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British and Foreign.

George Augustus Sala, journalist, author and poet, died in London, Dec. 8th. He was born in London, Nov. 24th, 1828.

The flight of Said Pasha and his taking refuge in the English embassy have been subjects of almost sensational interest in Constantinople.

The United States Tobacco Journal declares that the bicycle has caused a total reduction in the consumption of cigars for the year of 700,000,000.

The Rev. Dr. S. F. Smith, author of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee!" who died lately in Boston, left by will \$1,000 to the Richmond Theological Seminary, a training school for colored students of theology.

Prof. L. L. Dyche, of the Kansas University, who recently returned from the far north with the Peary expedition, says that he has received an offer and has practically decided to go again in quest of the north pole.

At the Entrance Scholarship examinations in St. Peter's College, Cambridge, Robert Hill Thornton, son of the Rev. R. M. Thornton, D.D., of Camden Road Church, gained an open scholarship of £40 for history.

The number of students in Princeton Theological Seminary at the present time is 236, somewhat fewer than were in attendance last year, but more than the Seminary can, with its present buildings, comfortably accommodate.

The scheme formulated by the Rev. Mr. Howie, of Govan, Glasgow, for planting a large number of additional Free churches in Glasgow has been received with much favor. £15,000 out of the £30,000 has been already obtained.

Armenians declare that the Turkish Government compels all naturalized Armenians doing business in America to remit taxes to the Sultan's officers. These taxes are levied arbitrarily and their collection is enforced by unique methods.

H. Thane Miller, the blind President of the Mount Auburn Institute near Cincinnati, died of heart disease on the night of Dec. 7th. He was famous all over the country through his connection with the Y.M.C.A. He had taught at the Institute the last twenty years.

There are 13,176 miles of street railway lines now in operation in the United States, an increase of 3,514 miles over 1891. Of the total mileage 10,238 miles are operated by electricity, 578 miles by cable, 409 miles by steam dummy engines, and then there is still 1,921 miles operated by horse or mule power.

The Rev. Dr. J. H. Barrows has resigned the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church, Chicago. He has been appointed the first lecturer on the Haskell foundation, and, in connection with the University of Chicago, he goes next year to India to lecture before Hindoos of culture on the great truths of Christianity.

The Presbytery of Westchester, New York, according to its established custom, observed at Yonkers, November 26th, an annual day of prayer, closing the day with a quiet celebration of the communion. This day of prayer has become fixed in the life and fellowship of the Presbytery with good results and growing power.

A band of 600 hardy sons and daughters of Norway and Sweden, who have become American citizens, but who are eager for glimpses of the motherland, arrived in New York from the west, December 3rd. They filled a train of ten cars. The travellers have taken passage on the big steamship "Island," which they have chartered, of the Thingvalla.

HALE AND HEARTY AT 70.

WHAT "FATHER" TOULL THINKS OF A POPULAR REMEDY.

Suffered for Twenty Years From Heart Troubles—His Doctor Said He Might Drop Dead at Any Moment—Tells How He Overcomes the Trouble.
From the Ingersoll Chronicle.

That a sound mind in a sound body is one of the best and greatest gifts of a kind Providence no one will deny. Mankind in all ages have sought to obtain the elixir of life, have haunted for some means of prolonging health, vigor and vitality—have, in fact, hoped that they might find

"Some blithe wine
Or bright elixir, peerless, they could drink
And so become immortal."

But while man can hardly hope to attain that coveted prize this side of the eternal world, yet it is evident to all who give the subject any consideration, that modern science, skill and education in the treatment of the ills that flesh is heir to, have worked wonders in restoring the human body to its original "form divine," and is relieving many sufferers from untold misery, bringing them back to health and happiness, and giving them a feeling that life is indeed worth living. A case in point, in our own town, having reached the ears of a reporter of the Chronicle the scribe determined to satisfy his curiosity by calling on the party who had such a happy experience and investigate for himself. He called at the boot and shoe shop of Mr. John Toull, King street west, and on entering the building the reporter found "Father Toull," as he is familiarly known in town, busily at work on a pair of shoes for one of his many customers, at the same time humming over to himself the tune of a cherished hymn, for, by the way, in his younger days Mr. Toull was considered a good local preacher among the Methodists of this section and frequently filled the pulpits of some of our local churches in the pastor's absence, and he still loves to sing, preach, or expostulate on some scripture theme or favourite hymn. The reporter was cordially received, and on making known his business, the old man's countenance brightened and his eyes sparkled with delight. It was interesting to note the fervency with



"Busily at Work."

which he volunteered, as he said, for the sake of humanity, to tell what he could of his case, and we will let it be told in his own words. He said:—"For twenty years I was subject to heart trouble and could get no relief, although I had tried almost everything that kind friends had recommended to me. My family physician would sometimes give me some medicine that would help me for a short time, but without permanent benefit. He told me I might drop dead at any moment, and I tell you I expected to do so on many occasions. I had heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills when they first came out, but I had used so many remedies that I just about lost faith in everything of that kind, and had become resigned to my fate. However, I came in contact with so many that had used Pink Pills, and who assured me that they had been benefited by their use, that at last I decided to give them a trial also, and several years ago I commenced taking them. I continued their use until I had taken eight boxes, and I am now happy to say that I have never had a symptom of the disease since, and I am convinced that, by the blessing of God, Pink Pills cured me. I might also say that



last fall I was attacked with rheumatism, which became so bad that I could scarcely walk from my work to the house, and for a long time I could not get out to church. I tried a number of things recommended to me, but received no good from their use, so I said to myself one day, Pink Pills did me so much good before for my heart trouble, I'll try them again, so I gave them another fair trial, with the result that the rheumatism has all gone out of my bones, and I have not been troubled with it since. Everyone," said the old man, as he waxed warm over the thought of his happy experience, "who knows old Father Toull, knows that what he tells is the truth." After thanking Mr. Toull for his kindness and courtesy, the reporter left the shop with the same opinion as to the truth of his statements, and impressed with the belief that from his rugged hearty appearance and cheerful disposition, the old gentleman is still good for many years of a healthful, contented life.

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A conference was held in Dundee lately, of the Council of the Presbyterian Church of England, United Presbyterian Church, and Free Church of Scotland. At a business meeting held in the morning, it was agreed to recommend that ministers in Scotland should keep in touch with their members going to England until these had joined a congregation there.

Nervous women will find relief in Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it enriches the blood and thus strengthens the nerves.

Dean Farrar's publishers have issued an interesting announcement about the circulation of his books. His "Life of Christ" has now passed into its twenty-third edition. "The Life and Work of St. Paul" has reached its twentieth, while 9,000 copies of "The Early Days of Christianity" have been sold. These are only library editions and do not include illustrated and popular issues.

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