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## LAS VEGAS DAILY OPTIC.

VOL XVIII.

LAS VEGAS, NEW MEXICO, SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 12, 1897.

### OTERO'S RECEPTION

From Trinidad to Santa Fe It Will Be a Continuous Round of Ovations.

BIDS FOR TORPEDO BOATS

The Minnesota Federation of La-bor Is Organizing to Guard Interests of Laborers.

FAMINE STRICKEN INDIA

Peter Maher and Tom Sharkey Will Fight for \$14,000 Before Next September.

A FRIGHTFUL EXPLOSION

rear end of the car, which was a Equest, ian day is being celebrated, tomagnificent effort. It was a perfect day, the anniversary having been esovation along the whole line, with peop'e at every station. The Las Vergas reception committee, headed by Hon. A. A. Jones, greeted the governor at Wagon Mound, and the band played "Hail to the Chhief" and other patcetic sirs. Otero's dignified manner and business-like remaks are creating a favorable impression. The still a silicent and formal and forma rative citizens are very ent Everything is a success.

nnesota Federation of Labor. Sr. Cloud, Minnesota, June 12 .-The semi-annual meeting of the Minnesota state federation of labor will convene in this city to-morrow, (Sun- John Keyler; the injured man is Mau-day), all affiliated organizations and rice Raynolds. has been to guard the interests of wage-workers in the state legislature, and although much in this direction was accomplished during the last session, it is the desire of the leaders to greatly increase the membership during the coming two years, in order that the organization may more forcibly lay its demands before session of the legislature. With this end in view, no pains will be spared to secure the support of the minor or-ganizations throughout the state, and to organize new branches of industry under the auspices of the federation.

Hids for Torpedo Boats.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 12.— It has been sunounced that bids will out explanation. Hyland is dying. be opened on Wednesday next for the construction of three thirty-knot torpedo boats. Numerous proposals have frightful explosion occurred at the the British influence. been submitted for the construction of Hermes fire-works company's estabthese vessels, and it is thought that lishment, at 10 o'clock this morning, the government will secure very fathe successful bidders
must show themselves in possession of
the necessary plant. The boats will
be known as No. 19, No. 20 and 21.
two to have a trial displacement of not
less than 230 tone, and one of 260 tons.

The bidders are left ample scope for The bidders are left ample scope for original ideas, the department prescribing only the barest outlines. Eight hundred thousand dollars has been appropriated for the construction of the torpedo craft.

Congressional Metters.
Washington, D. C., June 12.--Republican senstors at the caucus, this morning, did not reach any conclusions

morning, did not reach any conclusions regarding the Hawaiian treaty. The tobacco tax and other questions were discussed, and the caucus lasted two hours. At noon a recess was taken until 5 o'etock.

Senstor Frys, was asked, this morning, if the Hawaiian treaty would be ratified this season. "Flot this aesson," he said, "occause there will be no quorum within five minutes after the passage of the tariff bill."

In the senate, to-day, Mr. Vest agai, made a share attack upon the sugar schedule. He read many statements showing that the saucus amandments were more to direct line with the trust than any other preopposition.

Senator Atorich III.

WASHING TON, D. C. June 12.—
Senator Kelso, W. Aldrich, the tariff funder in the secto, tell Washington, this morning, for his Rhole Island tome, a vary sink man, framenant in bor for the grant two granths has brought on nervous prostratio, and he may not return this apssion.

A Boat Pennders.

PRETE ARBOY, N. J., June 12 — The trought on nervous prostratio, and he may not return this apssion.

The Ship "City of Everett" Salled, To-Day For The Famine Stricken Land.

San Francisco, Cal., June 12,-The ship "City of Everett," carrying a cargo of grain contributed by the people of the country under the leadership of the Christian Herald, of New York, will sail, this afternoon or tomorrow, for India, where the cargo will be distributed to the famine-strick-en natives, through the agency of the American missionaries. The cargo consists of 600 tons of rye, 600 tons of beans and 2,400 tons of California flint corn. Rev. G. R. Hobbs, of Jackson, Ills., will accompany the cargo to Calcutta and supervise the distribution of the supplies. Future contributions of corn or wheat may be consigned to the Chicago Indian famine relief committee, which has its headquarters in the board of trade building, and such consignments will be sold and the proceeds remitted to responsible persons in India; the season being so far advanced now that the heat would render it ussafe to ship the grain. will be distributed to the famine-strick-

Captain Collier and the Raton brass band, with 2,500 people. They were driven around the city in carriages. A big binquet was spread at the Harvey tonie. The key of the city of Raton as presented in an address by Hom. C. Wrigley. Otero's response was agnificent outlining of the business y for his administration. The large were very enthusiastic. A big are on board the train for Las borned to the Coptic.

MOUND, N. M., June 12—

\*\*Record of the city of the city of Raton as presented in an address by Hom. C. Wrigley. Otero's response was agnificent outlining of the business of finite to the complete the control of the city of this administration. The large screen and the college first prescribed what is now known the world over as came ill, atter swallowing all sorts of indigestible matter, for eight years, became ill, atter swallowing a jeck-knife, three came ill, atter swallowing a jeck-knife, three world over as startday night. An operation being necessary, an incision was made in his large assertiment of broken glass and concepts. The control of broken glass and corceley. The operation occupied dight minutes. The surgeons say the Springer, the whole populout with great enthumade a speech from the carr, which

tablished in this city, a year ago, with a view toward popularizing horseback

Death on a Dredge. WILKESBARRE, Penu., June 12 .- By the burning of a dredge on the Susquehanns river, two men were burned to death and one fatally injured. The dead are Captain John Raynolds and

policemen, last night, at Washington place, for the purpose of lynching him. Clubs and revolvers were drawn, but the mob was beaten back. West shot a white man named Hyland, because his daughter had told him Hyland had attempted to assault her, last week. He shot the man deliberately and with-

Frightful Explosion CINCINNATI, Ohio, June 12 -A

Thrown in the River. NEW YORK, N. Y., June 12.—The body of a drowned girl was found in the East river, this morning. She was

Two Man Browned.
THOMPSONVILLE, Conn., June 12 -

MH Scores Bryon. NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., June 12.— In a public speech here, ex-Senator David B. Hill obstracterized Bryan as a worank, demagogue and political ad-

BPERGREULL, Ill., June 13.—John C.
Blehards, mayor of Bunkerbill, in a difficulty with the editor of the Gazetle.
F. Y. Hedley, was shot fatally, at poon, to-day.

Stramers Cotlide.
London, Bugland, June 13.—The White Starship "Nomadic and "Barnsmore" collided in a fog off Holy Head, this morning, and both are badly to-day.

Pentu Ambor, N.J., June 12 — The man, Massard, Deleon & Company, tog boat "Willie" foundered to Rari. wholesale wice and liquor deniers, as algored, this morning. William Lee, a signed, this morning. Assets, \$50, our pany, and give prices.

J. BIEHL.

BEST SPRING REMEDY.



dazzled the vision of Dr. Harry Slater, colored, of this city He sent a letter to Mr. Rouss, yesterday, in which he said he was positive that by the use of a common herb from the swamps in

will astound the world, that's my firm conviction based upon several visits to the United States." The speaker was Pritchard Morgan, a liberal member of parliament, known in Great Britain as the "Gold King," because of the magnitude of his gold mining properties in North Wales. Mr. Morgan has just arrived in New York, from a trip around the world, coming east from San Francisco. Frusts, polities and San Francisco. Frusts, politics and protestion with legislation against the

working classes is the cause of the anticipated ruin, says Morgan. Heat Knocks McKinley. NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 12 -The ntense heat knocked over the president, this morning, after his hard day, yesterday. He will not fulfill all his engagements, to-day. The presider-tial party leaves Nashville, to-night, spending Sunday in Chattanooga and Monday in Ashville, arriving at Washington, Tuesday.

England Snubbed.

LONDON, England, June 12 - The porte shows no disposition to accede to England's ultimatom that Thessaly must be evacuated. The suitan's dis-like for Sir Philip Currie, the British ambassador, is well known. He takes little pains to conceal his contempt for

Fatal Railway Accident. LONDON, England, June 12 .- A tercars, filled with excursionists was de-railed, while running at a high rate of

Runs Over a Child.

DALLAS, Tex , June 12 — Engineer eighteen years old and wore a bicycle costume. The police are inclined to the murder theory, as the girl's face shows marks of violence. Detectives have been put to work on the case.

To Fight in Nevada.

NEW YORK, N. Y., June 12 -Two men at Holyoke, Mass, named Gillis and Gay, while engaged in efforts to save lumber which is being carried down the Connecticut river, by the floods, were drowned here, this morning.

New York, N. Y., June 12 — Maher and Sharkey will probably come together in a ficish fight in September. Brady has offered a purse of \$14,000, and the men have accepted. The contest will take place in Nevada.

Waters Rising. NEW STELD, Maine, June 12,-Great scitement prevalls here, over the high water. The Little Ossippie river has risen four feet within twenty-four hours and much damage has been done.

CINCINNATI, Obio, June 12 -- Brech.

San Miguel National Bank.

Capital Paid in -Surplus.

\$100,000. 50,000

DR. J. M. CUNNINGHAM, President, FRANK SPRINGER, Vice-President D. T. HOSKINS, Cashier F. B. JANUARY, Assistant Cashier

HENRY GORE, Pres H. W. KELLY, Vice Pres. D. T. Hoskins, Tress.

THE LAS VEGAS SAVINGS BANK.

Paid up capital, \$30,000. be Bave your earnings by depositing them in the Las Vrgas Savings Hanz, where hey will bring you an income. 'Every dollar saved, is two dollars made."

No deposits received of less than \$1.

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Fine Watch Repairing a Specialty.

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Watches Rated With Marine Chronometer.

East Las Vegas, N. M.

An 8-foot galvanized steel wind mill with a 30 foot tower of same material, complete, delivered at any station on the A. T. & S. F. south of Las Vegas, in New Mexico, for \$48.00. North and including Las Vegas, for \$46 00. Estimates and specifications furnished free on irrigation plants by

Chas Blanchard,

Las Vegas, N. M.

Ask for-The following brands of eigars:

"Our Pointer," "B. & F." "My Choice," "La Libertad."

Manufactured by

The American Cigar Company

All goods are made at home, free from artificial flavor. Pure Havana.

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Sixth Street.

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"Plaza Pharmacy"

Dealers in Drugs, Medicines and Chemicals. Patent Medicines, 'Sponges, Syringes, Soap, Combs and Brushes.

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orders Correctly Answered. Goods Selected With Great Care and Warranted as Represented.

Las Vegas, - - - New Mexico.

A Home For Sale In the Northwest Corner of the Territory.' Located near FARMINGTON, San Juan County, New Mex-

ico, in the FRUIT-GROWING section

It consists of 4); acres. There are two houses, one of them containing three rooms; the other four, with two good cellars; an occased of all kinds of fruit—summer and wister arpies, pears, cherries, creb apples, plums, apricols, peaches, gooseberries, currants, raspberries, alfalfa, to. Plenty of water for irrigation. The yard is set out to all kinds of shrubbery and it is indeed an ide it home in every particular. The property will be sold for 12 700, one half down, the balance on time.

Address The Ortic for particulars.

### First National Bank.

LAS VEGAS, NEW MEXICO.

JOHN W. ZOLLARS, Vice-President. A. B. SMITH, Cashier L. F. ADAMS, Assistant Cashier.

> Accounts Received Subject to Check. Interest Paid on Time Deposits.

**BROWNE & MANZANARES** COMPANY TO

> East Las Vegas and Socorro, New Mexico

Wholesale Grocers. Wool, Hides, Pelts, Plows and Agricultural Implements. Alfalfa, Grass, Cane and Garden Seeds. Eastern Seed Wheat

Ranch and Mining Supplies.

> Fence Wire, Nails, Picks and Shovels, Blasting and Giant Powder, Cement, Sheep Dips, Sulphur, Wool Sacks, Dried Fruits, California and Eastern Canned Fruits and Vegetables, Farinaceous Goods. Navaio Blankets.

Imported and Domestic Groceries

Bain Wagons.

Stoves and Steel Ranges

THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TWO IS NOT THE OWNER.

Installments

We have just received a full assortment. Also all kinds of POULTRY NETTING, SCREEN WIRE, SCREEN DOORS, FENCE WIRE and all seasonable goods to be sold at the lowest possible prices at the - - -

OLD TOWN HARDWARE STORE.

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GROSS. BLACKWELL

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Grocers and Wool Dealers.

GROSS! BLACKWELL & KELLY.

Out Door Roses

American Beauty, red.
Baroness Rothschild, tight pink
Coquette des Blanches, white.
Magna Charta, dark pink.

Hardy . . . Climbing Roses Bal imore Belle, blush white, Prairie Queen, deep rose,

Climbing Vines

Madeira Vine. These vines grow from thirty to

J. BIEHL.

It is

an established fact that our prices are the ruling monarchs of the day. They have won every battle yet fought. Now they have declared war against our entire stock of merchandise, watch them, you will see, they will once more be victorious.

### We Offer for This Week

Ladies' Dress Skirts We offer as follow, for this week

Skirt worth \$2.50 for Skirt worth \$3.50 for - \$2.90 Skirts worth \$4.50 for - \$3.90 Skirts Worth \$5,00 for - \$4.40

Men's Fancy Bosom Shirts With Extra Cuffs Worth \$1.25 for \$1.00

**Emanuel Rosenwald** 

Ladies Shirt Waists We will offer at

Greatly Reduced Prices. We handle the celebrated "Bee Hive" Brand, each garment guaranteed to fit and give satisfaction. We have on display fifty different kinds all made of the newest material with detachable cuffs and collars.

Ladies' Shirt Waist for SSc Price was SSc Ladies' Shirt Waist for 85c Price was \$1.15

Every Waist in the House has Been Reduced in Price.

South Side of Plaza.

The People's Paper.

NEW MEXICO Has the Finest CLIMATE in the WORLD

It is more important to be consistent with the fruth than to be consistent with your past self.

It costs more than \$500,000 a year to eep a battleship in commission. Peace hath her expenses no less than war.

The preacher whose only usefulness lies in his ability to cure insomnia in his hearers, has misunderstood his

Europe sends us her penniless poor while we send her our millionaires and multi-millionaires. Financially speaking, this is no fair exchange.

What extreme adjective of newness can be used to designate the Chicago women who have organized to combat the "new" woman and her ideas of equal suffrage?

It will interest summer visitors to Maine to know that the fight between the guides and the law of that state is growing warm. The law says that every guide shall pay a license of \$40 or give up his business. The majority of guides have flatly refused to vay the

The fish commissioner of Indiana says: . "The greed for more land closes the eyes of a vast majority of the people to the fact that an acre of water, all other conditions being the same, is capable of producing far more foodstuff than is an acre of soil. The small amount of land that is redeemed by lowering or draining the lakes is not commensurate with the amount of food-producing conditions that are thus destroyed." This may be a valuable hint to farmers, who have so long suffered from the low prices of wheat and corn. At all events the farmer with a fish pond is enabled to agreeably vary his own diet.

The executive council has completed the assessment of the railway property in the state of Iowa and has raised the total assessment a little over \$100,000 including sleeping cars. The railway assessment is \$44,455,000, an increase of \$74,000 over last year. The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific and the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy were reduced \$1,000 a mile on their main lines, being now assessed at \$1,100 and \$1,150 respectively. The principal increases are on the Dubuque and Sioux City or the Illinois Central, the Chicago Great Western, the Des Moines, Northern and Western, the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha, the Sloux City and Pacific and the Des Moines and Kansas City.

A Washington dispatch says: "The fact has been recognized among metal workers that the sole obstacle to the wide use of alominium was its high cost as compared with other useful metals. Therefore it will be good news to learn through United States Consul Germain, at Zurich, that in a short time, probably within a year, the price of this metal will fall to about 27 cents per pound, so that but three commercial metals will be cheaper than aluminium, namely, iron, lead and zinc. The consul bases this statement upon the figures he has collected, showing the production of aluminum and the prospective increase of the plants, Last year the cutput was 14,740 pounds daily, of which 4,193 pounds daily were produced in the United States. This year the plants will be increased to bring the daily product up to 42,460 pounds."

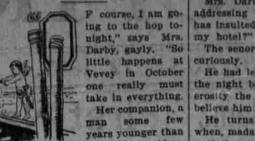
a recent writer states that in Japan the opportunities are exceedingly slim, and it would be wrong to advise a young man to go to the Mikado's empire for the purpose of bettering his condition. Japan is still adhering to her old plan of sending out bright, industrious young men to learn practically, as well as theoretically, whatever new discoveries are made. Scientific books as well as periodicals find earn-est readers, and her colleges and uni-versities are fully up to the times. She is gradually discharging such of the few foreign employes as are left, and wholly declines engaging any one but natives, except in very exceptional cases, After Americans had introduced electric lights and the telephone in Tokio, native engineers have established simifar plants in the large cities of the empire, and, although the result was not always satisfactory in the beginning, they have overcome all dimculties and now furnish a highly satisfactory service. While the Japanese decline to employ foreigners, they have also prohibited the use of foreign capital. Under the present treaty foreigners cannot own real estate, except in a few square rods of the foreign concessions in the open ports, nor can they own shares in a Japanese enterprise. Even Japanese bonds are inalienable to foreigners. Hence the opportunities to invest capital are exceedingly few.

