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HEW TO THE LINE, LET THE CHIPS FALL WHER " THEY MAY.

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THE WORLD AT LARGE.

Summary of the Daily News.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

PAK CHUNG YANG, Corean Minister, left Washington on the 19th for home. THE Secretary of the Treasury has issued a circular calling attention to the fact that the retirement of National bank notes is limited to \$3,000,000 a month. Deposits for the retirement of circulation will be acted upon according to priority

and within the limit. SENATOR VEST'S committee investigating the beef business opened proceedings at St. Louis on the 20th.

THERE was a report in Washington on the 20th that Colonel Lamont would be ap-pointed Judge Advocate-General to succeed Swaim. Lamont denied the rumor.

THE President-elect has tendered E. W.

Halford, managing editor of the Indianap olis Journal, the position of private secretary. Mr. Halford is forty-five years of age and came from England when a child with his parents, who settled in Cincin-

MRS. SHERIDAN, widow of General Sheridan, left Washington for Canada on the 21st for the purpose of securing the En-glish copyright to the memoirs of her hus-band, which a residence on British soil

Congressman Woodburn, of Nevada, was robbed while asleep in his hotel at Washington recently. A colored boy was arrested and \$140 of the money recovered.

THE last volume of the report in the tenth census has just been issued. It completes a set of twenty-two volumes, aggregating 19,304 pages.

Brigadier-General Nelson A. Miles

assumed command of the division of the Pacific on the 23d, vice General O. O. How-

THE EAST.

THREE men were drowned in Jamaica bay, L. I., by a boat upsetting recently. JOHN W. KEELY, of motor fame, who was

sent to jail at Philadelphia recently for contempt of court in refusing to give ex-perts, appointed by the court, information regarding his mysterious motor, has been

THE 120th annual banquet of the New York Chamber of Commerce at Delmonico's on the 20th was a very elaborate and interesting one. Most of the leading business men of the metropolis were present and toasts were responded to by General W. T. Sherman, Hon. Warner Miller and Hon Galdwin, Smith of Canada.

Hon. Goldwin Smith, of Canada.

At a fire in a tenement on Eleventh street, New York, recently Mrs. Mary Lally was burned to death. She was found near a window out of which she had

ttempted to escape.

While running thirty miles an hour the head car of a passenger train on the Bloomsberg & Sullivan railroad jumped the track recently near Wilkesbarre, Pa., rolled down the embankment and caught fire and the twenty-five passengers, many of whom were slightly hurt, were rescued

by being taken out of the windows. DION BOUCICAULT, the veteran actor, was reported dangerously sick at New York on the 21st.

WILLIAM DEVLIN, who jumped from the fourth story of the steam gauge and lan-tern company's building near Rochester, N. Y., on the night of the fire, died of his

injuries. He was the thirty-eighth known THE New York factory inspector was called upon recently by the Ohio inspector for assistance in ferreting out the participants in an arrangement by which children were sent from a Brooklyn, N. Y., orphan asylum to Fostoria and Findlay,

O., to work in the glass factories in those places. Other Brooklyn asylums were THE notorious immigration agent, Parsons, of Boston, was recently found with one of his imported laborers-a Polechained to his buggy. The Pole told a story of being misused. Parsons said he

VERY REV. MAURICE A. WALSH, LL. D., pastor of St. Paul Roman Catholic Church nd Vicar-General of the Archdiocese of Philadelphia, died on the 22d.

GEORGE S. KNIGHT. the actor, was reported suffering from brain trouble at

New York. REV. ARTHUR BROOKS, Episcopal clergyman of New York, created somewhat of a sensation in the Church Congress recently by vigorously denouncing the sec-tarian idea advanced in the government of colleges. He thought the broader they were and the more daring men they turned out the better. He believed in Episcopacy, but not in running colleges. His remarks were received with consider

Over one hundred children were hurt recently in a panic caused by an alarm of fire in the First ward school, Long Island

City. N. Y. THREE acres of the earth over Mineral Spring collery, at Miners' Mills, near Wilkesbarre, Pa., caved in recently. When the earth went down it carried with it the main pipe of the Wilkesbarre Water Company, which conveyed water from the reservoir to this city. The water from the reservoir then poured into the mine, flooding it in a short time. The miners narrowly

THE Electoral vote in New York State was as follows, the highest and lowest number of votes received by anyt Elector being given: Electoral-Republican, 650, Democratic, 635,965; Prohibition. 30, Socialist, 2,068; Union Labor, 625; United Labor (Electors at Large), 2,666.

OLAF SUNDE, cashier of the New York Daily News, is reported to have absconded. liminary investigation disclosed the fact that Sunde absconded with at least

JAMES E. BEDELL, of New York, who swindled his employers and their clients out of \$264,000, has been sentenced to twen-

ty-five years' imprisonment.

THE New York Supreme Court has THE New York Supreme Court has man who robbed the Queen & Crescent handed down an important decision in near New Orleans, is wanted badly in Fort which it seems that the Bell Telephone Company is liable for New York State taxes. The State claimed the right to collect a tax of one-half of one per cent.

on the gross earnings.

J. W. McIntosh & Co., stock brokers, of Boston, have failed. Their liabilities were

EVICTIONS on the Des Moines river lands in Iowa commenced on the 20th. A farmer named Boyington resisted desperately, but was overpowered by the Federal offi-

THE Knights of Labor had a hot session at Indianapolis, Ind., on the 21st. The opposition to Powderly was more pronounced and stronger than suspected.

A LIBEL suit, in which the damages are laid at \$250,000, was begun recently against the Chicago Times by the Consolidated Rapid Transit and Elevated Railroad Company, of Chicago, better known as the State street "L" road, which is endeavoring to secure its franchise through the

The Cherokee Strip Live-Stock Association met in secret session at Kansas City, Mo., on the 21st. It was rumored that a lease would be effected with the Cherokee kees at an advance of \$100,000 on the old

THE National Association of Car Axle Manufacturers was in session at Cincinnati on the 21st for an exchange of views. No change in prices was contemplated.

A CALL has been issued for a Constitu-

tional convention to be held at Jamestown, December 5, to further the early admission of the Dakotas into the Union. It was announced recently that a physician from New Orleans had died of yellow fever in Chicago. No fears of an epidemic

were expressed.

The Railway Passenger and Freight
Conductors' Mutual Aid and Benefit Association of the United States met at Chi-

Ex-President Hayes addressed an immense audience at Farwell Hall, Chicago, on the night of the 22d on "Prison Re-

GENERAL JOHN M. PALMER, late Demo-cratic candidate for Governor of Illinois, has withdrawn from membership in the G. A. R. He was actuated by a belief that the organization had been used po-

litically to defeat him.

THE Osceola (Iowa) Bank closed its doors on the 22d.

SEVERAL persons were quite seriously hurt in a panic at the Boston store, Chicago, on the 22d, caused by a fool sales-man crying "fire" on observing the commotion created by the arrest of a pickpocket.

PROF. H. F. VANDERGRIFT, of Clinton Mo., was killed recently in a parachute performance at Columbus, Ga. He was up about half a mile when the balloon collapsed. He released himself and parachute safely, but fell in the Chattaho river, where he was drowned.

K. N. ANTHONY & Co., lumber dealers of Clinton, Iowa, have made an assignment. They give a list of liabilities amounting

to upwards of \$50,000.

It is reported that a Chicago syndicate is about to secure control of four St. Louis street railway lines, whose capital stock aggregate nearly three million dollars.

ARTICLES of incorporation of a new and direct line of railroad between St. Paul, Minn., and Kansas City, Mo., have been filed at the former city.

An Anarchist circular of the style

tributed through the saloons of the West and Northwest sections of Chicoge on the 23d, asking for subscriptions to defend the alleged dynamiters, Hronek, Cheboun and

Ind., assumed a serious phase on the 23d. Business in the railroad yards was at a omplete standstill.

By the burning of the Fort Wayne (Ind.) Jenney Electric Light Company's plant recently \$250,000 damage was done. Insurance, \$150,000.

OSCAR HUNT, a parachute performer, came near being killed at Canton, O., 1eently. One rope of his trapeze broke and he whirled around like a top, being seriously bruised when he reached ground. ADAM BERKES, of Sardinia, O., who was recently flogged by masked men has be-

THE SOUTH. THE Kansas City & Southern has issued

notice that it will be opened for business on and after December 1. Some excitement was caused at Canadian, Tex., by the returns from Denver, Col., of a piece of gold quartz found forty miles south of Canadian, the rock turning

out to be nearly pure gold. THE house of Jack Gregg, at Leesville Ky., was burned the other night and al the family, consisting of five persons, perished, except Gregg, who was away fron his house on business.

INTER-STATE military drill closed at Co umbus, Ga., on the 21st. Prizes were warded as follows: Southern cadets Macon, first prize, \$1,000; second prize Witt rifles, Columbus, Tenn., \$500; Columous guards, Columbus, Ga., third prize

THE Home Savings Bank, of Norfolk Va., has suspended. THE fourth annual convention of the National Editorial Association washeld in San Antonio, Tex., on the 21st. Delegates

were present from almost every State in

Union. President M. B. White, of West Virginia, delivered the address. THE official returns of the vote of Virginia are as follows: Cleveland, 151,977; Harrison, 150,442; Cleveland's majority, ,535. The vote in 1884 was: Cleveland, 145,597; Blaine, 139,356; total, 284,853; Democratic loss, 4,406.

DETECTIVES think that General R. H. Biggar, of Atlanta, Ga., was first murdered in the hotel at Chatlanooga, Tenn., by a negro, who then set the building on fire. The negro has been arrested with Biggar's money and property in his pos-

THE joint caucus of the Democratic members of the Alabama Legislature have agreed to support United States Senator

WARRANTS have been sworn out against nearly fifty persons, principally negroes, for illegal voting in the recent election in Jefferson County, Ark. Democrats were

the complainants.

THE notorious Captain E. F. Bunch, the Worth, Tex., by a number of men who hold worthless notes made by Bunch, aggregating so far over \$4,000.

THE canvass of the Electoral vote of the Republican candidates and 2,784 votes for the Prohibition candidates.

GENERAL.

THE elections at Belgrade, Servia, resulted in serious riot. The troops were called out to restore order, and a collision occurred between the soldiers and the people. Many persons were injured.

It was reported on the 21st that Governor Guy, of the Chickasaw Nation, had re-ceived advices from the Interior Department at Washington to present himself at Tishomingo, the capital of the Chickasaw Nation, for inauguration as Governor, and that soldiers would be on hand to aid him. It was reported in Berlin on the 21st that 200 Alsatian recruits had attacked their military escort and wounded a Prussian soldier. The mutineers were said to have taken refuge in Switzerland. It was also stated that four officers had been assaulted

and seriously injured by French sympa-thizers at Strasburg.

THE German Reichstag reassembled on the 22d. Emperor William opened the ses-

It is said that peace has been restored in Hayti, the so-called rebels having run It was rumored in Boulangist circles on

the 22d that the French Government in-tended to expel General Boulanger on a charge of conspiring to overthrow the ex-THERE were rumors recently that W. B. Strong, president of the Atchison, Topeka

& Santa, would resign.

By the will of Signor Ingomi, the prominent Roman advocate, lately deceased, the Pope inherits 1,000,000 francs.

EXPORTS of merchandise from the United States during the twelve months ended October 31, 1888, as compared with similar exports during the corresponding period of 1887 were for 1888 \$724,605,230; 1887, \$673,422,850. The values of the imports were for 1888, \$707,157,198; 1887, \$722,776,-

Business failures (Dun's report) for the seven days ended November 22 numbered 296, as compared with 237 the previous week and 207 the corresponding week of last year.

THE Irish Revolutionary Brotherhood on the 23d at Chicago celebrated the hanging of Allen, Larkin and O'Brien at Manchester, England, twenty-one years ago.
T. V. POWDERLY was re-elected general master workman of the Knights of Labor by a vote of 114 to 28. He refused to accept

more than \$2,000 of his salary of \$5,000. It is stated that an American has submitted to the French Government a contrivance by which dynamite shells can be fired from ordinary guns, exploding at the

A DISAGREEABLE piece of news comes across the water to the offect that the across the water to the effect that the stern of the English gunboat Scout shows signs of weakness. This acquires importance from the fact that the new gunboats Yorktown, Bennington and others recently built for our navy are patterned closely upon the English model.

The Italian and Austrian press comments

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favorable upon the promises of peace made by Emperor William in the Reichstag re-

A CONSPIRACY has been discovered at mand eight-year-old daughter, who li Medofina, Java. Forty-two of the ring-

fused to surrender were shot dead. A REBELLION was reported in the island struck by a train while crossing the tr of Formosa. The Chinese settlers, aided by the natives, took possession of the large walled town of Ching Hoa, where they received recruits and then proceeded to university at Wichita, a distance another large town, Hagi, which they also ninety feet, and was instantly killed.

THE LATEST.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 24.—The hearing of the Manitoba railway case was concluded in the Supreme Court yesterday. Hon. Mr. Blake, in concluding, said the law in question was plain, Mr. Martin's railway could not cross the Canadian Pacific road or its branches without obtaining permission from the Dominion Parliament. Mr. Martin followed. He stated his road did not seek to cross the main line of the Canadian Pacific railroad, but simply to cross the Pembina branch, which, he held, does not come under the provisions of the Railway act. An early decision is ex-

EUREKA, Kan., Nov. 24.-As a special stock train was going east on the Fort Scott, Wichita & Western last evening the engine killed a young man, a stranger, about five feet six inches tall, dark hair and blue eyes, twenty-two to twenty-five years old, had on a cheap, black worsted suit. Nothing was found on his person which will identify him. An autograph album with the name Rachel Mock and a school teacher's report, signed by Emma Wallace, were found in his pocket. Emma Wallace's home, from the papers found, is in school district No. 47, Sedgwick County.

FORT LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Nov. 24. Hon. John J. Ingalls was a visitor at the post yesterday and received with all the nonors due his station as President of the Senate, a salute of nineteen guns being fired. All the troops of the garrison were paraded for review by the Senator, who was accompanied by Senator Sewell, of New Jersey, General Martin McMahan, of New York, and Colonel Mitchell, these gentlemen having just completed an inspection of the Soldiers' Home

FORT WORTH, Tex., Nov. 24.-Receiver Eddy, General Manager Fry, of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas, and United States Judge Brewer and party spent four or five hours in the city yesterday. They were entertained at the Ellis and shown over the city. Their special train was run out to the stock yards and all the officials decided the location a good one and the company will probably aid the enterprise. Colonel Fry will return in a week.

DUBLIN, Nov. 24 -The meetings announced to be held throughout Ireland yesterday in memory of the "Manchester martyrs" were proclaimed by the Government. A few conflicts occurred between the people and the police. The most serious disturbance was at Kilkenny. A dispatch received from there at a late hour last night says that the police were charging in all directions and that a magistrate had threatened to give orders to fire upon

WINCHESTER, O., Nov. 28 .- Adam Berkes, North Carolina shows 148,336 votes for the Democratic candidates, 134,709 votes for men last Saturday night upon a charge that he had been stealing coal, has become a raving maniac.

KANSAS STATE NEWS.

WILLIAM HAWK was arrested at Hutchinson the other day for illicit discilling within a stone's throw of the city marshal's residence. Hawk had an old threshing machine engine which he kept fired up all the time, and he was supposed to be making a chop mixture for nearly a yes This he had kept up for nearly a yes when it was discovered that he was ma aking a chop mixture for feeding ho ing and selling a poor grade of whish The still was taken possession of a

Hawk sent to jail. THE Union Pacific railway recently fil its annual report with the Railroad Commissioner at Topeka. It shows the earings of the company for the last year have been \$28,009,078.43, and the total e penses \$18,322,449.70. The company all derived an income of \$825,540 from stoowned, and \$716,970 from bonds owner and \$394,189 from miscellaneous investigations. ments during the year. The company ceived \$121,980.65 from sales of lands a \$549,107.89 from outstanding contract making a total of \$9,154,889.70, which l been received from the sales of its land to the present time. The total bond debt of the company is \$113,405,167. It has

issued stock to the amount of \$60,868,500 build and equip the road. Some time ago Mrs. Laura M. John president of the Kansas Equal Suffra Association, and Mrs. Fanny H. Raste president of the Kansas W. C. T. U., sued a call to all State organizations women to send representatives to Empo during the annual session of the St Equal Suffrage Association, for the pupose of forming a Kansas Council Women. Accordingly at the close of the council was a sufficient to the council was a su late session of the Equal Suffrage Assistation representatives of the varioorganizations met and formed the Kans Council of Women. A constitution vadopted and the following officers chosen adopted and the following officers chose President, Mrs. C. H. Cushing, Leave worth; vice-president, Mrs. I. W. Hann Emporia; auditor, Mrs. J. L. Huntin Leavenworth; treasurer, Mrs. Grave Emporia; secretary, Miss Mary Abar Topeka. The Council adjourned to me in Leavenworth next May, when full plans will be arranged and perfected for work.

