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FERRIS' LATEST.

Ferris, of World's Fair wheel by, is now engaged in constructing a ver bridge at Cincinnati which will a sheer span of 1,800 feet and be 60 wide. It will be the second longest ever in the world, and, considering didh and its enormous size, it will be reatest bridge of that construction has ever been built,

SUICIDE STATISTICS.

oide statistics, as recently published English doctor, show that taking the population of the world there is an impt made every three minutes on an rage by someone to take his own life. eems that Saxon is the quarter of the ow where suicide is the most popular, ratio there being 369 suicides in 1,000, death. deaths. Portugal, on the other hand, pies the first place for infrequency of destruction, the proportion there being 16 to 1,000,000.

A TALK TO THE BOYS. Prof. Henry Drummond is a great favor-swith the boys. He is so original and iteresting. In the course of a talk with a smpany of the Boys' Brigade he referred the wild "animal" in our nature, and id, "Well, when you are tempted to be ree like a tiger, or to be sulky and surly is a bear, or to be a sneaking thing like sorpent, you at once know where that serpent, you at once know where that mes from. You can kill an animal by arving, and you can starve any tempta-

arving, and you can starve any temptaion in the same way, so that it will have
be power. Every boy confessed he has been
impted to tell lies, but if the machinery
int works the lie has got so usty by disise all these years, the chances are you
ill never tell a lie again. There is a boy
ho loses his temper sometimes; if the boy
ops feeding it, in ten years he will wonder
ever had a temper at all."

ACTORS ON THE ROAD.

Formerly it was expected that every ctor should pay all his own expenses, scept car fare, while on tour, but lately some of the leading men have insisted on a clause in their contracts that shall guarantee their sleeping-car accommodations as well as transportation. The "utility" people, who receive from \$10 to \$15 a week, otten travel all night without sleep, except such as they can get sitting up, because they cannot afford to hire berths. Among the better companies every member takes care of himself and asks no favors of hotel men, but "fly-by-night" troupes usually put up together, and as they take the poorest rooms and sleep two and three in a room they get reduced rates. Lists of cheap hotels and boarding-houses are to be found behind the scenes in nearly every theater in the country for the guidance of ne of the leading men have insisted on ound behind the scenes in nearly every heater in the country for the guidance of the minor actors and for the chorus and

POTATO HISTORY.

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I has been proved beyond a doubt that at the time of the discovery of America the cultivation of the potato was practiced, with every appearance of ancient usage, in the temperate regions extending from Chile to New Grenada, at altitudes varying with the latitude. The name of the discoverer of the potato is unknown, but Du Candolle sums up the history of its dis. Candolle sums up the history of its dis-covery as follows: "The potato is wild in Chile in a form which is still seen in our cultivated plants; it is doubtful whether

MR. SPURGEON'S POSSIBLE SUC-CESSOR.

MR. SPURGEON'S POSSIBLE SUCCESSOR.

The Rev. Dr. Arthur T. Pierson, who may fill the pulpit of the London Tabernacle, preached in the Reformed Church of Brooklyn Heights last evening. Dr. Pierson has been much discussed recently as the probable successor of Dr. Spurgeon. Shortly after Dr. Spurgeon's death, Dr. Pierson, who hails from Philadelphia, was invited to speak in the London Tabernacle, and he remained there for a year under a temporary call. He became a great favorite with the congregation, and would in all probability have been made the permanent pastor before this except for a strong feeling among some members of the church that Dr. Spurgeon's son should succeed to the place made famous by his father. In order to test the younger Spurgeon's strength, he was recently installed on a year's trial. At the expiration of this time the Londoners will decide whether they want to keep him or have Dr. Pierson. Dr. Pierson has a fine delivery and is a most eloquent preacher.—[New York Times.

me say to vou all, I am rejoiced to be shown that I am teaching a class of gentlemen." Scottish lads can cheer as well as hiss, and that Blackie learned.—[Argonaut.]

STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES

CIVIL WAR. It is manifestly impossible to secure absolutely correct statistics of the civil war. The adjutant-general's office gives the following as the number of casualties in the volunteer and regular armies of the United States:

Killed in battle, 67,058; died of wounds, 43,012; died of disease, 190,720; other

WITH MASTER MINDS.

Society is no comfort to one not sociable.

Truth is truth, come whence it may. -[Daniel Webster.

Whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well.—[Lord Chesterfield.

The vain man makes a merit of misforune, and triumphs in his disgrace .- [Haz-

Life is short. The sooner that a man

Wisdom is everlasting; early or late, we apprehend her just the same.—[Frederic W. H. Meyers.

Traveling is no fool's errand to him who carries eyes and itinerary along with him, -[A. Bronson Alcott,

If you wish to live a life free from sor row, think of what is going to happen as if it had already happened.—[Epictetus.

A smile is ever the most bright and beautiful with a tear upon it. What is the dawn without the dew? The tear is rendered by the smile precious above the smile itself.—[Landor.

Keeping Christ's commandments keeps the eye clear and the temper sweet and the will submissive and the affections pure; in these lie the rich reward.—[Cuyler,

Living Questions.

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The white ribbons and favors used at weddings to-day are emblematic of the time when the bride's garters were cut up into hits and distributed among the young week.

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bits and distributed among the young men and women present for good luck.

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France is the only European country.

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A mens wife theule always be the same especially to her busband; but if she is weak and nervous, and usee Carter's 100 Pillace connot be, for they will make her "feelilke a different person," at least so they all say, and their husbands say so too.

Does the telephone girl's profession represent a vocation or a calling?

Everybody but the undertaker has an admiration for the man who never says die.

AT THE SEASIDE.

"Why Bob, you dear old fellow,
Where have you been these years?
In India, Egypt, Khiva.
With the Khan's own volunteers?
Have you scaled the Alps or Andes,
Sailed to Isles of Amazons?
What climate, Bob, has wrought to change
Your face from brown to bronze?"

She placed a dimpled hand in mine, In the same frank, friendly way;
We stood once more on the dear old beach.
And it seemed but yesterday
Since, standing on this same white shore,
She said, with eyelids wet.

Good-by. You may remember, Bob, But I shall not forget." I held her hand and whispered lov

"Madge, darling, what of the years, The ten long years that have intervened Since through the mists of tears, We looked good-bye! on this same Here by the murmuring sea? You, Madge, were then just twenty. And I was twenty three."

A crimson blush came to her cheek,
"Hush, Bob," she quickly said:
"Let's look at the bathers in the surf:
There's Nellie and Cousin Ned."
'And who's that portly gentleman
On the shady side of life!"
Oh, he belongs to our party, too,
In fact, Bob, I'm his wife!

"And I tell you, Bob, it's an awful thing.

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The way he does behave;

Flirts with that girl in steel-gray silk;

Bob, why do you look so grave ?'

"The fact is, Madge, I, well—shem

Oh, nothing at all, my dear,

Except that she of the steel-gray silk

Is the one I married last year."

—Commercial Gazette.

A PLEAFOR ZENANA MISSIONS. (By Ellen Thorneycloft Fowler.)

At Bethany once in the chamber of sorrow

A heart-broken woman sat mourning her

A heart-proken woman sat mourning her dead;

No promise had she of a brighter to-morrow—
No hope on her pathway its radiance shed.
But suddenly light did her seness bewilder!
Her sister caused all the dense darkness to By whispering low the sweet message that

thrilled her:
"The Master is come, and he calleth for Both sisters were loved by the Lord; and the

Had gone forth to meet him that sorrowful And lerrned from his lips-while his presence That he was the life, and the truth and

the way. Such wonderful knowledge she dared not be

We, too, have a sister, who sits in the shadow And never has heard of the Father above; But he, who forgets not the flowers of the

Is yearning for her with the might of his When counting the flocks in the fold he has missed her; And bids us "If ye my disciples would be,

With us, who are saved by his perfect salva

tion,
The Saviour is pleading the cause of the lost,
And charging us now-by his own incarna By all that he purchased—by all that it cost— By all that he felt when the temple was

By all that he purchased—by all that it cost—
By all that he felt when the temple was
shaken—
By all that he suffered on Calvary's tree—
To say unto her who awhile seemed forsaken.
"The Master has come, and he calleth for
thee."

