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ronomical expeditions are going the far-away island of Sumatra to the far-away island of Sumatra this spring to observe the total eclipse of the sun, which will occur in that part of the world May 18. United States Government is sending out one expedition, the Uniof California another, and third is being fitted out by the Mas-

sachusetts Institute of rechnology.

The Boston party of observers will comprise Professor Alfred E. Burton, Professor Harrison H. Smith and Graduate George L. Hosmer and Gerard H. Matthes, all of Technology. Professor Burton and Messrs. Hos-mer and Smith were both connected with the successful expedition sent by the Institute to Washington, Ga., last May, to observe the total eclipse of that date. Professor Burton was also prominently identified with the Boston party on the sixth Peary expedition to Greenland for the purpose of making magnetic and "pendulum" observations, and as this work is to form part of the object of the trip to the Indian Ocean, it will be seen that he is exceptionally well qualified by experience to

head this important enterprise. The party will leave New York on Feb. 23, making its way to the distant Dutch colony by following an easterly course, while the Governexpedition, which is to be somewhat larger in numbers, will ease is attained by means of this elab-leave San Francisco Feb. 20 and pro- torate code for a sterilized shave: ceed to its destination by the following of the sun. In this way one party will lose a day, in making the journey, while the other party will

The observation of this eclipse, if it is successful at all, will be made under conditions that do not often prevail on such occasions. It will be a pity if the weather conditions are unfavorable, for the duration of this eclipse is greater than almost any that has previously been observed, the period of totality, being between 6 minutes and 9 seconds and 6 minutes and 20 seconds, according to the place on the island where the observation is taken. The region about Sumatra is storms, however, and it was largely on account of the fear of failure from storm that Harvard University decided not to send out an ex-

pedition. Professor Burton and his associates will be sure to have something tangible to show for their long journey and hard work, however, for they are going prepared to make important "pendulum" and 'magneportant tic" observations, both in Sumatra | tight-wrist." and Singapore, to supplement the work already done in other parts of world, including the United States and Greenland.

This particular form of scientific nvestigation has to do with determining the contour of the earth, rather than with the matter of its oscillation, and it requires the use of instruments with extreme delicacy at can hardly be comprehended by the lay mind. Even if clouds should obscure the eclipse, it would not interfere with the success of this work, and the results that are likely to be atte | will alone warrant the time an expense attendant upon the ex-

Professor Burton's party will take a complete outfit of photographic apparatus, magnetometers and other necessary implements. Professor E. C. Pickering, director of the Harvard Observatory, has loaned a number of valuable instruments, and the party also has hopes of being able to secure the instruments owned by the Government, which were used in reenland,

Included in the outfit will be an ngenious apparatus designed by Mr. mith for photographing the sun and the region for several degrees surrounding it, and also an invention for taking pictures of the shadow

The steamer on which the party will sail is due in Genoa on March 8, and here they will be joined by two astronomers, sent out by the Government of the Netherlands, and probably the expedition sent out by the British Government. Thence all go together via the Suez Canal to Padang, on the west coast of Sumawhich it is expected will be reached by April 10.

Padang is the chief centre of Sumatra, with a population of 20,000, and from it runs a railroad into the interior for 120 miles. The 'country is very mountainous, the elevation ranging from 2,000 to 11,000 feet, and Professor Burton plans to locate a station on some high point just south of Padang.

While the Boston expedition is speeding eastward those of the United States Government and the University of California will be hurrying westward on the same mission. The party from the United States Naval Observatory will leave Washington on February 10 and will be in charge of Professor W. K. Skinner. With him will go Messrs. Eichelberger, Jewel and Littell, assistant astronomers, and Mr. Peters, the official photographer, of the observatory; Professor E. E. Barnard, of the Yerkes Observatory at Williams Bay, Wis.: Professor Humphrey, of the University of Virginia; Professor Abbotts, of the Smithsonian Insti-Abbotts, of the Smithsonian Insti-tute; Professor Mitchell, of Columbia-University, and Professor Gilbert, of Johns Hopkins University. The Government appropriated \$10,000 to meet the expenses. The party will sail from San Francisco February 20 on the Government transport for Manila, and from thence will be taken to Padang on a war ship.

