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STEER TRADE FIRMER

Light weights got first call today at strong to dime higher prices.

YEARLINGS 15c UP IN SPOTS

Heavy Cattle Steady to Strong—Butchers' Stock Firm to 15c Higher—Top Yearlings, \$8.00—Stockers and Feeders Are Stronger.

Receipts of cattle at the local market today were light, though about the same as a week ago. Early estimates called for 1,100 head and this was later raised to 1,200. The five leading markets reported around 25,000 cattle in sight as compared with 25,700 a week ago and 27,200 corresponding day a year ago. The bulk of local offerings fell under the heading of dressed beef steers. Despite the fact that reports from outside markets did not indicate much if any improvement in the general trade situation, the local trade in beef steers displayed a sterner undertone. There was little delay in starting light and medium weight steers moving toward the scales and the general run of sales involving these classes ruled strong to 10c higher, with exceptions 15c higher on some of the better grades of yearlings. The heavier steers did not show the strength manifested on the lighter classes. Cattle weighing 1250 lbs. and up did not clear quite so freely and the market for such offerings was generally rated steady to strong by salesmen. The pens were well cleared of all classes of steers before the noon hour and the clearing of activity was in striking contrast to the dullness existing on the opening day of the week. The strength of the market today put a good many of the lighter weight steers back to last week's final level. The better grades of steers on offer sold at \$7.85 to \$7.95. A top of \$8.00 was made on a load of Angus yearlings.

Dressed Beef and Shipping Steers

A good active demand combined with a light run put the market for cows and heifers on a firmer basis today. There was a good inquiry from all quarters, especially for desirable heifers, and the clearing of the trade throughout the session showed pleasing activity. On the general run of cows and heifers prices ruled strong to 10c higher than yesterday, while the market for yearlings enabled salesmen to score a 10c advance on bulk of such cattle, with spots showing 10 to 15c improvement over the previous day. Most of the good yearlings sold at \$7.60 to \$7.80 with a few choice grades selling on up to the \$8.00 mark. Not many cows sold higher than \$7.00, the bulk of the useful demand of butcher and dressed beef cows selling from that figure down to \$6.25.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Harry Jones, of Marshall county, Kansas, was again on the market today with two cars of cattle.

Bulls and Steers

Table with columns: No., Ave. Price No., Ave. Price. Rows include various grades of bulls and steers.

ACTIVE CLOSE IN HOGS

MARKET FINISHES STRONG AFTER A RATHER QUIET, BARELY STEADY START.

FEW SPOTS A BIT HIGHER

Best Lights Sell at \$8.60, With Bulk of Day's Sales Covering \$8.45 to \$8.55—Few Pigs Were on Offer.

Around 4,800 head of hogs arrived for the mid-week market, the supply falling 2,000 short of the number on offer last week. The market was active the past few days tended to cut down the run at this point. The five markets had 53,300 hogs, a run similar in size to that of last Wednesday. Early bids from packers, in line with reports of weakness at Chicago, were considered lower. The market opened rather slow as a result but the close was a different story. Initial sales were barely steady with yesterday but as the session grew older the demand and tone of the market improved, the trade as a whole ruling strong with occasional sales a nickel higher than the previous day. Despite the late start a good clearance had been made by the noon hour. Top on lights was \$8.55 as against \$8.55 yesterday. Quality was of good average. Pigs were in light quota. Prices were not notably changed.

FEEDING COWS AND STOCK HEIFERS

Prices for hogs averaging 140 lbs. and up ranged from \$8.25 to \$8.60, with bulk selling at \$8.45 to \$8.55, a week ago at \$8.25 to \$8.35, a month ago at \$8.45 to \$8.60, a year ago at \$7.55 to \$7.70, two years ago at \$7.15 to \$7.35, three years ago at \$6.90 to \$7.10, and four years ago at \$7.05 to \$7.25.

ST. JOSEPH CASH GRAIN MARKET

Today's cash values: Wheat, 2 cars; corn, 7 cars; oats, 2 cars.

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PERSONAL MENTION

W. P. Carpenter, a big feeder of the American Bankers' Association, visited the yards with a big shipment of stock today. The consignment included 9 cars of steers and two loads of hogs.

