

FAT STEER PRICES HIT

INCREASED RECEIPTS CHECK UPWARD TENDENCY, GIVING BUYERS AN INNING.

ENFORCE DECLINE OF 10 TO 15c

Butcher Classes Slow to 15c Lower

—Bulls Easy—Calves Firm—Stockers and Feeders Rule Higher.

The country evidently misjudged the absorbing capacity of the market and forwarded too many cattle to the central trade yesterday. Reports of a prompt check to the upward tendency of prices that has ruled the trade during the past week and a reaction toward lower rates. Local receipts were around 3,000 head, or double the number offered here a week ago. The five markets had 37,000 head for the mid-week offering, an increase of 15,000 over last Wednesday's total. The most unfavorable factor in the trade was the heavy run at Chicago. That point wired a supply of 21,000 head, 11,000 in excess of receipts there last Wednesday. Reports of a 10 to 15c break at the primary market created an uncertain feeling to the trade in beef steers here and at other river centers. The big end of the local receipts consisted of big grades of steers, right around 70 loads being offered out of the total run of 95 carloads. Weather conditions were favorable for a big bill and this contributed to the slowness that marked the opening trade. Buyers bid unevenly lower at the outset and volume of trading in the steer line was restricted during the early rounds. The selling line was finally struck with bulk steers sold around \$8.35, with top of the day's sales ranging from \$7.85 to \$8.25.

Dressed Beef and Shipping Steers.

Table with columns: No., Ave. Price No., Ave. Price. Lists prices for various beef and shipping steers.

COWS, BULLS AND MIXED.

Although the supply of cows, heifers and mixed yearlings was small in proportion to local receipts of cattle at this point, sellers were not able to prevent a showing of weakness in the price range. The movement was rather slow throughout and the majority of receipts quoted at 10c to 15c lower than on cows, with heifers and mixed yearlings considered 10 to 15c lower than the previous day. Heavy stock was in the market, consisting largely of odds and ends, including few really choice dressed beef heifers. Quality of the heifers and mixed yearlings was fairly good on the average.

CONCENTRATED STOCK FOODS.

Quotations on Cottonseed, Linseed and Alfalfa Products.

PROMOTERS CAN'T DECEIVE

Secretary Houston Issues a Statement to Public.

Washington, D. C., May 7.—Land development enterprises, which are not willfully deceiving the people as to the value of farms they offer for sale, are assured that they need have no fear of unfavorable reports from the Department of Agriculture, Secretary Houston has issued a statement in answer to criticisms of a certain land selling company, declaring that the "department does not give any definite consideration to land development enterprises from what it does to any other commercial activities having agricultural phases."

HEIFERS.

Table with columns: No., Ave. Price No., Ave. Price. Lists prices for various heifers.

HOGS CAUGHT IN SLUMP

BUYERS RENEW ATTACK ON PRICE RANGE, FORCING CUT OF 10@15c.

BEST LIGHTS GO AT \$8.35

Bulk of Offerings Clear at \$8.15@8.30—General Receipts Show Increase Over Week Ago—Pigs a Dime Lower.

—The hog market was under bearish pressure at all points today, packers renewing the campaign for lower pork cost. Receipts were increased over last Wednesday and a year ago but well within moderate bounds. Locally, around 8,500 head were on sale as compared with 3,482 a week ago and 4,164 a year ago. The total supply at the five markets was approximately 61,000, a gain of 10,900 compared with last Wednesday and corresponding day a year ago. Early wires from outside points pointed to a lower market and formal bids at the opening indicated a disposition on buyers' part to effect a deep cut in values. When hogs began moving scaleward it was at prices 19 to 15c under yesterday's level and this basis prevailed throughout the session. The decline enabled packers to put up best light hogs at \$8.35 as against a top of \$8.45 yesterday. Medium weights sold around the \$8.25 mark, while heavy stuff ranged down to \$8.10. Bulk of all sales were made in a spread of \$3.15 to \$8.30.

Representative Hog Sales.

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STOCKERS AND FEEDERS.

Bearish conditions in the fat cattle division had no effect on stocker and feeder trade today as a good active movement was evident from the onset with prices on the general run of offerings considered around 10c higher than yesterday or around 25c above last week's closing level. Better country support and the brisk competition between yard dealers enabled salesmen to turn their holding in good order, and before mid-day the bulk of stock was well on their feet. The fresh supply offered this department today exceeded the general runs during the last couple of weeks and dealers were able to accumulate a good showing of all classes of feeding and stock cattle, barring good fancy heavy weight feeders for their west-side show pens. A good active movement was also noticed in trade for feeding cows and heifers during the day's operations. Early rounds found resolute buyers taking over the general supply of the stock at rates quoted strong compared with those in vogue yesterday.