THE Equal Suffrage Association closits session at Emporia by adopting resolutions urging the women of Kansas to experience. ercise their rights to the fullest extent regard to municipal suffrage, and also favor of making a test case to deci whether women have the right to vote it county school superintendents. The resultion previously passed asking the Leg lature to strike out the word "male"

sponding secretary, Salina; Mrs. Ber. treasurer, Cawker City. THE other evening Levi Meeker, v a son. It was supposed that they v

in a wagon.

The other morning a carpenter name Jackson fell from the roof of Garf

According to a table compiled by Board of Railroad Commissioners th are operated in Kansas by the varirailroads, 8,799.16 miles of road. The Santa Fe leads with 2,586 84 miles; the Missouri Pacific with 2,179; Union Pacific, 1,151.23; Chicago, Kansas & Nebraska (Rock Island), 1.055, 70: St. Louis & San Francisco 437.84; Burlington & Missouri River, 259.15; Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis, 256,-9); Missouri, Kanses & Texas, 254; Wyandotte & Northwestern, 157; St. Joseph & Grand Island, 138: Kansas City & Pacific, 125; Wichita & Western, 124 40; Dodge City & Trinidad, 51, and the Kansas City, Clinton & Springfield, 23.10. The total number of miles built in 1888 was 545.15.

On the 24th the Secretary of State received a few more returns from back counties and the appended figures are pro-For Presidential Electors, nounced final: Harrison, 182,914; Cleveland, 102,738; Harrison's plurality, 80,176. For Governor, Humphrey, 179,969; Martin, 106,957; Elder, 36,236; Botkin, 6,439; Humphrey's plurality, 73,012. The proposition to amend section 1, article 8, of the Constitution by striking out the word "white" was carried by 200,941 majority. The proposition to amend section 17 of the bill of rights of the Constitution was carried by a majority

HON. JOHN J. INGALLS was a visitor at the post at Fort Leavenworth on the 24th. and received with all the honors due his station as President of the Senate, a salute of nineteen guns being fired. All the troops of the garrison were paraded for review by the Senator, who was accompanied by Senator Sewell, of New Jersey, General Martin McMahan, of New York, and Colonel Mitchell, these gentlemen having just completed an inspection of the Soldier's Home.

THERE was a recent rumor that President Strong, of the Santa Fe, had tendered his resignation, but officials of the road at Topeka discredited it.

AT the recent annual convention of county clerks, held at Topeka, a report was adopted which recommends the Legislature to create the office of county assessor, and suggests as a remedy for the present unjust system of assessment and taxation that a severe penalty be imposed upon officers who assess property at less than its actual value.

SEDGWICK gave a larger Prohibition vote than 'any other county in the State, the vote in that county being 268. Shawnee came next with 235, and Butler had 226 Prohibition votes.

THE heaviest Union Labor vote was in Labette County, the total being 1,826; Cowley was next with 1,445 and Crawford fol-

JAKE and Joe Tobler, colored, were hanged at Wichita on the 21st for the nurder of John Cass and Robert Goodykuntz, cattlemen, in the Indian Territory in August, 1885. They were tried in the Federal court last September.

The plurality for Humphrey over Martin

for Governor is 73,009. His majority over

HOW KANSAS VOTED.

Result of the Recent Election in Kamas Given by Counties.

Below is the vote of Kansas by counties as given by the Secretary of State

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nd	Atchison	3220	2603	3185	2644	21	328
	Barber.	976	760	958	774	12	257
led	Barton Bourbon Brown	1353	1228	1875	1248	68	97
m-	Bourbon	3568	1831	3556	1863	44	802
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to	Butler	3172	1616	3131	615	226	692
ex-	Chautanona	1594	694	1112	718	31 12	315 448
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ock	Clark	474	349	468	356	134	698
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ind	Cowley	4111	1933	4062	2081	114	1445
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	Finney	694 882	630	690	256	11	195
age	Franklin	2421	1114	2406	1077	51 185	125
all,	Garfield	225	130	223	184	5	4
18-	Gove	586	278	587	280	19	11
of	Graham	790	342	793	350	4	245
ria	Grant	390	245	389	246	44	498
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ex-	Miami Mitchell	1676	880	2164 1637	936		355 331
in	Montgomery.	2871	1863	2975	2121	27	592
in	Morris	1612	840	1601	894	14	241
	Morton	333	207	283	207	7	80
for	Nemaha	2515	1182	2517	1702 1236	77	75
for	Neosho	2130	471	2122 833	479	29 70	928
eso-	Ness Norton	1471	631	1460	641	28	125 479
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.. 18:502 102541 179968 106959 6452 36236 The official plurality in the several Congressional districts was as follows: E. N. Morrill, 6,243; Funston, 9,663; Perkins, 11,-549; Ryan, 15,015; Anderson, 8,501; Turner, 11,146; Peters, 15,318.

COUNTY CLERKS.

A Large Number Meet at Topeka, Kan. New Legislation Suggested.
TOPEKA. Kan., Nov. 23.—The county clerks of Kansas have just finished their annual session in this city. Overseventyfive counties were represented. Roland Lakin, of Lyon County, presided, and D. N. Burdge, of Shawnee County, acted as

secretary of the meeting.

The necessity of reform in the present system of assessment and taxation was the first important subject taken up. committee, of which County Clerk Walton, of Marion, was chairman, was finally appointed to draw up a plan for a uniform system which might be presented to the Legislature. After a long consultation this committee recommended that the laws be amended as follows: The board of assessors meet and agree upon a basis of valuation; then the county clerk, who acts as clerk of the board sessors, certifies to a State Board of Equalization; this State board then compile these lists and agree upon the valuation and certify back to the county clerk, with a tabulated statement of the basis of valuation, this in turn to be certified by the clerk to the board of assessors, who go to work upon the basis fixed by the State. The committee also recommend that property should be assessed every year instead of once in two years.

The committee on roads and highways presented a report favoring the passage of was lying. a law providing that each county surveyor make an index of all the roads in his county, with a plat of the road, giving the name and giving all orders for laying out, vacating,

Late yesterday afternoon the committee on assessments and taxation presented its amended reports. It recommended to the Legislature that the present system of township assessment be done away with and that a county assessor be appointed, who shall appoint deputies in each township. The convention ac-cepted the report and voted in cepted the report and voted in favor of leaving the appointment of the county assessor to the board of county commissioners. It was also recommended that he be required to give sufficient bonds to assess property at its actual value. A mmittee was appointed to present the matter to the next Legislature and urge the passage of a bill remedying the present system of assessment and taxation.

The session closed with a banquet at the

K. OF L. ELECTIONS.

Powderly Re-elected and His Nominees In-

dorsed By the Assembly. Indianapolis; Ind., Nov. 23 .- The ela? tion of officers took up the time of the Knights of Labor general assembly today. This was the order of business announced at the opening of the morning session and nominations were at once called for. Daniel J. Campbell, of Scranton, Pa., nominated T. V. Powderly for se-election; Victor Drury, of district assembly 49, placed the name of Martin. Hanley, of New Jersey, before the convention, and an ex-delegate named Birch,

from Ohio, was also named. A great many seconds to the momination followed, and a vote resulted: Powderly, 114, Hanley, 27, Birch 1.

For general worthy foreman, Messrs... Morris L. Wheat, of Iowa, and Henry A. Beckmeyer, of New Jersey, were nomina-ted. The vote stood: Wheat 85, Beck-

meyer 56. As candidates for general secretarytreasurer three names were presented. George Duncan, of Richmond, Va., named Frederick Turner, of Philadelphia, present treasurer; Powderly took the floor and nominated John W. Hayes, of New Jersey, present secretary, and W. G. F. Price, of New York, presented the name of Mrs. A. P. Stevens, of Toledo, O. Before a vote was taken a motion for recess for dinner was carried.

AFTERNOON SESSION. Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 24.-When the convention reassembled after dinner balloting was proceeded with resulting: Hayes, 83; Turner, 56; Mrs. Stevens, 3. Powderly having practically requested the election of Hayes the result is a Powderly with the control of the contro victory. When Powderly got through with his nominating speech Turner read a letter sent to him by the general master workman in which he expressed the hope that he (Turner) would again be a candidate and would be elected. Mr. Powderly explained that the letter was written before the combination of the two offices had been suggested. Mrs. A. Stevens presented the nameof Mrs. L. M. Barry as director and investigator of women's work, and she was re-elected by acclamation. General Master Workman Powderly was chosen to represent the order at the Paris Exposition. After his re-election to office Mr. Powderly took the floor and stated that although hissalary had been left at \$5,000 he would ac-

with the balance.

As candidate for members of the general executive board, the general master eral executive board, the general master-workman presented the names of A. W. Wright, of Toronto, Ont.; J. J. Holland, of Jacksonville, Fla.; John Costello, of Pittsburgh; John Devlin, of Detroit; J. A. Wright, of Philadelphia; T. B. McGuire, of New York; H. C. Traphagen, of Cin-cinnati, and J. J. Crowley, of Charleston, Mass. On the first ballot A. W. Wright of Toronto, J. J. Holland and John Cosof Toronto, J. J. Holland and John Costello, of Pittsburgh, were elected. Two more ballots were necessary to elect the fourth member of the board, John Devlin, stood: A. W. Wright, 94; Holland, 83; Costello, 83; Devlin, 67; J. A. Wright, 38; McGuire, 54; Traphagen, 39; Crowley, 58. Second ballot: Devlin, 56; J. A. Wright, 7; McGuire, 41; Traphagen, 10; Crowley, 21. J. A. Wright withdrew and the third ballot resulted: Devlin, 71; McGuire, 56;

cept only \$3,000, and at the end of his term the order could do what they pleased

ballot resulted: Devili, 1.,
Traphagen, 44; Crowley, 5.
Retiring General Worthy Foreman Richard Griffiths, of Chicago, and Delegate Delwarte, of Belgium, were presented with fine gold badges by the general assembly, the receipt of which was acknowledged opriately, Mr. Delwarte doing so in hoicest French.

is morning the two members of the perative board will be elected from the four nominations of General Worthy Poreman Wheat.
The composition of the new board is naidered by Powderly's friends as very

od, some of them laying particular ress on the selection of Costello, who presents the miners. On the other hand it is claimed that his election will have a bad effect on the Knights of Labor. A leading miner remarked last night that the election of Costello meant the certain secession of the miners' assembly. This is owing to a dislike for Costello felt by the miners because of his connection with some of their troubles several years ago. The miners will meet at Columbus, O., December 5, and at that meeting will act.

Fresh Clews.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23 .- Yesterday afternoon while searching for fresh clews to the Eva Mitchell mystery a weapon was found that the police believe was used by the murderer. It is a heavy iron *stove poker. There are three dark spots on the handle that have the appearance of blood, but a chemical examination will be necessary to determine this. Every flagman's shanty along the tracks of the road contained a poker of precisely the same make and design. Tom Masterson, the flagman suspected of murdering the girl, and who is still locked up in the Hyde Park police station, had just such a poker in his shanty. And it is there yet. The poker belonging to the shanty at the next crossing is missing. The poker was found n a vacant lot not more than one hundred vards from where the murdered girl

Bedell Sentenced.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—James E. Bedell, the real estate clerk of the law firm of Shipman, Barlow, Larocque & Choate, who swindled his employers and their clients out of \$264,000, of which he spent a part in the policy shop of Emerson & Goss, was to-day sentenced on his plea of guilty to State's prison for twenty-five years and four months. Philip G. Goss, one of the policy dealers who got \$30,000 out of Bedell, pleaded guilty to felony and was

fined \$1,000.

Half a Million Gone. POCOMOKE CITY, Md., Nov. 23.-Fire broke out here at four o'clock yesterday afternoon, and before it was extinguished the entire business portion of the town was destroyed with the exception of only two stores. The estimated loss is \$500,000, partially covered by insurance.

Thase County Courant.

W. E. TIMMONS, Editor.

COTTON WOOD FALLS. - KANSAS

BEHIND THE MASK.

Behind the mask—the smiling face \ Is often full of woe,
And sorrow treads a restless pace Where wealth and beauty go

Behind the mask who knows the care That grim and silent rests, And all the burdens each may bear Within their secret breast?

Behind the mask-who knows the tears That from the heart arise, And in the weary flight of years How many pass with sighs? Behind the mask-who knows the strain

That each life may endure, And all the grief and countless pain That wealth can never cure?

Behind the mask-we never know How many troubles hide, And with the world and fashion's show Some spectre walks beside.

Behind the mask—some future day, When all shall be made plain Our burdens then will pass away, And count for each his gain. -Alice D. Abell, in Good Housekeeping.

UNEXPECTED ANSWERS.

Pungent Replies Dealt Out to Inquisitive Questioners.

Instances Where the Would-Be Wit Has Been Out-Witted-Some Startlingly Sharp and Amusing Rejoinders to Questions Calculated to Confuse.

"I would like my bill paid," said a tailor to an impecunious customer. "Do you not owe any one any thing?" asked the debtor. "No, sir; I am thankful to say I do not." Then you can afford to wait," was the answer as the customer walked away.

A country clergyman was impressing

upon his gardener the importance of his giving due attention to his utterances in the pulpit, and told him to provide himself with a pencil and paper to take notes of any passages which he particularly dwelt upon. Next Sunday morning he was glad to perceive John busily following his advice. After the services he accosted him on his way home and asked to see his notes. After some demur John produced his paper. To the astonishment, it was scralled all over with unintelligble words and sentences. "Why, John, this is all nonsense," he said, somewhat indignantly. "Deed, sir, to tell the honest truth, I thocht that a' the time ye was preach-

ing! An Irish girl who was servant to a lady was complimented by her before company on the elaborate ornamentation of a large pie at dinner. "Why, Bridget, you are quite an artist. How did you manage to do this so beautifully?" she inquired, thinking to rally her for the company's amusement. "Indade, it was meself that did it, mum," said Biddy, with a malicious grin. "Isn't it putty, mum. I did it with your false teeth, mum!"

A notorious miser was on by a clergyman with a pumphlet on almsgiving. Seeing him some time to read the title again, as he did not afterwards, he asked him what he quite understand it. "Oh!" said Marthought of it. "It's very fine, sir." "Well, I trust you will act up to its that's what neither you nor me has teachings," said the minister. "You ower muckle o'." would perceive the great necessity of. Fenelon, who often bothered Richcharity being freely given." "So much so," answered the old niggard, "I have poses without any success, was one day a great mind to turn beggar myself."

An English nobleman traveling incognito in the United States and wish- pose you would ask it for a subscriping to enjoy his trip free from all the strict ettiquette of his life at home, was one day annoyed by a negro waiter loitering around the room, although he had several times told him he did not require him to wait table. At last he work I see. I suppose you finish your peremptorily ordered him to leave the gravestones as far as 'In Memory of,' room. "Excuse me, sah," said Sambo, with a look of immense importance, "excuse me, but I'se 'sponsible for de sick and you're doctoring 'em; then I silver." This same nobleman relates keep right on." that while sleeping in a remote Western hotel after a long day's journey, he was you used to," said a shrewish wife to awakened early in the morning by a black waiter. Feeling rather tired, he married first, you often declared you went to sleep again, but in a short time were so fond of me you could eat me was agained awakened by the bed clothes being quietly pulled off. "What | choly rejoinder; "and I've been sorry do you mean, you black rascal?" he in- ever since I didn't do it." dignantly demanded. "Can't you let me sleep in peace?" "Guess you can sleep as long as you like, sah," replied Cuffy, "only I must hab de sheet anyhow, 'cause dey're waitin' down-stairs | man." "I say with pride, Mr. Blank," for de big white tableclof!"

A gentleman recently married was continually expatiating on the beauties and good qualities of his better-half, much to the disgust of his friends, who were somewhat dubious of the lady being such a paragon of perfection. One day, after listening to a big dose of fulsome praises about the lady, a gentleman remarked that it was quite right his friend should be blessed with the hand of such a treasure. "How do you make that out?" asked he. 'What special right had I to her?" "By the law of nations, of course, as the first discoverer.'

In a certain town in the north of Scotland there lived a barber who was somewhat addicted to frequent bouts of drinking. One morning after a deep boose he was shaving the parish minister, who, observing his hand was some-what unsteady, and that he had drawn blood once or twice, solemnly remarked: "James, my friend, its a very sad thing to see a man a victim to strong drink." "Deed, it's that," complacently answered the barber; "it's a very bad thing, and mak's the skin unco tender."