OTHER LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO. Live Stock World reports: Cattle—Receipts, 13,000. Market steady to higher; top \$8.50. Market steady with Tuesday's average. Top \$8.75; bulk \$8.65 to \$8.70.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 21.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers' Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts, 5000. Market steady to 10c higher; yearlings \$5.50; stockers steady; calves steady; Hogs—Receipts, 12,000. Market steady, closed weak. Top \$8.60; bulk \$8.45 to \$8.55.

SOUTH OMAHA, Mo., May 21.—Special to The Journal: The Drovers' Telegram reports: Cattle—Receipts, 2500. Market active to 10c higher; top \$8.40; bulk \$8.20 to \$8.30.

EAST ST. LOUIS, National Stock Yards, Ill., May 21.—Special to The Journal: The National Live Stock Reporter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 3000. One-fourth southern. Market steady.

FORT WORTH, Ft. Worth, Tex., May 21.—Special to The Journal: The Daily Live Stock Reporter reports: Cattle—Receipts, 6000. Market steady to easy.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS

Today's Receipts: Cattle—Head, 1,287; Hogs—65; Sheep—1,469.

RECEIPTS FROM JAN. 1 TO DATE

Table with columns: 1912, 1913, Inc. Rows include Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, Horses, and Cars.

RECEIPTS BY CARS

Table with columns: Cattle, Hogs, Sheep. Rows include Chicago, Kansas City, South Omaha, St. Joseph, and East St. Louis.

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SLOW DEAL IN SHEEP

BUYERS TRY TO DEPRESS PRICES BUT FOREIGN SALES ARE MOSTLY STEADY.

CLOSE TO 15 CENTS OFF

Wool Lambs Sell at \$8.15—Bulk of Moderate Supply Consisted of Clipped Stock—Wethers Realize \$5.85.

Around 1,500 sheep and lambs were offered at this point today, the supply showing a big shortage compared with last Wednesday, when receipts totaled 3,948 head. The five markets reported 32,500 head in comparison with 40,000 a week ago. The market was featured by a slow, draggy tone. Early bids were on a lower basis and salesmen were slow to accept buyers' demands for concessions. By stubborn resistance salesmen were able to hold values to about a steady notch on woolled lambs, on a band of shorn wethers and a few odds and ends which comprised the foreign transactions. The close, however, clipped lambs was dull and around 10 to 15c lower. Two loads of woolled lambs realized \$8.15. This was the only woolled stock offered. A double of clipped wethers sold at \$5.85.

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ITEMS IN BRIEF

C. F. Weller, although on a crippled list with a sprained ankle, which he sustained in an accident while descending the steps in the local exchange building on a former visit to the yards about two weeks ago, was here today with a car of cattle which he accompanied in from Holt county, Missouri. The shipment comprised 24 head of 7 1/2-pound steers that were taken over by a local feeder buyer at \$7.65. This was the best price paid for that class of cattle here today.

Mr. Sawyer is a big farmer and feed- ing dealer. He has a large consignment of small grain in the best of condition. He says, however, that farmers are slow in planting their corn. Never in his experience as a farmer has he seen such a late start in corn planting that exists this year.

John Gex, a prominent feeder and farmer of Holt county, was on hand today looking after the disposal of a car of cattle. His consignment consisted of 23 head of light steers, weighing 552 lbs., and was cashed to a local packer at \$7.75.

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Two cars of woolled lambs were sent in from the Beatty Brothers' feed lots in Mandan, Colorado. The two cars included 310 head of 82-pounders that realized \$8.15 per cwt. during the early morning trading.

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J. B. Freet, president of the Peoples Bank at Fairfax, Mo., who is attending the state bankers' association meeting here, was looking over the stock yards this morning.

Inquire concerning the breeding school at the St. Joseph Veterinary College, St. Joseph, Mo.—Adv. C. Everling accompanied a car of mixed cattle and sheep to the yards today from Campbell, Neb., sent in by G. Binder, of that point.

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Jack Johnson seems to have got the knockout in the courts that he couldn't get in the fight arena.

Don't overcrowd cars when loading hogs. A dead animal or two cut deep into profits when hogs are selling at present prices.

What ails the cattle market just at present appears to be impaired digestion. A light diet, in other words light receipts, is the only hope of improved health.

People with tainted money in their possession need not throw it away. The "money laundry" at Washington is now being operated with four big new machines.

