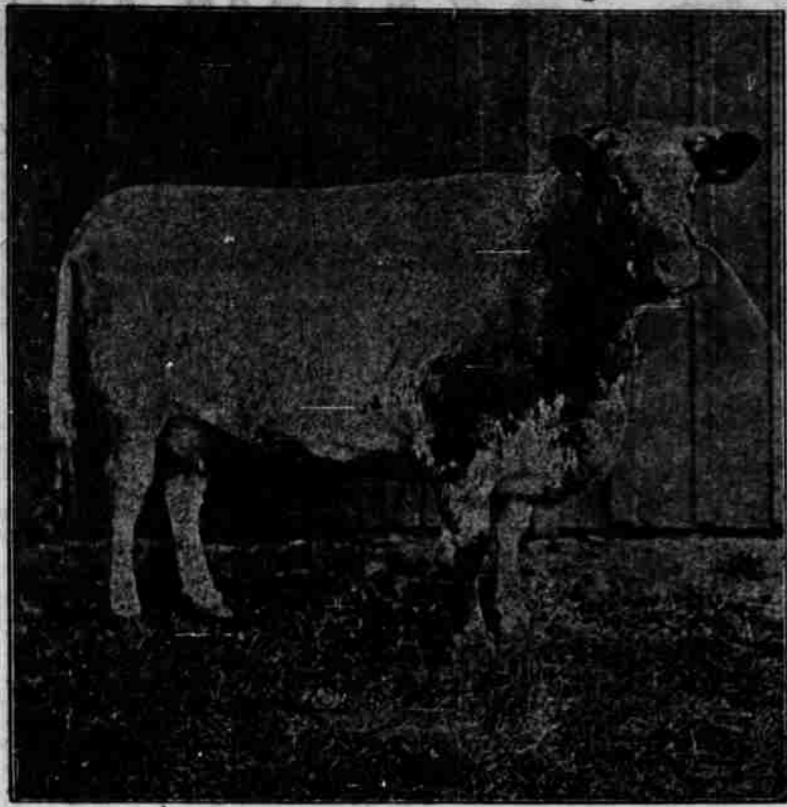


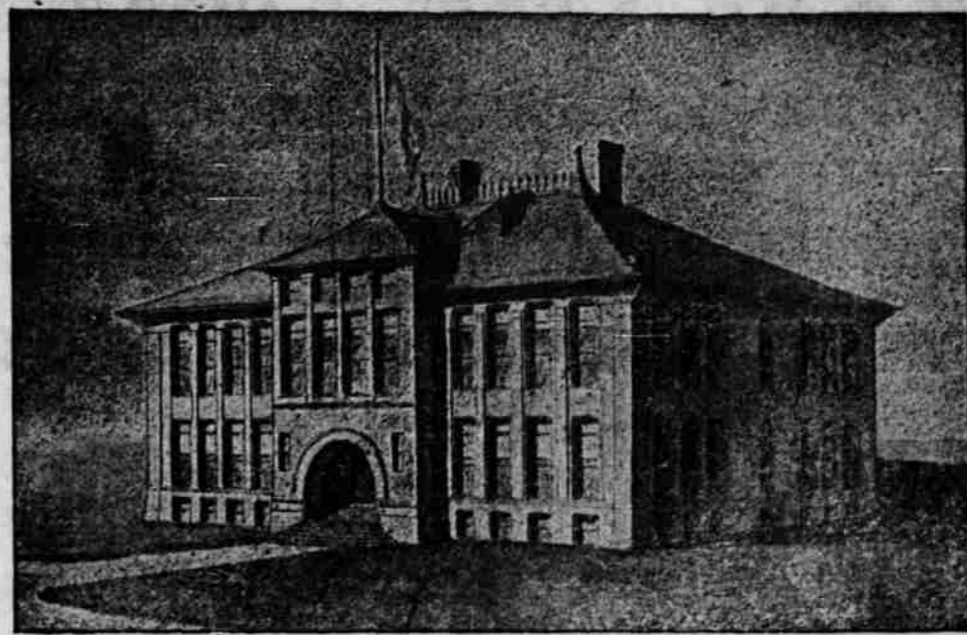
Prize Winning Milch Cow



CALIFORNIA IN LEAD AS GOLD PRODUCER

Output for 1911 Is Over \$20,000,000, Colorado \$19,000,000. Washington.—The gold production of the United States in 1911 was \$96,232,528, and the silver production 57,796,117 ounces, according to a preliminary estimate issued today by George E. Roberts, director of the mint.

