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Elevator Tally.
The elevator boy was "sweet" on the pretty stenographer.

"You seem in a good humor this evening, Billy?" she commented as she entered the car at the tenth floor.

"You bet," chuckled Billy, straightening up his tie, "I feel like I am on a hunting trip."

"Indeed! In what way?"

"Why, I am bringing down a 'dear.'"

And she blushed and said he was the nicest boy in town.

As a Germicide.
Coal Merchant—Ah, well, we mustn't complain of zero weather. It kills microbes, you know.

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Thought He Understood.
"Now, young gentlemen," said the professor of moral philosophy in winding up his little talk to the class, "you understand, do you not, what I mean when I use the term 'ethical and intellectual aristocracy'?"

"Yes, sir," answered the young man with the bad eye; "it means being great and good, in your mind."

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The Wrong Charge.
"Officer," said the police magistrate, "what is the charge against this man?"

"Disorderly conduct, you honor. He approached two chorus ladies to whom he had never been introduced and invited them to have a Thanksgiving dinner at his expense."

"That wasn't disorderly conduct—it was reckless daring."—Judge.

Breaks a Cold Promptly
The following formula is a never failing remedy for colds:

One ounce of Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla, one ounce Toris Compound and one half pint of good whisky, mix and shake thoroughly each time and use in doses of a tablespoonful every four hours.

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Dry Weather.
They hired a girl to dust,
A girl both tried and trusted;
She took all the dust in sight—
And then the dust girl dusted.

—Chicago News.

Headache.
Beneath the moon prosaic day
Becomes a fairyland. Her ray
Throws o'er the world a gossamer screen,
Revealing beauties in a scene
Whose faults but girlish suns betray.

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EIGHTEEN ARE DEAD

Trains Collide on Denver & Rio Grande in Colorado.

THIRTY PERSONS ARE INJURED

Westbound Passenger Crashes Into Eastbound Freight—Doctors and Nurses to Scene.

Glenwood Springs, Colo., Jan. 16.—In a collision between Denver & Rio Grande passenger train No. 5, westbound, and eastbound freight No. 666, at Dotsero last night, 18 persons were killed and 30 injured, so far as known.

As soon as the information reached here that a wreck had occurred, a special was made up and all the available doctors and nurses in the city pressed into service and carried to the scene of the accident. This train, it was expected, would bring the injured back, and possibly the dead, last night, but it was not expected to reach here before 2 o'clock.

Meager details of the wreck are to the effect that the freight train was attempting to take a siding to let the passenger pass, but had only partly run off the main line when the passenger train came tearing along and crashed into it. The chair car of the passenger train was torn in two and one tourist car telescoped. The passenger train was well filled with passengers, most of whom were asleep.

It is feared that the list of dead will be greatly augmented when full details are received.

DENOUNCE FOREST SERVICE

Woolgrowers Say Pinchot's Subordinates Have Too Much Power.

Pocatello, Idaho, Jan. 16.—The second day's session of the convention of the National Woolgrowers' association in this city was marked by another attack on the forest service. S. Gosney, of Flagstaff, Arizona, in an address in the afternoon, declared that justice to the sheepmen of the West demanded a change in the present methods of administration of the range control.

Mr. Gosney asserted that he could cite numerous instances in his own state where favoritism, prejudice and graft have figured in the administration of the national reserves.

After the election of officers and selection of the place of meeting for 1910, the convention will adjourn.

Salt Lake has withdrawn in favor of Ogden, which city is now in the lead.

Contending that any change in the existing protecting tariff on wool would work great injury on the sheep industry in America, C. H. Harding, of Philadelphia, ex-president of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers, addressed the convention.

He compared the recent hearing before the house committee on tariff revision to a minstrel show, with some of the congressmen as end men.

NO TRAINS RUNNING.

Overland Traffic on Central Pacific Stopped by Floods.

San Francisco, Jan. 16.—Beyond the destruction of the Southern Pacific company's bridges at Sacramento and the West-Pac crossing near there, the damage resulting from the great rain storm which has deluged the central part of California for the last week is slight. The danger is not over, however, if the rain continues, though apparently the storm is ceasing.

So far very little of the grain land in the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys has been inundated, and the great of the flood has passed several of the most dangerous points.