There are two sound reasons why there will be no war between the United States and Japan. First, one country doesn't want to fight. Second, neither does the other.

It is seldom that joy is not unmixcd with a little gloom. There's the cow for instance. Just about the time she is turned out on the meadows she has to begin fighting the pesky flies.

Ten thousand Georgia boys and 2,500 Georgia girls are members of cugn clubs. As a result of these clubs the average acre yield has been increased and the quality of the grain improved.

The small boy isn't taking much consolation in the fact that castor oil has been placed on the free list. The average boy always has had a suspicion that ma was pretty free with her castor "oil."

The establishment of a stock hog market at the local yards is practically assured and will mean much to the farmers of Missouri, who will then be able to restock their swine herds with cholera-proof stock.

Philippine trade, for the first half of the fiscal year, shows a record of \$59,999,999. It is predicted that the total value of the foreign trade of the islands for the year ending June 30 will approximate \$125,999,999, against \$104,999,999 for the fiscal year of 1912.

"Prevail upon the farmers to throw their trying pans, deadly dyspepsia nurturing instruments into the ditches."—Cincinnati Times-Star. When the science-mongers attack so noble an institution of our forefathers as the barnyard yellow-leg done to a golden brown and the home-cured ham mild as a mother's reproof it is time for an oppressed generation to rise in open revolt.

BEEF CATTLE SHORT. Price Current: The reports indicate that there is a material reduction in the number of beef producing cattle on the farms at this date as compared with the same date last year based on 100, the compilation for each state on this question being as follows: Ohio, 85; Indiana, 89; Michigan, 87; Illinois, 63; Wisconsin, 76; Missouri, 81; Iowa, 89; Minnesota, 86; North Dakota, 90; South Dakota, 94; Kansas, 87; Oklahoma, 89; and Texas, 87.

SOUTHERN LAMBS MOVING. Louisville, Ky., is getting the advance guard of the southern crop of spring lambs, Tennessee and Kentucky being the principal contributors. After June 1 they will run strong and furnish the bulk of supply during that month. Louisville advices are that the crop from both states is in excellent condition and, so far as numbers are concerned, a good average for the past five years. Fewer ewes were bred than last year, but



Daddy's Bedtime Story—Little Jane Wanted a Flat Egg.

Lizzie Brought in a Fried Egg.

JACK and Evelyn stifled their busy tongues. Daddy was going to tell them a story. "In a city which is said to be very smoky, but which is really only smoky in the busy part where mills and shops pour out clouds of black smoke and which is not smoky at all away on the outside of the town where there are trees and flower gardens and nice houses, lives a little girl named Jane," said daddy.

"One evening your daddy dined at little Jane's house, and they had pineapple ice and a delicious ice cream cake that was so nice daddy almost forgot his manners and asked for a second helping. Little Jane said she wouldn't have any of this cake because it was not her kind. Jane's kind is a certain maple sugar cake which she likes and which her mother thinks is wholesome for little girls. You know, very rich cakes are apt to make little folks ill."

"At last, because daddy begged her to try it, she did nibble a little of the ice cream cake with her sharp white teeth, and that was all she would do. She still wanted her maple sugar cake."

"And, having a little boy and girl at home who like any kind of cake, daddy was surprised."

"Oh, Jane takes notions about her food," Jane's mother said. "What do you think of a little girl that doesn't like eggs?"

"She likes flat eggs," Jane's brother suggested.

"So she does," the little girl's mother agreed.

"Flat eggs?" asked daddy. "What are they? We never seem to have had that kind at our house."

"Oh, yes, you have," Jane's brother spoke up. "They're—but mother will tell you."

"We had never heard of flat eggs, either, until one morning after Jane had paid a look visit to her grandma and grandpa," said the lady.

"One morning soon after she came home she asked for a flat egg."

"My dear," I said, "there are no flat eggs. All eggs are round."

"But Jane insisted the kind she wanted was quite flat."

"We all tried to guess what she wanted. Then we called in Lizzie, the cook. Lizzie and Jane are great friends, and when we can't make out what Jane means Lizzie always knows."

"Jane told Lizzie that she wanted a flat egg, and Lizzie seemed to understand. She went out into the kitchen and after a few minutes came in with a fried egg. Yes, that was what she wanted, and now we never think of speaking of fried eggs. Like Jane, we talk about flat eggs."

