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At Japanese auctions each bidder writes his name and the amounts of his bid on a slip of paper. The various slips are deposited in a box. They are examined when the bidding is over, and the name of the highest bidder is announced.

The most expensive hat on record cost $1,500 in gold, and was presented to General Grant while in Mexico in 1882. It is now on exhibition in the National Museum at Washington—perhaps the finest Mexican sombrero that was ever made.

A magnificent grove of black walnut trees, most of them with trunks four feet in diameter, have been discovered in the heart of the Miami Indian reserve, southern part of Wabash county, Indiana. The timber has been sold for $60,000.

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[illegible], the musician, [illegible] Sullivan safety [illegible] be attached to car- [illegible] in case of runaways [illegible] dents, by releasing the [illegible] from the carriage. The inven- [illegible] which is to be put on the market [illegible] once, is primarily due to the death of the late Countess of Lathom, which filled Sir Arthur with a desire to prevent similar catastrophes.

"Recently, after the Rock Island wreck at Volland," says the Kansas City Journal, "Dr. G. H. Kittle, of [illegible] claim [illegible]

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BUSINESS IN ALASKA.

Sober Development Takes the Place of the Mad Rush—New Discoveries Being Made.

Captain Dwight Hunt, with two companions, has been in Haines this week, outfitting for a prospecting tour in the Porcupine mining district, says the Porcupine Quill. Captain Hunt and party represent an extensive company, known as the Jack Crawford (poet and scout) party that went to the Hootalinqua last season over the Dyea route, equipped with dredgers, and who have been unsuccessful in the Yukon and are trying the present season to retrieve their ill luck by operating in the Atlin and Forty-Mile diggings in the Yukon. Attracted by favorable reports from the Porcupine district, the manager of the company, Henry M. Wallace, a prominent lawyer of Ann Arbor, Mich., placed a detail of operators under charge of Captain Hunt, who is an experienced prospector, and sent them here to prosecute intelligent examination of the quartz and placer claims in American Alaska in this vicinity. They are also going to give special examination of the hydraulic propositions which are reported favorable. In event they are successful in their search they will bring in a large outfit this season of modern hydraulic machinery and permanently establish the headquarters of the company—which have a large capital at their control—under the Stars and Stripes, and abandon the Northwest Territory propositions, where they are sorely handicapped by unjust discriminations and exactions. The party will be ready to start early next week, and are now getting their boats and outfits over the trail to the Chilcat river.

Excitement Runs High.

Mr. Cole, the mail agent for Porcupine City, brought down on his last trip a small pile of gold dust taken from claim No. 1 above Discovery, on Porcupine creek. It was the partial output of the first washout by the use of a sluicebox on that claim, and was sold to S. Weitzman for $35. Mr. Cole says the miners on McKinley and Porcupine creeks are just beginning to take out gold, and the field soon will astonish the nations. The water is quite high, and only the elevated rimrock can be worked, but as the work progresses the claims are growing richer, excitement is running high and daily arrivals of prospectors are large.

A Stampede Expected.

Since the arrival of samples of coarse gold from the placer mines on the Porcupine and McKinley diggings, the mists of doubt that have been thrown over that district by the "grubstakers" who have done no active work except to hang around the camp, "waiting for something to turn up," have disappeared, and a feeling of confidence established. In fact, nothing but the best of reports are being brought in daily, and if developments continue as they are now going on there will be a genuine stampede inside of six weeks

Large Cannery Destroyed.

Mr. D. J. Munn's cannery on Sea island, B. C., was completely destroyed by fire. The cannery was one of the largest on the North Arm, and generally had the largest pack for that branch of the river. The cannery was fully equipped with everything necessary for the season's work and all the nets were [illegible]anging in readiness to be taken out [illegible] the sockeye run. The loss on the [illegible]ery, stock of cans, machinery, [illegible] estimated at $65,000, on which [illegible]s only $45,000 insurance.

[illegible]ruck a Quartz Ledge.

[illegible] Estinghousen, of California, [illegible]een prospecting along the [illegible]er for the past four months, [illegible]ge of quartz about four [illegible] Haines. His discovery [illegible]e five feet between walls, [illegible]ly carries a large per cent [illegible]d gold. Mr. Estinghousen [illegible] mining for several years [illegible]nd California, and is satis- [illegible]his discovery possesses great [illegible]and will take immediate steps [illegible]elop it.

New Alesk[illegible]

Jim [illegible] [illegible] "is going to be quite a city, as it already has one large store and about 40 houses. The townsite is being surveyed and the prospectors are flocking in by the dozens. One noticeable feature of the district is the copper-stained ore, nearly every sample coming from that district being literally covered with the stain."