A prominent New England physician says: "The worst possible place to wear a chest-protector is on the chest; the best possible place to wear one is probably on the soles of the feet." etimes the quality of penetration is imparted to a truth by giving it the used me for your amusement. There semblance of a paradox.

The report that a phantom steamer has been seen near Natchez ought to at a tall, dark man who is approach-be true. The great Mississippl is as ing them indoiently at some little dismuch entitled to a phantom ship as is tance away. It is Senor Sevardes! This the great ocean to a Flying Dutch-

The Rev. Mr. Sheffield, an American missionary, may not have converted all the Chinese, but he has blessed them with an invention which entitles him to any number of yellow jackets

THE DAILY OPTIC. THE QUAY AT VEVEY.



happens at curiously. Vevey in October one really must Her companion, a man some few years younger than ows absent-mindedly to an English | men?"

giri who walks briskly by them, armed "I may hope for a few dances, then?"

"A few?" arching her delicate brows I know you dance awfully well. But he American colony talks so in Ve-

"They have nothing better to do," nswers Dick Templeton, glancing contemptucusly at the many idlers along

He is too lately from college and the active life of American summer resorts to feel himself at one with the Americans who lead a purposeless. care-free existence in the little Swiss towns which dot the banks of Lake Geneva.

"The people here do nothing," he reterated, the contempt in his voice leepening.

"Some of them study," murmurs the vidow apologetically, lowering her parasol slightly.

Then she adds a moment later: Why do you stay here, Mr. Templeton, f you do not like the life?" Mrs. Darby knows the young American is staying solely on her account, but she wants him to tell her so. As the couple pause to speak to a group of their acquaintance she is inwardly debating as to whether she will let Dick Templeton propose to her now or wait until tonight at the Townsends' hop. She deides it would better be now, as she inends devoting the greater part of her evening to Senor Sevardes, a handsome Spaniard who has made love to her all fashion, saying, perhaps, in his broken had meant to say. He had been told women up to a certain point, and he found Mrs. Darby very interesting. It had been a new experience to Mrs.

Darby and she had grown more interested in him than she would care to So as Mrs. Darby and Dick Templeton continued their slow promenade, she looks up at him in evident expecta-

tion of an answer to her last ques-"Mrs. Darby," replies the young man,



"YOU ARE A FLIRT." and fixed on the distant mountains,

'you know why I am staying." "I? Mr. Templeton, indeed I do not." He glances at her suddenly, but she, too, has her eyes fixed on the blue white distance.

The man pauses abruptly and leans against the parapet. They have reach-

ed the end of the quay. Mrs. Darby stops, perforce, with a wish that the next few moments were well over with. The frank admiration of her young countryman has been very pleasant to her and she has encouraged him until even the most unobservant matron in the American colony has coupled their names together. But a slight feeling of regret comes to her now that she sees him so much

in earnest. "I am staying," Dick Templeton goes on, "because you are here, Mrs. Darby, and tecause I would rather be where you are than anywhere else on earth. Last week when I went to Geneva I thought I could do without you, but I was mistaken. I came back in three days. Every moment had been an hour to me. Ah, Marion, I thought you were glad to see me when I returned. You cannot have been trifling with me. Marion. I love you. I have never lovmy wife."

Mrs. Darby's face expresses some regret but more annoyance. Why need great extent other equally important he be so serious? She knows that he districts may be discovered. will reproach her, and she hesitates a few moments before answering, tryto think of something natural to

"Dick." she says at last, softly, "I am truly sorry this has happened. I think so much of you. I thought we were such good friends. I never-" Stop!" Interrupts the man hastily. Do not lie to me. You knew from the first that I loved you."

"Sir!" she repeats, her eyes flashing angrily. "Mr. Templeton, you insult You forget yourself strangely." "I forget nothing but that you have is no insult for such as you. You are flirt!" He is looking directly at her now, but she is looking up at the quay scene must be over before he reaches

She turns passionately to the man who has dared to address her like this. "You fool," she hisses, "because I have accepted your flowers and books; because I have walked with you, driven with you and allowed you to carry my | acle.-Tid-Bits, wraps, is that a reason why you shoul fancy I love you? Your Intense con

spare me the very disagreeable duty

of accompanying you home." Mrs. Darby turns white, "Senor," ddressing the newcomer, "this man ing to the hop to- has insulted me. Will you take me to

The senor eyed the young American

He had lent the Spaniard 500 francs the night before, and after such gentake in everything. erosity the suave foreigner could not elleve him capable of insulting a lady. He turns to Mrs. Darby. when, madame, have I had the right to the pretty widow, protect you from your own country-

Then, holding out a small packet to Dick Templeton. "Here is the money. monsieur, you so kindly lent me at ards last night. I am leaving for Lausannes on the 5 o'clock train." He shakes hands cordially with Dick, bows formally to Mrs. Darby and, rossing the road, is soon lost to view n a narrow side street.

Templeton, thrusting the money in is pocket, turns his back to Mrs. Darby and again leans over the parapet. "Dick," says Marion in a low voice. Suppressing an oath, Dick, without

urning, says coldly: "Are you going on, Mrs. Darby, or shall 1?"

The woman sees she cannot retrieve what she has lost. A moment later Marion Darby is walking up the quay alone.

WHERE MARY LAMB DIED.

The Little Dreamy Old Lady's Famous Visitors. Apropos of the recent celebration of Charles Lamb's birthday at the Urban

Club, John Hollingshead writes as follows in London Sketch: The house in which Mary Lamb died, after surviving her devoted brother, Charles Lamb (who died in 1835), thirteen years, has been swept away with the bulk of Alpha road by the new Shef-

field railway works. After Mary Lamb had murdered her Her brother and friends came to the when the horses are fitted out with autumn in his charming, open, foreign rescue to prevent her being impri oned as a criminal lunatic. My two great but delightful English, more than he aunts-Miss Sarah James and Mrs. are usually steaded a little until they Parsons-as friends of the family, ofone could say anything to American fered to be responsible for her safety and conduct, and Mrs. Parsons, who lived at 20 Alpha road, the northwest side, about eight houses from the main road, fitted her up a comfortable room on the ground floor, with a French door window opening into the orchard garden, which in the later '30's and '40's

was full of apple trees. This room was her sitting room and library, every inch of the walls being filled with books, some of them presentation copies, in paper covers, from Wordsworth, Keats, Coleridge, Southey, John Clare, William Goodwin, Tom Hood and others, with the folios and old dramatists which Charles Lamb had gleaned from many bookstalls.

I spent many afternoons with the little, dreamy old lady, who often looked over me rather than at me, and tried my best to amuse her by playing a very irregular game of whist,

go out in the garden and feast myself Washburn of Boston, who wrote the on the apples.

A COUNTRY OF SURPRISES. Coal, Lead, Silver and Tin in South Africa-

While there is little doubt that with proper development of its agricultural and pastoral resources South Africa could be made practically self-supporting, the successful development of these industries depends nevertheless upon the creation of local markets through the stimulus given by mining operations, says the North American Re-With the exception of mining gold

diamonds and coal there have been no considerable exploitations of its mineral resources. Coal fortunately exists in many parts of the country, and it has been estimated that the known coal fields represent an area of 56,000 square miles, which is equal in extent to the state of Iowa. There exist in some parts of the country large deposits of iron contiguous to the coal fields. But as yet the economic conditions have not favored the development of that industry. Lead, silver, cinnabar, tin and other metals are also found in many parts of the country, but have not been remuneratively worked. Among the mining countries of South Africa the Transvaal is facile princeps, and is in all probability destined to maintain its paramount position, though, as is well ed another woman. I ask you to be known, South Africa is "a country of surprises," and it is possible, of course, though not probable, that within its

> Horses' Keen Instinct. The horse has a strong sense of smell. He will leave musty hay un-

touched in his bin, however hungry; neither will he drink objectionable water, however thirsty. His intelligent nostril will widen, quiver andquery over the daintlest bits offered by the fairest hands. Blind horses will gallop wildly about a pasture without striking the surrounding fence. The sense of smell informs them of its proximity. Others will, when loosened from the stable, go to the gate or bars pening to their accustomed feedinggrounds. The horse, in browsing, is guided in its choice of proper food en-tirely by its notirils. Blind horses do not make mistakes in their diet. In the temple of Olympus a bronze horse was exhibited, at the sight of which real horses experienced the most violent emotion. It is said that in casting the statue a magician had thrown hippomanes upon it, which, by the odor of the plant, deceived the horses, and therein is the secret of the mir-

ar—"Look here, old chap, I've year at home for all purposes, includ-dvised to go to Thompkins, the ling feeding stock," said a business

HORSES ON SNOWSHOES.

ubber-Coat Steel Plates That Enabl

Them to Work in the Snow. All the horses working at the placer nine under the shadow of Pilot peak, umas county, Cal., wear snowshoes, says the San Francisco Call. The alitude of the place is about 5,500 feet, and enormous quantities of snow fall there in the winter, not unfrequently reaching the depth of twenty feet. "To overcome the disadvantages of

the snow and enable us to carry on our projects there," said Mr. Bowman, one of the owners of the mine, "we put snowshoes on the horses. By doing this we are able to get in our supplies of groceries, meats, canned goods and other things and to transport the product of our mines. All our picks, shovels, giant powder and similar things that have to be taken about in winter are handled in this way. Only California bred horses are used. It has been found these are the best, and, if possible, we get mountain horses, those that are raised at high altitudes. The horses go right along in the snow. They usually take a fast walk, but sometimes they trot a little. They get so accustomed to the snowshoes that they don't stumble or fall at all, and they like them so well that they don't like to walk without them. They will put up their feet to have the snow shoes put on. We used wooden shoes at first, and they worked very well, but now we have something a great deal better. It consists of a thin steel plate eight inches in diameter, through which are holes for the calks of the ordinary shoe. The plate is fastened by a steel spring to the lower part of the hoof, and there is a nut on it so it can be screwed on tight with a wrench, On the bottom of this steel plate is a coating of India rubber, and this, by the way, is a great improvement in horse mowshoes. It keeps the shoe free entirely of snow, whereas formerly snow used to clog and fill up on nother in a fit of insanity it became a the plate. This would cause the horse question what was to be done with her. to slip and flounder around. Even snowshoes for the first time they rarely ever fall, though, of course, they they get the hang of things. We are careful not to select nervous horses. We don't, want a horse that's too high spirited. We rather prefer those that are quiet and not easily perturbed. The trained snowshoe horses go anywhere, no matter how precipitous the

mountains are nor how deep the snow is. We tried for awhile making snow shoes out of aluminum for the horses. The metal was light, and it was thought for a time it would be just the thing. But we found that the aluminum, unlike steel, would bend, so we gave up the new white metal and stuck to the steel, using a thick rubber coating for the bottom

THE HISTORY OF A SONG. "The Vacant Chalr" and Its War-Time

Almost every American is familiar with the song called "The Vacant Visitors sometimes came in and I was Chair," though comparatively few allowed to watch them from a corner. know the name of the author of the William Goodwin, Miss Kelly, Tom verses or the circumstances which gave Hood, William Hazlitt and many oth- rise to their composition, says the New ers passed before my boyish eyes, and England Magazine. A recent writer has I am sorry to say I often left them to given a sketch of Henry Stevenson words of "The Vacant Chair" and of Lieut. John William Grout of the Massachusetts volunteers, whose heroic death they commemorated.

John William Grout was born in Worcester, Mass., in 1843, son of a well known and wealthy manufacturer. From the earliest age the boy manifested intense love of things military and distinguished himself at the Worcester military academy, where he studied. At the outbreak of the war his ability was at once recognized by the authorities and ho was commissioned second lieutenant in company D of the 15th Massachusetts volunteers. He became very popular in the regiment and was in great demand as drillmaster. In the field the young lieutenant displayed conspicuous coolness and bravery, but his career was unfortunately very brief. He lost his life in the disastrous engagement which took place in October, 1861, near Poolsville, Md.

Young Grout was intimate with the family of Mr. Washburn, being a warm friend of that gentleman's son and on the Thanksgiving following the young man's death Mr. Washburn, sympathizing with the family, which would feel its bereavement doubly at that festival season, was inspired with some verses, which were afterward published under the name of "The Vacant Chair' in the Worcester Spy and signed H. S. W. These verses met the eye of Mr. George Root of Chicago, who set them to music without any correspondence with the author, as the lines were not copyrighted. The song appeared as The Vacant Chair, words by H. S. W., music by George F. Root," and at once appealed to the public, selling in enorous numbers. Mr. Washburn, who has been a prominent business man and was for some years in the house of representatives, is now 84 years old and lives in a beautiful home in the Aberdeen district of Boston. He has written many pretty and touching verses besides "The Vacant Chair" and not long ago published a volume containing

his principal poems. Hexperience of Hauthor. Mr. Pembeiton's first book was en-titled "The Diary of a Scoundrel," about which he tells an amusing little incident: "I was spending a few days at a senside town with a friend, who one evening wanted to buy my book. We strolled to the rallway book store, and we saked the clerk for a copy. ' Diary of a Scoundrel!"-oh, yes, that is the hexperience of the hauthor, I expect,' said the young cockney clerk, as he handed it over. I retired modestly from the scene."-The Bookman.

Each Person's Share of Salt Is a Bushel, From the Le Roy Gazette: "I use

FOR WOMEN AND HOME

ITEMS OF INTEREST FOR MAIDS AND MATRONS.

silk Costumes for Summer Wear Possibility of a Cheap Gown in the Present Condition of the Market So Household Hints.

Lord Ullin's Daughter

CHIEFTAN to the silver pound
To tow us o'er the
ferry."
"Now, who be ye
would cross

And this Lord Ullin's daughter. "And fast before her father's men,
Three days we've fled together,
For should he find us in the glen,
My blood would stain the heather:
His horsemen hard behind us ride,
Should they our steps discover,
Then who will cheer my bonnie bride,
When they have slain her lover?"

Out spoke the hardy Highland wight,
"Til go, my chief, I'm ready;
It is not for your silver bright,
But for your winsome lady;
And by my word, the bonny bird
In danger shall not tarry.
So, though the waves are raging white,
I'll row you o'er the ferry." y this the storm grew loud apac

By this the storm grew loud apace,
The water-wraith was shricking.
And in the scowl of Heaven each face
Grew dark, as they were speaking;
But still, as wilder blew the wind,
And as the night grew drearer,
Adown the glen rode armed men,
Their trampling sounded nearer. haste thee, hastel" the lady "Oh. cries, "Though tempests round us gather, I'll meet the raging of the skies, But not an angry father."
The boat has left a stormy land,

terials for trimming. Ribbon velvet is the # monatons and using linen or de-also much used, and has a quaint, old-nim in place of brocades and silks. ashion air that makes it thoro up to Gate. A charming gown is of pearl gray silk with a fine hair-line stripe in black. The skirt is narrow, with what little fullness it has drawn to the back. Yet the trimming easily everences my scant appearance about the bottom. It introduces six flources of white satin, the upper one headed with two bands of black velvet rib-bon. The bodice is bloused with narrow basque skirts of white satin. In front it opens in large white satin revers, to reveal a short vest of the same material, and below crosses to the left side, fastening with three large pearl buttons. Wash silks will also be much used this summer. They make ideal shirtwaists, if unlined, and keep the color much better than those of cotton when laundered. To be of greatest value, however, they should be cut in the plain shape.

Sketches the Bride's Bouquet. Under ordinary circumstances painting flowers in water colors isn't a source of immense profit. Nevertheless there is a girl who is reaping a rich harvest from it. It all began in this way: The young artist was one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of a wealthy friend and was the lucky one who caught the bride's bouquet when it was thrown to the maids. The idea occurred to her that it would be a graceful thing to make a sketch of the bouquet and give it to the bride; and, being clever with her brush and having a keen sense of artistic possibilities, the succeeded in combining the rather stiff bouquet, a fan, a polcolor and sentiment

The bride was in ecstasy. So were her friends. Soon one of the bridesmaids needed bridesmaids of her own. greater rage than ever. Every ma-

White satin and lace are the best ma- | a bag for soiled linen, only increasing

Potpourri of Fruit. Now is the time to begin your potourri jar of preserved fruits. Get a arge stone jar, the size you think will old all you want. Take as many boxes of strawberries as you wish, say two or three, and cover them with alsugar, simply placing the stone lid on the jar, leaving them to preserve in the unscaled jar. The next fruit that comes into the market place in the iar with enough more alcohol to cover them, with sugar to taste, and so on, placing every fruit in the jar when

it is perfectly fresh. Next winter you will have a very delicious preserve to offer occasionyl guests or to serve at afternoon tea-

Wedding Moaths.

There is a popular idea that June s the favorite month for weddings, and that the young woman who loves romance and wishes fortune to smile upon her nuptials in every way must choose this of all months. Cold ans unromantic fact, however, shows that the three most popular marriage months are October, November and December. Fifty years' records show this to be true, and also demonstrates the fact that the most unpopular months for marriage are January, February and March.

Economy Set at Defiance. It was predicted last summer that this season would see few of the tafished table and a shimmering pale feta-lined summer gowns. Their cost, green scarf into a delicious bit of expense of making and their delicacy unfitted them for common wear. Yet this summer the canvas and batiste effects have opened with a



MODISH SAILOR FOR SUMMER GIRL.

A stormy sea before her— When, oh! too strong for human hand, The tempest gathered o'er her.

And still they rowed amidst the roar And still they rowed amidst the roar
Of waters fast prevailing,
Lord Ullin reached that fatal shore,
His wrath was changed to walling,
For sore dismayed, thro' storm and
shade
His child he did discover,
One lovely hand she stretched for aid,
And one was round her lover.