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Packers' Cattle Purchases.

Table with columns: Firm, Quantity, Price. Lists cattle purchases by packers.

PACKERS' HOG PURCHASES.

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RANGE OF HOG PRICES.

Table with columns: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday. Lists range of hog prices.

OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Union Stock Yards, Ill., May 7.—The Live Stock World reports: Cattle—Receipts, 21,000. Steers 10@25c off; cows steady to 10c lower; pigs steady. Hogs—Receipts, 28,000. Market 5@10c lower. Top \$8.55; bulk \$8.30@8.45. Sheep—Receipts, 25,000. Market slow to 10c lower.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS

Today's Receipts: Cattle 2,409, Hogs 1,821, Sheep 1,956.

SHORN LAMBS ADVANCE

LIGHT SUPPLY ABSORBED AT TUESDAY LEVEL. BULK SELL AT \$7.35 TO \$7.50.

Entire Run of Ovine Stock Made Up of Clipped Grades—Sheep in Meager Quota; Non-inal.

Around 1,100 head of fresh offerings were put up for trade at the yards today compared with 2,965 head last Wednesday and 1,199 head the same day a year ago. The five leading markets reported a run totaling 35,400 head against 35,100 a week ago and 33,400 a year ago. The local run consisted mostly of clipped lambs from Missouri and adjoining states, nothing being received from western feedlots. It was the first time this season that the entire country showing an advance up to a certain extent. A good active movement was established on early rounds with stock moving scaleward at rates showing an advance of 10 to 15c compared with the previous session. The general quality was considered fairly fair. The bulk of lambs sold in a range of \$7.35 to \$7.50. Sheep were in very light quota, hardly enough of this class of stock being offered to create any quotable change in prices.

Representative Sheep Sales.

Table with columns: No., Ave. Price No., Ave. Price. Lists representative sheep sales.

WHOLESALE BEEF PRICES.

Following are today's wholesale prices for beef cuts as given out by Swift & Company:

Dressed Beef.

Table with columns: No. 1, No. 2, No. 3. Lists prices for dressed beef.

ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET.

Today's cash values: Receipts: Wheat, 4 cars; corn, 11 cars; oats, 3 cars.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

The following Chicago board of trade quotations are furnished by T. P. Gordon, 1005-1008 New Corby-Ford Building, St. Joseph, Mo. 645.

FED STEERS AT GOOD PROFIT

Matter Bros. Realize \$8.20 for Cattle Bought at \$5.50 Five Months Ago.

Matter Bros., progressive young farmers of DeKalb county, Missouri, came in yesterday with a load of 123-pound steers that sold at \$8.20, and which returned a handsome profit to the owners. These cattle were purchased as feeders by the Matter Bros. five months ago at \$5.50, or \$2.70 per cwt. less than they brought in the finished state. Besides showing a big margin between buying and selling price, the cattle made a substantial gain in weight during the time they tenanted the Matter feedlots.

PULP-FEDS SELL WELL.

Ricke Bros., of Colorado, Send in Five Loads of Steers.

A five-car shipment of pulp-fed steers was marketed here yesterday at satisfactory prices by Ricke Bros. of Sterling, Colo. The consignment included 41 head, averaging 1328 lbs., and 46 head of 1338-lb. average, the former lot selling at \$8.30 and the heavier cattle at \$8.25.

TOO MANY DOGS; ALL MUST GO.

Hume, Mo., May 7.—Because a dog census showed the canine population equal to the human population of this town, the city council has passed an ordinance which has been ordered to be removed every dog in the town. A fine for harboring a dog also was provided for in the ordinance.

ALL AMENDMENTS FAIL

OPPOSITION TO FREE WOOL, FREE MEATS AND OTHER NECESSITIES VOTED DOWN.

REACH INCOME TAX FEATURE

Democrats May Force Bill as Whole to Vote in Home Today and Passage of Measure Is Assured.

Washington, May 7.—The overwhelming Democratic majority in the house swept through the free list yesterday, bowled over all opposition in free wool, free meats, and other necessities, and passed on to consideration of the hundred million dollar income tax, the feature of the Underwood tariff bill. Not a dissent was made in the bill as approved by the committee, and means committee majority and when the night session began it was expected that the measure as a whole would be passed unamended by the house today.

All day there was sparring across the aisle dividing the Democrats and the Republicans. Many amendments were offered by Republicans in an effort to put many free listed articles back on the dutiable list, but all were voted down with a regularity that brought smiles among the majority. Finally, when the last of these proposed changes had been rejected, Representative Payne of New York, head of the ways and means committee, introduced a resolution in the house, precipitated a lively rule fight by offering a new amendment to create a tariff commission.

