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Vindicates Red-Headed People.

thropologist, is trying to relieve red-

headed people from the stigma which

he says has attached to them from

the remotest antiquity. To this end

Prof. Karl Pearson, the English an-

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deceitful."

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he is compiling a census, asking schoolmasters, for instance, for the records of their red-headed pupils. He believes that Aristotle drew on his

imagination when he wrote: "He

that has red hair is proud, envious and

To Improve Orchards.

The government of New Brunswick, through the Department of Agriculture, is preparing to operate a number of orchards or direct the operators beginning next spring, with the cbject of encouraging and bettering the fruit industry in that province. Arrangements have been made with the owners of several farms and the idea is ultimately to have one orchard in every county.

Canadians Gain Scotch Markets. Canadian exporters are year by year gaining a stronger position in the Scotch market. About half of the apples imported now are from the Dominion. The system of inspection at Canadian ports and at British ports, whereby the quality of the fruit is in a measure guaranteed, has proved of Great Britain's attitude The inforuseful to the shipper as well as to the buyer.

Russian Resources.

The natural resources of Russia-are immense. The oil basin of the Donetz, extending 16,575 miles, is one of the greatest in the world. The petroleum of Pennsylvania will be exhausted long before that of the Caucasus. The Russian production of pe troleum was 8,125,200 tons, while in America it was only 4,157,880 tons.

American Roll Top Desks.

In furniture, roll-top desks and bookcases are still the prominent items in the imports from the United States to Edinburgh. The desks are sold largely, notwithstanding that the local ofefforts to keep out the foreign article.

Perfect Propositions.

A perfectly proportioned man should weigh twenty-eight pounds for every foor of his height. If he is five feet ten inches in height his weight should be one hundred and sixty-three wounds: if six feet in height, he should



POSSIBILITY OF IT OPENLY DISCUSSED; ACTIVITY I GREAT BRITAIN'S NAVAL CIRCLES.

Tokio is Greatly Stirred Up Over Sinking of Merchant Ships by the Russians ---Sec. Hay's Proposition to be Accepted---Sinking of Russian Crusier in Port Arthur Harbor Costs 197 Lives.

London papers comment freely on the activity which is seen definitely to land troops in Manchuria, at Woolwich and elsewhere in refitting the navy in preparation great extent Russian interests in the for any emergency. Especial interest attaches to the equipment of 60 battleships with the new 12-inch wire steel guns, 450 of which were ordered by the admiralty four years ago at an ex- Russia Feb. 13.

pense of \$22,500,000.

The Paris Figaro publishes a tele- all hope of holding the peninsula and gram from Russia that the czar has Port Arthur against a joint attack by the Japanese land and sea forces, received an autograph letter from which is now expected at any mo-Emperor William on the war in the ment. Reports from Tien Tsin say far east, and especially on the subject that the land battery of the Russian fortifications on Golden Hill at Port mant says official circles in Russia Arthur have been destroyed by the continue to count on Germany's unreblowing up of the powder magazine. served support, and discuss openly the No details have been received, but it possible change of the equilibrium of is believed the explosion was the re-Europe which might result from the sult of an accident. A number of

grouping together of Russia, Germany Russian troops in the battery at the and France, taken in connection with. the anti-British feeling. The increasing possibility of war with Great Britain s discussed without reserve in Russian military circles. A correspondent of a French news-

in the torpedo attack on the Russian paper confirms the report that Harbin fleet at Port Arthur last Sunday mornwill be the main base of the Russian ing. A dispatch from St. Petersburg, land operations. Thus far the base has dated February 16, stated that the succeeded in maintaining its communi-Boyarin was blown up with a loss of cation with Port Arthur. The concenits officers and p en, February 13, by tration of troops, the correspondent a mine which it accidentally struck. says, proceeds systematically, and pro-

vision has been made for the speedy Under date of the 15th it is reported | were landed at Chemulpo Monday, the arrival of 120,000 men from the dithat Russia has seized the Chinese Before 12 days shall have elapsed the treaty port of New Chwang, Fifteen will be thrown into Korea as rapidly Russians will have disposed of an hundred infantry, the correspondent as possible, in the effort thoroughly copied them closely and made special army of 400,000 men through Man- asserts, entered the native city with to occupy the strategic points while churia. Intense demoralization exists bands playing and banners flying. Pan- the Russian flect is bottled up in Port among the populace, and the people of ic and confusion prevails among the Arthur.

the surrounding villages are flocking native population. New Chwang cominto the town, seeking to reach west- mands Lino Tung gulf, and is connectern Russia. The railway trains, how, sed by rall with Mukden and Harbin, place at present, says one conversant ever, are blocked, and over 2,000 voy. Russianized portions of Manchuria. If with Japanese plans, unless an un agers are thus held up. The intense driven back from Port Arthur, New expected weakness in the fortifications cold prevailing increases the suffering Chawing would form an excellent base | there should develop. They are part and adds to the difficulties of bringing for Russian operations in Manchuria. of a well defined plan for the har-New Chawng was taken by Russia in rassing of the Russian fleet until

Reports received from Korea state 1895 and evacuated in 1902, when it Korea can be occupied. forward troops,

Early Adjournment. The house passed the fortifications

appropriation bill, after a spirited disssion in which the Democrats opposed the spending of any money for fortifications in the Philippines.

Secretary Taft has received an ap-From Che Foo: A dispatch from peal from the Philippines signed by Port Arthur says-The arrival is rethe presidents of seven cigarmakers ported of 60,000 Russian troops at guilds, urging legislation by congress Irkutsk. They are now nearing Harfor the free entry into the United bin. Manchurian trains are now run-States of manufactured tobacco. It is ning regularly, bringing supplies from declared to be the only salvation for Siberia, Admiral Alexieff, viceroy of that interest

the far east, is still making his head-Some congressmen are now looking quarters at Moukden. A Russian fleet for adjournment not later than April is reported to be moving in the direc-15, as they say there is nothing to do tion of Korea or southern Japan with beyond the passage of the necessary the intention of bombarding the nearappropriation bills. est port, causing a diversion in favor

As a result of the territorial hearings or state hood the prediction is made From Ying-Kow: Threatening demthat a bill will be reported in the near onstrations have been made against future from the house committee on the British gunboat Ezpeigle and the erritories joining Oklahoma and In-United States gunboat Helena by Rusdian territory into a single state under sian soldiers, whose assaults upon and depredations against other foreigners continue. The civil administrator is New Mexico as a single state. making every effort to arrest the of-

Hanna's Loyalty.

The original assessment was \$227,306,-The Chicago Tribune's Washington 000 and the corrected assessment, after orrespondent says Hanna, on his deathbed, declared his loyalty to review, is \$222,066,000. The assessment last year, after review, was \$193, Roosevelt and his desire to see the 641,000, making an increase in the compresident nominated. As near as the pleted roll as compared to last year uurses could detect from Hanna's of \$23,425,000.

rambling talk, he was again and again None of the assessments against the on the floor of the convention addressbig roads was changed, with the exing at times his own delegation and hen the great body of the convention ception of the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, which is reduced from itself, urging, imploring and demand-\$9,200,000 to \$8,750,000. The Michigan ing they should join with him in in-Central remains on the rolls at the sisting on the nomination of Theodore original figures, \$55,500,000, and no Roosevelt. In his muttered talk he change was made in the Pere Mardisclaimed again and again any perquette, Grand Trunk or Ann Arbor assonal ambition, and declared Presisessments dent Roosevelt, and he alone, was en-The Bear Lake & Eastern assessed

titled to the nomination, because he at \$15,000,000, was taken off the rolls was in the place, and because his adentirely, as was also the Sault Ste. ministration had been a fair one. Marie Terminal, the property assessed

Venomous Gossip.

Not even the sacredness of the dead s immune from the Washington political gossipmongers, who are now drawing invidious conclusions from President Roosevelt's failure to go to Cleveland to attend the Hanna obsequies. It is being said that the president was deterred from going from fear of being charged with hypocrisy. Another source of irritation is the fact that Illinois has no representative ou the senatorial committee to attend the funeral. Some are saying that Sena-Port Arthur is bound to fall in time, tors Cullom and Hopkins were deliberately slighted in the makeup of

> While intoxicated, Sam Chambers an old-time woodsman of Moran sta-To the neglect of the Pere Marquette tion, took his pipe to bed with him railroad and the incompetency of op-

The repeated attacks on Port Arthur are not for the purpose of seizing that Detroit - Thursday, the principal sales day in the market, was not a good day, as all sales were at lower good day, as all sales were at lower figures than owners hoped for, Cattle sales dragged all but prime steers and helfers, selling below last week's fig-ures. Milch cows found a fairly ready dered is: "We find that Leonard J.



RAILROAD ASSESSMENTS.

belonging to the Soo Waterpower Co.

