

Superfluous.
 "He wants to have a plank demanding old age pensions for men in the platform this year."
 "But why this discrimination? Would not the women need it as badly?"
 "Yes, they might need it, but they would never grow old enough to be entitled to it, so what's the use?"

Explained.
 Though he dipped into business, All he could do was fail. He only was an honest man. That tells the simple tale.

The Rosetta Stone.
 The Rosetta stone was found in 1799 by a French engineer officer in an excavation made near Rosetta. It has an inscription in three different languages, the hieroglyphic, the demotic and the Greek. It was erected 195 B. C. in honor of Ptolemy Epiphanes because he remitted the dues of the priestly body. The great value of the Rosetta stone lies in the fact that it furnished the key whereby the Egyptian hieroglyphics were deciphered.

Pedestrian Rights.
 Only in Great Britain, so far as I know, does the law hold that a foot passenger has an equal right to the highway with the wheeled traffic and that it is the duty of the driver of the latter to avoid at all costs the former, even if he has to do so at considerable inconvenience and often danger. In other countries, on the contrary, it is the duty of the pedestrian to give way to the wheeled traffic.—Atlanta Constitution.

Poor Old Sol!
 An astronomer says that an enormous dark planet is rushing toward the sun and that the impact, which is to take place in a few thousand years, will be frightful. Great Caesar! If that's the case, Old Sol stands a good chance of having the spots knocked out of him.—Morrison Times.

If you throw enough brickbats at a man, he can build a modern flat building.

It is extremely necessary to practice the power of having before you can riot very deeply in the joy of giving.

The handwriting upon the wall just at this juncture looks much like an order for the calculator.

When there is no choice, it certainly is up to an inventive genius to make one.

THE WEASEL.
His Ferocity Unbounded and His Courage Inevitable.

The weasel is the most bloodthirsty of all our native carnivores. His ferocity is unbounded, his courage invincible. He is one of the few British wild animals from whom man has to fear attack.

If you meet a group of weasels you will do well not to interfere with them, for those who have done so have occasionally suffered for their temerity. His dwarfish size rather accentuates than diminishes the detestation in which he is held, for there is something uncanny in the idea of so much relentlessness and cruelty being compressed into so small a frame.

The rabbit, who will fight a fierce and bitter battle with one of his own kind, is paralyzed with fear at the mere sight of this puny foe, whom he could probably pulverize could he brace his heart to the attempt. Squealing with fear, he hops stupidly about until the little vampire springs upon his neck and buries his fangs in an artery.

Then the victim either sinks to the ground and submits to his fate or, suddenly acquiring the use of his muscles, he speeds aimlessly along, the weasel clinging to his neck till his work is done. There are few more pitiful sounds in nature than the panic-stricken cry of a rabbit when he finds that he is being stalked by a weasel.—London Answers.

Majesty of the Law.

"I believe," faltered the woman who lives on the east side, "that a big, tall policeman in blue and brass buttons could make me declare myself guilty of any crime, murder included. For example, yesterday there came an awful knock at my kitchen door. It nearly broke it down. I opened the door tremblingly and peeped out. There stood the tallest policeman I ever saw."
 "You've been throwin' things out the window into the area," he roared in a voice that more than matched his size. "Trash and the like. Now, don't tell me you haven't. Somebody has. Everybody is complainin'."

"But"—I began faintly.
 "Now," he reiterated, "don't tell me you haven't. A complaint has been sent to the board of health. Don't you do it any more. You hear?"
 "I won't," I stammered. "I won't. I promise you." And with that the door shut on him.

He Heard of It.

Admiral Walker was a fine old sailor, and he was recognized as thorough. No personal friendship softened his manners to a delinquent. One day when he was sailing out from Hampton Roads with the international fleet that helped us to celebrate the centennial of Washington's first inauguration his orders about weighing anchor were disobeyed by his dearest friend in the service, who was in command of one of the ships, and as the old Chicago, the flagship, passed the trembling culprit the navies of the world heard "his whiskers" thundering out from the bridge objurgations and expressing wonder at his own moderation in not putting his old comrade under arrest. At another time when the white squadron was sailing out of a Mediterranean bay another old friend worked his ship so awkwardly that the admiral—then nearly a "trade dollar admiral"—suspended him by signal in the face of the whole fleet. The punished captain, coming aboard to protest against his public reprimand, puffed out indignantly, "Why, sir, I never heard of such a thing."
 "Well," said John, pulling at his big side whiskers, "you've heard of it now."—Harper's.

Muskrat Skin Cure.

"The skin of a muskrat taken and worn next to the chest will cure any case of asthma in the world," said a Louisville man. "I had an uncle who suffered a thousand deaths with asthma and tried everything that could be bought in the way of medicine. Finally one day an old time friend told him of the muskrat skin, and he tried it. In two months he was as well as he had ever been. Just how the skin works about a cure is a mystery, but it will do it."—Nashville Tennessean.