'Come back, come back!" he cried in grief.
Across this raging water,
"And I'll forgive your Highland chief,
My daughter!"
"Twas vain, the loud waves lashed the

Return or aid preventing.

The water wild went o'er his child.

And he was left lamenting!

—Thomas Campbell.

It is quite possible that many women will wear silk gowns this summer.



terial is offered at a very low price.

Foulard, although not very new, if made up carefully, will look well, and can be purchased as low as 25 cents. It comes in soft ground colors with serolls of white. Some of the prettiest show a fine stripe instead of partiers may be uses in making delphia North Amer.can.

bottom of the bag. Shape the bottom are finished with the same soft effect in mounseline de soie.

"The trouble with you foke writers in that you never take anything seriously." Oh," replied Schriblets, "we leave that for the editors. Philaseme soft effect in mounseline de soie.

in catching the bouquet. This bride refused to be happy unless she, too, could have a sketch of her bridal bouquet. The artist charged a good place of taffeta and lace. price this time, and to her surprise bridegroom. Being gifted with a share | batiste embroidery put on plain around of the wisdom of the serpent, she saw that the thing was too good to last, and that the opporunity must be improved while it did last, so she boldly put her prices up to a most extrava-gant figure. That only set the seal upon her popularity, and made her still more necessary to a wedding. She momentarily expects the frost to strike her, but meanwhile she gathers her harvest of shekels and sings hymns of praise to the ancient and honorable institution of matrimony.

A Mammoth Work-Bag. Work bags are an old story, but we must have them, and this year there are some that are most exquisite as well as practical. It has been the fad all winter to make red golf vests for our men to wear when the golfing season set in, and the bag to hold such imbitions fancy work had to grow in ortion to the new requirements Go look among the art goods chintzen cretonnes, canvases and the othe weaves that are newer still, and select with an eye to the pattern as well as the color of your material. Buy something with a medallion design in garlands or ribbons and flowers. Next get a material in plain color that con-trasts with the background of your a bias fold of the old rose taffeta, to medallion goods and harmonizes with give a new high sleeve effect. Two make the bag cut out two of your just at the top of the aleeves. These semi-circular horseshoe medallion patare faced with the rose taffets. The terns and applique them on the plain material, leaving them intact on the inter edges, as they are to form the

It wasn't the artist, in spite of her luck | terial comes in "open" weight, and you can have a lining as elegant as you please. There are several inexpensive lining materials which can take the

A pretty cream foulard gown with found herseif the originator of a social | an old rose stripe in it is made over a fad. She became as much a part of a transparency of rose taffeta. The skirt swell wedding as the caterer, florist or is a full godet with a trimming of



the botom. The short round bodice is made of solid old rose taffeta with a full short yoke of cream mousseline de sole. Around the yoke there is a broad, full berthe, made of embroidertail crush collar is of the solid taffeta and is headed with two choux of the cream mousse'ine de sole. The sleeves are fluished with the same soft effect in

### WONDERS OF PARIS.

WORK BEGUN FOR THE EXPO-SITION OF 1900.

The Magnificent Site - Committee Li Now Selecting Appropriate Designs to Astonish the World-Details of Plans

(Special Letter) ORK has actually

been begun on the grounds where the year 1900 will see the Paris exposition the greatest show, by long odes, that has ever been offered to the public of the world. The spot chosen for the site is one partially covered with buildings, and most

of these are now in course of demo lition. In their place will rise a pleasure city that will outrank those of the tales of the "Arabian Nights." No city anywhere, not even in the United States, contains in its center an area of land equally available for exposition purposes. When you stop to consider that this wonderful show is to be held not in the outskirts of this, one of the oldest and most beautiful of the European centers of population, but in the very heart thereof, you will be able to form an adequate idea of the first step toward the construction of what the Parisians claim will astonish all mankind. The site for the exposition includes the public grounds on both sides of the Seine from the Place de la Concord, that great monumental square in the city's center, to a point beyond the Pont d'Jena. This cludes in its sweep of territory the purpose to spare neither time nor mon-Champs de Mars, the Trocadero Palace and park, which was the site of the exposition of 1889, the Espianade dea Invalides, the Quai d'Orsay, the Quai de la Conference, the Cour la Reine, and a large section of the Champs Elysees, this latter including of the negro and Bantu tribes of West rate to \$6,500; in Missouri, \$5,000; in the site of the Palace of Industry, Africa believe in the composite nature Nebraska, \$4,000; in Kansas, \$2,060;

which indicate the determination of France to excell the world. Never before has an immense section of a city's heart been torn to pieces in an effort to provide room for an attraction of sufficient magnitude to make this busy world pause and wonder. While all the details of the architecture have not yet been worked out, it is certain that the Palace of the Trocadero, which was utilized both for the expositions of 1878 and 1889, will be used, as well as several of the great exposition halls of 1889 in the Champs de Mars, although there will be changes in all of them. On the site of the Palace of Industry, in which the exposition of 1855 was held, will rise a splendid structure to broken for the hall of liberal arts. two buildings, from the Champs Elyspanned by a stately bridge, which will be Connecticut pays her governor \$4,000 and little Rhode Island pays \$3,000.

The New England states of the connecticut pays the governor \$4,000 and little Rhode Island pays \$3,000. sees to the Seine. At its meeting place the present emperor laid the corner stone of the foundations thereof on his recent visit to Paris. It is promised that this bridge will not only be re-markable for its strength, but equally notable for its architectural beauty. markable for its strength, but equally notable for its architectural beauty. This bridge, too, will councet the Champe Elysees and the Esplanade des Invalides. Thus it can be fairly said, and for the first time that the work. and for the first time, that the work of constructing the exposition has been begun. The plans are revised as stated. The key note of it all, however, is the determination of France to excel everything in the way of expositions that the other nations of the earth have accomplished. It is her

West African Ideas of the Soul. Miss Mary H. Kingsley, the wellknown traveler, affirms that not a few

of the buildings which now cover the and a very active one, too. I have atte. This is one of the facts eard that the present head was once an ambassador to a European country, but really do not believe any one knows who he is. There are said to be over \$00,000 men under him and his selstants who control the various dis-

WHAT GOVERNORS GET.

musi Salaries from \$10,000 Down to

as Low as \$1,500.

Three state of the forty-five pay \$10,000 a year each to their chief executive, or \$2,000 more than is paid a cabinet officer. These three states are New York, New Jersey and Pennsylbe used as the fine arts hall of the expositions universale. Just west of this ary; now he gets \$8,000. The gov relocation, and on the same side of the nor of Louisiana, for whose office there champs Elysees, the ground has been is an election every fourth year, for broken for the hall of liberal arts, which is to be a permanent edifice. A broad avenue will extend between these \$1,000 a year for a four years' term, or \$20,000. The governor of Ohio gets \$8,000 a year for a two years' term.

order are not very liberal in the compensation of their governors. The Bovernor of Maine gets \$2,500 a year, The governor of New Hampshire receives Vermont or Oregon pays. But the governor of Oregon has a four-years' to-m whereas the governor of Vermont Las a term of only two years. The goverpor of North Carolina, one of the cdest and largest of the original stars, gets only \$3,000 salary, while the governor of South Carolina, a smaller and less important commonwealth, regel es \$3,500. The governor of Georg's -eceives \$3,000; the governor of Flui-da \$3,500. Michigan pays a governor 54,-000; Montana, a state of much umaller population, \$5,000. In Kentucky the

SURPRISING CONCEPTIONS WHICH WILL BE FEATURES OF THE PARIS EXPOSITION OF 1900.

which was the International Exposition of the human soul; that they most of Maryland pays \$4,500; Texas, \$4,000; of 1855, the first of the series of French

It really seems as if every ingentous schemer the world over has been de- many of the negro tribes suppose that ernors, \$2,500. The governor of Alavoting himself to making suggestions for striking features for the exposition. There is the marvelous city in the air with a taste for ranging out freely in to be sustained by a gigantic balloon. the bush, and which may be trapped The city is to drop down to the ground at convenient intervals and take aboard such additions to its population as again, not only low negroes, but Ban-may be inclined to thus rise in the tus, believe in a dream soul, which world, or to permit the debarkation of also files abroad when the owner is persons who are tired of remaining sleeping, and if he is awakened too so long within one city's limits. The suddenly may not be able to get back woman's building, which has practi- home in time for his awakening, cally been decided upon, is likely to be in the form of a composite head, this head being made in accordance with a composite picture of the most beautiful women in the world. The head is to possess many unique features, besides containing all sorts of comforts -from the rooms, where women may gossip in easy chairs to the restaurant. where they will gain at the same time new ideas and excellent meals. One of the most unique ideas submitted was that of a gigantic fountain to be placed in the center of a great basin or lake. Tremendous force is to be applied to the jets, forcing them to a height of 200 feet. The papers have already described at length the great globe, the aerial railway, the gigantic telescopes and other big features of the exposition. Among the other propositions presented, and there have been 250 of them, is a palace for the accommodation of the public in general, a gorgeous affair, which, it is declared, shall contain everything that heart could wish and money can buy.

Then there will be an exhibition of the works of man from an early period up to date. This will apply particularly to the more notable inventions of great artists, and will include portraits, statuary, manuscripts, etc. A two hundred ton clock is under consideration. A wine vat that will hold 88,000 gallons is another suggestion Mines and geological exhibits without number are among the plans submit-ted. Camille Flammarion, the famous astronomer, wants a tremendous moon constructed, around which those who desire shall circulate in a balloon. As for theaters, panoramas and other amusements, there are suggestions without number. Of course, it is proposed to have the Passion play. Another idea is to have a submarine theater. Then comes the usual Alpine panorama and another, which it is alleged will represent the mysteries of the ocean. The doings of the recent expedition of the French to Madagascar are what some one wishes to exploit on canvas. And so it goes.

The entries have now closed, and the members of the exposition committee must deliberate over what is before While eighty-four suggestion have been held to be worthy of consideration, really not more than sixty-one of these projects are at all in accordance with the general plan of the exposition. One of the commissioners has gone so far as to say that only twenty-three of them are at all approoriate, but this question must be set tied by the commissioners as a whole. To fully appreciate the immerise amount of labor required to place the site of the exposition in proper condition for the beginning of the srection of the buildings, it must be understood ore are encouraged, and colinsion is that the work which is now in progress impossible. The head of the Chinese is care for its poor.

It cost Boston \$108.875 has year of the Chinese care for its poor.

them accept one soul which survives Idaho, \$3,000; West Virginia, \$2,700. death, and also some other subsidiary Delaware and Utah have the same souls which do not survive it; that standard of compensation for the goveach man or woman has also a "bush bama receives the same salary as the soul," which is a ghost-like animal governor of Alaska, \$3,000. Wisconsin and kept in a cage, to the great discomfort of the true proprietor; that whence again many evils result: and further, that there is a shadow soul. which may be seriously injured if any one treads on the shadow. Miss Kingsley even relates that she saw a woman who had a hatred for a certain man stealthily creep behind him to where his shadow was falling on the earth, and hammer a great darning needle into the shadow of his head. intending thereby to bring about his death. The West African tribes think the bush soul is the animal part of them, which, when it is relieved of the superintendence of its human intelligence, enjoys its freedom in the bush like the animals to which they retain so close an affinity; that when they dream there is some part of them that can leave the body and play fantastic tricks among their neighbors; and, again, that there is a life in the shadow which accompanies every one during

China's 600,000 Detentives.

A Frenchman naturally thinks the Parisian detectives the best. Englishmen swear by the shrewdness of Scotland Yard men, and Americans, of course, swear by the New York detectives. After three years' residence in China, says one writer, I do not think either of the three bodies are entitled to the credit given them. The Chinese beat them all. They are at one time the most expert thieves, and at another the most skilled detectives in the world. A Chinaman can steal your watch while you are looking at it, and he can catch the man who stole it if it happened to be some other than himself when a French detective could not, I have seen evidences of detective ability among the Chinese which would startle even Zola. It is impossible for an evil-doer to long clude the Chinese detectives. They scent a crime and follow it to the last before civilized detective would know of it. In a country of so many people who all look alike, this is remarkable. I heard of one case, which will serve to illustrate or case, which will be case, whi in three weeks the marderer—none other than the chief of the secret police, who handled the case for the murderer—was arrested and beheaded. Think of that. The Chinese detective force is a secret body, and the best organized in the world. They have an eya upon every man, woman and child, foreign or native, in China, and in addition watch over each other. Informers are encouraged and collector is aces were placed upon the case, and

KENTUCKY'S OLDEST MILL.

Built in 1809 by Two Shaker M aries from New York.

(Special Letter.)
One of the oldest mills now standing in Kentucky is that known as the "Shaker" mill, which is located on Shawnee run, a small stream in Mercer county, about six miles northeast of Harrodsburg. The mill has now fallen into decay; the dam was partially washed away by a freshet in th spring of 1896, and the mill stones which for so many years ground thel grist day and night, are stilled. The mill was erected about the year 1809 by John Meacham and Benjamin Youngs, Shaker missionaries from th Mt. Vernon Society in New York, Then had established a Shaker community within a mile of the mill site, and as it was thriving rapidly they soon found the need of a mill. At first the mill was rather a small affair, but as the



KENTUCKY'S OLDEST MILL

Shaker community increased in num bers and wealth improvements were added until it was finally one of the best mills in Mercer county. It was noted all over Central Kentucky for its excellent qualities in making the delicious salt-rising bread so familiar to all strangers who have partaken of Kentucky's courtry hospitality.

Lonfer's Idea of Don Onixote. "Yes, senor, Don Quixote was a fun-ny chap. It's a great book, though, and known to the whole world, even to the heathen and to the English, and the others. I read it and found it droll reading, but the best of it I did not get. There is much in it for persons of learning. They all say who know that the science of the world is there, and their shrewdness. A family in Ton-Quixote was a very ridiculous fellow quin was murdered, and there was no surely! Think of his taking thos apparent clue to the murderer. The western at the Voice for castle maid ntire detective corps of three prov- ens! Jesu, what an ass he was! An

Sancho, you say! Well, he is like you and me, he wants to eat and aleen an get along with everybody in a nice way But then I don't know the book. Ther

AN IMITATOR ONLY.

MINISTER MERRY MORE EXACT-ING THAN PAUNCEFOTE.

Ha Wife Felt Aggrieved-The Presiden ering Her Claim to Honor, Escorted Mrs. Madison to Dinner Ton Moore Her Companion.

HE Pauncefote predence incident relative to Grant day ceremonies, caused one of history's ever recurring incidents. Nearly one

hundred years ago e of the British ambassador's predesors raised a similar question, unfortunately after the event instead of efore. For a long time the feeling was intensely disagreeable, and at one time bade fair to become serious.

A literary interest is added to the occurrence by the fact that Tom Moore, tl a poet, then visiting America, seized upon it as the theme for one of the he wrote to his friends in England. He was an intimate associate of the English minister and his wife, and his condolences with the latter on the "af-front" to which she had been subjected did much to fan the flame of the lady's fury.

President Jefferson was the offender. complainants in the diplomatic cause celebre of 1804. They were at the white house, having accepted the Jefferson happened, when dinner was announced, to be conversing with Mrs. Madison, the wife of his secretary of state. He accompanied her to the ta- ing illumination. ble. Mrs. Merry was at some distance from the president at the time of the announcement, but this fact she regarded as in no way palliative of what she considered the insult to which she had been subjected. The president of the youthful republic had given to the wife of his minister precedence over the wife of old England's representa-

Mrs. Merry was furious. A vain, fault finding woman, imbued with a native contempt for free institutions, she scized upon the incident as a means possibly of fomenting a petty diplomatic fuss, of which she would be the center. By her flattery she had so completely won the little poet that he saw America and Americans through her eyes only, and when little Moorethen, by the by, a man of only about five and twenty-wrote of the "monstrous" occurrence to his mother from Baltimore on June 13, 1804, he used this language: "I stopped at Washington with At.

and Mrs. Merry for near a week; they have been treated with the most pointed incivility by the present Democratic president, Mr. Jefferson, and it is only the precarious situation of Great Britain which could possibly induce it to overlook such indecent, though at the same time petty, hostility."

The Merrys did not kek sympathy in Washington, where the Federalists readily aided Mrs. Merry in her en-deavors to have a British minister show that an insult to his wife was a mighty serious international affair. Mr. Merry, being a dutiful husband, as well as a zealous representative, waxed frantic, and before long the tempest in the teapor had become so very tumultuous that Secretary Madison communicated with Mr. Monroe—then minister to England-on the subject. It seemed at the time possible that the American minister might be called upon to explain the "incivility" to Mrs. Merry, and Mr. Madison thought it wise to inform the minister as to the facts. Mr. Monroe was promptly equal to the occasion. No attempt was made by the British foreign office to call his attention officially to the lamented ineldent, but a British under secretary, acting under instruction probably, did

the same time intimation that an offi-Though a grave man, Mr. Monroe could not keeping treating the matter in a spirit of fun. He gave his infor-mant to understand that he considered the affair too absurd for serious consideration. At the same time, while dilating with unwonted merriment of the humorous features of the case, he slyly called the under secretary's attention to the fact that should the affair should reach diplomatic importance, he had a "tu quoque" ready in the shape of a countercharge of incivility. In fact, not long before, the wife of an English under secertary, at a state dinner in England, had been ac-

bring the subject up to Mr. Monroe, at

corded precedence over Mr. Monroe. The Merry affront incident was closed and the excitement attending it soon passed away, as far as concerned all but the Merrys. They continued to pose as monstrously offended persons. Mr. Merry never visited the white nouse save on official business. Mrs. Merry refused to go there at all. President Jefferson, desiring to establish a more agreeable state of affairs, inquired through a diplomatic medium whether Mr. and Mrs. Merry would hour him to a family dinner. On Mr. Merry's assent he sent the invitation in his own hand writing. Mr. Merry, doubtless under conjugal daress, formally addressed Secretary of State Madison asking whether he was invited in his personal or official capacity. If the former he must obtain the permission of his sovereign before accepting; if

of his sovereign before accepting; if the latter, he must be assured of treat-ment becoming his exalted position. Here is what Mr. Madison replied: "The president instructs be to say that Mr. and Mrs. Merry are at liberty to act as they please in a matter of such small moment."

ended the Whether or not the Merry's temper improved, that of their poer friend didn't. He continued to write savagely of the land and neople whose honored guest he was. Of Nortolk, in, he wrote.