Only two roads were given an in-

reased valuation. These were the

East Jordan & Southern, increased

from \$160,000 to \$200,000, and the Min-

neapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste, Marie

increased from \$5,000,000 to \$5,500,000.

The following are the final aggre-

gates of assessed valuation and taxes

car loaning companies, \$8,598.68; total

The P. M. Blamed

wreck of Dec. 26 in which 22 lives

m. and the coroner at once laid the

matter before Prosecuting Attorney

Brown for action. The verdict ren-

taxes, \$3,795,678.33. »

A Permanent Camp. a view to purchasing several

Reduction of Over \$5,000,000-The Intracts in the country for encampments

of the national guard and regular crease of 1903. The valuation of Michigan railroads troops, the war department has reis finally determined by the state quested of the state military department suggestions as to possible sites board of railway assessors, after reviewing the rolls, is \$222,066,000. The Adjt.-Gen. Brown has reported that state board of assessors went over Roscommon would be the most said the rolls Monday, after the arguments able place to buy ground and locate the name of Oklahoma, Later a bill and reports of the railroads were all a camp. There the Michigan national will be reported admitting Arizona and in, and made certain additions and re- guard could be mobilized within 24 ductions from the rolls as originally hours. The state has a desirable tract eight by ten miles square, where 100. prepared, the net results of the changes nade being a reduction of \$5,240,000. 000 men could be encamped, Higgins

lake is nearby. MICHIGAN NEWS NOTES. A gasoline famine is on at Port Hu Crystal Falls wants a paid fire de partment omewhat a A petroleum flow has been struck Miss Kinsol near Merrill. appeared to Lansing wants a county normal spring weat training school. hronged ar Prosperity is liable to turn the Chrisbiles darted tian race into a dull trot. dater vehicle Hunureus of ducks are starving to Kendall glan leath on the St. Clair river. the spire of On opening a big fish at Escanaba, a flawless azul gold weauing ring was .ound. the Rockles Michigan produces more than ha Three hou the bromide of the United States. the Mining A Hancock woman told the court he bluely throu husband had been drunk for 30 years disgruntled of "autos" ove Firebugs have caused a fire every night for the last week at Essexville grumbling, s

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Cold weather and snow have killed thousands of quail throughout th state. The enrollment of St. Joseph's city schools reached the 1,000 mark la month.

n her prettie ress companies, \$1,869,240; car loan-A Coldwater young woman has crip ing mood. pled feet by using carbolic acid as hundredth ti corn cure when she we The recruiting officers of Lansing rot put him

are meeting with little success in en date. And n listing men vise an excu Forty divorces were granted in Bai evening. county in 1903 as against 54 the pr His car car ceding year. ili a determi

For stealing a cowhide, a Standish an had supe erators in its employ directly is laid man was given 90 days in the h her wheel the blame of the fearful East Paris of correction. Kendall w Astrologer Allen, of Plainville, se rends called

were lost. Coroner Hilliker's jury re- nothing but disaster in his horosco a bicycle or turned its verdict shortly before 1 p. for February. iage through Postmaster Newkirk, a lawyer of d his sense Central Lake, has been, sent to e effort it. n Miss K

insane asylum Vera Smith, aged 12, of B

sale when the quality of the animals offered was good enough, but the com-moner' grades of milkers were just about steady at \$3 50 @7 per ewt. tion and smil That, he wreck between train No. 5, engine 307, As she was leaving church, Mrs. J ning of my su and train No. 6, engine 183, of Pere B. Root, of Battle creek, sell a sagement eve Marquette railroad system on its difractured her wrist. had never vision known as Detroit and Grand Deputy State Insurance Commis letermined, 1 Rapids division, in township of Paris, sioner Hadley, Lansing, lost \$150 while been ready to jumping on a bob-sleigh. The thin m dall looked a Twelve-year-old Lansing boy arrest une and addr ed because he refused to go to schoo preferring to smoke cigarettes. "Here's a st The Great Tax Cases. Marion Kin While cutting trees hear Alpena The taking of testimony in the rail-Edward Kirchoff, 17 years of age, wa The paper g oad tax cases now in progress in Dedistinctly c killed by a tree falling on him. troit will consume all of next week, it It isn't true t is expected, Congressman Charles A. Clara Greecen, a' Kalkaska yo ame; his s woman, receives \$2,000 a year Townsend is expected to arrive from comptroller's office, Washington, D. have an auto The testimony on the physical valua-St. Joseph for the first time in man Kendall wa tion of the property will probably be years has an egg famine, there bein finished by next Wednesday, the ques- not one egg on the market at an knew, was n tion of rolling stock and equipment price. ade copy of coming up early next week. The latter The Benton Harbor Athletic Ass He opened f part of next week will be devoted to clation is being sued by a lady for le reached h taking the testimony of Prof. 11. U. was a photon read; he lived \$125, which, she claims, is due her i Adams, of the University of Michigan, meals furnished to vis.ting player as to the value of the intangible proplast fall. e reached t crty of the railroads. fguring as M him in biting heart with id Kendall felt er, disappoint The village of Berrien Springs making the experiment of lighting the Now in Jail. . streets with gasoline lamps, and is the Helge Nelson and his three chief offirst village in that part of the stal ficers are now in the county jail. to try gasoline for street lighting pu Battle Creek, awaiting examination on the charge of threatening to harm the poses. e next sente property or person of the Seventh Day In a collision with an interurba aw did likewi Adventists. The complaint, signed by car, Miss May Stearns, of Pittsfield Chief of Police Farrington, says the was thrown from her sleigh 25 fee complainant is afraid that the prison- through the air. She landed in a de ET. ers would kill and slaughter sundry snowbank, however, and came out t persons residing in Battle Creek. The injured. bunch of long-bearded enthusiasts I. C. Ghandler, an old man, was he laugh at this and demand a jury trial up in Battle Creek within two bloc of the business district, by three thu Stearns' Platform who after knocking him down relie Justus S. Stearns has issued the formal announcement of his candidacy he was carrying home. him of \$80, his month's wages; wh for the Republican nomination for The state tax commission has close governor, coming out squarely for priits preliminary investigation of mary election reform and for municipal ownership and control of public St. Joseph county records and fin utilities. He also favors the revision that seventy-two cransters have be of the tax laws making for an equal made by deed this year, which is and just taxation; home rule for cities larger transfer of property than I and villages, and the restricting of many years back. the discretionary pardoning and parol-The race bank gave way at .Cent ing power of the governor. ville, leaving the Centerville Water Electric Light Cc without power. Cruelty to Animals. town would have been in darkness! A complaint has been made against without fire protection had not ste Under Sheriff William Gordon, of power been supplied by cable from

cruisers Thursday while on her way from Hakata to Otaru, on the island Yezo, with a companion steamer, and is reported to be planning reprisals. A variety of rumors stirs Tokio, One says Matsuma, in Yezo, has been bombarded; another that the Japanese cruisers have engaged the Russians, The government has not confirmed anything except the Zensho incident. The Nagasaki correspondent of the Daily Telegraph expresses the conviction that Russia is quite unable to hold the-Lia-Tung peninsula and that

Information reached Washington the committee. Both were Hanna's that nearly 20,000 Japanese troops personal friends, first division of a large number which

and was burned to death.

Live Stock.

fixed by the state board of assess Railroad companies, \$222,066,000; exng companies, \$508,450; total aggregate, \$224,443,690. Taxes-Railroad companies, \$3,755, 467.96; express companies, \$31,611,69;

weigh one hundred and sixty-eight that Russian troops are advancing pounds.

apital

north

will be \$500,009.

Merely a Small Incident.

At Waterloo, Lord Anglesev was standing close to the Duke of Wellington, when he received his wound. Lord Anglesev turned to the Duke and said: "By G----, I have lost my leg!" "Have you? By G---!" said the Duke, still gazing at the battle.

From Leather to Boots

With the assistance of the latest in our army. We have every confidence machines a piece of leather can be transformed into a pair of boots in thirty-four minutes, in which time it. passes through the hands of sixty. three people and through fifteen machines.

Metal Gets Tired. Metals get tired as well as living be ings. Telegraph wires are better con-

ductors on Monday than on Saturday, on account of their Sunday rest, and a rest of three weeks adds 10 per cent to the conductivity of a wire.

It Takes Courage to Do This. Daily guide to flattery: When they ask you if you are fond

of babies say, "Not the ordinary baby, but -- " and reach out your arms for their own precious cherub .- Baltimore American

Divorces in Japan. Among the seven deadly sins which render a Japanese husband justified in divorcing his wife are "talkativeness to the extent of setting her relatives at variance," jealousy and stealing.

Value of Books.

The best of a book is not the thought which it contains, but the thought which it suggests; just as the charm of music dwells not in the tone, but in the echoes of our hearts.

Fertilizers for Oats.