The Art of War.

It costs over \$1,000 to fire a single shot from one of the largest guns used in the French army.

The German army of 1908 consists of 501,990 soldiers, 85,166 noncommissioned officers and 25,465 officers.

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Said Bonds will be payable 20 years from date of issue, optional after ten years, interest to be paid semi-annually on the first day of April and October of each year. Principal and interest payable in lawful money of the United States at the office of the County Treasurer, Klamath County, Oregon.

Said Bonds shall be sold for cash paid down at date of sale and for not less than their par value, and shall draw interest at the rate of six per cent per annum and be issued in denomination of 20 Bonds of \$1,000.00 each.

Each proposal to purchase said Bonds must be accompanied by a certified check upon some responsible bank for five per cent of the amount bid.

The County Treasurer reserves the right to reject any and all bids. CLAUDE H. DAGGETT, County Treasurer of Klamath County, Oregon. Dated at Klamath Falls, Oregon, December 24, 1909. 12-2, 30

AUCTION

For sale, at 2 p. m. on Saturday, Dec. 11th, one imported thoroughbred shire Stallion, Stuntney Spartan II, for cash or negotiable notes at 8 per cent, at the Klamath Livery Stables, Klamath Falls, Oregon. A sure foal getter and a horse of strong prepotency. His get of colts for the past four years may be seen in the Klamath Basin.

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Jesse Freeman, Sterling Mine, Jacksonville, Ore., says: "I actually believe that Doan's Kidney Pills saved my life. I suffered from kidney disease for a long time before I realized what was the matter with me. My worst troubles were pains in my back and limbs and an irregularity in the passage of kidney secretions. I was unable to rest well on account of the pains and felt so stiff and lame at times that I could hardly walk. I finally learned of Doan's Kidney Pills, and as they were so highly recommended I procured a box and began using them. They seemed to be just what I required, for in less than two weeks beneficial results were apparent. When I had used seven boxes I was in better health than I had been for years."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

The county clerk and his deputies recently have been paying out a good deal of money in bounties on coyote and bobcat.

The Farmers' Implement company have now almost completed the new addition to their store at Sixth and Klamath avenue. The new rooms will be used as a hardware room, and are 44x96, making the entire building occupied by this company 120x90.

At the trial Thursday last Harry Ward, the defendant, and former proprietor of the Davenport cafe, was bound over under \$500 bonds to await the action of the grand jury. The warrant for the arrest of Ward was sworn out by Heidrich & Dulaney of the Monarch Mercantile company, the charge being obtaining money under false pretenses. It seems that the defendant had mortgaged, in order to obtain more credit, certain property to the Monarch Mercantile company and that the property mortgaged had not as yet been fully paid for. Attorney Irwin made a strong plea in behalf of Ward.

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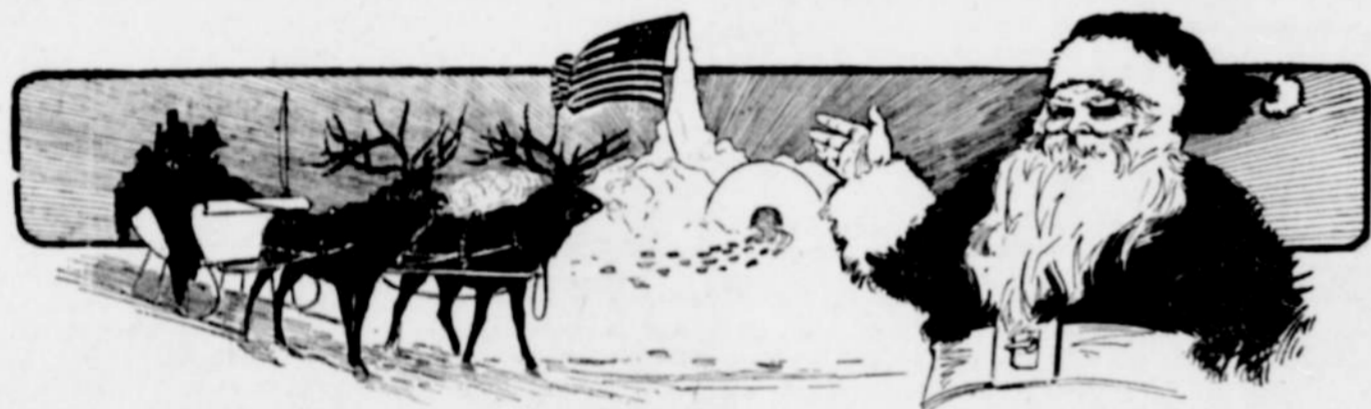
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North Pole, U. S. A., Nov. 30, 1909.
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Yours in haste,
 SANTA CLAUS.