Instantly all the parliamentary sharps on both sides were astir. Speaker Clark sat next to Democratic Leader Underwood at the front of the speaker's rostrum where Underwood has been conducting consideration of the bill. Representative Fitzgerald of New York followed from the appropriations committee, armed with precedents and backed by Representatives Sherley of Kentucky and Hardwick of Georgia. Joined in the majority protest by other members of the committee, the Republican side, Leader Mann, Representative Gardner of Massachusetts, Representative Payne of New York, Representative Garret of Tennessee in the chair sustaining a point of order made by the amendment was not germane to the bill.

When Representative Mann appealed from the decision, the house sustained the chair, 154 yeas to 134 nays. Representative Hill of Tennessee, chief draftsman of the income tax feature of the tariff bill, prepared last night to resist amendments to the proposed law. He expected a hard fight on behalf of the mutual life insurance companies, which would be taxed 1 per cent on the amount of the premiums affecting insurance companies were taken almost verbatim from the corporation tax law already in effect, but to avoid any possible question of constitutionality amendments were prepared last night to eliminate even the slightest variation from the existing law.

The reading of the income tax provision commenced at 12:30 in short order. Perfecting amendments offered by the ways and means committee and adopted, including a provision exempting certain investments in insurance and a clause changing the terms regarding mutual fire insurance companies, so as to allow them to deduct from their gross income the amount required under the state laws to be placed in their reserve funds.

CASHES CHOICE RED HOGS

Two Loads From Pulver & Son Feedlots Were Eye-Openers for Quality.

Among the Nebraska patrons of the local market yesterday were Pulver & Son, prominent and extensive feeders and shippers from Kearney. This firm had in three loads of hogs. Two loads were choice heavy porkers of the Duroc Jersey breed out of their own feedlots. Traders who saw these offerings concluded them to be the best heavy hogs received on the local market for some time past. They sold well, considering weights, and at \$14.45 the car.

The Pulvers are recognized as among the most successful and best feeders of South Central Nebraska. They are liberal patrons to local receipts.

RISE OF ROSS MILLER.

Former Messenger at Hammond's Gets Responsible Position.

From messenger boy at the Hammond packing plant, when it began operation here fourteen years ago, to assistant superintendent at the same plant, now controlled by the Armour & Co., is the packing house career thus far of C. Ross Miller, who has been notified of his transfer to the general offices of the Armour in Chicago as assistant to C. P. Monheim, general superintendent of the department of the company's paper and lumber mills. The change is in the nature of a promotion and increased salary and his friends congratulate him on his success. Mr. Miller will leave here in about two weeks. His successor has not been named.

MARKETS MIXED YEARLINGS

J. R. Thomas Disposes of 812-Pound Offerings at \$8.20.

"I am well pleased with the sale of my cattle and the service the St. Joseph market affords. The returns on my shipment convince me that there is good money in raising and feeding calves." Thus remarked J. R. Thomas, an extensive feeder of Highland, Kan., who marketed 27 head of 812-pound yearling steers and heifers at \$8.20.



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Daddy's Bedtime Story
The Little Pig's Naughty Revenge.

In Front of Him Rose Another Pig.
FOLKS generally think that pigs are very stupid animals," said daddy one evening to Jack and Evelyn, "and I am sure but that they are right. But they are not all foolish. Once I heard a funny story about a pig that got even very nicely with another pig that frightened him."

BASEBALL NEWS

SE. JOSEPH WINS WEIRD GAME
Omaha Scores Seven Runs Without the Aid of a Hit.

The last game of the series at Omaha went to the Drummers by a 13 to 7 score, the Hollanders driving the ball to all corners of the lot, batting on single, doubles, two triples and six singles.

Omaha's scores were the result of wildness on the part of McCouney and Chelley, who issued eleven passes, which with a wild pitch and two errors produced seven runs. McCouney started the game and pitched well until he blew in the seventh.

St. Joseph left Omaha last night for Wichita, where they will play a series with the tail-enders, beginning today.

Table with columns: Club, Won, Lost, Pct.
WESTERN LEAGUE
Denver, 10, 6, .625
St. Joseph, 10, 6, .625
Lincoln, 10, 6, .625
Omaha, 9, 7, .563
Des Moines, 8, 8, .487
Sioux City, 6, 9, .400
Topeka, 5, 10, .333
Wichita, 2, 13, .133

Where They Play Today.
St. Joseph at Wichita.
Omaha at Lincoln.
Sioux City at Denver.
Des Moines at Topeka.

OTHER RESULTS YESTERDAY.
WESTERN LEAGUE.
Lincoln 11; Denver, 8.
Topeka, 3; Wichita, 1.
Des Moines, 9; Sioux City, 0.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
St. Louis, 3; Philadelphia, 1.
Boston, 2; Pittsburgh, 1.
Brooklyn, 4; Chicago, 2.
New York, 8; Cincinnati, 5.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Milwaukee, 9; Minneapolis, 7.
No other games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
No games scheduled in the American League yesterday.