A larger percentage of lambs were saved owing to a more favorable season.—Chicago Live Stock World.

IN WOMAN'S REALM

THE LIFTING VEIL. I sometimes visit a land I know—I call it the Land of the Yellow Earth—(Motion and gold and life are one, And I am nearer the central sin—When thither I take my flight.)

Never a flower is there in bloom, Not a blossom springs in the way of earth, But there is a fragrance over the land, Like a presence the soul can understand

When it learns how death is birth, And I never speak in the terms of words, Nor yet do I think with the thoughts men know, And I never sing nor pray when there—

It is like living within a snow, When the heart's warm flame is snow.

How then shall I question the way of life, And how shall I reckon of time or place? Have I not entered the valley's peace, Bathed in the light where the shadows cease, The glory where ends the race?

TESTED RECIPES. Hickory Nut Cookies.—One cup butter, two cups sugar, two eggs, one-half cup sour milk, one teaspoon vanilla, one teaspoon soda, two cups flour, ad done cup nut meats. Roll out and sprinkle with sugar before baking.

Lauchon Rolls.—These rolls can be served warm for lunch if sponge is set at 7 o'clock in the morning. From ordinary bread-sponge take one pint and add one pint milk and when lukewarm to sponge, together with one egg beaten light, two tablespoons sugar, one teaspoon salt, one of butter, one of lard, four to make stiff dough. Let raise to twice its bulk, work down, and set to raise again.

Turn on board, roll one-half inch thick, cut with round cutter. Place one biscuit in each muffin ring, brush with melted butter, and place another biscuit on top of each. Let raise until light, and bake a delicate brown. If properly made they cannot be excelled.

Dote Loaf.—Two pounds dates, two pounds nuts, one cup flour, two teaspoons of baking powder. Sift together three times and add one cup granulated sugar and mix thoroughly. Beat whites of four eggs dry. Beat yolks light and mix into cake, then mix whites and one spoon of vanilla. Bake about one and a half hours in a paper lined pan.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS. When oranges are to be sliced, pour boiling water on them, let stand a few minutes, and the white lining will come away with the skin.

Shepherd's pie is minced lamb mixed with its own gravy, seasoned and placed in a baking dish with a layer of mashed potato over it.

Potatoes boiled in their skins are very nearly as good as baked potatoes, but pains must be taken to have them taken off the fire at precisely the right moment.

Any woman whose work requires much sitting should have an apron that goes around the back, as well as the front. Black asten or alpaca are good materials.

Russet shoes which have lost their color can be cleaned with soap and water, then dyed with a special black dye. New black eyelets and ties will make them complete.

If new lace curtains are soaked a few hours in a strong solution of salt and water they will be easier to wash. The solution takes out the line they are often dressed with.

As hot weather approaches the wise house-keeper plans to make simple desserts early in the day, so that she can put them away and have them chilled hours before dinner is served.

Buchamel sauce is made by heating one tablespoonful each of flour and butter, seasoning with salt and pepper, and then adding a cupful of hot milk, seasoned with minced parsley.

It is nearly always best to save some of the old sows, especially to farrow the early spring litters.

BASEBALL NEWS

NO GAME YESTERDAY.

Rain Prevented a Clash Between Drummers and Bears.

Wet grounds caused a postponement of the game scheduled for yesterday between the St. Joseph and Denver exponents of the national pastime.

Weather permitting they will battle today before a large crowd of the fanatics, as this is the first Ladies' day for three weeks, and undoubtedly many will attend.

All games in the Western league were called off yesterday on account of the rain, which helps the fans to see two for the price of one later in the season.

STANDING OF TEAMS WESTERN LEAGUE.

Table with 4 columns: Club, Won, Lost, Pct. Denver 18 9 .679, Lincoln 17 9 .657, ST. JOSEPH 16 11 .593, Des Moines 12 14 .462, Sioux City 11 13 .458, Omaha 12 15 .444, Topeka 11 15 .422, Wichita 8 19 .296

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

OTHER RESULTS YESTERDAY. AMERICAN LEAGUE. Cleveland, 10; Washington, 9; Detroit, 8; Philadelphia, 7; New York, 6; St. Louis, 3. Chicago-Boston game postponed.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. St. Louis, 8; New York, 3; Philadelphia, 5; Cincinnati, 1; Pittsburgh, 4; Brooklyn, 1; Chicago, 7; Boston, 3.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. All games called off on account of rain.