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THOUSANDS OF WOMEN DISAPPEAR IN GOTHAM

Severe Home Restraint, Poverty, Stage Lure, Enticing, Are Causes. New York.—During 1911, 3500 calls were made on the New York police to aid families from which some member had disappeared.

does this number cover all the young women who drop out of the world of their acquaintances suddenly. The police say that no more than half the actual disappearances are formally reported.

"During 1911," says a police official commenting on the figures, "we have been confronted with hundreds of cases similar in every degree to that of Dorothy Arnold. Many other cases are just as baffling as hers. The young girls left absolutely no trace behind. They made no preparation for departure and few have since been heard from.

LILLIAN GRAHAM'S SISTER TO TAKE VEIL IN BRUGES. New York.—Mrs. John Singleton of Los Angeles, formerly Miss Stella Graham of Seattle, a sister of Lillian Graham, one of the defendants in the recent Stokes case, is about to take the veil at the Convent of the Sacred Heart, in Bruges, according to dispatches received here.

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ERUPTION ALARMS PEOPLE.

Upheaval of Inland Excites Residents on Adjoining Coast.

Port of Spain, Trinidad.—The upheaval of a small island off the southern coast has naturally created some excitement in the colony, especially in the district where this strange phenomenon occurred.

Nothing but the end of the world could, in the eyes of the country people on the adjoining coast, be happening when clouds of smoke and fire, hundreds of feet high were belching apparently from the open sea, and they deserted their dwellings en masse and either fell on the road and prayed, or fled to the woods for shelter.

The height of the flames may be understood from the fact that they were seen in Port of Spain, forty miles away. The first intimation of anything unusual was on the morning of Nov. 4 when a fisherman observed a small cone of land protruding from the sea, where he knew no land had existed before.

the surface was still hot, the party managed to land, and found the crust fairly hard toward the center of the island.

Two craters stood out, about six feet in diameter. The highest point was about fifteen feet above sea level. There was a distinct smell of oil and sulphur, and gas was still escaping from the craters.

The expert accounted for the blaze by the striking together of rocks containing iron pyrites, which ignited the gas, and caused the explosion and fire.

NO MORE TIPS. SAY KNIGHTS OF THE GRIP

Travelers' League Starts Crusade Against System That Is Relic of Dead Barbarism. New York.—The anti-tipping crusade received a stalwart recruit when P. E. Dove, president of the Commercial Travelers' National League, came out with the announcement that his organization will combat the practice of giving gratuities to employees of hotels, restaurants, barber shops and Pullman cars.

Dove puts it on the broad ground that, not only will the tipsters be able to obtain what they pay for regularly, but the tipped will be elevated from a menial place, dependent on charity, to that of regular wage-earners.

He declares that hotel and restaurant proprietors are making extraordinary profits as it is, and that their greed is responsible for the system now in vogue.

"Tipping should go," he declares. "The old-time fashion of gifts from the rich patron to the poor servant is out of place in these modern days. Once it was the distinction between the high and mighty and lowly; now the tip is either in the nature of a bribe or an enforced premium upon the contract prices.

"Stop tipping," he says, "and the hotel help will be placed in a less menial position and Pullman porters advanced. Stop tipping, and they will become earners of adequate wages. Let us eliminate from American life one of the blotches upon our constitution, or upon that part of it claiming that all men were created free and equal."

