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BACK numbers of the CAPITAL JOURNAL, containing the first chapters of "Mr. Holden's Narrative," are for sale at this office.

INSURANCE companies are sending out circulars warning people against the allowance of fire crackers and other pyrotechnics on the 4th of July.

A system of building houses entirely of sheet iron has been communicated to the Society of Architecture in Paris.

UNDER the microscope it is seen that as animal and vegetable matter rots away, swarms of ferments come into existence.

Thousands of U-shaped vibrators were living upon it; all were in brisk motion, straightening and bending their bodies with whip-like flicks.

MEN AND HOGS.

One dollar for each one of a thousand persons is but one thousand dollars; one cent for each of one million persons is ten thousand dollars.

Why cannot our railway and other managers see this? Forty million of our people virtually never travel for pleasure.

She Thought better of it. The Oakland Enquirer tells how a woman at Sacramento, the wife of a drunkard and mother of four children, went to Sam Jones and told him her life was unendurable.

In consequence of the decline in the supply of gum arabic, the post-office department has been obliged to abandon its use as a sealer for letter envelopes.

This old bull was a good one.

COQUILLE WILD CATTLE.

In the Fastnesses of the Mountains They Defy all Pursuers.

In the lonesome defiles of the Coquille mountains of Southwestern Oregon there has roamed at will for half a dozen years a band of strange wild cattle.

They are leopard-like in color, being dotted with black on a skin of dun. Their horns are thin and long, and as smooth as though polished with emery.

Quick of eye, fleet of foot, and with a strange power of scenting out enemies, they have proved more than a match for the local sportsman who have at times gone to the heights of the uninhabited hills in pursuit of them.

"Well, those cattle are anomaly, sure enough," said C. S. Andrews, a resident of Coquille, forty-five miles up the Pacific coast, to an Examiner reporter.

"About a year after he lost a cow that was about to calve, and though he hunted far and near throughout the heavy pines which skirt the Coquille he could never find her.

"He thought for a long time that bears or mountain lions had come upon the cow and finished her, but when news began to come in after three or four years that there were some wild cattle up in the mountains, he half thought it must be his cow and her progeny.

"There are others, however, and De Voe is inclined to share the belief with them, who think that this breed of cattle has always been wild; that they are indigenous to that region, the same as the wild cattle of Mexico and Central America.

"Certain it is, at any rate, that all attempts to subdue these cattle have been futile. In 1878 Tom Withrow, a hunter of the Coquille, after a long attempt to kill some of them, finally succeeded in capturing a calf.

"The calf was newly born, and too weak to get away, and the old cow would not leave it, and at once charged furiously upon him.

"Tom was mounted on a fleet Oregon mustang, and he put spurs to that nag and got out of there as quick as he was able.

"There was blood in the cow's eye, and a vindictive, menacing look, which put speed into both rider and horse.

"The cow pursued him for nearly half a mile, until the mustang had chucked Withrow over his head down a steep declivity, and both horse and horseman were separated.

"Then his boy returned to her calf. Tom was mad. He was an old hunter and didn't much relish being routed by a cow.

"He dodged from tree to tree, and finally climbing one, he was able to decry the cow with her head up, her eyes blazing and she snuffing the air.

"Then he captured the calf, spotted like the mother, strapped it to his saddle, and carried it home. For two years he tried to domesticate that calf. Just when he thought he was succeeding it broke the coral and got away to the mountains. He never saw it afterwards.

"In 1841 Harry McLane and Bill Jeffries, two Coos bay men, went up in the Coquille mountains and spent two weeks there. They went hunting for these cattle, as well as for bear and cougar.

"I suppose there are no prettier cattle anywhere than these wild cattle of the Coquille. I don't suppose a fat stock show could produce handsomer cattle than these wild ones of the Oregon wilderness.

He was not very heavy. He would not weigh over about 1,100 pounds, but he was pretty as a picture.

"Since that time various people have gone after these queer cattle, but nobody has succeeded in getting any. It is uphill business. Nobody lives up in those mountain tops.

"An exceedingly nutritious grass grows there. It is so succulent that horses, when they can get it, need no other feed.

"Just how many of the leopard-like cattle there are there it will take a long time to find out. Nobody can arrive at it with any degree of certainty. There may be forty; there may be a hundred."

Compensation.

One woman in furs and velvets: Another in squalid rags; One rolled by in her stately carriage; The other, stood on the flags.

One woman alone in her carriage: By the other, a little child Who, watching the prancing horses, Looked up in her face and smiled.

She stooped to her boy and kissed him, And gave him a hoarded crust; The other had just left costly blooms Where her one son lay in dust.

One, back to her darkened mansion, Wealth cannot hold death at bay! One, back to the bare where labor Brought bread for the coming day.

Perhaps, as over the sands of life, Time's great tide ebbs and flows, More fates among us are equal Than their outward seeming shows. —All the Year Round.

SCRAPS.

A floating island 300 feet in diameter is said to exist around Henry's Lake in Idaho.

A Wichita, Kansas, clergyman has been asked to resign because his sermons are too long.

The feminine defendant in a divorce case at Rockford, Ill., was defended by a woman lawyer, probably the first instance of the kind on record.

A man at Tacoma being confronted with evidence of forgery in the shape of a note, seized and swallowed it before the officer comprehended what he was about.

The postoffice department is anxious to get an envelope of improved design for the registered letter service.

As an evidence of returning prosperity to farmers, it may be noted that all the hiring fairs which were held in England during the last week in May, the wages offered to laborers were from 10 to 20 per cent. higher than for the past few years.

In order to prove to a court in Chicago that memory is a treacherous thing, a lawyer told ten different men of an accident, and when each came to tell it no two had the incidents alike, and not one of them told it as it had been told to him.

It is to the credit of the postoffice department of the government and of the railroads which serve it, that the announcement is made that not so much as a postal card has been lost by the floods that have inundated Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia and have wrought such havoc with lives and property.

Mr. Edwin W. Joy for many years and now a news news druggist on the corner of Stockton and Market streets in San Francisco, probably the most famous of rivalling in wealth the medical king of the country.

It seems that about seven years ago an English physician, a great student of botany, located in this city. His practice was not extensive, and yet the few cases that came to him attracted no little attention.

The immediate symptoms of Dyspepsia, or indigestion, are a distressing sense of weight, oppression and fullness in the stomach, heartburn, loss of appetite, foul breath, belching, flatulency, nausea pains in the shoulders and breast.

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Many Sioux Indians are signing the agreement, notwithstanding the opposition of some chiefs.

Oregon is one of the most productive states in the Union. Its vast mineral regions contain gold, silver, copper, iron, and coal.

Disastrous rains have fallen in Germany, accompanied with thunder, doing much damage to crops and stock.

It should be generally known that Dr. Henley's Dandelion Tonic induces a hearty appetite and increased digestion.

Herman Meyers of Fresno, Cal., charged with killing a boy who was stealing eggs from him, has been acquitted.

A SCRAP OF PAPER SAVES HER LIFE. It was just an ordinary scrap of writing paper, but it saved her life.

It is stated from Baltimore that Cardinal Gibbons will publicly denounce the Clan-na-Gael society if it can be shown that it in any way countenanced the murder of Dr. Cronin.

This is the season of the year when the raw, cold winds create sad havoc with the hands and complexion. Soft white hands and a clear "peachy" complexion can be assuredly preserved by the frequent application of Dutard's Specific.

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Twenty years ago there were 92 lightning rod factories in the U. S. To-day there are but three, and those during a trifling business.

"Miss Brown would be a charming girl," I heard a young man say, "If she had a good complexion and those spots would go away."

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