Great Racing Event.

Saturday, July 1, the trotting and running races commence at the Irvington track, Portland, and will continue until July 8. Judging by the horses that have already been entered for the different events, it ought to prove a success in every way. Opening day, ladies will be admitted to the track and grandstand free of charge. On all other days 25 cents admission will be charged. This includes a seat in the grandstand. The admission fee for gentlemen on all racing days, includ- [illegible] grandstand, will be 50 cents. [illegible] racing and popular prices will [illegible]ubtedly prove great drawing cards

Peacock Copper Prospect.

Mr. Sheldon brought to Haines' Mission several fine specimens of quartz taken from a ledge near town. The specimens were highly crystallized with peacock copper and other mineral which resembled gold. The specimens attracted a great deal of attention and favorable comment from experts. The vein his samples were taken from is about eight inches in width, with good prospects of growing wider as he proceeds with development work.

Death in the Rapids.

The Klondike rush of 1899 has already had its list of dead to be recorded. Frank Kane, hotel man, of Douglas island, and Charles Mordt, of the Hotel Lindemann, Dyea trail, while trying to cross Bennett in a Peterboro canoe, were capsized and drowned.

Fresh Meat Famine.

A fresh meat famine existed at Haines the front end of last week. A like condition of affairs in the market is reported as existing at Skagway by reason of the nonarrival of expected beef cattle.

Sumner Iron Works.

The Puget Sound Wire Nail & Steel Company, now the property of the American Steel & Iron Trust, has closed down and the nail and wire machines will be shipped to the Washburn & Moen Company, at San Francisco. F. W. Mitchell, of Mitchell, Lewis & Staver Company, of Seattle, is inspecting the buildings, machinery and site of the nail works with a view to purchasing them and moving the iron works thereto. If the deal is made it is the intention of the Sumner iron works to at once go into the locomotive building on a large scale.

Mill Destroyed by Fire.

The Krumm chopmill, at Genesee, Idaho, has been destoyed by fire, which is supposed to have been started in the engine-room. At the time of the fire some four or five tons of chopped feed was on hand. The 14 horse power gasoline engine, valued at $1,100, will not be a total loss, as it is believed with a few extras it can be placed in running order again. The insurance was only $1,000, which will nowhere near cover the loss.

Cannery to Be Erected.

George W. Sanborn has purchased 200 feet of water front property on the west side of the Seaside cannery, and expects to have a cannery built and ready for operation next season. The plant will be up-to-date and equipped with the latest machinery. The cannery will have no connection with any other cannery or combination.

Bank Incorporated.

The Medford bank has filed articles of incorporation, at Medford, Jackson county. The capital sttock is fixed at $50,000. The incorporators are R. H. Whitehead, J. E. Engart, J. Stewart, W. B. Roberts and H. E. Ankney. The company will conduct a bank.

PACIFIC COAST TRADE.

Seattle Markets.

Onions, 90c per 100 pounds.
Potatoes, $35@40.
Beets, per sack, $1@1 25.
Turnips, per sack, 50@75c.
Carrots, per sack, $1.
Parsnips, per sack, $1.75.
Cauliflower, $1.00 per doz.
Celery, 35@40c.
Cabbage, native and California, $2.50 per 100 pounds.
Apples, $2.50@3.50 per box.
Pears, 50c@$1.50 per box.
Prunes, 50c per box.
Butter—Creamery, 18c per pound; dairy and ranch, 12@18c per pound.
Eggs, 21c.
Cheese—Native, 14c.
Poultry—Old hens, 16c per pound; spring chickens, 14c; turkeys, 16c.
Fresh meats—Choice dressed beef steers, prime, 9c; cows, prime, 9c; mutton, 9c; pork, 7c; veal, 8@10c.
Wheat—Feed wheat, $20.
Oats—Choice, per ton, $27@28.
Hay—Puget Sound mixed, $6.00@8; choice Eastern Washington timothy, $12.00.
Corn—Whole, $23.50; cracked, $24; feed meal, $24.00.
Barley—Rolled or ground, per ton, $25@26; whole, $23.
Flour—Patent, per barrel, $3.35; straights, $3.10; California brands, $3.25; buckwheat flour, $3.50; graham, per barrel, $3.60; whole wheat flour, $3.75; rye flour, $4.50.
Millstuffs—Bran, per ton, $15; shorts, per ton, $16.
Feed—Chopped feed, $21@22 per ton; middlings, per ton, $22; oil cake meal, per ton, $33.

Portland Market.

