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# Our Motto:"Quality First of All." BOOSINGER BROS

sold by 15. Cr matison & Co.	How Many Are There?		
EXCURSIONS VIA THE	A democratic county convention was called to be held at this place		
PERE MARQUETTE           CHICAGO         -         \$6.00.           DETROIT         -         \$5.00.           TOLEDO         -         \$5.00.           LACROSSE         -         \$5.00.	Thursday but for some reason there was not a very large attendance. We understand, however that they did nominate Thos. Colden, of Clarion to be defeated by Robt. W. Paddock for member of the Legislature. In the		
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 77H, 1902. Annual low rate excursion to visit your friends in Southern Michigan, Lilinows, Judiana, Ohio and Canada, Special trains and good service. Tick-	matter of filling the balance of the ticket the question arose as to wheth- er enough democrats could be found in the county to fill up the list and the county committee was instructed to		
 ets good to return until October 17th, inclusive. Ask Agents or see bills for full particulars. If. F. MOELLER, G. P. A.	look it up and if enough could be found to use their own discretion about placing them in nomination.		
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for full particulars. H. F. MOELLER, G. P. A



An ou. To smoo. despair

In filmy mist, and shrouds the after

In mystery—were this uncertain way Not less of tear, and more of cheery

smile. Why fear the issue of eternity? If life were all-ah! but the shadows

despair-And as we use our golden talents here, We find fruition of our labors there; Eternal joy is measured as we live. -Leslie's Weekly.

into nature. In the same sense the

artist reads into nature beauty, and

the poet truth. Nature reflects back

to them what they bring to nature.

The artistic in nature is discovered

only by the artistic in man; the di-

vine in nature is perceived only the

divine in man. The man of vision

does not see what does not exist; he

does not create, he perceives. But the

blind man does not see what does ex-

a sad, distrustful mind, producing

timid and wavering steps, comes over

us, and life appears too vain and

death too awful a thing, it were false

in us to submit to such a delusion,

and listen to such monotony of strain;

and we must force ourselves upon the

wing away-fly to the hills of faith

where dwelleth our help-lose our-

selves in the forests of our deepest

worship, where blessed birds will sing

the songs of heaven to our weary

brawn, are ever enriching the world.

Observe how His preaching is en-

riched with industrial figures; of nets

booths, shepherds, housekeepers, arch-

itects, vine-dressers and other sorts

of handcraftsmen. At the outset of

His ministry He gathered about Him

a cabinet of twelve men, all of whom

were devoted to braincraft or handi-

craft. There was not among them a

single gentleman of leisure. In view

of such conditions, it is not surpris-

ing to learn that the great multitude

of believers in the early church were

from among the working class. On

the one hand, "not many mighty, not many noble were called"; and on the

other, there was little in the new re-

ligion to attract the indolent, since

one of its fundamental precepts was,

"If any man will not work, neither let

and amusement, the springs of your

never sought you will always find

-Dr. R. F. Horton.

If life were all, what need the living In transient griefs that seem to multi-py Each with the disappearance of its mate.

mate, And so to crowd in one long misery The little pains, in union waxing Groat. great. And racking us beyond all mortal ken? This tear-wash'd vale-were nothing cise to be There where the twilight robes the close of day

#### The Hidden Presence

To say that God is everywhere is | only imagines him there; he reads him not the same as to say that I see God everywhere I go. The first is an intellectual theory, the second is a vital experience. It is conceivable that God might he everywhere and yet the soul not see him wherever it should go; it is conceivable that the soul should see God wherever it should go and yet God not be everywhere. The the ological doctrine of the omnipresence of God has grown out of the spiritual experience of companionship with God, but the two are not identical. The one is a deduction of the philosophers, the other is an experience, of the de It is this last one which the sacred writers lay stress in the Bible. They are not framers of a theory they are narrators of an experience We find God everywhere if we take God with us; not otherwise. It is sometimes said that the devout soul does not really see God in nature, he | discern-no more, no less

## Self-Majesty

it must be wielded, like a dangerous weapon with the most absolute mastery. When the nerves quiver with irritable propensity, the will must lay a tranquilizing hand upon their trembling, forbid the lips to open but for quiet words, and compel the heart to live by the placid faith of happier hours. When coward inclination re-colls from the austere simplicity of duty, shrinks from the hardness of its strife, grows sensitive to the voices of derision, and obtuse to the whisperings of God, then inclination must be punished as a treacherous and wicked counsellor, and all that it forbade be undertaken at any cost. And when proud, self-justifying thought would refuse to confess and double hearts .- James Martineau.

#### Christ and the People

It is frequently said that the church masses, to the great body of productor of our time has lost its grip on the ers, who, by sweat of brain and of our time has lost its grip on the working class. The statement is far too sweeping; but whatever truth it contains, is measured by the extent to which the church, ever or anywhere, turns aside from the word or example of her Lord. He was no respecter of persons; His heart overflowed with love for all sorts and conditions of men. Jesus was a social reformer. As a Man of the people He had a heart that was in sympathy with them; and His life and teaching were addressed to the betterment of their conditions here and hereafter. It is now nineteen hundred years since His advent. The ripening of His glorlous purpose has been slow but sure. "The mills of God grind slowly, but they grind exceedingly small." We look hack over the centuries and are able to estimate what Christ has done for the people.

The heart of Jesus went cut to the ' him eat."-Dr. David J. Burrell.

### How to Be Happy

Real life lies in service; that is to j of ease and comfort, that if you make say, to be of some use in the world, to the great object of your life pleasure arm at the shoulder proved necessary. make other people happier and better by our presence among them, is the being will gradually dry up within only way of being happy and of im-you, and long before you have reached only way of being happy and of im-

DRAW THE LINE AT RUINS. American Tourist Not Interested In

See .

That Line, American tourists are notoriously irreverent. One of those inevitables paid a visit to Chatsworth, England, the other day, and after exploring the marvels of the Palace of the Peak, he said to a Sheffielder who had been also inside, "This is a nice place; who belongs to it?" "The Duke of Devon-shire." "How did he get it?" "It was left to him." "What does he do? Did he ever earn ten cents in his life?" "Oh, yes; he's very clever." "But did outer edge of promise and of cheer "Oh, yes; he's very clever." But the outer edge of promise and of cheer "Oh, yes; he's very clever." But the 'o smooth the frown and banish out he ever do a day's work, like you or 'me?" The Sheffelder was soon at The Sheffielder was soon at his wits' end for replies, and by way of changing the subject suggested that the American should visit Fountains Abbey. "Fountains Abbey," re-plied Old Yank, "what's that?" "It's a very fine ruin," was the answer. "A ruin, is it," said the Yankee; "then I guess I don't see it. Ever since I married her (jerking his thumb to ward his wife) I draw the line at ruins, stranger. She's ruin enough for me."

#### MAY SETTLE IN SUMATRA.

Boer Leaders Said to Have a Liking for the Country.

ist: he does not see it because he can After his visit to Antwerp and pos not; for as only the spirit of the arsibly a short stop in London, Mr. Reitz, it is understood, will not return tist within can see beauty without, so only the spirit of the divine within can see God without. That is what to Sumatra to settle down. Of late to South Africa, but intends going out years Sumatra has been making rapid are the pure in heart; for they shall see God." The muddy pool does not strides ahead, owing to the great suc-The muddy pool does not cess of the tobacco growing industry reflect the stars. We discern so much along the coast opposite Penang, and of God in nature and in life as we have of God within us wherewith to Dell and Langkat have grown into important places. They are not far as the crow flies, from the disturbed district of Acheen, where one of the longest wars in history is still going When appetite has the keenest edge the past wrong by shutting it up in on, the Dutch government having sullenness instead of opening it out started the suppression of the Acheenin secret shame; we must instantly, ese revolt over thirty years ago. Leyds is also said to have some idea by an act of self-sacrificing will, inof going to the Dutch East. He is a voke the Holiest-to witness our imnative of Java and has many relatives penitence and humble ourselves with and friends in and around Batavia .-in that presence to which our nitiable disguises are of no avail. And if ever London Chronicle.

#### Counting Government Money.

J. R. Page, of the New York government assay office, and F. W. Bradock, of the mint bureau in Washing ton, during the last month have counted more than \$26,000,000 in loose change which Uncle Sam has stored in the New Orleans mint. Every coin passed through the hands of one of the other of these expert tellers, and careful tally was kept. Among the other coins were 15,000,000 standard silver dollars, \$5,000,000 in gold coins and subsidiary coinage, and about \$6,000,000 worth of silver bullion. These two men went to New Orleans recently and at once began the task of accounting for every dollar in money represented in the accounts of the superintendent of the money manand boats, sowing, fertilizing and ufactory, reaping, mills and markets and toll the work. ufactory. They have just completed

It is related of Sir Edward Bradford, the chief police commissioner of London, that he once walked arm in arm, so to speak, with a tigress. He was out shooting, and, always a fearless sportsman, had come to close quarters with his quarry. He fired, and either the ball failed to take ef fect or but slightly wounded the animal. She sprang at him, and seized his left arm above the elbow. pain must have been terrible, but Sir Edward kept cool, and, realizing that it would be death to drag his mangled arm away and allow her spring afresh at him, he deliberately walked a few agonizing paces until his comrade was able to take aim and kill the brute. Thus his courage saved his life, though the amputation of his

#### Quaint Savinos.

coccasional thing for a day or for a has ceased to please, and amusement Edward Blourt's "Memoirs," a corre- want hot water for all their summer the solar water heater recently de-month, but as the settled habit of our has ceased to amuse: but, on the other Commenting on the dubious anecmonth, but as the settled habit of our has ceased to amuse; but, on the other spondent of the London Times thus to minister, to bless, and to talked about Disraeli in those days; save any one of these human beings men perhaps began to believe the around you, you will find that those stories that passed from month to sacred springs within your own na- mouth and even to think they had ture bubble up afresh, bubble up in themselves been present at scenes perennial freshness, and while you which never were. Lady Ashourton used to say that as a child she declarpleasure and amusement in the world, ed she remembered being present at her mother's wedding; and that, though she was whipped for making the statement, she never ceased believe it."



#### New Uses for Paper

Paper teeth would appear to many people at first sight quite impracticable and useless, yet actual use has proved them to be in every respect equal to those made of porcelain or other similar compositions. Dentists in Germany are now making them as prominent in their work as the latter, and in every case they are said to give satisfaction. Naturally, too, they are very much less expensive than the false teeth used hitherto, while they cannot break so easily, and are not in the least susceptible sto conditions of temperature. 2029 30 Another queer and interesting use loutdoor wear.