GIRL REFUSES TO EAT: SAYS ANGELS FEED HER

Miss Anna Geshella, Who Went Through Fast of 65 Days Without Food, Declares "Heavenly ministrations" Have Returned.

New York.—The "angels" who carried Miss Anna Geshella through a fast of sixty-five days last spring, during which she touched nothing in the way of food or drink so far as physicians watching her could learn, came to her again. She announced them to the officials in charge of the New Jersey State hospital at Morris Plains that she is once more under the care of her "heavenly visitors" and will not need any more terrestrial ministrations.

Miss Geshella is an Austrian. She was taken to the Passic General Hospital February 7 last suffering from "a pain in the side." Miss M. A. Wallace, the superintendent, noticed that she was eating nothing and on interrogating her was told "the angels" called on her every morning at 4 o'clock and left a few drops of "wine" and a few crumbs of "bread."

She was sent to the Morris Plains Institution last March. There she continued her fast until the sixty-first day, when she condescended to nibble a little piece of cracker and take a few sips of orange juice. From the middle of April until ten days ago she lived in this way, maintaining her weight of ninety-one pounds and showing no ill effects from her scanty diet.

NEVER MARRY ORIENTAL BEAUTY'S ADVICE TO GIRLS

American Princess Declares Yankee Husbands Best on Earth.

New York.—"Never marry an Oriental—it's a fatal mistake," said the beautiful Princess Hassan, who before her marriage to a cousin of the khedive of Egypt was Miss Ola Humphrey of California, an actress. After five years' absence from her native land the princess arrived on the Olympia from her home in London, and she will remain a few days at the Knickerbocker before going to join her mother in Oakland, Cal.

some of that quality out of me, but I haven't. I know, however, enough to give advice to other American girls, and it is never to marry people of Oriental origin or with Oriental strains in the blood. They can never understand each other and the woman will be the one who suffers," added the princess.

"Matrimony isn't necessarily a failure, but I will say since my marriage with its unhappy end, to an Egyptian prince, I have grown in my respect and admiration for the American man. No man on earth is so fine as our own Yankee. None are so big hearted, so generous and kind and good to the women."

PRIEST LOST IN CHURCH.

Peculiar Predicament of Father Code at Oak Park.

Chicago.—The Rev. Father Code, pastor of St. Edmunds church, in Oak Park, is busy telling his friends the story of how he was lost in his church for more than two hours on Christmas eve.

Had it not been for decorators who found notes which the priest slipped through a crack there is no knowing how long he would have been a prisoner. Father Code went into the attic through a trap door carrying a candle, to investigate a small blaze that had broken out there a little while before.

He had not gone far into the loft when the candle was snuffed out. The condition of the lathing and plaster made walking precarious; the priest sat down on a rafter and dropped a note through a crack. Three decorators came in and found a note. It read:

"I am lost in the ceiling. Send a light. Father Code."

The decorators could not figure out how it was possible to be lost in the ceiling and paid no attention to it, walking out of the church. They returned in a couple of hours and found other notes. Then they investigated.

NO GOAT BUT A PERCHEON WHEN JOHN L'S INITIATED

Stalwart Steed Will Be on Hand to Help Ex-Champion Join New England Fat Men's Club.

Boston.—Officials of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals said that as President W. D. Quimby of the New England Fat Men's Club has agreed to give the club's goat a night off and no further steps will be taken to enjoin the club from initiating John L. Sullivan.

President Quimby explained that when Brother Sullivan takes the avoirdupois degree he will ride a percheon gindly loaned by P. McGovern of No. 6 Beacon street, a contractor. When seen at his farm in Abingdon, where he was packing a carpet bag preparatory to a trip to this city Brother Sullivan admitted that he is about to kick into the Fat Men's club. "I shall play a theatrical engagement in Boston," said he, "and will drop around to the Revere House and

meet the brothers and receive formal entrance into their club. "I don't want any one to get the notion that I'm using my social affiliations to boost the theatrical end of my activities, though. Are you still on the wagon I'm glad to hear it. Looks like a happy New Year, doesn't it?"

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