Wheat—Walla Walla, 58c; Valley, 59c; Bluestem, 61c per bushel.
Flour—Best grades, $3.20; graham, $2.65; superfine, $2.15 per barrel.
Oats—Choice white, 45c; choice gray, 43@44c per bushel.
Barley—Feed barley, $19@20; brewing, $21.00 per ton.
Millstuffs—Bran, $17 per ton; middlings, $22; shorts, $18; chop, $16.00 per ton.
Hay—Timothy, $8@9; clover, $7@8; Oregon wild hay, $6 per ton.
Butter—Fancy creamery, 30@35c; seconds, 27@30c; dairy, 25@27c store, 20@22c.
Cheese—Oregon full cream, 12½c; Young America, 15c; new cheese, 10c per pound. [illegible]
[illegible] young; ducks, $5.00@5.50 per dozen; turkeys, live, 15@16c per pound.
Potatoes—$1@1.10 per sack; sweets, 2c per pound.
Vegetables—Beets, $1; turnips, 90c per sack; garlic, 7c per pound; cabbage, $1@1.25 per 100 pounds; cauliflower, 75c per dozen; parsnips, $1 per sack; beans, 3c per pound; celery, 70@75c per dozen; cucumbers, 50c per box; peas, 3@3½c per pound.
Onions—Oregon, 50@75c per sack.
Hops—11@13c; 1897 crop, 4@6c.
Wool—Valley, 12@13c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 6@10c; mohair, 27c per pound.
Mutton—Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, 4c; dressed mutton, 7½c; spring lambs, 7½c per lb.
Hogs—Gross, choice heavy, $4.50; light and feeders, $2.50@3.00; dressed, $5.00@6.00 per 100 pounds.
Beef—Gross, top steers, 4.00@$4.50; cows, $2.50@3.00; dressed beef, 5@6½c per pound.
Veal—Large, 6@7c; small, 7½@8c per pound.

San Francisco Market.

Wool—Spring—Nevada, 10@12c per pound; Oregon, Eastern, 8@12c; Valley, 15@17c; Northern, 8@10c.
Millstuffs—Middlings, $17.50@20; bran, $15.50@16.50 per ton.
Onions—Silverskin, 50@90c per sack.
Butter — Fancy creamery, 17@18c; do seconds, 16@17c; fancy dairy, 15c; do seconds, 14@14½c per pound.
Eggs — Store, 16@17c; fancy ranch, 18@19c.
Hops—1898 crop, 15c.
Citrus Fruit—Oranges, Valencia, $2@2.50; Mexican limes, $4.50@5; California lemons, 75c@$1.25; do choice, $2.50 per box.
Hay—Wheat, $13@15.50; wheat and oat, $13@16; oat, $14@16; best barley, $12@13; alfalfa, $11@12 per ton; straw, 40@70c per bale.
Potatoes—Early Rose, $1.50@1.75; Oregon Burkanks, $1.65@$1.85; river Burbanks, 75c@$1; Salinas Burbanks, $1@1.10 per sack.
Tropical fruits—Bananas, $1.50@2.50 per bunch; pineapples, $2.50@4.50; Persian dates, 6@6½c per pound.

THIS LITTLE WOMAN O' MINE.

She ain't any bit of an angel—
This sweet little woman o' mine;
She's jest a plain woman,
An 'purty much human—
This sweet little woman o' mine.

For what I would do with an angel
When I looked for the firelight's shine?
When six little sinners
Are wantin' their dinners?
No! Give me this little woman o' mine!

I've heard lots of women called "angels,"
An' lots o' 'em thought it wuz fine;
But give 'em the feathers,
An' me, in all weathers,
This sweet little woman o' mine!

I jest ain't got nuthin' ag'in 'em—
These angels—they're good in their line;
But they're sorter above me!
Thank God, that she'll love me—
This dear little woman o' mine.
—F. L. Stanton.

A Boy's Love.

MRS. CARRUTHERS flushed slightly as she read the name on the pasteboard. "I will see him here, Jane," she said, with studied calmness, "and remember, please, that I am not at home to any one for the next hour."

She nestled down on her settee, pillowing the shimmering gold of her head against its cushions, and waited. She was glad he had come. Her thoughts traveled back to their first meeting that day on the front at Brighton, and she smiled as she recalled the gust of wind that caught her handkerchief, a scented scrap of lace and cambric, and carried it fluttering to his feet. He was young, a mere boy in fact, and singularly handsome, and he actually blushed as he restored the trifle. There was something frank and fresh about him—few of her men friends ever blushed—and her tendencies were sufficiently Bohemian to render more formal introduction unnecessary; before the week was out he had lunched and dined at her hotel. Time had flown for her since then; bright summer days spent drifting among the upper reaches of the Thames, with the heat of the afternoon lazed away in some shady backwater; morning drives to some old-world retreat among the Surrey hills; afternoons on the lawns at Hurlingham, strolling, talking, tea drinking among the smartest in the land, with the band of the Guards crashing out the masterpieces of great German composers, interspersed with melodies from the Casino. They had been friends, nothing more, but each day had brought a fresh delight, and she had been happy. Now it was to end; he had come to say, "Good-by."