"Nothing is to be seen in the streets but dogs and negroes; and the few ladies that pass for while are the most unlovely pieces of crockery I ever set my eyes upon. \* \* Poor Mrs. Merry has been in Illitreated by the mosquitoes as she has been by every one else. They have bit her into a sever."

In a poem he alluded by innuendo to

That inglorious soul Which creeps and winds beneath a Mob's control, Which courts the rabble's smile, the

And makes, like Egypt, every beast its In the same poem he describes Washngton as a misguided person.

A BRILLIANT SPECTACLE. An Ignorance That Was Not Altogether

Some weeks ago a story was circulated in Harrisburg that there would be visible in the western sky soon after unset a brilliant light, which - was nothing less wonderful, the rumor told, than a huge electric spark which some scientists were sending up nightly ouse. Pittsburg, says the Philadelphia Times. The story spread rapidly, and when evening came the streets were filled with credulous people who gazed with, amazement at the brilliant orb, which, true to report, shone out bright and clear. The newspapers of Harrisburg lowing day and told the people that the story of the electric light was a fake and that the ball of fire was simply the slanderous and vindictive letters that planet Venus, which had been shining there at corresponding seasons for ages and would doubtless continue to Illuminate that part of the heavens an-

til the world should be no more. The Harrisburg people perceived that they had been duped and were ashamed at their display of ignorance. But a week later the same story was spread usually intelligent people of that bor-ough went through the same performance of admiring the wonderful elecpresident's invitation to dinner. Mr. tric light. The newspapers again assumed the role of instructors in astronomy, and Venus was for the second time given proper credit for the even-

But ignorance will not down, and last week the good people of Lancaster, having heard the story, went out after sunset and beheld with amagement the glowing orb that had already brought so much fame to the scientists of Pittsburg. There are some doubting Thomases, however, among the Lancastrians and the story was not accepted universally. A pilgrimage was made to the observatory on the grounds of Franklin and Marshall college and there a glance through the telescope dissipated at once all belief in the story that, singularly enough, had found lodgment in the minds of the people in three distinet localities.

Where the display of ignorance may reak out next is problematical. Perhaps the delusion is at an end. But all this should point the lesson that the facts of the world in which we live are not taught plainly and intelligently enough in the schools, and the habit of observation is scarcely taught at all. If children in the schools were given some rudimentary instruction in astronomy, or at least had their aftention drawn to the wonders of the heavens, there would be no such displays of ignorance as have broken out in this state, and the people would have a far better chance to enjoy the world, because they could appreciate some of its many beauties.

Hotels in Greece.

Professor Gildersleeve writing in the hypocrisy and m that line of business. Very often, however, the master of the Apollo has only rooms to let. The sleeping apartments on the floor above are often approachedby an outside stairway, and, as is to be expected in a southern climate, they are scantily furnished. Over-furnishing is a vice anywhere. Under a southern sky it is a crime of which the Greeks are not guilty. There is usually a mirror, though that tribute of human vanity is sometimes lacking, and, like the Turk, the solitary Turkish towel bears no brother near his throng. The bedstead is invariably of iron. As in primitive United States within my memory, single rooms are rare. Two, three, four, five beds are put in one room or atrung along the corridors. A fastidious person who desires to occupy a room alone has to pay for all the beds therein. In some places special charges are made for sleeping in the daytime, and there is a fixed rate for sleeping on the floor.

Sudden Restoration of Speech A child who had for some years been peechless from what appeared to be paralysis of the vocal chords had been under treatment at an institution for deaf mutes in the hope that something might be done to restore her lost faculty. The physicians had failed to produce any effect, and the little one was to be sent home as incurable. The children who were recovering their powers of speech were singing a faand with tolerable enunciation. Later she pronounced several words and spoke with tolerable ease. The doctors are somewhat puzzled and can give no satisfactory explanation of the curious circumstance.

Old-Bievele Tires. That the second-hand bleycle, or its ire, has its uses is evident from the fact that for some time ingenious per sons have used the older inner cubes as water or ice bags. The tube is cut off at the valve and the long section is filled as may be desired for year or cold. In order to avoid the weight of pressure at one end of the tube ribbons or tapes are tied around the tube at intervals, suggesting a string of sau-sages. As a hot-water bag this arrangement is most desirable. If one requires small bags the tube can be out n sections, one end sealed with ordinary cement and the other, after filing, may be tied with the string

It is an extraordinary fact that only two presidents were born netween April and October. The record by nonths is as follows: January, two: February, three; March, four; April, four; July, one, August, one; Octol

A FRENCHMAN'S VIEW.

His Opinion of the Depopulation of M Country.

The population of France is now efinitely known, and, as was to be exected, the increase since the last cen-us is insignificant compared with that of neighboring countries, says Scalpel. In this a sign of weakness? Does it mean decadence? We will endeavor to supply an answer to these important nestions. There are people who aintain that an increase of populaion does not always coincide with the richness of a nation, that quality is of more consequence than quantity, and so on. It is certain, however, that from a military point of view—espe-cially as regards Germany—the numerical inferiority of his country can-not but be a source of the deepest

anxiety to every patriotic Frenchman.

Let us examine a few of the statistical facts disclosed by the recent enu-meration. Rural depopulation is general everywhere, but even in the most prosperous of our towns there is no ugmentation worth speaking of. According to the last London census the number of inhabitants resident in the British capital was 4,411,270. That is to say, about 300,000 less than the whole of trefand. The increase during the preceding quinquentium was 200,428! Now let us turn to Paris. The prospect is by no means brilliant, not-withstanding the fact that the totals show an increase of 87,250 inhabitants. As the compilers are careful to point out, this result has occurred in spite of a diminution of natality. It simply Prosident Jefferson was the offender. week later the same story was spread proves once more that the mania for minister Merry and his wife were the in the town of West Chester, and the complainants in the diplomatic course in the town of West Chester, and the control of the c impigrants from the provinces to the capital Parisions may sleep in peace. The Seine will always be lined on both sides, even though the people lining it should have no children. The dearth of children in France is

due to the fact that the French people do not choose to have families. This is proved by the census in the most striking and conclusive manner. The old fable that the diminution of population was caused by excessive mortality during infuncy can no longer gain credence. It is not the high-death rate that is blameworthy, but the low birth-rate. Neither can the defective natality be laid to the charge of poverty. The richer a Frenchman is the fewer children he has. This is equally true in town and country. The rich, the educated, the cultured, are the culprits. The centus just taken confirms the melancholy reflections which were published some time ago by Dr. Bertillon. His assertion that if France was to be repopulated it would be thanks to the lower orders is amply, sustained. Grenelle heads the list of births, while the Champs Elysees are at the foot . ....

Poverty is unquestionably one of the chief causes of depopulation, but it is far from being the only one. If the birth-rate diminished in the lower stratum of scelety, poverty might be incriminated, but unfortunately the figures point in precisely the opposite direction. Should we not rather blame the decadence of an effete civilization in which refinement is pushed beyond the limits of reason? Maternity is an instinct; it is nature itself. Now there is nothing so hostile to instinct as education which is based essentially on Atlantic Monthly of hotels in the in-terior of Greece, says there is no com-thoughts, and, after rapid reflection, to mon sitting-room. There is no office, substitute for them others which may but that does not seem to interfere with | conduce toward politeness, but are desthe presentation of the bills. The titute of all sincerity. By dint of ground floor is given up to a cafe or alienating man from natural habits restaurant, if the innkeeper goes into education will end in making him a purely artificial creature, unfit for his position and incapable of adding vigor to the race. Women, unsexed by luxury, will develop an increasing dislike to maternity. That will be the opportunity for less civilized peoples to invade us and make slaves of us, until they, too, in their turn shall become tender and neurotic.

> TACOMA'S EARLY MONEY. Coin Which No United States Bank

Would Recognize.

Tacoma once had a mint that coined all of the money in circulation where the City of Destiny now stands, and it did not require the flat of Uncle Sam, the silver of Idaho or the gold of California to make the pieces from Tacoma's mint pass current among Indians and the few hardy ploneers who were blazing the path of civilization through the forest on the shores of Commencement bay, says the Tacoma

Back in the early '70's the Tacome Mill Company, not being able to handlly secure gold and silver for use in rading with and paying off the Indian aborers and early settlers, hit upon the novel plan of issuing its own currency, and to this end set its blacksmith to work to fashion out of scraps of iron and brass pieces of money, or rather tokens, which could be used as a circulating medium

The pieces consisted of 40 and 45 orite and inspiring hymn, when the cent iron tokens and brass \$1 pieces, child, without the slightest warning. The 40-cent pieces were about an inch joined in the chorus and sang heartily in diameter, and the 45-cent pieces were about the size of the present silver half dollar. The \$1 pieces were oyal in hape, about an inch and a quarter ong, an inch wide and a sixteenth of an inch in thickness. These pieces were stamped with the figures showing their value and readily passed current all over the country tributary to the mill, Nearly all of the old, "mill" coin ha assed away, but a few days ago Wil-

pany presented a set of these queer coins to the Ferry museum. In his set ter to the museum and and the honesty of the people and the absence of any blacksmith save that of the company made the use of this money possible.

Atthough golf may be played all hrough the winter, as has been the ardent golfers prefer to follow the swallows south of Mason and Dixon' line. There is a very smart colony a rage of being within reach of the neers' quarters at Fortess Mon or orginals - county

WALLED LAKES IN THY WEST.

When the Western country was first set the newcomers, unaccustomed to

lake Mendoin, there were certain large boulders from which they were wont to spring into the where. Some of these were of tons weight, some projected above the water, and some were under. The place of every one was known to the swimmers. It was found the next season that they had to be located over again, having changed position during the winter. Weight made no difference: they all had to move. It was plain to see that the loc did it, crowding them shoreward whonever it could reach them. But as the bank there was steep, at the foot of the builf, they sild or worked back more or less. In places, however, they were piled on the shore, as where University drive comes to the beach.

When the Milwaukee and Watertown plank road was made it skirted Oconomowoc lake. There was a lake wall there of modest pretensions, and this was made part of the bank holding the roadbed. The next season it was found the wall had been shoved under the resulted so as its lift the plank away from the lake. To a boy of an inquiring turn of mind the whole operation was plain. The expansion of the ice had done it. The bank there was sloping, quite so; it was easy for this great force to silde the wall along. At Madison, however much it might silde the boulders against the bing, they fell back into the water.

Now suppose the slope to be just the right angle between these two, so that the force would lift the stones in this process not rightly balanced will fall one side or the other; those balanced will retain their places. Those falling into the water will have to try again till they are rightly placed and remain. Meanwhile the whole structure has been plashed back till they force and resistance are equalized, making the bank of earth behind, which in turn helps sustain the wall, and the operation will conse when all the rocks lavy been worked isto the wall and the increased shouling provides friction enough to check the ice. The wall then becomes permanent, and the forest covers the strong work with its glory.

Curious Suspension Bridge.

A remarkable engineering work, of quite a novel character, is being commenced at Rouen, in France. It is called a "post transbordeur," and is intended to serve all the purposes of a bridge without interfering with the free passage of alipping, even though the masts be 150 feet high. Two high towers are to be erected, one on each bank of the Seine, about inrec-quarters of a mile below the lowest bridge existing at Rouen. Between these two towers a harrow from chain bridge will be suspended. The height from the quays is to be not less than 100 foet. Lines of railway are to be laid upon the chain bridge upon which a light earringe or platform on wheels will be run. This is to be dragged from one tower to the other by steel ropes passing over wheels and worked by steem or electricity. From this wheelsed platform will be suspended by steel hawsers, the transbordeur, at the level of the quays d.c., 146 feet below the jeyel of the clain bridge, and this transbordeur, or suspended tarriage, will carry passagers and vehicles from one bank to the other. It is expected that the electric tramways on the quays will make a connection at this polet, and thus they will be able to run on to the transbordeur, and eross the river without the passengers requiring to change their section.

Beet Fugar no Longer an Experiment.

Results aiready achieved in field and factory on a commercial scale during the past six years, to say nothing of many thousands of farm and laboratory tests, demonstrate beyond question two thing: (1) That the sugar best can be grown in profitable quantity and quality over a sufficient area in the United States in furnish the world's supply of sugar, and (2) that the cane-sugar industry can also be largely developed. So true informed about this new industry, that California, Iowa, Nebraska, and any one of the severful other states could alone supply the United States with all the sugar she consumes; Once firmly established, American genius will so improve upon present conditions that in due time the United States will be an exporter of sugar. For experience has shown that, once established, this beet can more than compete with cane.—Review of Reviews.

A Vell of Mist.

Rising at morning or evening from some low-land, often carries in its folds the seeds of malaria. Where malariai fever prevail no one is safe, unless protected by some efficient medicinal safeguard. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is both a protection and a remedy. No person who inhabits, or sojourns in a minsmatte region or country, should omit to procure this fortifying agent, which is also the finest known remedy for dyspepsia, constipation, kidney trouble and rheumatism.

The Ideal Brother and the Real Thing. The rejected Cornelius, after the refusal—"You will be a sister to me! A ten-dollar sleigh ride this afternoon, a box at the opera to-night, supper at Del's and a cab home. A sister to me? Great Scott! what sort of a fool human being do you take a brother to be!"—Harlem Life.

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8:30 a. m., sad returning will reach Deuver
7:05 p. m., giving a day to visit Meadow
Park and the Canon of St. Vrain. Sunday
for one dollar for round trip.

A severe shock is sustained by the moral sentiment of the people at Washington upon the discovery that the old pensioner who returned \$82.50 to the treasury, which he believed to be an overpayment, has been adjudged insane and sent to a lunatic asylum.

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Because the nerves are Why?

weak and easily excited
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plars, including several representatives from the United States and Canada, left London, to day, for Zurich, Switzerland, where during the coming week the international supreme lodge of the organization will hold its annual

The Independent Order of Good Templars is one of the most influential reformatory organizations in existence, and though its history extends over but forty years, it has firmly established itself under the auspices of every nation of the civilized world. It was born and cradled in Central New York in 1851, and soon spread through the states and territories, the Canadian provinces; across the Atlantic into England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales; thence across the North Sea into Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Switzerland and Germany, out to the islandof the sea and around the world. Today it has about 400,000 adult and fully 200,000 juvenile members. The single aim of the organization is the inculcation of temperance principles and the passages of temperance legislation, including the absolute prohibition of the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liqu rs

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union is the offspring of this organization; a number of sisters of the order having, in 1873, inaugurated a great Ohio anti-saloon crusade from which sprang the W. C. T U.

TRYING TO MEND SAPPHO.

The following story of Alphonse Daudet, the French literateur, is told by the San Francisco Argonant: When he brought out "Sappho" an American publishing house that issues religious books, not knowing its character, offered M Daudet a large sum for advance sheets of the work. He accepted the offer and the advance sheets were sent. When the publishers received them they decided that they could no issue the book and they cabled to the author: " 'Sappho' will not do."

This dispatch puzzled Daudet He consulted with numbers of friends, and this was the conclusion at which they eventually arrived: "Sappho," in French, is spelled with one "p"-"Sapho," after the Greek fashion. In English it is spelled with two. An unusually acute friend pointed this out to Daudet, which much relieved the novelist, and he cabled back to the publishers: "Spell it with two 'p's." It is needless to state that the publishers were more astonished at Daudet's reply than he had been at their cable dispatch.

TWENTY thousand school teachers will assemble at Milwaukee this year, in the early part of July, and will discuss many subjects connected with education. One of the topics to be taken up is spelling-reform. The changes proposed by the committee of the National Educational association, as the school teachers call their organization, comprise only a few words, but they are words of constant occurrence. These words, as it is proposed to spell them, are: Program, tho, altho, thoro, thru, thruout, catalog, prolog, decalog, demagog, and pedagog. Some important publications have adopted several of these new forms of spelling already. Of course the words look odd in their new guise. But it should be remembered that to English eyes the American practice of omitting the u from color, honor and the like is strange, and the essayist A K. H. B. observes in one of his chatty papers that he never reads an American book, being unable to endure the American spelling. There can be little doubt that familiarity would soon ebliterate the disagreeableness now connected with the look of the above curtailed words.

BISHOP I HOMPS N at the May diocese coulded in Jackson, Miss., paid this tribute to the late Bishop A. Cleveland Coxe: "For learning, for genius, for pure lofty life, 'for plain living and high thinking,' for loyalty to the puresideals, I venture to say no man in the history of our country ever excelled Bishop Coxa."

