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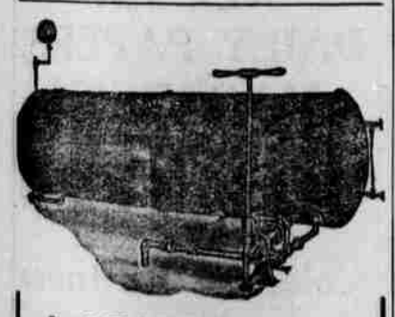

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The Codex Sinaiticus.

The most ancient of the New Testament manuscripts is the one known as the "Codex Sinaiticus," published at the expense of Alexander II. of Russia since the Crimean war. This codex covers nearly the whole of the Old and New Testaments and was discovered in the Convent of St. Catherine on Mount Sinai by the celebrated Tischendorf. It is generally ascribed to the fourth century.—New York American.

Nothing There Stationary.

Drummer—Is there a stationery store at Crow Bend?

Stage Driver—I couldn't say, pard, that you'd find anything stationary at Crow Bend, because they have a twister in them parts 'most every day what starts things movin', but she's lively, and I'm shore you'd like the place.—Judge.

The Gay Life.

"Gee!" said the observing small boy, "when I grow up I'm going after a political job."

"What for?" asked the man.

"So's I can go to the ball games every afternoon," he replied.—Detroit Free Press.

Had a Fair Time.

Uncle—I hope you've been a good boy, Tommy.

Tommy—Well, no—I haven't.

Uncle—Dear, dear! I hope you haven't been very bad.

Tommy—N'no! Just comfortable!"—London Opinion.

From Force of Habit.

"Mabel! I'm surprised at you, putting out your tongue at people."

"It was all right, mother; it was the doctor going past."—Harper's Bazaar.

No Salad for Him.

Irishmen are by no means the sole perpetrators of bulls, but they generally make the best ones—or at least the best ones are attributed to them. Of this sort is one found by a writer in the Boston Record.

"Pat, do you like lettuce?"

"No, sor, Oi don't; and what's more, Oi'm glad Oi don't; for av Oi did, Oi'd ate it—and Oi hate the stuff!"

Unprejudiced.

Mike McGinnis was being examined for jury duty in a murder trial.

"Mr. McGinnis," asked the judge, "have you formed or expressed an opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the prisoner at the bar?"

"No, sir," replied Mike.

"Have you any conscientious scruples against capital punishment?"

"Not in this case, your honor," Mike replied.—Success Magazine.

Not Specific Enough.

Witness—At the time of the accident my maid was in my boudoir arranging my hair.

Lawyer—Yes; and where were you?

Witness—Sir!—Boston Transcript.

Could Suit Herself.

Heiress—Tell me truly, Arthur, is it your love or your reason prompts you to marry me?

Arthur—Just as you like, dearest.—Meggendorfer Blaetter.

COUGHING BURST BLOOD VESSEL

Says Danger Avoided and Cures Coughs in 5 Hours.

A writer for the medical press states that coughing is responsible for the bursting of blood vessels quite frequently. A cough or cold means inflammation (fever) and congestion, and these in turn indicate that the body is full of poisons and waste matter. Simple relief, as found in patent cough medicines, and whiskey, often result in more harm than good; as they cause more congestion. A tonic-laxative cough syrup will work marvels and here follows a prescription which is becoming famous for its prompt relief and thorough cures. It rids the system of the cause, except it be consumption. Don't wait for consumption to grasp its victim, but begin this treatment which cures some in five hours. Mix in a bottle, one-half ounce fluid wild cherry bark, one ounce compound essence cardiol and three ounces syrup white pine compound. Take twenty drops every half hour for four hours. Then one-half to one teaspoonful three or four times a day. Give children less according to age.

Horrible.

"That was an awful disaster. There was only one survivor—isn't that terrible?"

"Fearful. What a bore he'll be!"—Cleveland Leader.

The Exceptions.

Seaver—I have to tell that boy of mine where everything is.

Weaver—Have to tell him where the base ball grounds are located, where the circus is showing, or where the best swimming holes are?—Judge.

Natural Result.

Medical Professor—What is the result, young gentlemen, when a patient's temperature goes down as far as it can?

Student — Why—er—he—gets cold feet.—Cleveland Leader.

Proving an Alibi.

"Why do you always go out on the balcony when I begin to sing, John? Can't you bear to listen to me?"