#### Field Hospital Equipment

equipment for thei

While we hope that war will soon be a thing of the past, the powers have not yet begun to curtail their field hospital service, shown in our illustration. The inventor is Herbert

F. L. Allen of Washington, D. C., and his object is to provide a light, portable carriage, capable of being moved from place to place by hand or horse power, for conveying ammunition and water from the source of supply to the firing line, and for carrying the dead and wounded from the battlefield. The frame of the carriage is of light steel tubing, and the water reservoirs and ammunition cases are suspended peneath the litter by straps. In addition to the single wheel on which the carriage rolls, there are folding legs at the four corners, which may

modern ingenuity has found for paper

is to manufacture foot-gear from it. So skillully can it bo prepared for the

purpose that in appearance it is al-most identical with that of patent

leather. It is, however, considerably lighter, and so thin that it apparently

reduces the wearer's feet a couple of

sizes or more-a fact which will doubt

less go a good way towards bringing

paper shoes into popular use, for most

people have an inward and secret de-

sire to possess small feet. Such shoes

are best suited for housewear, more

especially through their fragility ren-

dering them hardly durable enough for

used in warfare. The latest invention in this line is the combined ammunibe let down when the carriage is at tion and water carrier and a litter .or rest.

about eight tons. In addition, any de-

sired color may be introduced into the

sand and cement mixture. When taken

from the mould the soft mixture must

be handled with extreme care. The

bricks are then placed upon large

racks built for that purpose, where

they are sprayed with water from an

automatic sprinkler every four hours.

This is done to assist the action of the

cement in setting properly. The hard-ening process naturally begins at the

outward surface of the brick and con-

eyelet which projects through a slot

in the center of the cover. Beneath

the napkin holder is a central cham-

ber arranged to contain a flask of

drink, and clips are provided to carry

the knife, fork and spoon. The racks

ing to the lecturer, are such that the

question is raised whether the light

treatment shall not be made compul-

sory. Prof. Bie approved the appara-

tus invented by Dr. Finsen of Copenha

gen with which the latter has achieved

such remarkable success in cases of

lupus, but urges that no one but quali-fied doctors should be allowed to apply

the light treatment, as disturbances

are apt to occur which render it neces-

itself to all householders, the cost of

installation being the final expense

also, whereas, in case of artificial heat

the fuel for the fire soon amounts to

considerable. The inventor claims

that a sufficient amount of heat can

be secured from the sun's rays to

raise the water to the necessary tem-

perature, by utilizing this invention,

which, as will be seen, consists of an

ordinary hot water boller set in a

glass-enclosed pocket in the roof of

the house. Surrounding the boiler

and forming the sides of the pocket

are a number of polished metal re-flectors, which serve to concentrate

the heat rays on the reservoir, and it

is not at all unlikely that the interior

Cal., should recommend

sary to break it off suddenly.

tinues inward.

Bricks from Sand and Coment

A new process for making bricks out | sure required for building purposes is of sand and cement has been put in operation in Missouri. No ovens or burning processes are necessary, the hardening of the bricks beginning as soon as it is taken from the mould. and in fifteen days it is ready for delivery. During the process of moulding a single brick undergoes a pressure of 65.000 pounds. In thirty days from the time the hardening process begins the brick will stand a pressure of ten tons; in sixty days, a pressure of sixty-five tons. The ordinary pres-

purchases

of

armies nor have the inventors ceased

to improve on the various appliances

#### A Complete Dining Outfit

As commonly constructed the ordinary dinner palls or lunch kits are clumsy affairs, provided with cumber-some trays of tin, which fit together inside the pail, requiring the removal the entire outfit before the luncheon can be commenced. Furthermore, it is difficult to clean the receptacles properly after the food has come in contact with them. The new pail, instead of providing tin trays for holding the food, is fitted with metal racks for carrying the common oval "side dishes" of china or earthenware, and when the cover and sides of the pail are removed the entire luncheon is brought into view without the necessity of moving a single tray. The construction of the pail is such

for the upper pair of dishes are hingthat the cover and sides lift off in ed to the upright frame and tilt back at either side to afford free access to one piece, being secured to the central upright by a pin inserted in the the lower dishes.

#### Light as a Healing Principle

In view of the growing importance of the aplication of light as a healing principle in medical science the medical congress which recently convened at Wiesbaden invited Prof. Bie of Copenhagen to read a paper on the subject. The lecturer explained the principle of employing light for healing purposes after excluding its chemical effects. The results attained by this method in case of smallnox, accord-

#### Sun Heats Water for the Bath

#### HOW HE MADE AN ENEMY.

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Sect:

Old Centleman Kells of Perfidy of a Former Friend.

"Yes," said the old man, "Smith was my bosom friend when we were boys at school, but he became my worst enemy. We sat on the same form, ate together, slept together, and shared each other's joys and sorrows, "When we grew older our parents

sent us to the university together, where our friendship, if possible, grea-stronger. We took our degrees together, and, to preserve the friendship of our boyhood days, went into partnership.

"We were more than brothers and were always together, and it was while attending a social party that we both met and fell in love with the same girl.

"Our rivalry was a friendly one, and for some time none could tell which was the favored one. One night my chum came to me in his old friendly 

prove the winner you would suffer deeply, therefore I have decided to turn over my interest in the business to you and leave for some new coan-

try, "Of course, I endeavored to persuade him not to go, but he persisted and carried out his plan. He went to Australia, and in three months I married the girl."

"But how did Smith become your enemy?" inquired one of the listeners. "By not letting me go to Australia instead," snapped the old man; and they all understood.

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Santos-Dumont's Plans.

Paris cable: Santos-Dumont, the aeronaut, will attempt the construction of an aerial vessel to carry eight He plans to begin experipersons. ments with the machine in two or three months.

A little life may be sacrificed to a spenn attack of croup if you don't have Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil on Land for the emergency.

If Christians would pray more when the sun is shining they would have less cloudy weather.

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Sooner or later the world is going to be taken for Christ, in spite of the preach-ers who are jealous of each other.

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How much we would have lost had God made the sun so that it could hever leave us in the dark.

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Grammar is all right, but much of the world's most original thought emanates from people who say "I done it."

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A good many boys have been turned against farming because they had to work with a dull hoe.

Piso's Cure cannot be too highly spoken of as a cough cure.-J. W. O'BREIN, 322 Third Ave., N., Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 6, 1903.

Selfishness is often so refined that it is deeply wounded at the least remons-trance. The devil's power over us is destroyed when we find out that God is love. No man is truly great unless he is able to retain his self-respect.

Courage of High Order.

The

month, but as the settled habit of our nas ceased to amuse, out, on the other. Spondent of the lalibility of this sort of life. I am here in the world to serve hand, if you make the whole object writes on the fallibility of this sort of the bard to think of others and not my or your life to serve others, reminiscence: "Much nonsense was self. Now although that is the open secret of happiness in the world, it is extraordinarily difficult for us to realize it, and I suppose most young people begin under the impression that instead of happiness lying in service it lies in being served. I would therefore remind you, especially those of you who are placed in circumstances

#### Explanation of Miracles

Chicago Tribune who now and then says a thirg of force and sense. Looking at the constant foolish quarrel over the miracles of Jesus and seeing how the 'explanations are often more mystifying than the miracles themselves, he says: "The most rev-erent, way to hardle the New Testament miracles is to refrain from any attempt to explain them." Perhaps

There is a "funny man" on the he is right. For generations past men have tried to explain the miracles of the Christ, but they haven't got beyond making bad blood among themselves. Strange that so many fail to the way in which women walk ansee that Jesus himself is the greatest miracle; one would naturally ex- en of Baltimore have the most correct pect him to do things no other man ever did before him or after him. A any in the world. As Baltimore has 

 stab at the miracles is a stab at the long held the palm for the beauty of Christ.—Baptist Union.
 her women this will be another feather in her cap.

#### Faith and Works

other than bear clusters of ruddy grapes. Its difficulty would be to abstain from bearing; the vitality of the root accounts for its life and productiveness. Blame the lark, whose nature vibrates in the sunshine, for pouring from its small throat volumos | greater works .- F. B. Meyer.

work! Ask why the branch can do bounding health, for laughing, singing and leaping; blame the musician whose soul has caught some fragments of the music of eternity, for pouring it forth in song, before you wonder why it is that the true faith which has opened the way from the believer ti his Lord produces these

#### Your Father Knoweth

one of the tender words of scripture. the sweet, hushing answer of a love that understands all and can do all. There is such joy in these words: "He knoweth. Your Father knoweth that 'ye have need of such things." . It may be heart-need or life-need or soul-long ing, the unattained desire, the unful-

"Your Father knoweth." This is filled wish. To every pang of disappointment, to every powerless reaching forth of hope, no less than to every sigh over mere temporal need, this word comes. Your Father knoweth.'

> Some men are your friends only so long as they can use you.

## Success of American Women. A much traveled man in speaking of nounced that without doubt the womcarriage and most graceful walk of

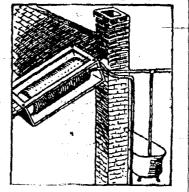
a Londoner of exalted social position, Ask me why a true faith must of sound; blame the child, full of was asked recently to what he attributed the social success of American women. He answered the causes were "splendid dressing, self-posses sion and freedom from shyness and a superlatively good education."



#### His Pillow of Stone.

Bishop Taylor of the Methodist church, who died on May 18 at Palo as provision is made for confining the Alto, Cal., had for over half a century the reservoir there is no danger of slept with his head pillowed upon a stone. He generally carried the wetting the clothing with it when the stone in a satchel and always laid the water receptacle can be entirely his head upon it at night wherever he was. A Baltimore clergyman says that on one occasion the bishop visent intervals, and as the build is made ited him when the temperature was far below zero, and that the bishonof hard rubber or glass the cleansing slept in the room with all the windows thrown up and with his head on the stone.

Angeles,



essary to star! a fire to take the chill of the pocket will be sufficiently off the water, as few can stand it at warm to heat the bathing water all the normal temperature. As a matter summer without any artificial heat.

