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A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING.

Mormon missions have been established in the Philippines.

Our army has consumed 125,000,000 grains of quinine in the last twelve months.

It has been calculated that the cost of a muddy day in London is something like £5000.

Two hundred thousand live chickens are on the way from Missouri to the Hawaiian islands.

In Mexico school children are allowed to smoke in school hours when their lessons are well prepared.

The stage coach now running from Stockton to Lake County, California, is soon to be displaced by a gasoline automobile carriage.

Joseph Jugum, an Austrian, pleaded guilty in San Jose, Calif., to having killed a female deer, and was fined \$250, in default of which he will serve 250 days in the county jail.

The Spanish steamer Alfonso XIII, which sailed from Havana for Spain, had on board 432 Spaniards who are being repatriated at the expense of the Madrid Government.

Claus Spreckels has purchased a fishery on Prince of Wales Island, Alaska, and a large fish guano works will be erected. The product will be carried direct to Hawaii, where there is a ready market for it.

They have the king of calamity howlers over in Kansas. A number of farmers were congratulating themselves on their splendid crops when one of their number remarked with a sigh that "it was mighty tough on the land."

Five hundred soldiers were surrounded on the Weret river, in China, by 10,000 robbers and a desperate fight occurred, ending in a victory for the robbers, who have hoisted their flags upon all command points and occupied the villages in the vicinity.

They fish with horses up in Alaska. Immense nets are carried out from the gently receding beach into the ocean and after the schools of salmon make their appearance are hauled in by horses. The largest haul on record was made the other day when ninety thousand salmon were captured. It seems incredible until we remember that all fish life swarms in the northern waters. The largest previous capture was forty-five thousand. Our people who are used to viewing the royal Chinook salmon should not think such were caught up north. The Alaskan salmon range from fifteen to twenty-four inches.

A friend of Youth's Companion calls attention to some of the many valuable properties of lemon juice. It has been shown that any acid is fatal to the cholera bacillus, and one of the best means of avoiding the disease is to acidulate the drinking water with lemon or lime juice or citric acid. Lemonade is regarded by many physicians as very useful in the treatment of influenza, and a Brazilian physician has recently asserted that citric acid is an almost infallible remedy in the prevention and cure of whooping-cough. The efficacy of lime juice as a preventive of scurvy is well known, and many other are the remedial uses of this pleasant and health-giving acid of the citrus fruits.

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Secretary of Agriculture Wilson thinks the wheat crop of the United States will be 100,000,000 bushels short.

The government is paying from \$200 to \$600 a day for each vessel carrying horses, supplies and army baggage to the Philippines, and \$1,000 a day for each vessel that carries troops.

Going down is so much easier than coming up that it has taken Lieutenant Hobson six months to raise a couple of warships that Admiral Dewey sent to the bottom of Manila bay in about fifteen minutes.

It is given out that the War Department has issued orders for the purchase of 30,000 horses for the Department of the Pacific, 10,000 for the Department of the Lakes and 5000 for the Department of the East.

The following is quoted by an exchange: "The United States Supreme Court recently handed down a decision to the effect that poultry running at large is wild game, and that the same, or any other fowls that may trespass, can be legally killed."

Admiral Dewey's salary amounts to \$37.50 a day; President McKinley's is equal to \$131 a day; Cabinet officers, the vice president and the Speaker of the House get \$22 per day; senators and congressmen \$13.90, and the chief justice of the supreme court, \$29 a day.

According to Dr. Schwartz, of Berlin, marriage is the most important factor of longevity. Of every 200 persons who reach the age of forty years 125 are married, and 75 unmarried. At sixty the proportions are 48 to 22; at seventy years, 27 to 11; and at ninety years, nine to eight. Fifty centenarians had all been married.

It is stated that a highly important step looking toward the independence of Cuba is about to be taken by President McKinley, which will be made public in the shape of a presidential proclamation to be issued first on the Island of Cuba. Mr. McKinley's proclamation will inform the people of Cuba that the taking of the census is to be interpreted as the first step toward independence, and when it is completed it will be followed by the holding of local elections in the provinces and the establishment of local government. If these work satisfactorily, the next step will be the withdrawal of the American troops from the island.

Here is a mathematical novelty! A farmer in India owning seventeen elephants, died, and in his will gave the elephants to his three sons; to the first one, one-half, to the second, one-third, and to the third, one ninth. As the elephants could not be divided that way the three sons were in a quandary when a neighbor came to the rescue and said: "I own one elephant, which I will put with yours, making 18 in all. So he divided them:—½ of 18 equals 9; ⅓ of 18 equals 6; and 1-9 of 18 equals 2; total, 17." Each son now has his full allotment and it was found that one elephant remained, which of course belonged to the neighbor farmer. Where is the "catch" in the problem?

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This is to certify that I have had chronic diarrhoea ever since the war. I got so weak I could hardly walk or do anything. One bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured me sound and well.
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I had chronic diarrhoea for twelve years. Three bottles of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy cured me.
S. L. SHAVER, Fincastle, Va.
Both Mr. Gibbs and Mr. Shaver are prominent farmers and reside near Fincastle, Va. They procured the remedy from W. E. Casper, a druggist of that place, who is well acquainted with them and will vouch for the truth of their statements. For sale by Chas. Strang, druggist, Medford; Dr. J. Hinkle, Central Point.
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MORE EDITORS' PRETTY WORDS.

The Hamilton County Ledger, published at Noblesville, Indiana, says of Medford:

"At noon we took dinner at Medford. This, in my opinion, was the best reception of our trip. A splendid dinner was set in a beautiful grove in the heart of the city. Those people are enterprising and most hospitable, or no such spreads could be gotten up for a hungry crowd of 500 editors. At the conclusion of the feast came the flow. The speeches there made proves beyond a doubt that Oregon can produce orators as well as other rich products. In all the speeches that have been made everywhere there has been a spirit of intense patriotism and Americanism in them.

The people of this state are loyal and true. They are also expansionist, and feel that the Philippines are much nearer to them now than Oregon was to New York 40 years ago. Flowers have been our decorations and fruits our delight. And such flowers the world does not anywhere else produce. Roses as big as a half a bushel and ten bushels gathered from a single yard, are samples of what are seen in this country of pure, refreshing air, luscious fruits, fragrant flowers, gallant men and captivating women."

The Republican, published at Trenton, Missouri, says:

"A short run took us to Medford. Here, too, we found another free table with covers spread for all and flowers galore laden with viands fit for a king. This new town of Medford was incorporated in 1885 and is every way a prosperous up-to-date town. It is situated in the Rogue river valley about the center of its 200,000 acres of fertile land that never needs irrigation, and is capable of raising all that one uses to make a good home. After dinner we listened to some fine speeches from both citizens and visitors. A surprise awaited us here. We met Mr. J. H. Stewart, formerly of Chillicothe. Mr. Stewart, although in his seventies, took us driving behind a fine pair of steeds that wanted to either go full gallop or stand on their hind feet. Mr. Stewart is one of the capitalist of the city and is the owner of a large fruit farm near there."

The result of a lack of hospitality is shown in the following from the Kimball, S. D., Graphic: "As the sun was setting we steamed into Roseburg. We didn't like this town a little bit, being dusty, dirty and miserably laid out, up hill and down around the corner to nowhere. It took several hours for the party to obtain a rather poor lay-out at the hotels."

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