One hundred and sixty pounds an acre of nitrate of soda and muriate creases the yield of oats in some Kentucky tests.

Radium in River.

Signor Francolini of Spoleto, Italy, asserts that the little Clitumno river, formerly venerated by the Romans as a holy stream, contains radium.

Church to Swedenborg. Efforts are being made to collect sufficient funds to build a church in Stockholm to the memory of Emmanek Swedenborg

Prize for Airship. authorities of the universal ex-19,300 for an airship compeve is not always persu-

was made an open port. A dispatch from Koke, Japan, in retoward Seoul and that a strong position at Ping Yang has been occupied porting the Japanese naval attack on

Port Arthur, Feb. 14, says the Russian by them. Their present movements, however, do not indicate any immedi- guardship in the harbor and another Russian wayship lying outside the harate-intention of attacking the Korean | bor were torpedoed and that the Japanese retired without sustaining any The St. Petersburg paper Syelt says

time are reported to have been killed.

It is the belief of the Japanese navy

department that the Russian second-

class cruiser Boyarin was torpedoed

and sunk by the destroyer Heyatori

injury. egarding Russia's designs in Korea The correspondent at Chemulpo of that the country must pass under Rusthe London Express makes the astonsian control as a matter of self-pre ishing statement that Japan has alservation "We must now confess that ready landed 120,000 troops in Korea, we are no great sea power, and per-80,000 of whom are extended along the haps never will be Russia naturally is fighting front south of the Yalu river. a territorial power. Our strength lies According to military experts of Chemulpo, the Japanese now have rolled that our army will shortly begin ontheir battle front along a line some erations in Korea, and drive out Jadistance south of the Yalu. This is pan Whereupon we must annex the their fighting line. The line they are country and establish garrisons at moving on stretches farther and ranges Seoul, Yonghampho, Masampho and from the great wall to Vladivostock

elsewhere. Troops will be massed at strategie It is now believed both in London points along a 1,000-mile front, opposand on the continent that Viceroy ing the Russians, whose forces also are Alexieff has decided to fall back upon

stretched the same distance. Harbin, practically abandoning Port The reports that the Japancse ... av Arthur, Vladivostok and the whole of concentrated about 60,000 troops at southern Manchuria to the Japanese Wonson (on the east coast of Korea), and that he is, perhaps, hoping that with the object of entering Manchuria, the reduction of Port Arthur and are confirmed.

Vladvostok will occupy the enemy Troops are arriving at Port Arthur while he is concentrating his forces at Harbin

the forces is making excellent prog- A Hanna. Significance is attached to the Firess. The fortress is now thoroughly garo's discussing the possible retreat prepared to withstand a siege and is of the Russian forces from Port Arregarded as inaccessible. The Rusthur towards the north The Figaro sian authorities have taken every prewhich is intensely pro-Russian and en- caution to protect the arsenal. The joys the favor of the Russian court, usual guard of 500 men has now been says: "The Russian note explaining increased to 2,000. At Kinchow, Talthe delays in the military operations, ienwan and Bidzivo the forts and garhas had the effect of confirming Vice- risons have been replenished threeroy Alexieff's plan to withdraw north- fold. .

ward toward Mukden and Harbin." The military editor of the Figaro de-The St. Petersburg correspondent of clares this would be a wise and tacthe Tagliche Rundschau, of Berlin, tical movement, as the Russian troops' says that 600 Russian soldiers have are better able to make a stand further been frozen to death, while merching across Lake Baikal, eastern Siberia. The correspondent adds that the tem-

Dispatches from both Japanese and porare railroad across the lake is not Russian sources are to the effect that yet completed, that a large detachthe Russian army on the Liao-Tung ment of troops was sent on a 22-mile ard, proceeded slowly out Euclid avepeninsula has been surrounded by march over the ice-covered lake and nue to Lake View cemetery, where Japanese troops. It is estimated there that it is presumed that part of these u final farewell of the dead was taken are 10,000 Russian troops on the pen- troops lost their way in a snowstorm in Wade Memorial church. The body insula. Port Arthur and Dalny, situ- and perished,

ated at the southern end of the penin- From Tokio, Japan: The Japanese sula, have been cut off. Admiral have captured at least five commercial the family. Alexieff, with Gen, Pflug and the en- steamers, including the Ekaterivostav, tire headquarters staff, has evaded the of the volunteer fleet, the Moukden, of potash, equal parts, materially in- Japanese lines and removed the head- Russia, Argun and Alexander. These quarters to Harbin, 60 miles north of vessels were caught in Japan, Korean Port Arthur, at the junction of the and adjacent waters at various times pointed to attend the funeral, because Manchurian and East China branches since Saturday by small Japanese of the fear of the effects of the exof the Siberian railway. By military cruisers and gunboats. Some of the posure in the cold weather. Several experts this step is regarded as show-| steamers are rich prizes. From Seoul: The Korean govern- mained in Washington, ing that the Russians have given up

George D. Morgan, a nephew of J. President Roosevelt has been form-P. Morgan. has just arrived in San ally invited to attend the national en-Francisco from the orient, accom- campment of the G. A. R. at-Boston panied by his Japanese wife. Mr. next summer. Morgan, who has lived in Japan for After 30 years, the H. Whitbeck Co. five years past, was married at Yoko- has closed operations on the Menomihama on January 21. They are en nee river and sold its last cut of 20, route for New York. 000,000 feet of pine. Three miles of coal barges, 57 in Naturalization frauds have been dis-

number, belonging to the Monongahela covered which may lead to revelations probably fatally. River Coal Co, and loaded with coal, of wholesale issue of cltizenship are grounded and going to places on papers in Montana. at Liege, Belgium, offer a the Obio, near Jeffersonville, Ind. Two Col. F J. Hecker, of Detroit, is men hundred men are at work trying to tioned as probably one of the seven York. Bids for the construction of

ave them. It is estimated the loss commissioners to supervise the con struction of the Panama canal

enables the landing of troops in Korea without the convoy of a large number of warships,

traverse the country.

of Port Arthur.

fenders and has assured Capts, Barton

and Sawyer and Consul Miller that

full reparation will be made. It is

stated here that Japan will wait in-

as she considers that the control of the

sea obtained by Japan nullifies to a

An issue of 50,000,000 roubles credit

notes, secured by gold, was made in

small influx of circulating credit notes

into the treasuries and the imperial

bank and the increased withdrawals

for the far east are assigned as the

reasons for this operation. The total

of the credit notes in circulation Feb.

Japan is deeply stirred and bitterly

resentful over the sinking of the mer-

chant ship Zensho by four Russian

14 was 680,000,000 roubles.

even without an assault.

The comparatively

The taking of Port Arthur will form the second number of the war program. First, however, it is learned that the Japanese propose to cut the to Port Arthur. It is expected a large \$2 50@3; culls, \$1 50@2 50 per cwt. Japanese force will land at New

Chwang shortly for this purpose. Dispatches from Nagasaki, Japan, say the mobilization of the Japanese army has been carried out methodically. It is estimated that 300,000 troops are now ready to be placed in the field. The troops are being moved secretly at night toward their bases at Sasebo, Kure, Miji and Yokusua. All the steamers of Japanese merchant lines are being rapidly converted into auxiliary cruisers, armed with quick

firing guns and fitted with torpedo tubes.

The Hanna Funeral.

Cleveland was again a city of deep mourning Friday, Business was practically suspended and a very large

proportion of the population paid homcontinuously and the mobilization of age to the memory of Senator Marcus

> Just four weeks ago today Senator Hanna left his home city for the national capital, happy in the thought of his triumphant re-election to the senate. The last rites were held at St. Paul's Episcopal church, corner of Euclid and Case avenues. During t's's solemn service. Cleveland was a silent city, Nearly all business was suspend-

ed for the entire afternoon, Street railway and steam railroad traffic on every line in the city was stopped for five minutes from 1 to 1:05 o'clock, and the people generally in all parts of the city bowed their heads in reverence for a brief space of time at that hour. The body accompanied only by the family, pallbearers and Bishop Leon-

was deposited in a crypt in the chapel to await burial at the pleasure of

Senator Alger did not accompany the Hanna funeral party to Cleveland. although one of the 25 senators apothers of the 25 senators also re-

> Fred H. Webb, Battle Creek's re form mayor, is out with a statement that he will not accept a renomination this spring on any ticket. He is done with politics, 1 ° D. A. Pohlmann, treasurer of the

federated council of Santa Clara county. Cal., was held up and robbed of \$230 and a gold watch and then shot.