"It isn't that, but I don't want the neighbors to think I'm a wife-beater."—Kansas City Journal.

Her Sincere Friends.

Nan—Has Lil told you yet when she and Jack are to be married?

Fan—Not yet, but I know. They'll be married just as soon as she can get Jack to propose.

The Nova Scotia government has appointed a commission to examine into and report on the feasibility of old-age pensions for workmen.

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TEN THOUSAND IDLE

Labor Troubles Tie Up All Butte Mines in Strike.

SMELTERS MAY BE THE NEXT HIT

Officers Protect Men Who Attempt to Work—Sheriff Warns Strikers He Will Shoot.

Butte, Mont., Sept. 25.—Every mine in Butte is shut down tonight and 10,000 men are idle, with the prospect of 5,000 more being thrown out of work. If the suspension continues for five days the smelters and other allied industries will be forced to suspend.

The trouble was caused by a majority of Engineers' Union No. 83 having seceded from the Western Federation of Miners and organized a new union. The Butte Miners' union ordered its members not to go to work in mines employing members of the new engineers' union.

The evening was ushered in with great excitement, when nearly 2,000 miners surrounded the shaft of the Gagnon mine, apparently for the purpose of mobbing 28 miners who defied the command of the union to stop work. A detail of 15 policemen with Captain Thomas Norton in command hurried to the scene, and reinforced by Sheriff John K. O'Rourke, with every deputy of his office at his back, succeeded in reaching the shaft mouth.

Mounting a pile of timbers, the sheriff in plain language told the crowd that the officers proposed to protect the Gagnon miners and intimated that any attempt at violence oupon the part of the strikers would result in shooting.

It is hardly likely that work will be resumed before a week, and the various smelters throughout the state may be compelled to suspend operations.

WRECK AT SEATTLE.

Trolley Car Jumps Track and Crashes Into Corner Cafe.

Seattle, Sept. 25.—Of the 80 passengers on a big Wallingford avenue car that was wrecked at the curve near the main gate of the World's fair, shortly before noon yesterday, not one escaped being cut or brused or sharply shaken, but it is believed that none of the injured will die. Frank Hull, of Tacoma, aged 46, an Oddfellow attending the festivities accompanying the Sovereign Grand lodge meeting, died an hour after being taken from the wreck.

The car got beyond control of the motorman, attained a speed of 30 miles an hour at the corner of Fourteenth avenue, Northeast, and East Fortieth street, careened, left the track and crashed into a one-story building at the southeast corner of the crossing, demolishing the flimsy building, splitting and wrecking the car and hurling the passengers forward with frightful force

Every pane of glass in the car was broken and the jagged pieces showered upon the passengers, who were tossed one upon another in indescribable confusion.

WRECKAGE LINES GULF.

Southern Coast Strewn With Broken Ships and Launches.

New Orleans, Sept. 25.—With the list of dead from Monday's tropical hurricane well above 100 tonight, every indication points to a much larger number of victims. Many small sloops and launches are lying wrecked on the Gulf shore of Louisiana and Mississippi, and there is little doubt that some of their occupants are lost.

Anxiety for the safety of steamers bound for New Orleans during the hurricane period on the gulf, has been relieved. Nearly all of these vessels were many hours late, but finally arrived at this port with the exception of the Utstein, which is four days overdue from Puerto Cortez. She was reported today to have gone aground off Seashore light near the mouth of the Mississippi, with no loss of life.

Juarez Bomb Harmless.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 25.—It developed today that there was no plot connected with the finding of a supposed bomb in Juarez, Mexico. The "bomb" proved to be a small pepper box, three inches long, an inch and a half in diameter, and containing a substance like paraffine poured over the top. Even had it been exploded it would have done no harm. The police have arrested an American tramp who had been sleeping on the premises of Senor Arguelles and had been ordered away. He had made threats against Arguelles.

Spain Turned Back.

Oudja, Sept. 25.—Native reports say that the Spanish advance toward Selouan on September 20 was stopped and turned back by a strong body of Riffians. Similar reports were current during the operations at Souk Beni Sicar, when a number of the tribesmen, fighting for the Spanish cause, were said to have deserted to the enemy, forcing the Spanish troops to retire to Melilla. These reports probably are the basis of a rumored Spanish reverse.

Hundreds Flee in Skiffs.

Biloxi, Miss., Sept. 25.—About 500 storm sufferers are homeless at Bayou la Manre, near the mouth of the Mississippi river, and two lives were lost there. The water rose eight feet in the houses and the people saved their lives by taking skiffs and rowing up the Mississippi river.

