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Walter Jones and Mabel Hite in a musical comedy sketch, will be the topliners in the bill of vaudeville scheduled for next week at the Cook Opera House. Mr. Jones is well known on the dramatic stage, and Miss Hite has won fame as a vaudeviller. The O'Meers Sisters will offer wire gymnastics in an act said to be full of feats of daring daintily presented. The LeBrun Grand Opera Trio will offer selections and scenes from "Il Trovatore." Taylor Holmes a monologist well known for his cleverness in imitating stage people, promises an act having new material. A musical farce, called "Professor Schmaltz Academy," will be offered by Tenbrooke, Lambert and Tenbrooke. Fred Ray and Company will have a comedy skit described as a capital laugh excitant. Two German acrobats, the Balzers, will offer gymnastics described as new to Rochester. The kinetograph will show new pictures, and this bill will be offered all next week, with daily matinees.

Baker Theatre.

"The Whitehorse Tavern" a celebrated comedy translated from the German, will be presented next week at the Baker Theatre, by the Moore Stock Company. In this, the principle character, is an old German merchant touring his fatherland, and comparing everything unfavorably with Berlin. This part will be played next week by John Summer. Wilson Melrose will impersonate Seidler, a young attorney, who is the old gentlemen's bitterest enemy. Lucille Spinney will appear as Ottilie, a young woman who is the central figure in the pretty romance that forms the main theme of the play. Josepha, the keeper of the Whithorse Tavern, and her headwaiter will be played by John Gorman, are said to provide plenty of good fun. The play will be presented all next week, with matinees Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

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CATS HEAR CALL OF THE WILD.

Soon Become Able to Give a Pack of Dogs Trouble.

An interesting study of animal nature is found by possum and coon hunters of the Marmaton River bottoms, says the Fort Scott Tribune. It is found that many once tame house cats are more ferocious fighters when treed than any other species of animals which hunters are atp apt to encounter in these woods. Neearly every hunting party spending a night in those wood comes up with a cat that has "gone back to the wild." The supposition is that these cats have been tempted to the woods by the field and wood mice and other prey upon which cats like to feed, and that they gradually become accustomed to wild life and make their home there. Frequently a party of hunters has chased a cat half a night to have an exciting fight when the dogs finally cornered it. The cats thus returned to the native life of the species are said by hunters to grow considerably larger than their civilized brothers and sisters and to be able to engage a whole pack of dogs single handed.

Professions That Kill.

The latest compilations which have been made show that the air in cutlery factories is laden with invisible metal dust, and this being carried into the lungs, causes asthma and consumption The steel grinders, bending over their work, inhale such huge quantities of metal dust that they rarely live beyond the age of forty All metal trades are very hazardous, and phthisis or tubercular affections and respiratory diseases are the penalties of these pursuits The rate of mortality among brewers is 50 per cet. greater than that among men of ordinary callings. Gout is an enemy which makes itself sorely felt in this occupation. Bakers, too, are more than normally subject to premature death. In the flour there is a very small microbe which has its effect on the teeth, and attacks the drums of the ears, causing deafness Exchange.

A Writer's Personality.

Of Robert Louis Stevenson a recent writer says "With his dark eyes looking as if they had drunk in the sunshine in some southern land, his uncut hair, his odd, shabby clothes clinging to his attenuated frame, his elaborate manners and habit of gesticulating as he spoke, he was often mistaken for a starving musician, or foreign mountebank. Continental officials doubted his passport's statement that he was a Briton. In France he was imprisoned, and Stevenson complained that he could not pass a frontier or visit a bank without suspicion."

When "Papa" Was Polite.

For some time after the "papa" was taken into the English language, in the seventeenth century, it was restricted to courtly and polite speech and was common even among adults. Long after it had become childish it was still accounted genteel Hood wrote of one who was "genteelly taught by his mamma to say not father, but papa." "Papa" may be comparatively a newcomer into the English language, but it is as old as Homer Nausica in the "Odyssey," calls her father "papa phile"—dear papa.

Artificial Waters.

