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One even comes to begrudge this wilderness its telephone poles, its roads and the excellent stone embankments which keep them from slipping down the mountain sides into the swift streams below, for they detract from its wild perfection. We may behold nature in its softer and more comely aspects almost everywhere, but every year, with the spread of population in our country, it becomes more difficult to preserve genuine wilderness places where hill and forest and stream have been left exactly as nature made them. Already our indomitable pioneers have driven the wilderness into the very fastnesses of the mountains, so that only remnants now remain. And this great Yellowstone park remnant has been fortunately set aside by the government for the enjoyment and inspiration of the people forever.—Ray Stannard Baker in Century.

Threadneedle Street.

Threadneedle street is a corruption of Thridenal street, meaning the third street from "Chepesyde" to the great thoroughfare from London bridge to "Bushop Gate" (consisting of New Fyshe streate and Bushop Gate streate, Anglo-Saxon, thridda, third). Another etymology is Thrig-needle (three needle street), from the three needles which the Needle Makers' company bore in their arms. It begins at the Mansion House, and therefore the Bank of England stands in it. The directors of the Bank of England were called "the old lady in Threadneedle street" by William Cobbett because, like Mrs. Partington, they tried with their broom to keep back the Atlantic waves of national progress. After giving the foregoing, Brewer notes the following extract from Dickens' "Dr. Marigold:" "A silver curl paper that I myself took off the shining locks of the ever beautiful old lady of Threadneedle street" (a bank note).

Foiling a Fakir.

A story used to be told at Cairo of Sir Richord Owen during one of his sojourns in Egypt. The great naturalist was seated in the shade on the veranda at Sheppeard's hotel when the inevitable snake charmer came to him and produced from his bag a lively specimen of the horned asp—the deadly cerastes. The professor gazed and, nothing daunted, stopped and plucked the horns from the head of the reptile wriggling at his feet, remarking to a bystander that the man would probably think twice before trying to palm off upon any one else a harmless snake as a cerastes by the aid of a couple of fish bones. With anybody else the charmer would probably have succeeded. He had tried it on the wrong man.

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Cost of Englishmen's Shooting.

The extent to which the letting of moors and forests has become recognized as a regular source of income to lord and laird alike in the Highlands, may be judged from the increase in the number of deer forests now annually let. Twenty years ago there were 90 recognized forests. A recent report from the Crofter Commission showed 109 of these forests. To-day there are 150. Shootings and forests which let for upwards of £400 or £500 a year may be counted by hundreds. In the two Counties of Argyll and Inverness alone there are a dozen forests whose rentals average £2,500. Here the cost per day will work out at over £40, exclusive of wages of attendants. The tendency of price is constantly upward. Captain Heywood Lonsdale will be interested to know that Coignafearn, the 40,000 acres of which he rented last year for £2,000, was originally let by the Mackintosh of the thirties for £30, with £5 returned as "luck-penny."

The foregoing is typical of the rise in rents which has resulted from the eager competition for forests and moors. Invershie, when it was good enough to afford a bag of 75 brace to one man and a dog, fetched £50 now it is a four-figure shooting. Mr. Geo. A. Cooper is paying £5,500 for his forest, £4,700 to Sir G. Macpherson-Grant for his share of Glenfeshie, and £800 to The Mackintosh for his portion. M. Achilles Fould has Invermark at £3,850; Mr. William Weir, Achnacarry for £2,000; Lord Burton, Glenquoich for £2,022; Mr. Frank Bibby, Mamore for £2,500. For Invercauld, £5,000 for the season is asked. For £3,000 less, Runecht is let. At about £2,000 many moors and forests are now being used. Then, to this must be added cost of traveling, £1 a week for each of the gillies, £1 a week for ponies; beaters and drivers, of whom there may be 30 or 40, at 4s. a day. Dogs cost from £5 to 20 times that figure; guns from £7 to £70. The game shot may, with luck, be sold for half its cost per head. The deer which has cost £50 to kill, may be sold to a dealer for its carcass for £3. Its head, if a fine one, may realize anything up to £25.—St. James' Gazette.

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Manufacturers	29,797,428	1,045,498	28,849	24,000	600 003	174,965	1887
Imperial Life	11 640 585	407,209	Nil	20,250	275 769	40,652	1897
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