"Well, Pat," said a victorious Genvictory?" "Do, yer honor? Why, I he used.

walked bowldly up to one of the inimy an' cut off his fut." "His foot! Why didn't you cut off his head?" "Ah, sure, yer honor, an' that was off already

An American professor attempting to explain to a little girl the manner in which the lobster casts his shell when he has outgrown it, remarked: "What do you do when you get too big for your clothes? You throw them aside, don't you?" "Oh, no; we let out the tucks!" A confirmed bachelor happening to see a lady looking at a picture representing a man on his knees before a claimed: "Before I would bend my knee to a woman, I would go and hang myself. Do you not think it would be the best thing to do, madam?" "It would certainly be the best for the wo-

Dr. Abernethy was once called in to attend a man who had had a somewhat and found the poor man with his face all bleeding and marked with the points of her finger-nails. The worthy Doctor could not help remonstrating with the woman upon her conduct. ed of yourself, treating your husband like this, your husband, who is the tor," fiercely returned the virago, "and am I not at liberty to scratch my own

man," was the sarcastic reply.

Having purchased some butter from an Irishwoman, the merchant'on weighing the lumps found them all light weight, and challenged her with tryfault, if they are light," said Biddy; "its your own fault, sir; for wasn't it a pound o' soap I bought here that I had in the egg is reached at last. the other end o' the scales when I weighed'em!"

"You'll grow up very ugly, Daisy, if you make faces." "Will I, auntie? Did you make faces when you were a little girl?"

At an examination at the College of Surgeons, a candidate was asked: "What would you do if a man was blown up with gunpowder?" "Wait till he came down," was the somewhat cool reply. "Very good," continued the Professor. "And suppose I was to kick you for such an impertinent answer, what muscles would I put in motion?" "The flexors and extensors of my arm; for I would at once knock you down.'

A clergyman reprimanding one of his church members for quarreling so frequently and loudly with his wife as to be a source of continual annoyance to the neighbors, remarked that the Scriptures declared that man and wife were one. "Ay, that may be," were to pass when we were at it, you'd think there were a score of us."

An auctioneer in Edinburgh of the name of Martin was one day selling some books, and not being much of a scholar, he made some awkward attempts to unravel the titles of some foreign works amongst the number. stuffing for museums and collections. At last a French work was put up, and tin, "it's something about manners, and | bird?

elieu for subscriptions to charitable purtelling him that he had just seen a capital portrait of him. "And I suption?" said Richelieu with a sneer. "Oh no; I saw there was no chance-it was too like you."

Doctor passing a stone-cutter's yard: "Good morning, Mr. Jones. Hard at and then wait for some one to die, eh?" "Why, yes; unless somebody's

"You don't love me now, Tom, as her dejected husband: "when we were up." "Yes, my dear," was the melan-

A pompous but bald-headed merchant who had amassed a considerable fortune was continually informing people of the fact that he was a "self-made he began to a stranger one day, "I am a self-made man. Nobody helped me. I made myself" --- "Well, well," interrupted the listener, "when you were about it, why the dickens did you not put a little more hair on the top of your head?"

As I and my wife, at the window one day, Stood watching a man with a monkey, A cart came along with a "broth of a boy," Who was driving a stout little donkey

To my wife I then spoke by way of a joke: "There's a relation of yours in that carriage."
To which she replied, as the donkey she spied:
"Ah, yes, a relation—by marriage."
— Chambers' Journal.

-The elopement of a North Bergen N. J., woman with an employe of her husband's had oan extraordinary outcome. The pair were arrested upon a warrant sworn out by the husband, and in court the wife handed over \$900 which she had abstracted from her husband's safe immediately before fleeing, whereupon the husband offered to sell her to her new admirer for \$50. The money was paid and the couple departed, taking a train for Philadelphia.

-A Boston clerk, after having spent several hours getting a stove in readiness for use, discovered to his great eral to a soldier after the battle. "what disgust that he had passed the pipe bedid you do to help us to win this great tween the rounds of a long ladder which

A VERY CURIOUS BIRD.

Habits of the Maleo, a Queer Creature Found in the Eastern Seas. The maleo is about the size of a small apodes, or "big-feet," which are also

called "mound-builders." These latter are gallinaceous birds (as are our common fowls or pheasants), which are found in Australia and Papua, or New Guinea, and which lay their eggs, and then scratch up and amounted to \$8,000,000. Asa Packer carry immense quantities of sticks, gave \$3,000,000 to Lehigh University. leaves and earth over them, so that the beautiful woman, indignantly ex- heat of fermentation under a hot sun, hatches them. These birds have all immense feet, well adapted for such a purpose, two or three times as large in proportion as those of our turkeys.

Instead of using leaves and sticks and sand, the maleo of Celebes uses the gravel of the sea-beach alone to hatch Cornell University. Isaac Rich beits eggs, and these eggs are extremely stormy altercation with his better-half, large in proportion to the size of the bird.

They do not make regular mounds, like their cousins, the megapodes of Australia, but the whole beach shows university will realize less than \$700,a series of elevations and depressions. "Madam," he said, "are you not asham- like a rough, confused sea. Contrary to what we should imagine, the very large eggs are not found at the very head of the house—the head of all—in fact, your head, madam?" "Well, Docsummit of the mound of gravel, but in shallow trenches, and on the slopes of the irregular hummocks.

The natives of the island understand perfectly how to find them, by probing \$100,000 and \$200,000 each to Amherst in the gravel with a flexible, delicate College. Whitmer Phoenix gave the stick. If the egg has been lately laid, bulk of his property, amounting to and just covered, the gravel is very liting to cheat him. "Shure, it's yer own | tle packed, and easy to penetrate with J. B. Trevor gave \$179,000 to Rochesthe stick. Then the gravel is scraped ter Theological Seminary. Matthew away-the stick used again-and so Vassar gave \$800,000 to Vassar Col-

> the surface of the mound. The heat of ton Theological Seminary. J. B. Colthe beach, however, on which the tropical sun is ever shining, hatches the eggs at this depth; for, after they are once deposited and covered up, the family gave \$300,000 to Crozier Theoparent birds take no more notice of logical Seminary. A Mr. Clark recently them.

> The male birds, as well as the hens. dig up the gravel to form the mounds, and throw up the material in perfect showers; and they do this in an odd way, and not scratching alternately, with both feet, like common fowls. The maleo poises himself on one leg, and to add to this list. There are hundreds gives rapid digs with the other, the of men and women whose splendid gifts large foot, slightly webbed at the base of the toes, being as large and effective remembrance. Such gifts are so comas a man's hand.

could only get them by creeping up | - Detroit Free Press. quite close, and then running in and shouting: when, instead of running off, answered the delinquent; "but if you they took to their wings and perched upon the forest trees which formed a belt along the beach. Here they seemed to think themselves perfectly safe, and

so disproportionate to the size of the

the eggs of these birds would be ex posed to much risk if in an open nest, while buried as they are they are comparatively safe. He says that the weight of such a mass of gravel must be taken into consideration, when it will be seen that no chick of ordinary the surface. Hence the necessity of a large egg and a powerful chick; or, in other words, the curious habit has been adopted for the preservation of the species .- Golden Days.

UNWISE KINDNESS.

Uncomfortable Habits That Have Beer Relegated to the Past.

The uncomfortable habit of pressing guests to eat has happily relegated to past ages. It is assumed, and very properly, that a guest is not, or ought not to be, afraid to eat as much as he wants; so, while every thing on the table should be handed to him, he should not be urged to eat this, that, or the other. The idea of a propriety of pressing guests to eat or drink evidently had its origin in a more primitive state of society, and in times when social gatherings were not so numerous as now. Perhaps, indeed, it first took its rise in the early colonial days, when dainties-indeed, when the necessaries of life-often were but scanty, and the guest's abstinence betokened a due consideration for his host's larder and exchequer. The regular society habitue of these days goes too constantly into the gay world to stand in the slightest awe of his hostess, or of any one else. and is quite to be trusted to look after his own interests. Another custom in which we have improved on the way of our forefathers, is that of allowing each person to pay for himself, when an informal party is made up to attend the theater or any other place of amusement. Of course this is not the case with a formal party to the opera or theater, where the invitation comes from one person, who buys and pays for all the tickets himself. But the theory that a lady is never to pay her way under any circumstances is now, fortunately for her independence of character, an exploded one. - Christian at Work.

-An experienced fisherman at the seaside told a gentleman not long since that he did not believe a lobster was fit eating for any one in summer. He said the only time to eat lobster was in fall

GIFTS FOR EDUCATION. What Rich Men Have Done for the Cause of Higher Culture.

It may interest some to know what a turkey, and not unlike one in appear- few rich men have done for the cause ance, and belongs to the family of meg- of education. Senator Leland Stanford has given a vast estate, amounting to \$20,000,000, to found a university in .California in memory of his deceased son. Johns Hopkins gave \$3,148,000 to the university which bears his name. His gifts for benevolent purposes Cornelius Vanderbilt gave \$1,000,000 to the Vanderbilt University, to which William H. Vanderbilt afterwards added \$500,000. Stephen Girard gave \$8,000,000 to Girard College. John C. Green and his residuary legatees gave \$1,500,000 to the Princeton College. Ezra Cornell gave \$1,000,000 to the queathed the greater part of his estate. which was appraised at \$1,700,000, to Boston University. On account of the great fire and shrinkage in value, and other unfortunate circumstances, the 000 from this magnificent bequest. Amasa Stone gave \$600,000 to Adelbert College by direct gift and by bequest. W. W. Corcoran gave \$170,000 to Columbian University in money and land. Benjamin Bussy gave real estate worth \$500,000 to Harvard University. Samuel Williston, Wm. J. Walker and Samuel .A. Hitchcock gave between about \$640,000, to Columbia College. the egg is reached at last.

It is often three or four feet below Colby University and \$100,000 to Newgate gave \$300,000 to Madison University. George I. Seney gave \$450,000 to Wesleyan University. The Crozier gave \$1,000,000 for the founding of a university in Massachusetts to bear his name. Henry Winkley, of Philadelphia, has just bequeathed \$200,000 to several institutions, Williams getting \$50,000, Amherst \$30,000, Dartmouth \$20,000 and Bowdoin \$20,000. It would be easy entitle them to be held in everlasting mon now that they are expected. But Although the explorers from the if one leave out half a dozen gifts of Marchesa found the curious birds in importance by Detroit men, nothing great numbers upon the seashore, they has been done for Michigan University.

OLD KAISER WILHELM. He Was Taught Economy by His Mother and Always Practiced It.

"The Cosmopolitan's Memoirs," a new book just out in London, concludes one can be shot at a time, without put, an interesting series of anecdotes with ting to flight the others. They were the following one of the best he has to found to be delicious eating, and their tell, and makes up for much in the skins, being unique, most valuable for book which is lacking alike in truth, naturalist who describes them, is that candles in the White Hall, because they smaller every day." set off the beauty and dresses of women better than gas, burned oil lamps in his on a visit with his Marshal of the Court. Count Stolberg-Wernigerode, and on his return to Berlin observed to his gave half as good light as other people's. He was told the reason of it; form. other people burned mineral oil and he had always refused to do so. Convinced at last, the Emperor allowed all his lamps to be fitted with new burners, and when the system of kerosene was inaugurated one winter day before din- try as he passed a man in the street-ner he expressed himself vastly pleased with the experiment. But his joy was usual sitting room after the meal he rich." found it filled with a thick, pestilential turns down the lamp when he leaves won't be turned low without smoking." "Well, then," said the Emperor, let the to his generals, "and I was only a little boy, my mother invariably lowered our lamp when it was not wanted. I have always done so in remembrance of her, and I never mean to do any thing

> -Fifty years ago the United States was the home of a large number of pepreserve comes to the rescue very soon, that amount, and they are found almost nowhere but in a corner of Texas and in the Yellowstone Park. The caribou has been hunted almost out of existence. The mountain sheep, the moose, the beaver, the antelope, are all disappear-

-"You would be surprised," said a certain physician, "to see how strong men weaken under the simple process of vaccination. I have had railroad

SOME LITTLE THINGS.

How to Guard Against the Ills Incident to Cold Weather.

1. See to it that the children thoroughly warm their feet before going to school, and on returning home. They are seldom disposed to do it of themselves. Many a serious cold, or other inflammatory attack, might be prevented by attention to this precaution.

2. Teach the children, when out of doors, to keep their mouths closed, and breathe through their nostrils. This prevents the air-the temperature of which may be zero-from striking directly on the tonsils and the larynx. As the nasal passages are kept constantly warmed by the breath from the heated lungs, the inbreathed air is warmed, as it passes circuitously through them.

3. Children who are liable to inflammation and swelling of the tonsils, or to troubles in the ear, should wear hoods that come well over on the forehead and well down over the neck. Hats are dangerous for such children, and so are bonnets; unless care is take to bring them down over the sides of the head. 4. In our cities and large towns especially, children are inclined to sit together on the stone door-steps, which are often ice-cold. This practice needs to be guarded against. Every thoughtful mother will readily see how dangerous it is for her girls.

5. On returning from a cold walk or ride, throw off all but the home clothing at once. The outer clothing is nearly at the temperature of the outer atmosphere, and, if kept on, must absorb much heat, which might otherwise have come to the wearer immediately. 6. In dressing and undressing in a cold room, move about as little as possible, when the slippers are off. The carpet just under the feet is warmed by abstracting heat from the feet, and the person has the advantage of it; while every change takes additional heat to warm a new place. In undressing, keep the slippers on as long as convenient; in dressing, put them on as

soon as possible. 7. If a chamber is without a woolen carpet, be sure to have a woolen mat or rug or bit of carpeting near the bed on which to stand.

8. All slippers for use in cold weather should have extra inner soles, to lift the feet from the cold floor and to retain the natural heat. Where nothing else can be had, such soles can be cut from cardboard; a thickness of woolen

cloth should be stitched on each side. 9. For women in the kitchen slippers made of woolen uppers and thick felt soles are desirable. Slippers are preferable for home use to buttoned boots, as they facilitate the warming of the feet, which is otherwise apt to be unduly neglected .- Youth's Companion.

GROWING SMALLER.

Different Ways in Which Men Grow Puny and Insignificant.

A young lad overheard a conversatact and taste, while it gives a charm- father and Mr. H., a neighbor, with There is a well-known lady in Wilkes The maleo's egg is huge, in propor- ing picture of the old Emperor, whose reference to a well-known inhabitant of County who has enjoyed perfect health a young swell, thinking to have a laugh | tion to the size of the body, and some | great love for his mother remained ever | the place. The lad did not pay suffi- | since the earthquake. For several days elapses between the laying; and fresh to the end of his long life; "Is cient attention to understand much that the question is, why should the egg be there not something inexpressibly was said. This remark, however, touching in the following trait, almost | struck him. "He is," said Mr. H., repathetic in its homely simplicity? The ferring to the person respecting whom trouble was that she never perspired. The theory of Doctor Guillemard, the Emperor, who would allow only wax they were conversing, "he is growing When the great earthquake came she

> but could see no diminution of his portly dimensions. He went to his father for an explanation of the mean-Aide-de-Camp a la suite, Count Lehn- ing of Mr. H.'s remark, and learned the unripe age of seventy should learn size could force its way through it to dorff, that certainly none of his lamps that there are other ways of growing better from the Roumanians. One old small besides the lessening of the bodily

Men grow smaller when they grow penurious. Examples of this kind of growth are quite common. "There Emperor was a woman," and, reckongoes a man," said a princely merchant ing from the death of Maria Theresa in of New York to a friend from the coun- 1780, made him not less than one hun-"There goes a man who was very lib- the traveler, tells us that peasants of eral before he became rich, or before short lived, for on feturning to his there was a prospect of his becoming

When the man in question was doing smoke. Summoning his faithful old a small business he was very liberal valet, Engle, he demanded what it in proportion to his means. Some meant. The aide-de-camps knew per- thought he gave away more than was fectly, but feigned ignorance. "Your proper and right. When he was worth Majesty," said the old man, "always an hundred thousand dollars he gave away less than when he began business the room, and these new-fangled things on a capital of two or three thousand. When he was worth half a million, it was with great difficulty that he could old burners be put back again. When be induced to give away any thing at we were very poor," he added, turning all. His wealth had grown large; his soul had grown small .- N. Y. Ledger.

Literary Immortality.

Prof. Seeley discusses the question of literary immortality. He shows that the chances of any man's work becoming a permanent classic is greatly reculiar wild animals. Unless a National duced. Inferior Latin and Greek authors live, owing to exceptional causes. another decade will see them nearly all The chaos of Europe, after the Latin extinct. The grizzles are disappearing classics were written, put out and prefrom the Rockies. A live buffalo is vented all literary production for now worth from \$500 to \$1,000, which thousand years. This made them monthree years ago cost scarcely one-fifth uments of a lapsed civilization: They were greedily caught up, as one catches a lost thread in a labyrinth. Ever since the "Revival of Learning" they have held their place in our schools. But the immortality of Ovid and Horace is waning. Seeley allows the probability of two or three immortals in a century-as Goethe and Hugo for our own. The rest must be content to be evanescent. "However much I may admire George Eliot, I can not imagine engineers and robust machinists faint away while receiving the few slight find time to read 'Middlemarch.' But scratches on the arm incident to vac- Tennyson, the professor thinks, may be cination, while delicate women never read-in part. -St. Louis Globe-Demo-

GENERAL.