A 20-minute ferry line to Staten Island will be built under municipal control, at a cost of \$50,000,000, in New

Hogs-Sales were scarcely above prices in the country. Half fatted hogs were not wanted; prime mediums and fat Yorkers, \$4 95@5 10; light Yorkers_and pigs, \$4 40@4 60 cripples. \$1 per cwt off; stags, one-Sheep-Choice lambs, \$5 75 @6; light in said county, that said wreck was third off line of communication well up the railroad running from New Chwang is 3 25 64 25: common killers, their employ." caused by neglect of Pere Marquette to Part Arthur It is accounted a line state of the state of the

> Chicago-Good to prime steers, \$4 90 @5 75; poor to medium, \$3 50@4 80; stockers and feeders, \$2 50 70 4 15; cows, \$1 60 70 4; heifers, \$2 40 4 75; can-ners, \$1 60 72 60; bûlls, \$2 25 70 4 10; calves, \$3 50 07 25. Hogs-Mixed and butchers, \$5 05 35; good to choice heavy. \$5 30 @5 45: rough heavy. \$5 @5 25: light, \$4 50 @ Washington Monday to aid the state. 5 10: bulk of sales, \$5@5 25. 5 10: bulk of sales. \$5 @5 25. Sheen-Good to choice wethers. \$4@ 4 60: fair to choice mixed, \$3 50@4 25: native lambs, \$4@6 10.

East Buffalo-The heaviest sales in Cattle-Best export steers, \$4 75@ 5 25; best 1.200 to 1.300-pound shipping steers, \$4 65@4 90; good 1.050 1.100-pound butchers' steers, \$4 256 4 65; 900 to 1.000-pound butchers'

4 65; 900 to 1,000-pound butchers' steers. \$1@4 25; best fat cows. \$3 60@ 3 90; fair to good fat cows, \$2 75@3;common cows, \$2@2 25; trimmers, \$1 50; best fat helfers, \$4@4 25; melium heifers, \$3 60@3 80; light fat reifers, \$3 40@3 60; common stock heifers, \$3; best feeding steers, \$3 50 @3 75; best yearlings, \$3 25@3 50; common stockers, \$3 25@3 50; fresh cows and springers steady; best milk-ers. \$45 \overlines for mediums. \$30 \overline 38; com-mon. \$17 \overline 22; best veals, \$8 50 \overline 85; 75; air to good, \$6@8. Hors-All around pigs, \$5; yorkers, \$5 35@5 45: mixed, \$5 50; medium and heavy. \$5 50 @ 5 60; closed steady; 20 Sheep-Best western lambs, \$6 25@

6 40; natives. \$6 50@6 55; fair to good. \$6 25@6 40; culls. common. \$5@6 mixed sheep. \$4 35@4 50; fair to mixed sheep, \$435@450; fair to good, \$4@425; culls, bucks, \$3@350; wethers, \$475@490; yearlings, \$525

55; ewes, \$4 35; closed 15 cars un .bloz Grain, Etc.

Detroit-Wheat-No. 1 white, \$1 10: No. 2 red. \$1 10 bid: May. 3.000 bu at 0414, 6,000 bu at \$1 0414, 3.000 bu at 0434. 2000 bu at \$1 0414 9.000 bu at \$1.06.454.2.000 bit at \$1.0456 9.000 bit at \$1.06.closing \$1.07 asked: July. 3.000 bu at 93%c. 5.000 bu at 93%c. 5.000 bu at 94c, 4.000 bu at 94%c. 5.000 bu at 94%c, closing 95%c bid; No. 2 red, \$1.08 per bu. Corn-No. 3 mixed, 45c; No. 3 yellow,

3 cars at $47\frac{4}{5}$; No. 4 do, 1 car at $45\frac{4}{5}$; by sample, 1 car at $42\frac{4}{5}$; per bu. Oats-No. 3 white spot. 46c bid. Rye-No. 2 spot. 70c bid. Beans-Spot and February, \$1 90

bid: March. \$1 90 nominal. dolph, charging him with cruelty to Chicago-Millers pair \$1 07 a bushel for No. 2 red wheat Thursday and wheat for May delivery sold at 99½c. animals. The humane officer says it is the worst case he ever saw. He No. 3, 85@97c; No. 2 No. 3, 85@97c; No. 2 Cash sales were: No. 3, 85@97c; No. 2 red 964/c@\$1 0114; No. 2 corn, 58%c; No. 2 yellow, 52c; No 2 cats, 411/2@42c; No. 3 white, 4?@431/2c; No. 2 rye, 73c; good feeding barley 40@41c; fair to

Thomas Martin's residence, near Fife lake, was burned. Mr. Martin had just mortgaged his farm and the money be had received was burned with the house. school in Lansing.

ater disaster has been increased by the name of Leo Pinkus, a musician, camp, who cut over 500,000 feet of who was burned while escaping from logs daily. the rear of the theater.

Mrs. Riley Hall, of New Brighton. Pa., has presented her husband with the second pair of twins within a fork. Bids for the construction of five high speed ferry boats to cost two years. As in the first instance one \$370,000 each have been talled for. . is a boy and the other a girl.

Lake county, by Humane Agent Ran- Michigan Central Woolen Co. The Lakeside Anti-horse Thief endall drev

sociation of Berrien county held semi-annual meeting in Galien he seated elected officers for the ensuing ye This unique association was organi about 25 years ago, when borsest went on, as

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ing was common in the county. It was the coldest weather in years in Marquette county yester morning, the thermometer register 35 below in Negaunee, and 52 at Mil the location of the county normal gamme. Not since December 15 it been above zero and the contin The Stephenson company of Calumet cold has made surface work at has 600 men working in its logging mines and lumbering impossible. E. M. Allen, a well-known and a farmer who lives alone five miles of Morenci, was found Monday i home in a dying condition and ba struck by a street car. Will Bush, frozen. It is believed that he aged 12 years, son of a widowed stroke of paralysis on Saturday mother, was thrown so that his hand in falling struck against the store

1 his head.

says that horses, lambs and calves were found dead on Gordon's farm from starvation and extreme exposure, and others alive but starved and frozen.

The public schools of Commerce have closed, owing to fuel famine. Five out of 886 citizens voted against

Three Muskegon boys were coasting down a steep hill when they were

The death roll of the Iroquois the

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hundredth time perhaps, that she say when she would marry him, she had rot put him off, but had set an early date. And now he was trying to devise an excuse for calling again that evening.

His car came, but he could not enter tili a determined, storm buffeted woman had superintended the loading of her wheel.

Kendall was fastidious-finical, his Plainville, see frends called him. A lady perched on n his horoscope a bicycle or steering a horseless carriage through crowded streets offendd his sense of fitness. He recalled be effort it had cost him to prevail own Miss Kinsolving to confine her-ber to old-fashioned means of locomo-tion and smiled contentedly. k, a lawyer of een, sent to the

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been ready to marry me."

put foundations under them." Kendall drew forth the Tribune as he seated himself beside her. 'How could you, Marion?" he asked "That," he mused, "was the beginreproachfully. "Is nothing sacred to ning of my success; until then our euyou?" gagement even was a flimsy affair; if She laughed gaily. "Quarrels are I had never proved myself the more not. Wasn't it lovely that they acdetermined, Marion never would have cepted ity Whenever you venture to disagree with me I am going to write The thin man sitting opposite Kenyou up and have you printed!" dall looked across the Evening Trib-Kendall bit his lip. "Perhaps you une and addressed his portly wife: enjoy shouting our heart history from the house top. I would have cut my tongue out before I would have told all that to my best friend.";

You never in your life ware lovelier."

will build air-castles, and you shall

that she accomplished her purpose Such people are the mainsprings of progress.

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quiry if she intended to 'rub up her

Greek,' she replied, 'Rub up nothing. I

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said the other day that Cato learned

Greek at 80, and what a man can do at

80, a woman certainly can do at 70."

And she did."

A story is told of high Indian offi- more particularly the Kremlin-is re-

Persian fortune-tellers, and a host of other nountebanks, who have come from every corner of Asia to create the fun of the tair.

factors in the internal trade of Russia, but it is slowly declining in size and importance every year. The

entirely air-tight and unventilated, they got them." cer who was in the habit of soundly garded by every Russian as the shrine except for the one small doorway, or

scribes the dungeon for prisoners: there was no such pills. I told them thick mud wall with a similar hole kind, not Dodd's. As I needed some through it into two compartments. medicine, I bought a box, but they each 17 feet by 7 feet and 11 feet did me no good so I went-elsewhere high. This wall was pierced with and got the real Dodd's Kidney Pills and very soon was completely cured.

thrust up to the thigh, and they were left to be trodden on by the mass of pills and asked them to order some other prisoners till they died of but as I haven't needed any more I thirst and starvation. The place is haven't called to see whether or not Buys Share in Mine Lease.

Marquette, Micn., dispatch: 'A half interest in the lease of the Negaunee mine has been sold by the Cleveland Cliffs company to the Lackawanna Steel company for \$750,000.

Alfalfa Clover.