#### Strainer for Tobacco Smoke

Strainer for Tobacco Smoke. Our illustration shows a new sign of smoke straining pipe, which utilizes a very old idea, that of the pipes, with which we are familiar are entirely too large to be carried in the pocket, but the one here shown has reservoir sufficiently reduced in size to be carried around by the smoker when at his work or on the street, and

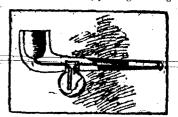
water so that it can not escape from

pipe is not in use. As will be seen

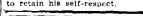
separated from the pipe stem, for

cleansing and recharging at conveni-

tobacco bowl "and mouthpiece are turned into registration, but if the smoker is placing the pipe in his pocket he turns the water receptacie around the neck is tight in the screw threaded socket when the tubes are out of alignment and the water is confined securely to prevent leakage. When in use the smoke is drawn first into the water bowl, passing through

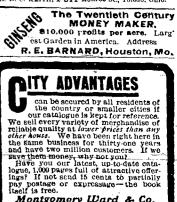


process is a short task. When replacthe liquid, and thence to the mouth. ing the half filled bowl it a smoke is The inventor is Henry L. Austwick of desired the tubes connecting with the Chicago, Ill.





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# The Klondyke Gold Myslery.

By JOHN R. MUSICK .----Author of "Mysterious Mr. Howard," "The

Dark Stranger," "Charlie Aliendale's Dauble." Etc.

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CHAPTER VIL-"Have you traveled far?" CHAPTER VII.---(Continued.) asked

'Shipmate, this old hulk is about on her last cruise," said a feeble husky voice.

"It is Ralston—Gium Ralston!" roared Gid. "Where ye been, Glum? Tell me where ye been!"

"I am sick--starving--dying!" the ex-sailor moaned. Clarence hurried him to his house, where a warm supper was hastily pre-

pared for him. "Have you seen Paul Miller or heard from him since you came upon us in the pass?" was one of the first

Questions propounded by Clarence. "Yes," he answered. "Last I saw o him he was on an iceberg sailin' out t' sea, and his only fellow-passenger was a polar bear."

. It will be essential at this point to return to Paul Miller, whom we left on an iceberg floating out to sea. The swelling flood and tossing cakes of ice between the drifting floe shore made it utterly impossible for him to reach land. The sharp growl of the monster above indicated that a crisis was coming, which would de-termine the rights of ownership to the mountain of ice.

Through all his misfortunes Paul had managed to retain his presence of mind and his rifle. He executed a skillful flank movement, and, scaling a shelf, was several feet above the bear and not over twenty paces away, prepared for an assault. With nerves as steady as if engaging in the most ordinary sport, he leveled his rifle at the side of the monster's head. When sure of his aim he pulled the trigger. There followed a sharp report and the bear dropped on his haunches, his nose in the gir.

Paul cocked his rifle and fired a second shot at the beast's head. It fell on the ice and after a few spasmodic kicks lay still. He sent a third into the back of its head, but it was wholly unnecessary, for the other bullets had done the work.

With his knife he removed the skin from the animal, and, climbing as high as he dared, hung it upon one of those spires of ice, in the hope some sealing schooner or whaling ship might see it and send a boat to his relief. When night came he lay down the snow and ice, and, notwithstanding his perilous situation, actually slept.

He was awakened soon after dawn by the sound of voices near. "What say ye nou?" one seemed to

say to another. "I say nowt," was the answer. "If

he be there find him." "Sure, man, ye canna say as a bear

will peel his own skin from his back." 'Weel, there's a stiffener," return ed another voice.

Paul rose and mechanically laid his hand on the rifle at his side. Only a few hours before he was wishing he had not shot the bear, and that it destroyed him instead of had he shooting it, but now that his life might probably be in danger, it grew suddenly very sweet.

He raised his head a triffe higher and listened intently at the voices. "Push alongside and let a lad ge

ashore," said another voice. Then he plainly heard the splashing of paddles in the water. He crept along on hand and knees, holding his rifle in one hand and a cocked re volver in the other.

Then he raised his head just a little

throng. He was dressed in the garb, of civilization, and his long, white hair and beard gave him a patriarchal appearance. His face was grave and

kind. "My son, a kind Providence has wonderfully preserved you. We will go to church to return thanks for your great deliverance, and then we will hear your story.

After songs and prayers Paul was taken to the home of the patriarch. where he fared sumptuously, after which he narrated his strange adventures to the good old missionary.

"So you are another, my son, who has come to dig gold from the earth in the frozen north." Then, taking the arm of the youth, he led him from the house, and, pointing to that great old mountain, which, grim and gray, towered into the skies, and with his eyes wildly dilating, said:

"In mockery, at the grim gateway of Alaska, towers that mountain of gold upon which no white man dares lav his finger.

Paul gazed at him in amazement. and began to wonder if he had not got among a race of madmen. "How was the gold discovered?" he

isked. "It's not discovered save by the Indians and perhaps one other than yourself. But come in and I will tell you what other white man than yourself knows of the island and the mountain of gold."

When they were seated in the cozy parsonage the old missionary proceeded to tell Paul the story, but they were interrupted by the arrival of some Indians with a prisoner. The story told by Father Duncan we have heard before from the lins of Clum Ralston. No sooner did Father Duncan see the captive than he said:

"It is one of the two sailors who did away with the poor captain." When Paul saw the prisoner he ex-

laimed: "Great Heaven! It is one of the men who captured the old hermit in

the cavern!"

#### CHAPTER VIII. Laura's Departure.

While the many stirring events were transpiring in Alaska, poor Laura Bush was living a life of doubt, mingled with nope and despair, at Fresno, California. Not a line had she received from Paul since the letter came that he was robbed and wounded. Was he dead or was he still alive, struggling to regain what he had lost? It began to be whispered over the town that Laura Bush was losing her reason. Theodore Lackland was shocked and grieved at the thought, for in his sclfish way he loved her madly. He would have given worlds to possess this matchless beauty, who had wholly captivated his soul.

At this time a most remarkable event transpired-an event that was more a surprise to Laura than any one else. A bachelor uncle living in Wyoming died and left her twelve thou-

sand dollars-all he possessed. "This will enable me to procure an outfit and go in search of Paul," said Laura to Mrs. Miller. The widow enfolded her in her arms and begged her

to abandon such a mad design. In vain she wept, prayed and plead with her. Laura was so impressed with the conviction that she must go. She had her way. Buying her outfit and securing the service of a faithful, trusty man who had worked for her father, she prepared for the journey. She had made her last trip to San Francisco and returned late one day.

a short time before har departure. On reaching Tresno she started from the depot to walk home. It was so late the sun had set, and the shadows of evening began to creep over the land-She heard footsteps at her scape. side and Lackland's voice said: "Miss Bush, I have heard a rumor

that you are going to start for Alas ka.

"I shall."

He walked on in silence for a moment, while his pale face wore a pen-

forty years of age. large, strong, and had determined to go to Juneau or Dawson City to start a laundry. The vessel puthed off, and Mrs. Mil-

ler stood on the dock waving her handkerchief at the brave girl until distance mingled her form with the others, and then burst into tears.

Theodore Lackland was a deep chemer, and when he separated from aura Kean he had by no means abandoned hope of winning her, While on his way to San Francisco

he was continually saying: "So she is going herself to search

for her lover! Is Paul dead-really dead? May it not be only a mistake after all? He is missing, that is sure, but the young fellow has more lives than a cat. I wish to Heaven I knew that he was-" He started, and, shuddering, began to think how degenerated he had grown.

Then he leaned back in his seat and closed his eyes, while the great train, like a flying vulcan, rushed on in the darkness until the city of Oakland was reached. He went aboard the ferry, and was transferred to San Francisco and, leaping into a carriage, was driven to a certain hotel, where he secured a room.

It was nearly daylight by this time but notwithstanding he had slept none during the night, he monored a mes-

Senger, wrote that, and, sealing it, dispatched the the sense and the sun was shining though the window, when there came a light tap at his door and he owned it. door, and he opened it.

Before him stood a smooth-shaved man with hair that was once sandy, but so bleached with gray it was a roan. His nose and eyes were prominent, and his face narrow, cheeks red and steel-gray eyes twinkled with something deep and devilish. The newcomer was a peculiarly nervous man who had a strange habit of craning his neck and bowing his head like an eccentric burlesque comedian.

After assuring himself he was not being watched, he closed the door softly and in a voice that was softness it self asked:

"You sent for me," and craned his neck like a choked rooster trying to swallow a morsel too large for its throat.

"Yes, Capt. Fairweather, I want to talk with you. When does another ship sail for Juneau?"

The captain, who was well up in marine intelligence, said:

"There is the 'President' sails from Seattle in three weeks, and the 'Occident' leaves here a few days sooner. "Will they both arrive about the

same time? "Yes, the 'Occident' a little ahead of the 'President,' as she is the fastest

boat "That is just as I want it. Now captain, you secured men for me before to do some work in the Klondyke--

Again the captain craned his neck, choked and bowed, then cautiously glanced about the room to see if he was observed before answering:

"They got in trouble there." "How do you know?

"Morris wrote that Belcher was shot and in the hands of the miners, who might lynch him," and Capt. Fair-weather placed his hands about his neck, as if the very thought gave him pain.

"Has he given away anything?" asked Lackland, with some little uneasiness.

He will die before he does "No. that.'

"Very well. Fairweather, have you heard of the fate of this young fellow who is causing so much trouble? "No."

"The girl says he lives."

"Bah!' "Well, the impression is so strong

that she has determined to set out for Alaska to find him, and sails in the 'President' for Seattle.'

"It will be a fool's journey, I know full well; he can't be alive."

"Well, I have made up my mind to

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#### Arbitrate Taxation.

Yokohama cablegram: A protocol providing for arbitration of the question of the house tax, which has caused so much trouble, has been signed at Tokio.

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RAPID GROWTH OF MOSCOW.

Russian City Will Soon Rank With

the Largest in Europe. The population of Moscow shows a remarkably rapid increase. Within the comparatively short period of 30 years the number of inhabitants has just about doubled. At the time of the French invasion in 1812 the urban Muscovites numbered about 300,000 although the official returns were 252. 000. In 1871 the official census gave the population as 602,000, in 1882 it was 768,000, and according to the reckoning now completed the historic capital contains 1,173,500 inhabitants. thus taking the tenth place among the most populous cities of the world. Moscow covers an area of 101 square kilometers, or only two kilometers less than that of St. Petersburg. Area is not, however, by any means a general criterion, in questions of population, as appears from the fact that whereas London, with the largest population of any city in the world, covers 303 square kilometers, New York, with a population numbering more than a million less than that of the British metropolis, has a total area of 795 square kilometers. The population of Moseow is less dense than those of St. Petersburg, Glasgow, London, Berlin and Paris.

Unable to Rise.