"It seems almost like a dream," she murmured; "I wonder what I shall do without him?"

The hangings swayed aside, and the boy advanced with outstretched hand. She smiled and gave him hers without rising.

"Sit down," she said, "and have some coffee, unless you prefer something stronger."

"Coffee, thanks," he answered, dropping into a chair beside her.

She poured some out and handed it to him, together with a tiny box of tortoise-shell and silver. He laughed softly as he opened it and saw a row of miniature cigarettes.

"Ah! so you indulge, it appears. How often?"

"Oh, sometimes!"

"And I haven't known it until this moment! Will you join me now?"—offering the case.

"No, thank you; I prefer to see you smoke. There is a match beside you."

He lit one of the cigarettes and puffed away in silence, until a blue haze had gathered about his head. Then he looked across at her. "I am going abroad," he said, abruptly. "Are you surprised?"

"Assuming that you mean some horrible tropic"—he nodded—"yes, I am. I suppose it means the loss of everything that has made your life pleasant in the past—yes? and the gain of—what?"

"Nothing."

"Then why go?"

She leaned back, clasping her hands behind her head, and her sleeves, falling, disclosed arms as smooth and white as ivory. Their glances met and she asked again, "Why go?"

"Because I have no choice," he answered. "Look here, Madge, we've been friends, jolly good friends, and God only knows how I shall get on without you; I will be perfectly frank, and tell you just how it stands. My father, as you know, was a country parson. He ought never to have put me through Sandhurst; it was beyond his means—I often wondered how he managed to do all he did, but I really knew nothing of his affairs until his death last year. I found out then that he never did have much beyond his pride, and it appeared that towards the end he had dabbled in stocks and shares. Well, you know what happens when parsons walk into bucket-shops; there was barely enough left to keep the young one at Sandhurst. That is why I am exchanging for the West Indies." He looked up thoughtfully at the smoke cloud wreathing from his cigarette. "Of course I shall see something of life. I have seen little so far; school, Sandhurst, an outlandish depot in the west of Ireland, and—town."

"Do you want to go?"

"One cannot always do what one wants."

She shrugged her shoulders beneath the billowy lace and muslin of her demi-toilette, and there was another pause.

"How strange it will seem when you have gone—I shall feel quite lost by myself." She spoke softly, in a tone almost of soliloquy, watching him closely to see the effect of her words. He made no reply, and she went on, "When one has so few friends, it is hard to lose them—the places are so hard to fill." He winced at that, and a momentary gleam flashed in her eyes. "It will seem strange," she repeated; "I wonder if you will ever think of me—often, I mean?"

"I hope not," he replied; "I want to forget you."

That was all she wanted; the simple directness of the answer conveyed more to her than any outburst of passion could have done. The rest was easy.

After awhile he rose to his feet. She rose, too, and stood before him, looking into his eyes as though she would read his soul. A wild desire to crush her in his arms took possession of him, and the finger-nails bit into the palms of his clenched hands.

"Must you go?" she whispered, drawing nearer to him.

"I have no choice," he said, again.

"You want money," she continued; "well, I am rich."

He did not reply.

"Would you do something for me?"

"Yes," he said, simply; "I would give my life for you."

Her eyes dropped, and a delicious color crept into her cheeks.

"Well, before you go, do me a favor. Marry me."

He did.—St. Paul's.

TRACING SUICIDE.

Believed that Unsuitable Diet Has an Injurious Effect.

Dr. Haig is of the opinion that suicide may be traced to error in diet, the error being the eating of meat, the drinking of beer and of tea and the smoking of tobacco. His facts all fall comfortably into their places in support of his hypothesis. Are there not more suicides among men than among women, and do not men consume more meat, more beer and more tobacco than the women? Again, suicide is more common in England than in Scotland, not apparently because the Scotch are a more canny race, but because the English eat more meat and drink more beer, while the Scotch eat less meat and drink whisky instead of beer. After maintaining that suicide was less common among the Scotch, it was perhaps hardly polite, when addressing a Scotch audience, to go on to say that suicide increased with civilization. But the fact was explained on the ground of more injurious diet, that of civilized man being more productive of uric acid and thus of suicide than that which prevails where civilization is less advanced. Uric acid is, in fact, at the bottom of all this, and, according to Dr. Haig, the incidence of suicide tallies with the daily, annual and life fluctuations of uric acid in the blood, being commonest when uric acid is most abundant, namely, in the mornings, in spring and summer and in childhood and the full prime of life.

