

Some Distinction in That.
 Don't let my refusal of your proposal embitter you, Mr. Simpkins. He—Oh, not all. After all, it is something to have been rejected by a girl who owns a \$500 dog.—Detroit Free Press.

Nothing New in That.
 "You can't dispute the miracles in the Bible, man, why just consider the raising of Lazarus!"
 "Humph! I've seen people raised that have been dead longer than Lazarus. Why my wife raises Cain every day!"—Denver Times.

Dogs of Alaska.
 The dogs of Alaska are called malamutes. They are a cross between a dog and a wolf and work in harness soon after birth. They do not bark, but have a peculiar howl. They have long hair and can sleep in the open with the thermometer 60 degrees below zero. Their usual food is fish and seal blubber. They are fed once a day, usually at night.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 18th.—A Medical authority says: "In many families throughout the world the field tea often takes the place of the family physician, for practically everyone suffers at times from disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys or bowels. Certainly from no other medicine can such good results be obtained. This herb remedy makes people well, thus greatly increasing their capacity for enjoying life. It is good for young and old."

Brotherly Assistance.
 Rodrick—They saw that Beaker was held up by masked men the other night.
 Van Albert—Yes; it was at the masquerade ball. If they hadn't held him up he'd never got home.—Chicago Daily News.

Long live the King! The King is Wizard Oil; Pain his enemies, whom he conquers.

Rather Serious.
 Wife—I had to get a policeman to put out the cook.
 Husband—Gone, is she?
 "Oh, no. He proved to be her best fellow, and they're both waiting for you in the back hall."—Life.

Good Reason.
 Arthur—Has the widow given you any reason to hope?
 Chester—Yes; she told me last night that I reminded her of the only husband she had ever really loved.

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Far Sighted.
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 Mother—No, dear; you're too little. You'd let him fall.
 Little Girl—Well, mamma, can I have him when he's worn out?

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Depressed.
 "I am afraid Bliggins has met with reverse."
 "What makes you think so?"
 "He goes about with a gloomy look, saying there is no such thing as disinterested friendship. That is almost a sure sign that a man has been trying to borrow money."—Exchange.

I am sure Pilo's Cure for Consumption saved my life three years ago.—Mrs. Thos. Rossiter, Maple street, Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 17, 1900.

Not Unusual.
 May—Have you heard of Clara's hard luck?
 Belle—No. What is it?
 "Now that they are married they have to retrench awfully to make up the money he wasted while courting her."—Life.

Mothers will find Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup the best remedy to use for their children during the teething period.
The Hour Was Late.
 "Now McBrane has more good sense than anyone I know" continued Mr. Staylate. "I tell you, he's the coming man."
 "If he has all the sense you say," remarked Miss Peppery, making an effort to suppress a yawn, "I should think he would be the going man at this hour."—Philadelphia Press.

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Millions of Acres of Canadian Territory So Described by Travelers.
 L. A. Hamilton and Land Commissioner Griffin have arrived in Winnipeg after a three weeks' drive through 500 miles of what Mr. Hamilton says an American would call "the finest block of land that lies out of doors." This land comprises about 25,000,000 acres and was covered by two men from Westfield through Battledore east, north to the Vermilion Lakes, across into the Blackfoot Hills, then to the Saskatchewan River, from there south to the Trapping Lake district and east again to Saskatoon.

"The object of our journey," said Mr. Hamilton, speaking to a Free Press reporter, "was to note the resources and progress of this district for intending settlers. Mr. Griffin had not been over this ground before and it was to him a trip of great value on this account. What we saw confirms the view I have taken that here lies one of the richest tracts of land in the world. We found that settlers have pushed their way in and are located not only on land all along the railway, but 10 miles on each side of it. The soil in all parts we saw is of the richest, and timber and water plentiful, except an eastern tract lying south of Eagle Hills, where timber is scarce. In the Battledore district, lying 120 miles from the railway, we found excellent fields of grain being grown, but in the majority of the farthest districts cattle raising is the chief industry. Settlers are pushing their way out from Calgary and Edmonton east as far as the Buck Lakes, 100 miles from the railway."

"Game throughout this district, Mr. Hamilton states, was very plentiful. In fact, too plentiful. "We were told that the prairie chickens were so thick," said Mr. Hamilton, "that disease among them had developed and they were dying off in thousands. This I am told, occurs about every seven years, when the ravages of the disease are much more destructive than that wrought by the hunters after feathered game. There is no scarcity of fresh meats, however, and in many of the farming districts or ranching provinces the owner has his own game preserves. "On this tract of 25,000,000 acres there is no reason," concluded Mr. Hamilton, according to the Winnipeg Free Press, "why 500,000,000 bushels of wheat could not be raised and this will be the case some day not far distant."

FOOTBALL STAR MARRIES.

New Jersey society was greatly interested in the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Hill to William Heath Bannard. Every Princeton man who has watched "Billy" Bannard, the best halfback who ever wore the Tiger stripes of old Nassau, make his twenty-five yards around the end toward the Yale goal line will congratulate him upon winning one of



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She is a graduate of the Woman's College of Baltimore and a member of the Gamma Phi Beta, a leading woman's college fraternity. The bride is tall and graceful, with chestnut hair and dark eyes. Her college popularity followed her when she came home from Baltimore and made her debut two seasons ago.

Turned the Tables.
 A lecturer was once descending on the superiority of nature over art, when an irreverent listener in the audience fired that old question at him:
 "How would you look, sir, without your wig?"
 "Young man," instantly replied the lecturer, pointing his finger at him, "you have furnished me an apt illustration for my argument. My baldness can be traced to the artificial habits of our modern civilization, while the wig I am wearing"—here he raised his voice till the windows shook—"is made of natural hair!"
 The audience testified its appreciation of the point by loud applause, and the speaker was not interrupted again.

A Real Weeping Willow.
 One of the curiosities of an English residence of nobility is a weeping willow made of copper, and so dexterously fashioned that at a distance it resembles a real tree. It is actually a shower bath, for, by pressing a secret button, a tiny spray of water can be made to burst forth from every branch and twig, to the discomfort of any who may be under it.

Nearest Approach to the Poles.
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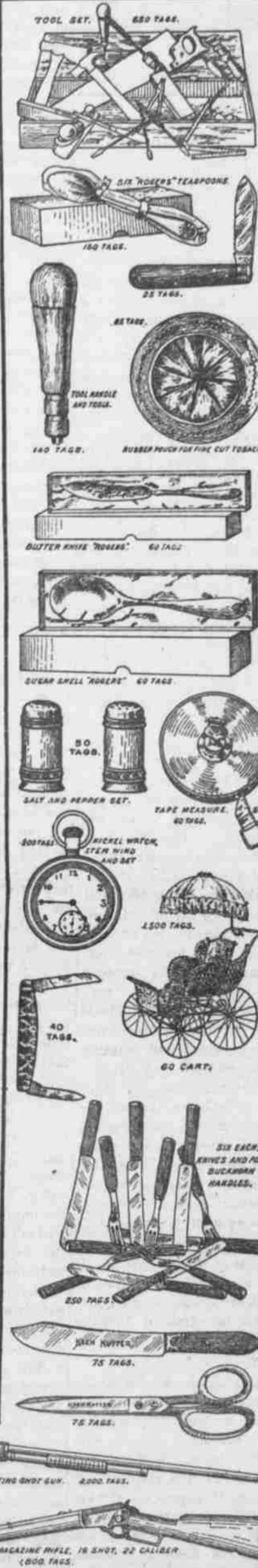
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