Morenci, Mich., Sept. 8th .- Mr. J. S. Whitehead of this place has given the following letter for publication:

"Unsolicited I wish to recommend Dodd's Kidney Pills and to return thanks for the great benefit I have derived from a few boxes of this splendid remedy. "I had kidney trouble very bad, in fact, I suffered so much that for days

at a time I could not get out of the chair where I had been sitting with out assistance.

"I cannot describe the pains I suf-

#### THE SURGEON'S KNIFE MIXED RELIGION AND WORK.

Philadelphia Negro Sings Hymns While He Wallops Mule.

A coal-black negro perched on a cart who alternately walloped a bay mule with a snake whip and sang snatches of hymns in a high key caused a stir and much merriment on Germantown avenue, at Wayne Junction, yesterday afternoon, says the Philadelphia Evening Telegraph. The negro saw no incongruity in his double performance, and the mule, judging from the way he laid back his ears and essayed to kick the bottom out of the cart, saw no humor in the situation. But the onlookers, who were at first shocked at the sacrilegious aspect of the negro's conduct, finally succumbed to the ludicrousness of the affair.

"Neahah, my God-"" sang the eb-ony-hued driver, the sacred song being -" sang the ebcut short by the "crack!" of the snake whip smiting the mule's flank, "to thee," rang out between two skill-fully prolonged "c-r-a-c-k-s!" were resented vigorously by the which heels of the hybrid. "E'en though it -" twanged the negro, scaring the animal into a run with a stinging blow on the elongated right ear-"tnat -" continued the black raiseth meskinned Jehu, in the midst of a succession of reports of pistol-like sharpness which sent a mounted policeman clattering in pursuit of the fast-disappear ing negro, the crackings of whose whin continued to drown alike the words of the hymn and the laughter of the spectators.

## Astute Italian Dramatist.

An Italian dramatist, unable to persuade any manager to produce his play, gave a public reading of it. So many people came that he made a tour through Italy, thus making more money than if the piece had been acted, because all the profit, instead of the author's usual 5 or 10 per cent royalty went to him.

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personally interviewed at their homes pitation, headache, and nervousness say Doan's Kidney Pills cured them. passes away; swelling of the limbs Thousands took advantage of this and dropsy signs vanish. They corfollowing free offer directly it was rect urine with brick dust sediment, made. Friends heard of their cure ; high colored, excessive, pain in passthus came the great fame of Doan's ing, dribbling, and frequency. These They realized what they promised pills dissolve and remove calculi and

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der in the heart.

and saw a large cance in which were half a score of dark-skinned Indians. Surprise and curiosity overcame any fear he might entertain of his visitors. and he arose and gazed about on the sea and shore. The glance filled him with wonder and surprise. The shore was lined with green trees, and afar off he saw a mountain towering so high its peak pierced the light blue clouds.

He saw chimneys to houses from which the pale blue smoke was issuing, mingling with the atmosphere. It was a brisk little village with men. women and children in it, but what brought peace to his troubled mind and relieved all fear was the little white church, with its spire, on the hillside. "here he is! There he is!" cried a

young man in the canoe, pointing at Paul. "Ho, my brother, you ride on a strange boat!

"Who are you?" asked Paul.

"The Metlakahtla," was the answer. He tried to think where he had heard the name before, but was unable to recollect it. - He was asked to confe down to their canoe. They tossed a rope to him, which he made fast to one of the great cakes of ice, and slid down to the boat. The tall chief stood up to catch him, and as he dropped into his arms said:

"My brother, you are safe. have had a very dangerous ride." You "It is not so weel; that boot ye ride upon," put in another Indian, with a strong Scotch accent. The men with the puddles at once propelled the cance away from the ice floe, and it glided out into the bay, straight for the village of Metlakahtla. The island was given by the United States to a scanty tribe of British American Indims whom an old Scotch missionary had converted from utter savagery into a civilized and God-fearing people. When the cance touched the shore

(Paul saw an elderly white man in the dangers of the Klondyke. She was

expression upon the ground. His determination to conquer made him selfish and scheming. At last he said;

"Laura, you do not understand me. am a true friend to you; you may not believe it, but I am. That other time my passion was hot. I was wrong, perhaps, in denouncing the man you loved, but surely you will forgive me.' She answered that she was taught

she must forgive in order to be forgiven. As a drowning than clutches at a straw, he grasped at something in her words, and was encouraged to add

"Laura, if you would let me sympathize with you in this loss, I would freely mingle my tears with yours. Oh, if you would only let me be a brother—more than a brother— "Silence, Mr. Lackland," she quickly

interrupted, "I will hear no more from Here I am at home; good night."

She darted into the house, quickly closing the door after her and leaving him standing out in the cold, dark For a moment he stood gazing street. upon the door which had closed upon the being he loved, and then turned slowly about, his thin, white lips compressed, and his fingers closed firmly as if he had the lockjaw.

As he boarded the midnight train for San Francisco he murmured, half audibly:

"Something desperate must be done. I shall now play my last trump card.' Meanwhile Laura was completing arrangements for an early departure. Ben Holton, her father's faithful domestic, was the only person she en-gaged to go with her. A party was forming at Seattle, and thither she went with all her supplies. Mrs. Miller accompanied her that far.

Here they found another brave woman-Kate Willis -ready to brave the to Alaska myself." (To be continued.)

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UNIQUE ACTION OF THE TIDE

Reversible Waterfall at St. John, New Brunswick, /Canada.

We have reversible vests, revers-ible windmills, and all sorts of reversibles nowadays, but St. John, in New Brunswick, Canada, has the only re versible waterfall in the world. In the morning there is a fall downstream of 15 feet, but in the afternoon the water runs upstream and falls over the other way. This phenomenon is caused by the strength of the wonder ful tides of the Bay of Fundy, which meet and overcome the water from a river 450 miles long, which empties into the harbor of St. John through a narrow gorge less than 500 feet wide. There is a suspension bridge over the gorge where this daily marvel occurs, and hundreds of people go to see it. At-half-tide the water is smooth over the dam and vessels go up and down in safety. The tides of the bay of Fundy are the heaviest in the world. If you are ever in New Brunswick and it's time for the tide to come in you want to make for the bluffs if you are not fond of the water.

Vessels come into St. John-harbor and when the tide goes out the water runs clear out from under them and they settle down upon the gravel botof the slips. Wagons are then tom driven alongside and cargo is transferred direct. It is an odd spectacle to see schooners sitting up high and dry, with no water near them, looking as though the only way for them to get to sea would be to fly. Some writer has remarked that water makes an astonishing difference in the ap-pearance of a river, and it certainly does make a big change in the looks of the St. John water front.

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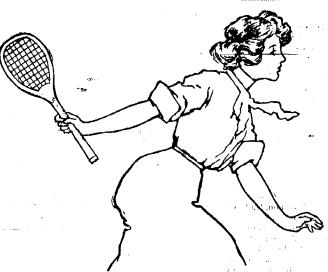
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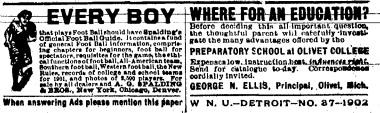
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At Kalkaska the Central hotel was as ruined. One hundred and

until the house was comfortably filled. A very pleasant evening was passed.

destroyed Saturday by fire and water. Sprague discovered a paper carefully The goods were saved, but the build- laid over something in the center of Friday.

improved device in wagon tongues. Dick Evart, the driver whose less

After refreshments were passed and was broken in the collision on the the company had dispersed Mrs. race track Wednesday morning, was taken to his home in Traverse City



## CHARLEVOIX COUNTY HERALD FRENCH MILITARY MEN **OPPOSED TO REFORMS** R. L. LORBAINE, Publisher.

#### EAST JORDAN, -:- MICHIGAN

The stage Tracy will be worse than the original.

If the French are still dreaming of revenge, nothing will wake them up.

Where is Mr. Morgan first, in war, peace, or the hearts of his countrymen?

If Santos Dumont doesn't look out will get himself into the Nikola Tesla class.

Mr. Morgan wears his panama hat fedora style. For ambitious financiers that sets the style.

Tourists returning from Europe will be glad to learn that baled hay is now admitted free of duty. New Zealand is doing its best to at

tract immigration by posing as a land where strikes are unknown.

It took six centuries to complete the Campanile of St. Mark's at Venice. If came down in about six seconds.

Webfeet harvest hands are wanted in several sections of the country where the rainfall has been abnormal.

Rather than give tips proportional to the Monte Cristo stories about him. Mr. Pierpont Morgan gives no tips at a.11.

Mr. Carnegie must not be discour-aged if the first \$10,000,000 fails to bring about the discovery of the secret of life.

In England the spoils of office are called "liver." There is no use trying to keep the meat question out of politics.

The czar of Russia employs twentyfour doctors, besides trying all of the patent medicines submitted for his approval.

prespector in regulation corduroy and canvas "regimentals" will tour the streets, accompanied on either side-Sometimes we almost suspect that women who use, the kerosene can walk by a distributer of Arizona litwhen making fires, never look at a newspaper. eral exhibit contained in a plate-glass showcase occupying the center, with

The bishop of Delaware, who insists that women should wear bonnets to church, evidently-wishes to promote a millinerennium.

The preacher who hurled a lighted lamp at a disorderly man in the congregation was not hiding his light under a bushel.

Those new olive-green uniforms may be all right and practical, but "the boys in blue" is a phrase that is hard to give up.

It seems that Washington has been expecting Turkey to keep her word without constant pushing. This is the climax of credulity.

Order has been restored in Siam. This is probably the first real quiet spell they have had there since days of those famous twins.

When asked the other day to pose for a photograph. J. Pierpont Morgan said he wouldn't do it for \$5,000. 000. Oh, how that man must hate his face.

The talking match between Explorer Baldwin and his captain proves that a diet of blubber and ship's biscuit does not diminish the muscular strength of the tongue.

Mr. Schwab refuses to disclose the actual purpose of his visit to Europe. Probably he is making the trip in order to get a little more iron into his constitution.

over the government proposal-to-reduce the term of compulsory service in barracks to two years is one, as we believe; of extreme significance. France being at once the most military of nations and the one most suscentible to new ideas, her example is almost sure, sooner or later, to persuade Europe; and it seems almost certain that she intends this example should be set. The older generals, it is true, and probably a majority of the officers, are bitterly against the scheme. They say that the French character is inherently opposed to pas sive obedience, and that it takes at least three years to bring the conscript to the necessary attitude of mind. He has not the German habit of deference toward all who are legally entitled to give orders. They doubt if he will remain to be a non-commissioned officer, and ask, with a persist

ence that rather disconcerts the treasury, where, if the sous officer is to be retained by higher pay, the money is to come from.