CO-OPERATIVE WORK.

Spokane County, Washington, Working on Farm Extension.

Spokane, Wash., May 21.—Spokane county will be among the first in the United States to appropriate funds to co-operate with the federal government in farm extension and improvement work.

The county commissioners have announced their approval of the plan, and in a few days they will pass a resolution authorizing hiring the best agriculturist available. This action is permitted under an act passed by the last legislature at the instance of bankers, farmers, and commercial bodies. The law permits the counties of Washington to co-operate with the department of agriculture in providing expert advice for the farmers.

Byron Hunter, district leader of the department of agriculture for Washington, Idaho and Oregon, outlined to the commissioners the scope of the work, saying:

"The work will be in charge of a trained agriculturist, who will conduct farm management, field studies and demonstrations among the farmers of the county. He will acquaint himself with the general agricultural conditions of the locality, study the various types of soils, the crops that have been found to be best adapted, and the types of farming that have been most successful on each type of soil."

"He will spend his entire time in

the interests of improved farming in the section, study the methods and practices of the most successful farmers who are following the various types of farming. He will visit the farmers on their farms, study their plans, and aid them in formulating better plans. He will study market conditions, means of transportation, and shipping facilities.

"Such a study will enable him to advise the farmers in the establishment of better cropping systems, in the intelligent selection of better live stock, better seed, and better markets."

HOLD 80,000 CHICKENS.

New Jersey Dealers Refuse to Receive Fowls With Sand-filled Croppes.

New York, May 21.—Twenty carloads of live chickens, 4,000 chickens to the car, were being held in Jersey City because angry jobbers refused to receive them. Hardly a live chicken was handled by dealers yesterday.

The trouble arose over a recent complaint of jobbers that receivers were stuffing chickens' crops with weight-producing sand and gravel to make up for shrinkage sustained in transit. Until receivers agree to abandon the practice, the dealers say they will boycott all live poultry. Ordinarily about 125,000 live fowls are handled daily.

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WHEN FATHER LEFT

Little Fellow Writes President for New Papa and Request Brings Old One.

BY FRANK FILSON. March the fourth its going to be a miserable birthday for me on the fifteenth I guess.

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We moved into a tiny house after father died. The last house had two bathrooms and a big kitchen and three maids and a dog but this house has only one bathroom and kitchen and only one maid.

March the ninth I'm going to write to the president to get me a new father. The president thought a great deal of father and mother used to go to his receptions but she hasn't been to any since father died.

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QUEER FACTS ABOUT MONEY

Average Lifetime of Various Denominations of Paper Currency Differ Considerably.

The average lifetime of the different denominations of United States paper currency differs considerably; that of the \$1 silver certificate, for instance, being a trifle over one year; the \$5 silver certificate, 1.9 years; the \$10 gold certificate, 1.68 years; etc.

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Right and Left. Representative Longworth at a dinner in Cincinnati said of a defeated candidate for congress: "Well, after all, it's a great consolation for a man's conscience to tell him, when he is left, that he is right."

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OLD DAYS RECALLED

Joseph Cisler Was One of Michigan's First Settlers.

Pioneer Was Related to Gen. Winfield Scott and Told of Incidents Not Recorded in History.

Detroit, Mich.—By the death of Joseph Cisler at his home south of Middleville, the last link connecting Barry county of the present day with the very first settlers of the early days has been severed, writes a Hastings (Mich.) correspondent.

Joseph Cisler, who resided in Monroe when the common topics of conversation were the battles in that vicinity during the war of 1812; who knew intimately the historic chiefs of the Ottawa nation; who was a companion of Albert E. Bull, a noted academic education, and who was at one time one of the most widely known men in Barry county, died in obscurity.

Cisler was a genuine product of the early days. He conversed about the early days and prominent personages of those times as though they were present.

Cisler was born in Lycoming county, New York, Feb. 7, 1826. His mother was Rachel Scott, cousin of Gen. Winfield Scott, noted leader in three wars. In making the journey to Buffalo Cisler's mother carried him upon her back as she traveled afoot. His parents settled at Sandy Creek, near Monroe, in 1830. Everywhere were the ruins of houses burned by the Indians and British, but new houses were being erected among the ruins.

