

WESTERN SHOW COMING THE 22

A COWBOY'S GIRL, TITLE OF
HUMOROUS PIECE.

old to Be Better Than Squawman
and Equal to Virginian.

A rare treat is in store for the patrons of the Steward March 22 when Gerald Clute and a capable company will present the breezy comedy, "A Cowboy's Girl." This popular comedy, heralded as being one of the most faithful and picturesque delineations of western ranch life in Texas, and portraying a most captivating romance of a dashing foreman of the Lazy L ranch.

Mr. Clute, who assumes the stellar role of this play, needs no introduction to westerners as he has already achieved pronounced success in plays of this type through conscientious and diligent efforts. He holds his audiences with a gripping interest by his artistic dramatic restraint and pleasing magnetism of his voice.

Johnnie Pringle, who is the pre-eminent fun maker of this company and

who carries on a love affair of his own on the side, has also built up for himself a unique reputation in the west in low comedy parts. His fever to annex (a skirt) is a sort of innocent mirth.

The balance of the cast has been selected with the aim of giving this play a dashing and picturesque presentation.

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A Good Word For Caviar.

Caviar receives a clean bill in the London Lancet, despite the fact that it is regarded by many medical men as "fatty, indigestible and unwholesome." Numerous analyses have been made of this sturgeon roe delicacy, which, according to the writer, when averaged, appears to be as follows: Water, 50.92 per cent; protein, 27.92 per cent; fat, 13.59 per cent, and mineral salts, 7.57 per cent. It differs sharply from the flesh of fish by containing a much larger quantity of fat. Moreover, this fat contains the peculiar oily phosphorus compound known as lecithin, which is a stimulant to metabolism, affecting favorably the processes of nutrition. Caviar is, in fact, highly nutritive, and its digestibility has been determined, the time taken for its absorption being relatively short. If there is anything to be said unfavorably of caviar it is that its constituents are slightly on the side of richness.

Flogging.

The Jewish rabbis had a legend which carries corporal punishment back to the days of our first parents, which is quaintly reflected in that modern schoolboy's play upon names, "Adam Seth Eve Cain Abel."

Of course there is, too, the warning of Solomon, "He that spareth the rod hateth his son," or the old Egyptian proverb, "The back of a lad is made that he may be beaten to him that beats it," but if we must go on history alone the earliest records belong to the Romans, who practiced flogging in several degrees of severity.

There were the ferula, a flat strip of leather, a comparatively mild persuader; the scutica, a harsher instrument of twisted parchment, and the flagellum, a cruel scourge of leather thongs.

Books in the Middle Ages.

In the middle ages books were exchanged for a horse or half a dozen sheep. When anybody needed stock or other property he often pawned the books that he owned, and in the town of Oxford were at one time twenty chests filled with valuable books. Later the book fairs helped to relieve the situation. No doubt there is a golden mean somewhere between the scarcity of the middle ages and the overproduction of today.—Argonaut.

The Quarrel Discreet.

"Why do you employ such elaborate circumlocution when you tell a man that you doubt his veracity?" "I find it better to use the longest words possible. If I can compel a man to consult the dictionary to ascertain just what I mean both our tempers get a chance to cool."—Washington Star.

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WEIRD COINCIDENCES.

Curious Repetition of a Train Wreck and a Lucky Escape.

Lord Acton for many years kept a record of coincidences. A very strange one occurred within his own experience.

A rumor had spread that his wife had drowned herself. She had done nothing of the kind, but it was quite true that a Baroness Acton had drowned herself at Tegernsee, where Lord and Lady Acton were staying, and had drowned herself under their very window.

The strangest of all coincidences noted by Lord Acton concerned Sir Edmund Berry Godfrey, who was murdered at the bottom of what is now Primrose hill, but was then known as Greenberry hill, in London.

Three men were hanged for the murder. Their names, respectively, were Green, Berry and Hill.

Some years ago a well known business man, who was accustomed to make weekly trips between an eastern city and Chicago, had the uncomfortable experience of having a wheel break immediately under his seat while the train was going at full speed. It was only by the most fortunate of leaps that he was able to escape losing his life. Naturally this experience made a very deep impression upon him.