UNIONS AS TEXAS INDUSTRY

Crops of Bermudas Raise Growers From Poverty.

Laredo, Tex., May 7.—Bermuda onions are proving big factors in border business hereabouts. During the last few years they have led many people from the path of poverty.

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Fear of an overproduction causes the average Bermuda onion grower to keep his enthusiasm to himself. He does not want to see any enlargement of the output except his own. It is for this reason that while the growers at their association meetings constantly urge diversification of crops on the part of the members, instead of taking the advice unto themselves, they so the latter part of this month and increase their own onion acreage each season.

Most of them discourage prospectors or newcomers from engaging in the business. With an air of pessimism the established grower tells of failures that have occurred, of the risks that are run, and in a general way makes the proposition anything but rosy.

It is a class of farming particularly as applied to this far southern climate which possesses unusually attractive features. In the first place, the crop is out of the ground and marketed before the summer months with their tropical heat set in.

An experienced farmer who has enough money to get hold of a small tract of land, say from five to ten acres, either by lease with an option to purchase, or by acquiring the tract outright, can buy enough surplus capital to pay for the labor of growing and harvesting the crop, is fairly sure of reaping a profit at the end of the season.

PULMOTOR LOSES RACE.
Life-Saving Machine Fails to Revive Man With Heart Disease.

Kansas City, May 7.—Although Frank Donaldson, a driver for the Shaw Taxicab company, risked his own life and the lives of two employees of the Kansas City Electric Light company in speeding over slippery streets to bring a pulmotor to the aid of William M. Gray, 6905 East Eighth street, who collapsed from heart disease, he failed to arrive in time to save Ray's life.

Ray, 61 years old, was standing in the rear of his car talking to a wife about 3:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when he collapsed. Medical aid was summoned and the pulmotor at the electric light company's building was sent for.

John Drier, trouble superintendent, and C. L. Gustavus called the taxi. "Drive as fast as you possibly can," Donaldson was ordered. "We are trying to save a man's life."

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The imitation candle with shade holder attached is much more practical than the real candle. This make-believe candle is of white composition inside of which the real candle is placed and a spiral arrangement pushes the candle up as the wax burns away. The pressed glass candlesticks cost but 10 cents, the imitation candles 25 cents and the little emerald shades not more than 50 cents, making candlelight for any dining room at very little expense.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.
To clean silver, put a quantity of sour milk in a shallow pan and place the articles in the milk, allowing them to remain there until they become bright. Afterward wash them in warm water and dry with a soft cloth.

To fill preserving jars without splashing and spilling the preserves over them, use a gravy boat. It is easily dipped into the hot kettle of fruit by means of the handle and the long mouth fits into jars of almost any size and thus prevents spilling.

Nothing ruins ivory handled knives so quickly as putting the handles into water. Indeed, no knife should be put into water. If plunged into water the water is apt to work its way into the handle where the blade is fastened and in time will rust the handle as it cracks.

To put on kid gloves that are too tight, hold a piece of woolen cloth that has been dipped in hot water and wring as dry as possible. When the gloves have been wrung out, damp, they can easily be drawn on the hands. Gloves that have shrunk in cleaning also respond to this treatment.

When filling a cake tin remember that the center of the cake is the part which will usually be the highest, so spread the batter as much to the sides as possible, leaving a depression in the center, then the cake, when baked, will be level and much more convenient for icing.

FRUIT PROSPECTS IN IOWA
Apples Are Full of Promise--Smaller Fruit Trifle Slow.

Logan, Ia., May 7.—Reports from fruit growers in a radial distance of ten or more miles from Logan give the following on fruit prospects for this season: By Almor Stern: The Jonathan, Grimes Golden and a few other winter varieties of apples are full of promise. Cherry and plum are still slow in blossoming, doubtless due to the late spring.

"Jake" Servie says: "Though grapes are not so promising as I would like and the cherry a little slow in blossoming, yet the plum, fall and all varieties of the winter apples are full of promise. There is, however, a loss in blackberries and raspberries among a few of the fruit growers here, doubtless due to the want of rainfall last season. Counting as a whole, there will be a great fruit crop here this year."

J. E. Swalley of Magnolia: "Magnolia and Raelan fruit prospects are exceptionally good, judged at the present time. Too close pruning of grapes has practically killed a number of vineyards and damaged others. However, there will be grapes unless struck by hail before maturity."

Louis Erickson, Raelan: "Aside from grapes, pears here, doubtless, fruit clearly indicate a large crop in Harrison county this year. Raspberries, strawberries, fall and winter varieties of the apple are showing up in splendid condition."

