

PARAGRAPHS

On all Subjects of Current Note at Home and Abroad.

ANECDOTES HAPPENINGS AND GENERAL COMMENTS.

Clipped and Condensed for the Readers of The Globe.

Kansas City anticipates \$1 gas.
Chicago reports 2,000 saloon failures.
Germany sends us 100,000 canary birds annually.

Thinner than tissue paper are sheets of iron that run 4,890 to an inch, recently rolled in Wales.

A technical school is to be established at Osaka, Japan, for the training of youths in various handicrafts.

The French government proposes to impose fines upon railway companies for trains that are run behind schedule time.

Woodsmen at the remote lumber camp in Potter county, Pa., frequently walk twelve miles for a drink of whisky.

The next international exhibition is to be at Constantinople, on the hill above Pera, and will be opened two years from now.

To make 1,000 cubic feet of illuminating gas, eight pounds of coal, costing two cents, and four gallons of naphtha, costing twelve cents, are required.

Street hands are not permitted in Germany unless they accompany processions. In Vienna the organ grinders are allowed to play only between noon and sunset.

At ancient British feasts each guest had his portion placed before him in a little wicker basket. The most honored or noble guest had the biggest piece, and, taking it in his hands, tore it to pieces with his teeth.

A Chinaman buys his coffin often many years before his death and keeps it in his house as a most valuable article of furniture. The most cherished present a son can make to his father is a handsome coffin.

Orthodox Turks shave the head with the exception of a tuft on the crown, which is left to insure a tight grip to the angel of the resurrection when he comes to pull them out of the grave on the day of judgment.

In China all land belongs to the State; a trifling sum per acre, the same through long centuries is paid as rent. This is the only tax in the country—about 60 cents a person on an acre.

The Imperial Canal of China is the longest in the world and the greatest in point of traffic. Its length is 2,100 miles, and it connects 41 cities situated on its banks. It was completed in 1850, and after 600 years spent on its construction.

Athenians describes feasts given by a prince of Gaul, which continued without interruption for a whole year. Even strangers passing through his dominions during this time were compelled to come and eat.

The Watkin Tower, at Wembley Park, near London, is rapidly approaching completion. Sir Benjamin Baker is the engineer of this great work, which, when finished will have a height of 1150 feet, or 176 feet more than the Eiffel Tower in Paris.

Germany produces more zinc than any other country, and exports between 50,000 and 60,000 tons of the metal annually. The output in 1890 was 139,000 tons. The main zinc-producing district is in Upper Silesia, where the metal is made from calamine and zinc blende by distillation.

A submarine diver can not see anything at a depth of ninety feet, and has to rely solely on the sense of touch. This fact, in addition to its being extremely difficult for him to breathe at a depth of over sixty feet, makes the work painful and awkward as well as slow.

In one of the towns of Connecticut the public archives show that a motion was made and adopted by the school trustees within two generations past that "It is the sense of this meeting that it would be a misuse of public funds to teach the girls the back part of the arithmetic."

A long-felt want filled is found in the fork to serve macaroni shown at the silver-smiths'. It has a broad blade at one side and prongs at the other, and is beautifully chased and engraved. But there is still a crying need for an individual implement which shall really help to get this elusive food to one's mouth.

According to Mr. Tegetmeir, who has given special study to the fauna of Australia, the rabbit there had been forced by its environment to alter its European habits. The forepaws of some have already been adapted for climbing trees in search of the food which they cannot find on the ground, and others have begun to litter on the bare earth. The antipoden rabbit also enters the water and swims very well, both during its migrations and when pursued.

In early English days there were remedies for headache, and for old headache, and for ache of half the head. "Eye work and the fiend's temptations" are also mentioned in this catalogue. Ache of half the head, or hemicrania, from which George Eliot suffered so much, has been considered a distinctively modern disease, but there is nothing new.

A singular story is told by the Abbeville (La.) correspondent of the New Orleans Picayune. The writer says: "Two young men, after a talk on the road, galloped their horses off in the opposite directions. Each thought of the something he wanted to say to the other, and turned back. They both ran their horses

and encountered each other at full speed. The horses passed unhurt, but the riders' legs struck as they passed and both were thrown in a manner to the earth and hurt alike. Each had his thigh broken; neither more dangerously than the other."