A FIGHT over the literary standing of Stevenson is going on in London. George Moore took occasion to deny that Stevenson's works have any arustic merit. Mr. Quiller-Couch promptly replied in the Speaker, and air. Moore has returned to the charge in an article in the Chronicle, in which he inkers Stevenson's Willing to the play ing of a band,

MIRS JULIA WARD HOWE delebrated her seventy-eighth birthday in Boston, May 27th, by attending in the evoning the Unitarian festival in that city. She is just three days younger than Queen

WILLIAM J. BRYAN WIll speak before the Silver club of Fresno, Cal., early in July. Great preparations are being made for his reception, and fully 30, 000 people are expected to assemble to

RICHARD LE GALLIENNE took to su borship because he disliked accounts "It is easy enough to write books," be observed; "the difficulty is to balance

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L. D. Richetts, of New York, was inspecting the Salado coal fields the last of the week returning Monday, by Will Lane's coach to White Oaks, Mr. Richetts was very communicative and from his movements it seemed appar-ent that the road from El Paso is certain to be built.

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Mr. Isaac Horner, proprietor of the Burton House, Burton, W. Va., and one of the most widely known men in the state was cured of rheumatism after three years of suffering. He says: "I have not sufficient commend of language to convey any idea of what I suffered, my physician told me nothing could be done for me; and my friends were fully convinced that nothing but death would relieve me of my suffering. In June, 1894, Mr. Evans, then salesman for the Wheeling Drug Co., recommended Chamberlain's Pain Balm. At this time my foot and limb were awollen to more than double their normal size and it seemed to me my leg would burst, but soon after I began using the Pain Balm, the swelling began to decrease, the pain to leave, and now I consider that I am entirely cured. For sale by K. D. Goodall, Depot Drug store.

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Recent sensational gold discoveries the Red River district, northern New Meco, indicate that this locality will shore to as widely celebrated as Cripple Creative and the run of miners and properties the sun begun and by the time the snow hully molted, thousands will be on thround.

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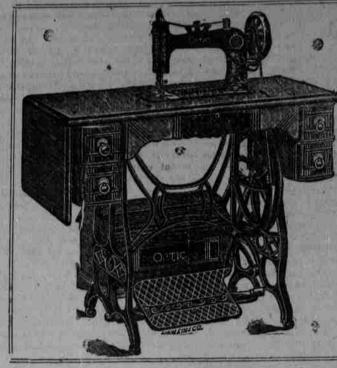
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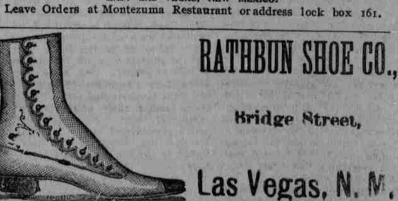
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A funny writer is not always endowed with the falsest of tickling the risibilities by personal address. Bill Nye's lectures were failures, in consequence. I remember the efforts of a good friend

of his, at a banquet tendered Nye by the citizens of Asseville, N. C., the "Land of the Sky." This friend startled a gather. ing, the next day, by a clear laugh, evidently the recollection of some incident When questioned, he recalled the moukey and parrott propensity of the assemblage of the foregoing evening, in-as-much as not a smile was seen, not a laugh heard during Bill Nye's address, until he bethought himself to set the ball a-rolling, and, with his handkerchief to his mouth and a sway of the body to indicate sup-pressed merriment, the whole gathering awakened to how funny Nyo was, and the

During my visit to "The land of the sky," Bill Nye's cottage, at Skyland Springs, thirtoen miles distant, loomed up through my field glasses like a speck against the horizon, and I got a good fo-cus on "Biltmore," George W. Vanderbilt's winter home, "far from the madding

I took a run down to Skyland, and inquired the road to the house of this late very funny newspaper writer, but was in-formed by a negro lad that he had "done gone moved to Ashville." And as I did not wish to intrude upon the confusion of a removal, Ashville's chief boomerang escaped the punishment of a visit from yours

village, the surrounding mountains (the joy of the southern hunter) were thick with timber, and the population of the 'Tar-Heel State" were the most illiterate in the Union. But now the village has developed into a city, the mountains are dotted with dwellings that peep out from the foliage, and business and professional men have come to stay. But the climate, the pride of the boomers, bears out Asheville's reputation as a health resort-for

Artists, go sketch a French Broad river sunset! Tourists, view that glorious scenery! But invalids, suffering from any beguiled by the home of Bill Nye and Van-derbilt, for the night air is laden with fogs. The bride demon and in the morning, the dew on the ground

The Rocky mountain region has been the hearts united in the holy bond if young soil of the success of a vast multitude who men were not afraid to undertake life's have been attracted by its enterprise and favorable climatic influence. Frequent reductions in railroad rates would afford op. meet them, at the very beginning. portunities for a large percentage of the southern influx of tourists and health-seekers, who are precluded from coming west by enormous railroad rates, to get a whiff of this dry and rarified mountain air.

To be in constant contact with people who think as you do, is a drawback to the joyed the hour to their hearts' delight. proper development of individual opinion and a check to the discornment of right and wrong. Go amongst people who help you correct your way of thinking and uneposciously show you where you are graphs of the loosers in each game. Miss wrong; who have the courage to defend an absent one and who will not indulge in gant china plate, on a score of thirty-three idle gossip or flagrant slander.

It is a poor friendship that will not stand | prize, a sterling sliver, trim picture fra the test of an attack upon a loved one, though the attack be made by some one equally near and dear.

It is but a sorry bumanity that is not aroused by a traducer to eject him from the midst of a fair-minded and a justiceloving community.

Gossip is the result of idleness; slander

the result of both idleness and malice, punishable eventually by its own viru-

After the first flush of the triumph of party platform, Mr. McKinley is realizing at this early stage, the trials of his position and that "uneasy lies the head that wears a

He has duly provided himself with heavy coats of armour equipped to be unloosened in the wee sma'hours of the morning when his brain whirls and the earth twirls his weary head towards nod.

If flint is a part of his make-up, as was the case of his predecessor, the small talk of the press, the calumny of disappointed office-seekers and the attacks of the proverbial grunt will not penetrate through his

It would not be human not to weary of the shackles. So did Washington and so did Lincoln. But he must temper his resentment with a due amount of wishing his memies nothing less, and when the time comes, use the prerogative Mr. Cleveland stablished, to interfere with state affairs, as forcibly as his pent up powers will burl the same. This will act as a safety valve

Mr. Cleveland, who though utterly reoudiated by one of the strongest organs of the democratic party, the New York Sun, did not hesitate to accept a second term cloud she had chosen to envelop herself with, and when the time for party literature was rife, she gradually unfolded and led her adherents to a vote of victory.

Mr. Cleveland, therefore, had much to contend with as well as with the imprescion among extremists that a change of policy would immediately effect prosper-ity, as is the case now before us. The people are figuring without their bost, the constitution of the United States, which does not invest the objet executive with national powers. His policy simply marks the era of a new set of government officials and the people loss sight of the fact that they must look to their law-makers, their chosen representatives elected by their respective votes, for direct results of their election.

The only drawback to the adoption of

locomotion and the numberless carriages at her disposal and who has the means to employ help in look after her flowing employ halp to sook after her nowing skirts, is the very fashion plate for the evil enstom of long skirts on street parade. We pine for the time when these cros-

tures of luxury will senction the good tone of a costume whose skirt will clear the ser that lie promisonously on sidewakes proving an economy to finery and gloves. We cannot escape the fact that he wa

mede for all alike. It is the outcome of of the best judgment of famous jurists.

ict is provided for by law, any infringement of such process by mob, is punishable turn. The impulse to torture the wrsto the has tertured, is natural, but must be appressed. Otherwise people who are freetly involved by the crime of another, whatever it may be, would take the sam standard of a life for a life, or otherwise and whole communities would be involved in strife and bloodshed, in seeking ven-grance for the deed of the original sinner.

The strawberry festival at the Masoni emple given by the ladies of the Eastern tar, Tuesday evening, was a splendid

The luscious berry was served temptingly by dainty fingers, and ice cream and cake joined with dancing in making the event most agreeable.

Mrs. John S. Clark, Mrs. George Selby, Mrs. Sporleder, Mrs. J. A. Murray, Mrs. McGuire, Mrs Patten, Mrs Lou Webb and Mrs. Duncan did the honors.

The many friends of Miss Elba Stone-road will be happy to have her in their midst again. She comes back prettier than ever and with no trace of the study and thought it required to take first honors at her college commencement.

cream festival at the home of Miss Chapman, on Friday evening, fetched a goodly return and created much pleasure to those

The graphophone at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Judell, has a repertoire of twelve numbers, but the best music is when the band begins to play, we suggest a dance

notable people of Las Vegas, one next June 17th, and the other two on June the 18th To one of the latter who is of German nationality, it recalls important battles and conquests. It should include the conquest of his life. Hear?

Is marriage a fallure? Well! The recent nuptials of two intelligent people of somewhat advanced years speaks for itself. We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Lutz on their respective selections and feel that we have gained a real acquisition.

The marriage of one of our popular young men, Mr. E. G. Lester to Miss Gertrude Stiller, of Lexington, Illinois, was quietly solemnized at the home of the disorder of the respiratory system, be not Misses Will, friends and townspeople of

The bride demonstrated at the onset her good sense and judgment in not subjectis so heavy that it appears to have rained ing Mr. Lester to the loss of time by meeting her. There would be many more journey with a wife whose demands for outward sshow exceeds the capacity to

Mrs. A. A. Jones' six-hand eachre party last week, was like all her entertainments, extremely elaborate.

The house was beautifully decorated with living plants and cut flowers, and the seven tables of young people present en-

Each guest received a unique souvenir score card in the form of an album baying the word "autographs" hand painted on the cover; the winners taking the auto-Lockie Fort took the ladies' prize, an eleautographs; Alfred Long, the gentlemen's Those who assisted were Madames C. C. Gise W. G. Haydon John Robbins and F. G. French.

Among those present were Misses Knie kerbocker, Dold, Raynolds, LaRue, O. and L. Fort, B. and E. Rothgeb, S. and M. Holzman, Thomas Olney, Stoneroad, Davis, Richley, Welch, McNair, Regers and Bunker; Messra. Mennet, Hollingsworth, H. and N. Raynolds, Unseil, O. and P lence, the victim happily ignorant or Eariekson, Nordbaus, Held, Martin, Warmindful not to descend to the same ner, White, Henriquez, Lester, Haydon, ner, White, Henriquez, Lester, Haydon, Reid, January, Prentice, A. and B. Long, Schultz, Smith and Jones.

Mrs. and Miss Fort entertained their friends. Wednesday afternoon, in their usual cordial manner. Flowers and garlands of smilax decorated every part of the beautiful home and the afternoon passed only too soon.

The scene was a gay one as the guest wandered from one to another trying to solve the name of the book symbolized by the ornaments that each one wore, and after witty thoughts and bright ideas had been exchanged, the dainty score books were gathered and the bandsome prize was awarded to Mrs. William E. Gortner. After the contest the guests were invitad into the dining room. The shades of decoration in this room were red, the same color being carried out in the refresh-

of red popples was on the highly polished oak table, while a bouquet of roses lent its fragrance from the center, and the soft lights of the red wax candles delighted

course-tomato saled in moulds, lettuce leaves with mayoonaise dressing, olives and wafers: second course-strawberry ice cream and cakes; third course-black coffee and bon-bons, were served by the Misses Lockie Fort, Jeanette Richley, Natalia Stoneroad, Sarah and Minnie

Mrs. and Miss Fort bear the reputation of entertaining most elegantly, and this was no exception to the rule.

We must forego the pleasure of publish ing the list of names of guests and the ooks represented, on account of lack of



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poverty of the blood, which condition

lowers the tone of the nerves and starves them.

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LAS VEGAS, N. M., January 16th, 1887 .-

Now comes Ceell Resenwald and rep-useds to the board that is making out the chedule of taxes of the El Dorado Town Co., a mintake to the description of the property was made in lots 16 to 27 block 2, L pos. Sulzbacker. Rosenwald's addition that it was described as lots 16 to 17 instead of 16 to 27, block 2, and prays that ame be corrected in the tax rolls, the

A. D. Higgins now delivered to the board he insurance policies on court house such sil which was taken on the amount of \$1,-00. Bill approved for same, \$100. Mills & Koogler's bill for insurance on

ourt house and jall approved for \$100.
Bill of L. R. Allen & Co. for stationary to clerk's office approved for \$18.15.

Bill of Octave Geoffrion for services as udge of election, precinct 64 in 1896, \$3.90. Antonio Vigil, judge of registration in

The board now proceeded to count the otes cast at the elections for justices of he peace in the county of San Miguel.

For Justice of the Peace. Majority for Lozero Bandoval .. 18 vote PRECINCT NO. 1. For Constable. Majority for Andres Gonzales. . 8 votes PRECINCT NO. 4. For Justice of the Peace. Ambrocio Archuleta......47 votes
For Constable. Both declared elected. PRECINCT NO. 5. For Justice of the Peace. Felix Mares ..... 49 votes acarias Valdez......74 For Constable. 

Jone M. Baca elected PRECINCT NO. 6. For Justice of the Peace. Declared elected. For Constable

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ous Fourth in proper style this year. A meeting of the citizens was held on cycle races, tug of war, and many

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### Commissioners' Proceedings.

Soard met pursuant to adjournment. Present, Chairman H. G. Coors, Com-Minutes of previous session read and

etition granted.

Jose Durran ......44 votes

uan Andres Arguello......13 votes Susebio Baros.... Baros declared elected. PRECINCT NO. 9.

For Justice of the Peace, Victor Jaramillo ..... 28 votes
Both declared elected. PRECINCT NO. 10.

For Justice of the Peace. 

For Justice of the Peace rancisco Garcia y Gutierres..... 28 vots Aniceto Garcia ...... 17 votes F. Garcia y Gutierrez declared elected.

For Constable, Reyes Gutierrez...... orfirio Olguia ... Gutierrez declared elected. For Justice of the Peace, For Constable. 

PRECINCT NO. 13. For Justice of the Peace. For Constable. Both declared elected. PRECINCT NO. 15. For Justice of the Peace.

For Constable. Ramon Chavez .... Both declared elected. PRECINCT NO. 18. For Justice of the Peace. Eulogio Ortis......11 votes
Beth declared elected,

PRECINCT NO. 23.

For Justice of the Peace. Both declared elected. For Justice of the Peace.

For Constable. Calletano Tepis.... 64 votes Felipe Tapia and Calletano Tapia de-For Justice of the Peace. Abran Suazo......44 votes 

clared elected. For Justice of the Peace. lejandro Sena ...... 141 votes Jose L. Galindre...... 98
For Constable. Louis Guerin ..... 133 votes For Justice of the Pan-H. S. Wooster ......165 vote

For Justice of the Peace. Desiderlo Chaves ... .....40 Vote For Constable, PRECINCT NO. 32 For Justice of the Peace, Eugenio Ortis ... , ......... 20 votes

Gabriel Rivera ...... Rivers and Baca declared elected. For Justice of the Peace. Ciemente Padella...... 18 votes
For Constable. Both declared elected.

For Justice of the Peace. ... 20 votes

PRECINCT NO. 35. For Justice of the Peace. Jacinto Ortega ...... .21 votes Both declared elected. PRECINCT No. 36. For Justice of the Peace.

For Constable. Jose E. Garcia..... PRECINCT NO. 37.

For Justice of the Peace. Crestino Garduno..... 14 votes Both declared elected. PRECINCT NO. 40, For Justice of the Peace.

For Constable. Both declared elected. PRECINCT NO. 48. For Justice of the Peace.

Jaan Gonzales...... 24 votes For Constable. Juan Jose Gonzales......27 votes Both declared elected. PRECINCY NO. 47. For Justice of the Peace. Ralph Goheke..... 9 votes

Both declared elected. PRECINCT NO. 56. For Justice of the Peace. Chas. E. Leibschener. For Constable. Francisco Trujillo..... 43 votes Both declared elected. PRECINCT NO. 58. No election held.

PRECINCT NO. 61. For Justice of the Pence. Nereo Gonzales ...... 12 vote For Constable. .....41 votes Miguel Pacheco... Pedro Analla..... 11 votes PRECINCT NO. 62.

For Justice of the Peace. For Justice of the Peace,

German Garcia For Constable, Macedon Romero ...... 117 votes Leandro Mares . ...... Zubia and Romero declared elected. PRECINCT NO. 54. For Justice of the Peace, Jose E. Roibal ..... 27 votes

Anselme Bowles...... 27 votes No further business appearing before the board the same orders an adjournment until Monday Junuary 18th, 1897 at ten

H. G. Coors, Approved Attest
PATRICIO GONZALES, Chairman.

nstitute register. Prof. J. A. Wood has been employed to ondust the institute.

MONICO TAPOYA,

County Superintendent of Schools. The school election at Bosque Seco in Dons Aua county, last Monday, was hotly contested, the only district,

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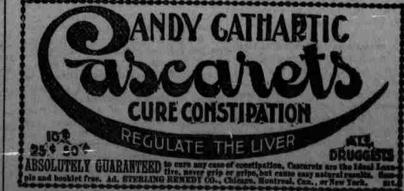
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head from her lovely shoulders, but is quite new, quite modern and altogether fascinating. Like Scheherezade's, it is it deals with her life in Persia. It is a romance that mixes up prosy England and the sensuous East in the most delightful fashion, for the heroine of it was a London shop girl before she became one of the four wives, and later | dearment." one of the four widows, of a Persian nobleman.