MODEL DAIRY ON WHEELS
To Teach Farmers How High Grade Stock Means Larger Returns.

Minneapolis, Minn., May 7.—While Minnesota bankers are working to perfect a loan system that will enable farmers to stock their farms with the highest grades of live stock and while Minnesota cows are making records as butter producers, members of the Minnesota Live Stock association are planning a statewide educational tour as the basis of a campaign to place Minnesota at the head of cattle producing states.

A live stock train with Minnesota's best animals is to tour the state, and farmers will be told how high grade stock means larger bank accounts. On the train will be the famous cows that have helped make Minnesota the foremost butter state in the union.

The date for the state live stock tour has not been definitely set. The legislature each year gives the association an appropriation for its work, but it has not yet been passed.

SEED SPROUTS IN CHILD'S NOSE.
Trenton, N. J., May 7.—Robert, the 2-year-old son of Joseph W. Tyrell of Landing street, could not breathe properly, and a physician was summoned. The examination showed the seed of an orange sprouting in the nostril of the child.

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Clover—Choice, \$11@12; No. 1, \$10@11; No. 2, \$7@9.50.

Prairie—Choice, \$10.50@11; No. 1, \$9@10; No. 2, \$7.50@9; No. 3, \$5.50@7.50.

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**SHEILA'S TWO LOVERS**  
One Was Rich, the Other Poor; One Untrue, the Other True.

By FRANK FILSON.  
Sheila Linton looked into the mirror set into the partition of her cabin aboard the "Glenavon." The face that looked back at her was a singularly beautiful one, and, try hard as she might, Sheila could not detect a line that had not come through laughing, nor one gray hair. Yet there was a certain maturity about it—the maturity that comes to all of us with thirty years of wear and tear—which evidently displeased her, for she compared it with the photograph which she held in her hand, and frowned.

The photograph showed Sheila as she had looked ten years before, when she bade a tearful farewell to her lover, Thomas Shane, on the wharf at Queenstown. Thomas was going to America to make his fortune and return for her the next year. And ten years had passed and Thomas was still there.

It was not that he had been disloyal. He had written lovingly all those years, letters that sent Sheila into ecstasies of happiness. But after five years had passed and Thomas Shane still remained, poor Sheila had begun to fear the day of their marriage would never arrive.

Twice, thrice lately, Thomas had written saying that he was doomed to failure, that she had better give him up and marry somebody else who would be able to take care of her. He had lost position after position, he wrote; things were going from bad to worse; he saw no prospect of their union. But these letters had precisely the opposite effect to that which was intended, for Sheila's loyal little heart went out the more to Thomas in his trouble. And year by year she had put a little away—twenty pounds one year, twenty-five another.

Even with the happiness of the expected meeting, Sheila could not help being sorry for Philip Druce. He had loved her for five years back in the old country, and he had been so tender and loyal and good to her. When she told him about Thomas Shane and her unalterable loyalty to him, it nearly broke their hearts.

And here Sheila was, in New York harbor, with the Statue of Liberty in front of her and the huge office buildings of lower Manhattan looming up like giants out of the mist.

Sheila knew that Thomas Shane was to be found at a certain number on Third avenue. She did not know whether he lived there or merely had his office in that building, but anyway it did not matter, because she was going to pay him a surprise visit and all their troubles would be over. As she took her seat in the Third avenue elevated train, clutching tightly the purse with the money—nearly fifteen hundred dollars in bills, and almost rupturing the leather receptacle in which they bulged—her heart kept giving little leaps for gladness. And when at last she descended and saw the building in which Thomas was surely at work—for it was a sort of hall, with offices rented above—she was so dizzy from excitement that she could hardly stir.

But presently she summoned her courage and went in. Sheila did not like the place. To begin with, it was a political club, and rough-looking men in shirt sleeves were lounging about the entrance, and they eyed her in a manner that made her uncomfortable. And then the whole place reeked with stale tobacco smoke, and it was dirty and unwept. But the rough men answered her courteously enough when Sheila asked for Mr. Shane, and their faces brightened at the sound of her pretty Irish accent.

"Tom Shane, Miss? Sure, you'll find him in his office through that door," said one of the men.

Sheila hesitated for the men were coming and going through the swinging door, and she did not want to surprise Tom in that manner. However, there was no help for it now. She pushed open the door. There was Tom, in his shirt sleeves, seated at his desk, his hat on the back of his head and a cigar cocked sideways in his mouth. He looked fat and red, and his appearance quite stunned the girl at first, so that she waited a moment behind the green screen that had been placed in front of the entrance.