As a boy Cisler was intensely interested in local history and spent much of his time digging for relics among the ruins.

At Knagg's tavern, about eight miles from Monroe, the Cislers were acquainted with a Frenchman who sympathized with the Americans during the war, and he related an incident of unusual interest and one which is not recorded in Michigan history. The British offered rewards for the scalps of Americans, and savages lay in ambush near all of the settlements, waiting to pick off any one who appeared. The government offered a reward for carrying the mail through the enemy's lines and the Frenchman and two other men started on horseback to deliver the mail. They had gone only a few miles when they found a fire on the trail. Apprehending at once why the fire had been placed there, the Frenchman shouted to his companions, "Follow me!" and dashed through the flames. His companions, unheeding his command, went round the fire. Two wives were freed, and the men were never again seen.

The vicinity of Monroe was rapidly settled, and Houston Cisler, loading his goods into an ox cart, made his way along the wilderness trail leading to Gull Prairie in 1836.

They left Bronson, now Kalamazoo, and followed the old road to Yankee Springs, the famous hostelry on the Grand Rapids stage road. The Cislers located on Bull's Prairie, in Irving township.

Here young Cisler led the life of all pioneer children. He entered the employ of Albert E. Bull of Massachusetts, who conducted stores at White Pigeon, Bronson and Prairie Ronde, or Schoolcraft.

Cisler made the acquaintance of all of the pioneers of this section, and mingled with the Indians, whom he knew intimately.

During the Black Hawk war the Cislers did not join the throngs of frightened settlers who returned east. They had no fear of the Indians, whom they often doctored when they were ill.

Grand Rapids, Gull Prairie and other places were known only by their Indian names. Chicago was one of the important trading points for the settlers in this vicinity.

Mr. Cisler prospered. He owned large tracts of land, and was one of the leading men of his community. But all of his property dwindled to nothing and he spent his last days on a small sand farm in Yankee Springs township, across which ran the trail his long vanished red brethren traversed years ago. He was married five times. Until the last few months he refused to leave his unprofitable farm, where he resided alone, until one of his sons succeeded in persuading him to reside with him. The old man, sitting under a tree in his dooryard, was a familiar figure during the last few years.

WHAT THE CONVICTS SANG

Missionary Tells of Prisoners Singing Song That Was in Marked Contrast to Their Condition.

London.—The unsuitable nature of the services in prison chapels has caused a protest by Thomas Holmes, a London police court missionary. "A few weeks ago," said Mr. Holmes, "I was conducting an afternoon service, and before me were 200 thousand men, locked, bolted and barred in prison, with warders to keep guard over them. They were on their knees singing a vesper:

Lord, keep us safe this night,
Secure from all our fears;
May angels guard us while we sleep,
Till morning light appears.

"I at once remonstrated with the prison authorities, and offered to provide them with more suitable words but they failed to see my point."

WOMEN PLAN A UNIQUE BANK

Suffragettes of New York to Have Financial Institution With Only Their Sex Employed.

New York.—According to proposals and plans now under consideration here, New York in the near future is likely to have the country's first suffragette bank, a real financial institution which will operate like any other except for the fact that from president down to office girl, or rather from presidentess to office girl, only women will be concerned with its management and operation.

Many attempts and proposals have been made before by women identified with the suffrage movement both here and in England to start such an institution, but for one reason or another they have failed to be productive of any definite results.

The women behind the present plan, however, believe that this time they will be successful. Just what the plan is they refuse to disclose until the big meeting at which it is to be made public later in the month. As its backers are women of wealth, there is much curiosity as to just what they propose to do.

It is pointed out, however, that if they adhere to the plan of having no man connected with it, the bank will be unique in more ways than one, since it will have a board of directors none of whom serve on any other bank directorate—that is, unless Mrs. Hetty Green is made a director—and will thus be free from the criticism of interlocking directors.

Of course if a few of the city's more prominent bankers should be asked to serve, this claim to distinction would be lost, but even at that financial circles are expressing considerable curiosity over the plans for a real suffragette bank.

CZARINA ACTIVE IN POLITICS

Wife of Russian Ruler Arranges for Meeting Between Czar and King George.

