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ATHLETES FOR ENGLAND.

Hjertberg to Take Team, Including Duffy, Across Next June.

Ernest W. Hjertberg, trainer of the Columbia track team, has completed arrangements to take an all American athletic team of professionals and amateurs to England, Ireland and Scotland next June after the intercollegiate games, says the New York Commercial Advertiser. The team will include many of the best American performers and will be entered in the complete circuit of summer athletic meets in the British Isles. The necessary financial guarantee for the team's expenses has already been obtained.

Among the prominent athletes who are counted on as sure to accompany the team are Harry Gill, the Canadian, who won the A. A. U. all around championship in 1900; Mike Sweeney, who holds the world's record of 6 feet 5 1/2 inches in the running high jump; Frank M. Kanaly of Cambridgeport, Mass., who won the five mile A. A. U. national championship last year; G. Perry, a weight thrower; Edward Hobbs and Thomas Keene, the Boston sprinters, and Arthur F. Duffy of Georgetown university, who holds the world's record of 9 3/5 seconds for the 100 yard dash and who figured so prominently in the English championship meet last summer. Hjertberg himself will meet the foreign cracks in the long distance events, so that the American team will be well rounded out in the matter of standard athletic events. Other men are expected to join in the pilgrimage for athletic honor and foreign prizes.

BOON FOR LUMBERMEN.

Advantages of a New System For Towing Logs.

A new system for towing logs has just been devised in the northwest, says the New York Evening Post. A successful raft in British Columbia is thus described: Under the new system several lengths of galvanized plow steel wire cable, each 250 feet long, were strung from the rear of the tug in one long rope. At intervals of fifteen feet "clips" were attached, to which half inch chains were made fast. The ends of the chains were passed through holes bored slantingly through the ends of the logs. It was found that this method did away with the necessity of the tug making for a shelter when a storm threatened and thus accomplished a large saving in time. The number of feet in the next raft, which will be started in a few days, will be 300,000, and if this is successfully handled the following one will contain 500,000 feet.

The logs are cut in forty-eight foot lengths and are bucked up after reaching their destination. Close observation of the raft, which was taken to Port Gamble, showed that the chains as used did not allow the logs to roll over and thus break up the tow. It was also found that the tug made better time with the same quantity under the new conditions than with logs in a boom. The special feature of the device which will appeal to lumbermen compelled to raft on the ocean is the low cost of getting the logs to tide water.

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Mr. Julius Keister, of 350 Michigan Avenue, Chicago, testifies that Dr. Miles cured him after ten able physicians had failed. Mrs. R. Trjomer, of Greenspring, Pa., was cured after many physicians had pronounced her case "hopeless."

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CURING A BALKY HORSE.

Simple Methods May Be Employed Without Using the Whip.

An expert states that the vice of balking in horses is almost invariably caused by improper breaking and handling of the animal while young, says the Chicago Chronicle.

It is only high strung and ill tempered horses that balk, and these are handled with more success by humoring and patience than by severe measures, which generally make matters worse. It is almost impossible to follow rules in a case of this sort. What will succeed in one case is useless in another, so that a driver must exercise good judgment—"horse sense"—in handling a case.

A very good treatment is to watch the animal closely in places where it would be likely to balk, and with the first sign of stopping the driver should say "Whoa," then get off and loosen or pretend to change the harness in some way; also take up a foot and tap the shoe with a stone. Spend a few moments leisurely in this way, and in nine cases out of ten the animal will forget its inclination to balk and will go on at the first bidding. It is also well to give a lump of sugar or a handful of oats or an apple. This will always produce better results than severe measures.

A Corner in Eggs.

"That old hen just seems to be bursting with pride," remarked the farmer's dog.

"Pride? Nothing of the sort. It's eggs," replied the Leghorn rooster. "She thinks she's a financier, and she's trying to stop laying until there's a rise in price."—Exchange.

Letter List.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Oregon City, Ore., on Nov. 27, 1902:

WOMEN'S LIST.

Byers Mrs. Nook Captolia Mrs
Neimeir R Mrs. Pierce Miss
Versteg Irene

MEN'S LIST.

Borette Frank Patterson W B
Conway W W Richards E J
Lee G A Smith Clark
Lee H G Westley Wm
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A Model Fireman.

