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HOG SHIPPERS BUSY.

Ladd Canyon Sends Out Big Shipment to Portland Markets.

Ladd Canyon, Feb. 7.—(Special)—Phil Krouse went to Portland a few days ago in charge of a car load of hogs, which were certainly a splendid showing from Ladd Canyon. He will visit a few days with relatives before returning home.

Letters received from Helen Peebler, who went to Pendleton two weeks ago for treatment for spinal myelitis, state that she is improving and is well satisfied with the new surroundings.

Dr. Upton has been called this morning to lance an ulcer of the glands on Henry Coonsell, who has been sick a week.

His Daily Square Meal.

The eccentric Dr. Forde, a well known professor of chemistry of the eighteenth century, believed that man required only one meal a day, and for twenty years he practiced what he preached. At four he would present himself at Dolly's chophouse, in Paternoster row, and immediately upon his arrival the cook would place a pound and a half of rump steak upon the gridiron. While it was cooking the doctor would amuse himself with some such trifle as half a broiled capon or a plate of fish, and a glass or two of brandy. Then came the steak, with a full accompaniment of bread and potatoes and a quart tankard of strong ale. This was followed by a bottle of old port, after which he would stroll to his rooms in Essex street, where he met his class and gave lectures on chemistry.—London Chronicle.

An Impressive Sight.

On his return from his first trip in the United States recently a German physician was asked which one of the sights had made the greatest impression on him. He said: "I saw Niagara falls and on my return to New York came through the picturesque Adirondack region. It was all majestically beautiful, but to a certain extent I was prepared for what I saw. But in a little mountain hamlet, where my friends took me to a Wild West show, I saw an Indian in feathers and war paint drinking beer out of a bottle and holding in his hand a piece of your American pie, which he devoured between gulps. It was a picture so unlike the one I had formed of the Indian that I think it made the greatest impression."—New York Tribune.

One Eyed Giants.

Sir John Mandeville saw all sorts of queer things and wrote about them in his celebrated books of travels. It was in 1336 that the veracious Sir John

visited a certain group of isles (yes he called them which was inhabited by a race of one eyed giants. Of them he says: "In one of these isles men folk of great stature, as giants, and they ben hideous for to loke upon. An thei han but on eye, and that is in ye middyl of ye front." He also tells of another one of these "isles" inhabited by a race of one legged dwarfs, each having three eyes.

An Implosion.

An implosion, as the term indicates a bursting outward, a sudden collapse. The conditions most favorable for the production of an implosion exist at great depth in the sea. At 2,500 fathoms the pressure is, roughly speaking, about two and a half tons to the square inch, a pressure that is several times greater than that exerted by steam upon the piston of a powerful engine.

What is the Use?

If a man succeeds by acting on your advice he feels that he would have acted as he did without being advised by you, and if he fails because he neglected to heed your advice he blames you for not making it stronger than you did. So what's the use?—Chicago Record-Herald.

Discount.

Angry Citizen Says: The sleeves and pants legs of this suit are away too short. The Tailor: I told you you were getting 10 per cent off.—New York Globe.

So It Does.

She—A flirtation is always lots of fun. He—Yes, but sometimes it takes a long time to find out just who is having the fun. Philadelphia Record.

Animal Criminals.

As a species of hardened criminals among placid herbivorous animals none is worse than the bison, or American buffalo. Toward man and beast and even among themselves these vicious vindictive and agile brutes, whose brothers on the other continents do not fear even the terrific onslaughts of lions and tigers, are in a state of almost constant warfare. They are among the wickedest rogues ever seen in a zoo.

In Serious Trouble.

"She's in a frightful dilemma." "How so?" "Why Jack proposed to her last night and insists upon having an answer before she will have time to learn whether Tom intends to propose."—Chicago Post.

A Dead Give Away.

Wife—What would you do, George if you were left a widow? Hub—Oh, I suppose the same as you would if you were left a widow. Wife—You horrid wretch. And you told me you could never care for anybody else.—Boston Transcript.

THE AUTHENTIC LEE.

His Two Master Spirits Were Lofly Pride and Fierce Enthusiasm.

Under the habitually unruffled composure of that ocean of reserve and dominated, as I believe, by two master spirits, lies the authentic Lee. And what were those master spirits which, blind to facts and deaf to reason, drove him on from Farmville? Were they creations of his own? No, not at all. Nature herself had planted them. And what were they? One, an all pervading unconscious pride, a pride not sordid or arrogant, but lofty; the other, diffused through his whole being and pulsing in every vein, a burning, even fierce, enthusiasm.

These, in my judgment, were the ingrained, controlling temperamental qualities in Robert E. Lee which determined his fate. The former could not stand the humiliation of being overthrown completely in a cause he believed right; the latter converted him at danger's first challenge, as was again and again displayed in the field, into a prompt and inveterate fighter.

As, for instance, at Antietam, although he had not stood off McClellan, yet with such carnage that it was in effect a defeat, still for a day after the battle he held his ground among his dead, resolutely challenging his adversary to come on if he dared.

So, too, he stood for a day at Gettysburg after his frightful repulses, inviting Meade to attack, and when with his bleeding army he reached the flooded Potomac, with every bridge swept away, undismayed he turned his back on the raging stream and, planting his colors, defiantly bade the Army of the Potomac to strike.

Who can forget, too, how quickly he accepted Hooker's gaze of battle in the Wilderness and how a year later—the violets were just in bloom again for the first time on the blood stained ground of Gettysburg—he plunged at Grant?

No eagle that ever flew, no tiger that ever sprang, had more natural courage, and I will guarantee that every field he was on, if you ask it about him, will speak of the unquelling battle spirit of his men. Be not deceived—Lee, notwithstanding his poise, was naturally the most belligerent man at the head of any army in the war.—Morris Schaff in Atlantic.

Graduates.

"You and Blagewater were boys together?"

"Yes. There was a time when we were satisfied with a cream puff between us, but now he wants a baseball franchise and I long for a private yacht."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Impatience.

In all evils which admit a remedy impatience should be avoided because it wastes that time and attention in complaints which if properly applied might remove the cause.—Johnson.

Wan, Weary and Worn Out

If You Feel Fagged to a Finish and Utterly Used Up Here is Quick Relief.



Don't Be Chained to the Hitching Post of Weariness.

Half the people who meet complain of weary muscles, stagnant brain, jangled nerves, and a mournful desire to lay down and just quit. Most of these people have been using nervines that spasmodically flare up the nerves only to die down again, as die they must. Avoid nerve stimulants. Bear in mind that this worn out feeling is due to poor blood, to bacteria in the water you drink; to the multiplying of destructive germs in the blood faster than they can be overcome by the white corpuscles; and to what is known as auto-toxemia, that condition where the venous or impure blood accumulates faster than it can be replaced by the red arterial blood.

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