

idol which many millions of Englishspeaking people have been worshiping for years. Word comes from Denver, Colorado, that "Huckleberry Finn," of all Mark Twain's books the one most often associated with his name, has been excluded from the public library of that city on the ground that it is "immoral and sacrilegious." If the incident actually occurred it would seem to indicate that the United States is a nation of freaks. One would find it necessary to go back to the Blue Law days of Connecticut to find a parallel for it. Such hysterical morality is peculiar to people of morbid temperament, and as inconsistent as it is ridiculous. Probably one-half of surreptitiously gloating over the sanguinary performances of Red Rover,

the Terror of the Reef, or, Red-Handed Ralph, the Scourge of the Tenderloin, while they are prevented from reading the delightful story of Huckleberry Finn and Tom Sawyer. The cheap paper novel is an evil which will probably always exist as long as boys are born with imaginations. To extirpate it in one stroke without offering the boys something in its place would be impossible, and it is the disregard of this fact that makes useless the work of so many social purity organizations. By giving the boy literature, that, while appealing to his imagination and his inherent love of adventure, is healthful and manly in its tone, you may in time cure him of his taste for the lurid and unnatural form, for at heart every boy is manly. With the "Tom Brown at Rugby," no book ever published in the English or in any other language appeals more strongly to boyish enthusiasm than Mark Twain's delightful story of the Mississippl. There is not a single sentence in the whole book that could possibly suggest a wrong thought to a boy's mind. The little escapades of Tom Sawyer and Huck Finn are essentially boys' pranks, and as long as boys continue to be boys we shall find them playing pranks. The whole tone of the

line he still would have been worthy be a considerable saving of time. The of the worship of every real boy in vessel will serve as a floating station, the world. If such books as "Huckle- which can be approached in any kind berry Finn" and "Tom Sawyer" twere of weather and picked up for wireless placed constantly within the reach of communication. The value of this the youth of the land there soon would form of postoffice is expected to be be little demand for the blood-and- very great. Moreover, lying at the thunder variety that sell for a nickel. junction of the three great thorough-Deprive your boy of such books and fares of British and continental main their stead compel him to read rine traffic, the station should prove Sanford and Merton as you would particularly valuable in salvage work. compel him to take quinine, and observe the result. Some day you will to be thoroughly practicable, and if come upon him unexpectedly with a carried out it should prove to be of book in which every character is a monstrosity and every page the revolting record of a murder. It is useless to forbid a boy to read these nickel will not in all probability worry the dreadfuls, for boys have ways of their colonial government half as much as own of procuring them; far better to the race problem worries the man with introduce to them healthful tales, such the binoculars at Saratoga and Hawas Mark Twain's masterpiece, which thorne.

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The Growing West.

The building of a 2,250,000-bushel grain elevator at Port Arthur shows that the Canadians are bustling to improve their facilities for handling their rapidly increasing wheat yield. But at the present rate at which American farmers are going to Canada, the ele-vator builders will have hard work to keep up .-- Minneapolis Tribune.

If any further assurance is needed that the present is "the growing time" in the great Canadian West, it is sioner Ross is one of the Old Boys of furnished by the newspapers of the this city, in whose health and success United States. It has not been the Londoners are deeply interested and custom of United States journalists in they will share the pleasure of his the past to take Canada seriously; it friends in all parts of Canada in the has pleased them better to refer to it news that soon he will be again fit for as the Great Lone Land, a mere fringe his duties as chief executive of the of snow-covered plains on their north- Lew northern country. ern borders, inhabitated by French fur traders and Indians. It would not be

fair to their intelligence to say they did not know better, for, as a matter of fact, they have realized for a long time that Canada is a country of vast resources. Their indifference was, rather, affected. But recently an extraordinary change has come about. The entire press of the republic from Boston to the Golden Gate is devoting much attention to Canada, and, although there is an occasional sneer, the more influential journals frankly admit that the Dominion is on the crest of a wave of prosperity and de-

velopment which must eventually make it a formidable rival of the United States in the markets of the world. The paper quoted above has another editorial under the significant heading. "Northward the Star of Empire," in which it points out that the westward trend of settlement is already beginning to diverge to the great, fertile plains of the Canadian West. It says: fair sex is to be thus ruthlessly vio-

"The westward trend of settlement on this continent must come to a halt on the Pacific coast, Beyond, there are clands of the sea, and Asia, but those lands are already filled with teeming population will gradually thicken-but the large migration is already sheer- what to do with "-" hand ordinarily ing of towards the north. There are occupied in clutching their skirts.

or an English Channel port. By this third, were reported to be in houses or barns at the time of the accident. means pilotage and port dues would As a vast majority of people are un-Mark Twain had never written another be reduced, and, of course, there would would go to prove that it is safer to be in doors when "Jove mutters in the [Chicago Record-Herald.] The pen is mightier than the sword, But in the large affairs of men This fact we may likewise record: The dollar's mightier than the pen. A New Terror. [New York World.] The scheme on the face of it appears The average duration of life in Chiago has, it is claimed, more than

oubled in thirty years. The possibilconsiderable service in the maritime ity of living forever there is now ad-ded to the other terrors of the Windy world. City.