—A Broadway engraver recently made this mistake: Mr. and Mrs. respectfully request your presents at the marriage of their daughter.

-In a suit for scandal in Chicago one woman swore that another called her a thief, liar, hypocrite, swindler, tramp, robber, back-biter, gossiper, gadder, sloven, slouch, lazybones and profaner, and all in five minutes.

-A "rain of ink" lately fell over quite a wide area near the Cape of Good Hope. The blackness of the water is supposed to have been due to volcanic or meteoric dust-probably to the latter.

-A restaurant keeper at the London Zoo ordered an employe to take two barrels of buns to the bear pit, meaning to the refreshment bar near the pit. The man took him at his word and dumped the buns to the bears. The animals were knee deep in them when the restaurant keeper found out what had been done, and ordered the employee to go down into the pit and get the buns back. The man handed in his resignation.

-A physician practicing in Brazil says that a man about to marry is required to furnish a certificate from one or more physicians, that he is free from diseases of certain character; and that he is free from all signs of any of the diseases which are liable to be transmitted to the offspring. This is not required by the government, but it is a sort of family law or custom

recognized among the higher classes. -Five persons were imprisoned by the caving in of a wall at a quarry at Chancolade, near Perigeux, France, recently, and there were no means at hand to rescue them. To find out where they were, a shaft twelve inches in diameter was bored, down which was slid a small tube, near the end of which was a small camera surrounded by a battery of electric lights. With this apparatus a number of negatives were taken, and the effect of the disaster shown, even to the faces of two corpses. It was thus known that the men were dead, and that effort to succor them would be useless.

-At Whiteville, N. C., an underground river has been discovered. When in the vicinity of the supposed stream it can be plainly heard, but when a person lies flat on the ground the phenomenon becomes really alarming. The sound indicates that the water is not any great distance down and that it is not a small stream, but a majestic river that is coursing unseen in the bowels of the earth on its way to the sea. Vehicles passing over the ground where the phenomenon exists create hollow echoes from below, and the earth in the vicinity for a great distance around seems to be cavernous, judging from the sounds that follow.

-The great southern earthquake worked numerous wonders, and one of them has come to public notice. It is tion which took place between his told of thus by a Georgia paper: years up to that time her health had been declining, and she was then quite feeble. The physicians said the was considerably frightened, and in a The lad thought he would see if the few moments the perspiration came remark were true. The next time he freely from every pore. She began to own apartments. He had been staying met the person, he eyed him narrowly, improve from that moment, and soon entirely regained her health.

-Those narrow-minded people who think human beings reach maturity at peasant called as a witness in a court of justice in the year 1882 could only give a clue to his age by saying: "I remember that when I was a boy our dred and ten years old. Mrs. Gerard. ninety years and upward in full possession of their faculties are every-day affairs in Transylvania; indeed, she met one woman of ninety-five who could weave handsomer pillow cases and towels than any of the younger women. But the weaving, she said, fatigued her.

Incredible Umbrella Story.

They were telling marvelous umbrella stories one rainy day not long ago, in which each figured as having once owned a very handsome goldheaded silk umbrella which had been stolen after having been used only a very short time. One man of the company, noted for truthfulness, proceeded to state that once on a time he was the owner of a silk umbrella which he carried for many years, but in time there was nothing valuable left to it but the handle. "One night," said he, "I thought I had conceived a plan by which I could obtain a new umbrella in exchange for my old one and yet retain a perfectly-clear conscience. Accordingly I sallied forth in the rain to attend a banquet where silk umbrellas predominated, first polishing up the handle of my own in order that it would compare favorably with the best in appearance. Arriving at the meeting I thrust my umbrella in a holder with a dozen others—all better ones—and left it to its fate. I lingered until the last guest had departed after the feast, expecting that some one would certainly take my umbrella and recklessly ran almost certain chances of getting a better one. I confidently stepped up and drew out—what do you think? It was my own umbrella. That experience made me honest, and I have never tried to trade off my umbrella since. -Albany Journal

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COTTONWOOL FALLS . KANSAS

A MODERN MIRACLE.

She lives in a street quite unaristocratic; Her father's a plebeian dealer in glue;
Their flat—the polite name that's used for a

attic—
Is dingy, and shabby's the furniture too On Fridays, I think, is her day for receiving, Yet nobody comes but the fourth-story back, Or the butcher with bills, and the baker, be-

lieving, The hour's propitious to make an attack.

Yet now when we glance in an evening newspaper, 'Tis there her name shines with the ton of the Hill:

Her parlors are regal, her dress just the caper, Her jewels alone would a half-column fill.

The plebeian parent, too, has a new setting;
He's said to write novels and verse on the

sly;
A passion for antique ceramics he's getting

Now who do you think is this miracle-worker?-Aladdin was certainly nowheres to him Who into a nabob could change that old Turk,

Father, to move in the gay social swim. The secret I'll whisper, but mind that yo

Or all single women will copy the plan,
And if at a bound into high life you'd leap it,
Why, just get engaged to a newspaper man!

—Ernest D. Pierson, in Harper's Bazar.

A LOCAL CRŒSUS.

Story of the Owner of Boomtown and His Delusion.

He did not look like a millionaire. His frowsy hair and unkempt beard, his weather-stained coat and coarse jean trousers tucked into uncouth cowhide boots, the very air with which he slouched along proclaimed him, in the vernacular of the section to which he belonged, to be "po' white trash." There was about him nothing save the signs of sordid poverty, and yet all the country side he was known as the Crœ- lots jist like a sho nough town, right sus of Boomtown.

I was spending the summer at a little out-of-the-world village in the Allegheny Mountains, where a store or two and a tiny box of a post-office had sprung up in the wake of the railroad in a little gap in the mountains. A tiny stream went bubbling through it, and at evening the shadow of the mountain they ain't nary a house, an anyhow, fell across it like a huge dial, telling the time in a magnetic way to the people whose lives were only marked by the rising and setting of suns and the passing of seasons. Every evening, just as the large purple shadows made sharp lines across the mountain sides. there would be a clatter of hoofs down the rocky road and the mountaineers would ride slowly in, hitch their horses at a long rack, and form the group of idlers tilted back on chairs or empty boxes against the shady side of the

On one such summer day, when the whole valley seemed to swim in an amethystine mist, and the clouds floating above in the upper blue looked like for a few dollars a foot white ensigns flying from the mountain tops, I noticed a wagon coming slowly down the dusty road. It was a rickety affair, with wheels that ran unsteadily round-shouldered man and two women rack, the dejected-looking horses hung their heads, if possible, a trifle lower, the man gravely assisted the women to alight, and as he did so the younger turned toward me a face so fresh and fair and lovely I could only think of a mountain rose, dewy sweet in the and then she followed her companions into the store, carrying with them the produce, the bags and baskets full of stuff that is legal tender in the country, and on which the women do their "trading."

As the little party disappeared an amused chuckle ran around the group tited back in comfortable abandon against the store

"Don't seem like," said one, pointing to the dilapidated wagon, "that Jim's set up any kerridge yit in spite of his

"Naw," responded another. "An' beyand fetchin' in a leet e ally-cumpain or yarbs to trade for needles an'

I turned a bewildered face upon the speaker. "Who is Jim?" I asked. "Is he your

local Crossus?" The men broke out into a loud guffaw

of laughter. "Yes," answered one. "The Crœsus of Boomtown."

"Shoo, mistri," answered another, "do you reckon because we live in the mountain we aint got no Jay Gule? Jim don't look forehanded, but 'pearances is mighty deceivin', you know, mighty deceivin'.'

had hardly died out when Jim came shambling across the dusty little plaza from the store and joined the group.

"Hello, Jim," cried one in greeting, 'h w's things comin' on in Boomtown? Has corner lots rize? What's the market price for a site for a theaty? I am thinkin' of comin' over an' buildin' ed, quoting rather too liberally from a

won't have no call to build gas works. Jest let him shoot off his mouth, an' you'll have gas 'nough to light Richmon', let 'lone Boomtown."

and his eyes, before so dull and excitement.

"It will come," he cried, "it's bound to; an' I kin wait!" and turning on his heel, without another word, he strode away and re-entered the store where his wife and daughter were.

A silence fell on the little group. Perhaps they were a trifle ashamed of their rough jokes, but presently some one said, half apologetically, I thought:

distracted about dat ole gap in the mountain of hissen. Thinks it's worth more than the whole of Pocahontas. peas.'

"You see," said one of the men, turning to me in good-humored explanation and shifting the quid of tobacco he was chewing from one cheek to the other, "you see when they was a surveyin' and a prospectin' of the whole kentry to build this here railroad, one of the lines they surveyed was right through a gap in the mountains that belongs to Jim, "Wa-al," with a lazy drawl, "nobody never thought nothin' real estate agents comes along an' he gap, an' that's jest the place for a town, lots, an' they'll get a lot of fellers from the cities to come up and buy 'em, an' they'll build a big summer hotel, an' they'll make more money than you kin shake a stick at. At fust, Jim he wouldn't hear of it, but the feller was one of them slick talkin' chaps with tongues that run like they are greased, and in the end he nigh an about run Jim crazy with the idea of gettin' rich. Wa-al, the feller he measured an' he measured and he staked off streets an' avenoos and corner there in the gap of the mountain; an if you'll believe me, he went down to Ro'noke an Norfolk an a lot mo' places and talked up Jim's place-Boomtown, he called it-tell he got a lot of them city chaps to come up to the sale. Cose,

I went. Taint every day you gits to walk down the streets of a city where they was goin' to have a big dinner. After dinner the auctioneer (they'd fotch one up from the city) got up an' he bugun to talk 'bout the railroad an' what it was goin' to do for the kentry tell you'd a thought it was jest goin' to haul gold for us to shovel up. An' then he went on an' on about the mountains, an' said they was chists with fortunes locked up in 'em in iron an' marble an' lime, an' then he turned up his eyes like a wall-eyed hoss and s ys: 'What do I see? I see right here in this valley a great manufacturing city. Instid of the song of the bird the whir of machinery. Where the wild flower now blooms vast factories, lots selling worth hundreds in a few years, on yon-

where thousands of guests are intoxicated with the wine of mountain air.' in and out of the ruts, and within, seat- Great Jehosiphat, I says to myself, ef ed on splint-bottomed chairs, were a he kin see all that in this valley he'd saved it all." wearing deep, cavernous sun-bonnets | An then he went on talkin' an t lkin', and gowns of vivid pink calico. The an after awhile he begun to auction off wagon stopped at the long hitching the lots. I was standin' by Jim all the while the feller was a talkin', an I seen him gittin mighty pale an a tremblin', an jest as a man from Norfolk bid on the fust lot he stepped forward an says: 'I forbid the sale. It's mine an' I'll keep it.' You see he done be ieve every blamed word that the auctioneer said, morning. It was only for an instant an' he thought that old valley of his n was worth as much as the heart of the town. Walt, the feller that ot up the

thing was mad as a hornet, but twarnt no use. Jim's one o' the set kind. All the Edmondses is, en taint no use awaistin' your breath a contendin' with em, en the folks jes had to go home a cussin' the real-estate chap for bringin' em there on sech a wild goose chase."

The speaker paused a moment and then added:

"After all, when they did build the railroad, they didu't run it through Jim's gap in the mountains, but pears like it all jest turned his head. He's furthermo', I see Miss Edmonds ain't still looking for the railroad and the city to be built there, an' he feels jest as rich as ef he owned 'em all instead of them pore, red gully hills."

A little, wizzened man, biting a straw nervously between his teeth, broke in with:

"It's agin the Scriptures to set your affections on the riches of this worl'. Ef Jim set as much store by the New Jerus'lem as he do by Boomtown it would be better for him in this worl' and the nex'. Ain't no good ever come of a settin' yo'self up better'n your neighbors. Jes look at Bill Roberson's son. His father a inchin' and pinchin' to save, an so close he would a skun a fiea for his hide an' taller, an send the The laugh that greeted this sally boy off to school, and when he got back he's that full of pomposity and verbosity you couldn't understand what

he's a talkin' about." "That's so," chimed in another, riches brings their keers an troubles. When i was down in the mountain last parent's family have been lately under week I met Tom Cyarter, an he was a considerable discussion, and some patellin' me he done adopted a son. Lawd pers have taken his royal highness to one, where stars of the first magnitude a mighty, Tom, says I what on earth is task for not applying earlier for further kin be seen fur one dime only," he add- a single man like you, without no grants in aid of his children; but we women folks in the house, agoin' to do are assured that Albert Edward has not gaudy circus poster on the wall of the with a baby? Why, ef it had the colic applied to the Government for any grant you wouldn't know how to make soot for his eldest son, nor does he intend to "Tell you what, Jim," interrupted a tea, an' as for bringin' it through teeth- do so at present." tall, thin man, pointing to the previous in', I tell you candid, I don't believe speaker, "ef you kin tote Ed over you you can do it. With that he burst out laughin', and said he'd show ne his were almost scared to death by baby, an' I'm blamed of he hadn't whistling buoy, which was placed in 'dopted a great big feller, nigh en about the river by the Government. They as big an' old as he was. He said he thought it was a ghost.

Jim's sallow face flushed under its did it for comp'ny, but it stands to reatan, his bent figure straightened itself, son that ef Tom had a had to work he wouldn't had no call to saddle hisself pressionless, gleamed with sudden ex- with that great feller for comp'ny.

Howsomever, Tom said he had a mighty gift for kyards, and you know Tom's got a hankerin' that way hisself."

The conversation drifted into other channels, and I think I was almost the Edmunds and his family came out of the shop and re-entered the clumsy old wagon that a handsome young mountaineer, who had listened to the story "'Pears like Jim's done gone plumb with a flush on his face, slipped quietly away from the gossiping group and joined them. Even from where I was I could see the glad light of welcome An' sech lan! 'cept dat little strip of that leaped into the girl's beautiful eyes meadder it's so pore it wouldn't sprout at his coming. He handed her tenderly into the wagon, and as it moved off up the mountain walked beside it, bending his stalwart head toward the tender, shy face, half hidden by the big sunbonnet.

I thought that was the last I was likely ever to see of the Crœsus of Boomtown. It was a curious story I had heard of a simple and credulous nature having its cupidity aroused into a passion that could neither be controlled or stemmed, and that defeated about it tell one these smart Elicky itself. The thought of a man himself possessed of great riches living a hard goes to Jim an' tells him how the road's and grinding life of poverty, the very jest boun' to come that way thro' the idea of him waiting day after day, year after year, for the realization of a an' they'll lay out the valley in town dream was a fancy so incongruously ridiculous and pathetic that I was glad to have my last remembrance of him associated with something so tenderly human as the love of the stalwart young mountaineer for the shy little maiden and the picture they made as he walked

beside her up the mountain. I thought I had seen the last of them, but happening a week or two later to be fishing for black bass in the mountain streams, I unexpectedly found myself at dusk in a deep gap at whose further end floated a welcome smoke from a chimney. I hastened toward it, when, to my surprise, I recognized in the man sitting by the door, gazing up and down the valley with a rapt look that had something wistful and something almost prophetic in it, the Crosus of Boomtown He came forward to greet me, and I saw, framed in the doorway, the pretty girl whom in my fancy I had likened to a mountain pink.

It little matters how I came to linger on day after day, or how my host, won out of his reserve, would talk for hours of his golden dream, and of how, some day, he would see the great city built within his peaceful valley and hear the great trains as they thundered by. . .gnorant, ill-taught, he had yet managed to get some books, in which he had spelled, out syllable by syllable and word by word, the history of Chicago and Birmingham, the boom towns of the West and South, and he believed they were but auguries of the fu fillment of his own wild dream. The idea had fastened so on his poor half-crazed brain that he could not live without it. He hoped for nothing, believed nothing, loved nothing save that golden future der heights a great summer resort in which he lived.

"They would have robbed me." he said one day, speaking of the auction, "but I stopped 'em just in time en

His wife and daughter not only not sympathize with his dream but heartily disapproved of it.

"I don't take no stock in it," said his wife, a fat, easy-tempered woman, "anthink Jim ought to be ashamed of hisself, an' him a perfesser, too! An' furthermo', he's a breakin' of Ally's heart count of not a-favorin' of Reuben, that is the likeliest young fellow on the mountain."

Hardly a day, indeed, passed that the young mountaineer did not find his way into the dim valley, where his wooing would have prospered happily enough except for Jim's dream of wealth.

"Let be, let be," he would say querulously in answer to his wife's entreaties and Ally's tears. "Ally'll be rich some day, an' then she can pick an' choose.'

He could not be made to see that the little maiden had already chosen, and guided by love's divinest wisdom had found that a true and loval heart is the best thing any woman, be she princess or peasant, can win.