The University of California expe-

cisco, will consist of a party of astronomers from Lick Observatory, Mt. Hamilton. They will leave San Francisco about the same time as the Government expedition.

The path of the total eclipse begins at a point in the Indian Ocean

gins at a point in the Indian Ocean east of Africa and barely includes the western end of Madagascar, extend-ing from thence across the Indian Ocean, through the centre of Sum atra, the southern part of Borned and the southern part of New Guinea. It begins near longitude 40 degrees east and ends just short longitude 160 degrees west of New Guinea. The limit of partial eclipse will embrace a part of East Africa Hindoostan, Siam, Java and all of Austria. The next six minutes' total eclipse is timed for May 29, 1919, and will be visible in Brazil and South America.

Professor Brown, astronomical di-rector of the United States Naval Observatory of Washington, D. C., proposes to make magnetic observations in Sumatra during the comin solar eclipse on May 17 next. It is expected that most of the eclipse expeditions will make similar observa

#### SANITARY BARBERING-

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There has been recently opened Baltimore a new barber shop, which the most recent practices of Pasteurization and sterilization are practiced. According to The Baltimore American, there are 16 "ascep tic" chairs, which are "the result of years of study by prominent medica The seats are raised and perforated, and parts which come into contact with the hands are covered with glass. Thus a subject which has engaged the attention of many satisfactory scientific way, and complete security from contagious "Chair is put in position and

gown properly adjusted. 'Razor is strapped and then sterilized before using. Cup, shaving brush, hair-brush and combs are sterilized each time after being used 'Hands are washed with castile soap; all soap is removed by rinsing with plain water; then the hands are mmersed in an antiseptic fluid and

wiped on a sterilized towel. "Sterilized towels are taken from sterilized bag, and towel adjusted "Sterilized cup and brush are use n making the lather, and then the

barber proceeds to shave. "The face is washed with a sterilized towel, taken from a sterilized

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"Proceed to dress hair with sterilized hair-brush and comb. "The barber's sleeves must

#### Music and Drama.

Rudyard Kipling has dramatized is long story: "The Light That his long story: "The Light That Failed." and the play has been acquired by Charles Hawtrey, the English actor.

Jenny Lind's letters to a woman friend living in Italy from 1845 to 1874 will soon be published by an Italian firm. The letters, it ported, number over 100, and give the prima donna's outspoken unconventional opinions about music and many of the musicians of

Sada Yacca, the talented Japanes actress who was heard in New York-last winter and subsequently appeared with much success in Paris, has been commissioned with her bus, band, Kawakami, by the Empress of Japan to make a careful study of the stage of European countries and select a number of plays suitable for translation in her language. The Empress desires to do away with the ten-hour Japanese plays and give them a more reasonable length.

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Skimmed milk has got into the in dustries, and is now found to be worth more to paper makers than

five cents a quart.

According to a recent consular report from Magdeburg, Germany, the production of beet sugar in the world is now twice as great as that of cane

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FOUR "CRAZY" GIRLS The Feminine Vocabulary Puzzles a Prac tical Man.

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The first one I walked down Charles street with. There were some orchids in one of the florists' windows and she waxed confidential at once over their pale tints," says Baltimore exchange. "I'm crazy about orchids,' she

"My poor child." I responded, should not have known there was anything the matter with your brain at all if you hadn't told me. Try to keep it a secret as long as possible They don't think of confining you in an asylum, do they?"

"Stupid,' was all she replied to this and she didn't say anthing else remarkable until further down, when she saw some engravings and told me she was crazy about all such

"In the afternoon another dear friend of mine said she was crazy about Nesselrode pudding, but the girl with her declared she wasn't that she was wild about terrapin and duck and substances of that or-

"I told them I would have a jury lunatico inquirendo sit in their cases at cace and they called me a "goosicums,' whatever they may be, which ended a highly intellectual conversa

That night one of my oldest friends and a very bright woman she said that she was crazy about Edna May. I asked her form her mania took and she answered that of going to see this little actress whenever she got Then she explained \_ that when she said she was 'crazy' about anything it merely meant that she particularly admired it.

"So it seems women have a vocabulary all their own and it certainly does puzzle a fellow to follow their eccentric trains of thought.

When a man says he is crazy he means he's defanged, but a girl may mean anything by it, it seems, from mild liking to desperate admira-

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