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eral resources of the territory in a

novel, attractive and thorough man-

ner, says the El Paso Miner and

It is proposed to build and equip

two railroad cars, each of eighty feet

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best known of the territorial minerals.

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In the forward car will be the min-

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ing two Arizona burros.

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erature.

WEALTH OF ARIZONA

#### The dispute now raging in France | substituting the Swiss system of trained militia for that of regular an mies gains ground yearly among the peasantry, and they believe that it will be directly promoted by the aboli tion of exemptions, which will render the entire cultivated class, who now to the number of \$7,000, serve only for one year, bitterly hostile to barrack life. The consequence, they predict, will be a further general reduction to one year, and then the adoption of the first thing to be examined. In the Swiss system of an armed militia trained as soldiers for six months only and though excellent for defense, useless for conquest, or, indeed, for any work beyond the frontiers. The colo nies, they assert, under such a sys tem must be given up, and the foreign policy of France placed upon an ennew basis and directed to untirely thought-of ends. They fear, too, we fancy, though they keep back this argument, that the soldiers, being less of a caste, will be less willing to put down rioters and that the populace will regain that "right of revolt" whichhas been so nearly extinguished by

They see that the socialist idea of the adoption of scientific weapons.

IN LAVISH DISPLAY.

and Mexico.

specimens, flanked by gold, silver and

copper bars, concentrates, matte and

refined, each being labeled with name,

district and value. That there will be

Arizona men who are familiar with

the "business end" of a gun on guard

it is hardly necessary to say. The interior panels of each car will be

decorated with picturesque views of

Arizona scenery, than which there

is none equal in beauty and diversity

save in New Mexico, western Texas

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shine Kingdom, its beautics and lat-

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<u>Any man can make his wife do any</u>thing she wants to.

East for several seasons.

A stock company is now being float- an aisle on each side. In this case

ed in Arizona having in view the ad- will be artistically arranged the ore

lions Change "Among Wo Pickpockets in This Respect. Tashions Women According "to ""Chief of Detectives Miller there are dirious changes of

WHERE THEVES HIDE MONEY

fashion among women criminals, just as among their more hopest sisters, says the Philadelphia Record. "Take, for instance,""safa"he, "the matter of how women plckpockets conceal upon their persons<sup>11</sup> the<sup>31</sup> coin which they steal. Did you ever know that the place of concealment varies with them from year to year? 'Back in 1890 they did it in their hair, and in searching a woman thief the head was always the neighborhood of 1895 they hid it in their shoes. ""Try9" her shoes first, miss,' I always used to say to the remale searcher in handing over a woman thief. Nowndays they hide it in a small pocket sewed on their skirts in just about the place where on a man's trousers the little watch pocket is sewed, and police matrons find on seven out of ten women thieves pock ets of this kind-invisible patches that a lay mind would be bound to over look.

SOME OLD MARRIAGE CUSTOMS. Peculiar Ceremonies Still Exist in

Parts of Europe. In Switzerland the bride, on her wedding day, will permit no one, not even her parents, to kiss her upon the lips. In many of the provinces the cook pours hot water over the thresh old after the bridal couple have gone in order to keep it warm for another bride. A favorite wedding day im Scotland is Dec. 31, so that the youngcouple can leave their old life with the old year and begin their married life with the new one. Surely a pretty idea. The Italians permit no wed ing gifts that are sharp or pointed, from which practice emanates our superstition that the gift of a knife severs friendship. One of the most beau-tiful of all marriage customs is that

of the bride, immediately after the ceremony, flinging her boquet among her maiden friends. She who catches it is supposed to be the next bride.

Many Uses of the Banana.

Immense fortunes have been made out of the banana business. Revenues do not accrue alone from the sale of the fruit, for the leaves are used for packing; the juice being strong in tannin, makes an indelible ink and shoe blacking, the wax found on the underside of the leaves is a valuable article of commerce; manila hemp is made from the stems, and of this hemp are made mats, plaited work and lace handkerchiefs of the finest texture; moreover, the banana is ground into banana flour. The fruit to be sold for dessert is ripened by the dry warmth of flaring gas jets in the storage places

in which it is kept, and care has to be taken to prevent softening or overripening. The island of Jamaica yields great crops of this useful and moneymaking fruit.

Odors From the Skin.

A French medical review asserts number of things to which the heir tain odor which varies according to may apply themselves. the individual, the age and the race. two professions only are open to them This was noted by Rider Haggard in —the army and the havy. But with "Allan Quatermain." When Um at least one of these callings the fusclopogaes and Quatermain sat in the ture king is expected to ally himself. tree together waiting to kill elephants Bismarck once sneered at King Edon a dark night the Zulu moved away ward VII, when prince of Wales as from the lee of the white man, not being the only heir to a European relishing the white man's personal cs- throne whom one would never by any sence. The nervous system is said to chance expect to encounter on a bat exert much influence over the odor of tlefield. It is true that English etithe cutaneous secretions. Hammond quette and opinion do not exact from cites the case of a woman who always a royal prince any very serious appligave out the odor of a pincapple when cation to his profession; nor, however she was in temper and that of another who emitted a violet odor when sufforing from hysterical attack.

> That Widow's Mite. SOME TRAITS OF THE COW.

the idiosyncrasies of many good people. "The inference that people draw from it is that there is virtue in mites, nd mitos from abundance, forgetting that the poor widow of the Bible stdry gave all that she had. I am inclined to believe that this must be one reason that church work of all kinds is so poorly supported. People give generously everywhere before they remember the church. They expect to pay for what they get everywhere outside, but in the church they want to get as much as they can for the least possible out-

## SEA ENGULES ACRES OF ENGLAND'S COAST!

The encroaching sea is steadily eat | Bexhill and Wirral, and their remains have been found at numerous points ing away the coast of England, "says the Strand Magazine. It is stated that along the coast. the annual loss of area by coast ero-sion in England alone is probably not Southwest from Land's End. toward the Scilly Islands, a peninsula of about less than 2,000 acres. On the other

227 square miles has been carried away, and below the sand beach is a deposit of black mold containing indications of trees and deer. At Wirral is Leasowes Castle, new

on the edge of the cliff, but fifty years ago it was half a mile from the sea. Many historical towns, such as Ravensburg (mentioned in Shakespeare). where Henry IV. landed in 1399, and Edward IV. in 1471, having now entirely disappeared.

At Reculver the cliffs were gradu-ally eroded until a church, originally two miles inland, was partly wrecked; this church, however, had two spires. forming a striking landmark for sailors, and trinity board (in charge of the lighthouse work) therefore had a sea wall built to prevent the destruction of the towers.

Culture will never eliminate the marks of the cross from Christ.

# SURF RIDING IS THE SPORT OF HONOLULU.

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The best sport in Honolulu is surf | big wave breaks over or rolls under riding. It beats tobogganing. It is vachting, canoeing, bathing, tobogganing and iceboating combined.

hand, marsh lands have been drained

and other lands reclaimed, but these

areas are insignificant as compared

Parts of the lost lands were low lying, protected by dikes or levees,

which were eventually breached; oth-

er parts were washed away by the

floods and storms; but in many cases

the sea is eating its way into tall cliffs.

demolishing numerous towns and vil-

Selsey, in Sussex, is still called "the

Park," having been a royal deer park

in the reign of Henry VIII., while the

Goodwin sands formed in early days

the estate of Earl Goodwin. On the Yorkshire coast there are

twelve buried towns and villages, and

in Suffolk there are five. Submerged

forests may be seen at low tide off

treacherous shoals known as

The line of anchorage for ships off

lages

with those which have been lost.

We invited some army officers to the fun recently, hired a couple oʻf muscular natives and their handsome thirty-foot canoe, put on our bathing suits and paddled out into the break-The canoe is a dugout, made of èrs. the valuable koawood.

It has an outrigger, a fair-sized log fastened parallel to the canoe by means of two curved braces of beams Ours was at least forty years old, had been used by royalty, and was worth \$300.

We worked out against the stiff then turned and rested a bit, waiting the critical time to catch a big one and come in with its rush. That is the science of surf-riding, to catch the breaker at the turn. If you are too quick you find your eanoe thrown aside or capsized or running in with a swell wave instead of the one you were after. If you are too late the

and you have no part in it. But if you catch it right-and the natives generally do-you all paddle for dear life at the captain's command, force the canoe to its top speed just as the breaker is forming and

the cance and on to its glorious finish

then come in with the great wall of water just back of you, everybody yelling, the spray flying, the waters roaring and rushing.

You live at the rate of a mile a minute. You seem to be going even twice as fast as you are. Usually there are two or three other canoes out and you have all the excitement of a race. But even without other cances breakers for about half a mile and it is a race-a race with the breaker. You are wild with the blinding rush, the swish and swirl and whirl of the spray. The sense of a great moving wall of water just-back of you, the roar of waves all about you. It is immerse!-Tacoma Ledger.

> The bitterest rod may drive to the sweetest comfort.

# ENGLISH PRINCES MUST JOIN ARMY OR NAVY.

The princes of the English blood mently desirous of serving against the royal have never been allowed to Boers, but for "reasons of state which the people thoroughly indorsed saunter through life as mere donothings. Custom and monarchical was not allowed to do so. Those "reasons of state" are not likely to dignity, of course, severely limit the be held less imperative in the future. that the human skin possesses a cer. apparent and his younger brothers and one may with some confidence Practically surmise that for members of the Eng-open to them lish royal family the days of active service are over. Their part in either branch of the national system of defense must necessarily be passive and ornamental, though not on that account idle or useless. If we may apbeing the only heir to a European ply to them the scorching epigram in which an American officer proposed the toast of a regiment that did not volunteer for the civil war: "War like in peace, peaceful in war"-one has also to admit that a prince who is thrust into the strict democracy of the services is getting an invaluable education in orderliness, selfkeen and capavie he might be, would the ration countenance his employrestraint and the prompt discharge of The duke of Connaught was vehcduty.-Harper's Weekly.

> somewhere-and-and it might be well to see that it has not broken out in the church or in any of the nearby houses."

"Cows have their likes and their Before the words were all uttered the congregation was pouring out of the church, each family being anxious to make sure that its home was not on fire. It need hardly be said that. the fire existed only in the pastor's imagination.