Seven years ago Miss Frances Blackman was a stall girl at the Crystal Palace, and sold ivory bric-a-brac to whoever would buy. She was a rather pretty girl, and at the time of the Shah's visit to England captivated the fancy of a dark-skinned nobleman in the potentate's party.

This man proved to be Abdullah Hussein Khan, cousin of the Shah, a man of great wealth and influence in ils own country. Stopping one day at the stalls, he was greatly attracted by Miss Blackman and bought some trifles from her. He returned the next day nd bought some more.

When he appeared the third day Miss Blackman perceived that it was she, nd not her wares, that attracted the ark-skinned stranger, and thereupon he romance began. History is silent pon the details of the courtship, but is known that he gave her many ostly gifts of exquisite Eastern workmanship and eventually proposed, was accepted and married her. The ceremony was performed in a Roman Catholic church in the beginning of 1890.

Abdullah Hussein Khan was from the beginning exceedingly fond of his pretty English bride. He obtained permission to remain in England when the Shab went home and hired a hand- I'm not the man to interfere with the some flat at Hyde Park Mansion, United States mails." where he lived in supreme happiness

"He much needs the discipline of an English school," says his mother, "for in Perula his word is law. Being coheir with an only brother, he was lord of the village in which we lived, and every village child was his slave. When rought in to amuse him, if their bows were not sufficiently reverential and conduct irreproachable, he issued instructions, and the small offenders were promptly beaten, for Persian boys are taught tyranny from the cra-

When bored a band with the inevonly two weeks in England, and it is that plano-organ and street musicians ful Scheherezade to are not under his absolute authority. He perpetually orders them, in native Persian, to remain playing so long as he is pleased to be pleased, and exhibchopping her its the utmost disgust when they move

"Sometimes I am glad he cannot speak English, for in Persia he was told by a first lady of the harem, and taught to class Europeans with monkeys, and he has no resitation in addressing them as such if they offend his prejudices. Fortunately his language is so pretty that the opprobrious title frequently passes for a term of en-

Nasrit is a devout Mussulman and miliar terms on which dogs, so abthe signal for a flood of tears and vebing of the member so defiled. The air that suggested an anticipation of love of animals inherent in boy nature at least two deaths. has changed the spirit of Nasrit's prejudices, and he now scampers prettily lish bulldog as friend and confidante.

THE RIGHT OF WAY. Next Time There was Going to Fe

Trouble. At Park Place and Broadway, New latter thoroughfare to go up town, the horses knocked down a pedestrian who was hurrying into City Hall park, says the Detroit Free Press, For a wonder the driver pulled up, and though the man was at the horses' feet he escaped the wheels. He came crawling out, covered with dirt and more or less hurt, and the driver looked at him and coldly inquired:

"Do you know what you have been doing, sir?" "I do," replied the man as he brushed away at the dirt, "but I couldn't help it.

"Better look out in future."

DUEL WITH RED INK.

Melodrama Into Parce. "There are some things so serious that the very fact of their having occurred makes those interested accre-tive. It was such a thing took place while I was acquiring the practical knowledge of a civil engineer," said a man who has long enjoyed a fortune

as the result of his professional ef-

forts, to a Detroit Free Press man. "I went with a surveying party into itable dancing monkey, was brought in the southwest and to the work of lay-for his sole delectation. He has been ing out a railroad was added that of the southwest and to the work of layfighting some of the Indians that neimpossible yet to make him understand | slected everything else for the sake of giving us trouble. With us was a Philadelphia boy, one of these unfor-tunate fellows who thinks he is always being imposed upon, slighted or ridiculed. In reality I was his friend and did what I could to make things pleasanter for him. But his suspicions always placed me in the wrong, and when he did nothing worse than scowlat me I considered that we were get-

ting along very well together. "A crisis came when I received a promotion which he thought should have been given him. He lost no time in challenging me, and there was nothing to do but accept or resign and go home. I accepted and made the solemn prepwas intensely horrified to find the fa- arations usual in such a case. In the corps was a New Yorker who never horred by Mohammedans, are admitted had a serious thought or cared for anyto English households. The friendly thing from which fun could not be nose of a dog thrust into his hand was extracted. He constituted himself master of ceremonies in this affair of hement insistence on a triple scrub- honor and went about it all with an

"When the word was given we fired together and the result was astoundabout a lawn with a sympathetic Eug- ing. From each pistol there shot a streak of mingled colors, red and black predominating. The effect was irresistibly funny, for leaves, grass and seconds were tinted with the ink used by the New Yorker. He had filled capsules with the fluids and turned the whole thing into a farce. Of course York, as a mail wagon turned into the the Philadelphian was angry, but even he had a sense of humor, and from the time we had a roaring spread that night he was a happier, brighter and more companionable fellow."

Homan Density.

A French scientific writer points out that a mere gain in weight should not, in itself, be taken as an indication of improved bodily condition. It is, according to him, rather a question of the density than of the quantity of tissue that covers the bones. When increase of weight results from increased density, then the health really improved. In order that this

SCIENTIFIC POINTERS.

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> The Transference of Thought-To Solve the Laves Problem An Improved Speed Indicator, Appliable to Asy Pinco of Machinery.

Thought Transference N an address deliv-ered before the Society- for Psychical Research there were a number of xcellent arguments advanced on the subject of telspathy or thought transference. The

speaker took the ground that | much of what seemed obscure in this world a certain position for granted and then argue from it. The wave theory is admitted by all scientists, and it is not impossible or, indeed,improbable that intense thought concentrated by one person upon a sympathetic friend or associate should produce a distinct impression and create a telepathic current which should convey brain waves to the mind of the individual upon whom the thoughts were centered. It is proposed to study this subject and to make tests and experiments with a view to as-certain just how far this sympathetic influence may extend. It must not, however, be overlooked that there are persons who are keenly susceptible to such impressions, while others are not easily affected by influences

of this nature. The Tempering of Springs It is a nice job to temper a steel spring properly. Like many other things, the preparatory work should be well done or the tempering proper will never oe a success. The forge work should be done with a rather low temperature and gentle taps. Smiths are peginning to understand that very many bits of forging have the life pounded out of them by heavy and continuous beating. Light taps smooth the surface and create what is equivalent to a cuticle over the metal. This should be carefully preserved. Light hammering consolidates the particles of steel and toughens the forging. It is said that continuous, steady and light blows with a hammer will magnetize steel. It seems to put life into it. If it is necessary to grind a spring, do it at the outset and before much of the hammering is done. Do not put it on an emery wheel. It breaks the cuticle and destroys the integrity of the metal. The hardening may be done by heating a large piece of Iron to a red heat, then putting the spring on the from until it is heated through. Another way is to hold the spring over a bright fire until it is sufficiently hot. It should be kept some distance from the fire, so as not to heat too quickly. When it is of a light red and all of a color plunge it into cold water. Do not use ice water, as is so often sugthe fire, so as not to heat too quickly. gested. Be careful in putting in the spring that the sudden cooling of one side does not draw it out of shape. If It is put in slowly it is warped by the sudden cooling of one portion. When fully tempered polish the spring with emery cloth until it is thoroughly cleaned and bright. Saturate a piece of paper with oil, light it and allow the smoke to collect on the spring until it is entirely coated with the black.

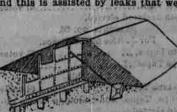
careful handling and the utmost deliberation in heating and hammering. To Solve the Levee Problem. M. H. King, of Des Moines, has just applied for a patent on a plan which he believes will solve the levee problem and make the Mississippi as harmless and as tractable as a meadow brook. His plan is indicated by the accompanying illustration, Ho proposes that an ordinary earth levee shall be divided vertically at its central portion by a steel partition resting upon piles. In other words, through series of steel plates, making a continuous and unbroken barrier, which, backed up by the interior earth and other anchor devices, would be absolutely crevasse proof. Experience with levees has shown that their essential weakness is that in a season of wet weather, with the river pressing against their outer surface, they become soft and watersoaked; then the weight of the levee itself causes it to sink down, and this is assisted by leaks that wear

Then heat it over the forge fire very

slowly. Do not let one part, burn off

clean while the other is still black, but

let it disappear all over the spring at the same time if possible. The perfec-tion of temper comes from slow and



and enlarge, and so weaken the structure that at last an opening occurs at the weakest place. What then happens is not difficult to imagine. The first little trickle through or over the levee becomes a channel, and all the territory protected by the leves is inun-dated. With a metal partition, the embankment on the inner side will be kept dry, maintained at its highest resisting power, and one part will be as strong as any other. Furthermore, it will be impossible for amphibious ani-mais to penetrate through a levee, as metimes they now do, and this source of danger will be permanently re-

Studying the Mushroom.

A club has been formed in New York
City, the members of which are interested in all sorts of adible fungl. They are to experiment and investigate all forms of mushrooms and toadstonls with a view to furnishing information to those who have not the opportunity for personal study. It is thought that a cheap food supply may be provided through the medium of these growths.

There is a society in Boston, and there are several in England. There are to be lectures, exhibits and literature, and

interested persons will be taught to dictinguish between the harmiess and the poisonous sorts. There is also a branch devoted to the study of the best methods of preparing these arti-cles for the table. The mushroom is a favorite delicacy with such a large number of persons that any information concerning it, or its more plentiful and inexpensive supply, will no doubt be greeted with enthusiasm.

Improved Speed Indicator.
The Illustration represents a speed indicator especially adapted to show the speed in miles of a railway train, or the speed by number of revolutions or feet for any piece of machinery. Upon a skeleton horizontal partition within a suitable casing are bearings supporting a shaft having a central rectangular opening in which two levers are pivoted at their centers. The levers are perfectly balanced upon the pivot pin, each arm carrying a weight at its outer end, and the inner ends of the levers are pivotally connected by links with a sliding crossbar, from which a rod extends centrally through the shaft and bearing to a swivel counection with a crosshead, which may be shaped to form an oil receptacle. The crosshead slides, on horizontal guide bars and is pivotally connected by a link with a balance lever from whose lower end a connecting rod extends to an upper arm upon a spindle carrying a segmental gear, an opposite arm upon the spindle being attached to one end of a spring whose opposite end is secured to a hanger, the spring being designed to equalize the centrifugal force of the levers.

The gear is in the mesh with a pin ion whose spindle carries a pointer moving on a dial on the outer side of the case. To limit the movement of the levers when the index hand is at zero on the dial, a set screw is placed on the moving shaft in position to



engage the outermost weight of one of the levers, the shaft being connected by belt and pulley with machinery whose speed is to be indicated.

With the Head to the North People in this age of scientific ex ctness have reached the stage of doing everything by rule. Breathing has ceased to be merely an instinctive act, and sleeping must be regulated by scientific formula. Bedrooms must be properly arranged for slumberers, baths and evening meals carefully adnorth. This arrangement places the currents caused by the rotation of the earth on its axis. Often a person in sickness and sometimes in health can obtain much needed rest in no other way. Bedrooms should, where possible, have a southern exposure—that is, have the windows on the south or the sunniest side of the house. The head to the north will keep the lungs and

respiratory organs away from any possible draughts and the room will also obtain that indispensable requisite to health-plenty of sunlight during the day. In many cases it will be impossible to obtain these conditions in houses where there is very little sunlight that can enter the bedrooms and where windows and doorways make it impossible to place the head of the bed toward the north, but where there is a choice of rooms those that offer these conditions for comfort and health should be chosen for the bedrooms in common use. Better sleep can be obtained with a low than with a high pillow. To lessen the work of the arteries that propel the blood to every portion of the organism should be the aim of everyone, so that the posture that most nearly places the body In a the center of a levee he would have a horizontal position is the most to be desired. Bolstering up the head is always to be condemned, whether in sickness or in health, unless bodily injuries render the perfectly recumbent position impossible. It is not well to lie always on the back; by this practice the spine and the nerves that there congregate are kept too hot and a feverish sleep is apt to be the result. The right side is the best to recline on, for then the heart and the larger arteries are relieved from undue pressure. Occasionally one rests well lying on the stomach. As a general rule, eight hours is ample for a person in health; more produces a dull, heavy feeling on arising; less, an unsatisfied craving for more. And there is also no room for doubt that the two hours immediately preceding the mid-night hour are the most favorable for enjoying the "beauty sleep" of the

night. The Origin of Petroleum. Scientists are greatly engrossed in the discussion of the origin of petroleum. Some of them contend that it is a contemporaneous production; others insist that it is, and has been for ages, stored in the great arteries of the earth. The artificial production of petroleum has suggested that changes of temperature and pressure may pro-duce the various substances that go to make up this complex article. If one pressure gives one ingredient and another pressure produces another article, why is it not possible that away down in mid-earth the currents and counter-currents, with the varying conditions of heat, cold, dryness, moisture and pressure, may not be constantly at work producing not only petroleum, but other substances of which it is altogether likely that we, up to the presTHREE HAPPY WOMEN

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for nearly two years. He had told his wife of his rank and his wealth, but he had not yet mentioned the fact that he already had three other wives at

from the Shah to return home. Abdullah had by this time decided to make England his home. He was a man of cultivation and had found European civilization much to his taste. But, under penalty of forfeiting his estate, he was obliged to obey the Shah's orders, and when he reached Teheran he had to tell his English bride that she was only No. 4. One can imagine the scene, the tears, the protestations, and all the rest. But

satisfaction of being the preferred wife, the first lady of the harem. When it was known to the English at Teheran that one of their countrywomen was in the harem there was considerable excitement, and many English ladies visited her. She became at once popular in court circles, and the Shah gave her the name of bee Khanung, signifying "the lady affes." But favor and popularity her trials and dangers, as will be

ew months ago Abdullah sudden-d, much to his wife's grief. His son, jealous because his father ettied co much property upon e's little son, alezed the house e's little son, siezed the house sealed the doors, Beckee broke sals and was arrested and three attempts were made to poison her, the last so nearly successful that an English doctor harely successful that an English doctor hardly successful that an English doctor harely successful that an English doctor harely successful that an English doctor hardly successful that an English doctor hardly successful that an Englis London, where she has just arrived spised, he died two years later.

with her boy.

This little boy, Allah Nasrit, or the "Gift of God," has exchanged the haggs attn trousers and loose silicen coat, set off with diamond buttons, of his own country for the sallor costume of a RNASh that 216 is a handsome, clever boy, and at the age of four already diaplays the auturacy enjoyed by his

I followed him into the park, where he sat down on a bench to get his breath, and told him that a mail wagon had no more right to run over him

But in 1892 there came a command than an ice cart. "Is that so?" he asked in doubting tones. "Well, by gum, but this is the fourth time I've been run over by them, and next time they try it on I'll raise a fuss."

Stow, the English Antiquary, John Stow, the celebrated English antiquary, was a remarkable man. He was born of poor parents about 1525. and brought up to the tailor's trade. For forty years his life was passed there was nothing for the young wife among needles and thread, but in the to do but to submit, and she had the few leisure hours which his trade allowed him, he had always been a fond reader of legends, chronicles, histories and all that told of the times that were past. By such reading he grew to be so attached to old memories that when about forty years of age he threw down his needle, devoted himself to collect-ing them and followed his new profession with the faith and enthusiasm of an apostle. Short of means, he made long journeys afoot to hunt over and fan ransack colleges and monasteries, and nir.

be the rags of old papers which he found, he kept all, reviewing, connect-ing, copying, comparing, annotating with truly wonderful ability and good sense. Arrived at fourscore years, and no longer capable of earning a live-lihood, he applied to the king, and James I., consenting to his petition, granted to the man who had saved

Danger Aherel Cyclist I always get in the when I see a woman crossing the street shead of me.

Cyclist—I always get 12— a when I see a woman crossing the street ahead of me.

Second Cyclist—So do I. They have so many plus in their clothes that if a fellow collides with them he is almost part to puncture a tire.—Chips.

Fraulain Anna Siegmund, a grand-niece of the great composer Schobert, who is a student in the dramatic department to the Vienna Congervatory, recently appeared in that city as Francisca in "Miona von Barnheim" and Viellow collides with them he is almost part to puncture a tire.—Chips.

principle may be practically applied, suggests the use of baths containing a known quantity of water, and supplied with appliances for measure ment whereby the density of the im mersed body may be calculated, in the manner in which Archimedes ascer-tained the density of King Hiero's crown of adulterated gold.

A Slow-Going Postal Card. A postal card that required fifteen years to travel ninety-nine miles breaks the record for slow postal delivery. It was mailed in Leicester, England, in June, 1881, and has just been received in London. The address was plainly written on the card and no one knows where it has been all this time.-New York World.

Coldest Hou Taking it year in and year out, the coldest hour of each twenty-four is b o'clock in the morning.-Boston Globe

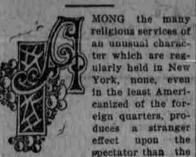
WOMEN OF NOTE.