And so I left them. As I reached the head of the little valley I paused and turned to say farewell once more. Half hidden by the vines upon the little gallery, I fancied I could see Ally with her head nestled against her lover, and I smiled, knowing the grief that weeps itself out upon the breast of love is already half comforted, and sees the rainbow through its tears. A solitary figure in the growing dusk Jim stood, looking down the defi.e with a rapt expression on his face, and I knew his thoughts were in the future he would never see, and I heard him say once more as he had said to the jeers of his companions:

"It will come. It's bound to. An' I kin wait."-N. O. Picayune.

-Says an English periodical: "No one can say for certain that the Prince of Wales will survive his illustrious mother, whose health is fairly good for her age. The prospect of the heir-ap-

-Superstitious people at Keokuk, Ia..

CLEVELAND IN HISTORY.

His Fame as a Patriot Assured by His Great Tariff Message.

American politics for the time being; but, if he should never reappear, he has already made a place for himself gether since the old pro-slavery party in American history alongside of the expired. Moreover, the converts it only one who noticed that when Jim towering figures of Washington, Lin- made are converts who will stay, becoln and Grant. Washington will al- cause they are not converts of the "recoln's name is indissolubly associated peals to their prejudices, fears and with the emancipation of the slaves; Grant was the great General who made by enlightening the understandachieved the defeat of the rebellion and, as a leader, did more than any judgment of men. other to promote the peace and harmony of the subsequent reunion; Cleveland's fame as a patriot was assured stone of a reform which some day will the burdens of unjust and unnecessary taxation.

There is but one leader of the people present position. That man is Glad- longs. - Chicago Globe. stone. Gladstone to-day is the political victim of his own honest, highminded and patriotic convictions; so is Cleveland. Gladstone's entire public career has been devoted to the cause of national progress and the rights of the people. He was the leader of the tariff-reform movement of his country, in the disestablishment of the Irish church, in the abolition of the sales of army commissions; he has been conspicuous in every movement of reform in Great Britain during the past fortyfive years, and was defeated in his struggle for the establishment of homerule in Ireland, which is sure to prevail in the end. Cleveland's public career has been much shorter, but it has been replete with aspirations and achievements of progress and reform. As sheriff of his county, as mayor of his city, as Governor of his State and President of his country, Cleveland has been identified with a continuous series of public benefactions, and he has just been defeated as champion of tariffreform, which is the manifest destiny of this country.

Gladstone in the minority is a greater man than Salisbury, his successful who is to displace him.

Grover Cleveland has been the architect of his own political career, an independent thinker, a friend of to rise above party influence, popular guided a great political party, which | Chicago News. was Bourbon in many of its attributes, vailed among the American people. and has planted the seed of a great principle which is bound to germinate, and blossom, and fructify. He has sacrificed temporary power and personal interest to the glorious cause grasp the prize. But to him the than personal preferment or party

Grover Cleveland is to-day the leadciple which is essential to the perfect ald. freedom, equality and fairness of the American people; but, in any case, the few .- Ashland (Wis.) Daily N. ws. reform will come, and he will always be rewarded by history with the garland of heroism and the laurels which belong of right to original thinkers and great leaders. - Kansas Ci y Star.

UP WITH THE FLAGI Why the Democrate Campaign Though Was Not a Failure.

"Nail up the flag!" In these words the World, of New York, proclaims, in the same moment, the thought and word of the Globe, of Chicago. "Nail up the flag! A party that does not stand for principle and stand by it has no excuse for existence. A party Plain Dealer. that, having a policy and purpose, disavows the one and conceals the other in the hope of winning, deserves to be beaten." Amen and amen!

"Pretended Democrats who made a show of supporting the party candidates because they were 'regular,' while decrying the party purpose, simply played into the hands of the honesty." They were worse than open enemies, because they were false rades from ambush.

and beneficent campaign the Democratic party have made since they A Modern Esop Tells Three Tales, Each abandoned the educational method As a result of the recent election away back in the epoch of Polk and Grover Cleveland will retire from Clay. It made more converts to the only true Democratic gospel than have been made in all the campaigns toways be the father of his country; Lin- vival" sort, made by vehement apsuperstitions, but of the kind that are ing and convincing the reason and

All that is necessary to gain the victory of truth and right over wrong and falsehood is some more converts of the by the historic tariff message, which same kind. These can be made in the will always be regarded as the corner- same way, and only in that way-that is, by advancing the line of battle and emancipate the American people from forwarding the war on the solid basis of truth with the educational arma-

"Nail up the flag!"-and whoever and moulder of public sentiment in attempts to haul it down, hurl him contemporaneous history to whom neck and heels over the battlements Cleveland may be compared in his into the enemy's camp, where he be-

DRIFT OF OPINION.

-Let the South come closer together than ever, for the day of her trial is upon her .- Atlanta Constitution the best part of two hours in drawing tion.

-A desuetudinous hush has clapped its innocuousness over the sat down wet with Perspiration, but blatant mouth of the campaign liar. He won't resume business for a year at least. - Philadelphia Call.

-- Luminous and bright, and brightcoming years, the administration of Grover Cleveland stands out now, and will stand out in history, as one of the has ever known. - St. Paul Daily News.

-- In the chief centers of thought said: and intelligence, where the people had the fullest information and voted with the greatest independence and discre- Jury." tion, the President's reform policy was sustained. It is one of the compliments Dumb they, would Double their Patronwhich the logic of events pays to Grover Cleveland. - Boston Globe.

-Of course we will now have a The parallel does not end here. As grand exposition of Civil-Service reform, touching which we have heard mer: so much from Republican party orrival in the government of Great gans. As we understand the Repub-Britain, so Cleveland, in his retire- lican idea of Civil-Service reform, it handsome I am, and then think of the ment, will be a greater man in Ameri- lies in kicking out Democrats and put- Fate to which you would consign me!" can history than General Harrison, ting in Republicans with all possible speed. - Kansas City Times.

---Nobody will care a copper for the electoral vote of New York in 1892. The ward politicians may then quarthe people. He has always been able rel with each other to their heart's clamor, personal considerations and ripple of interest elsewhere. The selfish interests. He has provided Northwest is going to have control o history with a practical application of things in the future. The high-tariff Henry Clay's maxim: "Better be men of the East and the free traders of Press. right than be President." He has the South will please take notice .-

--- The course of the chief Repubin the direction of a great Nation of re- lican organ in New York during the form-not for transient political suc- campaign just ended is pithily charac- corner of a chair, "that I think is new. cess, but for the ultimate achievement terized by the World of that city, Why is a man who lays out a new subof a grand National work. He has which remarks: "Horace Greeleypromoted a degree of popular thought, rest his sour!-was an honest man and study and discussion of a vast econom- a truth-loving editor. But he is dead." hazarded the real-estate editor. ic question which never before pre- To this fact the columns of Horace Greeley's paper have borne eloquent testimony for a number of years. -Sprin field Republican.

--- The Chinese vote in New York City numbers forty-five. Of these up? Because he makes lots of acres. thirty registered, but the number of See? Acres-achers. Spoils the teeth, in which he enlisted. He might have votes they influence is far greater than you know. Makes acres into lots been re-elected President by keeping an ordinary observer would suppose. still; he had only to reach out to Tom Lee, the Chinese deputy sheriff, with a German wife, lives in Eightydestiny of his country was more vital first street now, and is a powerful Republican factor in the affairs of the Twenty-first Assembly district. William Sing, once the richest Chinaman er of the most important economic in America, has a son on the police movement ever inaugurated in the force, and wields a powerful influence American Republic, involving a prin- in Fourth Ward politics. - Chicago Her-

-If the Republican party has the American system. He has with him Presidency, the Senate and the Conthe best brains of the country and has gress, it has the United States by the received the high compliment of the short hair. It will admit Dakota, active hostility of the monopolies, the Washington Territory, and possibly trusts and machine politicians. He Montana, all of which will add thougoes into retirement full of honors and sands of voters to its ticket every time followed by the admiration and re- it puts one up. It will have so much spect, not only of his friends, who power that it will not know where or share his political defeat, but of the when to stop, and it will be only a mass of his opponents. He may yet question of a few years when the peobe an active power in bringing about ple will demand at the ballot-box rethe realization of the reform to which lief from the unjust taxation that is he has aroused the attention of the kept upon them for the benefit of a

> -A recent action of the Chinese potentate, Li Hung Chang, contains 2 hint for the coming Republican Administration. He has put the Chinese cotton industry into the hands of a single monopoly, and has not only pro- other nice articles." hibited foreign importations, but absolutely interdicted the manufacture of principle of making gifts," consolingly cotton by any other Chinaman. The Chinese idea beats even a forty-sevenper-cent, tariff, and the next Congress might restrict our manufactures to the men who have come down with the most "tat" and are certain to respond to calls for "fat" hereafter. - Cleveland

Harrison's Right Bower.

The election of Mr. Harrison, of Indiana, will bring Mr. Blaine, of Maine, into the Government as President de facto, with all the aroma of Peruvian guano, Jake Shepherd jobbery, Columbia bull-ragging. Guatemalteco insolence, and that arrogant "plumedenemy. They added treachery to dis- knight" bumptiousness of which Mr. Edmunds said: "That means war!" What with the tariff robbery and friends, who struck their own com- guano diplomacy, the Flaine-Harrison may rank among the clean nations. The "The Democratic 'campaign of ed- tainment for the world, but one to ucation' was not a failure." On the which future generations will hardly 860 p r cent. more is wanted now than contrary, it was the most successful "point with pride." - Unicago Globe.

AMERICAN FABLES.

THE FLY AND THE STATESMAN.

Once upon a Time, as a Statesman was writing out a great speech on the Tariff Question, a Fly began Buzzing about his head and face in a Most Annoying Manner, and this was kept up so long that the Statesman finally lost his patience and indulged in some Forcible Language. "Ah! but who would Believe that a

Great Man like you would be put out by a Little Insect like me!" sneered the

"It's your smallness that so Provokes me," replied the Statesman. "If you were an Ox or a Horse I would suffer no Ridicule by losing my Temper and Driving you Away. Let me give way and Fight a Fly and everybody would laugh at me.'

MORAL: Ward Strikers can safely Insult and Malign Congressional Nomi-

THE PARROT AND THE OWL.

The question having arisen: "Why do We Eat?" the Parrot Challenged the Owl to a Discussion and left the Decision to the Serpent. The Parrot went back several thousand years to Prove that Adam Ate and was obliged to Eat. and that all Men who came after him had been Obliged to eat, and used up comparisons, Making Deductions and Clinching his Points. When he finally Flattered by his own Arguments, the

Serpent asked the Owl to begin. "Gentlemen," said the Bird, as he slowly arose, "I have only a word to er and more luminous through the say. It is my opinion that we Eat be-

cause we were Built that way." The Serpent promptly Decided that the Owl had the best of it, and when greatest administrations the Nation the Parrot raised a howl over it the Fox chucked him under the wing and

"Blab is a good thing, but Brevity and Common Sense most always hit a

Moral: If some Lawyers were

THE NAIL AND THE HAMMER. A Nail which was About to be Driven into a Board complained to the Ham-

"Ah! but have you no Feelings? Behold how straight and smooth and "My friend," replied the Hammer,

as he made ready to Drive, "as a Nail lying about loose you will be kicked Aside by all, and in a short time Rust would deprive you of your Strength rel with each other to their heart's and Beauty. As a Nail helping to hold content without exciting the slightest this Board to the House you have a Mission and are Depended on.

MORAL: An Idle Man is of No Account, even to Himself."-Detroit Free

Brought In a New Conundrum.

"I have got a conundrum," said the visitor, timidly sitting down on the division like pickles?

"Because he c-c-cumbers the ground!" "No, that isn't the right answ "Because," suggested the exchange

editor, "it makes him sour if he doesn't ketchup with the -"No. no: that isn't it either Give it

And then they rose up as one man and threw him out of the windew. - Chi-

cago Tribune. An Indiscreet Merchant.

"I understand that you wish to employ a traveling salesman, sir," said a

young man to a merchant. "Yes; I would employ any one who suited me."

"I would like to have a trial, sir." "What is your nationality?"

"Both my parents were born in Ireland, but I don't see what that can have to do with the matter."

"You don't? Let me assure you that it is very important. I couldn't think of employing a salesman who belongs to the sell-tick race. Ha-ha! ha-ha?" and the old man chucked himself in the ribs and laughed all the way to the asylum where he was taken inside of three hours. - Merchant Traveler.

It Appealed to His Taste.

"My husband," said she, "never seems to appreciate the presents I make him, like dressing gowns, slippers, foot rests, monogram handkerchiefs, and

"May be he doesn't believe in the remarked a friend.

"Oh, yes, he does," was the earnest reply; "now when his brother-in-law gave him a basket of demijohns, full of old stuff, he never got over talking about that-it seemed to appeal directly to his taste." - Chicago Globe.

A Very Fair Tin Wedding.

First Chappie-What d'ye think of the wedding, old man? Second Chappie-Aw-vewy fair for

a tin wedding. First Chappie-Tin wedding? Why. what do you refer to?

Second Chappie-The groom's motive in marrying-haw! haw!-America. -The Chinese are making such large

demands upon soap that in time they regime promises an edifying enter- importation of foreign soap has increased 133 per cent. in five years and was sought after ten years ago.

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If the Republicans imagine that by the election of Harrison they have destroyed the spirit of Tariff Reform, Reform like "John Brown's body" still goes "marching on."

you meet now are tariff reformers. with the proud laurels of success en- of employment. lists of the East will have something Democratic papers of this country three hundred men were thrown out to say about this tariff reduction or that they will all on the fourth day of of employment. we miss our guess.

What does the Kansas City Times think of Kansas now? asks a contemporaay. Think? Why, what it has always thought: that it is a great agricultural State, which in its idiotic advocacy of high protection for New England votes directly and absurdly against its own interests.-K. C.

New York is a queer State policicwas elected by over 18,000 plurality, while Cleveland, Democrat, for Presiwho didn't vote elected Hill.

Just by the way of a final reference to the campaign, isn't the anarchist or vidette circular as dangerous to the reputation of Kansas as the debt circular? Without discussing the truth of either hadn't the Republican press better cease their howling at the methods of their opponents? Anarchy is a crime-debt is a misfortune .-Minneapolis Democrat.

that the issue of tariff reform is dead; that a defeat of a party on that issue once is the end of it all, his delusions will be dispelled by novicing the fact that more tariff reform clubs are being organized now than at any period in the late campaign. The reform of the tariff must be made and it must be in the interest of the common people.-Allen County Courant.

That million of people who, goodness knows! ought to have known better voted against a change in the tariff laws of this country would be in their interest, is no evidence that the protective policy is right. Protection as it is used in this country to-day means special laws and those people who profess to be against the principle of special laws will see less darkly four years from now than they did in 1888 .- Allen County Courant,

Why should not the Democrats cut up Texas into three or four States? It is as large as all the thirteen original States combined, leaving out North Carolina. Texas has inhabi. without reference to politics, will look tants enough. Its population is equal with distrust upon all efforts to stir to New Hampshire, Vermont, Rhode up anew sectional hatred or curtail the Island, Delaware, Florida, Colorado. rights of citizenship in that section of Nevada and Oregon. These States the country; and we do not believe have sixteen Senators, while Texas that any fair minded Republican has but two. If the Republicans are members of either house of congress going into the business of manufacturing States, why shouln't the Democrats do the same .- Abilene Gazette.

The withdral of such men as ex-Governor John M. Palmer from the in a remarkable manner in the elec-Grand Army of the Republic for the tion. The losses of Democratic Conalleged reason that the order has been gressman are significantof special perverted to political purposes will no effort to shelve those who were obdoubt have the effect of resulting in noxious to trusts and railroads. Of an investigation of this question or a the Committee on Manufactures a complete abandonment of all claims committee charged with inquiry into to non-partisanship. It is unfortunate the management of trusts and their that an order like this can not keep relations to the law, five Democratic down political difference and avoid members were defeated for re-elecpartisan strife, but in many instances tion, among them that very capable it seems no attempts of this kind are member of the Ways and Means made and members must submit to it Committee, Wilson, of West Virginia. or be compelled to withdraw from the Seven Democratic members of the order. - Emporia Democrat.

The Nation thinks that not only America but England and France "the richer nations of the world," says this conservative organ of opin ion, "that they can not afford to share their eivilization on a broad scale with new comers who have lived on a same social standards." The problem is only difficult to timid politicians or \$500 will settle it beyond the possibility of further danger. To that tax we are coming.—Moundridge Lerder

Yes; but how will the wage earner in this country ever be able to pay it?

That gueer combination of the prostectionists by which they attempt to show the absolute necessity for the protective tariff is order that an industry can live in this country, and when to show that the amount of this striking exemplification in the columns of that able protectionist organ the Kunsus Farmer, of last

The Chase County Courant, week. In one column it is stated that the tariff is not added to the cost

One thing is certain: The Demothey are woefully mistaken, Tariff papers' stock in trade during the past declaring that wages would have to be four years. To say the meanest the President of the United States, Nine out of every ten Republicans has been their patriotism. Even now, six hundred men will be thrown out They want the war tax reduced, but circling its brow, we should be think no party can be trusted to do it ashamed to stand in the ranks with except the Republican. The monopo- such patriots. We bespeak for the March, 1889, at 12 o'clock, m., say ferventy: "God bless President Har- finery, in compliance with orders from rison."-Allen County Courant.

