambition to climb mountains as a vacation pastime, Miss Annie S. Peck's description of her experiences in making the famous ascent of Mt. Hanscaran, which appears in The Delineator for July, will be conducive to second thought. In this number of the magazine, which each month offers a remarkable variety of good things, Mabel Potter Daggett tells what the gospel-workers of a great city do toward "Saving New York a Summer." For the benefit of girls who are planning a trip abroad for the purpose of pursuing some branch of education, Mildred Stapley presents "The Other Side of Studying in Paris." In her series, "After College Days, What?" Ruth Cranston gives encouragement and advice to the girl who lives at home.

The fiction includes "A Discard," by Arthur Conan Doyle, "The Dead Past" by Alice Brown and "Billy Brad and the Big Lie" by Ellis Parker Butler. Rudyard Kipling has written five stories for The Delineator. The first, "Cold Iron," will appear in the September number. The fashions for July are beautifully illustrated.

WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO.

Their Unceasing Work Keeps Us Strong and Healthy.
All the blood in the body passes through the kidneys once every three minutes. The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. When healthy they remove about 500 grains of impure matter daily, when unhealthy some part of this impure matter is left in the blood. This brings on many diseases and symptoms—pain in the back, headache, nervousness, hot, dry skin, rheumatism, gout, gravel, disorders of the eyesight and hearing, dizziness, dropsy, deposits in the urine, etc. But if you keep the filters right you will have no trouble with your kidneys.

Chas. Goldsworthy, retired, living on Hoard St., Mineral Point, Wis., says: "I have been practically unfit to do any work for over five years as a result of kidney trouble and rheumatism. During the past five months I was troubled a retention of the kidney secretions, accompanied by dull pains in my back. I tried a great many remedies but did not receive relief from any of them and when my attention was drawn to Doan's Kidney Pills, I went to Ivey's Pharmacy and procured a box. I have had but little pain since using this remedy, my kidneys act more naturally and I feel better in every way. I give Doan's Kidney Pills my hearty endorsement at every opportunity."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

LEGAL NOTICES.
STATE of Wisconsin, Iowa County, City of Mineral Point, ss.—In Justice Court. To the defendant, Simon James Bartle— You are hereby notified that a warrant of attachment has been issued against you and your property attached to satisfy the demand of the plaintiff, William Steele, amounting to one hundred and ninety-six and 75/100 (\$196.75) dollars, interest on said debt, and costs of said court, at his office, in the city of Mineral Point, on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1909, being the fifth Tuesday of said month, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following matters will be heard and considered:

The application of W. G. Bennett to admit to probate the last will and testament of Jane Prisk, late of the city of Mineral Point, in said county, deceased. And it is further ordered, that public notice be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this order for three weeks successively, prior to said day of hearing in the Iowa County Democrat a weekly newspaper published in said county. Dated this 24th day of June, A. D. 1909. By the Court, ALDRIDGE JENKS, County Judge.

Fiedler & Fiedler, Attorneys. NOTICE TO HEAR PROOF OF WILL.

STATE of Wisconsin, Iowa County Court, ss.—In Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the Iowa County Court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Dodgeville, in said county, on the 29th day of June, A. D. 1909, being the fifth Tuesday of said month, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following matters will be heard and considered:

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Spensley, McIlhonn and T. M. Priestley, Attorneys. NOTICE OF ORDER FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT.

STATE of Wisconsin, Iowa County Court, ss.—In Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the Iowa County Court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Dodgeville, in said county, on the 29th day of June, A. D. 1909, being the fifth Tuesday of said month, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following matters will be heard and considered:

The application of Phil Allen, Jr., administrator of the estate of The Helen late of said county, deceased, for the examination and allowance of the residue of her estate, and for the settlement of her account and for such persons as are by law entitled to the same. And it is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested by publishing a copy of this notice for three weeks successively, prior to said day of hearing in the Iowa County Democrat a weekly newspaper published in said county. Dated this 24th day of May, 1909. By the Court, ALDRIDGE JENKS, County Judge.

SUMMONS. STATE of Wisconsin, Iowa County.—In Circuit Court. The Franklin Mining Company, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. Angela Imhoff, Mary Imhoff, Josephine Bahl, Mary Lee, and William Lee, her husband, Henrietta McGuire and Patrick McGuire, her husband, Maggie Rubado and William Rubado, her husband, Stephen M. Erpenbach and Dora Erpenbach, Louis Steele, Lorine Mullen, William Mullen, Charles Steele, Eddie Steele, Arthur Steele, Josephine Steele, Adline Steele, William Steele, Helen Steele, Rosa Fiedler, Lizzie Klingele and John Klingele, her husband, Mary Stepler and Peter Stepler, her husband, Henry J. Lampe and Lena Lampe, his wife, Joseph Lampe, Catherine Swazick and V. Swazick, her husband, Catherine Lampe, George Lampe and Annie Lampe, his wife, James Imhoff, William Imhoff and Theresa Imhoff, his wife, Annie Rubado and Theodore Rubado, her husband, Josephine Nusbaum and Henry Nusbaum, her husband, Elizabeth Monke, Henry Monke, her husband, Mary Imhoff and Theodore Imhoff, her husband, Christine Korta, and Annie Lampe, wife of Joseph Lampe, Defendants.