Mrs. McKinley presented to each of ne young ladles in her party who at-ended the inaugural ball a handsome fan and lace handkerchief as a souve-

When the queen now in her 78th ear, ascended the throne, the poke onnet was the most characteristic feature of feminine attire. That was in the year 1837. Mrs. John Sherman is excedeingly well read and deeply interested in cur-rent events. Next year the and Secretary Sherman will be able to cele-

brate their golden wedding. Nowadays, when women are just venturing to ride horseback astride, it is interesting to know that Queen Anne, consort of Richard II of England, was the first woman to ride n side saddle, previous to that women riding as did the men. Fraulein Anna Siegmund, a grand-

The Effectiveness of the Sermons-All Ideas Are Interpreted by Signs and Motions-Eyes Do Duty for the Use-



worship of a congregation of deaf mutes, says the New York Tribune. the Episcopal church of St. John the Waverley place, where the members | of St. Ann's church are temporarily worshiping, and the other at the Ro man Catholic church of St. Frances Xavier, in West 16th street. To the Episcopal demnomination belongs the credit of having first started sign language services for the "children of silence." It is over forty years since the first one was held in old St. Ann's church, which has always maintained the lead in the movement and has come to be regarded as the especial church by the majority of the deaf mutes in this city. By its recent consolidation with St. Matthew's church, in West 84th street, St. Ann's expects to be able shortly to maintain two churches-one for its regular congregation in St. Matthew's and the other exclusively for deaf mutes, in the edifice to be built upon certain property which the church owns on Washington Heights near 148th street. A visitor to one of these silent Sunday afternoon services, if he arrives before the hour for beginning, will at first notice scarcely anything unusual. The members of the congregation enter one by one and seat themselves generally in some of the rear pews, whence, before the openings words of the service, the rector is accustomed to invite them nearer to the front, where they may see more gentle, beckoning motion of the arms, as if he were gathering his hearers into a group. A stranger soon observes face, which is vastly more intense than sound to that extent. any which the words of the most elo-

anxious expression is ample proof of their endeavor to fill the place of both senses. There is a pathetic solemnity in the tense, strained attitudes of many of the congregation, and in the wonderfully expressive symbolism by which the preacher conveys his meaning. For the sign language is a foreign tongue, so far as its resemblance to English goes. It does not consist, as many imagine, in spelling out the words letter by letter; that is done only in the case of proper names. All ideas are interpreted by signs or moularly held in New | tions which are descriptive as far as possible of the thought. Thus the laying of the hand on the heart denotes love; the arching of the two hands together, as if encircling a globe, indiduces a stranger cates the world; power is expressed by effect upon the a commanding wave of the forearm spectator than the with the fist clinched, and the idea of glory is conveyed by raising both hands above the head and sweeping Two such services are held in this them back and forth horizontally, with city every Sunday afternoon; one at the fingers quivering, in semblance of of a shimmering light. It is wholly Evangelist, at West 11th street and impossible to comprehend without seeing them the effectiveness of the almost innumerable signs which take the place of sounds. It is, of course, true that this sign language cannot be nearly so rich as a spoken tongue, much difficulty being experienced in conveying delicate and slightly different shades of meaning; but the people for whom it was invented have known no other, and it suffices apparently for their entire happiness and comfort. An essential thing in such a church is a clear, strong light; failing this, the sight-hearers sooner or later experionce trouble with their eyes. It is unfortunately often the case that deaf mutes become blind in later life, owing to the overstraining of the one precious sense which they possess. Music in the services is naturally a useless feature, and is almost never provided, although there have been instances where members of the congregation objected to the omission, declaring that they were able, in some inexplicable way, to appreciate the vibrations and derive pleasure from them, It has been proved that mutes can distinguish loud from soft notes. but it is only by the stronger or weaker vibrations produced, and, while the sense of rhythm is conveyed, there can be no real sense of tune. There is a social organization for the deaf and dumb in this city, which freclearly. He makes the request by a quently gives dances for their amusement. On these occasions music is always furnished, and the dancers move in perfect accord with the rhythm the look of rapt attention on every | thereby attesting that they can enjoy

quent preacher ever succeeded in "I'm one of the few persons who don' ride wheels." "Indeed?" "Yes; I'm just learning."

### SNAKES FOR HIS PETS.

DANGLE HAS A QUEER POWER OVER SNAKES.

He Likes Them Hetter Than Birds and They Like Him-Picks Up the Silmy Crawlers in Field or Boadway and Carries Them to His Snake Colony.



TO IRAM Dangle, a 17 - year - old boy, whose home is pear Warrensville. Pa., possesses s queer power over snakes, and as a result of his ability to eatch and handle the reptiles, he makes snakes his pets. Hiram, however, declares that his power is nothag more nor less than a lack of fear,

and that his kindness toward the snakes after they are in captivity tames and pacifies them. But imagine a boy walking up to a box of snakes, picking one or more out with his hands, letting them crawl about his arms, feeding the horrible creatures with his hands or stuffing them into his pockets. Yet young Dangle does these very things with the sllmy reptiles, and seems to think nothing of A reporter called at the Dangle home recently, where he found Hiram | them over, mourning the loss of a three-foot blowing viper which he had kept in the ground all winter, but which had dled a few days before because the boy had placed it, together with a dozen other snakes, under a hot-bed (a glassenvered box) on the sunny side of the garden. All of young Dangle's snakes



HIRAM DANGLE.

died in this manner, but he seemed to forget the fine specimens of milk, water and garter snakes in his acute ing adder. The boy declared that he would rather have lost \$10 than to have had the big snake die.

ty and talks of their spots and stripes tokens close acquaintance with his subject. When his parents noticed his fondness for snakes they scolded him and was shocked at his unnatural taste, but all the same he took advantage of every opportunity to catch and caress the crawlers, often carrying Mrs. Lorman presented her husband good-sized snakes in his pocket, his hat or his coat For two years past, however, having gained the consent of his people, Hiram has made "snakology" a study, and he expects this season to obtain a specimen of nearly all the domestic snakes-a rattler included. He is of the opinion that a rattlesnake is no more dangerous or vent mous than a milk snake (commonly known as a housesnake), which species of reptile he declares is of the most vicious extant, unless it be the copperhead. The boy made two trips into the wooded mountains on a search for rattlesnakes last summer. but failed to run across any. His method of capture is to watch the snake for a few minutes to learn by its movement whether it is in a docile or angry mood. If in the former the reptile will move slowly, so that he finds it no trouble to pick it up in his hands, by catching it back of the head with his thumb and index finger. If the snake's actions indicate anger, then he first presses their head to the ground with a forked stick, thus affording him a chance to pick it up. Hiram says some people have told him that he possesses a strange power over its movement whether it is a docile snakes, while others declare that he pulls their fangs before handling them. The latter charge the boy indignantly denies, while as to the first he expresses the bellef that anybody could handle snakes without being bitten if they were careful not to pinch the reptiles. He says after he has a snake in a cage for a few days, feeding and visiting it regularly, the serpent allows him to fondle it, show-

HOME OF DANGLE.

### PAYMENTS AT HAYDEN

INDIANS GET BIG MONEY FROM UNCLE SAM.

In Many Cases the "Indian" Ense't Got Much of the Genuine American Blood to Brag Of - White "Trash" for



chanced to come upon them along the

oads. He has gotten now that he

ikes good-sized snakes for his pets,

the ordinary ground or garter snake

having but little charm for him. He

kept his snakes in a large box, the

front of which was covered with wire

screening. This box, during the sum-

mer, was kept nailed to the garden

fence, above the house, where it was

a great curiosity to those who had the

nerve to go and look at the collection

of slimy pets. In early fall Hiram took his snakes into the cellar, where

they were kept until cold weather.

Then a hole was dug in the garden, and

snakes box and all buried therein.

About the middle of March, during a

several days' warm spell, the snake

box was lifted and the reptiles were

found to be in good condition-in

scrt of a semi-dormant state-and they

were then reconsigned to the ground

to await the coming of warm weather.

Early in May he disinterred the snakes

again, and thinking that the hot-bed

in the garden would be a good re-

ceptacle for the serpents, in order that

they might be speedily warmed up,

Hiram installed them therein. But it

was too hot, and on the second day

they all "turned up their toes." The

big adder, which was over three feet

long, Hiram declares was a fine speci-

men of the snake family, as was also

an immense milk-snake. Now he will

proceed to catch a new lot of pets and

hopes to be able to successfully winter

SKELETONS IN A BOX.

Ghastly Find Is Made by Some Young

Men Near Bellevae, Iowa.

A grewsome discovery was made

near Bellevue, Iowa, the other day by

some young men who were searching

for Indian relics. While walking along

the river bank south of town they no-

ticed something white protruding from

the ground at the mouth of a small gul-

ly, which leads down nearly to the wa-

ter's edge. Upon closer inspection the

object was found to be the whitened

Not caring to further investigate the

matter at the time, they returned to

the city and reported their find. The

next morning several citizens went to

eton of a white man, who in life had

been six feet four or five inches tall

and well proportioned. With the skel-

cton of the man there were also the

smaller bones of a person who had not

exceeded five feet in height. The skull

which belonged with the latter skeleton

vas, however, missing. Both bodies

had been buried in one coffin, a box of

rough, hard wood planks, fastened to-

the box and the skeletons gave evi-

dence of having been in the ground

many years, although but little over a

The washing of the water in the gul-

ly had worn away the head of the box.

exposing the skull. The entire matter

is shrouded in mystery, which will

probably never be explained, as there

the identity of the remains or why they

should have been buried in this lonely

BOUGHT THE BABIES.

Mrs. Herman Lorman left her home

cently and did not return. For fifteen

years Mr. and Mrs. Lorman had lived

happily together. During that time

with ten babies, all of whom had died

416 Taylor street, Wilmington, Del., re-

spot and unceremonious manner.

s no one here who can even suggest

foot of earth covered them.

gether with common iron nails. Both

the spot and unearthed the entire skel-

skull of a human being.

HE most interest ing town in Indian Territory and one of the wonders of the year in Havden, where the been paying off

with one store and blacksmith shop. In a few days it became a busy town of 4,000 people, mainly colored. The one intent of the population was to receive checks from the government of which they are ben-

When the Cherokee nation liberated its slaves during the civil war a treaty was arranged between them and the government that the freedmen should e received into that nation as citizens and hold land in common with the Cherokees. When the Cherokee strip was sold the Indians forgot the provisions of the treaty and wanted all the money, but the court of claims gave \$800,000 to the freedmen, and it s the distribution of this large sum bat has brought the people together.

Hayden is 12 miles from the ratiroad and the gathering was all housed in tents. The Indians and freedmen were accompanied by a large number of fakers, who had the most enticing devices for the winning of the money to be paid out. They put up a "Midway Plaisance," where all sorts of games were in progress then to swell the crowd there were hundreds business men who have been selling goods to the freedmen for months on credit, trusting in the coming of this auspicious time for their pay. The total number of freedmen on the rolls great St. Bernard pass, between Mont His latest work is a monograph of the

LIVING MUMNY IN PARIS.

Physicians of the Academy of Medic Examining an Extraordinary Creature.
The Academy of Medicine in Paris is just now studying one of the moextraordinary human belags who have ever been born into this world. He is known as the man mummy, and one glance at his ghastly face and body shows that he deserves the title. This phénomenal being is named Castagua and, according to the civil register of Paris, he is now twenty-eight years old. He is about four feet high and he weighs only forty-three pounds. Even with his clothes on he is a most singular looking object—a veritable lusus naturae. His forehead is large, and government has over it is stretched a thick covering of parchment-like skin. His eyes, the muscles of which are atrophied, are quite round and are wide open, like the eyes of night birds. His nose, too reminds one of such birds, for not only is it entirely without flesh, but it is also curved in the form of a beak, drooping in this fashion over a mouth in which the teeth can be always seen, set together as though in a grimace. Altogether the head and face are so uncanny and so horrible that it is impossible to set down anything like a vivid description of them on paper. His arms and the legs are inconceivably thin and slender. Bones and

### RUIN IN ST. BERNARD PASS.

An Avalanche Wrecks a Part of the Ancient and Famous Hospice.

nerves are pressed close against each

other, and the tight skin holds them

together as though it were a sheath of

India rubber. The whole body is in-

deed a miracle of frailness and mea-

gerness, and the wonder is that a good

puff of wind does not blow it away.

(Special Letter.) The left wing of the great monastery of St Bernard in Switzerland has been in the Buffalo Normal and Training demolished by an avalanche. No lives were lost nor was anybody seriously tention largely to bats and bugs, ocinjured, but the monks occupying the monastery were in serious danger for some time. The hospice of St. Bernard is at the highest elevation of the

ARE MEN OF SCIENCE.

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THREE OFFICIALS OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

The Annual Convention in Detroit Next August Will Be a Notable Gathering of Famous Scholars - Sketches of Prominent Officers.



MONG the leading fficers of the tion for the Adence, which is to hold its annual convention in De-

troit next August, are the permanent secretary, Prof. F. W. Putnam, Harvard University; general secretary, Asaph Hall, Jr., University of Michigan; secretary of the council, D. S.

Kellicott, University of Ohio (Columbus), and general treasurer, R. S. Woodward, Columbian University, New York city. Prof. Asaph Hall, Jr., the general ecretary, and his father, are both felows of the American Association, and is might be expected, the son inherited aste for scientific study and research. He pursued studies in Harvard, Yale and Columbian Universities. While in Washington he was connected with the Naval Observatory. At present he is

professor of astronomy in the Univer-

sity of Michigan. He has attained emi-

nence in the line of exact astronomy, and observation with the heliometer, equatorial and meridian circle, Prof. D. S. Kellicott, the secretary of the council, is a native of Oswego ounty, New York; a graduate of Syracuse University, and from 1871 to 1888 occupied the chair of natural science School. Since 1888 he has given his atcupying the chair of zoology and entomology in the Ohio State University. He has published several papers treating upon protozoa, rotifera and insects,



ABAPH HALL, JR., GENERAL SEC-RETARY.

Robert S. Woodward, treasurer of the association, is a native of Michigan; a forty-niner as to birth; and was educated in the University of Michigan. After his graduation he served for some time as engineer of the Lake Survey. In 1882-84 he was astronomer of the Transit of Venus ance, the hospice has welcomed Alpine Commission, and followed this by a travelers for nine centuries. It is more nearly ten years' service with the geological and coast surveys. Prof. Woodward has made valuable contributions Bernard of Menthon, who afterward to scientific literature upon geology, physics of the earth, physical astronomy and pure mathematics. He is at present professor of mechanics at Columbia University, New York city.

gustinian order, assisted by a num-Columns of Whirling Sand. Sand serpents is the name given by an imaginative traveler of the wonderful columns of whirling sand that are so frequently seen on the great plains of Central Asia. Fancy what a terrible country to journey through For miles and miles one unbroken stretch of dreary sand, nothing to break the monotony, nothing to rest the eyes, unless one of these fantastic exhibitions, which, knowing the dis-comfort and the danger, a traveler would rather not see, takes place. The first signal is a puff of wind, followed by various slight disturbances in the loose soil round about; then it blows harder, and tiny columns of sand lift themselves, increasing in volume and height with every moment. These columns have the form of serpents, and all the waving sinuous motions of those terrible creatures. Sometimes they will rise to a height of fifty, sixty, and, if we may believe the testimony of some writers, even two hundred feet. They sweep over immense stretches, sometimes singly, sometimes in groups, gathering size and force as they go, and then, as the wind lowers, diminish, and dwindle into nothingness. But for the terror of being caught in one of these sandstorms and being blown and beaten about, and having one's sight and hearing almost destroyed, the phe-nomenon would be almost as grand as any in nature. One could fancy the evil spirits of the world at play, writhing, twisting, wrestling and exercising their mighty strength on the playground of the desert.

> The Missouri River. An explorer says that the Mississppi's source is at the crest of the bickles, 8,000 feet above sea level, just within the boundary of Montana. The stream is two feet wide and two inches deep, its water coming from melted snow. The source is 4,221 miles from the Gulf of Mexico and 2,945 miles from its confluence with the Mississippi, making the river the longest un-broken current in the world.

> The People of New York City.
> It is said that more than 79 per cent of those who people New York city to-day were born of foreign mothers, while more than 40 per cent were them-selves born on foreign soil. Peter Stuyvesant ruled in his day over 1,400 New Yorkers, who conversed in eighten different tongues.

Favored by Nature.

Jacobs, Jr.—"Fadder, why aren't der
Hebrews as tall as odder beobles?"