MANY APPLE TREES IN UNITED STATES.

chard areas of the United States up to census, is 210,000,000, an increase of and Michigan. 75,000,000, or more than 40 per cent, over the apple area of 1890. This of planting there are thirty-five coun-commercial area of 1900 yielded in ties in the United States which have 1899 somewhat more than 175,000.000 | more than 400,000 trees each. They bushels. By districts the North At-lantic apple section has 29,500,000 ansas, 1,612,635; Washirgton county, trees, the South Atlantic 25,500,000, the north central 92,000,000, the south central 31,000,000 and the western district, including the Rocky Mountain Illinois, 795,188; Monroe county, Now states and the Pacific slope, 13,000, York, 789,409; Clay county, Illinois, 000. Out of the total number of trees in the country, the north and south 283; Orleans county, New York, 629. central districts possess 123,205,000, or nearly three-fifths. These are divided among the leading states as fol-York, 15,000,000; Illinois, 13,500,000; as many trees as in the famous Bald-Kansas and Pennsylvania a little less win Northern Spy region.

THRIFT IN NEW ENGLAND.

#### Why New York Man Gave Up Paper in Vermont.

"I thought you were running a paper up in Vermont." said the old reporter as he bumped into another old repor-ter in the afternoon crush on Park When they reached an island of safety made by a subway inclosure, the latter replied ..... have been running a paper in Vermont, a daily--1 was managing editor, city editor, reporter, business manager, and all the rest of it. But I couldn't make-it go."

bearing age in the commercial or have more than 10,000,000 trees each. In order they are Missouri, New York, June 1, 1900, according to the twelfth Illinois, Ohio, Kansas, Pennsylvania

Arkansas, 1,555,146; Niagara county, New York, 929.086; Wayne county. New York, 796,610; \* Marion county, 751,727: Erie county, New York, 631, 401; Wayne county, Illinois, 604,214. The statistics show that in the great Ben Davis winesan section of the country there are to-day nearly twice

#### HAD NO "LAMBS' TALES,"

Telephone Incident That Caused a Complication. Mrs. Clancy caught the attention of Central somehow, and asked to be connected with Mr. Payne's bookstore. By one of those inexplicable acci-

The total number of apple trees of than 12,000,000 each. Seven states As indicative of the relative density

"That story of the widow's mite does more harm than good, I believe," says a church worker, who has seen Bovine Family Has Many, Human

A wine trust has been formed in Spain for the purpose of exploiting the United States market. Evidently we pounded more ideas than one into the Spaniard.

The news that an Indian chief of Oklahoma was killed by a faction led by his mother-in-law shows how the poor red man is succumbing to the perils of civilization.

Explorer Baldwin is doomed to failure in his arctic lecture business. If he cannot produce the pole the public will have no interest in the particulars of his expedition.

If the Windy City objects to the name Chicago because the word is Indian for skunk why not call itself "Chic-hog-e." which does not mean skunk, but is appropriate, nevertheless.

When the Duke of Marlborough ran his automobile over a woman he stopped and conveyed her to a hosplusl. For this breach of the seorcher's code he may expect to be sharp ly censured.

A Chicago woman had a neighbor arrested on a charge of witchcraft, the specification being that evil spirits were invoked to disturb her do-mestic screatly. The inference is that the evil splitts originated in Teoria.

Census statistics just issued show that illiteracy among male adults is less than half as prevalent in the large cities as it is in the rest of the girls when a man kisses them and United States. But it is not alarm- lacts like he didn't think they were ingly prevalent in either the cities or objecting, the country,

"Have a row with yourself?" asked the one who had not jumped the report torial traces

"No, but some of those New Englanders were too thrifty for me. The paper costs \$6 a year. One man subscribes for it and sub-lets it to his neighbor for \$3. This neighbor then turns around and sells a third reading ior \$1. I'd rather be back on 'space, so I simply 'fired' myself as soon as I found a 'come-on' and unloaded the plant."-New York Tribune.

#### Work of "Christian Gentleman."

The recent disturbance of a fu-neral procession on the east side by young rowdies suggests a story told Miss-Lillian Wald,, head worker and founder of the Nurses' Settlement, says the New York Times. While calling daily on a sick fam-ily in one of the tenements Miss Wald made the acquaintance of two Chinese laundrymen who worked in the basement of the tenement house Fassing the laundry one day, Miss Wald noticed that only one Chinaman was at work, and entering, she asked: "Where's Charlie?"

The ingenious reply was: Choilie, he not here. Him in hos-pital. Clistian gentleman hit him on on head with blick."

It's curious how mad it makes some

hich will happen at the Central office five or six times a minute, the was placed in communication lady with Mr. Mants, a German butcher. But she did not discover the mistake at once.

"Have you 'Lamb's Tales' from Shakespeare?" she asked.

"Lamps vot?" 'L-a-m-b-'s T-a-l-e-s-from Shake-

speare. Have you any on hand?' "No, mum; ve hafn't any lamp's tails ad all. In vact, ve hafn't god no lamps nor any sheeps eider. Since dot meat drust god brices oop zo high ve don'd geep muddon ad all. An' ve nefer dit geep any of Shakesbeare's muddons nohow, dot I remempers off. Iss dere anyding else ve can sent you?" The lady's emotions had so over-

come her that she was unable to make reply .--- New York Times.

Limit on Literary Output.

The late king of Prussia once sout to an aide de camp, Col. Malachow sky, who was brave but noor a small portfolio, bound like a book, in which were deposited 500 crowns. Some time afterward he met the officer and said to him:

"Ah; well, how did you like the new

ork which I sent to you?" "Excessively, sire," replied the col-nel; "I read it with such interest onel: that I expect the second volume with impatience."

The king smiled, and when the offi cer's birthday arrived, he presented him with another portfolio, similar in every respect to the first, but with these words engraved upon it; "This book is complete in two vol-

imes."

What God sends down depends a good deal on what we will give up.

lay."-New York Times.

A Curious Banquet.

One of the most remarkable banquets on record was recently held at the leading hotel in Grand-Serre, France. It was given by a lawyer in honor of his \$0th birthday anniversary, and his guests were his twelve oldest clients. Not one of them was less than 80 years old, and the ages of the thirteen amounted to the respectable total of-1,051 years. 'A few of the guests, it is said, were at first reluctant to accept the invitation when they learned that, there would be thir-teen at table, but the old lawyer would take no excuse, and so the thirteen

Russell Sage now stands shoulder o shoulder with 'Senator Hanna as a friend of the labdring man. "I feel that the better your treat the employes the better results a' corporation will obtain." And Uncle Russell is certainly looking for "results."

Cross With the Sigature.

In ancient days the addition of a of good faith.

dislikes," said the milkmaid to the summer boarder who was curious to see every part of the farm.

Characteristics.

ment in times of war.

"For instance, a cow admires horse and will stand and watch one for a long time. She is sort of timid about him, but she admires him just the same. She has a contempt for a mule, and seems to be amused by his antics. Hogs she tolerates, that's all. And sheep she hates. She will not eat grass where sheep have been. She hates dogs, too, but will tolerate the shepherd dog, because she knows she simply has to, and that the shepherd dog will not bite her.

"Cattle go wild at being let into a fresh pasture," added the milkmaid. 'It seems to go to their heads. Each is afraid that the other has got a bet ter feeding place than herself,- and tries to drive her neighbor away.'

"Then there is a good deal of human nature in the cow, after all, mused the summer boarder, who had studied a year or two at a university. and was given to philosophical re flections.

"Well, I should smile," answered the milkmaid. "A single cow with a calf will boss a whole herd of steers," and, swinging her pail over her arm, she went down to the milking pens. -New York Tribune.

#### Saved by Quick Wit.

In Germany recently a country preacher was preaching a sermon when suddenly he lost the thread of his discourse, and, do what he would he could not find it again.

The congregation was greatly em barrassed and was wondering what the matter was when he startled it by cross to the signature did not always exclaiming hurriedly: "Pardon me, my indicate that the, signer could not brethren, for pausing in my sermon vrite, but wr. added as an attentation, but it seems to me that I smell fire

#### HEALTHY IN OLD AGE.

How Altoona Physician Accounts for His Longevity.

A physician at Altoona is 99 years of age and still keeps up his practice. This remarkable old man can thread a needle without the aid of a cane and walks without glasses.

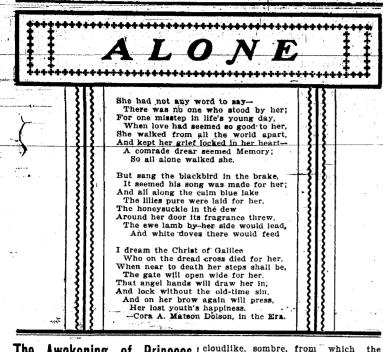
He has voted for every president since he was 17 years old--some of them several times.

He chawed tobacco for three-quarters of a century and then eschewed it entirely. He also drank whenever invited.

He doesn't believe in medicine and has no-use for-doctors.....

"The reason I have been enabled to outlive all my patients," said the doc-"is very simple. I live a calm. well-ordered life. I am temperate in all things, perhaps a little more so in some. I can take my ax to-day, sir. and go out and split that cord of hickory wood yonder into as choice a lot of fine toothpicks as the law allows. And I can rassle the boots of any man in the county-boys under 75 barred. Oh, yes, I can put up my prescriptions all right. I always put 'em up by the sense of smell. Of course there ma be fatal mistakes, but in this neighborhood nobody is ever much miss of "Eh, what's that? How do I acsount for my extreme age? Ask me something harder. My ago is accounted for by a continuous successions of years, months, weeks and days."-Cleveland Plain Dealer.

feasted to their hearts' content. Sage With Senator Hanna.



## The Valerie.

BY CURRAN RICHARD GREENLEY. (Copyright, 1902, by Daily Story Pub. Co.) Pretty Princess Valerie, they had called her, back in the little kingdom of Arstadt, when Duke Fritz had wooed and won her in the guise of the Count of Neinheim, and with the wily old Prime Minister had plotted against a girl's willfulness to give her the sweetest of love marriages. Well! That was years ago. Since then, only yesterday, a weary truth had come to Princess Valerie-that men may love; but men will tire, and the newest face has ever a charm.

It was a bitter smile that curved the proud red lips, as she watched Duke Fritz stroll under the lindens. murmuring pretty speeches into the dainty ear of the Countess Isobel Countess Isobel of Hohenhauffen, the veriest flirt ever sent to overturn the peace of the little court of Auerstadt

Valerie rested her hot cheek in her hand and gazed down at the sleeping boy, heir to the duchy, child of her love, all that was left of that love. Valerie told herself, as the countess gay laugh rang up beneath the win dow

She had been so happy, only last night, when that little vixen, Kath-erine de Graffenried, had spoken lightly in her hearing of Countess Isobel's latest conquest. Katherine had seemed properly dismayed when the duchess' angry face appeared between the portiers and bade her say out her meaning. She had wept and sobbed with a pretty reluctance, and then had come the story of the moon light walks, of the rides in the forest and the little notes that went to and fro. and Valerie listened with death in-her-heart-and a proud smile on her lips.