A comparison of the official returns to live on high tariff and eat wind: in New York with the pre-election figures of both parties show the diffithe Republicans was for 80,000 plural- price of copper. ally. Hill, Democrat, for Governor ity outside of New York and Kings dent, was beaten by over 13.000. Hill, 65,000 in New York and Kings county. to time." however, ran over 47.000 votes behind The result gives a larger plurality in Cleveland. The voters who voted de- the seperate districts for each party feated Cleveland, while the voters than its leader claimed, and the plurality for Harrison is so small in comparison with the total number cast sooner over than the cry is raised that that a change of one in ever 180 votes the result has been due to premature would have given the State to Cleve- tariff reform agitation. Had not the land,-K. C. Star.

The Kansas City Times, in an editorial on Henry Watterson's attack on President Cleveland, dresses that gentleman down in good shape. It closes by saying. "Listen, Watterson, Jersy and Conneticut would have and we'll tell you why a just cause met with temporary disaster. Your If any one believes for a moment intemporate ranting and bombast gave a just cause a bad name. Tariff reform was not yet deodorized from of New Jersey are the industries that the smell of your sanctum. Your connection with it and your treatment of it prepared the popular mind to receive it as a theory. You, would have elbowed better men out of the way to put yourself forward in national connoil-you, who have offended the good sense of the country by extremist nonsense; you, Watterson, were too big a load for President Cleveland and the Democratic party to carry."

> Should the extreme measures advocated by many Republicans be adopted by the incoming administration in its dealings with the south we may look for a reaction that will not only make the south more solidly Democratic but will drive from the Republican party in the north a large conservative element who, thought Republicans, have accepted the results of the war and have long since declared with Grant "let us have peace." The business interests in the south. will lend their assistance to any extreme measures of this kind .- Em. poria Democrat.

The trust in politics asserted itself Committee on Commerce, charged with shaping legislation affecting transportation between the States, were defeated as was the chairman of have a difficult problem to cope with the special committee charged with in the influx of pauper labor from investigation of imported contract less favored countries. "They find," labor.—Atchison Patriot. labor .- Atchison Patriot.

The Harrison administration prom ises to be the most notable one in the much lower level, or have not the history of the republic in the way of State-making. It is safe to predict A simple per capita tax of \$100, \$200 that Dakota will be admitted as two States, Montana and Washington Territory are sure to come in, and New Mexico and Utah have more than the requisite population for Statehood It is not reasonable to suppose, however, that Utah will be admitted until there has been some satisfactory solution of the Mormon problem in the territory, and it is conceded by the press of New Mexico that the people there have not made protection is not added to the cost of sufficient progress to assume the re-

TOLD YOU SO

The Indianapolis Sentinel says: of the article, and in the third column "We take great pleasure in calling from it, is asked how much protection the attention of the people who voted s needed to keep up 'or foster the for "protection to American labor" to Kansas sugar industry?-Allen Coun- the following incidents: Last June E. S. Higgins & Co., carpet manufacturers of New York, reduced their force one-third on account of anticicratic press of this country will never pated depression of business under resort to the low, insulting epithets the Mills bill, and brought their men that have constituted the Republican into line for Harrison and Morton, by reduced unless they were elected. The things, and called by the vilest names. firm has now given notice of a further

"On last Friday the new pipe line of the Reading iron works shut down, 'owing to the lack of orders" and

"Un Saturday the Boston sugar rethe sugar trust, shut down 'temporarily' and all of its employees are left

"The cheering information is received that the copper trust has culty of accurate predictions where made contracts with all the American there are so many uncertain quan- copper mines for their supply for the tities as these were in the Empire next ten years, for the purpose of re-State this year. The largest claim of stricting production and raising the

"Put these facts down in your note county, and the Democrats did not books, good protectionists. We will count upon a plurality in excess of furnish you further items from time

A TARIFF SCARE.

As might have been anticipated in event of defeat, the election is no President delivered his tariff message of December it is pretended that his election would have been a sort of triumphal march. How little truth is in this view lies upon the surface. Of all the states of the union, New most visibly revealed the effects of a "tariff scare" had it any existence. The glass, earthenware, woolen, cotton, and iron and steel manufacturers the tariff mongers declared would be ruined by the Mills bill. Newark, Trenton, Paterson, Camden and other towns teem with workingmen in these industries; yet New Jersey has given to Cleveland a majority almost double to that of four years ago. Such is the empathic protest of industrial New Jersey against the false cries of the tariff alarmists .-- Abilene Gazette.

KANSAS PATENTS.

The following patents were granted for the week ending Nov., 20, 1888, reported expressly for this paper by Joseph H:Hunter, Solicitor of Ameri can and foreign patents, Washington

M. L. Allstot, Lawrence, dry separator and amalgamator; Engelhard Dimity, Clay Center, cultivator; L. C. Martin and J. W. Hart, Iola, heating stove: Dayton McKean, Windom, corn harvester; W. F. Stocker, Burrton, time switch for secondary battries; W. F. Stocker, Burrton, electric COTTONWOOD FALLS, KAN, meter (2 patents;) O. J. Truesdell. nov12-tf Førlington, baling press; W. W. Youmans, Caldwell, buckle.

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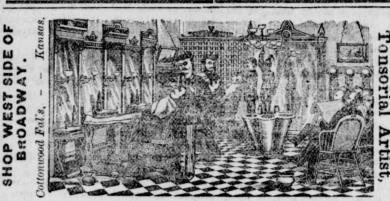
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Showing Debits and Credits Of County Treasurer By County Clerk.

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State Taxes.	Dr.		Cr	
To bal last rprt To P P tax collected Amt on tax roll	1. 5			
Redempt'n and A	10,983			
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By amt pd state trea	\$ 12706		1,003	45

6,210 62 3,491 91 Errors and uncollected taxes 99 79

\$10,805 77 Oct. 8, '88, bal in treas 1,900 33

School Land Principal.

Oct 18, 1887, To bal last report.......\$ 2,396 14 amt revd from sales 5,117 24

By amt pd state treas Sapt's orders

Oct 8, bal in treas

School Land Interest. Oct 18, 1887, to bal on

To amt rec'd on sales By amt pd state treas

Oct 8, '88, bal in treas 743 92

State School Fund.

Oct 18, 1887, to bal last report..... To amt recv'd from

By amt pd on Supt ord

Oct 8,'88, bal on hand 1,050 49

County School Fund. Oct 18, 1887 to bal last Amt rec'd from fines 617 36 and strays 754 01 Amt transfered to Co

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By amt pd supt ords Oct 8, '88, bal on hnd

County Fund.

Oct-18, '87, to bal last report 4,104 98 To amt tax roll of '87 26,841 80 P P taxes collected Amt red on r'd c'sts P P taxes collected Stenog fees..... Rent of office..... Road costs..... Stenog fees..... Rent of office Craig, for bond 20 100 00

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Oct 8, '88, overpaid 1,684 3

Court House Bond Sinking. 3,252 81 2.684 15 To bal last report.... Amt on tax roll.... P P tax collected..

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Bazaar Township General. To bal last report....
Amt on tax roll.... 91 99 431 92

By amt co clrks ord pd Er's and uncol txs. Oct 8, '88, bal on hand

Bazaar Township Delinquent Road. To bal last report.... Amt on tax roll.... Assgmts and rdmps 627 03

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To bal last report 588 55 By amt trfd to Cdr tp Co clerk's orders pd 223 17 100 00

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As he eyed his companions in quarrelsom "I long for the cultured surroundings of town And a share of the world's goodly praise and

renown.
I'm not a mere turkey, I'm almost a bird"—
And, suiting the action at once to the word,
He flopped his great wings in excitement and
flew
Just a few feet in air when he lit in a slough.
"I'm almost a peacock," undaunted he cried,
And down went his broad double-chin in its
pride.

pride, And then, with the rustle and stir of high birth, He spread out his feathers for all they were worth, And strutted and trilled in his voluble way

Till the awe stricken poultry-tribe fled in dis-"Look, ma, that there turkey," quoth old

Farmer Brown,
Who appeared at this moment, "I'll take right
to town;
He'll go like a hot-cake on Thanksgivin' Day. Come, git on yer fixin's, and don't yer delay.
I'll give yer the proceeds to git a new hat—
A anug leetle mite, fur he's encommon fat."
Such low, boorish jargon of course was not clear

To this elegant bird's most fastidious ear; So they trotted him off to the great distant town Where a fashionable family gobbled him down

Admired and praised as the tenderest meat It ever had been their good fortune to eat. 'Mid "cultured surroundings" he melted away. His dreams more than realized—King for a

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RESTITUTION:

the History of a Thanksgiving Surprise-A True Sketch.

[Written for this paper.]



IX and two are eight and three makes eleven. No. Mandy, it's of no use trying to make eleven shil-

Thanksgiving dinner. If we have one at all we want good one, so we'll have bread and milk. and try to be thankful on that," and the withered little old maid put back the dejected pile of nickles and small change

into her old black pocket-book with a s gir which was far from fest ve. The wind gave a mournful little chirrup

as it came around the corner of the old house, and Miss Mandy shivered and drew her faded shawl close around her rehumatic shoulders as she replied: "My. my, Serena, to think of us coming down to bread and milk for a Thanksgiving dinner. I declare it's enough to make the bones of the Buells rattle in their graves

'We'll hope they don't,"said Miss Serena. as she rose to put her money in the bureau drawer, r ght hand corner, and tucked unler a pile of innocent looking handker "Father Buell thoug it he was feaving us provided for life when he made that will, and here we are so poor that it's

"Selling the cat!" echoed Miss Mandy, in shrill tone of surprise. "Se I Thomas efferson! You must be crazy, Serena, and, besides, who's a buying cats?" 'Captain Thompson offered me a dollar

for him yesterday. He had teard what a splendid mouser he is, and his big house there is just overrun with mice. We might rent him or lend him for an ac

commodation, but sell bim, 'Lecta's Thomas Jefferson, no!" and Miss Mandy's foot apped down emphatically on the bare

The old house had been comfortably carpeted in times past, but in the sitting holes and patches had become the Miss Mandy had nearly sprained her ankle by catching her toe in one of the dilapid tions, they tore it up in disgust and con-verted it into a bed for Thomas Jefferson the woodshed but winter was coming on, and the bare floor was far from com fortable for the rheumatic bones of the

poor old sisters.

Some kind soul had given them a gailybraided rug which they laid in the warm est corner by the stove, hovering over it as nnusually cold days; still it was a very poor apology for the warmth and comfort

"Poor 'Lecta!" said Miss Serena, "Well, 's where she don't need any Thanksgiving dinner," and her eyes wandered to ward the window through which could be seen the tops of tall shafts of marble out-lined against the wintry horizon. It was the villag burial ground and only six weeks before Elect., the youngest of the ters, had been laid to rest there.

"I wonder if the mansions in Heave have carpets and nice furniture; I do hope nd that there'll be something like lace curtains, for I have always wanted some e curtains, and I've never seen any yet that just suited my idea," and Miss dy's eyes rested disapprovingly on the ws, the well worn and faded shades which conveyed no impression of to her mind. She had a weakness for lace, and in the childishness of age might easily have been extravagant in gratifying her tastes had she the oppor-'But I never expect to have them ow this side o' Heaven.

"La, Mandy, how you do talk," and M'ss ia shook her heat reprovingly, "as if the Lord would spend His time making face curtains, or as if there is any thing real in them."

"Well, and why shouldn't there be folks, who have never had the chanc e the sparkling dam nds or the glit ng gold, and all the beautiful things He has furnished material for and given the understanding to make; and shou dn't they have their chance after hard work and their pinching and scrimping is over?"

Miss Serena stared at her sister in sat she had no words in which to combat toven if she had the desire. Her eyes fell after a moment, and she meekly raised atick of wood and added it to the wan-

there'll be water in Heaven, for I've al- dropped it near Mr. Buell's feet, he stooped had ever expected to be again.

never so perfectly happy as when looking off on a sheet of water; such a soothing, restful feeling comes over me. Mandy. I "Why. Martha." he exclaimed in exrestful feeling comes over me. Mandy.

"Of course there'll be water there," replied Miss Mandy, briskly. She had cherished these oddly unorthodox ideas for some time, but in secret, fearing her sister would laugh at them. "Doesn't it tell in Revelation about the River of I'm tired to Life, and if there's green fields why death of shouldn't there be lakes and rivers, too. But I do say, Serena, what foolish creatures we were, when we had the means of gratifying these innocent likings, that "So that rascal, Rus we went on a hoarding and hearding just like all the family before us, until we

had nothing to hoard."
"It was the Buell blood in us," and Miss Serena shook her head mournfully. "But if I was to live my life over again I'd have a trip to Europe out of the Buell savings before any body'd get a chance to swindle us out of them.' "There's no lack of lace curtains in

Russell Osborne's grand house, and he had his trip to Europe," said Miss Mandy.
"If I had to go with his conscience 1 should expect to sink the boat before I got half way over," and Miss Serena's yes flamed flercely behind her glasses. "I wonder where 'Gustus is," she added, in a gentle tone. "I tell you, Mandy, I've always felt as if there was a wrong sticking to that money, and it's no wonder we lost it. If father hadn't been so harsh

with 'Gustus-" "He'd never have run away as he did But father could never see that he could do any thing but farm and, Gustus did hate farming," interrupted Miss Mandy. She was the eldest of the two, and, Gustus had been almost like a son as well as a petted brother. Fifteen years her junior, she had curled his infantile ringlets and buttoned his pinafores with motherly care, and later on taken his part in the hot disputes between him and his stern father, who would not see that the slender lad was good for any thing, since he had neither strength or ability to carry on the great farm from which Jonathan Buell coined a large portion of his wealth. Finally the lad ran away, and when the old man died his will was made so as to cut off the son with a paltry handful of his father's wealth, the whole of the large remainder going to the sisters. This would not have been so bad, for justice could still have been done had they been given the control of their own; but fearing that they would share with their brother, he had appointed Russell Osborne sole trustee of the estate in trust for the sisters, giving him absolute control of the estate, while they could only command the inter-

This would have been ample for all their needs, lace curtains and a trip to Europe included, had they chosen to use it, but ling's stretch over a the saving instinct of the Buells was Thanksgiving dinleaving all the more margin for Russell O borne's scheming, and one fine morning they awoke to the sore knowledge that he and his bondsman had failed, and that the Bueil property had gone with the rest.

The Osbornes lived more lavishly than before, but the property was in the wife's name, where the law could not touch it, and the Buell gir s grew old and faded under the sense of their wrongs, and eked out an uncertain living upon a small village property which had been spared from the general wreck, it having belonged to their mother and not included in the will property. What had ever possessed, Jonathan Buell to place such an unlimited trust in the hands of such a man as Russell Os b rne is still a mystery; but in his unfortunate spite toward is son he hal, as the say ng goes, bitten his own nose off, and given his weath to enrich one who had no right to it, and deprived his own family of even a decent living from the proceeds of his life of toil. and if the sleek and venerable Mr. Osborne was not haunted by his accusing spirit, he certainly deserved

Augustus Buell came home when his father died, and heard the unjust will read with anger and disdain, and had scornfully received the pittance left for him, turned his back on the spot which had become hateful to him, and for twenty years the sisters had heard no word from him. whether he was dead or alive. He had arted from them in anger, believing that they were satisfied with the will, and had thoughts of bitterness toward them, as he imagined them in the enjoyment of the wealth which should have with aim. The money h d prospered wonwould not, and could not, make a farmer. had proved h mself an immense su cess in another branch of business of which his pitiful inheritance had formed the nucleus, and while the sisters are hovering over the waning fire in the shabby room, the broth er, whom they are bewailing, occupies an elegant home in a Western city, of w.ich

he is a thriving cit zen.
"How shall we spend Thanksgiving this year, my dear?" said Mrs. Buell.

She was a large, portly woman, with pleasant face and ho jest, sympathetic eyes, The family were stting in the family sitting-room, soft with velvet rugs and rich carpets, and luxuriously furnished;



evidently the Buell love of economy had

not been transmitted to the son. "I have not thought of the matter, Martha," replied Augustus Buell, abstract edly; he was a fine-looking man of forty-five now. 'I had such a strange dream

the old home all day.' "Fie, father, to allow a dream to keep you looking so solemn all the evening," said Miss Kitty, a spright y girl of seven-

teen.
"I was at home again, and yet not at home," resumed the father, "for all was so changed that there was nothing homelike about it.

"Just see how comical Fido plays with the paper, papa," cried Rollo, a golden-haired little fellow of ten, tossing up a newsp per as he spoke. Fido, a snowy pet dog of the poodle species, caught it in his teeth, throwing it up and catching it

aga n as a cat worries a mouse. It was an old newspaper, and had come into the house around a package during "I do hope," she said, reflectively, "that the day, and as the dog in his antics

and picked it up, obeying an impulse for

"Why, Martha," he exclaimed, in can't explain why, but it's nature and I cited tones, "it is a copy of our old home paper. What strange chance has brought it to my hand?"