For years the editor has been urging farmers to sow Alfalfa Clover, and glad he is that thousands of wide-

awake farmers scattered all over Amer-

rican city of Kano soon after its re-

cent capture by the British thus de-'A small doorway two feet six inches The fair is still one of the main by one foot six inches gives access into it. The interior is divided by a

That spirit of determination which Trans-Siberian railroad will largely decrease its business by enabling Asinever fails to win success shows forth in every word of her brief reply, and atic merchants to deal directly and quickly with Moscow, St. Petersburg one hardly needs the added statement and the other principal commercial centers of Russia.

Nijni typifies the commercial importance of Russia and the vast extent of its dominions. Moscow-and



holes at its base, through which the legs of those sentenced to death were I took a box up to the Drug Store and showed them that there was such

By sending your address to any agent of the Canadian Government you will have mailed to you a copy of an atlas, railway rates, etc., giving fullest information regarding Western Canada.



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"Here's a storyette by a local writer. s hear Alpena Marion Kinsolving." he observed. The paper gives her a puff; says it is cars of age. wa g on him. a distinctly clever study of emotions.' Kalkaska youn It isn't true to life; the man wins the same; his sweetheart determines to have an automobile, and he dissuades 00 a year ashington, D. (rst time in man

Kendall was interested; Marion, he nine, there beil knew, was mildly literary; had she market at an nade copy of him?

He opened the Tribune hastily when r Athletic Ass he reached home. The "clever study" by a lady fo vas a photograph. Kendall scarcely ns, is due her f read; he lived again the scene. When vis.cing player

e reached the point where Marion. figuring as Miriam Kingsley, advised him in biting tones to seek a sweet-heart with ideas as ultra as his own. Kendall felt his jaw setting into bit-er, disappointed lines; but when, in rrien Springs nt of lighting th amps, and is th part of the stal reet lighting pu e next sentence, "George Wendell's" aw did likewise, he was angry enough an interurba

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to close to Marion that he watch the tempting play of exn in her eyes!)

ainst the store es. (Even yet Kendall

"So would I," agreed Miss Kinsolving cheerfolly.

"Confiding in a friend," she contigued, "is quite different from publishing a bit of fiction.""

"Fiction? Is not this as faithful an account as you could write?"

"To be sure. If it didn't conform to human nature it would be valueless as fiction. I find portrayed a type of lovers' quarrels such as thousands have indulged in. What matter whether you and I have done so?" "Ah! type!" said Kendall drily. "I'll say that to inquiring friends. Such a striking dissimilarity even in names-Marion Kinsolving, Miriam Kingsley; Frank Kendall, George Wendell. Why,

ed by the identical argument I used. voiced by an unheroic hero who re-

corroborate the suspicion."

will be recognized?" turned Kendall, gloomily.

endall drew forth the Tribune as

you are not George Wendell."

That hassock! How often had begged to privilege of sitting

'he anger died in the girl's face; an remained unmoved; tears

Kendall stared.

people can't help but recognize us!". "Frank, you are positively foolish. You are no more likely to be recognized as George Wendell than you would be as Bartholom.ew Huxtable." "Possibly not. Without the names there is evidence enough to convict us. I am engaged to Miss Kinsolving and I detest automobiles: Miss Kinsolving taboos automobiles, though most of her friends affect them; she wrote this story, and in it her double is persuad-

sembles me strongly enough to be my twin. Some one is sure to note the coincidence, and presently every one

"Frank! Do you really think we

"I wish I had a doubt of it," re-There was silence in the room, Miss

Kinsolving was so obviously agitated that Kendall felt half mollified. "We must disarm suspicion," she said at length. "There is just one way ing a petticoated, five-year-old prothunless," faltering slightly, "you wish

to break our engagement." "Marion! What a suggestion!" "Then to-morrow you and I must go about town in a horseless carriage. George Wendell induced his fiancee to abandon automobiling. If you and I

"There is too much snow," said Kendall, grimly. "There won't be, on the pavements.

to-morrow afternoon." "I'm' so sorry, Frank," penitenfly whispered Miss Kinsolving when they returned the following day from a delightful spin through the crisp, invig-

at his obduracy.) Her pret orsting air. Her cheeks wers glowing,

of his national pride and spiritual life. thrashing his servants when they dis-It is the holy place of Russia, and the pleased him. One day he ordered his khansamah to go to a summer-house holy of holies is the Cathedral of the in the compound and wait for him there, present turning up with a heavy themselves, solemnly reciting their horsewhip. Ho then addressed the fifty-four titles. One part of this ca-

outender: "Now, you scoundrel, I've got you in a place where no one can hear, and I'll just thrash you within an inch of your life." The servant, though a man of pow-

erful physique, squirmed, native-like. "San, you sure no one can hear?" "Yes, you scoundrel, I've brought from the Tartar hordes. you here on purpose." "Then, sah, I think I thrash you;"

and he did it so thoroughly that his picture of the Redeemer of Smolnsk. master was not visible for a week.

Sanctuary for Homeless Cats. distinction among Christian places of

to it are an asylum for homeless cats. ible means of support may find in the

worship, in that the cloisters attached himself fifty times before the picture. Even the Czar never passes through A kitten left in early life without vis- this gate without uncovering. High above al the other buildings church and orphan asylum, while of the Kremlin rises the white, solid many an old Thomas, weary of disas- Ivan Tower, erected in honor of Ivan

hairbreadth escapes, has sought its retirement as a home for the aged. where he might live out the residue of his nine lives in peace and quietude. How the strange custom, now genera-

tions old, originated is not known, but it appears to have become fixed, for the cats of San Lorenzo are hardly less well known than the pigeons of St. Mark.

One Was Wavering. Rt. Rev. Joseph H. Johnson, whose fund of good stories seems never to

diminish, tells an anecdote about the young hopeful of a United States senator. It was on the occasion of the visit we know will be collecting evidence to of the religious census-taker that this seven-ycar-old' distinguished himself.

His parents were absent and the child presented himself saying he was perfectly competent to answer any questions. When informed of the censustaker's business, he answered thus: "Well-my father is a Unitarian; my mother is a Episcopalian. I am a Episcopalian, but Francis,"-indicat-

er-"Francis is wavering." Price on Heads of Pests.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Lutheran orphans' home at Reading. Pa., an itemized bill for \$1.39 was submitted by the "Rat and Mice trust take up the sport it will be clear that company." Rey. Dr. Kuendig ex boys a cent each for all the rats and

> the pests. Need Brick-Making Machines. There is a great demand at the present time for brick-making ma-

chinery in Cape Colony, Natal, Orange River Colony and the Transvaal, mean peninsula, on the shores of edly popular in that country.

Assumption, where the Czars crown thedral is regarded as so sacred that no woman is allowed to enter it. Many people think of the Kremlin

as a building. It is really a part of the city enclosed by a huge wall, and containing the principal churches, palaces and other buildings. It was originally built as a . city of refuge

The chief entrance is by the "Redeemer Gate," over which there is a Nobody passes under this picture without taking off his hat and bowing,

however great his hurry may be. Until To the Church of San Lorenzo, the quite recently, any person who negoldest in Florence, belongs a unique lected this mark of respect was compelled by the authorities to prostrate

trous chances, moving accidents, and Veliky, a Russian military hero, who



Part of Kremlin.

was really an Englishman named John Villiers. He gained several victories over the Tartars in medieval times. From this tower the view over Moscow is wonderful. All tourists acknowledge that they have seen nothing half so fine in any other city. plained that he would pay the bill, as There are three hundred and seventy he had agreed privately to pay to the churches within view, all gleaming with snow-white walls and innumermice they caught, to rid the home of able gilded domes, turrets and spires. Besides these, there are theaters, palaces, convents, and monasteries by the score. The whole of Moscow is spread out before one's eyes like a city of marble and gold.

In the southeastern part of the Cri-

rather hole, in the wall through which you creep. The total space inside is 2,618 cubic feet and at the time we took Kano 135 human beings were confined here each night, being let out during the day to cook their food in the small adjoining area. Recently as many as 200 have been interred at one time. As the superficial ground area was only 238 square feet there was not, of course, even standing room. Victims were crushed to death every night and their corpses were hauled out each morning. One of the great pools in the city is marked as the place where men's heads were cut off at the arbitrary order of the king; another, near the great market, is the site where simbs were amputated almost daily for theft or some less crime."