The principal danger is also at Sacramento and Stockton, where an immense spread of farming land will be under water if the levees give way. Tonight's reports from those points are reassuring.

Heavy Rains in California.

Sacramento, Jan. 16.—At the weather bureau in this city today reports received indicated that floods might be expected at Stockton and on the islands in the delta of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers, on account of the heavy rainfall along the watersheds of the Calaveras river and other streams rising in the Sierras. Steamers arriving from the north this morning reported a break in the levee on the Yolo county side, below Elk Horn, 12 miles above here. The break is 75 feet wide.

Valuable Freight Burns.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 16.—A Canadian Pacific silk train with a cargo valued at \$1,000,000, which arrived by the Empress of China, was run into by a fast freight while standing on a siding 17 miles east of Swift Current last night. An error of the brakeman in not closing the switch after the train had taken the siding caused the accident. The train immediately caught fire and four cars with valuable freight were totally destroyed.

Colonize Quake Victims.

Paris, Jan. 14.—The Duke di Littia, an Italian nobleman and owner of vast estates along the Miakka river in Florida, will throw open his lands for colonization to 5,000 families made destitute by the earthquake in Southern Italy. The only condition named by the duke is that each family shall take two farms, cultivating one for themselves and the other for him.

CATARRH IN HEAD

Pe-ru-na--Pe-ru-na.



MR. W. M. A. PRESSER.

Mr. William A. Presser, 1722 Third Ave., Moline, Ill., writes:

"I have been suffering from catarrh in the head for the past two months and tried innumerable so-called remedies without avail. No one knows how I have suffered, not only from the disease itself, but from mortification when in company of friends or strangers."

"I have used two bottles of your medicine for a short time only, and it effected a complete medical cure, and what is better yet, the disease has not returned."

"I can most emphatically recommend Peruna to all sufferers from this disease."

Read This Experience.

Mr. A. Thompson, Box 65, R. R. 1, Martel, Ohio, writes: "When I began your treatment my eyes were inflamed, nose was stopped up half of the time, and was sore and scabby. I could not rest at night on account of continual hacking and spitting."

"I had tried several remedies and was about to give up, but thought I would try Peruna."

"After I had taken about one-third of a bottle I noticed a difference. I am now completely cured, after suffering with catarrh for eighteen years."

"I think if those who are afflicted with catarrh would try Peruna they would never regret it."

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Motive Power.

"Yes, indeed; I've had many a good time taking my motor boat out for an all day fishing trip."

"About how much fuel do you use in a day?"

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Sympathy.

The 300-pound visitor at the live stock show leaned over the edge of the pen in which lay the 600-pound hog, stretched out at full length on the floor and breathing stertorously.

"It's pretty tough on you and me, old chap, isn't it," wheezed the fat visitor, "to be prize beauties!"—Chicago Tribune.

Necessary Preliminary.

The young man with the engaging smile was offering his assistance in preparing the dainties that were to be sold at the church social.

"In making these popcorn balls," he asked, "what is the first thing to do?"

"Wash your hands," said the practical young woman who was overseeing the job.

Her Kick.

"I don't mind finding a gray hair or two in my own hair," sighed the bachelor girl, who shows some few signs of the serene and yellow leaf, "but when I pay \$3 for a nice bunch of lovely brown curls and have to pick them out of those, too, it isn't fair. Do you think it is?"

Why, Cert!

The customer had handed over a check in payment of his long overdue milk bill. "Is it a certified check?" asked the collector.

"No, and it doesn't need to be; I'm perfectly good. That's an impudent question to ask."

"I guess you'd better get it certified," said the collector. "You insist on having certified milk."

No Secrecy.

"Is this the financial editor?"

"Yes, sir."

"Just to settle a bet, will you please tell me if there is such a thing as a \$3 bill?"

"Certainly. I had a \$3 bill in my possession this morning, and I stopped at the grocer's on my way downtown and paid it. You lose."

Noblesse Oblige.

The youthful George Washington had just declared that he couldn't tell a lie. "How would it look," he said, "for a future President of the United States to be eligible for membership in an Ananias club?"

Thereupon he trimmed the cherry tree he had cut down, and proceeded to make a big stick out of it.—Chicago Tribune.

WOOL POOL FAILS.