St. Petersburg.—The czarina of Russia is taking extraordinary interest in industrial politics. It was learned that she has arranged all the



Czarina of Russia.

details for a meeting between King George of England and Czar Nicholas in the near future. She is said to have been largely responsible for influencing the czar to befriend the Balkan states in their war against Turkey.

INDIA IS BURYING ITS GOLD

Natives Hide as Much Every Year as Is Taken From the South African Mines.

London.—There is buried in India every year a sum of gold equal to the amount taken yearly from the mines of South Africa. The African miners extract this treasure from "the grip of the earth to put it in circulation; the natives of India seize it with avidity, hoard it and hide it, save it and lay it away. They guard it for the future and effectively remove it from circulation. Thus is the work of the South African miner largely nullified.

These facts are derived from statistics issued by a firm of Indian bankers, and the amount of wealth in gold, jewels and precious stones stored away and buried in India today is practically incalculable.

Gold is put also to some queer uses in India. In some parts of the country thin gold leaves are taken by the people for medicinal purposes, and thousands of dollars' worth is consumed in regilding the domes of religious buildings. A brisk demand having recently been noticed for sovereigns with a shield on the obverse side, an inquiry was made and it was found that a certain rajah had imported them to form a center to each tiny pane in the windows of his palace.

RUINED CITY IS SABATTA

Place Found by Balloonists in Tripoli Identified as Former Flourishing Roman Colony.

Rome.—The ruined city in the midst of the sand wilderness beyond Zavia, in Tripoli, discovered by two Italian engineering officers while reconnoitering in a dirigible balloon, has been identified as Sabatta, a flourishing colony in the days of imperial Rome. Photographs taken by the airmen, received at the war office, show imposing, well-preserved ruins, including numerous marble statues of exceptional beauty.

PATRIOT IS DYING

O'Donovan Rossa Nearing End of a Troubled Career.

He Fought and Long Suffered Imprisonment in the Struggle for Erin's Freedom—Liberated by Queen Victoria.

New York.—When Jeremiah Donovan, the Irish patriot and picturesque Fenian, adopted the name "O'Donovan Rossa" fifty years ago and collected a sum said to have exceeded \$50,000, much of it from Irish girls throughout the United States, he promised to free Ireland by drastic measures. The avowed aim of his life and purpose of the fund was the liberation of Ireland from English rule.

O'Donovan Rossa, now nearing his eighty-third year, is said to be dying of rheumatism and complications at 194 Richmond terrace, New Brighton, Staten Island, where he lives in a queer ramshackle cottage with his wife and three daughters, says a correspondent.

At the end of a stormy life he is in comparative poverty, and the Irish societies are about to give him a substantial testimonial in recognition of his fervid patriotism, which led to imprisonment and banishment.

In the "Life in Prison," published from 5 Barclay street in 1899, Rossa wrote:

"England has proclaimed war against me and forbids me to tread my native land, and so help me God, I will wage war against her until she is stricken to her knees or until I am stricken to my grave."

O'Donovan Rossa is as uncompromising today as he was in the days when he was confined in a dungeon with his hands tied behind his back, eating his scant rations from the floor. He was always a physical force, having little sympathy with those who sought for and gained compromise.

Born in County Cork in 1831, his father, who was in fairly good circumstances, sent him to school until 1844. Then came crop failures and agitations, followed by troublous times in Ireland. He became part of the young Ireland movement. His mother, brothers and sisters emigrated to Philadelphia and he was left alone at Skibbereen, apprenticed to a kinsman who had a store. In a short time young O'Donovan had a store of his own and was a leader in the patriotic movement, fanned by the Fenian leaders.

In 1858 he became a full member and in the next year he served his first term in Cork jail. His business was ruined, his country demoralized. Still in the revolutionary movement, he traveled over Ireland, England and Scotland organizing Fenian bands.

In 1863, Ireland becoming too hot for him, he came here on a visit. He went back after a few months, became involved in an aggressive campaign and fell into the hands of the English authorities, and from 1865 to 1871 he was in jail. He was released only to be banished from Great Britain and her possessions.

In this country he published a newspaper, wrote books, traveled and lectured. Through correspondence and influence and funds he collected, he still kept things stirred up in his native land, although thousands of miles away from it.

The New York newspapers of February 3, 1885, recounted the shooting of Rossa in Chambers street by Yaelite Dudley, an English trained nurse, who resented his utterance at a meeting held in "Dynamite Row," which was near Rossa's office.