In Honor of Tact.

of Austro-Hungarian origin, for in It is not often that a monument is 1870 the first Austro-Hungarian Chamerected in honor of the tactfulness of ber of Commerce was opened in Cona hostess in a trying situation. One stantinople; afterward similar instituof the few such, if not the only one. tions were opened in Alexandria. is a boulder from the battlefield of Paris and London. In the spring of Harlem Heights, removed to Park 1903 an Austro-Hungarian Chamber of avenue in New York to mark the site Commerce was opened in Melbourne. of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert The English, adopting the example Murray, who entertained and so deof the Austrians, founded a Chamber tained the British officers under Gen. of Commerce in Paris. 'The Austrians Howe while the American troops unhave been far surpassed in number der Gen. Putnam were escaping from of these institutions by the English. the city. The monument which bears who now have thirty in foreign counan inscription on brass setting forth tries and 100 in their own colonies. Mrs. Murray's achievement, was dedi-The United States has Chambers of cated recently. What a difference Commerce in Faris, Brussels, Lonthere might have been in American don, Berlin, Sydney and Shanghai. history if Mrs. Murray had been a less

capable hostess .-- Youth's Companion.

Incredibly Abstemious.

Exploration is a subject which has a special interest for J. M. Barrie, as the writer's recent gift of \$250 to the Scottish Antarctic expedition would indicate, and he always has taken the food kept on losing health until particular delight in the society of seekers after the undiscovered. In Barrie's early days Joseph Thomson, the African explorer, was one of his chief friends and greatest heroes, and the novelist made the traveler one of his famous "Edinburgh Eleven." "Perhaps," wrote Barrie of Thomson, "his most remarkable feat might help him. The sick man took

into the heart of Africa and bringing it back intact."-New York Daily News.

Helium, the radioactive gas given off by radium, is a well-defined and rather inert ges, nearly as light as in a number of stars and in smallquantities in a few rare volcanic minerals.

Gold-Filled Chains.

A large amount of gold-filled chains for optical and other purposes are exported from the United States to Germany, and this line of goods is deservOmens in Tea.

before you sweeten it will bring you

love troubles. A tea stalk floating in

a girl's teacup is a "beau." She should

stir her tea briskly and then hold the

spoon upright in the center. If the

"beau" be attracted toward the spoon

and cling to it a gentleman visitor

may be expected some time that even-

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the side of the cup the visitor will not

Chambers of Commerce.

TIMELY CALLING.

How the Pastor Saved a Life.

an entire failure in getting strength

from the kind of food he ate and not

knowing that the trouble was with

It was supposed to be consumption

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Nuts, thinking from what he knew

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the doctors gave him up to die.

A man'near Fort Gay, W. Va., made

Foreign chambers of commerce are

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ica, are doing this now, to their great When the tea is made and the lid benefit and satisfaction. of the teapot is forgotten for a min-A. Walford, Westlore Farms, Pa. writes: "I have 60 acres in Salzer's Alute or two, it is a sure sign that some falfa Clover. It is immense. I cut one will drop in for the meal. Two three crops this season and have lots spoons put by chance into the saucer of pasture besides." Hon. H. F. Hunter, S. D., says, "Sal-zer's Northern Grown Alfalfa clover of a maid or a bachelor denote that he or she will be married within a year. Putting cream into your tea

cannot be beat. I have solved the question of stock raising here. Salzer's Alfalfa is good for 3 rousing crops of hay, Salzer's Speltz for 60 bu. of grain and 3 tons of hay, Salzer's Macarona Wheat for 65 bu. best hog fattening wheat, and Salzer's Hanna Barley, for arid, dry land, is good for 70 bu per These are all great hog, sheep and cattle faiteners, and last but not least, Salzer's Victoria Rape for sheep, and Salzer's Teosinte, good for \$0 tons of green food for cattle, and Sarr's Billion Dollar Grass Bromus Inermis for lots and lots of good hay. These things make it possible for me to grow live stock by the thousands.

Have you heard of Earliest cane? Gives six mowings a year, and Teo-sinte, the 80 ton per acre fodder wonder? JUST SEND THIS NOTICE, AND 10c IN STAMPS

to the John A. Sa'zer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., and receive their big-cat-alog and lots of farm seed samples free. (W. N. U.)

At the age of 30 a woman regrets that her past didn't begin a few years later

Florida's orange and pineapple crop is estimated at \$2,500,00v.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, (*85. LUCAS COUNTY. FRANK J. CHENEY MAKES OATH that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED POLLARS for each and every case of CATABENI that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATABENI that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATABENI CHE. Sworn ', before me and subscribed in my pres-ence, this in day of December, A. D. 1886. (SEAL) A. W. GLEASON, SEAL Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constitution.

A boy, isn't having a good time in his school vacation, unless he has a foot or inger tied up with bandages.

In Winter Use Allen's Foot-Ecse. A powder. Your feet feel uncomfortable, nervous and often cold and damp. called from time to time and one day If you have sweating, sore feet or tight brought along a package of Grape shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores, 25 cents, Sample sent free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy; N. Y.

> Many men stick to a good thing whh so much tenacity that it falls to pieces, agreeable.

IF YOU USE BALL BLUE. Get Red Cross Ball Blue, the best Ball Blue. Large 2 oz. package only 5 cents.

What has become of the old-fashioned woman who referred to hell, enemy as "an old gump?".

JUNE TINT BUTTER COLOR. Grape Nuts saved my life." Name makes top of the market butter.

> If you are looking for a steady jot buy, an automobile and try to keep it in running order.

> Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. Ildren teething, softens the guras, reduc ation, allays pain, cures wind collu. 20ca

Look in each pkg. for the famous As a stuttering man always thinks ittle book, "The Road to Wellville." As a stuttering man always thinks avoid mistakes.

· Radium Gas. hydroge, and is present in large to the Postmaster or Rev. L. D. Bryan. amounts in the envelope of the sun, I will make a sworn statement that

given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich This is another illustration that

where all other food fails one can be brought back to health and

strength on Grape-Nuts. "There's a reason." little book, "The Road to Wellville."

consisted in taking a bottle of brandy to it at once and from that day began. to get well. In writing he says: "I walked to town to-day 3 miles. Have gained over 40 pounds in about 2 months and my neighbors don't know what to say. I frequently am told it was as if I am raised from the dead. Everybody here knows of my case, you can tell people to write



The Western Washtenaw Farmers Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Spaulding Thursday February 18. Although there was a northeast snow storm raging there were sixty present. The intervening time before dinner was spent in friendly gossip and in playing each one was trying to outdo the other. A dinner such as the ladies of Western

served from twelve to two.

day of meeting was changed from Thursday to Friday, in order to give the

always be made welcome at every meet-

nounced later. Do not forget the change of day. The third Friday of each month.

There were 3,126 deaths reported to the Secretary of State for the month of January, corresponding to a death rate of I4.7 per 1,000 population. The number was 184 larger than that registered for the preceding month, and is also greater than the number for January,

1903.

fants under 1 year of age, 210 deaths of month

follows: pulmonary tuberculosis, 176; other forms of tuberculosis, 25; typhoid fever. 57; dipthheria and croup, 83; scarlet fever, 34; measles, 12; whooping cough, 19; pneumonia, 412; influenza, 101; cancer, 134; accidents and violence, 180.

the Junior Stars are to be organized the coming season or not and to look over the prospects for a winning team this year, will be held at Forester hall, Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. The question as to who will pitch for Chelsea the coming year will be decided. A special invita-

stanced in the death of the late Sen Hanna. A short time ago a reputable magazine writer stated that Sen. Hanna was worth thirty millions of dollars. At



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THE CHELSEA STANDARD, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1904.

ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION WILL BE **GREATEST EVER HELD ON EARTH**

Estimated Cost, Exclusive of the Value of the Exhibits, Is from Forty to Fifty Million Dollars-Miles of Wonderful Displays in More Than Twenty Buildings.

upon the World's Fair at St. Louis and aces of the Louisiana Purchase Exthe public will be invited to see the position average much larger than ing 2,300 rooms, is within the World's greatest exposition that has ever been those of Chicago and are greater in Fair grounds. The largest statue ever created. The vast exhibit palaces are number. About 130 acres of floor cast will stand in the Palace of Mines complete and many of them have been finished for several months. Within aces of the present World's Fair and Ixon Industries of Birmingham, Ala. the next two months all of them are to be brightened with new coats of paint so that, on the opening day, the magnificent array of palaces will appear as fresh as a newly blossomed

No one, no matter how vivid his imagination, can picture to himself the for the exhibit of locomotives and map of the United States, six acres in scene that will be presented when the cars. At the Chicago Exposition extent, planted with cereals and other Exposition is complete. The more one sees this great collection of exhibit hibits. At this World's Fair-about 100 -is an interesting display by the United palaces and countless other buildings, acres are given up to outdoor displays. States Bureau of Plant Industry. the more deeply impressed he be supplementing in a most pleasing comes with the grandeur of the under- manner the hundreds of thousands of ippine exhibit and thirty acres are detaking. As the days grow longer and indoor exhibits. At the Chicago Ex- voted to the Indian display. Six acres the air becomes balmy with the position one building was used for are devoted to the garden of roses. breezes of spring, the Exposition will no less than three important depart- Twenty acres are set apart for the actake on far greater activity than it ments. At the World's Fair in St. commodation of airships, which will has seen during the bolsterous days Louis four buildings, covering Torty- participate in the contests for prizes of winter. in spite of the severe five acres, are given up to the same amounting to \$200,000. The Quadrenweather, work has not ceased upon the four departments. construction of the World's Fair for opening day.