Murdered in Madagascar

LONDON, Oct. 3. The Times' correspondent in Paris says the last mail from Madagascar reports that George Muller, the explorer, sent out by the French government on a scientific expedition, has been murdered between Antananarivo, the capital of the island, and Majunga.

Influenza is epidemic at Antananarivo. Fully a third of the cases prove fatal.

Coal Mine Troubles on the Continent

BRUSSELS, Oct. 3. Thousands of coal miners are quitting work to join the strikers in the Charleroi and Borinage districts.

PARIS, Oct. 3. Striking coal miners started riots last evening at the Pas de Calais, department of Eure. The military and police quickly dispersed the crowds. Nobody was injured.

How to Make Money.

The following statistics gathered from reliable sources are both interesting and instructive and may be turned into money, so to speak, by farmers and poultry raisers. The number of fowl has greatly increased in the United States during the last five years but this increase has been larger in the New England and Middle States than in any other. Twenty seven States report over one million each. Seventeen States report over two million each. Thirteen States report over three million each while the States of Illinois, Iowa, New York, Ohio and Pennsylvania report over five millions each. In eighteen of the States the annual average product of eggs per hen is as follows:

Me., 7.5 doz. Penn., 5.2 doz. Ohio, 4.0 doz. Mass., 7.2 " N. Y., 5.0 " Ill., 3.6 " Conn., 7.1 " Ind., 5.0 " N. C., 3.6 " N. H., 6.7 " Tenn., 4.7 " Ala., 3.2 " R. I., 6.4 " Ky., 4.4 " S. C., 3.1 " Vt., 5.9 " Iowa, 4.3 " La., 3.0 "

It will be noticed that the average number of eggs laid per hen per year ranges from three dozen to over seven dozen and that those states which reported the largest number of hens did not make the most money because, as the figures show they only got an average of four or five dozen eggs per hen per year while the New England States showed an average of from six to over seven dozen. The question arises then why do hens in the New England States average more than seven dozen eggs per year per hen, while in Louisiana they only average three dozen? The reason must be found in the fact that in the New England States, Sheridan's Powder to make hens lay is almost universally used, while in the West and South, it is not used much. Louisiana has not gone behind but the Northern States have gone ahead. There is no doubt at all but what the extensive use of Sheridan's to Make Hens Lay, and for the improvement of poultry, has boosted the poultry industry more than all other influences put together. The poultry industry of this country now amounts to between five and six hundred millions of dollars annually and the profits are said to be enormous. One man in Mass., near Boston has made twenty thousand dollars a year for the last five years and many more have from five hundred to a thousand dollars while thousands of women, children and invalids have earned a comfortable living. All who want to know just how to make money, keeping and tending poultry should send to I. S. Johnson & Co., 22 Custom House St Boston, for a copy of the Poultry Raising Guide, Price 25 cts.

TARIFF CHANGES.

WASHINGTON, October 3.—The next tariff bill ought to be known as the "Wilson Bill." Some of its provisions are pretty well known. It is a foregone conclusion, according to remarks dropped by Bynum McMillan and others, that wool, coal, iron ore and lumber in the log will be put on the free list. Common woollen goods will probably come in under about one half the tariff. The bounty on sugar is to be repealed and a tax of one-half cent a pound imposed on the foreign products. It is estimated that a sixty millions deficit is to be met, and to cover this it is believed that the tax on sugar will bring in anywhere from thirty-five to forty millions. There will also be an increased tax on whiskey and beer, the latter to be increased from one dollar a barrel to two dollars. The saving in pensions under the Lochren ruling will amount to ten millions and the saving in sugar bounty to ten millions. Mr. Wilson, however, is quoted as saying that the committee is not going to take into account the matter of making up the present deficit to the forming of a bill that will provide sufficient revenue hereafter.

Jennie's Way of Reading.

Jennie was learning to read and spell but it was very hard for her to remember what her teacher told her about pronouncing a double letter when she came to one. She would say a o r e e or t t instead of double a, double e, etc. Her teacher had one day drilled her considerably on this matter in spelling. Shortly afterward Jennie was called on to read. The paragraph began, Up, up; Lucy! and Jennie read it triumphantly, Double up Lucy!—Youth's Companion.