In 1891 the edict of banishment was raised and Rossa returned to Cork, where he was made clerk of the county council at a comfortable salary. Queen Victoria, as a jubilee favor, granted him a full pardon.

In the meantime, less strenuous arguments than O'Donovan Rossa's have impelled the British house of commons to pass an Irish home rule bill, the third reading having been carried by a vote of 367 to 257.

WORD CAUSES CHURCH ROW

Church Upset by Rector's Criticism of Young Woman's Rendition of "The Holy City."

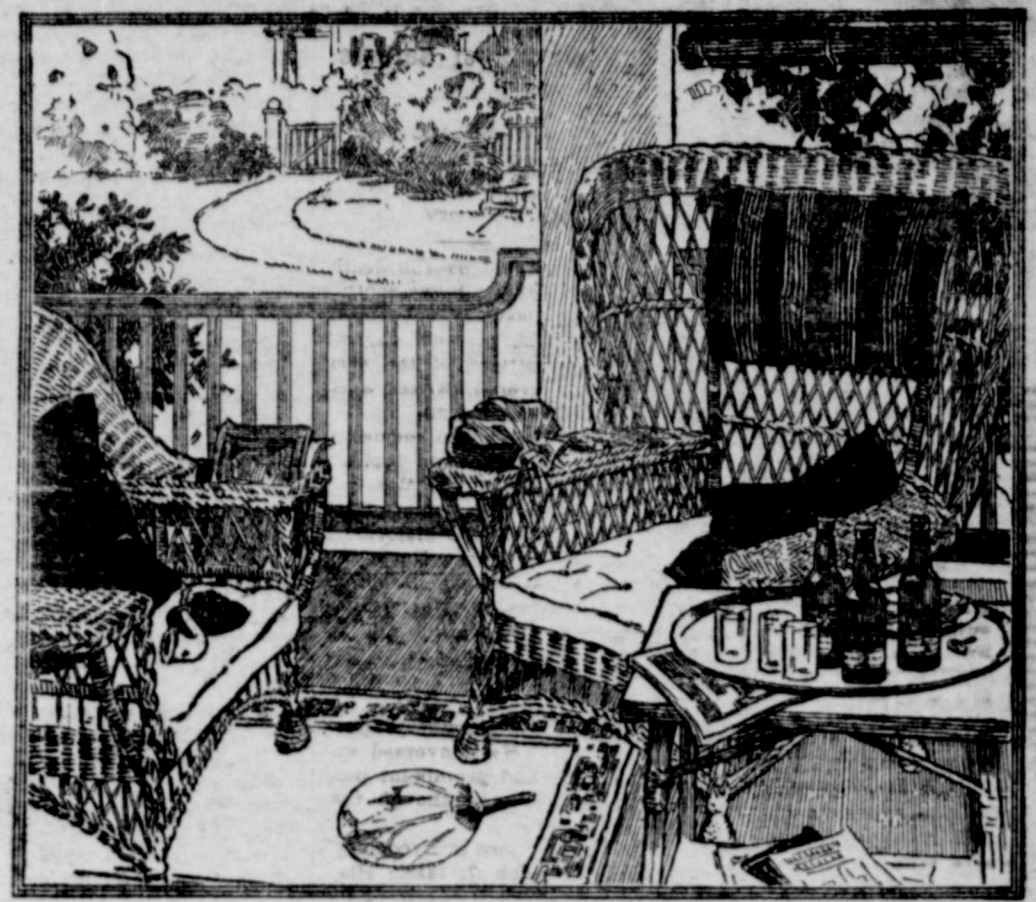
Huntington, L. I.—The Episcopal church community here is perturbed to an amusing extent over the criticism which Rev. Charles S. Cragg, rector of St. John's church, directed against a young woman soloist who sang the word Jerusalem as "Jerusalem" in the rendition of "The Holy City" at an entertainment by the Huntington Historical society.

So shocked was the rector at the way the word was intoned he straightway sat down and wrote a note to Miss Gladys Dean of Ohio, the soloist, and declared it made the whole number "an object of ridicule to many." He declared that the syllable "sa" should be pronounced as if it were "ser" or "sar."

The controversy which ensued has by no means subsided and church members, finding dictionaries unavailing, are still swapping opinions.

Telltale Mirrors Are Removed

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