"Is that all?" she had asked. Then, at her bidding, the girl crept away, the malice half hid in her sleepy Katherine hated the green eyes. duchess, as her small soul hated all things gracious and lovely.

Poor, proud Valerie. All that night she lay in her great state bed with wide staring eyes "facing the future," she called it, with all a girl's high tragedy, with all a loving woman's pain. At breakfast, the duke came in to join her, with a song on his lips, and a rose in his buttonhole; but Valerie thought she knew whose fingers had plucked that rose, and she would have none of him, and the duke went away with a scowl on his handsome face and found the Countess Isobel upon the terrace, where a little later Valerie saw them talking together. She could imagine what were saying, and her jealous heart throbbed nigh to bursting.

"Fool! fool!" she told herself. "Is of this the nortion of royal the cross that goes with the crown?' but she had loved him so. A dry sob arose in her throat and blackness was before her eyes, all the day, as she moved through the stately rooms. Duke Fritz had carefully kept away from her. He was puzzled, hurt and a little resentful,

Awakening of Princess | cloudlike, sombre, from which the gleamed like frost.

Duke Fritz stood at her side until the tedious ceremony was ended; then he made his way to the Countes Isobel, and Valerie, glancing up, met the eyes of Katherine de Graffenreid filled with mocking laughter. The ebb and flow of the music, the glide of the feet over the polished floor the murmer of volces, with their set speeches, came to her as through a mist. She had some wild thought of leaving it all and rushing out into the white night, of going to Rudoinh. her brother, the king of Arstadt. She would claim his protection. Then a heartstringsthought gripped her her child. She could not leave him.



and the people of Auerstadt would never suffer their little prince to be raised in another land. No, she must stay and bear her martyrdom.  $\mathbf{Ru}$ dolph would be the first to bid her return, and Princess Valerie could have risen then and there, and beat her hands against the wall in sheep despair. Across the room, she could see the duke's fair head bent low above Countess Isobel; it was maddening.

. A little page came hurrying down the long room and bowed before her, his face white and anxious. "High ness, the little prince is ill, and should have the Herr doctor immediately.'

Valerie sprang to her feet, and an instant hush fell over the audience chamber, as she swept past the little knots of courtiers and laughing women, a princess, but yet a woman, who has heard the cry of her child in need of her.

A group of frightened attendants made way for her, as she fell on her knees beside the low, white bed. The rosy limbs, that she had kissed so short a time before, were rigid, and a blue shadow grew around the tight ly drawn lips, as the child lay locked in one convulsion after another. To the end of her life she never knew whence came the strength that enabled her, when the doctor called for assistance, to brush aside the panic stricken nurses, and herself force the clenched mouth open, while he poured the medicine down. What mat ter that the little white teeth ground upon her delicate fingers until the blood trickled down, the child had ceased to struggle, and the warm pink came back to the little face, and the tense limbs relaxed." With burst of tears, she gathered sleeping baby to her breast, and the old doctor's eyes were misty, as he laid a kindly hand upon the rebellious curls that had somehow slipped their fastening and tumbled in headlong beauty to her waist The minutes slipped by, as Valerie knelt with the child's cheek pressed against her own, then someone entered and colsed the door, very gently. Valerie never stirred, scarcely conscious of anything but the fact that the child was given back to her arms -a thankfulness that almost blotted out the other great sorrow for a time Duke Fritz knelt down beside his wife, and drew the dark head to his breast. For a moment she yielded to the sense of rest and peace, then pride awoke, and she drew haughtily away from him. "Why come to me? Where is the Countess Isobel? Is she indisposed that you should turn to me and the child?" The duke sprang to his feet, his fair face flushing like a girl's. "Val There was a world of reerie!" proach in the mere word, and Valerie winced, half-guiltily. A long silence fell between husband and wife. Afar

the passing of another lay, and the quiet lay, over the city a' pall; only, here in the palace like were flashing lights, and anxious faces lingering in the corridors to know how fared the little prince. A long time, the blue, eyes of the duke held the brown ones of Princess Val-erie with that proud reproach; then woman-like, she fell, togsobbing upon his breast, knowing, without a word. that the wrong was right; and the duke asked no questions, but present-ly, stroking her curis, told her how the Countess Isohel, , who had laughed down love and many suitors, was at last caught in the web of her own de-vising, and that sthe matter was a difficult one, as they man in question was a mere officer in the guards, the bare mention of whom as a husband for their imperious, beauty had set the whole Hohenhauffen clan by the ears. In desperate case, the lovers had appealed to no less a person than the hereditary duke, and, though hereditary dukes are mighty in their small worlds, there are some things in which it is not safe to meddle, hence, all the walks and talks, in which the young officer had formed an anxious third, and which the little De Graffentied had forgotten to mention when relating the story to the princess. 'Why didn't they come to me?" de-

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manded Valerie. There is nothing so provoking to the average woman than to find out that an interesting love affair, with all of its proper complications, has been going for ward under her very nose and she not aware of it.

The duke pulled his long, fair mustache helplessly. "The truth is, the countess tried to tell you, but after you had left the terrace the little De Graffenreid came back and told her that you did not approve of her choice; in fact, desired that the subject should not be alluded to in your presence, and, naturally, she could not expect any sympathy from you.

"Oh!" said Valerie.

Ten minutes later, in the presence of the court that was still assembled in the audience chamber. Princess Valerie summoned Fraulein De Graf fennied and hade her raturn at the earliest possible moment to her fath er's schloss.

Thus, the awakening of Princess Valerie.

#### BE BRAVE.

The world is wide. remember this, Nor shrink from fate's deep furrowed frown. Woo fortune with your brightest smiles. Don't let the world know when you're down.

It spolls your chance for future deeds,

frame your face with dull care's crown; Brace up, and higher hold your head, Don't let the world know when you're

world will bow in servile zest

To one who sways it with a frown: 'oss up your head, and flash your eye-Don't let the world know when you're down

The name you hold as honor's crown; By your own life refute the lie

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Then mask them well with song and jest, Don't let the world know when you're

down -Kate Thyson Marr.

### Journalist's Triumph.

Miss Janet Priest of Minneapolis has proved to the satisfaction of a coterie of self-satisfied players in her vicinity that in her case where there's a will there's a way, and, incidentally, that she is not what is called in the sporting section either a "piker" or n bluffer

Miss Priest is the dramatic critic of the Tribune in that city. Recently she commented adversely on a performance gven by some members of the Frawley company. She was sarcastically asked if she could do bet Miss Pries. is nervy and replied ter. by studying one of the roles in ques tion and appearing in one of the performances. She scored an immediate "hit" and has been asked to continue in the profession. But this she has refused to do and has returned to her former labors.

# **BITS OF INFORMATION**

Big guns cost about \$900 per ton to construct. The world uses 180,000 millions of matches a year. Man is said to be subject to 1,212 different diseases. Only one man in 203 is more than 6 feet in height. Canada has 100,000 Indians: the United States 270,000. Water to cover an acre one inch deep will weigh 101 tons. Aurora borealls once lasted a week on end, in August, 1859. There are nearly 2,000 stitches in a pair of hand sewn boots Four new books are published to each fresh edition of an old one. British prisoners cost the nation, on an average \$165 a year each. France has about 4,000 duels a year and Italy 2,800 on an average The total length of hair on an average woman's head is fifty-five miles. The deepest colliery in the world is at Lambert, in Belgium-3,500 feet. The United Kingdom has but 503 hospitals; France has nearly 1,600. It costs \$10 to take a dog with you if you take a trip across the Atlantic. During the Philippine war twelve men were killed for every 100 wounded. The pig is the only domestic animal which does not suffer from cancer. In proportion to its size a fly walks thirteen times as fast as a man can

One-third of the goods manufactured in France is the product of female labor

The number of dogs in Belgium used for drawing loads is probably under 50,000. There are fewer suicides in Ireland than in any other country and most in

Saxony The Norwegians are the tallest and the Laps the shortest nations of

Europe. The first shock of earthquake recorded in America was in New York in 1663.

In Denmark parish churches can be put up to public auction, like other chattels.

A silken thread is three times as strong as a flaxen one of the same thickness. Eagles fly at a height of 9,000 feet, crows up to 4,500 feet. The lark rises

000 feet. The world's tobacco crop of \$50,000 tons is grown on two and one-fourth

million acres Five-hundred and forty pounds of blood pass through the heart within single hour

In a lifetime of seventy years the blood driven by a man's heart travels .292.000 miles.

A shipyard at Ominato, Japan, still in operation, was established over .900 years ago.

An Austrian syndicate has offered De Wet \$1,250 a week and expenses for a lecturing tour. Etna's main crater is 1.728 feet wide and 826 feet deep. The mountain is

10.755 feet high. During the last twenty years the personnel of the German navy has nearly

tripled in numbers. There are nearly 14,000,000 acres of land in Italy still uncultivated which vould bear good crops.

According to assurance statistics tectotallers may expect seventeen years re life than drinkers.

The Nicaragua canal bill recently passed by the senate has the record of containing only 486 words.

The heating surface of the holler of a modern locomotive is equal to a space 50 feet long by 47 feet wide.

Brass reflects heat better than any other metal. Silver comes next, then tin, steel and lead in the order named.

Even at the equator the average temperature of the sea at the depth of a mile is but 4 degrees above freezing point. The province of Asturias, in Spain, holds the record of possessing twenty-

eight centenarians in a population of 600,000. The 850,000,000 eggs produced yearly in America would, if laid end to

and, girdle the earth twelve times at the equator. Beautifully clean streets and clear air have been obtained at Mandalay

by sprinkling the roads with oil instead of water. The largest geyser in the world is at Rotomahana, in New Zealand. Its

arca is just an acre, and its spouts rise to 300 feet. In a hurricane blowing at eighty miles an hour the pressure on each

square foot of surface is three and one-half pounds. Japanese are always buried with their heads to the north. Consequently

no Japanese will sleep in a bed lying north or south. The largest wooden statue in the world is to be seen in Tokio, Japan.

It is 54 feet high and the head will hold twenty people. Galvanized iron is merely iron dipped in molten zinc. The coating is not applied electrically, as the term galvanized seems to imply.