B yers Offer High Prices and Break Proposed Combine.

Pocatello, Idaho, Jan. 18.—Chief Forester Pinchot turned down two invitations to attend the convention of the National Woolgrowers' association, which adjourned in this city Saturday.

Mr. Pinchot's refusals were based on what he termed the selfish and narrow policy of the association toward the government forestry service.

On a final showdown on the Chicago wool storage proposition it was found that the signatures to the Chicago contract were 4,500,000 pounds short of the required 25,000,000 pounds necessary to insure the Chicago market.

At a meeting of those already signed up it was found to be impossible to secure pledges of the required amount among delegates present at the Pocatello convention, and a campaign will be inaugurated on the outside.

Wool buyers from Chicago and St. Louis have been active during the convention in buying the 1909 clip at from 18 to 21 cents. Many woolgrowers, heretofore considered as staunch supporters of the Chicago plan, have contracted their clips to private buyers, secured by the remarkable prices.

Ogden was selected as the next place of meeting.

Fred W. Gooding, of Shoshone, Idaho, was re-elected president; George S. Walker, of Cheyenne, Wyo., again was chosen secretary, and Lewis Penwell, of Helena, Mont., once more selected as treasurer. A. H. Knollin, of Chicago, succeeded Joseph E. Wing, of Mechanicsburg, O., as Eastern vice president, and A. J. Delfefer, of Laramie, Wyo., succeeded Dr. J. M. Wilson, of Wyoming, as Western vice president.

In the resolutions adopted any reduction in the present tariff on wool and hides was opposed, and the proposed establishment of a central wool market in Chicago approved.

NO CHANGE IN POLICY.

Dismissal of Yuan Shi Kai Will Not Affect China.

Pekin, Jan. 18.—Prince Ching, president of the board of foreign affairs, has assured the American and British ministers that the dismissal of Yuan Shi Kai means no change in Chinese policy, but bitterness has arisen between the British and Japanese representatives here on account of Japan's refusal to join Great Britain in her representations to Prince Ching.

The British position is that Japan acts in bad faith, while the Japanese legation explains that it was agreed to concur in the opinion of the majority and that a majority of the ministers favored the taking of no action in this direction.

William M. Rockhill and Sir John Jordan, respectively the ministers to China from the United States and Great Britain, today expressed themselves as pleased with the reception accorded them by Prince Ching.

They say the prince received them in the spirit in which they came, as representatives of two friendly powers. He listened to Messrs. Rockhill and Jordan respectfully, who inquired whether the dismissal of Yuan Shi Kai meant a change in the policy of China.

Prince Ching authoritatively assured his callers that this was not so. This assurance, it is understood, puts an end to the bad impression that followed the dismissal of Yuan Shi Kai.

Bodies of Cheney's Found.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The bodies of the American Consul, Arthur S. Cheney and Mrs. Cheney were found in the ruins of the American consulate at Messina yesterday afternoon by the sailors of the American battleship Illinois, which arrived at Messina yesterday from Suez. The bodies were prepared for shipment and taken aboard the American supply ship Cullgoon, which will carry them to Naples. Arrangements are being made for the shipment of the bodies to the United States. The Illinois has returned to Malta.

Nicholas Gets Off Throne.

Paris, Jan. 18.—Prince Nicholas, of Montenegro, has abdicated in favor of his son, Prince Mirko, according to a dispatch received here this evening from Vienna. The report lacks confirmation, though it is generally credited, as Nicholas had not met the full desires of his subjects in his attitude toward Austria. He was confronted with the same situation as now confronts King Peter, of Servia, whose abdication is expected at any moment.

Uncle Sam Helps Bravos.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 18.—The government has now taken charge of the indigent band of Chippewa Indians, whose pitiable condition during the cold spell excited the charitable disposed residents of the state in no small degree, with the result that they were afforded every possible relief. The government has sent an inspector here and he has received instructions to provide clothing and food for them and this is being done.

No River and Harbor Bill.

Washington, Jan. 18.—The house committee on rivers and harbors has voted against a general appropriation bill for river and harbor improvements. The committee will report a bill providing for carrying on important work already begun, for surveys of urgent projects proposed and for any emergency which may arise. This bill will probably carry not to exceed \$10,000,000.

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