He looked it over, but strange names alone met his eye until he turned it over, when an obituary paragraph caught his attention. It was a notice of his sister Electa's

death and a short sketch of the Buell sisters, their loss of fortune, a notice of himself, and the mourning of the sisters for "So that rascal, Russell Osborne, has

contrived to scoop in their fortune, has he!" he said, wrat hfully. "I have done wrong, Martha, to leave them so long to the mercy of such a man."

"Of course you have," replied Mrs.
Buell, regretfully. "They were not to
blame because your father wronged you."
"But I fancied they endured the wrong too patiently at the time," replied Mr. Buell, "though I can see now that it was only their undemonstrative ways which seemed so cold and indifferent. I have more of the impulsive Churchill blood in my veins while they are all Buell."
"Well, then, if there has been a wrong

done the first thing to do is to right it," said lively Kitty, with timely practicality.
"And that means to give Fido his paper again," said Rollo, as the little dog looked up at his lost plaything with a beseeching whine. Mr. Buell tore out the item and tossed the paper back to the dog as he re-marked: "You are quite right, Kitty, and what do you say to spending Thanksgiving

with your aunts!"
"Oh! that would be lovely!" replied Kitty, clapping her hands gleefully; "poor, lonely old ladies. We'll make them a Thanksgiving surprise party and carry our

own dinner. 'It may be they are really needy, and, as Kitty proposes, under the guise of a sur-prise we can carry all the materials for an old-fashioned dinner," assented Mrs. Buell. "Of course, in their quiet life they Buell. are not prepared for such an unexpected influx into their family."

A merry evening was spent by the young people in planning for the coming journey, but Mr. and Mrs. Buell talked over the matter with grave faces. Electa had been the beauty of the family, and, in one sense, his favorite sister, though Amanda occupied more of a mother's place to him after his own mother's death, and the thought that she would be missing from the family circle was a sad one, a well as the fear that she had died in privation and poverty, when, had he known of their foss of fortune, he would so gladly have supplied every need, and he bitterly reproached himself that he had allowed himself to remain indifferent to their welfare so long. His sisters in possession of the estate, a part of which considered telonged to himself, he had regarded with partial indifference, but Mandy and Serena, old, poor, and alone in their old age, touched a very tender chord in his heart, and he entered into the

idea of the surprise heartily.

It was the week before Thanksgiving, and the sisters were washing up their lit-tle pan of breakfast dishes. The meal had een scant and the dishes in cousequence were few in number.

appears to me I could eat a whole ham if I had it," sighed Miss Serena, as she put a crust to soak for Thomas Jefferson, "but buying ham at twenty cents a pound is quite different from going to one's own smoke-house for one. I declare I got so hungry last night that I dreamed about

Don't, Serena." said Miss Mandy, with a queer little tremble in her woice. "It has been a bearing down on me all the morning, what is a going to become of us in our old age. You and me can't work always, and the thought of a Buelt being dependent on charity is-" and here Miss Mandy's voice became lost behind the pantry door where she had gone, ostensibly to set up a

his head into the door.
"Say, hee'nd the news, Miss Buell?" he

bawled out. "Mam told me to come over'n tell yer that the 2:40 express is all smashed up over to Lexington, an' old Russ O borne's kilt. Ab's gone atter him an'l. bring 'im back termorrer."
"Why, the land sakes, Lem Barker, you

don't say," cried Miss Serena, with uplifted hands, "are you a telling the truth or called him away from a game of marbles to de iver the message, and he was half

way back to his play. "Did I ever," and Miss Mandy sank into a chair with the trees of terrs still be-dewing her spectacles. "In the midst of 1 fe we are in de th. It ain't much use to .. rry, Serena, about what'll hap en to us to-morrow if we can only scratch up enough to supply our needs to-day. Poor Russell Osborne," and the man's misdeeds and crooked life was forgotten for the time in their pity for his violent and un-

The sisters were shivering over a late breakfast on Thanksgiving morning, which was clear and frosty, when the morning tra n from the West rolled into the sta-

"Well," remarked Miss Mandy, discou solately, as she poured the tea-they al-ways drank tea in the morning, saying that it woke them up for the d y better derest e ting that ever was, but it's better than bread and milk for a hoilday dinner. That was a bright idea of yours, Serena to catch those pigeons, though I did expect to see you break your neck a climbing that la der into the loft "
"Well, Mendy, I just couldn't let the

day go by without some kind of meat vittles," replied Miss Serent, apologeticaly; it certa nly was a little of a frisky performance for a woman of her age, climbing the exercise 'll do me good."

Bless us, Serena, what is that hack stopping at our door for," exciaime! M ndy, irrelevantly and pushing her lasses up on top of her head in her excitement, instead of leaving them on her

nose to see with.
"I declare if I don't a'most bel'eve that's 'Gustus," joyfully excl imed Miss Serena, as a man jumped out with an immense turkey, the legs sticking out from its brown paper cover in his arms; "that's just like one of his capers, to come home nd bring his dinner with him," and the old ladies hobbled to the do r as fast as traffic on the Tagus has greatly increa er rheumatic limbs would carry them while Mrs. Buell, Kitty and Rollo were getting out with their heavy baskets of

"If this don't beat all the surprise par t'es I ever heard of," said Mis Mandy, while a harpy tear stole down her che The table wa set as it had not been before in years, not only with the goodly contents of the baskets, but with the Buell heir-looms of linen and silver which had been tored away as far too good for use.

The pigeon pe had been sent to a poorer neighbor, and the turkey amply filled its happiness and content. Every trace of a misunderstanding between them and Gus had been swept away with a few earnest words, and they were happier than they

"These aunties are going home with us. papa, aren't they?" and Kitty smiled up into Mandy's wrinkled face. "There is ample room there for all of us, and we can

be so happy together."
"La, cnild," replied Miss Mandy, feebly protesting; it looked very inviting to her to have a home of plenty and some one to love and take care of her. "What would you do with a pair of old women like us in your

'Do with you, why, set you up with a room



of you, and with all of us to love you, of course," replied Kitty.

It seemed like a gigantic undertaking at first to the sisters, who had never been out of their native State, to go "Out West," and the Buell pride rebelled somewhat at the idea of being dependent upon even "Gustus," but all their objections were overruled, and they were made ready for the journey by the experienced and skill-ful hands of Mrs. Bueil and Kitty.

Restitution seldom comes in the real course of life, but it did in this case. Russell Osborne had a son, who had always been ashamed of his father's crooked ways, and as soon as he could settle the affairs of the estate, he sent the sisters, now happily domiciled in their Western home, a gener-

ous atonement for the wrongs of the past.
"Well, Mandy, you can have your lace curtains at last," sa d Miss Serena, with a hysterical laugh, as the letter, which accompanied the papers, was folded away, "but I'm afraid my bones are too rheu maticy to ventur on the ocean v'ge."

Mrs. F. M. Howard.

HOW TO BE SICK.

A Subtle Art Hardly Ever Acquired by Masculine Patients. How to be ill. This is a science uncatalogued as yet. I do not mean how to get there, but how to comport yourself when there. The sick man's outfit is, perhaps, a closer terminology Mind, I do not say the sick woman's outfit. Women are born into the world with a talent for that sort of thing. They recline as naturally as they sit, smile over the stiff barrier of the toothache, swoon gracefully, and never look so well as in the cap and gown livery which immolates convenience and comfort on the alter of appearance, mankind will never understand. "Don't go," she says, winningly. Her eyes shine, her cheeks glow, she chats gayly and without a break, until the great bandering ignoramus of woman's ways finally drags his long c ll to an end. He never doubts that as to him. He never dreams that her lea ached and she was ' tired to death, even while she encouraged his jokes and invited his confidences.

Why, in the name of all that's human

didn't she say so? My dear fellow, she cou le of teacups and a pitcher.

She was still there feebly ratting the crockery when a shock-headed boy stuck traditions and astincts. Whence comes the ambition for any two inherent in the ambition for suff ring inherent in feminine souls I can not save but it is there. It may be an inheritance from barbarism It may be a mere ful provision of nature for waat most women are fated to endure, a heroic stimulus to carry them over the crest of the wave of pain, and prevent their s nking in its murderous trough. Women seem to un terstan this sentiment in each other, and know how to call forth its ex re se; men look on in a kind of puzzled awe. They have no such quality about them. They go about the business of being ill as if it were its contrary, being weil. Every muscle is tense, every nerve alive. It sometime: requires the practice of ye rato le rn how to relax -A. B. Ward, in Ha per's Magazine.

PECULIAR BOATS.

Description of the traft Used on the

Tagus River in Portugal. On a fine day, with a light breeze blowing, a fleet of curiousl -rigged fish ngboats may be seen trawling off the mouth of the Tagus, the largest r ver in Portugal. The sails are crowded in an extraordinary way upon the single m st, with a large lanteen-sail in the center of each boat, d vided between the b ws rit and a spin-naker boom behind. Some of the sails are so small they resemble mere handkerchiefs, and some of he jibs are upside down, with a point projected into the air without any apparent support. These boats, when trawing, do not go forward, but have a remarkable way of sidling, b am on, at the rate of two or three knots an hour.

At a distance, the to ts seem all of the same form and rig but a nearer view shows that there are two distinct kinds The muleta has a curved projecting prow someth ng like a ram, and furnished with huge stikes, whilst the ba co resembles an ordinary English fi hing-boat, though of he vier constructi n, and painted with all the colors of the rainbow. No new muletas have been built for the last ten years. Only about a dozen are in good sea-worthy condition, and before long this unique form of boat will probably have disap eared entirely Though extremely safe and capital for fishing purposes, they are slow sailors, and therefore useless for carring cargo, whilst on account of their dangerous prows and general unhand ness goods from larger vessels. Of late the and the disembarkation of goods and sub-sequent water-carriage to different seacoast villages has become a lucrative business, more so than fishing, unless under favorab e circum-tances. Therefore bar cos, which are very handy for disembark ing and carry ng cargo, are gradually taking the place of muletas.—Tristram Ellis, in Harper's Magazine.

Don't worr about the future. The lion we see in the distance are very likely fet-tered and harmless. There is a provert to the effect that "the most disastrons troubles are those which never come." carry, without incre sing their weight by unto the day is the evi! theret'-Unde

SPLENDOR FROM WITHIN.

Looking on fine faces, we admire three things-features, color and excoming often from far ancestors; our depending on the quality of tissue and of blood the more immediate parents give it; but expression is very largely might be added: our own affair. And, even with good features and the clearest colors, ex- will be wanted in the proposed barn. pression is "the best part of beauty." The play of thought and will and feelself-controls, and pure, unselfish, gentle feelings-we can ourselves secure, if so we will. Ten years of habit, pression much. Some one has said that "every face ought to be beautiful at forty," and another, that "no old person has a right to be ugly, because he has had all his life in which to grow beautiful." That is to say, life's opportunities of nobleness, or even forty years of opportunity, if well used are enough to make so much beau- for horses; and fourteen feet for entire ty within that it can not help coming through the surface in graceful habits of the nerves and muscles. The transfiguration of a pleasant smile, kindly lightings of the eyes, restful lines of self-control about the lips, pure shinings of the face as great thoughts kindle cellar, silo, and manure sheds. inwardly, these things no parent makes inevitably ours, and no fitful week or two of goodness gives them, and no schooling of the visage, either, but only habitual nobleness and graciousness

within; and this will give them all. Splendor from within! It is the only thing which makes the real and lasting sition. splendor without. Trust that inevitable law of self-expression. Be, not seem! Be to seem. Be beautiful, and you will by and by seem so. Carve the faces from within, not dress it from without. Within lies the robing-room, the sculptor's work-shop. For whosoever would be fairer, illumination must begin in the soul-the face catches the glow only from that side. It is the wagons. spirit's beauty that makes the best face. even for the evening's company; and spirit beauty is the only beauty that outlasts the work and wear and pain of life. - Unity.

HISTORY OF MIRRORS.

Rubies and Emeralds Polished Into Looking-Glasses for Nero.

Mirrors were old-fashioned in the time of Moses, and deemed by him of sufficient importance to be placed in the Ark. Job also mentions them and calls them looking-glasses-a term which is applied to them throughout the sacred text-yet it seems clear that they were made not of glass, but of metal, as were all mirrors for many centuries suosequently. Brass is spoken of as one of the meta's of which they were made, but it is more likely that the best kind were composed of silver or some other white met I capable of receiving a highgance of the Roman ladies, mentions that their mirrors were of silver, adding, somewhat sarcastically, that often only a thin surface of the precious metal was used, a statement which is recent excavations. These ancient mirand curious shapes. Plino is also re- ing of the walls by frost. sponsib e for the statement that mirrors were sometimes formed out of rubies, erald, wherein Nero used to watch the fights in the amphitheatre.

The credit of first making glass mirrers can not with accuracy be given to dividing by 56. any one in particular. The Sidonians are reported to have invented glass, but even if they attempted -as it is said they did- to manufacture mirrors from it, its inferior quality would not have given so high a reflective power as some of the better kinds of metals; and at whatever period they were first made it was not until the thirteenth century that they became generally known, and much later before they entirely displaced the metal ones. At first molten load was noured over the lead to form a reflecting surface, but that method was soon exchanged for a piece of white the manufacture of glass came corresponding improvements in mirrors. They were made larger, an! with a truer surface, and have now reached a state approaching perfection,-Notes and Querics.

Lola Montez's Ruby.

Mrs. J. B. Haggin, wife of the California millionaire turiman, is very fond of diamonds. She is said to have some of the finest and rarest on this continent. Many of them are set in the oldfashiened round gluster style. She has some very valuable rings, pins, brooches and ornaments, but she prizes a rare ruby more than any of them. It is said to be the finest ruby in America. Although a very fine jewel, it is prized more for its historic value than for its intrinsic value as a gem. It formerly belonged to Lola Montez. When Lola Montez was thrown upon the cold merc es of a world that had looked on achast at the extravagance lavished upon her by King Louis of Bavaria, she went to California and took her gems with her. This ruby was offered for sale when her effects were brought ago. It was then sold for \$1,000 to a speculative jeweier. Mrs. Haggin secured it, and now values it at \$10,000. -N. Y. Telegram.

-An Englishman recently stated ir court that he married at the age of vix teen because he was out of work.

COMFORTABLE BARNS.

The Only Thing Which Makes the Real | I wenty Brief Rules Explaining How They Should Be Built.

These buildings are often erected very much at random, and without a pression. The features, these forms of careful estimate of their needs, and brow and nose and chin, are bequests, with an imperfect knowledge of many useful details. The following twermy colors, too, are in the main bequests, brief rules, if observed, would often save money, meet requirements and afford conveniences, although others

1. In the first place, ascertain what 2. Estimate the number of tons of hay to be stored, the loads of unthreshing on the face-of noble thoughts, firm | ed grain, the required contents of the granary, and the number of cattle and

horses to occupy the stables. 3. Calculate the room required for three years, or only one, will affect ex- hay at 600 cubic feet on an average for a ton, and nearly the same for the unthreshed grain.

4. Determine granary room by allowing one and a quarter cubit feet to the bushel in the bins.

5. For cattle and horse stables, allow for stalls at least three and a half or four feet wide for cattle, and five feet

length including passage and mangers. 6. Then provide room for hay and grain bays, space for straw, area of threshing-floor, room for toos and horse-power, size of gramary, entire space for cows and horse-stables, root

7. In arranging all these, place the threshing floor convenient to the grain bays, and the granary contiguous to or below them; the feed rooms, roots, meal or ensilage, on a level with and near the animals, and give heavy products the first place for convenient po-

8. Provide for good working space

for horse forks and hay carriers. 9. Having thus laid the general plan. select if practicable gradually-sloping ground for the barn so as to give ready access to the stables, cellars, etc., below, on one side; and to the principal. floor above, by a slight embankment, on the other side, for ready access of

10. Every barn should be at least a two-story one; the basement may include cattle stables, sheep pens, root cellar, cistern, water-troughs, silo and area for manure.

11. The next story above may have central floor for drawing in crops, tool rooms, horse-stalls, granary, harness room, and tool rooms including horse-

12. A three-story barn should have an upper bridge or causeway for entrance, and is particularly convenient for unloading hay and grain. Itshould. have at least twenty feet posts.