We have no doubt that errors of diet are responsible for much, and, among other things, for a certain number of suicides; nay, we could go further and admit that unsuitable diet, derangement of the proper relation between nutrition and waste and the consequent loading of the tissues and the blood with abnormal products of metabolism have much to do with that bitter temper and discontent which lead men to lay their hands violently upon their neighbors and sometimes on themselves. All this may be taken for granted, but it is at present far from proved that the peccant material is in all cases the same, and still further are we from being agreed that uric acid is the origin of the evil.—Hospital.

Giants of Patagonia.

The tribes to the east of the Cordilleras, in southern Patagonia, belong to Araucanian stock, and are a superior race. The Tehuelches—as they call themselves—of southern and eastern Patagonia are the people whose unusual stature gave rise to the fables of the early days to the effect that the natives of this region were giants averaging nine to ten feet in height. It is a fact that they are the tallest human beings in the world, the men averaging but slightly less than six feet, while individuals of four to six inches above that mark are not uncommon. They are in reality by no means savages, but somewhat civilized barbarians. They are almost unacquainted with the use of firearms, notwithstanding some contact with the whites, but they have plenty of horses and dogs.

Unsurpassed hunters, they capture the guanaco and the rhea, or South American ostrich, and from the skins of these and other animals they make clothes and coverings for their tents. They make beautiful "capes," or mantles, of furs and feathers which are highly prized by Europeans, and find a ready market, most of the proceeds being spent for bad whisky, which is brought into the country in quantities.—Boston Evening Transcript.

The Garden of Eden.

"I know you will like the house," remarked the real estate agent; "the country is perfectly healthy."

"Indeed!" replied the prospective purchaser.

"Oh, yes; and no flies."

"So?"

"Good water."

"Ah!"

"Gas.

"Oh!"

"No electric lights."

"Um—m!"

"Trains every twenty minutes, and always on time."

"Ha!"

"Low taxes."

"Ho!"

"No unpleasant neighbors."

"Humph!"

"No mosquitoes. But why do you weep?"

"Be-because," sobbed the man, "I-I didn't know I was dead—and I suddenly f-find I've got to h-heaven."

Queen's Splendid Memory.

A remarkable instance of the excellence of her majesty's memory was given a few days ago. A copy of the memoir of the late Thomas Best Jervis of the Bombay engineers was presented to the Queen at Cimiez by the author, who is conservator of the museum at Turin. Her majesty expressed her pleasure at the presentation, and mentioned having seen the model of Sebastopol made by Colonel Jervis, and exhibited by him at the war office as far back as 1855.—London Telegraph.

Clock Made of Bread.

Milan has a curiosity in a clock which is made entirely of bread. The maker is a native of India, and he has devoted three years of his time to the construction of this curiosity. The clock is of respectable size, and goes well.

A Small Family.

"Robbie," asked the visitor, "have you any brothers and sisters?"

"No," replied Robbie, "I'm all the children we've got."

Embarrassed His Father.

A gentleman recently visited a new district police station and was shown over the building by the officer in charge. He related the circumstances of his visit at home in the hearing of his youngest son, a little fellow four years of age. A few weeks later father and son were traveling by rail to a town some miles distant, when just before reaching their destination the train pulled up within sight of a large, gloomy-looking building. The son inquired what place it was, and on being informed that it was the county jail he embarrassed the father and made the other occupants of the carriage look suspicious by asking "Was that the jail you was in, father?"—Chicago Chronicle.

Opinions of a Pessimist.

Every man thinks all men except one are conceited.

It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than it is for a man to miss his train and think things that are fit for publication.

Martyrdom would cease to be glorious if the martyr could live to enjoy it, therefore martyrs are scarce.

When a woman says she doesn't care what her neighbors think it is a sign that her doctor is going to recommend a change of air.—Chicago Times-Herald.

Confession of a Millionaire.

A millionaire confessed the secret of his success in two words—hard work. He put in the best part of his life gaining dollars and losing health, and now he was putting in the other half spending dollars to get it back. Nothing equals Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for restoring health. It cures dyspepsia and indigestion.

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In several European countries, including France and Belgium, elections are always held on Sundays.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

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There was a young man from Lenore,
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The "beef" made him sick,
He recovered quite quick
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