It is now a little more than two | been loth to believe such a statement. | Exposition season, thousands of birds months before the gates will open But such is the tact. The exhibit pal- representing many species and climes. space are provided in the various pal- and Metallurgy as the exhibit of the more than twenty buildings will be Twelve acres are devoted to a mining used for exhibit purposes. The larg- gulch containing all manner of mining est of these is the Palace of Agricul- machinery and exhibits. A floral clock, ture, which covers twenty acres. The 112 feet in diameter, the hands of next in size is the Palace of Transpor- which weigh more than a ton each, tation, covering fifteen acres and con- will tell the time of day upon the slope taining four miles of railway tracks north of the Palace of Agriculture. A

there were practically no outdoor ex- plants common to the various states, Forty acres are devoted to the Philnial Olympic games will be held dur The total cost of the World's Fair ing the World's Fair upon the athletic

more than a day or two at a time and is estimated at from forty to fifty field of the Exposition Grounds. An there is every expectation and prom- million dollars, exclusive of the value intra-mural railway, having fourteen ise that it will be complete on the of the exhibits. The Palace of Ma- miles of track will convey the visitors chinery alone will contain exhibits to to any part of the Exposition. Some The buildings and grounds, magnifi- the value of eight million dollars. forty restaurants will feed the multi-

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Swiss Industrial Schools.

There are industrial schools for art and industrial working schools in recently. Work in the village and in pupil.

Wholesale Marriage, No fewer than forty-two couples clock and watch making in Geneva, were married simultaneously at Plou- Neither has it the sense of smell. In Locle, Chaux-de-Fonds, etc.; there are gastel (Lower Brittary) one morning spite of those seeming impediments, Zurich and other cities for women, all the surrounding hamlet was en- prey as neatly as an ordinary fish. The and there are industrial schools, for threly suspended for the day, for the starfish lies upon its prey and folds the hand trades in most of the cities excellent reason that there was scarce, its "arms" or pays completely about and twins of the country. The sub- Ty a fiving soul in the neighborhood it. Then it pushes its stomach out jects taught in these schools are draw- not related to one or other of the through its mouth and will wrap even ing, arithmetic, geography, bookkeep brides or bridegrooms, for the good a large oyster and shell within the ing, German, Freach and practical in- people of Plougastel rever marry out- folds of the stomach. The mouth of struction in the trade chosen by the side their own commune.-London the starfish is in the center of its Mail rays.

How the Starfish Feeds.

Returns of the revenue from indi-

rect taxes in France in 1903 show that

receipts amounted to \$568,380,380, an

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mates, and \$30,175,860 over 1902.

A starfish can neither see nor hear. nevertheless, it seeks and devours its

The air contracts while cold, so that in one breath of 20 below atmosphere one gets much more oxygen than one can imbibe with the same amount of lung effort when the thermometer shows 90 in the shade.

A horse broke through ice in Water. bury. Conn. When he was drawn out of the water it was found that both his hind legs had been frozen together.

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Free Press contained this grim notice:

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down to the Line about the time they

crossed it; and the Simoom sweated

up to the Maldivhs very comfortably.

that the Simoom was looking for a

"A life's job, my bullies." said their

informant. "We'll be like the crew

'l'm wondering whether Spiller

came up this way, now," said old

Banks presently, with an interroga-

"And not by the channel?" asked

"Mr. Green, may the Lord forgive

me, but I just hate that Spiller with

an unholy hatred. Every time he gots

a show he brags he's run right over

where I located my rocks, and not

only that, but criss-cross in the lati-

tude where they might be. And he

set about that he'd herring-boned a

course on the chart on the longitude.

going back and forth on it like a dog

in a turnip field. So now he'll be up

here again to have another shy for

it. If he saw 'em, he'd swear he

never. And why he hates me so

can't tell, unless it was I did my duty

once, and let him know what a God-

fearing man thought of a blasphem-

"So it is, so it is," cried Banks pen-

sively; "he has no grace in him, and

he set it about, I know, that I soak

at sea if I'm sober ashore. He said

my rocks were delirium tremens; and

I'm a discredited man, wounded in a

It was just four bells in the fore-

noon watch then, and soon after they

Green nodded.

tender spot."

"That's likely it, sir."

needle in the Indian Ocean.

of the Flying Dutchman yet."

tive cock of his head.

Banks turned about.

Green.

ly new railroad.

(Continued.) "I'll report you," said Spiller to Banks, when he left Bombay. "Go to hell," cried Banks, who rarely swore save in a gale of wind. "After you," said Spiller, with what is popularly known as truly Oriental politeness; and as a parting taunt he

"We've made a good passage-a rip ping good passage," said old Banks, sang out, "What about them rocks?" rubbing his hands, "and I'm con-"You're an ungrammatical, unedudemned if I don't shape a course for cated man," screamed Banks, dancing my rocks, Mr. Green." furiously. As he had been shaping for them But Green and Wilson waved their

ever since he had deliberately gone caps to each other. For all their way out of his way to take the route east of passing compliments when one of Madagascar, instead of the Inner gave the other a western ocean relief or Mozambique route, Green winked at midnight, they were good friends. the other eye and said nothing. To The Simoom got to sea inside of tell the truth, he himself had a hankforty-eight hours, for Banks lost no ering to set his mind at rest on the time. He had made up his mind to subject, for he felt his credit involved waste some on the next chance he with the skipper's. had of looking for his blessed rocks, The man at the wheel overheard unless the monscon blew too hard. what Banks said, and when he stumped for'ard the whole crew knew

2 "That's likely it, sir." They had a fairly decent show running down the coast on the inside of the Laccadivhs, and, taking the usual circumbendibus to the eastward between Keeling and the Chagos Archipelago, picked up beautiful "passage" winds and southeast trades, and went

BEST COUCH CURE class "old man," and the Simoom as comfortable as a good bar parlor, compared with the sorry old bug-haunted Palembang, where a man's toes got sore with the pedicuring work of cockroaches. He made up his mind to stick to her, as he evidently suited. Banks. They both got cracked a little

and were as eager as the skipper to overhaul her. Through the bos'on and his mate it had leaked out that the old man was keen for a palaver with Spiller. "He's like a bull whale in a flurry," said one who had been whaling. "Now

my notion is that the skipper kin blaspheme if he wants to." The Palembang was visibly herself and no other vessel by this time, and she carried all she could stand.

"I've half a notion to have the t'gall'nsails set," said Banks, looking up aloft. "And if we weren't overhauling her twenty-three to the dozen, damme, but I would!"

For the Palembang showed nothing above her reefed topsails, and the foresail had a reef in it, and the Simoom came after her like the inside edge of a cyclone.

"Gimme my trumpet," cried Banks. Mr. Green, take the wheel, and run her as close as maybe."

And the second mate stood at the maintopsail halliards. "Palembang aboy!" yelled Banks brough his trumpet as he came tearing up on the weather side of his

enemy's ship. "Where the blue blazes are you coming to?" shrieked Spiller, who was both drunk and angry.

"Passing you as if you was standing still, you low, uneducated -swine," said Banks. "And I could do it under jury rig."

"What about them rocks?" jeered Spiller through his trumpet. "What's liar, you disgrace to the perfession?" They were close alongside now, not half a cable's length apart; a' good cricketer could have shied a cricket ball the distance easily.

"Leggo the main-topsail halliards," said Banks, and then to the surprise of his crew and the utter astonishment of Spiller he poured out a torrent of the most blood curdling abuse which had ever defiled the Indian or any other ocean.

"You think I'm soft, you dog." he notions of decency I'm to be trod on. shops. Run on my rocks and sink and burn.' His voice rose to a scream and cracked. He tried to speak, but tried in vair.

"Mr. Green, here," he whispered. and leaving the wheel to the man he had displaced, the mate jumped to the lee poop rail.

"Tell him he's no sailor; my voice is gone. Say he's a-oh, tell him anything you feel."

Green did so, and satisfied himseit and Banks and the entire crew. And then, seeing Wilson, he gave him a friendly bellow.

"What cheer, Wilson!" And hoisting the topsails, they ran

on, leaving. Spiller choking with helpless rage. As it grew darker and they dropped

OLD CLOCK A WONDER.