There were two men in the room, and they were arguing with Tom

**COLONEL FEARED HIS FATHER**  
Roosevelt Writes of Vain Flight From Parent When, as Boy of Four, He Bit Sister on Arm.

New York—There has been only one man of whom Theodore Roosevelt ever was afraid. That was his father, who inspired a terror in the soul of his son when the latter was four years old that remained with him ever afterward.

In Roosevelt's "Possible Autobiography," now appearing as a magazine serial, the colonel relates how he bit his older sister's arm, and, conscious that he had committed a crime tried vainly to escape punishment, first escaping to the yard.

"From the yard," he writes, "I went into the kitchen, got some dough from the cook and crawled under the kitchen table. In a minute or two my father entered from the yard and

"Tom, Tom!" she sobbed, drawing close to him. "I couldn't wait any longer. I came. I wanted you so and I thought I would surprise you. Are you not glad to see me, dear?"

Tom had been standing as though petrified. Now he found his tongue.

"Sheila," he said hoarsely, "I've been married eight years."

Sheila waited. Surely there was more to come. Surely this could not be all, the end, the absolute end of everything. Why, if that were so she would die. No! What should she do, though? What should she do? She wanted to run away.

Tom was speaking and Sheila heard his voice, but she did not see him because of the gathering clouds. She caught to support herself at the edge of the screen.

"I suppose I've given you a pretty raw deal, kid," said Tom, "but I loved you and love you still—only they yoked me up with my woman one night when I had been drinking and didn't know what I was doing. I tell you, kid, my life has been hell since that day. And I couldn't give you up, mavourneen—I couldn't. Time and again I thought, 'if Sheila won't give me up I'll get a divorce and send for her.' But I was getting to be a big man in the district, and divorce ain't allowed in our church, as you know, my dear, and if I'd done it I'd have set the priest against me, and then good-bye to my power. So I just waited, hoping the old woman would die or something would turn up. But listen, Sheila"—he had drawn closer to her and she smelled whisky on his breath—"I'm rich now and there ain't no reason why you and me shouldn't come to an understanding. We can fix it some way so that it'll look respectable, and that's all that counts. Give me a kiss, kid, for I love you just the same."

How she got out of that room she did not know. She remembered afterward pushing the man from her and feeling blindly for the door. Then the screen fell as Tom tried to intercept her, and Sheila found the door handle and drew herself from his grasp upon her dress and ran. She heard men shouting after her. But she was in the street now, and running as if for dear life, and never looking back. She ran with all her power. Men turned to stare at the strange figure, racing along Third avenue; somebody was chasing her again, too, for she heard his footsteps following swiftly behind her. She reached the corner of the block and turned into a broad side street, and paused, panting. Then, behind her, she heard those same footsteps. She hastened on again in terror. It must be Tom, or one of his men. What would they do to her? She saw a park in front of her now, with leafy trees and a fountain playing, and it seemed to be a haven of refuge to her. She sank into a seat and hid her face in her hands. No one molested her, the unfortunate upon the benches were immersed in their own troubles. A passing policeman saw the pretty girl who seemed to be in distress and thought of speaking to her. But just then he perceived his roundsman in the distance and straightened himself and passed on, mentally resolved, however, to go back as soon as the roundsman passed. And Sheila, under the tree, was crying her heart out.

A man was leaning over the back of the seat. "Sheila!" he whispered. She started round. It was Phil Druce!

If a miracle had occurred she could not have been more amazed. She could not say a word, even when Phil came and sat beside her and took one of her small hands in his.

"I followed you, Sheila, dear," said Phil, with the same considerate gentleness as ever in his voice. "You wouldn't let me come—so I sailed on the Trafalgar and arrived yesterday, and waited for you. I was in the carriage behind you on the elevated. Sheila, dear, I guessed it all, but I couldn't warn you because I couldn't be sure—it was only a clue I had. So I followed you to his office, and when I saw you come out I knew the story was true. And I ran after you, but I couldn't catch you, you ran so fast. Sheila, dear, I'm going to do two things. First I'm going back to give Shane a horsewhipping, and then I'm going to take you home."

"No, Phil, dear, don't touch him. Promise me! I couldn't bear that he should ever come into our lives again. Promise that you'll leave him alone!"

"If you'll promise me something, Sheila," answered Phil. "There's a boat leaving tomorrow, and there's time to get married today and then we can spend our honeymoon on board. O, Sheila, I've loved you for five years, and I think you always have really cared a little for me, haven't you?"

Col. Theodore Roosevelt.

asked where I was. The warm-hearted Irish cook had a characteristic contempt for "informers," but although she said nothing, she compromised between informing and her conscience by casting a look under the table. My father immediately darted under the table, and, having the advantage of him because I could stand up under the table, got a fair start for the stairs, but was caught half way up them. The punishment that ensued fitted the crime and I hope—and believe—that it did me good."