MY NEIGHBOR.

My neighbor was a widder, an' she hed a rundown farm, An' her cows an' pigs an' chickens done a mighty lot o' harm To my fields ajinin', an' I stood it quite awhile, Till I wouldn't be imposed on in no sich kind

So. I looked my very maddest es I walked up Till she looked up at me smilin' while a-wash

An' her cheeks was red es roses an' her hair es black es night; got to scold an' sass her fer she seemed so But my hand was to the plow now, an' it

To fergit them dependations jes' by lookin' at her shoe.

an' all alone. An' my hand was off the plow then and a-

reachin' out for hern.

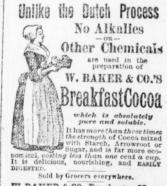
I hed learnt a suddent lesson that I never thought I'd learn. Well, my scoldin' was a failure, secin' what I Well, my scoldin was a thought to do,

For her rigs an' cows are all here, an' the

widder's with 'em, too.

- Will F. McSparren.

A cynic observes that the most popular air with the girls these days is a millionaire.



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[From Wives and Daughters.]

A good deal has been written and many illustrations printed with the World's Fair But the subject is worthy of as the text. But the subject is worthy of it all, and the pictures in the magazines will be preserved for years in many a remote and humble home, refreshing the recollection as time steals on. If one wanted a pretty complete record of the Fair within one cover, they could hardly dobetter than lay by the September number of the Cosmopolitan magazine.

In the introductory paper, Mr. John Brisbon Walker calls the great exhibition "The World's College of Democracy," and predicts that America's civilization and advance in the liberal arts will be moved forward a quarter of a century as the

times with kindly words of information, alert to the necessities of visitors, and determined to make the stay of each in their precincts as pleasant as possible. It is evident, says Mr. Walker, that the burly policeman is likely to be relegated to the niche adjoining that occupied by the volunteer firman.

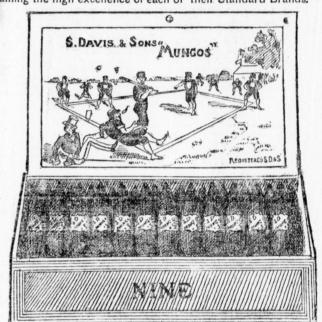
As to invention, and especially electrical invention, an electrical engineer says:
"You have here everything that was underamed of 25 years ago. You have here
the culmination of invention and science. It the culmination of invention and science. It is worth while to note this carefully, because if we should have another exhibit 25 years from now the probability is that not one of the things which seem so wonderful to you now will then be valued. They will have been superseded by inventions so much more useful, so much more wonderful, that it is barely within the compass of any mind to even conceive of what the future has in store for us."

The daily attendance at the fair has in-

predicts that America's civilization and advance in the liberal arts will be moved forward a quarter of a century as the result of this marvelous exhibition. Mr. Walker dilates with pleasure on the enjoyment which the throngs of sight-seers seemed to take out of the exhibition; and he notes the absence of ill-nature and drunkenness. "What a change," he exclaims, "has come over our civilization in the last 25 years! Such a crowd anywhere in the United States before the sixties or in the United States who are not cramped by silver or any other sort of financial troubles. Well, it will do them all good! The inventions shown will stimulate many to invent who never invented before, and many who have invented to invent un more. The instruction, the entertainment, the incidental culture and broadening of the bundreds, but of tens of thousands, and women and children could not have taken part in such a gathering without the risk of personal injury."

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