The race problem in South Africa Canada's Indian Policy. [Boston Herald.] The contract between the United States and Canada with regard to the

often been referred to. Egerton R. The Fishing Gazette describes how Young, in the Southern Workman, presents the matter forcibly, and the very to tell the age of a fish by micro-scopical examination of its scales. But different results that have followed. no way has yet been discovered to tell the age of the maiden lady who he country has spent in Indian wars \$600,000,000. Canada has had no Inlooks back upon 35 .- Hamilton Times. dian war. In Canada the Indians have never been made the victims of politic-That is true. If our memory serves al plunderers. They have always been treated justly. No change of adminis-Artemus Ward once tried to solve the men who were in charge of the inter- he had heard of it, but did not know problem by examining the teeth of a subject, but with disastrous results. ests of the tribes. The officer of In-

dian agent has not been turned over The message is received that the to party servitors who were "on the make." health of Commissioner Ross of the ment and believe that it will do right. Yukon has much improved. Commis-Le Courrier de St. Hyacinthe says that Mr. Tarte is playing for the premiership. Perhaps, but the little man is working quite a lot, too.

The news that Sir William Mulock

ing office. This is really too much. Is

it possible that the last one of man's

a pleasant outing.

Give us the man who's "always the has been ordered by his physicians to same, Forever, through thick and thin; The man who'll fight for the right, at go abroad for his health, has been receieved with profound regret throughtimes When the wrong would fain creep in; out Canada. The departments of public affairs to which he has given his undivided attention, can ill afford to lose his watchful supervision even for a very brief period. It is the earnest hope of every Canadian that Sir William will make such a speedy recovery in the old world, that his return voyage may be in the nature of

Always the same, to rich or poor. A cablegram from Paris to the At-Beggar, or priest, or king; Always the same at work the same, Always at everything; lanta Constitution says that ten women took out licenses for wearing trousers during the ensuing twelve months. among them decorators, painters, one cab-driver, and one foreman in a print-

The Missing Rhyme. [New York Post.]

Might.

policy of dealing with the Indians has

The Indians trust the Govern-

Not All Play.

[Hamilton Herald.]

The Man We Want.

[E. A. Brininstool.]

sacred privileges untouched by the Two correspondents simultaneously send rhymes for orange. It will be felt, lated. It is time mere man called a however, that the ingenious use of halt. It is possible, however, that the "porringer" is an evasion of the diffi-culty, and that orange still defies the rhymster. From the Profile House, N. French women's attempt to wear trousers will prove a dismal failure H., "T. S. C." writes: "A like difficulty was found in England, many years populations. There is yet a consider-ble area of open space to fill up in the interior of the continent. Here for the reason that they will not know won by the following lines-I heard them, forty years ago, from my uncle, who is an Englishman, and the lapse

Bouldyer. There he found that to those ting ring. eries of fur seals, similar to those ting ring. The figure given by Mr. Ullman is the averwhich are fully 700 miles in a north- about five times as great as the average betting of last year or any recent season at the springs. The bets are der cover during thunderstorms, this easterly direction from Bouldyer.

Bouldyer. There he found two rook-

The scene of the newly discovered season at the springs. The bets are distributed among about 60 bookmak-Behring Sea and the Pacific ers, approximately twice as many as tween Ocean, fully 3,500 miles northwest of San Francisco, but still within Ameri-betting on the track does not come can jurisdiction. Lieut. Bertholf approached the herd closely enough to learn that none of the seals had been now here willing to back their judgbranded and there was no sign that white men in search of fur seals had to \$1,000 on a race. ever been near the island.

Capt. Shoemaker, chief of the revenue cutter Service, heard through the Aleutian Island natives that there was a seal herd near the western end of are not eaten with much relish, and are often so light as not to afford much nourishment. the long chain of islands, and he issued instructions last spring that the re-port be investigated by the Manning.

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dications that the system is running down, and there is nothing else so good for it as Hood's Sarsaparilla-the best of It is believed that further discoveries will be made which in view of the gradually declining seal fisheries in the Pribyloff Islands, will prove to be of

Accept no substitute for Hood's. h

Doesn't Know of Beef Trust.

New York, Aug. 21. - J. Ogden hand writing. Armour, of Chicago, returned from a trip abroad yesterday. "I know nothing about a \$230,000,000 beef trust being organized," he said in response to in-"I have been away on a purely pleasure trip, and have not been in touch with what has been going on over here during my absence. I know absolutely nothing of the situation." When asked if he had not heard that consolidation of

t no counterfeit of similar name. L. A. Sayre said to a lady of the tt ton (a patient): "As you ladies will use them, I recommend 'Gouraud's Cream' as the least harmful of all the from a few great plungers, but from skin preparations." Also Poudre Subtile removes superfluous hair, without injury to the skin. ment in horseflesh by bets of from \$100 FERD. T. HOPKINS, Prop., 37 Great Jones street, New York. For sale by all druggists and fancy goods dealers throughout the United States, Canada and Europe.

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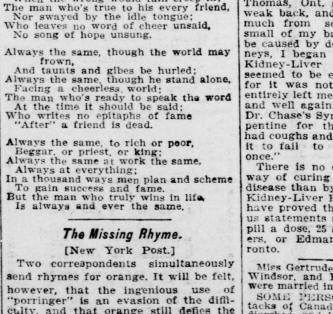
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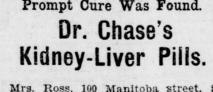


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