**USED ENGINE TO SAVE WIFE**  
Switchman Summoned Home by Spouse When Robbers Break into Home.

Chicago.—"Jim, burglars are breaking into the house. Come home quick!" Mrs. James Powers, wife of a switchman on the Rock Island railroad, living at 9618 Houston avenue, telephoned the message to her husband at the railroad yards, eight miles away.

Mrs. Powers was alone. She had heard some one prying open a window in the back of the house. She at once tiptoed to the telephone. Then she returned to her room to wait.

She heard two men walking through the dining room. In a moment they had discovered her. She was bound and gagged and thrust into a clothes closet.

Then the robbers took a sheet from her bed and started filling it full of silverware and other family valuables.

But "Jim" had received the message. Calling his friend, John Allington, an engineer, he uncoupled a locomotive from a freight car. James Hurn, a fireman, and two other switchmen were taken aboard. The engine and its crew thundered down the track to Jim Powers' home. The railroad right of way is 20 feet from the Powers home.

The husband had a key to the front door. He opened it and entered, accompanied by the two switchmen. Warned by the noise of the engine, the robbers had stopped their work. They heard the door open, and, leaving their loot behind them, jumped out of the back window, through which they had entered. Powers searched the rooms, found his wife and liberated her. The police of South Chicago were notified.

**SAYS NEW YORK IS "AWFUL"**  
Never Heard of Worse Place, Pennsylvania Farmer Tells Gotham Magistrate.

New York.—Michael Casey, thirty-five years old, a farmer of Athens, Pa., told Magistrate O'Connor, in the west side court, that as a result of his experience since he arrived here he has come to the conclusion that New York is the worst place he ever heard of.

According to Casey's story he had been here but one day, had taken a drink with a stranger and awoke in a hospital minus \$100 and a gold watch. Later three men relieved him of 90 cents, all the money he had left.

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### FERTILIZING CORN GROUND

COMMERCIAL FERTILIZERS TEND TO STIMULATE CROP YIELDS.

By Prof. C. B. Hutchison of the Department of Agronomy, University of Missouri.

The use of commercial fertilizers is becoming more and more common in Missouri each year. This is due to the fact that the lands are gradually being depleted of their fertility by exhaustive systems of grain farming, and also to the fact that lands are constantly increasing in price. When the productiveness of lands becomes so low that remunerative crops can no longer be grown, the use of fertilizers is ordinarily the first thing that is adopted to bring better returns. The increasing use of fertilizers, therefore, is an index to decreasing soil fertility and to increasing land values.

It should be understood that plant food in all soils exists in two general forms—first, the insoluble, which constitutes the greater amount; and, second, the soluble or available plant food, which may be absorbed by the plant roots. A worn soil is one in which the available plant food has been reduced so low that plants cannot get sufficient food for proper yields. The presence of a good amount of organic matter or humus in the soil is a very important factor in keeping the proper amount of plant food available. It causes the insoluble plant food to slowly dissolve. With excessive grain cropping, however, the organic matter is burned out and the immediately available plant food is taken from the land by the crops. The available supply becomes too low for profitable crop production. It is at this time that the use of commercial fertilizers is usually resorted to for the purpose of supplying enough soluble plant food for a crop.

Commercial fertilizers are simply concentrated forms of one or more of the three plant foods that are commonly lacking in all soils. These are nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium. On worn lands the available supply of all three becomes low, although the soil may be fairly well supplied with some of them in an insoluble form. Complete fertilizers contain all three of these, and are most commonly used on worn lands with both corn and wheat. Such fertilizers are on the market under the terms "grain growers," "corn growers," "truck growers," etc.

The most immediately profitable method of using fertilizers with corn on medium to poor land is that of applying from 60 to 75 pounds of a complete fertilizer. Such a fertilizer should contain 2 to 3 per cent nitrogen, 8 to 12 per cent available phosphoric acid and 2 to 6 per cent potash. This may be applied in the hill or drilled in with a fertilizer attachment to the planter. Steamed bone meal applied at the same rate, especially on lands low in phosphates, will give practically the same return. Care should be taken to avoid applying quantities much in excess of 75 pounds to the acre, for there is danger in a dry season of "brin" the corn. This is especially true when a complete fertilizer is used. It should be understood that such a method of fertilization does not tend to build up the land. It is of only a temporary benefit. Its office is more of a stimulant to give the corn a quick, thrifty growth.

Another method of applying fertilizers is to distribute with a fertilizer grain drill ahead of the planter. Applied in this manner, 150 to 200 pounds of a complete fertilizer on the poorer lands usually gives good results. Steamed bone meal will be more remunerative on the good lands, since on such lands phosphorus is usually the lacking element.