13. Chutes should be provided for throwing down hay from the second or third story to the animals below.

14. All barns should have good eavetroughs, connected with spacious underground cistern, if water is needed. 15. The basement walls should stand

on small stones or coarse gravel in a polish. Pliny, speaking of the extrava- broad deep trench, to effect drainage; and if on wide and heavy flagstones. projecting several inches within the walls, rats will not burrow under them. 16. A space of a foot between the

basement walls and the earth outside, borne out by discoveries made during filled with broken stone or coarse gravel, will effect good drainage down rors were of small size, and of various to the drain below, and prevent heav-17. Every granary should be gradu-

ated inside, so as to show at a glance and mentions one made from an emer- the number of bushels it may happen to contain at any time. The graduation may be quickly made at any time by multiplying the cubic feet by 45, and

18. Petroleum makes inside floors last longer, and gives outside woodwork the character and durability of cedar.

19. The value of a barn with its surrounding cattle-yards is increased by evergreen screens, which are the most pleasing and cheapest shelter against. winter storms.

20. The cost of barns will vary much with locality, price of lumber, and skill. in the builder, but a tolerable approximation may be made beforehand by allowing one dollar for each twosquare feet of area if the barn is mademetal foil fixed at the back, and in the of rough lumber, with stone wall baselatter part of the fifteenth century an ment; and when materials are very ama gam similar to that now used was cheap, two and a half or three square, substituted. With improvements is feet may be had for a dollar. Forplaned lumber, and good finish, with paint outside, one-half more may be added .- Country Gentleman.

Queer Military Discipling.

"The name of Harry Oakes," says the London World, "is not yet forgotten in the army-a bluff, straightspoken soldier, who some twenty years ago commanded the Twelfth Lancers. This is how he dealt with the point now so much at issue. A young officer complained that while in plain clothes a certain soldier had not saluted him. The soldier's excuse was that he had not recognized the officer. Til take care you can't make that excuse in future, quoth Colonel Oakes. 'Mr. ---you will walk up and down the barracksquare in plain clothes until Private - is satisfied that he will know you again.' The private gave the officer a benefit of about half an hour, and all he conceded then was his ability to recognize the former in the suit he then wore. 'If you are not satisfied,' said the Colonel, 'you will appear in the square for ten minutes in each civilian suit you own, and whenever you get a under the hammer, about thirty years new suit you will do the same, and let Private --- know.' The young officer never complained again of not getting what he considered his proper due in the matter of salutes."

> -Kitchen floors painted with boiled tinseed oil are easily cleaned.

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PROSPEROUS BEGGARS.

The Daily Income of Organ-Grinders and Street Ballard Singers.

Sympathetic ladies who send nickels and silver pieces by a servant to the poor organ-grinder, who stands at their door, or who throw down to him, from an upper window, pennies wrapped in thick writing paper, may like to know how much a man gets in the course of a day, and what he does with his money.

For the latter he does not spend more than a seventh part of it. He puts it safely away and keeps increasing it. Sometimes he joins at night a select club of his fellow countrymen, who gamble their pennies away in long and delicious excitement.

How much do you think he earns? More than a carpenter, a bricklaver, a policeman, a postman or a salesman in a store, who wears gloves and a silk hat. He averages \$4 per day. He dabors systematically and has his regwlar beat, and his varied art to extract the penny from persons of each class he plays before. On an average he plays on 200 blocks per day, and it's a deucedly poor block that does not pay

2 cents. The girls who are seen daily on our streets dressed in pretty Switzer or Neapolitan costumes, drawing and playing what is known as a "piano or organ on wheels," average from \$10 to \$20 per day, and as a rule they are not required to labor more than six hours per day.

The latest "wrinkle" in street music is a young woman who sings, accompanied by three swarthy sons of Italy, on the harp, violin and picolo. She has a sweet voice, dresses attractively and sings "songs that reach the heart" and the pocket at the same time. She is not an Italian, as many suppose, but an English girl, who is said to be the

wife of a son of the sunny peninsula. One who is acquainted with her his tory informed the writer that she was of first-class family, fairly educated and of a penurious nature. For the latter reason she adopted her present mode of obtaining a living. Her income is over \$30 per day, from which the pays a few dollars to her accompanists. She sings on an average fifty times per day, and always in localities where many men are employed; before printing offices, manufactories, etc., and in courts and places immediate to the principal thoroughfares where street pedestrians are numerous. It is said that in a few years she intends to "cross the water" and live in quiet ease for the remainder of her life, by that time having acquired a small fortune. Old women who sit upon sidewalks playing "hurdy-gurdies" with a placard of petition about the. neck average a laboring man's wages, even in dull times.

It is an old saying that "the world owes every body a living," and from the above it can not but appear as a truism .- Boston Record.

RAILROAD BRAKEMEN.

the Ways of the World. The brakeman, like the "drummer."

Bright Young Men Who Luckily Learn

is a characteristic American product. Each has its wits sharpened by peculiar experiences, and, while important lines of intellectual training are almost wholly neglected, there is contact with the world in various directions, which

Explosions of Coughing are stopped by Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar.

Pike's Toothache Drops Cure in one minute. develops qualities that tend to elevate the individual in many ways. Although freight brakemen do not have any intercourse with the public, they somehow learn the ways of the world very quickly, and the brightest ones among them need very little training to fit them for a place on a passenger train where they are expected to deal with gentle ladies and fastidious millionaires, and bear themselves with the grace of a hotel clerk. Perhaps one reason why brakemen impress their characteristics on the whole personnel of the service is because they have abundance of opportunity for meditation. Many of them have a superfluity of hours and half hours when they have nothing to do but ride on the top of a car and keep a general watch of the train, and they have ample time to think twice before speaking once. Even a circus clown or the vendor of shoe-strings or ten-cent watches has to study the arts of expressions; why should not the intelligent trainmen, who wishes to let people know that he is of some account in the world? If he wants a favor from a superior he knows just the best way of approach to secure success. If he deems it worth while to complain of any thing, he formulates his appeal in a way that is sure to be telling. Every one knows the old story of the brakeman who was refused a free pass home on Saturday night with the argument that his employer, if a farmer, could not be reasonably expected to hitch up a horse and buggy for such a purpose. The reply, that, admitting this, the armer who had his team already harnessed up and was going that way with an empty seat would be outra-BUTTER-Creamery geously mean to refuse his hired man a ride, is none too 'cute to be characteristic .- Scribner's Magazine.

-Some one took an umbrella from the hallway of a Lewistown man's house, and about the same time the dog was missed. A search was made, and the dog was at last found in a Lisbon-street store, and standing near him was the missing umbrella. A stranger has come into the store followed by the wag. When he went out he left the umbreua, which the dog carefull? quarden Intil his owner appeared -Lewiston , Me.) Gazette

Sudden Decline in Wealth.

Two old wood-sawyers who sat on the curbstone near the vegetable market were talking of the times, when one of them said:

"I was reading that it only costs \$17 to go to Liverpool now."

"Is that all?"

"Yes." "And the same to come back?" "Yes."

"That's \$34. That's cheap enough." "So it is."

"And shall we go?" "Not us. We are not the kind to go sailing around and spending our money foolishly. I think we should

start a bank." "That's better. Say, Thomas, could you lend me ten cents to buy a peck of potatoes with, and five more to buy some bread? It's all I'll have for over

"Could I? I have only seven to my name, and that's as good as laid out for codfish."-Detroit Free Press.

Eruption of the Skin Cured.

BROCKVILLE, ONTARIO, CANADA, }
December 2, 1885. }
I have used Brandreth's Pills for the past fifteen years, and think them the best cathartic and anti-bilious remedy known. For some five years I suffered with an eruption of the skin that gave me great pain and annoyance. I tried different blood remedies, but, although gaining strength, the itching was unrelieved. I finally concluded to take a thorough course of BRAND RETH'S PILLS. I took six each night for four nights, then five, four, three, two, less ening each time by one, and then for one month took one every night, with the happy result that now my skin is perfectly clear and has been so ever since.

ED. VENNEY. What's in a name? Too many "eye-openers" will make a man "blind drunk."—Norristown Herald.

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The best way to make light of a trouble-come note is to get possession of it and burn it.—Western Plowman.

When the Dinner Bell Rings,

It is pleasant to know that the prandial repast will be followed by no penitential pangs. The dyspeptic, to regain digestion and exile forever the manifold symptoms that assail him, should begin early and persist in a course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Then will he find peace vanily sought before, Biliousness, constipation, kidney ailments and debility are remedied by the Bitters.

THERE wasn't much profit in stocks when they were employed as instruments of pun-ishment.—Siftings.

Four poisons that accumulate in the blood and rot the machinery of the system, are eradicated and expelled by using Prickly Ash Bitters, a medicine that will not irritate the stomach or bowels. It acts in a gentle manner on these delicate organs, and restores health in every case.

Why is the practice of praising children like opium? Because it's laudanum.

COUGHS AND COLDS. Those who are suffering from Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, etc., should try Brown's Bronchial Troches. Sold only in boxes.

THE board of education—the school-master's shingle.

THE man who is wild on the subject of yachting is an ultra-marine.—Puck.

Ir afflicted with Sore Eyes use Dr. Isaa

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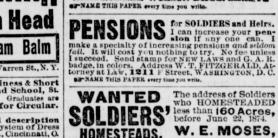
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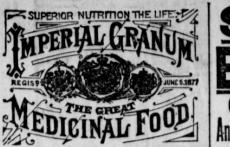


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Almost spring weather now-a-days-District Court will begin Tuesday. Mr. Roland Roberts is living in the C. Watson house

Dr. T. M. Zane is visiting at his old home in Indiana.

Mr. M. F. Fox has gone back to his old home in Indiana. Dr. C. L. Otterman is now living in

the H. L. Hunt house.

Mr. R. C. Johnston went to Kansas City last Tuesday. Mr. W. W. Scott, of Emporia, was

in the city last week. Mr. Geo. Oliver intends occupying

the J. V. Moore residence.

The pension of Mr. J. K. Warren, of

Bazaar, has been increased. The pension of Mr. Jas. Jennings,

of Strong City, has been increased.

The mother of Mr. Wm. Beckett, of Hymer, has been granted a pension.

We need money to pay our debts: but please don't take this as a dun.

Messrs. A. Ferlet and W. C. Giese were down to Emporia Wednesday. Look at the date on your paper, and see if you don't think we need money. County Treasurer A. M. Breese is

suffering from a catarrh in his right Mr. J. S. Shipman, of Elmdale, who

has been sick for some time past, is im proving.

Miss Lizzie Lantry, of Strong City, Sundayed with Miss Jannette Burton, of Emporia.

Mrs Clarence Murphy has moved into the Alexander house, east of the Court-house.

Mr. N. A. Rice, the photographer, has gone to Yates Center to run gallery there.

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Mr. Hugh Jackson, of Plymouth. Lyon county, Kansas, was in town, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hofman have gone to Muncie, Ind. to make that their fu ture home.

Mr. J. V. Sanders has moved his law office into the room north of Kuhl's harness shop.

Mrs. Jont Wood, of Herrington, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Talkington, at Elmdale.

Mrs. J. R. Blackshere, of Elmdale has returned from her visit at her old home in West Virginia.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Boylan, of Strong City, are the happy parents of

Born, on Monday, November 19th, 1888, to Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Moody, of Clements, a son.

Mr. Jacob Vail, of Cedar Point, was in the city and made us a pleasant call yesterday.

The residence of Mr. J. A. Holmes, west of his father's, near Elmdale, is nearing completion.

Mr. Wm. H. Shaft and daughter, of Clements, are visiting at the Prather brother's, at Anthony. Messrs. Charles Burch and Tom

Fratt are, each, putting up a residence in the southwest part of town. Miss Stella Park, formerly of Chase

road engineer, in California. Three car loads of cattle were shipped to Kansas City last week from

county, was recently marrid to a rail-

the Guthrie & Byram ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Orlado Jeffrey, of

Lawrence, were visiting friends and relatives at Elmdale, last week. Mr. J. C. Lyeth, expecting "some-

thing better," has declined the position of depot agent at Strong City. Messrs. Fred Dwelle and C. A

Sayre, of Cedar Point, have been indicted for the murder of A. Perault. If we did not need money we would

not be saying so; but we are not millionare, and don't own a national Mr. B. Lantry, of Strong City, took a car load of cattle, a car load of hogs

and a car load of sheep to Kansas City last week-Mr. A. Z. Scribner returned last Thursday, from Colorado, bringing 304 head of cattle with him, to feed

for next year's market. Married, on Sunday, November 25, 1888, by Rev. F. Eggert in Strong City, Mr. Chris. Hofman and Miss Emma

Reifsnider, all of Strong City. There will be a pink social at the Bazaar school-house on Friday evening, December 7, for the benefit of a Christmas tree. Everybody is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Richd. Coleman, of Topeka; Mrs. Cushion, of Omaha, and Miss Lynch, of Wichita, were visiting at Mr. B. Lantry's. in Strong City, last week.

The old broom factory, of Mr. J. V Moore has had a new front put into establishment.

Mrs. Crutchfield, the mother of Mrs. J. E. Edmiston, Mrs. Howard Grimes and Mrs. Geo. Mann, of this out the Democrat. county, is here visiting her children and grand-children.

Mrs. P. P. Schriver, of Cedar Point, whe was in town a few days ago solic iting subscription to build a Presbyterian church at that place, is having good success in collection said aid.

Mr. A. F. Forem an killed an eagle. the other day, on his father's place on Bloody creek. that was trying to carry off a fifteen-pound pig, and it measured six feet from tip to tip.

Marrid, on Wednesday, Oct. 28,1888, at Newton, Iowa, Miss Mattie Long, of Jasper county, and Mr. Charles Pickard of Cedar Point, Chase county, Kansas, the Rev. A. S. Lovall, offici-

A musical entertainment under the auspicies of the Ladies Guild will be given Thanksgiving evening, Nov. 29, at the Presbyterian church. Admission adults 25 c, children under 12 years

of age, 15 cents. Mr. Wm. Hillert having moved into his new building, from his old shoe shop, which in days long gone used to be occupied by Mr. Frank Alliston, as a shoe shop, that old land mark has

been torn down. Mr. Henry Judd has made an artificial leg, for which he has applied for patent, that is about the best leg of the kind we have ever seen, as it has many good points about it which Kansas.

other artifical legs have not. Tank Kee, in closing his lectures, in the M. E. church, Saturday night, said he had been most hospitably treated by the people of this place, and that he would always look back with pleasure to his stay in our midst. His lec- out: The Chicago, Santa Fe & Caltures, which are very instructive about China and the Chinese, were well at-

tended by appreciative audiences. The ladies of the Presbyterian Church will give a musical and literary entertainment in the church, this Thursday, Thanksgiving night. Pre-parations will be made so that all who come will feel amply rewarded, and has to be hauled thirty miles less, every effort will be made to make it a and, practically, the Santa Fo has success. A small fee will be charged | made thirty miles disappear. A the proceeds will be for the benefit of few years, at this rate, and Kansas the church. Let all come.

Died, at her home in Wyandotte, Kansas, on Thursday, November 22, 1888, at 8 o'clock, a. m., Mrs. Neal last Friday, found 55 scholars present, Hunter, daughter of Mr. Anderson all doing well, Principal teacher D. Sharp, of Chase county. Her re- J. White.
mains were brought to this county We organized a Presbyterian church for interment and were buried from at Clements last Sabbath. We reher father's home, on Sharp's creek, spectfully request that it have a place Miss Martha Fritze, of Strong City, Saturday morning. She leaves two in the progress and kind wishes of has returned from her visit at De- small children, a husband and many christian people. relatives to mourn her death.



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WHEREAS, We, the citizens of Cedar Point, were deprived of paying the last sad mark of love and respect to our former neighbor, Mrs. Anderson Ogden, by attending her funeral,

therefore be it Resolved, That in the death of Mrs. Ogden we have lost a good friend and neighcor, and we extend our sympathies to the bereaved husband and children and we hope they will find comfort in the love of the heavenly Father in whom the wife and mother trusted.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the county papers and a copy be sent to Mr. Ogden, at Walton,

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, vis.: Charles Philbrick, of Kenyon, Chase county. and Lars Pearson, Zacharia Compbell and Sturdy Bowles all of Strong City, Chase County, Kansas.

John L. Price, Register.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Charles Philiprick, and said land, viz: Charles Philiprick, and said land, viz: Charles Philiprick, and continuous residence upon, and cultivations of the said land, viz: Charles Philiprick, and continuous residence upon, and cultivations of the said land, viz: Charles Philiprick, and continuous residence upon, and cultivations of the said land, viz: Charles Philiprick, and continuous residence upon, and cultivations of the said land, viz: Charles Philiprick, and continuous residence upon, and cultivations of the said land, viz: Charles Philiprick, and continuous residence upon. continuous residence upon, and cultiva-of, said land, viz: Charles Phibrick, cenyon, Chase county, Kas; Lars Pear-of Strong City, Chase county, Kas; Sturdy Boweis, Strong City, Chase aty, Kansas; Zacharia Campbell, of

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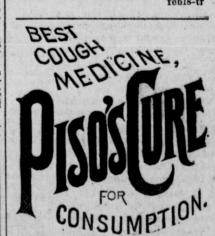
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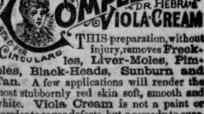
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