Jacobs, Sr.—"Peesnes foresight, mein
son! Tink wot ve can safe in der price

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sorrow over the death of his big blow-Young Dangle is a rather bright, good-looking young man, with a quiet, pleasant demeanor. He came in from the field to see the newspaper man and appeared to be glad of the chance to talk of his queer pets. The boy said he always had a liking for snakes, much as other children have for birds or flowers. He thinks they are pret-

ing no signs of displeasure whatever. He catches minnows and frogs for his snakes and when these are not ob-



of raw meat. When meat is their bill of fare he takes the snakes, one by of fare he takes the snakes, one by one, holds it in one hand and with the other presses the meat into the serpent's mouth as it opens it to receive the food. In his years of experience in eatching and caressing snakes he has had none make any attempt to bite him. Hiram talks enternsiningly of his last year's butch of crawlers, now deceased. He had fif-teen in all, having caught them from time to time during the season while he worked in the fields or as he or striped silk band,

MRS. HERMAN LORMAN. in infancy. Mr. Lorman purchased a

cometery lot, in which the ten bapies were interred in as many tiny graves. The lot was inclosed, and he caused to be erected a handsome monument, sacred to the memory of the cherubs. Mr. Lorman shed many tears over the dead bables, and apparently so did Mrs. Lorman When Mrs. Lorman did not return to her home on the evening of the day she left Mr. Lorman thought she had become deranged through worriment over the children, but he changed his mind in a few days and notified Coroner J. Thomas Wright to keep a lookout for the dead body of his wife. Coroner Wright turned the case over to the state detectives, who, after six weeks' investigation, received an anonymous letter from New York saying that Mrs. Lorman was there living with another man. The communication also directed them to call at a certain nursery establishment in tainable he feeds them small chunks Philadelphia for information about the dead babies. The detective took the hint and went to Philadelphia to investigate. There they located a woman who operates an establishment for the doption of babies. This woman signed in their presence an affidavit to which she swore that Mrs. Lorman had which she swore that Mrs. Lorman had been her best customer for eight years. She swore that Mr. Lorman was not the father of the ten babies, but that Mrs. Lorman had smuggled them into her home and palmed them off on him.

each time arranged with a midwife to keep her husband out of the room until a sufficient length of time had elapsed, and the baby was then brought to him. Congratulations helped to make the deception complete. This strange story leaked out and Mr. Lorman was dumbfounded. He believes it, however, and threatens to dig up the believe and have them sent to the potter's field. He says he will be satisfied to have his wife stay away altogether. The parties are well known.

was over 4,500, and each share was Velan and its western extremity, called worth \$188.74. The payment was Pointe de Dronaze, in the Penine chain made by family, and on account of the of the Alps. It is the highest habita tangled relationship of a race that was | tion in the Alps, if not in all Europe. so lately slaves, the making of the The monastery consisted of a large The identification of the members of and gloomy enough when viewed from the families was no less onerous, for the exterior, but inviting and cheerthey all look alike to the stranger. ful within. Despite its rough appear-The public school is one of the unknown factors of Indian life in this section, and there are few who can than 8,000 feet above the level of the read and write.

HAYDEN DURING THE PAYMENT.

The camp has been the most orderly in the history of the Indian Territory payments. In former cases there of his life to helping and protecting has been always a larger attendance the numerous travelers who annually of the tough element which has made the night hideous. Here the nights The inmates are monks of the Aubecame wild about the midnight hour and then the "coons" who want to cut a dash are in their element. Then it is that the Alkali Ikes are ready to go out and shoot a few holes in the atmosphere without warning. Girls with red ribbons in their hair are here, and they do the town of tents to 600 travelers at a time. The ground in the most approved fashion, while the old folks are having a shouting stabling and storerooms, and the upprayer meeting, after the manner of the colored folks of the south. The brethren from Oklahoma are numerous, and they are usually of the sort that has the money craze well develoned. There is an attempt made to keep gambling off the grounds, but with small success. The freedmen are eager to get more money and they will bite at any kind of a game. It is, perhaps, a good thing, that in so many instances they have pledged their money in advance, and that it is taken by the debtors at the moment they receive it. At the best it will not last long, for they are unused to having so much, and they know that Uncle Sam will pay them more regularly

in the future, as he does the Chero-Over in the Osage portion of the territory every member of the tribe is wealthy. The men are handsome and the squaws are not bad looking. They are few in number and are decreasing every year. Now there are only 345 voters in the tribe and they are the recipients of a bounty that might well make a prince happy. The tribe has 1,000,000 acres of land and about \$9,000,000 in the United States treasury, on which the interest is \$400,000 a year. This is paid every three months, and it amounts then to \$54 for each man, woman and child in the tribe. Of the \$400,000 one-tenth is set aside for education and the children are all sent to school. They go to Catholic boarding schools and are not allowed to get the apportionment if they are not in school. The Indiana too, have a large amount of rent from their lands, which they lease to the cattlemen for cash.

ther home and palmed them off on him.

She explained that Mrs. Lorman had each time arranged with a midwife to keep her husband out of the room until a sufficient length of time had alapsed, and the bahy was then brought to him. Congratulations helped to make the deception complete. This strange story leaked out and Mr. Lorman was dumbfounded. He believes it, however, and threatens to dignife to he potter's field. He says he will be satisfied to have his wife stay away altogether. The parties are well known.

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Frequently the leading men go east on a visit and travel in Pullman cars as do other luxurious westerners. They take their families to Europe and have for their servants white men and women who are tempted by the prince-ly wages to forget that they are the superior race. White full bloods wear turn?

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ber of lay brethren. There are forty monks in the monastery, some of whom, however, are in the Simplon Hospice on the top of little St. Bernard mountain. The St. Bernard hospice has been known to accommodate 500 floor of the building is devoted to per floors to a drawing room, refectory, offices and dormitories. The work of the monks in giving shelter to travelers and rescuing wayfarers lost in the mountains has been the subject of many tales of heroism. The monks care for nearly 20,000 travelers every year without exacting the smallest

sea. It was founded in 962 by Count

pass between Switzerland and Italy.

THE HOSPICE OF ST. BERNARD. payment, as the monastery is rich enough to support Itself out of its own unds. Those that can afford to do are so expected, however, to contribute a sum equal to the amount they would be charged in a hotel in the vil-

The St. Bernard dogs, which are as

famous as the monastery itself, are bred at the hospice. They are subject to the same rheumatism affliction after seven or eight years as are the monks, and are then killed. The monks always keep eight or twelve dogs on hand. These dogs travel around in torms with little casks containing



SATURDAY MYENING, JU IE 12, 1897

### STREET TALK.

Gentle shower, to-day.

Mrs E. O. de Heoriquez is confined t her rome.

The New England restaurant is being repapered and painted

Nature be'ped the Oters reception by laying the dust, to-day.

A heavy ball storm is reported yester

day slong the Singuella. The Los Vegas band will give concert

in Hillsite and Lincoln parks, to-morrow Professor Miller will render instrument

at music at the Methodist church, to-mor row evering. Co'. Dick Hudson is up from Deming to and his genial presence at the reception

o Governor Otero. The Shake-peare club met with Mrs. D. C. Winters, ast night. A very entertaining evening was sount.

The water works company will have four o their fine borses bitched to the Romes ranch coach, in the rarade, to night.

Regular monthly tosiness meeting of the Y. W. C. T. U., will be held, Monday evening, at the home of Miss Alma O ive.

The wife of A. O. Wheeler, the C. O. D. loundry man, presented him with a fin girl baby, inst right. Everybody doing

A walking cinb is the latest fad among the ladies. A walk to the Williams rauch was participated in by the members, yestorda ..

Seventeer Kansas City capitalis's step ped off at Springer, yesterday, en route to Red River where b'g mining deals are on

Mrs. Jno. Shank suffered excentiatingly all last night, from negrelgia of the tomach. She is much improved, this morning.

The Raton club expressed themsely s a w'll pleased with their treatment at the west on National street to Bridge street hands of the Las Vegas boys, and will pay Bridge street to night side of the plaza us another visit as soon as opportunity

Steve Powers and Boaz Long leave to night, on a trip to the headwaters of the Gallinar. To-morrow they will hold their bibles in one hand and feed the fishes with

Miss Ophelia Honriquez, who has beer traveling in Mexico and whose interesting letters bave appeared in Tux Orne, from time to time, returned from her long ab sence this morning.

Amelie Ortiz, Patricio Sanshez, Agapito riages. beyta and Frank A. Hill, as well as host of other county officials and private citizens of the Mora commonwealth are in the city, to-day, to see how it's done whe Las Vegas does really turn terself loose

in the absence of the body of the late Manuel Blanchard, who was drowned near Sen Marcial, a solemn mass of requim will he sung on Monday morning at 8 a. m., in the west side Cathrife church, by Rev. Fr. Defouri. An invitation is extended to all friends of the dechased to attend.

Patricio Sauchez, Mora county's super intendent of public instruction, is slive to the work of the normal institute, and will open the More county normal institute on June 21st, in the superintendent, office in in the court house, with Mrs. H. B. Winston in charge. Tuition in advance.

Yesterday's bail game draw at least 5:0 spectators to the grounds and the cheer ing was board as far as the denot a mil away, when the game closed. The Cyclora club wor by a score of clabteen to sixteen They have never lost a game since they organized and they care correspondingly

Robert C. Gortner came over from Santa Fe, this morning, to be present at Governor Otero's reception. He is a delegate Vespers and Bauediction, from the Santa Fe inaugural committee. and was sent over to ascertain for certain what day the governor will go to Santa Fe, where another graud reception awaits him on his arrival.

J. W. Brooks, is the artist who painte the life size oil painting of Gov. M. A. Otero relich has been on exhibition in Resentha Bres. display window, this afternoon, and which will be used to deco rate the opera house, to-night. Mr. Brooks deserves great credit for the taste and artistic genius need on the work, and THE and evening, by the pestor; subject for the OPTIC congratulates bim on the achieve-

Notice.

Bids will be received till Thosday morning lith inst. at our office, or the lumber in the old buildings on the two west it on south side Rridge street, that are now partially wrocked. Said lamber to be removed rom the premises by July 25th.

Wiss & Housert,

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The Normal school closed the first week of its session, yesterday, and will continue for seven days longer. The county exam-funtions will be held the Wednesday fol-

Garlick, May Howard, Annie Ecklo.
Belle Rogers, Minnie Holsman,
Mrs. Ballie Dauglas, Manuel Ortiz.
Porfirio Gonzales, Mrs. J. B. Dickinson,
Elizabeth Allen. Luce Stone, Mrs. M. R.
Riggle, Mary Papen, Mrs. J. D. Douglas,
Mary E. Beury, Alice Cavanaugh, Laura
Davenport, Velma Trembly, Margaret
Grancy, Florentino Montoye, Jose I. Garcis. Lucia Euchnias, Alice Blake, Josie
O Keofe, Maggie incher, Apolonio Bena,
Flasido Britzem, Flora Beschie. Sophia C.
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### I ONORN TO OTERO.

oaNight's Temonstration Will Eclipse Anything of the Rind Ever Held in the Territory.

HOW IT WILL BE CONDUCTED.

To day has been a busy one for the choic population of the city, who are making every preparation possible to make ac reception of Governor M. A. Otero an occasion which will be pointed to with oride as an exemple for years to come.

The streets and business houses have all put on ho'day attire, every available piece of bunting and flag in the city being hauled ut and tacked up in the most impos namer possible. From the corner of Tilden street to the corner of Lincoln, along Railroad avenue, a line of Japanese lan-Estirond avenue, a the of Sapanese and trees will be strung, with arches across the streets in other places. Almost every business house in the city will, also, be brilliantly illuminated, and every cellar, backyard and alley has been ransacked for dry goods boxes, with which to furnish uel for innumerable bouffree.

From Raton on down the line of the Atchison road, crowds will greece the now overnor at each station, giving welcome and good cheer, not only as our followtheir addresses of greeting, b. a uning and on massing, demonstrating their pleasure for the president's choice and their confi-

Las Vegas has, to-night, many non-residents within its confines who have journeyed distances to congratulate our fellowitizen. Let us show to these visitors and the Territory at large that we have even greater confidence in "Gillie,"for the future as a governor, than we have had in him in

Much has already been dove, but more an be and should be. Let every person a number of some organization, turn out with that order. If not a member of some of these organizations, turn out as a private citizen-demonstrate the faith that's

Special car ettached to the morning freight containing the reception committes from Las Vegas and delagations from Mora and Santa Fe, as well as the Las legas band, left at 7:80, this morning, for Springer, where they will meet Governor Otero, and escart him to the city, arriving here, at 6:30, this evening. As the train enters the city limits a salute of thirteen guns will be fired, and a coach and four

will escort him to his home. Fo lowing is the program for the evenlog's joinfication :

ORDER OF MARCH. At 8 p. m., the p-rade forms at the fourtain, line of merch, south on Grand avenue to Tilden streat; sast on Tilden street to Railroad avenue; north on Railroad av nue to Lincoln avenue; Lincoln avenue up Sixth street to National street; park. R -turn, south side of the p'aga park to Bridge street, Bridge street to Twelfth street, Twelfth street to Dopglas avenue.

Dauglas avenue to the opera house, After the arrival at the opera bouse th and will discourse music in front of that place until the attendants are inside and eated when they will enter and take the places assigned them.

Residents slorg the line of march are requested to decorate and illuminate. ORDER OF PARADE.

Aides-Eugenia Romero, Jose L. Lopes. Mayor Siney and city council in car-

Las Vegas military band Carriages of Governor M. A. Otero and

Division No. 7 of Uniform rank, K. of P. mounted will act as an escort to Governor Lafayette commardery No. 7, U. A.

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B. F. FORSYTHE. Chairman of Committee. PLACES OF WORSHIP.

WEST SIDE CATHOLIC CHURCH.-Very Rov. Jas. H. Defouri, pastor: Rev. Adrian Kabeyrolle, assistant .- First mass at 6 a m.: second mass at 7:30 a.m.; bigh mass at 9:30 a.m; Sunday school at 2 o'clock p. at. Evening services, during the month of May, 7 o'clock p.m., afterwards, 4 o'clock;

Finst A. M. E. CHCROH. Sanday school at 2:30 p.m.; preaching, 8:00 p.m.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH-Rev. J. F. Kellogg. -Sunday school, at 9:45 a. m Preaching by the pastor at 11 o'clock s.m! -special rermon to the chileren; Class meeting, 12:15 p.m.; there will be no Epworth league service: The annual Childreus' Day congert at 8 o'clock p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH-Rov. William Pearce, pastor.-Preaching both morning

FIRST PRESERVERIAN CRURCE, Rev. Nor. FOR RENT -A furnished house. Mrs. sebben. Douglas avenus. 174-35 mso Skinner, pastor. — Sunday morning, at 11 o'clock, the Children's Day services will be held in the church; the gapal morning session of the Sunday school will be ing session of the Sunday evenlog at 8 o'clock, the contents of the third seemon in the series on the 'Pradigal,' the subject being repentance unto Lice? the Sorie's of Christis. " Endeaver at 7 p.m.

Portunities."

Evening service at Watron; Sermon

### PERSONAL PICK-UPS

H. B. Johnson left for Mt. Argen, this moraleg. H. M. Adams took No. 2, to La Junt

Manuel Goke took No. 22, th's morning Dr. Shaw will return, to-night. from his

trip to Topeks. W. A. Givens returned from Albaquer

R. B. Schoonmaker, although at work, is

W. B. Page started for his Russell, Kan-

as, home on No. 2, this mo Jee Herborg and family left, this morning, for their More home.

Col. Marcus Brunswick returned from cuthern crip, this morning. Robert Gortner came in from Santa Fe his morning, to take part in the reception Ted Cooley and Dr. Titterington went to

Prout springs, yesterday, to camp for a few Jule Daniel went down to Lamy, last night, in the interest of Gross, Blackwell

Frank Lee, of Albuquerque, is on the treets, to-day, coming up to see the

Mrs. M. L. Singleton is expected to reach the city on No. 1, this evening, from Ow-ensboro, Ky.

Rev. J. F. Kellogg and V. Long start, Monday, for a telp to Harvey's ranch and FRIENDS

F. H. Laberteaux leaves for Holbrook Aris., on another of his periodical cettle buying trips.

Mrs. Miguel A. Otero, mother of the overnor, came over from Banta Fe or the morning train.

Joe Harburg and family returned from Philadelphis, last evening, and went out to their Mora boine, this morning. Hop. Mariago S. Otero, uncle of New

Mexico's governor, arrived on the morn ing train, to take part is the reception Farry Cavanaugh went down to Albu querque with the Raton hall team, last

wening, and will assist that team in their contests with Albuquerque. M. S. Otero, Albuquerque; Mrs. Otero mother of Governor Osero; Miss O. Henrique, of Santa Fe, are in the city to

wirps the reception exercises. Mrs, Uptegrave will on Wednesday next, zove from her present location in one o Chri + Sellman's cottages, to the new residence of F. G. Waring, east of Hillisite

C. M. Wag: er, Denver; Joe Harborg and family, Mora; Mr., S. Vonierg and famlly and Eugenio Romero, Ceveland: W S. Clark, Ontario, Cal., are registered at the N w Optle.

Creek, Colo., to visit his brothers, Charley and Ernest Bloom, as well as to note im provements in the metropolis during his long absence. W. N. Sweeney and mother come h

from Santa Po. last night, on No. 9 Mr. waney leaves to-morrow marning for Kentucke, his mother remaining in the city to visit friends. Frank Gilbert, Monon, Ltd.; F. Dono

van, Denver; Pedro A, Ortogn, Frank A Vigil. Joan Jose Hodrigriz, Luciano Espinces, Lucas Malston, Mora, are registered at the Central botel. Mrs. Morse and daughter, Hattle, with J

W. Morse, came in, last evening, from Denver. Mr. Morse is the lucky man who will carry away one of Las Vegas, most charming belles as a bride, on the 17th

G. H. Lippell, St. Louis; J. L. Podd, H. R. Whitney, Chicago; A. L. Conrad, Albuquerque; L. L. Lyons, Denver; L. P. Moron and W. H. Miller, New York City; Dr. Smith and Mrs. Dr. Shaw, city; H. Wigaam, Raton, are registered at the Plaza

L. H. Hefmeister and family, F. Kibl-berg, city; C. A. Whitehead, J. A. Smith, Raton; W. L. Hathaway, San Francisco; Manuel B. Goke, Sapello; G. S. Long, San The rear of the progession will be formed Angelo, Tex.; Richard Hudson, Deming; W. S. Conduit, El Paso; Frank Lee, M. S. Otero, Albuquerque, are registered at the

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lowing after the close of the Normal. It certainly would be both entertaining Fr. Park's Carnen.—Services on Sunand and helpful if the citizens and school day — unday school at 10 o'clock s.m.; board would make a point of visiting this Morning service at II o'e'ock: Anto Com

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