Artificially aerated drinking waters were the invention of the chemist, Joseph Priestley, who in 1772 published his "Directions for Impregnating Water With Fixed Air in Order to Communicate to It the Peculiar Spirit and Virtues of Pyrmont Water and Other Mineral Waters of a Similar Nature." Some one has calculated the consumption of aerated waters in Great Britain and Ireland to amount to 200,000,000 gallons a year.

Practice and Theory.

Lord Kelvin paid a visit to the British schoolship for navigating officers at Portsmouth, on which are several mechanical contrivances and appliances of his own invention. The practical working of these had to be demonstrated and explained to him. Lord Kelvin understood the theoretical principles of the mechanism, but had never seen them applied and at work before.

High Priced Orchid.

The highest price ever paid for any orchid was paid at an auction sale in London for a heavily marked form of Odontoglassum, $6,035, and but for a small plant! It has enormous heavy blotches of chocolate brown on each segment of the flower, occupying approximately one-half the area.

Perambulating Blacksmith.

In Northern China a perambulating village blacksmith goes about in the early spring making implements for the farmers. The plows differ in design in the various localities, and are only sufficient to scratch the surface of the soil.

Against Road Dust.

A few years ago road dust was an almost insufferable plague on windy summer days in Southern California Now the roads are sprinkled with petroleum twice a year and even an automobile raises no dust.

Air of Polar Region.

The air is so pure in the polar regions, so free from harmful microbes, that throat and lung diseases are unknown there. That section is also entirely free from contagious maladies.

WIND MEASURED BY MUSIC.

Velocity Determined by Vibration of Stretched Wires.

One of the meteorlogical experts of the Weather Bureau has recently shown how the velocity of the wind can be reckoned by noting the musical pitch of the sound given out when wind blows across a stretched wire.

The prinicpal elements on which the calculation is based are the diameter of the wire and the temperature of the air. The length of the wire is immaterial so long as it is not changed. Every variation in the wind's velocity is faithfully represented by the rising or falling of the pitch of the note sung by the wire.

For Measuring Space.

An apparatus for measuring the seventy millionth part of an inch has been made by Dr. P. Shaw of Nottingham University, England. It works upon the principle of electric touch, and consists of a fine micrometer screw and six levers. The apparatus is so sensitive and delicate that it is impossible to manipulate it before an audience It is hung by rubber bands, covered with thick felt, and must be worked at dead of night, when there is no traffic or factory working. The smallest distance that this mechanism measures is about the distance between a solid and liquid molecule. Dr. Shaw's invention was first made in 1900, but its great improvement of late has made it the wonder of physicists throughout the world.

Switzerland's Prosperity.

The material prosperity of Switzerland is strikingly illustrated by the statistics just published During the last fifty-five years the wealth of the country, not including State property, has risen from £400,000,000 to £680,000,000 The remarkable feature of these figures is the fact that no less than two-fifths of this total has been acquired by the hotel proprietors, whose annual income is estimated at upward of £6,000,000.—Spectator

Map on Station Walls.

The walls of stations on the new tube from Waterloo to Baker Street are embellished with maps of London, on which, according to the index in a corner of them "Theaters and places of amusement" are printed in red. Among the places so indicated on the body of the maps are Holloway Cattle Market, the Foundling Hospital, the Courts of Justice, the Bank of England and Spurgeon's Tabernacle.—London Tribune.

Photographing a Mine.

Arrangements have been made to take a sunlight photograph at the bottom of the shaft of a mine 2,000 feet deep at Sombrerete, in Mexico. The town is on the tropic of Cancer and the sun's rays at the meridian on June 21 fall vertically and illuminate the shaft brightly to its lowest depths. The sunlight lasts about three minutes and then disappears for a year.

Remarkable Sun Dial.

In the grounds adjacent to Wentworth castle, in England, is to be seen a unique sundial, which is composed of a fine yew tree for the pin and closely cropped box bushes for the Roman figures and borderings It was planted over 200 years ago and is still in a good state of preservation. Its timekeeping compares favorably with sun dials of more modern construction.

Protecting Street Boys.

Miss Cecilia Milow, who came to this country from Sweden three years ago to gather information about work with street boys, has been so successful in organizing such clubs in Stockholm tht a philanthropist has guaranteed her a life income so that she may continue this work throughout the kingdom.