THE CENSUS POSITIONS.

Appointment Clerk Pindell Explains Method of Application.

Washington, Sept. 24. — Appointment Clerk Pindell, of the U. S. Census bureau, states on the subject of the census examination, October 23d, that the distinction between the permanent census force and the additional temporary employes provided by the Thirteenth Census act is quite important and should be remembered. As vacancies occur on the permanent census they will be filled, as heretofore, by transfers from elsewhere in the service, or by selections from the existing registers of the civil service commission.

Persons now on the registers of the commission are, therefore, eligible for appointment to vacancies on the permanent census roll, but there is no greater opportunity during the decennial period for such appointments than there has been heretofore. The additional temporary positions, authorized by the Thirteenth Census act, except those above $1,200 per annum which will be filled largely by transfers from the permanent census roll, will be given to those persons who pass the test examination on October 23rd. Those now on the registers of the civil service commission, who desire appointment to these additional census places, should take the test examination as their present eligibility avails them nothing in respect to appointments to these positions. The fact that a person is on the civil service register does not prevent him from taking this test examination.

Blank application forms and the circular of instructions were ready for distribution by September 10th. As soon as the applicant completes his application in every respect, it should be addressed and forwarded to the U. S. Civil Service commission, Washington, D. C., and not to the census bureau. Care should be taken that the envelope containing the application is properly addressed and sufficient postage stamps are affixed. If the application is satisfactory a card will be mailed the applicant and it will admit him to the examination. An application must be filed in sufficient time to arrange for the examination at the place selected. No request will be granted for an examination otherwise than as scheduled for the cities and states on October 23rd.

TAFT STARTS WATER.

Opens Gates to Famous Gunnison Tunnel in Colorado.

Montrose, Colo., Sept. 24.—President Taft spent yesterday on the western slope of the Rocky mountains amid a succession of magnificent scenes. In many respects his day was one of the most interesting he has had since leaving Boston.

Late in the afternoon Mr. Taft stood on the brink of the deepest irrigation ditch in the West and far out in the foothill of the mountains, with not a settlement in sight, made the electrical connection that started a flow of water through the Gunnison tunnel that will reclaim 140,000 acres of arid land. The greatest irrigation project the United States government ever has undertaken was thus put in operation and the opening was the occasionl of a joyous celebration throughout the valley of the Uncompahgre.

During his travels yesterday the President had ample opportunity to study the effect of irrigation. For a long time his train ran through stretches of country where as far as the eye could reach the only vegetation in sight consisted of a few greasewood bushes or sagebrush. Then out of a rocky canyon the train would suddenly come upon a veritable oasis, where fields of alfalfa and miles of orchards told of the miracle wrought by the touch of water.

The tunnel has been hewn through six miles of a mounntain range and when the project is completed next spring it will divert the waters of the Gunnison river, now flowing to the Gulf of California, to the valley on this side of the mountains, where minor private projects of irrigation already have told the wonders of the soil.

Big Timber Deal.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 24.—A large timber deal whereby A. B. Kurtz, of New York, president of the American Financial Securities company, acquires 54,000 acres of timber land in the Cowichan lake country, was practically consummated today. The purchase price was in the neighborhood of $1,500,000, and the new owners are to spend $500,000 more in the development of the property by the erection of a sawmill and the laying of spur tracks. The Canadian Pacific railroad will build a branch line to tidewater.

Madrid Denies Defeat.

Madrid, Sept. 24.—The government is either unwilling or unable to give a statement of the Spanish casualties in the latest fighting with the Moors in Morocco. The news of a Spanish defeat received at Paris is discredited here, and the government declares the Spanish victory is complete. It is announced that the tribesmen are expected soon to ask for peace. It is known that the loss has been heavy. It is said 400 were killed on each side.

Frederick Grant for President

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Major General Frederick Dent Grant, son of the famous leader of the Union forces during the Civil war, is being boomed as the presidential candidate of the Prohibition party in 1912, by members of the organization who are assembling in this city to celebrate the fortieth anniversary of the birth of the party.

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Mrs. Crabshaw—I'm keeping them for comparison, my dear. I'm sure to catch him in a lie.—Judge.

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This contains no opiates whatever, and may also be used by women who suffer with their nerves with absolute certainty of prompt and lasting benefits.

Too Cute.

"Algy, isn't there something resting on your mind?"

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