It was almost a year later that he took the same train and by a strange chance was assigned the same chair. During a chat with a friend whom he had just met he glanced out of the window and recognized the landscape and the very spot of his narrow escape. He told the friend the story of the broken wheel. Just as he reached the climax of his recital, saying, "The cold shivers go down my back at the mere thought of it—there it is again," in credence as it may seem, the identical accident happened on the same train, almost between the same two fields adjoining the track, and the victim of this oddest of coincidences barely escaped the same way as before.

Such weird coincidences are always difficult of evidence, but no less an authority than Darwin, the naturalist, mentions one of the same kind, though different in degree. One of a party whereof Darwin was a member was speaking of the earthquake of Talcahuana, in northern Chile, on which occasion the father had lost all his property and the narrator himself had barely escaped with his life. Then writes Darwin, there ensued a curious coincidence. A German, one of the party, got up, saying that he would never sit in a room in those countries with the door shut, as, owing to his having done so, he once nearly lost his life at Sopiano. Accordingly, he opened the door. No sooner had he done so than he cried out, "Here it comes again!" and another shock commenced. The whole party escaped.—St. Louis Republic.

THE BEGGAR'S LEGACY.

It Clothes a Number of Poor People in England Annually.

Gifts of clothing are made annually in many market towns and villages of Surrey to the poor from a bequest left for the purpose by Henry Smith, or "Dog" Smith, as he was more generally called, having earned the sobriquet from the fact that he was never seen without a dog at his heels.

This remarkable character lived about two and a half centuries ago and was one of the best known figures in Surrey. He was originally a silversmith in the city of London and, prospering in business, acquired estates in different parts of England.

Developing eccentricities as he grew old, he adopted the life of a beggar. His wanderings were confined almost entirely to Surrey, and he is said to have begged his way through every town and village in the county. At his death in 1681 he left all his wealth to the market towns and parishes of Surrey, and the endowment enabled each town to spend \$250 and each village about \$30 on the purchase of clothing for its poor.

Mitcham, however, was excluded from his benefactions, Smith's explanation being that on one occasion the inhabitants of Mitcham whipped him through the village as a common vagrant.—London Chronicle.

A BABEL OF TONGUES.

Half a Hundred Languages, Perhaps, in the Philippines.

The natives of the Philippines are known to have at least twenty-five languages, and some students of the ethnology of the islands have expressed the belief that they have more than double that number of distinct tongues. For purposes of study they are generally put in two groups:

First—The languages of the Negritos, supposedly descendants of the original population of the islands, who are distributed in scattered tribes in the interior of the larger islands.

Second—The languages of the various Malay tribes which make up the bulk of the population—Christian, Mohammedan and pagan.

It cannot be said that the Philippine languages possess any very considerable literary value. The old native manuscripts, inscribed on leaves or strips of cane have practically all been lost. American students of the islands have found the scanty native literature in religious writings, indifferent poetry and primitive newspapers. The natives themselves are profoundly ignorant for the most part as to their own literature.—New York Times.

The heart of the wise man should resemble a mirror, which reflects every object without being sullied by any.—Confucius.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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JOHN FRAWLEY,
County Treasurer.

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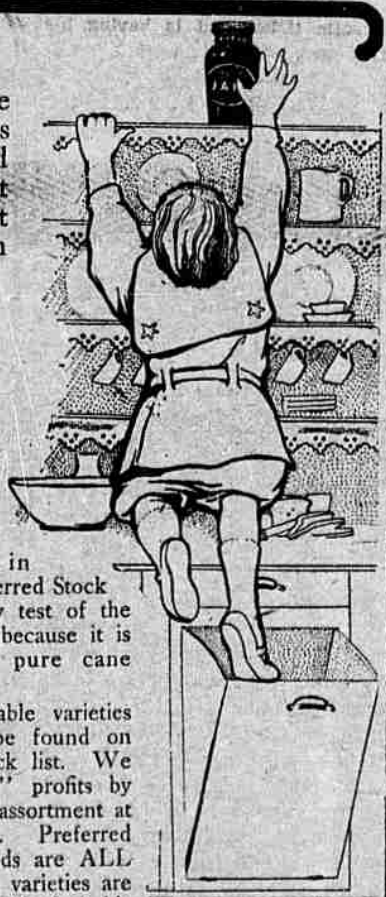
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