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3. It is expected that his day's work is done, when school is dismissed.
4. He is expected to conduct a school from the first day of the term to the last without making a mistake—age not considered.
5. He is expected to remember all the lessons he assigns, and everything else that happens.
6. He is expected to visit all the parents telling each in turn what smart and well behaved children they are the happy possessors of.
7. He is expected (in some districts) to work for nothing and board himself.
8. He is expected to have patience enough to tide him over the most confounded stupidities.
9. He is expected to teach everything in one turn.
10. He is expected to keep his face straight no matter what happens. In short, this most privileged of all bipeds inhabiting this planet, is expected to be a saint touching the supernatural, who can fill the bill for anything; no matter what the requirements.

PETE.

At the University.

The result of the University matriculation examinations was as follows:—Mr. Arthur H. Shea son of Mr. Shea of F. B. Edgecombe's establishment, headed the list, and won the York County scholarship. He stood alone in the first division and the examiners were much pleased with his answering, which reflects great credit not only on himself but on the Frederickton High School where he was prepared for matriculation. The St. John county scholarship was won after a close competition by Edmund Burke, son of Mr. T. Burke inspector of inland revenue. The matriculating class is as follows, the names in each division being arranged alphabetically:

SENIOR MATRICULANTS.

1st Division—

F. R. Taylor.

3rd Division—

H. L. Jordan.

JUNIOR MATRICULANTS.

1st Division—

A. H. Shea.

2nd Division—

J. G. Currie.

James A. George.

Miss Mable McKee.

R. W. Queen.

A. C. Tabor.

J. J. F. Winslow.

3rd Division—

Miss Helen Babbitt.

Edmund Burke.

Fred McGee.

J. Morris Robinson.

PARTIAL STUDENTS.

James Holland.

J. B. Mawwell.

Frank Shute.

Harry Alward a 1st class teacher has applied for admission in December, and Chas. Stokes who passed the July matriculation examination will join the class in a fortnight.

Prof. Geo. M. Downing, the latest addition to the Faculty and successor to Prof. Duff, arrived Tuesday afternoon, and is the guest of Dr. Harrison at the University.

Lectures began on Monday, and the University is now in complete working order.

Bright Remarks.

An inspector of customs—a fashion writer.
Probably the biggest thing on ice is the price.

A heart that has been often tendered is tough.
The maids of old were not necessarily old maids.

The ring and letter which a girl returns are slightly tokens.
Time flies, yet the orchestral leader sits still and beats time.

It is the man who has a sea of troubles that has a notion of sorrow.
Woman may be a conundrum, a puzzle; but the world will never give her up.

No language can express the feeling of a deaf mute who steps on a tack in a dark room.
A wise editor wants to know why people says a man "feels his oats" when he only feels his rye.

An outsider ask: "In a 'driving storm, does Jupiter Pluvius hold the reins?" No, he let's them go.
The Indians couple who were married by telephone must not be surprised if they find their anticipated heaven a hell-o'

Blood may be thicker than water, but did any one know a girl who would not steal her brother's cigars to give 'to some one else?

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Dated September 5th, A. D. 1893.

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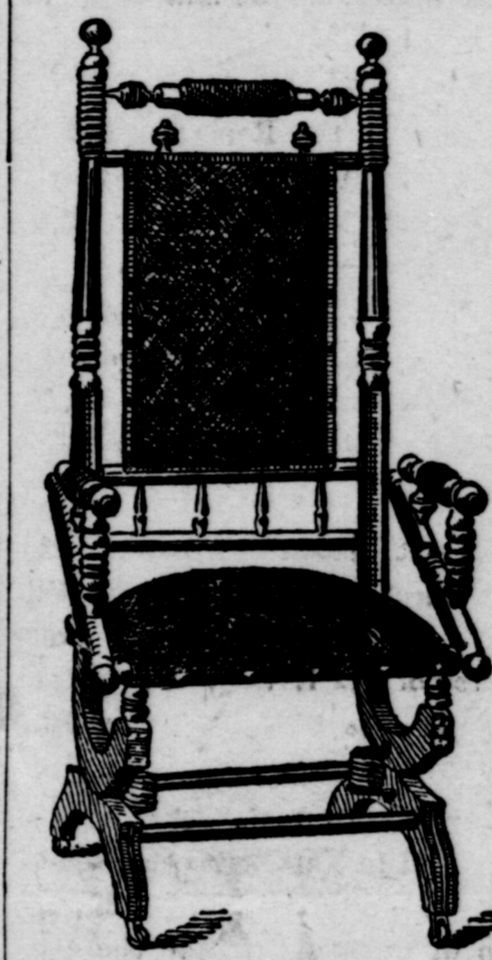
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