At Plinitz, near Dresden, is the largest camellia in Europe. If is 160 years old, about 50 feet bigh and has 40,000 blossoms each season.

France holds the record at present for pictorial postcards. Eighty-eight millions go through the post yearly. Austria uses 31,000,000. The first practical electric motor ever exhibited was at the Vienna exhi-

bition in 1873. It was a pump worked by a wire 1,400 yards long.

Germany employs 537,122 people on her railroads-that is nearly 1 per cent of her entire population. There are 17 to every mile of line.

A Copenhagen daily newspaper announces that publication is suspended for three months to enable the staff to enjoy a long summer holiday. Every Kaffir in Cape Colony must pay a labor tax of ten shillings a year.

nless he can prove that he has worked for three months of the year

The fishing industry of France has remained stationary for seventy years. There are 12,000 fishermen to-day; just the same number as in 1830. The unique gift by the governor-general (Lord Hopetoun) of 300 bottles of

champagne to the starving unemployed in Melbourne has been distributed. France makes annually 143,000,000 pounds of chocolate and bonbons. In this respect she stands second only to Great Britain. Germany ranks third

Fifty-two thousand one hundred and fifty seven varieties of fungi are now catalogued. No fewer than 4,009 species have been added since August, 1899.

The center of a large hurricane, where perfect calm reigns, is sometimes as much as twenty miles in diameter and the calm may last an hour and a half.

The main wheel of a watch makes 1,460 revolutions a year, the central wheel 8,760, the third wheel 70,080, the fourth 525,600 and the escape wheel 4,731,860.

Mr. John Morley will have to sit up all night in future if he proposes

EXAMPLE OF GERMAN THRIFT.

Stones on the Roadway Made of Value to Preperty. Germans find that it pays to encour-

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age peasants to free their fields of stones; the property rises in value -taxing value. The stones thrown into heaps by the roadside are purchased by the district road repairing commission. Poor men, who other-wise would have to be supported by the almshouses, are hired to break the stones, and then are trained to the work of repairing the roadbed. The money to pay the men is made by auctioning off to the highest bidder the crop from fruit trees that were planted on both sides of the highway when it was built, and which are nourished well by the manure that falls along the road and is pushed at intervals by a road tender upon their roots. The purchaser of the crop sees to it. that his fruit is not stolen. The road commissioners have no bother about that. And, although the sale be by auction, it brings considerable. Every burgher knows how much because the sales of highway fruit crops are published in the local newspapers

TO GET RID OF MOSQUITOES.

Amusing Circular issued by New York

Board of Health. The New York board of health has issued a circular in which all cases of malaria are laid to the bite of mesquitoes. "Before going to bed," this circular says, "one should kill all the mosquitoes resting on the bedroom walls, in the closets or under articles of furniture." But how? The nights are now short. Possibly an athletic man might run down a mosquito and tie the critter till its tongue hangs out and its Then a single well legs wabble. directed blow on the point of the mosquito's jaw would settle its hash. But some of us are not athletes. "The insects already in the room are apt to give the most trouble," the circular says neively. True! Too true! In fact, the mosquitoes which are in the bald-headed man's flat, three flights up, never trouble us in the least.

German Soldiers' Life.

The German soldier is trained to maneuver in all weather and at all seasons. Extreme cold is, of course. a great obstacle to the mobilization of troops. Billeting is not always possible and the alternative of sleeping in tents with the snow lying deep on the ground and the thermometer below zero seems at first sight impracticable. Nevertheless, it has been found that, with due precautions, the men suffer no ill effects from the exposure. The tents used for this purpose are very small, as these are found be warmer than the larger ones. Indeed, the temperature inside the canvass is generally 12 degrees higher than outside to begin with, and, of course rises when the tent is occu-Hot coffee is served to the men pied. at intervals of two hours throughout the night.

#### Wanted to Be Set Right.

"You had a piece in your paper this morning," said the caller, a man with one arm in a sling, a black eye, 🖀 skinned nose, and various pieces of court plaster scattered over his face, "about a feller named Jones that tried to make peace between a man and his wife that was quarrelin' and got all bunged up by both of 'em pilin' on him

"I believe we did," responded the man in the chair.

"Well, I'm the Jones that went into a mule's stall to curry the animal and got kicked all over the stable. I don't want to be mixed up with the other I may be kind o' keerless about one. iunnin' into danger sometimes, but I ain't no blamed fool. I wish you'd ain't no blamed straighten it out in to-morrow mornin's paper.'

How Adam Would Act Now.

"I sees," said Brother Dickey, "dat one er de preachers is in trouble 'bout de sarpint what tempted Eve. dat's mighty fur back to go huntin' fer trouble, but I reckin Adam must feel lak reachin' over an' shakin' han's wid 'im. De preacher I'm talkin' 'bout don't b'lieve in de snake story, but lay de blame on de man. Adam can't help hisse'f now, en hit looks onfair ter be naggin' at 'im dataway. / I feels so sorry for 'im sometimes dat I almos wish I wuzn't related ter 'im! But I'l bet you on one propersition." "What's that?"

If scandal's lip should seek to stain Don't let the world know when you're If bare your purse, your heart most sad, Your life near crushed by sorrow's



"Highness, the prince is ill and should have the Herr doctor immediately.' yet he glanced wistfully toward her fice or twice; but that inscrutable. old smile lay on the lovely lips, re palling all approach, rad unfortunate-ly, Valerie never caught that look, only suffered and wound the scourge

closer to her bared bosom.

When her women came to robe her for the evening she thrust aside the tissues, the shimmering satins, gay and bade them put on a trailing black gown of some misty material, off in the distance, the midnight bell

#### Courtroom Repartee.

An expert does not always relish be ing tackled by an oversharp lawyer Yet in such verbal duels the former frequently scores. A mining expert was giving evidence in connection with an important mining case, and he was being exposed to a galling fire of cross-examination. The questions related to the form that the ore was found in, generally described as "kid ney tumps.

"Now," said the sharp lawyer. "how large are these lumps? You say they oblong-are they as long as my are head?"

"Yes," was the ready reply, "as long, but not nearly so thick.' The court roared, and a beautiful smile shone upon the face of the es nert.

#### Gossio From Tien-tsin.

A traveler in Tien-tsin, mentioning the razing of the walls of the ancient city, relates that the work was done chiefly by former boxers, hired for the purpose. Even, the children on the streets made life unpleasant for these turncoats by taunting them with a two-line doggerel running as follows From our cakes you ate up all; Now you've come to spoil our wail.

The reference in the first line is to the large flat "cakes of unleavened flour, mixed with brown sugar, upon which the boxers' were fed by the patrons of the movement in Tien-tsin. To many of them boxerism was merely a means of earning a 'lving.

to read all the 100,000 books which have been gifted to him by Mr. Andrew Carnegie

Vanadium, one of the rarer metals, has the property, mixed with copper. of allowing that metal to be drawn into very fine wire. Vanadium costs \$600 per pound.

Among the richer classes 343 in 1,000 live to sixty years of age, in the middle classes 175 do so, and 156 only of the laboring class survive to reach sixty years.

While trying to rescue\_their dog from a quagmire near Paris ragpickers -man and wife-were themselves caught in the mud and slowly sucked under with their pet.

Mr. Harry de Windt, the leader of the "Express" expedition, describes the Tchuktchis as a brave but dirty race. When drunk they try to kill every white man they can

The estimated value of the falls of Niagara if the whole force of the falling water were employed electrically, is £300,000 a day, or 108 millions sterling a year.

Clement, the assistant executioner in Paris, has just died. He was a curiis character and was greatly indignant at the increasing number of reprieves in recent years.

Chinese coffins are made of timber 8 inches to 10 inches thick. It is calculated, therefore, that over 8,000,000 feet of timber are utilized yearly for coffins in China.

The great Assouan reservoir scheme, now completed at a cost of about five and a half millions, will probably increase Egypt's wealth by nearly \$15. 00.000 annually

Mr. Carnegie has taken to presenting sets of stereoscopic views and sterepscopes. Five of these sets have, just been glfted to different free libraries in the north of Scotland.

The rare event of the seventieth anniversary of a marriage was celebrated by Herr Arnault and his wife at Ressmersiel. The husband is ninety-six and the wife ninety years old.

John B. M'Gbee, in fail at Rome, Georgia, charged with the murder of F. Miller, a confederate veteran, killed himself in his cell, literally cutting his

throat with a shoestring. The word "garotte," the name of the Spanish instrument of execution, simply means stick. This is because originally the cord round the neck was twisted by means of a stick.

A Budapest student has created a record in duels by fighting eight in succession and disabling each of his opponents until the eighth was reached, when he was wounded in the wrist.

At Vienna wasps have invaded an eight-day clock, into which they make their entrance and exit by means of a keyhole. The insects, it is stated, never interfere with the inmates of the house.

A London Times leader writer remarks of the late Lord Acton that he was a man "who could literally suck in a dozen volumes in a couple of days." Ϊt is to be presumed that by his "literally" the writer means precisely the opposlte.

"Ef Adam had ter be made over, en wuz livin' in his day en time, he wouldn't be so free wid spareribs." Atlanta Constitution.

Cost of Discarded War Material. Some Idea of the vast quantities of discarded war material thrown upon the general market by the successive changes in armament adopted by the various great powers may be gathered from the list of arms now offered for sale from this cause by the Italian government. The list includes 600,000 rifles adopted so recently as 1887, with 48,000,000 cartridges, 1,200 nine-pounders and 500 seven-pounder guns, with 200.000 shells, and 170 seven-pounder mountain guns, with 17,000 shells.

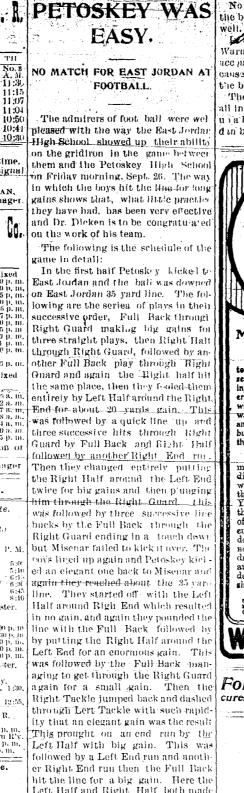
#### Do Things Better in Corea.

A curious custom prevails in Corea. if a man meets his wife in the street he ignores her presence and passes her as if she were a stranger. In this country a man would sometimes like to, but can't escape her eye.

Shoes of Ancient Times. During the reign of Queen Eliza-beth English dudes wore shoes three feet in length, the too pointed and fastened up to the garter with golden chains, to which little bells were attached.

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