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on the Simoom Rocks, and gradually talked themselves into the belief of a shark's-tooth reef about a mile long with one special fang that rivalled a young peak of Teneriffe. The Palembang came into Liverpool

River about three weeks after the Simoom, and Green, back at work after ten days at home, had a high time with Wilson. But the skippers passed each other with their noses in

booming. Green found Banks a first-

the air as high as squirrels' tails, and never swopped a word in a fortnight. As luck would have it, they were both for Bombay again, only to give Spiller a chance of getting there first. the Simoom was to call at the Cape. Just before the Palembang cleared. Banks and Spiller fell up against each

other on the landing stage, and as Spiller was full up to his back teeth and uvula, he broke silence and went for the upholder of the vigia in high style. He could have taken a firstclass in bad language at any Australian back-blocks academy of cursingand what they don't know in blasphemy there can only be learnt from a low-class Spaniard. So the air was

blue from Liverpool to Manchester. and to the Isle of Man, and Banks got up and left. For when he was ashore he was very religious. Even at sea he carried a prayer book and an odd volume of virulent sermons, of the kind which indicate that no

man need forgive any enemy who is not of the same persuasion. But to tell the truth, Banks could have forgiven anything but an insult to his beloved rocks.

"Such a man oughtn't to live," he cried angrily, as he° went off in a tremulous rage. "He's predestined to the pit!"

And he trusted that Providence might one day yield him a chance of getting even. His prayers were fervent towards that end, and if Providence works, a it sometimes appears to do, through rum and ignorance and a good conceit in a man, there was a chance of his appeals being attended fo.

On the passage out to the Cape they saw nothing of the Palembang. But there she was heard of as being seen somewhere in the neighborhood of the Agulhas Bank, having a real good time in that native home of the god of the winds, where 50 per cent of all the breezes that do blow are

gales that dance in and out and about like a cooper round a cask. But the Simoom had luck, and slipped through as if Aeolus never spotted her. And old Banks chortled happily, and sang an extra hymn on

Sunday, compensating the men (otherwise disposed to growl at the innovation) with an extra lot of grog. For your true sailorman is the real conservative, and things that don't happen in the first week of a new ship have no business to happen after-

wards-which is a hint that some young second mates may find handy to remember. And remembering this will enable you to see why no true old shellback will ship in a steamvery heavy in puffs and the sky low and dark. Just before eight bells Green spotted a vessel on the starboard bow, and called the old man. He came on deck like a whiteheaded

jack-in-the-box. "Keep her away," he cried. "I'll bet she's the Palembang. Shake out them reefs and hoist the main-t'gall'n's'l again. His grammar failed in excitement.

"We're overhauling her hand over hand, anyhow," suggested Green. "If I can pass him going two foot for his one, I'd run the Simoom un-

der," screamed the skipper. "And when we come up with him, if my voice in a trumpet can carry, I'll tell him what I think of him. He thinks I'm soft because I sing hymns on Sunday. I'll let him know before I sang

hymns I was the biggest tough on the Australian coast. God's truth I was! And I wish I was now-oh, how wish it, and him ashore with me!" And 'Green' believed it, because he had to! There was something in the old man's eye as he walked to and fro, an unregenerate bloodthirsty snap that was very convincing. So the

and even that did not satisfy the skip-"I'll let him know that a saved and repentant Christian isn't necessarily



"Mr. Green, here." a worm," said Banks. "Mr. Green, set the mainsail!"

The Simoom was snoring through it_now, and Creent stared. "What she can't carry she may drag," said the skipper, with flashing eyes.

And the Simoom lost her courtesy with the sea under the influence of the mainsail, for the monsoon was a stiff one. She shouldered the Indian Ocean acide like a policeman shoving through a crowd; she scooped up tons of it as a scraper team scoops sand, and ran at any extra sea like a bull at a hedge. The men were under the break of the t'gallant foc'sle, sheltering from the cataract. boat, any more than the guard of a They knew the Palembang was ahead,

snugged her down, as the wind was the Palembang they picked up the mainsail, and shortened down for the night.

> "We ain't in no hurry," whispered Banks, "and to-morrow we'll be up with my rocks, if I've hit it off right.'

He was now somber and dignified, and spoke with particular grammatical and moral accuracy. Not the ghost of a damn issued from his lips. He reproved Green for swearing, and held a service in the cabin, much to the disgust of the entire ship, as it wasn't Sunday. Ferhaps to punish himself. for he always liked to stand well with the crowd, he gave them no grog after it.

(To be continued.)

What Equality Means.

John Turner, the English anarchist. who was detained by the commissioner of immigration at Ellis Island. is a man of considerable intelligence. He was talking about the average immigrant who comes to America.

"This man," Mr. Turner said, "has the New World quickly. He imagines reefs were shaken out of the topsails, that President Roosevelt and the Van- in the granite cliffs, but in order to derbilts and the Astors will treat reach the opposite side of the river, him as though he were their equal in all respects.

of about 150 miles. In all, four ex-"To him, in a word, equality means what it means to too many of the tromely perilous descents were made shiftless. The unuttered definition of to the bottom of the canyon. In places equality that lies in the back of his it was necessary to let the men down mind would be, if it were expressed over cliffs several hundred feet by accurately, just this: means of ropes.

"'Equality-The state of being. equal to one's superiors, and superior to one's equals,""

Servants in Philippines. Gen. Luke E. Wright, Gov. Taft's successor in the Philippines, - described a native servant in a recent letter home.

This servant, a boy, was ignorant, Gen. Wright explained, and then he gave this case in point: of Chicago is \$62.85.

"I told him at luncheon to fill an empty pepper cruet, and I waited for the pepper, but it was a long time coming.

"Finally I looked him up impatiently. He sat bent over the cruct, with the pepper beside him.

"'How long is it going to take you to do that job?' I said. "'Not much longer,' he answered;

but you must remember that it is no small task to force the pepper through these little holes.' "He was filling the cruet, you see,

without removing the perforated lid."

Peculiar Underclothing. Eskimo women wear curious underclothing made of the skins of birds. These skins before being sewn together are rendered soft by being chewed by the teeth of the women. As

it takes about 100 skins to make a garment, it is easy to see what vast labor that chewing must be and that it is quite enough to account for the massive, well-developed jaws ·usual among Eskimo women.

nations and throughout all history Curiously the tribes in the interior of Africa have been found to be skillful wrestlers, as are the natives of India and the Indians of America. A photograph of a Navajo wrestler is represented herewith, which shows the native athlete in the costume of his profession. The rules governing wrestling matches among the Navajos, singularly enough, are very similar to those recognized among civilized people for centuries.



a tunnel to irrigate the Uncompangre valley in western Colorado, it became necessary to make a topographic survey of the bottom of the grand canyon of the Gunnison river for a distance of about 1,500 feet. But the walls of this canyon, approximately 2,000 feet in height, are sheer precipices, and it too low an opinion of the Americans. is impossible to go through in boats. He fancies that he will get rich in A descent to the bottom was effected by means of a narrow fissure eroded with the aid of a similar fissure, the surveying party had to make a detour

few principles of righteousness a vital part of life. Practice is better than precept, says Good Housekeeping. My boy quickly learned the Bible's injunctions as to kindness and generosity, but when he gave ten cents of hard earned money to help a poor

alone.

woman, the act made a greater im-Eugene Field's Bank Account. pression upon his nature than all his Bankbook No. 13 of the Windham Sunday schooling. Most of us parcounty savings bank at Newfane, Vt., ents need to realize that actions.

is in the name of the late Eugene Field. It contains a deposit of \$5 made by his grandmother, Esther Field, with the proviso "not to be paid until said Eugene is 21 years of age." The book has never been taken to the bank since its issue, and the amount now due to the estate of Eugene Field

Forest of Oaks.



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birds himself, and deserves more

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dealers in the village, although they harsh thing to say, but it is not only that a false pointer is himself useless, but have made every effort to induce the that he spoils every dog that is hunted railroad people to haul in some cars with him; for the best dogs are soon put Plymouth dealers are not the only ones off their backing if they are hunted with held up by the railroad company as com a false pointer. plaints are being sent out all along the

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my part, I would never flatter or fuss a lished an article a few weeks ago in repuppy while on the point, until the game was up, or I had seen it on the ground. gaid to this village taking up the mat-Remember that until one of these things ter and arranging for a week when all has happened the point may be at a lark, of the "old "boys" who formerly were a hedgehog, a field-mouse, or nothing known on our streets and plunged into

whatever, and flattery, on the supposi- the old "swimming hole" could try and tion that he is pointing game, will make meet here and renew old ties, make a him commit the same error at the next few new ones perhaps, and enjoy a opportunity. general, rousing good time. Since that The greatest trouble in all breaking is to undo the errors previously taught, article was published we have seen quite possibly by inadvertence, probably by a number of the boys and they were wrong system, and this double point- agreed that it was a good idea and

ing will generally last through life if the several of them have already taken steps breaker begin by encouraging it. Alto boom the plan and set a date .- Pinckthough, as I have said, the toxt-books ney Dispatch. make these bad blunders, and the ma-

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