Mike O'Hagan had never been a success. He had been discharged from the service of a bus company for allowing his bus to be smashed by a trolley and from the service of a tram company for bumping into a carriage.

Finally, however, he landed in the fire brigade, and all his friends expected that he was settled for life. He was not, however, for in less than a month he was again looking for a job.

"How did it happen, Tim?" said Mike's friend Pat to Mike's brother Tim.

"O'fll tell ye, me bhoy," replied the latter. "Shure, there came a foine, an' Moike he went. An' who he got there was a man on the top or a blazin' bulldog's ser'amin' for help. 'What'll OI do at all?' says he. 'Hould on,' says Moike, an' he throws him a rope. 'Ye it round yer neck,' says he."

"And what did Mike do then?"

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CHOATE'S ADVICE.

It Led a Choicest Client into the Paths of Peace.

It seems always to have lain within the power of the distinguished lawyer and humorist, Rufus Choate, to lead a choleric client from ways of anger into the paths of peace. Just before the war a southern gentleman was dining with a friend in one of the best hotels of Boston. He was of French creole extraction, and his name was Delacour, says a writer in Lippincott's Magazine. The waiter was a colored man, and the southerner gave him orders in a very domineering fashion, finding fault freely with what was put before him and the way in which it was served. Finally the waiter became incensed and told Mr. Delacour to go to a place warm and remote. The latter sprang furiously to his feet and would have shot the offender dead if he had not been restrained by his wiser friend, who said:

"You can't do that sort of thing here. You will have to remember where you are."

"Do you suppose that I am going to put up with such insolence and not be revenged?" said the enraged man.

"Certainly not. But do it by process of law."

The landlord was first interviewed and the waiter discharged. That was not sufficient to satisfy the wounded feelings of Mr. Delacour. He asked who was the best lawyer in the city and was told it was Rufus Choate. Making his way to his office, he said:

"Mr. Choate, I want to engage you in a case. What will your retainer fee be?"

"About \$50."

"The check was made out and handed over."

"Now," said the lawyer, "what are the facts of the case?"

He was told. Said Mr. Choate thoughtfully:

"I know the United States law on the subject well, and I know the law of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and I can assure you, sir, that there is no power on earth strong enough to force you to go to that place if you don't want to go. And if I were you I wouldn't."

"Well," said the southerner, accepting the situation, "I think I'll take your advice." And they parted good friends.

A THEME FOR A POET.

Charge of the Light Brigade Oudone by Minnesotaans.

The story of the disaster to Sickles' corps at Gettysburg is well known to all who are familiar with that battle. General Hancock spared what troops he could from Cemetery Ridge to support Sickles. While he was out strengthening the line on the flank and rear of Sickles he saw a brigade of Wilcox's Confederates dashing forward upon a Federal battery. The First Minnesota stood behind the guns, the only troops in sight. Pointing to the charging column, he said to the leader of the Minnesotans, "Colonel Colville, advance and take those colors." The red battlegods of the enemy were more clearly distinguished through the smoke than the ranks of the men who bore them.

A thousand muskets on the Confederate reserve swept the field to clear the way for Wilcox's advance. The Minnesotans held their fire as they marched forward, losing men at every step. Finally the flanks of Wilcox's line closed round the charging band, barely a handful compared to the division confronting them. The first volley was delivered at arm's length, and with a wild dash from the leading files the Confederate colors were seized. Before Wilcox could rally his followers the Federal batteries opened on them, and the danger to the line on Cemetery Ridge was over.

But what of the First Minnesota? There were 202 officers and men in line when the charge opened. Forty-seven rallied on the return. Not a man was missing, for none surrendered or left the ranks under fire. Forty-seven marched back to the ridge, seventy-five lay dead or dying where they fell, and 140 were wounded.

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| 1 pound Cocoanut | 18 | Red Table Cloth, good, per yd. | 20 |
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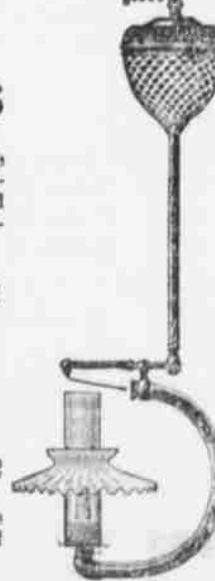
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