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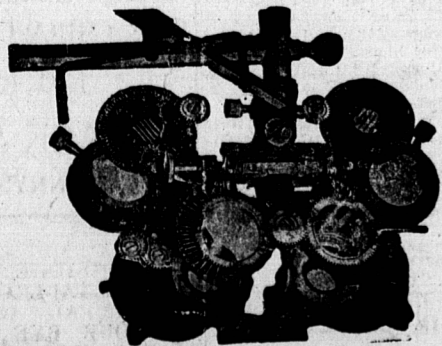
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Interesting Facts Respecting Origin of Odd Expressions

Once upon a time, as the story-tellers say, there lived in England a theatre manager of the bogus type who was very dilatory in the matter of paying his salaries. Now in this company was a self-willed actor whose strong part was the ghost in "Hamlet." If his salary was not forthcoming on a Saturday morning he would exclaim, "Then the ghost won't walk tonight!" As he was an indispensable actor, he was always paid. Sometimes he received only a portion of his salary, with the promise of the remainder in the course of the performance, and he would even go so far as to hold up the play just before the scene when he entered, until he was paid. Of course, the manager could not give his salary to one member of the company and overlook the other, so they all began to feel a keen interest in the walking of the ghost as a barometer of the pay situation. About the time of "treasure" on a Saturday morning they would wait until they received a messenger that the ghost would walk.

To this day the expression that "the ghost walks" is synonymous with the paying of salaries not only in theatres, but in many offices, and actors assembling for their weekly salaries in a not too reliable company put the question to each other, "Is the ghost walking?" while, if about to accept an engagement of a manager of whom they know nothing, they ask, "Does the ghost walk?"

Another incident which occurred in England and gave rise to a popular expression relates to the warden of the Tower of London during the time of the plantagenets. He had what the citizens of London considered an exaggerated belief in his own prerogative, and they took offence when he claimed the right of trapping fish for his own benefit outside the Traitor's Gate. "Kiddle" commonly used at that time, but the people, thinking he had no right to do so, systematically made raids on his kiddles and destroyed them. When he found the damage done to his preserves, he would exclaim, "A pretty kiddle of fish indeed!" It is easy to see how "kiddle" would become "kettle" when the old style fishing basket went out of vogue and how the original meaning clung to the expression, "a pretty kettle of fish!"

I was in quite a different class of society than the expression blue stockings acquired its present significance. At the famous club of literary ladies formed in England about the middle of the eighteenth century by Lady Mary Wortley Montague, Benjamin Stillingfleet, who habitually wore blue stockings, was a regular visitor. Blue stockings, therefore, became the recognized badge of membership and a blue stocking to this day brings to mind a certain type of intellectual and conservative person.

It is a question whether Lady Montague and her circle knew that as far back as 1400 there was a similar club of ladies and gentlemen at Venice which was called the Della Calza from the color of the stockings worn.

Another Englishman who has survived in a popular term is Richard Turner, whose convictions on prohibition were so strong that even his habit of stuttering did not restrain him from lecturing on it in public. One time while speaking in Preston, England, in 1833, on total abstinence he concluded his address with the words: "Nothing but tee-tee-tee-total abstinence will do—that or now!" It is due to the fact of substituting a tee for intoxicating liquors that a total abstainer is now known as a teetotaller.

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THE MARKETS

MARKET COMMENTS FOR WEEK ENDING JULY 24th, 1919.

Live Stock.
Toronto (Union Stock Yards): Heavy cattle receipts were responsible for a further depression of values, the market being affected to the extent of 25 cents on choice weight kinds and \$1.00 per hundred on the medium and common grades.

The calf market was considerably easier during the week, and choice calves were quoted from \$18.00 to \$19.00 per hundred, a decline of almost \$2.00 while the common grades decline from \$2.00 to \$4.00 per hundred. Lambs sold at fairly steady prices early in the week, but suffered a decline on the Thursday market when \$19.50 was the top price paid. Earlier in the week, prices ranged from \$19.00 to \$21.50 per hundred. Sheep were easier, heavy kinds selling from \$8.00 to \$9.00 per hundred, light sheep from \$10.00 to \$11.00, and common sheep down as low as \$4.00 per hundred.

Packer buyers endeavored to buy hogs at lower levels, but were unsuccessful in effecting any appreciable decline in the market. On Monday, select hogs sold at \$24.75, fed and watered. On Tuesday no sales were made. The following day the quotations given out was \$24.25, while on Thursday the prevailing price was \$24.50, and the top price \$24.75. During the week as high as \$24.00, f. o. b. was paid.

The total receipts from January 1st to July 17th, inclusive, were 163,187 cattle, 37,282 calves, 193,165 hogs and 37,116 sheep; compared with 138,240 cattle, 38,275 calves, 206,535 hogs, and 21,054 sheep; received during the corresponding period of 1918.

Montreal:

Live stock offered for sale on the two markets during the week amounted to twenty hundred and seventy five cattle, forty six hundred and fifty calves, twenty four hundred and forty sheep and sixty one hundred and fifteen hogs. Cattle moved very slowly at opening of the market on Monday, but later in the day there was a fair amount of trading and all but two loads were sold. The best load offered consisted of twenty six steers averaging ten hundred and thirty pounds and was sold for \$13.00 per hundred. Sheep for good lambs were off \$1.00 per hundred.

Select hogs were moved at \$23.50 per hundred, weighed off cars, with offers being made at \$23.00 for week-end shipments. Owing to the large percentage of sows and roughs in many of the shipments, a lot of the hogs are bought without grading. Sow prices are \$5.00 per hundred less than selects, and stag prices \$7.00 less. Owing to the demand from the local fresh meat trade many young light hogs were sold at select prices.

WARNING GIVEN BRITONS BY JAS. H. THOMAS, M. P.

London, July 28.—(By the Associated Press.)—James Henry Thomas, member of parliament for Derby, in an interview following an address before his constituents Saturday night, expressed profound anxiety concerning the unstable domestic situation in England. Mr. Thomas, who recently visited America, said that the strong position of the United States could not be doubted, and that he had seen enough while there to satisfy him that it was essential to restore confidence in this country by increasing production and keeping every industry fully employed.

Mr. Thomas' speech was his first utterance since his return. He said England's financial condition, coupled with the manner in which labor disputes are magnified abroad, had created an impression in the United States that England was going headlong into bankruptcy and ruin. It was essential for the government to declare its policy, he asserted, and thus remove the suspicion of the workers that they were unfairly treated, the reliance of the workers in strikes as a weapon alone being altogether undemocratic.

The Sunday papers give prominence to amplifications of Mr. Thomas' Derby speech expressed by him in an interview. He is quoted as saying that he is convinced that "we shall lose our commercial supremacy unless we drastically change our political methods."

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MOTHER PLEADS GUILTY TO CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER

Pittsfield, Mass., July 28.—Mrs. Charles C. Dunn, on trial in the Superior Court here for second degree murder for the shooting of her son Joseph Allan Dunn, Jr., on August 11, 1919, pleaded guilty to manslaughter shortly after the opening of court today, and was sentenced to one year in jail.

boy was two and a half years old. The parents had quarrelled, it appeared in evidence, and the wife, in anger, said she would kill the child and herself. She rushed to her room, obtained a revolver there and, according to the statement of her counsel, in his opening address, held it to her head. When her husband called to her she turned and discharged the revolver. The child was killed. Mrs. Dunn said she had intended to shoot herself. She is 35 years of age. Her husband has been at her side constantly during the trial.

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