The State of Wisconsin, to the said Defendants and each of them— You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after the service of these summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

SPENSLEY, McILHON & PRIESTLEY, Plaintiff's Attorneys, P. O. Address, Mineral Point, Iowa Co., Wis. Note.—The above entitled action is for partition of the following premises:— The Moore mining lot being a part of the southeast quarter of Section 25, Town 7, north of Range one, east bounded by a line commencing 70 chains and 90 links south of the center line of the center of said section, and running thence south 6 chains, thence south 84 degrees east 8 chains 50 links, thence north 5 chains 95 links, thence north 88 degrees west 8 chains and 20 links to place of beginning. The Plaintiff's complaint is on file in the office of the clerk of the circuit court for Iowa County Wisconsin.

A SMALL BLIND TUBE

The Vermiform Appendix and Its Probable Function.

PROBLEM OF APPENDICITIS.

The Causes of the Disease and the Methods of Fighting It—The Way the Operation of Removal is Performed—Disease as Old as Mankind.

Appendicitis is not a disease of modern times, though its nature and methods of treatment are the result of careful observation by one of our well known modern surgeons while engaged in post-mortem work.

It may be safe to say that appendicitis is as old as mankind, for in studying very old histories wherein are given the diagnoses of the physicians we read of cases of inflammation of the bowels, intestinal disorders and like ailments the symptoms of which prove that they must have been appendicitis.

Appendicitis is inflammation of the vermiform appendix, a small blind tube, averaging two and a half inches in length and a quarter of an inch in diameter, attached to the caecum at its inner and posterior part. It is made of a very sensitive mucous membrane containing several glands.

The appendix is part of the digestive tract, its function, it is believed, being to lubricate that part of the intestines, though as yet there is no absolute proof of this. Careful study of a child from whom the colon has been removed until he reaches the age of manhood has revealed no irregularities of any nature.

The causes of this disease may be grouped under four heads—stagnation, which means closing up; impaction, the entrance of foreign bodies, not necessarily seeds; exposure and injury.

In fighting this disease nature takes three methods of disposing of the toxic materials—discharging them into the peritoneal cavity, sending them into the bowels and discharging them through an external wound. In the first, if the discharge be not too rapid while the peritoneum is taking them up, nature again makes an effort to ward off the threatened danger by walling the poisonous matters in, thus localizing them and so aiding the physician or surgeon in his work. If, however, the discharge be sudden, as is the case when the mass bursts, the whole of the peritoneum becomes involved, which is called septic peritonitis, and this is generally fatal.

After the diagnosis has revealed the disease the doctor decides whether the case be one for medicine or external treatment or for separation. In the latter case the greatest care is demanded, as sometimes an immediate operation is necessary, while at other times it must be delayed, often for hours, until the condition of the patient has been brought to that point at which the surgeon can feel it is safe to go ahead.

The operation determined upon, the most careful arrangements to secure perfect antisepsis are made, and the patient is placed in a full state of anaesthesia.

The operating surgeon then draws an imaginary line from the navel to the anterior superior spine of the right hip bone, dividing that line into three parts. Under the inner side of the middle third the appendix in normal cases will be found, though in rare cases it has been found on the left side and in extremely rare cases otherwise displaced.

Having satisfied himself of the exact spot under which it will be found, an incision from two to five inches long is made in the skin. (Some of the best surgeons pride themselves on the smallness of their incisions in this operation.) The fatty tissues are then cut through, the small blood vessels are secured, and then the muscular walls of the abdomen are separated, bringing into view the peritoneum.

This is a serous secretive lining composed of two layers. On cutting through this the edges of both layers are clamped so as to enable the surgeon to reunite them when the operation shall have been completed.

The intestines are now visible, and the affected section is very tenderly drawn through the opening, where the nature and extent of the infection are made known. Hot towels moistened with salt water are kept applied to the intestine while it is exposed. The word "tenderly" characterizes the whole of this operation, as the surgeon must be more than careful to prevent any rupture of the appendix, for should this happen while he is operating the pus would be quickly taken up by the peritoneum and other mucous membranes, and the resulting complications would make the outcome very uncertain.

The mesentery, a large vessel adjoining the appendix, is next ligated, and then the colon is tied off, after which the diseased organ is cut away. The stump is pushed back into the intestine and the ligature is tightly drawn, this to prevent the forming of a pouch. The removal safely accomplished, the intestine is replaced, the edges of the peritoneum are carefully approximated and the muscular walls, fatty tissue and skin are brought together by subcutaneous and cutaneous sutures.

In the majority of cases, no complications ensuing, the patient is ready for discharge in two weeks.—James M. Smyth, M. D., in New York World.

There is a proper dignity and proportion to be observed in the performance of every act of life.—Aurelius.

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