It should be understood that the use of fertilizers with any crop is only a temporary expedient, and that they should not be depended upon for maintaining the fertility of the soil. They should be used only in connection with the best system of crop rotation and manuring that a man can practice. By the addition of manure the humus content of the soil may be maintained and favorable conditions supplied for making soluble the plant food that exists in the soil.

For the man who owns his land and is planning on a permanent system of maintaining the fertility of his soil, the use of manure supplemented with rock phosphate in a good system of crop rotation will ultimately give greater returns on corn, as well as all other crops, than the use of the commercial fertilizers.

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History of Cavalry Known as "Hussars" Dates Back to the Year 1486 in Hungary.

Hussars originally were scarcely respectable enough to include the prince of Wales among their numbers. For the word "hussar" is akin to "corsair," and the first hussars were freebooters. As part of a regular army, the hussar appeared in Hungary in 1488, when King Matthias Corvinus raised a corps of light horse under the name to fight the Turks. Name and fame of the Hungarian hussars spread throughout Europe, and Frederick the Great of Prussia was not above dispatching an officer to study their work. The British hussar dates from 1865, when the Seventh regiment was converted from light dragoons into hussars.

In Prussia the Red Hussars, under their famous leader, Gen. von Zieten, showed their valor in the seven years' war waged by Frederick the Great against Maria Theresa, and the Black Hussars, called the "Dead-heads," because of the skull and crossbones on the "shakos," were veritable daredevils in the darkest days of Prussia during the Napoleonic days (Luettow mildes, verwegene Jagd). In Austria the hussars of Badetzki and of Prince Eugene have been among the world's most heroic troops.

### WOULD END POETICAL GUSH

English Suffragists Protest Against the Effusions Put Out About the Sex by Men.

"It is people who write poetry about us who prevent us women getting the vote." The sentence arrested me in reading Violet Hunt's story of the "Celebrity's Daughter," at a week-end, with the smashing of windows, the spilling of letters and the threats of other horrors in my ears and eyes, says a writer in the London Chronicle. For men persist in writing poetry about women, to their amazement, and no women are writing poetry about men. Man is the poetic sex. He goes about—I may tell you—with snippets from the papers in his pocketbook, and takes them now and again as a sort of stimulant. Moreover, the man writes his poetry secretly, sends it to the newspapers, and they publish it. I could give you the address of bald-headed stockholders and bearded business men who write verses. And more who cut the poetry from their newspapers and take it as a stimulant.

### When the Boy is a Problem.

The high school period—including the years from fourteen to eighteen—is the most critical period in the life of the boy. President G. Stanley Hall of Clark college calls it the age of temporary insanity; others style it the fool period, the anti-domestic era, the hateful period, the era of the birth of the will. At this time, says a teacher, an active fermentation occurs that may produce either wine or vinegar. It is a time of restlessness, of egotism of unbelief; in short, of vagabondage. This broad-shouldered, husky lad, with the strength and passions of a man and the judgment of a boy, scorns all advice from his elders, although never in his life did he stand in such need of it. The Germans have a way of expressing the period from fourteen to eighteen. They call it the Wander-Jahre. And truly for many of the three million of American boys at the age of adolescence, these years are literally wander years.—Suburban Life.

### Age of Leap Year Child.

The age of a leap year child was the chief point involved in the case of Cowden vs. State before the Texas court of criminal appeals. The child claimed that she was born on February 29, 1866, and her mother and brother also testified to that effect, while her father and other witnesses insisted she was born February 28, 1866. The child testified that the only birthdays she remembered were in 1904 and 1908. The conflict between the father and mother as to the age of the child caused the trial judge to permit the sheriff and deputy sheriff to testify to their acquaintance with the general reputation of the child as to her age. They said she was thirteen and not fifteen years old. The higher court reversed the case because of this testimony, holding that the age of a child whose parents were alive could not be proved by general reputation, although the parents testified differently as to the age.

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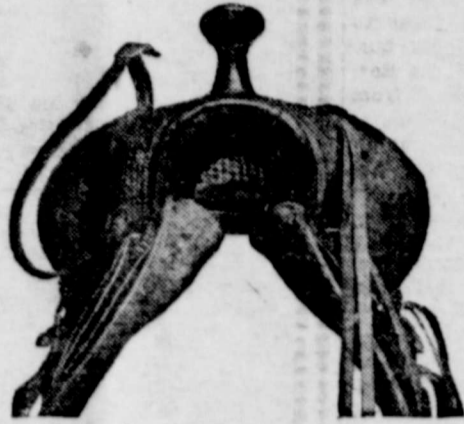
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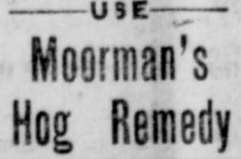
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