

SCOUTS THICK BY BOERS.

Scouts of Boer's command... The Boers captured and burned the wagons...

LATEST MARKET QUOTATIONS

Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 79¢... Cattle—Choice export and dressed beef steers...

DIE IN OCEAN WRECK.

Forty-One Dead and Lost in Crash in Fog. In a thick haze and without a second's warning, an iron bark, believed to be French, struck the passenger steamer Walla Walla off Cape Mendocino early Thursday morning...

FIGHT OVER BIBLE IN SCHOOL.

Lincoln, Neb., dispatch: The mandamus suit to prevent the reading of the Bible, staging hymns, or offering prayer in the public schools of Nebraska has reached the Supreme Court on appeal...

BRITAIN'S SEE TRADE IN LEAD.

Government statistics showing that of the total trade with her colonies Great Britain only possesses 42 per cent, while the United States have 12 per cent...

WOMAN ARTIST A SUICIDE.

In her little studio at 96 Fifth avenue, New York, the walls of which were profusely hung with her uncolored paintings, Miss Hannah Coggin, an artist, was found dead.

A postcard man from London says the Washington correspondence of the New York World had a fine job in the treasury department as messenger. About all he had to do was to sit in an armchair and kick his heels...

A Grateful Man.

Cox, Wis., Jan. 6.—With kidney disease so bad that he could hardly walk across the room for pain, Frank M. Russell of this place was a man greatly to be pitied.

Garman's Sketch of Himself.

Dr. H. Garman, entomologist of the Department of Agriculture, lately received a request to furnish for publication a sketch of himself. He replied: "The most important facts of my life history are the following: (1) Born, Stephenson county, Illinois. (2) Began the study of natural history same date. Yours very truly, H. Garman."

Trees Known by Fruit.

Every tree is known by its fruit. A good tree is not that one which is merely capable of bearing fruit; it is that which does bear it.

Set Type for "Outre-Mer."

At Brunswick, Me., lives a printer who did all the typesetting and presswork on Longfellow's "Outre-Mer; or, Tales of the Sea," the first novel the great poet wrote.

"Trymi" Is Reliable.

This item is valuable—worth \$20 to every sufferer from constipation, biliousness, liver or nervous trouble who will cut it out and send with address to R. J. Sarney & Co., Janesville, Wis., for a package of Trymi Tablets free of charge.

Happy Days From Within.

A happy life is "when the inner life is adjusted so satisfactorily that it gives one no trouble and there is time and opportunity to spend the outer life for others."

An Article which will prove of the widest interest to all who are interested in education is one in the January Cosmopolitan by Elisha Benjamin Andrews, ex-president of Brown University, who has had the courage to show the great evils resulting from the private contract school book system—evils which could be very easily avoided if the proper organization were brought into this effort.

The announcement is made that in the Chicago orchestra concerts at the Auditorium on Jan. 24 and 25 the Symphony, "The Four Seasons," by Henry K. Hadley, will be given its first performance in Chicago.

A man went into a St. Louis restaurant and shouted, "Where's the head waiter?" That dignitary came forward. "Say," bawled the man, "do you serve lobsters here?" "Yes," replied the waiter, urbanely, "What will you have?"

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 6th.—A very timely and practical suggestion comes from a physician of this city. He says, "Take Garfield Tea, the Herb Medicine. It is especially needed at this season when the system is apt to be out of order from eating rich food. This wonderful remedy cleanses the system and regulates the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels. It is simple, pure and effective, and is good for young and old."

Buddhism seems to be making a fair number of converts in this country. California now has three churches and San Francisco a society which, though only three years old, has a membership of more than 300.

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It is the most effective laundry soap ever made. It is made by the Russ Company, South Bend, Ind.

There are about ninety deaths in Shakespeare's plays.

The series of special trains... The fare on the Congo railroad for 250 miles is \$100, or 40 cents a mile.

The Woman and Her Wrap.

Once upon a time Boreas and Dame Fashion were talking about their respective powers, when a woman passed by wearing a long sealskin wrap.

BeWARE of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should be used except on the express recommendation of a physician.

Farm Animals in Germany.

While German farmers are always growing about hard times, statistics show that within the last eighteen years the value of farm animals has increased at the rate of \$20,000,000 a year in Germany.

The Liquor Tax Yields the Best Returns to the Government in Russia and the Poorest in Norway.

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An expert view is that sixty cases of smallpox in London can be traced to one individual.

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The Seattle assay office has handled \$55,000,000 since its establishment.

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