University Attendance.

Berlin University is the most numerously attended seat of learning in the world. It contains 7,774 matriculated and 1,330 non-matriculated students. All the States of Germany, and every country in Europe, from Norway to Sicily, from Ireland to Russia, are represented in its classrooms.

Protecting Milk Dealers.

Formerly milk producers in England were at the mercy of wholesale dealers or middlemen. By judicious combination in various places they have been able to secure uniform and equitable prices, securing to individual members extra profits up to $200 a year.

Facts About London.

In London a child is born every three minutes, and a death is recorded every minutes. The city contains 700 railway stations, 5,000 omnibuses, 7,000 hansoms, 14,000 cabs and 7,000 tram cars. Daily 1,000,000 persons travel on underground railways.

Paul Revere's Work.

One of the few bells cast by Paul Revere now in existence was taken from the belfry of the old Baptist Church in Warren, R. I., to be recast at Troy, N. Y. A member of the church oversaw the job and will write an account of the undertaking for historical purposes.

Ashamed of Her Age.

An old woman on the witness stand at Bellinzona, Switzerland, gave her age as 102. But it was ascertained on cross-examination that she was "ashamed of being so old."

Beautiful Funeral Parlors Established by Thomas B. Mooney.

The practice of holding funerals from the parlors of established funeral directors that have been prepared for that especial purpose, and have been equipped with all the paraphernalia of a private house, has become a custom rather than an innovation So many houses have been built with no thought of provision for funerals, which must be expected some time or other, that it has been found that these improved undertaker's establishments are much more convenient than residences for the last rites. To meet this demand Funeral Director Thomas B Mooney has erected at No. 93 Edinburgh street a commodious colonial mansion, painted green with white trimmings, in which he has established funeral parlors which were formerly at No. 196 Main street west, conducted for many years before Mr. Mooney took charge by his uncle, Patrick Joyce.

Mr. Mooney's mortuary consists of a reception hall of spacious proportions, to the right of which is to be found a reception room with office in rear, both finished in different shades of green. To the left is a chapel in blue. The chairs in this parlor are of fixed and folding style, finished in leather. The woodwork in the entire lower floor is painted white. At the end of the hall is a reading room in red and pink, giving access by stairway to the upper floor, which upper floor will be given over to the display of caskets and funeral trappings. A reading room is to be found, and back of this an apartment devoted to embalming. This is furnished with all modern appliances. Back of this is the trimming room and a barn.

In order to satisfy the demand for a proper and seemly place for funerals, after seventeen years successfully spent on Main Street West, Mr. Mooney opens his new quarters on Edinburgh street, the building being now open for inspection.

When interviewed by a reporter Mr. Mooney said "It has been my aim to have a first class and up-to-date suite of funeral parlors. My rooms are light airy and cheerful. All gloomy features formerly found in undertaking establishments have been toned down so that my rooms resemble a beautiful dwelling more than anything else. I shall continue personally to supervise all work, both embalming and funeral directing. I consider my past performances my best testimonials, and in the future I shall do my best to live up to my reputation. I shall be pleased to have my friends call and look over my new building."

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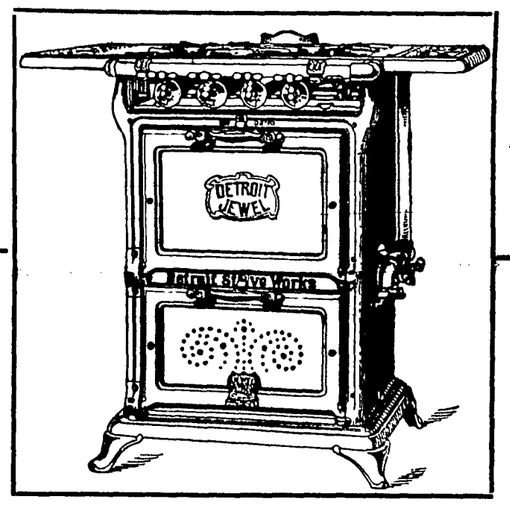

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